
Allan Duffy

Concerned Angler

<Personal information removed>

December 14, 2021

Beaver Dam Mine Project
Impact Assessment Agency of Canada
200-1801 Hollis Street
Halifax, Nova Scotia, B3J 3N4
Telephone: 902-426-0564
Fax: 902-426-6550
Email: bdmine-minebd@iaac-aeic.gc.ca

I am writing in response to the revised Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), for the proposed Beaver Dam Mine Project. The information contained in the revised EIS does not fully address the concerns raised by the Nova Scotia Atlantic Salmon Association regarding the proposed work as outlined in the extensive documentation. Our association believes that the company has not made significant progress in addressing the potential negative impact for the West River watershed and the adjacent sub-watersheds. The NSSA believes that the following concerns have yet to be properly addressed:

The impact of salmon on the West River and all of the work the Salmon Association has completed to date to restore habitat, mitigate the effects of acid rain on spawning, and the overall impact on future angling.

In closing, I am strongly opposed to the proposed Beaver Dam Mine project. The West River watershed and adjacent sub-watersheds are valuable and vulnerable resources that need our constant protection. We stand in solidarity with our partner conservation associations and the Mi'kmaq of Nova Scotia in opposition to this proposal.

On behalf of all concerned anglers and conservationists, I respectfully submit my response to the EIS.

Sincerely,

Allan Duffy