



PORT HAWKESBURY PAPER

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**Diverse
Ecology**



**Responsible
Forestry**



**Healthy
Economy**



**Strong
Community**

Our Focus Today

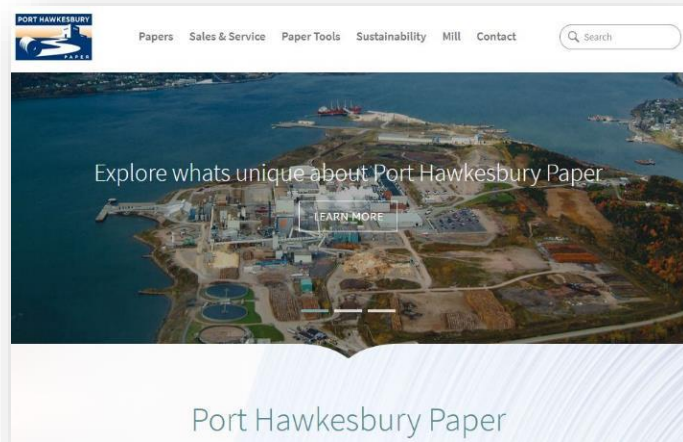
An Update

Agenda

- Economic Impact
- Sustainable Forestry Highlights
- New Business Opportunities
- Q&A



Communications & Community Engagement



Website

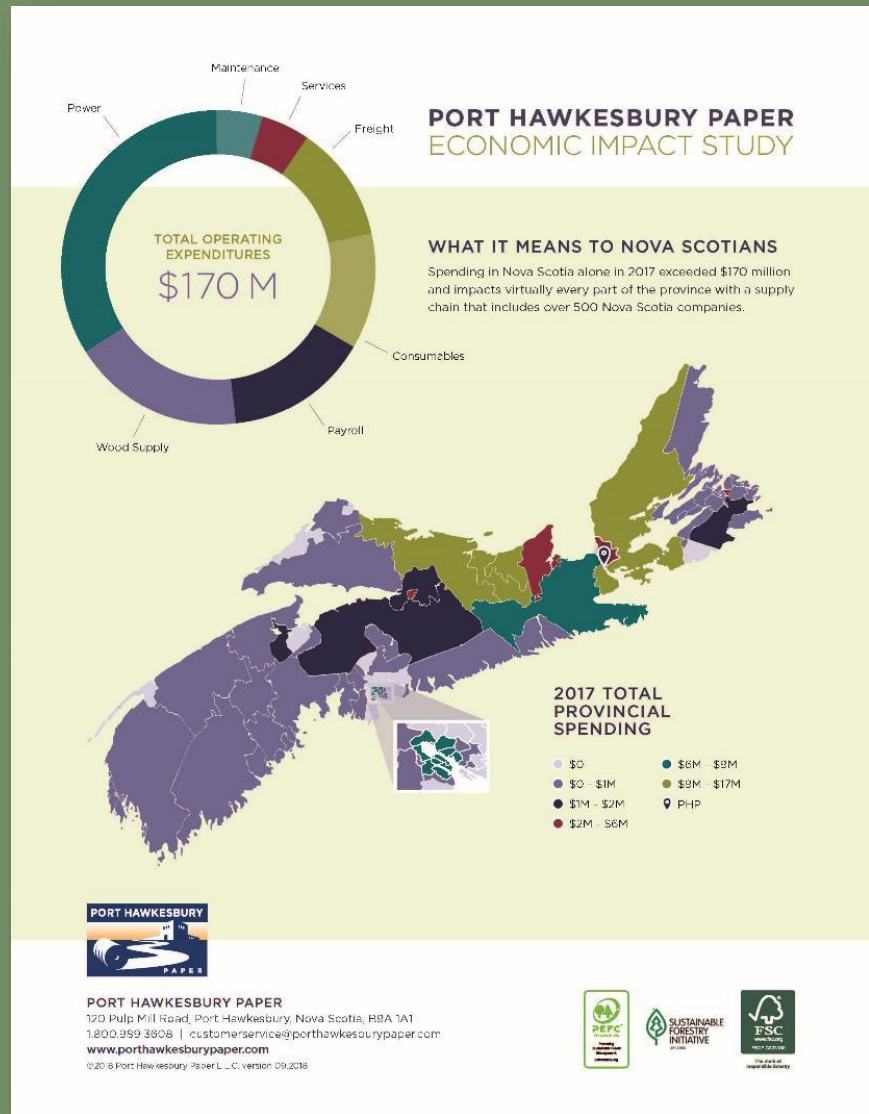


Video



Social Media

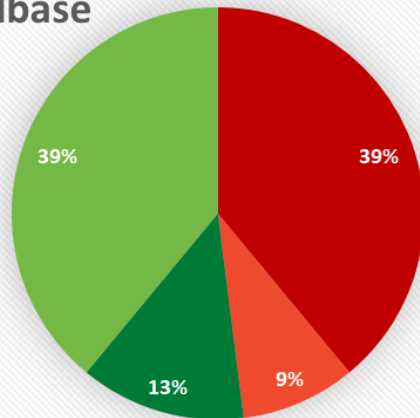
Economic Impact



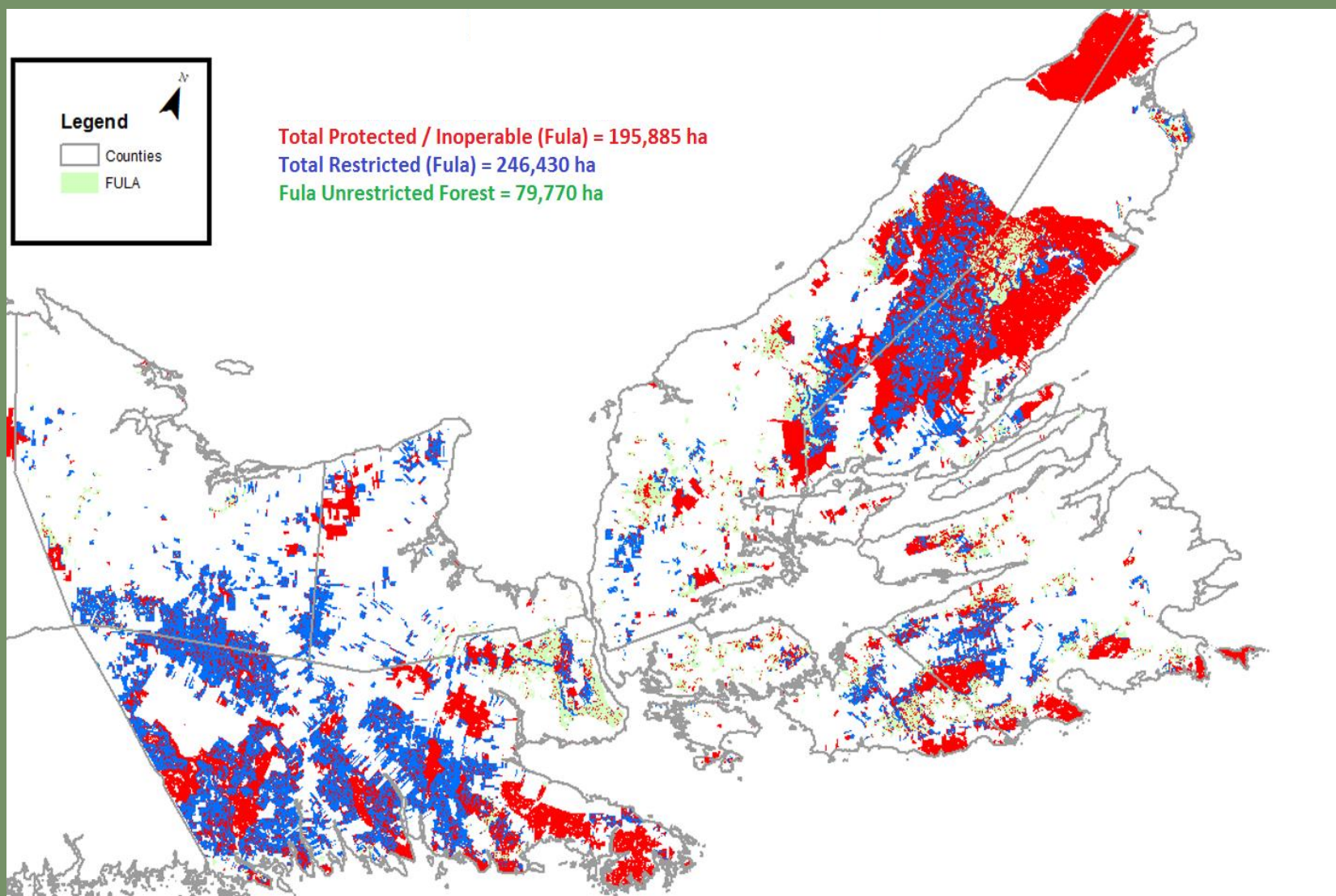
Crown License Utilization

PHP Forest Utilization License Agreement Landbase

- Protected
- Inoperable (Steep slope etc.)
- Operable
- Restricted Operable with Special Management Practices



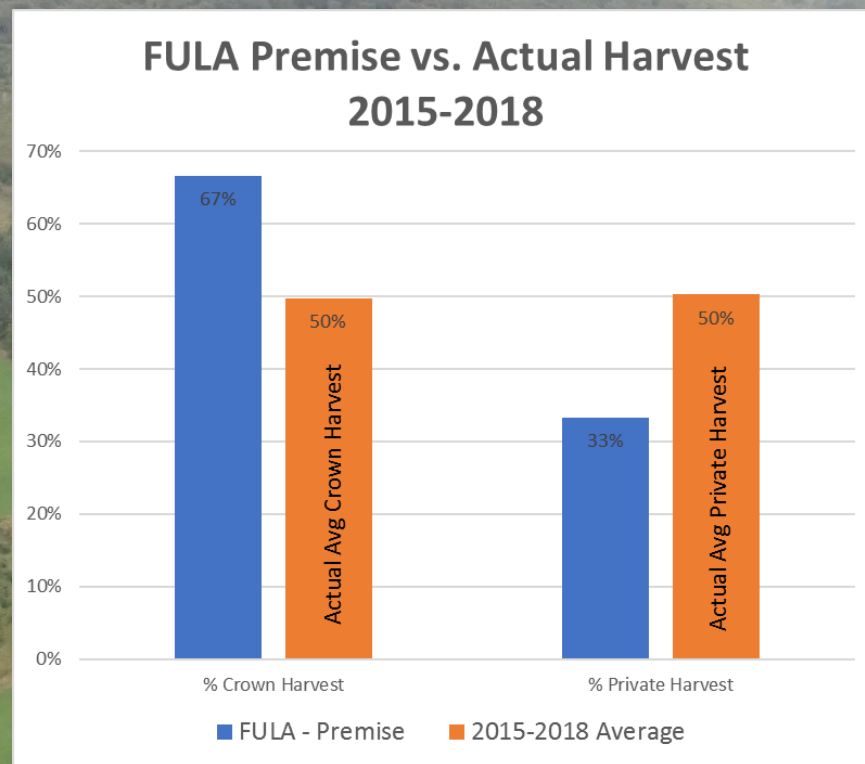
- 522,000ha under PHP Crown Forest Utilization License Agreement
- Annual average harvest is 1% of licensed land per year
- 48% of PHP licensed Crown land is set aside as protected or left untouched



Leader in Implementing Partial Harvesting

- Averaged 38% partial harvesting between 2002 and 2019
- Partial harvesting averaging close to 50% of all PHP crown harvest for the last two years

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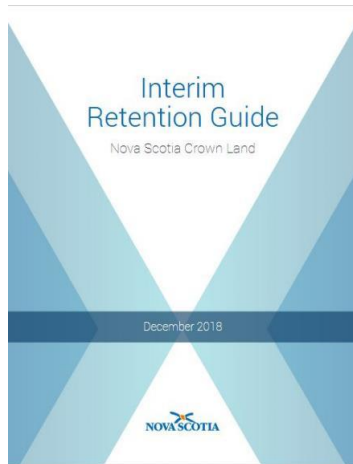


Lahey Report on Nova Scotia Forest Practices

Lahey Report: An Independent Review of Forest Practices in Nova Scotia

“Environmental, social, and economic values should be balanced by using forest practices that give priority to protecting and enhancing ecosystems and biodiversity.”

“...ecosystems and biodiversity are the foundation on which the other values, including the economic ones, ultimately depend.”



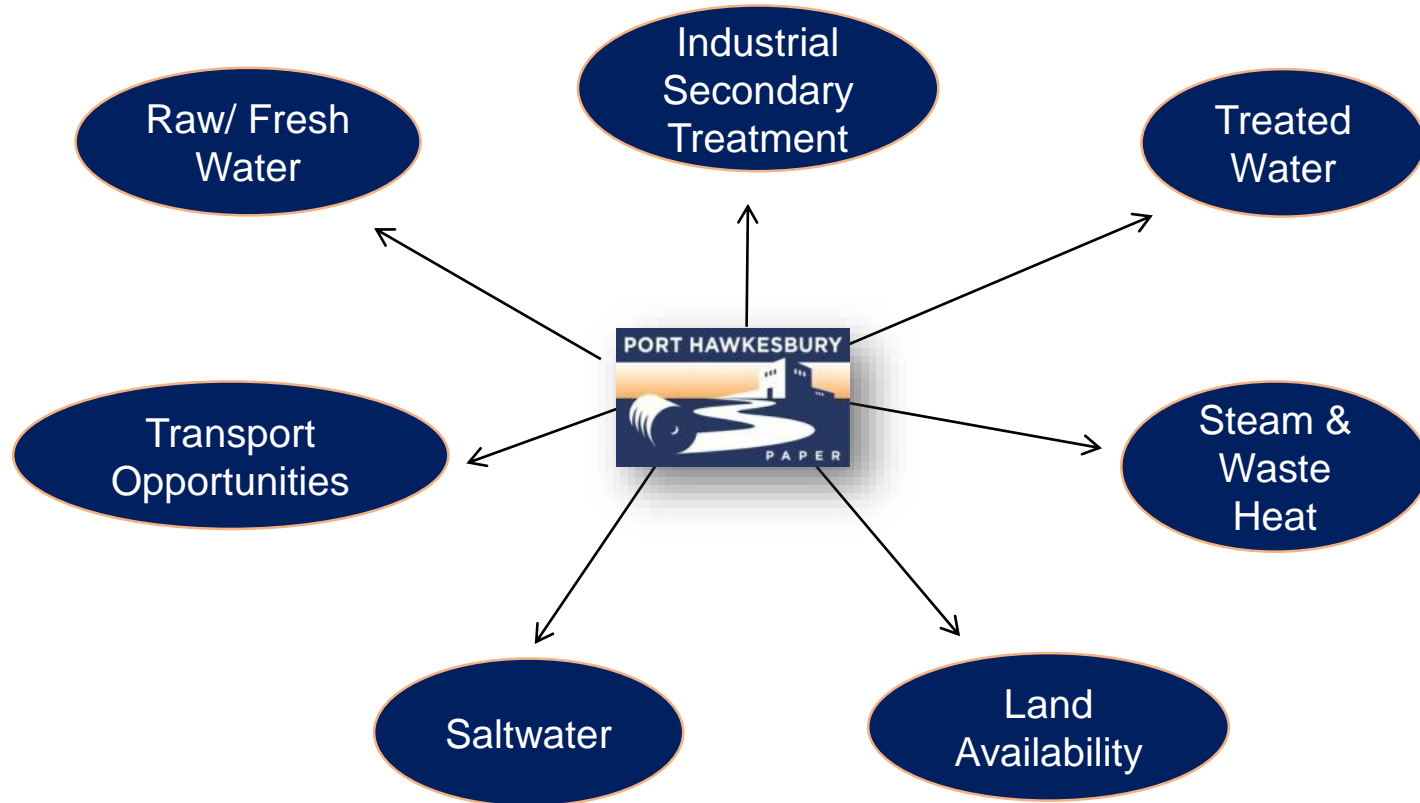
Interim Retention Guide: *“increase retention in situations where the Forest Management Guide currently prescribes Clear-cuts (Overstory Removals and Seed Tree Harvests)”. 10 to 30% retention required.*

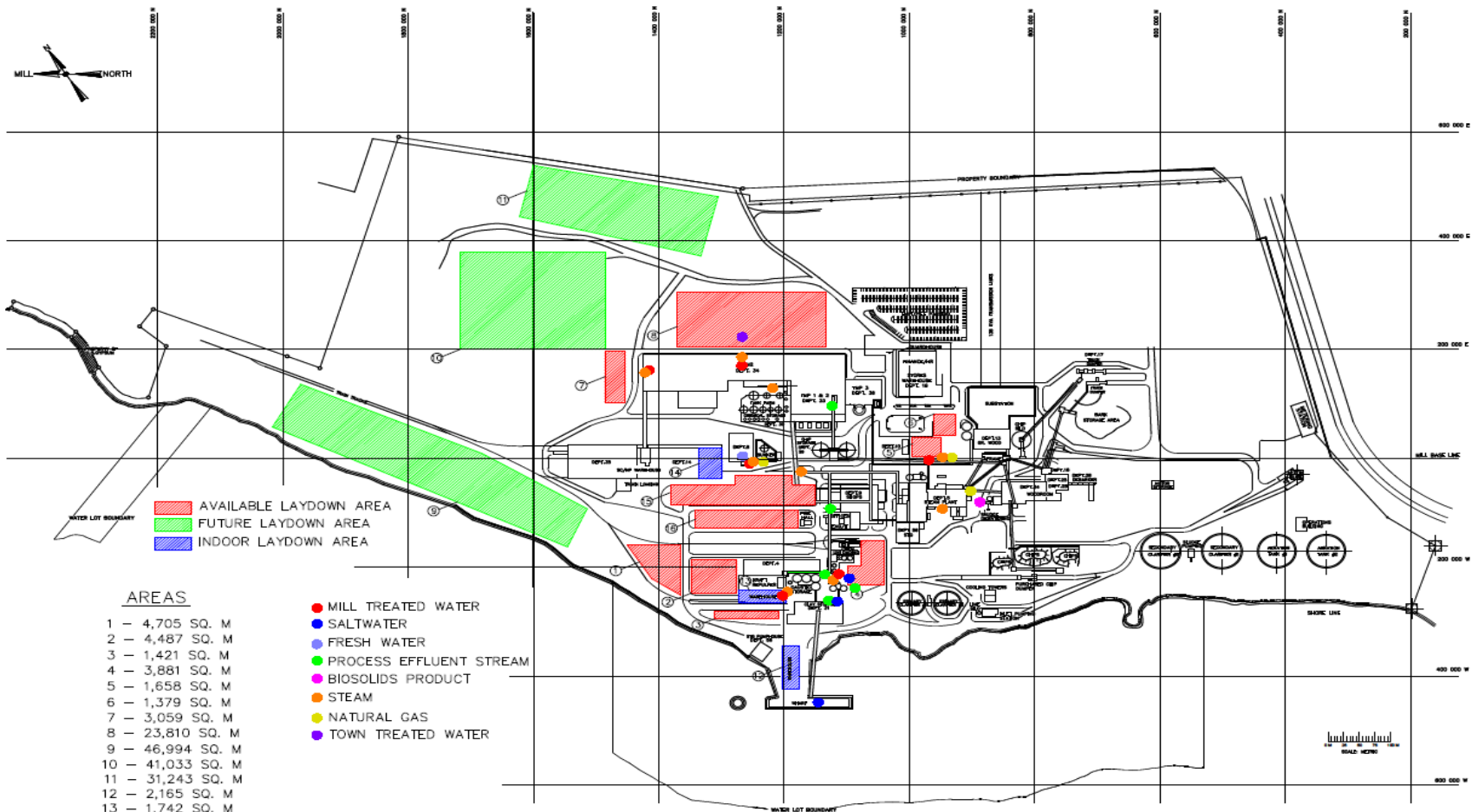
Business Development Approach

- We are looking to leverage our people, resources location and infrastructure to find new business opportunities
- Focused on identifying strategic partners with:
 - Demonstrated sector expertise
 - Market knowledge and access
 - Ability to expand their business
 - Complimentary business culture
- We believe best projects will involve some degree of partnership



What are the Enablers?





New Business Opportunities Focus





Report Inconsistent Practices

Maritime SFI Implementation Committee 1-800-631-3657

Port Hawkesbury Paper 1-866-875-1869

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