

LIGHTHOUSE LINKS
STATEMENT
November 23, 2021

Lighthouse Links submitted a project proposal to the government of Nova Scotia that would attract private investment, add jobs, and provide economic growth to the community of Little Harbour and the Eastern Shore, by creating a new bedroom community in Little Harbour for people working in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

This community would have been a nice place to live, anchored by world-class oceanfront golf courses, access to magnificent sandy ocean beaches, nature preserves, a marina, a base for kayaking in the Bay of Islands, and a gateway to the 100 Wild Islands.

We have concluded that we do not have the support of the government of Nova Scotia necessary to make this project a reality.

Therefore, Lighthouse Links has reluctantly withdrawn from the December 16, 2019, Letter of Offer.

Our greatest regret is that the residents of the Eastern Shore will be deprived of what could have been hundreds of new jobs during this time of need.

In addition, the projected increase in tourism resulting from the project will not occur.

The loss of potential economic benefits that the project could have brought to the Eastern Shore is considerable.

We want to thank the many residents of Little Harbour, the Eastern Shore, and all Nova Scotians who have shown their support, especially the 768 people who signed a petition of support presented to the Nova Scotia Legislative Assembly, as well as those who displayed signs on their property and wrote letters of support.

We are grateful for their friendship and kindness during the almost 20 years we spent in Little Harbour.

We urge the government of Nova Scotia to find another way to provide new jobs and economic development opportunities for the people who have been our good neighbors for almost 20 years.

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