



We are creating an Environmental Management Plan for Bear Island!

What is an Environmental Management Plan (EMP)?

An EMP is a tool for identifying environmental issues that already exist or could develop in the future, and responses to address and prevent them. An EMP:

- Provides a starting point for an environmental protection plan
- Compiles information on existing conditions and identifies where management actions are needed
- Sets the stage for environmental policies and/or laws
- Can support environmental stewardship

EMP Priority Areas

Based on background research and review and input from TFN/TAA citizens, **8 environmental management priority areas** are being proposed to guide the development of the EMP.



Land Development



Surface Water and Groundwater



Contamination and Fill Management



Vegetation and Wildlife



Food Security



Solid and Hazardous Waste Management



Air Quality

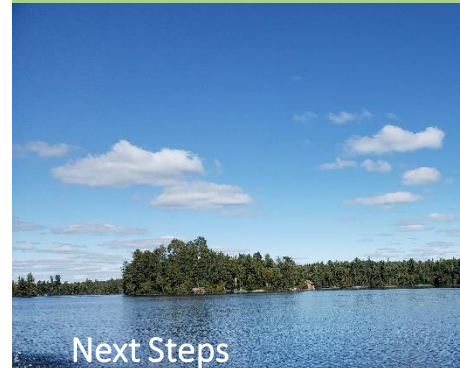


Renewable Energy and Climate Change



Did you know?

Under Land Code, we are responsible for developing and enforcing environmental policies and laws for Bear Island, while still following federal environmental legislation.



Next Steps

Stay tuned for the draft EMP coming this fall. We will take everything we have heard to date to start drafting environmental management actions and policies for Bear Island.

DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS?

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