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Community Update: Hants Border Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrades

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The Municipality of the County of Kings is actively working to improve the performance of the Hants Border Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The following projects are planned for 2026-27 to enhance the collection and treatment process and extend the useful life of critical assets:

- Construction of a new headworks building with upgraded screening equipment that will help prevent problematic clogs in air diffusers
- Inspection and cleaning of air diffusers in Lagoons 1 and 2
- Upgrades to lift stations to improve emergency operations, enhance pre-treatment aeration, and break down fats in the collection system before the materials enter the treatment lagoons
- Procurement of engineering design work required to prepare for additional plant upgrades

A custom-ordered silencer installed in September 2025 is in place to help reduce noise coming from blower equipment that was connected to the system last summer to combat odour. Crews continue to monitor conditions around the Treatment Plant and strive to address any issues that arise as quickly as possible.

The priorities for 2026-27 could change based on unexpected events, emerging needs, and the findings of engineering studies.

For more information about upgrades completed to date and the next steps, please visit www.countyofkings.ca/hantsbordersewer.