



Atlantic Industries Limited

PROJECT PROFILE



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Dorchester team steps up on replacement culverts for major washouts in Dundee, Cape Breton

As post-tropical storm Fiona approached Atlantic Canada, our Maritimes' regional team was ready. In fact, our Technical Sales Representative, Julien Caissie, placed calls ahead of the storm to advise our customers that our Dorchester team was poised and ready to roll pipe as needed.



Project at a glance:

Name: Dundee Storm Washouts

Location: Dundee, NS

Owner: Nova Scotia Department of Public Works

Contractor: T. Sampson & Sons Backhoe & Trucking Ltd.

Sector: Transportation

Application: Culvert

Product: Corrugated Steel Pipe

Dimensions: Two Pipes: Diameter 3,600 mm, Length 20 m

Installation Time: 2-3 days



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So it was no surprise when his contact at the Nova Scotia Department of Public Works called in urgent need for a large pipe to remediate major washouts in Dundee, Cape Breton.

We quoted a price right away and, once approved, we had the coil on order and the specialized trucking all arranged. The steel coil arrived very quickly at Dorchester and we soon had the sections ready to ship out. The twin Corrugated Steel Pipes with Aluminized Type 2 Coating were each 3,600 mm in diameter and 20 m in length.



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NSTIR was pleased with the outcome, as we delivered the product quickly and they were able get the road open and operational very soon.

Emergency replacement echoes previous effort on Hurricane Matthew

This effort is very reminiscent of a similar emergency culvert replacement project in Cape Breton, when the AIL Dorchester team also responded very quickly following Hurricane Matthew's 2016 devastation.

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In the last decade, severe weather events have been creating increasingly extreme situations for aging infrastructure. Bridge failures and culvert washouts are growing in number and severity. When faced with an emergency culvert washout, time is of the essence.

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