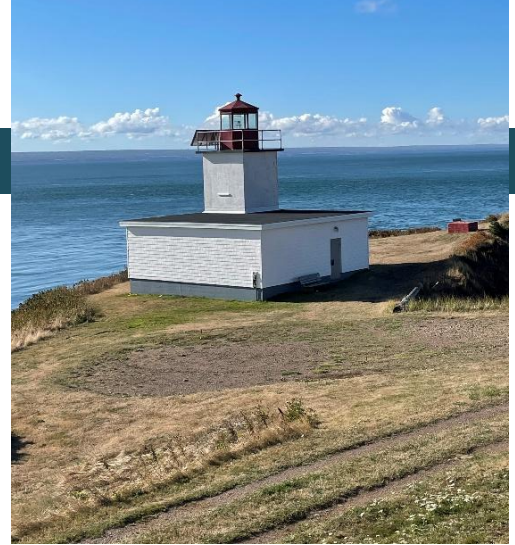


Municipality of the County of Cumberland: Cape d'Or Lighthouse Upgrades

Preserving a Local & Regional Treasure

Cape d'Or Lighthouse, overlooking the Bay of Fundy, is one of the key attractions of the Cliffs of Fundy UNESCO Global Geopark, attracting hundreds of visitors annually. On site, you'll find an observation deck, washrooms and walking trails along with the Cape d'Or Lighthouse and the former lightkeeper's residence. Interpretive guides are also on hand during the summer months to greet visitors to the site. The Municipality of the County of Cumberland is currently developing a long-term vision for the future of the site, which has been actively upgraded over the past seven years.



BCSF-CS funding FY25:
\$24,376.81

Total project cost FY25:
\$24,376.81

Category: **Tourism
Infrastructure**

One of only two municipally owned lighthouses in the province, Cape d'Or marks the northern entrance to the Minas Basin and is a prime location to witness the 'Dory Rips,' where three tides converge. To preserve this heritage site and improve access, the Municipality used BCSF Community stream funding to support significant upgrades to the lighthouse and surrounding buildings, including a gazebo-style viewing platform being added on the upper level to increase accessibility and comfort for all, but particularly for visitors with mobility impairments.

“Cape d'Or is a true natural treasure of Cumberland County. It's a place where the power of the Bay of Fundy meets rugged coastal beauty. It tells the story of our history, our connection to the sea and the resilience of the communities that have called this area home for generations. As we consider our aspirations as a council for what Cape d'Or can become, we are grateful for the contributions the BCSF Community stream has made toward this valuable heritage site.”

- Rod Gilroy, Mayor, Municipality of the County of Cumberland

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