

Muskrat Falls Generation Project Stakeholder Update

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At Nalcor Energy, we're committed to sharing information with the people and communities where we live and work. The safety and health of people living and working in and around the Muskrat Falls facilities is our number one priority.

Water Level

Over the coming days, to maintain a stable ice cover for the winter/spring season, we will be slowing raising the water level upstream of the Muskrat Falls site from its current level of approximately 22.5 m to around 23.5 m. We do not anticipate raising the water above this level this winter.

The Provincial Government provides information to the public on water levels in various locations on the lower Churchill River. Here's a link to view the Churchill River Mid Pool Station (03OE015) which is slightly upstream of the Muskrat Falls spillway:

http://www.env.gov.nl.ca/wrmd/ADRS/v6/Template_Station.asp?station=03OE015

River Safety

We remind the public to use caution when taking part in outdoor winter recreational activities around the Muskrat Falls hydroelectric facilities.

We advise people to avoid the ice and river upstream and immediately downstream of these facilities as the ice cover is unsafe for recreational use due to fluctuating water flows and changing ice conditions.

It's important to always be aware of your surroundings and to exercise caution at all times.

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