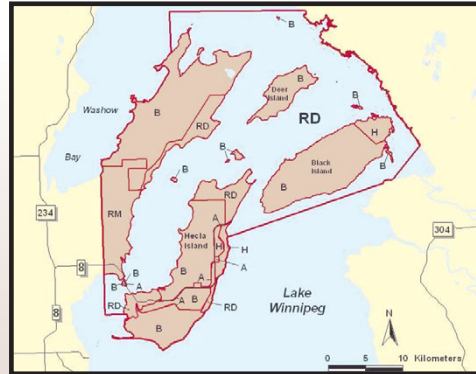


# Hecla/Grindstone and Elk Island Provincial Parks

## Notification of Changes to High Water Level Definition



Hecla/Grindstone Provincial Park



Elk Island Provincial Park

### Summary

A new definition of the Ordinary High Water Mark (OHWM) has been developed for water bodies affected by hydroelectric generation. This was done so that protected Land Use Categories in provincial parks can be established directly adjacent to the water bodies.

### Background

The previous definition of the OHWM included in the previous survey plans for both Hecla/Grindstone and Elk Island Provincial Parks is as follows:

*OHWM refers to Ordinary High Water Mark and includes the effects of natural forces and the regulation of Lake Winnipeg*

### Legend

#### LUC Land Use Category

- B Backcountry LUC
- RD Recreation Development LUC
- A Access LUC
- RM Resource Management LUC
- H Heritage LUC

The new definition of the OHWM stated in February 2000 Survey Plans for both Hecla/Grindstone and Elk Island Provincial Parks is:

*OHWM means the Ordinary High Water Mark as may be affected from time to time by natural forces and the regulation of Lake Winnipeg*