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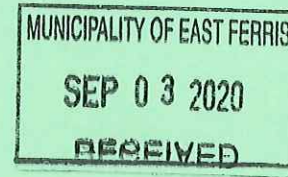
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September 1, 2020



To whom it may concern,

As part of our ongoing efforts to regenerate and protect Ontario's forests, some recently harvested areas have been selected to be burned under the guidelines of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry's (MNRF) Prescribed Burn Manual. The prescribed burn will reduce the area covered in slash piles while increasing the area available for regeneration and reducing the fire hazard.

Additional information about the slash pile burn plan is provided in the attached notice of "Inspection of MNRF-Approved Prescribed Burn Plan for Slash Pile Burning on the Nipissing Forest," for your review.

All future Nipissing Forest notices can be sent electronically to clients who request that format.

If you would like notices sent to you by electronic mail going forward, please send an email from your preferred email address along with your name/business name and current mailing address to [MNRF.NOR@ontario.ca](mailto:MNRF.NOR@ontario.ca). In the subject line, please include "Nipissing Forest notices".

If you need more information or would like to arrange a remote meeting to discuss the slash pile burn plan, please contact Daryl Sebesta or myself as indicated in the notice.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R. Baker".

Robert Baker, R.P.F.  
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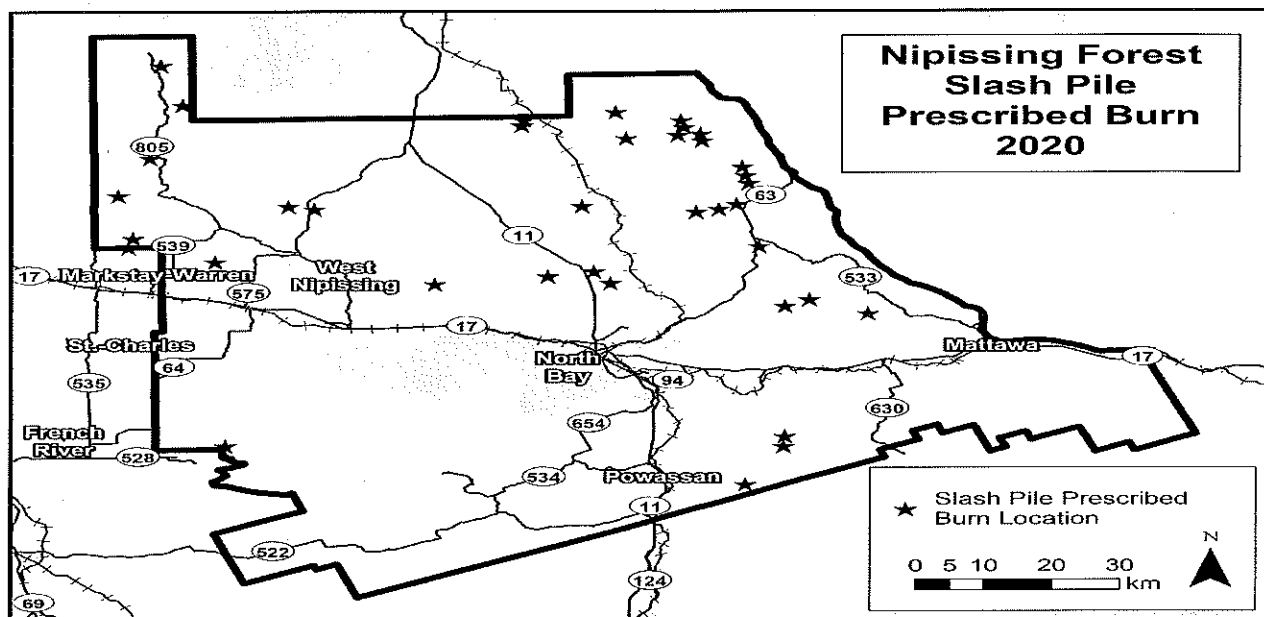
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# INSPECTION

## Inspection of MNRF-Approved Prescribed Burn Plan for Slash Pile Burning Nipissing Forest

The Ontario **Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF)** invites you to inspect the MNRF-approved prescribed burn plan for slash pile burning that will be carried out in the **Nipissing Forest** (see map).



As part of our ongoing efforts to regenerate and protect Ontario's forests, some recently harvested areas have been selected to be burned under the guidelines of the MNRF's *Prescribed Burn Manual*. The prescribed burn will reduce the area covered in slash piles while increasing the area available for regeneration and reducing the fire hazard. The burn is scheduled for ignition between **October 1, 2020** and **December 31, 2020**.

The approved prescribed burn plan for slash pile burning, including specific locations and maps, is available electronically for public inspection by contacting Nipissing Forest Resource Management Inc. and on the Ontario government website at [www.ontario.ca/forestplans](http://www.ontario.ca/forestplans) until **March 31, 2021**, when the Annual Work Schedule expires.

Interested and affected persons and organizations can arrange a remote meeting with MNRF staff to discuss the prescribed burn plan. For more information, please contact:

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