



MVCA Enforcement 2023-Present

Board of Directors

July 8, 2024

Will Ernewein

Recent Changes to the CAA



Key Changes Enforcement and Offences

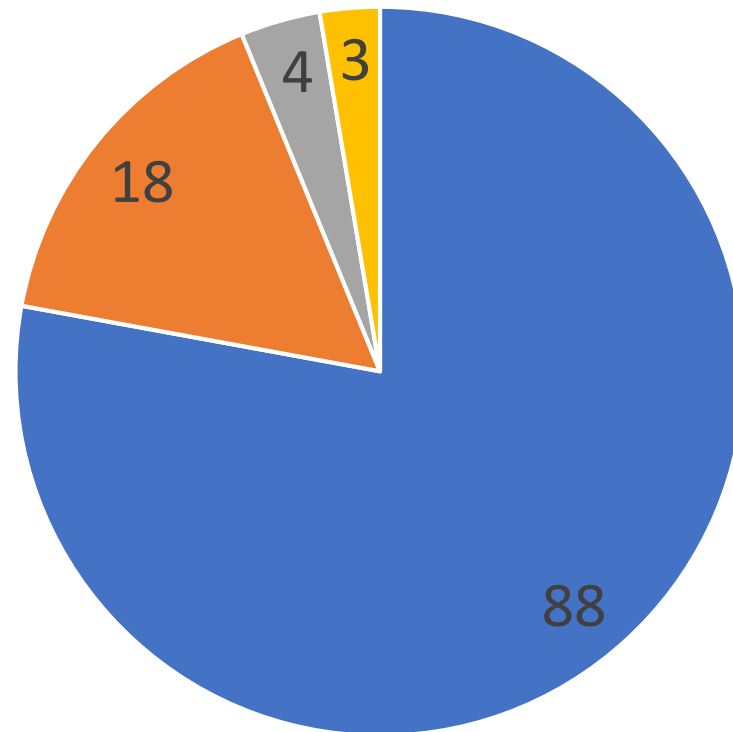
- **Appointment of Officers**
moved from individual regulations to Section 30.1 of the Act
- Changes to how **Officers may enter private property without warrants + bring experts on site**
- New ability for **Officers to make Stop Orders**
- **Offences and penalties**

What is remaining the same?

- Enforcement by designated CA Provincial Offences Officers
- Ability to obtain search warrants
- Limitation period (2-years of discovery of offence)

Concerns & Violations – May 2023-May 2024 (inclusive)

Concerns, Violations, Charges, Convictions – 113 Total Files



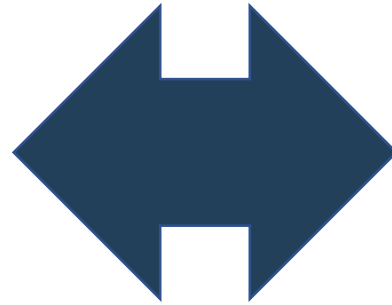
■ Concerns ■ Violations ■ Charges ■ Convictions

Disturbed Features



Resolution Methods

Retroactive
Permit



Remediation
Agreement

Investigative Measures



INFORMATION TO OBTAIN SEARCH WARRANT
DÉNONCIATION EN VUE D'OBTENIR UN MANDAT DE PERQUISITION

CHIEF JUSTICE OF JUSTICE / LE JUGE EN CHEF DE LA COUR SUPRÊME
PROVINCIAL CLERK / CLERQUE PROVINCIALE
PROVINCE DU QUÉBEC

Page: 1 Article 148
Code de Procédure
C. P. S. 175 R. 100
C. Reg. 1 Règ. de l'Ord. 200

This is the information of **William Etienne** / Ceci est l'information de **William Etienne**
Let the following search warrant be issued by **William Etienne** / Que le mandat de perquisition suivant soit émis par **William Etienne**

at **10070 Highway 7, Canton Place** / à l'adresse **10070 Highway 7, Canton Place**

I have reasonable grounds to believe and do believe that in a certain building, respectively, place namely **10070 Highway 7, Canton Place** / J'ai des motifs raisonnables de croire que, dans un bâtiment, respectivement, lieu, à savoir **10070 Highway 7, Canton Place**

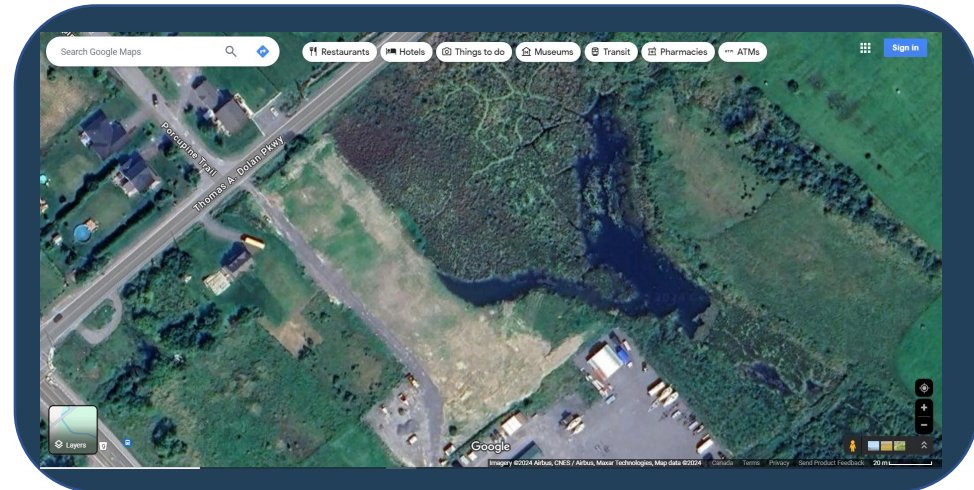
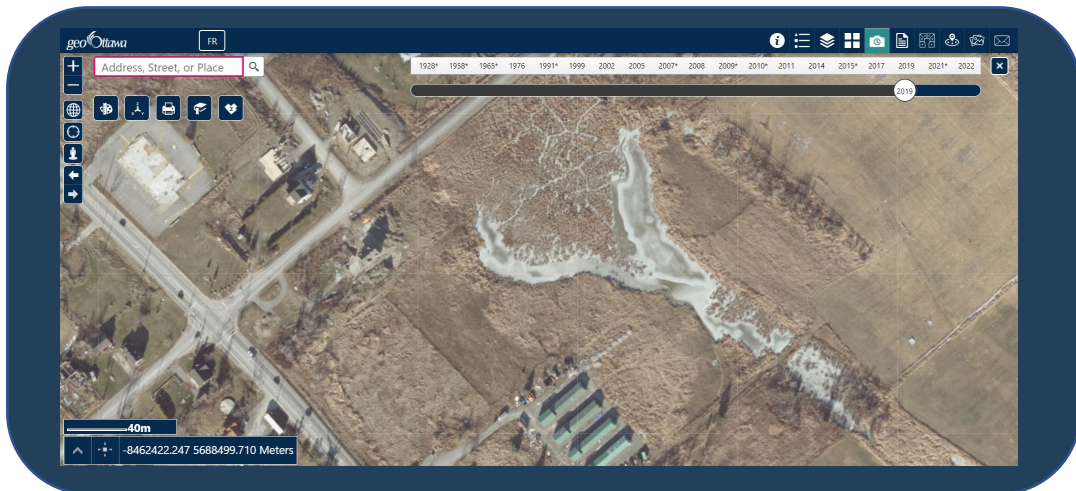
there are the following thing(s) / se trouvent les objet(s) suivants

There is information that a search warrant be issued to search the said **10070 Highway 7, Canton Place** / Il y a de l'information que un mandat de perquisition soit émis pour fouiller ledit **10070 Highway 7, Canton Place**

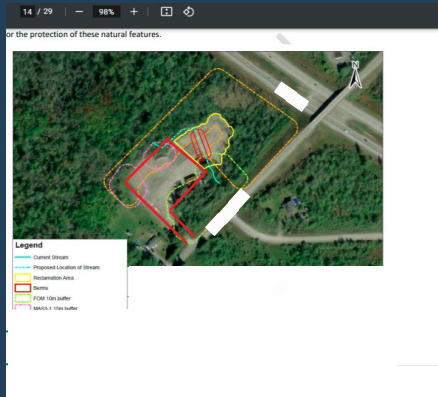
for the said thing(s) / pour le dit objet(s)

Sworn before me at **10070 Highway 7, Canton Place** / Prêté devant moi à **10070 Highway 7, Canton Place**

the **10** day of **May** 20**19** / le **10** jour du mois de **mai** de l'année **2019**



Legal Workload – 2023 to Present



Steps Towards Resolution



Permitted Works & Violations

- 205 permits issued in 2023
- 18 Violations from May 2023 to May 2024
- 3 Charges laid in 2023

Figure 1. Typical Enforcement Continuum

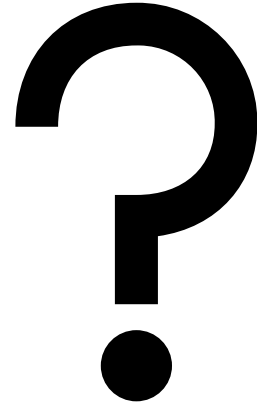


Challenges

- Updates to MVCA Regulation Policies
 - Pollution & Conservation of Land removed from tests
 - Feature definition changes
- Public Communications
- Watershed Knowledge



Questions



Thank you!

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