

Please do not ruin Newfoundland the way northeastern BC is being ruined. The evidence is in that fracking uses vast amounts of water, water that is becoming increasingly scarce on much of the planet. Not only does it use water, it pollutes the ground water that supplies drinking water.

It is entirely possible that the scarcity will make water a hotter commodity than fossil fuels/LNG now are, although we may need it for our own survival. In either scenario, we will rue the day we ever wasted and irreversibly polluted it with fracking.

Please think long term, in tune with the majority of your constituents. Ban fracking in Newfoundland and Labrador, or at the very least, keep the moratorium on. As time passes, LNG will be of little importance, and you will still have your beautiful, rugged, pristine Rock!

Sincerely,

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