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Regan: Province Will Contribute To Bedford Rink Project



(Halifax, NS) Bedford-Birch Cove MLA Kelly Regan is today congratulating the people of her riding for convincing the NDP government to move ahead on funding its portion of the much needed Bedford quad-rink complex.

“This project has been needed for a long time,” said Regan. “Waiting for infrastructure dollars to flow has been especially difficult for the people of the Bedford-Birch Cove area. It was the hard work of the dedicated people in our community that ultimately made this rink a reality.”

The provincial government has confirmed it will fund one-third of the cost of the project, expected to cost \$42 million dollars. The future of the complex was in jeopardy when the Harper government refused to participate in the funding partnership; however, Halifax Regional Municipality committed to covering the federal government’s share.

“This project has been a priority for my community and for the Halifax Regional Municipality,” said Regan. “It will be a great benefit to the people of Bedford- Birch Cove and the surrounding areas.”