



Aerial view of Sacrifice Island  
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## MICA sets sights on Sacrifice Island

Andrews, Backmans, and Covey Islands, the northern end of Masons Island, and Long, Centre, Dry and Snipe Islands are now available for public use in perpetuity. Your support of MICA, along with the Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources, the Municipality of the District of Lunenburg, and the Long Island Preservation Society has allowed us to achieve these accomplishments.

Our next project is to acquire **Sacrifice Island**, located off Second Peninsula on the headlands of Mahone Bay and inshore from Long Island.

This roughly 16-acre island, has a very rich history, and is an ideal destination for those seeking peace and solitude, particularly in smaller boats and kayaks.

Access to this beautiful island is from the sea, from Prince's Inlet, or from the Sawpit Wharf in Lunenburg through the beautiful waters of the back passage.

**Sacrifice Island** has some unique features shared with Long Island but

not present in other MICA-protected islands. The slate rock outcropping presents a completely different and interesting topography for visitors to explore and enjoy.

MICA's objective is to raise \$200,000 by the end of 2008, through pledge campaign and the Gala Dinner and Auction, to attract a major funding partner for the balance of the asking price, which is based upon an appraisal we have commissioned.

After we have reached an agreement with major funding partners and the owner, we will notify you approximately one month before calling on your pledge.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact any of the **MICA** Directors as listed.

A pledge form is printed on the reverse side, or can be filled out online at [www.mahoneislands.ns.ca](http://www.mahoneislands.ns.ca).

Thank you for enabling us to pursue this legacy for future generations.

*MICA Board of Directors*

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## MICA Sacrifice Island Pledge Form

To the Directors of the Mahone Islands Conservation Association

I, \_\_\_\_\_,

pledge \$ \_\_\_\_\_

towards the purchase of Sacrifice Island

**This pledge is made with the understanding that it is a statement of intent and is not a legally binding contract on myself, my heirs or assigns.**

My name will be kept anonymous and will not be publicized or shared with other agencies.

Yours sincerely,

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Full Mailing Address  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Tax receipts will be issued for honoured pledges.



MICA seeks \$200,000 in pledges to bring Sacrifice Island into public ownership



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