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Victoria
Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom
of Great Britain and Ireland; Queen Defender of the Faith

Letters Patent
erecting the
Township of
New Richmond
in the Inferior
District of
Gaspé

To all to whom these presents shall come or whom the same
may concern Greeting

Whereas it is expedient to erect into a Township a certain Tract of our
Waste land situate lying and being in our Inferior District of Gaspé in our said Province, and
in and by the Report of Thomas Parke Esquire our Surveyor General of our said Province made and
certified to the Administrator of our Government of our said Province, described as bounded on the South
west by the Bay of Chaleurs on the North East by our Waste lands on the South East by the Township
of Hamilton in the said Inferior District and on the North west by the Grand Cascadia river
Beginning at a post standing at the mouth of Caplin river on the North Shore of the Bay of
Chaleurs marking the Southerly corner of the said tract of Waste Land, and westerly corner of the said
Township of Hamilton, thence running along the North westerly boundary line of the said Township of
Hamilton astronomically North twenty three degrees East seven hundred and seventy eight chains to
a blazed tree marked R, on the North west side, H on the South East side, W.M.D on the North east
side and S on the South west side and forming the easterly angle of the said tract of waste Land,
thence running along the rear line thereof astronomically North sixty six degrees West eleven hundred chains
to the intersection of the Grand Cascadia river, at a fir tree marked 13 $\frac{3}{4}$ on the south east side,
W.M.D on the North east side, and 1840 on the South west side, and standing on the easterly bank
of the said river, and forming the Northerly angle of the said tract of waste Land, thence along the
said river as it winds and turns southerly to its discharge into the Bay of Chaleurs, ^{thence} along the North
shore of the said Bay as it winds and turns South easterly to the place of beginning - The said Tract
of

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Enrollments
at Kingston,
on Wednesday
the twenty sixth
day of January,
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W. M. D.

of Waste Land containing about sixty six ^{and five hundred,} thousand acres of land more or less

Now know Ye that We of our especial Grace certain knowledge and mere motion have created erected and constituted, and by these presents do create erect and constitute the said tract of our Waste Land so as aforesaid hereinbefore described and every part and parcel thereof a Township for ever hereafter to be continue and remain a Township, and by the name of New Richmond for ever hereafter to be called known and distinguished,

And we do moreover of our especial Grace certain knowledge and mere motion declare that these our Letters Patent shall be good and effectual in Law to all intents constructions and purposes whatsoever notwithstanding any misbounding misnaming or other imperfections or omissions of or concerning the said tract of Land hereby erected into the Township of New Richmond as aforesaid.

In Testimony whereof we have caused these our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of our said Province to be hereunto affixed,

Witness, our Trusty and well Beloved Sir Richard Downes Jackson, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Administrator of the Government of our Province of Canada, and Commander of our Forces in British North America.

At our Government House, in our Town of Kingston in our said Province of Canada, the ~~fifth~~ ^{fourth} day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty two, and in the fifth year of our Reign.

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That

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W. J. G. P.
Registrar