

What is a Qualified Environmental Professional (QEP)?

A **QEP** is an applied scientist or technologist registered with an appropriate professional organization constituted under an Act.

The applicable professionals include professional Biologists (RPBio), Geoscientists (PGeo), Foresters (RPF), Agrologists (PAG), Professional Engineers (PEng) and Applied Science Technologist and Technicians (AScT).

For ESDPs, applicable professionals include Registered Professional Biologists (RPBio) or a team that includes an RPBio.

QEPs must certify that they are qualified to conduct the type of assessment required.

Besides costs and time, here are some other questions you may wish to ask when selecting a QEP:

- *Are you qualified to do _____?*
- *Are you familiar with the RDOS Water-course Development (WDP) and /or Environmentally Sensitive Development Permit (ESDP) process?*
- *What are your areas of expertise?*
- *What have you included in your estimate (Permit fees, monitoring fees, etc)?*

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Fixed Costs

WD Permits: \$300 / Expedited: \$150

ESD Permits: \$300 / Expedited: \$150

Variable Costs-site dependent

Riparian Assessment: \$ 1000—\$5000 +;

Environmental Assessment: \$2500-
\$5000+

Other possible additional costs may include Provincial fees, landscaping, monitoring, and / or engineering.

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