Pituamkek
NATIONAL PARK RESERVE

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MOVING TOWARDS A BETTER TOMORROW

2005 – 2019

Epekwitnewaq Mi'kmaq leaders advocate for the protection of Pituamkek lands for future generations. They want to see Pituamkek recognized as a National Park.

2005 – 2019

Collaborative work by the PEI Mi'kmaq organizations, Parks Canada, and partner organizations for land protection and conservation, archeology studies, geomorphology studies, and various other projects in support of the advocacy and planning efforts.

2019

Parks Canada announces feasibility study for consideration of Pituamkek as a National Park Reserve.

2019 – 2020

Public and Mi'kmaw community engagement and consultation related to the project.

2022

A Memorandum of Understanding is signed between the Minister responsible for Parks Canada and the Mi'kmaq Chiefs, formally committing to negotiations toward a National Park establishment agreement for Pituamkek.

July 2024

Pituamkek National Park Reserve Establishment Agreement signed.

ESTIMATED DATES FOR IMPLEMENTATION

2024 – 2025

Appointment of the Pituamkek National Park Reserve Co-Management Board.

2025 – 2026

Management staffing begins for the Pituamkek National Park Reserve.

2025 – 2027

Management, conservation, and visitation plan development.

2026 – 2030

Pituamkek National Park Reserve staffing.

2027 – 2032

Pituamkek National Park Reserve officially opens (phased approach).