

Green Shores for Homes

Protect your property *and* help the environment.



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Trained professionals can help with design

Limited beach access

Changes to beach and habitat

Scouring and Erosion

Ecological Health:
Restored or enhanced habitat for fish and wildlife.

Better beach access

Property Protection:

Added sand, gravel, and vegetation helps absorb wave energy, reducing flooding and erosion while providing habitat.

\$\$\$ ← **Less Expensive to Install:** Research* has demonstrated that the Green Shores approach can cost only 30-70% as much as a hard armouring approach. → \$



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For more information visit: www.greenshores.ca

*Research Source: Greening Shorelines to Enhance Resilience, An Evaluation of Approaches for Adaptation to Sea Level Rise (2014).

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