

Site Name:	Pembina River
Site Type:	Natural Area
Status:	Order-in-council (OC)
Subtype:	Conservation
PASite ID (Map Ref #):	386
O.C. No. (Land Ref. Manual):	454/71
Site # (Parks Website):	560
Reserved Area:	0.00 ha. (0.00 ac.)
Designated Area:	79.80 ha. (197.20 ac.)
Total Area:	79.80 ha. (197.20 ac.)
Additional Protected Areas:	none
Lat/Long Co-ordinates:	53.933069538 N, -114.460041461 W
Natural Region:	Boreal
Natural Subregion(s):	Dry Mixedwood
2nd Natural Region:	
2nd Natural Subregion(s):	
IUCN Classification:	II
Operated By:	Parks Division
Info Phone:	780-960-8170
Steward(s) Aug2002:	Available
Steward(s) Aug2003:	Available
Steward(s) Dec2011:	no
Petroleum & Natural Gas Surface Access Aug2002:	Conditional
Day Use Site(s):	Pembina River
Recreation Activities:	none noted

Access:

Notes: The north portion of this site is a narrow stretch of land along a bank of the Pembina River. The banks are steep and actively eroding. Vegetation is primarily dense shrub, second-growth aspen and sedge wetland. The south portion has dense second-growth aspen. This site lies in the Boreal Forest Natural Region, Dry Mixedwood Sub-region. The Dry Mixedwood Sub-region is the only Boreal Forest sub-region that does not have excellent representation within Alberta's parks and protected areas network. There are still significant shortfalls in the glacial lakebed, ground moraine, sandplain and sand dune natural history themes. Listed in "Other Natural Areas" (Alberta Parks web site, 2012).

Images:



