

MARCH 2024 MONTH IN REVIEW

# Newfoundland and Labrador

## LAWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Minimum Wage

Jan 29: Newfoundland announced that it's raising its general minimum 60 cents to \$15.60 per hour, effective April 1, 2024. The latest increase comes 7 months after the province increased the minimum wage to \$15.00 per hour.

### New Laws

Jan 23: Since launching the Sustainable Canadian Agricultural Partnership last April, the federal government has provided over \$7 million in funding to 110 projects supporting mental health and safety initiatives for Newfoundland farms and farm workers.

### Workers Comp

Feb 29: That's the deadline for Newfoundland employers to submit their Annual Employer Statements from 2023 and 2024 to WorkplaceNL, including their: i. Employer Payroll Statement; ii. Occupational Health and Safety Statement; and iii. Employer Contractor Statement.

**Action Point:** Look up the [2024 workers comp rates](#) in each part of Canada