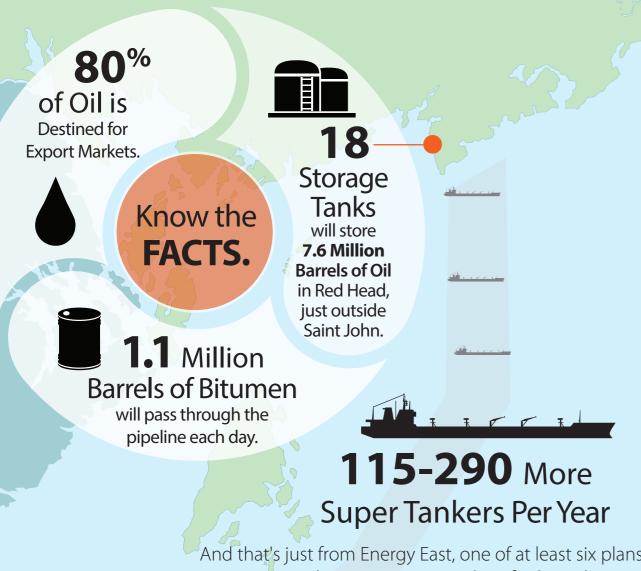
What TransCanada's Energy East Pipeline Means for the Bay of Fundy and Gulf of Maine



And that's just from Energy East, one of at least six plans for new or expanding marine terminals or facilities that would see a significant increase in tanker traffic through the bay, with no studies proposed to determine how the cumulative increase in traffic will impact whales and other marine life.



Endangered Northern Right Whales travel through the Bay of Fundy on their annual migration. Increased tanker traffic leads to risk of whale strikes and noise from the tankers causes stress for the whales.



of Tourists Visit Each Year.

Tourists are attracted to the natural beauty of one of the world's most dynamic tidal coastlines and biologically productive ecosystems. Many local communities rely on ecotourism.



75 Communities Along the Bay of Fundy

Increased tanker traffic means increased risk from oil spills when tankers refuel their loads. There is a history of 4 spills from tankers refuelling in the Bay of Fundy.



Risk of a spill will threaten the livelihood of thousands of local fishers. Increased tanker traffic displaces fishing grounds and propellors from ships cut trap lines.