

Blind to real science

I cannot believe that Murray Hill, regional manager with the Atlantic Canada Fish Growers Association, would have the audacity to tell the press he agreed with Sterling Belliveau that open-pen salmon farms are sustainable (June 5 article). He then goes on to say they have the science to prove it. Are these two people blind? Anti-salmon feed lot groups have enough REAL science documents to fill a tractor-trailer. This is independent science.

Their science comes from government-controlled sources and, in many cases, doesn't exist.

As for the public consultation Mr. Hill speaks about, the Sheet Harbour meeting on Feb. 6 was a government-controlled fiasco. Questions were answered by more questions, or no answers at all. The three sites were conveniently grouped into one. If you call this meaningful consultation, democracy as we knew it is gone.

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