

Breakwall Lighthouse
(Thunder Bay Marina)



Year Built: 1944

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Description:

Originally constructed around 1944, the lighthouse is situated on the breakwall at the entrance to the Thunder Bay harbour. The structure rests on four concrete pedestals and a steel and timber platform. The exterior walls features simple white clapboards and the corners are reinforced with steel plates for weather protection. For extra bracing support, two guy wires can be seen on two sides of the lighthouse and are attached to the concrete pedestals. The housing for the beacon is painted red and the shingles used on the lighthouse are also red. Originally featuring a fog alarm, lamp room and dwelling, the lighthouse is currently an automatic, unmanned beacon.