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Active and Abandoned Mine Operations

# New Hope Crushed Stone

## Quarry Views

### Solebury Communications Group

June 30, 2018

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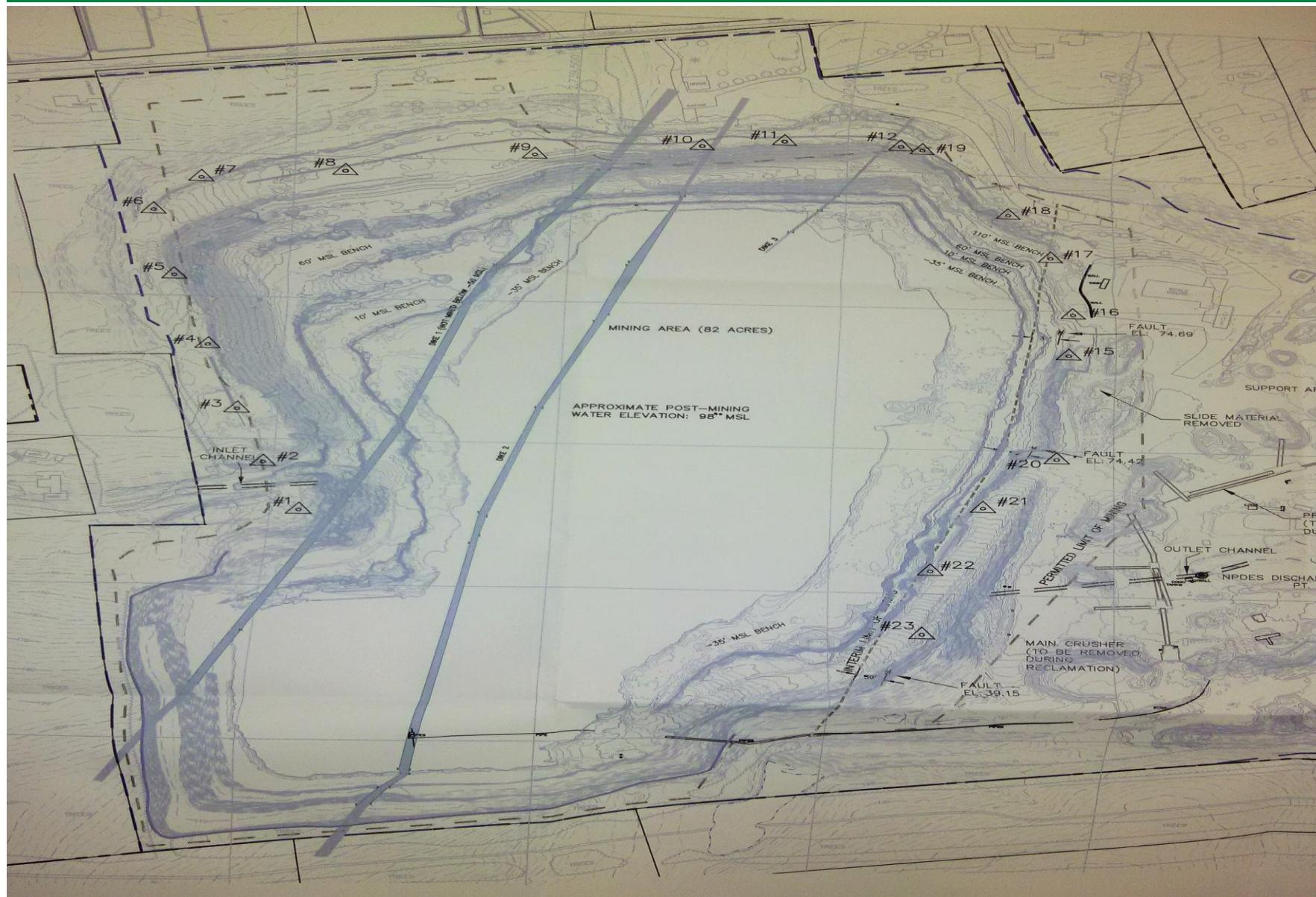
# June 30, 2018 Project Status

<b>STATUS AS OF:</b>	June 30, 2018
<b>PROJECT</b>	New Hope Crushed Stone (NHCS) Quarry Reclamation and Stream Restoration
<b>START DATE</b>	Reclamation: January 29, 2016 Stream Restoration: January 29, 2016
<b>ANTICIPATED COMPLETION DATE</b>	Reclamation: March 2019 Stream Restoration: March 2019
<b>CURRENT STATUS</b>	Quarry Reclamation <span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">On Schedule</span> Stream Restoration <span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">On Schedule</span>

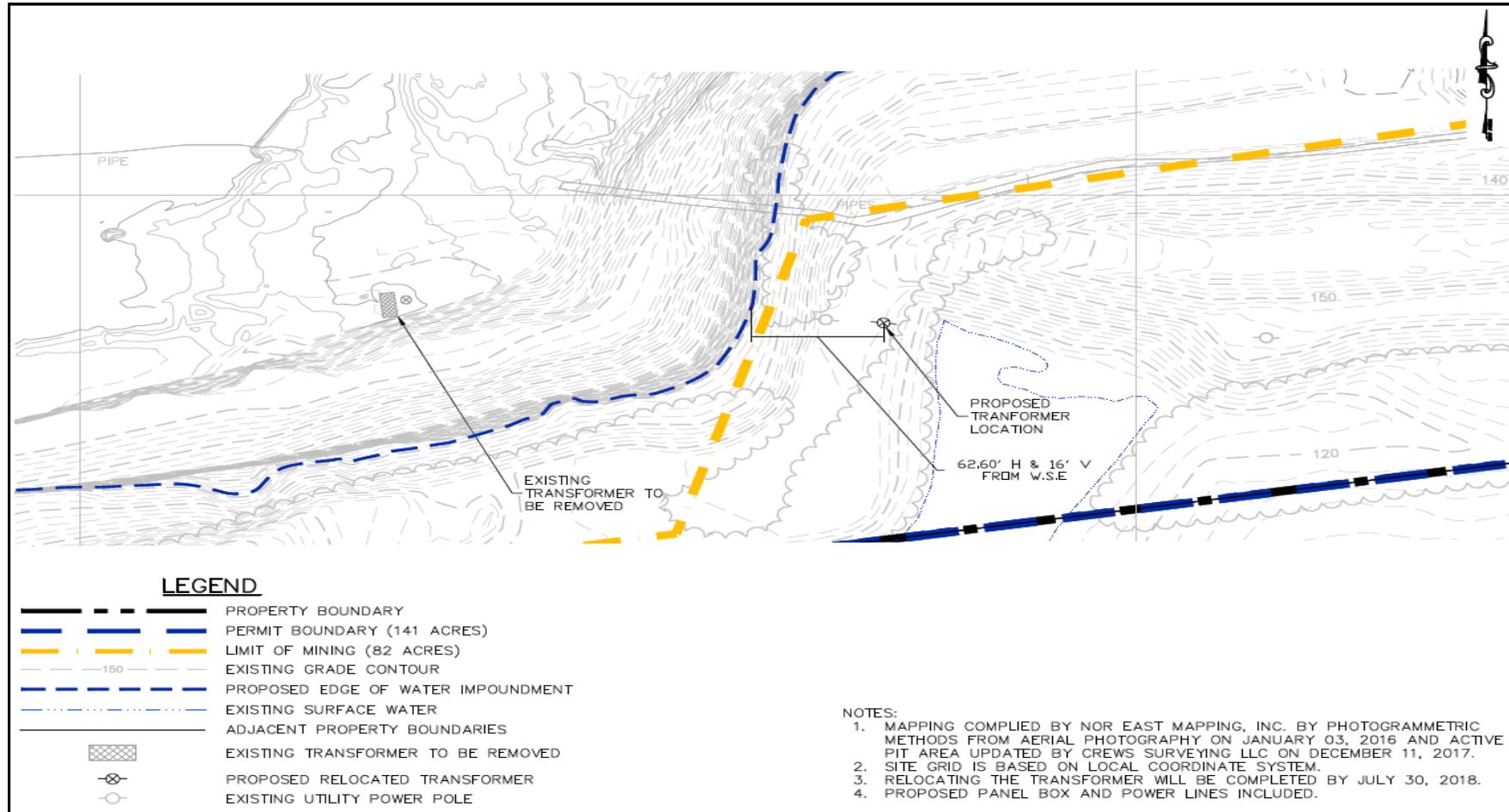
# June 30, 2018, Quarry Visit

- DEP staff visited the quarry for an overview of the reclamation and stream restoration work.
- The pictures on the following pages show current conditions.
- The new transformer has been received and a pad has been established high above the existing transformer. The milestone for completion is July 31.
- NHCS has been building cribs for placement along the stream banks.
- Reclamation work on the north wall was observed in the area of 10/11 shown on the following map.
- Stone was being loaded along the east wall.
- Increased pumping continues to maintain the two bench safety level, but no lower than -40 mean sea level. Pumping at this rate is expected to continue until the fall.

# Reclamation Progress Location Map



# Transformer Relocation



# Transformer Status

Current



New Location



The new transformer has been received, but not yet placed. The pad can be seen in the center of the picture to the right.





# West Wall



# West Wall, Water Entering Quarry



# North Wall



# East Wall



# Mining Work – East Wall



# Stream Inlet



Heavy rains have eroded the inlet. This will be addressed as part of ongoing stream work as conditions allow.

# Stream Views



Looking east towards quarry.



West towards Solebury School.

# Stream Views



View back east towards Mehok residence and then west towards Solebury School.



Fish are present.



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Regional Resources > Southeast Region > Community Information

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