

Report PDR-CW-31-25 File: 42-07-090-OPA-27 Proposed Official Plan Amendment Teeswater Concrete – Watson Pit, West Grey

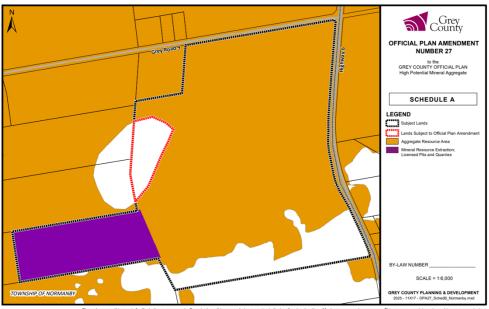
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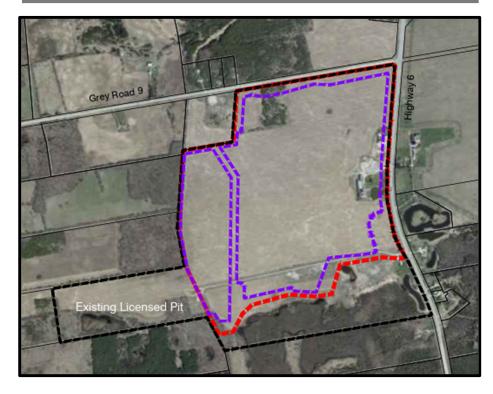
Site Context



Subject Lands



Aerial Image



Proposal



Municipal Location:	311864 Highway 6
Area:	~133.3 hectares
Agent:	Ron Davidson, Land Use Consulting Inc.
What is being proposed?	The proposed County OPA would designate approximately 5.5 hectares of land as 'Aggregate Resource Area' to permit aggregate extraction on these lands.

County Official Plan Designations



Schedule A: Land Use Types

Rural (white), Space Extensive Industrial and Commercial (purple), Hazard Lands (green) and Provincially Significant Wetlands (blue)



Schedule B: High Potential Mineral Aggregate Resources

Mineral Resource Extraction Area (purple) and Aggregate Resource Area (orange)



Proposed County Official Plan Amendment

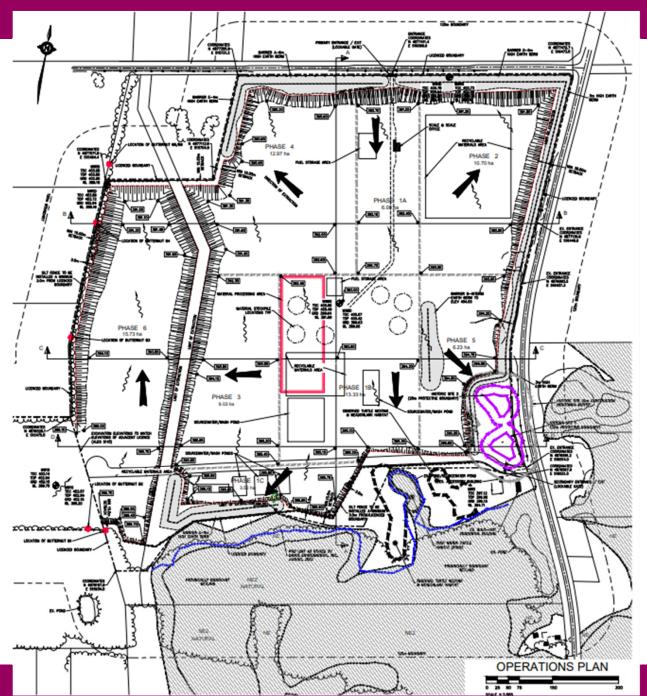


The Official Plan of the County of Grey is proposed to be amended as follows:

1. Amending Schedule B – High Potential Mineral Aggregate Resources – Map 3 by changing the designation of the lands from undesignated to 'Aggregate Resource Area.'

Operations Plan





Key Policy and Legislation considerations



Provincial Planning Statement, 2024

- Mineral aggregate resources shall be protected for long-term use and, where provincial information is available, deposits of mineral aggregate resources shall be identified (4.5.1)
- Extraction shall also be undertaken in a manner which minimizes social, economic and environmental impacts (4.5.2.2)

County of Grey Official Plan

- Sand and/or gravel operations are permitted within the 'Aggregate Resource Area' without a change to the OP (5.6.2)
- All new sand and/or gravel operations proposed outside of the areas identified as an 'Aggregate Resource Area' shown on Schedule B require an amendment to the County OP (5.6.4)
- Portions of the property contain significant woodlands and PSW

Township of West Grey Zoning By-law

 Proposing to rezone the licensed area (approximately 93.3 hectares) to a site-specific Aggregate Industrial zone to permit resource extraction

Recommendation



PDR-CW-31-25 - Merit Report for Grey County OPA 27 – Ridgeview Lumber

That report PDR-CW-31-25 regarding an overview of County Official Plan Amendment 27 (File number 42-05-010-OPA-27, known as Teeswater Concrete – Watson Pit) on lands legally described as Divisions 1 to 3, Part Lot 19 and 20, Concession 1; and, Part Lot 46, Concession 2; Geographic Township of Normanby, Municipality of West Grey be received for information.