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Attention: Mr. Matt Gillette, Project Manager

## **Repository addresses:**

Wolcott Civic Free Library 5890 New Hartford Street Wolcott, New York 14590

## **Negative Declaration**

**Wayne County** - The Town of Arcadia Town Board, as lead agency, has determined that the proposed Adoption of Local Law No. 1 of 2006- Solid Waste Management Facility will not have a significant adverse environmental impact. The action involves Amend the Town of Arcadia Zoning Ordinance to restrict the operation of solid or liquid waste management facilities within the Town of Arcadia in order to promote a clean, wholesome and attractive environment for its residents and the community. The project is located entire Town limits of the Town of Arcadia.

**Contact:** Joseph DeSanto, Town of Arcadia, 100 East Miller Street, Newark, NY 14513, phone: (315) 331-7369.

## **Positive Declaration And Public Scoping**

Orleans County - The New York State Department Of Environmental Conservation, as lead agency, has determined that the proposed Frontier Stone. LLC, Frontier Stone Quarry, Fletcher Chapel Road ( DEC 8-3436-00033/00001-MLR 80823) may have a significant adverse impact on the environment and a Draft Environmental Impact Statement must be prepared. A public scoping session will be held on Tuesday, the 27th of June at 7:00 p.m., in the Shelby Town Hall on 4062 Salt Works Road in Medina, New York. Written comments on the scope will be received until 14 July 2006. The action involves the development of a 215.5 acre dolomite/limestone quarry on a 269.45 acre parcel. The excavation area totals 174.1 acres and mining is divided into four phases over the estimated 75 year operational life of the facility. Quarrying will be conducted by standard drill and blast technology with front end loaders feeding an in-pit primary crusher with shot rock from the muck pile. The primary crusher will follow the advancing face. Rock will be conveyed to the processing plant at the land surface by conveyor for further processing. Mining will occur below the water table and the project includes dewatering. Wash water used in the processing facility will be drawn from

groundwater and surface water accumulating in the pit and recirculated for reuse. Settling ponds will be located in the plant area; no offsite discharge will occur from these ponds. The site will be reclaimed by grading, replacement of topsoil, revegetating upland areas with an approved seed mix, and the creation of two lakes. The lakes, separated by the existing utility line, are approximately 38.9 and 161.2 acres. The first 50 feet of shoreline below the water surface will be less than 5 feet deep. The reclamation objective will be to create recreational lakes/wildlife habitat. A draft scoping outline has been prepared and is available for public review and comment. A scoping meeting will be held to solicit involved agency and citizen input and review the draft scoping outline. The proposed mining site is approximately 3.7 miles south of Medina, and is located south of Fletcher Chapel Road and bounded generally by Sour Spring Road on the west and South Wood Road on the east. The facility is located in the Town of Shelby, Orleans County.

**Contact:** David L. Bimber, NYSDEC, 6274 East Avon-Lima Road, Avon, New York 14414, phone: (585) 226-5401, e-mail: dlbimber@gw.dec.state.ny.us.

## **Notice Of Acceptance Of Draft EIS And Public Hearing**

Erie (Primary) and Genesee - The NYSTA and FHWA, as lead agencies have accepted a Draft Environmental Impact Statement on the proposed New York State Thruway Williamsville Toll Barier (WTB) Improvement Project (DEIS No. (FHWA-NY-EIS-06-01-D), EPA EIS (No. 20060218)). A public hearing on the Draft EIS will be held on July 11, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. at the Akron Central School, 47 Bloomingdale Avenue, Akron, New York. The public comment period ends July 24, 2006. The Williamsville Toll Barrier (WTB) DEIS studies alternative ways of resolving existing NYS Thruway traffic congestion attributable to the existing WTB, and studies the environmental and socio-economic consequences of the identified alternatives. The WTB Improvement Project alternatives studied include the nobuild, improvement and relocation alternatives. The study corridor for the WTB Improvement Project extends from its western terminus just west of the existing WTB at milepost (MP) 419.69 to its eastern terminus at NYSTA Interchange 48A at milepost 401.72. The total length of the project's study corridor is  $18 \pm \text{miles}$ , extending along the mainline Thruway (I-90) through the Towns of Amherst, Cheektowaga, Lancaster, Clarence and Newstead in Erie County, passing in close proximity to the Town of Alden in Erie County, and terminating in the town of Pembroke in Genesee County.

Contact: Christopher Waite, New York State Thruway Authority, 200 Southern Boulevard, P.O. Box 189, Albany, New York 12201-0189, phone: (518) 436-2810.