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## Subject: Dewdney Mountain Farms Ltd. Quarry Application - Resolution of Council (Trent Lakes) No. R2021-180 dated March 2, 2021

Dear Mr. Russell

WSP has been notified that a resolution of Council (Trent Lakes) No. R2021-180 dated March 2, 2021 has been received for the Dewdney Mountain Farms quarry application. Further to this resolution WSP confirms that the application is for a Category 4 Above-water Quarry as defined by Provincial Standards under the Aggregate Resources Act. As such, the quarry site plan shows a 2 m vertical separation from the groundwater table, which has been established by measurements in onsite monitoring wells for a period of more than one year. WSP prepared a Hydrogeological assessment report supporting the quarry application in September 2010. To the best of WSP's knowledge, this report remains valid and relevant with respect to the Provincial Standards (ARA), and we are not aware of any objections to its findings and conclusions. A letter from the MNR Licensing Inspector dated December 14, 2011 deemed the Hydrogeological assessment and reporting requirements complete for the application. Pending approval of a license, WSP understands that the site would be operated as a Class A aggregates quarry, also producing dimension limestone for landscaping.

We trust this information is satisfactory. Please call if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

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