Almaden Quicksilver County Park

 Hacienda Entrance to Quicksilver County Park – Clockwise from lower left: Service Vehicle Entry, construction trailer, Daily Instructions, Project Sign



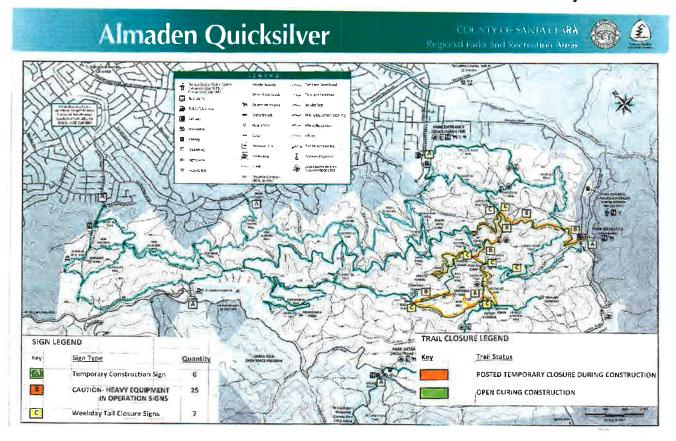








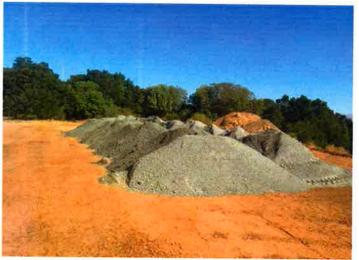
Map of Almaden Quicksilver County Park





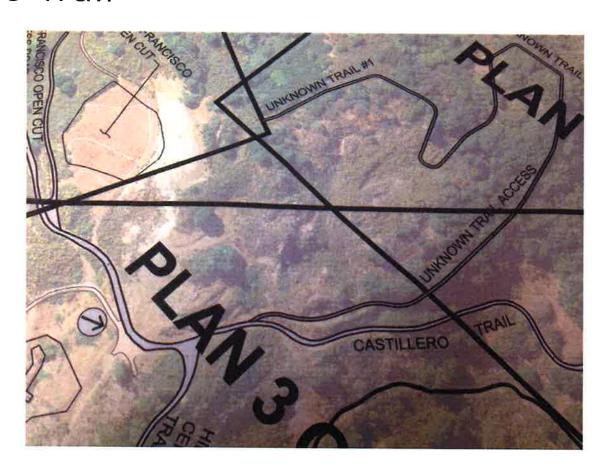






Construction Staging, Stockpiles, Cautions

Castillero Trail





Castillero Trail

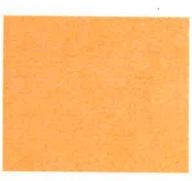
Pre-Construction at Culvert Location

Castillero Trail at Culvert

 Existing Pampas Grass to be removed on each side of trail. Grass and other vegetation blocking the drainage flow to existing culvert







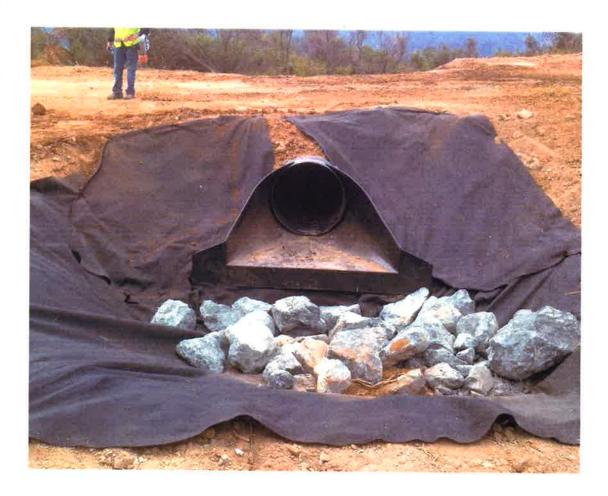






Castillero 36" Culvert Placement

Castillero Trail 36" Culvert Construction Installation of Geotextile Fabric and Rock Slope Protection



Castillero Trail 36" Culvert with Rip Rap

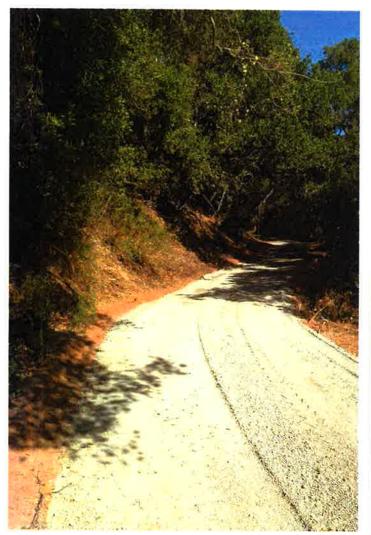
• Installation of culvert, rip rap and connection to concrete V ditch from SFOC







Castillero Trail Excavation





Castillero Trail – Installation of Aggregate Paving

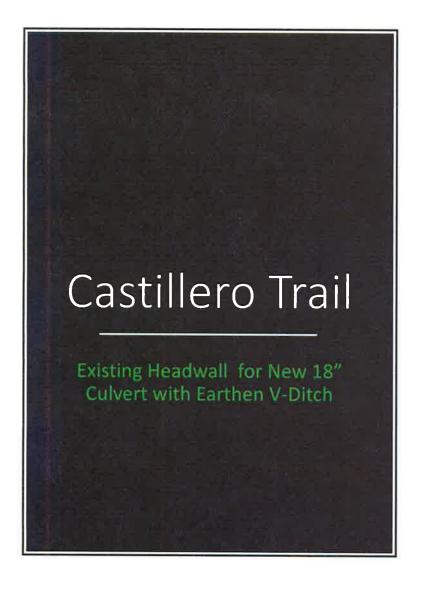


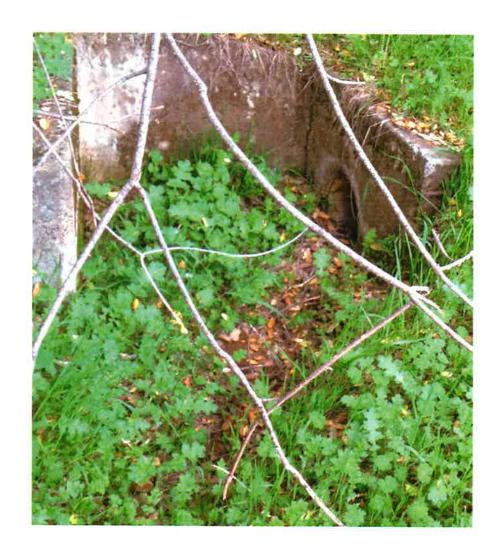




Castillero Trail – Installation of Earthen Ditch

Over 1900 feet of Earthen Ditch was installed towards new 18" culvert on uphill side of trail

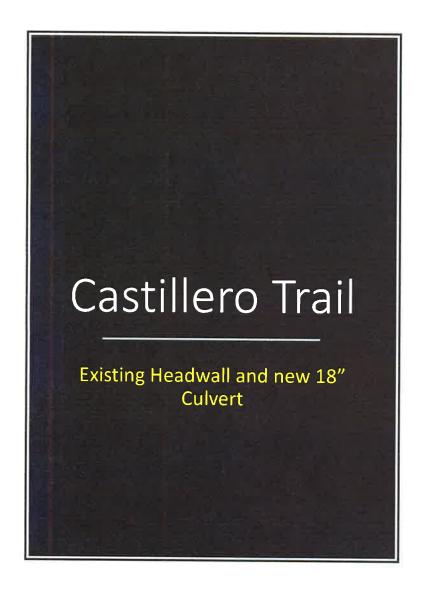


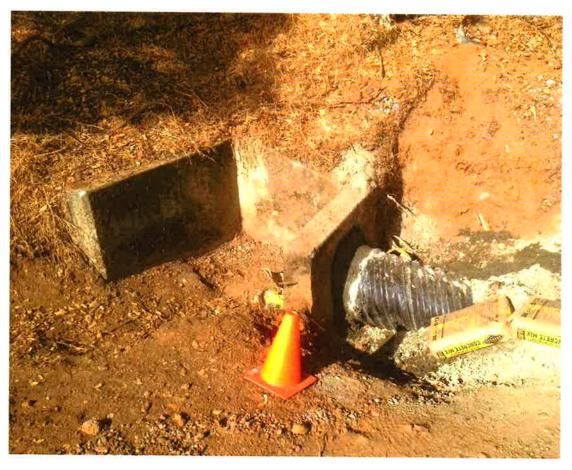


Castillero Trail

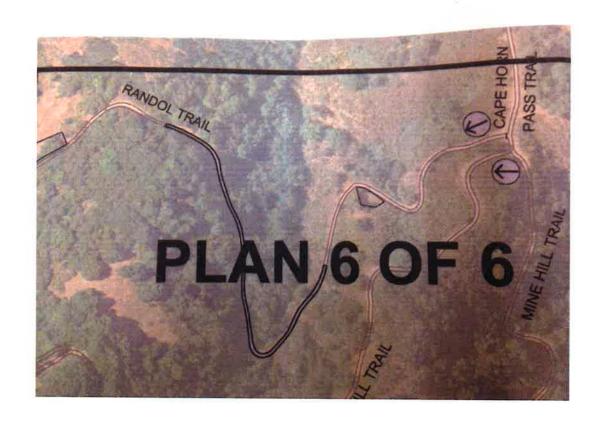
 Cleaning of Headwall, adding a 18" CMP culvert and Earthen Drainage Ditch







Randol Trail



Randol Trail

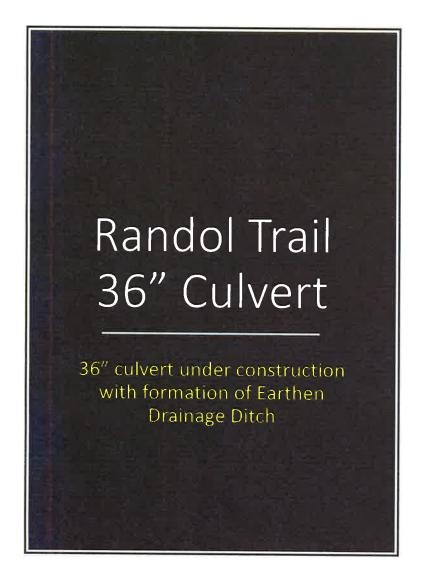
Existing 18"drainage culvert prior to calcine removal at Station 12+00



Randol Trail Culvert

Existing 18" Culvert
Downhill side at 19+25







Randol Trail 36" Culvert

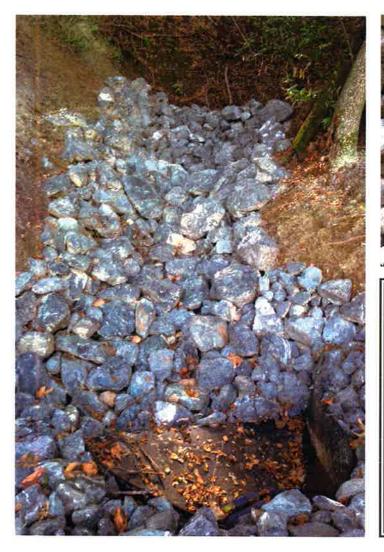
Uphill riprap and geotextile fabric



Randol Trail Construction of Culvert and Trail

Placement of 36" culvert and riprap on uphill and downhill side of trail

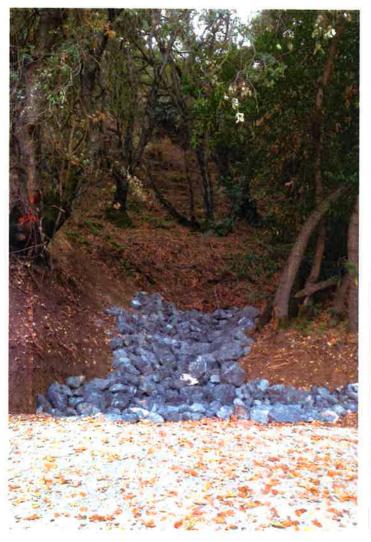






Randol Trail 36" Culvert

Detail of culvert with Apron





Randol Trail RipRap

Uphill & downhill RipRap from Trail

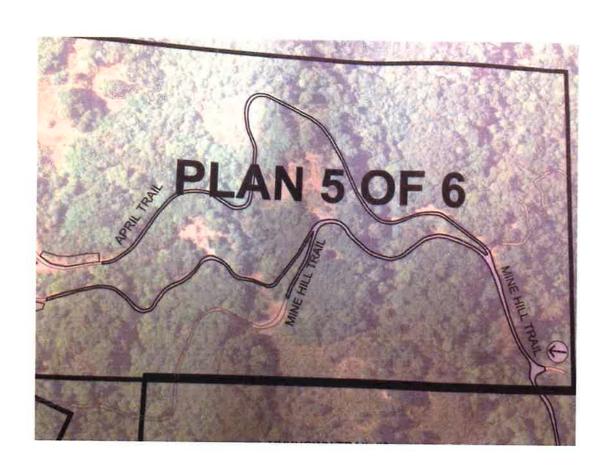


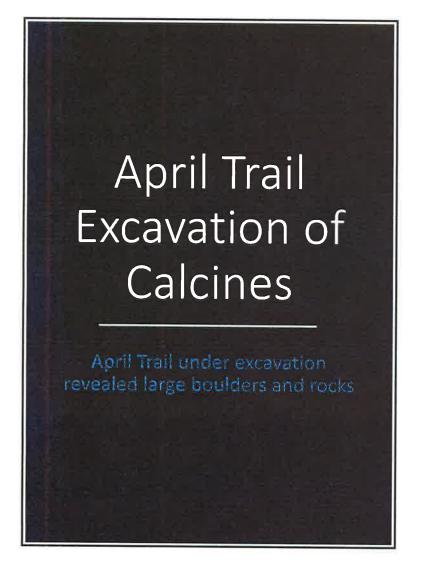


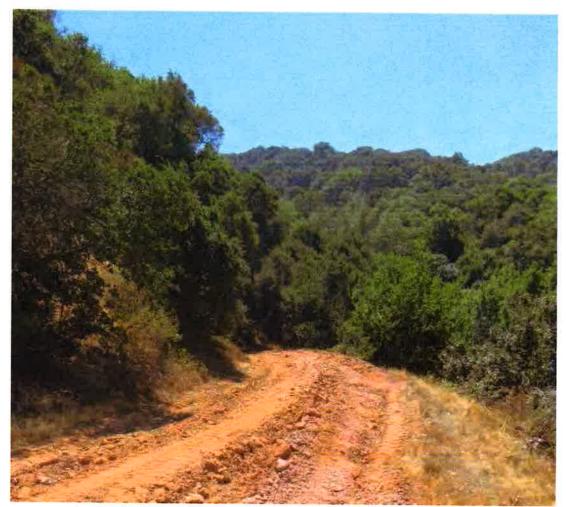


Randol Trail Paving

April Trail and Lower Mine Hill Trail











April Trail: Excavation and Blading





April Trail Construction of Rip Rap at existing culvert

April Trail – Existing Culvert with new drainage ditch on uphill side of trail





April Trail – Armored Rock Crossing 25' x 25'

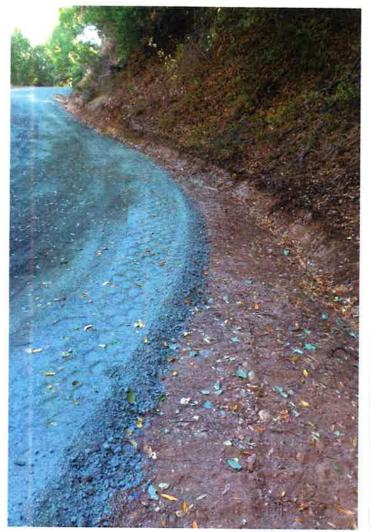
 Installation included Geotextile fabric, rock slope protection and riprap; 1 ½" drainrock at 18" depth with 6" Class II Aggregate base on top compacted to 95% density







April Trail – Armored Rock Crossing





April Trail – Installation of Aggregate Paving and Earthen Drainage Ditch

April Trail

 On each Rolling dip (11 in total) on the downhill side of the top of hump...Coyote excrement.



Lower Mine Hill Trail - Excavation



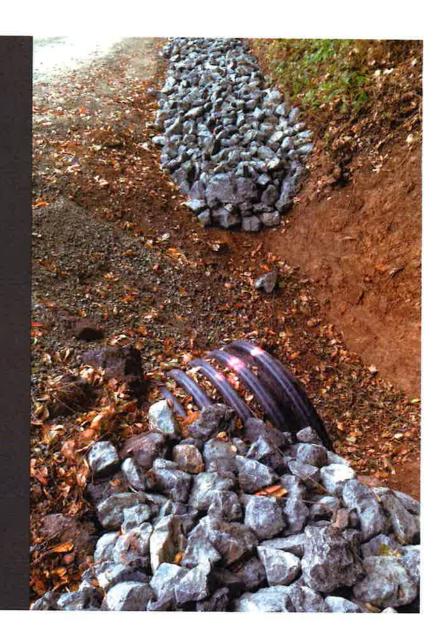




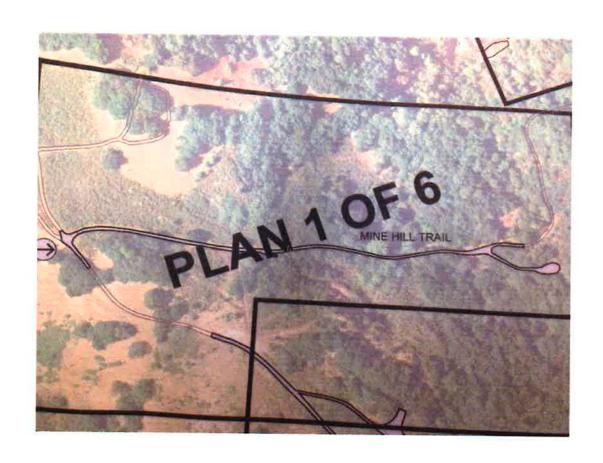
Mine Hill Trail – Excavation and placement for Rock Lined Drainage to Existing 36" culvert

Mine Hill/April Trail

Rock Lined V-Ditch from both directions to existing 36" culvert on uphill side of trail



Upper Mine Hill and San Cristobal Trails



Upper Mine Hill & San Cristobal Mine Trail

 Upper Mine Hill Trail included an excess of calcines, deep, with large rocks and boulders beneath - making construction difficult.



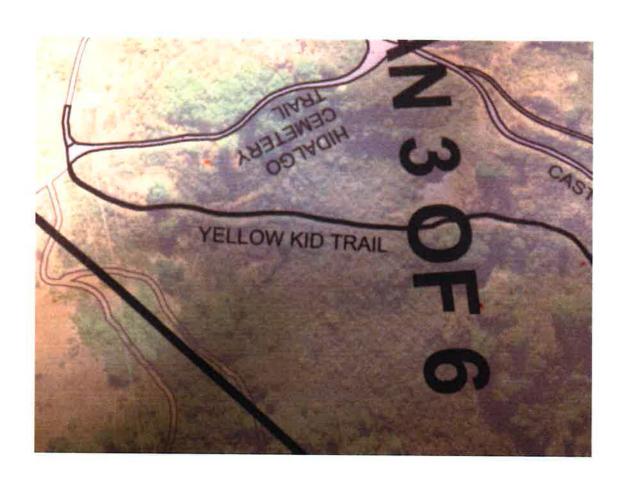


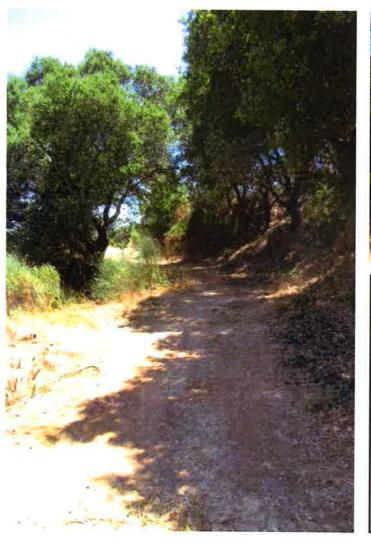
Mine Hill at San Cristobal Trail Intersection

Drainage to an existing culvert was required on both sides of the trail. Steep grade from San Cristobal Mine Trail to Mine Hill trail required outslope drainage on the downhill side and a constructed swale on the uphill side leading to the existing 18" culvert.



Yellow Kid Trail









Yellow Kid Trail — Prior to Excavation





Yellow Kid Trail Excavation

Yellow Kid and Hidalgo Cemetery Trail Excavation

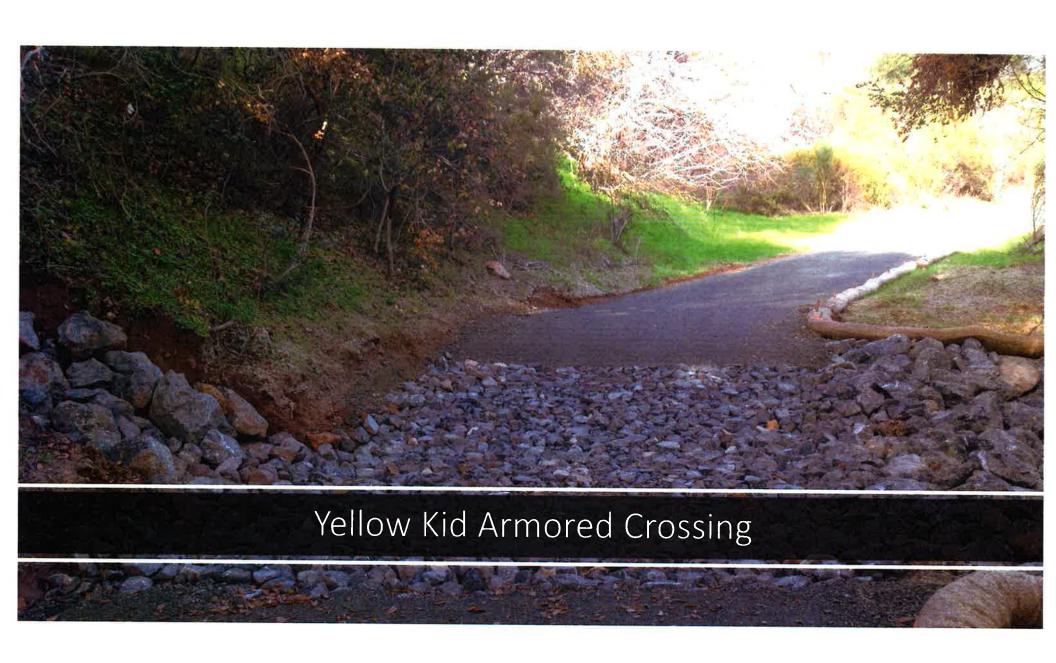
- Clockwise from Top Left:
- 1. Pack Rat Nest
- 2. Excavation at top of Yellow Kid
- 3. Excavation of Hidalgo Cemetery

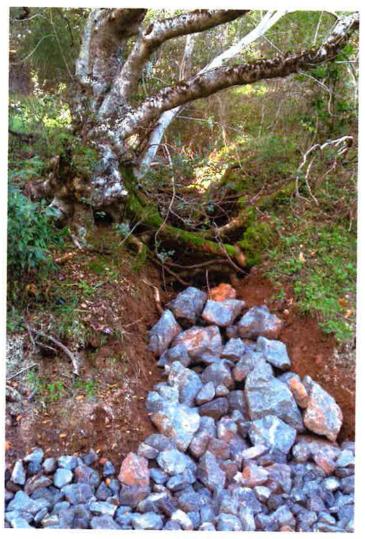






Yellow Kid Trail – Existing Culvert prior to rip rap installation; 20' x 20' x 5' depth rip rap downslope of trail



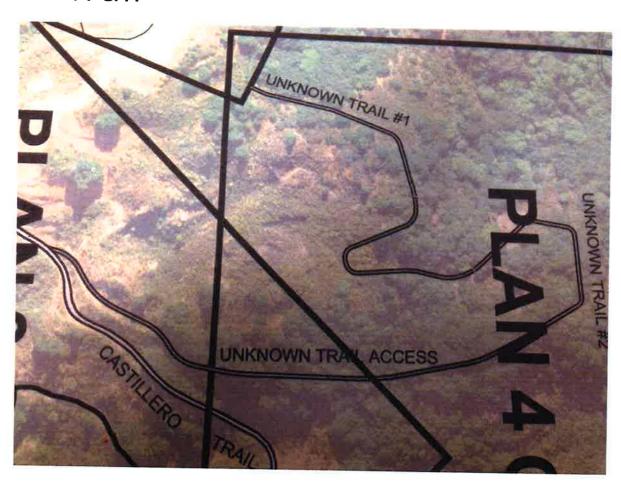






Yellow Kid Trail — Additional Work to prevent erosion and wet, muddy conditions

Unknown Trail





Unknown Trail









Unknown Trail #2- Existing Conditions and Excavation; Unknown Trail #1 calcines not found



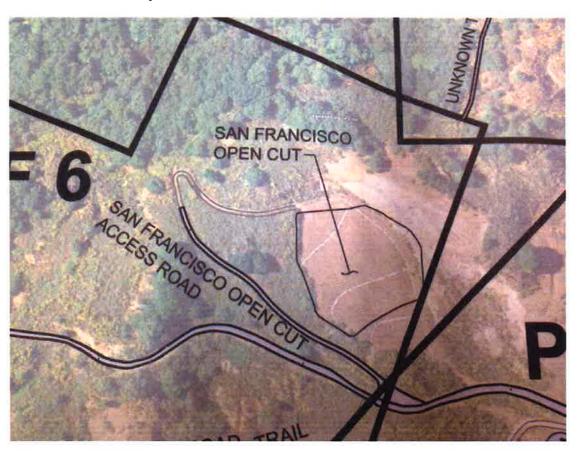


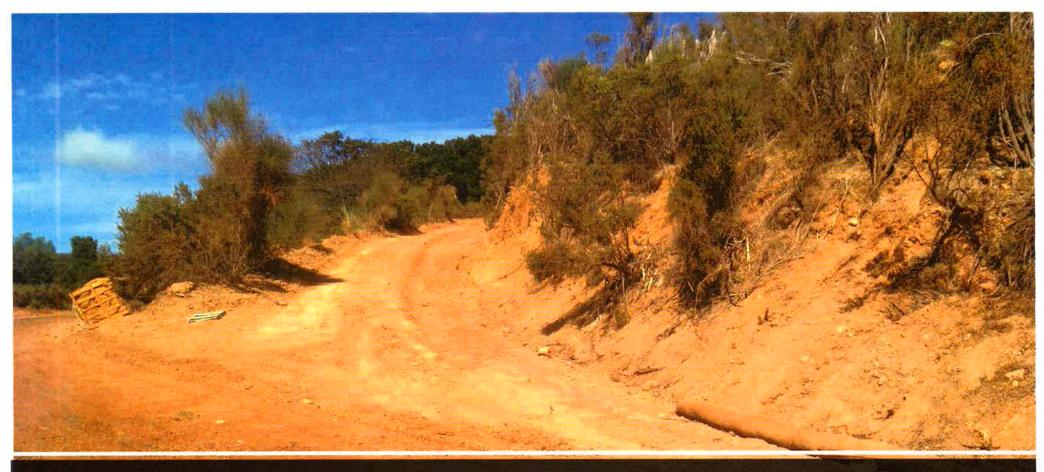


Unknown Trail Paving and Slope Stabilization –

Clockwise from Lower Left: Rock-slope stabilization, Upper Trail, cul-de-sac trail end.

San Francisco Open Cut and Access Trail





Existing Access Trail to SF Open Cut



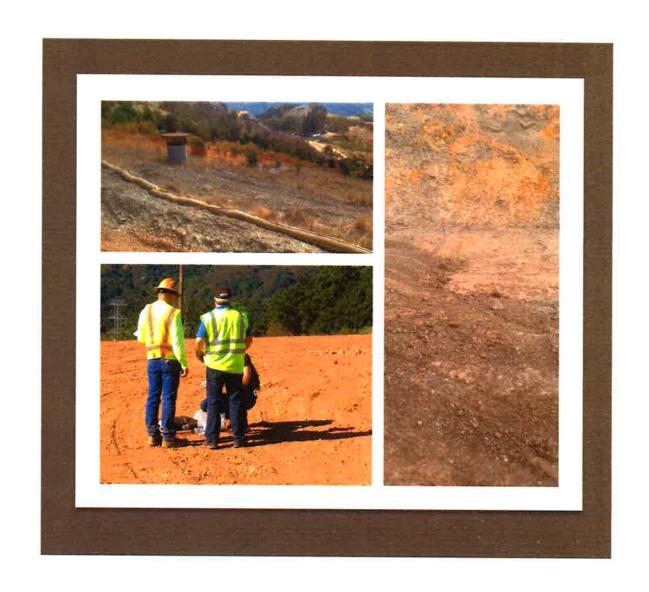




SF Open Cut — Prior to Removal of Clay Cap Soil

SF Open Cut

 Transport and Spreading of Calcines on SF Open Cut











SF Open Cut – Spreading and Compaction of Clay Cap over Calcines

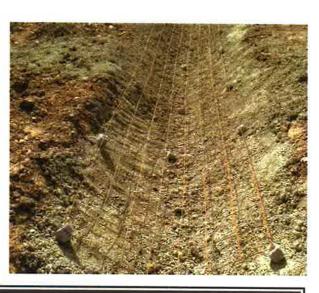




SF Open Cut — Rock Lined V Ditch along Access road with new Aggregate Paving





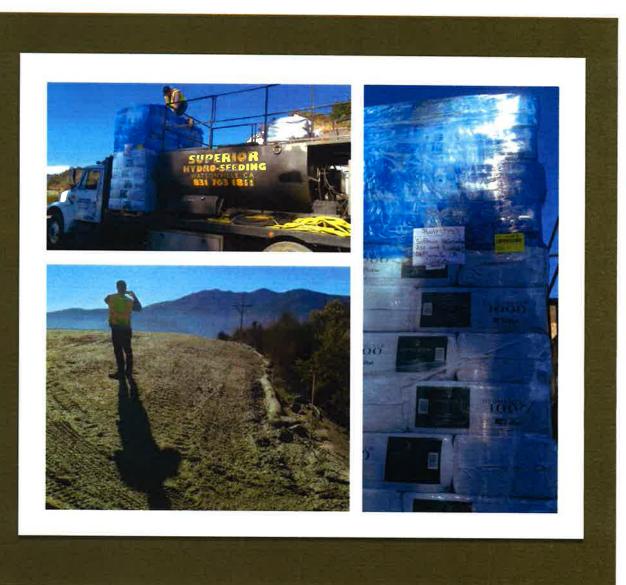




SF Open Cut – Extension of Concrete V-Ditch

Hydroseed Delivery

Clockwise from lower left: Hydroseeding of SF Open Cut, Superior Hydroseeding Delivery, seed mix



The End

