

MINE CONTACT REPORT FORM

Date of Call: _____ **Date of E-mail:** 02/16-02/17/21

Telephone call to: _____ **DENR Employee Contacted:** Roberta Hudson

Operator Contacted: Stan Michals

Company: Department of Game, Fish and Parks

Telephone: _____

Staff Signature: \s/

On February 16 and 17, I contacted Stan Michals to establish his comments on the proposed Wharf EXNI. During the communication he expressed a desire for a bat and raptor survey of the area, which I indicated seemed illogical given Wharf was already actively exploring a majority of the area through 2 previously approved EXNI's. I suggested perhaps a modification to the Mr. Michals restrictions to include maintaining a certain distance from known potential winter bat habitat entrances such as mine shafts or adits and also a restriction to cease exploration activity if a nesting raptor is noted in the area. Wharf would then need to further consult with GFP to clear further activities to ensure raptor habitat in the area.

He indicated these suggestions were acceptable for the EXNI.