## Forest Preserve Work Plan for Construction of New Facilities and Expansion or Modification of Existing Facilities Fiscal Year 22-23

Project # Click or tap to enter Project Number (leave blank if not applicable)

Region	Project Title
3	Lift 7 Replacement & Realignment w/ Associated
	Trailwork

Project Type	<u>Town(s)</u>	<u>County</u>	Management Unit
Modification of Existing	Highmount	Ulster	Belleayre Mountain
Facility			Intensive Use Area

#### Description of Desired Condition(s) for Project:

As noted in the 2023 Belleayre UMP Amendment, the current location of Lift 7 does not allow skier access from the top of the Lightning Quad (Lift 1), making it difficult for skiers to access the entire mountain. Belleayre does not offer an efficient skier route from the upper trails serviced by Lift 7 to the lower trails serviced by the Lightning Quad (Lift 1). The upper trails serviced by Lift 7 terminate at the uphill side of the Overlook Lodge, therefore infrastructure is needed to provide access around the Overlook Lodge to the lower trails. The proposed action is to replace and realign the existing Lift 7. The lift line will be extended over the parking lot to Mohican Trail to allow skier access from the top of Lift 7. This extension will total approximately 665 linear feet. With the realignment and extension, the lift will be 3,500 feet long and cover a 900-foot vertical. The ski towers will be approximately 60 feet tall and sit approximately 175 feet apart. This realignment will give skiers on Lift 7 additional room to unload. The creation of a queueing area is proposed in an effort to accommodate the new traffic flow of skiers from the upper mountain trails to the new Lift 7 bottom terminal.

Creation of the queueing area will require regrading around the Overlook Lodge and at the new Lift 7 bottom terminal. An existing maintenance road will be widened and converted into and alpine trail (Goat Path) that will connect to the Utsayantha trail and provide an intermediate trail for skiers to descend from the summit. The existing Utsayantha trail will be widened anywhere from 40 feet to 60 feet to allow for ample snowmaking and will modify the existing trail conditions to accommodate intermediate skiers.

The project is included in the 2023 Amendment to the 2015 Unit Management Plan for Belleavre Mountain Ski Center.

#### **Description of Project Specifications:**

Attached to this application is a location map, the Master Plan Figure from the UMPA, tree counts with a plot location map, the erosion and sediment control detail for the Lift 7 replacement & realignment, the queueing area improvements plan detail with erosion and sediment controls, and both an elevation and slope map for the Utsayantha trailwork, as well as the erosion and sediment control detail.

#### Description of Measures Taken to Avoid, Mitigate and Minimize Impacts to Natural Resources:

Please see tree counts attached. Earthwork and grading will be required for top, mid, and bottom terminal construction, lift tower base installation, queueing area improvements, and trail work for Utsayantha and Goat Path. The project will follow best management practices for erosion and sediment control as designed and included in the stormwater pollution prevention plan for Belleayre Mountain, currently under review by the Watershed Inspector General. The NYC Department of Environmental Protection has also reviewed the document and did not have comments nor request modifications. No wetlands nor waterbodies will be impacted by this project. No rare, threatened, nor endangered species will be affected by this project.

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#### Analysis of Project Location and Design Alternatives:

The existing Lift 7 could be replaced in its existing location, but it does not allow skier access from the top of the Lightning Quad (Lift 1), making it difficult for skiers to access the entire mountain. Belleavre does not offer an efficient skier route from the upper trails serviced by Lift 7 to the lower trails serviced by the Lightning Quad (Lift 1). The upper trails serviced by Lift 7 terminate at the uphill side of the Overlook Lodge, therefore infrastructure is needed to provide access around the Overlook Lodge to the lower trails.

#### Description of Use of Motorized Equipment and/or Motor Vehicles, if any:

To facilitate installation of Lift 7 and associated trail work, the following motorized equipment shall be employed: saws, generators, welders, trucks, excavators, bulldozers, skidders.

#### Description of Applicable Standards for Accessibility by People with Disabilities:

Belleavre Mountain provides many opportunities for adaptive winter recreation at the mountain. Instructors are trained in adaptive winter recreation practices.

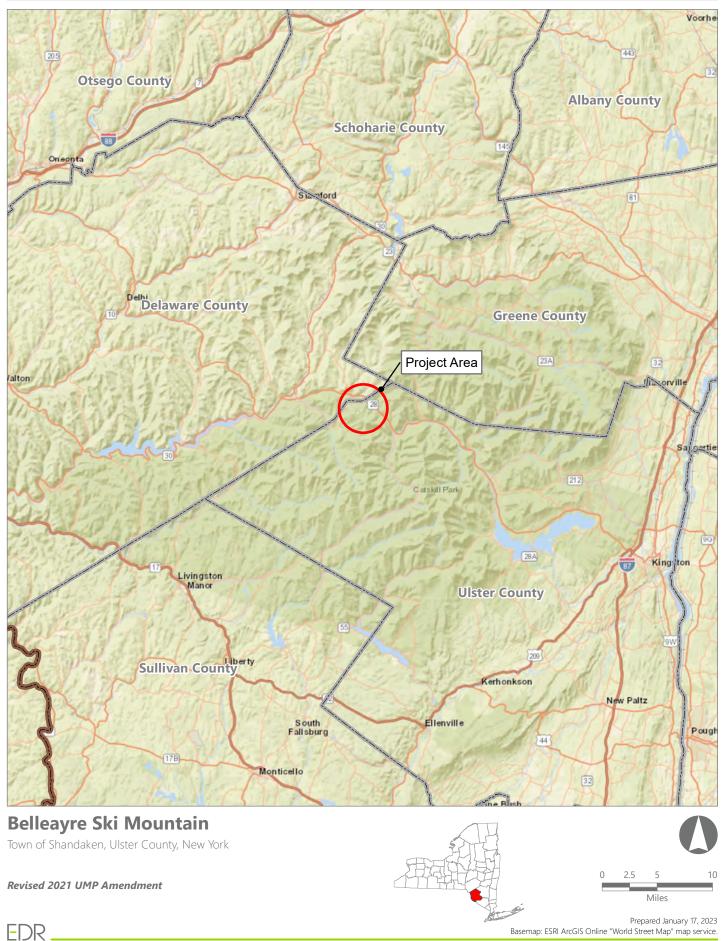
#### **Other Relevant Considerations:**

The projects described within this work plan to support skiing at Belleayre Mountain are supported by Article XIV section 1 which provdes that" Nothing herein contained shall prevent the state from ... constructing and maintaining not more than twenty-five miles of ski trails thirty to two hundred feet wide, together with appurtenances thereto, provided that no more than two miles of such trails shall be in excess of one hundred and twenty feet wide, on the slopes of Belleayre Mountain in Ulster and Delaware counties ..."

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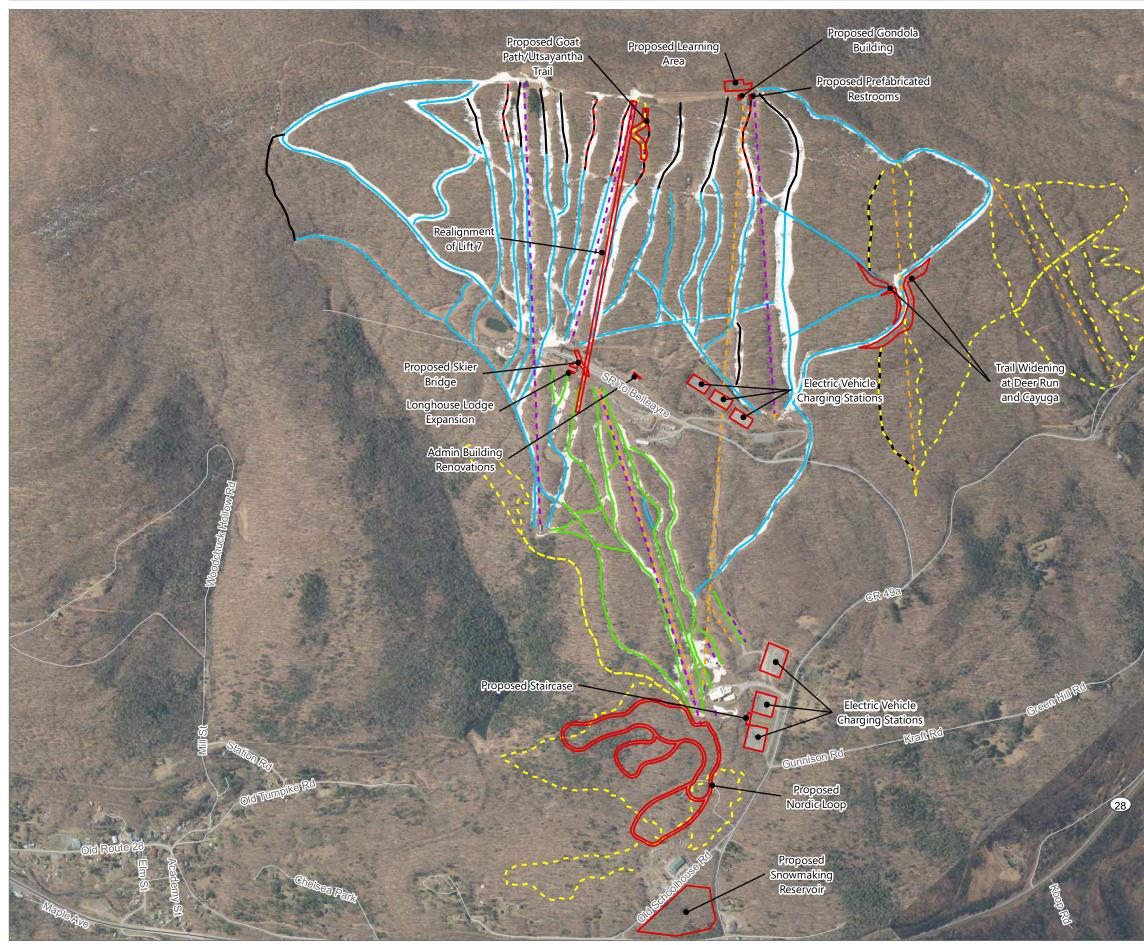
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	Unit Management Plan	$\boxtimes$			UMPA Approved 4/28/23.
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	Protected Native Plants		$\boxtimes$		
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# Figure 2. Regional Project Location





# Figure 1. Master Plan





# Belleayre Ski Mountain

Town of Shandanken, Ulster County, New York

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#### ----- Revised Previously Approved Action

- - Previously Approved Trail
- --- Previously Approved Lift
- - Existing Lift

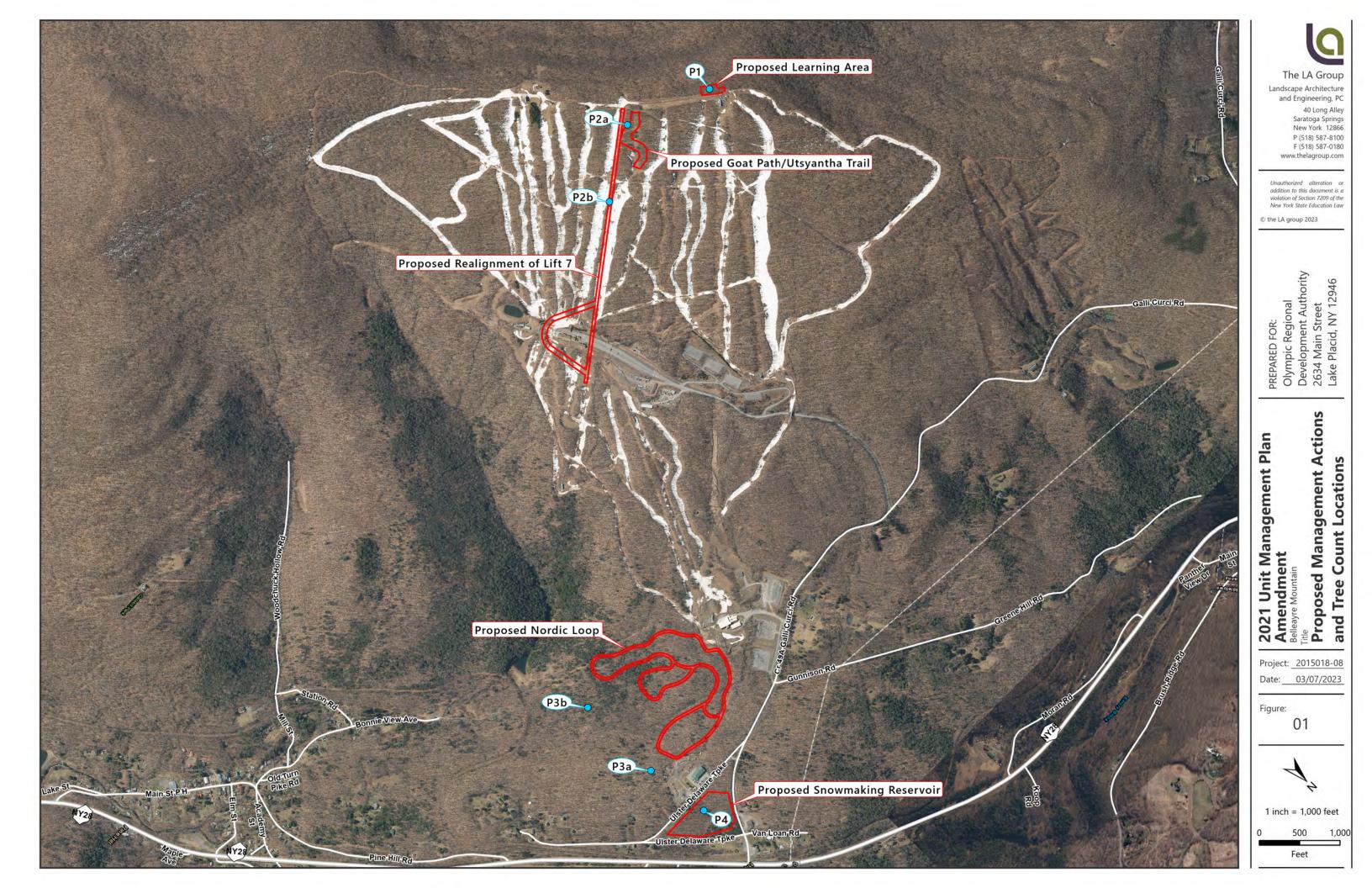
#### Existing Trails

- Easy
- Intermediate
- Advanced
- Expert
- Project Site



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# **III. Proposed Management Actions**

### A. Description of Proposed Work

See the following sections for photos and descriptions of the existing conditions and proposed management actions for each individual action described in Section I(a). The 12 proposed management actions described below are listed in order of priority.

# 1. Replacement and Realignment of Lift 7 and Construction of a Skier Bridge

### **Existing Conditions**

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### **Proposed Management Action**

### Lift 7 Replacement and Realignment

The proposed action is to replace and realign the existing Lift 7 (Figure 4). The lift line will be extended over the parking lot to Mohican Trail to allow skier access from the top of Lift 7. This extension will total approximately 665 linear feet. With the realignment and extension, the lift will be 3,500 feet long and cover a 900-foot vertical. The ski towers will be approximately 60 feet tall and sit approximately 175 feet apart. This realignment will give skiers on Lift 7 additional room to unload.

completion of these efforts, it was determined that the skier tunnel would be a significantly more expensive project overall when compared to the skier bridge. Therefore, the Olympic Authority choose the skier bridge as a much more appropriate solution.



Image 3: Proposed Location of Skier Bridge from Base of Lift 7

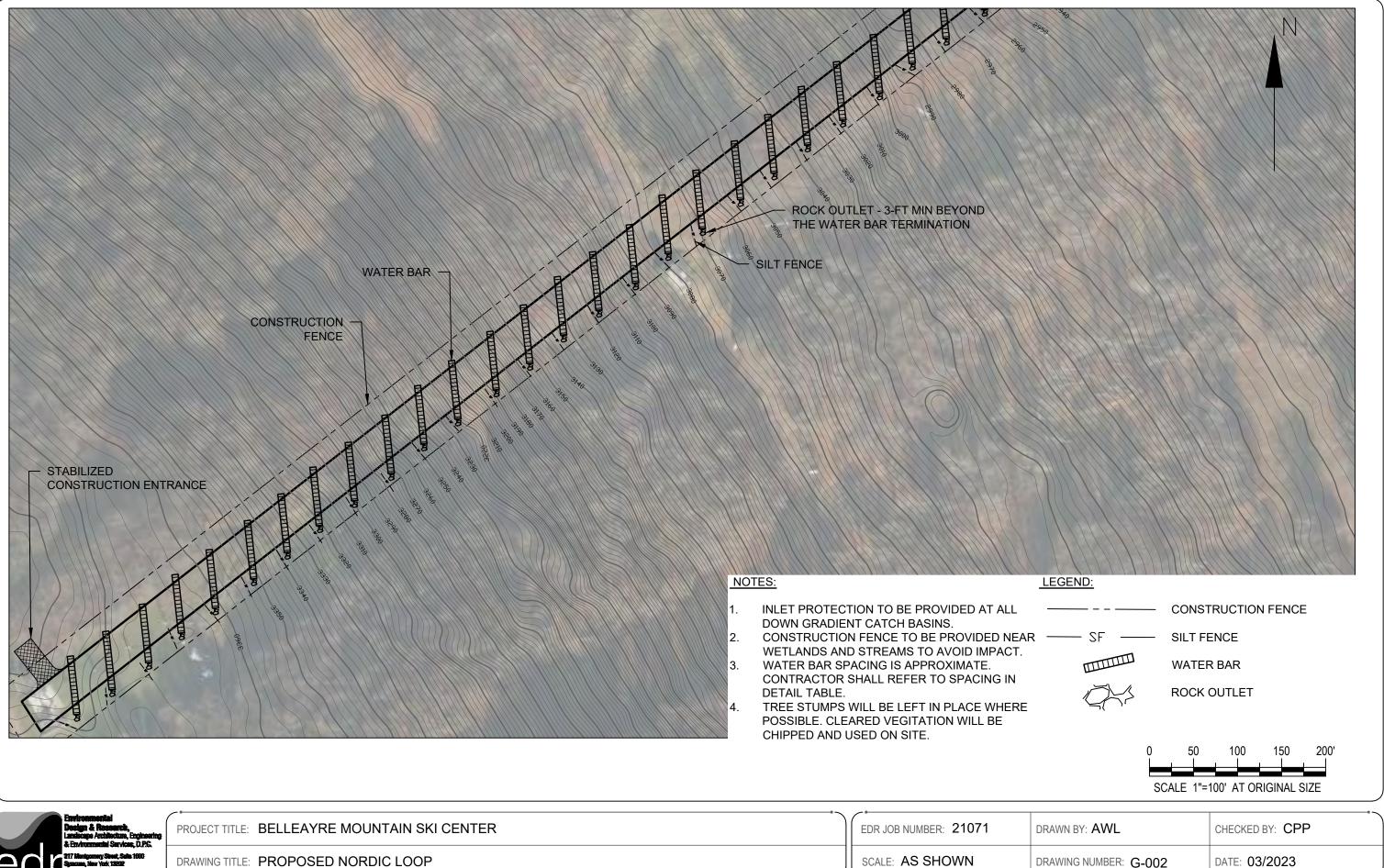
### Queueing Area Improvements

The creation of a queueing area is proposed in an effort to accommodate the new traffic flow of skiers from the upper mountain trails to the new Lift 7 bottom terminal. Creation of the queueing area will require regrading around the Overlook Lodge and at the new Lift 7 bottom terminal. See Figure 4c for the Grading Plan associated with the proposed Queueing Area Improvements.

### 2. Modifications to Alpine Trails

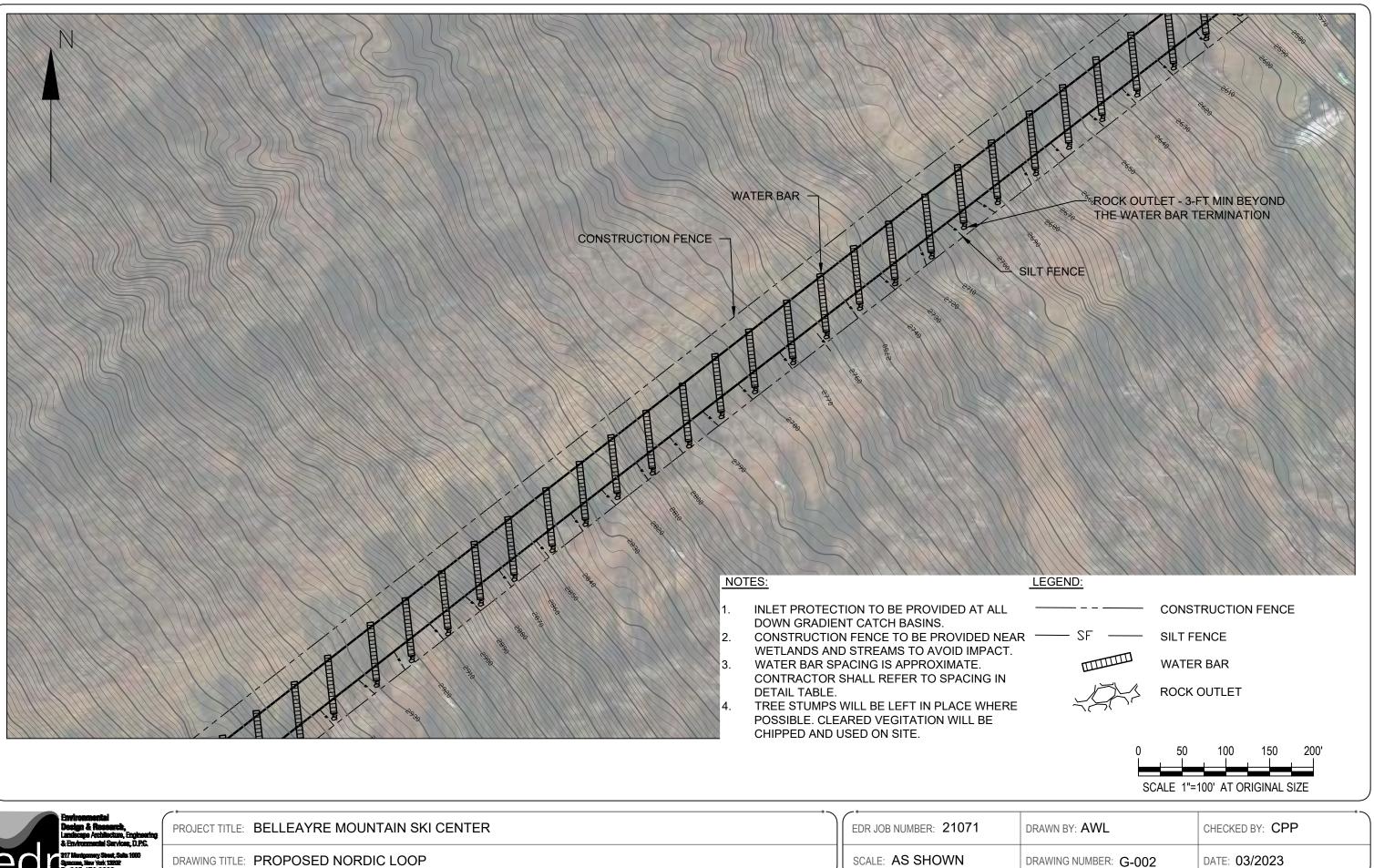
### **Existing Conditions**

Cathedral Brook is an existing ski trail off the East side of Belleayre, that is also used during the summer months for recreation. West-1, West-2 (lower), and HMT-9B are previously approved conceptual alpine trails approved in the 2015 UMP, as well as West-2, West-3, and West-5. Cayuga and Deer Run are existing intermediate alpine trails at Belleayre. Currently, the Utsayantha Trail is rated most difficult, which does not accommodate intermediate skiers and does not all allow for snowmaking. The Goat Path is an existing, narrow work road. Please see Figure 2 in Exhibit 2 – Trail Inventory and Analysis for existing and previously approved trails.



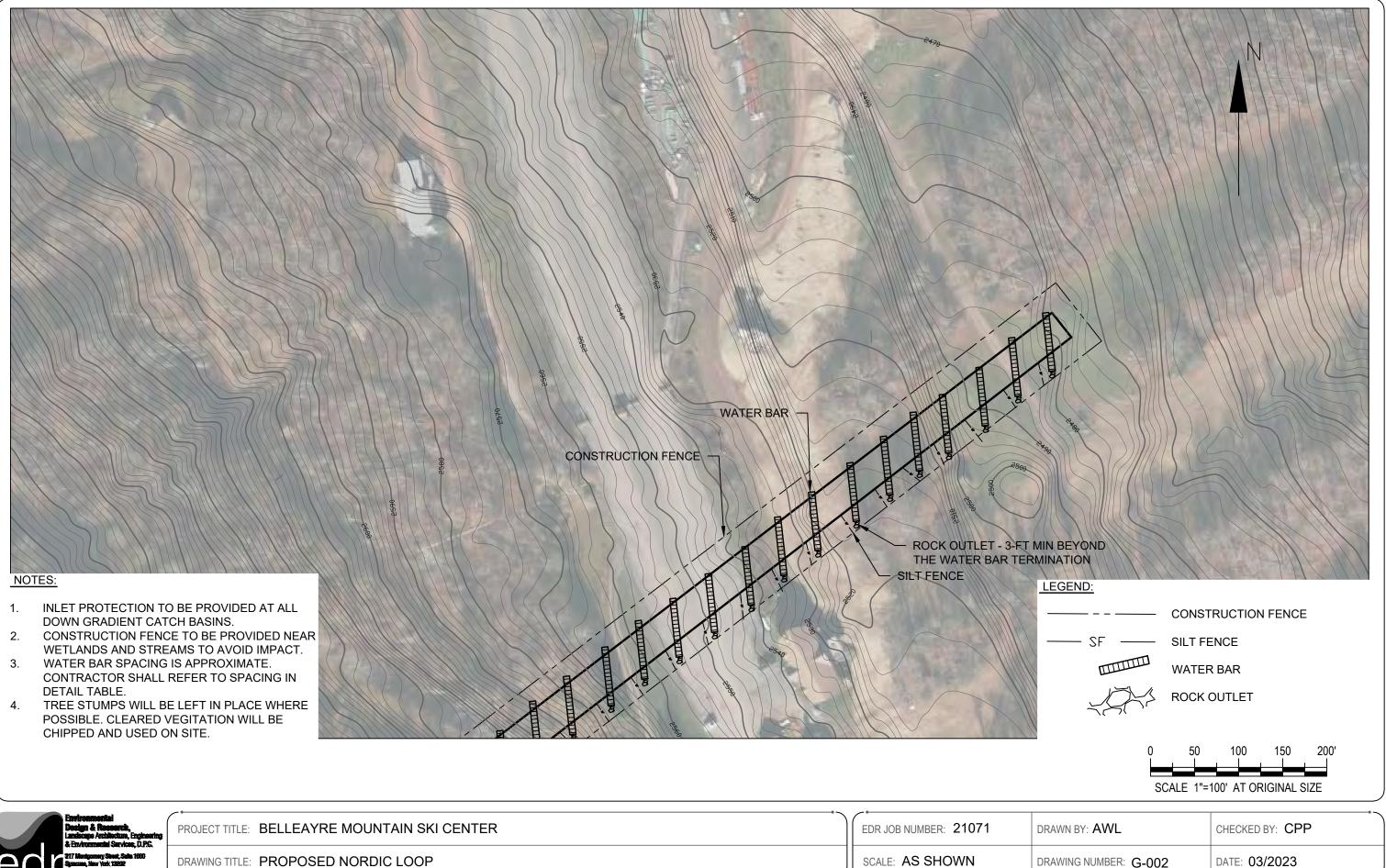
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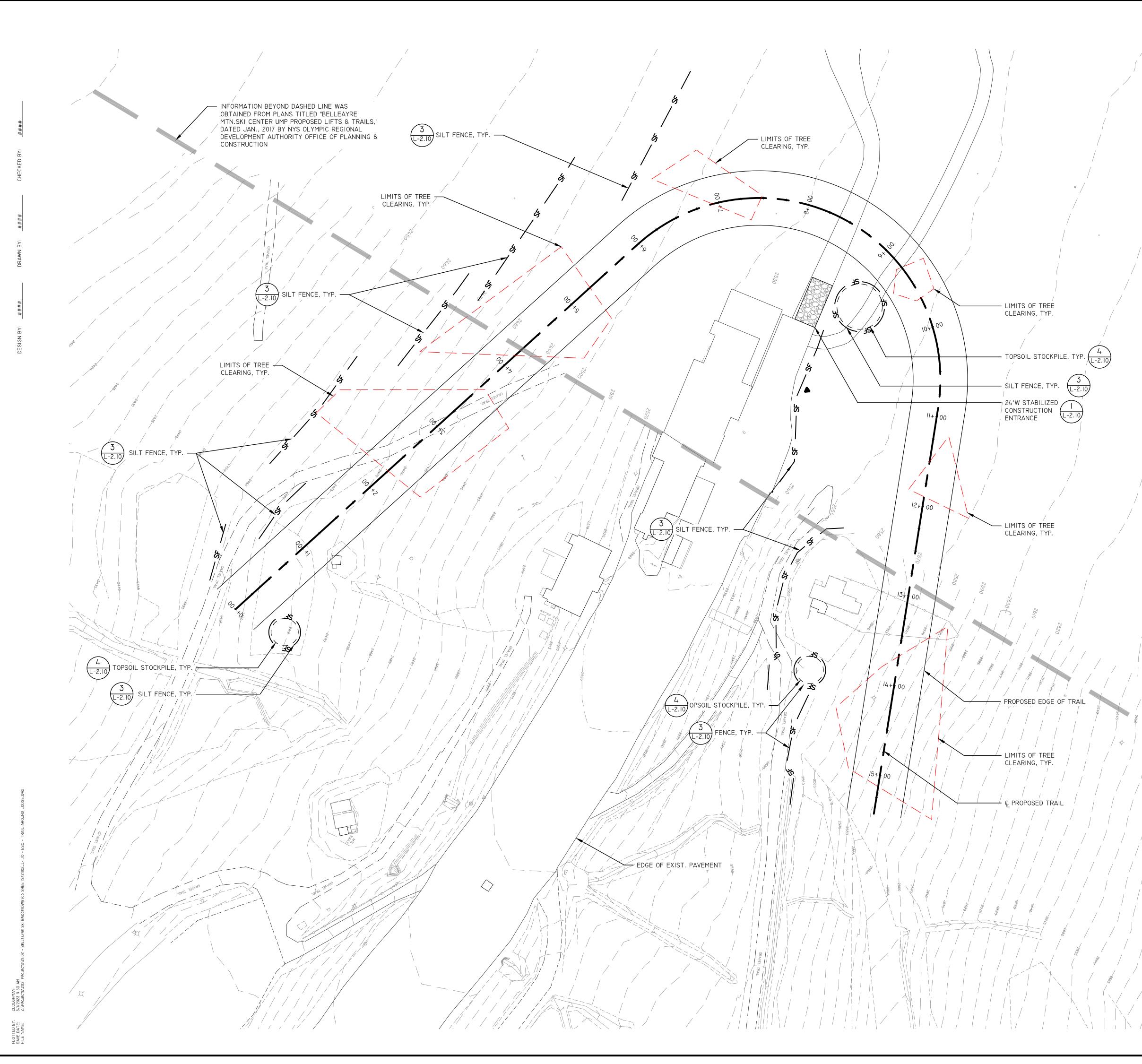




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SITE PREPARATION & DEMOLITION NOTES:

- I. CONTRACTOR SHALL FIELD VERIFY ALL EXISTING UTILITIES AND SUBSURFACE STUDIO A CONDITIONS PRIOR TO THE START OF WORK. COORDINATE ALL UTILITY REQUIREMENTS AND WORK WITH THE APPROPRIATE UTILITY PROVIDER. NOTIFY OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE OF ANY AND ALL DISCREPANCIES.
- ALL REFUSE, DEBRIS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS TO BE REMOVED. MATERIALS THAT ARE NOT TO BE STOCKPILED FOR LATER USE ON THE PROJECT OF DELIVERED TO THE OWNER, SHALL BE LEGALLY DISPOSED OF OFF-SITE BY TH CONTRACTOR IN A TIMELY FASHION SO AS NOT TO DISRUPT PROGRESS AND TO ENSURE SAFE SITE CONDITIONS.
- 3. CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT REMOVE OR DISTURB ANY ITEMS KNOWN TO CONTAIN HAZARDOUS MATERIALS OR SUBSTANCES. CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY ENGINEER IMMEDIATELY OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS OR SUBSTANCES DISCOVERED DURING THE COMPLETION OF SPECIFIED WORK.
- 4. CONTRACTOR SHALL STRIP AND STOCKPILE EXISTING TOPSOIL TO FULL DEPTH WITHIN THE LIMIT OF GRADING BEFORE COMMENCING EXCAVATION AND GRADING OPERATIONS. TOPSOIL SHALL NOT BE REMOVED FROM THE SITE UNLESS APPROVED BY THE OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE.
- 5. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE TO EXISTING CONDITIONS AND WHICH ARE OUTSIDE THE LIMIT OF WORK. 6. CONTRACTOR SHALL IMPLEMENT AND BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL NECESSARY
- MEASURES AND PROCEDURES TO MAINTAIN AND PROTECT EXISTING UTILITIES TO REMAIN, PEDESTRIANS, LOCAL TRAFFIC AND ROADWAYS, ADJACENT PROPERTIES, AND ETC. FOR DURATION OF PROJECT AND UNTIL PROJECT COMPLETION CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL DAMAGES AND/OR RESTORATION REQUIRED AS A RESULT OF DEFICIENT PROTECTION MEASURES.
- 7. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE ALL ADJUSTMENT OR ABANDONMENT OF UTILITIES WITH THE RESPECTIVE UTILITY COMPANY AND PAY ALL ASSOCIATED COSTS.
- 8. ALL POINTS OF CONSTRUCTION INGRESS AND EGRESS SHALL BE PROTECTED T PREVENT MUD ONTO PUBLIC WAYS. ANY MUD ON PUBLIC WAYS ORIGINATING FROM THE JOB SITE SHALL BE CLEANED DAILY BY THE CONTRACTOR ONLY. 9. CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO SECURE ALL PERMITS THAT MAY BE
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### EROSION & SEDIMENT CONTROL NOTES

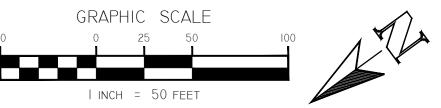
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- 3. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DESIGNATE TO THE OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE QUALIFIED EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL SUPERVISOR WITH ADEQUATE TRAINING, EXPERIENCE, AND AUTHORITY TO IMPLEMENT AND MAINTAIN ALI EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES AS PER THE NYS DEC REQUIREMENTS
- 4. CONSTRUCTION IS TO PROCEED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONSTRUCTION PHASING SCHEDULE SUPPLIED BY THE CONTRACTOR OR SHOWN ON THE PLANS GRASSES SHALL BE ESTABLISHED ON ALL DISTURBED AREAS AS SOON A POSSIBLE. FOR TIME FRAMES OUTSIDE THE GROWING SEASON, OTHER METHODS OF SOIL STABILIZATION (SUCH AS THE USE OF JUTE MESH EXCELSIOR MATTING) WILL BE USED UNTIL SUCH A TIME AS GRASS CAN BE ESTABLISHED.
- 5. ALL APPLICABLE EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES SHALL BE I PLACE PRIOR TO ANY SITE DISTURBANCE. THIS INCLUDES GRADING OPERATIONS, UTILITY OR STRUCTURE INSTALL.
- 6. SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES ON THIS PLAN SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH NYS DEC REQUIREMENTS. 7. APPLICABLE EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES SHALL BE LEFT I
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- 9. THE SITE SHALL AT ALL TIMES BE GRADED AND MAINTAINED SUCH THAT ALL STORMWATER RUNOFF IS DIVERTED TO SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL FACILITIES.
- 10. ALL SEDIMENTATION STRUCTURES WILL BE INSPECTED AND MAINTAINED AFTER EVERY STORM EVENT. II. THE CONTRACTORS ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE FACT THAT THROUGHOUT
- THE DURATION OF THE PROJECT IT WILL BE THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO PROTECT ALL WATER COURSES FROM WATER BORNE SEDIMENT O POLLUTANTS ORIGINATING FROM ANY WORK DONE ON, OR IN SUPPORT OF THIS PROJECT.
- 12. ALL NECESSARY PRECAUTIONS SHALL BE TAKEN TO PREVENT CONTAMINATION OF WATERBODIES BY SILT, SEDIMENT, FUELS, SOLVENTS, LUBRICANTS, EPOXY COATINGS, CONCRETE LEACHATE, OR ANY OTHER POLLUTANT ASSOCIATED WITH CONSTRUCTION AND CONSTRUCTION PROCEDURES.

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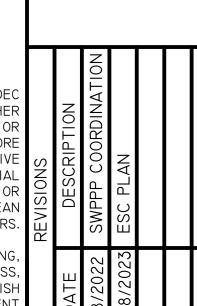
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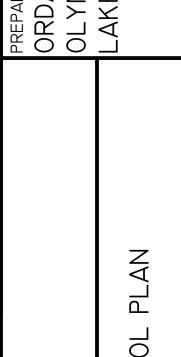
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### **Proposed Management Actions**

The proposed trails in the Belleayre West area have been revised either through abandonment or realignment to accommodate how the current trail network operates today. The focus of these changes is to reduce the number of intersections in our more popular trails in the area including Dot Nebel and Deer Run. The base terminal of the proposed Belleayre West lift was adjusted to be more uphill, reducing the runout and the trails in that area were adjusted accordingly.

A. Abandonment of Previously Approved and Existing Alpine Trails

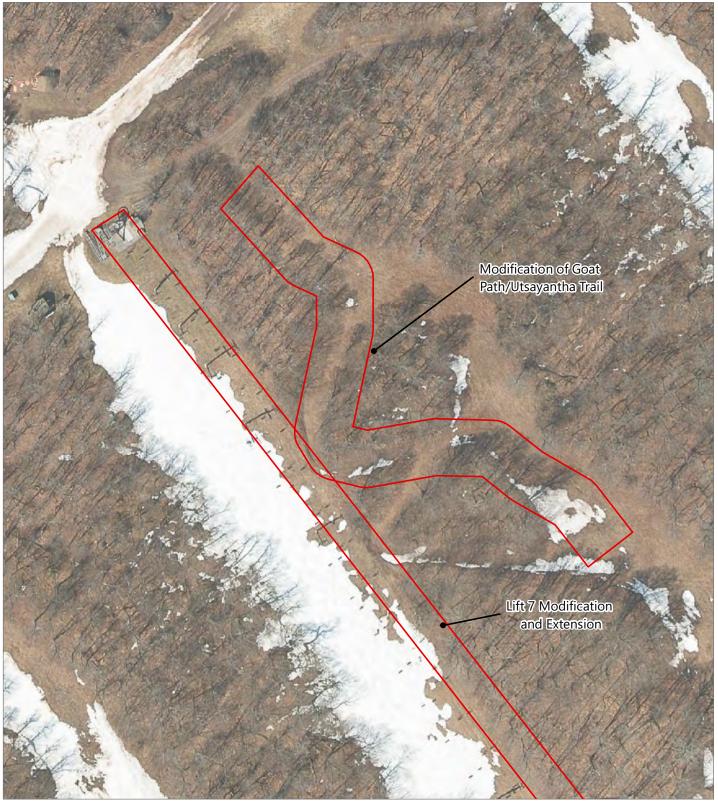
- 1. Abandon upper section of Cathedral Brook
- 2. Abandon West-1
- 3. Abandon West-2 (lower)
- 4. Abandon West-6
- 5. Abandon HMT-9B
- B. Realignment of Previously Approved and Existing Alpine Trails
  - 1. Realign West-2
  - 2. Realign West-3
  - 3. Realign West-5

### C. Widening of Existing Alpine Trails

1. Utsayantha: The proposed action is to modify the existing Utsayantha and Goat Path trails (Figure 4, Sheet 2). Utsayantha Trail will be widened anywhere from 40 feet to 60 feet to allow for ample snowmaking and will modify the existing trails conditions to accommodate intermediate skiers. A full trail inventory and analysis can be found in Exhibit 2. Tree cutting will be required for this effort and tree counts have been completed. For a full analysis of tree counts please see Exhibit 3. Additionally, see Figures 5a and 5b which illustrate the slope and elevation profile of the proposed Utsayantha Trail widening. A work plan is currently in progress.

2. Cayuga: The proposed action is to widen the existing Cayuga trail anywhere from 20 to 75 feet where it meets the existing Deer Run trail (see Figure 1). This trail widening will allow for additional skier capacity.

# Figure 4. Lift 7 and Trail Improvements



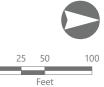
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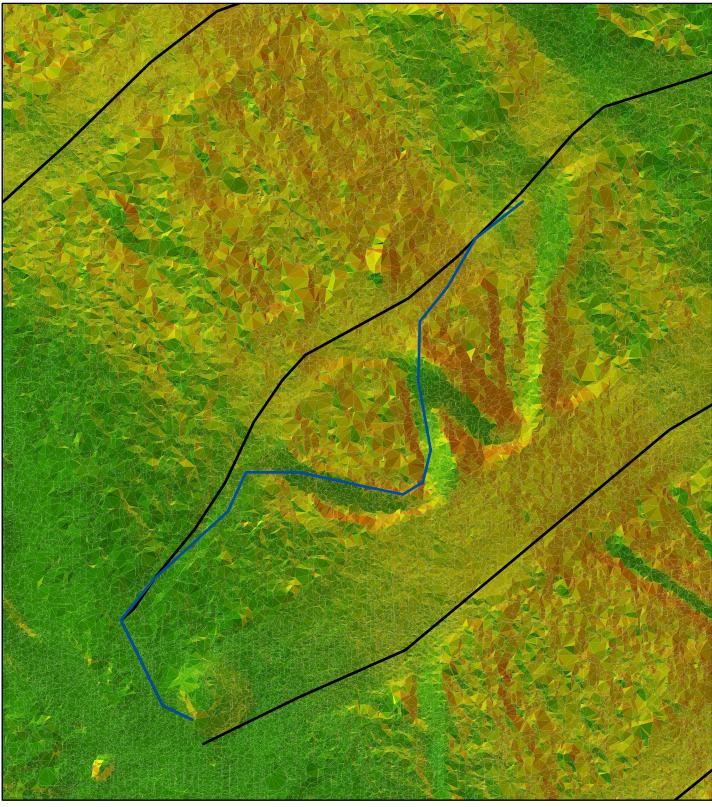


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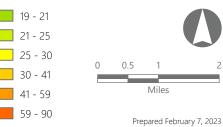
# Figure 5a. Utsayantha/Goat Path Slope Map



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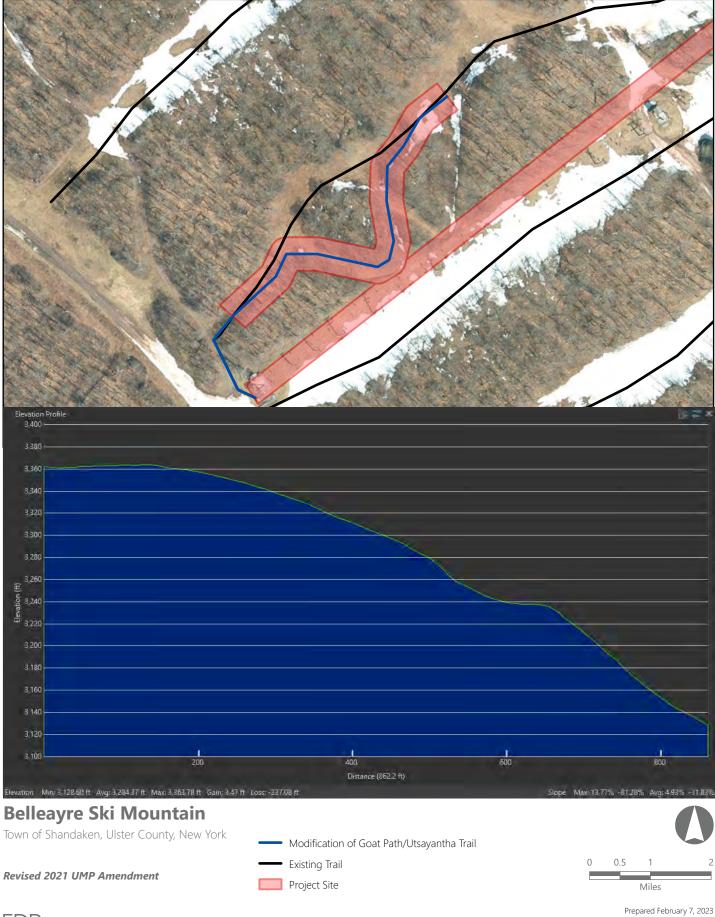
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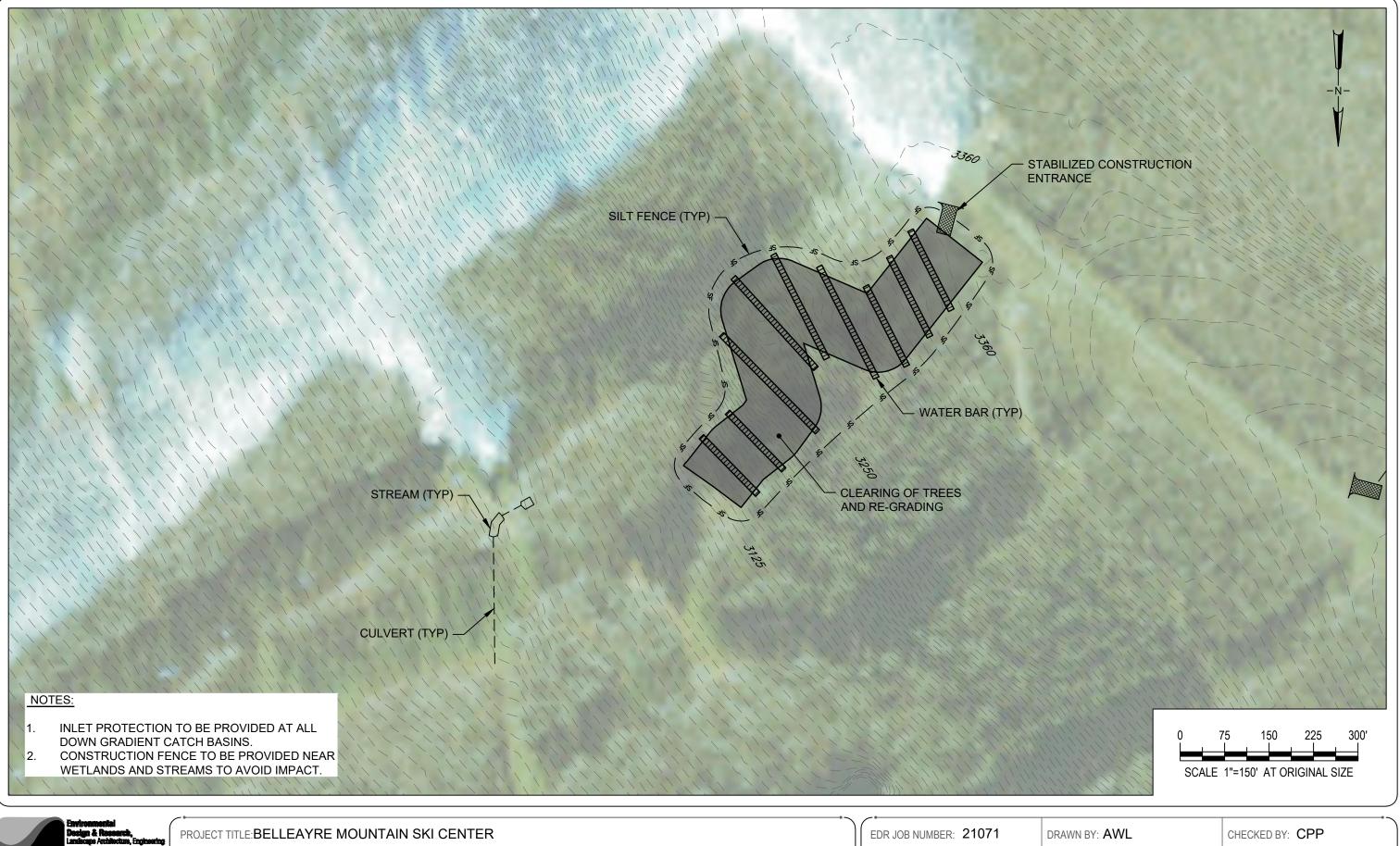
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# Figure 5b. Utsayantha/Goat Path Elevation Profile



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Basemap: NYSDOP "2021" orthoimagery map service.





DRAWING TITLE: PROPOSED GOAT PATH / UTASAYANTHA TRAIL

SCALE: AS SHOWN

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# **SECTION 1**

Forest preserve to be forever kept wild; certain uses and exceptions authorized Constitution (CNS) CHAPTER, ARTICLE XIV ARTICLE XIV

### Conservation

Section 1. The lands of the state, now owned or hereafter acquired, constituting the forest preserve as now fixed by law, shall be forever kept as wild forest lands. They shall not be leased, sold or exchanged, or be taken by any corporation, public or private, nor shall the timber thereon be sold, removed or destroyed. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the state from constructing, completing and maintaining any highway heretofore specifically authorized by constitutional amendment, nor from constructing and maintaining to federal standards federal aid interstate highway route five hundred two from a point in the vicinity of the city of Glens Falls, thence northerly to the vicinity of the villages of Lake George and Warrensburg, the hamlets of South Horicon and Pottersville and thence northerly in a generally straight line on the west side of Schroon Lake to the vicinity of the hamlet of Schroon, then continuing northerly to the vicinity of Schroon Falls, Schroon River and North Hudson, and to the east of Makomis Mountain, east of the hamlet of New Russia, east of the village of Elizabethtown and continuing northerly in the vicinity of the hamlet of Towers Forge, and east of Poke-O-Moonshine Mountain and continuing northerly to the vicinity of the village of Keeseville and the city of Plattsburgh, all of the aforesaid taking not to exceed a total of three hundred acres of state forest preserve land, nor from constructing and maintaining not more than twenty-five miles of ski trails thirty to two hundred feet wide, together with appurtenances thereto, provided that no more than five miles of such trails shall be in excess of one hundred twenty feet wide, on the north, east and northwest slopes of Whiteface Mountain in Essex county, nor from constructing and maintaining not more than twenty-five miles of ski trails thirty to two hundred feet wide, together with appurtenances thereto, provided that no more than two

miles of such trails shall be in excess of one hundred twenty feet wide, on the slopes of Belleayre Mountain in Ulster and Delaware counties and not more than forty miles of ski trails thirty to two hundred feet wide, together with appurtenances thereto, provided that no more than eight miles of such trails shall be in excess of one hundred twenty feet wide, on the slopes of Gore and Pete Gay mountains in Warren county, nor from relocating, reconstructing and maintaining a total of not more than fifty miles of existing state highways for the purpose of eliminating the hazards of dangerous curves and grades, provided a total of no more than four hundred acres of forest preserve land shall be used for such purpose and that no single relocated portion of any highway shall exceed one mile in length. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, the state may convey to the village of Saranac Lake ten acres of forest preserve land adjacent to the boundaries of such village for public use in providing for refuse disposal and in exchange therefore the village of Saranac Lake shall convey to the state thirty acres of certain true forest land owned by such village on Roaring Brook in the northern half of Lot 113, Township 11, Richards Survey. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions, the state may convey to the town of Arietta twenty-eight acres of forest preserve land within such town for public use in providing for the extension of the runway and landing strip of the Piseco airport and in exchange therefor the town of Arietta shall convey to the state thirty acres of certain land owned by such town in the town of Arietta. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions and subject to legislative approval of the tracts to be exchanged prior to the actual transfer of title, the state, in order to consolidate its land holdings for better management, may convey to International Paper Company approximately eight thousand five hundred acres of forest preserve land located in townships two and three of Totten and Crossfield Purchase and township nine of the Moose River Tract, Hamilton county, and in exchange therefore International Paper Company shall convey to the state for incorporation into the forest preserve approximately the same number of acres of land located within such townships and such County on condition that the legislature shall determine that the lands to be received by the state are at least equal in value to the lands to be conveyed by the state. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions and subject to legislative approval of the tracts to be exchanged prior to the actual