

Appendix D

Archaeology J Mather Farmstead Preservation



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November 16, 2009

Ann Cutignola
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Dear Ms Cutignola,

Re: SEQRA
Phase 1 & 2 Archaeological Report
Patrick Farms
Town of Ramapo, Rockland County, NY
08PR02295

Thank you for requesting the comments of the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP) with regard to the potential for this project to affect significant historical/cultural resources. OPRHP has reviewed the revised plans showing avoidance of the Mather Site at the Patrick Farms project. OPRHP concurs that if the project is redesigned as indicated on the plans provided to our office (Patrick Farm/Mather Homestead) on October 10, 2009, the project will have no adverse impact on archaeological resources. If the project is modified in the future in a way which may encroach upon the protected area, please contact our office to reassess impacts.

Please contact me at extension 3291, or by e-mail at douglas.mackey@oprhp.state.ny.us, if you have any questions regarding these comments.

Sincerely

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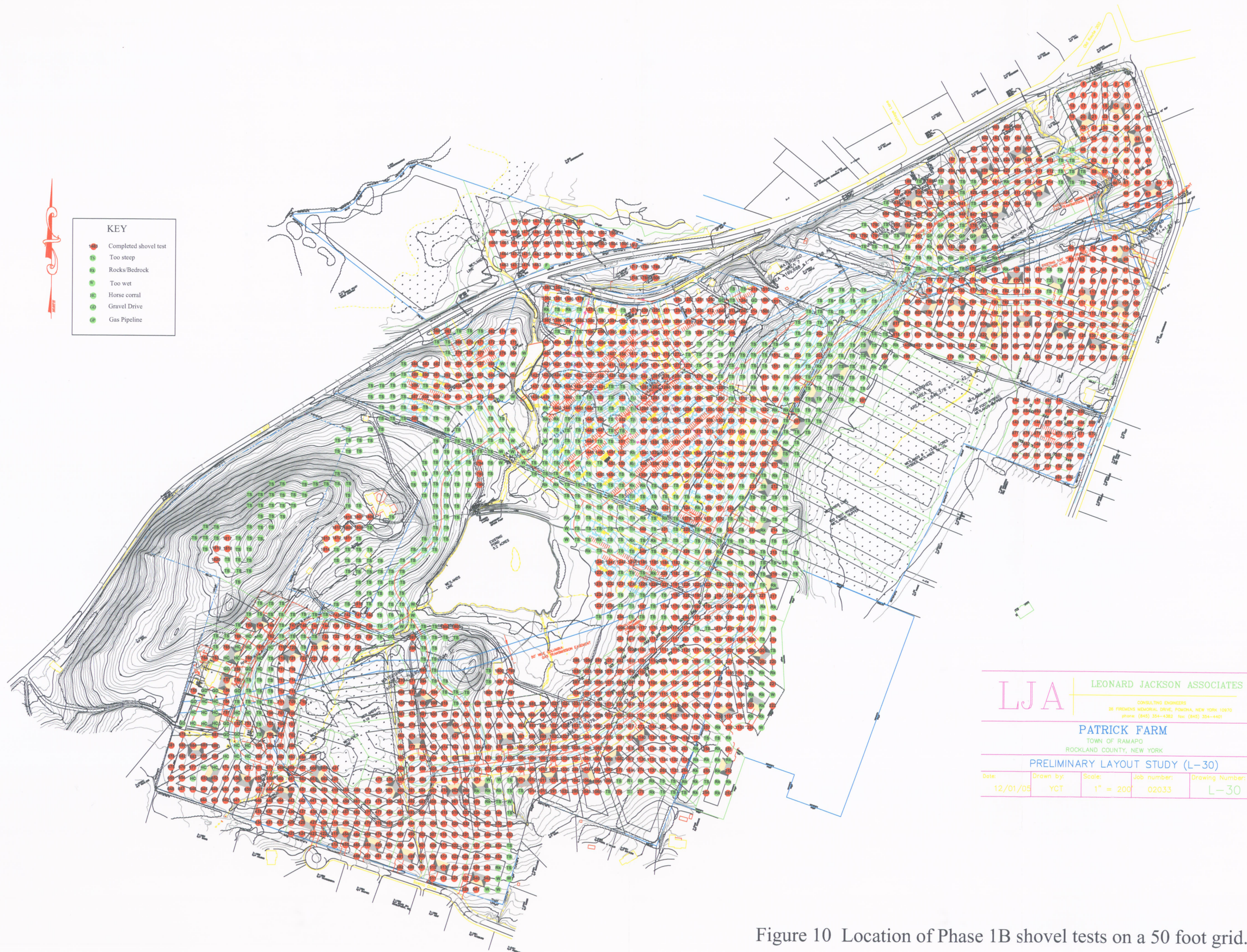


Figure 10 Location of Phase 1B shovel tests on a 50 foot grid.



Figure 16 Location of Phase 2 Shovel Testing, Historic Site 1.