

Granite State Landfill Update

Town of Dalton Select Board Meeting
Dalton, New Hampshire

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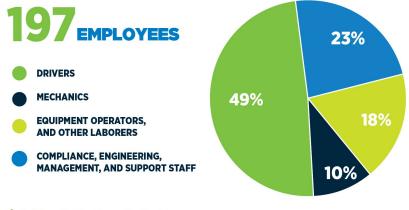


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GSL Project Background

- GSL will provide critical disposal capacity when the NCES Landfill in Bethlehem closes
- Proposed location in industrial area off NH Route 116
- 70-acre lined footprint
- 18 years of capacity
- Renewable energy projects
- Excellent road infrastructure in a remote, yet accessible location



Important GSL Updates

All permit applications for the project have been submitted:

NHDES Wetlands Standard Dredge & Fill Permit

US Army Corps of Engineers Wetlands Permit

NHDES Waste Management Division Standard Permit

NHDES 401 Water Quality Certification

NHDES Air Resources Permit

NHDES Groundwater Management Permit

NHDOT Driveway Permit

NHDES Shoreland Permit

Land agreement covers two lots of record which will encompass project infrastructure.
 No lot line adjustment or subdivision approval is required.



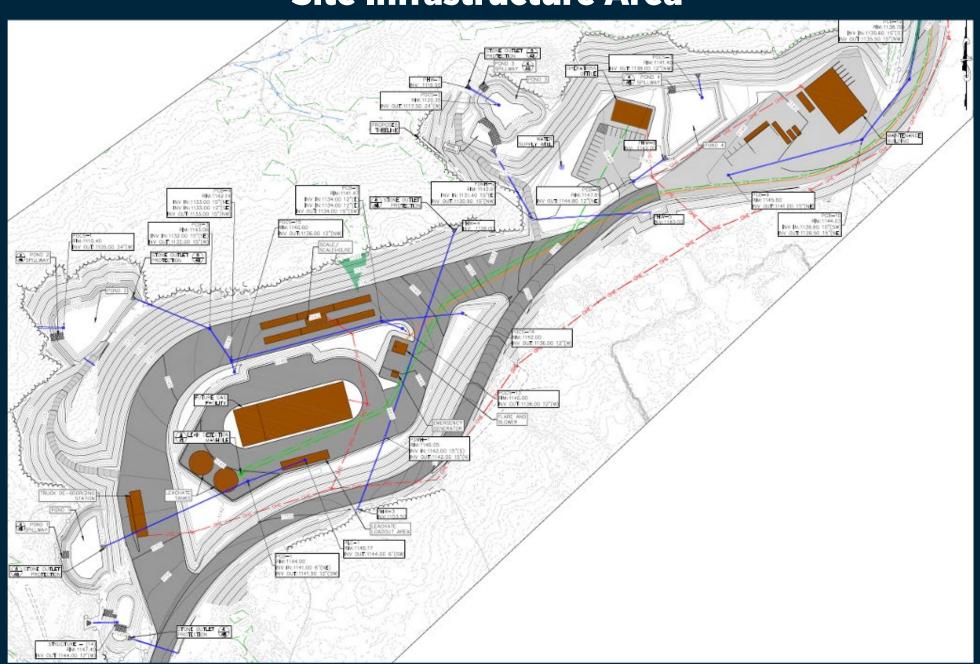
Overall Site Plan



Site Entrance Improvements



Site Infrastructure Area



Projected GSL Timeline

Public Hearings
Responding to Permit
Application Comments

2025
Permit Issuances

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2026
Landfill Construction
Commencement

Construction
Construction
Complete

Host Community Agreement Proposal

- Casella regularly enters into host community agreements with municipalities in which their facilities are located to provide financial benefits to residents of those municipalities.
- Although no agreement has been finalized or negotiated, GSL has offered the following benefits to the Town of Dalton:
 - Free curbside collection of municipal solid waste and comingled recyclables for all Town residents, non-industrial small businesses, and town-owned buildings, beginning when operations start. This represents a \$150,000 benefit in the first year of service alone.
 - > A property value protection plan to ensure that the owners of homes in the vicinity of the landfill do not lose value as a result of the presence of the facility.
 - > \$2 million per year in annual payments.



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- Free acceptance of up to 1,000 tons per year of municipal solid waste and construction and demolition debris from the Town transfer station, beginning when the host community agreement is signed. This is a total benefit of approximately \$65,000 in the first year of service.
- > Creation of a \$50,000 fund, replenished annually, for improvements to enhance the Town's aesthetics or promote the health, safety, and welfare of Town residents.
- In addition, GSL intends to compost leaf and yard waste on site and provide single stream recycling for Dalton residents and other local communities serviced by Casella and third parties.



Thank You!



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