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Mr. Lowell Braxton
Utah Department of Natural Resources
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Dear Mr. Braxton,

RE: MEETING SEPTEMBER 3, 1993

Thank you for the opportunity to meet last Friday regarding the Castle Valley Ridge permit hydrology issues. This letter is to confirm our understanding of the outcome of the meeting.

The main item of agreement was on monitoring the ground water level in the new lease UTU-64263. We agreed to drill and install a monitoring well at the location shown on the attached map labeled P93-01-WD. This well will take the place of the previously proposed well located approximately 800 feet to the north labeled Proposed Mon. Well No. 1 on the attached map.

Well P93-01-WD will be installed to help determine the ground water level in Lease UTU-64263. A comparison with the other wells labeled P92-01-WD, P92-02-WD, P92-04-WD and 92-10-1 as shown on the attached map will be made. If the water level confirms that the ground water level is below the Wattis Coal Seam and is in general agreement with the water level in the other monitoring wells mentioned, the Division will reconsider the adequacy of baseline data for Lease UTU-64263. We believe we can install the well and obtain the water level by mid to late October, and would petition the Division to expedite the reconsideration.

Additionally, it was agreed that well P93-01-WD does not need to be drilled through the Star Point Sandstone and have each unit of sandstone tested separately. The next well to the north (No. 2) may be used to test the three units of the Star Point Sandstone. A third monitoring well north of well site No. 2 was also discussed as a possibility in the future.

Thank you again for meeting with us and for your assistance in this matter.

If your understanding of the meeting was different than ours, please contact me or John Borla to clarify the differences.

Tom Monson: Are you comfortable? Please see me. Thanx
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Respectfully,

Ben Grimes
Environmental Coordinator

Attachment

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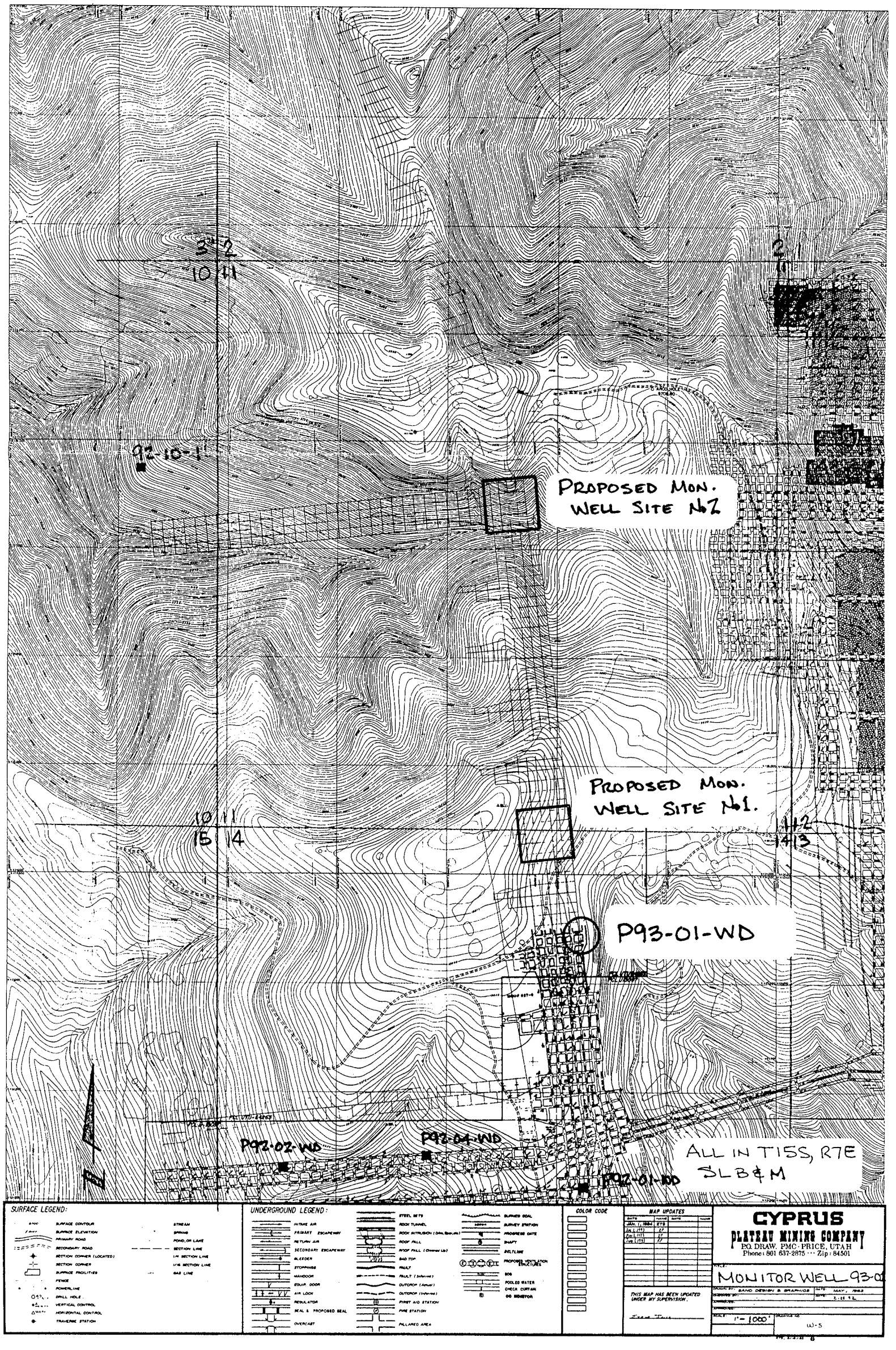
PROPOSED MON. WELL SITE No 2
PROPOSED MON. WELL SITE No 1.
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P92-02-WD
P92-04-WD
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ALL IN T15S, R7E SLB&M
SURFACE LEGEND:
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MAP UPDATES
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