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Restoration will be given detailed consideration in the Minerals Local Plan and initial proposals will be set out for comment at the next stage of consultation on the Minerals Local Plan in Autumn 2013.

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Transport is an important issue which needs further consideration.
Background documents will be developed to fully consider these issues.

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Flooding is an important issue which needs to be addressed in accordance with national and local policy. The Minerals Local Plan will take flooding into account when developing detailed policy proposals.

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Public rights of way and the potential impact of minerals working on other economic sectors will be considered in developing detailed policy proposals for the Minerals Local Plan.

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The Minerals Local Plan will encourage the development of the educational, scientific and social value of mineral workings where this is appropriate.

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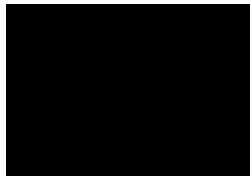
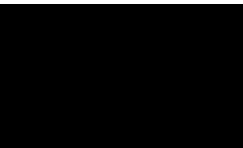
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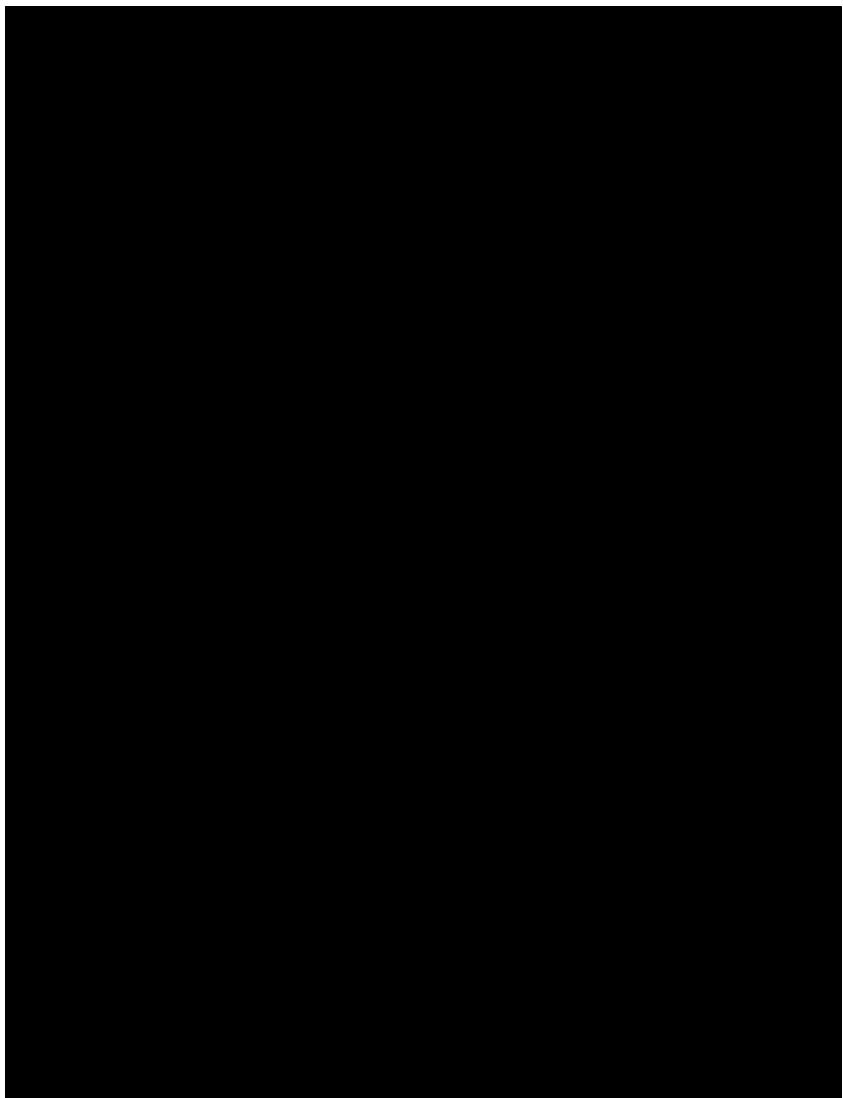
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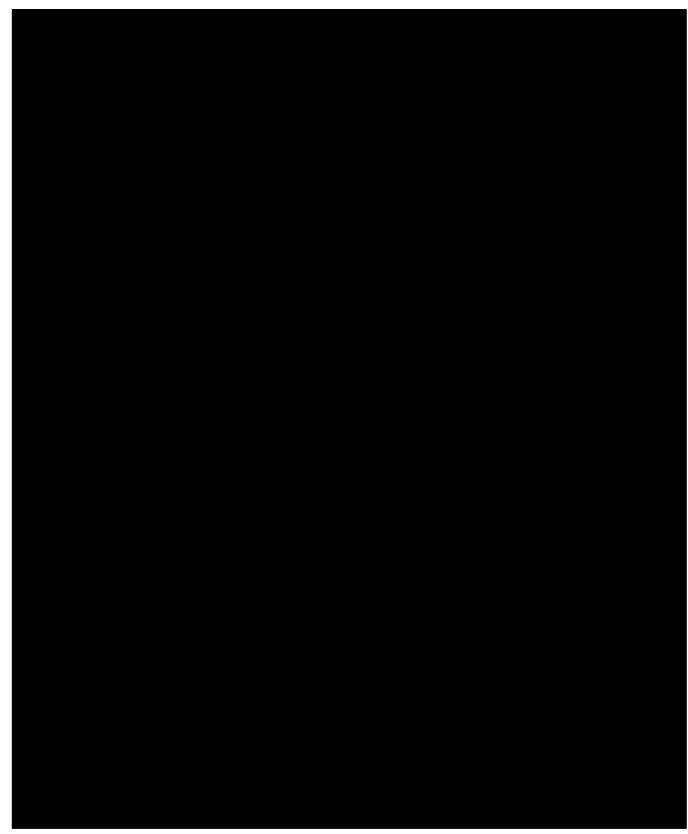
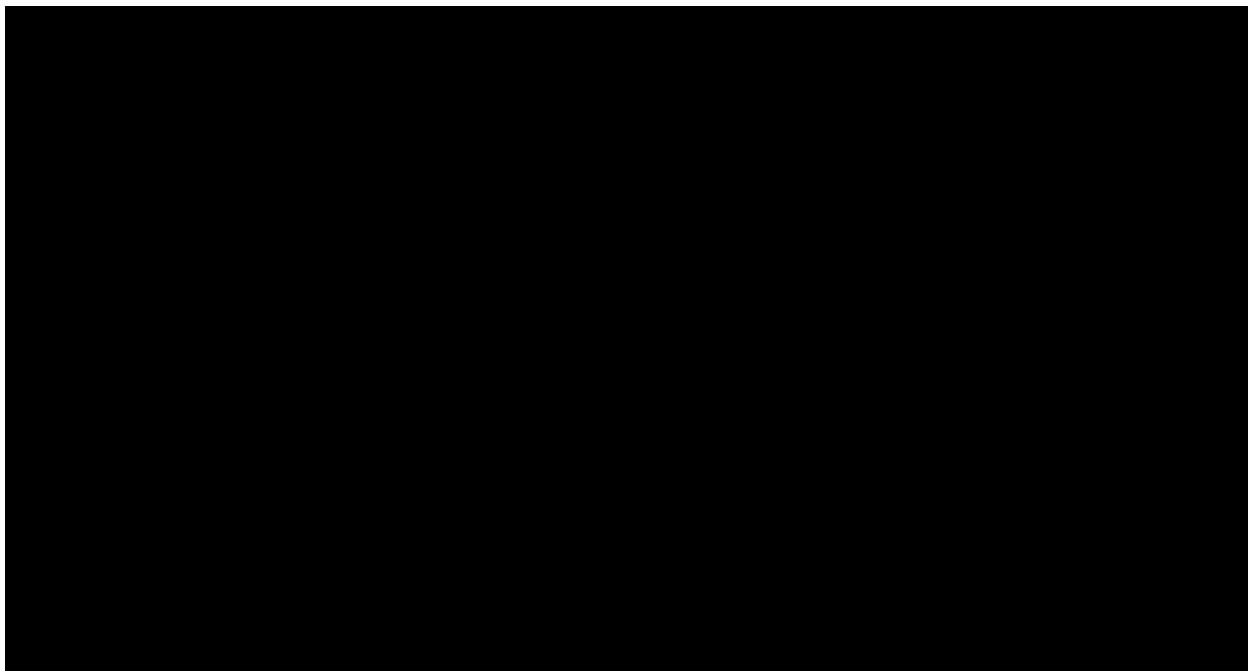
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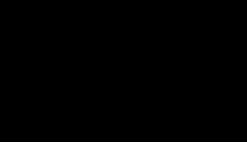


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