

MIDDLETON FARM, POTTERTON

THE PROPOSALS

PHASE 2



In Phase 2 the quarry excavation would be extended to its maximum area in the southern field. Progressive restoration would take place using soils stripped and directly placed into the Phase 1A and 1B extraction areas. Remaining soils stripped in this phase would be used to extend the screening bund around the extraction area. Operations in this phase would take place over approximately a 3 year period.

PHASE 3A



In Phase 3A work would begin in the eastern half of the northern field. The dry-stone walling which forms the boundary between the northern and southern fields would be lifted and stored for potential reuse in field boundary walls as part of final restoration. Soils and overburden from this area would be used to form a screening bund around the extraction area to restrict views from the road to the north and properties to the west. Progressive restoration of the Phase 1 and 2 extraction areas would continue in this phase. Phase 3A operations would occur take place over a period of approximately 1.5 years.

