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I am in support of the rezoning of the quarry to bring it into conformance. It is a viable business in the Town of Rutland and deserves to continue to exist. Those opposed to the quarry when they purchased land the quarry was there and operating so this is nothing new. The new expansion to the south actually improves the situation, moving the access to a safer location and taking the mining operation to the south away from the homes. I would not be surprised either if the home owners to the north that oppose this petition receiving a reduction in the purchase price of their homes because of the quarry operation. They are a good business in the township. This is the kind of issue that Wisconsin ACt 67 was created to address to provide a legal means for these businesses to continue to exist.

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