

		Formation/Unit		Primary Lithologies		Geologic Conditions	Unit Thickness	Occurrence in Site Area	
CENOZOIC	Quaternary	Holocene	Quaternary Marsh deposits		muck and peat; silt, sand and clay		aggradation of Delaware Bay estuary	variable thickness	present over most of the site area in low lying areas
		Pleistocene	~~~~~ unconformity ~~~~~						
			Delaware Bay Group	DELAWARE	NEW JERSEY				
	Scotts Corners Formation			Cape May Formation	estuarine terrace deposits with coarse to fine sand and pebbles with concentrations of heavy minerals; peat; isolated fluvial deposits?		transgressive and regressive cycles	variable thickness	outcrops in eastern and western portions of the site area
	~~~~~ unconformity ~~~~~								
	Lynch Heights Formation								
	~~~~~ unconformity ~~~~~								
	Tertiary	Upper Tertiary (Miocene)	Kirkwood Formation		clay silt and sand deposited in two or three marine cycles		polycyclic transgression and regression phases	90 feet at southern portions of site area; pinches out northward	subcrop only
			~~~~~ unconformity ~~~~~						
		Lower Tertiary	Shark River Formation		glauconitic sand and mudstone		low sediment input	70 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	subcrop only
			~~~~~ unconformity ~~~~~						
			Manasquan Formation		lower glauconitic member; upper clayey sand to silt member		low sediment input and bioturbation	40 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	subcrop only
			~~~~~ unconformity ~~~~~						
	Vincentown Formation		quartz sand to quartz-rich calcareous sand with bryozoans and foraminifera		low sediment input and extreme bioturbation	90 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	outcrops in NW site area		
	Hornerstown Formation		highly glauconitic sand with distinctive green color			30 feet (Reference 2.6-10)			
MESOZOIC	Cretaceous	Upper Cretaceous	Navesink		fossiliferous, clayey glauconitic sand		transgression to midshelf conditions	20 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	subcrop only
			Mount Laurel Formation		thinly bedded clays and sands with cross-bedding; thin pebbly sands		regressive pulse; low sediment input	100 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	subsurface only
			Wenonah Formation		clayey, silty, slightly glauconitic fine sand		transgression; low sediment input	20 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	
			Marshalltown Formation		intensely burrowed, very silty fine sand with glauconite		regressive pulse	25 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	
			Englishtown Formation		micaceous silt to very fine sand		transgression and establishment of widespread marine conditions; low sediment rates	120 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	
			Woodbury Formation		micaceous, chloritic, silty clay		transition to marine conditions	50 feet, pinches out north of site location (Reference 2.6-10)	
			Merchantville Formation		glauconitic sand to micaceous silty clay		regression and erosion		
			Magothy Formation		beach and estuarine deposits of cross-bedded sand, with clay and silt layers; some lignite				
		~~~~~ unconformity ~~~~~							
		Lower Cretaceous	Potomac Group (Formation)		white, gray and red interbedded silts, clays, and quartzose sand		aggrading alluvial plain; thermal subsidence	800 to 1650 feet (Reference 2.6-10)	subsurface only
~~~~~ pre-Cretaceous unconformity ~~~~~									
Triassic	Upper Triassic	<b>Basement Complex</b>							
		Triassic Basin?		Fanglomerates and lacustrine sediments; diabase volcanics					
PRECAMBRIAN? PALEOZOIC?	Proterozoic? Paleozoic?	NeoProterozoic to Silurian?	Carolina Superterrane?	Philadelphia Terrane?	meta mafic to felsic plutons and volcanics with sediments, and ultramafic components	aluminous to quartz-rich schist with interbedded amphibolites (Wissahickon Formation) with ultramafic components; Wilmington Complex felsic to mafic arc complex	Amalgamation of Pangea followed by rifting to form North America	undetermined	

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