

3.2.2 Open Pit Water Balance

The post-mining pit water level and water balance were simulated assuming the pit geometry and watershed shown on Figure 3.13. The area within the pit highwall is about 129 acres, and the total pit watershed area is about 314 acres.

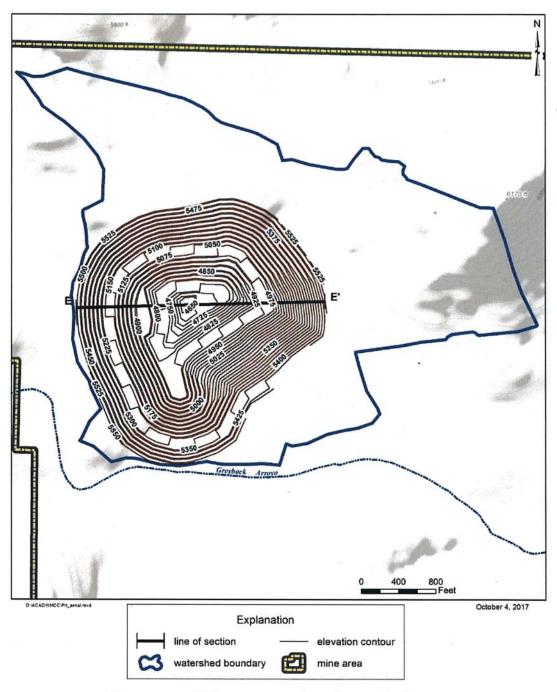


Figure 3.13. Ultimate open pit and watershed area.