Project Profile: HAND TUNNELING

MD Route 32 Bridge Replacement
Sykesville, MD

PROJECT OVERVIEW AND CHALLENGES

Bradshaw Construction hand mined a 66 inch liner plate tunnel and installed a 48 inch reinforced concrete storm drain under a CSX Railroad. The removal of boulders during shaft and tunnel excavation required extreme care so as not to cause settlement of the railroad.

PROJECT INFORMATION - 405

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COMPLETION DATE:
12/19/2003

GEOLOGY:
Silty Sand with Large Boulders

EXCAVATION METHOD:
Hand Mine

MINING DIMENSIONS:
60' x 66"Ø

FINAL LINING:
48" Reinforced Concrete Pipe

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