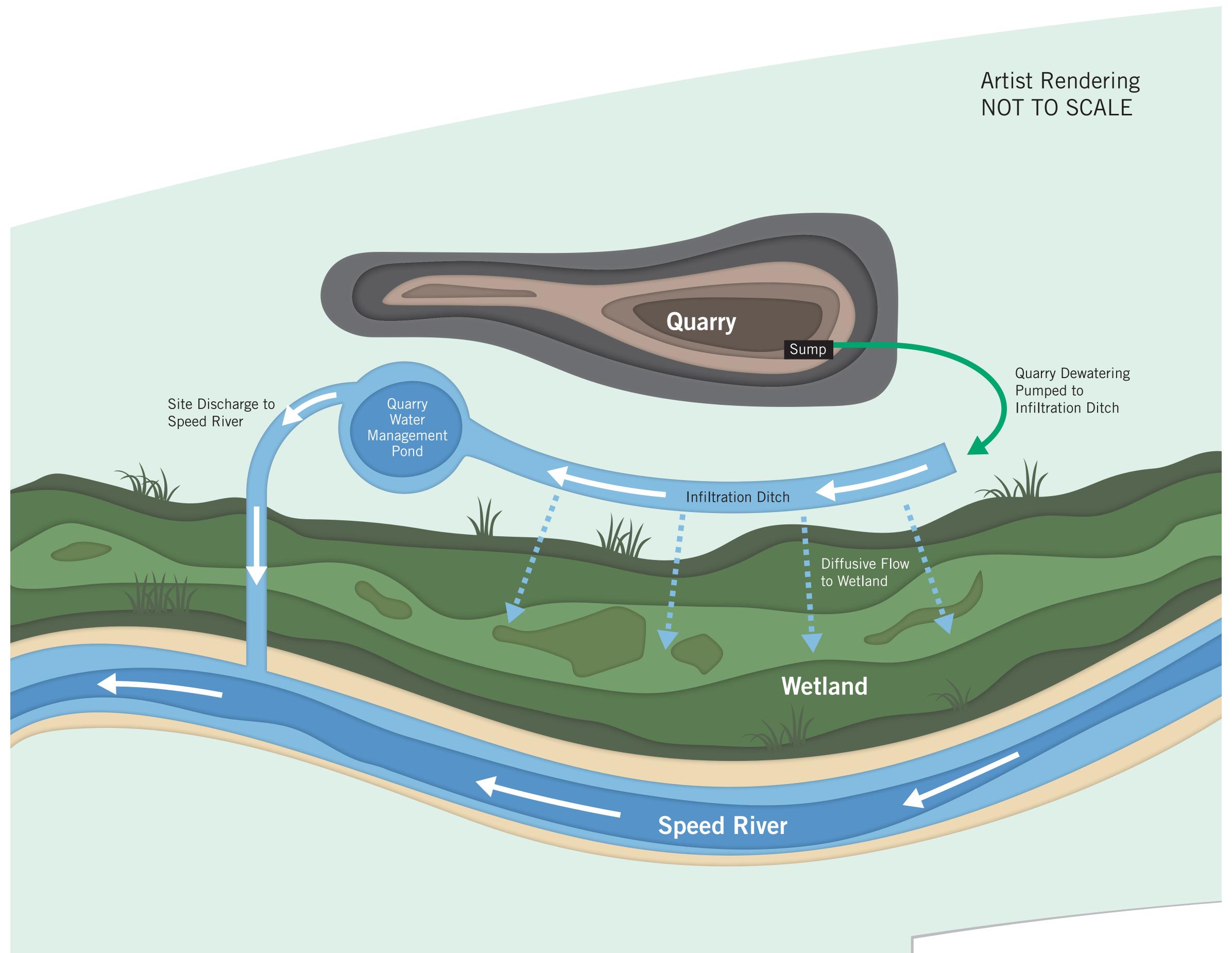
## Water Handling



Golder has completed a natural environment assessment for the Wellington site and surrounding lands. Lafarge understands the Speed River and the Speed River Wetland Complex located south of the site must be protected.

Lafarge is currently monitoring groundwater flow for these natural heritage features. Once the proposed quarrying begins, some water from these features will drain into the quarry. Lafarge will be discharging this water back to these features through an infiltration trench strategically designed to return water to the wetland and at an existing discharge point in the Speed River that is currently approved and used by Lafarge. The water will be discharged in a controlled manner and in accordance with MECP permits to ensure that water quality, water levels and base flow are maintained to protect the ecological functions and features of the wetland complex and Speed River.