Project Purpose and Need

Need:

- Implement measures to control loose rock and debris as it erodes from the rock cuts exposed in the late 1930s
- Rock faces have become unstable due to vegetation growth and the seasonal freeze/thaw cycles
- Rock and debris make their way downslope towards the Route 11/15 roadway and endanger the traveling public
- Rockfall is both a maintenance and safety concern

Purpose:

- Design a treatment that will prevent loose rock from falling from the various rock cut areas onto the roadway of Route 11/15
- Reducing the safety hazard