QUATERNARY GEOLOGY
WESTPORT, CONNECTICUT
LIST OF MAP UNITS

EXPLANATION

Postglacial Deposits (flood-plain alluvium and swamp deposits, but also including processes that are still active (or are manmade), have been grouped together as map, the Surficial Materials Map of Connecticut, emphasizes the surface and

Pleistocene, continental ice sheets swept across Connecticut from the north. Their

emplaced in high-energy settings at or near the ice front. Energy levels dropped off occupied the valleys and lowlands of Connecticut as the last ice sheet systematically

tills contain lenses of sorted sand and gravel and occasionally masses of laminated fine-

Inland Dune Deposits

Exploration of Map Symbols

DATA SOURCES

2000 County GIS data, Connecticut Department of Transportation, Hartford, 2001

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