

# Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project

## Year 4 Monitoring Report

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This Annual Report details the monitoring activities during the 2012 growing season (Monitoring Year 4) on the Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Site (“Site”). This Annual Monitoring Report presents data on stream geometry, stem count data from vegetation monitoring stations, and discusses any observed tendencies relating to stream stability and vegetation survival success. The Site is currently on track to meet the hydrologic, vegetative, and stream success criteria specified in the Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Plan.

The Blockhouse Creek Site (“Site”) was restored through a full delivery contract with the North Carolina Ecosystem Enhancement Program (NCEEP). Prior to restoration, stream and riparian functions on the Site were impaired as a result of historic agricultural land use practices as well as culvert installations that took place during the construction of the adjacent equestrian and nature center and Interstate 26. The streams on the Site were channelized and riparian vegetation cleared. Blockhouse Creek also exhibited instability as a result of improperly installed culverts. As-built surveys conducted in the Summer of 2008 indicate that 5,875 linear feet of stream were restored on Blockhouse Creek and two unnamed tributaries (UT1 and UT2), to Blockhouse Creek.

A total of ten vegetation monitoring plots that total 100 square meters (m<sup>2</sup>) (10m x 10m) in area were used to predict survival of the woody vegetation planted on-site. The Year 4 vegetation monitoring indicated an average survival of 639 stems per acre. The data shows that the Site has met the interim stem survival criteria for Year 3 (320 stems per acre) and that the project is well on track for meeting the final success criteria of 260 trees per acre by the end of Year 5.

Box culverts under I-26 were half filled with sand and small gravel after the project due to the small dam that was just downstream of the interstate and which was removed during this project. The Department of Transportation was not interested in cleaning out this sediment. A series of precipitation events in Monitoring Year 2, scoured these culverts clean. This initially resulted in minor aggradation in isolated reaches below Interstate 26 and UT2. Profile and cross-section surveys taken in Monitoring Year 4 indicate much of the stream dimension of Blockhouse Creek and its tributaries remain stable, including the mainstem downstream of the box culverts and most of this sediment is moving out of the project reach. The majority of in-stream structures also remained stable during Year 4. However, a series of precipitation events in April-May of 2012 resulted in minor bank failure of about 15 feet in length on a segment of Reach 4 of Blockhouse Creek that has been problematic in the past. Unbeknownst to Baker prior to the construction and monitoring phases, surface runoff concentrates in a relic swale near the project. The surface runoff captured by the swale goes subsurface, draining to Blockhouse Creek as seepage from the bank. Soil saturation at this location continues to play a role in bank erosion and seepage has been observed entering Blockhouse Creek from the bank during multiple site visits. This bank was repaired in the spring of 2012; however, flooding the next week destroyed this repair. This will be repaired again and bank repair work will consist of re-installing a rootwad, installing a drain pipe, conducting minor re-grading, re-seeding, matting and livestaking the area of bank failure.

Neither tributary to Blockhouse Creek within the project area (UT1 and UT2) exhibited any significant profile changes and both remain stable. Cross-section 14 on UT2 was impacted by localized aggradation resulting from a fallen tree in 2009. Bank and channel dimensions have since reverted back to a dimension and profile more similar to the as-built condition as observed in the profiles and cross-sections provided in Appendix B. Compared with the as-built survey, UT2 continues to show signs of downcutting and adjustment, most notably within the first 175 LF of the project reach and between stations 2+46 and 3+36. As stated previously, it is likely that the “adjustment is attributable to the small tributary experiencing flow sufficient to flush the tributary of excess siltation present at the time of the as-built survey. This does not indicate that the channel is degrading, rather it is becoming more stable and developing more diverse habitat. The channel slope on UT2 was designed to be gradual in the vicinity of the wetland as compared to other sections of UT2 to avoid impacts to the hydrology of the site. As a consequence, there is little change in the profile in the vicinity of the wetland when compared to the As-built survey. Visual observations and cross-



sections confirm channel overflow in areas, although a reading was not obtained from the crest gauge on UT2 due to ant colonization in the gauge. Based on the stability of the channels, no maintenance or repair work of the channel profile for either tributary is required.

Other crest gauges on-site recorded at least one bankfull flow event across the project area sometime in May 2012. Visual observations and a floodplain with levy deposition demonstrate floodplain activation that was recorded by the crest gauges located on the main-stem; no crest gauge is located on UT1. The site will continue to be periodically monitored for the occurrence of bankfull events which will be recorded with others in the final monitoring report.

Table A1 (Appendix A) summarizes the project mitigation components. The stream mitigation units developed on the project exceed the number of units that Baker contracted with the North Carolina Ecosystem Enhancement Program (NCEEP) to provide. The monitoring plan and Year 4 monitoring data are discussed in Sections 2.1 through 2.5 of this report. The 2012 stream cross section data, longitudinal profile data and vegetation monitoring data presented in this Report were collected between April and July of 2012.

## 1.0 PROJECT BACKGROUND

The Blockhouse Creek mitigation project involved restoration, enhancement or preservation of 6,305 linear feet (LF) on four on-site streams: Blockhouse Creek and three smaller unnamed tributaries (UTs) identified in the project as UT1, UT2, and UT3. Blockhouse Creek is a “blue-line” stream, as shown on the USGS topographic quadrangle for the site, and is considered to be perennial based on field evaluations using NCDWQ stream assessment protocols. The three tributaries were all identified as perennial during initial project scoping, although UT2 and UT3 have little or no flow during extremely dry conditions. A total of 8.6 acres of stream and riparian buffer are protected through a conservation easement.

### 1.1 Project Goals and Objectives

The goals for the mitigation project are as follows:

- Create geomorphically stable conditions on Blockhouse Creek and its tributaries.
- Restore hydrologic connections between creek and floodplain.
- Improve the water quality of Blockhouse Creek and its tributaries.
- Improve aquatic and terrestrial habitat along the project corridor.

To achieve these goals, design objectives of the project included:

- Restoration or enhancement of channel dimension, pattern and profile;
- Improvements to water quality in the Blockhouse Creek watershed through nutrient removal, sediment removal, improved recreational opportunities, streambank stability, and erosion control;
- Improved water quantity/flood attenuation through water storage and flood control, reduction in downstream flooding due to the reconnection of stream and floodplain, improved ground water recharge, and improved and restored hydrologic connections; and
- Enhancement of aquatic and terrestrial habitats through improved substrate and instream cover, addition of woody debris, reduction in water temperature due to shading, restoration of terrestrial habitat, increase of spatial extent of natural area, and improved aesthetics.

### 1.2 Project Structure

Table 1 (Appendix A) summarizes project data for each reach and restoration approaches used. Restoration of site hydrology involved the restoration of natural stream functions to impaired reaches on the site. The streams in their pre-project condition were channelized and, as a result, were highly incised. Because of the extent of the incision, a Rosgen Priority I restoration, which would connect the stream to the abandoned floodplain (terrace), would not have been feasible without extending the project reach several thousand feet upstream and significantly altering the channel profile. However, there was sufficient space in areas within the project boundaries to implement a Rosgen Priority II restoration by excavating the floodplain and creating a new meandering channel. With the exception of a small section of UT2, the restored streams were designed as Rosgen “E” channels with design dimensions based on those of reference parameters. The upper project reach on UT2 was designed as an “E” channel while the lower section of the project reach (approximately 200 feet) was designed as a “B” channel. The preserved reach on UT3 was determined to be a “B” channel that transitions to an “E” channel.

The design for restored sections of the streams involved the construction of new, meandering channels across excavated floodplains. This new channel system was constructed through grassed fields or through wooded sections with minimal impact to trees. The streams through the site were restored to a stable dimension, pattern, and profile. Total stream length across the project was increased from approximately 6,191 LF to 6,305 LF. The design allows stream flows larger than bankfull flows to spread onto the floodplain, dissipating flow energies and reducing streambank stress. Instream structures were used to control streambed grade, reduce streambank stress, and promote bedform sequences and habitat diversity. Rootwad and log vane structures protect streambanks and promote habitat diversity in pool sections. Constructed riffles were used to promote both hydraulic and habitat heterogeneity to the channel. Where grade control was a design consideration, constructed riffles and structures were installed to provide long-term stability. Streambanks were stabilized using a combination of erosion control matting, bare-root planting, transplants, and geolifts. Transplants provided immediate living root mass to increase streambank stability and create shaded holding areas for fish and other aquatic biota. Native vegetation was planted across the site, and the entire mitigation site is protected through a permanent conservation easement.

### **1.3 Project Location**

The Blockhouse Creek mitigation site is located on the Foothills Equestrian Nature Center (FENCE) property approximately three miles east of Tryon, in Polk County, North Carolina. From Asheville take I-26 South to South Carolina Exit #1 and turn right toward Landrum, S.C. Go 1.5 miles, and turn right onto Bomar Road (look for the Land Mart on the corner). Go one short block and turn right onto Prince Road. After 1.7 miles, turn left onto Hunting Country Road, just before the I-26 bridge. Go .5 mile to the FENCE entrance on the left or another .1 miles (going under I-26) to the second entrance on the right. The Blockhouse Creek site starts near the horse stables accessed through the first entrance and below the first culvert under the steeplechase course. Figure 1.1 (Appendix A) illustrates the physical location of the project site.

### **1.4 History and Background**

The Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Site is located within the Foothills Equestrian Nature Center (FENCE), approximately three miles east of Tryon, in Polk County, North Carolina. The project site is situated in the Broad River Basin, within North Carolina Division of Water Quality (NCDWQ) sub-basin 03-08-06 and United States Geologic Survey (USGS) hydrologic unit 03050105150020.

Since the late 1980s, the project area has been used as an equestrian/recreational complex. Surrounding lands are currently used for pasture land, hay production and residential use. Prior to the establishment of an equestrian and nature center, the FENCE property was used for agriculture activities and timber production. At that time, riparian buffers were removed and streams were channelized which was a common practice. There is also evidence on some tributaries of ephemeral gullies which most likely resulted from clear cutting. More recent development in the watershed has resulted in additional changes to Blockhouse Creek and its tributaries. Construction of the equestrian facility, nature trails and Interstate 26 required the installation of bridged and culverted stream crossings that have been detrimental to stream stability. These structures have also impacted the flow pattern and velocity of the project streams, resulting in changes to the cross-sectional area, and often facilitating the deepening of the channel. This deepening of the channel resulted in the streams becoming incised and losing their connection to the adjacent floodplain.

In accordance with the approved mitigation plan for the site, construction activities began in January 2008. Project activity on Blockhouse Creek and UT1 and UT2 consisted of making adjustments to channel dimension, pattern, and profile. A primary design consideration for this project was to allow stream flows larger than bankfull to spread onto a floodplain, dissipating flow energies and reducing streambank stress. The design for most of the restoration reaches involved a priority II approach with the construction of new, meandering channels across a floodplain that was excavated to the bankfull elevation of the creek. The lower part of reach 4 was not incised and did not require this approach. Along this section the overly sinuous

channel was realigned in a more stable pattern at the existing elevation. Total stream length across the project increased from approximately 6,191 LF to 6,305 LF.

Rootwads, rock and log vanes and other structures were used to protect streambanks and promote habitat diversity in pool sections. Streambanks were stabilized using a combination of erosion control matting, bare-root planting, transplants, and geolifts. Transplants provided living root mass quickly to increase streambank stability and to create shaded holding areas for fish and aquatic biota. Native vegetation was planted across the site, and the entire mitigation site is protected through a permanent conservation easement.

The chronology of the Blockhouse Creek mitigation project is presented in Table 2 (Appendix A). The contact information for designers, contractors and plant material suppliers is presented in Table 3 (Appendix A). Relevant project background information is presented in Table 4 (Appendix A). The total stream length on restoration and enhancement reaches, surveyed during Year 4 monitoring was 5,875 LF.

## **2.0 YEAR 4 PROJECT CONDITION AND MONITORING RESULTS**

### **2.1 Monitoring Plan View**

The five-year monitoring plan for the Blockhouse Creek Site includes criteria to evaluate the success of the geomorphic and vegetative components of the project. The monitoring plan view for Blockhouse Creek and its tributaries is attached to this report. The plan view provides a layout of channel pattern as well as the location of structures designed to aid in dimension and profile stability. Other features shown on the plan view include the location of crest gauges, vegetation monitoring plots, cross-sections, reference photo stations, and the location of maintenance and repair work completed. Figure 2 (Appendix B) depicts the project streams, easement boundaries and monitoring reference data.

### **2.2 Stream Assessment**

#### **2.2.1 Description of Geomorphic Monitoring**

Geomorphic monitoring of restored stream reaches is being conducted over a five year period to evaluate the effectiveness of the restoration approach used. Monitored stream parameters include channel dimension (cross-sections), profile (longitudinal survey), bed composition, bank stability, bankfull flows and stability of reference sites documented by photographs. Crest gauges, as well as high flow marks, will be used to document the occurrence of bankfull events. The methods used and any related success criteria are described below for each parameter.

#### **2.2.2 Morphometric Success Criteria**

##### **2.2.2.1 Cross-Sections**

Sixteen permanent cross-sections selected for monitoring were located in representative riffle and pool reaches on Blockhouse Creek, UT1 and UT2. Each cross-section was marked on both banks with permanent pins to establish the exact transect used. A common benchmark is used for cross-sections and consistently referenced to facilitate comparison of year-to-year data. The cross-sectional surveys includes points measured at all breaks in slope, including top of bank, bankfull, inner berm, edge of water, and thalweg, if the features are present. Riffle cross-sections are classified using the Rosgen Stream Classification System.

There should be little change in the cross-sections between years. If changes do take place, they will be evaluated to determine if they represent a movement toward an unstable condition (e.g.,

down-cutting or erosion) or a movement toward increased stability (e.g., settling, vegetative changes, deposition along the banks, or decrease in width/depth ratio).

### **2.2.2.2 Longitudinal Profile**

After construction, a longitudinal profile was completed for the restored streams to provide a baseline for evaluating changes in channel bed condition over time. Longitudinal profiles will be replicated annually during the five year monitoring period. A longitudinal profile was conducted for the entire project length of UT1 and UT2. An additional 3,396 linear feet of stream channel was surveyed on Blockhouse Creek, including the upper 1,500 feet above I-26 and the entire length below I-26.

Measurements taken during longitudinal profiles include thalweg, water surface, inner berm, bankfull, and top of low bank, if the features were present. Each of these measurements was taken at the head of each feature (e.g., riffle, or pool) and the maximum pool depth. Elevations of grade control structures will also be included in longitudinal profiles surveyed. All surveys were tied to a permanent benchmark of known elevation. Cross-section and longitudinal profile data are provided in Appendix B.

The longitudinal profiles should show that the bed features are remaining stable and are not aggrading or degrading. The pools should remain deep with flat water surface slopes, and the riffles should remain steeper and shallower than the pools. Bed form observations should be consistent with those observed for channels of the stream type that the design was based on.

### **2.2.2.3 Bed Material Analyses**

Bed material analyses will include pebble counts taken during each geomorphic survey. Pebble counts will provide data on the particle size distribution of the stream bed. These samples may reveal changes in sediment gradation that can occur over time as the stream adjusts to the constructed channel and to its sediment load. Significant changes in the particle size distribution will be evaluated with respect to stream stability and watershed changes.

## **2.2.3 Morphometric Results**

### **2.2.3.1 Cross-Sections**

As-built cross-section monitoring data for stream stability was collected during May and June 2008. The sixteen permanent cross-sections along the restored channels were re-surveyed to document stream dimension for Monitoring Year 4. Cross-sectional data is presented in Appendix B and the location of cross-sections is shown on the plan sheets submitted with this report.

As noted in the vegetation monitoring section, the Blockhouse Creek mitigation site experienced drought conditions for several years leading up to the construction of the project. However, the years since restoration and enhancement measures were installed have proven wetter; some cross-section and profile data collected reflect bank overflow conditions. Examples would be the development of a low “inner berm” feature as well as deposition on point bars and on the outside bank of meander bends.

#### Blockhouse Creek

The cross-sections show that there has been little to no adjustment to stream dimension since construction. Cross-sections 1, 3, and 8 on Blockhouse Creek and Cross-sections 10-12 and 14 and 16 on UT1 and UT2 respectively, exhibited slight signs of aggradation or adjustment of channel dimension via deposition from upstream sources, but are otherwise stable. In many cases, riffles have narrowed while pools have widened or experienced minor filling. Narrowing

riffles were usually associated with vegetation growth on captured sediment. In addition to the cross-sections noted, changes at Cross-section 5 between the As-built Monitoring Year and subsequent Monitoring Years is attributable to the fact that the cross-section pin was disturbed and had to be relocated. Since Year 1 Monitoring, Cross-section 5 data show that little change has occurred at this location, which would be expected given the stability of the channel and vegetated buffer conditions present at this location on Blockhouse Creek.

Cross-section 1 is located in a riffle in Blockhouse Reach 1 that has consistently narrowed over time due to bank deposition and the establishment of herbaceous vegetation and live stakes. Many of the riffle cross sections across the project area exhibit this trend. Although not all riffles have narrowed, and some have in fact widened, all riffles surveyed appear to be stable. Cross-sections 3 and 8 were surveyed at pools that were filled in as a result of bank failure (the right bank at Cross-section 3 appears largely stable). Both pools should continue to improve; Cross-section 8 already appears to be trending toward as-built dimensions with differences primarily due to deposition on the point bar. Besides the widening of the pool at Cross-section 8, no major cross-sectional changes were observed on the mainstem between Monitoring Years 3 and 4.

#### UT1

All cross-sections (10-12) on UT1 exhibit more narrow bankfull widths and deposition along one or both banks as a result of the bankfull events that occurred on-site since the completion of Year 1 monitoring. Although the pool at Cross-section 12 has filled in slightly over time, it still provides suitable habitat and the banks at this cross-section remain stable. No significant changes in cross-section dimension were observed between Years 3 and 4.

#### UT2

Sometime between the as-built survey and Year 2 monitoring, a tree came down at Cross-section 14 on UT2, contributing to local aggradation along this subreach of UT2. The tree was removed during Year 2 monitoring and the aggraded material was transported downstream on high flows, returning the channel to dimensions that are similar to the As-built condition. The last cross-section on UT2, Cross-section 16, shows deposition on the inside of a meander as a result of bankfull conditions experienced at the Site over the course of the monitoring period. This has developed a nice, vegetated point bar on this meander. Cross-sections surveyed during Year 4 monitoring did not indicate any notable changes in dimension compared to Year 3 monitoring conditions and appeared to be stable due to properly constructed dimensions, in-stream structures, adequate bank sloping and developing vegetation.

### **2.2.3.2 Longitudinal Profile**

Longitudinal profiles for Year 4 were surveyed during spring and summer 2012 and are compared to the data collected during previous monitoring years. Tops of bank shots as well as water surface data shown on the profile are from the most recent monitoring year. Profiles of the various project reaches are presented in Appendix B.

#### Blockhouse Creek

The longitudinal profile for Blockhouse Creek upstream of Interstate 26 has remained stable over a large percentage of Reaches 1-3 and has not changed significantly since the as-built survey was completed in 2008. The pool at the beginning of the project reach remains similar to conditions observed during Year 3 and a pool that was observed in Years 2 and 3 near Station 5+65 was not present during Year 4 monitoring. The pool that re-appeared near Station 6+00 in Year 3 (previously observed during the As-Built Survey), was still present during Year 4. These changes reflect sediment moving through the site from upstream. The longitudinal profile for Reach 2 of Blockhouse Creek reflects the presence of a sandbag weir at station 14+45 which has backed up



water within the channel. This was done by the landowner in order to pump water from the creek to wet down equestrian riding rings. No repair work has been performed on Blockhouse Creek Reaches 1-3 since Year 2. Although beaver activity was observed, the longitudinal profile appeared stable and no additional repairs are needed in Blockhouse Reaches 1-3 at this time. Staff at FENCE usually pull out beaver dams when they find them.

As has been the case since Monitoring Year 1, Reach 4 of Blockhouse Creek, located immediately downstream of Interstate 26, has continued to exhibit areas of slight aggradation. The most notable source of aggraded material is a triple box-culvert located under I-26 that was partially plugged (two of the three culverts were more than 40% filled at their lower ends) with sediment during Year 1 monitoring. Flooding that occurred after Year 1 monitoring cleared the sediments that were previously plugging the culverts, moving all of this material into Reach 4. Several isolated meanders have been repaired in Reach 4 since monitoring commenced. However, Blockhouse Creek appears capable of transporting the aggraded material and other particles downstream and the amount of aggraded material present within Reach 4 is not of sufficient volume to significantly diminish the hydraulic properties and habitat diversity of the stream. The stability of riffle-pool sequences and a trend toward deepening pools in Reach 4 provides some evidence that adequate sediment transport is taking place. The only area of considerable bank instability noted during Year 4 occurred in Reach 4 at Station 44+25 where bank seepage is a problem. Section 2.2.6 describes the problem area as well as repair work prescribed for the bank.

#### Unnamed Tributaries

Although wrack lines and bank deposition indicate UT1 experienced bankfull flows since Year 1, the tributary does not appear to have undergone any considerable profile changes and is stable. Unnamed Tributary 2 did not contain flow during the As-built survey; since that time, it has exhibited bold flow. During the time of Year 4 monitoring in April 2012, the entire project reach contained flow. Compared with the as-built survey, UT2 appears to have degraded slightly above and below a wetland complex adjacent to the project area. Upstream of the wetland area, this was observed from Stations 0+00 to 1+54 and 2+46 to 3+36 during Year 4 monitoring. It is likely that the “downcutting” is attributable to the small tributary experiencing flow sufficient to flush the tributary of excess fine bed material. Further evidence of this is the presence of more defined riffles and pools in these areas. The development of more distinct pools was particularly notable in Year 4 as compared to previous monitoring years. Visual observations and cross-sections confirm channel overflow in areas. The channel slope on UT2 was designed to be gradual in the vicinity of the wetland as compared to other sections of UT2 to avoid impacts to the hydrology of the site. As a consequence, there is little change in the profile in this area when compared to the As-built survey. With the exception of the deepening of pools on UT2, there was little change observed in the profile of UT2, which appears to be stable given the sand bed-like characteristics of much of the channel.

#### **2.2.3.3 Bed Material Analyses**

Pebble count data collected in several project reaches indicate Blockhouse Creek and its tributaries continue to transport particles roughly the same size or larger as those found during as-built surveys (Exhibits 3-5, Appendix B). A pebble count was not performed on UT2 due to the dominance of silt and sand as the bed material in this channel. Visual observation of Blockhouse Creek and its tributaries and a review of pebble count data collected did not yield any signs that sediment transport functions have been impaired by the mitigation project. Although Year 4 data did not indicate a overall continuing of the trend for coarsening of the channel beds on Blockhouse Creek and UT1, the data shows that the channel substrate is not becoming embedded with fines. The channel substrate on the mainstem and UT1 remains coarser in Year 4 as

compared to the onset of the monitoring period. The bed may have coarsened as much as possible given the composition of the available bed material.

#### **2.2.4 Hydrologic Criteria**

The occurrence of bankfull events within the monitoring period has been documented by the use of crest gauges and photographs of high flow lines. Three crest gauges were installed on the floodplain within 10 feet of the restored channels and with the bottom of the gage at approximately the bankfull elevation. One crest gauge was placed on UT 2, while 2 gauges were set up on Blockhouse Creek (upstream and downstream of I-26). The first gauge on the main channel was set up on the right bank below the confluence of UT 1 and Blockhouse Creek. The second crest gauge was set up, at the downstream end of the project, just upstream of the confluence of UT3 and Blockhouse Creek on the right bank. The crest gauge on UT2 was placed above the vehicle crossing at the lower end of the tributary. The crest gauges will record the highest watermark between site visits and will be checked at each site visit to determine if a bankfull event has occurred. Photographs will be used to document the occurrence of debris lines and sediment deposition on the floodplain during site visits.

Two bankfull flow events must be documented within the 5-year monitoring period. The two bankfull events must occur in separate years; otherwise, the stream monitoring may have to be continued until two bankfull events have been documented in separate years. Table 4 (Appendix B) provides information on the approximate height of the flow events as recorded on dowel rods within each crest gauge over the course of the entire monitoring period to date. The bottom of the crest gauge is approximately at the bankfull elevation, so flows at bankfull may not register. However, the crest gauges are functioning as needed; it has been determined that lowering the crest gauges to better detect flows at bankfull is not necessary.

#### **2.2.5 Hydrologic Monitoring Results**

One greater-than bankfull event was recorded at the time the site was evaluated for the Year 4 monitoring period. Based on water staining on the dowel rods on the mainstem, the project site experienced over bank flows in May 2012. The crest gauge recorded Blockhouse Creek to be nearly 5-inches over its bankfull elevation in Reach 2 and 14-inches over its bankfull elevation near the end of the project area. Although the crest gauge on UT2 likely recorded the same event, it was not checked due to an infestation of ants in the gauge itself at the time the gauges were being checked.

#### **2.2.6 Stream Problem Areas**

A few areas of concern had been noted in the past at the project site, some of which are not related to a specific point on the channel. Overland flow that the site experiences above Interstate 26 continues to be somewhat of a concern. Due to the buildings on this site and the high compaction of the soil from heavy use by horse show participants, the runoff from the land adjoining the stream is high. This has not affected the channel proper but continues to be a source of some minor rutting along terrace slopes leading down to the floodplain. In October 2008, Baker and FENCE submitted a grant application to the N.C. Clean Water Management Trust Fund for a project that would address this issue, but the grant was not funded. Although the threat overland flow poses to stream quality will be mitigated as the riparian buffer matures, the implementation of additional measures may reduce the rate and intensity of stormwater runoff and provide benefits to FENCE and this stream.

The second concern previously noted was that two of the three box culverts under Interstate 26 were about 40% full of sediments. As noted in the As-built Report, during high flow events this sand mobilizes into the channel downstream of the interstate. This has caused some pools to fill with aggraded material, causing a loss of pool size and depth. The flooding experienced during the winter of

2009-2010 was of sufficient flow and intensity to clean these culverts out. Some of the minor aggradation present at the time of the Year 4 monitoring survey is likely a result of this release.

A small sandbag weir located at Station 14+31, as well as the periodic building of beaver dams has resulted in an alteration of riffle-pool dimensions and sequencing in Reaches 1 and 2 of Blockhouse Creek. While no structures have been adversely impacted by these dams, much of Reach 2 is now a pool. If a breach were to occur, it is possible that high flow could damage some of the woody vegetation present on both downstream banks. Although the sandbag weir is located within an easement break, Baker has been in communication with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers regarding the weir. We have submitted a letter to the Director of FENCE requesting that the weir be removed and will continue to monitor the situation. It is possible that we will need to modify a cross-vane just above this location to provide greater convergence and greater pool scour. This will provide the depth needed for the landowner to do their temporary irrigation pumping during horse shows. Groundskeepers at FENCE have assisted Baker with the removal of beaver dams as they have occurred.

Table 1 in Appendix B notes the only specific site of streambank instability for Year 4 monitoring. Seepage observed coming from the bank is a likely culprit in the instability of this particular site on the project reach. Repairs were completed near the end of the Year 3 monitoring period. Unfortunately, a flood occurred the next week before the site could settle and vegetation begin to grow and destroyed the repair work. We are planning to repair this site again as soon as materials are available. Due to the high flows that hit this bank we plan to add more rootwads downstream of the existing revetment. This repair approach and reinstalling a small pipe to drain an area that retains water and seeps through the bank at this site should fix this problem.

Based on the data collected, riffles, pools and other constructed features along the restored channel are stable and are functioning as designed. Structures installed to enhance pool habitat are stable and functioning. However, the full functioning of some structures is being impaired by slight aggradation, particularly downstream of the box culvert under Interstate 26 and areas of UT2 where channel slope modification was limited due to the presence of a nearby wetland. Precipitation events sufficient to transport aggraded materials through the project area appear to be improving pool features that have been impacted by the flushing of sediments from the box culverts. As noted earlier, pool features on UT2 have also greatly improved since the time of construction. Beyond the issues noted above, no structural areas of concern were identified during the fourth year following completion of the project. All identified concerns have been addressed at this point. Overall, the site is on track to achieve the success criteria specified in the Site Mitigation Plan.

### **2.2.7 Stream Photographs**

Photographs are used to document restoration success qualitatively. Reference stations were photographed during the as-built survey and will be monitored for five years following construction. Reference photos are taken once a year, from a height of approximately five to six feet. Permanent markers installed will ensure that the same locations (and view directions) are utilized during each monitoring period. Reference photographs of the project streams are shown in Appendix B.

#### **2.2.7.1 Lateral Reference Photos**

Reference photo transects were taken of the right and left banks at each permanent cross-section. For each stream bank photograph, a survey tape was centered in the frame which represents the cross-section line located perpendicular to the channel flow. The water line was located in the lower edge of the frame in order to document bank and riparian conditions. Photographers will make an effort to consistently maintain the same area in each photo over time.

### **2.2.7.2 Structure Photos**

Photographs of primary grade control structures (i.e. vanes and weirs), along the restored stream are included within the photographs taken at reference photo stations. Photographers make every effort to consistently maintain the same area in each photo over time.

Lateral and structure photographs are used to evaluate channel aggradation or degradation, bank erosion, success of riparian vegetation, structure function and stability, and effectiveness of erosion control measures. Lateral photos should not indicate excessive erosion or degradation of the banks. A series of photos over time should indicate successive maturation of riparian vegetation and consistent structure function.

Photographs of the restoration project were taken in April and July 2012. The photographs illustrate generally stable conditions across the project site. Vegetative growth along the streambanks and riparian buffers has improved since construction was completed in 2008. Structures are functioning as designed although some structures have been affected in varying degrees by beaver activity, multiple bankfull events and the release of aggraded material from the box-culverts under I-26.

### **2.2.8 Stream Stability Assessment**

In-stream structures installed within the restored stream included constructed riffles, log vanes, boulder steps, and root wads. Annual visual observations of these structures through the fourth year indicate that most structures have functioned as designed and are holding their elevation and grade. With the exception of the rootwad revetment at Station 44+25, other structures appeared to be stable. As indicated above, the problem at Station 44+25 is associated with seepage below the rootwad and the fact that the existing revetment does not extend far enough into the lower third of the meander, and this will be repaired soon. Log vanes placed in meander pool areas have provided scour to keep pools deep and provide cover for fish. Boulder steps have maintained step-pool spacing and facilitated transitions in channel slope at the confluence of UT2 to Blockhouse Creek. In addition to providing grade control, the boulder steps also provide bedform diversity, improving in-stream habitat. Rootwads placed on the outside of meander bends have provided bank stability and in-stream cover for fish and other aquatic organisms in many locations of the project area. Areas where damage has occurred were due to flows that completely spanned the floodway and scour resulted from high flows over and around vegetation or structures. Additional geolifts have been added to some meanders throughout the project area on Blockhouse Creek to provide further stabilization to banks along the lower third of the meanders.

To aid the NCEEP in evaluating the risk of erosion from changes in channel and bank stability and subsequent sediment yield from the project area, Baker will assign numeric values to streambank and channel features. This will occur during Year 5 of the monitoring period. These numeric scores will be derived using the Bank Erosion Hazard Index (BEHI) and Near Bank Stress (NBS) evaluation methods. The scores will then be used to evaluate channel stability and project sediment export.

### **2.2.9 Quantitative Measures Summary Tables**

The quantitative pre-construction, reference reach, and design data used to determine restoration approach, as well as the As-built baseline data used during the project's post-construction monitoring period are summarized in Appendix B.

## **2.3 Vegetation Assessment**

### **2.3.1 Description of Vegetative Monitoring**

As a final task of construction, the stream margins and riparian area of the Site were planted with bare root trees, live stakes, and an herbaceous seed mixture of temporary and permanent ground cover vegetation. The woody vegetation was planted randomly ten to thirteen feet apart from the top of the

stream banks to the outer edge of the project's easement limits. Bare-root trees were planted at a target density of 680 stems per acre and planting was completed in May 2008. Species planted and as-built densities are summarized in Table 7 (Appendix C).

The permanent seed mix of herbaceous species applied to the project's riparian area included soft rush (*Juncus effuses*), creeping bentgrass (*Agrostis stolonifera*), virginia wild rye (*Elymus virginicus*), wild bergamot (*Monarda fistulosa*), smartweed (*Polygonum pennsylvanicum*), beggars tick seed (*Bidens frondosa*), indian grass (*Sorghastrum nutans*), fox sedge (*Carex vulpinoidea*), deer tongue (*Dichanthelium clandestinum*), big bluestem (*Andropogon gerardii*) and black eyed susan (*Rudbeckia hirta*).

Successful restoration of the vegetation on a site is dependent upon hydrologic restoration, active planting of preferred canopy species, and volunteer regeneration of the native plant community. In order to determine if the criteria are achieved, 10 vegetation monitoring quadrants were installed across the mitigation site to predict the survival rate of the bare-rooted trees. On a designated corner within each of the ten vegetation quadrants, one herbaceous plot was also delineated. Mortality will be determined from the difference between the previous year's living, planted trees and the current year's living, planted trees. The size (area) of individual quadrants is 100 square meters for woody tree species. The herbaceous plots measure 1 square meter in size and are located within the larger vegetation quadrants established. Individual seedlings within each plot were flagged to facilitate locating them during future monitoring events. Each seedling was also marked with aluminum tags to ensure that the correct identification is made during future monitoring of the vegetation plots. The plots were randomly located to represent the different areas within the project. The locations of the ten vegetation plots are presented in the current condition plan view.

### **2.3.2 Vegetative Success Criteria**

The interim measure of vegetative success for the site will be the survival of at least 320, 3-year old, planted trees per acre at the end of Year 3 of the monitoring period. The final vegetative success criteria will be the survival of 260, 5-year old, planted trees per acre at the end of Year 5 of the monitoring period. Herbaceous cover is photographed annually during the growing season to provide a record of the density of ground cover derived from the riparian seed mix applied.

### **2.3.3 Vegetation Observations and Results**

Temporary seeding applied to streambanks beneath the erosion matting sprouted within two weeks of application and has generally provided good ground coverage. Live stake, bare root trees, and live brush in the geolift structures have also flourished and are contributing to streambank stability. Bare-root trees were planted throughout the conservation easement with the exception of the preservation reach. A 30-foot buffer was established along of the majority of the restored stream and the width exceeds this minimum in many places. However at crossings the easement "pinches" in to meet the crossing structure and along one section of Reach 3 the easement on the left bank is less than 30 feet due to existing constraints; however, the total width is greater than 60 feet.

Tables 1 through 6 in Appendix C present vegetation metadata, vegetation vigor, vegetation damage and stem count data of the monitoring stations at the end of the Year 4 monitoring period. Data from the Year 4 monitoring event, of the ten vegetation plots, showed a range of 445 to 1,012 planted stems per acre. The data showed that the plots had an average of 639 stems per acre. Based on these results, this site has met the interim success criteria of 320 stems per acre at the end of monitoring Year 3.

Trees within each monitoring plot are flagged regularly to prevent planted trees from losing their identifying marks due to flag degradation. It is important for trees within the monitoring plots to

remain marked to ensure they are all accounted for during the annual stem counts and calculation of tree survival. With the exception of Vegetation Plots #2, #4, and #10, little or no volunteer species were observed in the other vegetation plots. Volunteer species observed consist of tag alder (*Alnus serrulata*), willow (*Salix sericea*), sweetgum (*Liquidambar styraciflua*), tulip poplar, (*Liriodendron tulipifera*), sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*), white pine (*Pinus strobus*), and red maple (*Acer rubrum*). Vegetation Plot #4 contained the most volunteer species, which is likely due to its proximity to an existing wooded buffer along Blockhouse Creek and the additional water it receives from a sprinkler system located nearby. Several trees that were initially planted during 2008 and not previously spotted in Plot #4 have also reached a sufficient height and diameter to be monitored. The tops of these trees initially died; however, they subsequently sprouted from the root and have produced new trunks and are now growing.

#### **2.3.4 Vegetation Problem Areas**

No problem areas with planted woody or herbaceous vegetation were identified during Year 4 monitoring. The project area had suffered from a number of drought years at the time planting initially occurred. However, mortality rates for planted woody vegetation appear to be low, though some sections of the project have experienced higher rates of mortality as evidenced by the vegetative plot data listed in Appendix C. Although the density of herbaceous cover varies across the site, conditions observed on-site during the Year 4 monitoring surveys indicate continued improvement in vegetative cover. Drought conditions almost certainly contributed to some of the initial mortality observed among the woody vegetation. However, survival rates of the established plots indicate that plantings across the easement area are of sufficient density to meet regulatory requirements, as well as the site stabilization and habitat enhancement goals originally set forth in the mitigation plan. All vegetation plots have met the Year 4 success criteria for vegetation which states planted stem density in plots must be equivalent to 320 stems per acre. It is expected that site vegetation will continue to improve given that we continue to experience good weather conditions as the buffer matures.

Over the course of the monitoring period, exotic, invasive vegetation has re-appeared in the easement area. Although there are no dense patches currently threatening the riparian buffer, kudzu (*Pueraria montana*), Japanese honeysuckle (*Lonicera japonica*), and Chinese privet (*Ligustrum sinense*) are scattered intermittently throughout the project area as indicated on the current condition plan view. For the moment, the invasive vegetation is easily treatable by herbicide application. The project area was treated for invasives in late spring 2012 and will be treated once again later in the year.

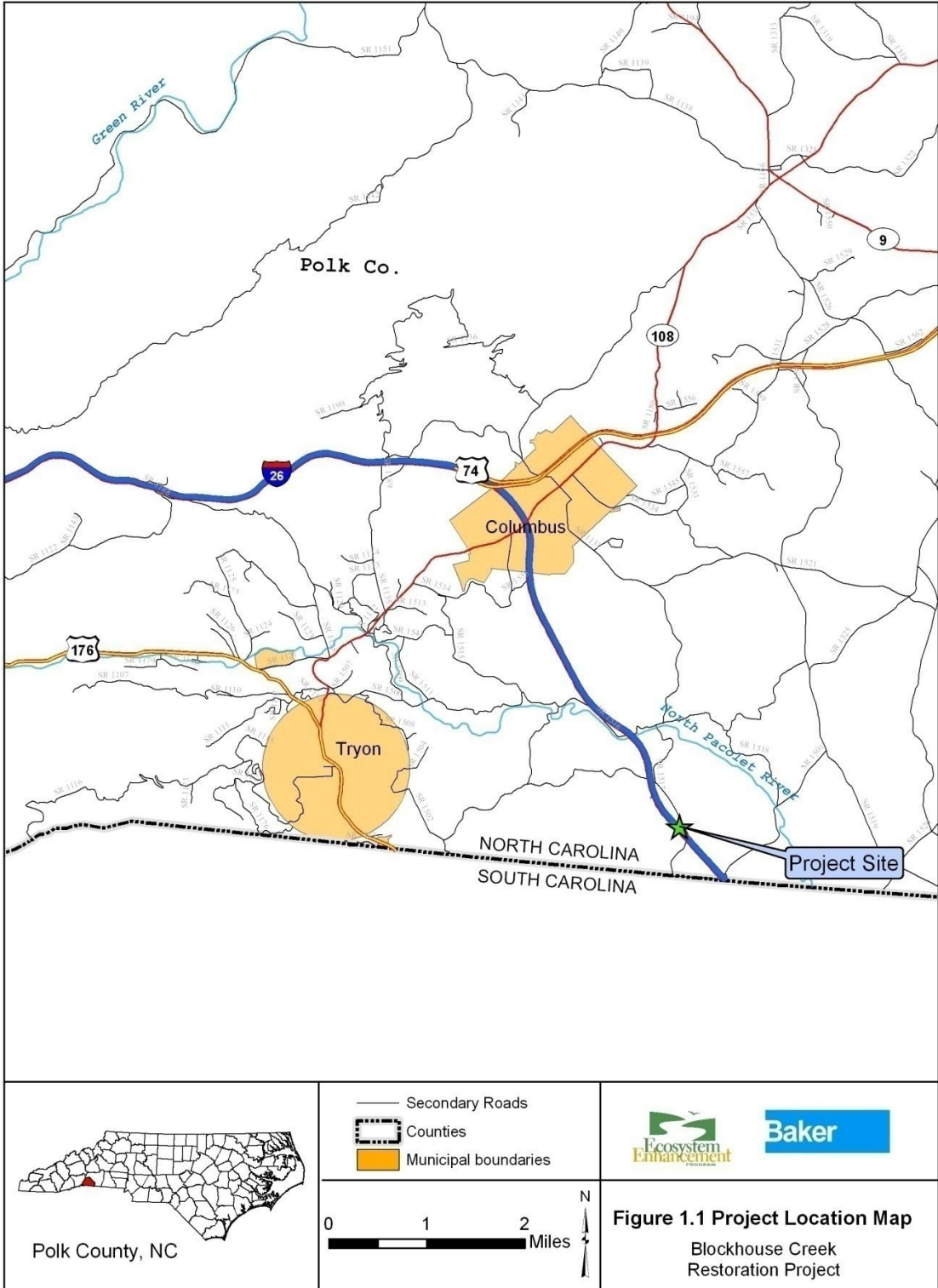
#### **2.3.5 Vegetation Photographs**

Photographs are used to visually document vegetation success in sample plots. A total of ten sample sites were established to document tree conditions and herbaceous coverage at each vegetation plot across the Site. Reference photos of tree and herbaceous condition within plots are taken at least once per year. Photos of the plots are included in Appendix C of this report.



**APPENDIX A**  
**GENERAL TABLES AND FIGURE'3**

**LOCATION MAP**  
**TABLES 1-4**



<b>Table A1. Project Mitigation Components</b> Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project-#92516								
Project Segment or Reach ID	Existing Feet/ Acres	Type	Approach	Footage or Acreage	Mitigation Ratio	Mitigation Units	Stationing	Comment
Blockhouse Cr. Reach 1	887 LF	R	P2	1070 LF	1.0	1,070	0+00-10+70	Meandering channel construction; excavation of floodplain
Blockhouse Cr. Reach 2	340 LF	R	P2	340 LF	1.0	340	10+70-14+14	Meandering channel construction; excavation of floodplain
Blockhouse Cr. Reach 3	950 LF	E	I	950 LF	1.5	633	14+34-25+44	Constraints prevented restoration; bankfull benches established, structures installed, pattern stabilized.
Blockhouse Cr. Reach 4	1,821 LF	R	P2	1,780 LF	1.0	1,780	28+37-46+15	Meandering channel construction; floodplain excavation
UT 1	523 LF	R	P2	580 LF	1.0	580	0+00-5+80	Meandering channel construction; floodplain excavation
UT 2	1,240 LF	R	P2	1,155 LF	1.0	1,155	0+00-11+74	Was incised at lower end, upper 1000 LF realigned to a more stable pattern with only minor floodplain grading
UT 3	430 LF	P	-	430 LF	5.0	86	0+00-4+30	No channel alteration (preservation)
Mitigation Unit Summations								
Stream (LF)	Riparian Wetland (Ac)	Nonriparian Wetland (Ac)		Total Wetland (Ac)		Buffer (Ac)	Comment	
5,644	NA	NA		NA		8.6		

<b>Table A2. Project Activity and Reporting History</b> Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project-#92516		
Activity or Report	Data Collection Complete	Delivery
Categorical Exclusion Approved	---	January 2007
Conservation Easement Signed	---	September 2007
Mitigation Plan Approved	---	October 2007
Project Permit Approval	---	December 2007/ January 2008
Final Design-90%	---	October 2007
Construction		
Upstream of Interstate-26	January 2008	March 2008
Downstream of Interstate-26	March 2008	May 2008
Permanent seed mix and riparian vegetation applied to project site		
Upstream of Interstate-26	January 2008	March 2008
Downstream of Interstate-26	March 2008	June 2008
Vegetation Plots , Crest Gauges and Photo Stations Established	July 2008	September 2008
Mitigation Plan / As-built (Year 0 Monitoring – baseline)	July 2008	December 2008

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Year 1 Monitoring	June 2009	November 2009
Year 2 Monitoring	June 2010	August 2010
Year 3 Monitoring	June 2011	October 2011
Year 4 Monitoring	July 2012	September 2012
Year 5 Monitoring		

<b>Table A3. Project Contacts Table</b> Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project-#92516	
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<b>Construction Contractor</b>	
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<b>Planting &amp; Seeding Contractor</b>	
River Works, Inc.	8000 Regency Parkway, Suite 200 Cary, NC 27511 <u>Contact:</u> George Morris, Tel. 919.459.9001
Seed Mix Sources	Green Resources
Nursery Stock Suppliers	Arborgen and Hillis Nursery
<b>Monitoring</b>	
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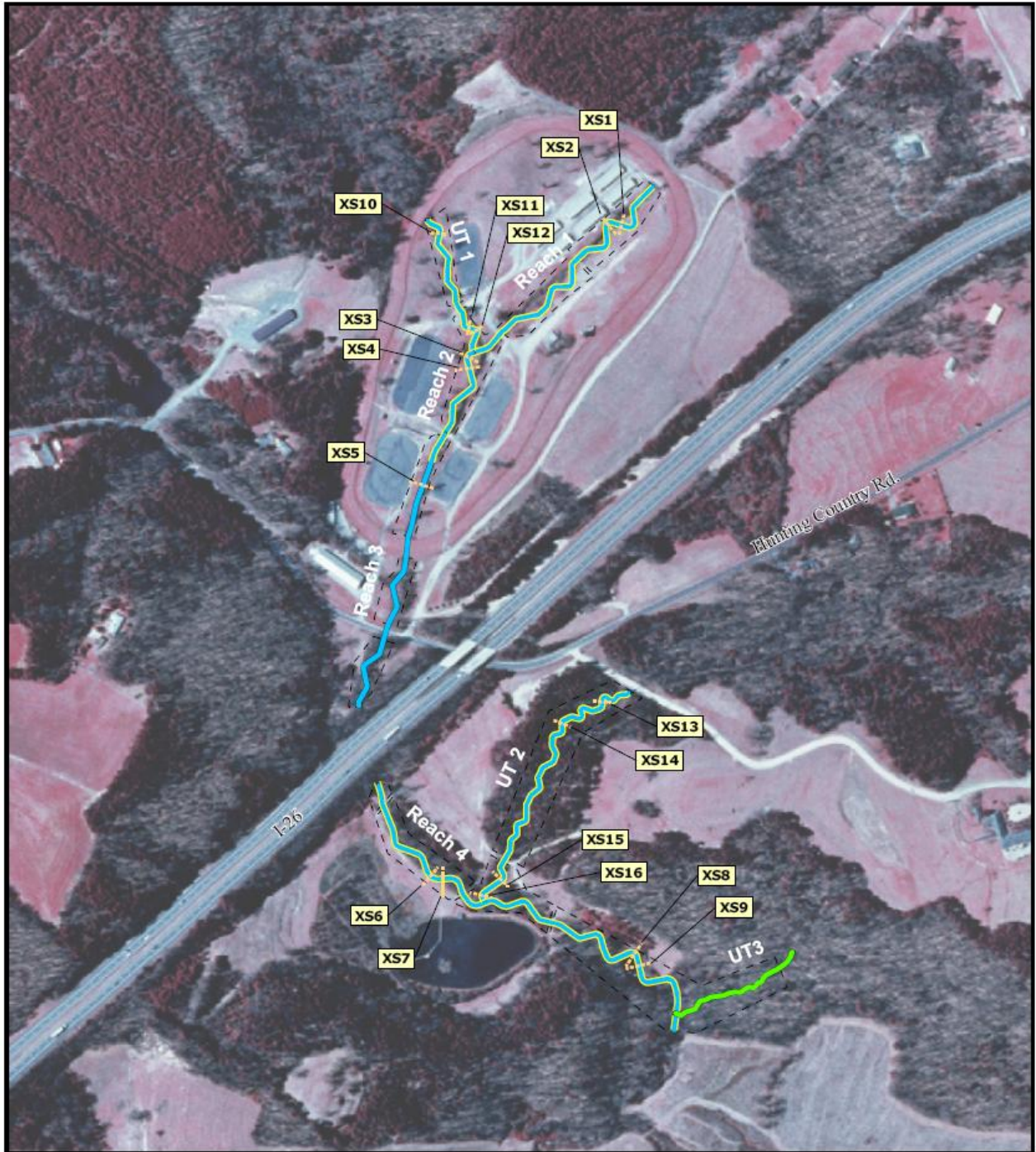
<b>Table A4. Project Background Table</b> Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project-#92516	
Project County	Polk County, NC
Drainage Area (Square Miles or Acres)	
Blockhouse Creek Reach 1	1.63 mi <sup>2</sup>
Blockhouse Creek Reach 2	1.97 mi <sup>2</sup>
Blockhouse Creek Reach 3	2.21 mi <sup>2</sup>
Blockhouse Creek Reach 4	2.44 mi <sup>2</sup>
UT 1	211.2 Ac.
UT 2	57.6 Ac.
UT 3	38.4 Ac.
Drainage impervious cover estimate (%)	<1%
Stream Order	Second Order
Physiographic Region	Piedmont Province. Borders Blue Ridge Escarpment
Ecoregion	Southern Inner Piedmont
Rosgen Classification of As-built	
Blockhouse Creek Reach 1	C4
Blockhouse Creek Reach 2	C4
Blockhouse Creek Reach 3	E4/Bc4
Blockhouse Creek Reach 4	E4
UT 1	C4
UT 2	Bc5 (upper)/Cb (lower)
UT 3	B-E (lower)
Cowardin Classification	Riverine
Dominant Soil Types	
Blockhouse Creek Reach 1	Chewacla Loam, Pacolet Sandy Clay Loam
Blockhouse Creek Reach 2	Chewacla Loam, Pacolet Sandy Clay Loam
Blockhouse Creek Reach 3	Chewacla Loam, Pacolet Sandy Clay Loam
Blockhouse Creek Reach 4	Chewacla Loam, Pacolet Sandy Clay Loam, Rion Sandy Loam
UT 1	Chewacla Loam, Pacolet Sandy Clay Loam
UT 2	Pacolet Sandy Clay Loam,
UT 3	Chewacla Loam, Pacolet Sandy Clay Loam
Reference Site ID	Reference reach used for upper portion of project area located 350 LF upstream of project. Big Branch, Surry County was also identified in the NCDOT reference reach database as a suitable reference for design ratios



<b>Table A4. Project Background Table</b> Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project-#92516	
USGS HUC for Project and Reference Sites	Blockhouse Creek HUC#: 03050105 Big Branch HUC#: 03040101
Any portion of project segment(s) on NC 303d List?	No
Any portion of project upstream of a 303d Listed Segment?	No
Reasons for 303d Listing or Stressor	N/A
% of Project Easement Fenced	0, area demarcated with rope and posts but not a livestock fence.



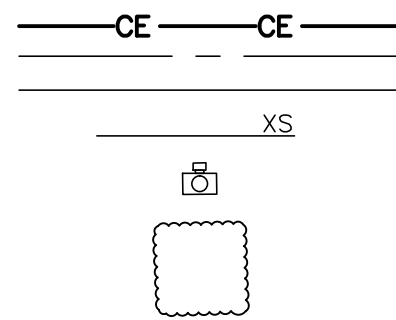
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**MORPHOLOGICAL SUMMARY DATA AND PLOTS, AND**  
**REFERENCE PHOTOGRAPHS**

**RESTORATION SUMMARY MAP**  
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**EXHIBITS 4-6- PEBBLE COUNT PLOTS**  
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**EXHIBIT 7-REFERENCE PHOTOGRAPHS**



	<b>Legend</b> Project Reaches As-built Stream Preservation Cross-sections Surveyed Profile Conservation Easement Boundary	<b>Figure 2 Restoration Summary Map</b>  Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project  
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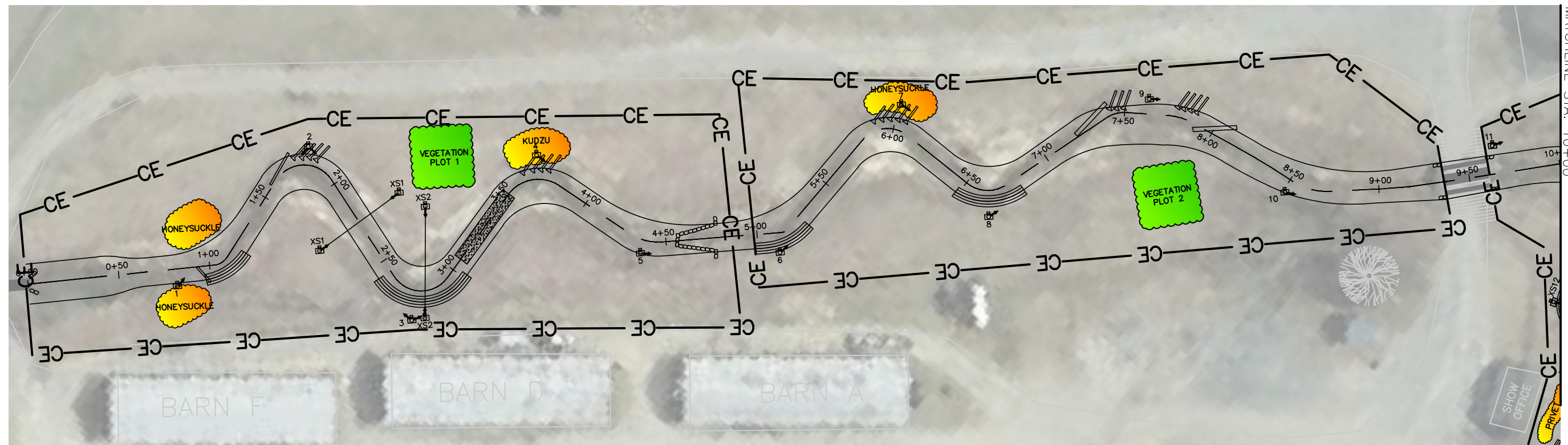




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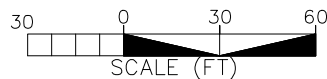
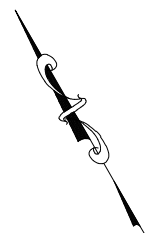
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 VEGETATION PLOT MEETING CRITERIA  
 (ALL PLOTS CURRENTLY MEETING CRITERIA)  
 VEGETATION PLOT NOT MEETING CRITERIA

STREAM PROBLEM AREA (SPA)  
 BANKS WITH EVIDENT SCOUR/EROSION  
 STREAM PROBLEM AREA (SPA)  
 DEGRADATION  
 STREAM PROBLEM AREA (SPA)  
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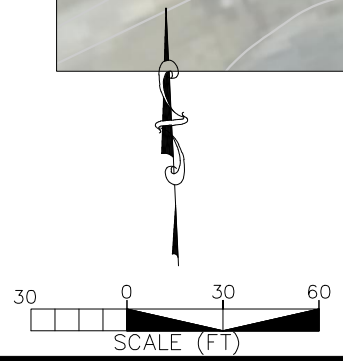
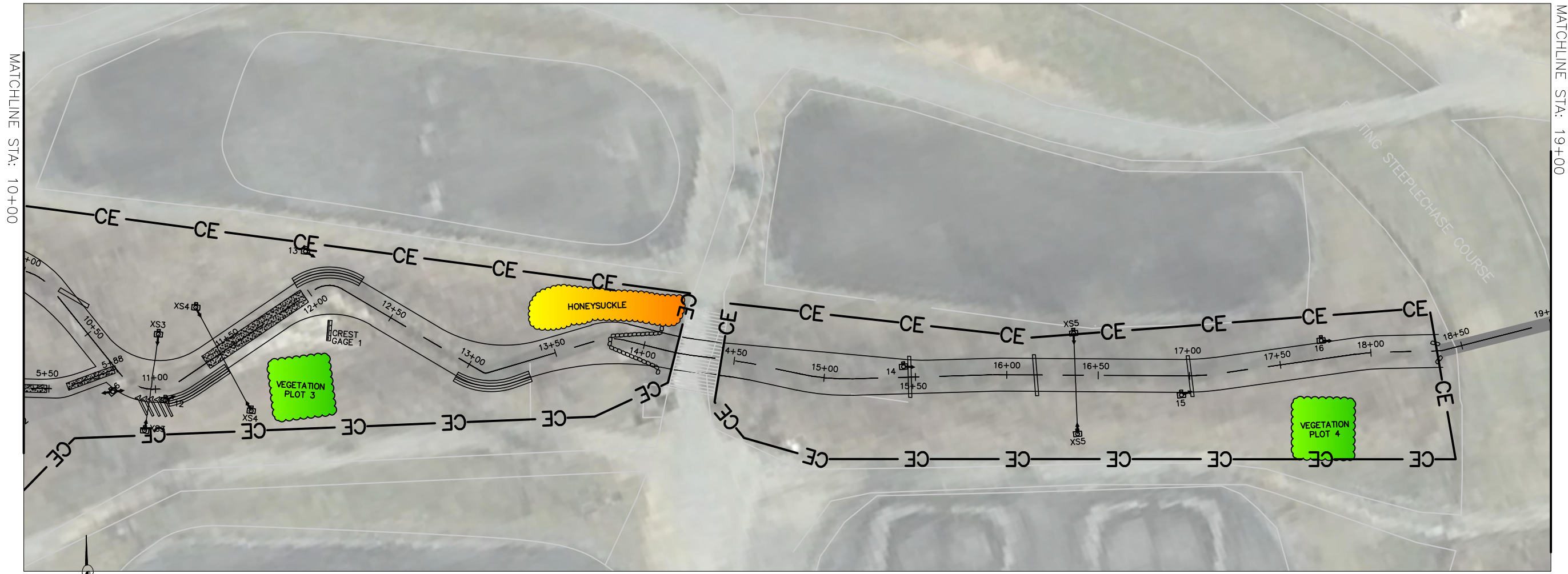
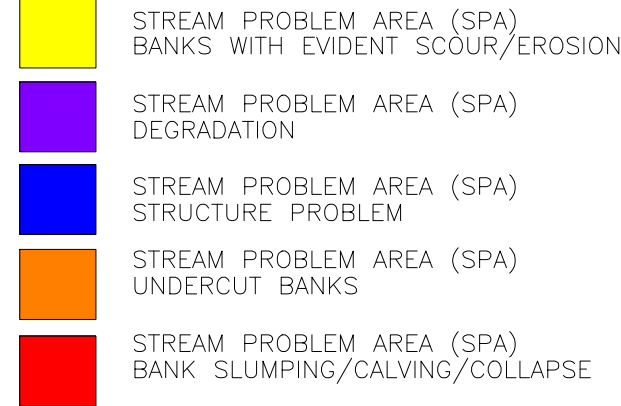
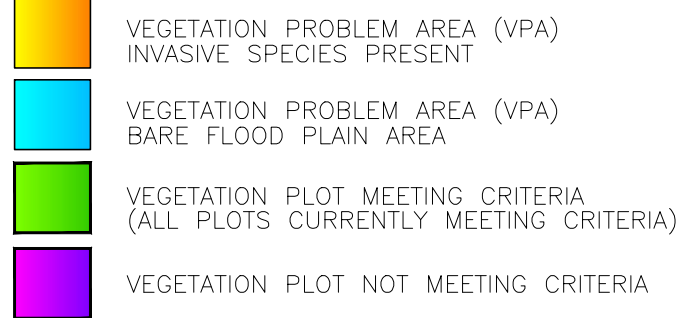
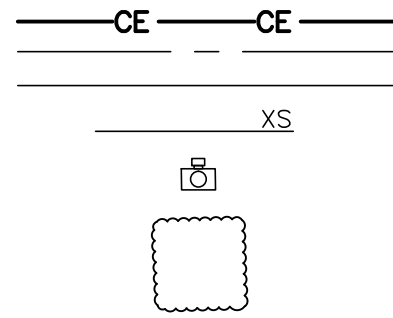
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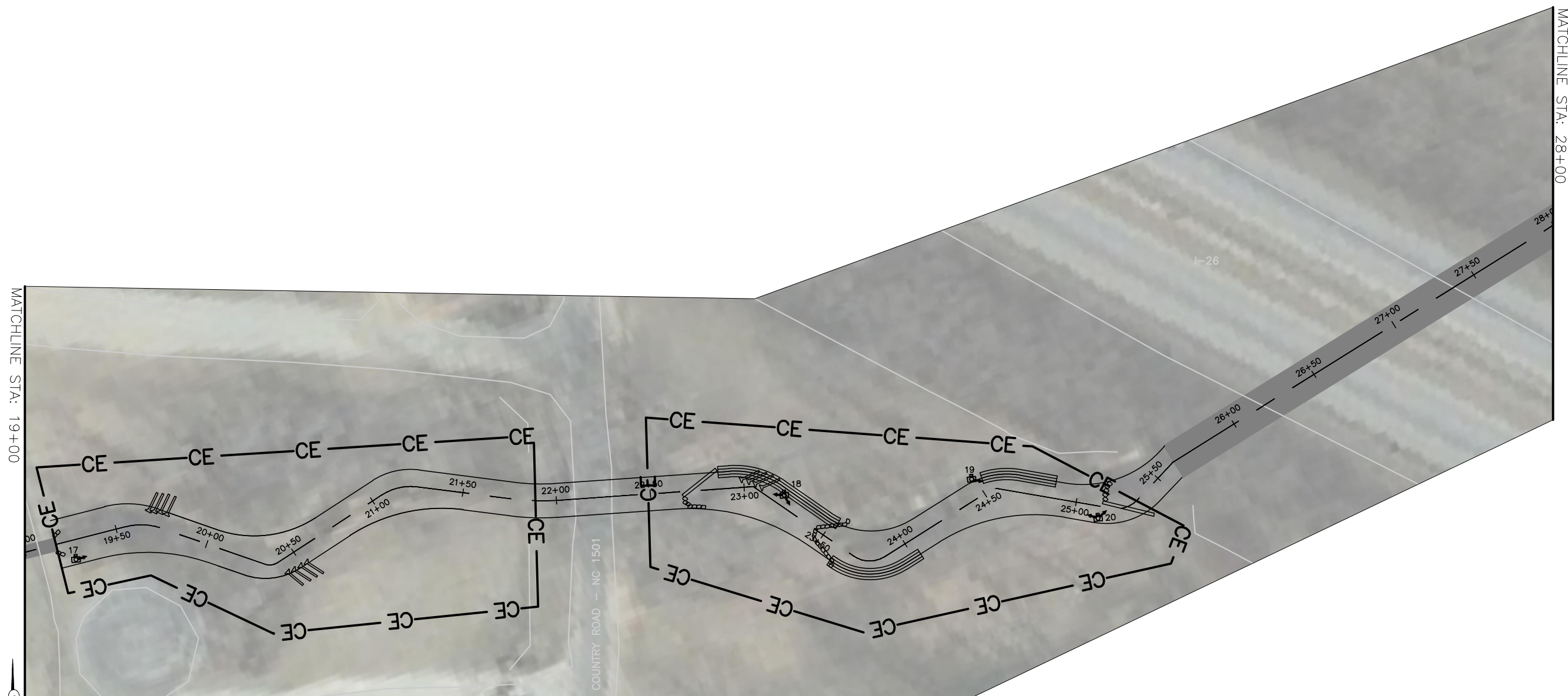
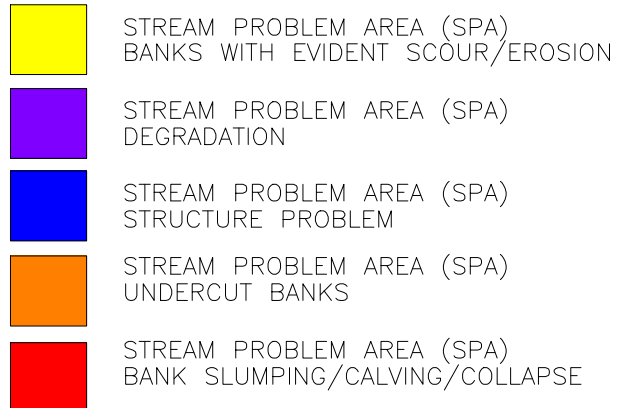
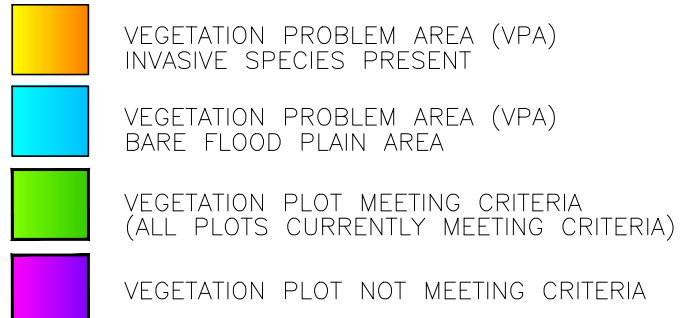
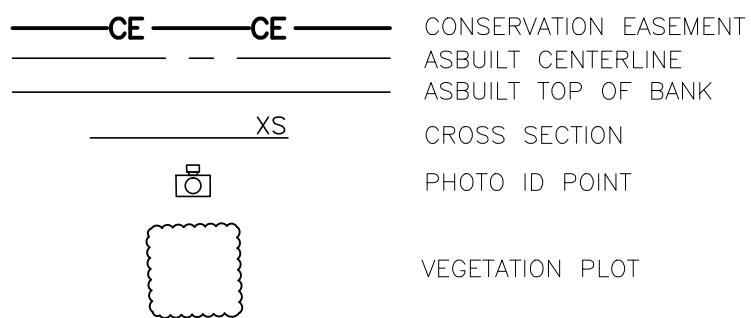
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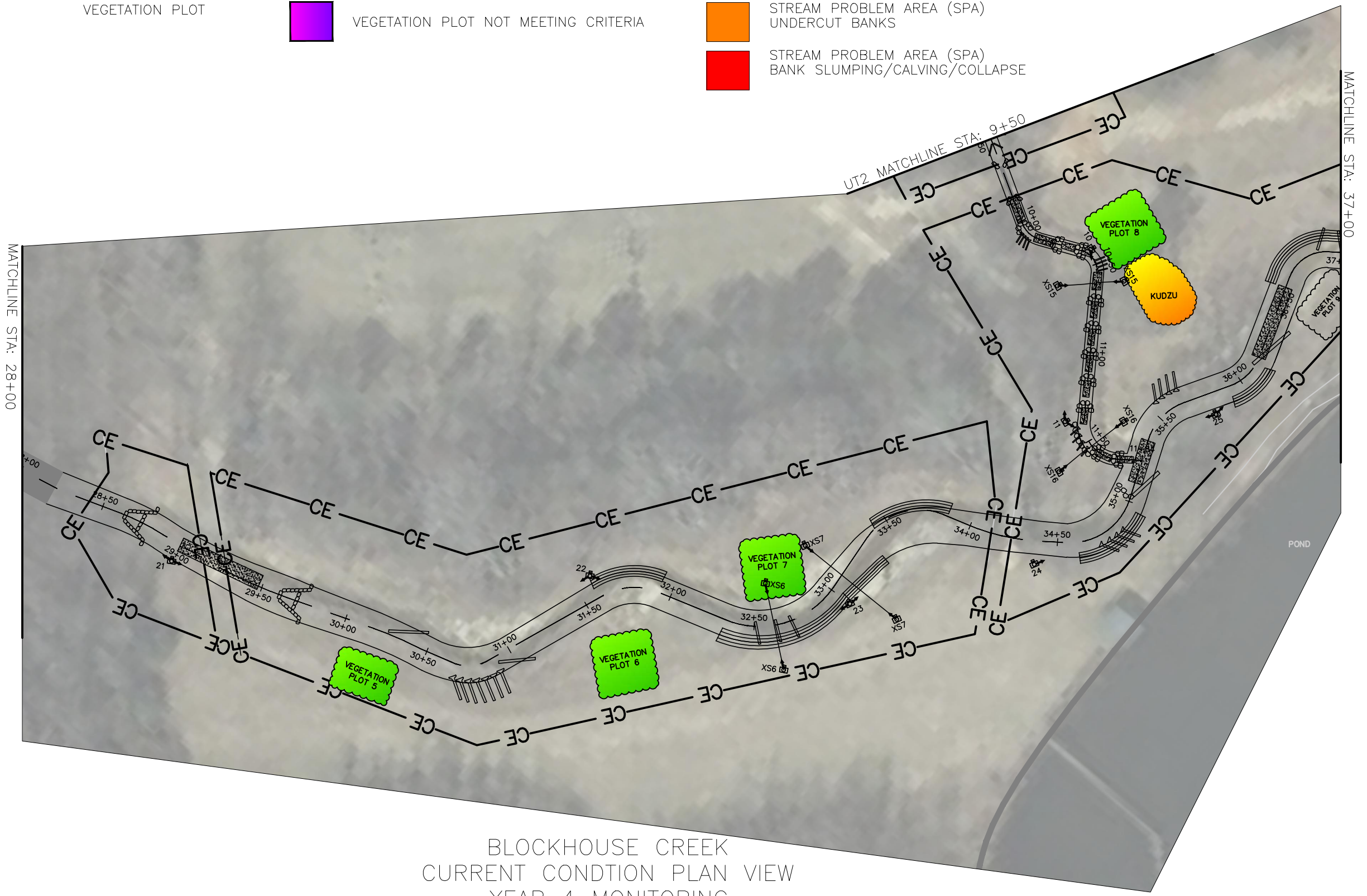
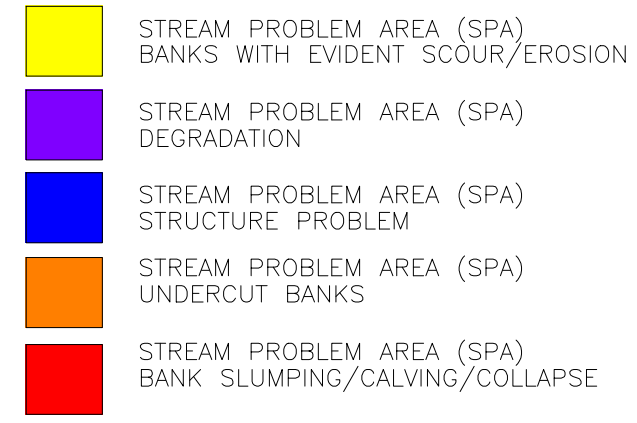
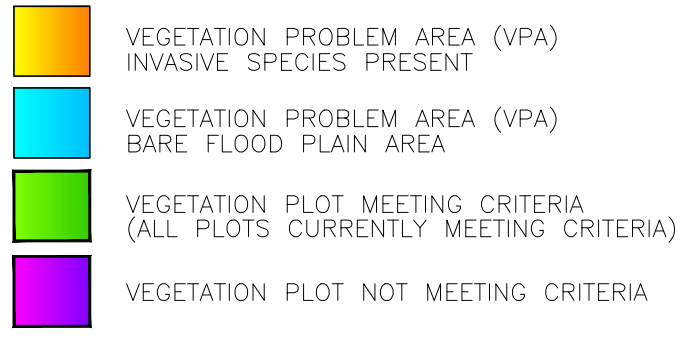
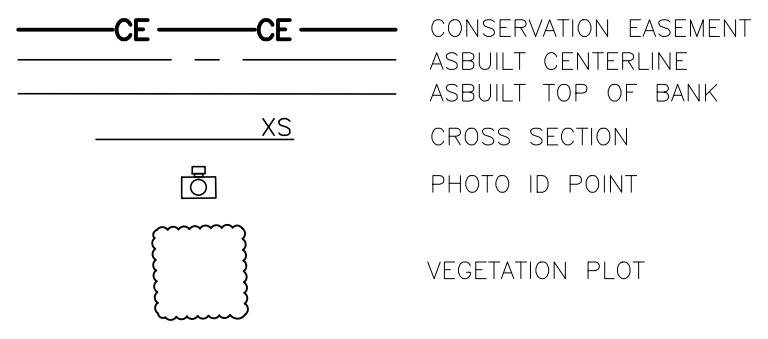
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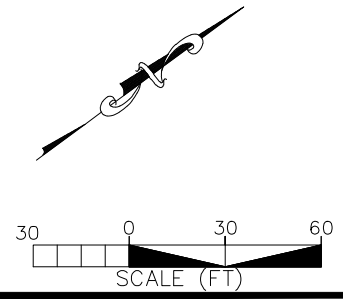


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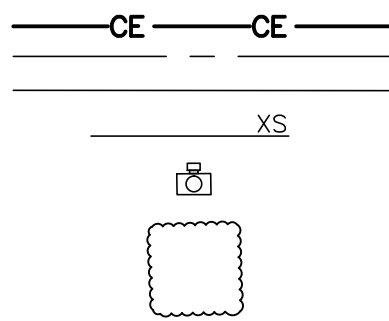
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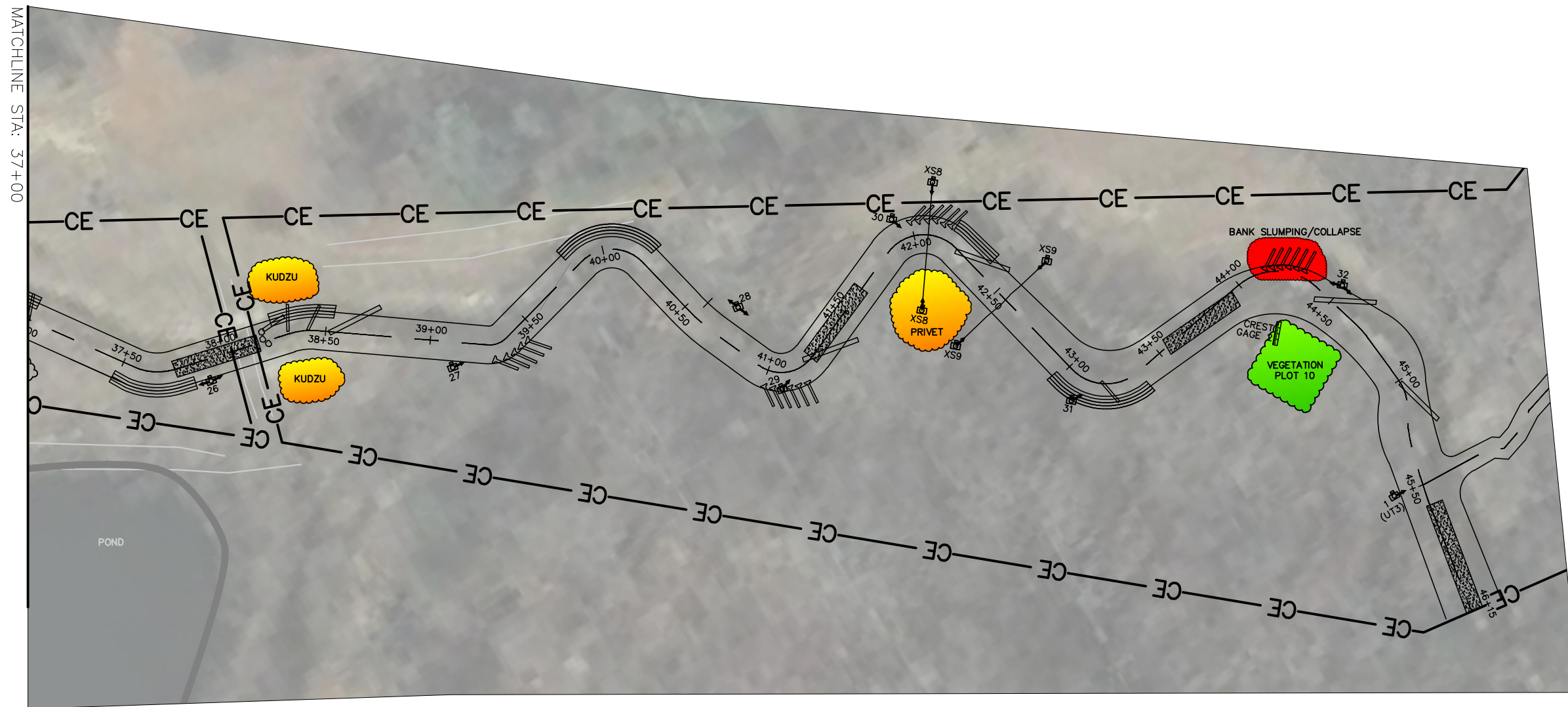




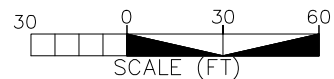
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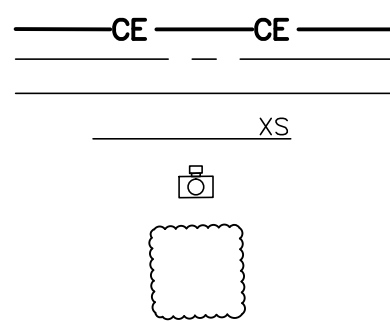
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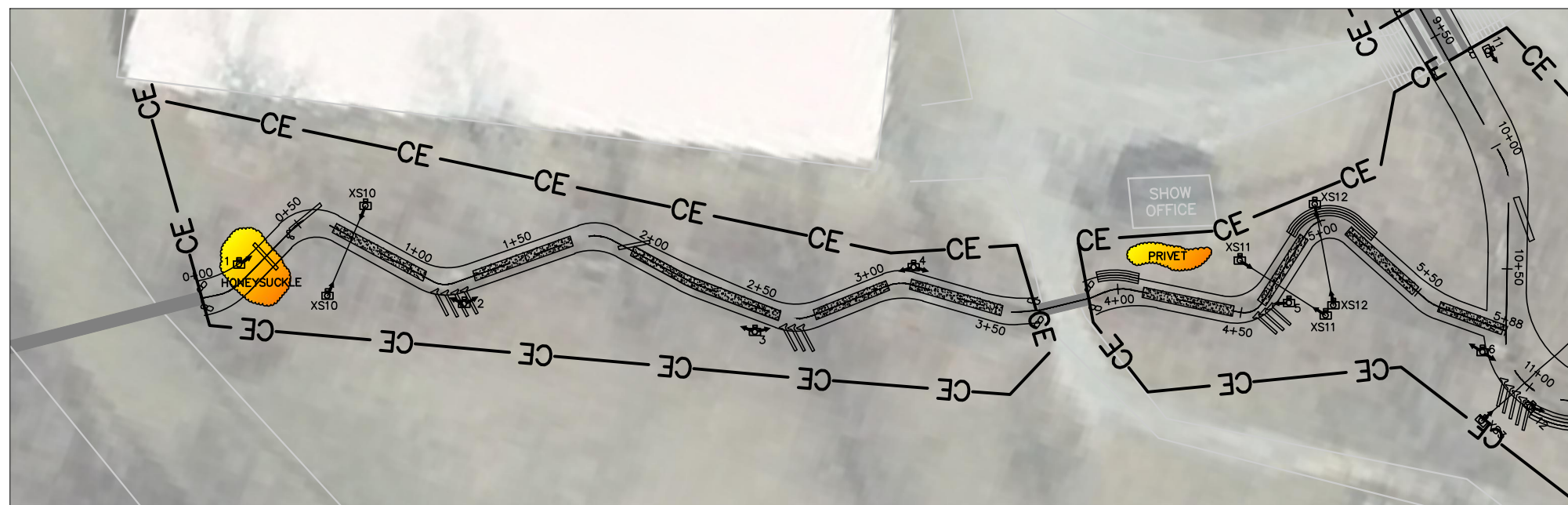
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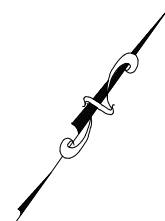
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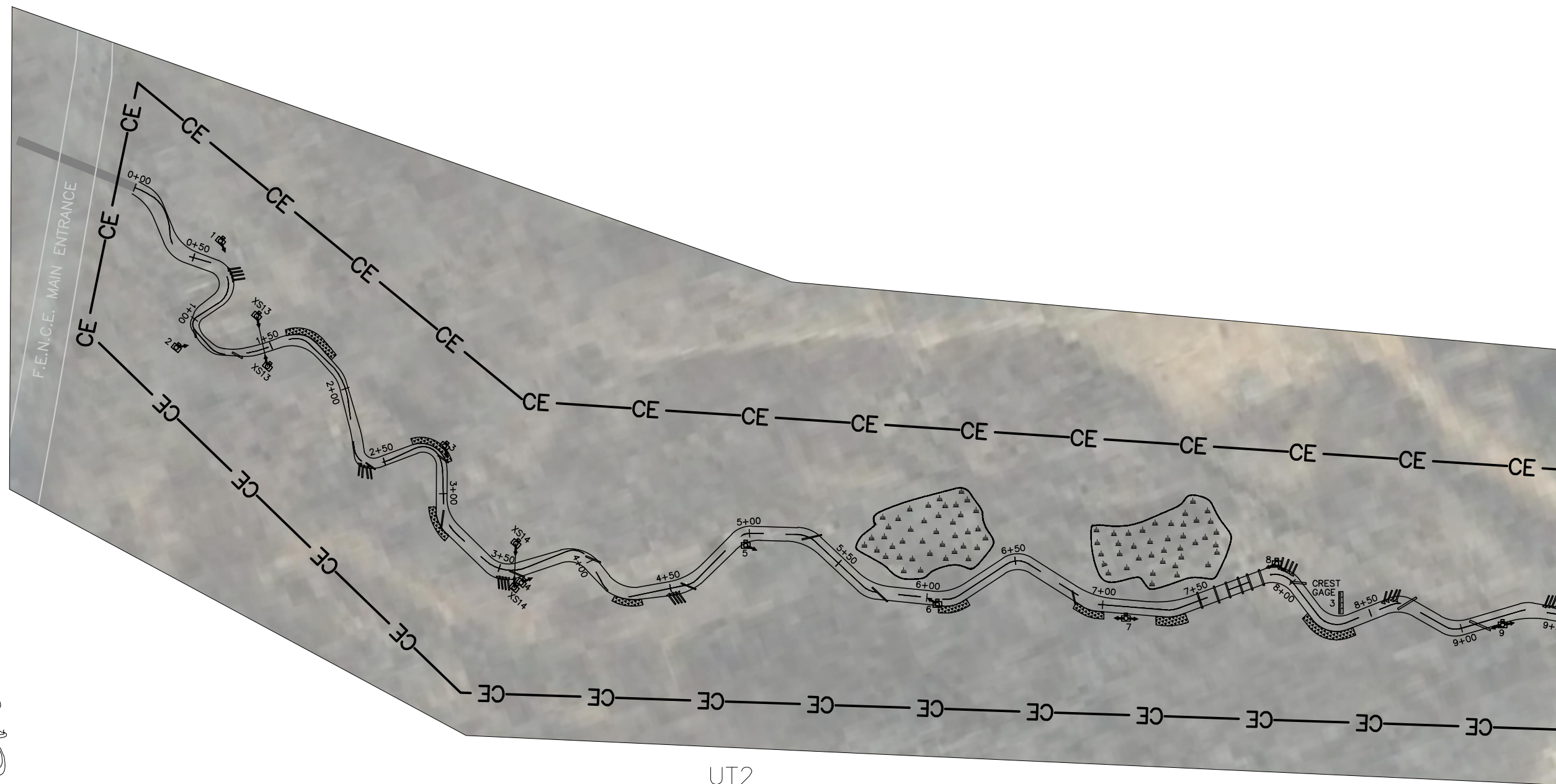
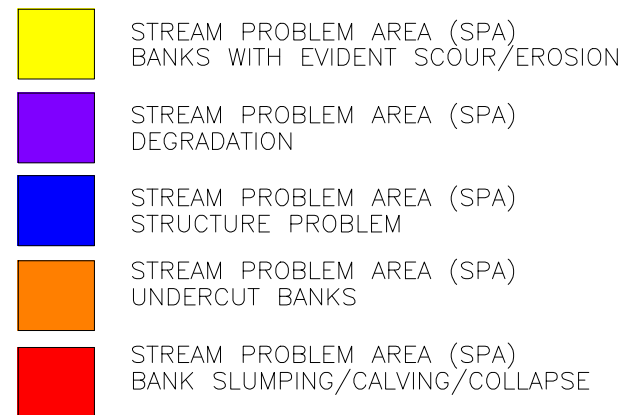
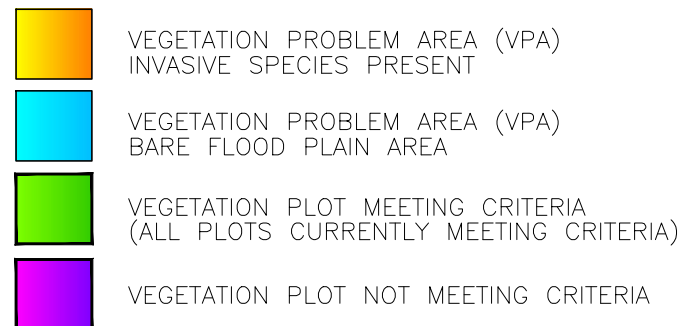
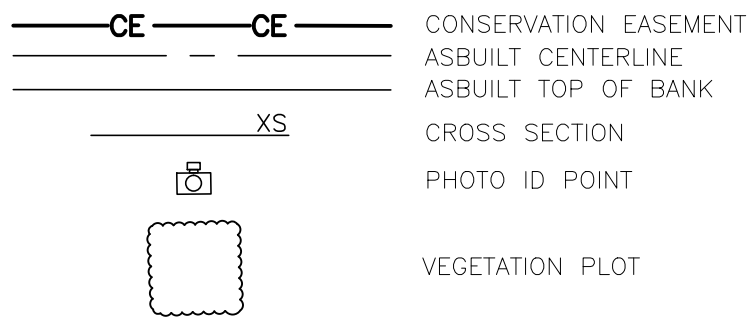
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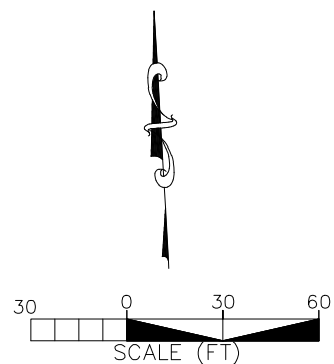
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Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
Riffle	C4	16.2	14.8	1.1	2.35	13.5	0.7	3.6	876.71	876.06

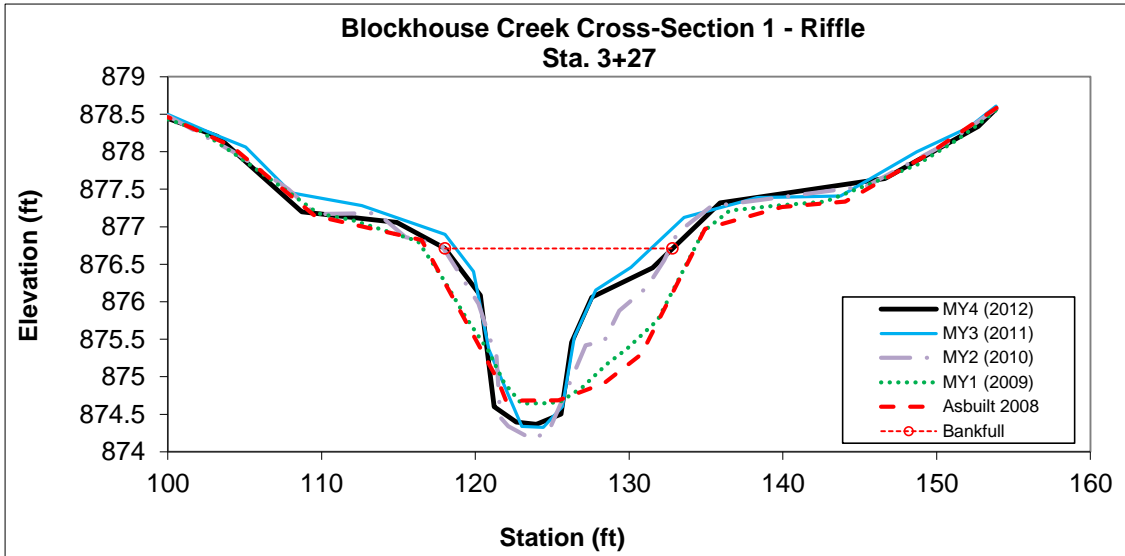


Photo 1: XS-1 facing right bank



Photo 2: XS-1 facing left bank



Photo 3: XS-1 facing upstream



Photo 4: XS-1 facing downstream

Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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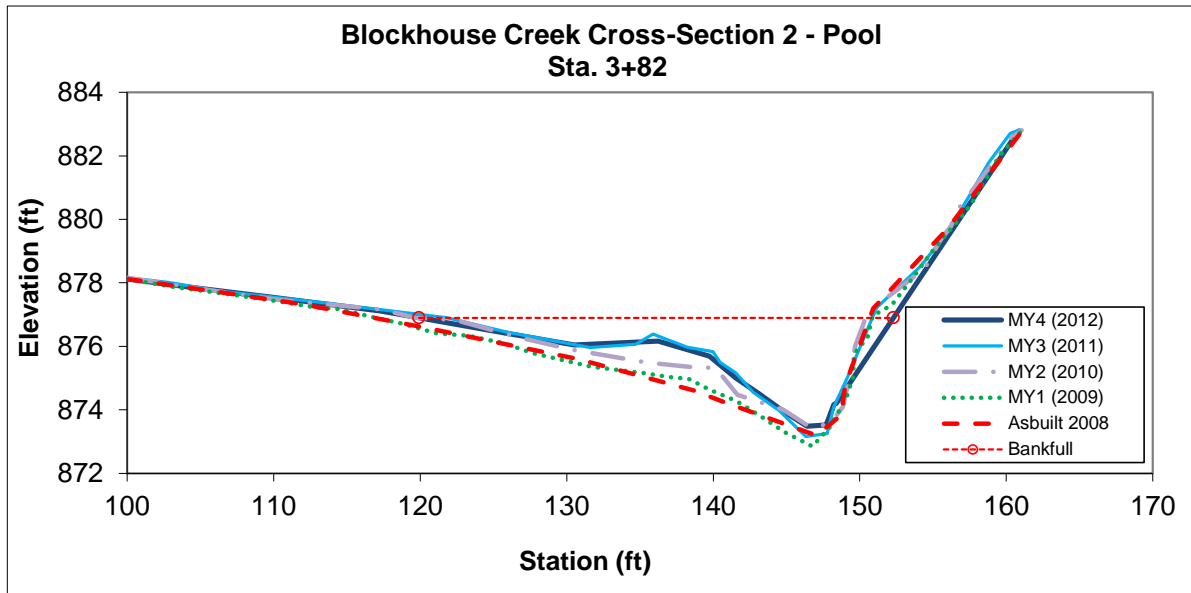


Photo 5: XS-2 facing right bank



Photo 6: XS-2 facing left bank



Photo 7: XS-2 facing upstream



Photo 8: XS-2 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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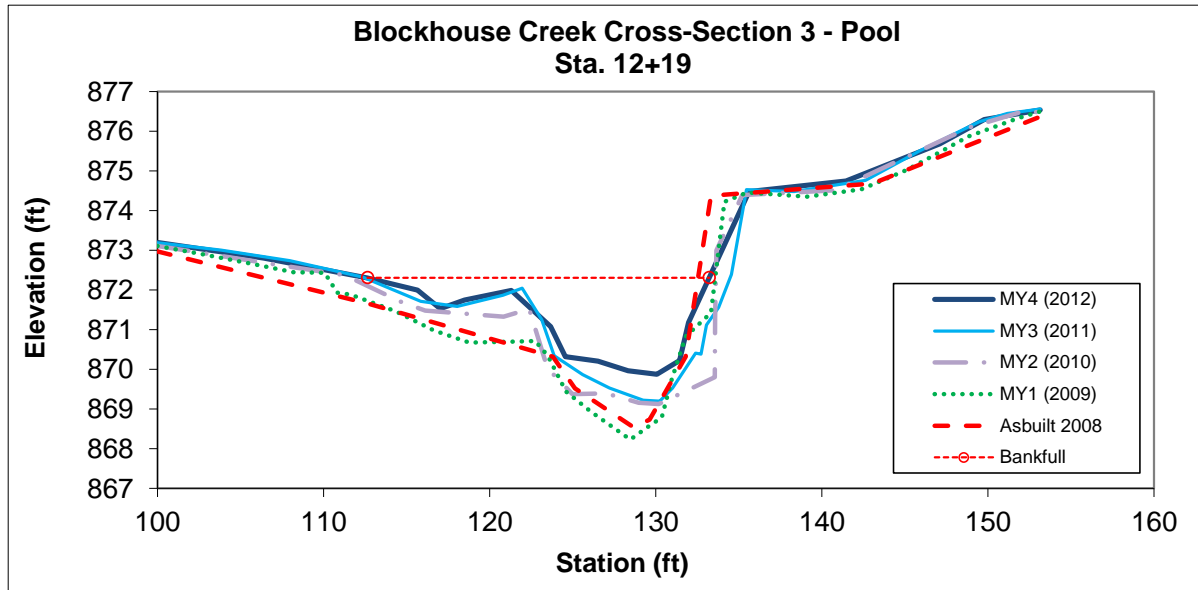


Photo 9: XS-3 facing right bank



Photo 10: XS-3 facing left bank



Photo 11: XS-3 upstream view of right bank



Photo 12: XS-3 facing downstream

Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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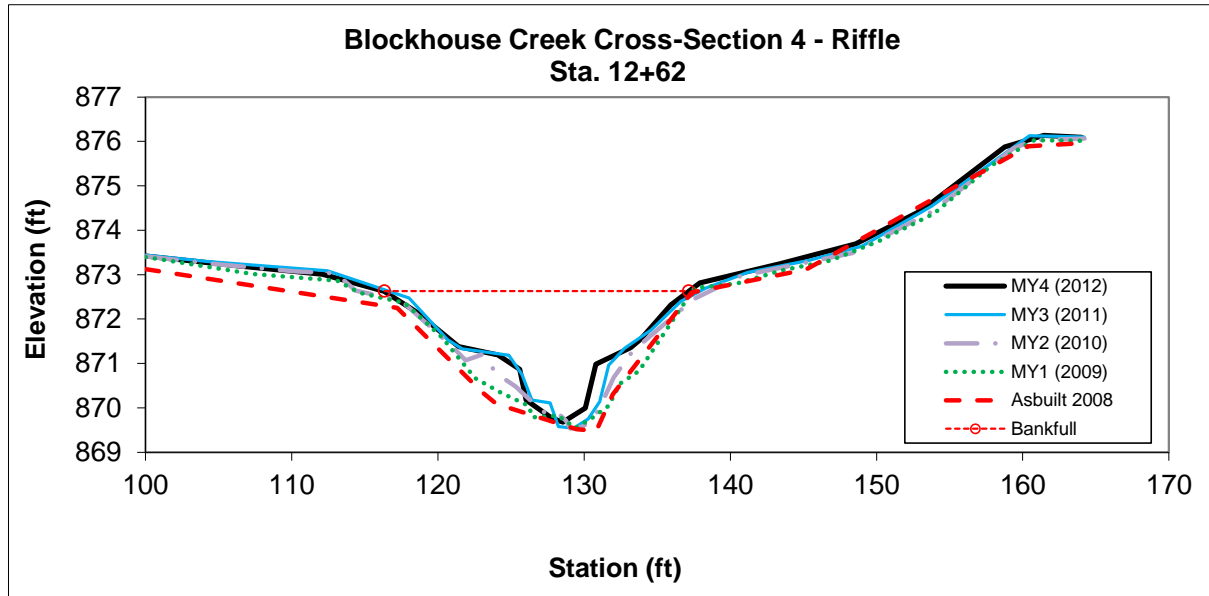


Photo 13: XS-4 facing right bank



Photo 14: XS-4 facing left bank



Photo 15: XS-4 facing upstream



Photo 16: XS-4 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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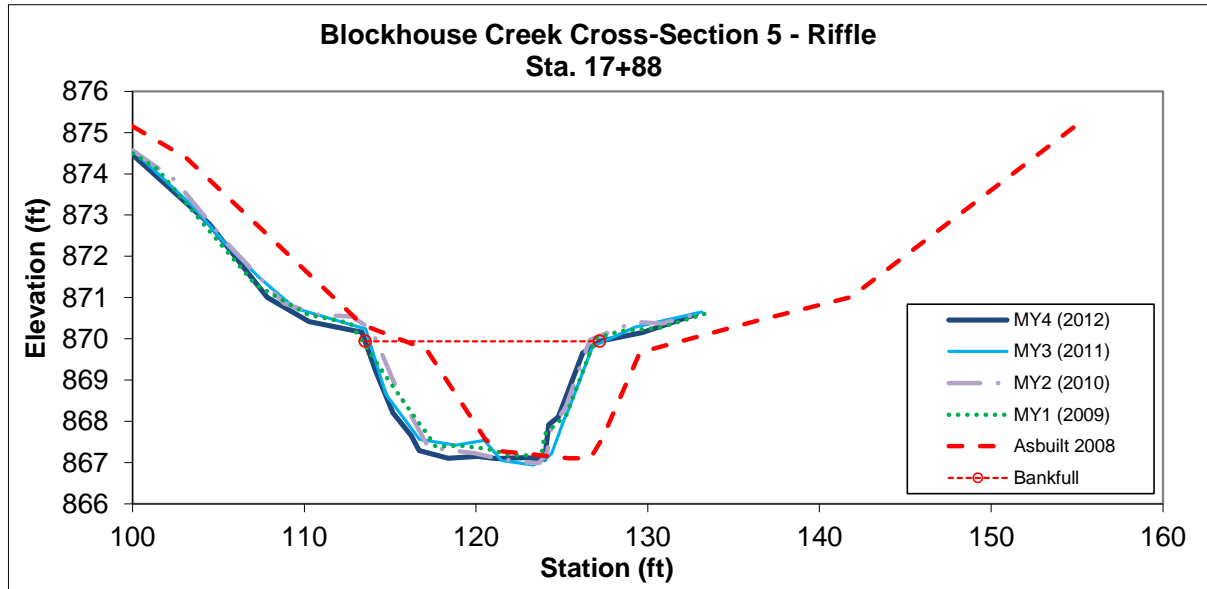


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Photo 18: XS-5 facing left bank



Photo 19: XS-5 facing upstream



Photo 20: XS-5 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
Pool	C4	16.2	16.17	1	2.43	16.1	0.9	2.1	860.47	860.34

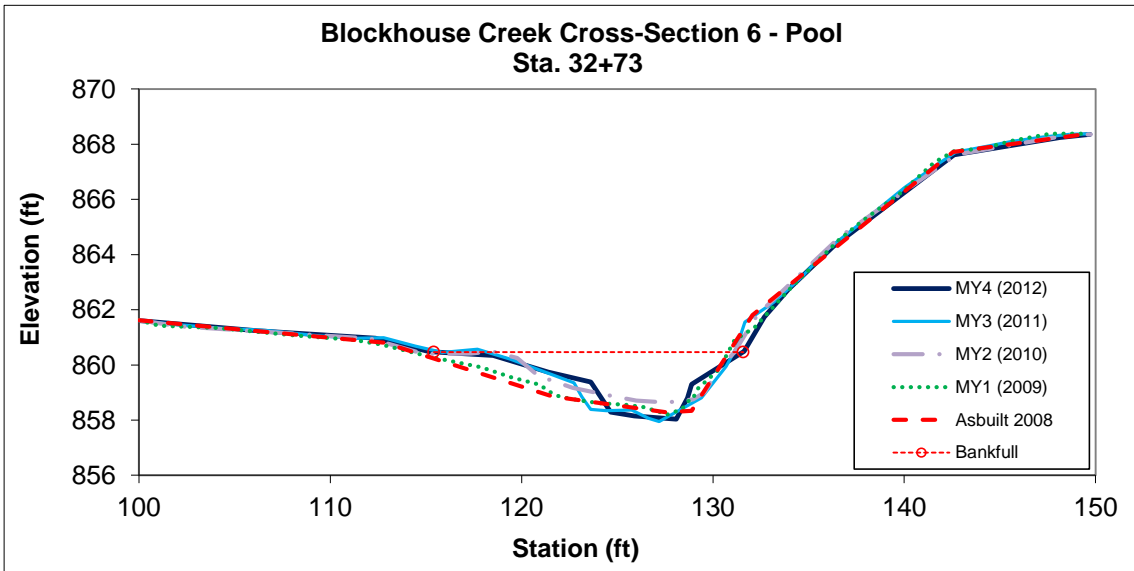


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Photo 22: XS-6 facing left bank



Photo 23: XS-6 facing upstream



Photo 24: XS-6 facing downstream

Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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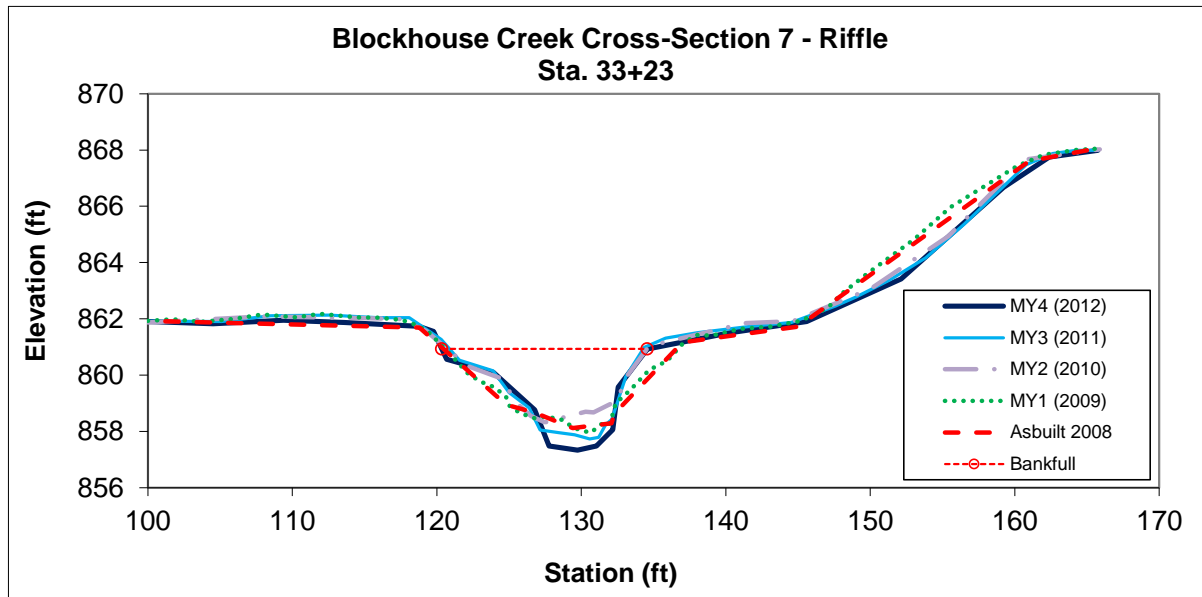


Photo 25: XS-7 facing right bank



Photo 26: XS-7 facing left bank



Photo 27: XS-7 facing upstream



Photo 28: XS-7 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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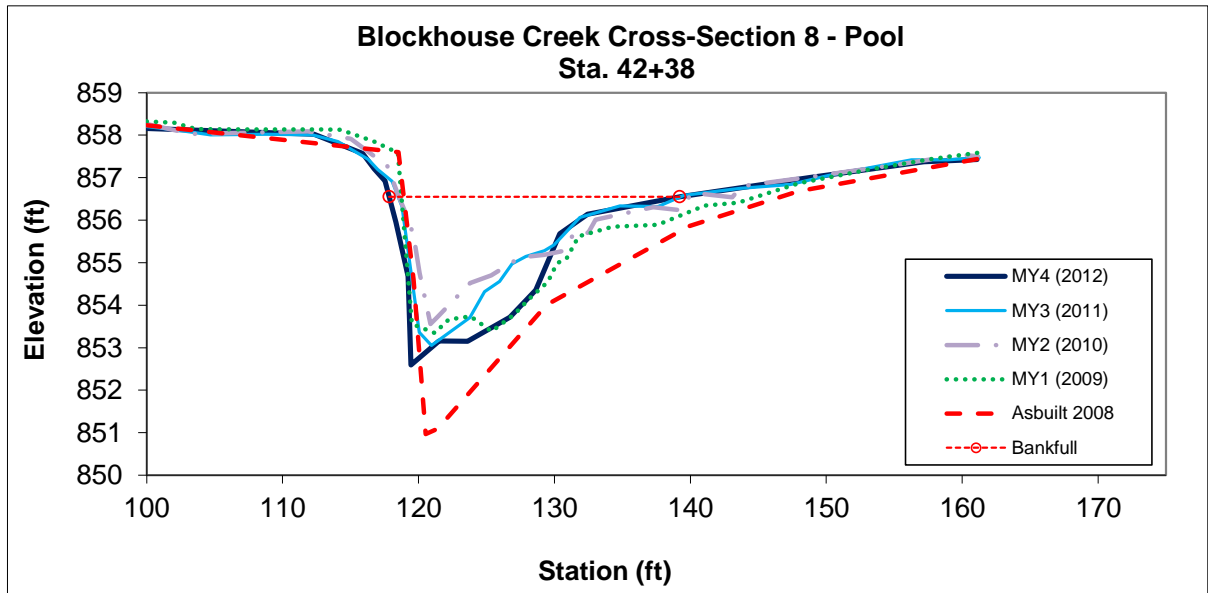


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Photo 30: XS-8 facing left bank



Photo 31: XS-8 facing downstream



Photo 32: XS-8 facing upstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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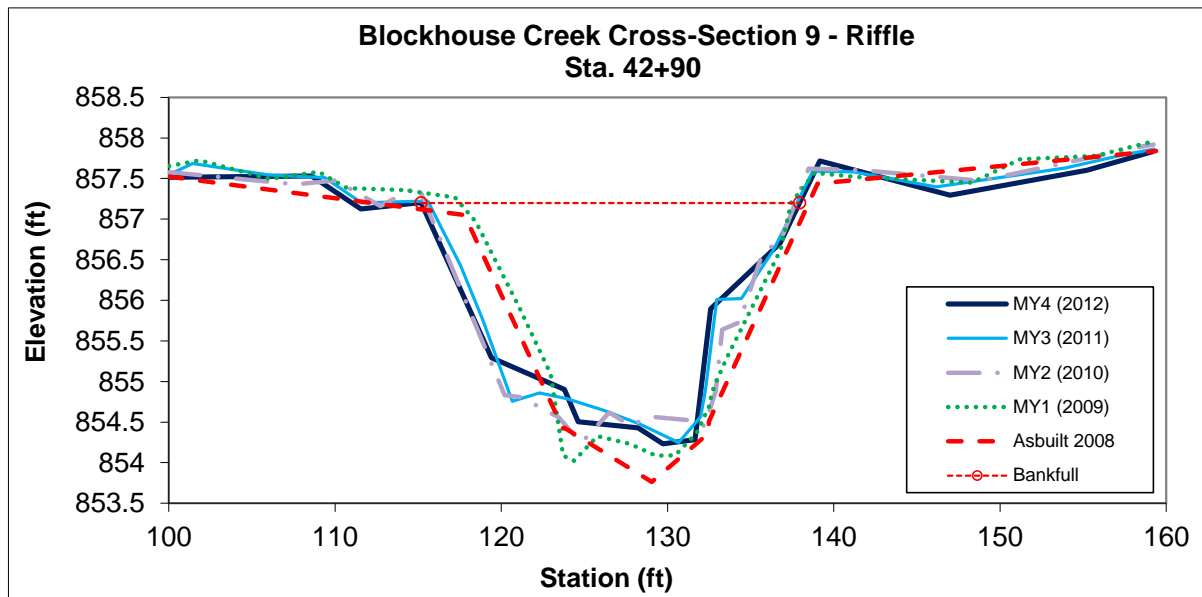


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Photo 34: XS-9 facing left bank

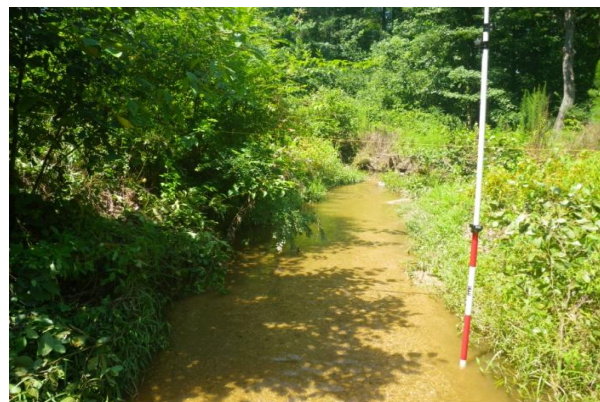


Photo 35: XS-9 facing upstream



Photo 36: XS-9 facing downstream



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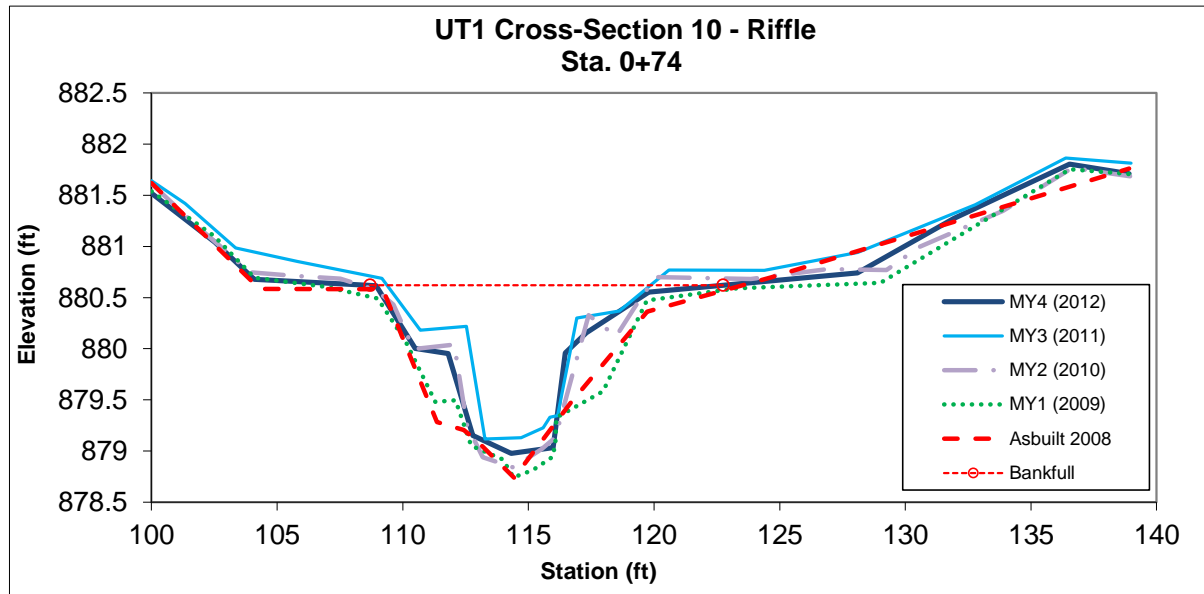


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Photo 38: XS-10 facing left bank



Photo 39: XS-10 facing upstream



Photo 40: XS-10 facing downstream



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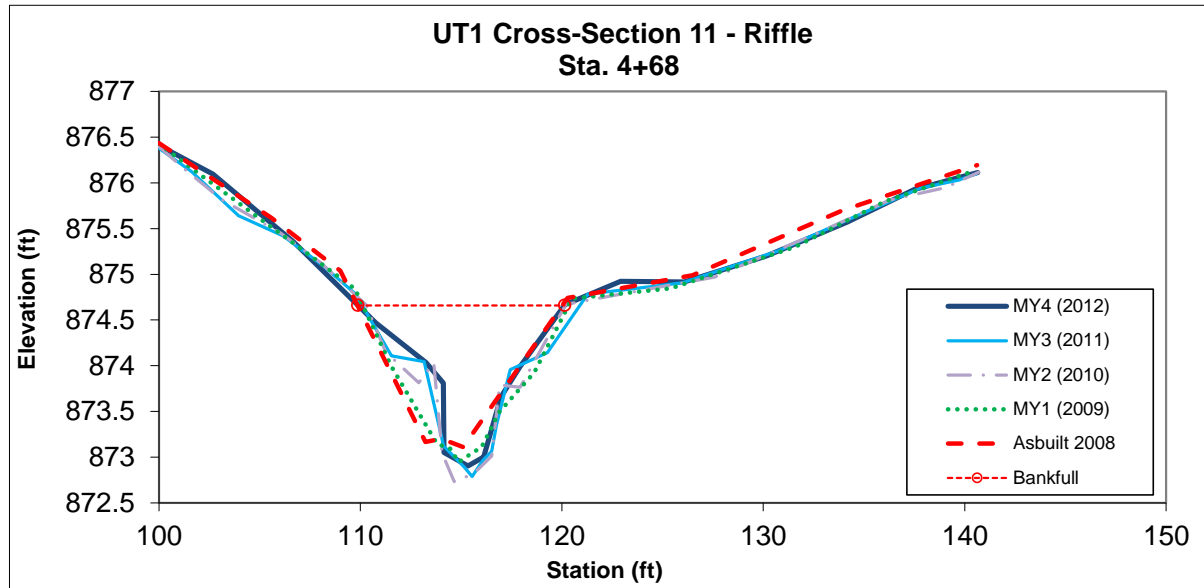


Photo 41: XS-11 facing right bank



Photo 42: XS-11 facing left bank



Photo 43: XS-11 facing upstream



Photo 44: XS-11 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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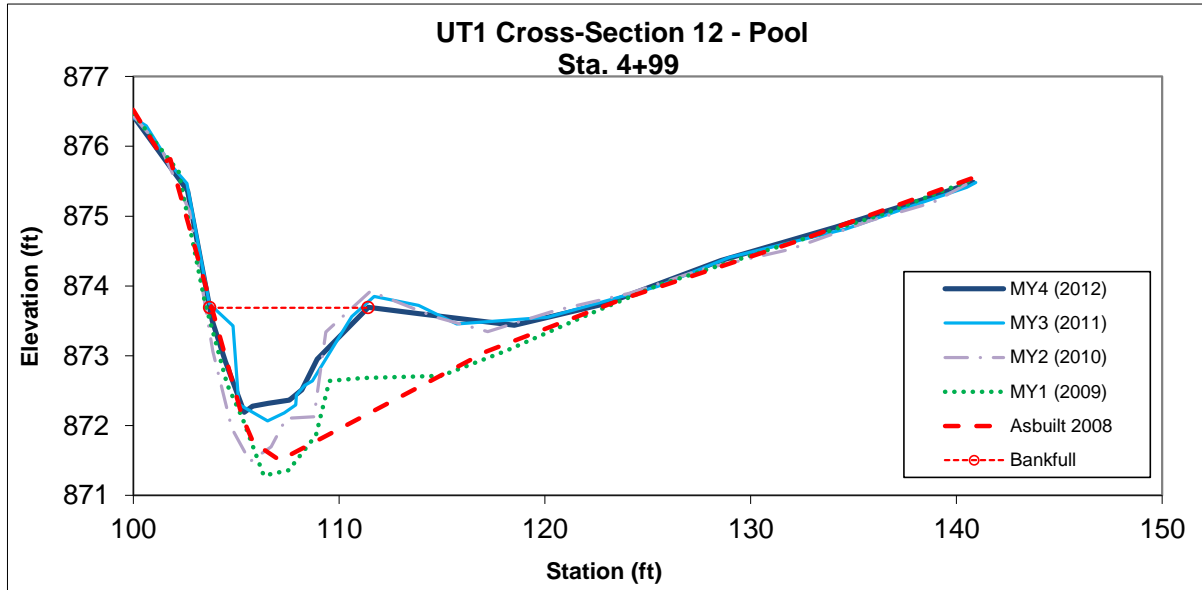


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Photo 46: XS-12 facing left bank



Photo 47: XS-12 facing upstream

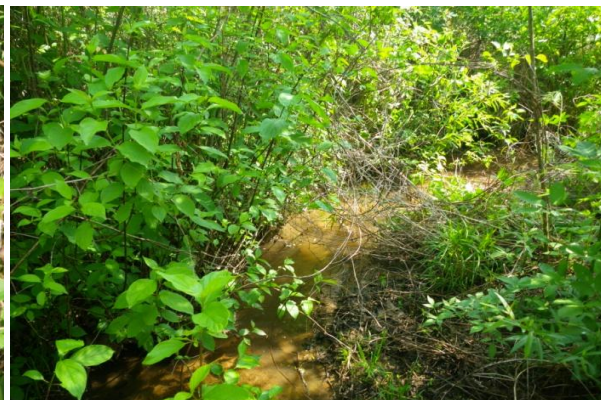


Photo 48: XS-12 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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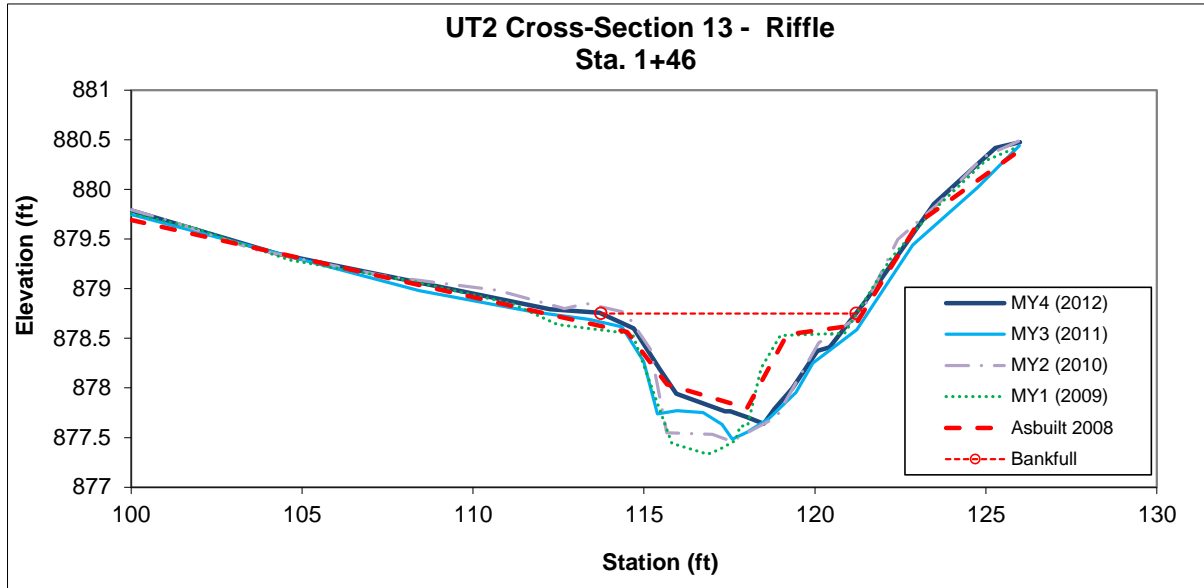


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Photo 50: XS-13 facing left bank

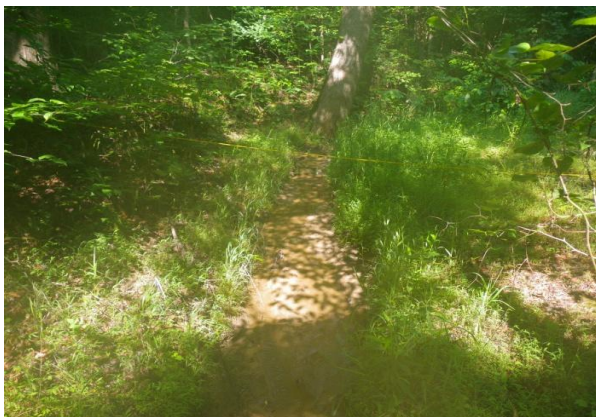


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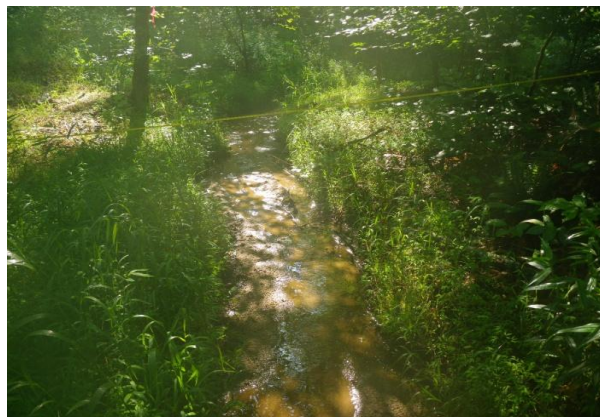


Photo 52: XS-13 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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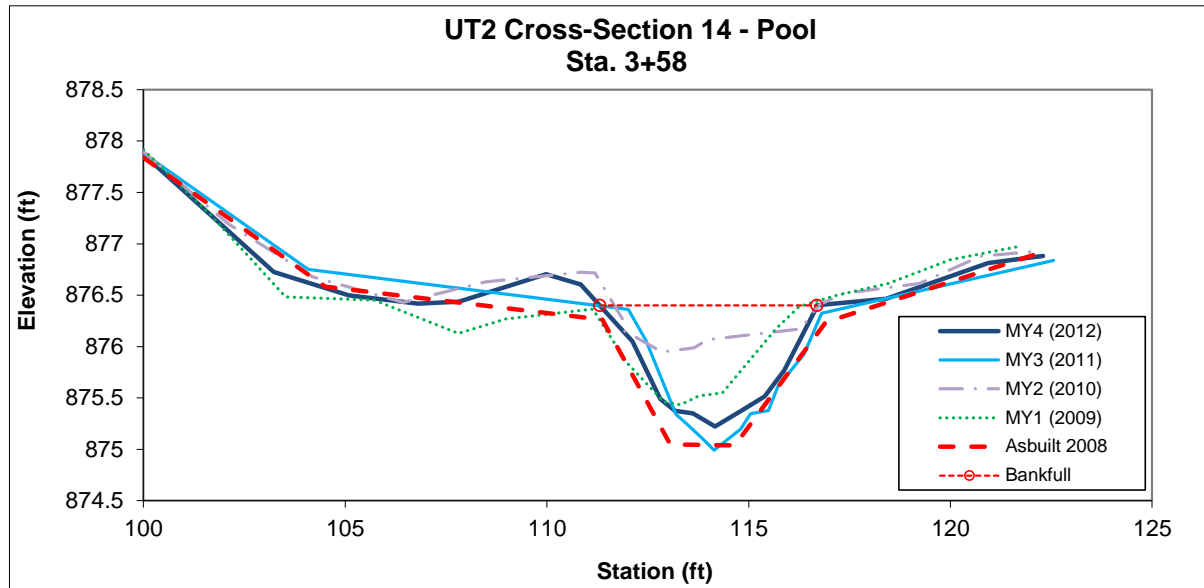


Photo 53: XS-14 facing right bank



Photo 54: XS-14 facing left bank



Photo 55: XS-14 facing upstream



Photo 56: XS-14 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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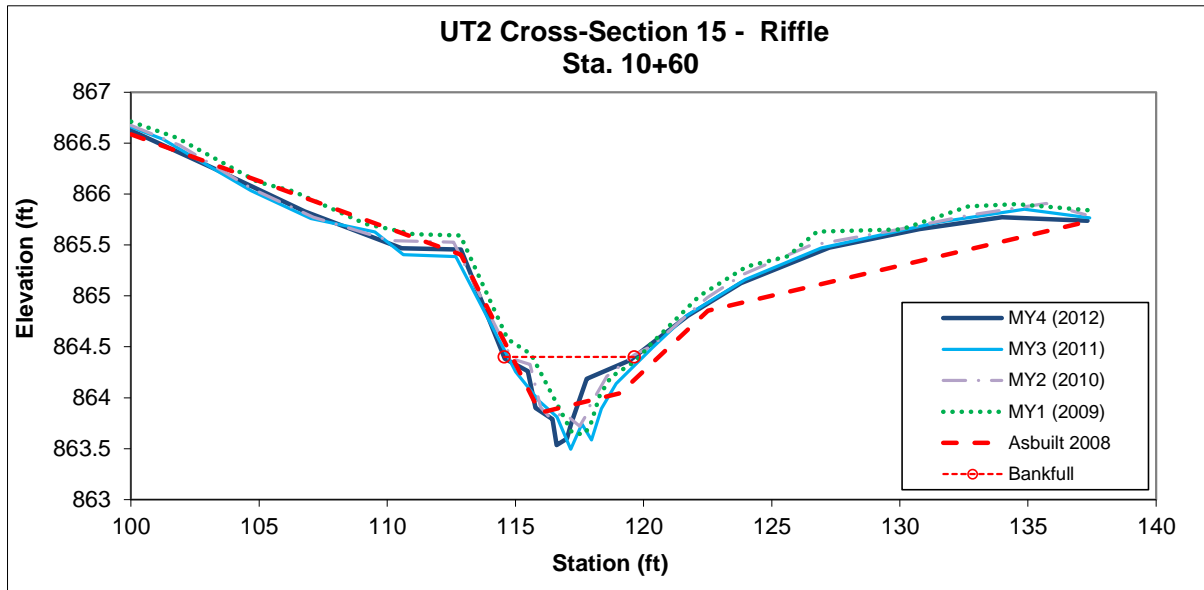


Photo 57: XS-15 facing right bank



Photo 58: XS-15 facing left bank



Photo 59: XS-15 facing upstream



Photo 60: XS-15 facing downstream



Feature	Stream Type	BKF Area	BKF Width	BKF Depth	Max BKF Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
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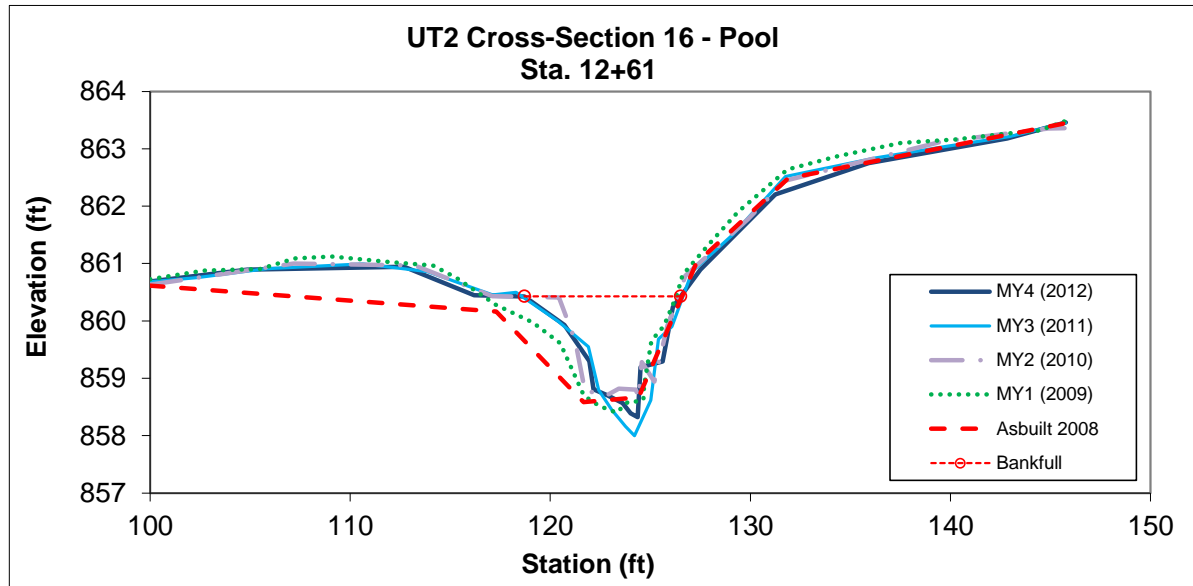


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Photo 63: XS-16 facing downstream

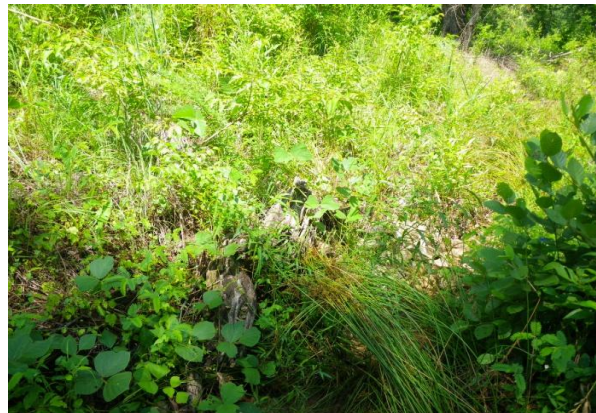
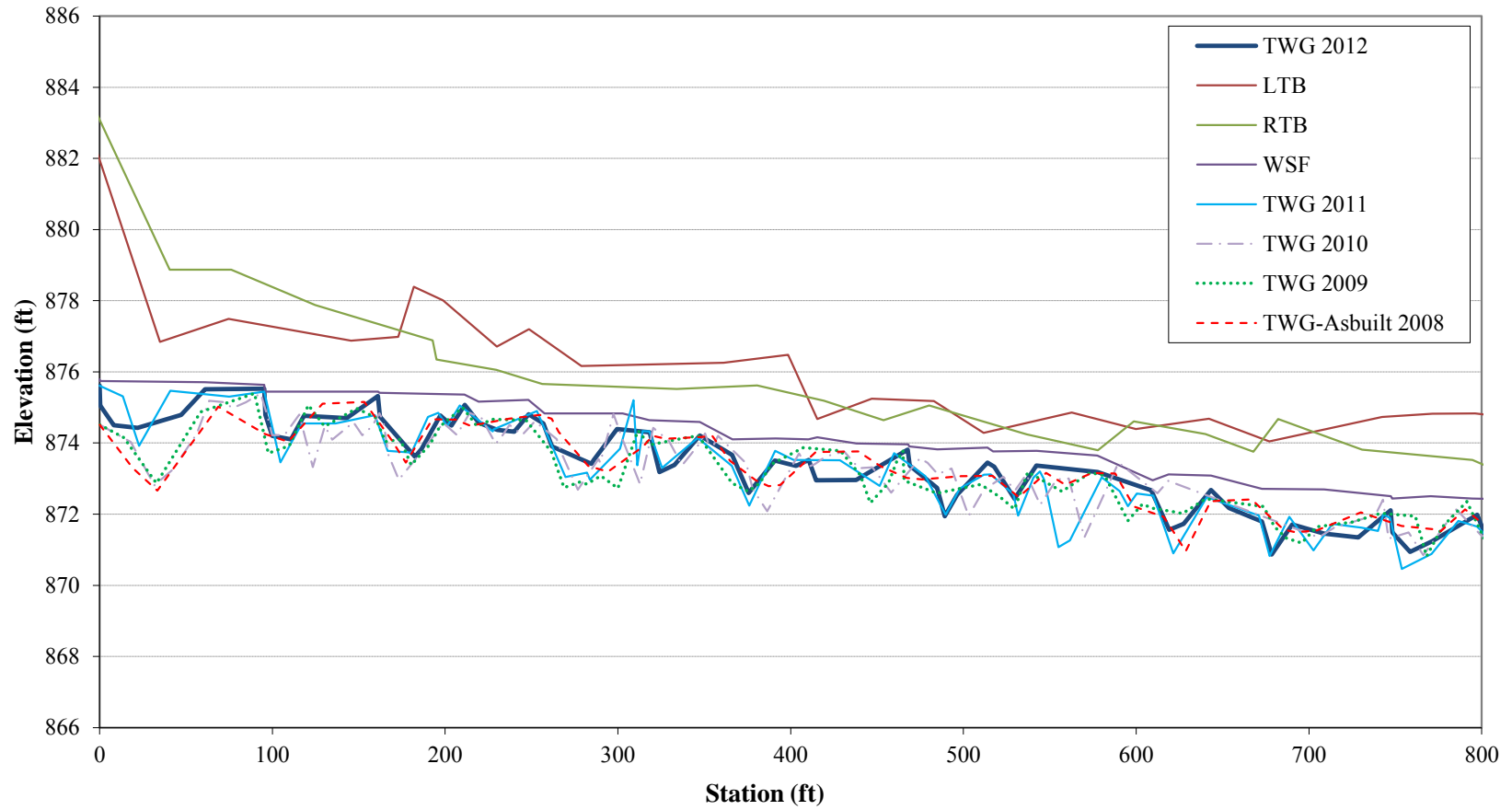
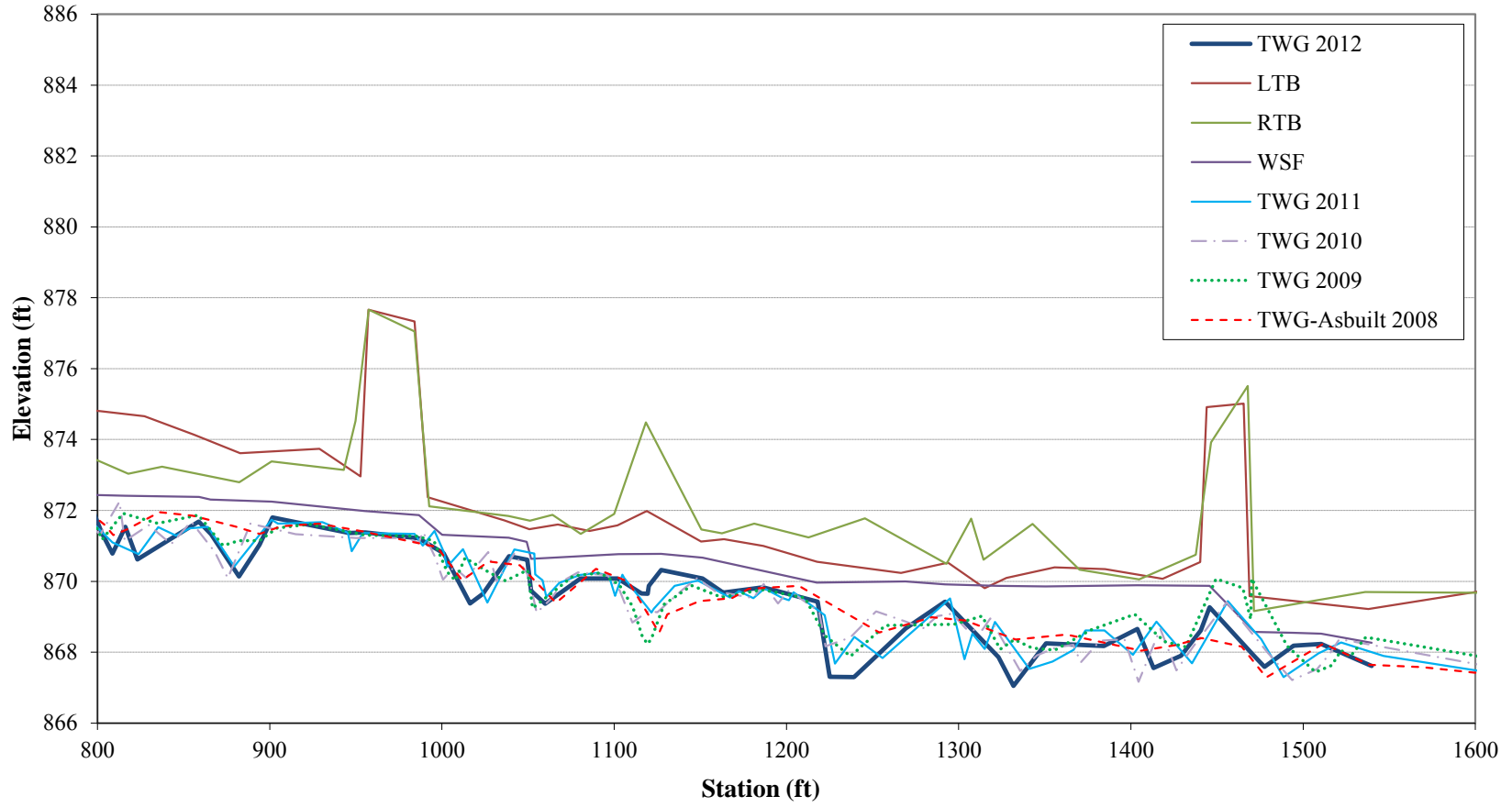


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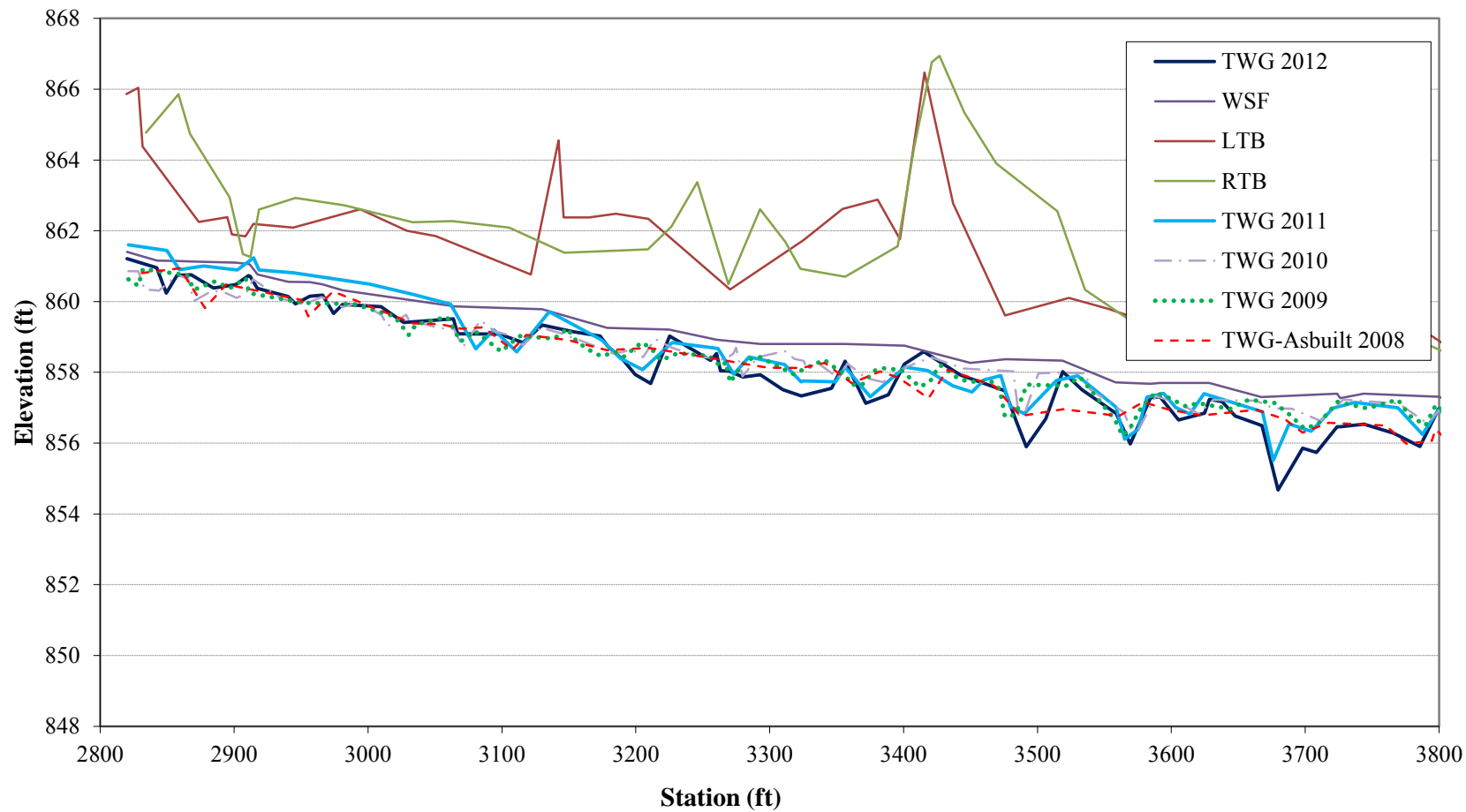
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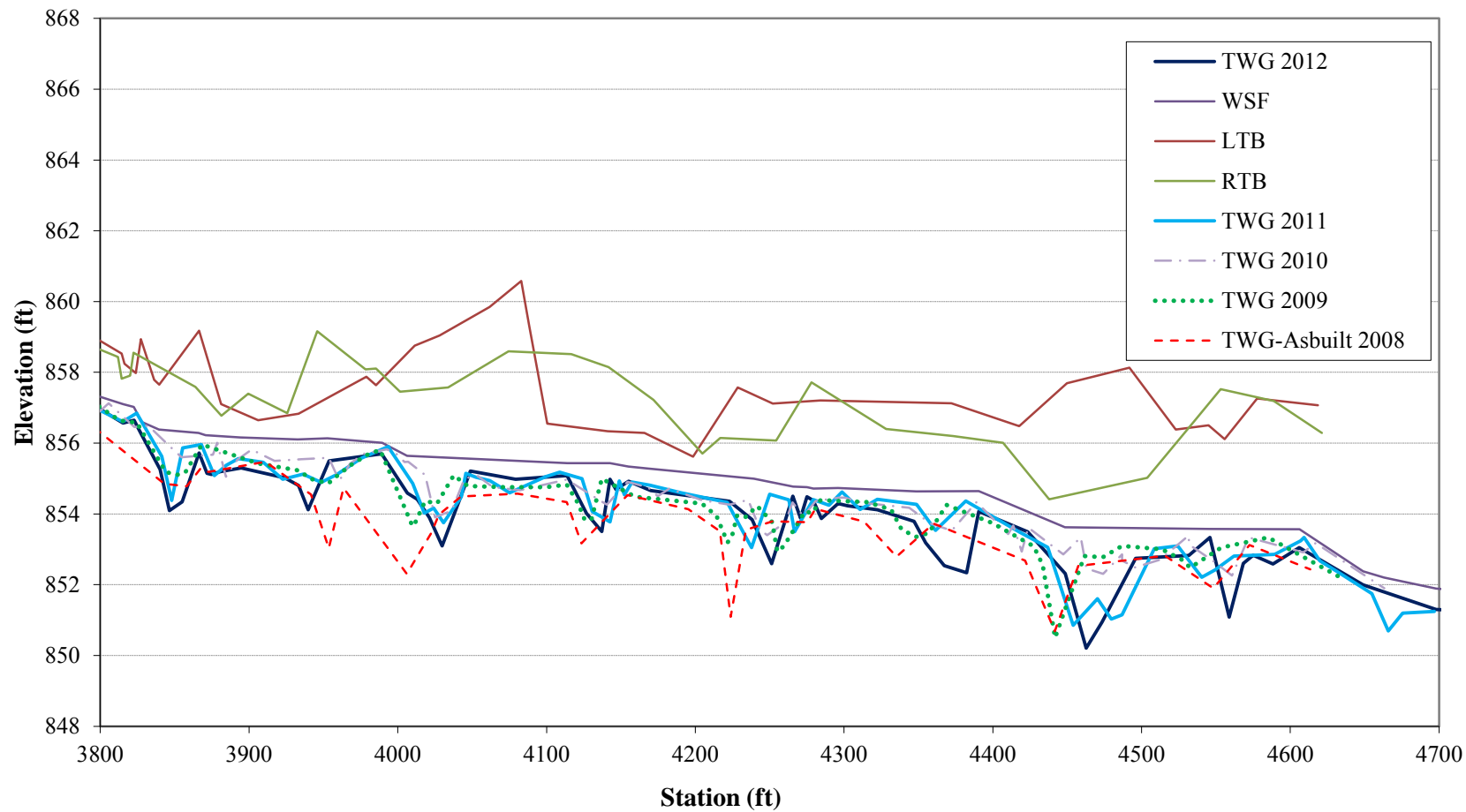
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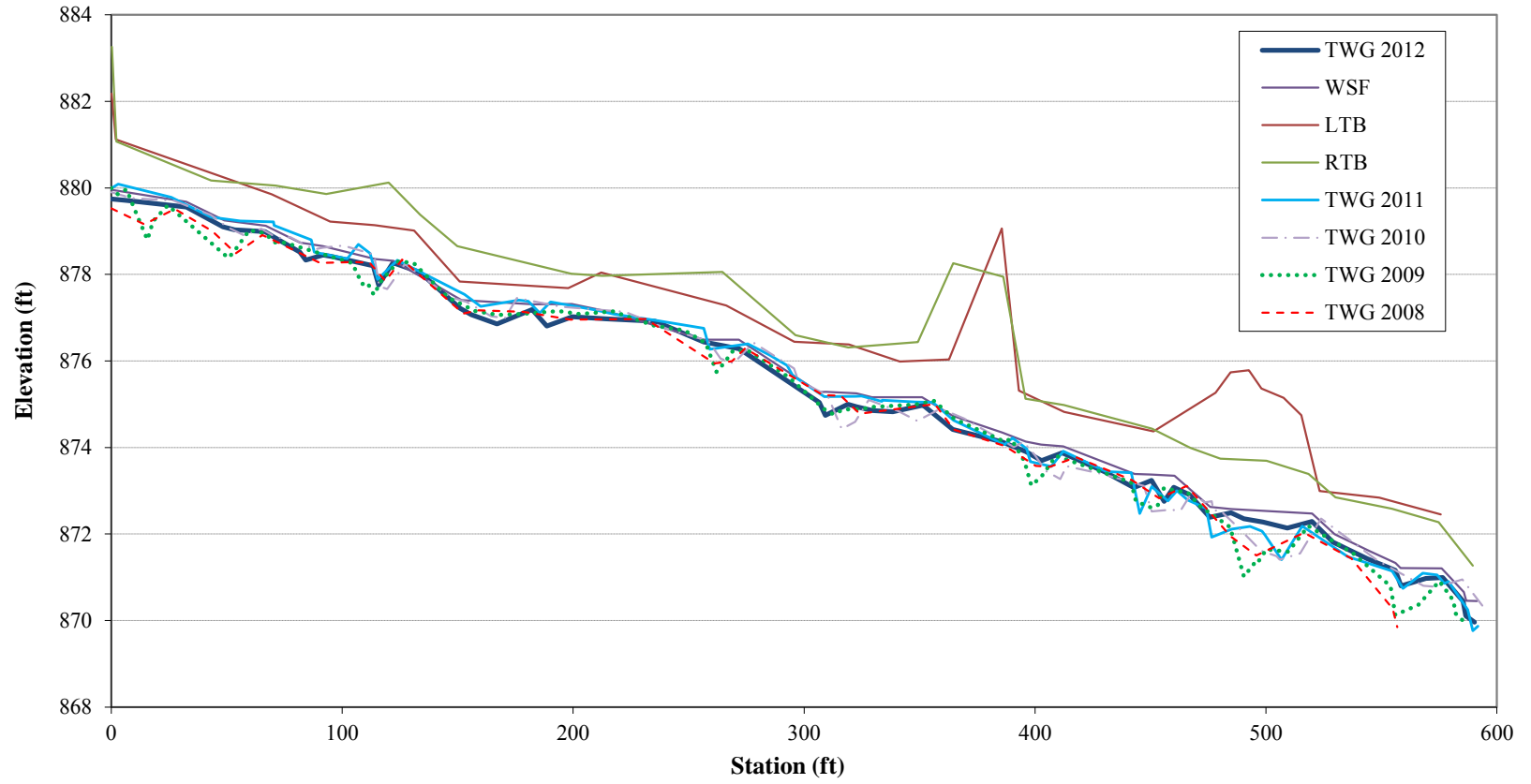
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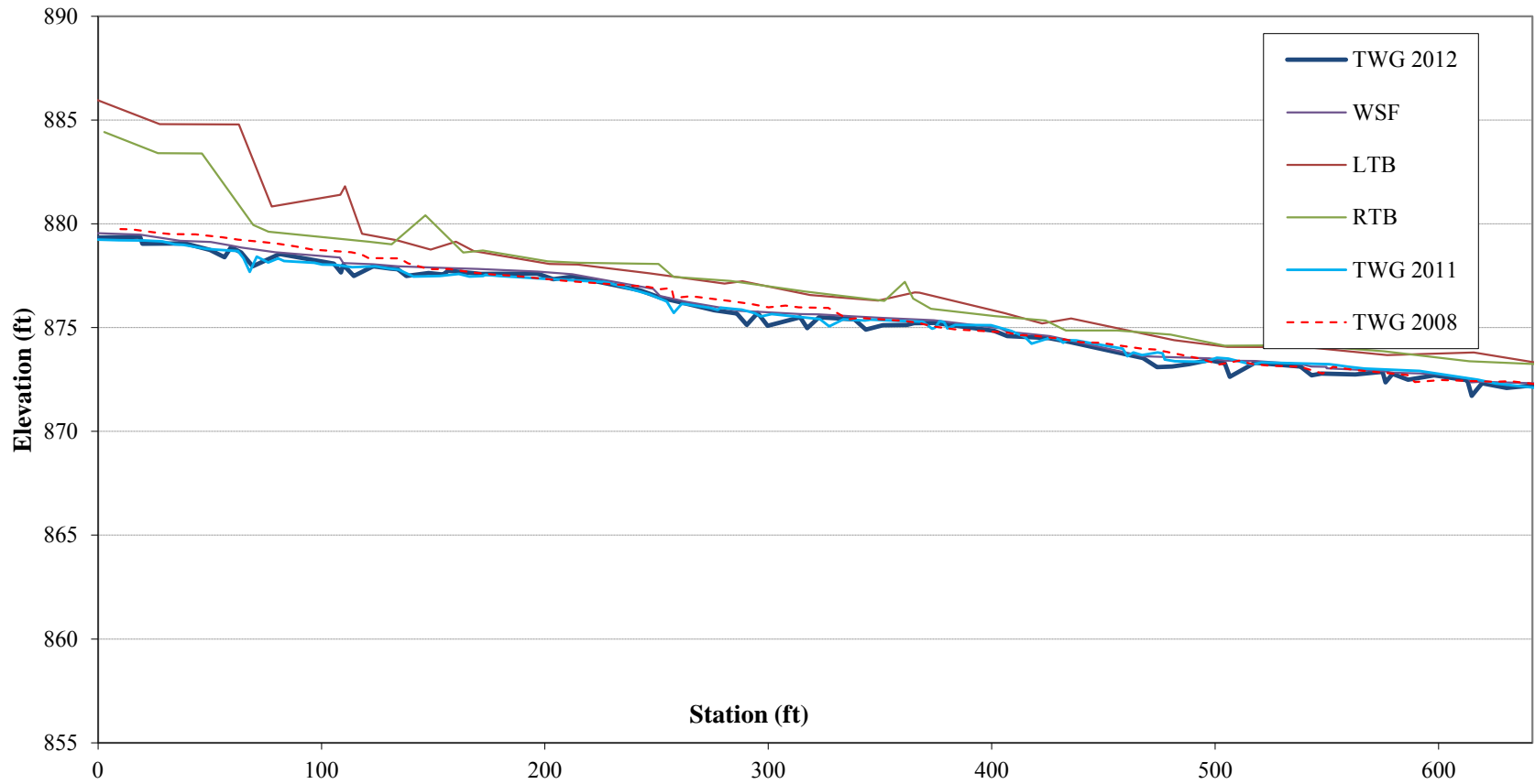


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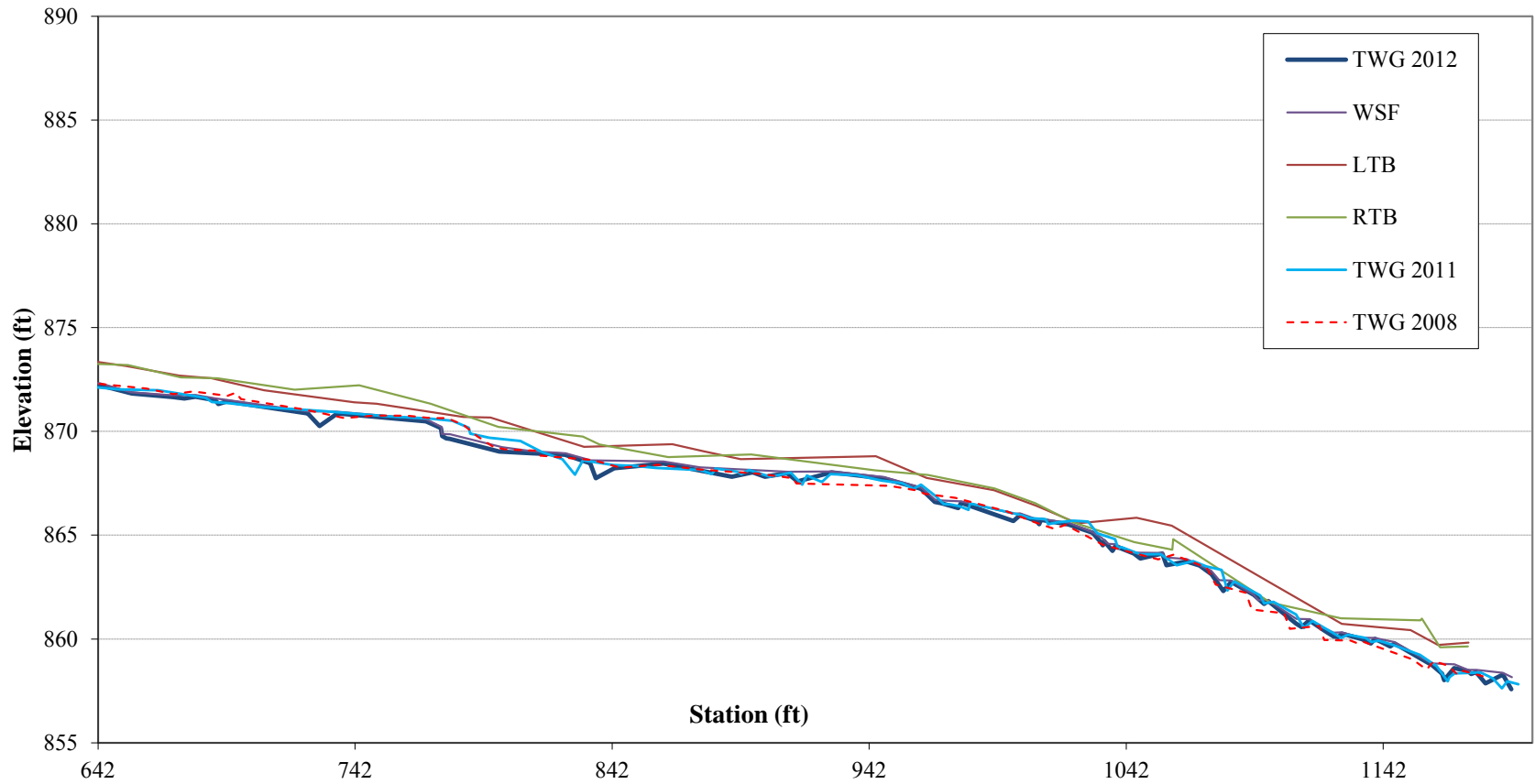




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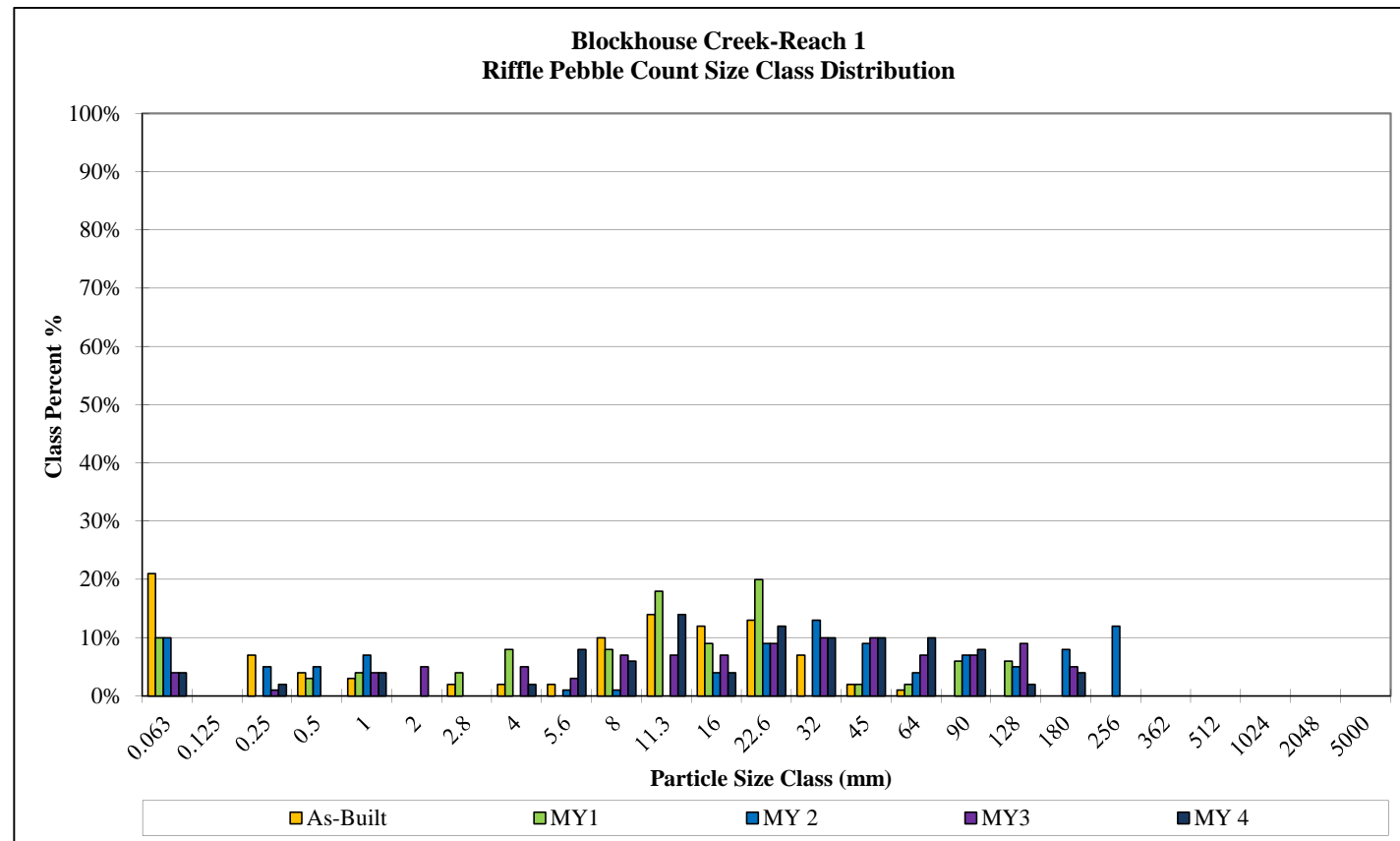
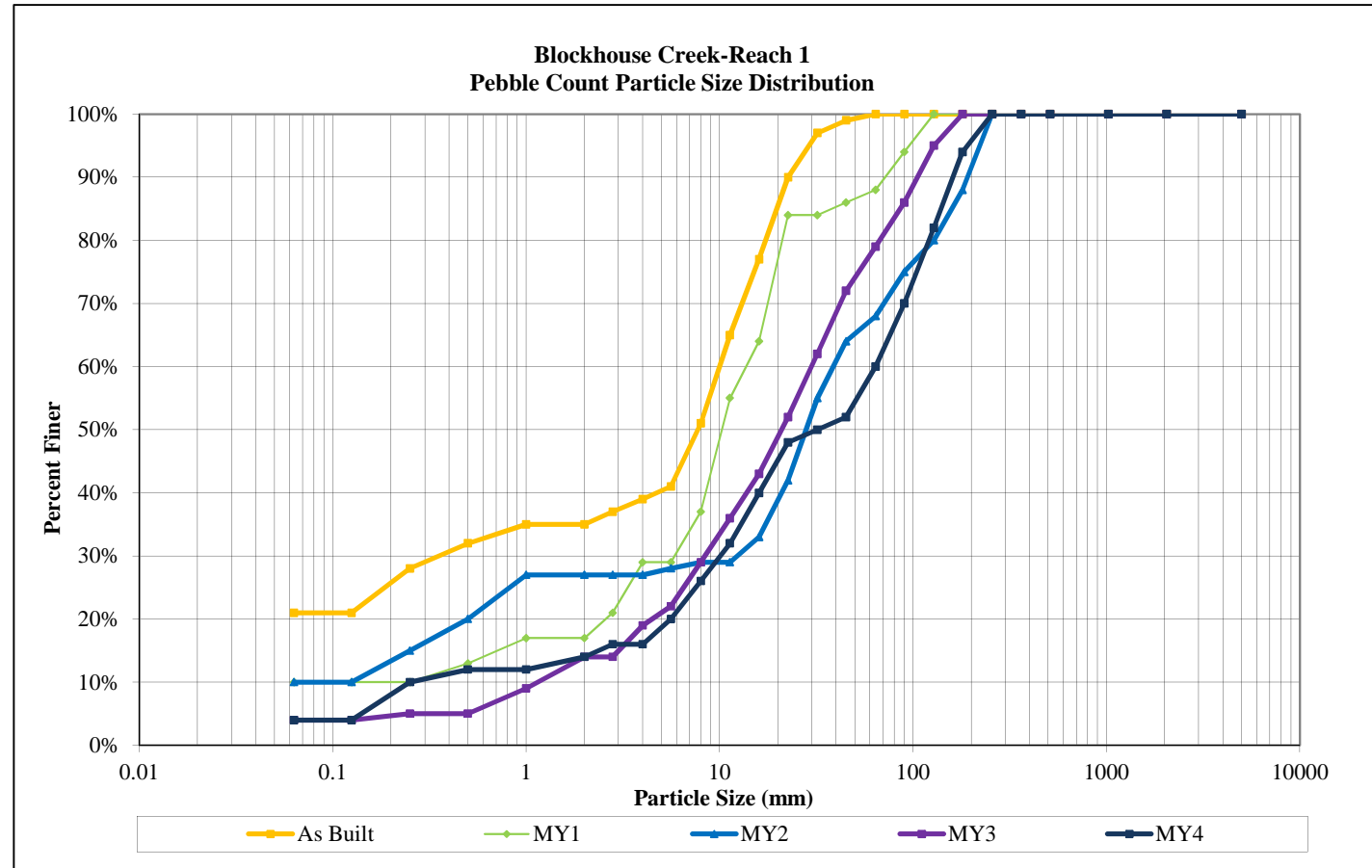


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**Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project, EEP# 92516**

SITE OR PROJECT:	Blockhouse Creek
REACH/LOCATION:	Reach 1, Riffle near Veg Plot 1
FEATURE:	Riffle

			2012		
MATERIAL	PARTICLE	SIZE (mm)	Total	Class %	% Cum
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Sand	Very Fine	.063 - .125		0%	0%
	Fine	.125 - .25		0%	0%
	Medium	.25 - .50	2	2%	6%
	Coarse	.50 - 1.0	4	4%	10%
	Very Coarse	1.0 - 2.0		0%	0%
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	Fine	5.6 - 8.0		0%	0%
	Medium	8.0 - 11.0	6	6%	16%
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Cobble	Small	64 - 90	4	4%	76%
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	Large	128 - 180	10	10%	94%
	Large	180 - 256	6	6%	100%
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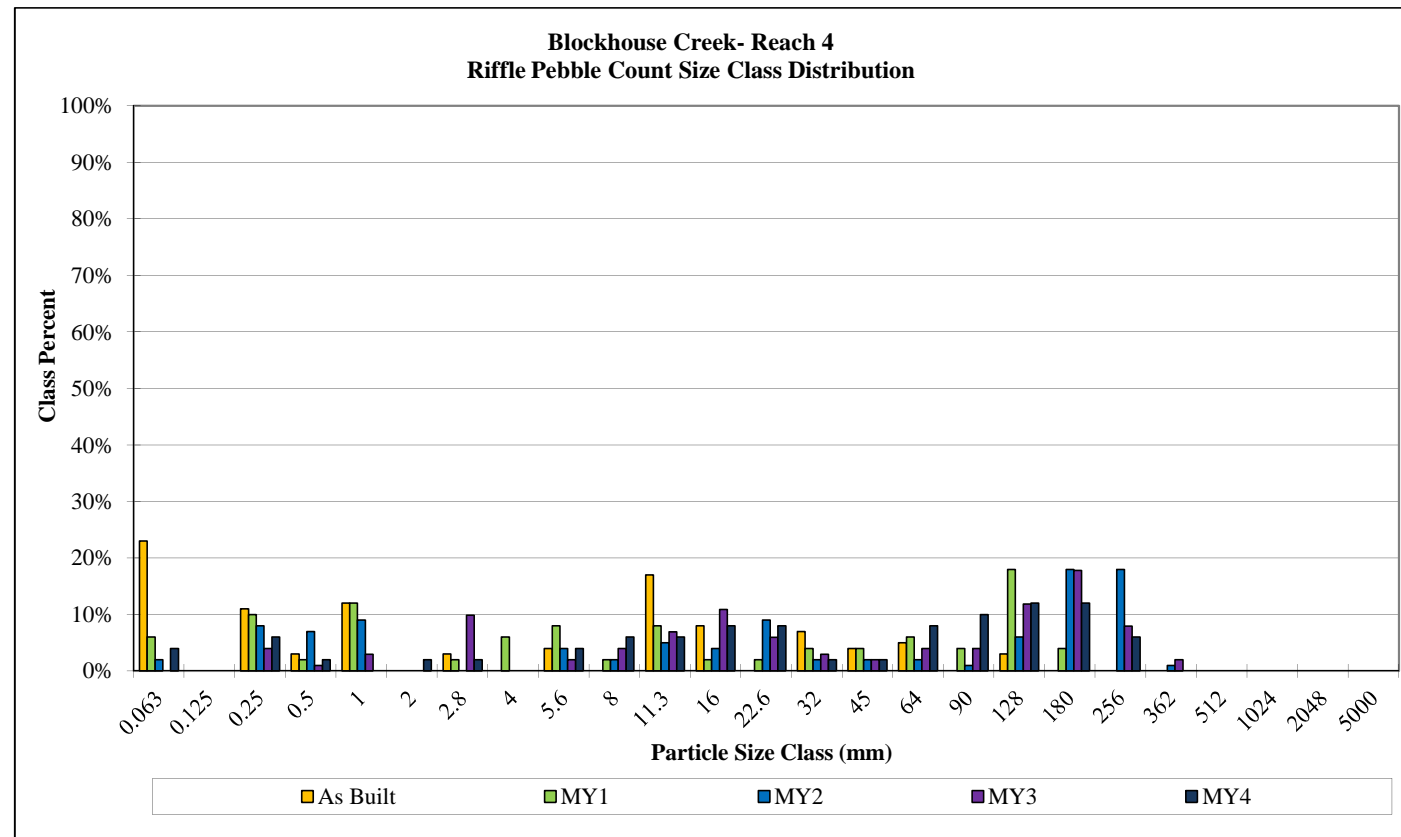
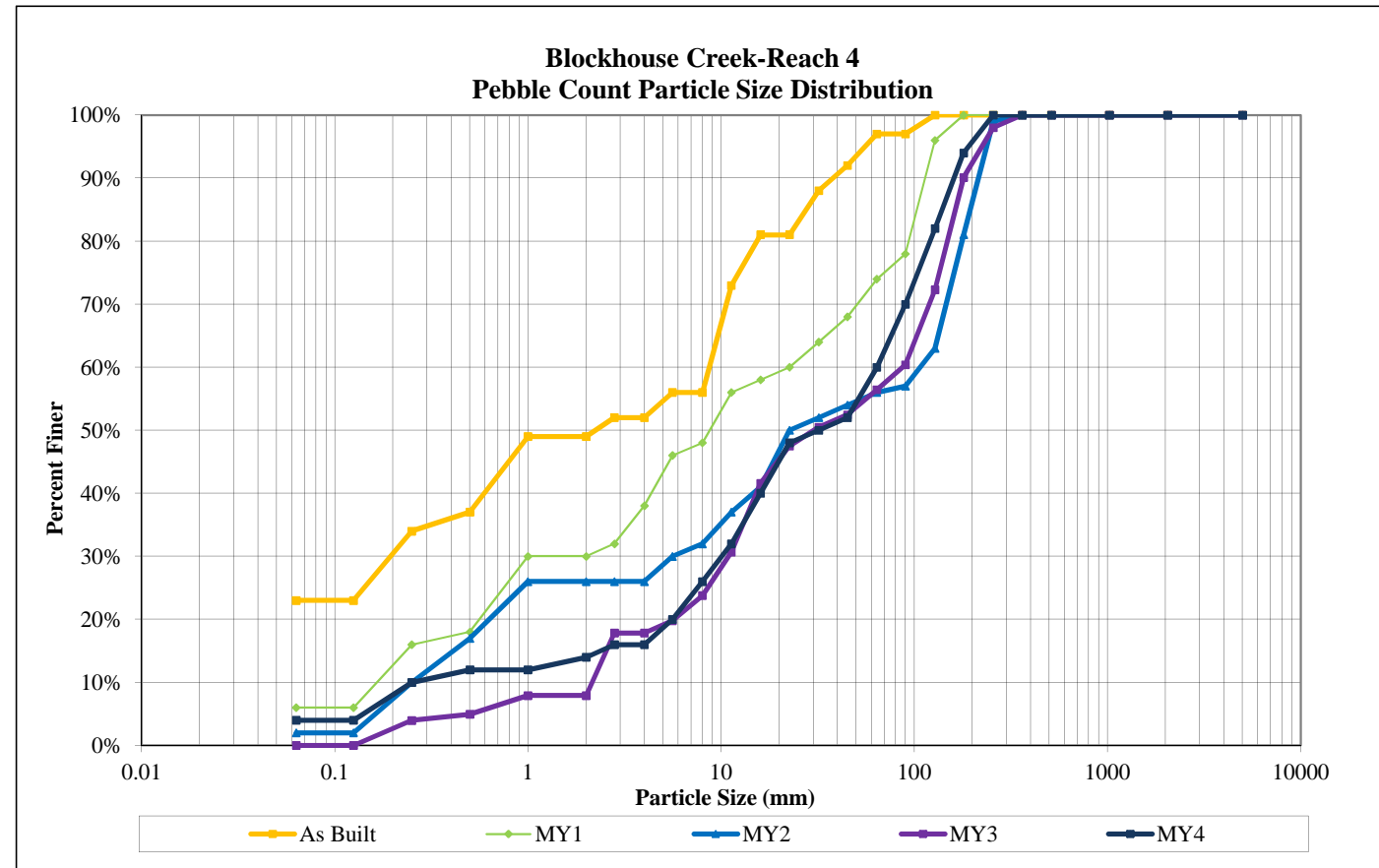


Cross-Section Pebble Count (Blockhouse Creek-Reach 4)  
Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project, EEP# 92516

SITE OR PROJECT:	Blockhouse Creek
REACH/LOCATION:	Reach 4, Riffle near Veg Plot 10
FEATURE:	Riffle

			2012		
MATERIAL	PARTICLE	SIZE (mm)	Total	Class %	% Cum
Silt/Clay	Silt / Clay	< .063	4	4%	4%
Sand	Very Fine	.063 - .125		0%	0%
	Fine	.125 - .25	6	0%	0%
	Medium	.25 - .50	2	2%	6%
	Coarse	.50 - 1.0		4%	10%
	Very Coarse	1.0 - 2.0	2	0%	0%
Gravel	Very Fine	2.0 - 2.8	2	0%	0%
	Very Fine	2.8 - 4.0		0%	0%
	Fine	4.0 - 5.6	4	0%	0%
	Fine	5.6 - 8.0	6	0%	0%
	Medium	8.0 - 11.0	6	6%	16%
	Medium	11.0 - 16.0	8	13%	29%
	Coarse	16 - 22.6	8	10%	39%
	Coarse	22.6 - 32	2	10%	49%
	Very Coarse	32 - 45	2	10%	59%
Very Coarse	45 - 64	8	13%	72%	
Cobble	Small	64 - 90	10	4%	76%
	Small	90 - 128	12	8%	84%
	Large	128 - 180	12	10%	94%
	Large	180 - 256	6	6%	100%
Boulder	Small	256 - 362		2%	102%
	Small	362 - 512		0%	0%
	Medium	512 - 1024		0%	0%
	Large-Very Large	1024 - 2048		0%	0%
Bedrock	Bedrock	> 2048		0%	0%
Total % of whole count			100	100%	102%

Summary Data	
Channel materials	
D <sub>50</sub> =	32
D <sub>84</sub> =	135
D <sub>95</sub> =	191



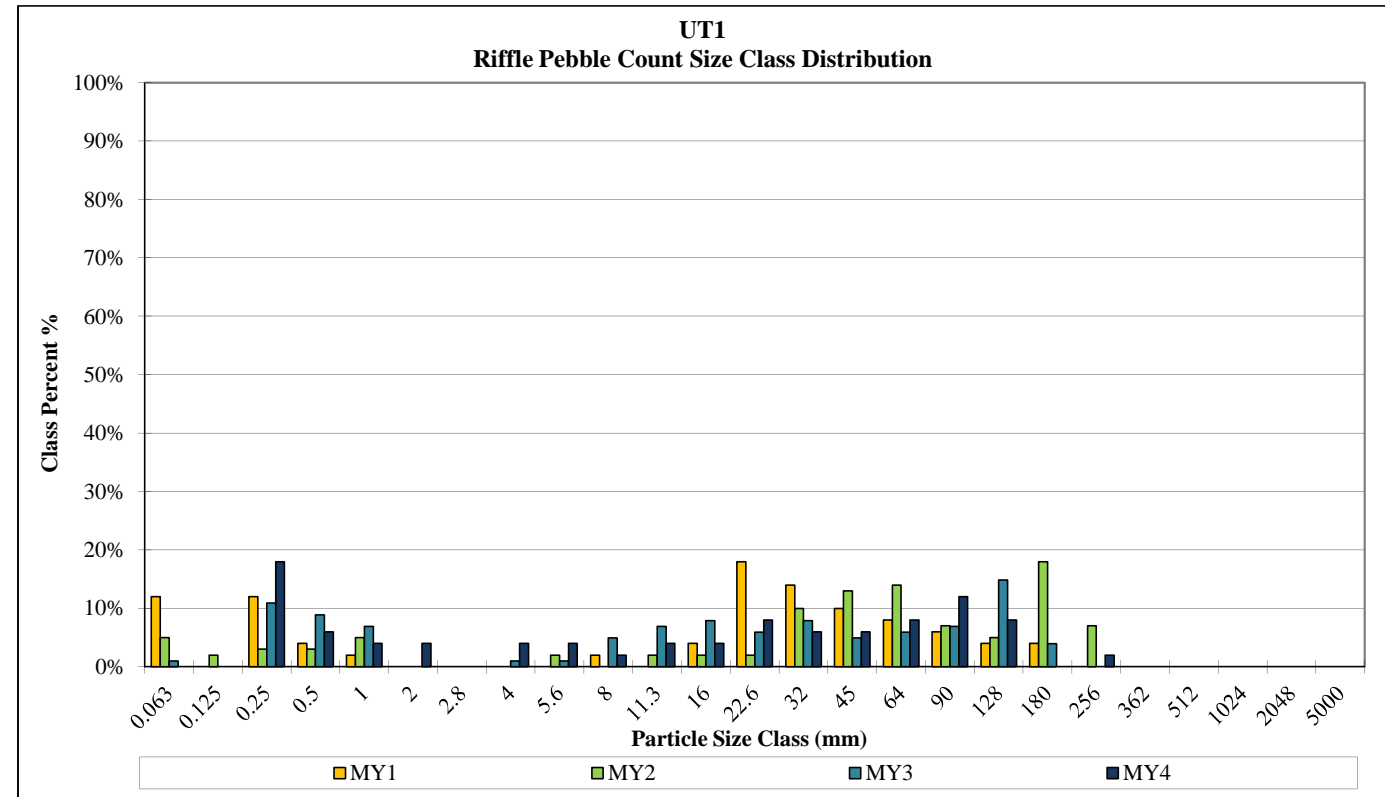
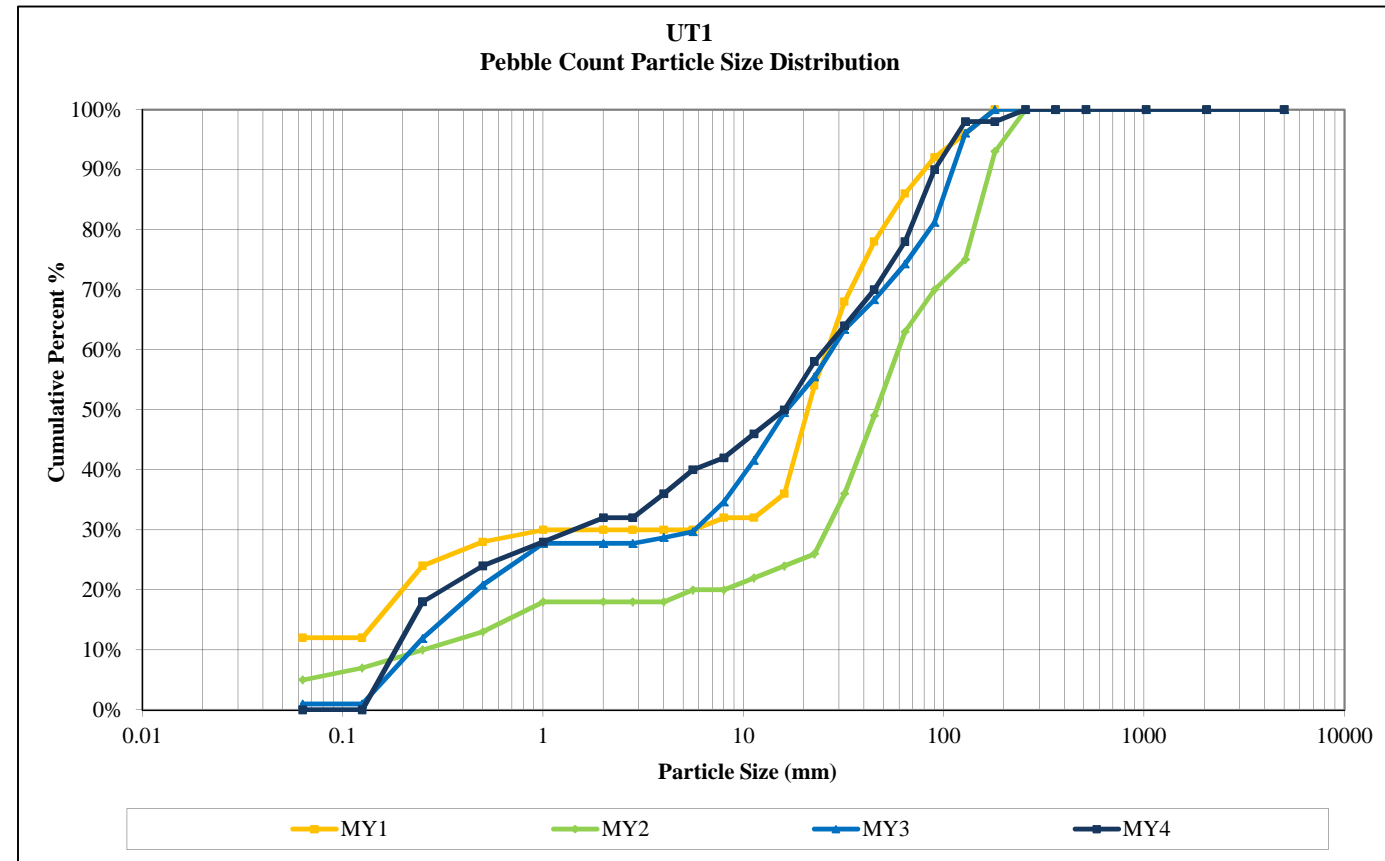
Cross-Section Pebble Count (Blockhouse Creek-UT1)  
 Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project, EEP# 92516

SITE OR PROJECT:	Blockhouse Creek
REACH/LOCATION:	UT1, riffle near confluence
FEATURE:	Riffle

			2012		
MATERIAL	PARTICLE SIZE (mm)		Total	Class %	% Cum
Silt/Clay	Silt / Clay	< .063	12	4%	12%
Sand	Very Fine	.063 - .125		0%	0%
	Fine	.125 - .25	12	0%	0%
	Medium	.25 - .50	4	2%	6%
	Coarse	.50 - 1.0	2	4%	10%
	Very Coarse	1.0 - 2.0		0%	0%
Gravel	Very Fine	2.0 - 2.8		0%	0%
	Very Fine	2.8 - 4.0		0%	0%
	Fine	4.0 - 5.6		0%	0%
	Fine	5.6 - 8.0	2	0%	0%
	Medium	8.0 - 11.0		6%	16%
	Medium	11.0 - 16.0	4	13%	29%
	Coarse	16 - 22.6	18	10%	39%
	Coarse	22.6 - 32	14	10%	49%
	Very Coarse	32 - 45	10	10%	59%
Very Coarse	45 - 64	8	13%	72%	
Cobble	Small	64 - 90	6	4%	76%
	Small	90 - 128	4	8%	84%
	Large	128 - 180	4	10%	94%
	Large	180 - 256		6%	100%
Boulder	Small	256 - 362		2%	102%
	Small	362 - 512		0%	0%
	Medium	512 - 1024		0%	0%
	Large-Very Large	1024 - 2048		0%	0%
Bedrock	Bedrock	> 2048		0%	0%
Total % of whole count			100	100%	102%

Summary Data	
Channel materials	
D <sub>50</sub> =	16
D <sub>84</sub> =	76
D <sub>95</sub> =	113

\*Pebble counts only collected on mainstem during the As-built Survey



<b>Table B1. Monitoring Year 4 Project Repairs and Maintenance Work</b> Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project-#92516		
<b>Station</b>	<b>Issue: Suspected Cause</b>	<b>Repairs/Maintenance Performed</b>
44+25	Bank seepage	Minor re-grading to repair area below rootwad, installation of pipe in bank to carry seepage through structure, matting, install more livestock stakes.

<b>Table B4. Verification of Bankfull or Greater than Bankfull Events</b> Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project-#92516					
Date of Data Collection	Date of Event	Method of Data Collection.	Gauge Watermark Height (inches)		
			Blockhouse Cr. Reach 2	Blockhouse Cr. Reach 4	UT2
April 2010	Mid Nov. 2009	Gauge measurement. Visual inspection of wrack lines and sediment deposition around gauge.	4.75	2.25	2.81
		Gauge measurement. Visual inspection of wrack lines.	7.38	4.81	6.75
	March-April 2010	Gauge measurement. Visual inspection of wrack lines.	9.69	10.69	8.94
May 2011	Between May 2010 and May 2011	Gauge measurement. Visual inspection of wrack lines.	6.7	8.81	7.75
		Gauge measurement.	-	2.75	-
July 2012	April-May 2012	Gauge measurement. Visual inspection of wrack lines.	14.19	4.73	-*
*Not measured due to ant colonization of gauge.					



Table B2. Morphology and Hydraulic Monitoring Summary - Year 4 Monitoring																									
Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project #92516																									
Parameter	Blockhouse Creek Reach 1 (1,070 ft)													Blockhouse Creek Reach 2 (340 ft)											
	Cross Section 1 Riffle						Cross Section 2 Pool						Cross Section 3 Pool						Cross Section 4 Riffle						
	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	
<b>Dimension</b>																									
BF Width (ft)	21.7	21.2	20.6	14.3	14.8		23.5	23.7	27.7	30.9	32.4		23.0	22.1	22.0	22.0	20.6		22.6	19.7	19.8	19.4	20.8		
Floodprone Width (ft)	>54	53.9	53.9	53.9	53.9		>54	55.2	56.6	57.6	57.3		>48	47.5	45.7	45.5	41.1		>57	57.1	57.1	57.6	57.6		
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	29.0	27.4	26.6	17.2	16.2		30.8	31.2	41.3	40.9	40.1		34.2	35.0	38.4	30.8	23.5		34.9	32.2	28.5	26.8	28.5		
BF Mean Depth (ft)	1.34	1.29	1.29	1.20	1.10		1.31	1.32	1.49	1.32	1.24		1.49	1.59	1.75	1.40	1.14		1.54	1.64	1.44	1.38	1.37		
BF Max Depth (ft)	2.29	2.33	2.97	2.57	2.35		2.81	3.16	3.35	3.84	3.42		3.45	3.66	3.18	3.10	2.43		2.92	2.85	2.87	2.96	2.95		
Width/Depth Ratio	16.2	16.5	16.0	12.0	13.5		17.9	18.0	18.6	23.4	26.2		15.5	13.9	12.6	15.7	18.0		14.6	12.0	13.7	14.1	15.2		
Entrenchment Ratio	2.5	2.5	2.6	3.8	3.6		2.3	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.8		2.1	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0		2.5	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.8		
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	24.4	23.8	23.2	16.7	17.0		26.1	26.4	30.7	33.6	34.9		26.0	25.2	25.5	24.8	22.9		25.7	23.0	22.7	22.2	23.6		
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0		1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.1		1.3	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.0		1.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2		
<b>Substrate</b>																									
d50 (mm)	2	10	28	21	19																				
d84 (mm)	26	32	152	82	60																				
Parameter	Blockhouse Creek Reach 3 (950 ft)												Blockhouse Creek Reach 4 (1,780 ft)												
	Cross Section 5 Riffle						Cross Section 6 Pool						Cross Section 7 Riffle						Cross Section 8 Pool						
	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	
<b>Dimension</b>																									
BF Width (ft)	21.5	18.2	16.0	13.4	13.7		24.4	19.8	19.4	18.1	16.2		19.6	20.4	23.3	13.6	14.2		18.4	24.4	25.5	20.4	21.4		
Floodprone Width (ft)	>44	30.6	30.7	28.9	28.4		>36	35.3	34.5	35.5	34.2		>53	53.5	56.2	54.0	54.5		>61	61.2	61.2	61.3	61.1		
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	33.0	31.7	33.1	27.4	28.6		35.4	28.1	23.9	25.0	16.2		34.8	37.2	38.0	25.1	26.3		35.8	35.3	31.7	27.4	36.5		
BF Mean Depth (ft)	1.54	1.75	2.07	2.05	2.09		1.45	1.42	1.23	1.38	1.00		1.77	1.83	1.63	1.85	1.85		1.95	1.45	1.24	1.34	1.71		
BF Max Depth (ft)	3.20	3.13	3.42	2.95	2.87		2.88	2.72	2.29	2.95	2.43		3.15	3.55	3.52	3.25	3.59		4.50	3.06	3.24	3.45	3.95		
Width/Depth Ratio	14.0	10.4	7.7	6.5	6.5		16.8	14.0	15.8	13.1	16.1		11.1	11.1	14.3	7.3	7.7		9.4	16.9	20.6	15.2	12.5		
Entrenchment Ratio	2.1	1.7	1.9	2.2	2.1		1.5	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.1		2.7	2.6	2.4	4.0	3.8		3.3	2.5	2.4	3.0	2.9		
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	24.6	21.7	20.1	17.5	17.8		27.3	22.7	21.9	20.9	18.2		23.2	24.0	26.6	17.3	17.9		22.3	27.3	28.0	23.1	24.8		
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6		1.3	1.2	1.1	1.2	0.9		1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5		1.6	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.5		

Blockhouse Creek Reach 4 (1,780 ft)																		
Parameter	Cross Section 9 Riffle																	
	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5												
<b>Dimension</b>																		
BF Width (ft)	19.0	21.7	22.9	22.2	22.8													
Floodprone Width (ft)	>59	59.2	59.2	59.3	59.2													
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	35.1	42.1	47.2	41.2	41.2													
BF Mean Depth (ft)	1.84	1.94	2.06	1.85	1.81													
BF Max Depth (ft)	2.98	3.28	3.11	2.97	2.97													
Width/Depth Ratio	10.3	11.2	11.1	12.0	12.6													
Entrenchment Ratio	3.1	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.6													
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	22.7	25.6	27.0	25.9	26.4													
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.6	1.6													
<b>Substrate</b>																		
d50 (mm)	2	9	23	21	32													
d84 (mm)	26	101	191	113	135													
Parameter	AB (2008)			MY-1 (2009)			MY-2 (2010)			MY-3 (2011)			MY-4 (2012)			MY-5 (2013)		
	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med
<b>Pattern</b>																		
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	55	102	63	55	102	63	55	102	63	55	102	63	55	102	63			
Radius of Curvature (ft)	16	42	31	16	42	31	16	42	31	16	42	31	16	42	31			
Meander Wavelength (ft)	81	195	138	81	195	138	81	195	138	81	195	138	81	195	138			
Meander Width Ratio	3.0	4.2	3.6	3.0	4.2	3.6	3.0	4.2	3.6	3.0	4.2	3.6	3.0	4.2	3.6			
<b>Profile</b>																		
Riffle length (ft)	15	80	48	15	138	48	17	152	54	11	150	42	19	99	29			
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.00	0.04	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02			
Pool Length (ft)	10	25	18	6	56	28	11	58	24	6	54	23	15	36	23			
Pool Spacing (ft)	30	122	76	45	136	84	50	141	93	53	124	87	59	114	91			
<b>Substrate</b>																		
d50 (mm)	2			9			23			21			32					
d84 (mm)	26			101			191			113			135					
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																		
Valley Length (ft)	2939			2939			2939			2939			2939					
Channel Length (ft)	4140			4140			4140			4140			4140					
Sinuosity	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2			
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.001	0.009	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005			
BF Slope (ft/ft)	0.000	0.020	0.010	0.000	0.020	0.010	0.000	0.020	0.010	0.003	0.013	0.006	0.003	0.008	0.005			
Rosgen Classification	C4/Bc4/E4			C4/Bc/E4			C4/Bc/E4			C4/Bc/E4			C4/Bc/E4					





UT2 Reach (1,155 ft)																									
Parameter	Cross Section 13 Riffle						Cross Section 14 Pool						Cross Section 15 Riffle						Cross Section 16 Riffle						
	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	
<b>Dimension</b>																									
BF Width (ft)	6.7	5.3	6.9	6.9			6.2	5.0	8.9	4.7			8.6	8.2	8.4	5.8			6.9	5.0	5.9	8.4			
Floodprone Width (ft)	19.1	23.2	24.2	23.9			>21	20.1	21.0	21.8			>29	34.3	33.0	16.9			>27	27.1	27.0	39.0			
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	2.6	3.5	5.4	4.6			4.5	2.8	3.7	3.7			5.2	5.4	5.1	2.8			4.9	4.3	7.0	9.1			
BF Mean Depth (ft)	0.38	0.65	0.79	0.66			0.72	0.56	0.42	0.79			0.61	0.65	0.60	0.48			0.71	0.86	1.19	1.08			
BF Max Depth (ft)	0.81	1.21	1.30	1.13			1.24	0.93	0.77	1.33			1.00	1.36	1.20	0.99			1.05	1.30	1.74	2.50			
Width/Depth Ratio	17.6	8.3	8.8	10.5			8.6	8.9	21.4	6.0			14.0	12.6	14.0	12.2			9.6	5.9	5.0	7.8			
Entrenchment Ratio	2.8	4.3	3.5	3.5			3.4	4.0	2.4	4.6			3.4	4.2	3.9	2.9			3.9	2.8	5.2	4.6			
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	7.5	6.6	8.5	8.2			7.7	6.2	9.7	6.3			9.8	9.5	9.6	6.8			8.3	6.7	8.3	10.6			
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6			0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6			0.5	0.6	0.5	0.4			0.6	0.6	0.8	0.9			
<b>Substrate</b>																									
d50 (mm)	----	----	----																						
d84 (mm)	----	----	----																						
Parameter	AB (2008)			MY-1 (2009)			MY-2 (2010)			MY-3 (2011)			MY-4 (2012)			MY-5 (2013)									
	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med							
<b>Pattern</b>																									
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	20	53	35	20	53	35	20	53	35	20	53	35	20	53	35										
Radius of Curvature (ft)	12	33	19	12	33	19	12	33	19	12	33	19	12	33	19										
Meander Wavelength (ft)	47	120	81	47	120	81	47	120	81	47	120	81	47	120	81										
Meander Width Ratio	3	6	5	4	6	5	3	6	5	4	6	5													
<b>Profile</b>																									
Riffle length (ft)	5	41	23	7	51	11	26	59	24	8	46	20	5	42	13										
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.01	0.08	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.02	0.01	0.07	0.02										
Pool Length (ft)	3	15	9	4	17	7	6	17	7	3	23	9	3	23	9										
Pool Spacing (ft)	12	38	25	15	42	22	17	42	28	14	56	21	14	45	24										
<b>Substrate</b>																									
d50 (mm)		----			----			----			----			----			----								
d84 (mm)		----			----			----			----			----			----								
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																									
Valley Length (ft)		946			946			946			946			946											
Channel Length (ft)		1155			1155			1155			1155			1155											
Sinuosity	1.14	1.28	1.21	1.14	1.28	1.21	0.84	1.23	1.04	1.10	1.27	1.19	1.07	1.26	1.17										
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)	0.010	0.030	0.020	0.013	0.041	0.027	0.010	0.020	0.020		0.018			0.014											
BF Slope (ft/ft)	0.020	0.030	0.020	0.020	0.030	0.020	0.020	0.030	0.020	0.021	0.021	0.021	0.021	0.022	0.022										
Rosgen Classification		Bc5/Cb			Bc/Cb5/E5			Bc/Cb5/E5			Bc/Cb5			Bc/Cb5											

Notes: Any discrepancy between As-built data presented in this report in Tables B2 and B3 and the original report are based on corrections for calculating median instead of mean in some locations.

**Table B' . Baseline Stream Summary - Year 4 Monitoring**  
**Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project #92516**

Baseline Stream Summary Blockhouse Creek: Reach 1																									
Parameter	Regional Curve Equation	Pre-Existing Condition			Reference Reach(es) Data			Design			(As-Built)			Monitoring Year 1			Monitoring Year 2			Monitoring Year 3			Monitoring Year 4		
	Eq.	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Med	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max
<b>Dimension - Riffle</b>																									
Bankfull Width (ft)	16.5	----	16.9	----	18.5	20.0	21.5	18.5	20.0	21.5	----	21.7	----	----	21.2	----	----	21.2	----	----	14.3	----	----	14.8	----
Floodprone Width (ft)	----	----	33.0	----	----	----	----	----	70+	----	----	53.9	----	----	53.9	----	----	53.9	----	----	53.9	----	----	53.9	----
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.82	----	1.80	----	1.80	2.30	2.80	----	1.9	----	----	1.34	----	----	1.29	----	----	1.29	----	----	1.20	----	----	1.10	----
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	----	----	3.00	----	2.50	3.30	4.10	----	2.5	----	----	2.29	----	----	2.33	----	----	2.33	----	----	2.57	----	----	2.35	----
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	29.9	----	30.6	----	39.6	47.1	54.5	----	29.4	----	----	29.0	----	----	27.4	----	----	27.4	----	----	17.2	----	----	16.2	----
Width/Depth Ratio	----	----	9.4	----	9.2	10.6	11.9	----	8.2	----	----	16.2	----	----	16.5	----	----	16.5	----	----	12.0	----	----	13.5	----
Entrenchment Ratio	----	----	1.9	----	6.1	6.4	6.7	----	>2.2	----	----	2.5	----	----	2.5	----	----	2.5	----	----	3.8	----	----	3.6	----
Bank Height Ratio	----	----	2.8	----	1.0	1.1	1.1	----	1.05	----	----	1.6	----	----	0.9	----	----	0.9	----	----	1.0	----	----	0.7	----
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	----	----	2.9	----	3.5	4.3	5.0	----	3.1	----	----	3.1	----	----	3.3	----	----	3.3	----	----	5.2	----	----	5.5	----
<b>Pattern</b>																									
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	----	6	10	14	31	37	44	55	90	124	59	81	102	59	81	102	59	81	102	59	81	102	59	81	102
Radius of Curvature (ft)	----	----	----	----	42	53	63	16	24	31	16	23	31	16	23	31	16	23	31	16	23	31	16	23	31
Meander Wavelength (ft)	----	----	----	----	185	223	260	109	148	186	109	150	192	109	150	192	109	150	192	109	150	192	109	150	192
Meander Width Ratio	----	----	0.6	----	1.5	1.8	2.2	3.0	4.4	5.8	----	3.7	----	----	3.8	----	----	3.8	----	----	5.6	----	----	5.4	----
<b>Profile</b>																									
Riffle Length (ft)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	25	70	115	19	37	73	20	45	131	17	47	107	11	37	95	19	39	99
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	----	----	----	----	0.015	0.017	0.019	0.008	0.010	0.011	0.003	0.009	0.014	0.004	0.008	0.019	0.003	0.007	0.014	0.003	0.012	0.023	0.005	0.018	0.030
Pool Length (ft)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	8	22	35	13	17	21	6	28	45	11	25	44	11	19	25	15	25	36
Pool Spacing (ft)	----	----	----	----	98	139	180	62	86	109	65	78	90	65	74	107	50	78	125	56	84	113	59	86	114
<b>Substrate and Transport Parameters</b>																									
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95	----	0.3 / 0.58	1.0/6/12	----	----	----	----	0.3 / 0.58	1.0/6/12	----	NA/5.01/11/23/31	----	----	84/7.32/10/32/95	----	----	.29/17/28/152/221	----	----	3.23/11/21/82/128	----	----	4.73/10/19/60/107	----	
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/ft2	----	0.38	----	----	----	----	----	0.33	----	----	0.32	----	----	0.32	----	----	0.32	----	----	0.35	----	----	0.36	----	
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m2	----	1.1	----	----	----	----	----	1.0	----	----	1.0	----	----	1.0	----	----	1.0	----	----	1.9	----	----	2.0	----	
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																									
Channel length (ft)	----	887	----	----	330	----	----	1070	----	----	1070	----	----	1070	----	----	1070	----	----	1070	----	----	1070	----	1070
Drainage Area (SM)	----	1.6	----	0.2	1.9	2.3	----	1.6	----	----	1.6	----	----	1.6	----	----	1.6	----	----	1.6	----	----	1.6	----	
Rosgen Classification	----	E4	----	----	C/E4	----	----	E4	----	----	C4	----	----	C4	----	----	C4	----	----	C4	----	----	C4	----	
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)	126.72	90	----	----	----	----	----	90	----	----	90	----	----	90	----	----	90	----	----	90	----	----	90	----	
Sinuosity	----	1.01	----	----	1.10	----	----	1.10	----	----	1.18	----	----	1.18	----	----	1.18	----	----	1.18	----	----	1.20	----	
BF slope (ft/ft)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	0.007	----	----	0.005	----	----	0.005	----	----	0.007	----	----	0.008	----	----	0.008	----	

**Table B' . Baseline Stream Summary - Year 4 Monitoring  
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Baseline Stream Summary Blockhouse Creek: Reach 2																									
Parameter	Regional Curve Equation	Pre-Existing Condition			Reference Reach(es) Data			Design			(As-Built)			Monitoring Year 1			Monitoring Year 2			Monitoring Year 3			Monitoring Year 4		
Dimension - Riffle	Eq.	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Med	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max
Bankfull Width (ft)	17.7	----	25.6	----	18.5	20.0	21.5	18.5	20.0	21.5	----	22.6	----	----	19.7	----	----	19.8	----	----	19.4	----	----	20.8	----
Floodprone Width (ft)	----	----	37.5	----	----	----	----	----	70+	----	----	57.3	----	----	57.1	----	----	57.1	----	----	45.5	----	----	57.6	----
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.92	----	1.94	----	1.80	2.30	2.80	----	2.25	----	----	1.54	----	----	1.64	----	----	1.44	----	----	1.40	----	----	1.37	----
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	----	----	3.3	----	2.50	3.30	4.10	----	3.00	----	----	2.92	----	----	2.85	----	----	2.87	----	----	3.10	----	----	2.95	----
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	34.0	----	49.7	----	39.6	47.1	54.5	----	35.6	----	----	34.9	----	----	32.2	----	----	28.5	----	----	30.8	----	----	28.5	----
Width/Depth Ratio	----	----	13.2	----	9.2	10.6	11.9	----	8.0	----	----	14.6	----	----	12.0	----	----	13.7	----	----	15.7	----	----	15.2	----
Entrenchment Ratio	----	----	1.5	----	6.1	6.4	6.7	----	>2.2	----	----	2.5	----	----	2.9	----	----	2.9	----	----	3.0	----	----	2.8	----
Bank Height Ratio	----	----	2.0	----	1.0	1.1	1.1	----	1.0	----	----	0.9	----	----	1.0	----	----	1.0	----	----	0.9	----	----	0.0	----
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	----	----	2.4	----	3.5	4.3	5.0	----	3.4	----	----	3.4	----	----	3.7	----	----	4.2	----	----	3.9	----	----	4.2	----
<b>Pattern</b>																									
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	----	5	9	12	31	37	44	63	104	144	57	82	100	57	82	100	57	82	100	57	82	100	57	82	100
Radius of Curvature (ft)	----	----	----	----	42	53	63	18	27	36	31	34	37	31	34	37	31	34	37	31	34	37	31	34	37
Meander Wavelength (ft)	----	----	----	----	185	64	260	126	171	216	146	166	186	146	166	186	146	166	186	146	166	186	146	166	186
Meander Width Ratio	----	----	0.3	----	1.5	1.8	2.2	3.4	5.1	6.7	----	3.6	----	----	4.2	----	----	4.1	----	----	4.2	----	----	3.9	----
<b>Profile</b>																									
Riffle Length (ft)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	25	55	85	35	56	76	15	44	72	22	46	71	11	21	39	11	22	32
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	----	----	----	----	0.015	0.017	0.019	0.008	0.005	0.001	0.011	0.023	0.035	0.001	0.009	0.017	0.002	0.007	0.013	0.000	0.005	0.010	0.009	0.011	0.013
Pool Length (ft)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	8	22	35	15	20	25	18	21	26	29	32	37	16	25	33	19	29	44
Pool Spacing (ft)	----	----	----	----	98	139	180	72	99	126	58	89	120	45	85	119	69	98	113	95	102	113	81	99	109
<b>Substrate and Transport Parameters</b>																									
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95	----	.87/2.99/7.6/19/22			----			.87/2.99/7.6/19/22			NA/5.01/11/23/31			.84/7.32/10/32/95			.29/17/28/152/221			3.23/11/21/82/128			4.73/10/19/60/107		
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/ft <sup>2</sup>	----	----	0.45	----	----	----	----	----	0.54	----	----	0.50	----	----	0.50	----	----	0.52	----	----	0.38	----	----	0.35	----
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m <sup>2</sup>	----	----	1.09	----	----	----	----	----	1.83	----	----	1.73	----	----	1.87	----	----	2.19	----	----	1.49	----	----	1.47	----
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																									
Channel length (ft)	----	----	340	----	----	330	----	----	340	----	----	340	----	----	340	----	----	340	----	----	340	----	----	340	----
Drainage Area (SM)	----	----	2.0	----	0.2	1.9	2.3	----	2.0	----	----	2.0	----	----	2.0	----	----	2.0	----	----	2.0	----	----	2.0	----
Rosgen Classification	----	----	E4	----	----	C/E4	----	----	E4	----	----	C4	----	----	Bc/C4	----	----	Bc/C4	----	----	Bc/C4	----	----	Bc/C4	----
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)	145	----	120	----	----	----	----	----	120	----	----	120	----	----	120	----	----	120	----	----	120	----	----	120	----
Sinuosity	----	----	1.02	----	----	1.10	----	----	1.10	----	----	1.18	----	----	1.18	----	----	1.18	----	----	1.20	----	----	1.20	----
BF slope (ft/ft)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	0.012	----	----	0.018	----	----	0.018	----	----	0.018	----	----	0.005	----	----	0.005	----





**Table B' . Baseline Stream Summary - Year 4 Monitoring  
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**Baseline Stream Summary  
Blockhouse Creek: Reach 4**

Parameter	Regional Curve Equation	Pre-Existing Condition			Reference Reach(es) Data			Design			(As-Built)			Monitoring Year 1			Monitoring Year 2			Monitoring Year 3			Monitoring Year 4																				
		Eq.	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Med	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max																	
<b>Dimension - Riffle</b>																																											
Bankfull Width (ft)	19.2	18.2	18.9	19.5	18.5	20.0	21.5	18.5	20.0	21.5	19.0	19.3	19.6	20.4	21.0	21.7	20.4	21.0	21.7	13.6	17.9	22.2	14.2	18.5	22.8																		
Floodprone Width (ft)	-----	23.2	41.6	60	----	----	----	----	50+	-----	52.8	56.1	59.4	53.5	56.4	59.2	53.5	56.4	59.2	56.2	57.8	59.3	54.5	56.8	59.2																		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	2.05	1.83	1.92	2.0	1.80	2.30	2.80	-----	2.25	-----	1.77	1.81	1.84	1.83	1.89	1.94	1.83	1.89	1.94	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.81	1.83	1.85																		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	-----	3.0	3.10	3.2	2.50	3.30	4.10	-----	3.00	-----	2.98	3.07	3.15	3.28	3.42	3.55	3.28	3.42	3.55	2.97	3.11	3.45	2.97	3.28	3.59																		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	39.3	35.6	36.0	36.3	39.6	47.1	54.5	-----	35.6	-----	34.8	35.0	35.1	37.2	39.7	42.1	37.2	39.7	42.1	25.1	33.1	41.2	26.3	33.8	41.2																		
Width/Depth Ratio	-----	9.1	9.9	10.7	9.2	10.6	11.9	-----	8.0	-----	10.3	10.7	11.1	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	7.3	9.7	12.0	7.7	10.1	12.6																		
Entrenchment Ratio	-----	1.3	2.2	3	6.1	6.4	6.7	-----	>2.2	-----	2.7	2.9	3.1	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	3.3	4.0	2.6	3.2	3.8																		
Bank Height Ratio	-----	1.7	2.8	3.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	-----	1.0	-----	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0																		
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	-----	-----	3.3	-----	3.5	4.3	5.0	-----	3.4	-----	3.4	3.4	3.4	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.0	2.9	4.8	3.6	2.9	4.6	3.6	2.9																		
<b>Pattern</b>																																											
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	-----	5	45	84	31	37	44	63	104	144	47	73	99	47	73	99	47	73	99	47	73	99	47	73	99																		
Radius of Curvature (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	42	53	63	18	27	36	16	27	34	16	27	34	16	27	34	16	27	34	16	27	34																		
Meander Wavelength (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	185	64	260	126	171	216	81	106	131	135	155	202	135	155	202	135	155	202	135	155	202																		
Meander Width Ratio	-----	-----	2.4	-----	1.5	1.8	2.2	3.2	5.2	7.2	2.4	3.8	5.1	2.2	3.5	4.7	2.2	3.5	4.7	2.6	4.1	5.5	2.5	3.9	5.3																		
<b>Profile</b>																																											
Riffle Length (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	25	65	105	27	54	80	27	63	138	47	75	114	27	56	99	33	52	80																		
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	0.015	0.017	0.019	0.008	0.009	0.010	0.011	0.014	0.016	0.004	0.012	0.020	0.001	0.005	0.009	0.004	0.010	0.024	0.007	0.016	0.030																		
Pool Length (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	10	23	35	10	16	21	12	29	56	15	27	58	6	23	54	6	27	69																		
Pool Spacing (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	98	139	180	72	99	126	12	63	114	54	97	136	65	98	141	75	97	124	78	99	131																		
<b>Substrate and Transport Parameters</b>																																											
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95	-----	.3/ .58/1.0/5.7/12			-----			.3/ .58/1.0/5.7/12			NA/ .31/2.24/26/56			.25/3.35/8.66/101/126			.45/10/23/191/237			2.63/13/30/160/224			4/13/32/135/191																				
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/ft <sup>2</sup>	-----	0.49			-----			0.54			-----			0.56			-----			0.56			-----			0.44			-----			0.47			-----								
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m <sup>2</sup>	-----	1.64			-----			1.83			-----			1.92			-----			1.69			-----			1.59			-----			1.68			-----								
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																																											
Channel length (ft)	-----	1821.00			-----			330			-----			1780			-----			1780			-----			1780			-----			1780			-----								
Drainage Area (SM)	-----	2.44			0.20			1.90			2.30			-----			2.44			-----			2.44			-----			2.44			-----			2.44			-----					
Rosgen Classification	-----	E4			-----			C/E4			-----			E4			-----			E4			-----			E4			-----			E4			-----								
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)	169.59	120.00			-----			-----			-----			120			-----			120			-----			120			-----			120			-----								
Sinuosity	-----	1.29			-----			1.10			-----			1.10			-----			1.19			-----			1.19			-----			1.30			-----			1.27			-----		
BF slope (ft/ft)	-----	-----			-----			-----			0.005			-----			0.004			-----			0.004			-----			0.005			-----			0.005			-----					

Table B' . Baseline Stream Summary - Year 4 Monitoring																									
Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project #92516																									
Baseline Stream Summary: UT1																									
Parameter	Regional Curve Equation	Pre-Existing Condition			Reference Reach(es) Data			Design			As-Built			Monitoring Year 1			Monitoring Year 2			Monitoring Year 3			Monitoring Year 4		
		Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Med	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max
<b>Dimension - Riffle</b>	Eq.	----	9.3	----	18.5	20.0	21.5	----	10.0	----	11.4	11.9	12.4	11.7	11.7	11.8	9.9	11.4	13.0	11.4	12.0	12.6	10.3	12.2	14.0
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.0	----	9.3	----	18.5	20.0	21.5	----	10.0	----	11.4	11.9	12.4	11.7	11.7	11.8	9.9	11.4	13.0	11.4	12.0	12.6	10.3	12.2	14.0
Floodprone Width (ft)	----	----	23.6	----	----	----	----	30+	32.5+	35+	39	40	41	39	40	41	39	40	41	39	40	41	39	40	41
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.13	----	.91	----	1.80	2.30	2.80	----	1.05	----	0.86	0.88	0.90	0.93	0.94	0.94	0.81	0.87	0.93	0.69	0.79	0.89	0.66	0.71	0.76
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	----	----	1.5	----	2.50	3.30	4.10	----	1.50	----	1.66	1.71	1.76	1.76	1.79	1.81	1.85	1.89	1.93	1.63	1.80	1.97	1.64	1.7	1.76
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	10.08	----	8.4	----	39.6	47.1	54.5	----	10.5	----	10.3	10.5	10.7	10.9	11.0	11.0	9.2	9.9	10.5	8.6	9.4	10.2	7.8	8.5	9.2
Width/Depth Ratio	----	----	10.2	----	9.2	10.6	11.9	----	9.5	----	12.7	13.6	14.5	12.5	12.6	12.6	10.6	13.3	16.0	12.8	15.5	18.3	13.5	17.5	21.4
Entrenchment Ratio	----	----	2.6	----	6.1	6.4	6.7	----	>2.2	----	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.0	3.6	4.1	3.1	3.4	3.6	2.8	3.4	4.0
Bank Height Ratio	----	----	3.2	----	1.0	1.1	1.1	----	1.0	----	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	----	----	3.6	----	3.5	4.3	5.0	----	2.9	----	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.3	2.9	3.2	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.9
<b>Pattern</b>																									
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	----	5	9	14	31	37	44	35	58	80	33	40	45	33	40	45	33	40	45	33	40	45	33	40	45
Radius of Curvature (ft)	----	----	----	----	42	53	63	10	15	20	11	17	20	11	17	20	11	17	20	11	17	20	11	17	20
Meander Wavelength (ft)	----	----	----	----	185	64	260	70	95	120	33	39	45	72	100	121	72	100	121	72	100	121	72	100	121
Meander Width Ratio	----	----	1.0	----	1.5	1.8	2.2	3.5	5.8	8.0	2.9	3.4	3.6	2.8	3.4	3.8	3.3	3.5	3.4	2.9	3.3	3.6	3.2	3.3	3.2
<b>Profile</b>																									
Riffle Length (ft)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	25	50	75	19	47	74	33	51	75	32	47	83	30	43	84	22	35	71
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	----	----	----	----	0.015	0.017	0.019	0.020	0.024	0.027	0.025	0.031	0.037	0.017	0.022	0.026	0.012	0.020	0.038	0.004	0.021	0.037	0.011	0.022	0.031
Pool Length (ft)	----	----	----	----	8	14	20	7	11	15	9	13	28	7	13	19	5	10	17	4	10	17	4	10	18
Pool Spacing (ft)	----	----	----	----	98	139	180	40	55	70	13	37	60	35	55	65	40	53	68	38	59	74	49	64	94
<b>Substrate and Transport Parameters</b>																									
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95	----	10/13/16/26/31			----			10/13/16/26/31			1.68/12/16/27/35			.16/15/21/59/117			.76/31/46/152/199			.34/8.13/16/96/125			.23/3.66/16/76/112		
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/ft2	----	----	0.94	----	----	----	----	----	0.92	----	----	0.80	----	----	0.80	----	----	0.80	----	----	0.72	----	----	0.66	----
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m2	----	----	3.37	----	----	----	----	----	2.62	----	----	2.29	----	----	2.20	----	----	2.44	----	----	2.29	----	----	2.34	----
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																									
Channel length (ft)	----	----	523	----	----	330	----	----	580	----	----	580	----	----	580	----	----	580	----	----	580	----	----	580	----
Drainage Area (SM)	----	----	0.33	----	0.20	1.90	2.30	----	0.33	----	----	0.33	----	----	0.33	----	----	0.33	----	----	0.33	----	----	0.33	----
Rosgen Classification	----	----	E4	----	----	----	----	----	E4	----	----	C4	----	----	C4	----	----	C4	----	----	C4	----	----	C4	----
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)	40	----	30	----	----	----	----	----	30	----	----	30	----	----	30	----	----	30	----	----	30	----	----	30	----
Sinuosity	----	----	1.05	----	----	1.10	----	1.15	1.10	1.18	----	1.12	----	----	1.12	----	----	1.14	----	----	1.14	----	----	1.13	----
BF slope (ft/ft)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	0.014	----	----	0.018	----	----	0.018	----	----	0.017	----	----	0.017	----	----	0.017	----

**Table B' - Baseline Stream Summary - Year 4 Monitoring**  
**Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project #92516**

Baseline Stream Summary UT2 (Upper Reach)																									
Parameter	Regional Curve Equation	Pre-Existing Condition			Reference Reach(es) Data			Design			As-Built			Monitoring Year 1			Monitoring Year 2			Monitoring Year 3			Monitoring Year 4		
	Eq.	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Med	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max			
<b>Dimension - Riffle</b>																									
Bankfull Width (ft)	5.48	-----	6.3	-----	18.5	20.0	21.5	-----	7.0	-----	-----	8.6	-----	-----	8.2	-----	-----	6.9	-----	-----	6.9	-----	-----	7.5	-----
Floodprone Width (ft)	-----	-----	22.6	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	35+	-----	-----	29.5	-----	-----	34.3	-----	-----	24.2	-----	-----	23.9	-----	-----	23.5	-----
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.76	-----	0.61	-----	1.80	2.30	2.80	-----	0.70	-----	-----	0.61	-----	-----	0.65	-----	-----	0.79	-----	-----	0.66	-----	-----	0.61	-----
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	-----	-----	0.90	-----	2.50	3.30	4.10	-----	1.00	-----	-----	1.00	-----	-----	1.36	-----	-----	1.30	-----	-----	1.13	-----	-----	1.11	-----
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	4.17	-----	3.8	-----	39.6	47.1	54.5	-----	5.0	-----	-----	5.2	-----	-----	5.4	-----	-----	5.4	-----	-----	4.6	-----	-----	4.6	-----
Width/Depth Ratio	-----	-----	10.3	-----	9.2	10.6	11.9	-----	10.0	-----	-----	14.0	-----	-----	12.6	-----	-----	8.8	-----	-----	10.5	-----	-----	12.2	-----
Entrenchment Ratio	-----	-----	3.6	-----	6.1	6.4	6.7	-----	>2.2	-----	-----	3.4	-----	-----	4.2	-----	-----	3.5	-----	-----	3.5	-----	-----	3.2	-----
Bank Height Ratio	-----	-----	2.8	-----	1.0	1.1	1.1	-----	1.0	-----	-----	1.0	-----	-----	1.2	-----	-----	0.8	-----	-----	1.0	-----	-----	1.0	-----
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	-----	-----	3.4	-----	3.5	4.3	5.0	-----	2.6	-----	-----	2.5	-----	-----	2.4	-----	-----	2.4	-----	-----	2.8	-----	-----	2.8	-----
<b>Pattern</b>																									
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	-----	7	30	52	31	37	44	25	41	56	20	34	43	20	34	43	20	34	43	20	34	43	20	34	43
Radius of Curvature (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	42	53	63	7	11	14	12	18	33	12	18	33	12	18	33	12	18	33	12	18	33
Meander Wavelength (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	185	223	260	49	67	84	47	74	102	47	74	102	47	74	102	47	74	102	47	74	102
Meander Width Ratio	-----	-----	4.7	-----	1.5	1.8	2.2	3.5	5.8	8.0	-----	3.9	-----	-----	4.1	-----	-----	4.8	-----	-----	4.8	-----	-----	4.5	-----
<b>Profile</b>																									
Riffle Length (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	18	34	50	7	24	41	7	10	13	26	35	59	25	33	46	11	24	42
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	0.015	0.017	0.019	0.027	0.032	0.036	0.027	0.032	0.036	0.046	0.061	0.077	0.006	0.010	0.011	0.009	0.014	0.020	0.007	0.018	0.023
Pool Length (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	4	9	15	4	10	15	4	6	7	6	11	23	4	12	23	4	12	23
Pool Spacing (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	98	139	180	28	39	49	22	30	38	15	20	29	22	36	44	17	34	46	24	32	45
<b>Substrate and Transport Parameters</b>																									
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95	-----	.25 / .41 / .6 / 1.7 / 2.4	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	.25 / .41 / .6 / 1.7 / 2.4	-----	-----	.13 / .43 / .73 / 1.9 / 2.97	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/ft <sup>2</sup>	-----	0.40	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	0.30	-----	-----	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	0.47	-----*
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m <sup>2</sup>	-----	1.36	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	0.78	-----	-----	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	1.33	-----*
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																									
Channel length (ft)	-----	-----	1616	-----	-----	330	-----	-----	950	-----	-----	950	-----	-----	950	-----	-----	950	-----	-----	950	-----	-----	950	-----
Drainage Area (SM)	-----	-----	0.09	-----	0.20	1.90	2.30	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----
Rosgen Classification	-----	-----	E5	-----	B	-----	-----	E4	-----	-----	Bc5	-----	-----	Bc5/E5	-----	-----	-----	Bc5/E5	-----	-----	Bc5/E5	-----	-----	Bc5/E5	-----
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)	15.64	-----	13	-----	-----	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----
Sinuosity	-----	-----	1.34	-----	-----	1.10	-----	-----	1.28	-----	-----	0.82	-----	-----	0.82	-----	-----	0.84	-----	-----	1.10	-----	-----	1.26	-----
BF slope (ft/ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	0.016	-----	-----	0.029	-----	-----	0.029	-----	-----	-----	0.029	-----	-----	0.021	-----	-----	0.022	-----

Notes: UT2 continues to transport a considerable volume of fine and coarse sediments. Therefore, a substrate sample was not collected.

**Table B' . Baseline Stream Summary - Year 4 Monitoring  
Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project #92516**

Baseline Stream Summary UT2 (Lower Reach)																										
Parameter	Regional Curve Equation	Pre-Existing Condition			Reference Reach(es) Data			Design			As-Built			Monitoring Year 1			Monitoring Year 2			Monitoring Year 3			Monitoring Year 4			
		Eq.	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max				Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max
<b>Dimension - Riffle</b>																										
Bankfull Width (ft)	5.48	-----	6.3	-----	-----	7.0	-----	-----	7.0	-----	-----	10.9	-----	-----	5.0	-----	-----	8.4	-----	-----	5.8	-----	-----	5.1	-----	-----
Floodprone Width (ft)	-----	-----	22.6	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	35+	-----	-----	24.1	-----	-----	27.2	-----	-----	33.0	-----	-----	16.9	-----	-----	12.0	-----	-----
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.76	-----	0.61	-----	-----	0.71	-----	-----	0.70	-----	-----	0.53	-----	-----	0.61	-----	-----	0.60	-----	-----	0.48	-----	-----	0.31	-----	-----
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	-----	-----	0.90	-----	-----	1.00	-----	-----	1.00	-----	-----	1.04	-----	-----	0.93	-----	-----	1.20	-----	-----	0.99	-----	-----	1.58	-----	-----
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	4.17	-----	3.8	-----	-----	5.0	-----	-----	5.0	-----	-----	4.9	-----	-----	2.8	-----	-----	5.1	-----	-----	2.8	-----	-----	1.6	-----	-----
Width/Depth Ratio	-----	-----	10.3	-----	12.0	15.0	18.0	-----	10.0	-----	-----	24.5	-----	-----	8.9	-----	-----	14.0	-----	-----	12.2	-----	-----	16.3	-----	-----
Entrenchment Ratio	-----	-----	3.6	-----	-----	>2.2	-----	-----	>2.2	-----	-----	2.2	-----	-----	4.0	-----	-----	3.9	-----	-----	2.9	-----	-----	2.4	-----	-----
Bank Height Ratio	-----	-----	2.8	-----	1.0	1.1	1.1	-----	1.0	-----	-----	0.7	-----	-----	1.0	-----	-----	1.0	-----	-----	1.0	-----	-----	1.5	-----	-----
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	-----	-----	3.4	-----	4.0	5.0	6.0	-----	2.6	-----	-----	2.7	-----	-----	4.6	-----	-----	2.5	-----	-----	4.6	-----	-----	8.2	-----	-----
<b>Pattern</b>																										
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	-----	6	12	18	-----	-----	-----	25	41	56	34	44	53	34	44	53	34	44	53	34	44	53	34	44	53	34
Radius of Curvature (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	24	26	28	24	26	28	24	26	28	24	26	28	24	26	28	24
Meander Wavelength (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	120	-----	-----	120	-----	-----	120	-----	-----	120	-----	-----	120	-----	-----
Meander Width Ratio	-----	-----	1.9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	5.8	-----	-----	4.0	-----	-----	8.7	-----	-----	5.2	-----	-----	7.5	-----	-----	8.6	-----	-----
<b>Profile</b>																										
Riffle Length (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	5.0	10.0	15.0	5.0	9.5	14.0	7.2	9.9	12.9	7.4	10.5	14.4	7.9	11.5	16.1	5.1	9.0	14.6	
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	0.032	0.042	0.052	0.032	0.042	0.052	0.032	0.042	0.052	0.046	0.061	0.077	0.035	0.060	0.083	0.020	0.032	0.044	0.024	0.048	0.072	
Pool Length (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	4.0	6.5	9.0	3.0	4.0	5.0	4.2	5.9	7.1	5.1	5.9	7.4	2.6	6.1	12.9	2.6	6.1	12.9	
Pool Spacing (ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	10.5	22.8	35.0	10.5	22.8	35.0	12.0	15.5	19.0	15.4	20.5	29.2	15.4	17.7	22.2	14.5	20.1	29.7	14.3	20.8	30.6	
<b>Substrate and Transport Parameters</b>																										
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95	-----	.25 / .41 / .6 / 1.7 / 2.4	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	25	.41 / .6 / 1.7 / 2.4	-----	.11 / .68 / 1.23 / 4.47 / 67.74	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/ft <sup>2</sup>	-----	-----	1.36	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	1.15	-----	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	0.63	-----*
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m <sup>2</sup>	-----	-----	4.66	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	3.00	-----	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	-----*	5.19	-----*
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																										
Channel length (ft)	-----	-----	205	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	205	-----	-----	205	-----	-----	205	-----	-----	205	-----	-----	205	-----	-----	205	-----	-----
Drainage Area (SM)	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----	0.09	-----	-----
Rosgen Classification	-----	-----	E5	-----	-----	B	-----	-----	B4	-----	-----	Cb	-----	-----	Cb5	-----	-----	Cb5	-----	-----	Cb5	-----	-----	Cb5	-----	-----
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)	15.64	-----	13	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----	-----	13	-----	-----
Sinuosity	-----	-----	1.34	-----	1.10	1.15	1.20	-----	1.14	-----	-----	1.11	-----	-----	1.11	-----	-----	1.23	-----	-----	1.27	-----	-----	1.26	-----	-----
BF slope (ft/ft)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	0.0232	-----	-----	0.017	-----	-----	0.017	-----	-----	0.017	-----	-----	0.021	-----	-----	0.022	-----	-----

Notes: UT2 continues to transport a considerable volume of fine and coarse sediments. Therefore, a substrate sample was not collected.



# Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project

## Photo Log - Photo Points

### Notes:

Taken: 4/13/12. Photo for reference point 6 is missing as are the downstream photos for reference points 25, and 26.

1. Photo point locations are shown on the plan views in the actual location the picture was taken.
2. All points are marked with a wooden stake and pink flagging tape.



Photo Point 1: facing downstream-past large shrub at photo pt.



Photo Point 2: facing upstream



Photo Point 2: facing downstream



Photo Point 3: facing upstream





Photo Point 3: facing downstream



Photo Point 4: facing downstream



Photo Point 5: facing downstream



Photo Point 6: facing downstream



Photo Point 7: facing downstream



Photo Point 8: facing downstream





Photo Point 9: facing downstream



Photo Point 10: facing downstream



Photo Point 11: facing downstream



Photo Point 12: facing downstream



Photo Point 13: facing downstream



Photo Point 14: facing downstream





Photo Point 15: facing downstream



Photo Point 16: facing downstream



Photo Point 17: facing downstream



Photo Point 18: facing upstream



Photo Point 18: facing downstream



Photo Point 19: facing downstream





Photo Point 20: facing upstream



Photo Point 20: facing downstream



Photo Point 21: facing upstream



Photo Point 21: facing downstream



Photo Point 22: facing upstream



Photo Point 22: facing downstream





Photo Point 23: facing upstream



Photo Point 23: facing downstream



Photo Point 24: facing downstream



Photo Point 25: facing upstream



Photo Point 25: facing downstream



Photo Point 26: facing upstream





Photo Point 26: facing downstream



Photo Point 27: facing downstream



Photo Point 28: facing upstream



Photo Point 28: facing downstream



Photo Point 29: facing downstream



Photo Point 30: facing downstream





Photo Point 31: facing downstream



Photo Point 32: facing upstream



Photo Point 32: facing downstream



# Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project: UT1

## Photo Log - Photo Points

**Notes:**

Taken: 7/26/2012

1. Photo point locations are shown on the plan views in the actual location the picture was taken.
2. All points are marked with a wooden stake and pink flagging tape.



Photo Point 1: facing downstream



Photo Point 2: facing upstream



Photo Point 2: facing downstream



Photo Point 3: facing upstream





Photo Point 3: facing downstream



Photo Point 4: facing downstream



Photo Point 5: facing upstream



Photo Point 5: facing downstream



Photo Point 6: facing upstream



Photo Point 6: facing downstream



# Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project: UT2

## Photo Log - Photo Points

**Notes:**

Taken: 7/26/12

1. Photo point locations are shown on the plan views in the actual location the picture was taken.
2. All points are marked with a wooden stake and pink flagging tape.



Photo Point 1: facing downstream



Photo Point 2: facing downstream



Photo Point 3: facing downstream



Photo Point 4: facing upstream





Photo Point 4: facing downstream



Photo Point 5: facing downstream



Photo Point 6: facing upstream



Photo Point 6: facing downstream



Photo Point 7: facing upstream



Photo Point 7: facing downstream





Photo Point 8: facing upstream



Photo Point 8: facing downstream



Photo Point 9: facing upstream



Photo Point 9: facing downstream



Photo Point 10: facing upstream



Photo Point 10: facing downstream





Photo Point 11: facing downstream

# Blockhouse Creek Mitigation Project: UT3

## Photo Log - Photo Points

### Notes:

Taken: 7/26/2012

1. Photo point locations are shown on the plan views in the actual location the picture was taken.
2. All points are marked with a wooden stake and pink flagging tape or an orange pin flag.



Photo Point 1: facing upstream

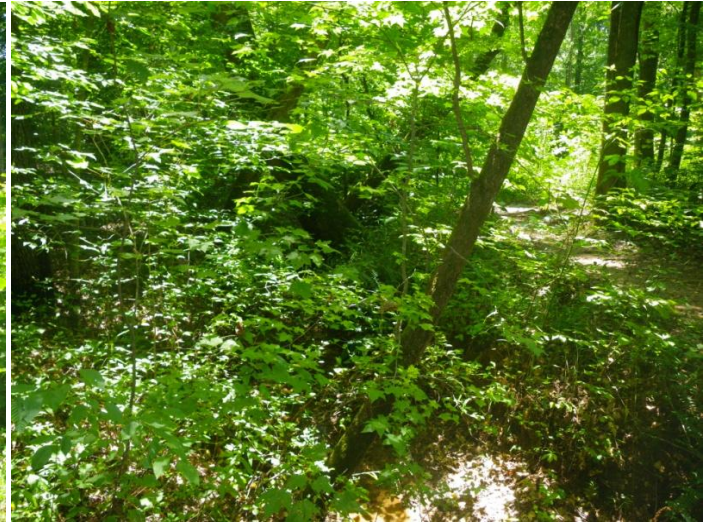


Photo Point 2: facing downstream



Photo Point 3: facing upstream



Photo Point 4: facing downstream





Photo Point 5: facing downstream



Photo Point 6: facing upstream



Photo Point 7: facing upstream



Photo Point 8: facing upstream



Photo Point 9: facing downstream



**APPENDIX C**  
**VEGETATION SUMMARY DATA**

**TABLES 1-7**  
**EXHIBIT 1-VEGETATION PLOT PHOTO LOG**

**Table C1. Vegetation Metadata**  
**Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project-#92516**

**Report Prepared By** Carmen McIntyre  
**Date Prepared** 8/20/2012 14:40  
**database name** cvs-eep-entrytool-v2.3.0.mdb  
**database location** L:\Monitoring\Monitoring Guidance\Vegetation\2012 Updates\_V2.3  
**computer name** ASHEWCMCINTYR  
**file size** 59031552

**DESCRIPTION OF WORKSHEETS IN THIS DOCUMENT-----**

**Metadata** Description of database file, the report worksheets, and a summary of project(s) and project data.  
**Proj, planted** Each project is listed with its PLANTED stems per acre, for each year. This excludes live stakes.  
Each project is listed with its TOTAL stems per acre, for each year. This includes live stakes, all planted stems, and all natural/volunteer stems.  
**Proj, total stems**  
**Plots** List of plots surveyed with location and summary data (live stems, dead stems, missing, etc.).  
**Vigor** Frequency distribution of vigor classes for stems for all plots.  
**Vigor by Spp** Frequency distribution of vigor classes listed by species.  
**Damage** List of most frequent damage classes with number of occurrences and percent of total stems impacted by each.  
**Damage by Spp** Damage values tallied by type for each species.  
**Damage by Plot** Damage values tallied by type for each plot.  
**Planted Stems by Plot and Spp** A matrix of the count of PLANTED living stems of each species for each plot; dead and missing stems are excluded.

**PROJECT SUMMARY-----**

**Project Code** 92516  
**project Name** Blockhouse Creek  
**Description** 6,195 LF Restoration, Enhancement, Preservation  
**River Basin** Broad  
**length(ft)** 6195  
**stream-to-edge width (ft)** 30  
**area (sq m)** 34528.56  
**Required Plots (calculated)** 10  
**Sampled Plots** 10



	<b>Species</b>	<b>CommonName</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Missing</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
	Alnus serrulata	hazel alder	11						
	Asimina triloba	pawpaw	1				1		
	Betula nigra	river birch	8				2		
	Cornus amomum	silky dogwood	1				2	2	
	Cornus florida	flowering dogwood	2				1		
	Diospyros virginiana	common persimmon	17	1			1	1	
	Fraxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	27						
	Halesia carolina	Carolina silverbell					2		
	Juglans nigra	black walnut	5				2		
	Quercus phellos	willow oak	8				3		
	Salix sericea	silky willow	1						
	Calycanthus floridus	eastern sweetshrub	4				3	3	
	Cercis canadensis	eastern redbud	1				3		
	Quercus rubra	northern red oak	10				4		
	Liriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	11	1			3	1	
	Platanus occidentalis	American sycamore	37			1	4	2	
	Acer rubrum	red maple	7			1	2		
	Unknown						6		
<b>TOT:</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>2</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>9</b>	

<b>Species</b>	<b>CommonName</b>	<b>Count of Damage Categories</b>	<b>No Damage</b>	<b>Flood</b>	<b>Mowing</b>
Acer rubrum	red maple	0	10		
Alnus serrulata	hazel alder	0	11		
Asimina triloba	pawpaw	0	2		
Betula nigra	river birch	0	10		
Calycanthus floridus	eastern sweetshrub	0	10		
Cercis canadensis	eastern redbud	0	4		
Cornus amomum	silky dogwood	0	5		
Cornus florida	flowering dogwood	0	3		
Diospyros virginiana	common persimmon	1	19		1
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	0	27		
Halesia carolina	Carolina silverbell	0	2		
Juglans nigra	black walnut	0	7		
Liriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	1	15	1	
Platanus occidentalis	American sycamore	0	44		
Quercus phellos	willow oak	0	11		
Quercus rubra	northern red oak	0	14		
Salix sericea	silky willow	0	1		
Unknown		0	6		
<b>18</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

Table C4. Vegetation Damage by Plot					
Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project #92516					
	Plot	Count of Damage Categories	No Damage	Flood	Mowing
	92516-01-0001-year:4	0	17		
	92516-01-0002-year:4	0	20		
	92516-01-0003-year:4	0	19		
	92516-01-0004-year:4	0	32		
	92516-01-0005-year:4	1	21		1
	92516-01-0006-year:4	0	21		
	92516-01-0007-year:4	0	12		
	92516-01-0008-year:4	0	30		
	92516-01-0009-year:4	0	14		
	92516-01-0010-year:4	1	15		1
<b>TOT:</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

Table C5. Stem Count by Plot and Species																
Blockhouse Creek Restoration Project #92516																
Comment	Species	SpType	CommonName	Total Planted Stems	# plots	avg# stems	plot 92516-01-0001-year:4	plot 92516-01-0002-year:4	plot 92516-01-0003-year:4	plot 92516-01-0004-year:4	plot 92516-01-0005-year:4	plot 92516-01-0006-year:4	plot 92516-01-0007-year:4	plot 92516-01-0008-year:4	plot 92516-01-0009-year:4	plot 92516-01-0010-year:4
	Acer rubrum	Tree	red maple	8	3	2.67	3	3			2					
	Alnus serrulata	Shrub Tree	hazel alder	11	3	3.67	1	2		8						
	Asimina triloba	Shrub Tree	pawpaw	1	1	1						1				
	Betula nigra	Tree	river birch	8	3	2.67				2		2				4
	Calycanthus floridus	Shrub	eastern sweetshrub	4	3	1.33	1		2	1						
	Cercis canadensis	Shrub Tree	eastern redbud	1	1	1		1	1							
	Cornus amomum	Shrub	silky dogwood	1	1	1								2		1
	Cornus florida	Shrub Tree	flowering dogwood	2	2	1	1						1			
	Diospyros virginiana	Tree	common persimmon	18	4	4.5				4	4	8	2			
	Fraxinus pennsylvanic	Tree	green ash	27	7	3.86	2	3			5	8	2		4	3
	Halesia carolina	Tree	Carolina silverbell	1	1	1				1						
	Juglans nigra	Tree	black walnut	5	4	1.25	2	1		1				1		
	Liriodendron tulipifera	Tree	tuliptree	12	4	3			3			1		2		6
	Platanus occidentalis	Tree	American sycamore	38	8	4.75	3	4	7	7	4		3	3	7	
	Quercus phellos	Tree	willow oak	8	3	2.67		1					1	6		
	Quercus rubra	Tree	northern red oak	10	4	2.5			4	1		3		2		
<b>TOT:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>10</b>		<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14</b>

**Table C6. Stem Count Arranged by Plot-Year 4**  
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Tree Species	Common Name	Type	Current Data (Yr 4 2012)																				Current Mean		Total Stems/Plot (Previous Years)						
			Plot 1		Plot 2		Plot 3		Plot 4		Plot 5		Plot 6		Plot 7		Plot 8		Plot 9		Plot 10				AB	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	
			P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	P	P	P	P	P	
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red Maple	Tree	3	3	5	3			2	2													3	3	10	8	8	8	8	8	
<i>Betula nigra</i>	River Birch	Tree							1		3	2			2	2					4	4	3	3	14	10	10	10	8	8	
<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	American Persimmon	Tree						5	4	4	4	8	8	2	2								5	5	16	16	19	18	18	18	
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	Green Ash	Tree	2	2	3	3					5	5	8	8	2	2			4	4	3	3	4	4	26	26	26	26	27	27	
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	Black Walnut	Tree	2	2	2	1			1	1							2	1					2	1	15	6	6	7	5	5	
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	Sycamore	Tree	3	3	4	4	7	7	10	7	4	4			3	3	3	3	10	7			6	5	44	40	41	40	38	38	
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Tulip Poplar	Tree					3	3						1	1			2	2			7	6	3	3	15	10	10	9	12	12
<i>Quercus phellos</i>	Willow Oak	Tree			2	1									1	1	6	6					3	3	9	6	8	9	8	8	
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Red Oak	Tree					4	4	2	1				3	3			2	2					3	3	14	11	11	9	9	10
<b>Understory/Shrub Species</b>																															
<i>Alnus serrulata</i>	Tag Alder	Tree	1	1	2	2			8	8													4	4	2	5	7	7	11	11	
<i>Asimina triloba</i>	Paw Paw	Tree											1	1									1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	
<i>Calycanthus floridus</i>	Sweetshrub	Shrub	2	2			2	2	4	1													3	2	9	3	8	6	5	5	
<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	Redbud	Tree			1	1	1	1															1	1	5	2	2	2	2	2	
<i>Cornus amomum</i>	Alternate-leaved Dogwood	Tree														3	2					2	1	3	2	5	7	5	3	3	3
<i>Cornus florida</i>	Flowering Dogwood	Tree	1	0											1	1							1	1	2	2	2	4	1	1	
<i>Halesia carolina</i>	Carolina Silverbell	Tree							1	1													1	1		2	0	1	1	1	
<b>Volunteers</b>																															
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red Maple	Tree									1												1	1							
<i>Alnus serrulata</i>	Tag Alder	Tree					1		10				7	4								10	6	6							
<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>	Sweetgum	Tree					1		2		20		15		10							12	10	10							
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Tulip Poplar	Tree						1			3		10		3							3	4	4							
<i>Pinus strobus</i>	Eastern White Pine	Tree				10		20						25		25							20	20							
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	Sycamore	Tree												1						1			1	1							
<i>Salix sericea</i>	Silky Willow	Tree				8		1		1				1								1	2	2							
P=Initial # Planted	Plot Area (acres)		0.025		0.025		0.025		0.025		0.025		0.025		0.025		0.025		0.025		0.025										
	Species Count		7	6	7	9	8	9	11	10	4	7	5	9	6	10	6	6	2	2	4	7	6	8							
T=Total Planted Stems Remaining after Yr 4	Planted Stems/Plot		14	13	19	15	17	17	34	25	16	15	21	21	11	11	18	16	14	11	16	14	18	18							
	Planted Stems/Acre Year 4		567	526	769	607	688	688	1376	1012	647	607	850	850	445	445	728	647	567	445	647	567	728	639							
Stems/Acre=Planted stems + Volunteers	Stems/Acre		567	526	769	1335	688	1619	1376	1578	647	1578	850	3197	445	2185	728	647	567	486	647	1619	728	1477							
	Planted Stems/Acre (Initial)		680	680	760	760	760	760	880	880	880	880	840	840	480	480	1160	1160	560	560	640	640	764	764							

Notes: Plots where the Yr4 stems/acre count is larger than the initial count are due to planted stems that were very small or otherwise overlooked during the as-built survey.



<b>Table C7. Rooted trees, live stakes and seeding planted in the riparian zone of Blockhouse Creek</b>		
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The species composition for two different areas is shown; with one area being upstream of I-26 and the second area being downstream of I-26.		
Scientific name	Common name	Percent Planted by Species
Blockhouse Creek upstream of I-26 and UT1 (40% trees/ 60% shrubs) planted at 680 stems/A		
<u>Trees - Planted 13'x13'</u>		
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red maple	13%
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	Green ash	13%
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	Black walnut	13%
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Tulip poplar	0.5%
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	Sycamore	0.5%
<u>Understory Trees/Shrubs- Planted 10'x10'</u>		
<i>Alnus serrulata</i>	Tag alder	9%
<i>Calicanthus floridus</i>	Sweet shrub	10%
<i>Cornus florida</i>	Flowering dogwood	12%
<i>Cercis Canadensis</i>	Redbud	10%
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	Ironwood	9%
<i>Asimina triloba</i>	Paw paw	9%
Blockhouse Creek downstream of I-26 and UT2 (60% Trees/ 40% shrubs) planted at 680 stems/A		
<u>Trees - Planted 10'x10'</u>		
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red maple	4%
<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	Persimmon	6%
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	Black walnut	12%
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Tulip poplar	10%
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	Sycamore	10%
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Black cherry	6%
<i>Quercus phellos</i>	Willow oak	6%
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Red oak	6%
<u>Understory Trees/Shrubs- Planted 13'x13'</u>		
<i>Alnus serrulata</i>	Tag alder	6%
<i>Calicanthus floridus</i>	Sweet shrub	6%
<i>Cornus florida</i>	Flowering dogwood	9%
<i>Cercis Canadensis</i>	Redbud	8%
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	Ironwood	6%
<i>Asimina triloba</i>	Paw paw	5%
Woody Vegetation for Live Stakes - Planted 3' x 3' on center		
<i>Salix sericea</i>	Silky willow	30%
<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>	Ninebark	25%
<i>Sambucus Canadensis</i>	Elderberry	15%
<i>Cornus amomum</i>	Silky dogwood	30%
Note: Species selection may change due to availability at the time of planting.		

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## Photo Log - Vegetation Plot Photo Points

### Notes:

Taken: 7/22/12-7/23/2012

1. Photo point locations are shown on the plan views in the actual location the picture was taken.
2. All points are marked with a wooden stake and pink flagging tape.



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Photo 1: Veg Plot 1



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Photo 2: Veg Plot 1: Herbaceous Plot



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Photo 3: Veg Plot 2



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Photo 4: Veg Plot 2: Herbaceous Plot



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Photo 5: Veg Plot 3



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Photo 6: Veg Plot 3: Herbaceous Plot





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Photo 7: Veg Plot 4



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Photo 8: Veg Plot 4: Herbaceous Plot



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Photo 9: Veg Plot 5



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Photo 10: Veg Plot 5: Herbaceous Plot



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Photo 11: Veg Plot 6



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Photo 12: Veg Plot 6: Herbaceous Plot





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Photo 13: Veg Plot 7



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Photo 14: Veg Plot 7: Herbaceous Plot



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Photo 15: Veg Plot 8



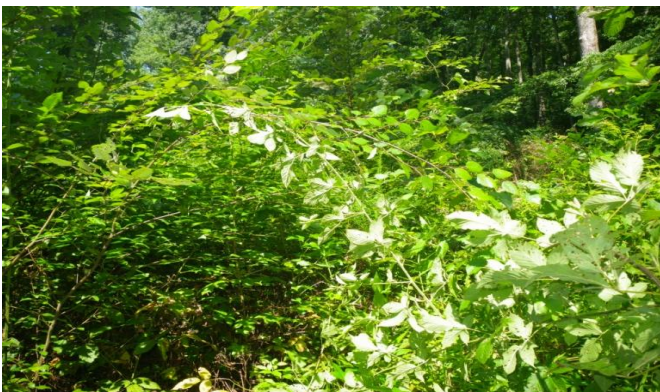
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Photo 16: Veg Plot 8: Herbaceous Plot



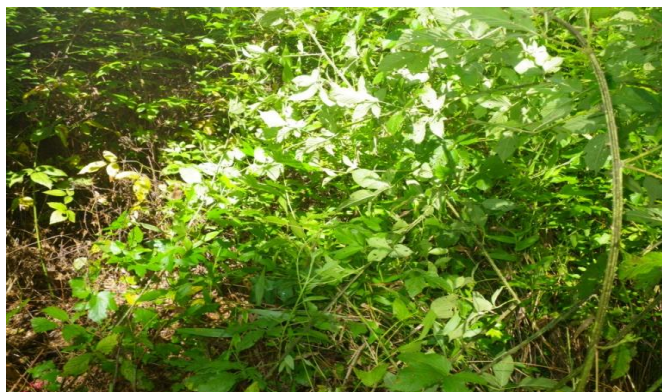
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Photo 17: Veg Plot 9



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Photo 18: Veg Plot 9: Herbaceous Plot



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Photo 19: Veg Plot 10



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Photo 20: Veg Plot 10: Herbaceous Plot