

# Little Grassy Creek Stream Restoration Monitoring Report

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Monitoring Year 05



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## 1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY / PROJECT ABSTRACT

Little Grassy Creek and an unnamed tributary to Little Grassy Creek (UT1) in Granville County, North Carolina were preserved and enhanced by the Ecosystem Enhancement Program (EEP). The project preserved 12,546 linear feet of Little Grassy Creek, 164 linear feet of UT1, 452 linear feet of UT2, 3,774 linear feet of UT3, and 2,250 linear feet of UT4, and enhanced 75 linear feet of Little Grassy Creek and 2,464 linear feet of UT1. The project goals and objectives are listed below.

### *Project Goals*

- Improving water quality.
- Restoring aquatic and riparian habitat.

### *Project Objectives*

- Stabilizing the banks on 469 LF of UT1 and 75 LF on Little Grassy Creek
- Controlling invasive species for 7 acres of stream buffer along UT1
- Enhancing stream buffer on approximately 8.3 acres along UT1 and Little Grassy Creek
- Preserving approximately 12,710 LF of stream along UT1 and Little Grassy Creek
- Establishing native streambank and floodplain vegetation in the permanent conservation easement

The conservation easement was planted where the riparian area had been cleared or thinned due to past agricultural activities. Planting also occurred where construction activities took place, with bare root trees and shrubs planted on the floodplain and live stakes planted along the regraded banks. Exotic invasive vegetation was also removed from the conservation easement. Seven vegetation monitoring plots were established during the baseline monitoring. The fifth year of monitoring calculated an average of 439 planted stems/acre and 804 total stems/acre across all monitoring plots. Specifically, the seven plots ranged between stem densities of 162 to 688 planted stems/acre. Plots 6 and 7 were found to have planted stem densities below the five-year success criterion of 320 stems/acre; however both plots exceeded the total stem density of 320 stems/acre. It should be noted that Plots 6 and 7 are not adjacent to a project stream; they are located in an upland area of additional easement acreage. The plots have numerous volunteer woody stems, and the total stem densities for all plots have increased over the course of monitoring. Additionally, supplemental planting occurred at the site in January 2012, during which 330 containerized trees were planted in areas that had been noted as having low planted stem density along UT1 (Appendix E Supplemental Planting Report).

The stream assessment completed during the fifth year of monitoring found the streams to be functioning as designed. The measured channel dimensions at the monitored cross-sections have not changed significantly since the previous monitoring year. Additionally, there are not any problems with the installed root wads and cross vane. In December of 2010, a beaver dam was found near the downstream limits of the project on Little Grassy Creek. The dam was creating backwater conditions through the enhancement portion of Little Grassy Creek. The dam was removed in early 2011 by the landowner. During the 2012 monitoring period there were no signs that the dam was being rebuilt.

Summary information/data related to the occurrence of items such as beaver or encroachment and statistics related to performance of various project and monitoring elements can be found in the tables and figures in the report appendices. Narrative background and supporting information formerly found in these reports can be found in the Baseline Monitoring Report (formerly Mitigation Plan) and in the Mitigation Plan (formerly the Restoration Plan) documents available on the EEP's website. All raw data supporting the tables and figures in the appendices are available from EEP upon request.

## **2.0 METHODOLOGY**

In the spring of 2011 a survey grade GPS unit was used to map the locations of UT2, UT3, and UT4. These assets were previously unmapped or the data was inaccurate. These assets have been added to this report.

The cross-section data were collected with a laser level during the week of September 20, 2012.

The Level 2 CVS-EEP protocol (<http://cvs.bio.unc.edu/methods.htm>) was used to collect vegetation data from the Little Grassy Creek site during the week of September 20, 2012.

## **3.0 REFERENCES**

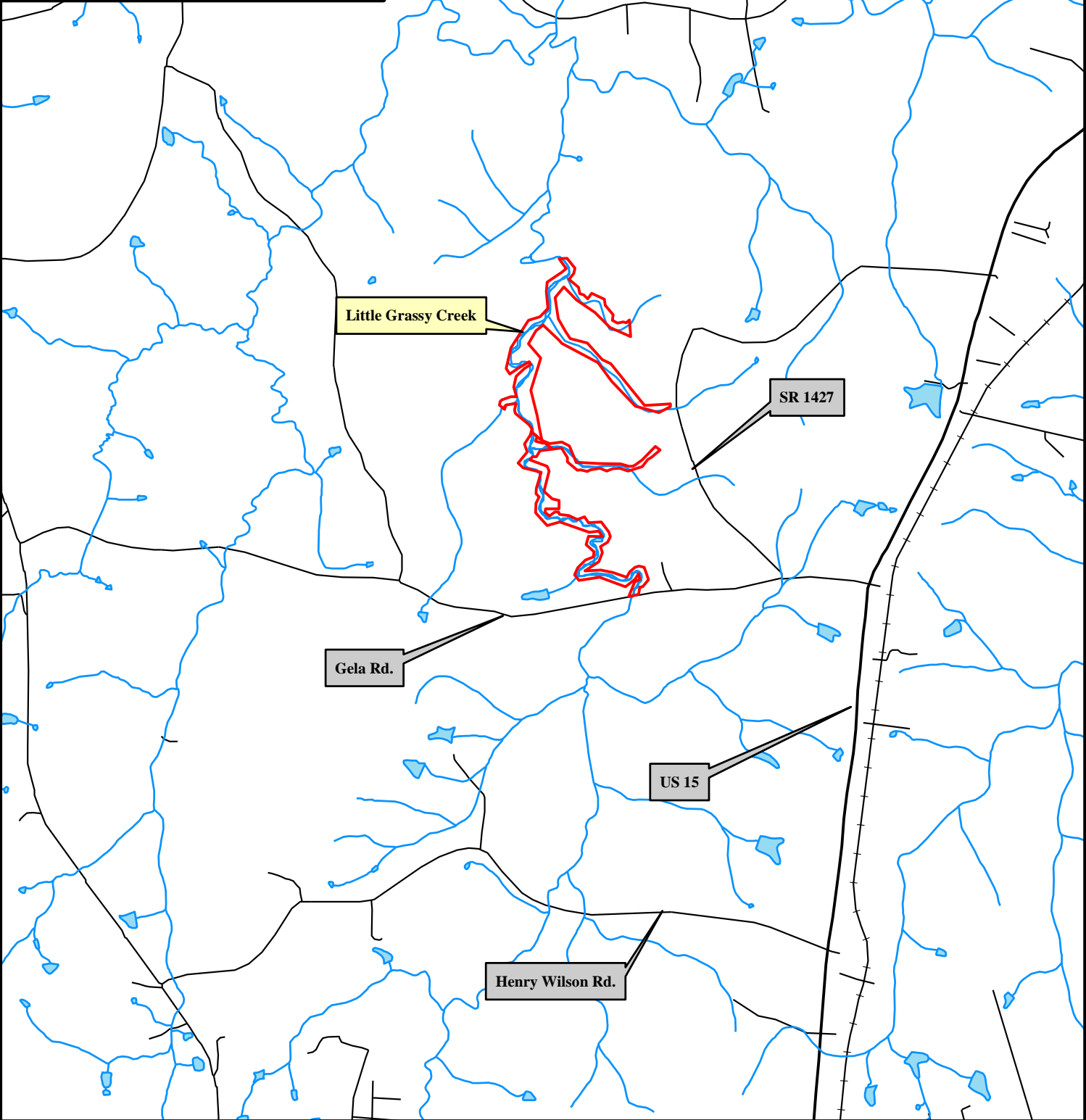
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# **Appendix A**

## **Project Vicinity Map and Background Tables**

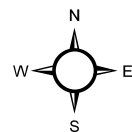
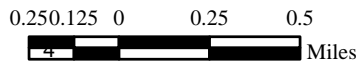
**DIRECTIONS TO LITTLE GRASSY CREEK SITE:**  
From Raleigh, take US 540 West. Take the exit for NC 50 and travel north. In Creedmoor follow signs for US 15 North. Follow US 15 North, then take a left onto Gela Rd. About 0.75 miles down Gela Rd. the project begins on the northern side of the road.



**Figure 1. Site Vicinity Map**  
**Little Grassy Creek, Granville County, EEP Project # 224**



— Project Easement



<b>Table 1a. Project Restoration Components</b>						
<b>Project Number and Name: 224 - Little Grassy Creek</b>						
<b>Segment / Reach ID</b>	<b>Existing Linear Feet</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Approach</b>	<b>Linear Feet</b>	<b>Stationing</b>	<b>Comment</b>
UT 1, Preservation Reach	-	P	-	164	See plan sheets	Planted native vegetation
UT 1, Enhancement Reach	2,643	EII	-	2,464	10+00 to 36+27	Sloped back banks, installed root wads, and planted riparian buffer
UT 2	452	P	-	452	140+00 - 144+52	Installed cattle exclusion fencing
UT 3	3,774	P	-	3,774	150+00 - 187+74	Installed cattle exclusion fencing
UT 4	2,250	P	-	2,250	190+00 - 212+50	Installed cattle exclusion fencing
Little Grassy Creek, Pres. Reach	12,624	P	-	12,546	10+00 - 136+21	Planted native vegetation
Little Grassy Creek, Enhanc. Reach	-	EII	-	75	See plan sheets	Installed a cross vane, sloped back and matted banks and, installed rock ford crossing

P = Preservation  
EII = Enhancement II

<b>Table 1b. Project Component Summations</b>						
<b>Project Number and Name: 224 - Little Grassy Creek</b>						
Restoration Level	Stream (lf)	Riparian		Non-Riparian	Upland	Buffer
		Wetland (Ac)		(Ac)	(Ac)	(Ac)
		Riverine	Non-Riverine			
Restoration						
Enhancement						
Enhancement I						
Enhancement II	2,539					
Creation						
Preservation	19,186					
HQ Preservation						
		0	0			
<b>Totals (Feet/Acres)</b>	<b>21,725</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>MU Totals</b>	<b>4,853</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>



<b>Table 2. Project Activity and Reporting History</b>		
<b>Project Number and Name: 224 - Little Grassy Creek</b>		
<b>Elapsed Time Since Grading Complete: 5 yr 3 months</b>		
<b>Elapsed Time Since Planting Complete: 4 yr 11 months</b>		
<b>Number of Reporting Years: 5</b>		
<b>Activity or Report</b>	<b>Data Collection Complete</b>	<b>Actual Completion or Delivery</b>
Restoration Plan		Aug-06
Final Design - 90%		Sep-06
Construction		Sep-07
Permanent Seed Mix Applied		Oct-07
Live Stake Planting		Jan-08
Bare Root Planting		Jan-08
As-Built Survey	Oct-07	Oct-07
Year 1 Monitoring	Oct-08	Dec-08
Year 2 Monitoring	Nov-09	Dec-09
Year 3 Monitoring	Dec-10	Dec-10
Year 4 Monitoring	Oct-11	Dec-11
UT1 Supplemental Planting		Jan-12
Year 5 Monitoring	Sep-12	Nov-12

<b>Table 3. Project Contacts Table</b>	
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<b>Table 4. Project Attribute Table</b>					
<b>Project Number and Name: 224 - Little Grassy Creek</b>					
Project County	Granville County				
Physiographic Region	Piedmont				
Ecoregion	Carolina Slate Belt				
Project River Basin	Roanoke				
USGS HUC for Project (14 digit)	03010102161020				
NCDWQ Sub-basin for Project	03-02-06				
Within extent of EEP Watershed Plan?	U				
WRC Class (Warm, Cool, Cold)	Warm				
% of project easement demarcated	U				
Beaver activity observed during design phase?	No				
<b>Restoration Component Attribute Table</b>					
	LGC	UT 1	UT 2	UT 3	UT 4
Drainage Area	8.1 sq.mi.	0.24 sq. mi.	0.41 sq. mi.	0.28 sq. mi.	0.17 sq. mi.
Stream Order	Fourth	First	First	First	First
Project length (feet)	12,621	2,628	452	3,774	2,250
Perennial or Intermittent	Perennial	Perennial	Perennial	Perennial	Perennial
Watershed Type (Rural, Urban, Developing, etc.)	Rural				
Watershed LULC Distribution					
Urban	U				
Ag-Row Crop	U				
Ag-Livestock	U				
Forested	U				
Water/Wetlands	U				
Watershed impervious cover (%)	-				
NCDWQ AU/Index Number	U				
NCDWQ Classification	C (LGC), C (UT 1)				
303d listed?	No				
Upstream of a 303d listed segment?	No				
Reasons for 303d Listing or Stressor	N/A				
Total acreage of easement	84.7 Acres				
Total vegetated acreage within the easement	84.7 Acre				
Total planted acreage as part of the restoration	5.2 Acres				
Rosgen Classification of pre-existing	-				-
Rosgen Classification of As-built	E4				C6/1 - E6
Valley Type	U				U
Valley Slope	U				U
Valley side slope range (e.g. 2-3%)	U				U
Valley toe slope range (e.g. 2-3%)	U				U
Trout waters designation	No				
Species of concern, endangered etc.? (Y/N)	No				
Dominant soil series and characteristics					
Series	Chewacla				
Depth Clay%	-				-
K	-				-
T	-				-

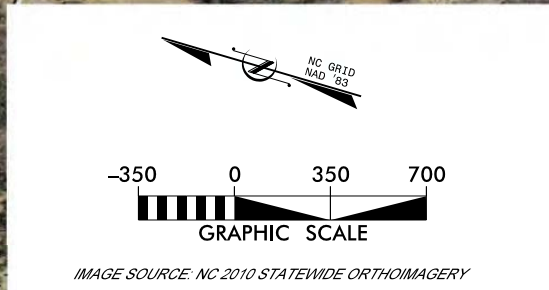
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# **Appendix B**

## **Visual Assessment Data**



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<p>LITTLE GRASSY CREEK GRANVILLE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA EEP PROJECT NUMBER 224 - MY05</p>		<p>DATE: NOV 2012 SCALE: 1" = 700'</p>																					
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# LEGEND

- EASEMENT BOUNDARY..... 
- AS-BUILT CENTERLINE AND TOP OF BANK ..... 
- CROSS-SECTION..... 

VEGETATION PLOT #1  
**688 / 688**

ROCK FORD CROSSING

LITTLE GRASSY CREEK

CONSERVATION EASEMENT

OLD MILL BUILDINGS

ROCK FORD CROSSING

UT4




UT3

UT2

MATCHLINE - SEE SHEET 3

MATCHLINE - SEE SHEET 3

## PROJECT CONDITION

- BANK EROSION..... 
- VEG PLOT ACHIEVING DENSITY CRITERION..... 
- VEG PLOT BELOW DENSITY CRITERION..... 
- VEG PLOT TOTAL/PLANTED STEM DENSITY..... **890 / 423**

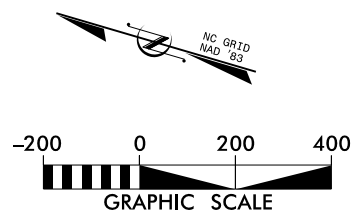


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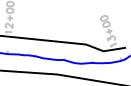



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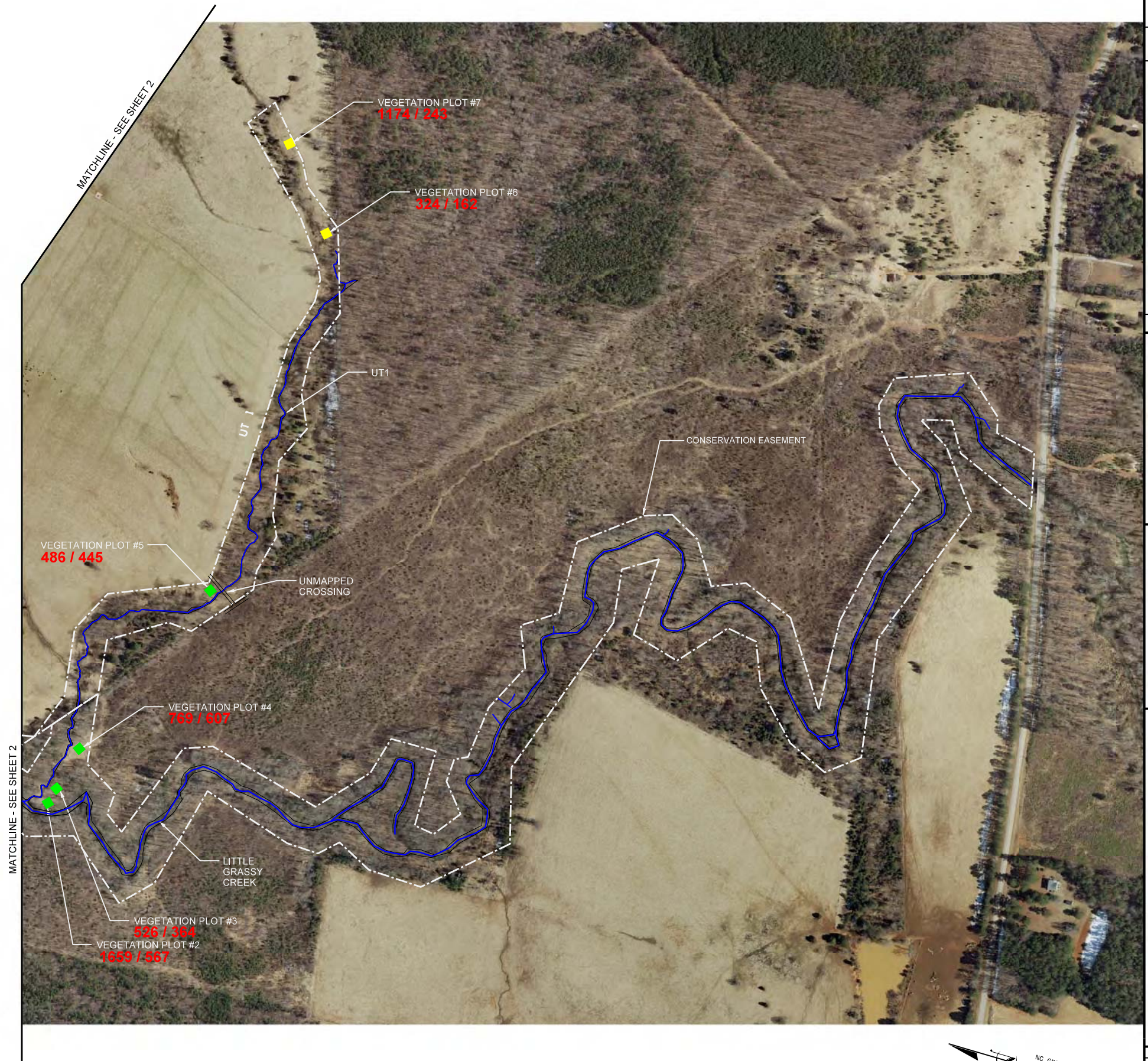
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- BANK EROSION 
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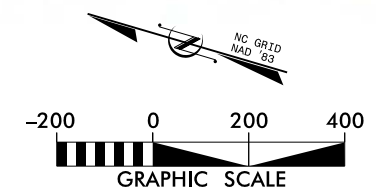



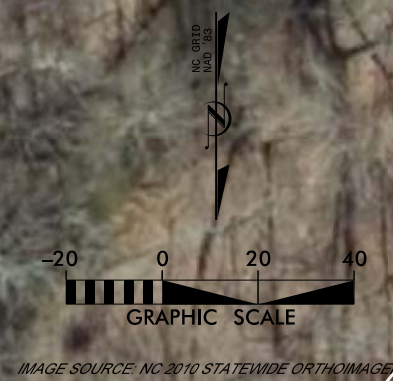





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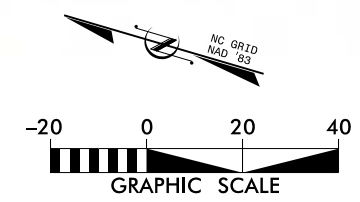


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Table 5. Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment							
Project Number and Name: 224 - Little Grassy Creek							
Assessed Length 350				Reach - UT1			
Major Channel Category	Channel Category	Sub-Metric	Number Stable, Performing as Intended*	Total Number in As-built*	Number of Unstable Segments	Amount of Unstable Footage	% Stable, Performing as Intended
1. Bed	1. Vertical Stability (Riffle and Run units)	1. <u>Aggradation</u> - Bar formation/growth sufficient to significantly deflect flow laterally (not to include point bars)			0	0	100%
		2. <u>Degradation</u> - Evidence of downcutting			0	0	100%
	2. Riffle Condition	1. <u>Texture/Substrate</u> - Riffle maintains coarser substrate	5	5			100%
	3. Meander Pool Condition	1. <u>Depth</u> Sufficient (Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth $\geq$ 1.6)	7	7			100%
		2. <u>Length</u> appropriate (>30% of centerline distance between tail of upstream riffle and head of downstream riffle)	7	7			100%
	4. Thalweg Position**	1. Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)					N/A
2. Thalweg centering at downstream of meander (Glide)				N/A			
<b>Totals</b>					1	20	97%
2. Bank	1. Scoured/Eroding	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion			1	20	97%
	2. Undercut	Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely. Does <u>NOT</u> include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	0	100%
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%
<b>Totals</b>					1	20	97%
3. Engineered Structures <sup>+</sup>	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	0	0			N/A
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	0	0			N/A
	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	0	0			N/A
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does <u>not</u> exceed 15%. (See guidance for this table in EEP monitoring guidance document)	0	0			N/A
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~ Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth ratio $\geq$ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at base-flow.	0	0			N/A

\* This monitoring year is the first year that riffles and pools were assessed and counted so the number that are stable and the baseline number are the same.

\*\* This enhancement section has low flows with an undeveloped thalweg and no distinct meanders, so this metric was not assessed.

<sup>+</sup> There are no traditionally engineered structures on this reach, only root wads.

<b>Table 6. Vegetation Condition Assessment</b>						
<b>Project Number and Name: 224 - Little Grassy Creek</b>						
<b>Planted Acreage 5.2</b>			<b>Easement Acreage 84.7</b>			
<b>Vegetation Category</b>	<b>Definitions</b>	<b>Mapping Threshold</b>	<b>CCPV Depiction</b>	<b>Number of Polygons</b>	<b>Combined Acreage</b>	<b>% of Planted Acreage</b>
<b>1. Bare Areas</b>	Very limited cover of both woody and herbaceous material.	0.1 acres	Pattern and Color	0	0.00	0.0%
<b>2. Low Stem Density Areas</b>	Woody stem densities clearly below target levels based on MY3, 4, or 5 stem count criteria.	0.1 acres	Pattern and Color	0	0.00	0.0%
<b>Total</b>				0	0.00	0.0%
<b>3. Areas of Poor Growth Rates or Vigor</b>	Areas with woody stems of a size class that are obviously small given the monitoring year.	0.25 acres	Pattern and Color	0	0.00	0.0%
<b>Cumulative Total</b>				0	0.00	0.0%
<b>4. Invasive Areas of Concern</b>	Areas or points (if too small to render as polygons at map scale).	1000 SF	Pattern and Color	0	0.00	0.0%
<b>5. Easement Encroachment Areas</b>	Areas or points (if too small to render as polygons at map scale).	none	Pattern and Color	0	0.00	0.0%

## Stream Station Photos



Cross-Section 1 – Looking across the stream at the right bank. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross-Section 1 – Looking across the stream at the right bank. 9/20/12 - MY 05



Cross-Section 1 – Looking across the stream at the left bank. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross-Section 1 – Looking across the stream at the left bank. 9/20/12 - MY 05



Cross-Section 2 – Looking across the stream at the right bank. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross-Section 2 – Looking across the stream at the right bank. 9/20/12 - MY 05



Cross-Section 2 – Looking across the stream at the left bank. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross-Section 2 – Looking across the stream at the left bank. 9/20/12 - MY 05



Cross-Section 3 – Looking across the stream at the right bank. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross-Section 3 – Looking across the stream at the right bank. 9/20/12 - MY 05



Cross-Section 3 – Looking across the stream at the left bank. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross-Section 3 – Looking across the stream at the left bank. 9/20/12 - MY 05



Cross-Section 4 – Looking across the stream at the right bank. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross-Section 4 – Looking across the stream at the right bank. 9/20/12 - MY 05



Cross-Section 4 – Looking across the stream at the left bank. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross-Section 4 – Looking across the stream at the left bank. 9/20/12 - MY 05



Cross Vane Photo. 8/27/09 - MY 02



Cross Vane Photo. 9/20/12 - MY 05

## Vegetation Monitoring Plot Photos



Vegetation Plot 1 Photo – 9/20/12 - MY 05



Vegetation Plot 2 Photo – 9/20/12 - MY 05



Vegetation Plot 3 Photo – 9/20/12 - MY 05



Vegetation Plot 4 Photo – 9/20/12 - MY 05



Vegetation Plot 5 Photo – 9/20/12 - MY 05



Vegetation Plot 6 Photo – 9/20/12 - MY 05





Vegetation Plot 7 Photo – 9/20/12 - MY 05

# **Appendix C**

## **Vegetation Plot Data**

**Table 7. Vegetation Plot Mitigation Success Summary Table****Project Number and Name: 224 - Little Grassy Creek**

<b>Vegetation Plot ID</b>	<b>Monitoring Year 05 Planted Stem Density (stems/acre)</b>	<b>Vegetation Survival Threshold Met? (320 planted stems/acre after MY05)</b>	<b>Monitoring Year 05 Total Stem Density (stems/acre)</b>
1	688	Yes	688
2	567	Yes	1,659
3	364	Yes	526
4	607	Yes	769
5	445	Yes	486
6	162	No	324
7	243	No	1,174

<b>Table 8. CVS Vegetation Plot Metadata</b>	
<b>Project Number and Name: 224 - Little Grassy Creek</b>	
<b>Report Prepared By</b>	April Helms
<b>Date Prepared</b>	10/30/2012 9:11
<b>database name</b>	KCI-2012-A.mdb
<b>database location</b>	M:\2007\12071067_2007 EEP OPEN END\Veg_database
<b>computer name</b>	12-CV76KF1
<b>file size</b>	59768832
<b>DESCRIPTION OF WORKSHEETS IN THIS DOCUMENT-----</b>	
<b>Metadata</b>	Description of database file, the report worksheets, and a summary of project(s) and project data.
<b>Proj, planted</b>	Each project is listed with its PLANTED stems per acre, for each year. This excludes live stakes.
<b>Proj, total stems</b>	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.
<b>Plots</b>	List of plots surveyed with location and summary data (live stems, dead stems, missing, etc.).
<b>Vigor</b>	Frequency distribution of vigor classes for stems for all plots.
<b>Vigor by Spp</b>	Frequency distribution of vigor classes listed by species.
<b>Damage</b>	List of most frequent damage classes with number of occurrences and percent of total stems impacted by each.
<b>Damage by Spp</b>	Damage values tallied by type for each species.
<b>Damage by Plot</b>	Damage values tallied by type for each plot.
<b>Planted Stems by Plot and Spp</b>	A matrix of the count of PLANTED living stems of each species for each plot; dead and missing stems are excluded.
<b>ALL Stems by Plot and spp</b>	A matrix of the count of total living stems of each species (planted and natural volunteers combined) for each plot; dead and missing stems are excluded.
<b>PROJECT SUMMARY-----</b>	
<b>Project Code</b>	224
<b>project Name</b>	Little Grassy Creek
<b>Description</b>	Stream restoration site in Granville County, NC
<b>River Basin</b>	Roanoke
<b>length(ft)</b>	15,249
<b>stream-to-edge width (ft)</b>	50
<b>area (sq m)</b>	8.1
<b>Required Plots (calculated)</b>	7* (*Number of plots determined by project designer).
<b>Sampled Plots</b>	7

Table 9. Stem Count Total and Planted Stems by Plot and Species																							
Project Number and Name: 224 – Little Grassy Creek																							
			Current Plot Data (MY5 2012)																				
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	E224-A-VP1			E224-A-VP2			E224-A-VP3			E224-A-VP4			E224-A-VP5			E224-A-VP6			E224-A-VP7		
			P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	T
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	red maple	Tree	3	3	3			2				1	1	1									
<i>Betula nigra</i>	river birch	Tree	5	5	5	10	10	31			3	1	1	1									
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	American hornbeam	Shrub Tree	1	1	1																		
<i>Carya sp.</i>	hickory	Tree																					
<i>Cedrus sp.</i>	cedar	Tree																					
<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	eastern redbud	Shrub Tree	2	2	2							2	2	2	1	1	1						
<i>Cornus florida</i>	flowering dogwood	Tree						2															
<i>Corylus americana</i>	American hazelnut	Shrub	2	2	2										1	1	1						
<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	common persimmon	Tree				2	2	2	5	5	6			3	1	1	1						
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	green ash	Tree							2	2	2	2	2	2				1	1	1	5	5	5
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	black walnut	Tree																					
<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>	eastern redcedar	Tree																				3	
<i>Lindera benzoin</i>	northern spicebush	Shrub Tree										1	1	1									
<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>	sweetgum	Tree						1						1			1			2		3	
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	tuliptree	Tree				1	1	1				1	1	1									
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	American sycamore	Tree	2	2	2			1				6	6	6	6	6	6	2	2	2			
<i>Quercus falcata</i>	southern red oak	Tree																					
<i>Quercus pagoda</i>	cherrybark oak	Tree							1	1	1							1	1	1			
<i>Quercus phellos</i>	willow oak	Tree				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2				1	1	1
<i>Rhus sp.</i>	sumac																						
<i>Rhus copallinum</i>	flameleaf sumac	Shrub Tree																					
<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>	Common Elderberry	Shrub Tree	2	2	2																		
<i>Ulmus sp.</i>	elm	Tree																				17	
<i>Ulmus alata</i>	winged elm	Tree																		2			
<i>Unknown</i>		unknown																					
<b>Stem count</b>			17	17	17	14	14	41	9	9	13	15	15	19	11	11	12	4	4	8	6	6	29
<b>size (ares)</b>			1			1			1			1			1			1			1		
<b>size (ACRES)</b>			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02		
<b>Species count</b>			7	7	7	4	4	8	4	4	5	8	8	10	5	5	6	3	3	5	2	2	5
<b>Stems per ACRE</b>			688	688	688	567	567	1659	364	364	526	607	607	769	445	445	486	162	162	324	243	243	1174

**Table 9. Stem Count Total and Planted Stems by Plot and Species**  
**Project Number and Name: 224 – Little Grassy Creek**

		Annual Means															
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	MY5 (2012)			MY4 (2011)			MY3 (2010)			MY2 (2009)			MY1 (2008)		
			PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	red maple	Tree	4	4	6	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4
<i>Betula nigra</i>	river birch	Tree	16	16	40	13	13	18	13	13	14	15	15	17	19	19	19
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	American hornbeam	Shrub Tree	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	9	2	2	2
<i>Carya sp.</i>	hickory	Tree						1			1						
<i>Cedrus sp.</i>	cedar	Tree									2						
<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	eastern redbud	Shrub Tree	5	5	5	6	6	6	8	8	8	8	8	9	9	9	9
<i>Cornus florida</i>	flowering dogwood	Tree			2												
<i>Corylus americana</i>	American hazelnut	Shrub	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5
<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	common persimmon	Tree	8	8	12	9	9	12	9	9	10	11	11	12	11	11	11
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	green ash	Tree	10	10	10	7	7	7	7	7	7	9	9	9	8	8	8
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	black walnut	Tree												2			
<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>	eastern redcedar	Tree			3			2									
<i>Lindera benzoin</i>	northern spicebush	Shrub Tree	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4			
<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>	sweetgum	Tree			8			10			6			7			
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	tuliptree	Tree	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	6	2	2	2
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	American sycamore	Tree	16	16	17	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	16	16	16
<i>Quercus falcata</i>	southern red oak	Tree												1			
<i>Quercus pagoda</i>	cherrybark oak	Tree	2	2	2												
<i>Quercus phellos</i>	willow oak	Tree	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	7	7	7	7	7	7
<i>Rhus sp.</i>	sumac							13						16			
<i>Rhus copallinum</i>	flameleaf sumac	Shrub Tree									12						
<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>	Common Elderberry	Shrub Tree	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
<i>Ulmus sp.</i>	elm	Tree			17			16									
<i>Ulmus alata</i>	winged elm	Tree			2						9			5			
Unknown		unknown												1	1	1	1
<b>Stem count</b>			76	76	139	69	69	120	72	72	104	81	81	130	86	86	86
<b>size (ares)</b>			7			7			7			7			7		
<b>size (ACRES)</b>			0.17			0.17			0.17			0.17			0.17		
<b>Species count</b>			13	13	18	12	12	17	12	12	17	12	12	18	12	12	12
<b>Stems per ACRE</b>			439	439	804	399	399	694	416	416	601	468	468	752	497	497	497

# **Appendix D**

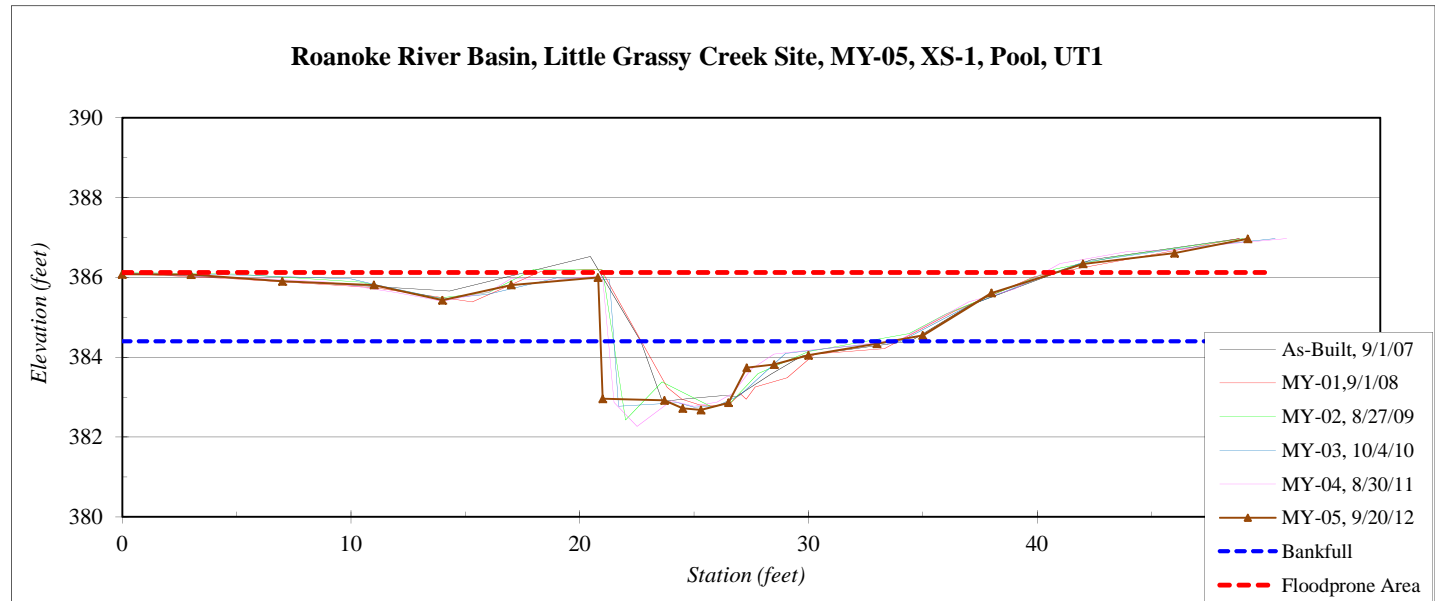
## **Stream Assessment Data**

<b>River Basin:</b>	Roanoke
<b>Site:</b>	Little Grassy Creek Site, MY-05
<b>XS ID</b>	XS-1, Pool, UT1
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.24
<b>Date:</b>	9/20/2012
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. French, A. Helms

Station	Elevation
0.0	386.08
3.0	386.07
7.0	385.90
11.0	385.81
14.0	385.43
17.0	385.81
20.0	386.00
21.0	386.03
23.7	382.92
24.5	382.72
25.3	382.68
26.5	382.86
27.3	383.74
28.5	383.82
30.0	384.05
33.0	384.34
35.0	384.55
38.0	385.61
42.0	386.34
46.0	386.61
49.2	386.97

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	384.4
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	11.6
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	12.7
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	386.1
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	35
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.7
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.9
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	13.9
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	2.8
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.7

<b>Stream Type</b>	C/E4
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XS-1 contains rootwads and an undercut left bank.

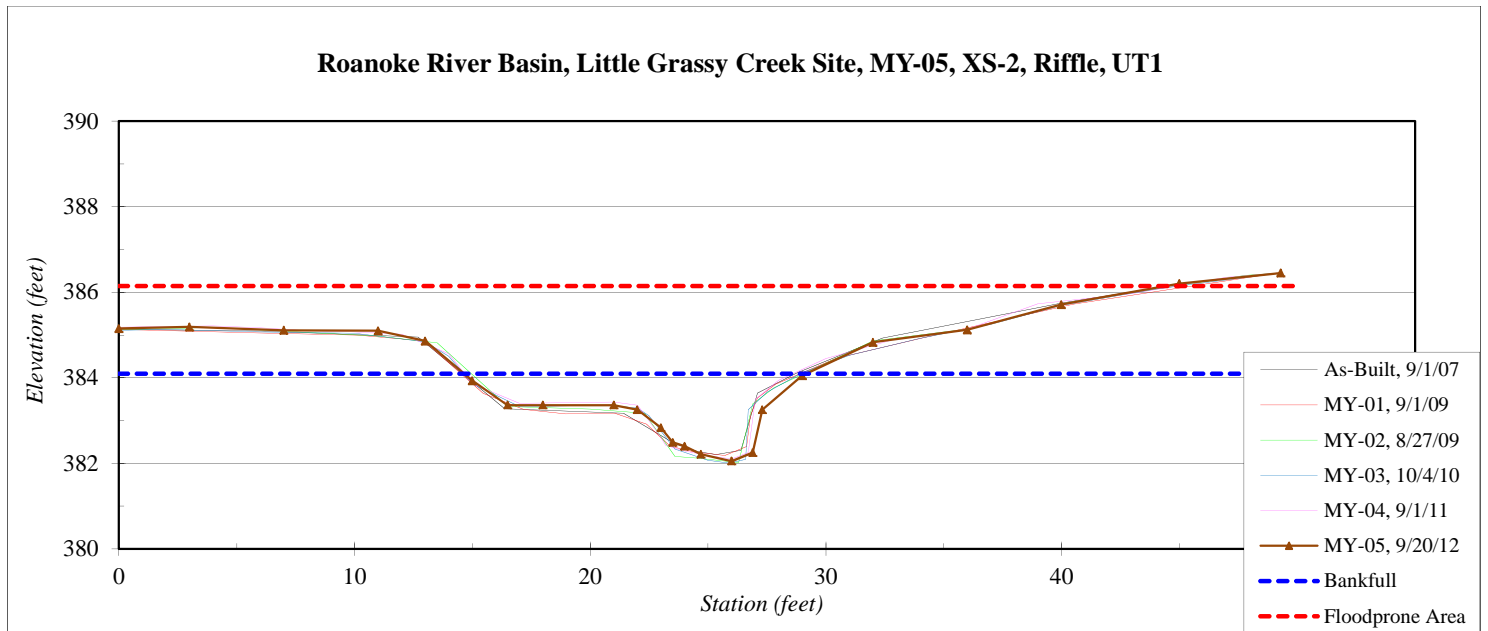


<b>River Basin:</b>	Roanoke
<b>Site:</b>	Little Grassy Creek Site, MY-05
<b>XS ID</b>	XS-2, Riffle, UT1
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.24
<b>Date:</b>	9/20/2012
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. French, A. Helms

Station	Elevation
0.0	385.15
3.0	385.19
7.0	385.11
11.0	385.10
13.0	384.86
15.0	383.93
16.5	383.36
18.0	383.36
21.0	383.36
22.0	383.25
23.0	382.83
23.5	382.49
24.0	382.40
24.7	382.21
26.0	382.05
26.9	382.25
27.3	383.25
29.0	384.05
32.0	384.83
36.0	385.12
40.0	385.71
45.0	386.20
49.3	386.45

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	384.1
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	14.3
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	14.5
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	386.1
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	40.0
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	2.0
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.0
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	14.7
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	2.8
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.0

<b>Stream Type</b>	C/E4
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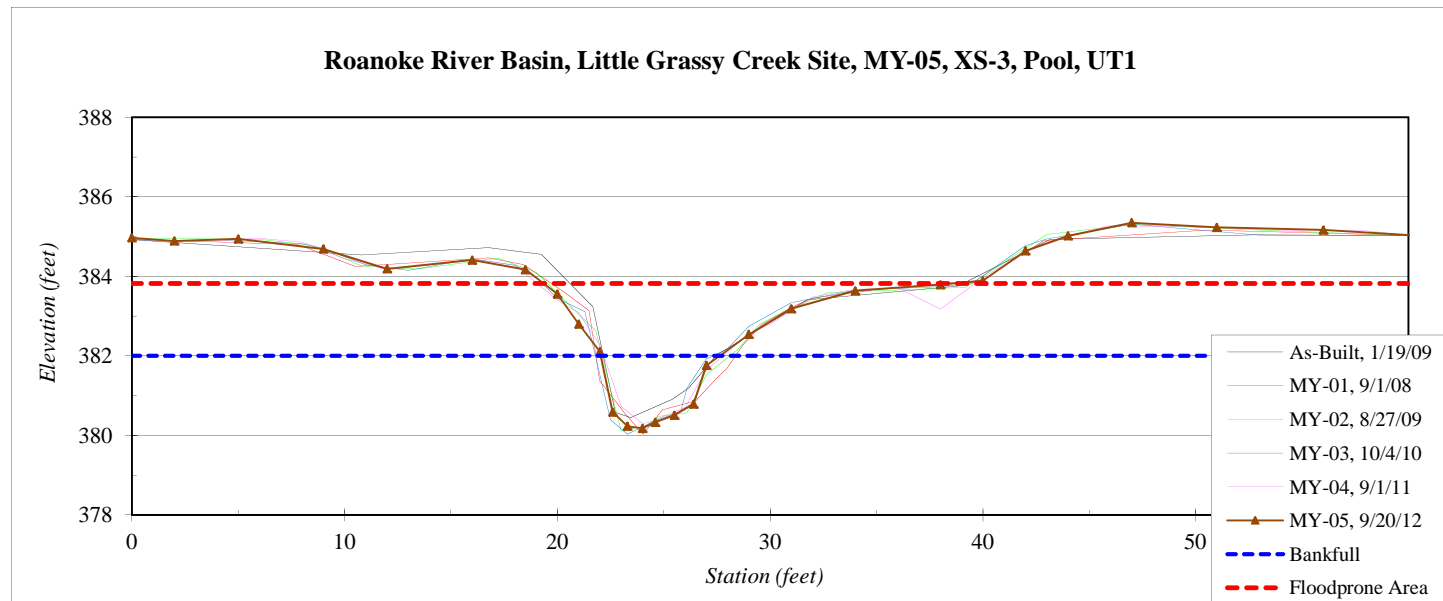


<b>River Basin:</b>	Roanoke
<b>Site:</b>	Little Grassy Creek Site, MY-05
<b>XS ID</b>	XS-3, Pool, UT1
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.24
<b>Date:</b>	9/20/2012
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. French, A. Helms

Station	Elevation
0.0	384.97
2.0	384.89
5.0	384.94
9.0	384.69
12.0	384.19
16.0	384.41
18.5	384.17
20.0	383.56
21.0	382.80
22.0	382.11
22.6	380.59
23.3	380.23
24.0	380.18
24.6	380.33
25.5	380.51
26.4	380.79
27.0	381.76
29.0	382.54
31.0	383.19
34.0	383.64
38.0	383.79
40.0	383.89
42.0	384.64
44.0	385.02
47.0	385.35
51.0	385.23
56.0	385.17
60.2	385.03

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	382.0
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	6.9
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	5.6
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	383.8
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	21
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.8
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.2
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	4.5
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	3.7
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.0

<b>Stream Type</b>	C/E4
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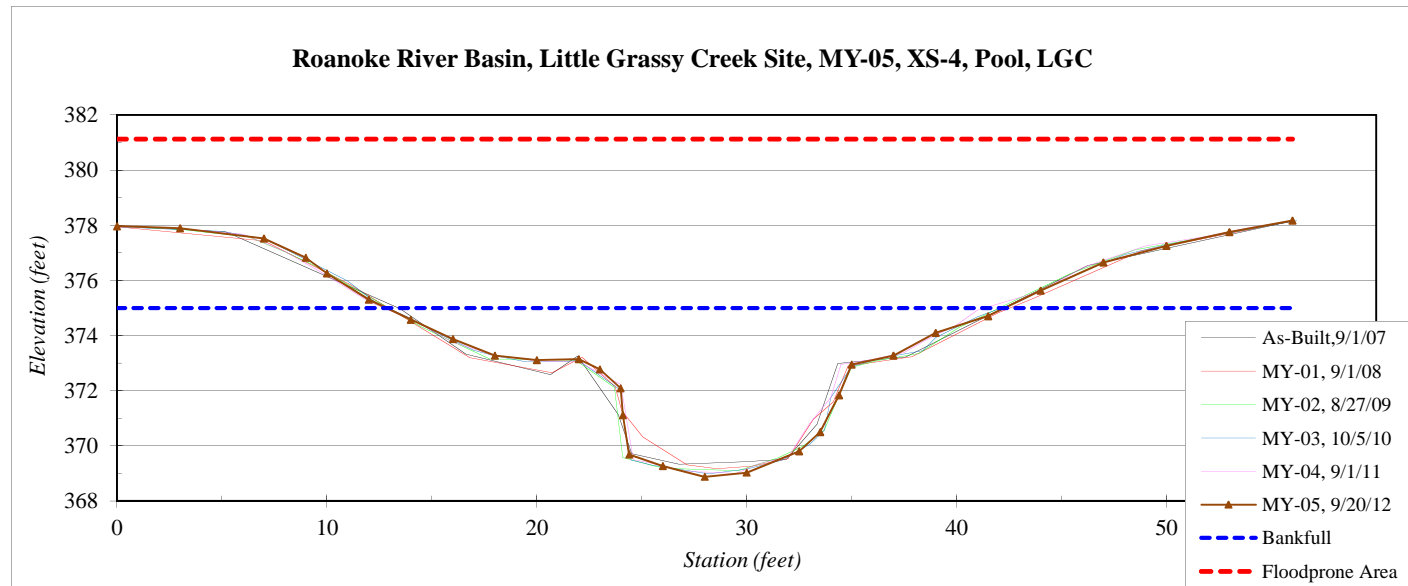


<b>River Basin:</b>	Roanoke
<b>Site:</b>	Little Grassy Creek Site, MY-05
<b>XS ID</b>	XS-4, Pool, LGC
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	8.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/20/2012
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. French, A. Helms

Station	Elevation
0.0	377.97
3.0	377.89
7.0	377.52
9.0	376.83
10.0	376.26
12.0	375.31
14.0	374.58
16.0	373.88
18.0	373.28
20.0	373.11
22.0	373.15
23.0	372.78
24.0	372.09
24.1	371.12
24.4	369.69
26.0	369.27
28.0	368.88
30.0	369.03
32.5	369.81
33.5	370.50
34.4	371.84
35.0	372.95
37.0	373.28
39.0	374.10
41.5	374.71
44.0	375.63
47.0	376.65
50.0	377.26
53.0	377.75
56.0	378.17

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	375.0
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	83.0
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	29.5
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	381.1
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	>60
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	6.1
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	2.8
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	10.5
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	>2.0
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.4

<b>Stream Type</b>	C/E4
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<b>Table 10. Monitoring - Cross-Section Morphology Data Tables</b>																		
<b>Project Number and Name: 224- Little Grassy Creek</b>																		
<b>Segment Reach: UT1 (2,628 ft) and Little Grassy Creek (12,621 ft)</b>																		
<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Cross-Section 1</b>						<b>Cross-Section 2</b>						<b>Cross-Section 3</b>					
	<b>Pool - UT 1</b>						<b>Riffle - UT 1</b>						<b>Pool - UT 1</b>					
<b>Dimension</b>	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Record Elevation (datum) used</b>	384.4	384.4	384.4	384.4	384.4	384.4	384.1	384.1	384.1	384.1	384.1	384.1	382.0	382.0	382.0	382.0	382.0	382.0
Bankfull Width (ft)	11.8	11.2	11.1	12.5	12.2	12.7	14.2	14.5	14.1	14.3	14.3	14.5	5.3	6.6	6.1	5.5	5.6	5.6
Floodprone Width (ft)	35	35	39	39	39	35	-	-	>40	>40	>40	>40	-	-	21	21	21	21
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.7	9.3	10.0	10.9	11.0	11.6	14.4	14.7	14.2	13.7	13.7	14.3	5.4	7.4	7.2	6.9	6.0	6.9
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.2
Bankfull Maximum Depth (ft)	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.7	2.1	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.8
Width/Depth Ratio	16.0	13.5	12.3	14.3	13.5	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.0	14.9	14.9	14.7	5.2	5.8	5.2	4.4	5.2	4.5
Entrenchment Ratio	3.0	3.1	3.5	3.1	3.2	2.8	3.0	3.1	>3.0	>3.0	>3.0	>3.0	2.7	3.2	3.4	3.7	3.7	3.7
Bank Height Ratio*	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.0
Cross-Sectional Area Between End Pins (ft <sup>2</sup> )	-	-	-	41.8	43.3	45.2	-	-	-	24.4	32.8	33.8	-	-	-	55.1	59.1	59.3
d50 (mm)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Cross-Section 4</b>					
	<b>Pool - Little Grassy Creek</b>					
<b>Dimension</b>	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Record Elevation (datum) used</b>	375.0	375.0	375.0	375.0	375.0	375.0
Bankfull Width (ft)	28.7	29.5	29.0	29.2	28.6	29.5
Floodprone Width (ft)	-	-	>60	>60	>60	>60
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	82.5	82.2	84.2	83.7	80.9	83.0
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8
Bankfull Maximum Depth (ft)	5.6	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1
Width/Depth Ratio	10.0	10.6	10.0	10.2	10.1	10.5
Entrenchment Ratio	2.0	1.9	>2.0	>2.0	>2.0	>2.0
Bank Height Ratio*	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4
Cross-Sectional Area Between End Pins (ft <sup>2</sup> )	-	-	-	193.7	189.8	197.7
d50 (mm)	-	-	-	-	-	-

\* Bank Height Ratios for MY1 and MY2 were recalculated for the MY3 report using the top of bank elevation provided in the baseline report, which will be used for the remainder of the monitoring period for consistency.

# **Appendix E**

## **Supplemental Planting Report**

# INSPECTION REPORT

Date of Inspection: January 31, 2012

Date of Report: January 31, 2012

Project: Little Grassy Creek – EEP #224

Location: Granville County, NC

Inspection of: Supplemental Planting (Direct Pay for Services)

By: Wright Contracting. (Contractor)

Name & Title of Inspector Perry Sugg – EEP Project Mgr

## COMMENTS:

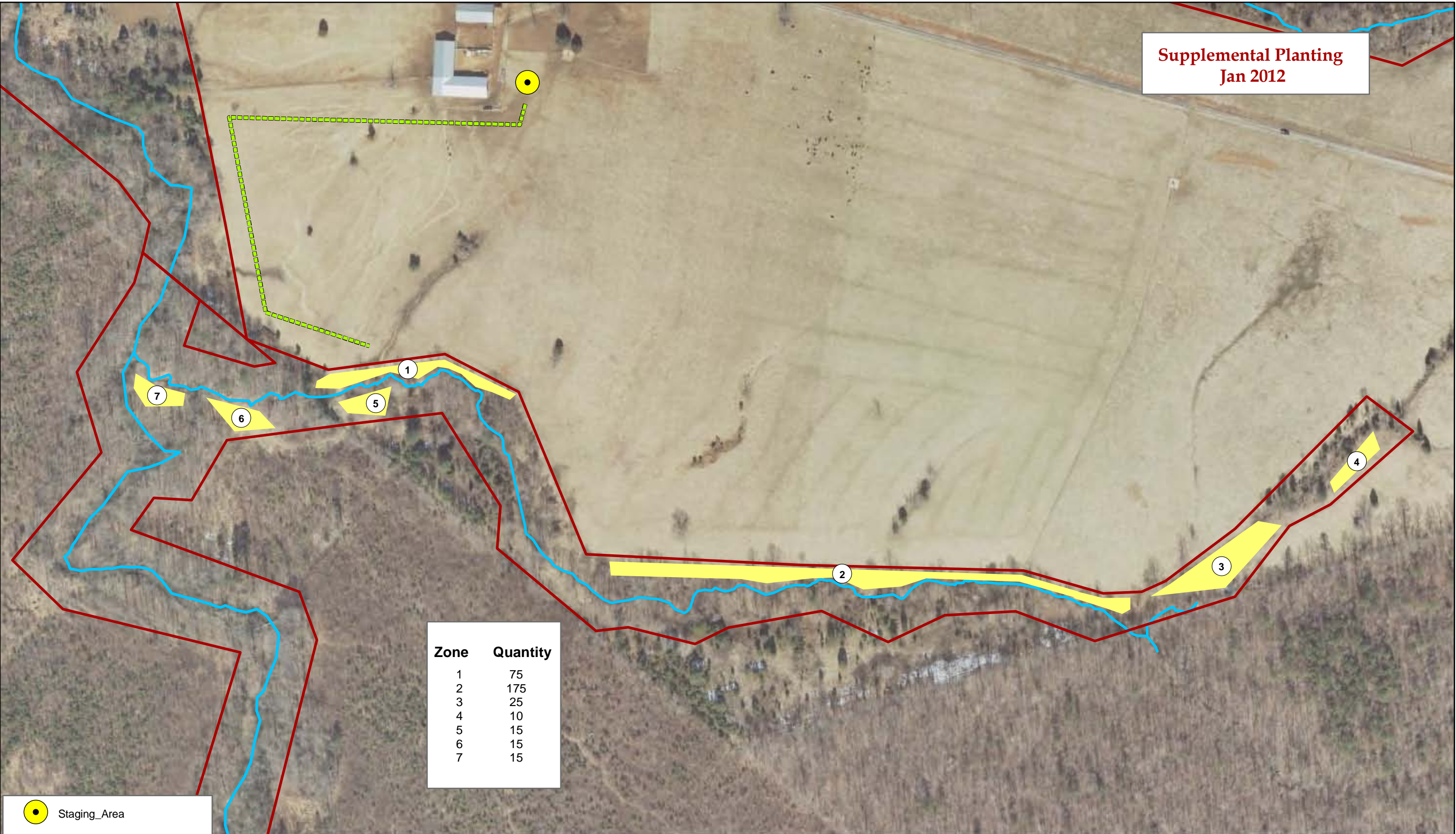
At the direction of EEP, Wright Contracting installed 330 containerized trees at the Little Grassy Creek project site in Granville County NC on January 31, 2012. The containerized trees were owner-provided plants grown by NCWRC's plant nursery in Yanceyville NC. WRC delivered all plants on the day of planting.

Wright installed the 330 five-gal containerized trees within targeted areas along UT1 as identified by EEP (see attached map). Wright was instructed to plant the planting areas with appropriate representation of species, and spaced at least 10 feet from existing trees and 10 feet from the existing fencing.

Species	Quantity Planted
Willow Oak ( <i>Quercus phellos</i> )	30
Sycamore ( <i>Platanus occidentalis</i> )	75
Green Ash ( <i>Frax. pennsylvanica</i> )	50
Red maple ( <i>Acer rubrum</i> )	50
Cherrybark Oak ( <i>Quercus pagoda</i> )	75
River birch ( <i>Betula nigra</i> )	50

All trees planted met NC EEP size and vigor requirements. A final walk through was conducted by EEP upon completion on 1/31/2012 and approved.

Supplemental Planting  
Jan 2012



Zone	Quantity
1	75
2	175
3	25
4	10
5	15
6	15
7	15

- Staging\_Area
- Site\_Access
- Supplemental Planting
- LGC\_Streams\_EEP