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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The North Carolina Ecosystem Enhancement Program (NCEEP) intends to utilize the Little Troublesome Creek and associated tributaries and wetlands for a stream and wetland mitigation project. The proposed project includes the restoration of approximately 2,188 linear feet of LTC and an unnamed tributary (UT1). In addition, there are approximately 4.5 acres of wetland preservation, 1.9 acres of wetland enhancement opportunities and 2,754 linear feet of stream preservation (UT2) within the restoration site.

The site is located approximately 5 miles southeast of the Town of Reidsville, North Carolina in Rockingham County. The project site was identified for restoration in the NCEEP Local Watershed Plan (Upper Cape Fear Basin LWP). It is situated within the 03030002 (Upper Cape Fear 02) Watershed Cataloging Unit (8-digit HUC) and the 03030002010030 Local Watershed Unit (14-digit HUC) and drains approximately 7,740 acres including the southern portion of the Town of Reidsville. The NCEEP has identified this 14-digit HUC as a Targeted Local Watershed.

LTC exhibits characteristics of an unstable stream channel. Watershed growth, residential and commercial development and past channelization in the watershed have led to increased impervious area and runoff. The concerns have resulted in erosion and heavy sedimentation in LTC. The channel can be characterized as having poor streambed variability and habitat diversity as proven with an inconsistent profile throughout LTC.

Previous cattle access to the streams and excess nutrient inputs have resulted in eroding stream banks and degraded water quality. Currently the cattle have been removed from the stream, which has improved water quality. However, the channel is continuing to undergo change due to the large developing watershed.

The stream banks consist of highly erodible material consisting of silt/sand, and the majority of the stream banks are vertical. LTC is currently in Class V of the channel evolution sequence. Bed degradation and aggradation are evident throughout the project reach (their presence depends on the local slopes and channel dimensions, along with the presence of sand depositing along the stream bed). A riparian buffer along the stream banks was observed with woody vegetation, but it is very narrow, approximately only one tree width on the west side of LTC. Much of the vegetation observed existed on the top of bank with very little vegetation coverage from the top of bank to the bottom of bank (NCEEP, May 2004). Many of the trees along the stream banks have exposed roots and are falling into the channel due to the stream widening and active bank erosion. The widening of the channel poses the immediate threat to short term stability of the channel.

UT1 exhibits different symptoms than the main stem, mostly due to the smaller drainage area (approximately 0.10-square mile). The streambed has defined riffles and pools; however the channel is deeply incised with active bank erosion and widening of the channel. Many of the trees along the stream banks are falling into the channel as a result of undercutting banks. The major concern for UT1 is the loss of its hyporheic zone. The channel has degraded extensively to the point that the roots on the stream banks are exposed and the streambed has degraded several feet beneath the tree roots.

UT2 is classified as an intermittent stream for stream preservation. The stream enters the property at the northwestern corner of the project site. UT2 flows parallel to LTC for approximately 2,754 linear feet before the confluence at the bottom of the site near Mizpah Church Road.

Two reference streams were surveyed to facilitate the development of design criteria for the restoration of the LTC and UT1. A section of Collins Creek, located west of Chapel Hill, was identified and surveyed as a reference reach for the restoration of LTC. A section of an Unnamed Tributary to Wilkinson Creek, located southwest of Chapel Hill, was identified and surveyed as a reference reach for the restoration of UT1. These selections were based on: location in the same hydrophysiographic province, similar valley morphology, and similar sediment regime as the project streams.

The restoration goals for this project are as follows:

- Restore a stable channel morphology that is capable of moving the flows and sediment provided by its watershed.
- Improve water quality for an NCDWQ stream, classified as a Class C and Nutrient Sensitive Waters (NSW).
- Reduce land and riparian vegetation loss resulting from lateral erosion and bed degradation.
- Enhance aquatic and terrestrial habitat.
- Improve the functions of existing wetlands.
- Preserve existing wetlands and forested buffers.

The objectives that must be accomplished to reach these goals are:

- Restore 2,188 linear feet of stable stream channel with the appropriate pattern, profile, and dimension that can support a gravel transport system.
- Restore a natural riparian buffer; reduce nutrient inputs and sediment from bank erosion into the stream.
- Restore the natural hyporheic zone in the project streams and re-establish the natural stream features.
- Enhance hydrology and vegetation by plugging ditches to increase groundwater and planting vegetation to increase species diversity.

The restoration design of the LTC proposes constructing and restoring approximately 1,375 linear feet of a meandering “E4” channel and associated floodplain. The tributary (UT1) restoration will restore 813 linear feet of a “B4c” stream type.

**Table 1. Project Restoration Structure and Objectives**

<b>Streams</b>						
<b>Reach</b>	<b>Station Range</b>	<b>Restoration Type</b>	<b>Priority Approach</b>	<b>Stream Classification</b>	<b>Existing Linear Footage</b>	<b>Designed Linear Footage</b>
LTC	10+00 - 11+75	Restoration	P3	E4	175	175
LTC	11+75 –21+95	Restoration	P2	E4	975	1020
LTC	21+95 – 23+75	Restoration	P3	E4	179	180
<b>LTC-TOTAL</b>					<b>1329</b>	<b>1375</b>
UT1	50+00 - 58+13	Restoration	P3	B4c	*873	*813
<b>Wetlands</b>						
<b>Wetlands</b>	<b>Acreage</b>	<b>Soil Type</b>	<b>Existing Community Type</b>	<b>Designed Community Type</b>		
Enhancement Wetland #1	1.17	Wedhadkee Wedhadkee/ Variant	Grass/Pasture Community	Piedmont Alluvial Forest		
Enhancement Wetland #2	0.74	Wedhadkee Wedhadkee/ Variant	Low Elevation Seep	Low Elevation Seep		
Preservation Wetland	4.5	Wedhadkee	Piedmont Bottomland Hardwood	Piedmont Bottomland Hardwood		

\* There are three existing unstable, torturous bends in UT1, which have increased the stream length. In the proposed design, we are creating a stable, meandering channel, which will decrease the length of UT1.

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## **1.0 PROJECT SITE IDENTIFICATION AND LOCATION**

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### **1.1 Directions to Project Site**

The project site is located on two private properties owned by Neal Hall with approximately 20 acres on the west side of LTC and Jimmie Mitchell with approximately 10.2 acres on the east side of LTC. NCEEP has purchased the easement restrictions on the land necessary to undertake the project. The mitigation will be protected by a conservation easement, in perpetuity. The project site is located along LTC immediately upstream of Mizpah Church Road, and is approximately 5 miles southeast of the Town of Reidsville.

From Raleigh:

Proceed west on Interstate-40 (I-40). Continue on I-40 West/ I-85 South after they merge near Hillsborough. Take Exit 138 and turn right on NC-61. Proceed to Gibsonville and follow NC-61; make a right on NC-150. In the town of Williamsburg, make a left on NC-87 and proceed approximately 0.5 mile; make a left on Mizpah Church Road and proceed 0.5 mile to the project site. The LTC Site begins upstream of Mizpah Church Road (Figure 2. Little Troublesome Creek Vicinity Area).

### **1.2 USGS Hydrologic Unit Code and NCDWQ River Basin Designations**

LTC is the primary hydrologic feature in the watershed. It is a third order stream that flows southeast on the project site for approximately 1,329 linear feet. UT1 is a first order stream that flows generally east to west for approximately 873 linear feet before joining LTC at the downstream end of the project reach at Mizpah Church Road.

The project site is situated within the Upper Cape Fear 02 watershed-cataloging unit (8-digit HUC: 03030002) and the 03030002010030 Local Watershed Unit (14-digit HUC). The site resides in the NCDWQ Subbasin 03-06-01. The NCEEP identifies this HUC as a Targeted Local Watershed. Targeted watersheds exhibit the need and opportunity for stream and riparian buffer restoration. The restoration would benefit water quality, aquatic habitat and other vital watershed functions (NCDENR, 2001).

## **2.0 WATERSHED CHARACTERIZATION**

The LTC watershed and project site are both relatively narrow with a wide floodplain and small tributaries flowing off uplands (NCDENR, November 2002). The project site is located within the Northern Inner Piedmont Ecoregion of the Piedmont physiographic province. The watershed topography can be characterized as rolling hills with elevations ranging from 650 feet above mean sea level (AMSL) to 725 feet AMSL.

Little Troublesome Creek Watershed comprises the headwaters of the Haw River and further downstream the headwaters of the Cape Fear River basin. The watershed is characterized by sandy, erodible soils.

## 2.1 Drainage Area

The project watershed containing the study area, as seen in Figure 3 (Project Watershed), drains approximately 12.09 square miles (7,741 acres). The project site is located in the southern corner of the watershed. LTC is a headwater stream for the Haw River, which is located approximately 1 mile downstream of the project site. The project watershed is located to the east and west of NC-87 and the entire watershed is located in Rockingham County. Approximately 52% of the LTC drainage area is located within Reidsville, which coincides with approximately 50% of Reidsville's population in the drainage area (NCDENR, November 2002).

## 2.2 Surface Water Classification

The NCDWQ assigns surface waters a classification in order to help protect, maintain, and preserve water quality. The section of LTC associated with the project is designated as Class C and Nutrient Sensitive Waters (NSW) (NCDENR, 11/08/06).

- **Class C Waters** in North Carolina are protected for secondary recreation, fishing, wildlife, fish and aquatic life propagation and survival, agriculture, and other uses suitable for Class C. Secondary recreation includes wading, boating, and other uses involving human body contact with water where such activities take place in an infrequent, unorganized, or incidental manner. There are no restrictions on watershed development or types of discharges (NCDENR, 2005).
- **Nutrient Sensitive Waters (NSW)** is a supplemental classification intended for waters needing additional nutrient management due to their being subject to excessive growth of microscopic or macroscopic vegetation. In general, management strategies for point and non-point source pollution control require control of nutrients (nitrogen and/or phosphorus usually) such that excessive growths of vegetation are reduced or prevented and there is no increase in nutrients over target levels. Management strategies are site-specific (NCDENR, 2005).

### 2.2.1 Water Quality

Section 303(d) of the Clean Water Act is a requirement for states to recognize waters not meeting current standards by listing them as impaired and/or by support rating. These ratings refer to whether the uses of water such as water supply, aquatic life protection and recreation are being met. LTC was listed as impaired for aquatic life. It is listed as supporting for recreation based on the 2005 status. Impervious runoff and human induced activities contributed to the low ratings of LTC. In 2001, the NCEEP developed a Local Watershed Planning initiative to protect and preserve the streams, wetlands and buffers within the Little Troublesome watershed (NCDENR, October 2005).

### 2.2.2 Point Source Discharge

Point source discharges in North Carolina are regulated under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES). Any discharge to a water body is required to have a permit. A review of point source dischargers permitted through the NPDES identified one minor point source discharger within the project study area and two additional minor point source dischargers downstream of the project site (NCDENR, October 2005). All three minor point source dischargers are down gradient and should have no adverse effects on the project site. One major point source discharger is also located downstream of the project site at the Haw River. The permit was issued to the Reidsville Waste Water Treatment Plant in October 2005.

## **2.3 Geology and Soils**

Local geology consists of biotite gneiss, schist, and metamorphosed intrusive rocks of the Milton Belt. (NCGS, 1985). The geology of the Milton Belt is “characterized by sandy, erodible soils formed in material weathered from acid, igneous, and metamorphic rock” (NCWRP, October 2002).

The project watershed is located within the Piedmont physiographic province and is part of the Northern Inner Piedmont Ecoregion. This hilly ecoregion has higher elevations and a more rugged topography than any other Piedmont area. (Ecoregions of North Carolina and South Carolina. Griffith, G.E., et al.).

The Rockingham County Soil Survey classifies the project area soils as Chewacla (Ck), Pacolet sandy clay loam (PcD2) and Cecil Sandy Clay Loam (CdB2). The Chewacla soils consist of very deep, moderately permeable, somewhat poorly drained soils on floodplains along bottoms, creeks, and rivers. The soil is produced from recent alluvium washed from soils formed in residuum from schist, gneiss, granite, phyllite, and other metamorphic and igneous rocks. They occur on nearly level floodplains along streams that drain from the mountains and the Piedmont. Also included with Chewacla soils are small areas of Wehadkee soils on slightly concave slopes at the contact between the floodplains and the uplands. The Pacolet sandy clay loam soils are well drained and located on long, narrow slopes. Permeability is moderate, and available water capacity is low or moderate. The Cecil Sandy Clay Loam consists of very deep, well drained moderately permeable soils on ridges and side slopes of the Piedmont uplands (USDA, 1992).

## **2.4 Historical Land Use and Development Trends**

### **2.4.1 Historical Resources**

Historical aerial photographs were obtained from the Rockingham County Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) office in order to further access existing site conditions. The intent of the review was to understand the chronology of land disturbance, aid in the evaluation of the site, and develop an appropriate restoration strategy. Aerial photographs of the site were obtained from 1959, 1966, 1974, and 1988 (Figure 4. Historical Aerial Photographs). A current aerial photograph from the Rockingham County GIS was obtained for 2004.

In 1959 and 1966, the pond adjacent to the west of the project site is already in place. The open field to the west of LTC is visible. The pasture fields to the east of the project boundary also exist. LTC is visible and appears to resemble current conditions. Portions of UT1 and UT2 are also visible.

In 1974 and 1988, the subject property remains unchanged with the exception of a new residence to the west of the project boundary.

In 2004, LTC and adjacent areas appear to resemble current conditions; no significant differences are discernable at the scale and quality of the photo. Portions of UT2 appear to be a braided channel, while UT1 is not visible due to extensive forest cover.

Currently, the LTC stream channel appears to follow the pattern observable today. No changes in either the stream valley or stream channel were observed in the historical aerial photographs within the project area. Therefore, any alterations to the stream channel occurred prior to 1959. Currently, portions of UT2 exists as a braided channel, therefore it appears to have formed a braided channel since 1959 according to the aerial photography.



## 2.4.2 Land Use and Development Potential

The land cover evaluation indicates that the project watershed consists of: forest/wetland (49%), agriculture (21%), and developed or disturbed land (30%). There is approximately (21%) of impervious cover, primarily in the city limits of Reidsville (NCDENR, August 2004). The northern portion of the watershed encompasses the Town of Reidsville where residential, commercial, and industrial uses dominate (NCDENR, November 2002). The southern portion of the watershed is rural with minimal development and significant agricultural and residential uses. The project watershed is located approximately six (6) miles downstream from the Town of Reidsville. The area has been subjected to urban and suburban development and the watershed continues to experience moderate development pressure.

The primary land use on the subject property is forest and undeveloped land. LTC enters the property at the northeastern boundary and is centrally located on the subject property, while UT1 begins at the southeastern boundary

## 2.5 Endangered/Threatened Species

KCI conducted an informal file review at the North Carolina Natural Heritage Program's (NCNHP) office in order to help identify the potential for the presence of rare, threatened, or endangered species for Rockingham County (Williamsburg/Reidsville Quads).

To further evaluate the presence of threatened and endangered species on the subject property and the potential that the proposed project would impact them, KCI requested a formal review by the NCNHP. The formal review by the NCNHP stated that the site "has a record of the State Significantly Rare Carolina ladle crayfish (*Cambarus davidi*) from LTC at SR 2600". NCNHP concluded that "although stream restoration will likely be beneficial to the species in the long term, there could be impacts to it and other aquatic animals during the construction phase, and thus it is very important that proper sedimentation controls are in place to avoid impacts to the creek". Also, roughly a mile downstream is a series of U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service easements. The county significant Williamsburg Alluvial Forest also lies in the area just south of the confluence of LTC with the Haw River. These occurrences will not be affected by the proposed restoration project.

## 2.6 Cultural Resources

To evaluate the presence of significant cultural resources on the subject property and the potential that the proposed project would impact them, KCI requested a formal review by the North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources. The formal review by the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) is "aware of no historic resources that would be affected by the project." The formal review by the State Archeology Office also identified no potential sites on or around the subject property.

## 2.7 Potential Constraints

The presence of conditions or characteristics that have the potential to hinder restoration activities on the project site were evaluated. Existing information regarding project site constraints was acquired and reviewed. In addition, any site conditions that have the potential to restrict the restoration design and implementation were documented during the field investigation.

### 2.7.1 Property Ownership and Boundary

The project site is located on two private properties owned by Neal Hall with approximately 20 acres on the west side of LTC and Jimmie Mitchell with approximately 10.2 acres on the east side of LTC.

(Appendix A). NCEEP has purchased the easement restrictions on the land necessary to undertake the project. The mitigation will be protected by a conservation easement, in perpetuity.

### 2.7.2 Site Access

The project site can be accessed at the southern property boundary located on Mizpah Church Road.

### 2.7.3 Utilities

There is an existing utility line that runs parallel to UT1 along Mizpah Church Road; however this utility line is not included in the easement and therefore is not a part of the project site.

### 2.7.4 FEMA/Hydrologic Trespass

The project site is located within the 100-year floodplain. In addition, LTC is a designated floodway (Zone AE). As such, any modifications to the stream that would result in the increase of the 100-year flood elevation or cause a change in the floodway would require a Conditional Letter of Map Revision (CLOMR) and/or a Letter of Map Revision (LOMR). It is the intent of the restoration design to maintain the 100-year flood elevation and avoid any adverse alterations to the LTC floodplain/floodway. KCI will also contact the appropriate local floodplain administrator for the project site.

A conditional floodplain model was developed by updating the published hydraulic data with the detailed topographic survey used to prepare the construction drawings for the project site. The conditional model will be revised to reflect changes to the channel and floodplain as a result of the restoration (proposed model). A proposed hydrology and hydraulics (H&H) summary will be prepared and submitted as necessary indicating no anticipated impacts to the floodplain/floodway (No-Impact Certification).

The project site is contained entirely within the two private properties, Mr. Neal Hall and Mr. Jimmie Mitchell. The proposed restoration is not anticipated to produce hydrologic trespass conditions on any adjacent properties.

## **3.0 PROJECT SITE STREAMS (EXISTING CONDITIONS)**

A site field assessment was conducted in September 2006 to document existing conditions and evaluate the stream restoration potential. Observations and collected data are summarized below, illustrated in Figure 5 (Existing Conditions Map), and documented in the site photographs (Appendix A). The site was revisited several times from September 2006 to February 2007 to take further measurements, to install stream gauges, and to collect hydrology data from the instruments (Figure 6. Project Site Hydrologic Features and Gauge Location Map).

### **3.1 General Site Description**

The proposed project includes the restoration of approximately 2,188 linear feet of LTC and UT1. The LTC project reach begins at the northeastern property boundary at Station 10+00. The stream flows southeast for approximately 1,375 linear feet and the reach ends at Mizpah Church Road at approximate Station 23+75. The UT1 project reach begins downstream of a large steel culvert at Station 50+00. UT1 flows west parallel to Mizpah Church Road for approximately 813 linear feet before joining LTC at approximately Station 58+14.

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Research shows that portions of LTC, both upstream and downstream of the project site, have been historically channelized during the 1900's due to agricultural practices. Channelization involved straightening, deepening, and widening of the channel (NCDENR, November 2002). The channelization of LTC has increased heavy sedimentation due to the downcutting and widening of the stream (NCWRP, October 2002). The straightening, deepening and widening of the channel adversely affects habitat quality and diversity as demonstrated by the existing conditions in LTC.

UT1 exhibits different symptoms than the main stem, mostly due to the smaller drainage area (approximately 0.10-square mile). The streambed has defined riffles and pools; however the channel is deeply incised with active bank erosion and widening of the channel. Many of the trees along the stream banks are falling into the channel as a result of undercutting banks. The major concern for UT1 is the loss of its hyporheic zone. The channel has degraded extensively to the point that the roots on the stream banks are exposed and the streambed has degraded several feet beneath the tree roots.

UT2 enters the property at the northwestern corner. The stream flows parallel to LTC for approximately 2,754 linear feet before the confluence. NCDWQ Stream Classification Forms were completed twice during September and December 2006 (Appendix B). Refer to Figure 6 for locations. During the September review, the site exhibited typical late summer drought conditions. The area was primarily dry and portions of the stream were classified as ephemeral due to hydrology being absent or weak. The secondary biology indicators were also absent.

During the December stream classification review, benthic macroinvertebrate sampling was performed on portions of UT2. During the sampling, the preservation area was completely saturated and UT2 showed signs of a distinct stream channel. The macroinvertebrate collection technique was a visual assessment and a sweep-net sampling method. A list of macroinvertebrates collected at the sample locations are provided in Appendix B. As a result of hydrology indicators and macroinvertebrates being present during normal hydrologic conditions, UT2 is being classified as an intermittent stream as part of the project site.

### **3.2 Channel Classification**

The entire project reach for LTC is classified as a modified "E4" stream type. The stream begins as a moderately entrenched channel (2.0) with a low width-to-depth ratio (6.2). The start of the project is fairly wide with a bankfull width of 29 feet. Further downstream, the channel narrows and has a lower

width-to-depth ratio (4.2). Low width-to-depth ratios and high entrenchment ratios are typical of “E” type stable streams; however, channelization and other factors mentioned in Section 3.1 have caused LTC to become an unstable “E” channel. The stream is lacking a distinct pattern form, channel dimension, an inconsistent profile, and has vertical banks. The stream is actively widening and eroding.

The entire project reach for UT1 is classified as a “G4” stream type. The stream begins as a deeply entrenched channel (1.3) with a low width-to-depth ratio (5.1) and a high bank height ratio (5.3). Proceeding downstream, the channel becomes more entrenched (1.1) with a lower width-to-depth ratio of (4.0) and a higher bank height ratio (6.5). The channel remains deeply entrenched and severely incised until it joins LTC.

### **3.3 Channel Morphology (Pattern, Dimension, and Profile)**

A Rosgen Level III assessment was conducted to gather existing stream dimension, pattern, and profile data and determine the degree of channel instability. Channel cross-sections and bed materials were surveyed at four representative locations along the LTC and a total of five locations along UT1. Data developed from these surveys are presented with a channel morphology summary in Appendix C.

### **3.4 Channel Stability Assessment**

A qualitative stability assessment was performed to estimate the level of departure and determine the likely causes of the channel disturbance. This assessment facilitates the decision-making process with respect to restoration alternatives and establishing goals for successful restoration. Bank Erodibility Hazard Rating (BEHI) forms were prepared for reaches along LTC and UT1 (Appendix C).

LTC exhibits characteristics of an unstable stream channel; most notably the channel shows evidence of extensive erosion and watershed sedimentation. Further, the widening of the channel and bank erosion has exacerbated trees falling into the channel and subsequently eliminated root strength and cover protection. One BEHI rating form was performed for the entire LTC reach due to similar BEHI characteristics throughout the project reach. The LTC reach exhibited a moderate BEHI rating of 20.9.

UT1 is also an unstable stream channel. The channel has evidence of bed degradation, undercutting banks, and severe bank erosion. Based on the field measurements, further degradation and widening of the channel can be expected in this reach. One BEHI rating form was performed for the entire UT1 reach due to similar BEHI characteristics throughout. The UT1 reach exhibited an extreme BEHI rating of 49.8 with bank height ratios in the project reach consistently exceeding 5.0.

### **3.5 Bankfull Verification**

The standard methodology used in natural channel design is based on the ability to select the appropriate bankfull discharge and generate the corresponding bankfull hydraulic geometry from a stable reference system(s). The determination of bankfull stage is the most critical component of the natural channel design process.

Bankfull can be defined as “the stage at which channel maintenance is most effective, that is, the discharge at which moving sediment, forming or removing bars, forming or changing bends and meanders, and generally doing work that results in the average morphologic characteristics of the channels,” (Dunne and Leopold, 1978). Several characteristics that commonly indicate the bankfull stage include: incipient point of flooding, breaks in slope, changes in vegetation, highest depositional features (i.e. point bars), and highest scour line. A visual identification of bankfull stage in a degraded system, can be difficult to determine, therefore was not used to determine bankfull at the project site. Verification

measures were undertaken to facilitate the correct identification of the bankfull stage on the LTC and UT1.

The three methods used to verify bankfull stage at the project site were regional hydraulic geometry relationships (regional curves), a pressure transducer / data logger combination gauge that monitored actual water level in LTC throughout the study period and a hydrology/hydraulics model to evaluate flow and sediment transport.

Regional curves are typically utilized in ungauged areas to approximate bankfull discharge, area, width, and depth as a function of drainage area based on interrelated variables from other similar streams in the same hydrophysiographic province. Regional curves and corresponding equations from “Bankfull Hydraulic Geometry Relationships for North Carolina Streams” (Harman et al., 1999) were used to approximate bankfull in the project reach. Based on the regional curves, a bankfull discharge and cross-sectional area of 538 ft<sup>3</sup>/s and 117 ft<sup>2</sup> would be anticipated.

Stream stage data (water levels) were collected from LTC. Data were collected for nine months (September through May) and water levels were correlated to an estimated discharge using a rating curve generated for the gauged section. During the gauging period, three significant storm events were recorded. The maximum discharge event recorded was 625 ft<sup>3</sup>/s for a stage event of 6.80 feet on April 15<sup>th</sup>. The second largest event recorded was 557 ft<sup>3</sup>/s for a stage event of 6.39 feet on February 14<sup>th</sup>. The third event recorded was 420 ft<sup>3</sup>/s for a stage event of 5.49 feet on November 22<sup>nd</sup>. Continuous hydrographs were developed for LTC and are provided in Appendix C.

Stream stage data (water levels) were also collected from UT1. Data were collected for nine months (September through May) and the water levels are provided in Appendix C.

Information from the regional curves and from the hydrologic monitoring was used in conjunction with the Hydrologic Engineering Center River Analysis System (HEC-RAS) software to refine the bankfull determinations. The model allows for analysis of one-dimensional (1-D) steady state flow by solving for the energy equation. The approximate discharges calculated using the Manning open channel flow equation were run through the modeled reaches. The outputs corresponded well with the regional curve and to the subsequent calculations of the existing morphological variables. A summary data output developed from the model is provided below (Table 2).

**Table 2. HEC-RAS Hydrologic Variables**

Units	Station	Profile	Q	Bed Elev.	WS Elev.	Elev.	Slope	Velocity	Area	Width	F.N.
			cfs	ft AMSL	ft AMSL	ft AMSL	ft/ft	fps	sf	ft	
XS1	10+50	BKF	550.0	646.99	655.02	655.09	0.0003	2.14	647.76	559.53	0.15
XS2	12+50	BKF	550.0	647.17	654.89	654.98	0.0008	3.04	735.36	618.45	0.22
XS3	14+50	BKF	550.0	646.94	654.77	654.84	0.0004	2.39	565.50	572.01	0.17
XS4	17+00	BKF	550.0	646.79	654.66	654.75	0.0007	2.74	462.77	298.56	0.21
XS5	18+50	BKF	550.0	648.40	654.25	654.45	0.002	4.09	377.03	359.43	0.34
*XS6	20+50	BKF	550.0	648.02	652.08	653.39	0.019	9.19	59.83	22.84	1.00
XS7	22+55	BKF	550.0	644.62	650.40	650.54	0.0007	3.04	190.28	41.64	0.23

\* XS6 is a narrow cross section with a length of 19 feet from top of bank to top of bank, compared to the other cross sections of 30-35 feet.

### 3.6 Vegetation

On August 23, 2006, Steven Stokes and April Helms from KCI conducted a field investigation of the project area (Figure 7. Existing Natural Communities). Five existing natural communities were classified in accordance with a “Classification of the Natural Communities of North Carolina, Third Approximation” (Schafale and Weakley, 1990). The field investigation focused on flora, fauna and overall habitat structure. The flora, including dominant species per stratum, were identified and recorded.

The first community was classified as Piedmont Bottomland Forest. This community is located in the western portion of the project in the preservation area. The dominant species observed in this community are as follows: Green ash (*Fraxinus pennsylvanica*), False nettle (*Boehmeria cylindrical*), Sweet gum (*Liquidambar styraciflua*), Pawpaw (*Asimina triloba*), Red maple (*Acer rubrum*), River birch (*Betula nigra*), *Polygamum sp.*, Silky dogwood (*Cornus amomum*), Sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*), Swamp chestnut oak (*Quercus michauxii*), American elm (*Ulmus americana*), Eastern hemlock (*Tsuga canadensis*), Black willow (*Salix nigra*), Common persimmon (*Diospyros virginiana L.*), Possumhaw (*Viburnum nudum*), Blackhaw, (*Viburnum prunifolium*), and Musclewood (*Carpinus caroliniana*). The invasive species included Vietnamese stilt grass (*Microstigium viminium*), Multiflora rose (*Rosa multiflora*), and Japanese honeysuckle (*Lonicera japonica*)

The second community was classified as Piedmont Alluvial Forest. This community is located to the west of LTC and along the banks of UT1. The dominant species observed in the community are as follows: Green ash, River birch, False nettle, Possumhaw, Blackhaw, and Carolina horse-nettle (*Solanum carolinense*). The invasive species included Multiflora rose and Japanese honeysuckle.

The third community was classified as Piedmont Levee Forest. This community is located along the banks of LTC. The dominant species observed along the levee are as follows: Willow oak (*Quercus phellos*), Swamp chestnut oak, and White oak (*Quercus alba*).

The fourth community was classified as a grass community/pasture for cow grazing. This community is located along the northeastern portion of the project area. The dominant species observed in this community are as follows: Spotted jewel-weed (*Impatiens capensis*), Duck potato (*Sagittaria lancifolia*), *Polygonum sp.*, Green ash, Rush (*Juncus sp.*), Rice cutgrass (*Leersia oryzoides*), Woolgrass (*Scirpus cyperinus*), Water mint (*Mentha aquatica*), Ironweed (*Vernonia altissima*), Cardinal flower (*Lobelia cardinalis*), Goldenrod (*Solidago sp.*), Black willow (*Salix nigra*), Sycamore, Common persimmon, deciduous Holly-possumhaw (*Ilex decidua*), and Eastern red cedar (*Juniperous virginiana*). The invasive species include Vietnamese stilt grass, Multiflora rose, and Tree-of-heaven (*Ailanthus altissima*).

The fifth community was classified as Low Elevation Seep. This community is located in the southeastern portion of the site and located east of LTC. The dominant species observed in this community are as follows: False nettle, Arrow arum (*Peltandra virginica*), Spotted jewel-weed, Green ash, Red maple, Black gum (*Nyssa sylvatica*), Virginia creeper (*Parthenocissus quinquefolia*), Poison ivy (*Toxicodendron radicans*), flowering dogwood (*Cornus florida*), deciduous Holly-possumhaw, and Sweet gum. The invasive species include Vietnamese stilt grass and Japanese honeysuckle

The investigation also considered the fauna observed throughout the project area. Techniques used to identify the presence of species included direct visual/audible observations and indirect observations such as the presence of tracks, cavities, nests, fecal material, and carcasses. During the field investigation, a box turtle was observed and a turkey feather was found.

## 4.0 REFERENCE STREAMS

A reference reach is a channel with a stable dimension, pattern, and profile within a particular valley morphology. The reference reach is used to develop dimensionless morphological ratios (based on bankfull stage) that can be extrapolated to disturbed/unstable streams to restore a stream of the same type and disposition as the reference stream (Rosgen, 1998).

### 4.1 Collins Creek Reference Site

A section of Collins Creek, located west of Chapel Hill, was identified and surveyed as a reference reach for the restoration of the project site. Collins Creek flows southwest through the southern portion of Orange County towards its confluence with the Haw River in Chatham County [Figure 8. Reference Site (Collins Creek) Vicinity Map]. It drains approximately 1,075 acres of low-density residential and forested lands [Figure 9. Reference Site (Collins Creek) Watershed Map]. This selection was based on: location in the same hydrophysiographic province, similar valley morphology, and similar sediment regime to the project stream.

Approximately 300 linear feet of Collins Creek were surveyed in December 2006 (Appendix D contains data and photographs from the field assessment). This reach of Collins Creek was classified as an “E4” channel type. The dimensionless hydraulic geometry relationships were developed from stable channel dimensions to facilitate the design of the proposed channel cross-sections for the LTC restoration reach.

### 4.2 UT to Wilkinson Reference Site

A section of Unnamed Tributary to Wilkinson Creek, located southwest of Chapel Hill, was identified and surveyed as a reference reach for the restoration of UT1. UT to Wilkinson Creek flows west through Chatham County towards its confluence with Wilkinson Creek [Figure 10. Reference Site (UT to Wilkinson) Vicinity Map]. It drains approximately 105 acres of low-density residential, agriculture, and forested lands [Figure 11. Reference Site (UT to Wilkinson) Watershed Map]. This selection was based on: location in the same hydrophysiographic province, similar valley morphology, and similar sediment regime to the project site.

Approximately 205 linear feet of the UT to Wilkinson Creek were surveyed in May 2006 (Appendix D contains data and photographs from the field assessment). This reach of UT to Wilkinson Creek was classified as a “B4c” channel type. The dimensionless hydraulic geometry relationships were developed from stable channel dimensions to facilitate the design of the proposed channel cross-sections for UT1 restoration reach.

## 4.3 Watershed Characterization

### 4.3.1 Collins Creek Reference Site

Collins Creek is situated within the northeastern portion of the Piedmont physiographic province, which is typified by rolling topography with broad ridges, sharply indented stream valleys, and narrow, low-gradient floodplains. The Collins Creek watershed (USGS 14-digit Hydrologic Unit 03030002050060) is located within sub-basin 03-06-04 of the Cape Fear River Basin.

The portion of Collins Creek evaluated as the reference reach is located in the southwestern portion of Orange County, west of Chapel Hill. The headwaters of Collins Creek form to the southwest of Dodsons Crossroads and flows southwest to Orange Grove Road. The topographic relief within the reference reach watershed ranged from approximately 600 feet AMSL at the upstream limits to 530 feet AMSL at the downstream limits.

#### 4.3.2 UT to Wilkinson Creek Reference Site

UT to Wilkinson is situated within the southeastern portion of the Piedmont physiographic province. The UT to Wilkinson Creek watershed (USGS 14-digit Hydrologic Unit 03030002050100) is located within sub-basin 03-06-04 of the Cape Fear River Basin.

The portion of the UT to Wilkinson Creek evaluated as the reference reach is located in the northern portion of Chatham County, southwest of Chapel Hill. Manns Chapel Road bounds the watershed to the east. The topographic relief within the project reach ranged from approximately 468 feet above mean sea level (AMSL) at the upstream limits to 445 feet AMSL at the downstream limits.

#### 4.4 Vegetation

The Williamsburg Alluvial Forest community is located approximately one mile downstream of the project site and will be used for the stream reference vegetation community. The North Carolina Natural Heritage Program (NCNHP) listed the Williamsburg Alluvial Forest as a natural community located in the Williamsburg Quad. According to a site survey report documented from 05/10/96, there are two natural communities existing on this site, Piedmont Alluvial Forest (approximately 90 acres) and Mesic Mixed Hardwood Forest (approximately 60 acres).

The canopy species in the Piedmont Alluvial Forest include: Box elder (*Acer negundo*), Red maple (*Acer rubrum*), Slippery elm (*Ulmus rubra*), River birch (*Betula nigra*), and Sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*). Species that dominated the understory were Musclewood (*Carpinus caroliniana*), Winged elm (*Ulmus alata*), Black haw (*Viburnum prunifolium*), and Sweet bay (*Magnolia virginiana*).

The canopy species in the Mesic Mixed Hardwood Forest include: American beech (*Fagus grandifolia*) (beech), oaks (*Quercus* spp.), and Tulip poplar (*Liriodendron tulipifera*). Species that dominated the understory were Musclewood (*Carpinus caroliniana*), sourwood (*Oxydendrum arboretum*), Hazel-nut (*Corylus Americana*), Deerberry (*Vaccinium stamineum*), and Mapleleaf arrowwood (*Viburnum acerifolium*).

### 5.0 PROJECT SITE WETLANDS (EXISTING CONDITIONS)

The project site wetlands exist on the floodplains of LTC. The wetland preservation is located to the west of LTC and the two wetland enhancement pockets are to the east of LTC. The land is currently forested with some pasture located in the northeastern portion of the project site. (Refer to Appendix A for existing site photographs).

#### 5.1 Jurisdictional Wetlands

Existing wetlands were delineated in August-September 2006 using the methods outlined by the US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE, 1987). Wetland preservation and two enhancement wetland pockets were mapped in the project area (Figure 12. Project Site Wetland Delineation Map). There are approximately 4.5 acres of wetland preservation and 1.9 acres of wetland enhancement in the two identified pockets. The wetland preservation area is located to the west of LTC. Enhancement wetland #1 consists of approximately 1.17 acres and is located northeast of LTC. Enhancement wetland #2 consists of approximately 0.74 acres and is located to the southeast of LTC. A USACE representative and KCI's soil scientist visited the project site October 10, 2006 for a preliminary jurisdictional determination review. The wetlands at the project site are currently under review by the USACE for the jurisdictional determination (Appendix E).



Two drainage features exist in the wetland enhancement pockets. Drainage 1 connects to the left bank of LTC at the bottom of enhancement wetland #1, while drainage 2 connects to the left bank of LTC further downstream at the bottom of enhancement wetland #2 (Figure 5. Existing Conditions Map). Both features drain the hydrology of the wetlands directly into LTC.

## 5.2 Hydrological Characterization

### *Preservation Wetland*

There are multiple braided channels that extend the length of the project through the forested preservation wetland. These braided channels transfer hydrology from its source throughout the wetland preservation area. An adjacent pond also provides hydrology to the wetland via a drainage feature from the outfall. A berm is located along the southwestern property boundary to intercept runoff along the toe of the slope, which prevents water from extending into the preservation wetland.

### *Enhancement Wetland #1*

This wetland receives groundwater seepage from the gently, sloping hillside located to the east of the wetland that extends to NC-87. Also, occasional overbank flooding access to the floodplain contributes groundwater to the wetland area.

### *Enhancement Wetland #2*

There is a small spring providing groundwater located off the project property line that connects to the wetland at the southeastern portion. Also, the wetland area is located in a depression which holds groundwater for longer periods. The occasional overbank flooding may also contribute hydrology to the wetland.

## 5.3 Soil Characterization

A soils investigation was conducted by a certified soil scientist from KCI to determine the extent and distribution of the hydric soils on the site and to classify the predominate soils to the soil series level. The investigation consisted of delineating the hydric soil boundaries with pink flagging in accordance with the US Army Corps of Engineers (1987). Areas that were identified as possible hydric soil mapping units were surveyed at a higher intensity until the edge of the mapping unit was identified. The boundary of the hydric and non-hydric soil mapping units were then followed by continual sampling and observations as the boundary line was identified and delineated. In those areas where the boundary was found to be a broad gradient rather than a distinct break, microtopography, landscape position, soil textural changes, redoximorphic features, and depleted matrices were additionally considered to identify the extent of the hydric soils.

### 5.3.1 Taxonomic Classification

According to the NRCS, Rockingham County Soil Survey, Chewacla (Ck) is the dominant soil type in the project area. However, after detailed field investigation, Steven Stokes, LSS mapped the dominant soil in the wetland preservation area as Wehadkee (We) (fine-loamy, mixed, active, nonacid, thermic Fluvaquentic Endoaquepts). The wetland enhancement area is mapped as Wehadkee and Wehadkee Variant with hydric inclusions of Chewacla.

The Wehadkee soils are very deep and very poorly drained and are found on nearly level floodplains along streams that drain from the mountains and the Piedmont. The Wehadkee soils commonly occur with Chewacla soils. They are more poorly drained, darker in color, and more intensely mottled than the Chewacla soils (USDA, SCS 1992).

### 5.3.2 Profile Description

The Rockingham County Soil Survey classifies the project area soils as Chewacla (Ck) and Pacolet sandy clay loam (PcD2) as described in Section 2.3 (Figure 13. Project Site NRCS Soil Survey Map).

## 5.4 Plant Community Characterization

The wetland community classification follows the existing project site communities described in more detail in Section 3.6. The wetland communities were classified in accordance with a “Classification of the Natural Communities of North Carolina, Third Approximation” (Schafale and Weakley, 1990).

Enhancement wetland #1 is classified as a grass community/pasture for cow grazing and is located in the northeastern portion of the of the project area. Enhancement wetland #2 is classified as a Low Elevation Seep and is located in the southeastern portion of the site. The preservation wetland community is classified as a Piedmont Bottomland Forest and is located in the western portion of the project.

## 6.0 REFERENCE WETLANDS

The reference wetland is the NCNHP listed Williamsburg Alluvial Forest located off NC150, approximately 1.3 miles south of Williamsburg. The community consists of an Alluvial floodplain located south of the Haw River. The location of the reference wetland is depicted in Figure 14. Reference Site Vegetative Communities Map.

### 6.1 Plant Community Characterization

The composition of plant species at the reference wetland is best described as a Piedmont Alluvial Forest (approximately 90 acres). This community is described in detail in Section 4.4 Vegetation.

## 7.0 PROJECT SITE RESTORATION PLAN

### 7.1 Restoration Project Goals and Objectives

LTC has received extensive sedimentation from new development in the watershed, eroding banks, and loss of stream habitat from past human disturbances. As a result, the ecological diversity and water quality value of the site have been adversely affected. Based on the existing and reference condition assessments, the restoration goals and objectives for the project site are as follows:

The restoration goals for this project are as follows:

- Restore a stable channel morphology that is capable of moving the flows and sediment provided by its watershed.
- Improve water quality for an NCDWQ stream, classified as a Class C and Nutrient Sensitive Waters (NSW).
- Reduce land and riparian vegetation loss resulting from lateral erosion and bed degradation.
- Enhance aquatic and terrestrial habitat.
- Improve the functions of existing wetlands.
- Preserve existing wetlands and forested buffers.

The objectives that must be accomplished to reach these goals are:

- Restore 2,188 linear feet of stable stream channel with the appropriate pattern, profile, and dimension that can support a gravel transport system.

- Restore a natural riparian buffer; reduce nutrient inputs and sediment from bank erosion into the stream.
- Restore the natural hyporheic zone in the project streams and re-establish the natural stream features.
- Enhance hydrology and vegetation by plugging ditches to increase groundwater and planting vegetation to increase species diversity.

**Table 3. Mitigation Type and Extent**

	<b>Stream Restoration (lf)</b>	<b>Stream Preservation (lf)</b>	<b>Wetland Enhancement (Acres)</b>	<b>Wetland Preservation (Acres)</b>
LTC Stream Restoration (Linear Feet)	1,375	0	0	0
UT1 Stream Restoration (Linear Feet)	813	0	0	0
UT2 Stream Preservation (Linear Feet)	0	2,754	0	0
Wetland Enhancement #1 (Acreage)	0	0	1.17	0
Wetland Enhancement #2 (Acreage)	0	0	0.74	0
Wetland Preservation (Acreage)	0	0	0	4.5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,188</b>	<b>2,754</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>4.5</b>

Functions that will be restored as a result of the mitigation include:

- Aquatic/Terrestrial Wildlife Habitat
- Water Quality
- Groundwater Recharge
- Nutrient Cycling
- Alluvial Forest and Wetland Enhancement Communities

### 7.1.1 Designed Channel Classification

Since the overall channel morphology for LTC is unstable, restoration is necessary to restore a stable channel dimension, pattern, and longitudinal profile. The restoration design of the project site is based on Priority Level II and III approaches, as described in “A Geomorphological Approach to Restoration of Incised Rivers,” (Rosgen, 1997.) The design proposes constructing 1,375 linear feet of meandering “E4” channel and associated floodplain. The design for LTC begins upstream with approximately 175 linear feet of Level III. The design continues with approximately 1,020 linear feet of Level II and concludes at the downstream portion of LTC with approximately 180 linear feet of Level III restoration.

An ideal approach to restoring an unstable channel in a large watershed with highly erodible stream banks is the Priority Level II restoration option. The Level II restoration will establish a bankfull channel with a new floodplain, a channel bed approximately at its existing level, and the cross-section dimensions necessary to provide stable flow maintenance and sediment transport. The proposed stream will be moved offline to the west of LTC. The Level II restoration will design the new channel in virgin bank material and will also minimize the impact to the enhancement wetlands to the east side of LTC. For long-term stability, it is more effective and feasible to construct the channel offline with new material than to construct inside an existing unstable channel. Also, it is more difficult to restore the correct bed and profile due to asymmetrical bank erosion and bed instability in the existing channel.

The Level III approach will involve restoring the stream generally within the existing stream corridor/belt width through adjustments to the stream dimension and profile (this approach will be utilized in the most upstream portion of LTC on the project site).

The pattern data were developed from a summary of dimensionless ratios from similar “C” and “E” stream types in the North Carolina Piedmont. The middle value range for each pattern ratio was chosen, and then verified using the empirical relationships developed by (Williams, 1986). Refer to Table 4 and the attached plan sheet drawings.

The design also proposes constructing 813 linear feet of restored tributary channel (UT1) using a Priority Level III approach. This strategy will involve restoring “B4c” type stream. The UT to Wilkinson Reference Site provided the morphological criteria and hydraulic geometry relationships for the proposed stream dimension, pattern, and profile (Table 4).

In-stream structures, including offset rock cross vanes, riffle grade controls, and rock sills, will be used to stabilize the restored channels (Refer to Plan Sheet 2). These structures are designed to reduce bank erosion, influence secondary circulation in the near-bank region of stream bends, and provide grade control. The structures will also promote efficient sediment transport and produce/enhance in-stream habitat. Riffle areas will also be enhanced with graded gravel material to mimic existing stable riffle features. Coir fiber matting, seeding, and mulching will be used to provide temporary stabilization on the newly graded stream banks and live stakes will be planted to provide long term rooting strength.

#### 7.1.2 Target Wetland and Buffer Communities

The design vegetative community for enhancement wetland #1 will be planted with species similar to a Piedmont Alluvial Forest as described by Schafale and Weakley (1990). Enhancement wetland #2 will remain consistent with its existing community of Low Elevation Seep. The wetland preservation consists of a Piedmont Bottomland Hardwood community. These community types fit into the natural topography of the project site. Refer to Section 3.6 for the dominant species in each community.

The target buffer communities consist of Piedmont Levee Forest and Piedmont Alluvial Forest. The Levee Forest will be located on the left bank of LTC and UT1. The Alluvial Forest is located on the right bank of LTC and UT1.

**Table 4. Morphological Design Criteria**

Variables		Project Site Existing Channel		Reference Reach		Restored Reach	
		Little Troublesome	UT1	Collins Creek	UT Wilkinson	Little Troublesome	UT1
Rosgen Stream Type		E4	G4c	E4	B4c	E4/C4	B4c
Drainage Area (mi <sup>2</sup> )		12.09	0.10	1.68	0.15	12.09	0.10
Bankfull Width ( $W_{bkr}$ ) (ft)		21.3-29.0	4.0-5.2	11.9-20.1	7.7-10.8	31.6	6.3
Bankfull Mean Depth ( $d_{bkr}$ ) (ft)		4.7-5.0	0.7-0.9	1.6-2.7	0.7-0.9	3.7	0.6
Bankfull Cross Sectional area ( $A_{bkr}$ ) (ft <sup>2</sup> )		106-135.8	3.6-4.3	32.4-33.4	6.1-8.8	118	3.5
Width/depth Ratio ( $W_{bkr}/d_{bkr}$ )		4.2-6.2	4.4-7.2	4.4-12.1	8.5-11.4	8.5	11.4
Maximum Depth ( $d_{mbkr}$ ) (ft)		6.2-6.7	1.0-1.1	3.3-4.2	1.1-1.4	4.9	1.0
Width of flood prone area ( $W_{fpa}$ ) (ft)		60(>65)	6.0-8.0	>60	13-16	>60	11.7
Entrenchment Ratio (ER)		2.0-3.0	1.2-2.0	2.0-3.0	1.6-2.1	>3.0	1.9
Sinuosity (stream length/valley length) (K)		1.06	1.02	-	1.2	1.1	1.1
Dimension	Pool Depth (ft)	4.4-6.9	0.7-1.3	2.4	0.8-0.9	3.3-5.4	0.5-0.7
	Riffle Depth (ft)	4.7-5.0	0.7-0.9	1.7-2.7	0.7-0.9	3.7	0.6
	Pool Width (ft)	24.3	5.1-7.7	24.3	10.0-10.8	37.9-63.2	5.7-8.8
	Riffle Width (ft)	21.3-29.0	4.0-5.2	11.9-20.1	7.7-10.8	31.6	6.3
	Pool XS Area (sf)	108	5.5-5.8	57.9	8.6-8.8	118-210	3.5-4.9
	Riffle XS Area (sf)	106-135.8	3.6-4.3	32.4-33.4	6.1-8.8	118	3.5
	Pool depth/mean riffle depth	0.9-1.5	0.8-1.9	0.9-1.4	0.9-1.3	0.9-1.4	0.9-1.3
	Pool width/riffle width	0.8-1.1	1.0-1.9	1.2-2.0	0.9-1.4	0.9-1.4	0.9-1.4
	Pool area/riffle area	0.8-1.0	1.3-1.6	1.0-1.8	1.0-1.4	1.0-1.4	1.0-1.4
	Max pool depth/ $d_{bkr}$	0-0	1.3-2.7	1.5-2.5	2.4 - 3.1	2.4 - 3.1	2.4-3.1
	Low bank height/max bankfull depth	1.0-1.2	5.3-6.5	1.0-1.1	-	1.0	1.0
	Mean Bankfull Velocity (V) (fps)	4.1-5.3	4.3-4.7	3.4-4.4	5.1-5.8	4.32	3.72
	Bankfull Discharge (Q) (cfs)	553-564.3	16.0-20.4	115-150	31-49	510-550	13-20
*Pattern	Meander length ( $L_m$ ) (ft)	-	62-115	*	49-59	*158-358	31.5-63.0
	Radius of curvature (Rd) (ft)	112	9-19	*	11-23	*72-126	12.6-31.5
	Belt width ( $W_{blt}$ ) (ft)	25-40	15-35	*	22	*125	12.6
	Meander width ratio ( $W_{blt}/W_{bkr}$ )	0.9-1.9	2.9-8.8	*	2.0-2.9	*3.9	2.0-2.9
	Radius of curvature/bankfull width	3.9-5.3	1.7-4.8	*	1.0-3.0	*2.3-4.0	2.0-5.0
	Meander length/bankfull width	-	11.9-28.8	*	4.5-7.7	*5.0-11.3	5.0-10.0
Profile	Valley slope	0.002	0.021	-	0.017	0.002	0.021
	Average water surface slope	0.002	0.019	0.003	0.0123	0.002	0.018
	Riffle slope	0.001-0.007	-	0.003-0.008	0.012-0.028	0.002-0.004	0.018-0.040
	Pool slope	0.002-0.004	-	0-0	0-0.0030	0-0	0.003-0.004
	Pool to pool spacing	-	-	32-80	-	50.3-212.4	0-0
	Pool length	10-20	-	13.0-21.2	5-9	20.4-56.3	2.91-11.37
	Riffle slope/avg water surface slope	0.50-3.50	0-0	1.0-2.7	1.0-2.3	1.0-2.7	1.0-2.3
	Pool slope/avg water surface slope	1-2	0-0	0-0	0.16-0.24	-	0.16-0.24
	Run slope/avg water surface slope	-	-	-	-	-	0-0
	Run depth/ $d_{bkr}$	-	-	-	-	-	0-0
	Pool length/bankfull width	0.34-0.94	0-0	0.6-1.8	0.46-1.80	0.6-1.8	0.46-1.80
Pool to pool spacing/bankfull width	-	0-0	1.6-6.7	-	1.6-6.7	0-0	

\* Pattern data developed from summary of dimensionless ratios for similar stream types in North Carolina Piedmont. Empirical data from Williams, 1986 used to verify these relationships.

## 7.2 Sediment Transport Analysis

With respect to sediment transport in fluvial systems, there is a threshold level of bedload movement that will result in a noticeable change in the channel bed. The flow associated with this threshold movement is the reference condition on which sediment transport analysis is based. In natural streambeds, there are particles of a wide range of sizes. At low flow levels, only the smallest particles will move, with the larger particles resisting the flow of the stream. This is the condition of partial sediment transport. As the stream flow increases, eventually every particle on the streambed will show threshold movement; this is the condition of full sediment transport.

Entrainment is the condition that initiates the movement of a selected particle size in the presence of a mix grade channel bed. If the largest particle that moves during a bankfull event can be identified, then the flow conditions that produced this movement can be determined and this flow condition (the channel competency) is used in the design of the restored stream channel. The preferred method of determining this particle size and flow condition is by direct measurement; however, a stream gage, scour chains, and sediment traps can be installed to measure the depth of scour and bedload transport (captured in the traps) associated with specific storm events.

The bar sampling method was utilized at the project site. In addition, the channel was sampled by the pebble count method at several sites for trend analysis. The mean channel shear stress and shear velocity were calculated for the existing conditions and then the proposed conditions in LTC. Determinations of the design shear stress were then made based on the sediment distribution from the surface, subsurface, and depositional feature sampling.

These shear stresses were validated for the design riffle cross-sections and channel gradient using the equation:

$$\tau = \gamma R s$$

Where:  $\tau$  = shear stress (lbs/ft<sup>2</sup>)  
 $\gamma$  = specific gravity of water (62.4 lbs/ft<sup>3</sup>)  
 $R$  = hydraulic radius (ft)  
 $s$  = average water slope (ft/ft)

The target shear stress values (0.43 lbs/ft<sup>2</sup>) converted to shear-velocities for the design riffle cross-section was  $u^* = 0.14$  m/s. These velocities are sufficient to move the sampled  $d_{84}$  particle size (2.7 mm) and provide adequate channel maintenance (based on the collected sediment data), while maintaining the vertical stability of the LTC.

## 7.3 Hydrologic Modification

Hydrologic modifications will focus on enhancing surface water retention to the two wetland enhancement systems. Currently, there are ditches in both wetlands draining the surface water directly into LTC. The ditches prevent surface water from remaining on-site and recharging groundwater. These ditches will be plugged and stabilized to allow longer retention times and reduce/eliminate shallow groundwater loss from the wetland systems.

### 7.3.1 Narrative of Modifications

Hydrologic enhancement efforts will focus on installing ditch plugs and stabilizing two drainage ditches to improve wetland hydrology.

#### *Enhancement Wetland #1*

Currently, the existing wetland has adequate wetland hydrology and an intact shrub community. However, the wetland has been modified by a deep, head-cutting ditch located at the bottom of the wetland pocket, which drains a significant amount of water. Filling the ditch will increase groundwater levels in this wetland system.

#### *Enhancement Wetland #2*

Currently, the existing wetland has adequate wetland hydrology and an intact hardwood canopy. However, the wetland hydrology has been impacted by a shallow ditch located at the lower end of the wetland pocket. This ditch drains surface and groundwater during high saturation periods, thus decreasing retention time in the wetland.

No hydrologic alterations will take place in the preservation wetland on the west side of the project area.

## 7.4 Natural Plant Community Restoration

Restoring natural vegetation will focus primarily on the Alluvial Forest and Levee Forest planting areas in stream and riparian areas, the project site floodplain and the two enhancement wetlands. These areas will receive species consistent with a Piedmont Alluvial Forest and typical wetland species. The typical Piedmont Alluvial Forest is seasonally or intermittently flooded. Vegetation consists of forest with open to dense understory or shrub layer and sparse to dense diverse herb layer (Schafale and Weakley 1990). The two enhancement wetlands will also receive targeted hardwood species to increase species diversity among the existing vegetation.

### 7.4.1 Planting Zones

Five planting zones will be incorporated into the planting plan. Zone A is classified as a Stream Zone Area, which consists of the LTC and UT1 stream banks. Zone B is classified as a Floodplain Planting Area, which consist of the LTC floodplain and will be planted with higher moisture species. Zone C is classified as an Alluvial Forest Area, which consists of the existing Alluvial Forest Area adjacent to LTC and UT1. Zone D and E are classified as Wetland Enhancement Planting Areas with Zone D containing 456 stems/acre whereas Zone E contains 100 stems/acre. Plan Sheet 10 illustrates the five zones that will be used to target the riparian vegetation planting.

### 7.4.2 Plant List

Plantings shall consist of native species, which are available during the time of planting. In general, the five planting zones will consist of the following species groupings as availability allows.

#### Zone A: Stream Zone : (Livestakes)

Black Willow	<i>Salix nigra</i>	OBL
Elderberry	<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>	FACW-
Silky Willow	<i>Salix sericea</i>	OBL
Silky Dogwood	<i>Cornus amomum</i>	FACW+

Zone B: Floodplain Planting Area

Boxelder	<i>Acer negundo</i>	FACW
Willow Oak	<i>Quercus phellos</i>	FACW-
American Sycamore	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	FACW-
River Birch	<i>Betula nigra</i>	FACW
Swamp Chestnut Oak	<i>Quercus michauxii</i>	FACW-

Zone C: Alluvial Forest Planting Area

Spicebush	<i>Lindera benzoin</i>	FACW
Willow Oak	<i>Quercus phellos</i>	FACW-
Persimmon	<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	FAC
Green Ash	<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	FACW
American Sycamore	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	FACW-
Sugarberry	<i>Celtis laevigata</i>	FACW
River Birch	<i>Betula nigra</i>	FACW
Swamp Chestnut Oak	<i>Quercus michauxii</i>	FACW-

Zone D & E: Wetland Enhancement Planting Area

Boxelder	<i>Acer negundo</i>	FACW
Willow Oak	<i>Quercus phellos</i>	FACW-
American Sycamore	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	FACW-
River Birch	<i>Betula nigra</i>	FACW
Swamp Chestnut Oak	<i>Quercus michauxii</i>	FACW-

Herbaceous vegetation shall consist of a native grass mix that may include:

Bluestem	<i>Andropogon glomeratus</i>
Deertongue	<i>Panicum clandestinum</i>
Orchardgrass	<i>Dactylis glomerata</i>
Switchgrass	<i>Panicum virgatum</i>
Virginia wildrye	<i>Elymus virginicus</i>

Rye grain (*Secale cereale*) and/or brown top millet (*Pennisetum glaucum*) will be used for temporary stabilization.

Woody vegetation planting shall take place during the dormant season (November – March).

#### 7.4.3 On-site Invasive Species Management

The project site has been affected by several nonnative plant species in the Piedmont Bottomland Forest area, Alluvial Forest area, and the grass community. The most significant invaders are Japanese honeysuckle (*Lonicera japonica*) and multiflora rose (*Rosa multiflora*).

Invasive species management will take place in November, which is an ideal time to target these species, and will focus on removing *Lonicera japonica* and *Rosa multiflora*. These species will be marked and treated with a glyphosate herbicide. Japanese grass (*Microstegium vimineum*) is also a pervasive nonnative plant in the project site. As much native grass cover will be retained during the construction process as possible to minimize the amount of bare soil available to invasive plants.



## 8.0 PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Monitoring shall consist of the collection and analysis of wetlands and stream stability and riparian/stream bank vegetation survivability data to support the evaluation of the project in meeting established restoration objectives. Specifically, project success will be assessed utilizing measurements of stream dimension, pattern, and profile, site photographs, and vegetation sampling.

### 8.1 Streams

The purpose of monitoring is to evaluate the stability of the restored stream. Following the procedures established in the USDA Forest Service Manual, *Stream Channel Reference Sites* (Harrelson, et.al, 1994) and the methodologies utilized in the Rosgen stream assessment and classification system (Rosgen, 1994 and 1996), data collected will consist of detailed dimension and pattern measurements, longitudinal profiles, and bed materials sampling.

**Dimension** – Five permanent cross-sections, three riffle and two pools, will be established and used to evaluate stream dimension for LTC. Four permanent cross-sections, three riffle and one pool, will be established and used to evaluate stream dimension for UT1. Permanent monuments will be established by conventional survey. The cross-section surveys shall provide a detailed measurement of the stream and banks to include points on the adjacent floodplain, at the top of bank, bankfull, at all breaks in slope, the edge of water, and thalweg. Subsequently, width/depth ratios and entrenchment ratios will be calculated for each cross-section.

Cross-section measurements should show little or no change from the as-built cross-sections. If changes do occur, they will be evaluated to determine whether they are minor adjustments associated with settling and increased stability or whether they indicate movement toward an unstable condition.

**Pattern** - Measurements associated with the restored channel pattern shall be taken on the section of the stream included in the longitudinal profiles. These will include belt width, meander length, and radius of curvature. Subsequently, sinuosity, meander width ratio, radius of curvature, and meander length/bankfull width ratios will be calculated.

**Profile** – Longitudinal profiles will be conducted on the entire length for both LTC and UT1. Measurements will include slopes (average, pool, riffle) as well as calculations of pool-to-pool spacing. Annual measurements should indicate stable bedform features with little change from the as-built survey. The pools should maintain their depth with lower water surface slopes, while the riffles should remain shallower and steeper.

**Bed Materials** - Pebble counts will be conducted at each representative cross-section for the purpose of repeated classification and to evaluate sediment transport.

**Photograph Reference Points** - Six photograph reference points (PRP) will be established to assist in characterizing the site and to allow qualitative evaluation of the site conditions. The location and bearing/orientation of each photo point will be permanently marked in the field and documented to allow for repeated use.

**Cross-section Photograph Reference Points** - Each cross-section will be photographed to show the form of the channel with the tape measure stretched over the channel for reference in each photograph. Effort will be made to consistently show the same area in each photograph.

**Longitudinal Photograph Reference Points** - Additional PRPs will be located, as needed to document the condition of specific in-stream structures such as cross vanes, rock sills, and enhanced riffles.

## **8.2 Stream Riparian Vegetation**

The success of the riparian buffer plantings for project site will be evaluated using eight (5% of the total buffer area) ten by ten meter (10m x 10m) vegetative sampling plots for LTC and three vegetative sampling plots for UT1. The corners of each monitoring plot will be permanently marked in the field. The monitoring will consist of a physical inventory within each plot and a subsequent statistical analysis in order to determine the following: composition and number of surviving species and total number of stems per acre. Additionally, a photograph will be taken of each plot that will be replicated each monitoring year. Riparian vegetation must meet a minimum survival success rate of 320 stems/acre after five years. If monitoring indicates that the specified survival rate is not being met, appropriate corrective actions will be developed to include invasive species control, the removal of dead/dying plants, and replanting.

## **8.3 Wetland Hydrology**

Groundwater elevations will be monitored to evaluate the attainment of jurisdictional wetland hydrology. Verification of wetland hydrology will be determined by automatic recording well data collected within the two enhancement wetlands. One automatic recording gauge will be established in each wetland to cover a density of one automatic well per four acres. Daily data will be collected from the automatic gauges over the five year monitoring period following wetland construction.

Wetland hydrology success will be considered established if well data from the site indicate that groundwater is within 12 inches of the soil surface for a continuous 5% of the growing season during normal weather conditions. The growing season was taken from NRCS climatic data for Rockingham County, which has the closest meteorological station to the project site (REIDSVILLE 2 NW, NC7202). According to the NRCS, the growing season is considered to be the period with a 50% probability that the daily minimum temperature is higher than 28° F. The growing season for Rockingham County extends from March 25 to November 6 for a total of 226 days (USDA, NRCS 2002). Based on this growing season, success will be achieved at the project site if the water table is within 12 inches

## **8.4 Wetland Vegetation**

The success criteria for the planted species in the wetland enhancement areas will be based on survival and growth.

## **8.5 Schedule/Reporting**

The first scheduled monitoring will be conducted during the first full growing season following project completion. Monitoring shall subsequently be conducted annually for a total period of five (5) years.

Annual monitoring reports will be prepared and submitted after all monitoring tasks for each year are completed. Each report will provide the new monitoring data and compare the new data against previous findings. The monitoring report will follow the format described in the EEP document entitled “Content, Format, and Data Requirements for EEP Monitoring Reports.”

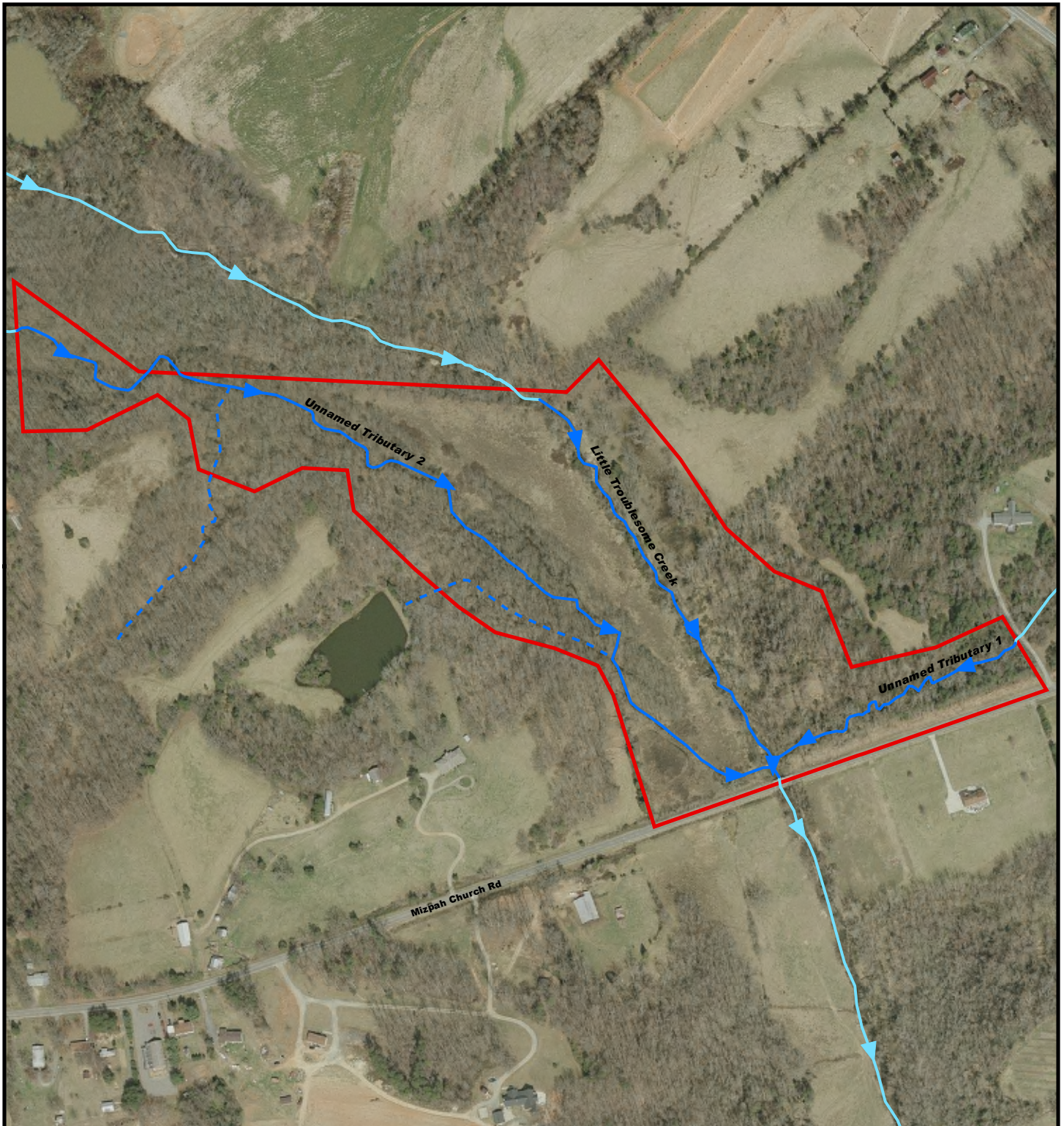
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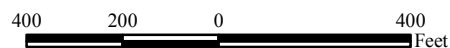


**Figure 1. Little Troublesome Creek Study Area**

-  Project Streams
-  Other Streams
-  Additional Drainage Features
-  Project Easement Boundary

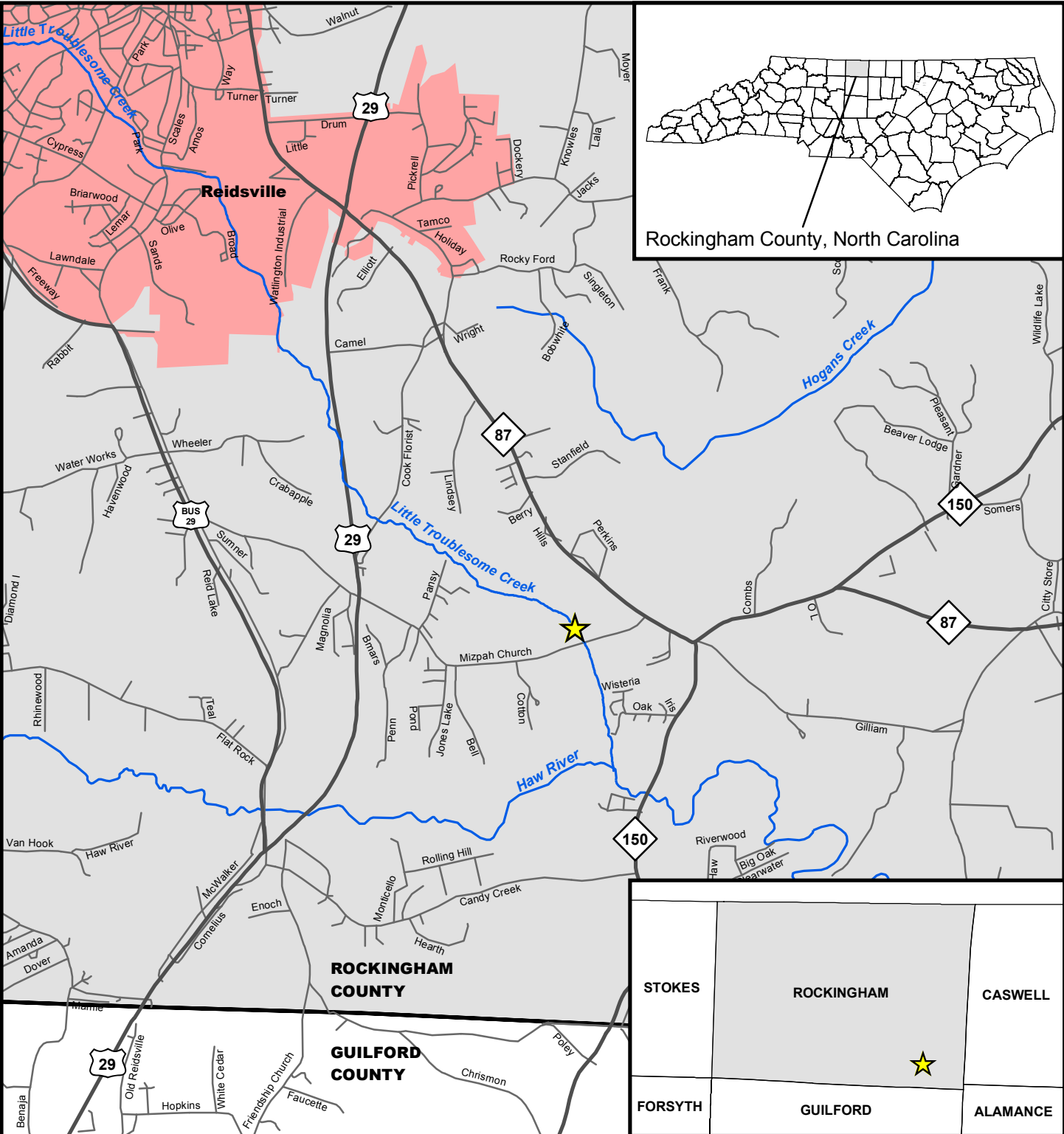


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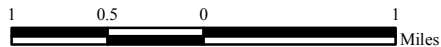


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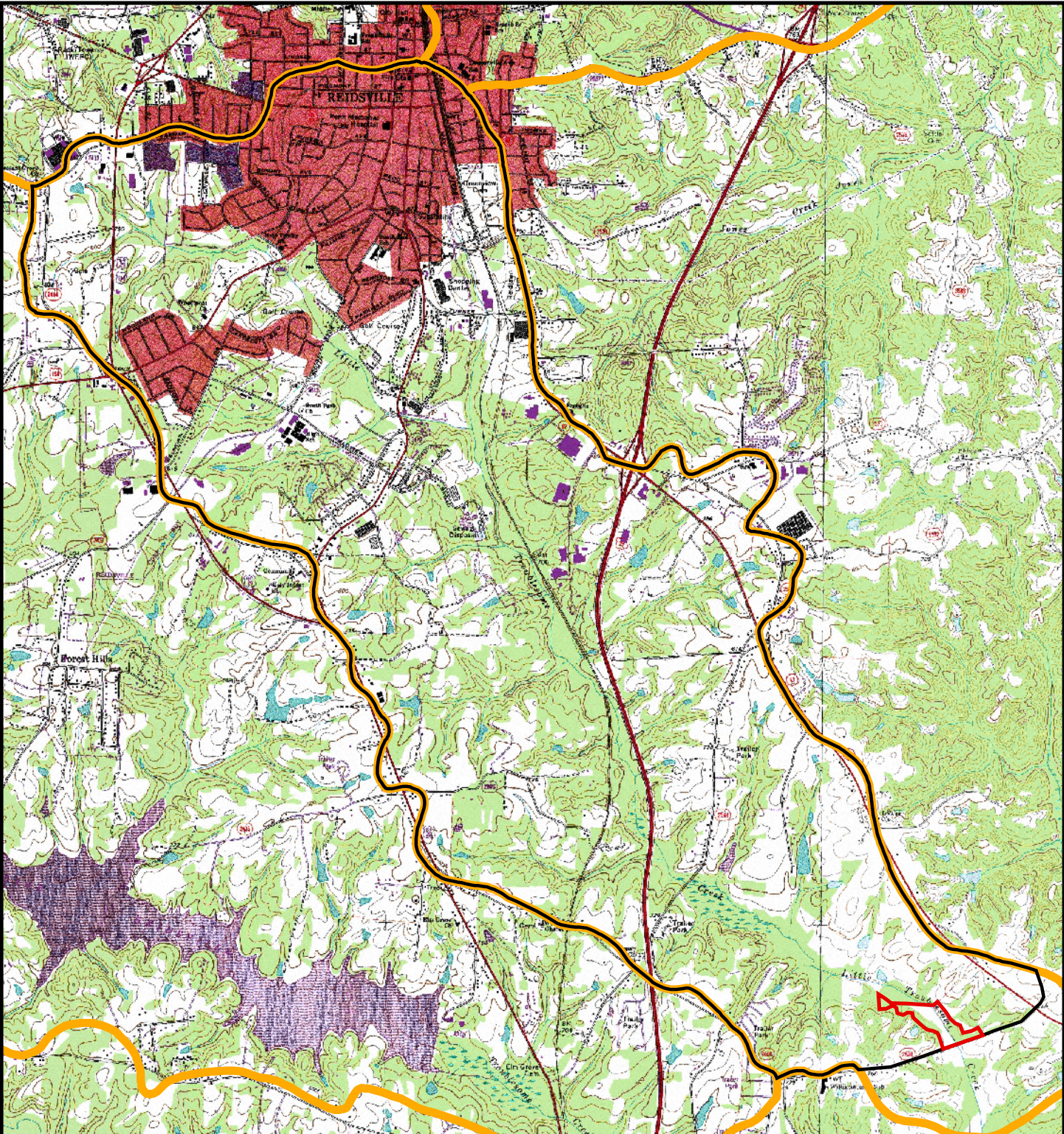
-  Project Site Location
-  Major Streams and Rivers
-  Major Roads
-  Other Roads
-  Cities and Towns
-  County Boundaries






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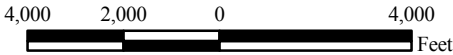
**Figure 3. Project Watershed**

-  Project Easement Boundary
-  Project Watershed (12.1 sq miles)
-  14-digit HUC Boundaries



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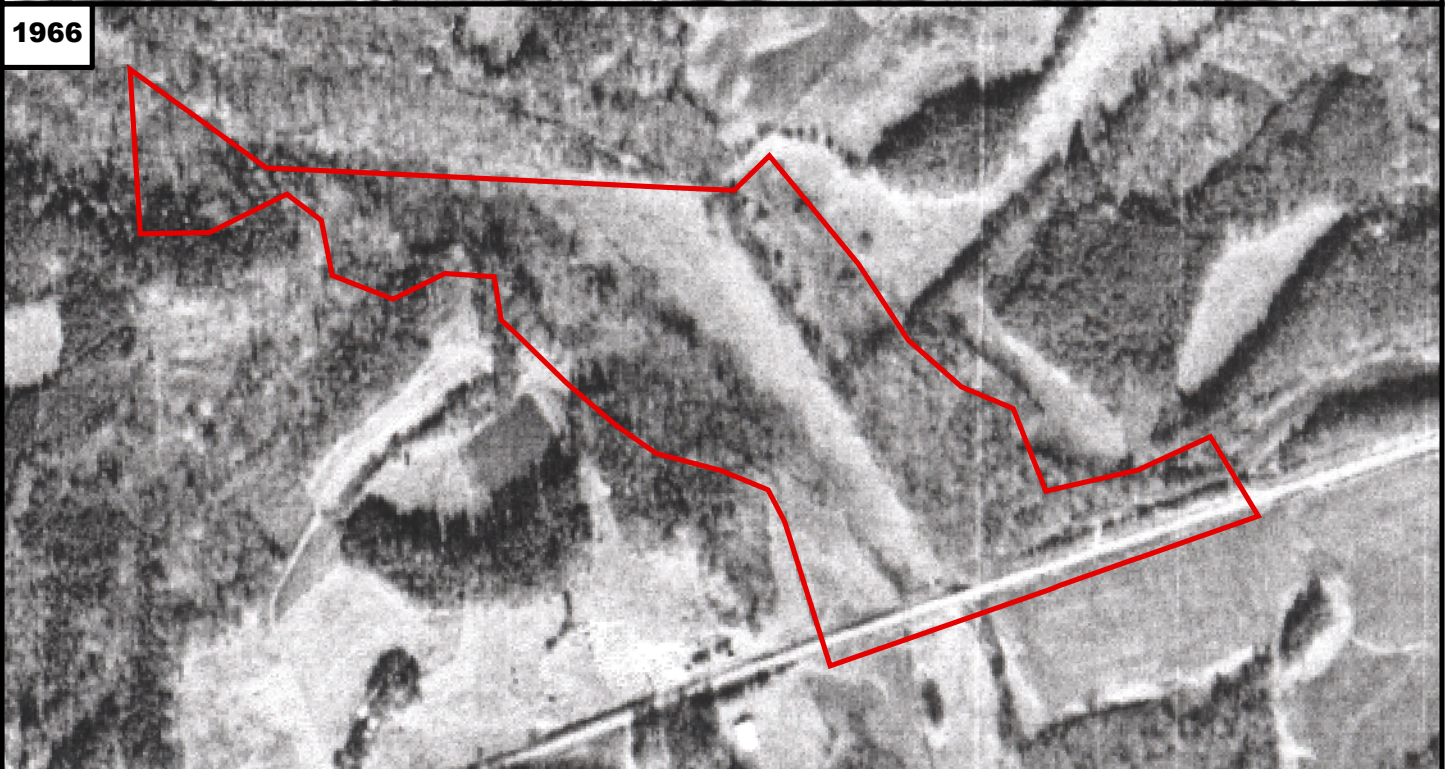




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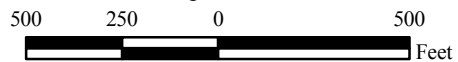
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 Project Easement Boundary



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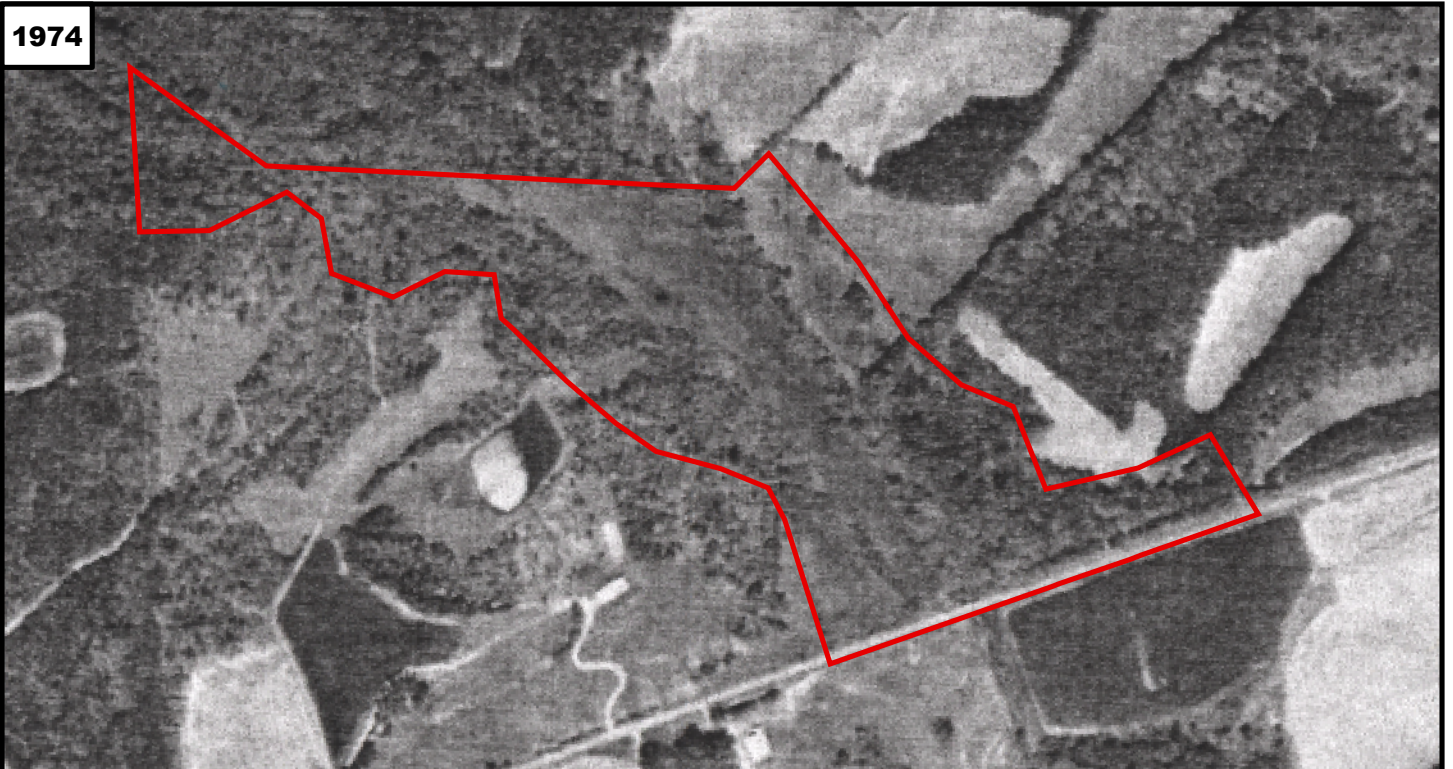


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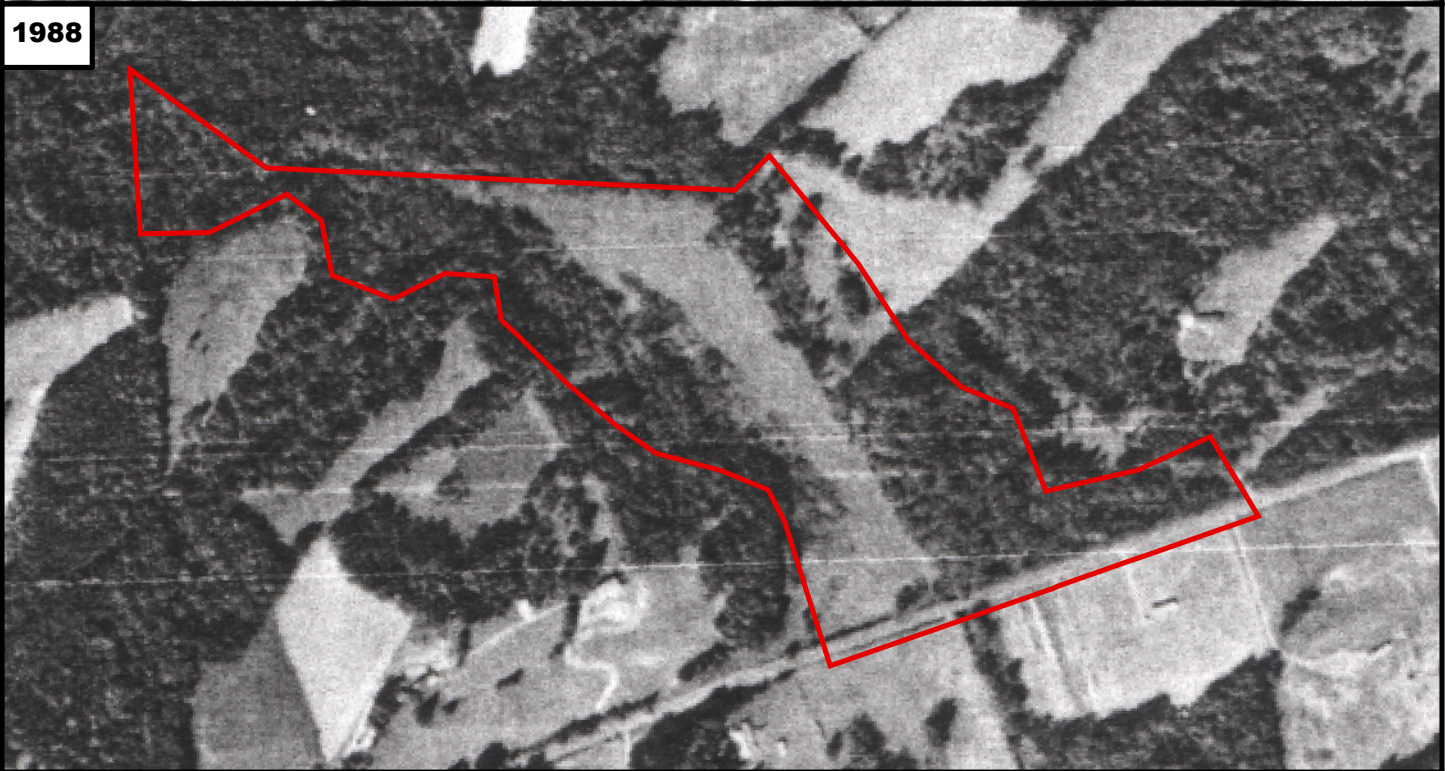




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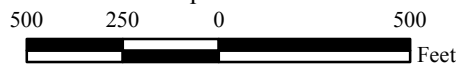
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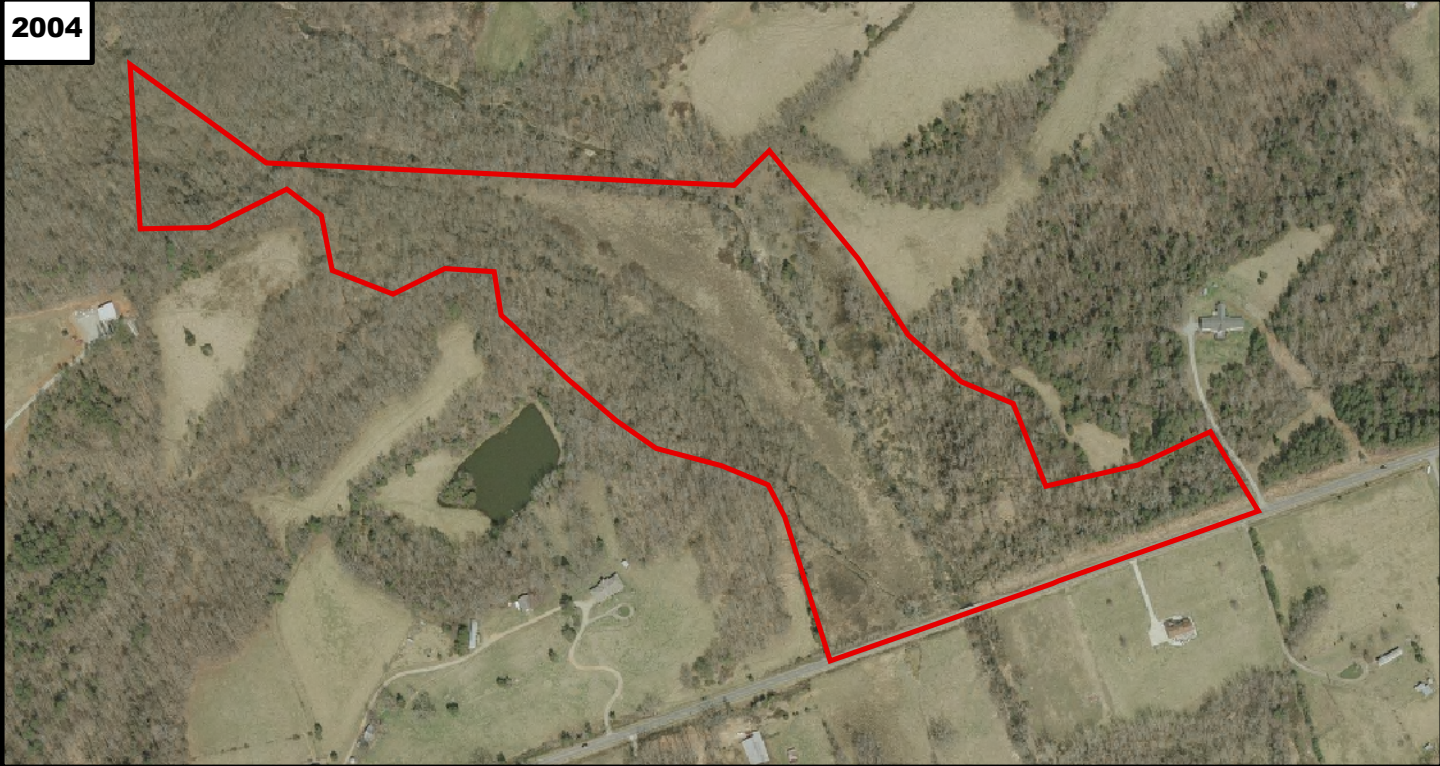




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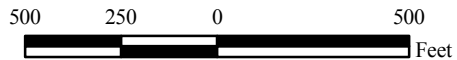
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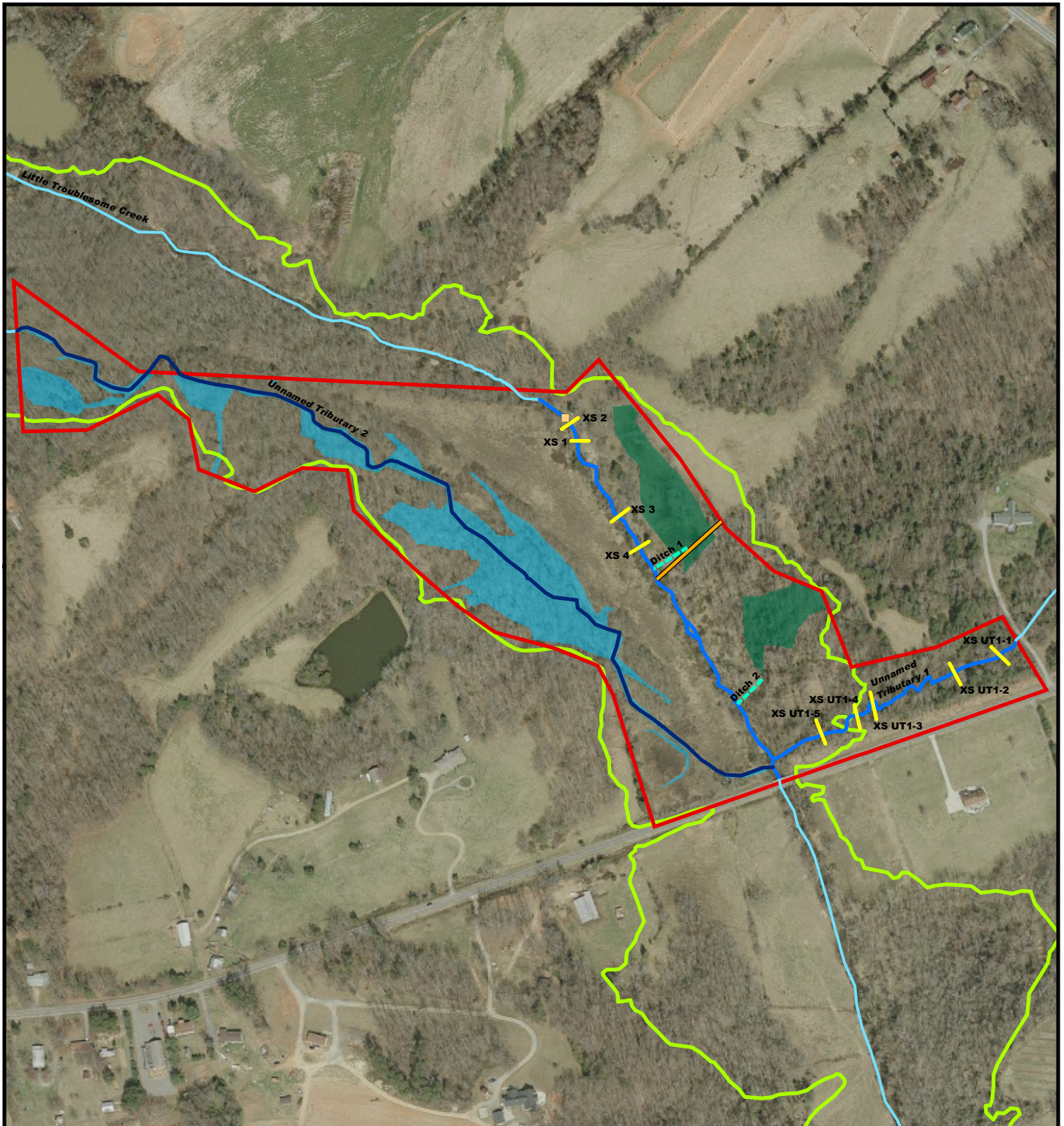
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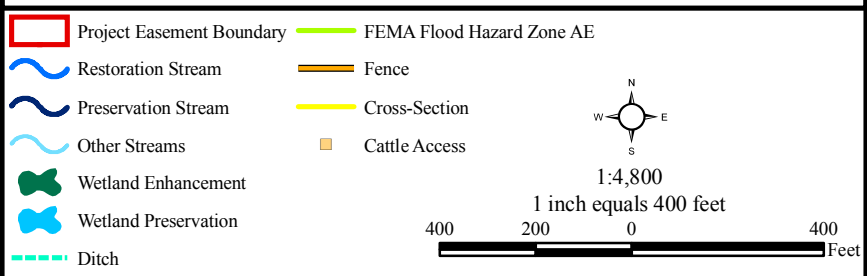
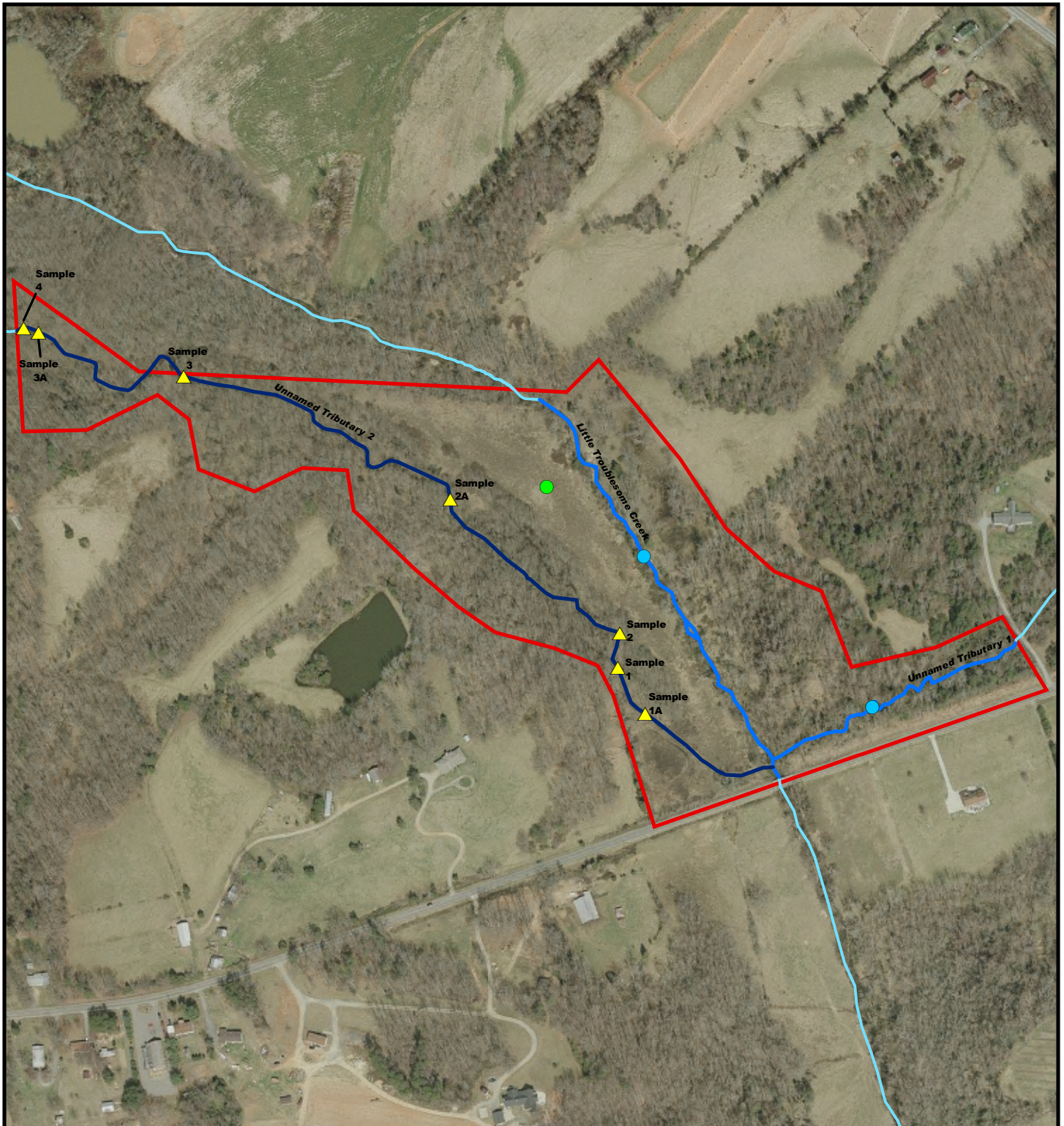


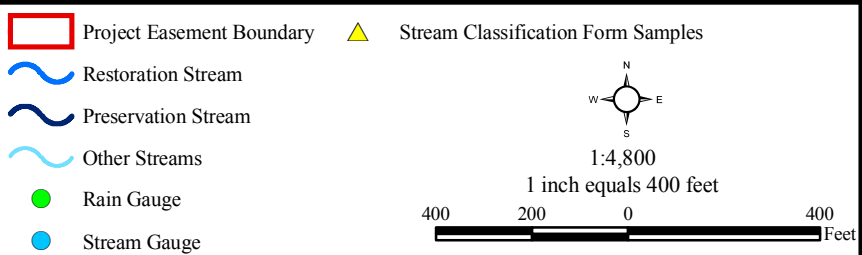
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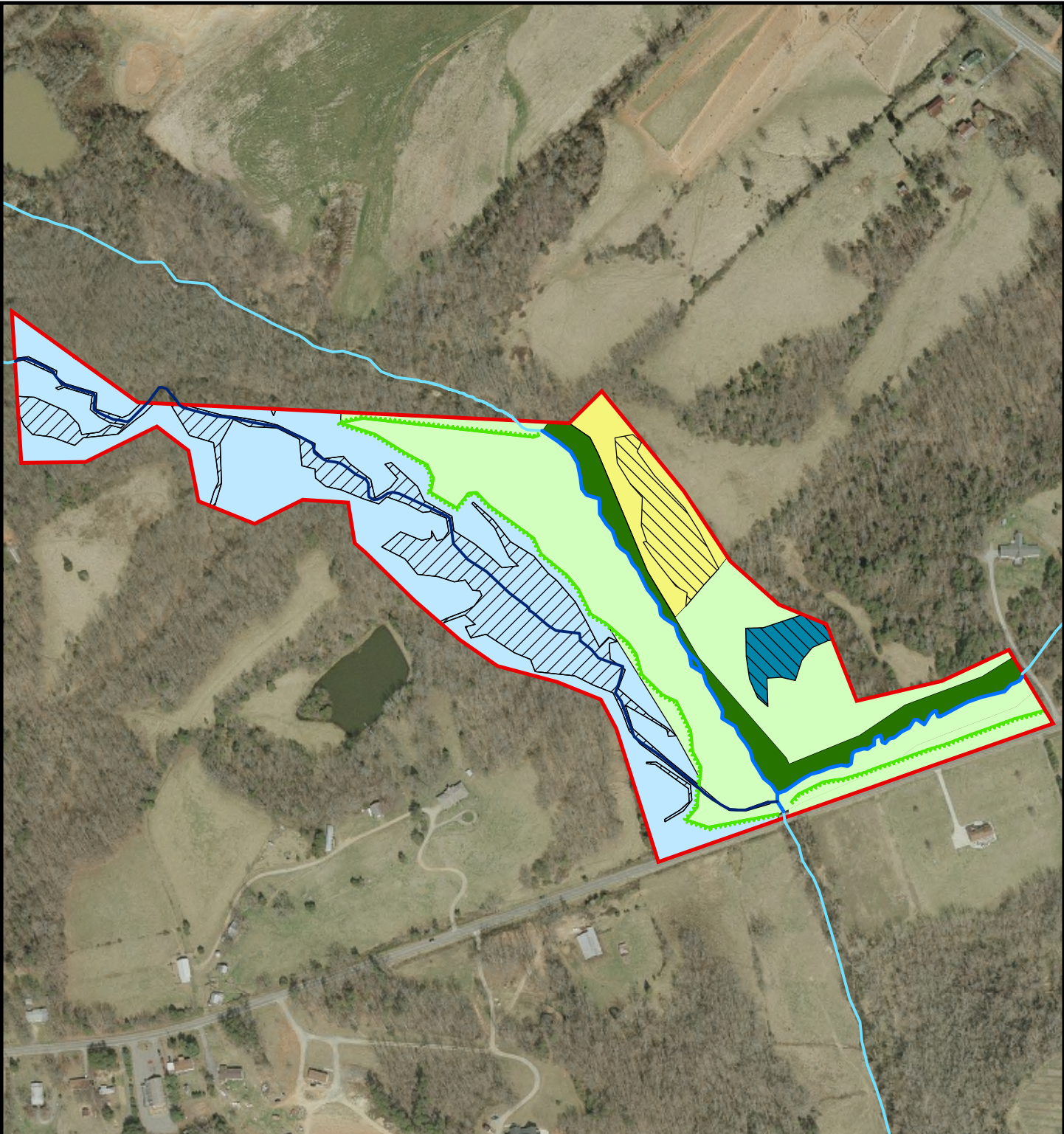
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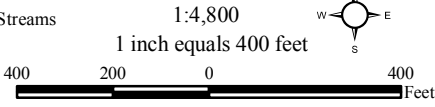
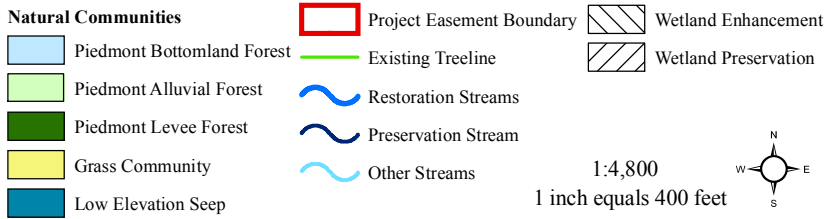
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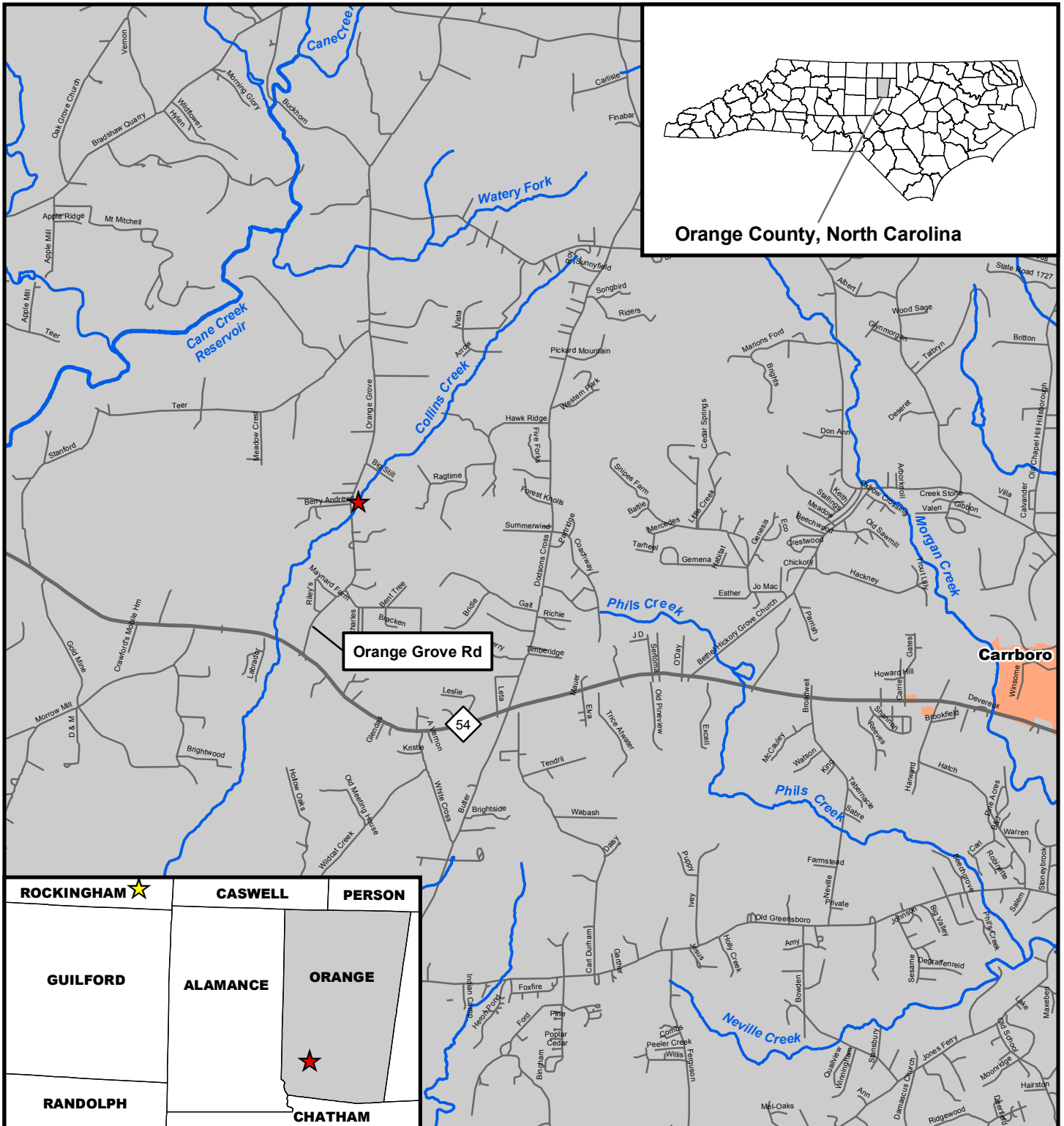




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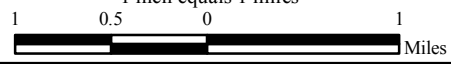


**Figure 8. Reference Site (Collins Creek) Vicinity Map**

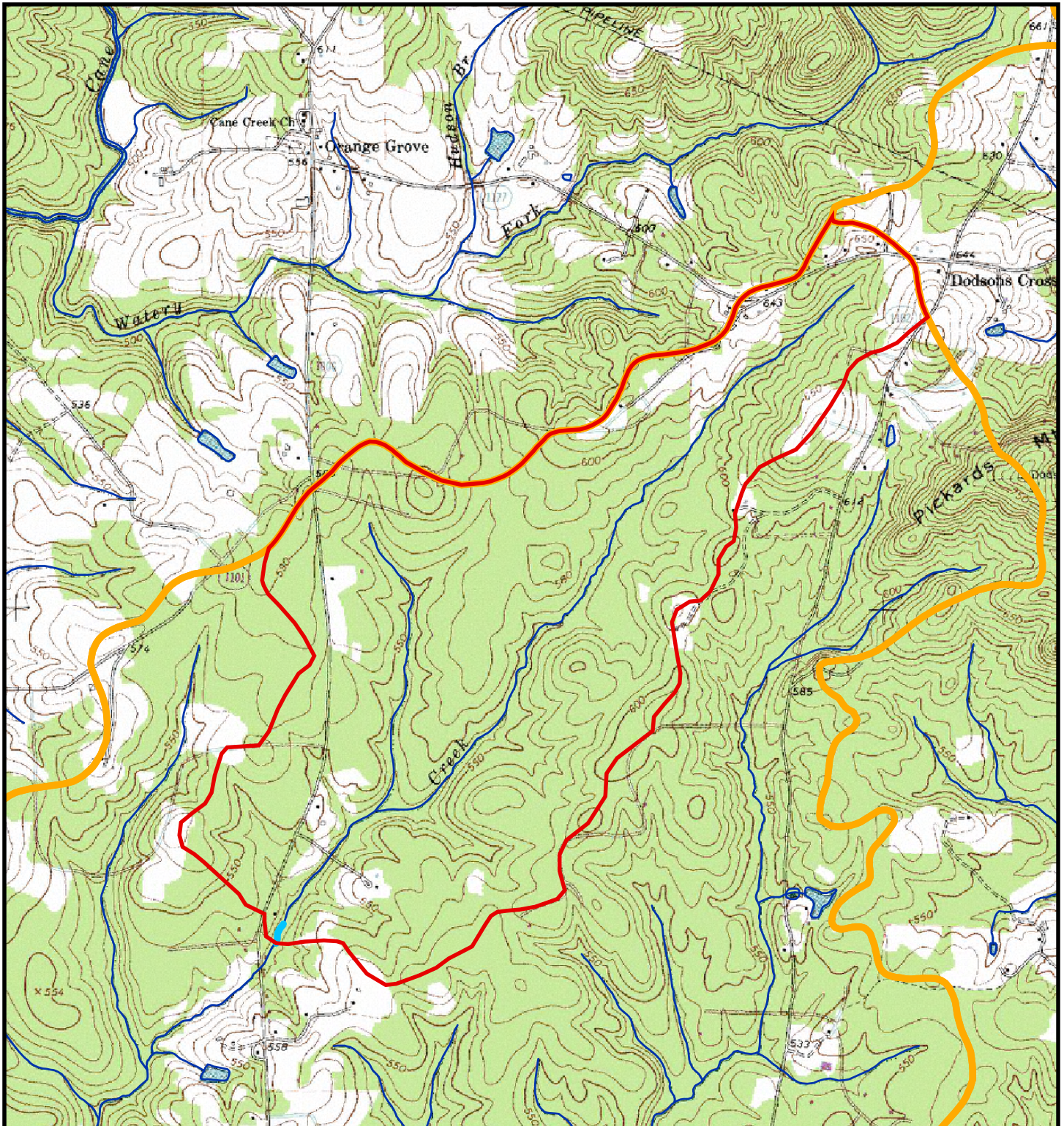
- Project Site
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- County Boundaries
- Major Roads
- Other Roads







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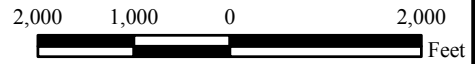
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-  Reference Reach Watershed (1.68 sq. miles)
-  Reference Reach (Collins Creek)
-  Other Streams
-  14-digit HUC Boundaries

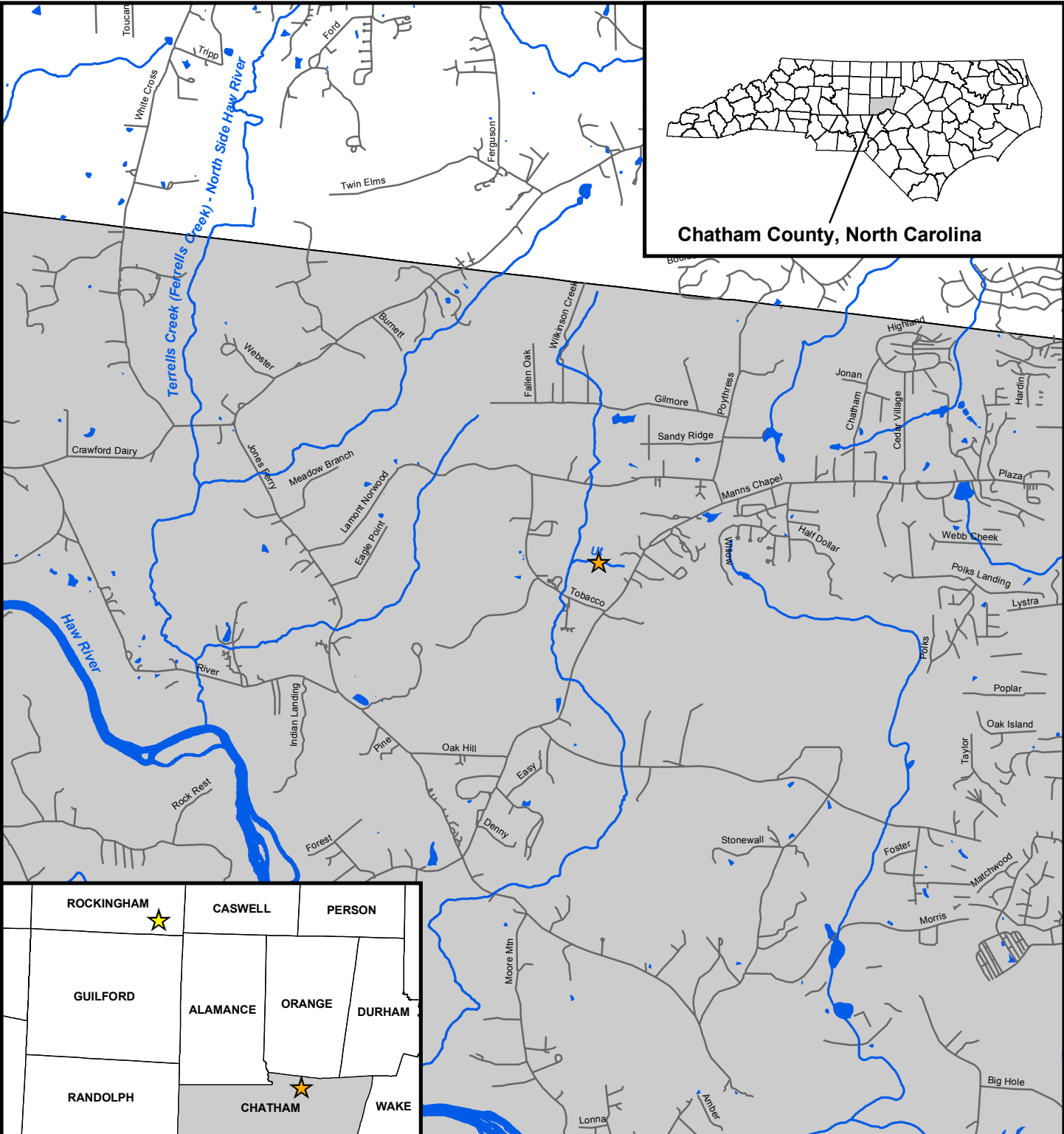


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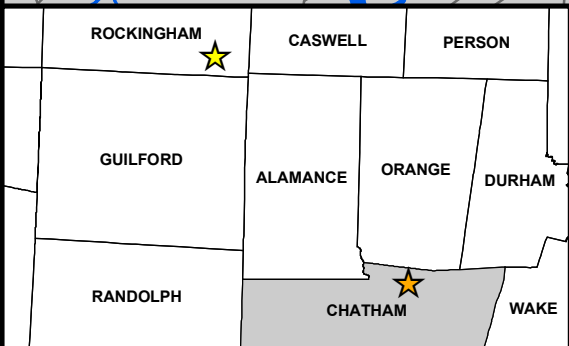









Figure 10. Reference Site (UT to Wilkinson) Vicinity Map

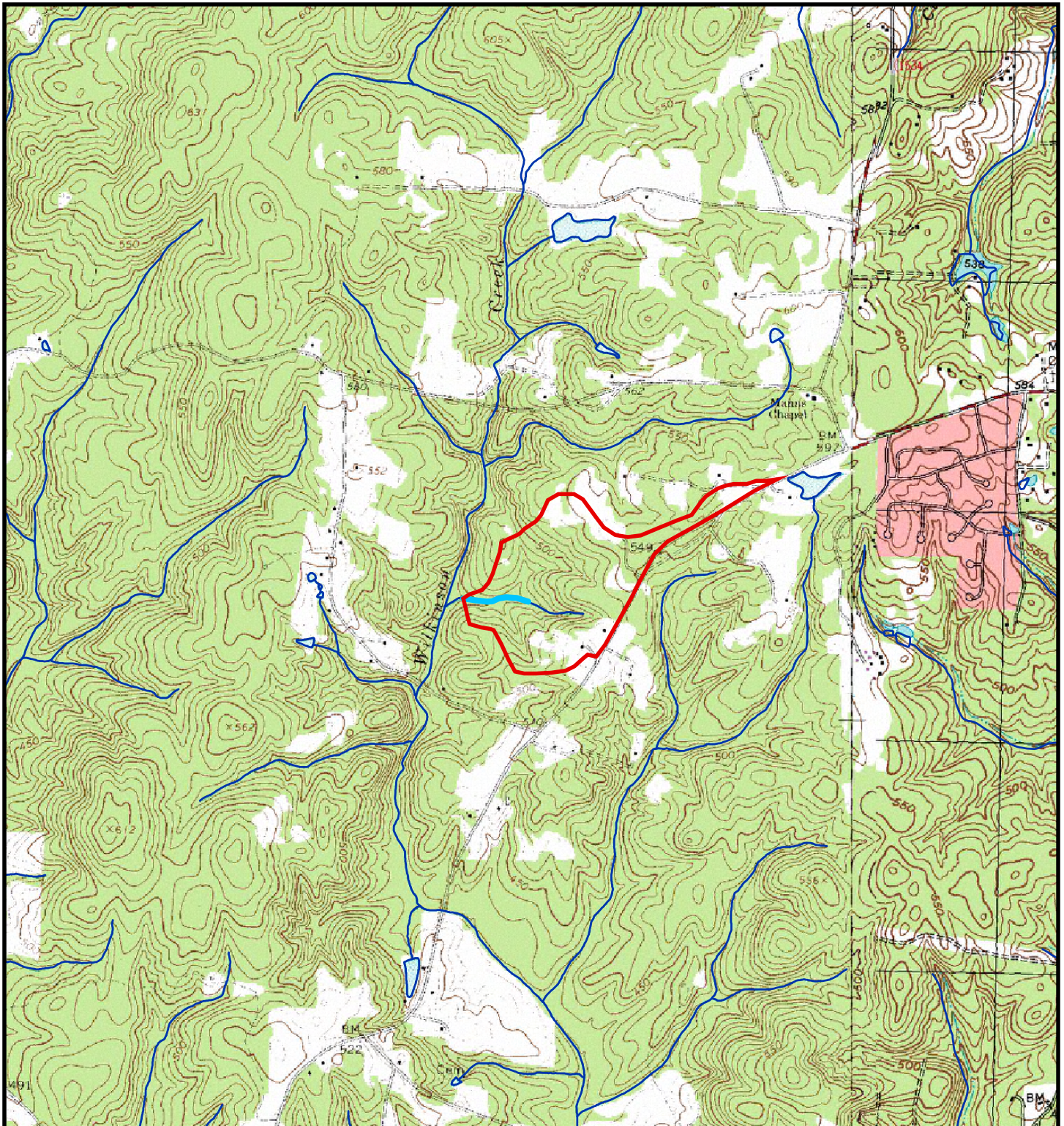
-  Project Site
-  Reference Reach (UT to Wilkinson)
-  Streams
-  Lakes and Reservoirs
-  Roads
-  Chatham County
-  County Boundaries






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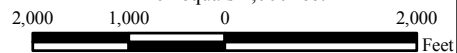
**Figure 11. Reference Site (UT to Wilkinson) Watershed Map**

-  Reference Reach Watershed (0.16 sq. mile)
-  Reference Reach (UT to Wilkinson Creek)
-  Other Streams



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Source: USGS Topographic Quadrangles  
Bynum (1968) and Farrington (1981)







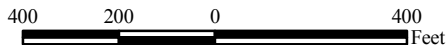
**Figure 12. Project Site Wetland Delineation Map**

-  Project Easement Boundary
-  Existing Wetland - 1.91 acres of enhancement
-  Existing Wetland - 4.48 acres of preservation

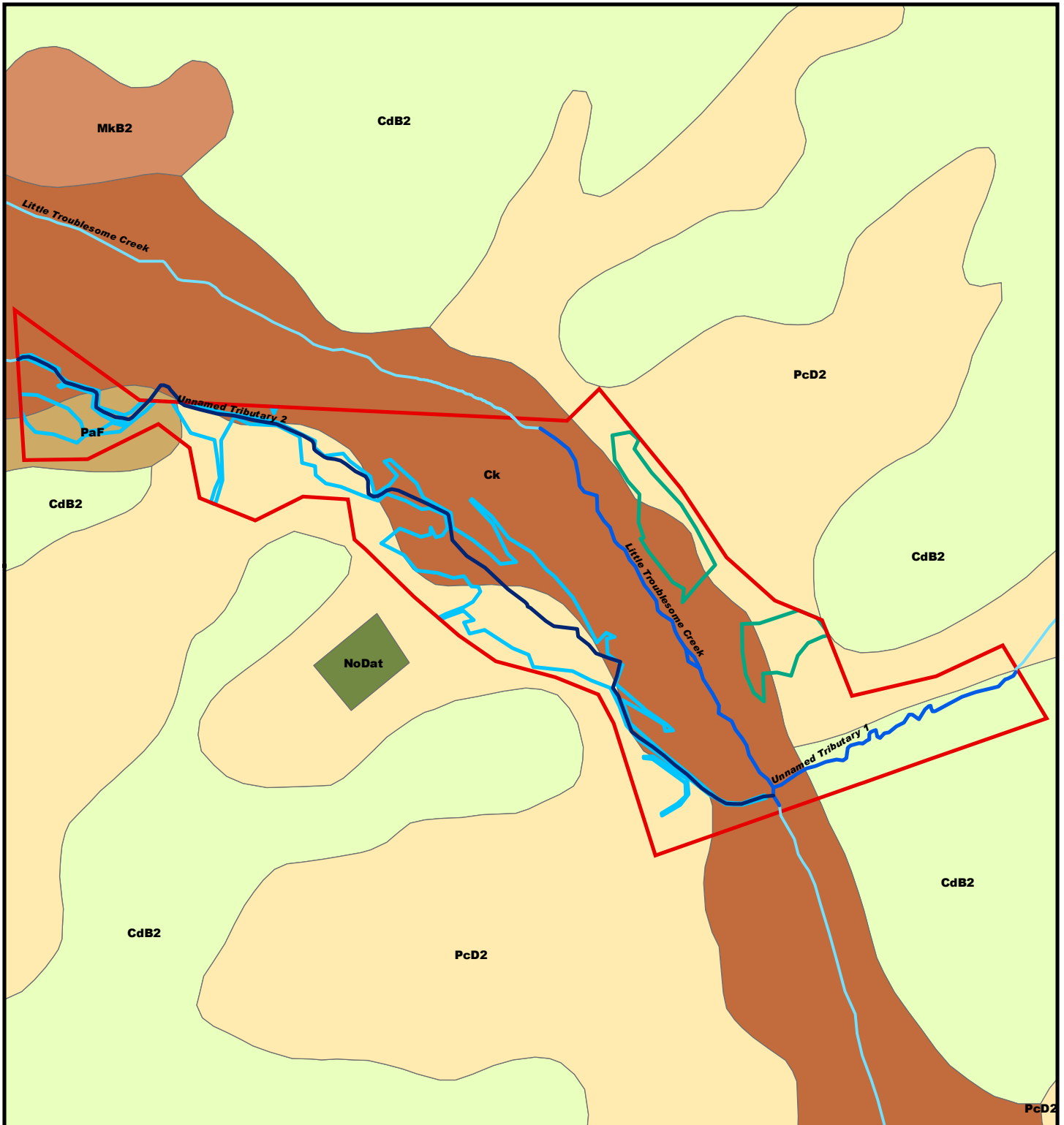


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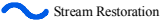
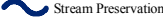
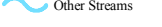

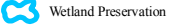
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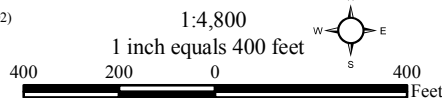


**Figure 13. Project Site NRCS Soil Survey Map**

**Soil Series**

-  Cecil Sandy Clay Loam, 2 To 8 Percent Slopes, Eroded (CdB2)
-  Chastain Silty Clay Loam (Ch)
-  Chewacla Loam (Ck)
-  Mecklenburg Sandy Clay Loam, 2 To 8 Percent Slopes, Eroded (MkB2)
-  No Data
-  Pacolet Sandy Clay Loam, 8 To 15 Percent Slopes, Eroded (PcD2)
-  Pacolet Sandy Loam, 25 To 40 Percent Slopes (PaF)

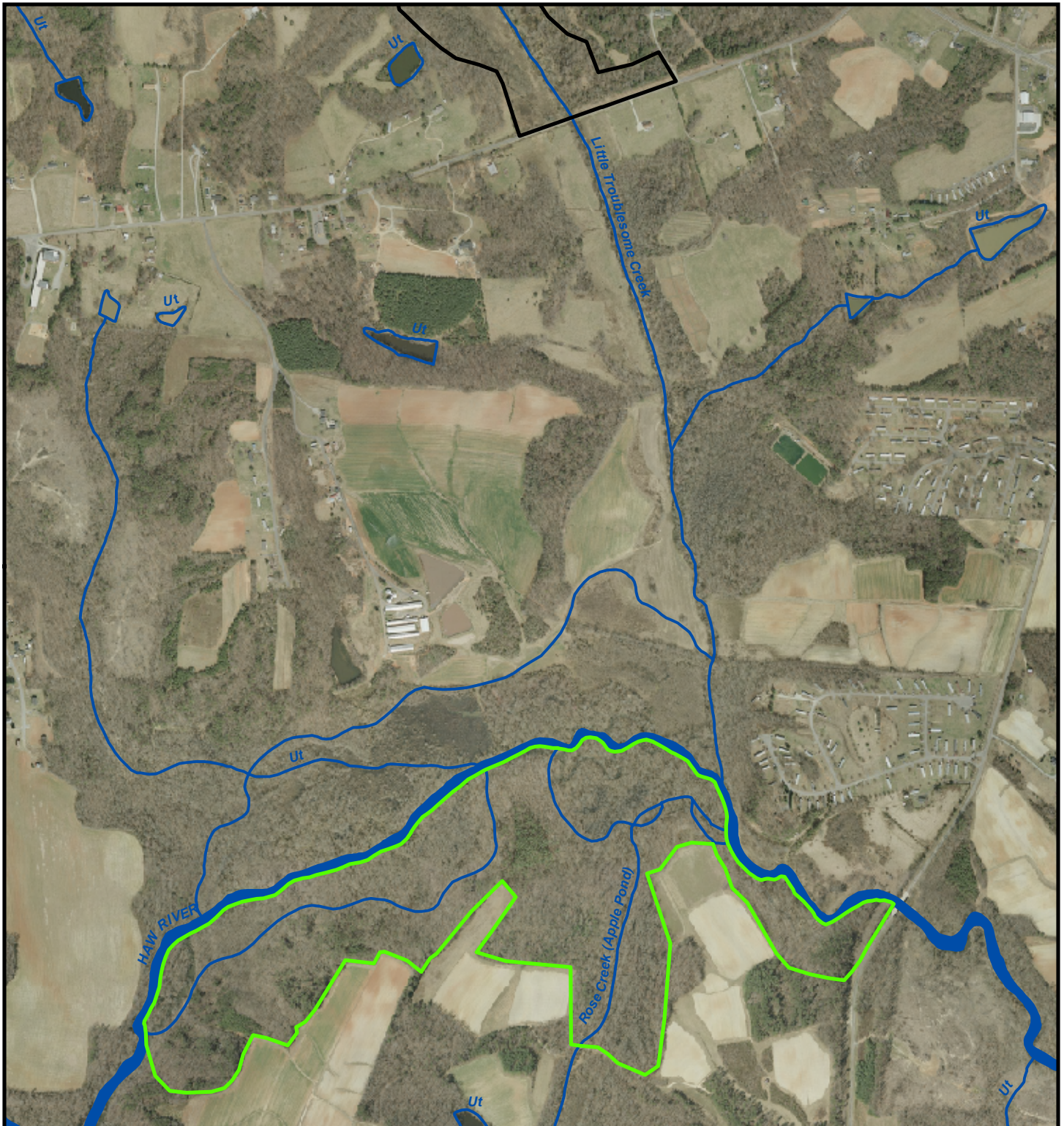
-  Project Easement Boundary
-  Stream Restoration
-  Stream Preservation
-  Other Streams
-  Wetland Enhancement
-  Wetland Preservation






Source: Soil Survey of Rockingham County, USDA NRCS 1992







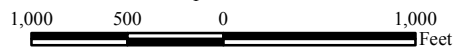
**Figure 14. Reference Site Vegetative Communities Map**

-  Project Easement Boundary
-  Reference Wetland
-  Streams



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1 inch equals 1,000 feet



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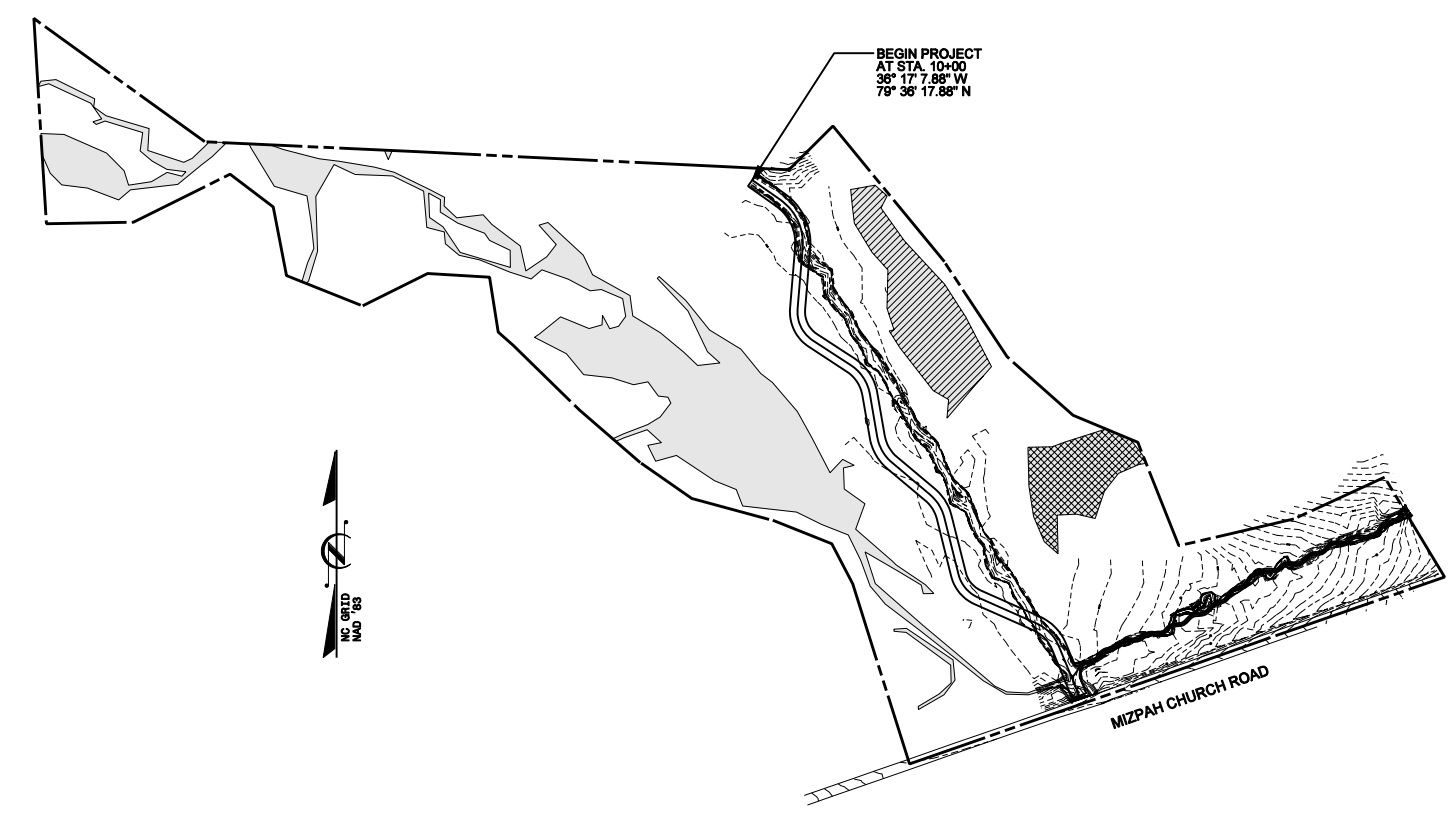
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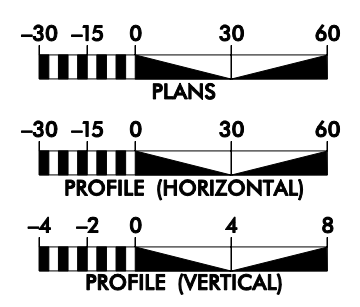
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- \*10 PLANTING SHEETS
- 11 THRU 13 SEDIMENT & EROSION CONTROL PLAN
- \* INCLUDED IN RESTORATION PLAN

**GRAPHIC SCALES**



**PROJECT DATA**

STREAM RESTORATION LENGTH = 2,188 FEET  
WETLAND PRESERVATION = 4.4 ACRES  
WETLAND ENHANCEMENT = 1.9 ACRES

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# GENERAL NOTES

**GENERAL NOTES:**

BEARING AND DISTANCES:  
 ALL BEARINGS ARE NAD 1983 GRID BEARINGS.  
 ALL DISTANCES AND COORDINATES SHOWN ARE HORIZONTAL (GROUND) VALUES.  
 ALL INFORMATION IS BASED ON THE FOLLOWING KCI CONTROL POINTS.

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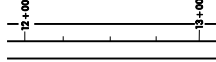




-ALL EXCAVATED MATERIALS, INCLUDING NATURAL STONE MEETING SIZE LIMITATIONS, ARE TO BE SALVAGED FOR REUSE WITHIN THE PROJECT AT THE DISCRETION OF THE ENGINEER.  
 -ALL INFLECTION POINTS BETWEEN SLOPE ANGLES SHALL BE ROUNDED SLIGHTLY IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FOR SMOOTH TRANSITIONS AND A MORE NATURAL APPEARANCE.

**UTILITY/SUBSURFACE PLANS:**

-NO SUBSURFACE PLANS ARE AVAILABLE ON THIS PROJECT. EXISTING UNDERGROUND UTILITIES HAVE NOT BEEN VERIFIED. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTACTING A UTILITY LOCATOR AND ESTABLISHING THE EXACT LOCATION OF ANY AND ALL EXISTING UTILITIES IN THE PROJECT REACH.

## PROJECT LEGEND

### STREAM RESTORATION

- Proposed Thalweg  
w/Approximate Bankfull Limits 
- Proposed Offset Rock Cross Vane 
- Proposed Channel Block 
- Proposed Riffle Grade Control 
- Proposed Riffle Enhancement 

### MISCELLANEOUS

- Existing Barbed Wire Fencing 

### VEGETATION

- Existing Woods Line 
- Single Tree 

### TOPOGRAPHY

- Minor Contour Line 
- Major Contour Line 

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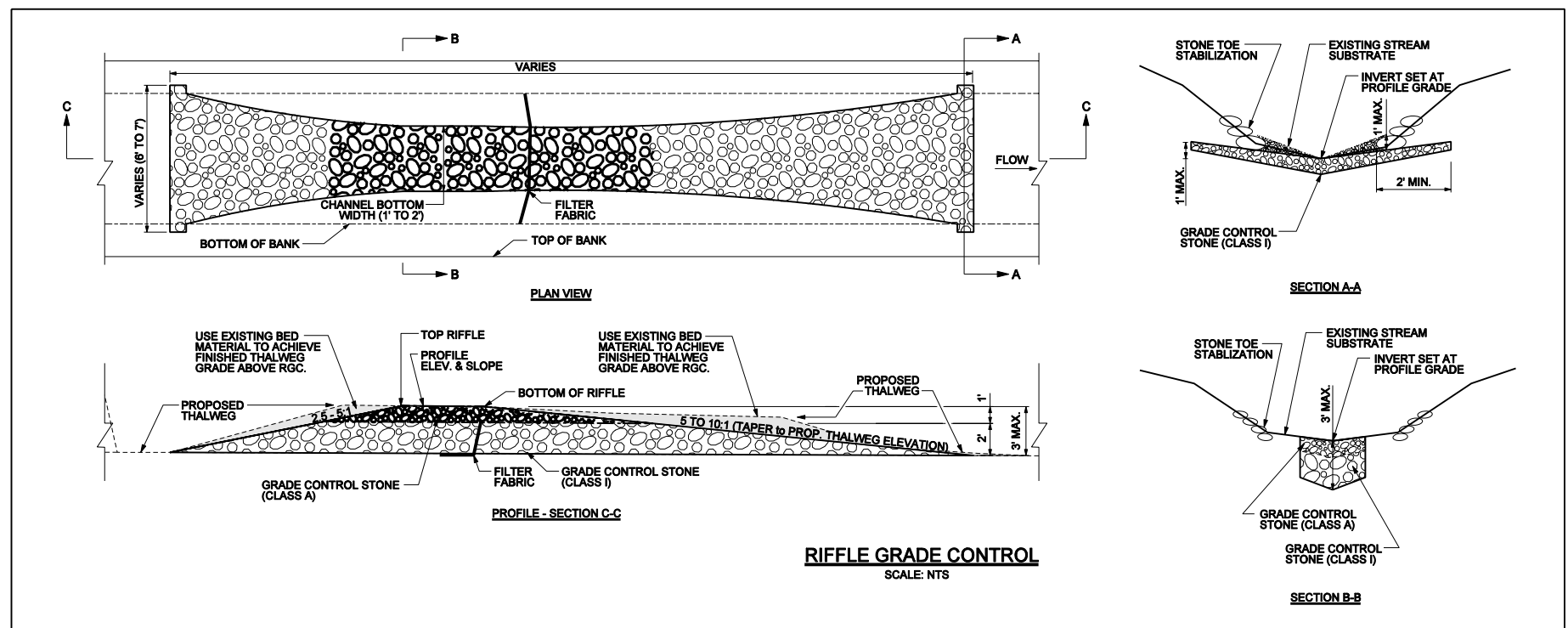
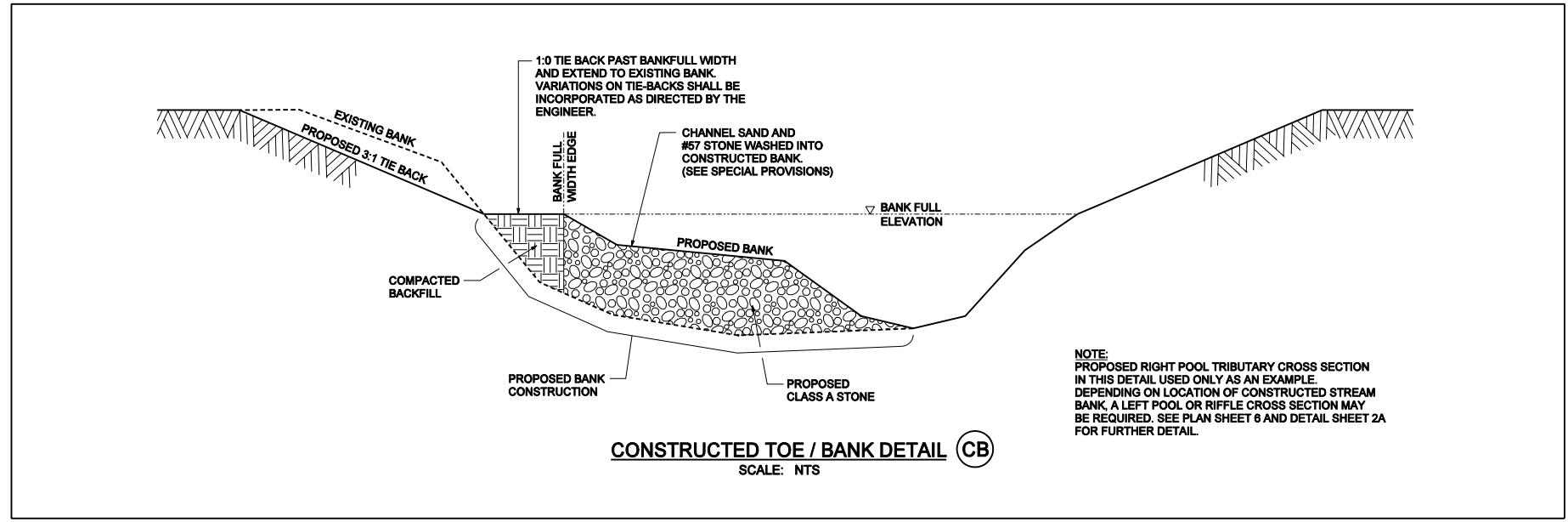
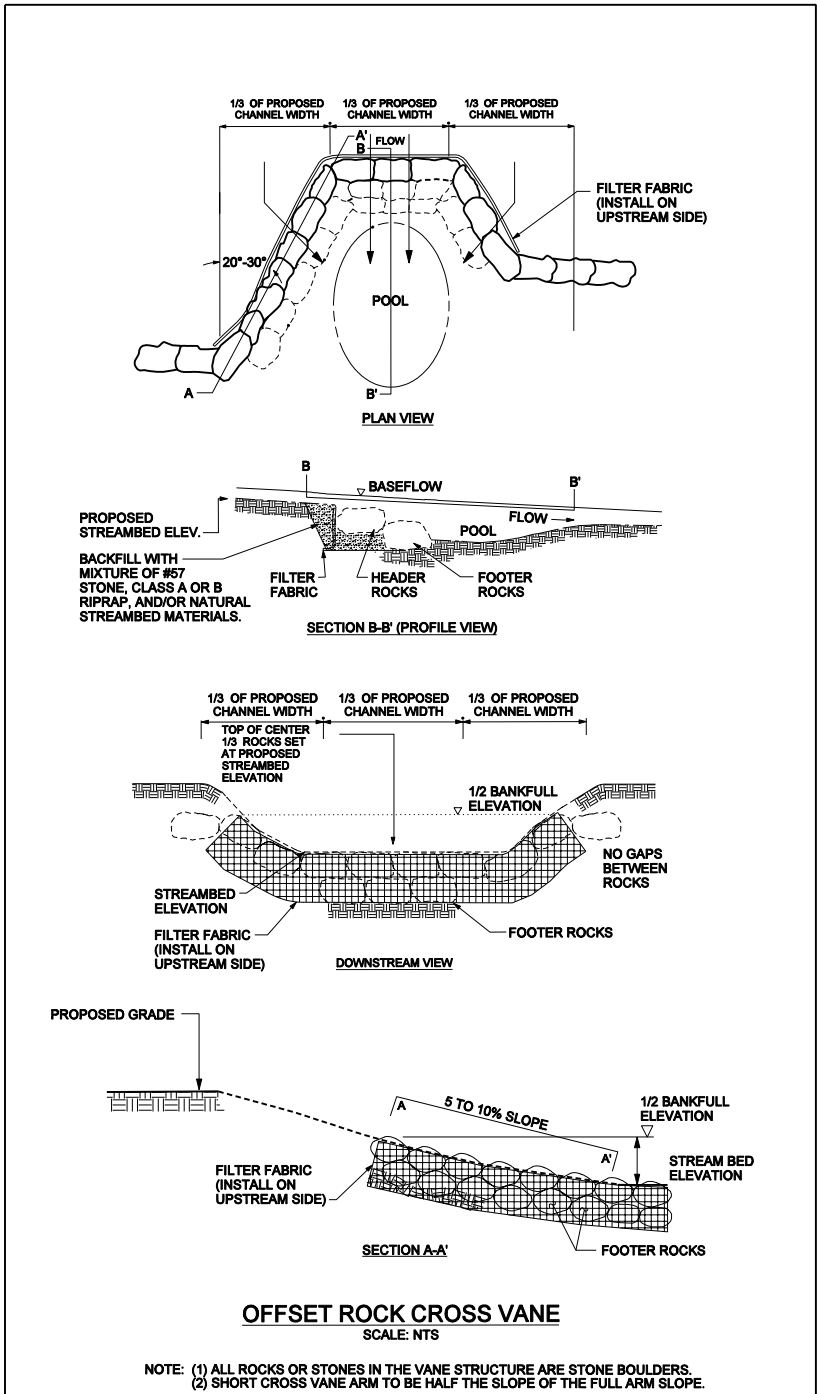
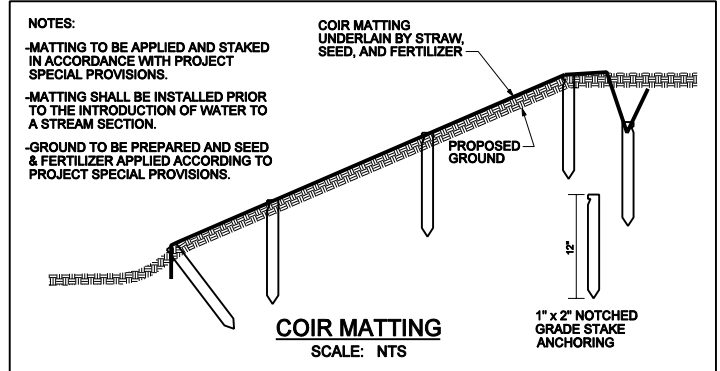
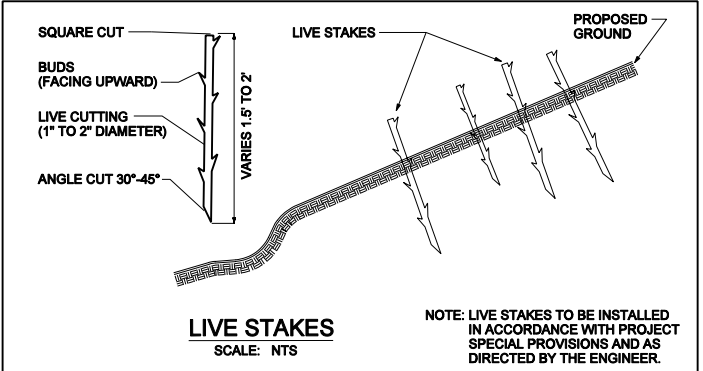
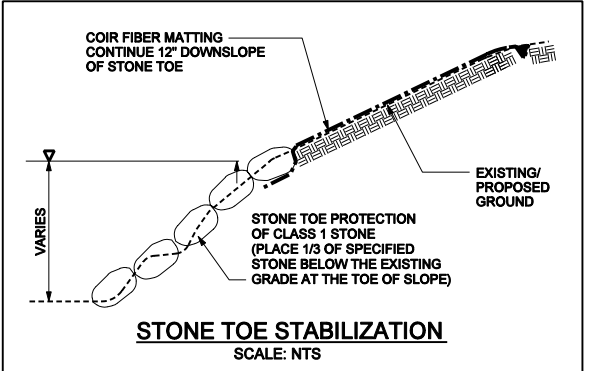
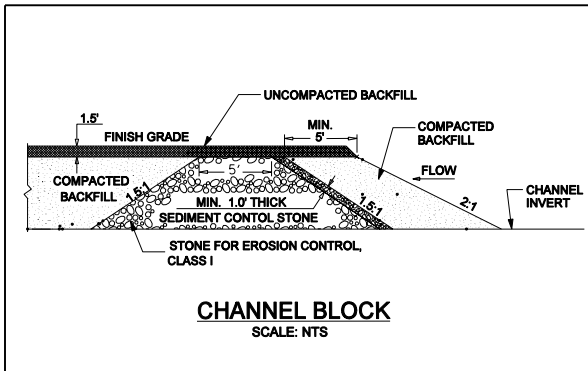
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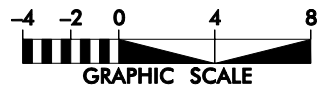


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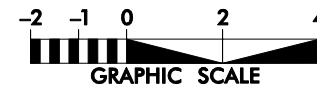
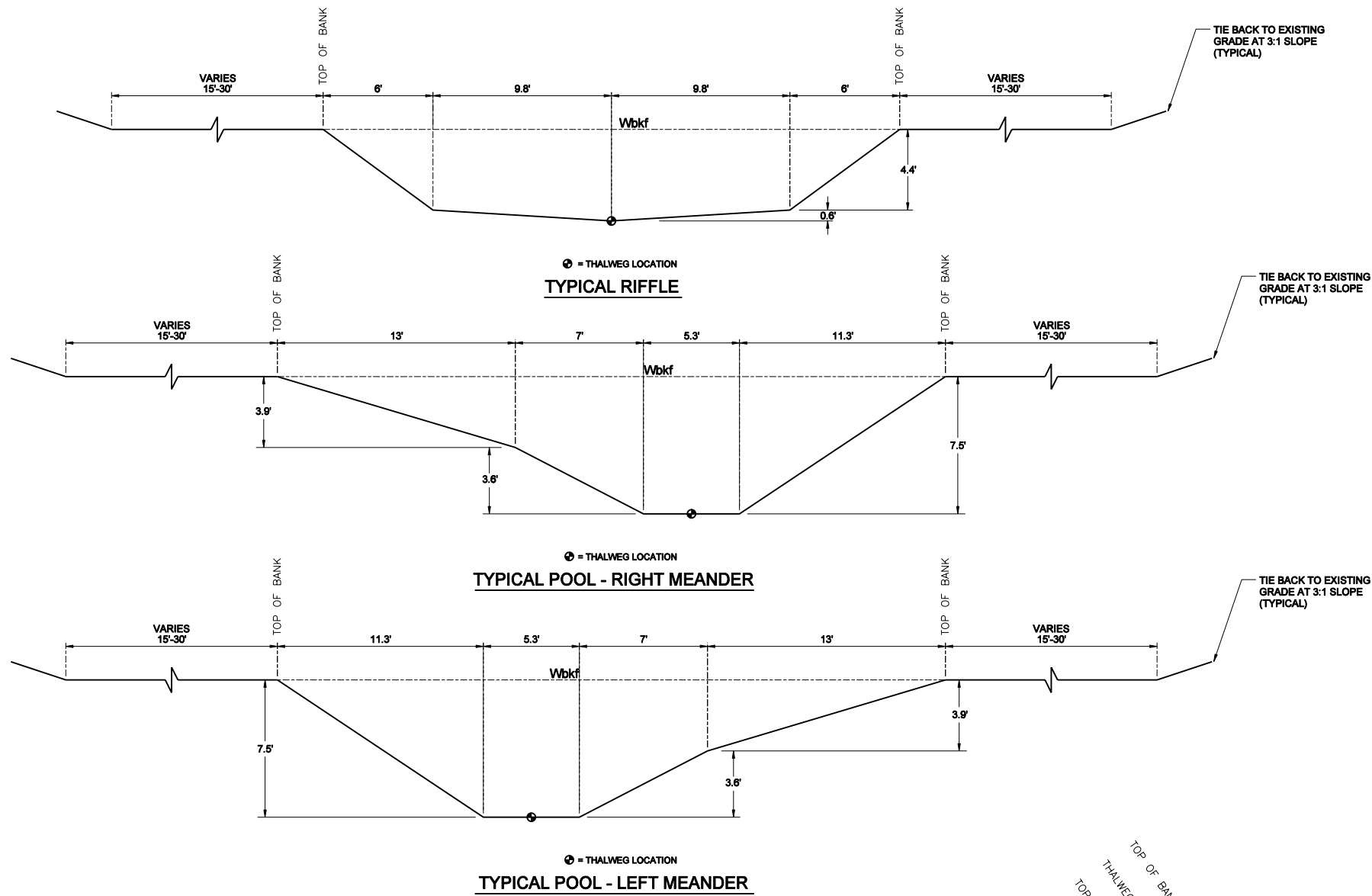


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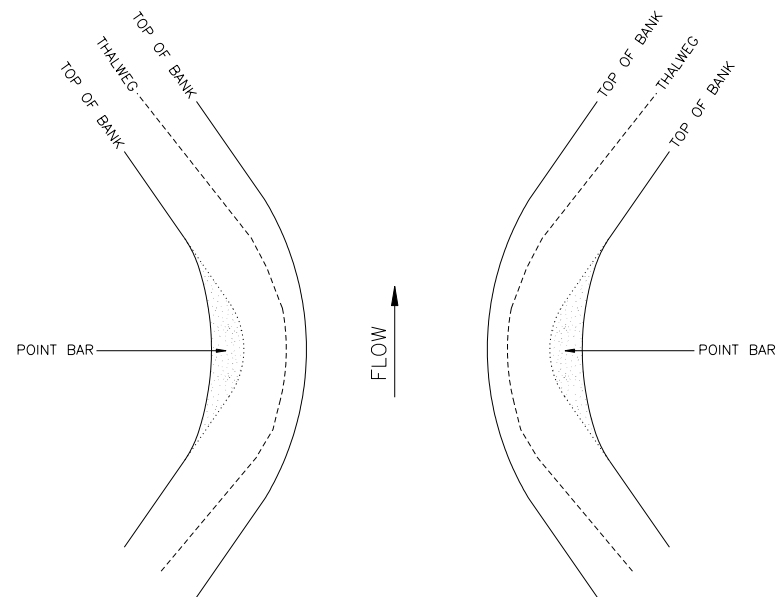
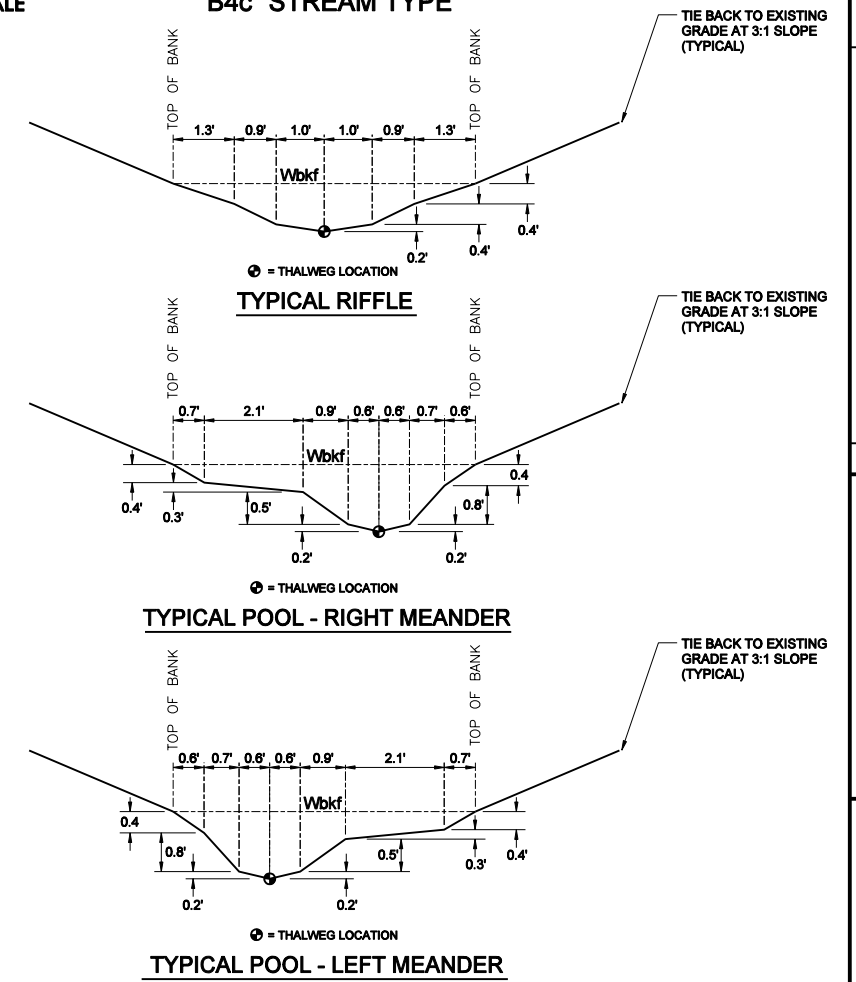
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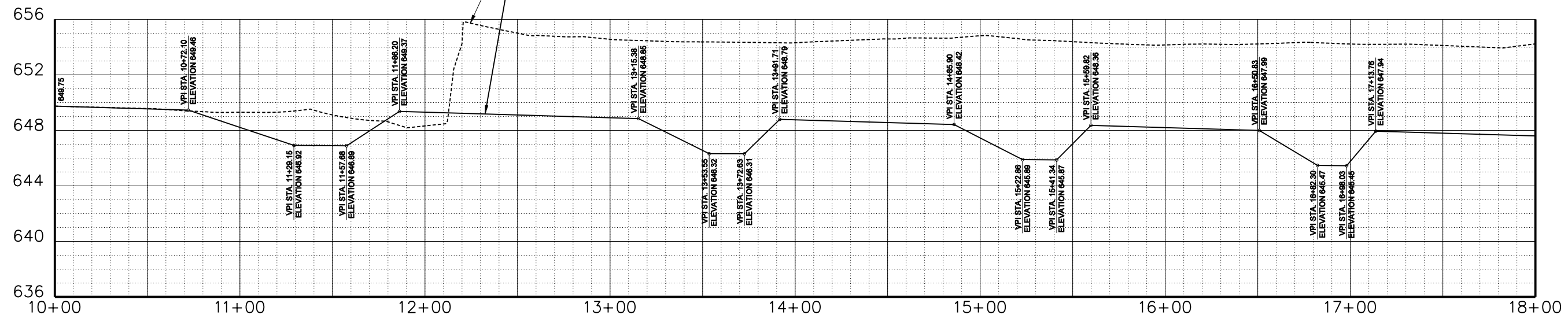
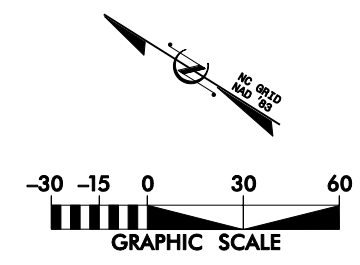
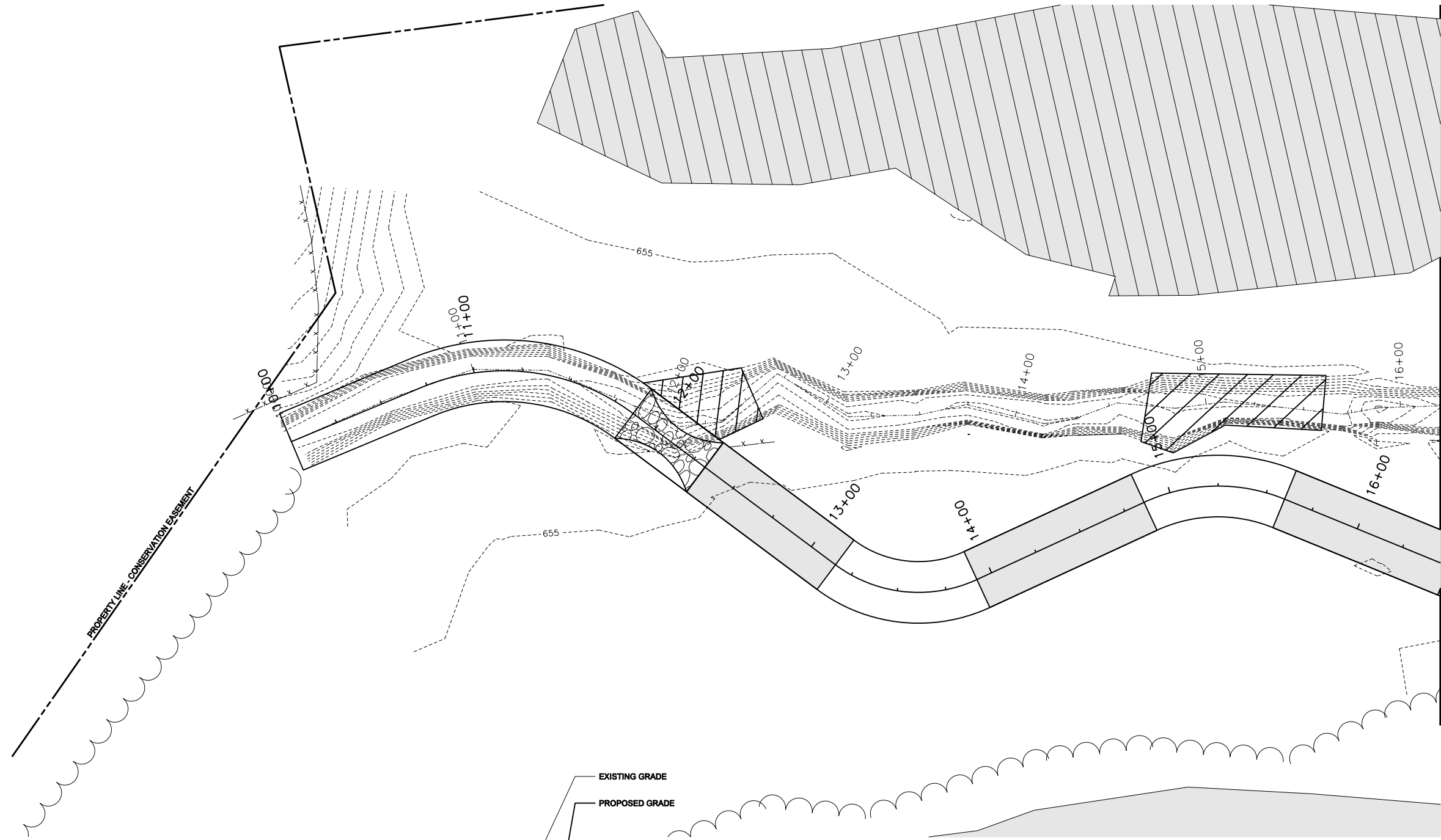
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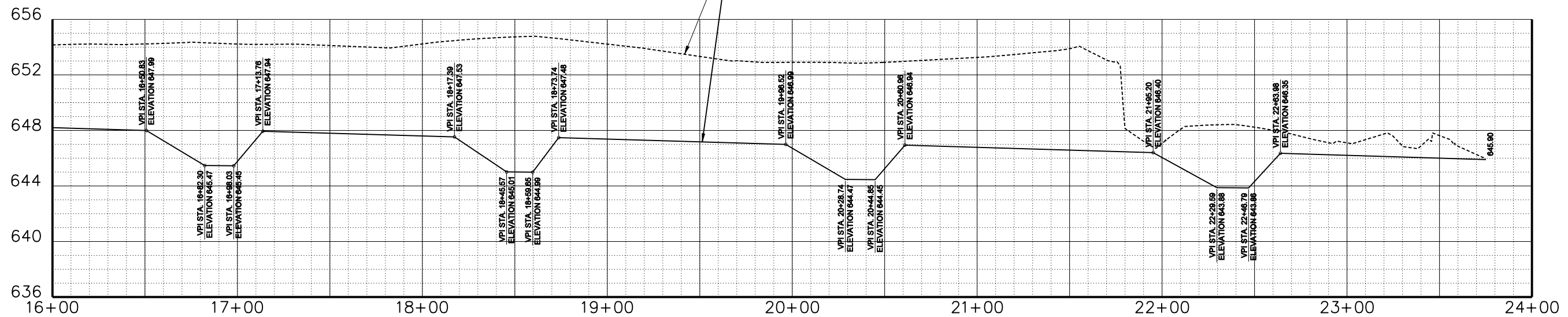
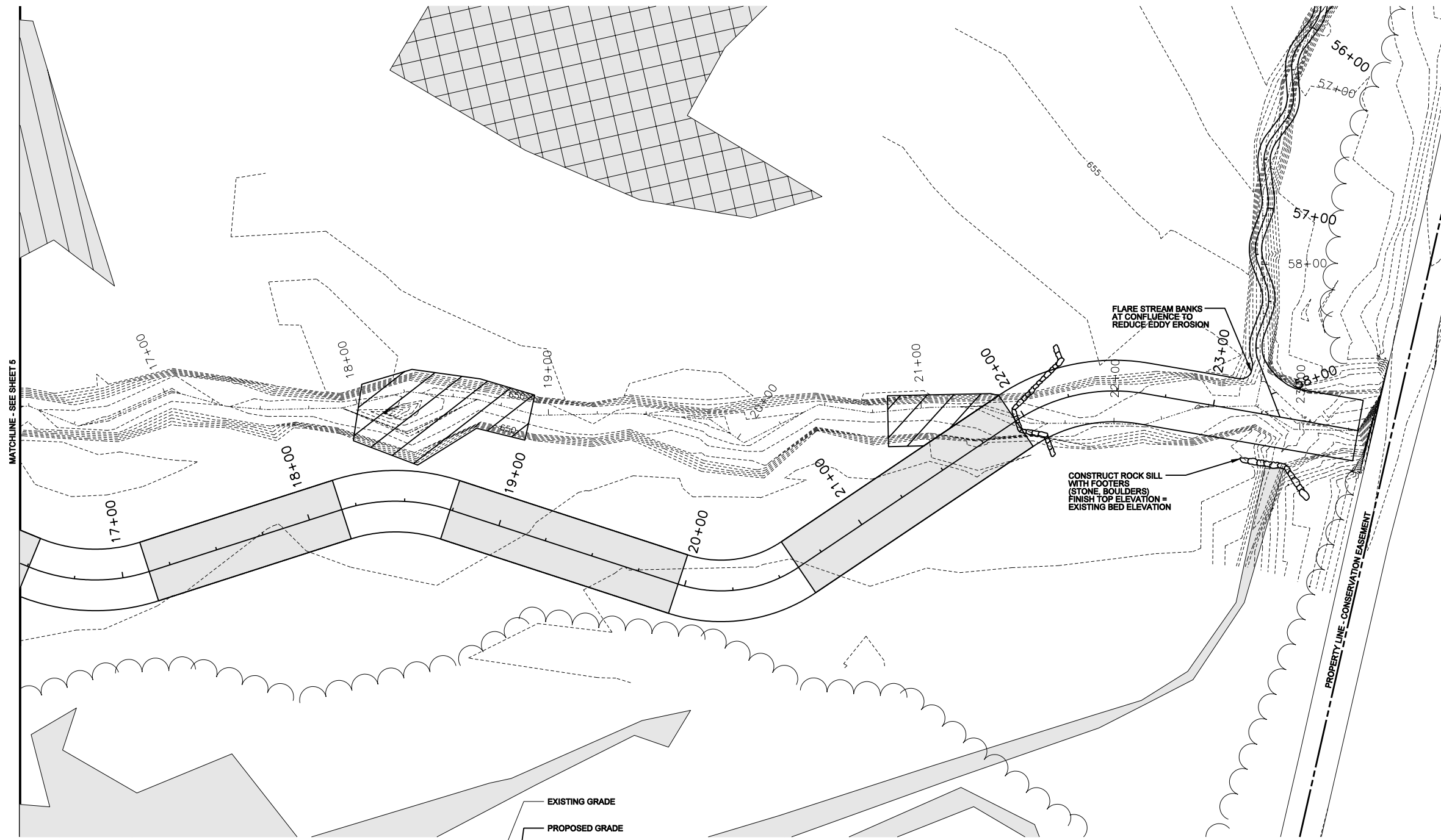
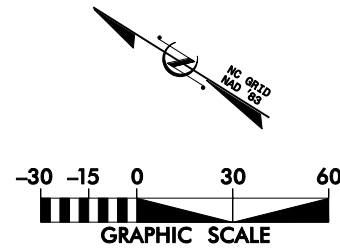
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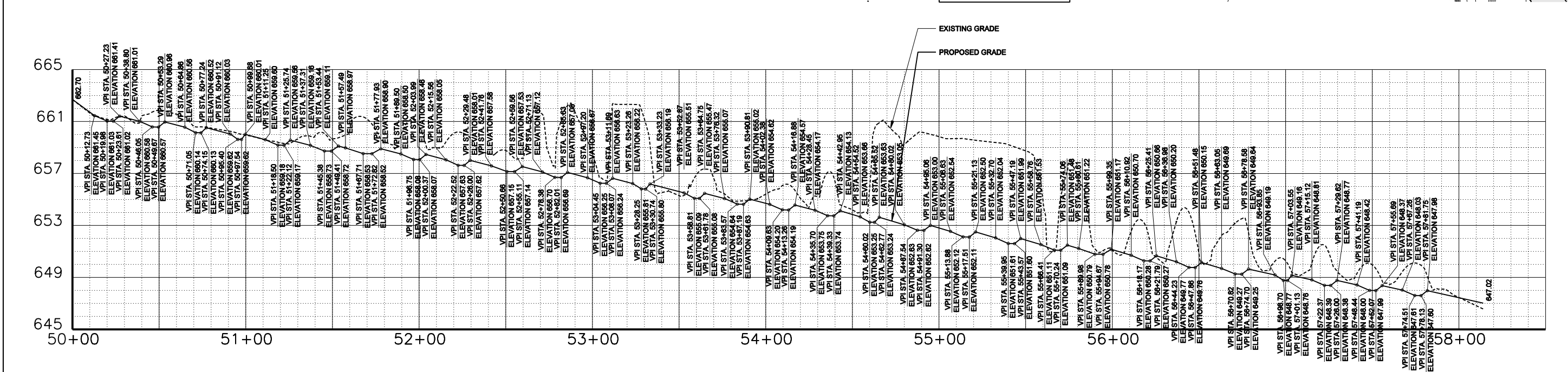
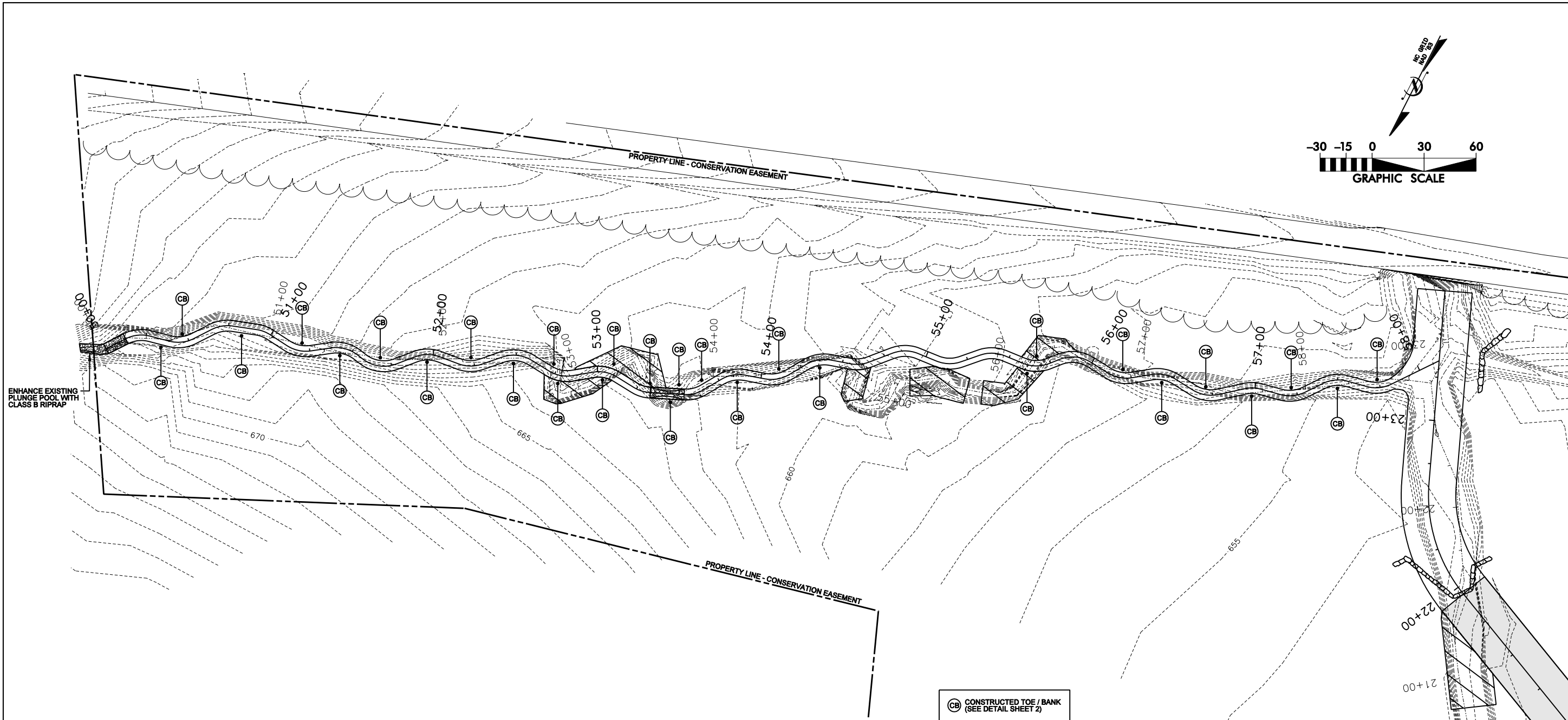
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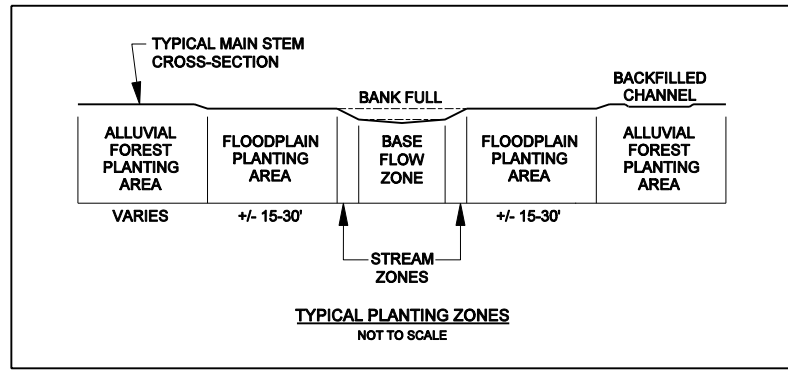
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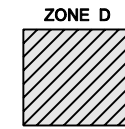
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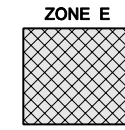
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**ZONE D**  
WETLAND ENHANCEMENT PLANTING AREA #1 = 1.17 ACRES  
18" - 24" BARE ROOT MATERIAL  
436 STEMS/ACRE (10' X 10' SPACING), RANDOM SPECIES PLACEMENT

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	% OF TOTAL	# OF PLANTS
SUGARBERRY	CELTIS LAEVIGATA	20	102
WILLOW OAK	QUERCUS PHELLOS	20	102
SYCAMORE	PLATANUS OCCIDENTALIS	20	102
RIVER BIRCH	BETULA NIGRA	20	102
SWAMP CHESTNUT OAK	QUERCUS MICHAUXII	20	102
		100	510

\* UNDISTURBED FORESTED AREAS WITHIN PLANTING ZONE WILL NOT BE PLANTED

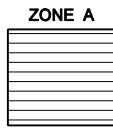


**ZONE E**  
WETLAND ENHANCEMENT PLANTING AREA #2 = 0.74 - ACRE  
18" - 24" BARE ROOT MATERIAL  
100 STEMS/ACRE (10' X 10' SPACING), RANDOM SPECIES PLACEMENT

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	% OF TOTAL	# OF PLANTS
SUGARBERRY	CELTIS LAEVIGATA	20	15
WILLOW OAK	QUERCUS PHELLOS	20	15
SYCAMORE	PLATANUS OCCIDENTALIS	20	15
RIVER BIRCH	BETULA NIGRA	20	15
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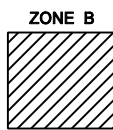
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**ZONE A**  
STREAM ZONE = 0.56 - ACRE (24,225 SQ.FT.)  
LIVE STAKES: 1.5' TO 2' LENGTHS, 1/2" TO 2" DIAMETER,  
3' CENTER SPACING, RANDOM SPECIES PLACEMENT

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME
BLACK WILLOW	SALIX NIGRA
SILKY WILLOW	SALIX SERICEA
SILKY DOGWOOD	CORNUS AMOMUM
ELDERBERRY	SAMBUCUS CANADENSIS

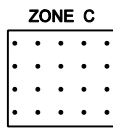
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**ZONE B**  
FLOODPLAIN PLANTING AREA = 1.35 ACRES  
18" - 24" BARE ROOT MATERIAL  
436 STEMS/ACRE (10' X 10' SPACING), RANDOM SPECIES PLACEMENT

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	% OF TOTAL	# OF PLANTS
BOXELDER	ACER NEGUNDO	20	118
WILLOW OAK	QUERCUS PHELLOS	20	118
SYCAMORE	PLATANUS OCCIDENTALIS	20	118
RIVER BIRCH	BETULA NIGRA	20	118
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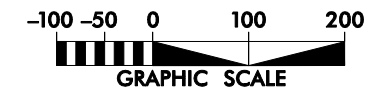
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**ZONE C**  
ALLUVIAL FOREST PLANTING AREA = 8.39 ACRES  
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436 STEMS/ACRE (10' X 10' SPACING), RANDOM SPECIES PLACEMENT

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	% OF TOTAL	# OF PLANTS
SPICEBUSH	LINDERA BENZOIN	5	183
WILLOW OAK	QUERCUS PHELLOS	5	183
PERSIMMON	DIOSPYROS VIRGINIANA	5	183
GREEN ASH	FRAXINUS PENNSYLVANICA	5	183
SYCAMORE	PLATANUS OCCIDENTALIS	20	732
SUGARBERRY	CELTIS LAEVIGATA	20	732
RIVER BIRCH	BETULA NIGRA	20	732
SWAMP CHESTNUT OAK	QUERCUS MICHAUXII	20	732
		100	3660

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## APPENDICES

## Appendix A

Existing Site Photographs

Recorded Easement Plat



## Existing Photos (Little Troublesome Creek)

Photo 01: (8/30/06) Start of project reach.

Photo 02: (9/14/06) Day after a heavy rain event, LTC is at top of bank.

Photo 03: (9/14/06) Day after a heavy rain event.

Photo 04, 05, 06: (8/23/06) Upstream section of the project reach, heavy cattle access area.

Photo 07: (8/23/06) Upstream section of the project reach, Bank has eroded and the tree has fallen in the stream.

Photo 08: (8/30/06) Looking downstream at LTC.

Photo 09, 10: (8/30/06) Looking downstream at LTC.

Photo 11: (8/30/06) Looking downstream at LTC.

Photo 12: (2/5/07) Ditch 1 located in the wetland enhancement 1 area . The ditch is draining the wetland.

Photo 13: (2/5/07) Ditch 1 located in the wetland enhancement 1 area .

Photo 14: (2/5/07) Ditch 2 located in the wetland enhancement 2 area .

Photo 15: (8/30/06) End of project reach looking downstream toward Mizpah Church Road.

Photo 16: (9/14/06) End of project reach looking upstream. Day after heavy rain event.

Photo 17: (9/14/06) End of project reach looking upstream. Day after heavy rain event.

Photo 18: (9/14/06) End of project reach looking upstream. Day after heavy rain event.

## Existing Photos (UT1)

Photo 01: (2/6/07) Start of project reach at culvert drop off.

Photo 02: (8/30/06) Upstream section of UT1 looking downstream.

Photo 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12: (8/30/06) UT1 looking downstream.

Photo 13, 14: (8/30/06) Downstream section of UT1 looking downstream.

Photo 15: (8/30/06) End of project reach at the confluence of LTC.

### Existing Photos (Preservation Area)

Photo 01, 02, 03, 04: (8/23/06) Northwestern portion of the preservation area.

Photo 05, 06, 07: (9/14/06) Day after heavy rain event.

Photo 08: (8/23/06) Southwestern portion of the preservation area.

Photo 09: (9/14/06) Southwestern portion of the preservation area after a heavy rain event. Same vicinity area as photo 09 and 10.

Photo 10: (2/5/07) Southwestern portion of the preservation area. Same vicinity area as photo 08 and 09.

Photo 11: (8/23/06) Southwestern portion of the preservation area.

Photo 12: (8/23/06) Southwestern portion of the preservation area at confluence of LTC.

### Existing Photos (Wetland Enhancement 1)

Photo 01, 02, 03: (2/5/07) Wetland Enhancement area 1.

Photo 04: (2/5/07) Wetland Enhancement area 1. View of drainage ditch 1 draining the wetland.

### Existing Photos (Wetland Enhancement II)

Photo 01, 02, 03, 04: (2/5/07) Wetland Enhancement area 2.



Existing Photos (Little Troublesome Creek)



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Existing Photos (Little Troublesome Creek)



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Existing Photos (Little Troublesome Creek)



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Existing Photos (UT1)



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Existing Photos (UT1)



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Existing Photos (UT1)



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Existing Photos (Preservation Area)



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Existing Photos (Preservation Area)



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Existing Photos (Wetland Enhancement 1)



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Existing Photos (Wetland Enhancement 2)



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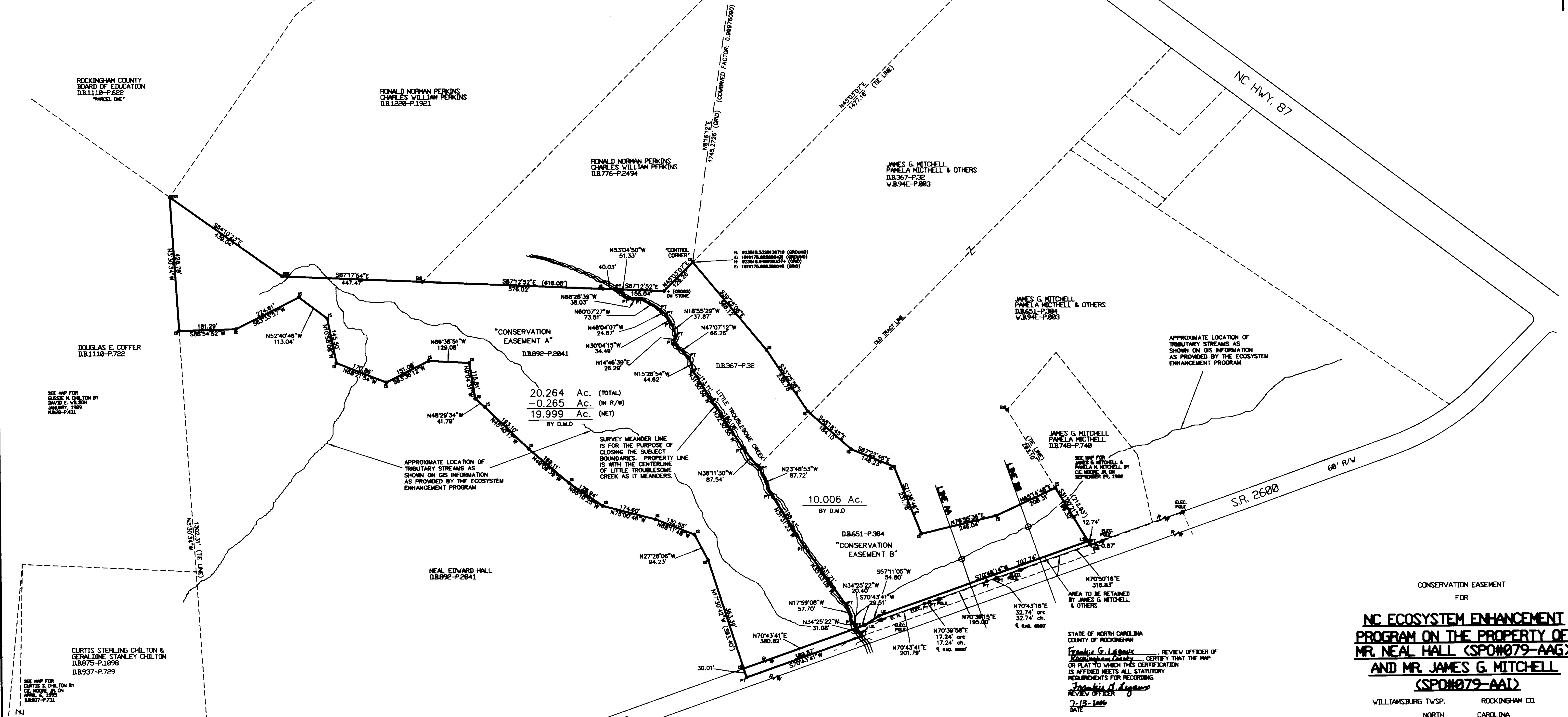
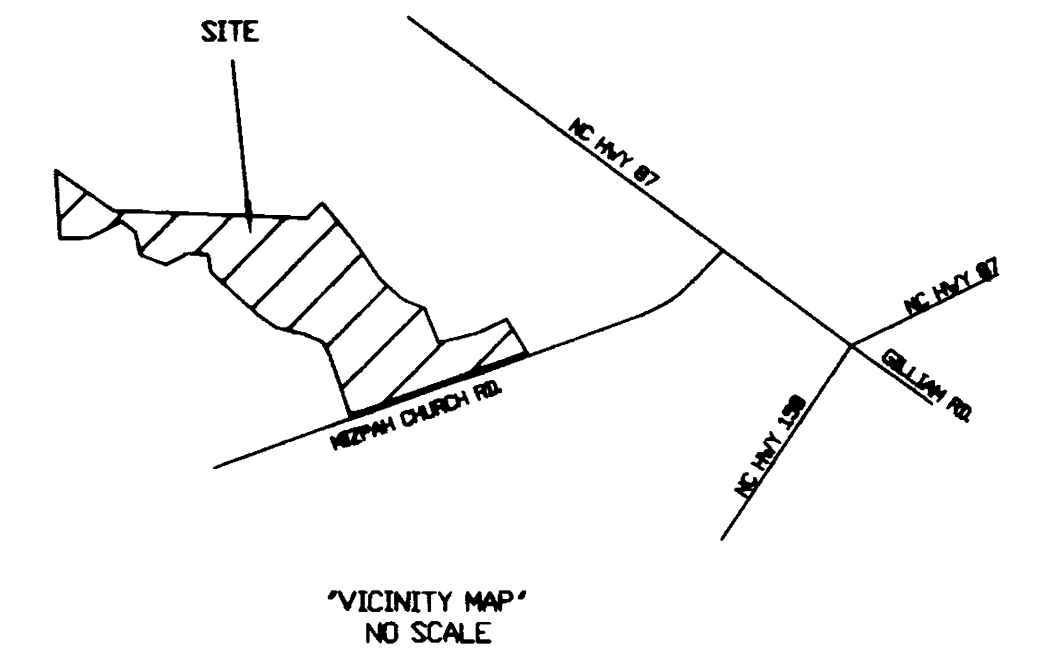
- ES - EXISTING IRON STAKE
- IS - IRON STAKE
- CON - CONCRETE MONUMENT
- CL - CENTER LINE
- M.H. - MAN HOLE
- R/W - RIGHT-OF-WAY
- OH. ELEC. - OVERHEAD ELECTRIC
- UG. ELEC. - UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC
- PT. - POINT
- F.H. - FIRE HYDRANT

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C. E. ROBERTSON, PLS. L-1421



20.264 Ac. (TOTAL)  
-0.265 Ac. (IN R/W)  
19.999 Ac. (NET)  
BY D.M.D.

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BY D.M.D.

**CONSERVATION EASEMENT FOR NC ECOSYSTEM ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM ON THE PROPERTY OF MR. NEAL HALL (SPO#079-AAG) AND MR. JAMES G. MITCHELL (SPO#079-AAD)**

WILLIAMSBURG TWP. ROCKINGHAM CO. NORTH CAROLINA  
APRIL 11, 2006 SCALE 1" = 150'  
REVISED 6-23-06, 7-11-06  
150 0 150 300 450

C.E. ROBERTSON & ASSOCIATES  
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JOBNAME: STATE EASEMENT

SEE MAP FOR CURTIS S. CHILTON BY DAVID E. WILSON JANUARY, 1989 AB26-P431

SEE MAP FOR CURTIS S. CHILTON BY C. E. ROBERTSON, PLS. ON APRIL 11, 1995 DB977-P-721

SEE MAP FOR CURTIS S. CHILTON BY DAVID E. WILSON SEPTEMBER, 1995 DB931-P-1149

SEE MAP FOR CURTIS S. CHILTON BY DAVID E. WILSON SEPTEMBER, 1995 DB931-P-1149

NOTE: UP TO TWO FUTURE DRIVEWAY CROSSINGS, EACH NO MORE THAN 30 FEET WIDE, ARE RESERVED BETWEEN LINES AA AND BB.

NOTE: DISTANCES SHOWN ARE HORIZONTAL GROUND DISTANCES UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

NORTH CAROLINA ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

I, C. E. ROBERTSON, CERTIFY THAT THIS PLAN WAS DRAWN UNDER MY SUPERVISION FROM AN ACTUAL SURVEY MADE UNDER MY SUPERVISION (SEE DESCRIPTION RECORDED IN BOOK 092 PAGE 2841, BOOK 651 PAGE 240, & BOOK 367 PAGE 32, ETC.), THAT THE BOUNDARIES NOT SURVEYED ARE SHOWN AS DOTTED LINES, THAT THE RATIO OF PRECISION AS CALCULATED IS 1:18,000, THAT THIS PLAN WAS PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH G.S. 47-38 (WITNESSED BY ORIGINAL SIGNATURE, REGISTRATION NUMBER, AND SEAL THIS 11th DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2006.

C. E. Robertson  
SURVEYOR  
LICENSE NUMBER L-1421

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM

Frankie G. Lyman, REVIEW OFFICER OF Rockingham County, CERTIFY THAT THE MAP OR PLAN TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATION IS AFFIXED MEETS ALL STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS FOR RECORDING.

Frankie G. Lyman  
REVIEW OFFICER  
7-13-2006  
DATE

NORTH CAROLINA ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

FILED FOR REGISTRATION AT 10:29:21 AM ON THE 11th DAY OF APRIL, 2006 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 2841 PAGE 2841

REBECCA B. CIPRIANI, REGISTER OF DEEDS  
BY: [Signature] DEPUTY REGISTER OF DEEDS

REVISED 7-11-06 TO SHOW LOCATION OF ELECTRIC POLES AND ELECTRIC LINE AND TO SHOW CHANGE IN CONSERVATION EASEMENT B.

REVISED 6-23-06 TO SHOW APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF ELECTRIC POLES AND ELECTRIC LINE. PREVIOUSLY RECORDED IN 88-58-P-45.

Appendix B  
NCDWQ Stream Classification Forms

# NCDWQ Stream Classification Form

Project Name: **Little Troublesome-Preservation area-1**

River Basin: **Cape Fear**

County: **Rockingham**

Evaluator: **AH**

DWQ Project Number:

Nearest Named Stream:

Latitude:

Signature:

Date: **September 6, 2006**

USGSQUAD: **Williamsburg**

Longitude:

Location/Directions:

**\*Please Note:** *If evaluator and landowner agree that the feature is a man-made ditch, then use of this form is not necessary. Also, if in the best professional judgement of the evaluator, the feature is a man-made ditch and not a modified natural stream—this rating system should not be used\**

## Primary Field Indicators: *(Circle One Number Per Line)*

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Riffle-Pool Sequence?	(0)	1	2	3
2) Is The USDA Texture In Streambed Different From Surrounding Terrain?	0	(1)	2	3
3) Are Natural Levees Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Is The Channel Sinuous?	(0)	1	2	3
5) Is There An Active (Or Relic) Floodplain Present?	0	1	2	(3)
6) Is The Channel Braided?	(0)	1	2	3
7) Are Recent Alluvial Deposits Present?	(0)	1	2	3
8) Is There A Bankfull Bench Present?	(0)	1	2	3
9) Is A Continuous Bed & Bank Present?	0	(1)	2	3
<i>(*NOTE: If Bed &amp; Bank Caused By Ditching And WITHOUT Sinuosity Then Score=0*)</i>				
10) Is A 2 <sup>nd</sup> Order Or Greater Channel (As Indicated On Topo Map <b>And/Or</b> In Field) Present?	Yes = 3		No = (0)	

**Primary Geomorphology Indicator Points:**   5  

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Groundwater Flow/Discharge Present?	(0)	1	2	3

**Primary Hydrology Indicator Points:**   0  

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Are Fibrous Roots Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
2) Are Rooted Plants Present In Streambed?	3	2	1	(0)
3) Is Periphyton Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Are Bivalves Present?	(0)	1	2	3

**Primary Biology Indicator Points:**   3  

## Secondary Field Indicators: *(Circle One Number Per Line)*

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Head Cut Present In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
2) Is There A Grade Control Point In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Does Topography Indicate A Natural Drainage Way?	0	(.5)	1	1.5

**Secondary Geomorphology Indicator Points:**   .5  

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is This Year's (Or Last's) Leaf litter Present In Streambed?	1.5	1	.5	(0)
2) Is Sediment On Plants (Or Debris) Present?	0	.5	1	(1.5)
3) Are Wrack Lines Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
4) Is Water In Channel <b>And</b> >48 Hrs. Since Last <b>Known</b> Rain? <i>(*NOTE: If Ditch Indicated In #9 Above Skip This Step And #5 Below*)</i>	(0)	.5	1	1.5

5) Is There Water In Channel During Dry Conditions **Or** In Growing Season)?

6) Are Hydric Soils Present In Sides Of Channel (Or In Headcut)?      Yes = (1.5)      No = 0

**Secondary Hydrology Indicator Points:**   3

**III. Biology**

	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong		
1) Are Fish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
2) Are Amphibians Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
3) Are Aquatic Turtles Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
4) Are Crayfish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
5) Are Macro benthos Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
6) Are Iron Oxidizing Bacteria/Fungus Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
7) Is Filamentous Algae Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
8) Are Wetland Plants In Streambed?	SAV	Mostly OBL	Mostly FACW	Mostly FAC	Mostly FACU	Mostly UPL
(* NOTE: If Total Absence Of All Plants In Streambed As Noted Above Skip This Step UNLESS SAV Present*).	2	1	.75	.5	0	0

**Secondary Biology Indicator Points:**   1  

**TOTAL POINTS** (Primary + Secondary) =   12.5   (If ≥ 19 points the stream is at least intermittent)



# NCDWQ Stream Classification Form

Project Name: **Little Troublesome-Preservation area-2**

River Basin: **Cape Fear**

County: **Rockingham**

Evaluator: **AH**

DWQ Project Number:

Nearest Named Stream:

Latitude:

Signature:

Date: **September 11, 2006**

USGSQUAD: **Williamsburg**

Longitude:

Location/Directions:

**\*Please Note:** *If evaluator and landowner agree that the feature is a man-made ditch, then use of this form is not necessary. Also, if in the best professional judgement of the evaluator, the feature is a man-made ditch and not a modified natural stream—this rating system should not be used\**

## **Primary Field Indicators:** *(Circle One Number Per Line)*

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Riffle-Pool Sequence?	(0)	1	2	3
2) Is The USDA Texture In Streambed Different From Surrounding Terrain?	0	(1)	2	3
3) Are Natural Levees Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Is The Channel Sinuous?	0	(1)	2	3
5) Is There An Active (Or Relic) Floodplain Present?	0	1	2	(3)
6) Is The Channel Braided?	(0)	1	2	3
7) Are Recent Alluvial Deposits Present?	(0)	1	2	3
8) Is There A Bankfull Bench Present?	(0)	1	2	3
9) Is A Continuous Bed & Bank Present?	0	(1)	2	3
<i>(*NOTE: If Bed &amp; Bank Caused By Ditching And WITHOUT Sinuosity Then Score=0*)</i>				
10) Is A 2 <sup>nd</sup> Order Or Greater Channel (As Indicated On Topo Map <b>And/Or</b> In Field) Present?	Yes = 3		No = (0)	

**Primary Geomorphology Indicator Points:**   6  

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Groundwater Flow/Discharge Present?	0	(1)	2	3

**Primary Hydrology Indicator Points:**   1  

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Are Fibrous Roots Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
2) Are Rooted Plants Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
3) Is Periphyton Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Are Bivalves Present?	(0)	1	2	3

**Primary Biology Indicator Points:**   6  

## **Secondary Field Indicators:** *(Circle One Number Per Line)*

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Head Cut Present In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
2) Is There A Grade Control Point In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Does Topography Indicate A Natural Drainage Way?	0	(5)	1	1.5

**Secondary Geomorphology Indicator Points:**   .5  

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is This Year's (Or Last's) Leaf litter Present In Streambed?	1.5	1	(5)	0
2) Is Sediment On Plants (Or Debris) Present?	0	(5)	1	1.5
3) Are Wrack Lines Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
4) Is Water In Channel <b>And</b> >48 Hrs. Since Last <b>Known</b> Rain? <i>(*NOTE: If Ditch Indicated In #9 Above Skip This Step And #5 Below*)</i>	0	.5	(1)	1.5
5) Is There Water In Channel During Dry Conditions <b>Or</b> In Growing Season)?	(0)	.5	1	1.5

6) Are Hydric Soils Present In Sides Of Channel (Or In Headcut)?      Yes = (1.5)      No = 0

**Secondary Hydrology Indicator Points:**   3.5

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>		
1) Are Fish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
2) Are Amphibians Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
3) Are Aquatic Turtles Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
4) Are Crayfish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
5) Are Macro benthos Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
6) Are Iron Oxidizing Bacteria/Fungus Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
7) Is Filamentous Algae Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
8) Are Wetland Plants In Streambed?	SAV	Mostly OBL	Mostly FACW	Mostly FAC	Mostly FACU	Mostly UPL
(* NOTE: If Total Absence Of All Plants In Streambed As Noted Above Skip This Step UNLESS SAV Present*).	2	1	.75	.5	0	0

Secondary Biology Indicator Points:   0  

**TOTAL POINTS** (Primary + Secondary) =   17   (If ≥ 19 points the stream is at least intermittent)

# NCDWQ Stream Classification Form

Project Name: **Little Troublesome-Preservation area-3**

River Basin: **Cape Fear**

County: **Rockingham**

Evaluator: **AH**

DWQ Project Number:

Nearest Named Stream:

Latitude:

Signature:

Date: **September 11, 2006**

USGSQUAD: **Williamsburg**

Longitude:

Location/Directions:

**\*Please Note:** *If evaluator and landowner agree that the feature is a man-made ditch, then use of this form is not necessary. Also, if in the best professional judgement of the evaluator, the feature is a man-made ditch and not a modified natural stream—this rating system should not be used\**

## **Primary Field Indicators:** *(Circle One Number Per Line)*

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Riffle-Pool Sequence?	(0)	1	2	3
2) Is The USDA Texture In Streambed Different From Surrounding Terrain?	(0)	1	2	3
3) Are Natural Levees Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Is The Channel Sinuous?	0	(1)	2	3
5) Is There An Active (Or Relic) Floodplain Present?	0	1	(2)	3
6) Is The Channel Braided?	(0)	1	2	3
7) Are Recent Alluvial Deposits Present?	(0)	1	2	3
8) Is There A Bankfull Bench Present?	(0)	1	2	3
9) Is A Continuous Bed & Bank Present?	0	(1)	2	3
<i>(*NOTE: If Bed &amp; Bank Caused By Ditching And WITHOUT Sinuosity Then Score=0*)</i>				
10) Is A 2 <sup>nd</sup> Order Or Greater Channel (As Indicated On Topo Map <b>And/Or</b> In Field) Present?	Yes = 3		No = (0)	

**Primary Geomorphology Indicator Points:**   4  

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Groundwater Flow/Discharge Present?	0	(1)	2	3

**Primary Hydrology Indicator Points:**   1  

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Are Fibrous Roots Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
2) Are Rooted Plants Present In Streambed?	3	2	(1)	0
3) Is Periphyton Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Are Bivalves Present?	(0)	1	2	3

**Primary Biology Indicator Points:**   4  

## **Secondary Field Indicators:** *(Circle One Number Per Line)*

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Head Cut Present In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
2) Is There A Grade Control Point In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Does Topography Indicate A Natural Drainage Way?	(0)	.5	1	1.5

**Secondary Geomorphology Indicator Points:**   0  

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is This Year's (Or Last's) Leaf litter Present In Streambed?	1.5	1	.5	(0)
2) Is Sediment On Plants (Or Debris) Present?	0	(.5)	1	1.5
3) Are Wrack Lines Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
4) Is Water In Channel <b>And</b> >48 Hrs. Since Last <b>Known</b> Rain? <i>(*NOTE: If Ditch Indicated In #9 Above Skip This Step And #5 Below*)</i>	0	(.5)	1	1.5
5) Is There Water In Channel During Dry Conditions <b>Or</b> In Growing Season)?	(0)	.5	1	1.5

6) Are Hydric Soils Present In Sides Of Channel (Or In Headcut)?      Yes = 1.5      No = (0)

**Secondary Hydrology Indicator Points:**   1

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>		
1) Are Fish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
2) Are Amphibians Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
3) Are Aquatic Turtles Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
4) Are Crayfish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
5) Are Macro benthos Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
6) Are Iron Oxidizing Bacteria/Fungus Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
7) Is Filamentous Algae Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
8) Are Wetland Plants In Streambed?	SAV	Mostly OBL	Mostly FACW	Mostly FAC	Mostly FACU	Mostly UPL
(* NOTE: If Total Absence Of All Plants In Streambed As Noted Above Skip This Step UNLESS SAV Present*).	2	1	.75	.5	0	0

**Secondary Biology Indicator Points:**   0  

**TOTAL POINTS** (Primary + Secondary) =   10   (If ≥ 19 points the stream is at least intermittent)



# NCDWQ Stream Classification Form

Project Name: **Little Troublesome-Preservation area-4**

River Basin: **Cape Fear**

County: **Rockingham**

Evaluator: **AH**

DWQ Project Number:

Nearest Named Stream:

Latitude:

Signature:

Date: **September 11, 2006**

USGSQUAD: **Williamsburg**

Longitude:

Location/Directions:

**\*Please Note:** *If evaluator and landowner agree that the feature is a man-made ditch, then use of this form is not necessary. Also, if in the best professional judgement of the evaluator, the feature is a man-made ditch and not a modified natural stream—this rating system should not be used\**

## Primary Field Indicators: (Circle One Number Per Line)

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Riffle-Pool Sequence?	(0)	1	2	3
2) Is The USDA Texture In Streambed Different From Surrounding Terrain?	0	(1)	2	3
3) Are Natural Levees Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Is The Channel Sinuous?	0	(1)	2	3
5) Is There An Active (Or Relic) Floodplain Present?	0	1	2	(3)
6) Is The Channel Braided?	(0)	1	2	3
7) Are Recent Alluvial Deposits Present?	(0)	1	2	3
8) Is There A Bankfull Bench Present?	0	(1)	2	3
9) Is A Continuous Bed & Bank Present?	0	1	(2)	3
<i>(*NOTE: If Bed &amp; Bank Caused By Ditching And WITHOUT Sinuosity Then Score=0*)</i>				
10) Is A 2 <sup>nd</sup> Order Or Greater Channel (As Indicated On Topo Map <b>And/Or</b> In Field) Present?		Yes = (3)	No = 0	

**Primary Geomorphology Indicator Points:**   11  

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Groundwater Flow/Discharge Present?	0	1	2	(3)

**Primary Hydrology Indicator Points:**   3  

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Are Fibrous Roots Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
2) Are Rooted Plants Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
3) Is Periphyton Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Are Bivalves Present?	(0)	1	2	3

**Primary Biology Indicator Points:**   6  

## Secondary Field Indicators: (Circle One Number Per Line)

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Head Cut Present In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
2) Is There A Grade Control Point In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Does Topography Indicate A Natural Drainage Way?	0	.5	(1)	1.5

**Secondary Geomorphology Indicator Points:**   1  

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is This Year's (Or Last's) Leaf litter Present In Streambed?	(1.5)	1	.5	0
2) Is Sediment On Plants (Or Debris) Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Are Wrack Lines Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
4) Is Water In Channel <b>And</b> >48 Hrs. Since Last <b>Known</b> Rain? (*NOTE: If Ditch Indicated In #9 Above Skip This Step And #5 Below*)	0	.5	1	(1.5)
5) Is There Water In Channel During Dry Conditions <b>Or</b> In Growing Season)?	0	.5	1	(1.5)
6) Are Hydric Soils Present In Sides Of Channel (Or In Headcut)?		Yes = 1.5	No = (0)	

**Secondary Hydrology Indicator Points:**   4.5

III. Biology	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong		
1) Are Fish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
2) Are Amphibians Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
3) Are Aquatic Turtles Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
4) Are Crayfish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
5) Are Macro benthos Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
6) Are Iron Oxidizing Bacteria/Fungus Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
7) Is Filamentous Algae Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
8) Are Wetland Plants In Streambed?	SAV	Mostly OBL	Mostly FACW	Mostly FAC	Mostly FACU	Mostly UPL
(* NOTE: If Total Absence Of All Plants In Streambed As Noted Above Skip This Step UNLESS SAV Present*).	2	1	.75	.5	0	0

Secondary Biology Indicator Points: 1

**TOTAL POINTS (Primary + Secondary) = 26.5 (If  $\geq 19$  points the stream is at least intermittent)**



# NCDWQ Stream Classification Form

Project Name: Little Troublesome-Preservation area-1A

River Basin: Cape Fear

County: Rockingham

Evaluator: SS, KK

DWQ Project Number:

Nearest Named Stream:

Latitude:

Signature:

Date: December 4, 2006

USGSQUAD: Williamsburg

Longitude:

Location/Directions:

*\*Please Note: If evaluator and landowner agree that the feature is a man-made ditch, then use of this form is not necessary. Also, if in the best professional judgement of the evaluator, the feature is a man-made ditch and not a modified natural stream—this rating system should not be used\**

## Primary Field Indicators: (Circle One Number Per Line)

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Riffle-Pool Sequence?	0	(1)	2	3
2) Is The USDA Texture In Streambed Different From Surrounding Terrain?	0	(1)	2	3
3) Are Natural Levees Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Is The Channel Sinuous?	(0)	1	2	3
5) Is There An Active (Or Relic) Floodplain Present?	0	(1)	2	3
6) Is The Channel Braided?	(0)	1	2	3
7) Are Recent Alluvial Deposits Present?	0	(1)	2	3
8) Is There A Bankfull Bench Present?	0	(1)	2	3
9) Is A Continuous Bed & Bank Present?	(0)	1	2	3
<i>(*NOTE: If Bed &amp; Bank Caused By Ditching And WITHOUT Simosity Then Score=0*)</i>				
10) Is A 2 <sup>nd</sup> Order Or Greater Channel (As Indicated On Topo Map And/Or In Field) Present?		Yes = (3)	No = 0	

**Primary Geomorphology Indicator Points:** 8

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Groundwater Flow/Discharge Present?	(0)	1	2	3

**Primary Hydrology Indicator Points:** 0

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Are Fibrous Roots Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
2) Are Rooted Plants Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
3) Is Periphyton Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Are Bivalves Present?	0	1	(2)	3

**Primary Biology Indicator Points:** 8

## Secondary Field Indicators: (Circle One Number Per Line)

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Head Cut Present In Channel?	0	.5	(1)	1.5
2) Is There A Grade Control Point In Channel?	0	(.5)	1	1.5
3) Does Topography Indicate A Natural Drainage Way?	0	.5	1	(1.5)

**Secondary Geomorphology Indicator Points:** 3

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is This Year's (Or Last's) Leaf litter Present In Streambed?	1.5	1	(.5)	0
2) Is Sediment On Plants (Or Debris) Present?	0	(.5)	1	1.5
3) Are Wrack Lines Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
4) Is Water In Channel And >48 Hrs. Since Last <b>Known</b> Rain? ( <i>*NOTE: If Ditch Indicated In #9 Above Skip This Step And #5 Below*</i> )	0	.5	1	1.5
5) Is There Water In Channel During Dry Conditions Or In Growing Season)?	0	.5	1	1.5

6) Are Hydric Soils Present In Sides Of Channel (Or In Headcut)? Yes = (1.5) No = 0

**Secondary Hydrology Indicator Points:** 2.5

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>		
1) Are Fish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
2) Are Amphibians Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
3) Are Aquatic Turtles Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
4) Are Crayfish Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
5) Are Macro benthos Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
6) Are Iron Oxidizing Bacteria/Fungus Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
7) Is Filamentous Algae Present?	0	.5	1	1.5		
8) Are Wetland Plants In Streambed?	SAV	Mostly OBL	Mostly FACW	Mostly FAC	Mostly FACU	Mostly UPL
(* NOTE: If Total Absence Of All Plants In Streambed As Noted Above Skip This Step UNLESS SAV Present*).	2	1	.75	.5	0	0

Secondary Biology Indicator Points: 1.5

**TOTAL POINTS** (Primary + Secondary) = 23 (If  $\geq 19$  points the stream is at least intermittent)



# NCDWQ Stream Classification Form

Project Name: Little Troublesome-Preservation area-2A

River Basin: Cape Fear

County: Rockingham

Evaluator: SS, KK

DWQ Project Number:

Nearest Named Stream:

Latitude:

Signature:

Date: December 4, 2006

USGSQUAD: Williamsburg

Longitude:

Location/Directions:

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## Primary Field Indicators: (Circle One Number Per Line)

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Riffle-Pool Sequence?	(0)	1	2	3
2) Is The USDA Texture In Streambed Different From Surrounding Terrain?	0	(1)	2	3
3) Are Natural Levees Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Is The Channel Sinuous?	0	(1)	2	3
5) Is There An Active (Or Relic) Floodplain Present?	0	(1)	2	3
6) Is The Channel Braided?	(0)	1	2	3
7) Are Recent Alluvial Deposits Present?	(0)	1	2	3
8) Is There A Bankfull Bench Present?	0	(1)	2	3
9) Is A Continuous Bed & Bank Present?	0	(1)	2	3
(*NOTE: If Bed & Bank Caused By Ditching And WITHOUT Sinuosity Then Score=0*)				
10) Is A 2 <sup>nd</sup> Order Or Greater Channel (As Indicated On Topo Map And/Or In Field) Present?		Yes = (3)	No = 0	

**Primary Geomorphology Indicator Points:** 8

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Groundwater Flow/Discharge Present?	(0)	1	2	3

**Primary Hydrology Indicator Points:** 0

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Are Fibrous Roots Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
2) Are Rooted Plants Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
3) Is Periphyton Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Are Bivalves Present?	0	1	2	(3)

**Primary Biology Indicator Points:** 9

## Secondary Field Indicators: (Circle One Number Per Line)

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Head Cut Present In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
2) Is There A Grade Control Point In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Does Topography Indicate A Natural Drainage Way?	0	.5	(1)	1.5

**Secondary Geomorphology Indicator Points:** 1

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is This Year's (Or Last's) Leaf litter Present In Streambed?	1.5	1	.5	(0)
2) Is Sediment On Plants (Or Debris) Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Are Wrack Lines Present?	0	(.5)	1	1.5
4) Is Water In Channel And >48 Hrs. Since Last Known Rain? (*NOTE: If Ditch Indicated In #9 Above Skip This Step And #5 Below*)	0	.5	1	1.5
5) Is There Water In Channel During Dry Conditions Or In Growing Season)?	0	.5	1	1.5

6) Are Hydric Soils Present In Sides Of Channel (Or In Headcut)? Yes = (1.5) No = 0

**Secondary Hydrology Indicator Points:** 2

**III. Biology**

	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong		
1) Are Fish Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
2) Are Amphibians Present?	0	.5	1	(1.5)		
3) Are Aquatic Turtles Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
4) Are Crayfish Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
5) Are Macro benthos Present?	0	.5	1	(1.5)		
6) Are Iron Oxidizing Bacteria/Fungus Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
7) Is Filamentous Algae Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
8) Are Wetland Plants In Streambed?	SAV	Mostly OBL	Mostly FACW	Mostly FAC	Mostly FACU	Mostly UPL
(* NOTE: If Total Absence Of All Plants In Streambed As Noted Above Skip This Step UNLESS SAV Present*).	2	1	.75	.5	0	0

Secondary Biology Indicator Points: 3

**TOTAL POINTS** (Primary + Secondary) = 23 (If  $\geq 19$  points the stream is at least intermittent)



# NCDWQ Stream Classification Form

Project Name: Little Troublesome-Preservation area-3A

River Basin: Cape Fear

County: Rockingham

Evaluator: SS, KK

DWQ Project Number:

Nearest Named Stream:

Latitude:

Signature:

Date: December 4, 2006

USGSQUAD: Williamsburg

Longitude:

Location/Directions:

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## **Primary Field Indicators:** (Circle One Number Per Line)

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Riffle-Pool Sequence?	(0)	1	2	3
2) Is The USDA Texture In Streambed Different From Surrounding Terrain?	0	(1)	2	3
3) Are Natural Levees Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Is The Channel Sinuous?	0	(1)	2	3
5) Is There An Active (Or Relic) Floodplain Present?	0	(1)	2	3
6) Is The Channel Braided?	(0)	1	2	3
7) Are Recent Alluvial Deposits Present?	(0)	1	2	3
8) Is There A Bankfull Bench Present?	0	(1)	2	3
9) Is A Continuous Bed & Bank Present?	0	(1)	2	3
(*NOTE: If Bed & Bank Caused By Ditching And WITHOUT Sinuosity Then Score=0*) <i>caused by ditching</i>				
10) Is A 2 <sup>nd</sup> Order Or Greater Channel (As Indicated On Topo Map And/Or In Field) Present?		Yes = (3)	No = 0	

**Primary Geomorphology Indicator Points:** 8

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Groundwater Flow/Discharge Present?	(0)	1	2	3

**Primary Hydrology Indicator Points:** 0

<b>III. Biology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Are Fibrous Roots Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
2) Are Rooted Plants Present In Streambed?	(3)	2	1	0
3) Is Periphyton Present?	(0)	1	2	3
4) Are Bivalves Present?	0	1	2	(3)

**Primary Biology Indicator Points:** 9

## **Secondary Field Indicators:** (Circle One Number Per Line)

<b>I. Geomorphology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is There A Head Cut Present In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
2) Is There A Grade Control Point In Channel?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Does Topography Indicate A Natural Drainage Way?	0	.5	(1)	1.5

**Secondary Geomorphology Indicator Points:** 1

<b>II. Hydrology</b>	<b>Absent</b>	<b>Weak</b>	<b>Moderate</b>	<b>Strong</b>
1) Is This Year's (Or Last's) Leaf litter Present In Streambed?	1.5	1	.5	(0)
2) Is Sediment On Plants (Or Debris) Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5
3) Are Wrack Lines Present?	0	(.5)	1	1.5
4) Is Water In Channel And >48 Hrs. Since Last Known Rain? (*NOTE: If Ditch Indicated In #9 Above Skip This Step And #5 Below*)	0	.5	1	1.5
5) Is There Water In Channel During Dry Conditions Or In Growing Season)?	0	.5	1	1.5

6) Are Hydric Soils Present In Sides Of Channel (Or In Headcut)? Yes = (1.5) No = 0

**Secondary Hydrology Indicator Points:** 2

III. Biology	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong		
1) Are Fish Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
2) Are Amphibians Present?	0	.5	1	(1.5)		
3) Are Aquatic Turtles Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
4) Are Crayfish Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
5) Are Macro benthos Present?	0	.5	1	(1.5)		
6) Are Iron Oxidizing Bacteria/Fungus Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
7) Is Filamentous Algae Present?	(0)	.5	1	1.5		
8) Are Wetland Plants In Streambed?	SAV	Mostly OBL	Mostly FACW	Mostly FAC	Mostly FACU	Mostly UPL
(* NOTE: If Total Absence Of All Plants In Streambed As Noted Above Skip This Step UNLESS SAV Present*).	2	1	.75	.5	0	0

Secondary Biology Indicator Points: 3

**TOTAL POINTS** (Primary + Secondary) = 23 (If  $\geq 19$  points the stream is at least intermittent)



# **Benthic Macroinvertebrate Sampling Results**

**December 4, 2006**

## **Sample 1A – UT2**

Approximately 200' downstream of barbed wire fence

Sowbug (Order Isopoda) – very abundant (greater than 10)

Scud (Order Amphipod)– very abundant (greater than 10)

Clam (Class bivalvia) – 2

Mayfly – (Class Ephemeroptera) – very abundant (greater than 10)

Damselfly (Suborder Zygoptera) – 1

Snail (Class Gastropoda) – 1

Aquatic worms (Class Oligochaeta) – 1

Crane fly (Suborder mecoptera) – 1

## **Sample 2A – UT2**

30' downstream from W1-38; good flow in channel

Clam (Class bivalvia) – very abundant (greater than 10)

Scud (Order Amphipod)– 5

Sowbug (Order Isopoda) – very abundant (greater than 10)

Aquatic worms (Class Oligochaeta) – 2

Salamanders – 3

Snail (Class Gastropoda) – 2

## **Sample 3A – UT2**

Sampled at W5-29

Clam (Class bivalvia) – very abundant (greater than 10)

Scud (Order Amphipod)– very abundant (greater than 10)

Sowbug (Order Isopoda) – very abundant (greater than 10)

Aquatic worms (Class Oligochaeta) – 2

Salamanders – 3

Snail (Class Gastropoda) – 1

Crane fly (Suborder Nematocera) – 1

## Appendix C

### Existing Conditions

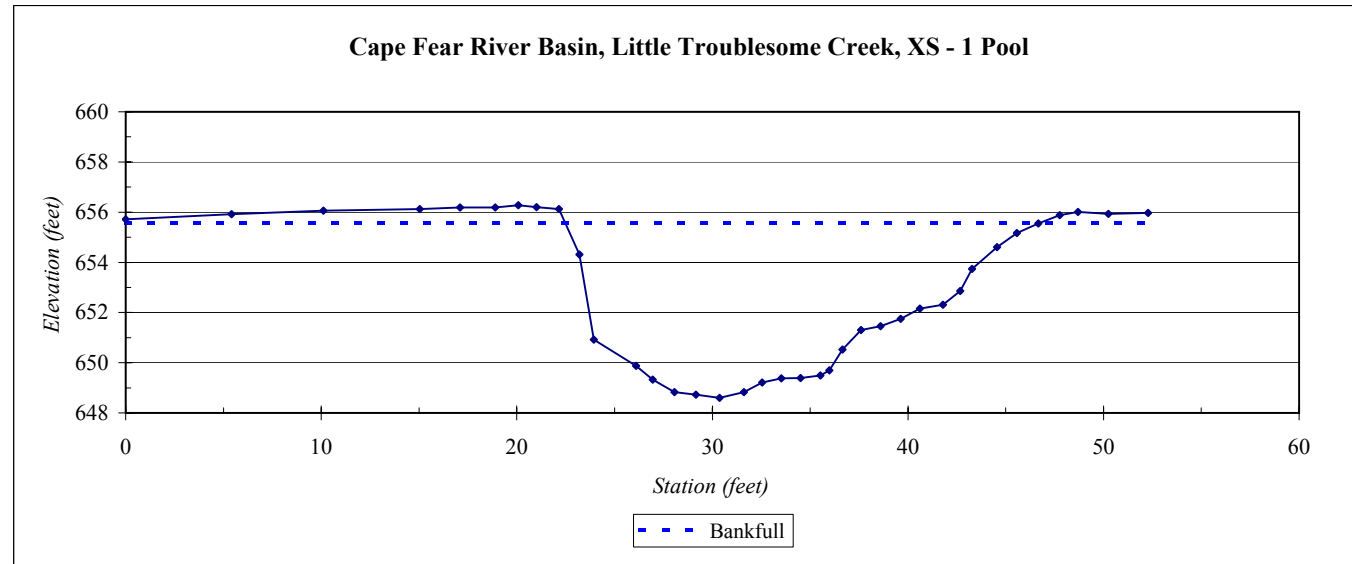


## LTC Existing Data

<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome Creek
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 1 Pool
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	12.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/27/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French

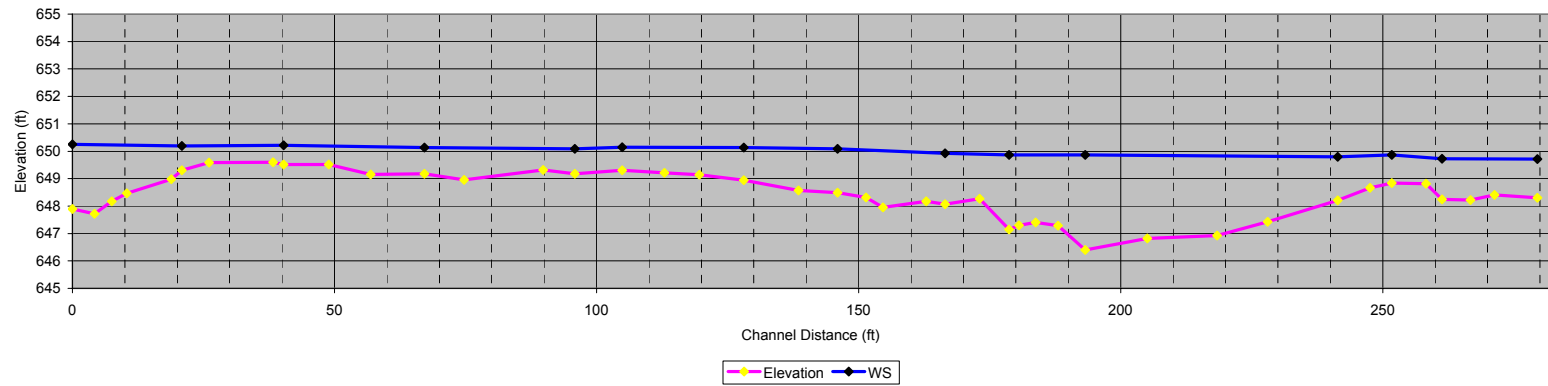
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5.4	655.92
10.1	656.06
15.0	656.13
17.1	656.19
18.9	656.19
20.1	656.27
21.0	656.20
22.1	656.13
23.2	654.31
23.9	650.91
26.1	649.88
27.0	649.33
28.1	648.83
29.2	648.73
30.4	648.60
31.6	648.82
32.5	649.21
33.5	649.38
34.5	649.39
35.5	649.49
36.0	649.69
36.6	650.52
37.6	651.31
38.6	651.45
39.6	651.74
40.6	652.16
41.8	652.31
42.7	652.86
43.3	653.74
44.6	654.61
45.6	655.17
46.7	655.55
47.8	655.88
48.7	656.01
50.3	655.94
52.3	655.97

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	655.6
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	107.9
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	24.3
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	-
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	-
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	6.9
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	4.4
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.002



Slope Profile

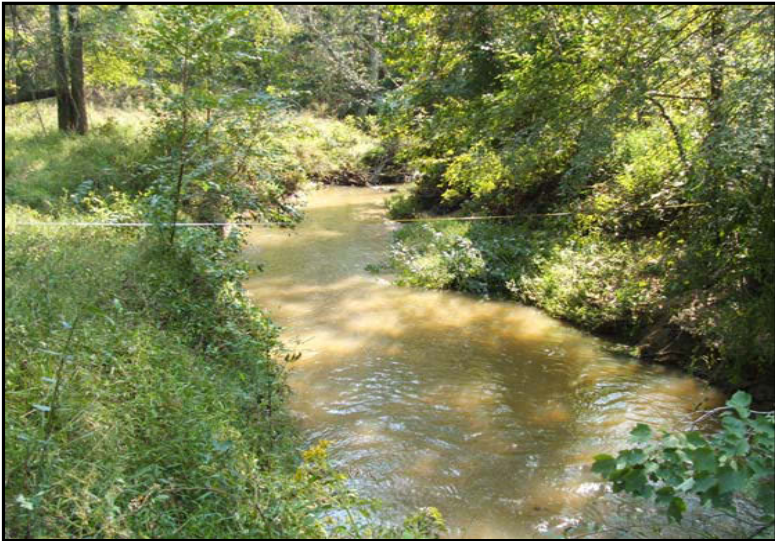
Little Troublesome Creek Profile 1



Elevation BM: 100				FS TP	FS bed	depth water	FS LB	FS RB	FS BKF	FS WS	AZ azimuth	ELEV bed	ELEV water srf	ELEV LF	ELEV RB	ELEV BKF	ELEV WS
notes	inc distance	station	BS 0	HI 100													
BEGIN POOL		0.0		100									647.90				650.25
POOL	4.2	4.2		100								647.71					
	3.3	7.5		100								648.17					
	2.9	10.4		100								648.46					
	8.5	18.9		100								648.98					
BEGIN RIFFLE	2.0	20.9		100								649.31					650.19
RIFFLE	5.2	26.0		100								649.58					
RIFFLE	12.3	38.3		100								649.60					
END RIFFLE	2.0	40.3		100								649.52					650.22
	8.7	48.9		100								649.51					
	7.9	56.9		100								649.15					
	10.3	67.1		100								649.18					650.13
	7.6	74.7		100								648.96					
	15.1	89.8		100								649.32					
BEGIN POOL	6.0	95.9		100								649.17					650.09
	9.0	104.9		100								649.30					650.15
	8.1	113.0		100								649.22					
	6.6	119.6		100								649.14					
	8.5	128.1		100								648.95					650.13
	10.4	138.6		100								648.57					
DEBRIS	7.4	146.0		100								648.49					650.09
	5.5	151.4		100								648.31					
SCOUR	3.2	154.6		100								647.95					
DEBRIS	8.2	162.9		100								648.18					
	3.6	166.5		100								648.07					649.92
	6.6	173.1		100								648.27					
BEGIN POOL	5.6	178.7		100								647.15					649.87
	1.9	180.6		100								647.30					
	3.2	183.8		100								647.40					
	4.3	188.1		100								647.28					
POOL	5.2	193.2		100								646.40					649.86
SCOUR	11.9	205.1		100								646.82					
SCOUR	13.3	218.4		100								646.92					
SCOUR	9.7	228.0		100								647.42					
END-SCOUR	13.4	241.4		100								648.21					649.8
	6.2	247.6		100								648.67					
	4.2	251.7		100								648.83					649.86
	6.5	258.2		100								648.81					
BEGIN POOL	3.1	261.3		100								648.25					649.73
	5.4	266.7		100								648.22					
	4.6	271.3		100								648.41					
END POOL	8.2	279.5		100								648.30					649.71



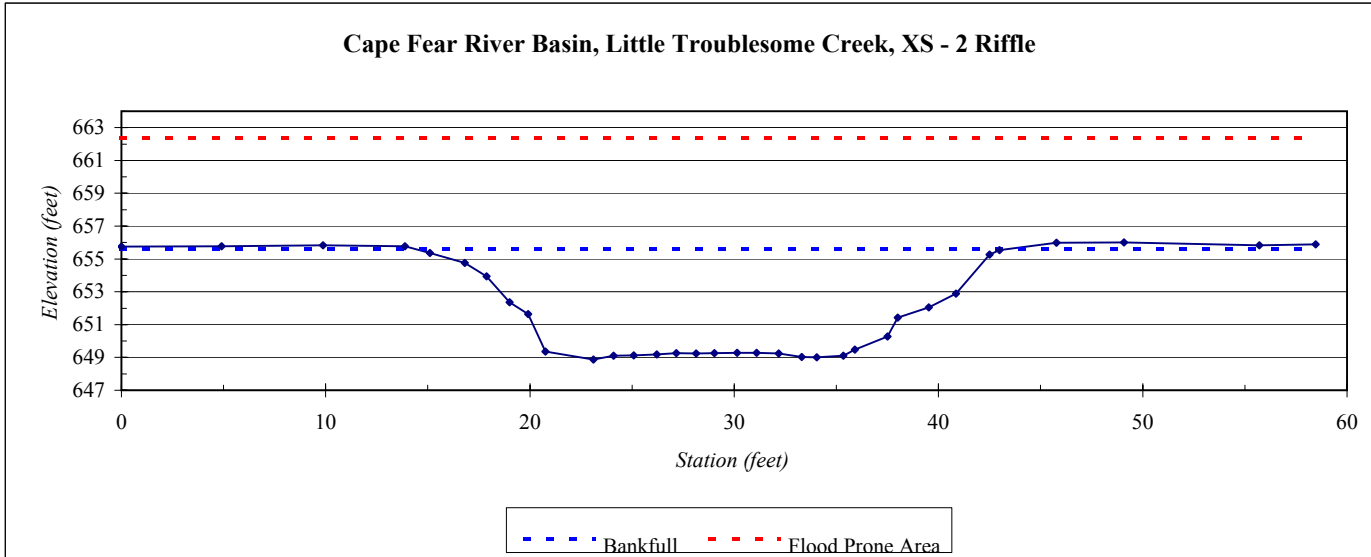
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<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome Creek
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 2 Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	12.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/27/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French



Station	Elevation
0.0	655.75
4.9	655.76
9.9	655.83
13.9	655.78
15.1	655.36
16.8	654.75
17.9	653.94
19.0	652.35
19.9	651.64
20.8	649.35
23.1	648.86
24.1	649.10
25.1	649.12
26.2	649.19
27.2	649.27
28.1	649.24
29.0	649.26
30.1	649.28
31.1	649.28
32.2	649.24
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35.3	649.10
35.9	649.48
37.5	650.27
38.0	651.42
39.5	652.04
40.9	652.88
42.5	655.27
43.0	655.54
45.8	655.99
49.1	656.00
55.7	655.84
58.5	655.89

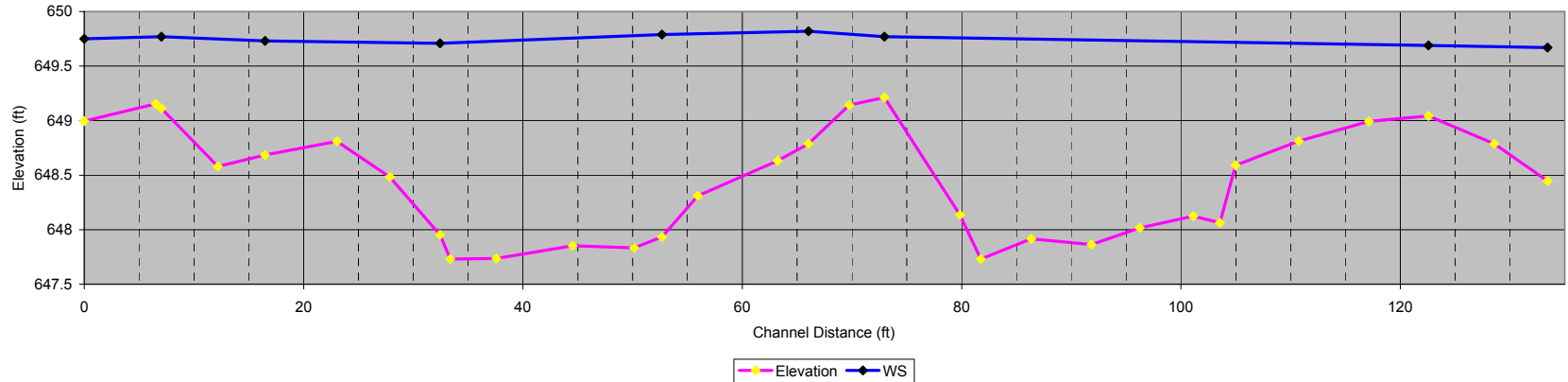
SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	655.6
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	135.8
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	29.0
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	662.3
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	>60
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	6.7
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	4.7
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	6.2
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	2.0
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.0
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.002

Cape Fear River Basin, Little Troublesome Creek, XS - 2 Riffle



Slope Profile

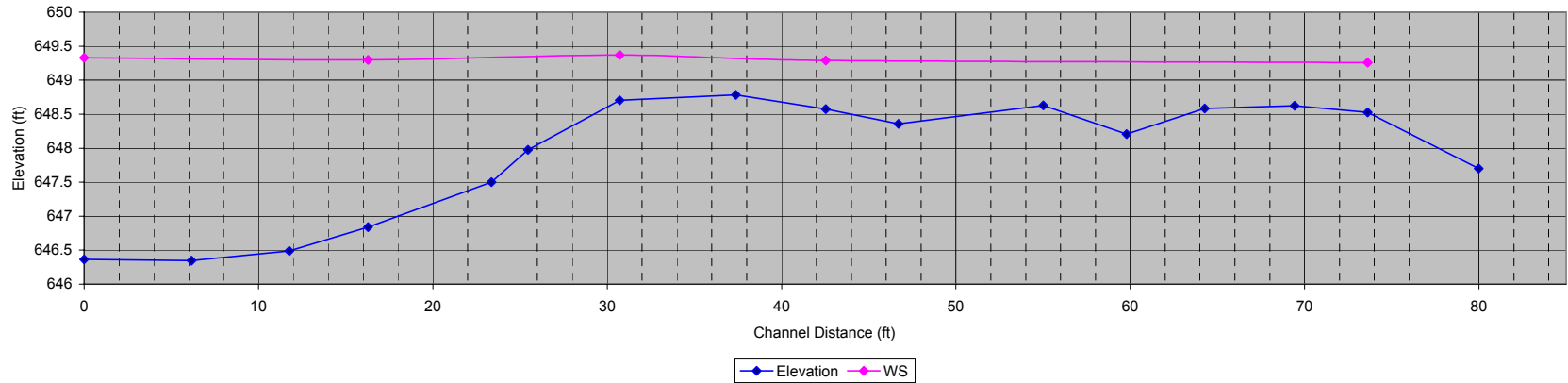
Little Troublesome Creek Profile 2



		Elevation BM: 100																		
notes	inc distance	station	BS 0	HI 100	FS TP	FS bed	depth water	FS LB	FS RB	FS BKF	FS WS	AZ azimuth	ELEV bed	ELEV water srf	ELEV LF	ELEV RB	ELEV BKF	ELEV WS		
BEGIN RIFFLE		0		100									648.99					649.75		
	6.5	6.5		100									649.15							
END RIFFLE	0.5	7.0		100									649.11					649.77		
	5.2	12.2		100									648.58							
CLAY	4.3	16.5		100									648.69					649.73		
	6.5	23.0		100									648.81							
	4.8	27.9		100									648.48							
BEGIN POOL	4.6	32.4		100									647.95					649.71		
POOL	1.0	33.4		100									647.73							
POOL	4.2	37.6		100									647.74							
POOL	7.0	44.5		100									647.85							
POOL	5.6	50.1		100									647.83							
END POOL	2.5	52.7		100									647.93					649.79		
	3.3	56.0		100									648.31							
	7.3	63.2		100									648.63							
BEGIN RIFFLE	2.8	66.0		100									648.79					649.82		
RIFFLE	3.7	69.8		100									649.14							
END RIFFLE	3.2	73.0		100									649.21					649.77		
	6.9	79.9		100									648.14							
	1.9	81.7		100									647.73							
	4.6	86.4		100									647.92							
	5.5	91.8		100									647.86							
	4.4	96.2		100									648.02							
	4.9	101.1		100									648.12							
	2.4	103.6		100									648.06							
CLAY	1.4	105.0		100									648.59							
	5.7	110.7		100									648.81							
	6.4	117.1		100									648.99							
END CLAY	5.4	122.6		100									649.04					649.69		
	6.0	128.6		100									648.79							
BEGIN DEBRIS	4.8	133.4		100									648.45					649.67		

Slope Profile

Little Troublesome Creek Profile 3



		Elevation BM: 100																	
notes	inc distance	station	BS	HI	FS TP	FS bed	depth water	FS LB	FS RB	FS BKF	FS WS	AZ azimuth	ELEV bed	ELEV water srf	ELEV LF	ELEV RB	ELEV BKF	ELEV WS	
END-DEBRIS		0	0	100									646.36						649.33
	6.2	6.2		100									646.35						
	5.6	11.8		100									646.49						
	4.5	16.3		100									646.84						649.3
	7.1	23.4		100									647.50						
	2.1	25.4		100									647.98						
BEGIN RIFFLE	5.3	30.7		100									648.70						649.37
	6.7	37.4		100									648.78						
	5.1	42.5		100									648.58						649.29
	4.2	46.7		100									648.36						
	8.3	55.0		100									648.63						
	4.8	59.8		100									648.21						
	4.5	64.3		100									648.58						
	5.2	69.4		100									648.62						
END RIFFLE	4.2	73.6		100									648.53						649.26
END-DEBRIS	6.4	80.0		100									647.70						

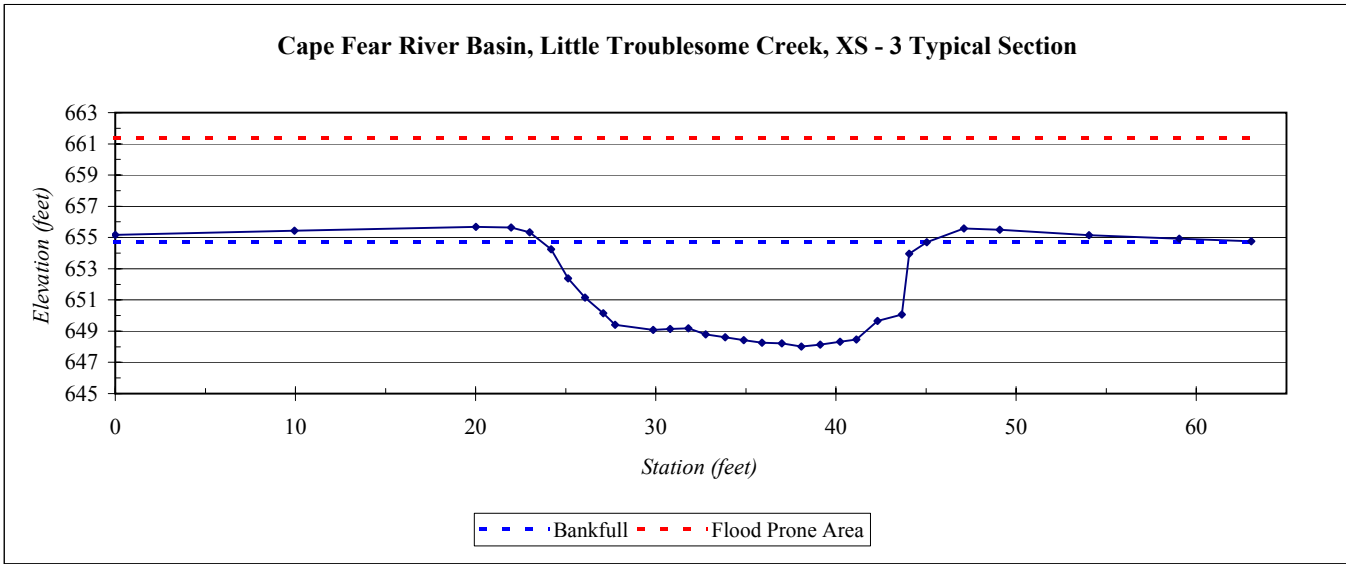


<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome Creek
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 3 Typical Section
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	12.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/27/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French



Station	Elevation
0.0	655.16
9.9	655.43
20.0	655.68
22.0	655.65
23.0	655.33
24.2	654.25
25.1	652.39
26.1	651.15
27.1	650.14
27.7	649.41
29.8	649.07
30.8	649.14
31.8	649.19
32.8	648.79
33.8	648.61
34.9	648.42
35.9	648.26
37.0	648.22
38.1	648.01
39.1	648.13
40.2	648.33
41.1	648.46
42.3	649.66
43.7	650.06
44.1	653.96
45.0	654.69
47.1	655.58
49.1	655.49
54.0	655.16
59.0	654.93
63.1	654.76

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	654.7
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	107.3
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	21.3
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	661.4
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	>65
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	6.7
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	5.0
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	4.2
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	3.0
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.1
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.002



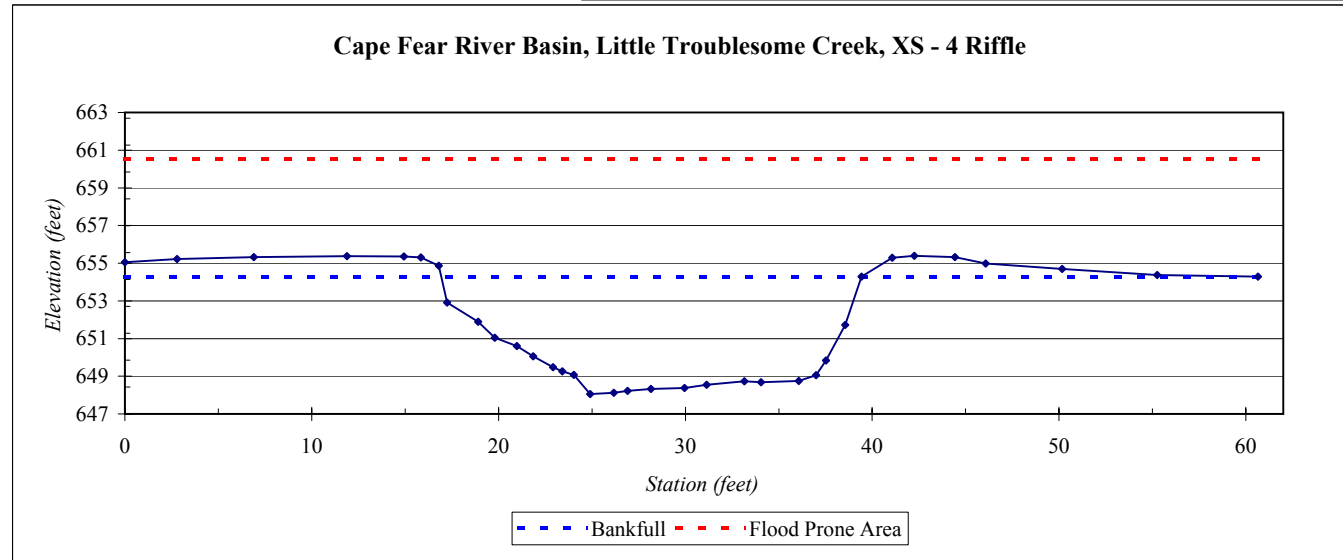
<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome Creek
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 4 Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	12.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/27/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French

Station	Elevation
0.0	655.05
2.8	655.22
6.9	655.32
11.9	655.37
14.9	655.37
15.8	655.30
16.8	654.86
17.3	652.91
18.9	651.90
19.8	651.04
21.0	650.59
21.8	650.06
22.9	649.48
23.4	649.26
24.0	649.08
24.9	648.06
26.2	648.12
26.9	648.22
28.2	648.32
30.0	648.37
31.1	648.54
33.2	648.73
34.1	648.68
36.1	648.76
37.0	649.06
37.5	649.84
38.6	651.72
39.4	654.29
41.1	655.28
42.3	655.39
44.4	655.32
46.1	654.98
50.2	654.69
55.3	654.37
60.6	654.29

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	654.3
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	106.1
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	22.3
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	660.5
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	>60
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	6.2
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	4.8
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	4.7
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	2.7
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.2
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.002



Cape Fear River Basin, Little Troublesome Creek, XS - 4 Riffle



**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	4
fine sand	0.13 0.25	
medium sand	0.25 0.5	8
coarse sand	0.5 1	1
very coarse sand	1 2	
very fine gravel	2 4	10
fine gravel	4 6	9
fine gravel	6 8	5
medium gravel	8 11	33
medium gravel	11 16	17
coarse gravel	16 22	10
coarse gravel	22 32	2
very coarse gravel	32 45	
very coarse gravel	45 64	1
small cobble	64 90	
medium cobble	90 128	
large cobble	128 180	
very large cobble	180 256	
small boulder	256 362	
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

total count: 100

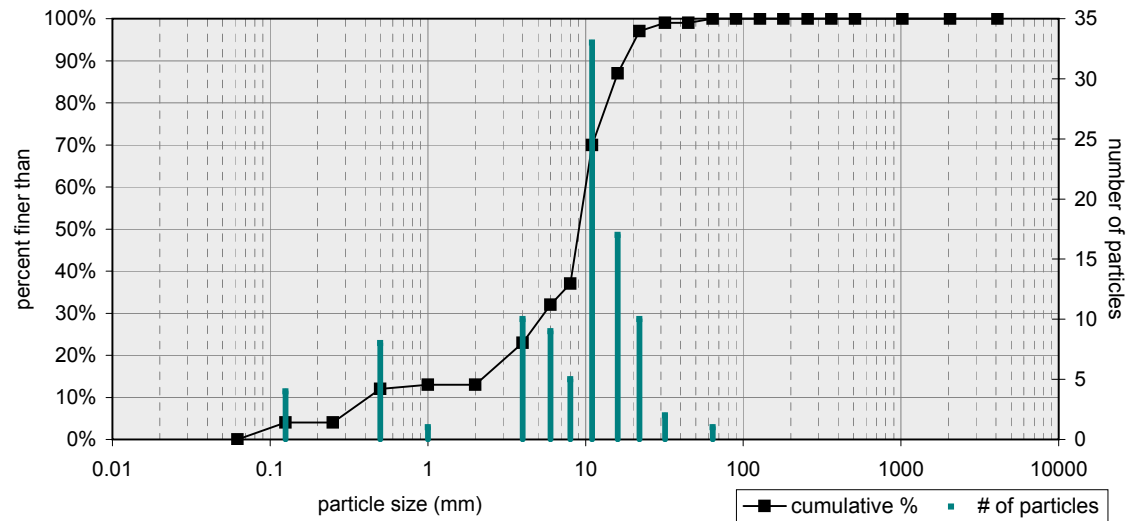
Riffle Pebble Count,

Little Troublesome Creek

Cape Fear

Note: Riffle XS-2

Riffle Pebble Count, Little Troublesome Creek



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution gradation		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	geo mean	std dev	
	2.462	7.13	9.1	10	15	21	2.7	6.1	2.5
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	0%	13%	87%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%



**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	5
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	
fine sand	0.13 0.25	
medium sand	0.25 0.5	
coarse sand	0.5 1	
very coarse sand	1 2	6
very fine gravel	2 4	33
fine gravel	4 6	19
fine gravel	6 8	16
medium gravel	8 11	18
medium gravel	11 16	2
coarse gravel	16 22	1
coarse gravel	22 32	
very coarse gravel	32 45	
very coarse gravel	45 64	
small cobble	64 90	
medium cobble	90 128	
large cobble	128 180	
very large cobble	180 256	
small boulder	256 362	
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

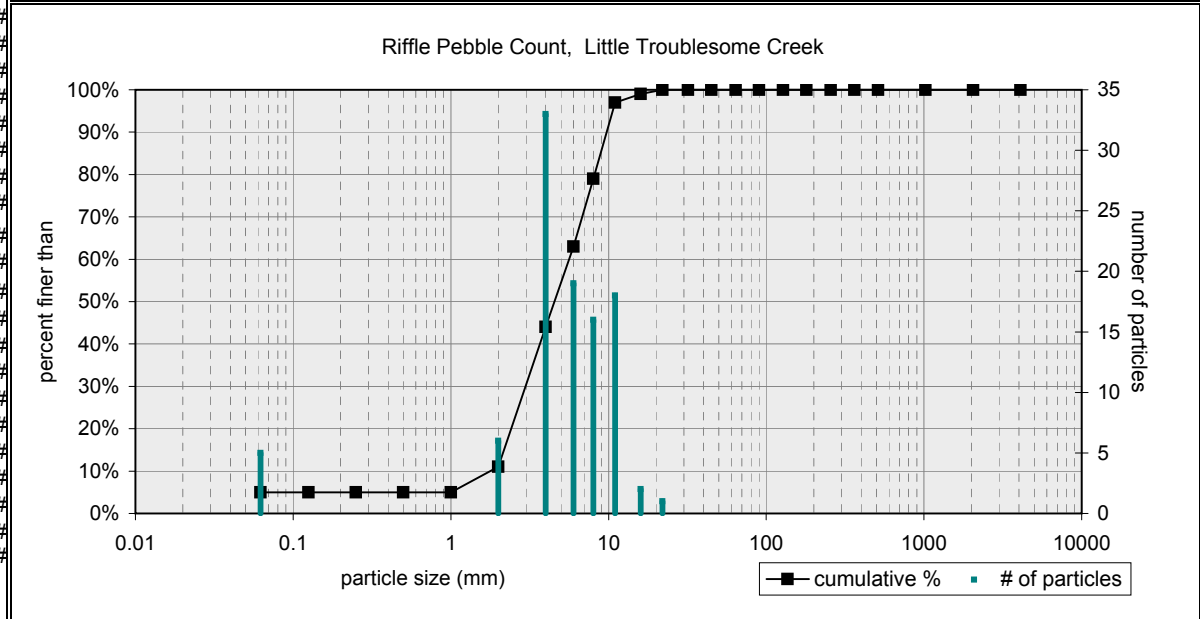
total count: 100

Riffle Pebble Count,

Little Troublesome Creek

Cape Fear

Note: Riffle XS-4



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	gradation	geo mean	std dev
	2.221	3.31	4.5	6	9	11	2.0	4.4	2.0
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	5%	6%	89%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

**Pebble Count of Channel Reach**

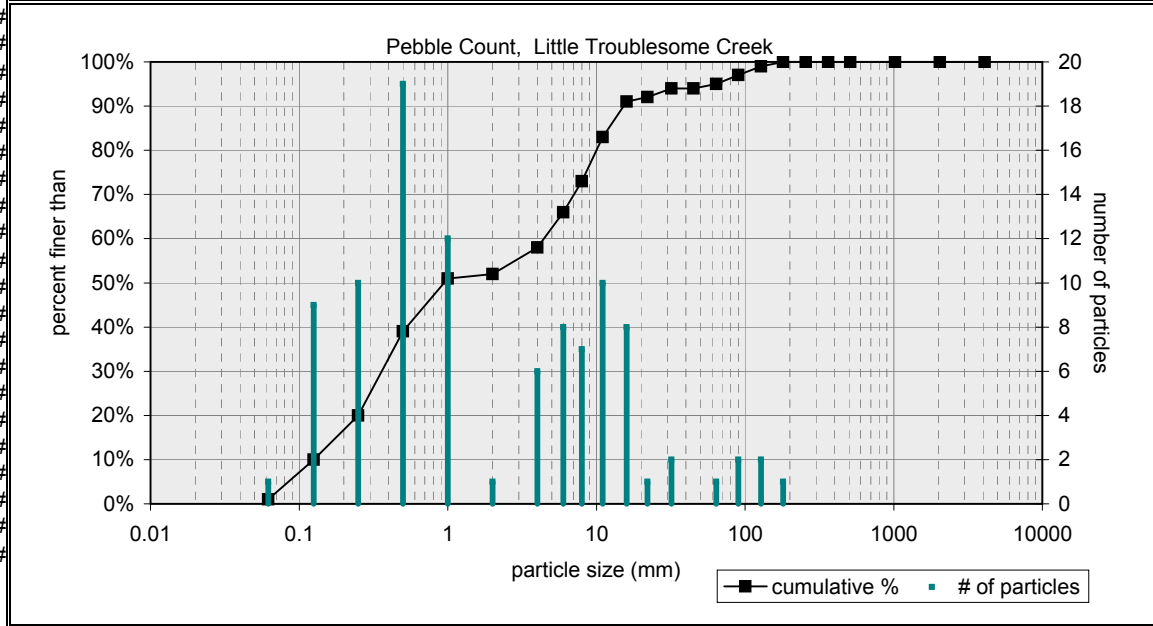
Material	Size Range (mm)		Count
silt/clay	0	0.062	1
very fine sand	0.062	0.13	9
fine sand	0.13	0.25	10
medium sand	0.25	0.5	19
coarse sand	0.5	1	12
very coarse sand	1	2	1
very fine gravel	2	4	6
fine gravel	4	6	8
fine gravel	6	8	7
medium gravel	8	11	10
medium gravel	11	16	8
coarse gravel	16	22	1
coarse gravel	22	32	2
very coarse gravel	32	45	
very coarse gravel	45	64	1
small cobble	64	90	2
medium cobble	90	128	2
large cobble	128	180	1
very large cobble	180	256	
small boulder	256	362	
small boulder	362	512	
medium boulder	512	1024	
large boulder	1024	2048	
very large boulder	2048	4096	
total particle count:			100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		
total count:		100

**Pebble Count,**

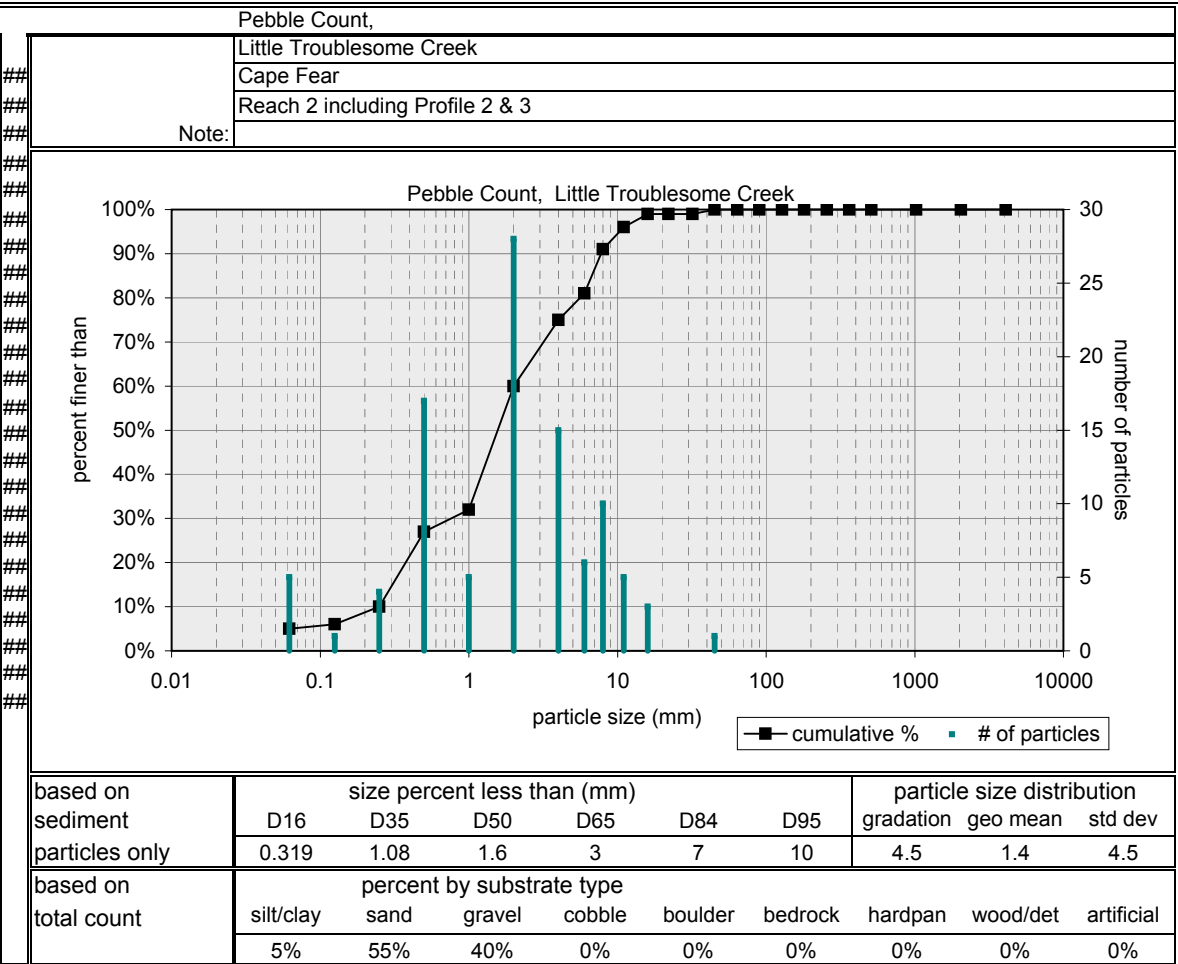
Little Troublesome Creek  
Cape Fear  
Reach 1 US

Note:



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	gradation	geo mean	std dev
	0.189	0.43	0.9	6	12	64	8.6	1.5	7.8
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	1%	51%	43%	5%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Pebble Count of Channel Reach			
Material	Size Range (mm)		Count
silt/clay	0	0.062	5
very fine sand	0.062	0.13	1
fine sand	0.13	0.25	4
medium sand	0.25	0.5	17
coarse sand	0.5	1	5
very coarse sand	1	2	28
very fine gravel	2	4	15
fine gravel	4	6	6
fine gravel	6	8	10
medium gravel	8	11	5
medium gravel	11	16	3
coarse gravel	16	22	
coarse gravel	22	32	
very coarse gravel	32	45	1
very coarse gravel	45	64	
small cobble	64	90	
medium cobble	90	128	
large cobble	128	180	
very large cobble	180	256	
small boulder	256	362	
small boulder	362	512	
medium boulder	512	1024	
large boulder	1024	2048	
very large boulder	2048	4096	
total particle count:			100
bedrock			
clay hardpan			
detritus/wood			
artificial			
total count:			100





## Bank Erodibility Hazard Rating Guide

Stream: Little Troublesome

Reach: Entire Reach (1,375lf)

Date: 2/7/07

Crew: AH, AF

Bank Erosion Potential	Bank Height (ft):	Bank Height/ Bankfull Ht	Root Depth/ Bank Height	Root Density %	Bank Angle (Degrees)	Surface Protection%
	Bankfull Height (ft):					
	<b>VERY LOW</b>	Value Range: 1.0 - 1.1 Index Range: 1.0 - 1.9 Choice: <b>V: 1.0 I: 1.0</b>	0.9 - 1.0 1.0 - 1.9 V: I:	80 - 100 1.0 - 1.9 V: <b>80.0 I: 1.0</b>	0.0 - 20.0 1.0 - 1.9 V: I:	80 - 100 1.0 - 1.9 V: <b>80.0 I: 1.0</b>
	<b>LOW</b>	Value Range: 1.11 - 1.19 Index Range: 2.0 - 3.9 Choice: V: I:	0.5 - 0.89 2.0 - 3.9 V: <b>0.80 I: 3.0</b>	55 - 79 2.0 - 3.9 V: I:	21.0 - 60.0 2.0 - 3.9 V: I:	55 - 79 2.0 - 3.9 V: I:
	<b>MODERATE</b>	Value Range: 1.2 - 1.5 Index Range: 4.0 - 5.9 Choice: V: I:	0.3 - 0.49 4.0 - 5.9 V: I:	30 - 54 4.0 - 5.9 V: I:	61.0 - 80.0 4.0 - 5.9 V: I:	30 - 54 4.0 - 5.9 V: I:
	<b>HIGH</b>	Value Range: 1.6 - 2.0 Index Range: 6.0 - 7.9 Choice: V: I:	0.15 - 0.29 6.0 - 7.9 V: I:	15 - 29 6.0 - 7.9 V: I:	81.0 - 90.0 6.0 - 7.9 V: <b>90.0 I: 7.9</b>	15 - 29 6.0 - 7.9 V: I:
	<b>VERY HIGH</b>	Value Range: 2.1 - 2.8 Index Range: 8.0 - 9.0 Choice: V: I:	0.05 - 0.14 8.0 - 9.0 V: I:	5 - 14 8.0 - 9.0 V: I:	91.0 - 119.0 8.0 - 9.0 V: I:	10 - 14 8.0 - 9.0 V: I:
<b>EXTREME</b>	Value Range: >2.8 Index Range: 10 Choice: V: I:	<0.05 10 V: I:	<5 10 V: I:	>119 10 V: I:	<10 10 V: I:	
V = value, I = index						<b>SUB-TOTAL (Sum one index from each column) 13.9</b>

**Bank Material Description:**

One layer consisting of clay/sand

**Bank Materials**

- Bedrock** (Bedrock banks have very low bank erosion potential)
- Boulders** (Banks composed of boulders have low bank erosion potential)
- Cobble** (Subtract 10 points. If sand/gravel matrix greater than 50% of bank material, then do not adjust)
- Gravel** (Add 5-10 points depending percentage of bank material that is composed of sand)
- Sand** (Add 10 points)
- Silt Clay** (+ 0: no adjustment)

Bank Sketch

**BANK MATERIAL ADJUSTMENT 2**

**Stratification Comments:**

Bankfull is nearly top of bank. The bank consists of sand/clay.

**Stratification**

Add 5-10 points depending on position of unstable layers in relation to bankfull stage

**STRATIFICATION ADJUSTMENT 5**

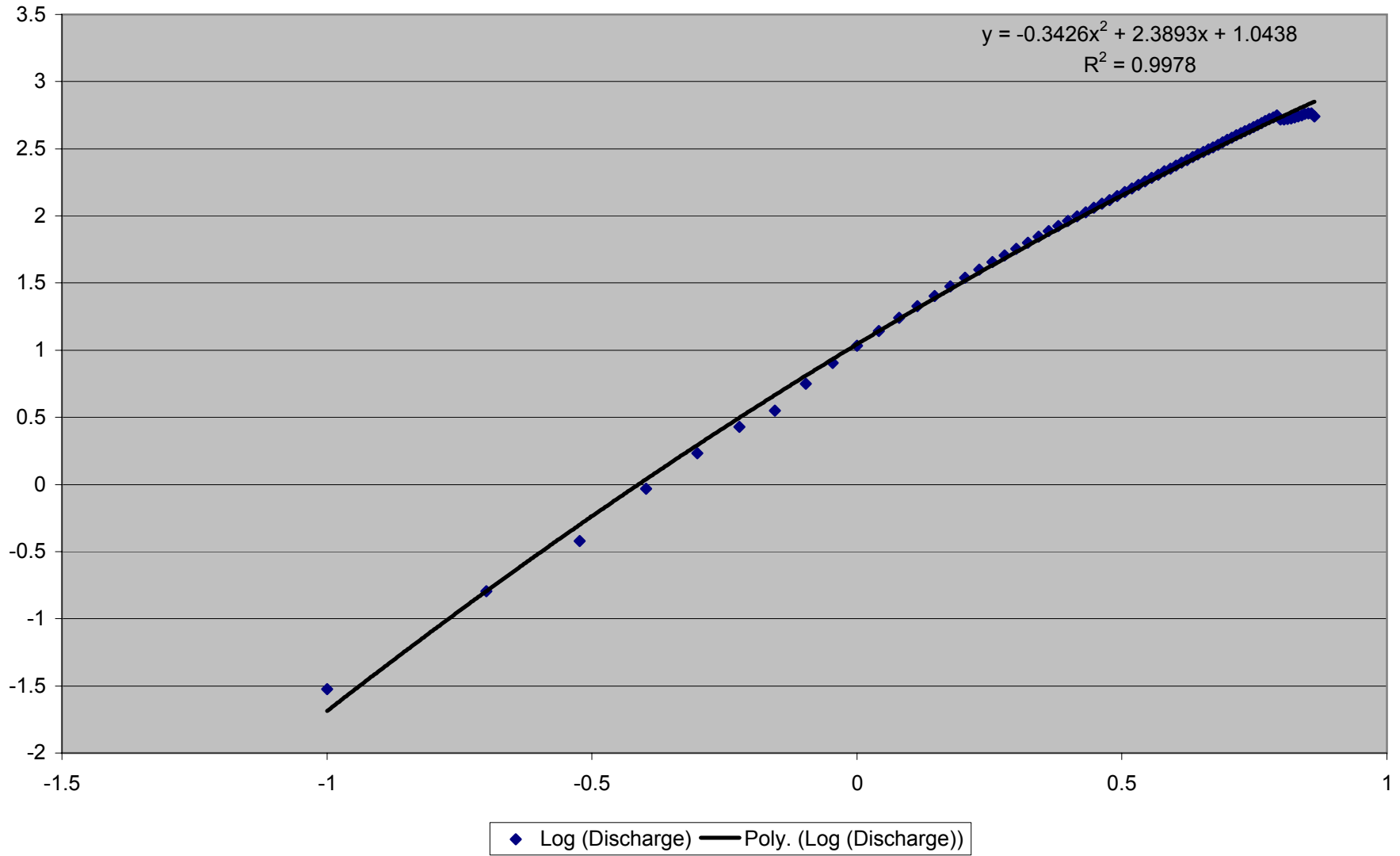
<b>VERY LOW</b>	<b>LOW</b>	<b>MODERATE</b>	<b>HIGH</b>	<b>VERY HIGH</b>	<b>EXTREME</b>
5-9.9	10-19.9	20-29.9	30-39.9	40-45.9	46-50

**Bank location description (check one)**

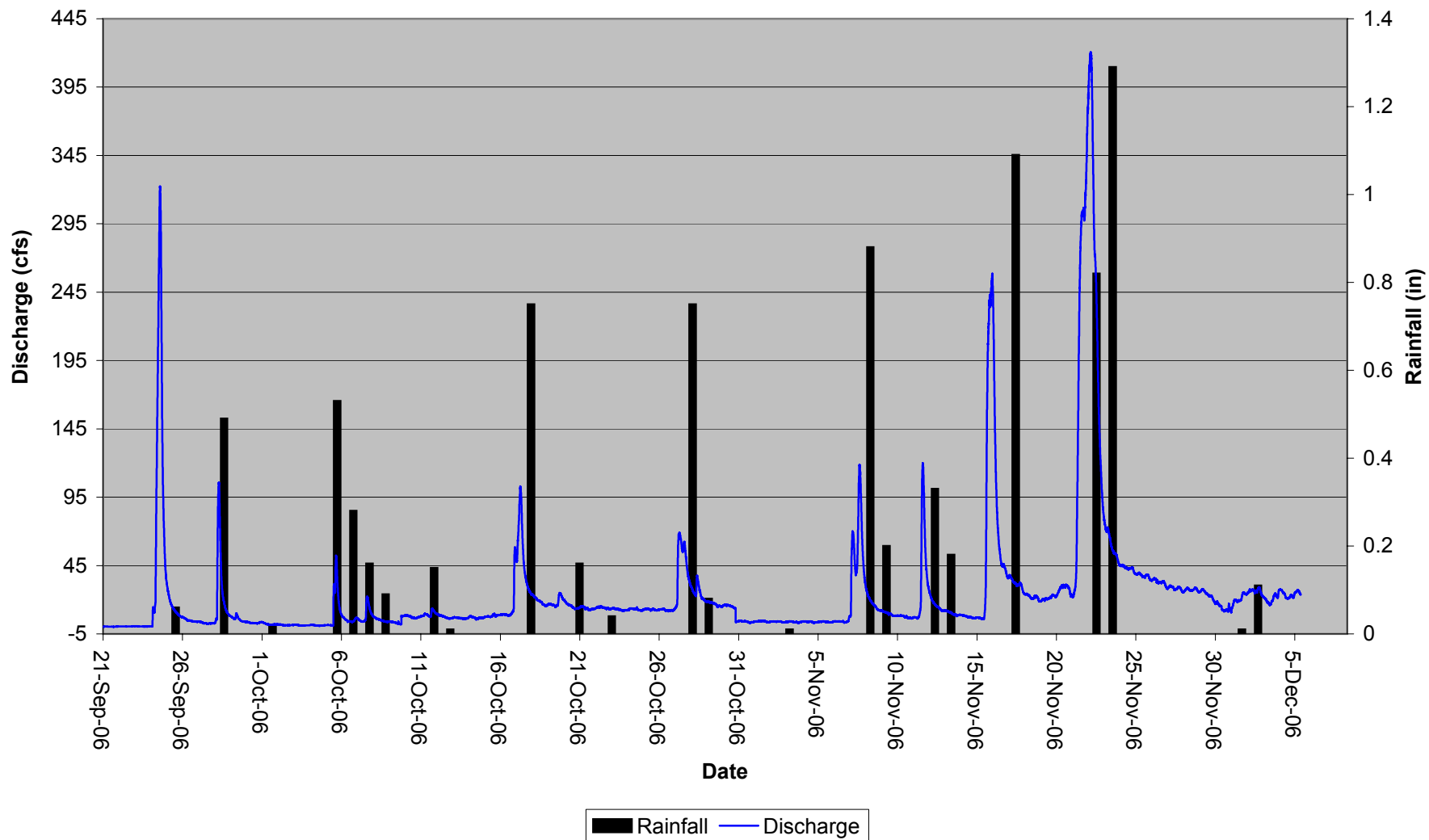
The BEHI was conducted on the entire LTC reach due to similar bank features throughout.

**GRAND TOTAL 20.9**  
**BEHI RATING Moderate**

# LTC Rating Curve

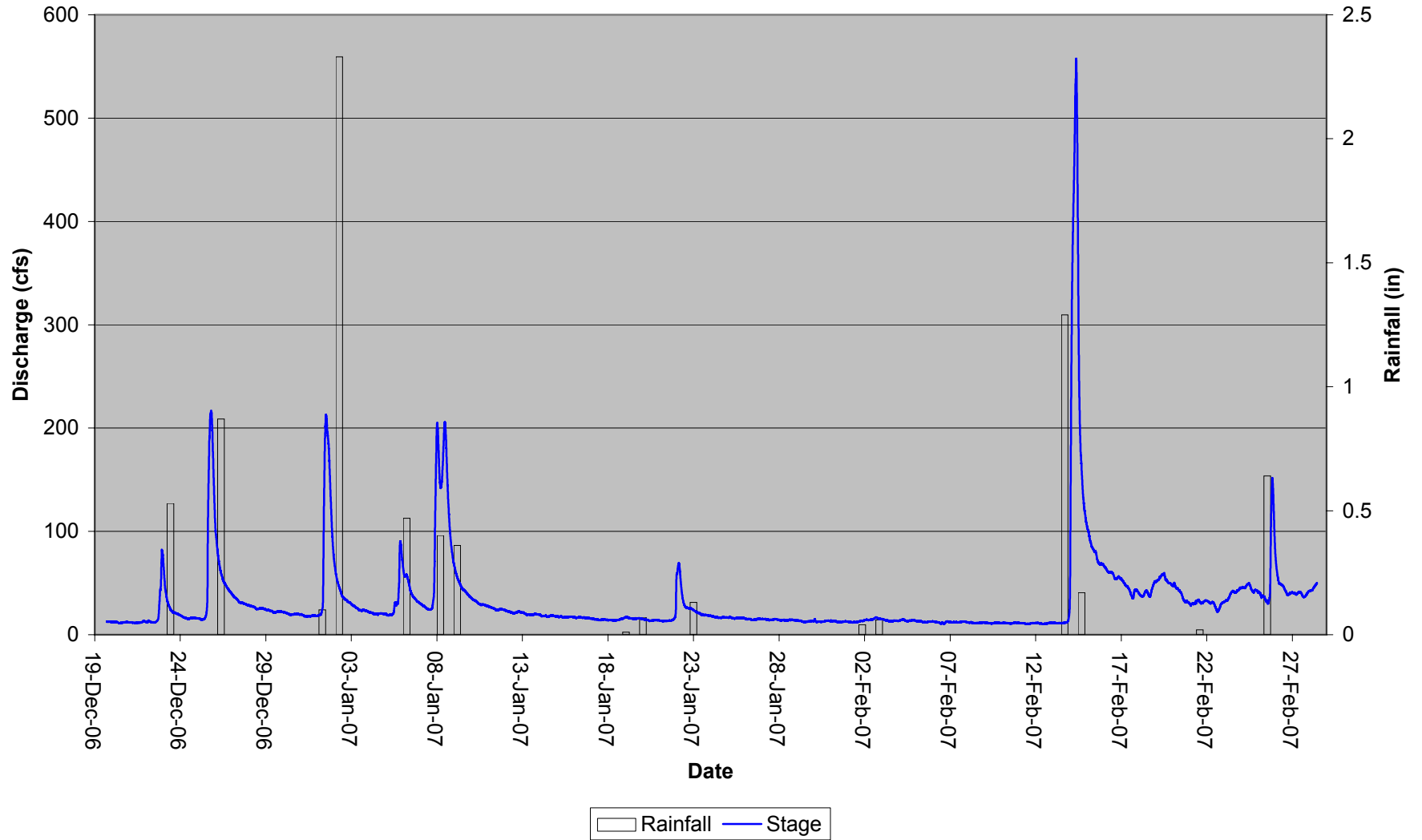


### Little Troublesome Creek Hydrograph (9/21/06) - (12/6/06)

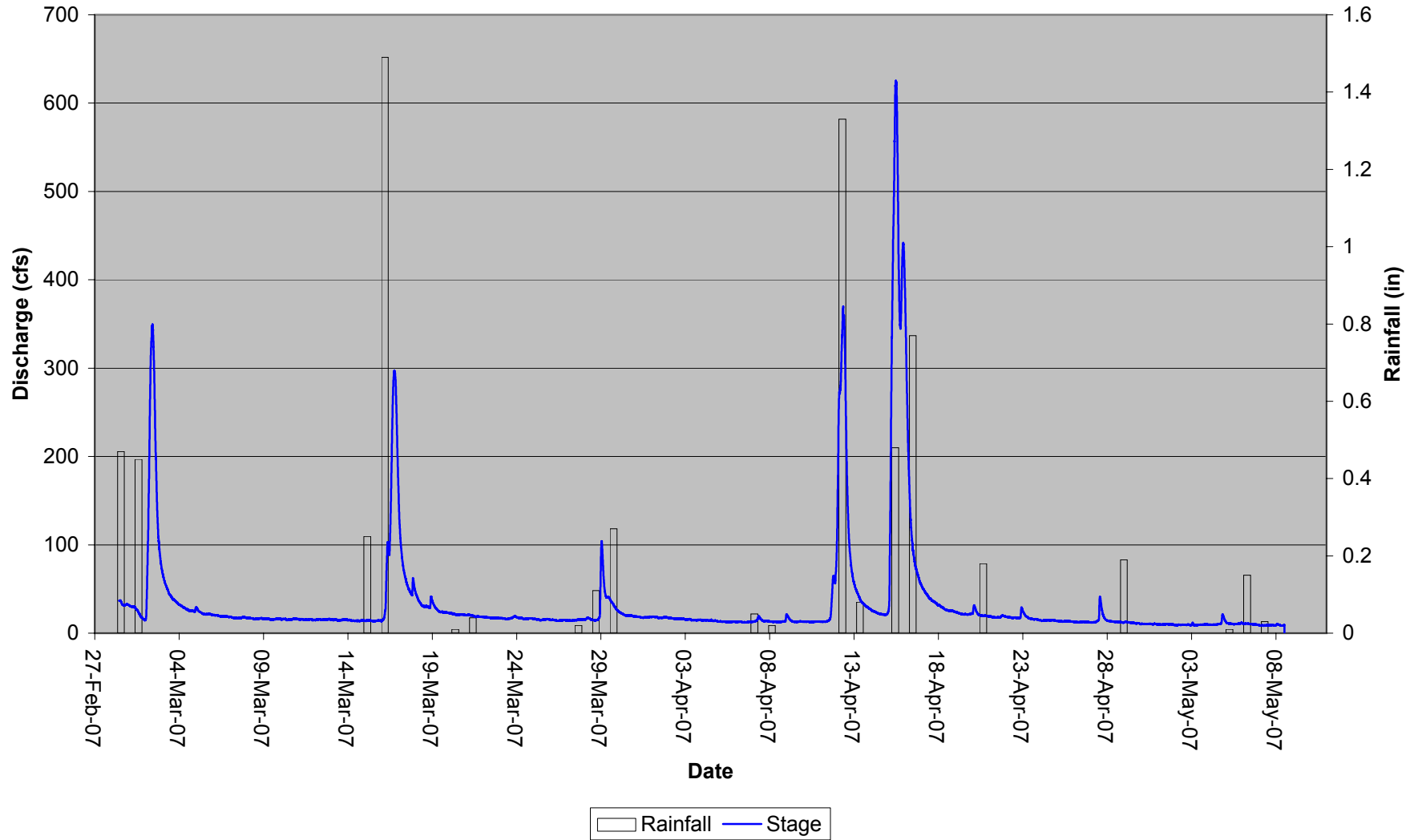




### Little Troublesome Stream Hydrograph (12/19/06) - (2/28/07)



### Little Troublesome Stream Hydrograph (2/28/07) - (5/8/07)



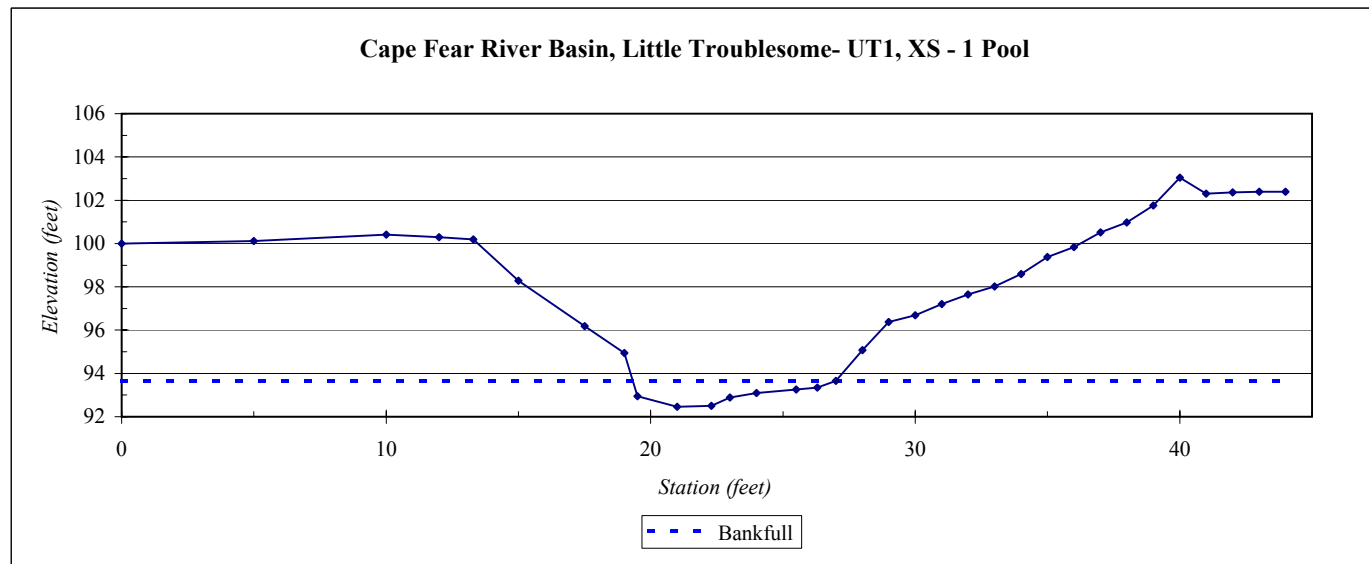
## UT1 Existing Data



<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome- UT1
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 1 Pool
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/18/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, B. Hayes

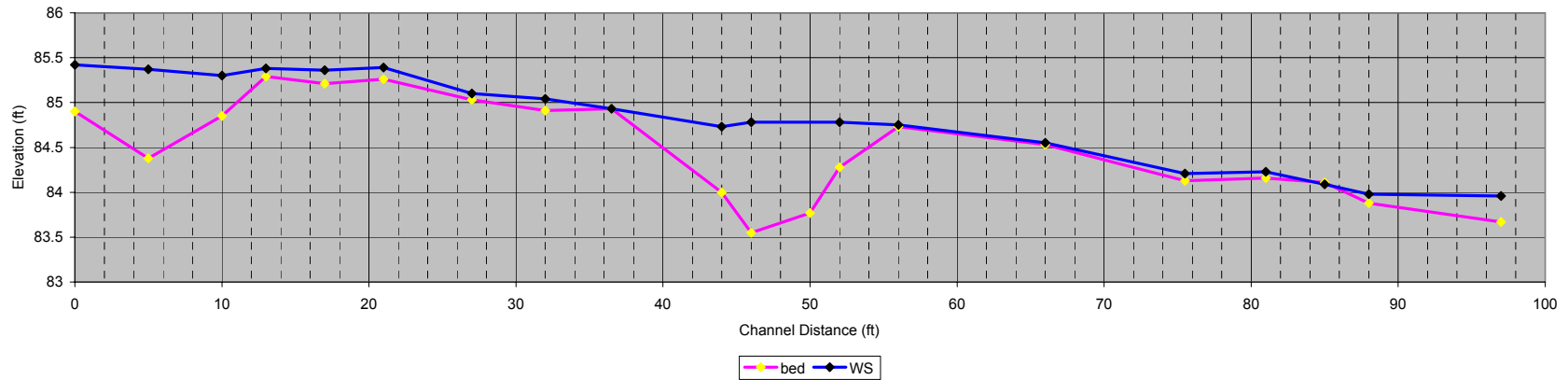
Station	Rod Ht.	Elevation
0	5.15	100.00
5	5.04	100.11
10	4.74	100.41
12	4.86	100.29
13.3	4.96	100.19
15	6.86	98.29
17.5	8.97	96.18
19	10.21	94.94
19.5	12.21	92.94
21	12.69	92.46
22.3	12.64	92.51
23	12.27	92.88
24	12.06	93.09
25.5	11.89	93.26
26.3	11.8	93.35
27	11.5	93.65
28	10.08	95.07
29	8.78	96.37
30	8.47	96.68
31	7.95	97.20
32	7.5	97.65
33	7.14	98.01
34	6.56	98.59
35	5.77	99.38
36	5.32	99.83
37	4.64	100.51
38	4.17	100.98
39	3.4	101.75
40	2.1	103.05
41	2.85	102.30
42	2.78	102.37
43	2.76	102.39
44	2.76	102.39

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	93.7
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	5.5
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	7.7
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	-
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	-
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.2
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.7
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.019



Slope Profile

UT1 - Profile 1 at XS-1



notes	inc distance	station	Elevation BM:		FS TP	FS bed	depth water	FS LB	FS RB	FS BKF	FS WS	AZ azimuth	ELEV bed	ELEV water srf	ELEV LF	ELEV RB	ELEV BKF	ELEV WS
			BS	HI														
		0	0	100		15.1					14.58		84.9					85.42
	5	5		100		15.62					14.63		84.38					85.37
	5	10		100		15.15					14.7		84.85					85.3
	3	13		100		14.71					14.62		85.29					85.38
	4	17		100		14.79					14.64		85.21					85.36
Head of Riffle	4	21		100		14.74					14.61		85.26					85.39
End of Riffle	6	27		100		14.97					14.9		85.03					85.1
	5	32		100		15.09					14.96		84.91					85.04
	4.5	36.5		100		15.07					15.07		84.93					84.93
Debris Jam	7.5	44		100		16					15.27		84					84.73
	2	46		100		16.45					15.22		83.55					84.78
TW, XS-1 Head of Pool	4	50		100		16.23							83.77					
End of Pool	2	52		100		15.72					15.22		84.28					84.78
Head of Riffle	4	56		100		15.27					15.25		84.73					84.75
	10	66		100		15.47					15.45		84.53					84.55
End of Riffle	9.5	75.5		100		15.87					15.79		84.13					84.21
	5.5	81		100		15.84					15.77		84.16					84.23
	4	85		100		15.89					15.91		84.11					84.09
Head of Pool	3	88		100		16.12					16.02		83.88					83.98
End of Pool	9	97		100		16.33					16.04		83.67					83.96

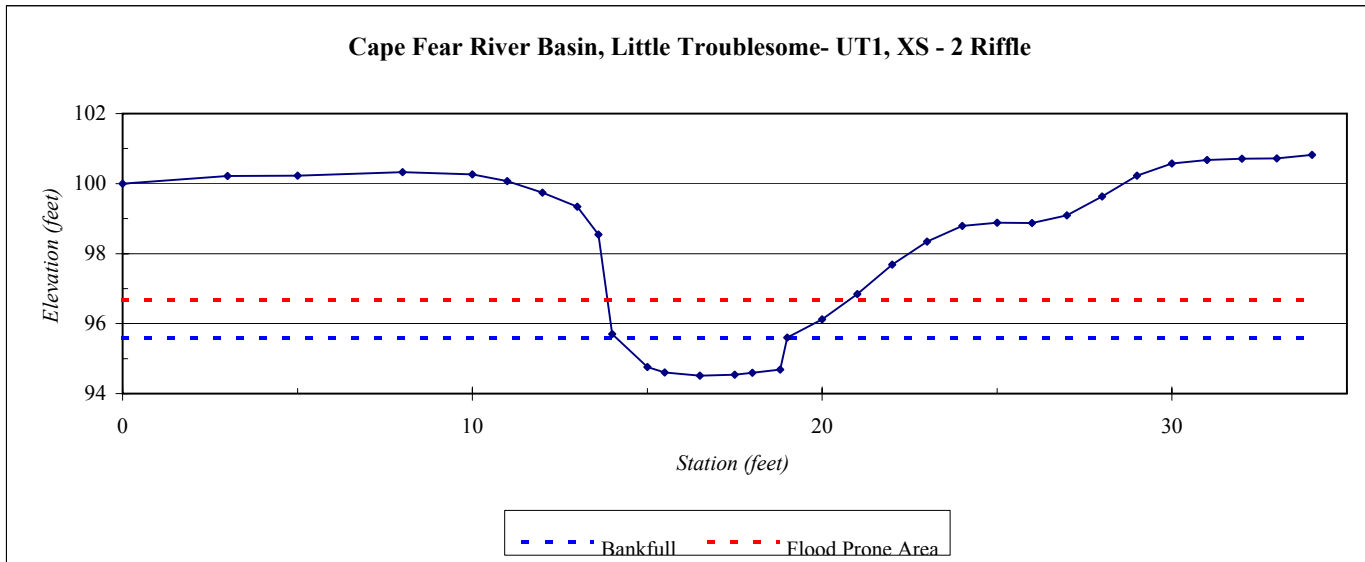
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<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome- UT1
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 2 Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/19/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, B. Hayes



Station	Rod Ht.	Elevation
0	5.68	100.00
3	5.46	100.22
5	5.45	100.23
8	5.35	100.33
10	5.42	100.26
11	5.61	100.07
12	5.94	99.74
13	6.34	99.34
13.6	7.14	98.54
14	9.98	95.70
15	10.92	94.76
15.5	11.08	94.60
16.5	11.17	94.51
17.5	11.14	94.54
18	11.09	94.59
18.8	10.99	94.69
19	10.08	95.60
20	9.56	96.12
21	8.84	96.84
22	8	97.68
23	7.34	98.34
24	6.89	98.79
25	6.8	98.88
26	6.81	98.87
27	6.59	99.09
28	6.05	99.63
29	5.45	100.23
30	5.11	100.57
31	5.01	100.67
32	4.97	100.71
33	4.96	100.72
34	4.86	100.82

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	95.6
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	4.3
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	4.9
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	96.7
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	7.0
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.1
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.9
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	5.6
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	1.4
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	5.3
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.019

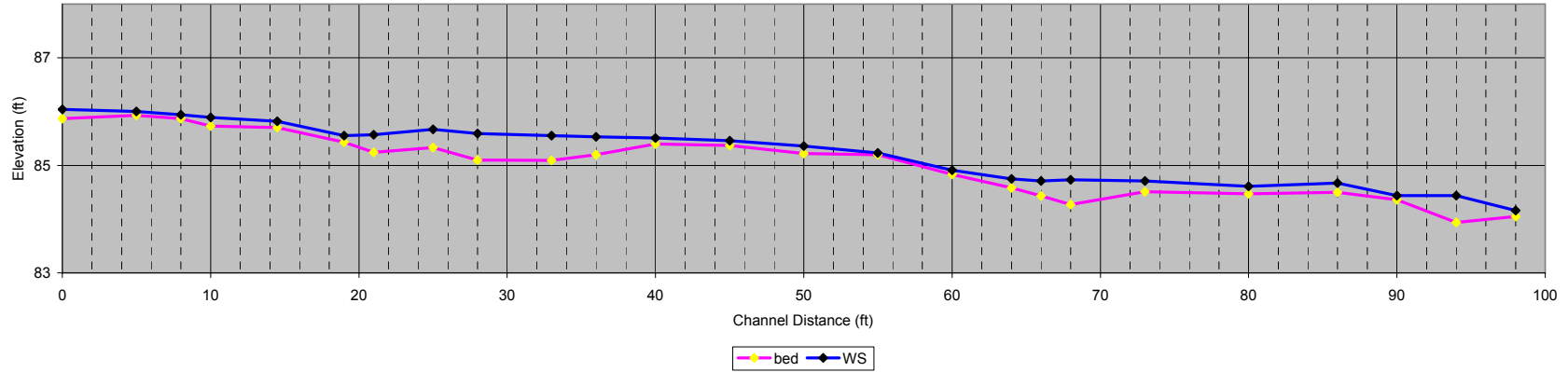
Cape Fear River Basin, Little Troublesome- UT1, XS - 2 Riffle





Slope Profile

UT1 - Profile 2 at XS-2



		Elevation BM:		100														
notes	inc distance	station	BS	HI	FS TP	FS bed	depth water	FS LB	FS RB	FS BKF	FS WS	AZ azimuth	ELEV bed	ELEV water srf	ELEV LF	ELEV RB	ELEV BKF	ELEV WS
		0	0	100		14.13					13.96		85.87					86.04
	5	5		100		14.07					14		85.93					86
	3	8		100		14.13					14.06		85.87					85.94
	2	10		100		14.27					14.11		85.73					85.89
Head of Riffle	4.5	14.5		100		14.3					14.18		85.7					85.82
End of Riffle	4.5	19		100		14.57					14.45		85.43					85.55
	2	21		100		14.76					14.43		85.24					85.57
Head of Pool	4	25		100		14.67					14.33		85.33					85.67
	3	28		100		14.9					14.41		85.1					85.59
	5	33		100		14.91					14.45		85.09					85.55
End of Pool	3	36		100		14.8					14.47		85.2					85.53
Head of Riffle	4	40		100		14.6					14.49		85.4					85.51
	5	45		100		14.63					14.54		85.37					85.46
	5	50		100		14.78					14.64		85.22					85.36
	5	55		100		14.8					14.77		85.2					85.23
	5	60		100		15.17					15.09		84.83					84.91
End of Riffle	4	64		100		15.42					15.25		84.58					84.75
	2	66		100		15.57					15.29		84.43					84.71
	2	68		100		15.73					15.27		84.27					84.73
	5	73		100		15.49					15.29		84.51					84.71
	7	80		100		15.53					15.39		84.47					84.61
	6	86		100		15.5					15.33		84.5					84.67
	4	90		100		15.64					15.56		84.36					84.44
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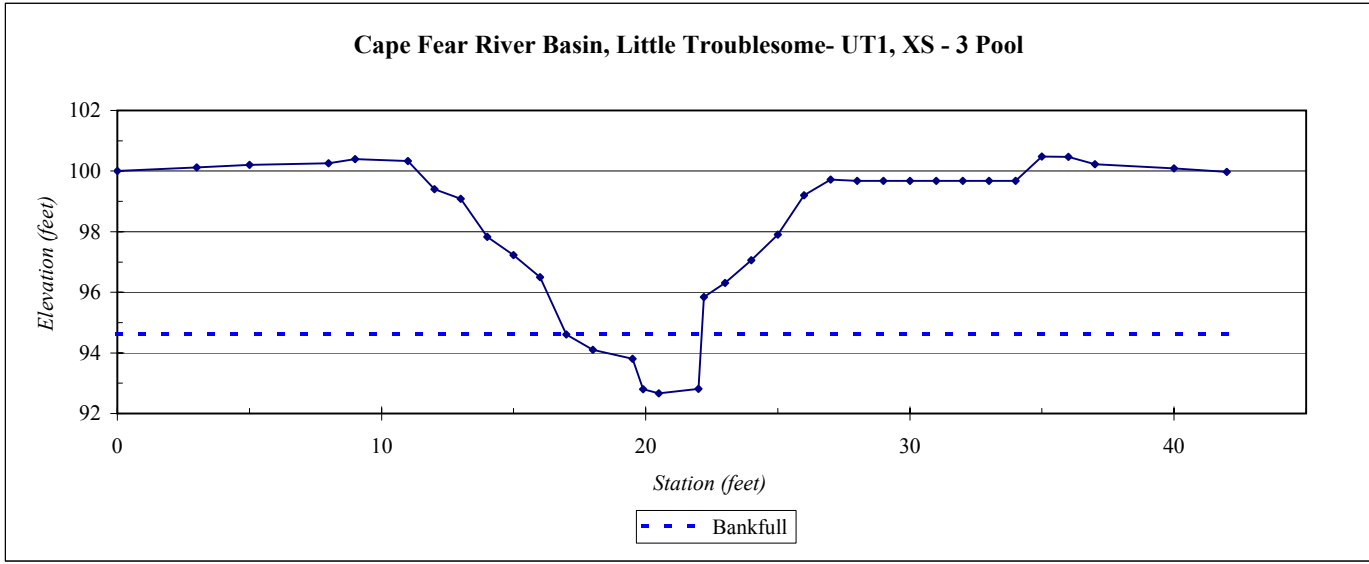
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<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome- UT1
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 3 Pool
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/19/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, B. Hayes

Station	Rod Ht.	Elevation
0	5.80	100.00
3	5.68	100.12
5	5.60	100.20
8	5.54	100.26
9	5.40	100.40
11	5.47	100.33
12	6.40	99.40
13	6.71	99.09
14	7.97	97.83
15	8.57	97.23
16	9.30	96.50
17	11.19	94.61
18	11.70	94.10
19.5	11.99	93.81
19.9	13.00	92.80
20.5	13.13	92.67
22	12.99	92.81
22.2	9.96	95.84
23	9.49	96.31
24	8.74	97.06
25	7.90	97.90
26	6.60	99.20
27	6.08	99.72
28	6.12	99.68
29	6.12	99.68
30	6.12	99.68
31	6.12	99.68
32	6.12	99.68
33	6.12	99.68
34	6.12	99.68
35	5.32	100.48
36	5.33	100.47
37	5.57	100.23
40	5.71	100.09
42	5.83	99.97

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	94.6
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	5.8
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	5.1
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	-
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	-
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.9
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.1
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.019

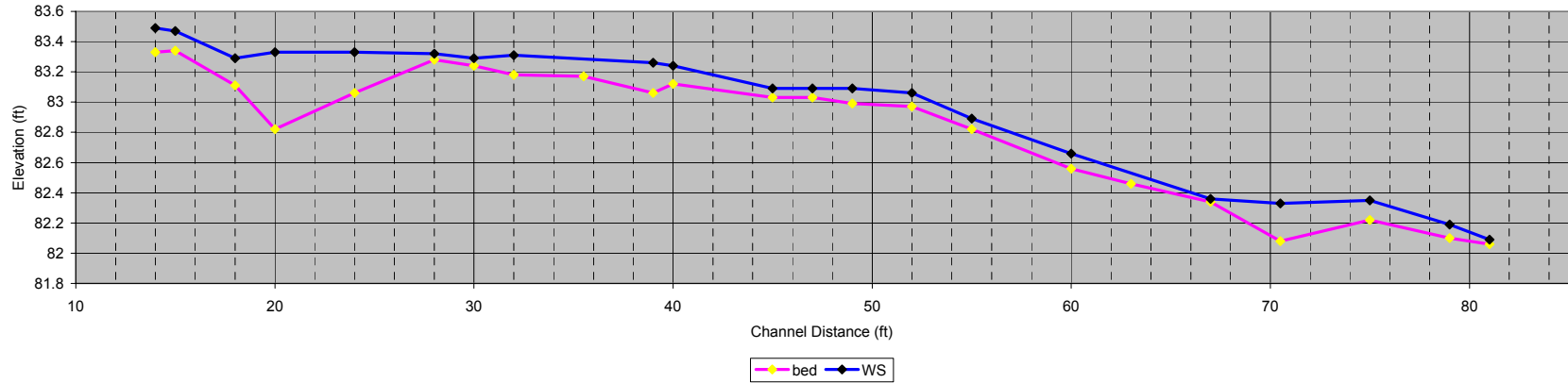


Cape Fear River Basin, Little Troublesome- UT1, XS - 3 Pool



Slope Profile

UT - Profile 3 at XS-4



notes	inc distance	Elevation BM: 100		FS TP	FS bed	depth water	FS LB	FS RB	FS BKF	FS WS	AZ azimuth	ELEV bed	ELEV water srf	ELEV LF	ELEV RB	ELEV BKF	ELEV WS
		station	BS 0														
		14			16.67					16.51		83.33					83.49
	1	15			16.66					16.53		83.34					83.47
Head of Pool	3	18			16.89					16.71		83.11					83.29
	2	20			17.18					16.67		82.82					83.33
End of Pool	4	24			16.94					16.67		83.06					83.33
	4	28			16.72					16.68		83.28					83.32
	2	30			16.76					16.71		83.24					83.29
	2	32			16.82					16.69		83.18					83.31
	3.5	35.5			16.83							83.17					
	3.5	39			16.94					16.74		83.06					83.26
	1	40			16.88					16.76		83.12					83.24
	5	45			16.97					16.91		83.03					83.09
	2	47			16.97					16.91		83.03					83.09
Head of Riffle	2	49			17.01					16.91		82.99					83.09
	3	52			17.03					16.94		82.97					83.06
End of Riffle	3	55			17.18					17.11		82.82					82.89
	5	60			17.44					17.34		82.56					82.66
	3	63			17.54							82.46					
	4	67			17.66					17.64		82.34					82.36
	3.5	70.5			17.92					17.67		82.08					82.33
Head of Riffle	4.5	75			17.78					17.65		82.22					82.35
	4	79			17.9					17.81		82.1					82.19
End of Riffle	2	81			17.94					17.91		82.06					82.09



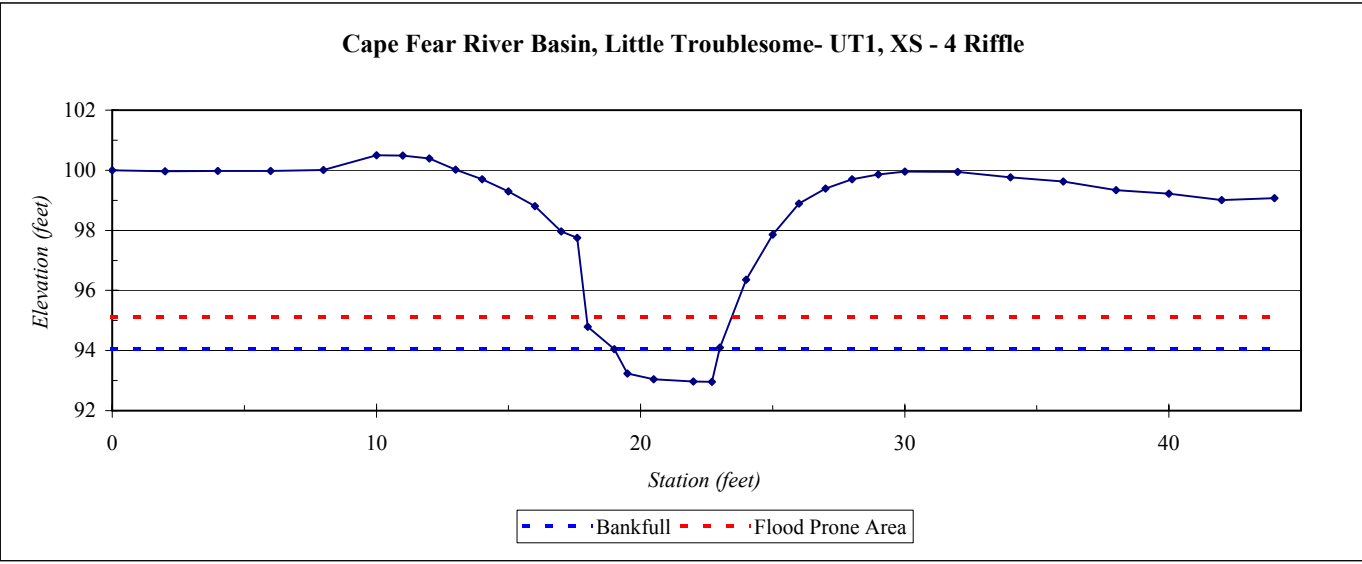
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<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome- UT1
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 4 Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/19/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, B. Hayes



Station	Rod Ht.	Elevation
0	6.40	100.00
2	6.43	99.97
4	6.42	99.98
6	6.42	99.98
8	6.39	100.01
10	5.90	100.50
11	5.91	100.49
12	6.01	100.39
13	6.38	100.02
14	6.70	99.70
15	7.10	99.30
16	7.60	98.80
17	8.44	97.96
17.6	8.65	97.75
18	11.61	94.79
19	12.36	94.04
19.5	13.16	93.24
20.5	13.36	93.04
22	13.43	92.97
22.7	13.44	92.96
23	12.30	94.10
24	10.04	96.36
25	8.54	97.86
26	7.51	98.89
27	7.01	99.39
28	6.70	99.70
29	6.54	99.86
30	6.45	99.95
32	6.46	99.94
34	6.64	99.76
36	6.78	99.62
38	7.06	99.34
40	7.18	99.22
42	7.39	99.01
44	7.33	99.07

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	94.0
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	3.6
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	4.0
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	95.1
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	6.0
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.1
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.9
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	4.4
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	1.5
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	6.5
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.019

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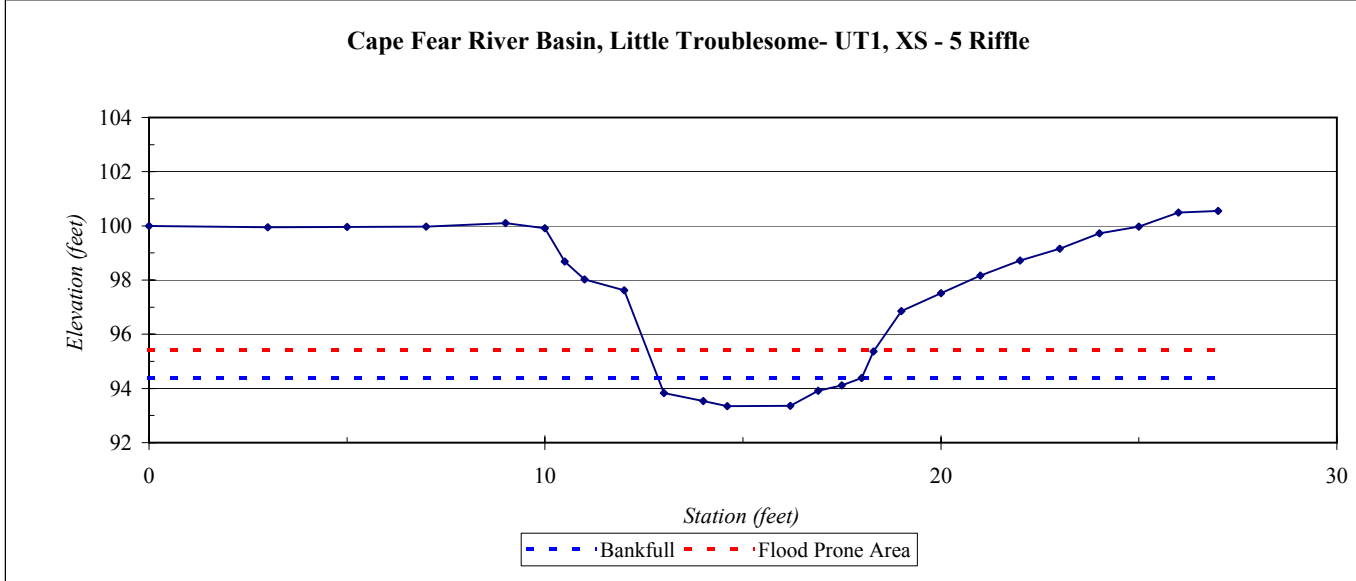
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<b>Watershed:</b>	Little Troublesome- UT1
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 5 Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.1
<b>Date:</b>	9/18/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, B. Hayes



Station	Rod Ht.	Elevation
0	5.62	100.00
3	5.67	99.95
5	5.66	99.96
7	5.65	99.97
9	5.52	100.10
10	5.71	99.91
10.5	6.94	98.68
11	7.60	98.02
12	8.00	97.62
13	11.79	93.83
14	12.08	93.54
14.6	12.27	93.35
16.2	12.26	93.36
16.9	11.71	93.91
17.5	11.50	94.12
18	11.24	94.38
18.3	10.25	95.37
19	8.77	96.85
20	8.10	97.52
21	7.45	98.17
22	6.90	98.72
23	6.46	99.16
24	5.89	99.73
25	5.65	99.97
26	5.13	100.49
27	5.07	100.55

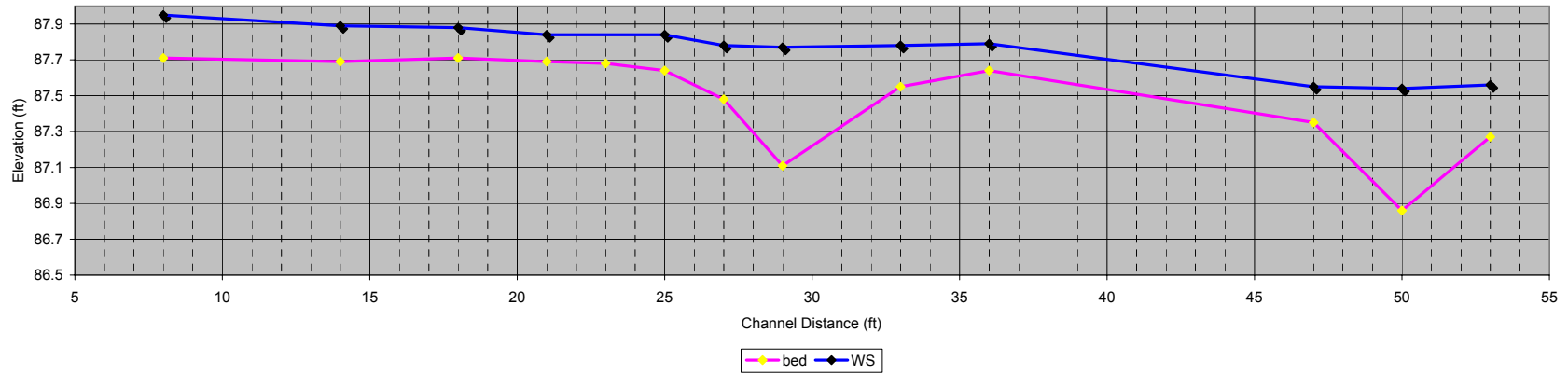
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<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	3.7
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	5.1
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	95.4
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	5.3
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.0
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.7
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	7.0
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	1.0
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	6.4
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.019

Cape Fear River Basin, Little Troublesome- UT1, XS - 5 Riffle



Slope Profile

UT1 - Profile 4 at XS-5



		Elevation BM: 100																	
notes	inc distance	station	BS	HI	FS TP	FS bed	depth water	FS LB	FS RB	FS BKF	FS WS	AZ azimuth	ELEV bed	ELEV water srf	ELEV LF	ELEV RB	ELEV BKF	ELEV WS	
		8	0	100		12.29					12.05		87.71					87.95	
	6	14		100		12.31					12.11		87.69					87.89	
Head of Riffle at XS-5	4	18		100		12.29					12.12		87.71					87.88	
	3	21		100		12.31					12.16		87.69					87.84	
	2	23		100		12.32							87.68						
	2	25		100		12.36					12.16		87.64					87.84	
	2	27		100		12.52					12.22		87.48					87.78	
Head of Pool	2	29		100		12.89					12.23		87.11					87.77	
	4	33		100		12.45					12.22		87.55					87.78	
End of Pool	3	36		100		12.36					12.21		87.64					87.79	
	11	47		100		12.65					12.45		87.35					87.55	
Head of Pool	3	50		100		13.14					12.46		86.86					87.54	
	3	53		100		12.73					12.44		87.27					87.56	



**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	2
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	
fine sand	0.13 0.25	
medium sand	0.25 0.5	
coarse sand	0.5 1	
very coarse sand	1 2	3
very fine gravel	2 4	4
fine gravel	4 6	1
fine gravel	6 8	6
medium gravel	8 11	7
medium gravel	11 16	15
coarse gravel	16 22	21
coarse gravel	22 32	16
very coarse gravel	32 45	17
very coarse gravel	45 64	8
small cobble	64 90	
medium cobble	90 128	
large cobble	128 180	
very large cobble	180 256	
small boulder	256 362	
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

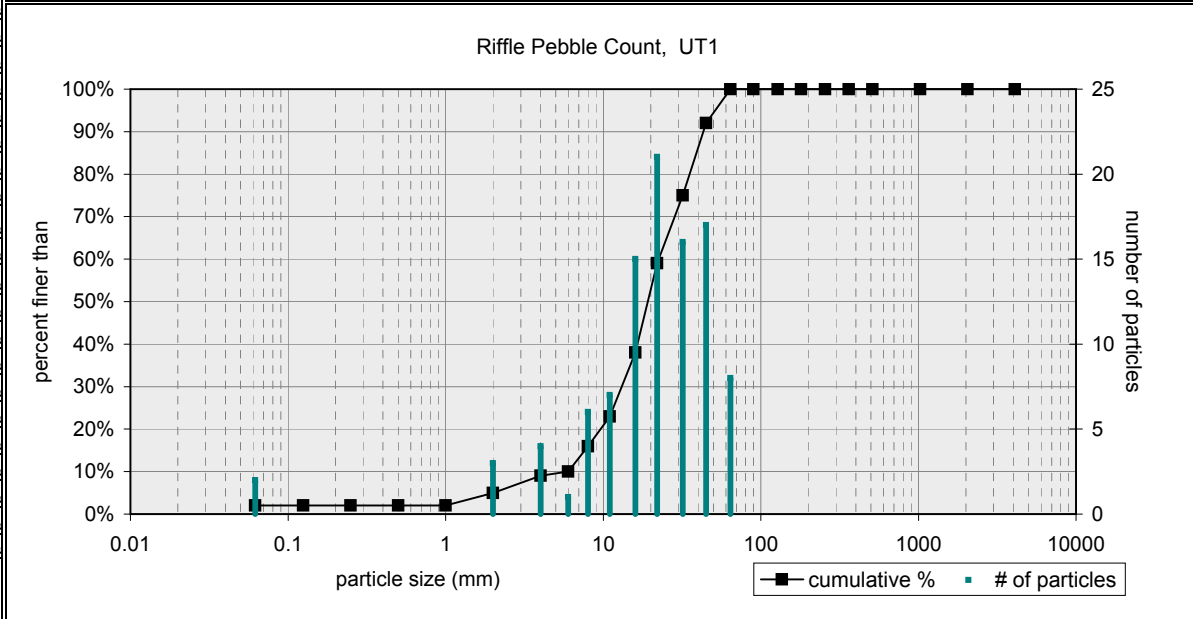
bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

total count: 100

Riffle Pebble Count,

UT1  
Cape Fear

Note: Riffle XS-2



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	gradation	geo mean	std dev
	8.000	14.84	19.2	25	38	51	2.2	17.5	2.2
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	2%	3%	95%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	2
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	
fine sand	0.13 0.25	
medium sand	0.25 0.5	4
coarse sand	0.5 1	1
very coarse sand	1 2	4
very fine gravel	2 4	1
fine gravel	4 6	4
fine gravel	6 8	13
medium gravel	8 11	16
medium gravel	11 16	17
coarse gravel	16 22	17
coarse gravel	22 32	10
very coarse gravel	32 45	9
very coarse gravel	45 64	2
small cobble	64 90	
medium cobble	90 128	
large cobble	128 180	
very large cobble	180 256	
small boulder	256 362	
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

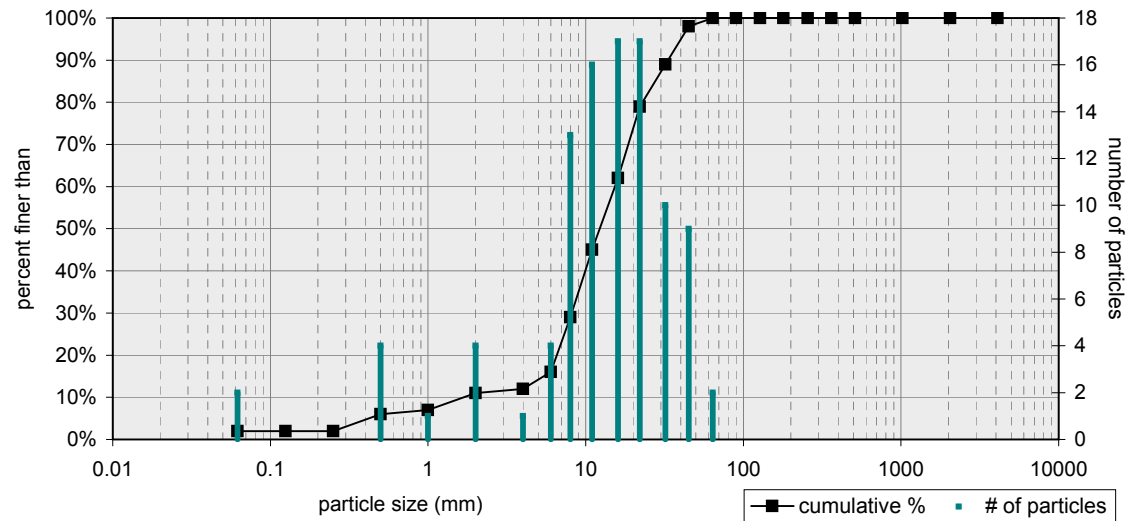
total count: 100

Riffle Pebble Count,

UT1  
Cape Fear

Note: Riffle XS-4

Riffle Pebble Count, UT1



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution gradation		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	geo mean	std dev	
	6.000	9.01	12.3	17	27	40	2.1	12.6	2.1
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	2%	9%	89%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	6
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	
fine sand	0.13 0.25	7
medium sand	0.25 0.5	25
coarse sand	0.5 1	1
very coarse sand	1 2	8
very fine gravel	2 4	23
fine gravel	4 6	5
fine gravel	6 8	8
medium gravel	8 11	7
medium gravel	11 16	3
coarse gravel	16 22	2
coarse gravel	22 32	
very coarse gravel	32 45	5
very coarse gravel	45 64	
small cobble	64 90	
medium cobble	90 128	
large cobble	128 180	
very large cobble	180 256	
small boulder	256 362	
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

total count: 100

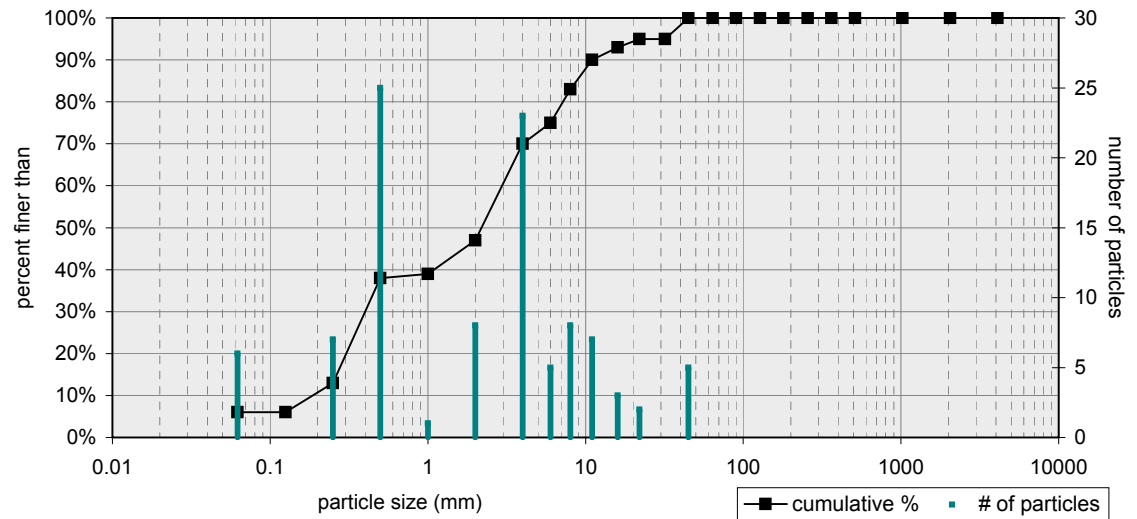
Riffle Pebble Count,

UT1 XS-5 Riffle

Cape Fear

Note: Riffle XS-5

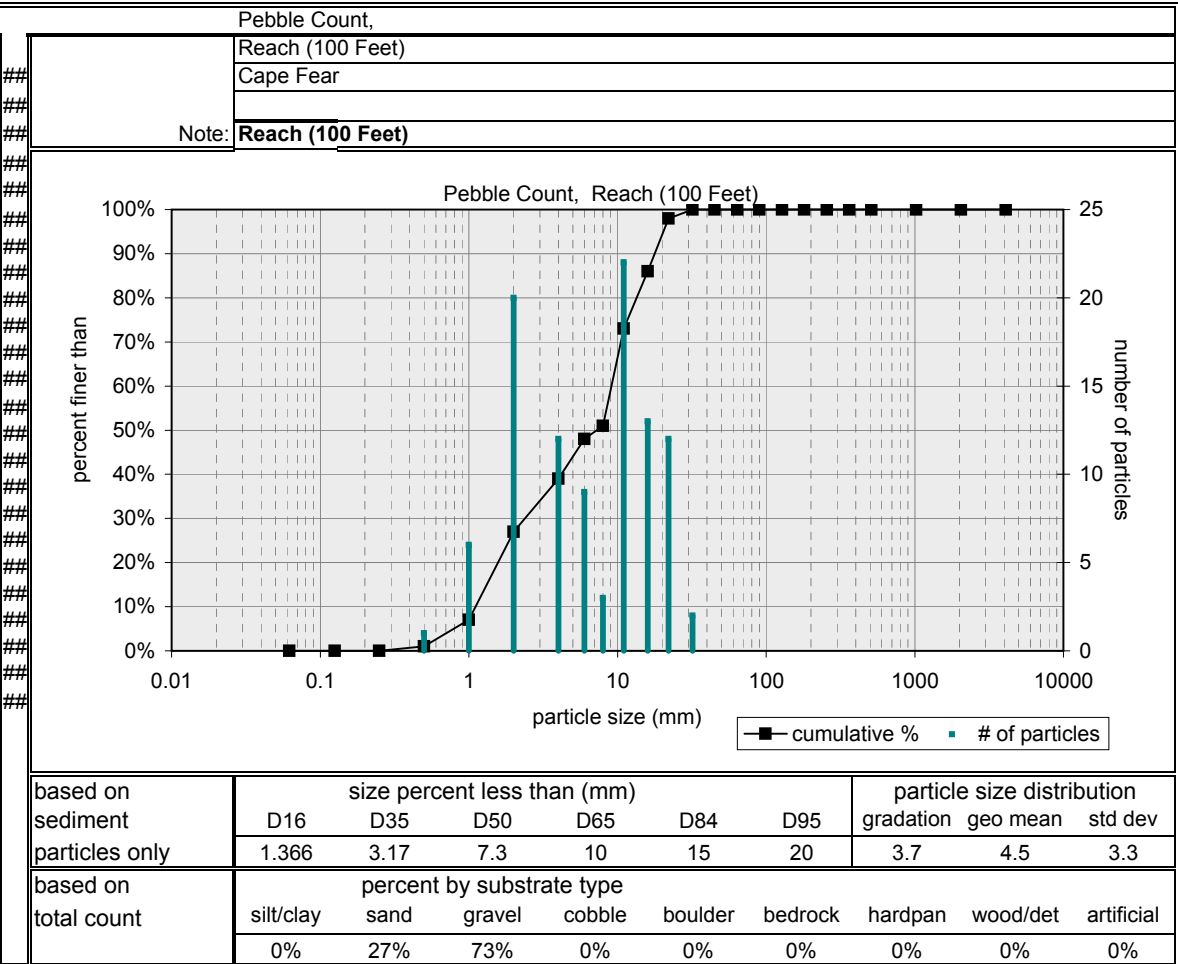
Riffle Pebble Count, UT1 XS-5 Riffle



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution gradation		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	geo mean	std dev	
	0.272	0.46	2.2	3	8	22	5.9	1.5	5.6
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	6%	41%	53%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%



Pebble Count of Channel Reach		
Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 - 0.062	##
very fine sand	0.062 - 0.13	##
fine sand	0.13 - 0.25	##
medium sand	0.25 - 0.5	1
coarse sand	0.5 - 1	6
very coarse sand	1 - 2	20
very fine gravel	2 - 4	12
fine gravel	4 - 6	9
fine gravel	6 - 8	3
medium gravel	8 - 11	22
medium gravel	11 - 16	13
coarse gravel	16 - 22	12
coarse gravel	22 - 32	2
very coarse gravel	32 - 45	##
very coarse gravel	45 - 64	##
small cobble	64 - 90	##
medium cobble	90 - 128	##
large cobble	128 - 180	##
very large cobble	180 - 256	##
small boulder	256 - 362	##
small boulder	362 - 512	##
medium boulder	512 - 1024	##
large boulder	1024 - 2048	##
very large boulder	2048 - 4096	##
total particle count:		100
bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		
total count:		100



## Bank Erodibility Hazard Rating Guide

Stream: UT1      Reach: Entire Reach (1,200lf)      Date: 2/7/07      Crew: AH, AF

Bank Erosion Potential	Bank Height (ft):	Bank Height/ Bankfull Ht	Root Depth/ Bank Height	Root Density %	Bank Angle (Degrees)	Surface Protection%
	Bankfull Height (ft):					
	<b>VERY LOW</b>	Value Range: 1.0 - 1.1 Index Range: 1.0 - 1.9 Choice: V:    I:	0.9 - 1.0	80 - 100	0.0 - 20.0	80 - 100
	<b>LOW</b>	Value Range: 1.11 - 1.19 Index Range: 2.0 - 3.9 Choice: V:    I:	0.5 - 0.89	55 - 79	21.0 - 60.0	55 - 79
	<b>MODERATE</b>	Value Range: 1.2 - 1.5 Index Range: 4.0 - 5.9 Choice: V:    I:	0.3 - 0.49	30 - 54	61.0 - 80.0	30 - 54
	<b>HIGH</b>	Value Range: 1.6 - 2.0 Index Range: 6.0 - 7.9 Choice: V:    I:	0.15 - 0.29	15 - 29	81.0 - 90.0	15 - 29
	<b>VERY HIGH</b>	Value Range: 2.1 - 2.8 Index Range: 8.0 - 9.0 Choice: V:    I:	0.05 - 0.14	5 - 14	91.0 - 119.0	10 - 14
<b>EXTREME</b>	Value Range: >2.8 Index Range: 10 Choice: V: 2.8 I: 10.0	<0.05	<5	>119	<10	
<b>SUB-TOTAL (Sum one index from each column)</b>						<b>29.8</b>

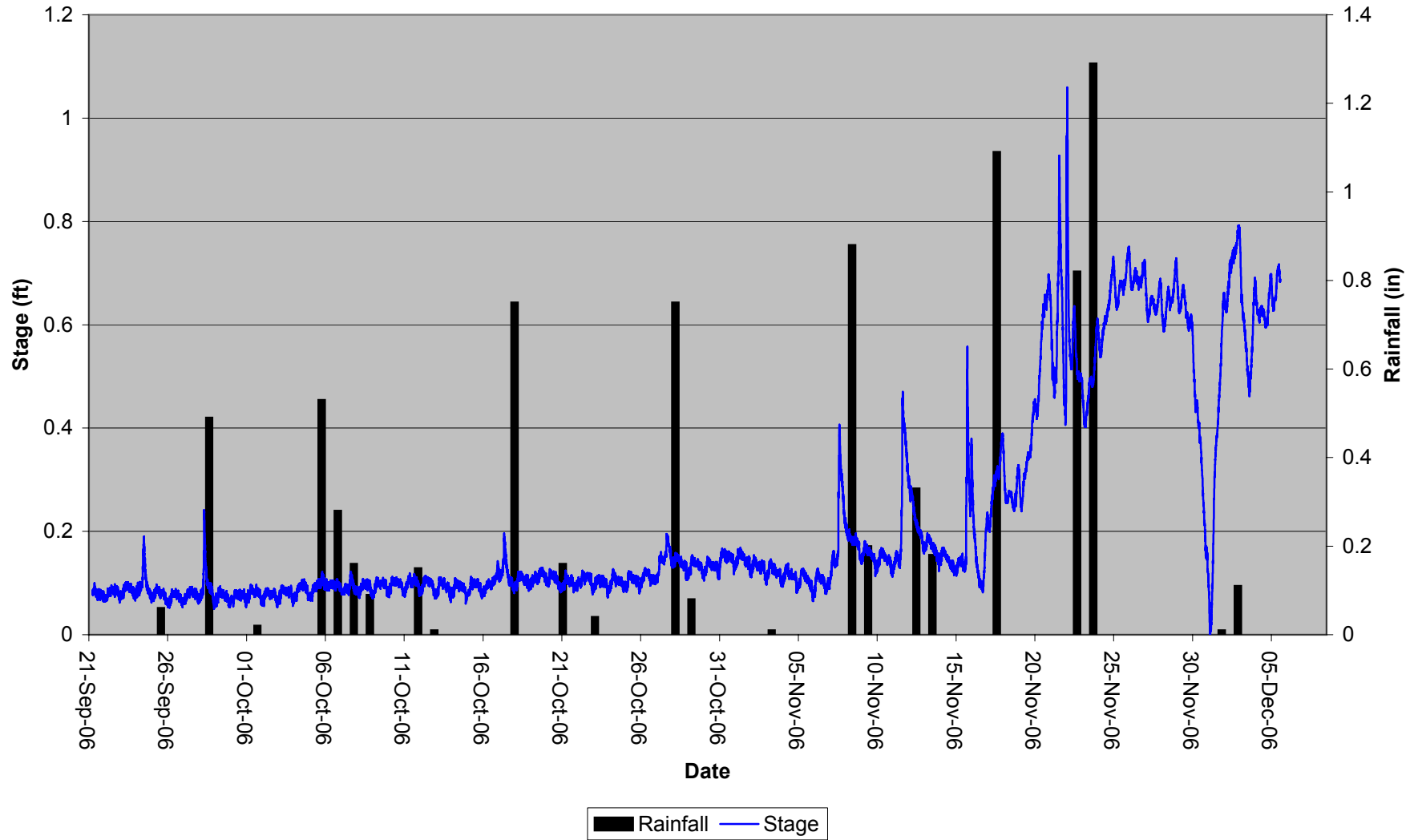
V = value, I = index

<p><b>Bank Material Description:</b> <u>Mostly smaller gravel mixed with sand</u></p> <p><b>Bank Materials</b></p> <p><b>Bedrock</b> (Bedrock banks have very low bank erosion potential)</p> <p><b>Boulders</b> (Banks composed of boulders have low bank erosion potential)</p> <p><b>Cobble</b> (Subtract 10 points. If sand/gravel matrix greater than 50% of bank material, then do not adjust)</p> <p><b>Gravel</b> (Add 5-10 points depending percentage of bank material that is composed of sand)</p> <p><b>Sand</b> (Add 10 points)</p> <p><b>Silt Clay</b> (+ 0: no adjustment)</p>	<p><u>Bank Sketch</u></p>
<b>BANK MATERIAL ADJUSTMENT</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">10</span>	

<p><b>Stratification Comments:</b> <u>Many stratified layers were observed</u></p> <p><b>Stratification</b> Add 5-10 points depending on position of unstable layers in relation to bankfull stage</p>	<p><b>STRATIFICATION ADJUSTMENT</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">10</span></p>
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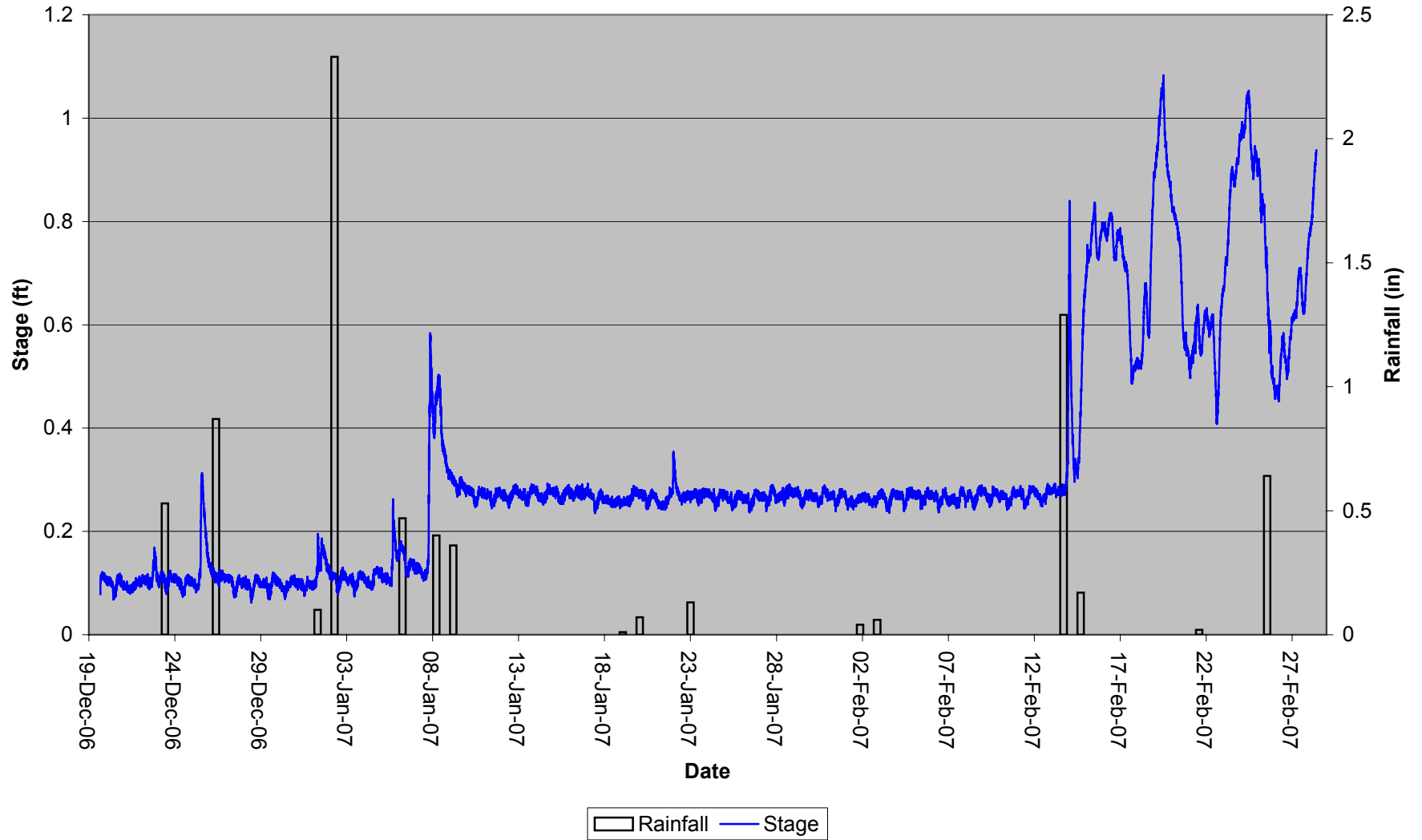
<b>VERY LOW</b>	<b>LOW</b>	<b>MODERATE</b>	<b>HIGH</b>	<b>VERY HIGH</b>	<b>EXTREME</b>
5-9.9	10-19.9	20-29.9	30-39.9	40-45.9	46-50
<p><b>Bank location description (check one)</b> The BEHI was conducted on the entire LTC reach due to similar bank features throughout.</p>					<p><b>GRAND TOTAL</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">49.8</span></p> <p><b>BEHI RATING</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; color: red;">Extreme</span></p>

### UT1 Hydrograph (9/21/06) - (12/6/06)

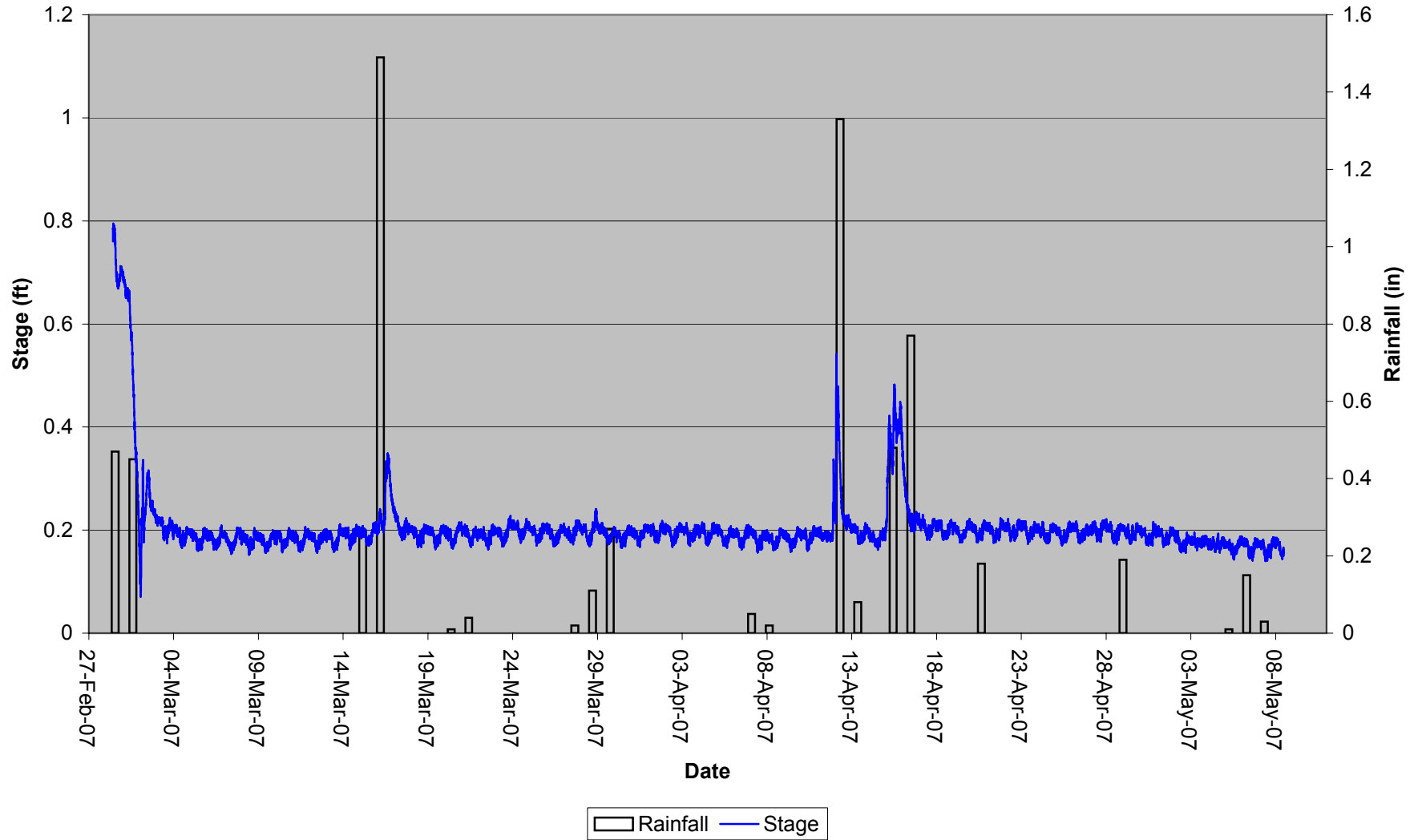




### UT1 Hydrograph (12/19/06) - (2/28/07)



### UT1 Hydrograph (2/28/07) - (5/8/07)



Appendix D  
Reference Reach Data



## Collins Creek Reference Site

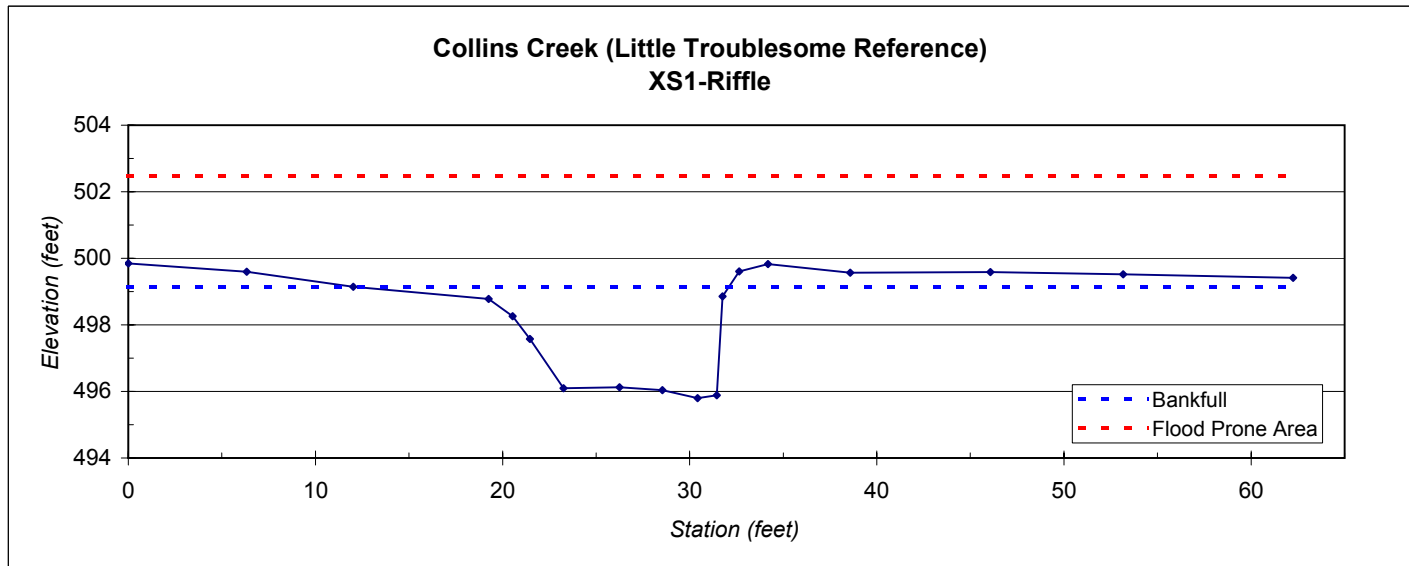
<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	Collins Creek (Little Troublesome Ref
<b>XS ID</b>	XS1 Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	
<b>Date:</b>	12/27/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. Spiller, B. Roberts



**Stream Type:** E4

Station	Elevation
0.0	499.84
6.3	499.59
12.0	499.14
19.3	498.78
20.5	498.26
21.5	497.58
23.3	496.09
26.2	496.12
28.5	496.04
30.4	495.80
31.4	495.89
31.8	498.85
32.6	499.61
34.2	499.83
38.6	499.57
46.1	499.59
53.2	499.52
62.2	499.41

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	499.14
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	33.4
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	20.1
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	502.48
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	>60
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	3.34
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.66
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	12.1
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	3.0
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	0.89
<b>Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.003
<b>Discharge (cfs)</b>	114



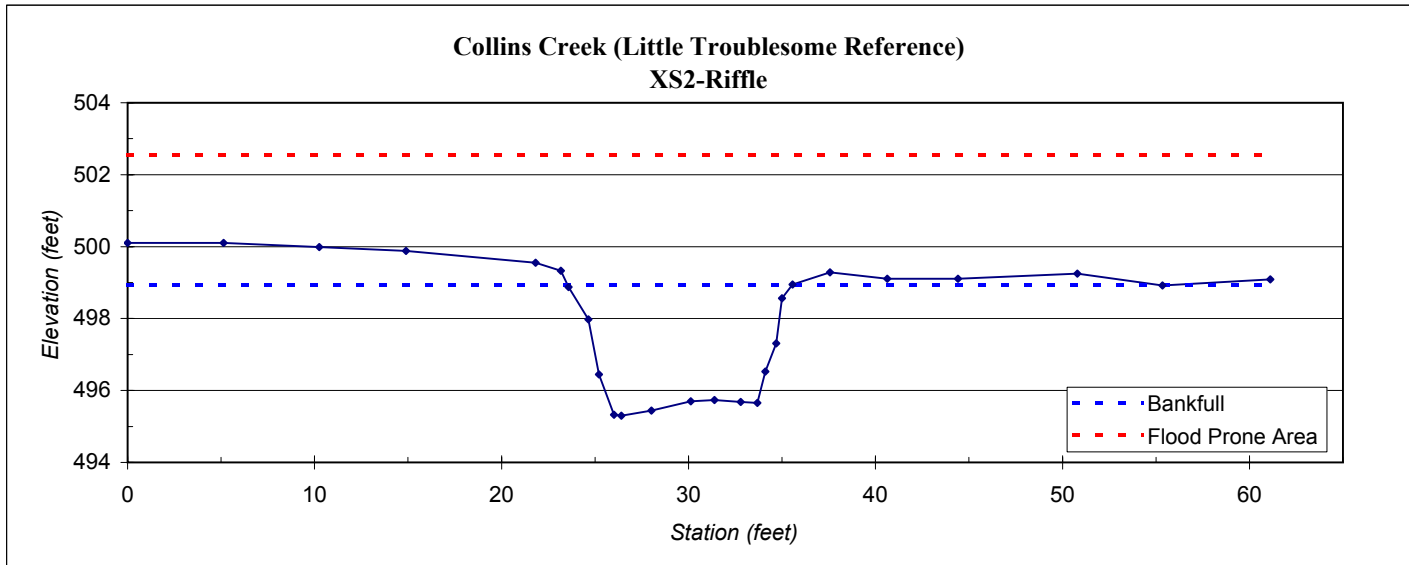
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<b>Watershed:</b>	Collins Creek (Little Troublesome Ref
<b>XS ID</b>	XS2 Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	
<b>Date:</b>	12/27/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. Spiller, B. Roberts

Station	Elevation
0.0	500.11
5.1	500.11
10.2	499.99
14.9	499.88
21.8	499.55
23.2	499.33
23.6	498.88
24.6	497.97
25.2	496.44
26.0	495.33
26.4	495.30
28.0	495.44
30.1	495.70
31.4	495.73
32.8	495.68
33.7	495.65
34.1	496.53
34.7	497.31
35.0	498.56
35.6	498.95
37.6	499.28
40.6	499.10
44.4	499.11
50.79	499.25
55.34	498.92
61.12	499.09

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	498.92
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	32.4
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	11.9
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	502.54
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	>60
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	3.62
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	2.72
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	4.4
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	5.0
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.10
<b>Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.003
<b>Discharge (cfs)</b>	141



<b>Stream Type:</b>	E4
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**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	
fine sand	0.13 0.25	
medium sand	0.25 0.5	7
coarse sand	0.5 1	23
very coarse sand	1 2	22
very fine gravel	2 4	
fine gravel	4 6	9
fine gravel	6 8	5
medium gravel	8 11	10
medium gravel	11 16	8
coarse gravel	16 22	8
coarse gravel	22 32	7
very coarse gravel	32 45	
very coarse gravel	45 64	1
small cobble	64 90	
medium cobble	90 128	
large cobble	128 180	
very large cobble	180 256	
small boulder	256 362	
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

total count: 100

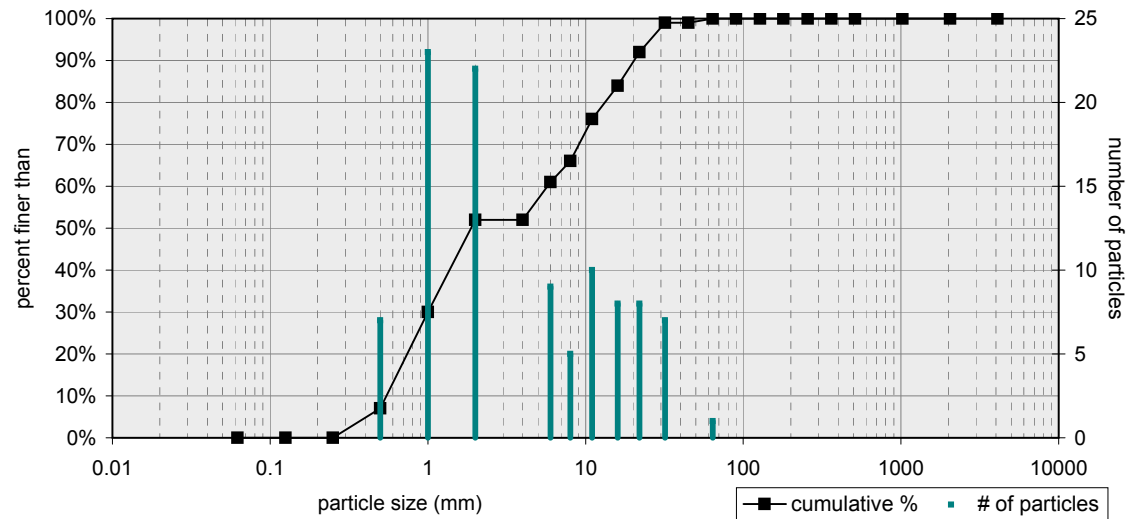
Riffle Pebble Count,

Collins Creek (Little Troublesome Reference)

Cape Fear

Note: Riffle XS2

Riffle Pebble Count, Collins Creek (Little Troublesome Reference)



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	gradation	geo mean	std dev
	0.656	1.17	1.9	8	16	26	5.7	3.2	4.9
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	0%	52%	48%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

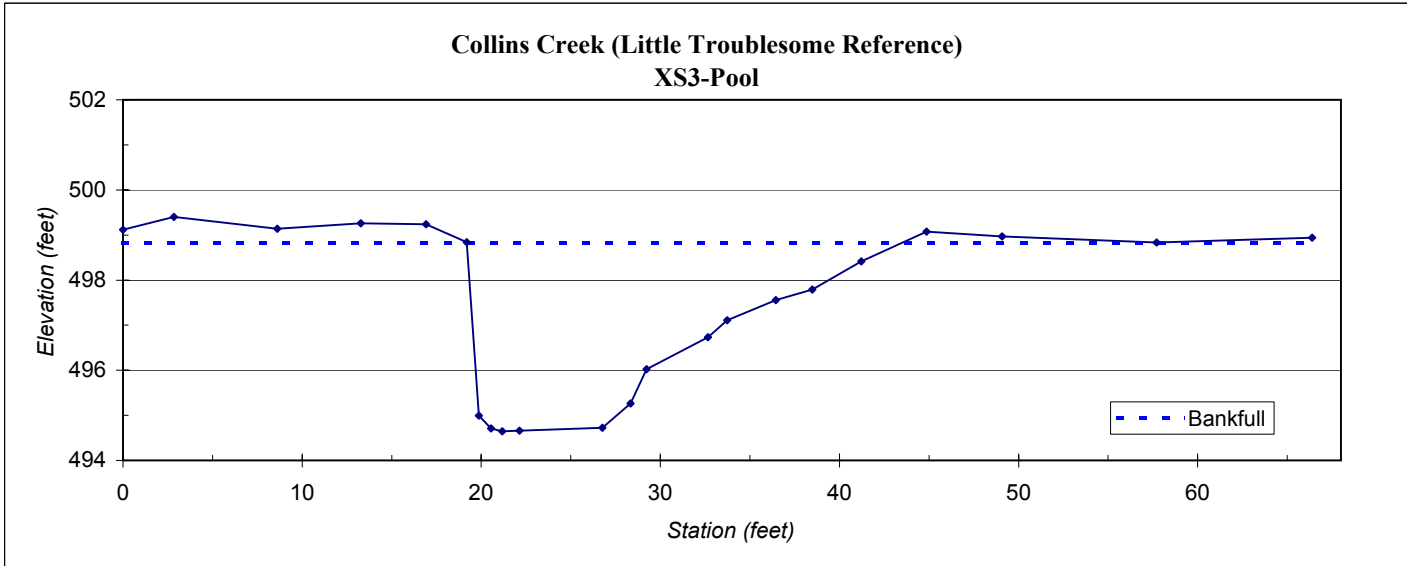
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<b>Watershed:</b>	Collins Creek (Little Troublesome Ref
<b>XS ID</b>	XS3 Pool
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	
<b>Date:</b>	12/27/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. Spiller, B. Roberts

Station	Elevation
0.0	499.12
2.8	499.40
8.6	499.14
13.3	499.26
16.9	499.24
19.2	498.84
19.9	494.99
20.5	494.71
21.2	494.64
22.1	494.66
26.8	494.72
28.3	495.26
29.2	496.02
32.7	496.74
33.7	497.11
36.4	497.56
38.5	497.79
41.2	498.41
44.9	499.08
49.1	498.97
57.7	498.83
66.4	498.94

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	498.83
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	57.9
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	24.3
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	-
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	-
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	4.19
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	2.4
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.003
<b>Discharge (cfs)</b>	



**Stream Type:** E4



**Pool Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)		Count
silt/clay	0	0.062	12
very fine sand	0.062	0.13	5
fine sand	0.13	0.25	1
medium sand	0.25	0.5	16
coarse sand	0.5	1	6
very coarse sand	1	2	7
very fine gravel	2	4	4
fine gravel	4	6	5
fine gravel	6	8	5
medium gravel	8	11	5
medium gravel	11	16	9
coarse gravel	16	22	3
coarse gravel	22	32	5
very coarse gravel	32	45	6
very coarse gravel	45	64	7
small cobble	64	90	3
medium cobble	90	128	
large cobble	128	180	1
very large cobble	180	256	
small boulder	256	362	
small boulder	362	512	
medium boulder	512	1024	
large boulder	1024	2048	
very large boulder	2048	4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

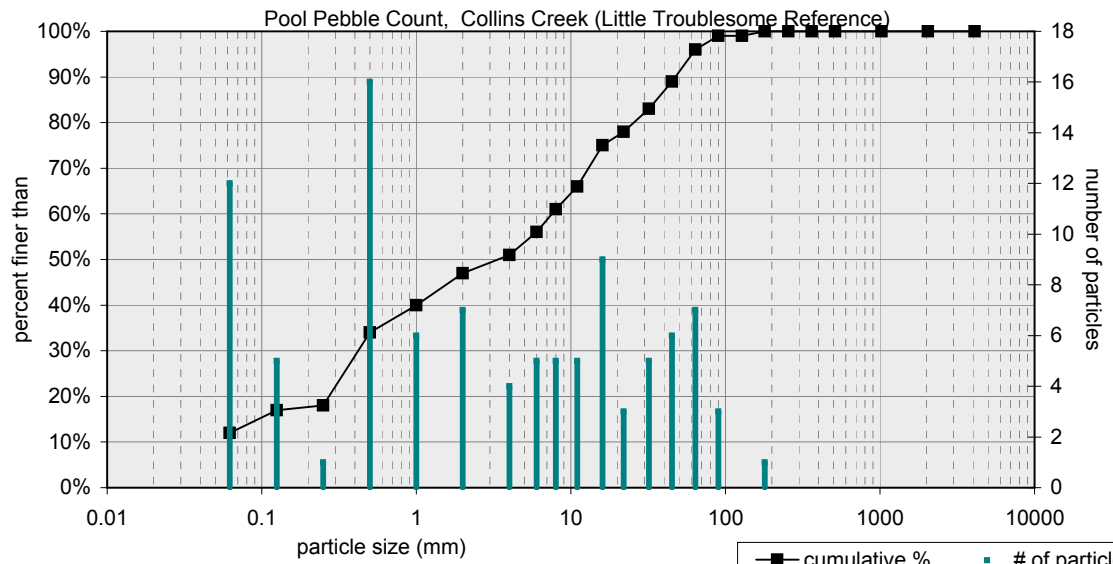
total count: 100

Pool Pebble Count,

Collins Creek (Little Troublesome Reference)

Cape Fear

Note:

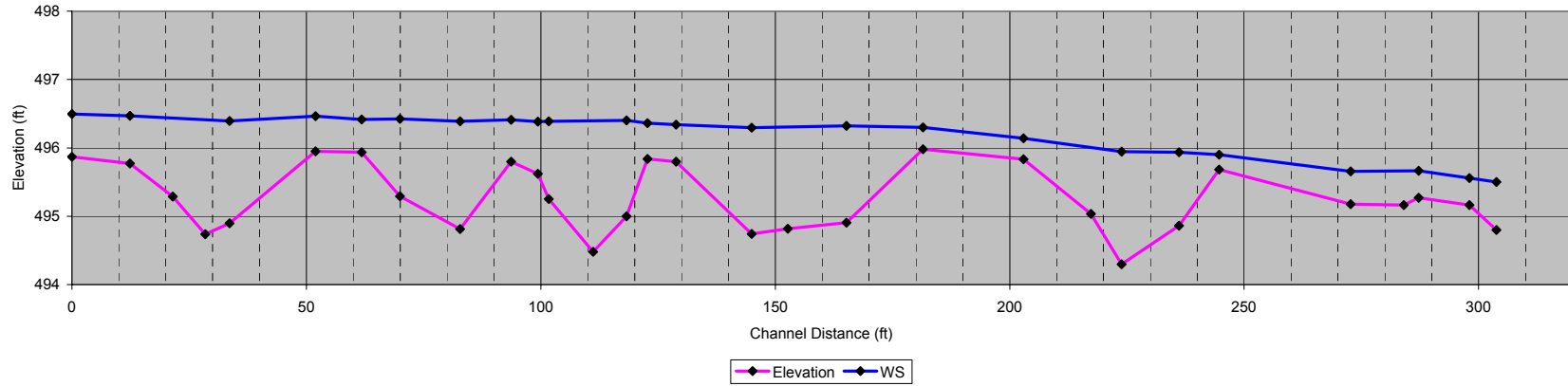


based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution gradation		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	geo mean	std dev	
	0.109	0.56	3.4	10	34	61	20.5	1.9	17.7
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	12%	35%	49%	4%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%



Slope Profile

Collins Creek (Little Troublesome Reference Reach)



		Elevation BM: 100																	
notes	inc distance	station	BS	HI	FS TP	FS bed	depth water	FS LB	FS RB	FS BKF	FS WS	AZ azimuth	ELEV bed	ELEV water srf	ELEV LF	ELEV RB	ELEV BKF	ELEV WS	
		0.0		100									495.8693						496.4937
Begin Pool	12.4	12.4		100									495.772						496.4671
	9.1	21.5		100									495.2886						
	6.9	28.4		100									494.7391						
End Pool	5.2	33.6		100									494.895						496.3907
Begin Riffle	18.3	52.0		100									495.9509						496.4619
End Riffle	9.8	61.8		100									495.9354						496.4138
Begin Pool	8.1	69.9		100									495.2926						496.426
End Pool	12.8	82.8		100									494.812						496.3869
Begin Riffle	10.9	93.6		100									495.7976						496.4113
End Riffle	5.7	99.3		100									495.6188						496.3838
Begin Pool	2.3	101.7		100									495.251						496.3891
	9.5	111.2		100									494.4782						
End Pool	7.1	118.3		100									495.0004						496.4004
Begin Riffle	4.5	122.8		100									495.8361						496.3606
End Riffle	6.1	128.9		100									495.7999						496.3401
Begin Pool	16.1	145.0		100									494.7427						496.2961
	7.7	152.7		100									494.8161						
End Pool	12.5	165.2		100									494.9066						496.3209
Begin Riffle	16.4	181.5		100									495.9798						496.2985
End Riffle	21.4	202.9		100									495.8352						496.1402
	14.4	217.3		100									495.0338						
Begin Pool	6.6	223.9		100									494.2961						495.9434
End Pool	12.2	236.1		100									494.8633						495.9376
Begin Riffle	8.6	244.7		100									495.6824						495.9015
End Riffle	28.0	272.7		100									495.1772						495.6558
	11.4	284.0		100									495.1644						
Begin Riffle	3.2	287.2		100									495.2709						495.6652
End Riffle	10.8	298.0		100									495.1633						495.5587
Begin Pool	5.8	303.8		100									494.7974						495.5013



Reference Reach Collins Creek



01.JPG



02.JPG



03.JPG



04.JPG

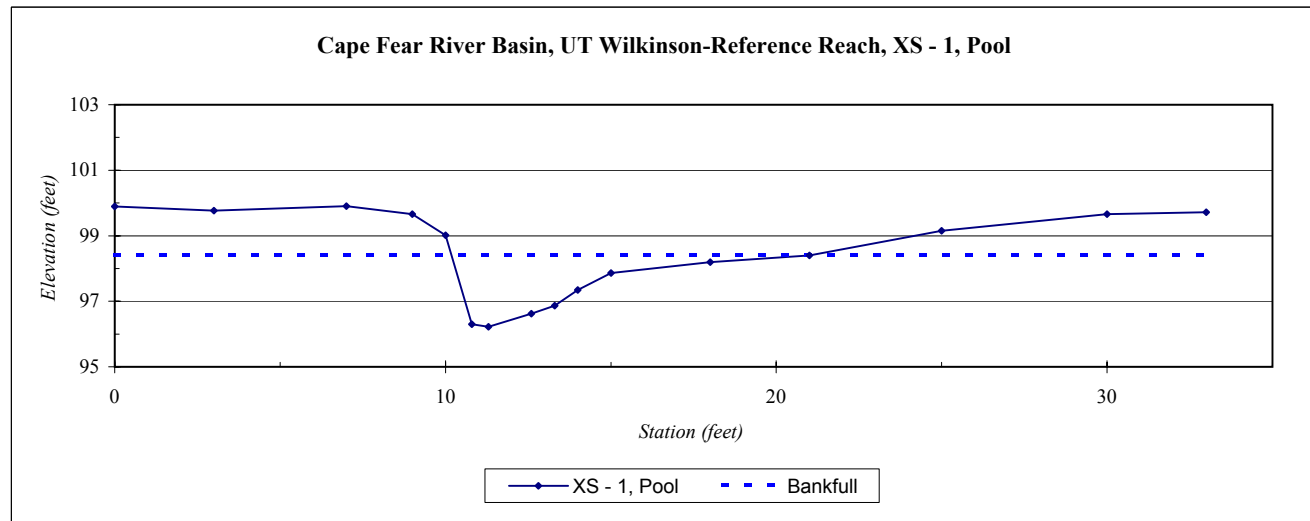
## UT to Wilkinson Reference Site



<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	UT Wilkinson-Reference Reach
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 1, Pool
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.145
<b>Date:</b>	5/9/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French

Station	Elevation
0	99.89
3	99.77
7	99.90
9	99.66
10	99.01
10.8	96.30
11.3	96.22
12.6	96.62
13.3	96.87
14	97.34
15	97.86
18	98.19
21	98.40
25	99.15
30	99.66
33	99.72

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	98.4
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	8.6
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	10.8
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	-
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	-
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	2.2
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.8
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.018



**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	<b>26</b>
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	<b>2</b>
fine sand	0.13 0.25	<b>25</b>
medium sand	0.25 0.5	<b>19</b>
coarse sand	0.5 1	<b>2</b>
very coarse sand	1 2	<b>19</b>
very fine gravel	2 4	<b>1</b>
fine gravel	4 6	<b>4</b>
fine gravel	6 8	
medium gravel	8 11	<b>1</b>
medium gravel	11 16	
coarse gravel	16 22	<b>1</b>
coarse gravel	22 32	
very coarse gravel	32 45	
very coarse gravel	45 64	
small cobble	64 90	
medium cobble	90 128	
large cobble	128 180	
very large cobble	180 256	
small boulder	256 362	
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

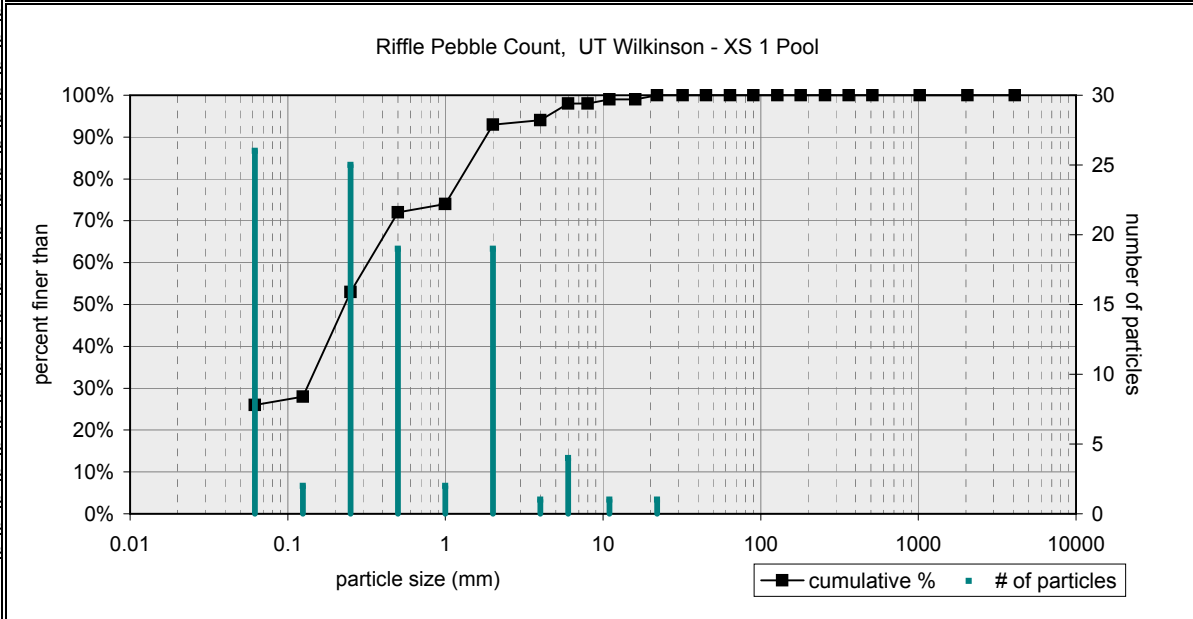
bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

total count: 100

Riffle Pebble Count,

UT Wilkinson - XS 1 Pool  
Cape Fear

Note: **XS 1**



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	gradation	geo mean	std dev
	0.062	0.15	0.2	0	1	4	5.0	0.3	4.8
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	26%	67%	7%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	UT Wilkinson-Reference Reach
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 2, Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.145
<b>Date:</b>	5/9/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French

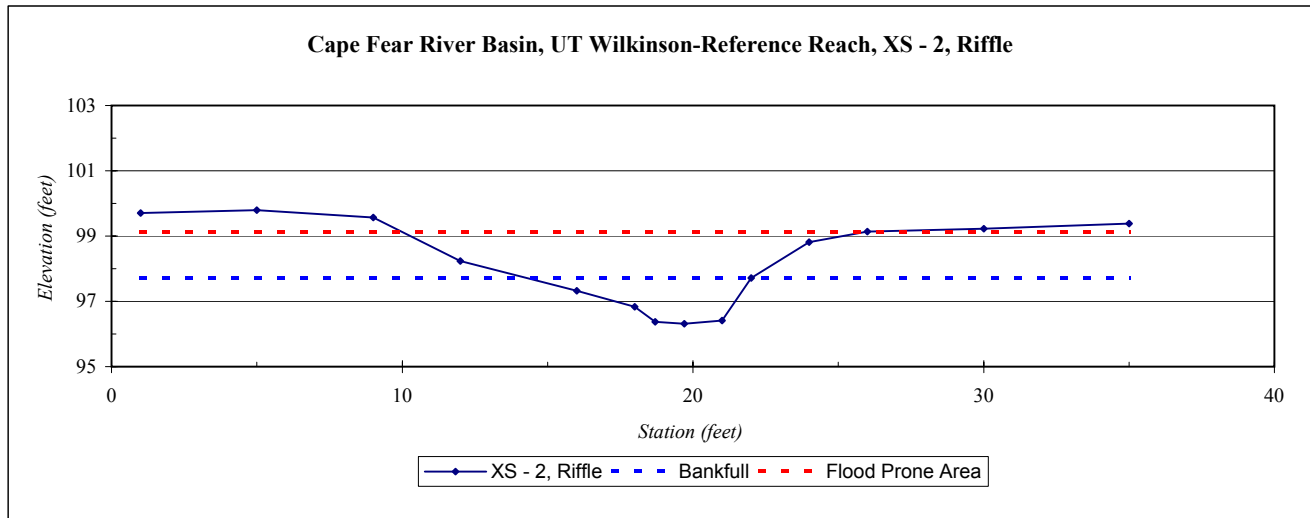
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5	99.80
9	99.57
12	98.23
16	97.33
18	96.84
18.7	96.37
19.7	96.32
21	96.41
22	97.72
24	98.81
26	99.13
30	99.22
35	99.38

**SUMMARY DATA**

<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	97.7
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	6.2
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	7.7
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	99.1
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	16.0
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.4
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.8
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	9.6
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	2.1
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	2.0
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.018



**Cape Fear River Basin, UT Wilkinson-Reference Reach, XS - 2, Riffle**





**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	
fine sand	0.13 0.25	3
medium sand	0.25 0.5	9
coarse sand	0.5 1	
very coarse sand	1 2	12
very fine gravel	2 4	13
fine gravel	4 6	19
fine gravel	6 8	6
medium gravel	8 11	24
medium gravel	11 16	12
coarse gravel	16 22	2
coarse gravel	22 32	
very coarse gravel	32 45	
very coarse gravel	45 64	
small cobble	64 90	
medium cobble	90 128	
large cobble	128 180	
very large cobble	180 256	
small boulder	256 362	
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

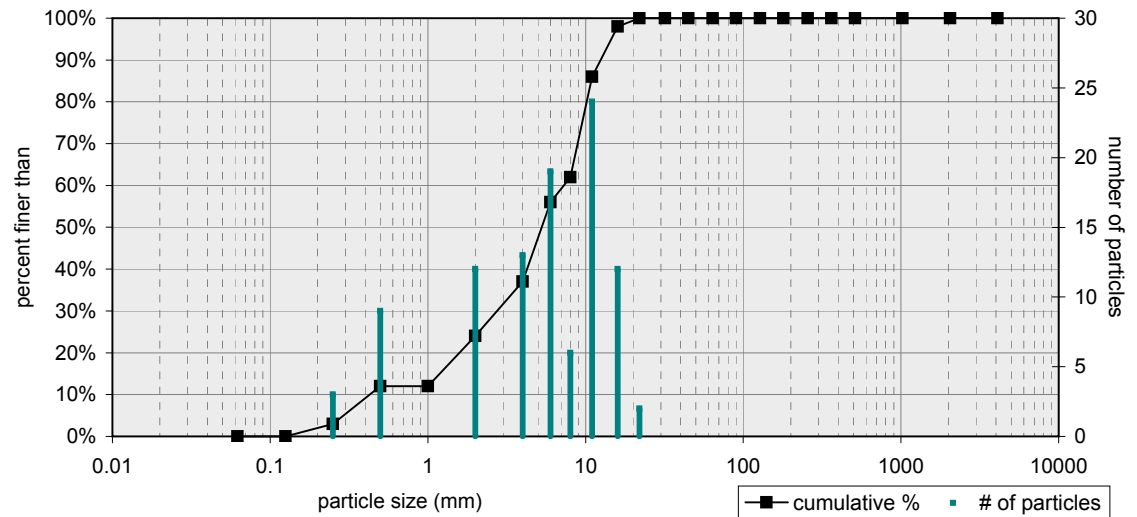
total count: 100

Riffle Pebble Count,

UT Wilkinson - XS 2 Riffle  
Cape Fear

Note: **XS 2**

Riffle Pebble Count, UT Wilkinson - XS 2 Riffle

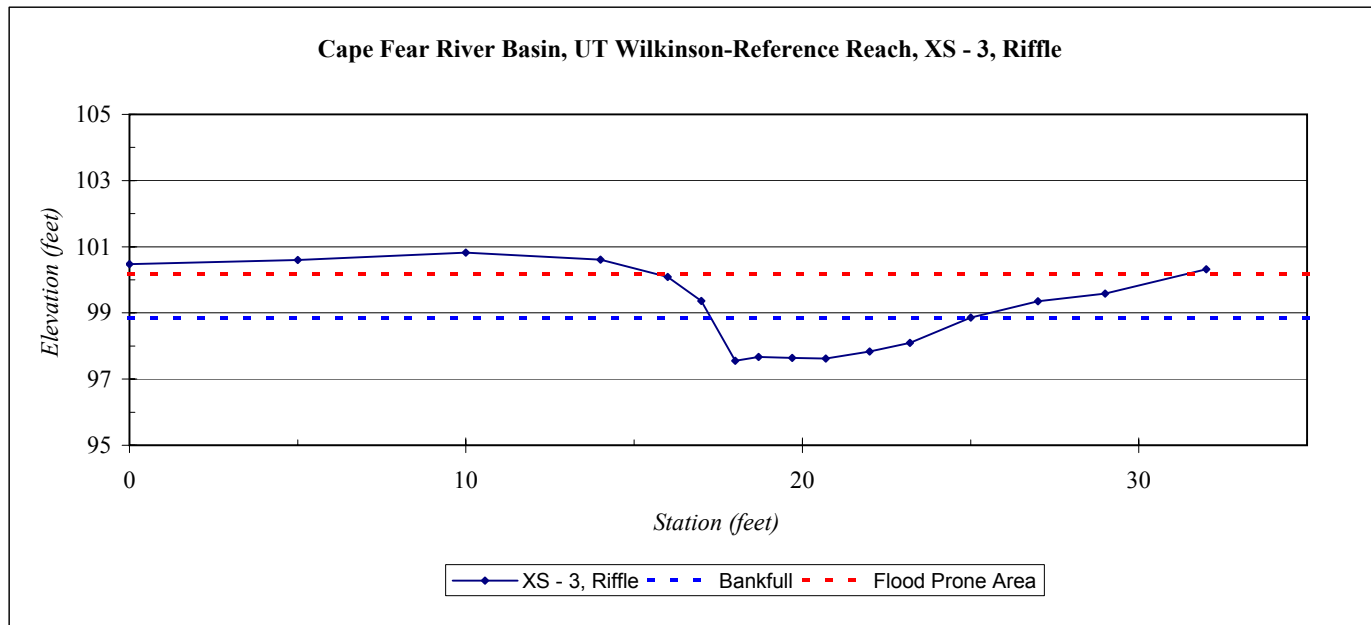


based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	gradation	geo mean	std dev
	1.260	3.60	5.3	8	11	15	3.1	3.7	2.9
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	0%	24%	76%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	UT Wilkinson-Reference Reach
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 3, Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.145
<b>Date:</b>	5/9/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French

Station	Elevation
0	100.47
5	100.60
10	100.82
14	100.61
16	100.09
17	99.36
18	97.56
18.7	97.67
19.7	97.64
20.7	97.63
22	97.83
23.2	98.10
25	98.86
27	99.35
29	99.59
32	100.32
35	100.97
39	101.20

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	98.9
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	7.0
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	7.7
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	100.2
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	16.0
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.3
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.9
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	8.5
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	2.1
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	2.3
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.018



**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)		Count
silt/clay	0	0.062	3
very fine sand	0.062	0.13	1
fine sand	0.13	0.25	4
medium sand	0.25	0.5	
coarse sand	0.5	1	1
very coarse sand	1	2	
very fine gravel	2	4	10
fine gravel	4	6	10
fine gravel	6	8	7
medium gravel	8	11	22
medium gravel	11	16	22
coarse gravel	16	22	16
coarse gravel	22	32	4
very coarse gravel	32	45	
very coarse gravel	45	64	
small cobble	64	90	
medium cobble	90	128	
large cobble	128	180	
very large cobble	180	256	
small boulder	256	362	
small boulder	362	512	
medium boulder	512	1024	
large boulder	1024	2048	
very large boulder	2048	4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

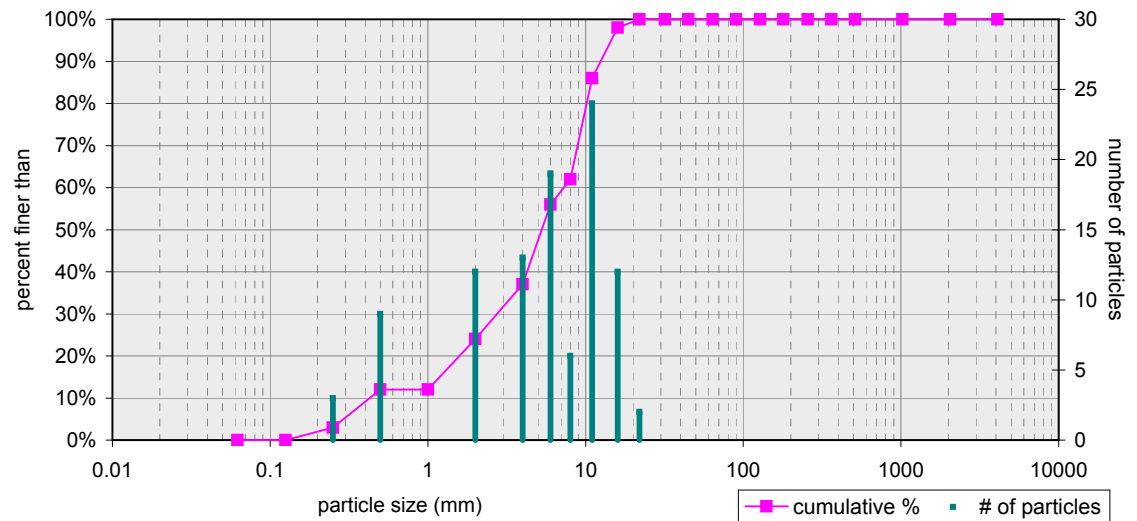
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UT Wilkinson - XS 3 Riffle

Cape Fear

Note: XS 3

Riffle Pebble Count, UT Wilkinson - XS 2 Riffle



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution gradation		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	geo mean	std dev	
	5.102	10.32	13.3	17	23	35	2.2	10.9	2.1
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	0%	12%	87%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%



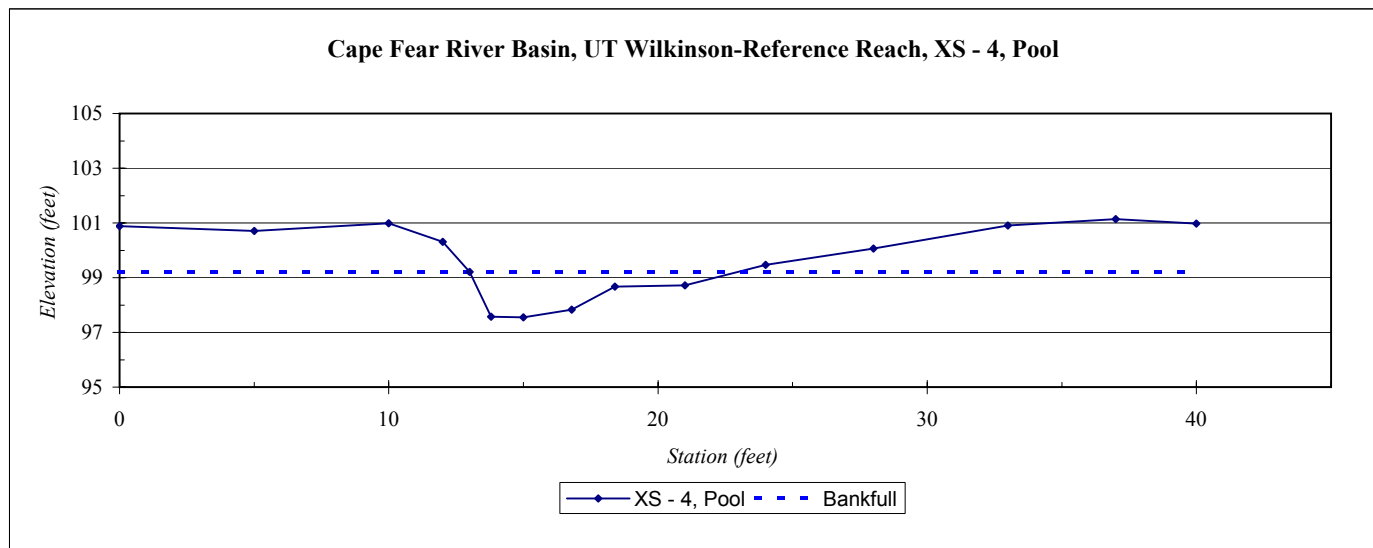
<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	UT Wilkinson-Reference Reach
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 4, Pool
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.145
<b>Date:</b>	5/9/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French

Station	Elevation
0	100.88
5	100.71
10	100.98
12	100.31
13	99.22
13.8	97.58
15	97.55
16.8	97.84
18.4	98.67
21	98.72
24	99.47
28	100.07
33	100.90
37	101.15
40	100.98

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	99.2
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	8.8
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	10.0
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	-
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	-
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.7
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.9
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	-
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.018



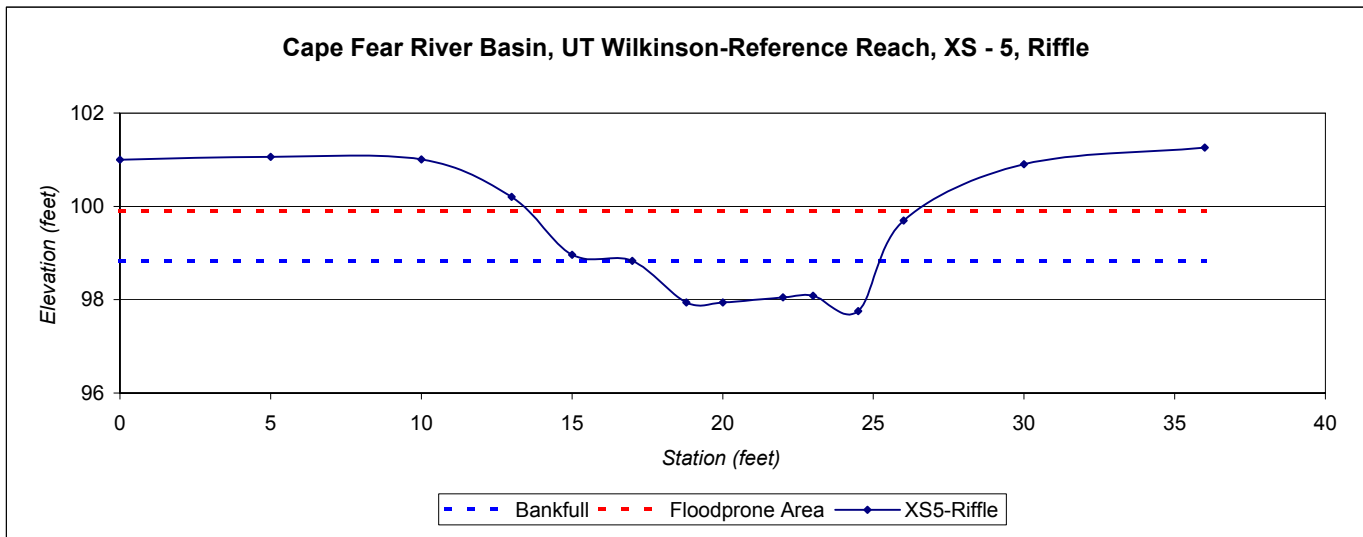
Cape Fear River Basin, UT Wilkinson-Reference Reach, XS - 4, Pool



<b>River Basin:</b>	Cape Fear
<b>Watershed:</b>	UT Wilkinson-Reference Reach
<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 5, Riffle
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	0.145
<b>Date:</b>	5/9/2006
<b>Field Crew:</b>	A. Helms, A. French

Station	Elevation
0.00	101.00
5.00	101.06
10.00	101.01
13.00	100.20
15.00	98.96
17.00	98.83
18.80	97.94
20.00	97.94
22.00	98.05
23.00	98.08
24.50	97.75
26.00	99.70
30.00	100.90
36.00	101.26

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	98.8
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	6.1
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	8.3
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	99.9
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	13.0
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	1.1
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	0.7
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	11.4
<b>Entrenchment Ratio:</b>	1.6
<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	2.7
<b>Water Surface Slope (ft/ft):</b>	0.018



**Riffle Pebble Count**

Material	Size Range (mm)	Count
silt/clay	0 0.062	
very fine sand	0.062 0.13	10
fine sand	0.13 0.25	17
medium sand	0.25 0.5	8
coarse sand	0.5 1	7
very coarse sand	1 2	9
very fine gravel	2 4	8
fine gravel	4 6	4
fine gravel	6 8	3
medium gravel	8 11	5
medium gravel	11 16	2
coarse gravel	16 22	4
coarse gravel	22 32	
very coarse gravel	32 45	
very coarse gravel	45 64	
small cobble	64 90	1
medium cobble	90 128	3
large cobble	128 180	10
very large cobble	180 256	5
small boulder	256 362	4
small boulder	362 512	
medium boulder	512 1024	
large boulder	1024 2048	
very large boulder	2048 4096	

total particle count: 100

bedrock		
clay hardpan		
detritus/wood		
artificial		

total count: 100

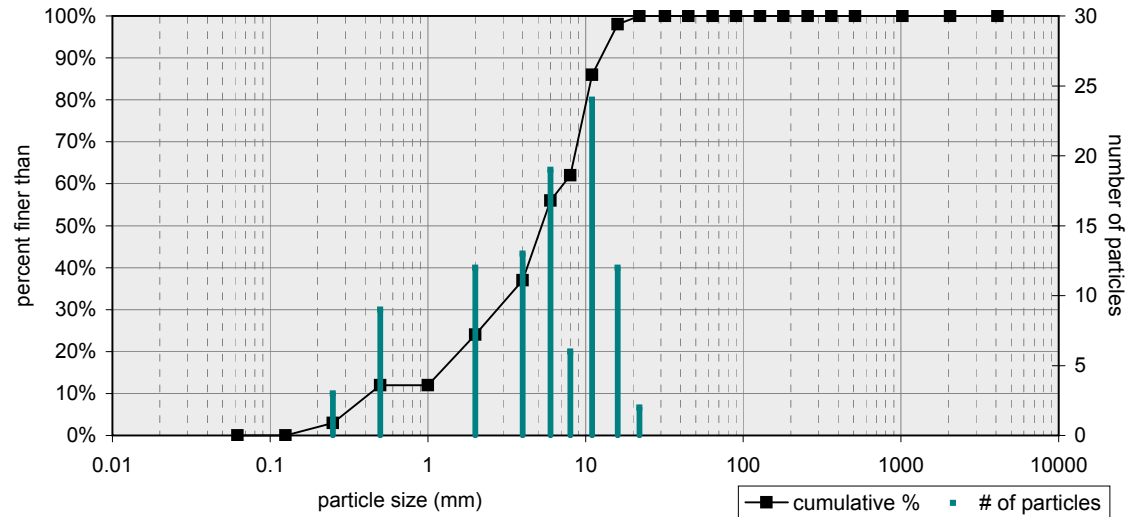
Riffle Pebble Count,

UT Wilkinson - XS 5 Riffle

Cape Fear

Note: XS 5

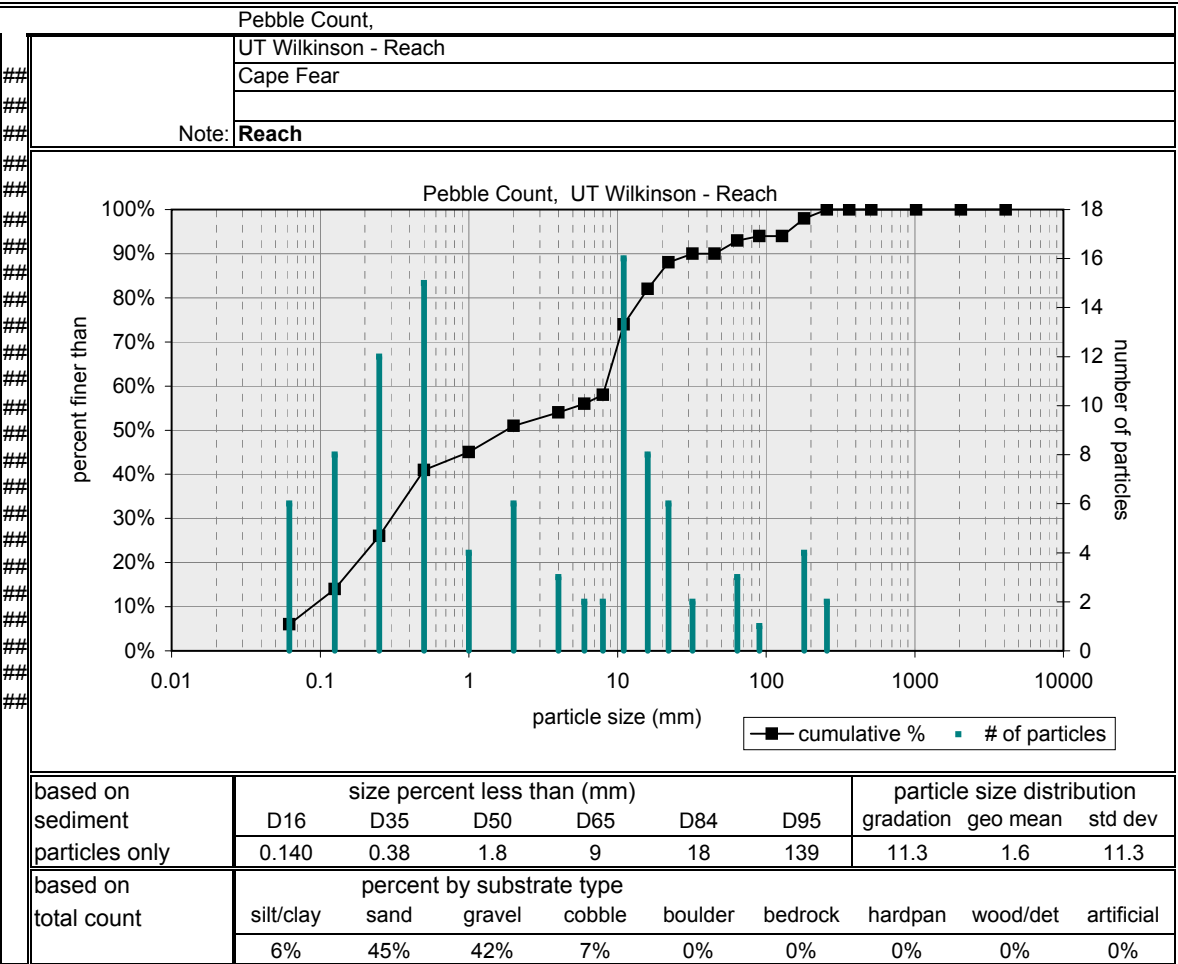
Riffle Pebble Count, UT Wilkinson - XS 2 Riffle



based on sediment particles only	size percent less than (mm)						particle size distribution		
	D16	D35	D50	D65	D84	D95	gradation	geo mean	std dev
	5.102	10.32	13.3	17	23	35	2.2	10.9	2.1
based on total count	percent by substrate type								
	silt/clay	sand	gravel	cobble	boulder	bedrock	hardpan	wood/det	artificial
	0%	12%	87%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%



Pebble Count of Channel Reach			
Material	Size Range (mm)		Count
silt/clay	0	0.062	6
very fine sand	0.062	0.13	8
fine sand	0.13	0.25	12
medium sand	0.25	0.5	15
coarse sand	0.5	1	4
very coarse sand	1	2	6
very fine gravel	2	4	3
fine gravel	4	6	2
fine gravel	6	8	2
medium gravel	8	11	16
medium gravel	11	16	8
coarse gravel	16	22	6
coarse gravel	22	32	2
very coarse gravel	32	45	
very coarse gravel	45	64	3
small cobble	64	90	1
medium cobble	90	128	
large cobble	128	180	4
very large cobble	180	256	2
small boulder	256	362	
small boulder	362	512	
medium boulder	512	1024	
large boulder	1024	2048	
very large boulder	2048	4096	
total particle count:			100
bedrock			
clay hardpan			
detritus/wood			
artificial			
total count:			100







Reference Reach UT to Wilkinson



01.JPG



02.JPG



03.JPG



04.JPG



Appendix E  
USACE Wetland Determination Forms and Wetland Map

**DATA FORM**  
**ROUTINE WETLAND DETERMINATION**  
**(1987 COE Wetlands Determination Manual)**

<b>Project / Site:</b> <u>Little Troublesome Creek</u> <b>Applicant / Owner:</b> _____ <b>Investigator:</b> <u>SFS</u>	<b>Date:</b> <u>9-6-06</u> <b>County:</b> <u>Rockingham</u> <b>State:</b> <u>NC</u>
<b>Do normal circumstances exist on the site?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Is the site significantly disturbed (Atypical situation)?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Is the area a potential problem area?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (explain on reverse if needed)	<b>Community ID:</b> _____ <b>Transect ID:</b> _____ <b>Plot ID:</b> <u>W4-1A</u>

**VEGETATION**

<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>	<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>
1. <u>Boehmeria cylindrica</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>FACW+</u>	9. _____	_____	_____
2. <u>Peltandra virginica</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>OBL</u>	10. _____	_____	_____
3. <u>Impatiens capensis</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>FACW</u>	11. _____	_____	_____
4. <u>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>FACW</u>	12. _____	_____	_____
5. <u>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>FACW</u>	13. _____	_____	_____
6. <u>Acer rubrum</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>FAC</u>	14. _____	_____	_____
7. <u>Nyssa sylvatica</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>FAC</u>	15. _____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	16. _____	_____	_____

Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC excluding FAC-). 100%

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

<input type="checkbox"/> Recorded Data (Describe In Remarks): <input type="checkbox"/> Stream, Lake, or Tide Gauge <input type="checkbox"/> Aerial Photographs <input type="checkbox"/> Other  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Recorded Data Available  <b>Field Observations:</b>  Depth of Surface Water: _____(in.)  Depth to Free Water in Pit: _____(in.)  Depth to Saturated Soil: _____(in.)	<b>Wetland Hydrology Indicators</b>  <b>Primary Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Inundated <input type="checkbox"/> Saturated in Upper 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks <input type="checkbox"/> Drift Lines <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns in Wetlands  <b>Secondary Indicators:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Roots Channels in Upper 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves <input type="checkbox"/> Local Soil Survey Data <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
Remarks:	

# SOILS

<b>Map Unit Name</b> (Series and Phase): <u>Wehadkee Variant</u> <b>Drainage Class:</b> <u>Poorly</u>					
<b>Taxonomy (Subgroup):</b> <u>Fluvaquentic Endoaquepts</u> <b>Confirm Mapped Type? Yes</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
<b>Profile Description:</b>					
Depth (inches)	Horizon	Matrix Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Abundance/Contrast	Texture, Concretions, Structure, etc.
<u>0-5</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>10YR 3/2</u>			<u>sil-l, 1fgr</u>
<u>5-12</u>	<u>Cg1</u>	<u>10YR 5/2</u>	<u>7.5YR 4/6 c2d</u>		<u>sicl, massive</u>
<u>12-18</u>	<u>Cg2</u>	<u>10YR 5/1</u>	<u>10YR 5/2 c2d</u>		<u>sil, massive</u>
<b>Hydric Soil Indicators:</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol		<input type="checkbox"/> Concretions			
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon		<input type="checkbox"/> High Organic Content in Surface Layer in Sandy Soils			
<input type="checkbox"/> Sulfidic Odor		<input type="checkbox"/> Organic Streaking in Sandy Soils			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aquic Moisture Regime		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Listed On Local Hydric Soils List			
<input type="checkbox"/> Reducing Conditions		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Listed on National Hydric Soils List			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gleyed or Low-Chroma Colors		<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)			
<b>Remarks:</b> Sediment deposition high. Accumulated partially decomposed plant materials in 5-18" zone. Two springs feed this wetland.					

## WETLAND DETERMINATION

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampling Point
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Within a Wetland? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Hydric Soils Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Remarks:</b>		



**DATA FORM**  
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<b>Do normal circumstances exist on the site?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No _____ <b>Is the site significantly disturbed (Atypical situation)?</b> Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Is the area a potential problem area?</b> Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (explain on reverse if needed)	<b>Community ID:</b> _____ <b>Transect ID:</b> _____ <b>Plot ID:</b> <u>W1-1A</u>

**VEGETATION**

<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>	<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>
1. <u>Murdannia keisak</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>OBL</u>	9. _____	_____	_____
2. <u>Boehmeria cylindrica</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>FACW+</u>	10. _____	_____	_____
3. <u>Peltandra virginica</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>OBL</u>	11. _____	_____	_____
4. <u>Acer rubrum</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>FAC</u>	12. _____	_____	_____
5. <u>Acer rubrum</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>FAC</u>	13. _____	_____	_____
6. <u>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>FACW</u>	14. _____	_____	_____
7. <u>Ulmus americana</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>FACW-</u>	15. _____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	16. _____	_____	_____

Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC excluding FAC-). 100%

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

<p>___ Recorded Data (Describe In Remarks):          ___ Stream, Lake, or Tide Gauge          ___ Aerial Photographs          ___ Other</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Recorded Data Available</p> <p><b>Field Observations:</b></p> <p>Depth of Surface Water: _____(in.)</p> <p>Depth to Free Water in Pit: _____(in.)</p> <p>Depth to Saturated Soil: _____(in.)</p>	<p><b>Wetland Hydrology Indicators</b></p> <p><b>Primary Indicators:</b></p> <p>___ Inundated          ___ Saturated in Upper 12"          ___ Water Marks          ___ Drift Lines          ___ Sediment Deposits  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns in Wetlands</p> <p><b>Secondary Indicators:</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Roots Channels in Upper 12"          ___ Water-Stained Leaves  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Soil Survey Data          ___ FAC-Neutral Test          ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)</p>
<p>Remarks:</p>	

# SOILS

**Map Unit Name**  
**(Series and Phase):** Wehadkee **Drainage Class:** Poorly  
**Taxonomy (Subgroup):** Fluvaaqueptic Endoaquepts **Confirm Mapped Type? Yes**    **No** X

**Profile Description:**

Depth (inches)	Horizon	Matrix Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Abundance/Contrast	Texture, Concretions, Structure, etc.
0-1	A	10YR 5/2			l, 1fgr
1-12	Bg1	10YR 5/2	7.5YR 4/4 c2d		cl, 1msbk
12-15	Bg2	10YR 5/2	7.5YR 4/4 m2d		cl-l, 1fsbk

**Hydric Soil Indicators:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> Concretions
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> High Organic Content in Surface Layer in Sandy Soils
<input type="checkbox"/> Sulfidic Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> Organic Streaking in Sandy Soils
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aquic Moisture Regime	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Listed On Local Hydric Soils List
<input type="checkbox"/> Reducing Conditions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Listed on National Hydric Soils List
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gleyed or Low-Chroma Colors	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)

**Remarks:**

## WETLAND DETERMINATION

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <u>X</u> No <u>  </u>	Is the Sampling Point	
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>X</u> No <u>  </u>	Within a Wetland?	Yes <u>X</u> No <u>  </u>
Hydric Soils Present?	Yes <u>X</u> No <u>  </u>		

**Remarks:**

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<b>Do normal circumstances exist on the site?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No _____ <b>Is the site significantly disturbed (Atypical situation)?</b> Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Is the area a potential problem area?</b> Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (explain on reverse if needed)	<b>Community ID:</b> _____ <b>Transect ID:</b> _____ <b>Plot ID:</b> <u>W1-1B</u>

**VEGETATION**

<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>	<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>
1. <u>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</u>	<u>2</u>	_____	9. _____	_____	_____
<u>FACW</u>	_____	_____	10. _____	_____	_____
2. <u>Betula nigra</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>FACW</u>	11. _____	_____	_____
3. <u>Rosa multiflora</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>FACU</u>	12. _____	_____	_____
4. <u>Lonicera japonica</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>FAC-</u>	13. _____	_____	_____
5. <u>Boehmeria cylindrica</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>FACW+</u>	14. _____	_____	_____
6. <u>Solanum carolinense</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>UPL</u>	15. _____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____	16. _____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____			
<b>Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC excluding FAC-).</b> <u>50%</u>					
<b>Remarks:</b>					

**HYDROLOGY**

<p>___ Recorded Data (Describe In Remarks):          ___ Stream, Lake, or Tide Gauge          ___ Aerial Photographs          ___ Other</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Recorded Data Available</p> <p><b>Field Observations:</b></p> <p>Depth of Surface Water: _____ (in.)</p> <p>Depth to Free Water in Pit: _____ (in.)</p> <p>Depth to Saturated Soil: <u>&gt;15</u> (in.)</p>	<p><b>Wetland Hydrology Indicators</b></p> <p><b>Primary Indicators:</b></p> <p>___ Inundated          ___ Saturated in Upper 12"          ___ Water Marks          ___ Drift Lines          ___ Sediment Deposits          ___ Drainage Patterns in Wetlands</p> <p><b>Secondary Indicators:</b></p> <p>___ Oxidized Roots Channels in Upper 12"          ___ Water-Stained Leaves          ___ Local Soil Survey Data          ___ FAC-Neutral Test          ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)</p>
<b>Remarks:</b>	



# SOILS

**Map Unit Name**  
**(Series and Phase):** Chewacla Variant **Drainage Class:** Somewhat Poorly  
**Taxonomy (Subgroup):** Fluvaquentic Dystrudepts **Confirm Mapped Type? Yes**    **No**    **X**

**Profile Description:**

Depth (inches)	Horizon	Matrix Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Abundance/Contrast	Texture, Concretions, Structure, etc.
0-4	Ap	10YR 4/3			sl, 1 fgr
4-10	Bw1	10YR 5/4			l, 1 fskb
10-15	Bw2	10YR 6/6	10YR 7/1 flf		c, 1 fskb

**Hydric Soil Indicators:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> Concretions
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> High Organic Content in Surface Layer in Sandy Soils
<input type="checkbox"/> Sulfidic Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> Organic Streaking in Sandy Soils
<input type="checkbox"/> Aquic Moisture Regime	<input type="checkbox"/> Listed On Local Hydric Soils List
<input type="checkbox"/> Reducing Conditions	<input type="checkbox"/> Listed on National Hydric Soils List
<input type="checkbox"/> Gleyed or Low-Chroma Colors	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)

**Remarks:**  
Disturbed and possibly filled.

## WETLAND DETERMINATION

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <u>  </u> No <u>  </u> <b>X</b>	Is the Sampling Point	
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>  </u> No <u>  </u> <b>X</b>	Within a Wetland?	Yes <u>  </u> No <u>  </u> <b>X</b>
Hydric Soils Present?	Yes <u>  </u> No <u>  </u> <b>X</b>		

**Remarks:**

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<b>Do normal circumstances exist on the site?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Is the site significantly disturbed (Atypical situation)?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Is the area a potential problem area?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (explain on reverse if needed)	<b>Community ID:</b> _____ <b>Transect ID:</b> _____ <b>Plot ID:</b> <u>W3-1A</u>

**VEGETATION**

<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>	<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>
1. <u>Peltandra virginica</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>OBL</u>	9. _____	_____	_____
2. <u>Boehmeria cylindrica</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>FACW+</u>	10. _____	_____	_____
3. <u>Impatiens capensis</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>FACW</u>	11. _____	_____	_____
4. <u>Polygonum punctatum</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>FACW+</u>	12. _____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____	13. _____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____	14. _____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____	15. _____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____	16. _____	_____	_____

Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC excluding FAC-). 100%

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

<input type="checkbox"/> Recorded Data (Describe In Remarks): <input type="checkbox"/> Stream, Lake, or Tide Gauge <input type="checkbox"/> Aerial Photographs <input type="checkbox"/> Other  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Recorded Data Available  <b>Field Observations:</b>  Depth of Surface Water: _____(in.)  Depth to Free Water in Pit: _____(in.)  Depth to Saturated Soil: _____(in.)	<b>Wetland Hydrology Indicators</b>  <b>Primary Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Inundated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturated in Upper 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks <input type="checkbox"/> Drift Lines <input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits <input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns in Wetlands  <b>Secondary Indicators:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Roots Channels in Upper 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves <input type="checkbox"/> Local Soil Survey Data <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
Remarks:	

# SOILS

<b>Map Unit Name</b> (Series and Phase): <u>Wehadkee</u> <b>Drainage Class:</b> <u>Poorly</u>					
<b>Taxonomy (Subgroup):</b> <u>Fluvaquentic Endoaquepts</u> <b>Confirm Mapped Type? Yes</b> <u>  </u> <b>No</b> <u>X</u>					
<b>Profile Description:</b>					
Depth (inches)	Horizon	Matrix Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Abundance/Contrast	Texture, Concretions, Structure, etc.
<u>0-1</u>	<u>A1</u>	<u>10YR 5/2</u>	<u>7.5YR 4/6 c2d</u>		<u>l, lfg</u>
<u>1-5</u>	<u>Bg1</u>	<u>10YR 5/2</u>	<u>7.5YR 4/6 c2d</u>		<u>sic1-sic, 1msbk</u>
<u>5-11</u>	<u>Bg2</u>	<u>10YR 5/2</u>	<u>7.5YR 4/6 m2d</u>		<u>sic1, 1msbk</u>
<u>11-13</u>	<u>Bg3</u>	<u>2.5Y 5/3</u>	<u>2.5Y 5/2 c2f</u>		<u>sic1, 1msbk</u>
			<u>10YR 5/4 c2d</u>		
			<u>10YR 3/6 f1d</u>		
<u>13-20</u>	<u>Bg4</u>	<u>2.5Y 5/2</u>	<u>7.5YR 4/4 c2p</u>		<u>sic1, 1msbk</u>
<b>Hydric Soil Indicators:</b>					
<u>  </u> Histosol		<u>  </u> Concretions			
<u>  </u> Histic Epipedon		<u>  </u> High Organic Content in Surface Layer in Sandy Soils			
<u>  </u> Sulfidic Odor		<u>  </u> Organic Streaking in Sandy Soils			
<u>X</u> Aquic Moisture Regime		<u>X</u> Listed On Local Hydric Soils List			
<u>  </u> Reducing Conditions		<u>X</u> Listed on National Hydric Soils List			
<u>X</u> Gleyed or Low-Chroma Colors		<u>  </u> Other (Explain in Remarks)			
<b>Remarks:</b>					

## WETLAND DETERMINATION

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <u>X</u> No <u>  </u>	Is the Sampling Point Within a Wetland?	Yes <u>X</u> No <u>  </u>
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>X</u> No <u>  </u>		
Hydric Soils Present?	Yes <u>X</u> No <u>  </u>		
<b>Remarks:</b>			



**DATA FORM**  
**ROUTINE WETLAND DETERMINATION**  
**(1987 COE Wetlands Determination Manual)**

<b>Project / Site:</b> <u>Little Troublesome Creek</u> <b>Applicant / Owner:</b> _____ <b>Investigator:</b> <u>SFS</u>	<b>Date:</b> <u>9-6-06</u> <b>County:</b> <u>Rockingham</u> <b>State:</b> <u>NC</u>
<b>Do normal circumstances exist on the site?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No _____ <b>Is the site significantly disturbed (Atypical situation)?</b> Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Is the area a potential problem area?</b> Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (explain on reverse if needed)	<b>Community ID:</b> _____ <b>Transect ID:</b> _____ <b>Plot ID:</b> <u>W3-1B</u>

**VEGETATION**

<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>	<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>
1. <u>Vernonia noveboracensis</u>	<u>3</u>		9. _____		
<u>FAC+</u>			10. _____		
2. <u>Festuca arundinacea</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>FAC-</u>	11. _____		
3. <u>Microstegium vimineum</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>UPL</u>	12. _____		
4. <u>Platanus occidentalis</u>	<u>1</u>		13. _____		
<u>FACW-</u>			14. _____		
5. _____			15. _____		
6. _____			16. _____		
7. _____					
8. _____					
<b>Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC excluding FAC-:</b> <u>50%</u>					
<b>Remarks:</b> Old Pasture.					

**HYDROLOGY**

<b>Recorded Data (Describe In Remarks):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Stream, Lake, or Tide Gauge <input type="checkbox"/> Aerial Photographs <input type="checkbox"/> Other  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>No Recorded Data Available</b>	<b>Wetland Hydrology Indicators</b>  <b>Primary Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Inundated <input type="checkbox"/> Saturated in Upper 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks <input type="checkbox"/> Drift Lines <input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits <input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns in Wetlands  <b>Secondary Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Roots Channels in Upper 12" <input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves <input type="checkbox"/> Local Soil Survey Data <input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<b>Field Observations:</b>  <b>Depth of Surface Water:</b> _____ (in.)  <b>Depth to Free Water in Pit:</b> _____ (in.)  <b>Depth to Saturated Soil:</b> <u>&gt;20</u> (in.)	
<b>Remarks:</b>	

# SOILS

<b>Map Unit Name</b>					
<b>(Series and Phase):</b> <u>Pacolet Variant</u>		<b>Drainage Class:</b> <u>Well</u>			
<b>Taxonomy (Subgroup):</b> <u>Typic Kanhapludults</u>		<b>Confirm Mapped Type? Yes</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
<b>Profile Description:</b>					
Depth (inches)	Horizon	Matrix Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Abundance/Contrast	Texture, Concretions, Structure, etc.
<u>0-6</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>10YR 4/3</u>	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u>sl, 1fgr</u>
<u>6-15</u>	<u>Bt1</u>	<u>7.5YR 5/6</u>	<u>7.5YR 2.5/3 c2d</u>	<u></u>	<u>scl, 1fsbk</u>
<u>15-18</u>	<u>Bt2</u>	<u>10YR 5/4</u>	<u>10YR 4/4 c2d</u>	<u></u>	<u>sl w/ mica, 1fsbk</u>
<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u>&lt; 2% concretions</u>
<u>18-20</u>	<u>Bt3</u>	<u>7.5YR 5/4</u>	<u>7.5YR 4/4 c2d</u>	<u></u>	<u>scl, 1fsbk</u>
<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
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<b>Hydric Soil Indicators:</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol		<input type="checkbox"/> Concretions			
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon		<input type="checkbox"/> High Organic Content in Surface Layer in Sandy Soils			
<input type="checkbox"/> Sulfidic Odor		<input type="checkbox"/> Organic Streaking in Sandy Soils			
<input type="checkbox"/> Aquic Moisture Regime		<input type="checkbox"/> Listed On Local Hydric Soils List			
<input type="checkbox"/> Reducing Conditions		<input type="checkbox"/> Listed on National Hydric Soils List			
<input type="checkbox"/> Gleyed or Low-Chroma Colors		<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)			
<b>Remarks:</b>					

## WETLAND DETERMINATION

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Is the Sampling Point Within a Wetland?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Hydric Soils Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
<b>Remarks:</b>					

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Do normal circumstances exist on the site? Yes <u>X</u> No _____ Is the site significantly disturbed (Atypical situation)? Yes _____ No <u>X</u> Is the area a potential problem area? Yes _____ No <u>X</u> (explain on reverse if needed)	<b>Community ID:</b> _____ <b>Transect ID:</b> _____ <b>Plot ID:</b> <u>W4-1B</u>

**VEGETATION**

<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>	<u>Dominant Plant Species</u>	<u>Stratum</u>	<u>Indicator</u>
1. <u>Microstegium vimineum</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>UPL</u>	9. <u>Asimina triloba</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>FAC</u>
2. <u>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>FAC</u>	10. _____	_____	_____
3. <u>Lonicera japonica</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>FAC-</u>	11. _____	_____	_____
4. <u>Toxicodendron radicans</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>FAC</u>	12. _____	_____	_____
5. <u>Acer rubrum</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>FAC</u>	13. _____	_____	_____
6. <u>Cornus florida</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>FACU</u>	14. _____	_____	_____
7. <u>Liquidambar styraciflua</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>FAC+</u>	15. _____	_____	_____
8. <u>Nyssa sylvatica</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>FAC</u>	16. _____	_____	_____

Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC excluding FAC-). 66%

Remarks:

**HYDROLOGY**

<p>___ Recorded Data (Describe In Remarks):          ___ Stream, Lake, or Tide Gauge          ___ Aerial Photographs          ___ Other</p> <p><u>X</u> No Recorded Data Available</p> <p>Field Observations:</p> <p>Depth of Surface Water: _____(in.)</p> <p>Depth to Free Water in Pit: _____(in.)</p> <p>Depth to Saturated Soil: <u>&gt;24</u> (in.)</p>	<p><b>Wetland Hydrology Indicators</b></p> <p><b>Primary Indicators:</b>          ___ Inundated          ___ Saturated in Upper 12"          ___ Water Marks          ___ Drift Lines          ___ Sediment Deposits          ___ Drainage Patterns in Wetlands</p> <p><b>Secondary Indicators:</b>          ___ Oxidized Roots Channels in Upper 12"          ___ Water-Stained Leaves          ___ Local Soil Survey Data          ___ FAC-Neutral Test          ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)</p>
Remarks:	

# SOILS

**Map Unit Name**  
**(Series and Phase):** Pacolet Variant **Drainage Class:** Moderately Well  
**Taxonomy (Subgroup):** Typic Kanhapludults **Confirm Mapped Type? Yes**      **No** X

**Profile Description:**

Depth (inches)	Horizon	Matrix Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Colors (Munsell Moist)	Mottle Abundance/Contrast	Texture, Concretions, Structure, etc.
0-2	A1	10YR 4/3			sl, 1 fgr
2-7	A2	10YR 4/3	7.5YR 4/6 fld		sl, 1 fgr
7-12	Bt1	5YR 4/6	7.5YR 5/6 c2d		scl, 1msbk
12-20	C1	10YR 5/4	10YR 5/6 c2d		ls, 1fsbk
20-24	C2	10YR 5/3			s, sg
24-28	Cg1	10YR 4/1			sl, 1 fgr

**Hydric Soil Indicators:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> Concretions
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> High Organic Content in Surface Layer in Sandy Soils
<input type="checkbox"/> Sulfidic Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> Organic Streaking in Sandy Soils
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<input type="checkbox"/> Gleyed or Low-Chroma Colors	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)

**Remarks:**  
Buried surface at 24". Colluvial deposition.

## WETLAND DETERMINATION

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No <u>    </u>	Is the Sampling Point	
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>    </u>	No <u>X</u>	Within a Wetland?	Yes <u>    </u> No <u>X</u>
Hydric Soils Present?	Yes <u>    </u>	No <u>X</u>		

**Remarks:**



**NOTES:**

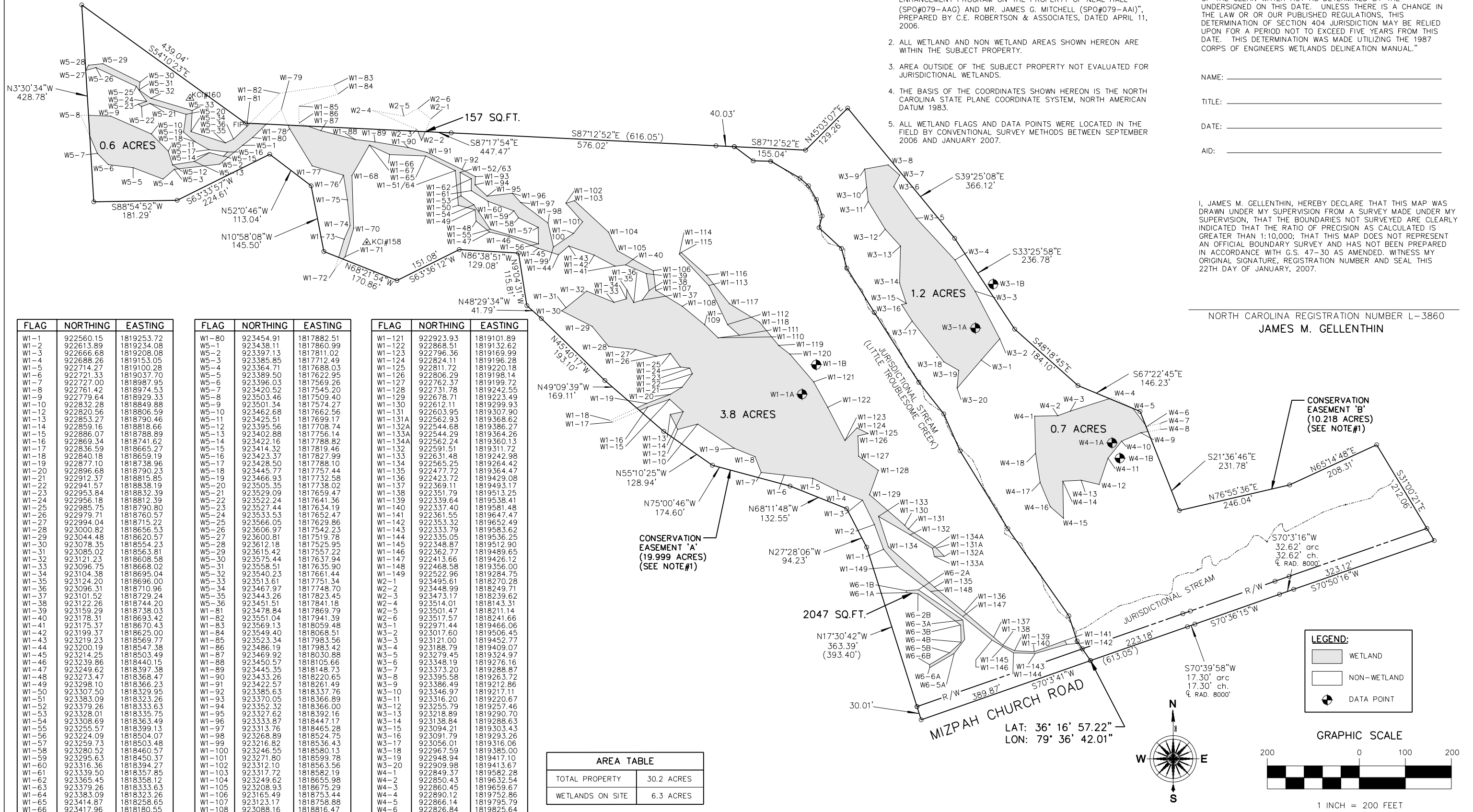
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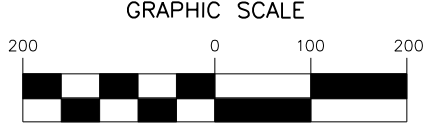
I, JAMES M. GELLENTHIN, HEREBY DECLARE THAT THIS MAP WAS DRAWN UNDER MY SUPERVISION FROM A SURVEY MADE UNDER MY SUPERVISION, THAT THE BOUNDARIES NOT SURVEYED ARE CLEARLY INDICATED THAT THE RATIO OF PRECISION AS CALCULATED IS GREATER THAN 1:10,000; THAT THIS MAP DOES NOT REPRESENT AN OFFICIAL BOUNDARY SURVEY AND HAS NOT BEEN PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH G.S. 47-30 AS AMENDED. WITNESS MY ORIGINAL SIGNATURE, REGISTRATION NUMBER AND SEAL THIS 22TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2007.

NORTH CAROLINA REGISTRATION NUMBER L-3860  
 JAMES M. GELLENTHIN



**LEGEND:**

- WETLAND
- NON-WETLAND
- DATA POINT



FLAG	NORTHING	EASTING
W1-1	922560.15	1819253.72
W1-2	922613.89	1819234.08
W1-3	922666.68	1819208.08
W1-4	922688.26	1819153.05
W1-5	922714.27	1819100.28
W1-6	922721.33	1819037.70
W1-7	922727.00	1818987.95
W1-8	922761.42	1818974.53
W1-9	922779.64	1818929.33
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W1-11	922820.56	1818806.59
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W1-17	922840.18	1818659.19
W1-18	922877.10	1818738.96
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W1-23	922956.18	1818812.39
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W1-25	922979.71	1818760.57
W1-26	922994.04	1818715.22
W1-27	923000.82	1818656.53
W1-28	923044.48	1818620.57
W1-29	923078.35	1818583.81
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W1-73	923263.76	
W1-74	923319.36	
W1-75	923373.04	
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W1-78	923515.70	

FLAG	NORTHING	EASTING
W1-80	923454.91	1817882.51
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W1-93	923402.88	1817756.14
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W1-146	923019.76	1818894.20
W1-147	923025.16	1818940.48
W1-148	923048.48	1818914.77
W1-149	923133.45	1818874.10
W1-150	923201.50	1818810.11
W1-151	923205.06	1818813.98
W1-152	923155.71	1818869.08
W1-153	923093.66	1818918.87
W1-154	923053.77	1818984.34
W1-155	923003.27	1819025.80
W1-156	922984.34	1819050.06

FLAG	NORTHING	EASTING
W1-121	922923.93	1819101.89
W1-122	922868.51	1819132.62
W1-123	922796.36	1819169.99
W1-124	922824.11	1819196.28
W1-125	922811.72	1819220.18
W1-126	922806.29	1819198.14
W1-127	922762.37	1819199.72
W1-128	922731.78	1819242.55
W1-129	922678.71	1819223.49
W1-130	922612.11	1819299.93
W1-131	922603.95	1819307.90
W1-132	922562.93	1819368.62
W1-133	922544.68	1819386.27
W1-134	922544.29	1819364.26
W1-135	922562.24	1819360.13
W1-136	922591.51	1819311.72
W1-137	922631.48	1819242.98
W1-138	922565.25	1819264.42
W1-139	922477.72	1819364.47
W1-140	922423.72	1819429.08
W1-141	922369.11	1819439.17
W1-142	922351.79	1819513.25
W1-143	922339.64	1819538.41
W1-144	922337.40	1819581.48
W1-145	922361.55	1819647.47
W1-146	922353.32	1819652.49
W1-147	922333.79	1819583.62
W1-148	922335.05	1819536.25
W1-149	922348.97	1819512.90
W1-150	922362.77	1819489.65
W1-151	922413.66	1819426.12
W1-152	922468.58	1819356.00
W1-153	922522.96	1819284.75
W1-154	923495.61	1818270.28
W1-155	923448.99	1818249.71
W1-156	923473.17	1818239.62
W1-157	923514.01	1818143.31
W1-158	923501.47	1818211.14
W1-159	923517.57	1818241.66
W1-160	923514.44	1819456.08
W1-161	923017.60	1819506.45
W1-162	923121.00	1819452.77
W1-163	923188.79	1819409.07
W1-164	923279.45	1819324.97
W1-165	923348.19	1819276.16
W1-166	923373.20	1819288.87
W1-167	923395.58	1819263.72
W1-168	923386.49	1819212.86
W1-169	923346.97	1819217.11
W1-170	923316.20	1819220.67
W1-171	923255.79	1819257.46
W1-172	923218.89	1819290.70
W1-173	923138.84	1819288.63
W1-174	923094.21	1819303.43
W1-175	923091.79	1819293.26
W1-176	923056.01	1819316.06
W1-177	922967.59	1819385.00
W1-178	922948.94	1819417.10
W1-179	922909.98	1819413.67
W1-180	922849.37	1819582.28
W1-181	922850.43	1819632.54
W1-182	922860.45	1819659.67
W1-183	922890.12	1819752.86
W1-184	922866.14	1819795.79
W1-185	922826.84	1819825.64
W1-186	922833.76	1819854.98
W1-187	922820.58	1819855.48
W1-188	922813.41	1819812.98
W1-189	922795.08	1819771.09
W1-190	922758.03	1819741.55
W1-191	922701.02	1819722.33
W1-192	922710.18	1819683.22
W1-193	922708.03	1819643.47
W1-194	922675.53	1819644.99
W1-195	922652.66	1819616.24
W1-196	922705.50	1819594.05
W1-197	922768.72	1819584.36

**AREA TABLE**

TOTAL PROPERTY	30.2 ACRES
WETLANDS ON SITE	6.3 ACRES

**DATA POINTS**

FLAG	NORTHING	EASTING
W1-1A	922897.11	1819076.81
W1-1B	922961.25	1819107.57
W3-1A	923040.83	1819453.48
W3-1B	923136.36	1819492.19
W4-1A	922791.39	1819750.40
W4-1B	922758.07	1819767.40



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