

## **YEAR 3 MONITORING REPORT**

### **UT MILLERS CREEK**

Duplin County, North Carolina

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DWR Project No. 13-0187



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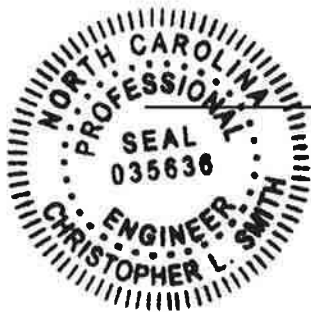
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## 1.0 PROJECT SUMMARY

The following report summarizes the vegetation establishment, stream stability, and wetland hydrology for Year 3 monitoring for the UT Millers Creek Site (hereafter referred to as the “Site”) in Duplin County, North Carolina.

### 1.1 Goals and Objectives

The primary goals of the UT Millers Creek stream and wetland mitigation project focus on:

- Reducing stressors to water quality
- Providing and enhancing flood attenuation
- Restoring and enhancing aquatic, semi-aquatic and riparian habitat, and
- Restoring and enhancing habitat connectivity with adjacent natural habitats.

The following objectives accomplish the goals listed above:

1. Removing stressors to water quality and increasing attenuation is directly tied to:
  - a. Restoration of the formerly deeply incised and entrenched UT as a Priority I (PI) restoration where bankfull and larger flows access the historic floodplain allowing nutrients, sedimentation, trash and debris from upstream urban runoff to settle from floodwaters.
  - b. Restoration of the UT as PI restoration allows the Site to mitigate flood flows by reconnecting bankfull and higher flows to its historic floodplain.
  - c. Restoration of the riparian buffers and wetlands adjacent to the UT (i.e. restoration of an existing pond and ditch back to riparian wetlands) allows floodwaters to attenuate, in turn reducing stressors from upstream impacts.
  - d. Restoration of wetland hydrology within the riparian buffer supports hydrophytic vegetation, which assists in the uptake, storage and fixation of nutrients and sedimentation from overbank flows. Adjacent low quality pine plantations were removed and planted with native hydrophytic vegetation.
2. Restoring and enhancing aquatic, semi-aquatic and terrestrial habitat is directly tied to:
  - a. Introduction of woody materials such as planted vegetation, log sills, soil lifts and toe wood to the restored channel. Woody materials will promote shading, bed form diversity and foraging opportunities for aquatic organisms, benthic macroinvertebrates, and fish.
  - b. Restoration of native vegetation to the stream channel banks and the adjacent riparian corridor has diversified flora and provides an abundance of available foraging and cover habitat for amphibians, reptiles, mammals and birds.
  - c. Restoration of wetland hydrology and introducing floodwaters back to the historic floodplain provides a diversity of habitats for semi-aquatic flora and fauna that may have not been seen on the Site since before anthropogenic disturbances.
3. Habitat restoration and connectivity can be directly tied to:
  - a. The removal of existing pine plantations and replanting of native vegetation.
  - b. The restored community ensures a protected habitat corridor between the Site and the downstream mature riparian buffers and upland habitats.

### 1.2 Success Criteria

Monitoring of restoration efforts will be performed until success criteria are fulfilled. Monitoring includes stream channel/hydraulics, wetland hydrology, and vegetation. In general, the

restoration success criteria, and required remediation actions, are based on the Stream Mitigation Guidelines (USACE et al. 2003) and the Ecosystem Enhancement Program Monitoring Requirements and Performance Standards for stream and/or Wetland Mitigation (NCEEP 2011). Project success criteria are further detailed in the Baseline Monitoring Document & As-Built Baseline Report (ICA 2015).

### 1.3 Background Summary

The North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality Department of Mitigation Services (DMS) contracted ICA Engineering, Inc. (ICA) to restore 2,625 linear feet of the Unnamed Tributary to Millers Creek (UT) and 4.5 acres of riparian wetlands within the Site to assist in fulfilling stream mitigation goals in the watershed (Table 1 and Table 4). The Site is located approximately one-half (0.5) mile west of Magnolia in Duplin County, North Carolina and contains an unnamed tributary to Millers Creek and associated restored riparian wetlands (Figure 1). The Site is located within DMS Targeted Local Watershed Catalogue Unit (CU) 03030006. The Site is comprised of one property owned by William Jeffrey Hatcher and wife Susan King Hatcher (PIN # 247100987405). Additional information concerning project history is presented in Table 2.

### 1.4 Vegetation

Vegetation is meeting success criteria across the site following the third year of monitoring. Overall, the site is averaging 715 planted stems per acre; exceeding the success criteria of 320 stems per acre after Year 3 Monitoring. Additionally, all plots are individually exceeding success criteria by over 50%.

Insect damage and deer browse was noted within Plot 2, however all but one of the damaged plants have a vigor of 3 or higher. It is not expected that the insects and deer will contribute to reduced survival rates on-site; however, HDR|ICA will continue to monitor the status of the damage.

In Plot 3, the majority of stems have a vigor of 2 and have shown little to no growth over the past monitoring year. Monitoring Well 4 indicates that the area immediately upstream of Plot 3 was covered by 10 inches of surface water for over half of the growing season. HDR|ICA will closely monitor vegetation in this area and may take corrective action if necessary.

Two bare areas and two areas of thin grass remain present on-site. The thin grass areas noted near station 25+00 in Year 2 report appear to have filled in after supplemental seeding. In the two thin grass areas that remain near station 35+00, vegetation is beginning to establish. The total acreage of bare areas is 0.23 (1.9% of planted acreage) and the total acreage of thin grass is 0.14 (1% of planted acreage). Problem areas were reseeded in January and April of 2017. Following seeding, the thin grass area was reduced by 50% but bare areas have not improved.

### 1.5 Stream Stability

The UT Millers Creek reach is stable and functioning as designed. Cross section geometry has remained stable over the course of Monitoring Year 3.

HDR|ICA repaired the areas of surficial erosion at station 33+00 in January of 2017 by transplanting clusters of *Juncus effuses*, spreading temporary seed and laying out excelsior matting. These areas appeared stable during follow up visits during April of 2017.

Channel bank stability continues to benefit from the maturation of vegetation along the channel toes and bank. Two areas of minor erosion have developed around soil lifts due to the sandy soil composition on-site. All instances of erosion noted during Year 3 monitoring were minor and will likely fill in with vegetation over time.

The site has experienced several bankfull flows throughout the monitoring period. Bankfull event documentation can be found in Appendix E.

Bank pin locations were inspected and pins were not visible. Banks showed no signs of erosion over the course of the monitoring period.

### 1.6 Wetlands

Based upon the Final Mitigation Plan, the hydrologic criteria for restored wetlands at the Site are as follows (based upon the corresponding landscape position and wetland community type):

- a. For the **riparian bottomland hardwood forest community**, the hydrologic criterion will be the establishment of a static water table at, or within, 12 inches of the soil surface for a minimum of 12.5 percent of the growing season, equivalent to 38 days based upon hydrologic monitoring undertaken from Feb 1st through Nov 30th of each monitoring year.
- b. For the **headwater riparian community (zero-order geomorphic position)**, the hydrologic criterion will be the establishment of a static water table at, or within, 12 inches of the soil surface for a minimum of 10 percent of the growing season, equivalent to 30 days based upon hydrologic monitoring undertaken from Feb 1st through Nov 30th of each monitoring year.

The UT Millers site exhibits a range of hydrologic conditions characteristic of small stream swamp wetland community types of the inner Coastal Plain of North Carolina. Several of the groundwater gauges documented elevated groundwater levels at or near the soil surface for extended periods of time during the growing season. In addition, portions of the site exhibited intermittent to prolonged periods of surface inundation. Refer to the attached gauge hydrographs depicting recorded groundwater and surface water levels from February 1 through November 30.

Regional drought index maps are useful tools to evaluate specific gauge data relative to ambient precipitation and sub-surface water storage conditions. For instance, the NC Drought Status Monitoring Program compares existing data to long-term (1965-2016) climatic conditions for well data, stream baseflow data, and combined well and baseflow data. Contoured percentile data (30th/70th percentiles) are graphically displayed on monthly drought images. Based upon these maps, subsurface storage (i.e. groundwater) conditions were considered abnormally dry during February and March with relatively normal rainfall conditions for much of the summer. The NC DWR Drought Status Maps are included for reference in Appendix E. Cumulatively, total on-site rainfall for 2017 through November 30 was 36.12 inches, which is 16.68 inches below normal (based upon long-term climatic data available through AgACIS, Wallace Station).

All of the groundwater gauges located on the mitigation site exhibit hydrology indicative of jurisdictional wetlands (i.e. hydroperiods greater than 5% of the growing season), and four of the six gauges exceeded the minimum success criteria as outlined above. While the specific durations of wetland hydrology at each gauge varied across the site, each gauge also displayed prolonged wetland hydroperiods during normal rainfall conditions. The site experienced drought conditions during the early portion of the growing season (which is typically the period of the year for hydrologic recharge of wetlands). As a result, Gauge 1 and Gauge 3 exhibited brief periods of water levels below 12 inches of the soil surface at the outset of the growing season. Cumulatively, Gauge 1 exhibited groundwater levels within 12 inches of the soil surface for 106 days (equivalent to 32%) of the monitoring period through November 30. Similarly, Gauge 3 exhibited groundwater levels within 12 inches of the soil surface for 118 days (equivalent to 36%) of the monitoring period through November 30. Based upon the hydrograph, it is evident that Gauge 3 has a more pronounced groundwater discharge largely as a result of its proximity to the adjacent restored stream channel. During periods of low flow or no flow in the channel, groundwater of the adjacent floodplain is discharged to the channel more rapidly.

The summary of hydroperiods for each gauge is presented in Table 12 and gauge locations are depicted in Figures 3.0 – 3.6.

## 2.0 METHODOLOGY

Year 3 monitoring surveys were completed using a Total Station. Each cross section was marked with a rebar monument at their beginning and ending points. The rebar has been located vertically and horizontally in NAD 83-State Plane. Surveying these monuments throughout the Site ensured proper orientation. The survey data was imported into MicroStation for verification. RIVERMorph was used to analyze cross section data. Tables and figures were created using Microsoft Excel, ArcGIS, and MicroStation. The channel is entirely a sand bed system; therefore, a pebble count was not conducted. Bank pin locations were inspected but pins were not observable, and therefore were not surveyed.

Vegetation monitoring was completed using CVS level II methods, for nine, 100 square meter vegetation plots (Lee et al. 2006). The taxonomic standard for vegetation used for this document was Flora of the Southern and Mid-Atlantic States (Weakley 2011).

Groundwater hydrology was monitored using six automated gauges (RDS, Inc. WM-20s) located within the riparian wetland restoration areas. Two reference gauges were installed; one in a Headwater Riparian Wetland and one in a Bottomland Hardwood Wetland. Gauges were installed in accordance with installation methods outlined in the Wetlands Regulatory Assistance Program (WRAP) Technical Note 00-02 (Sprecher, 2000). Water levels were recorded once daily and the data was downloaded every two months.

### 3.0 REFERENCES

ICA Engineering, Inc. As-Built Monitoring Document & As-Built Baseline Report for UT Millers Creek Full Delivery Site. 2015.

Lee, Michael T., R. K. Peet, S. D. Roberts, and T. R. Wentworth. 2006. CVS-EEP Protocol for Recording Vegetation, Version 4.0 (<http://cvs.bio.unc.edu/methods.htm>).

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US Army Corps of Engineers Wilmington District. Stream Mitigation Guidelines. 2003

Weakley, Alan S. 2011. Flora of the Southern and Mid-Atlantic States (online). Available: [http://www.herbarium.unc.edu/FloraArchives/WeakleyFlora\\_2011-May-nav.pdf](http://www.herbarium.unc.edu/FloraArchives/WeakleyFlora_2011-May-nav.pdf) [May 15, 2011]. University of North Carolina Herbarium, North Carolina Botanical Garden, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.



**APPENDICES**

**Appendix A. Project Vicinity Map and Background Tables**

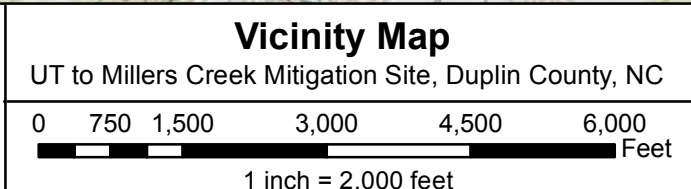
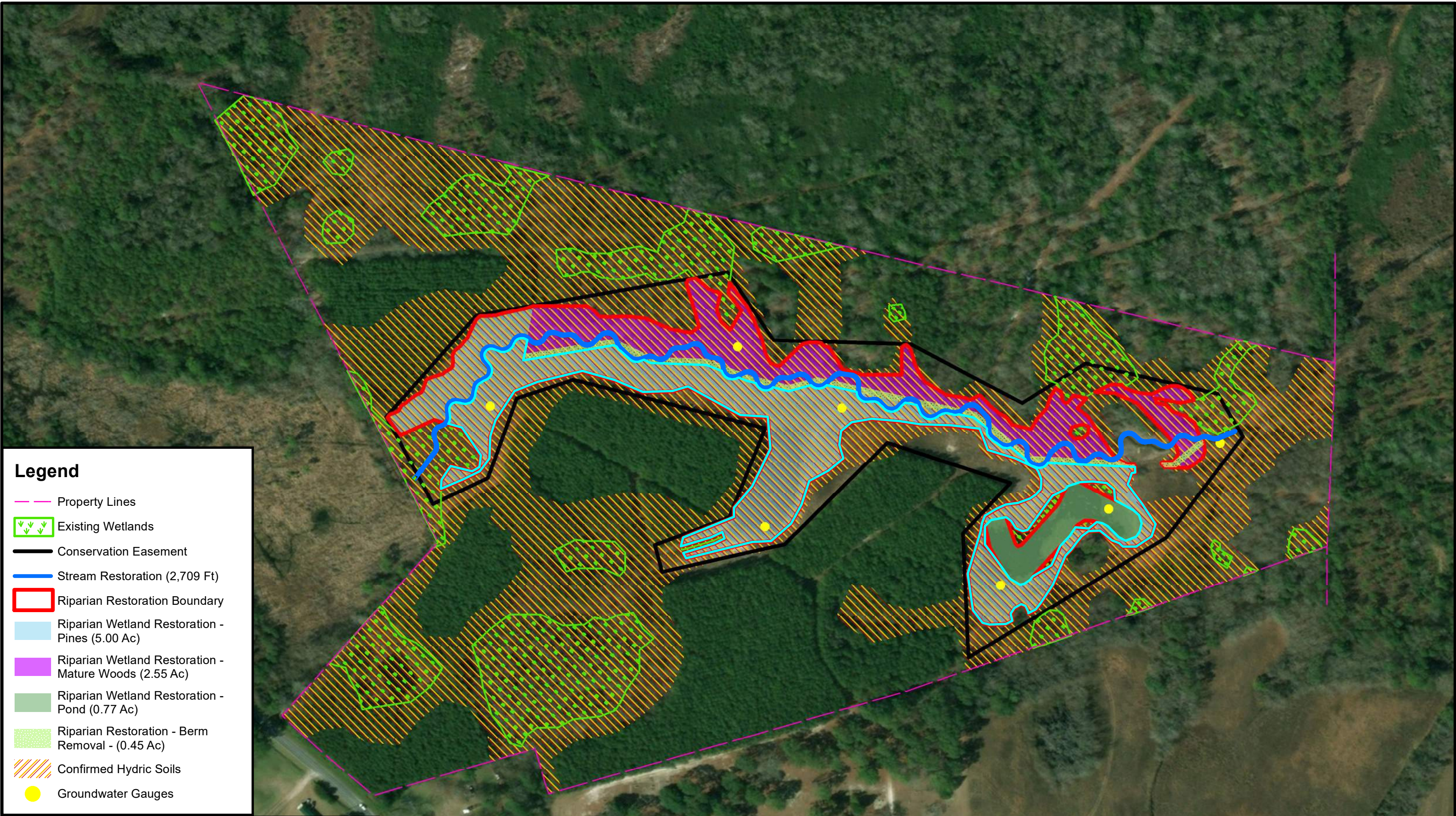


Figure  
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**Table 1. Project Components and Mitigation Credits**  
 UT to the Millers Creek, Duplin County  
 DMS Project ID No. 95719

Mitigation Credits									
	Stream (SMU)		Riparian Wetland (WMU)		Non-riparian Wetland		Buffer	Nitrogen Nutrient Offset	Phosphorous Nutrient Offset
	R	RE	R	RE	R	RE	--	--	--
Totals	2,709		8.00						
Project Components									
Project Component or Reach ID	Stationing/ Location	Existing Footage/ Acreage	Approach (PI, PII, etc.)	Restoration or Restoration Equivalent	Restoration Footage or Acreage	Mitigation Ratio	SMU or WMU		
UT Millers Creek	10+13 – 37+22	2,100	PI	Restoration	2,709	1:1	2,709		
Drained Wetland (Pines)	NA	5.00	NA	Restoration	5.00	1:1	5.00		
Drained Wetland (Mature Woods)	NA	2.55	NA	Restoration	2.55	1.25:1	2.04		
Drained Wetland (Berm/Spoil Along UT)	NA	0.45	NA	Restoration	0.45	1:1	0.45		
Pond	NA	0.77	NA	Restoration	0.77	1.5:1	0.51		
TOTAL	NA	2,100/8.77	PI/NA	Restoration	2,709/8.77	1 – 1.5:1	2,709/8.00		

Component Summation						
Restoration Level	Stream (linear feet)	Riparian Wetland (acres)		Non- Riparian Wetland (acres)	Buffer (square feet)	Upland (acres)
		Riverine	Non-Riverine			
Restoration	2,709	8.77				
BMP Elements						
Element	Location	Purpose/Function	Notes			
Forested Buffer	UT Millers buffer	Buffer to protect stream	Filter nutrients and provide cover, foraging areas, habitat, woody debris, and wildlife			



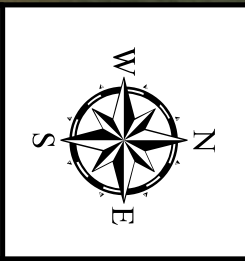
**Legend**

- Property Lines
- ▼▼▼ Existing Wetlands
- Conservation Easement
- Stream Restoration (2,709 Ft)
- Riparian Restoration Boundary
- Riparian Wetland Restoration - Pines (5.00 Ac)
- Riparian Wetland Restoration - Mature Woods (2.55 Ac)
- Riparian Wetland Restoration - Pond (0.77 Ac)
- Riparian Restoration - Berm Removal - (0.45 Ac)
- Confirmed Hydric Soils
- Groundwater Gauges



**Asset Overview Map**  
 UT Millers Creek, Duplin County, North Carolina

0    130    260    520    780    1,040  
 Feet



**Figure 2**

**Table 2. Project Activity and Reporting History**  
 UT to Millers Creek (DMS Project ID No. 95719)

<b>Activity or Report</b>	<b>Data Collection Complete</b>	<b>Completion or Delivery</b>
Restoration Plan	Aug-13	Sep-14
Final Design – Construction Plans	Sep-14	Sep-14
Construction	3-Nov-14	23-Jan-15
Temporary S&E Mix Applied to Entire Project Area	---	23-Jan-15
Permanent Seed Mix Applied to Entire Project Area	---	23-Jan-15
Bare Root, Containerized, and B&B plantings for Entire Project Area	---	10-Mar-15
Mitigation Plan/As-built (Year 0 Monitoring-Baseline)	Mar-15	Apr-15
Year 1 Monitoring	Oct-15	Dec-15
Year 2 Monitoring	Nov-16	Feb-17
Year 3 Monitoring	Nov-17	Jan-18
Year 4 Monitoring		
Year 5 Monitoring		
Year 6 Monitoring		
Year 7 Monitoring		

<b>Table 3. Project Contacts Table</b> UT to Millers Creek (DMS Project ID No. 95719)	
<b>Designer</b>  Primary project design POC	HDR   ICA Engineering 555 Fayetteville Street, Suite 900 Raleigh, North Carolina 27601 Kevin Williams (919) 851-6066
<b>Construction Contractor</b>  Construction Contractor POC	Land Mechanic Designs, Inc. 126 Circle G Lane Willow Spring, NC 27592 Lloyd Glover (919) 639-6132
<b>Planting Contractor</b>  Planting Contractor POC	River Works, Inc. 6105 Chapel Hill Road Raleigh, NC 27607 Phillip Todd (919) 582-3574
<b>Seeding Contractor</b>  Seeding Contractor POC	Land Mechanic Designs, Inc. 126 Circle G Lane Willow Spring, NC 27592 Lloyd Glover (919) 639-6132
Seed Mix Sources	Green Resources – Triangle Office
Nursery Stock Suppliers	1) ArborGen 2) Mellow Marsh Farm, Inc. 3) Foggy Mountain Nursery (live stakes)
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Stream Monitoring POC	HDR   ICA Engineering 555 Fayetteville Street, Suite 900 Raleigh, North Carolina 27601 Alex DiGeronimo (919) 900-1645
Vegetation Monitoring POC	Land Management Group, Inc 3805 Wrightsville Avenue, Suite 15 Wilmington, NC 28403 Kim Williams (910) 452-0001 x 1908

**Table 4. Project Information**  
UT to Millers Creek (DMS Project ID No. 95719)

Project Information	
Project Name	UT to Millers Creek Stream and Wetland Mitigation Site
Project County	Duplin
Project Area (acres)	15.944 AC
Project Coordinates	34.894467,-78.067625
Project Watershed Summary Information	
Physiographic Region	Coastal Plain
Ecoregion	Southeastern Plains
Project River Basin	Cape Fear
USGS 8-digit HUC	3030006
USGS 14-digit HUC	3030006110040
NCDWQ Subbasin	03-06-19
Project Drainage Area	250 AC
Watershed Land Use	Cultivated, Southern Yellow Pine, Bottomland Forest / Hardwood Swamps

Reach Summary Information	
Parameters	UT to Millers Creek
Restored length	2,709 linear feet
Drainage Area	250 AC.
NCDWQ Index Number	36
NCDWQ Classification	C, Sw
Valley Type/Morphological Description	X/Existing G/5/Restored E5
Dominant Soil Series	Bibb sandy loam and Torhunta fine sandy loam (USDA/NRCS records). Cape Fear, Rains, Plummer, Rutlege and Lynn Haven Soil series (additional series mapped by LMG)
Drainage Class	Poorly and very poorly
Soil Hydric Status	Bibb sandy loam (hydric) Torhunta mucky fine sandy loam (hydric)
Slope	0.0016
FEMA Classification	Zone X
Native Vegetation Community	Mixed stand of hardwoods and pine
Percent Composition of Exotic Invasives	<5%

Wetland Summary Information			
Parameters	Wetland 1	Wetland 2	Wetland 3
Size of Wetland (acres)	0.21	0.12	0.59
Wetland Type (non-riparian riverine or riparian non-riverine)	Riparian Non-Riverine	Riparian Non-Riverine	Riparian Non-Riverine
Mapped Soil Series	BbA	ToA	BnB
Drainage class	Poorly Drained	Very Poorly Drained	Moderately Well Drained
Soil Hydric Status	Hydric	Hydric	Partially Hydric
Source of Hydrology	Groundwater	Groundwater	Groundwater
Hydrologic Impairment	Stream Incision	Stream Incision	Stream Incision/Beavers
Native vegetation community	Forested	Forested	Emergent
Percent composition of exotic invasion vegetation	0	0	0

Regulatory Considerations			
Regulation	Applicable	Resolved	Supporting Documentation
Waters of the U.S. –Sections 404 and 401	Yes	Yes	Restoration Plan/NW 27
Endangered Species Act	No	Yes	NCNHP/USFWS
Historic Preservation Act	No	Yes	NCSHPO
CZMA/CAMA	No	Yes	--
FEMA Floodplain Compliance	Yes	Yes	HECRAS
Essential Fisheries Habitat	No	N/A	--

**Appendix B. Visual Assessment Data**



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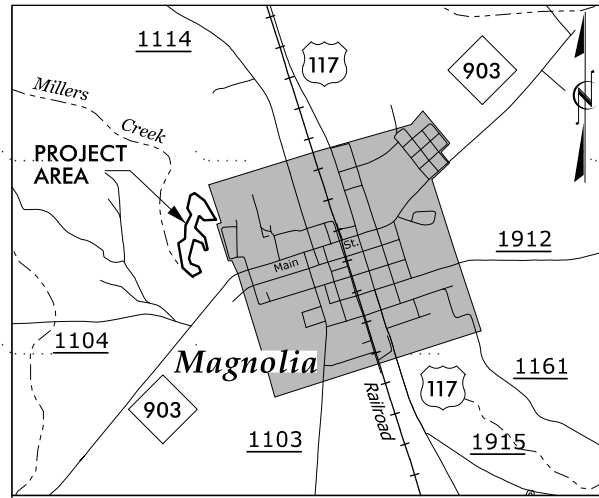
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## CURRENT CONDITIONS PLAN VIEW (CCPV) UT MILLERS CREEK

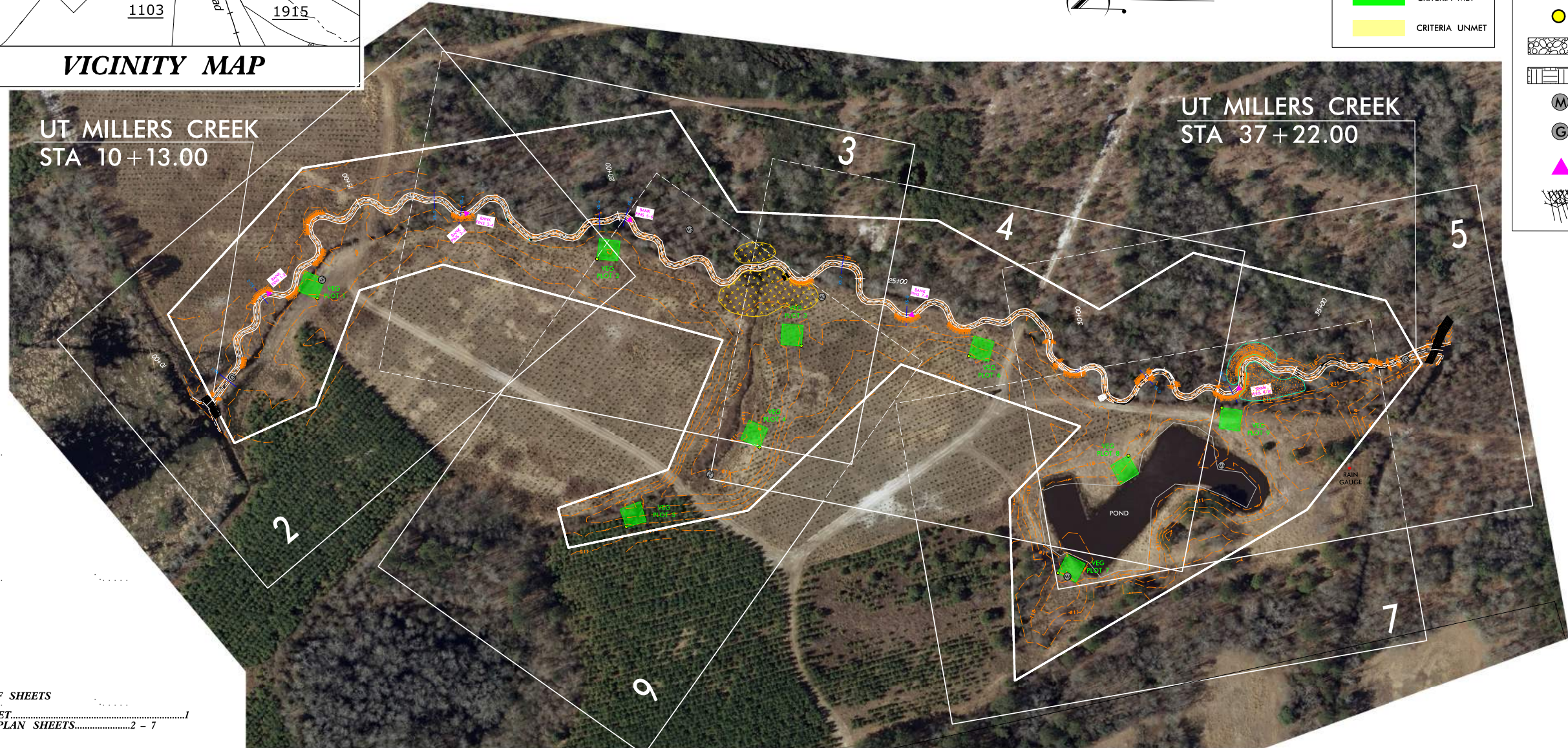
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**VICINITY MAP**



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### LEGEND

CONSERVATION EASEMENT LINE
THALWEG
BANKFULL
ASBUILT TOP OF TRAY
ASBUILT TOE OF TRAY
CROSS-SECTION LOCATIONS
LOG SILL
10M x 10M VEG PLOT
VEG PLOT ORIGIN
FLOODPLAIN INTERCEPTOR
SOIL LIFT
MONITORING WELL
CREST GAUGE
BANK PIN
BRUSH TOE

### YEAR 3 CONDITIONS

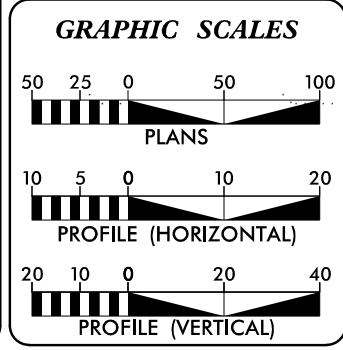
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### VEGETATION PROBLEM AREAS

THIN GRASS
NO GRASS (BARE)

### VEGETATION PLOT CONDITIONS

CRITERIA MET
CRITERIA UNMET



### DESIGN DATA

DESIGN STREAM TYPE	=	E5
BANKFULL AREA (FT <sup>2</sup> )	=	8.06
CROSS-SECTIONED		
BANKFULL WIDTH (FT)	=	8.8
MAX DEPTH (FT)	=	1.40
WIDTH /DEPTH RATIO	=	9.5
DRAINAGE AREA (MI <sup>2</sup> )	=	0.39
BANKFULL SLOPE(FT/FT)	=	0.0005

### PROJECT LENGTH

EXISTING STREAM LENGTH	=	2,095 FT
PROPOSED DESIGN STREAM LENGTH	=	2,696 FT
ASBUILT STREAM LENGTH	=	2,709 FT

<u>R. KEVIN WILLIAMS</u>	PROJECT ENGINEER
<u>KATHLEEN M. McKEITHIAN</u>	PROJECT DESIGNER
<u>RYAN V. SMITH</u>	PROJECT MANAGER

**INCOMPLETE PLANS**  
**PRELIMINARY PLANS**  
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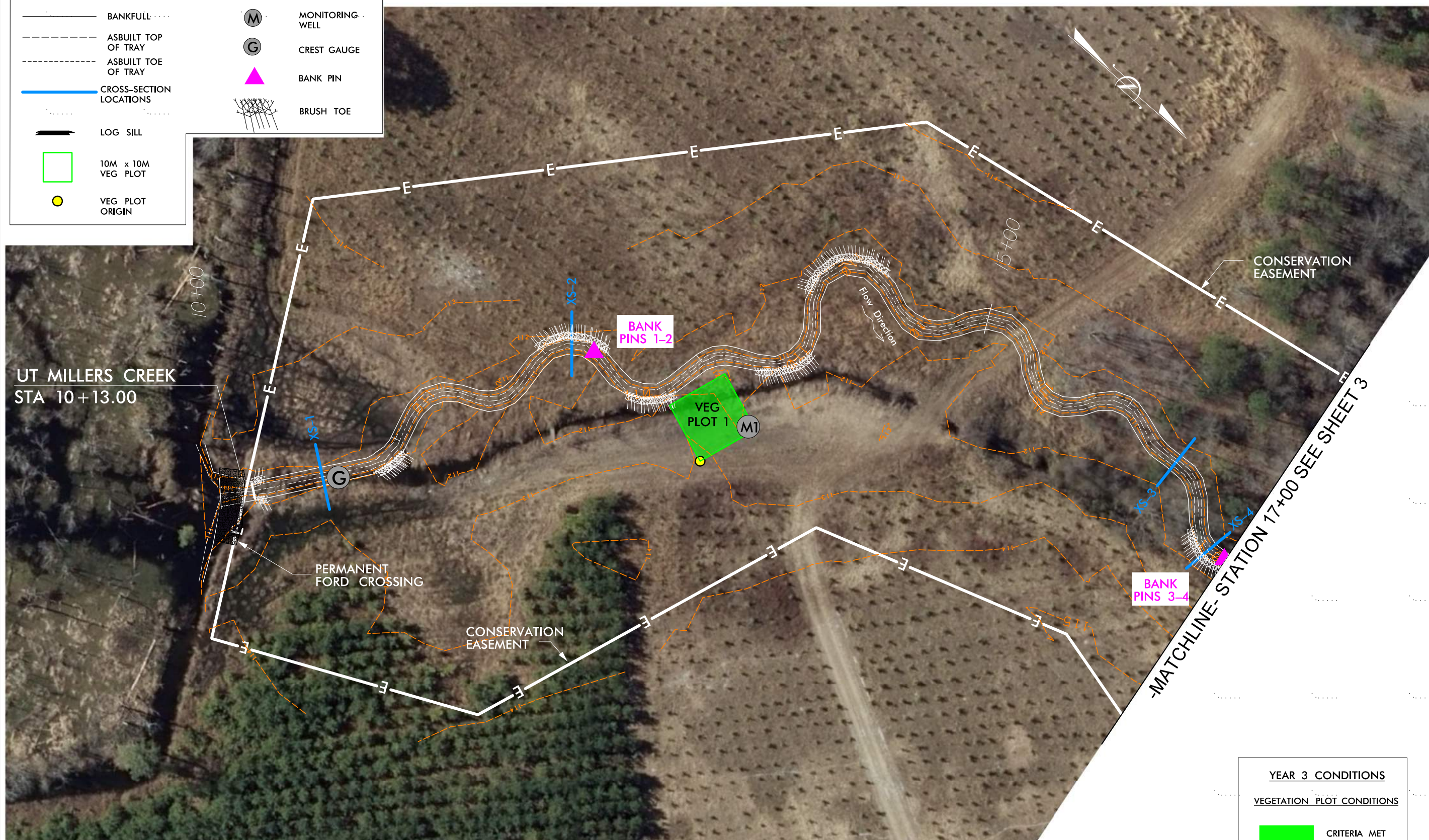
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# CURRENT CONDITIONS PLAN VIEW (CCPV) YEAR 3

### LEGEND

	CONSERVATION EASEMENT LINE		FLOODPLAIN INTERCEPTOR
	THALWEG		SOIL LIFT
	BANKFULL		MONITORING WELL
	ASBUILT TOP OF TRAY		CREST GAUGE
	ASBUILT TOE OF TRAY		BANK PIN
	CROSS-SECTION LOCATIONS		BRUSH TOE
	LOG SILL		
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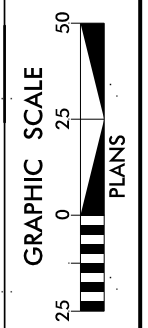
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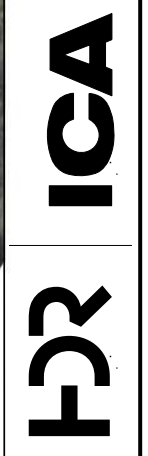
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VEGETATION PLOT CONDITIONS

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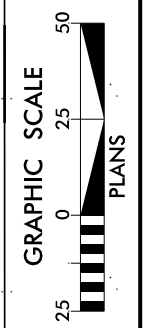
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YEAR 3**

YEAR 3 CONDITIONS	
<b>BANK/BED CONDITION</b>	
	MINOR EROSION
<b>VEGETATION PROBLEM AREAS</b>	
	NO GRASS (BARE)
<b>VEGETATION PLOT CONDITIONS</b>	
	CRITERIA MET
	CRITERIA UNMET



LEGEND			
	CONSERVATION EASEMENT LINE		10M x 10M VEG PLOT
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	BANKFULL		FLOODPLAIN INTERCEPTOR
	ASBUILT TOP OF TRAY		SOIL LIFT
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	CROSS-SECTION LOCATIONS		BANK PIN
	LOG SILL		BRUSH TOE



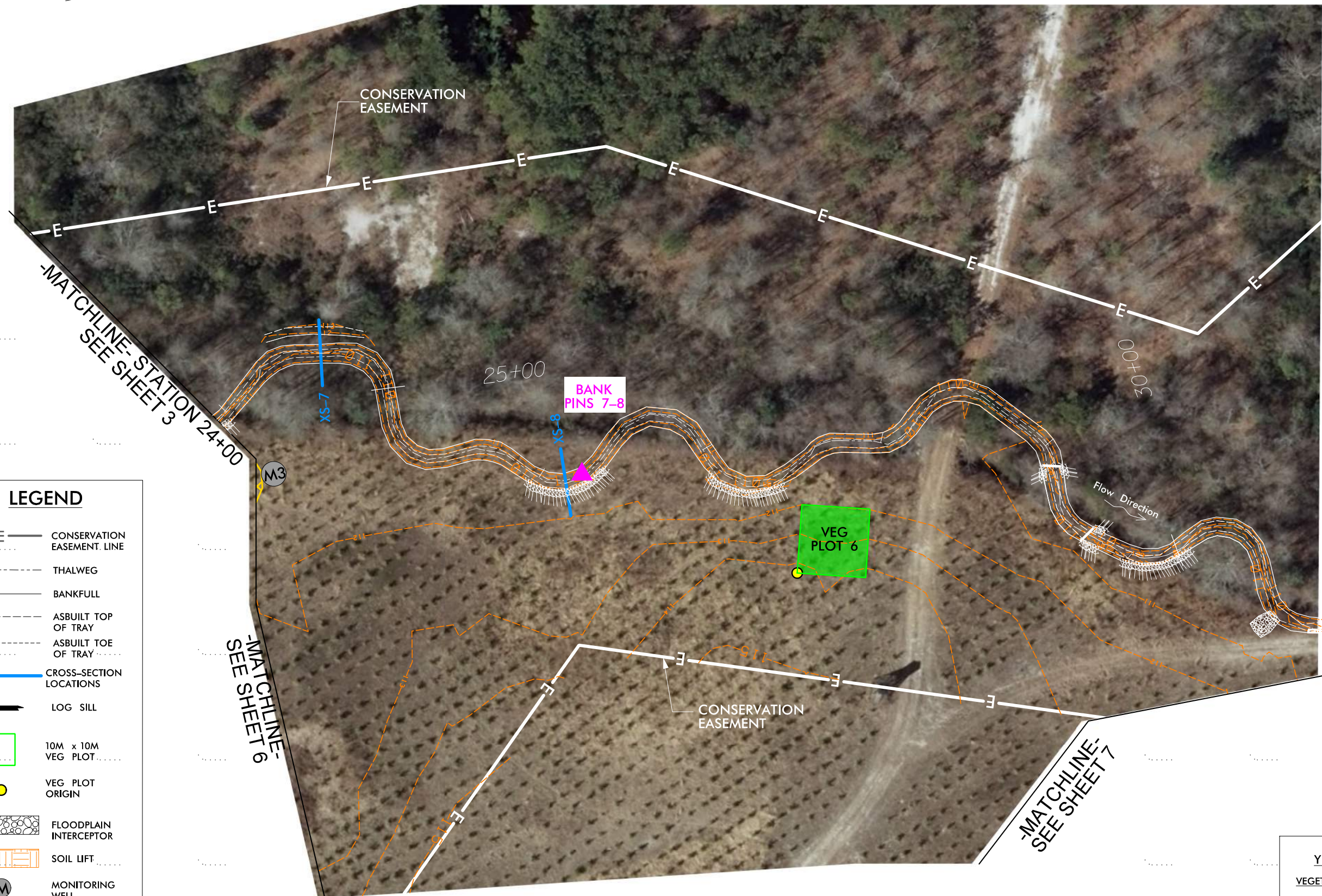
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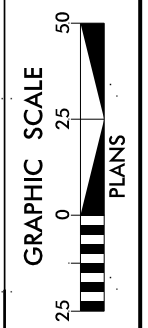
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	BANK PIN
	BRUSH TOE

YEAR 3 CONDITIONS VEGETATION PLOT CONDITIONS	
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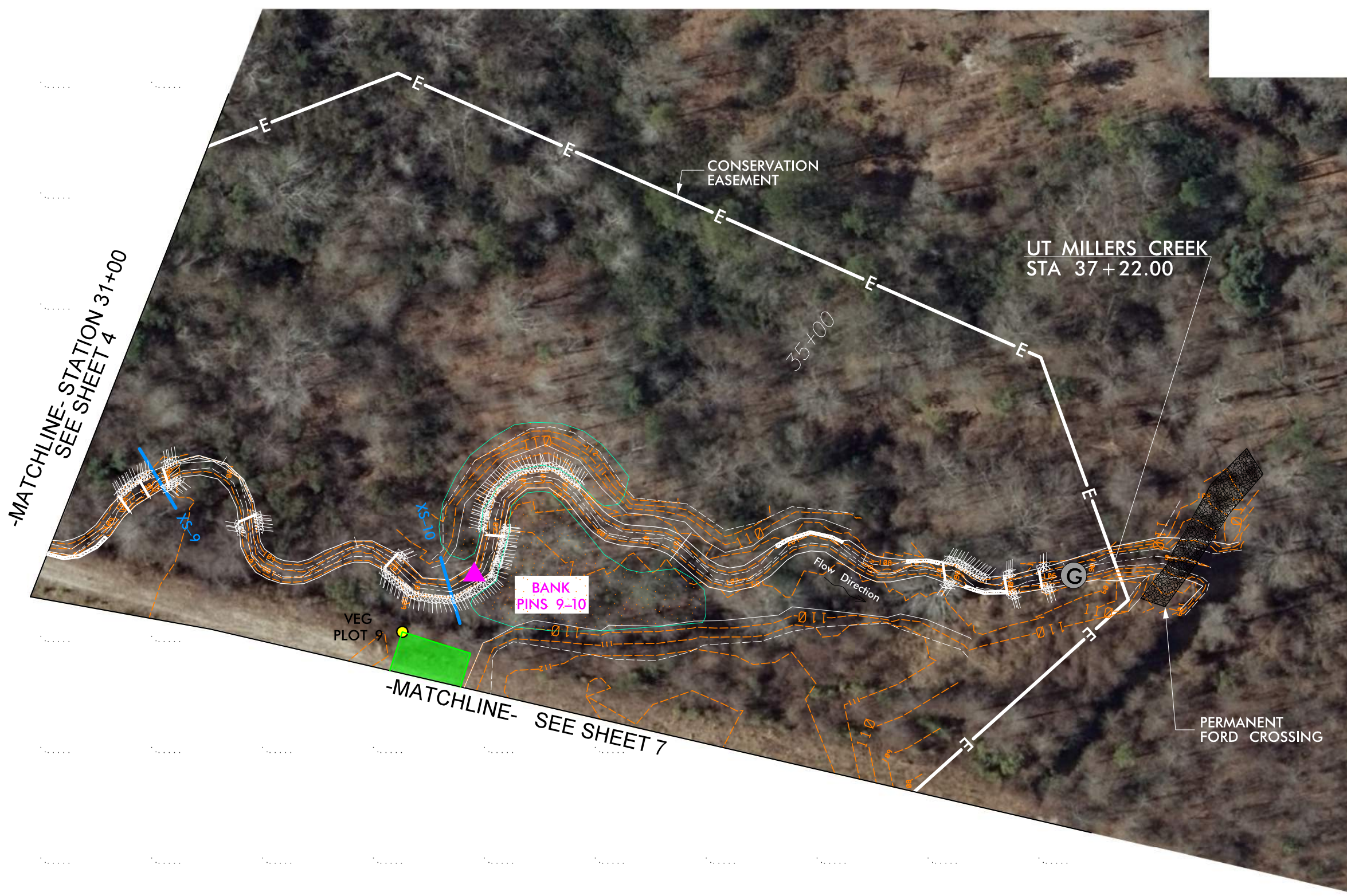
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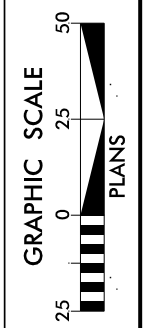
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- VEG PLOT ORIGIN
- FLOODPLAIN INTERCEPTOR
- SOIL LIFT
- CREST GAUGE
- BANK PIN
- BRUSH TOE

- YEAR 3 CONDITIONS**
- VEGETATION PROBLEM AREAS**
- THIN GRASS
- VEGETATION PLOT CONDITIONS**
- CRITERIA MET
  - CRITERIA UNMET



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**CURRENT CONDITIONS PLAN VIEW (CCPV)  
YEAR 3**



**YEAR 2 CONDITIONS**

VEGETATION PLOT CONDITIONS

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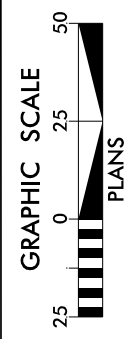
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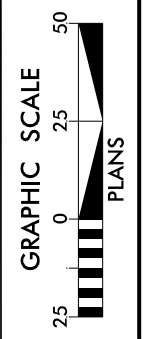
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VEGETATION PLOT CONDITIONS	
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	VEG PLOT ORIGIN
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**Table 5: Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment**  
 Reach ID: UT Millers Creek  
 Assessed Length: 2,709 FT

Major Channel Category	Channel Sub-Category	Metric	Number Stable, Performing as Intended	Total Number in As-built	Number of Unstable Segments	Amount of Unstable Footage	% Stable, Performing as Intended	Number with Stabilizing Woody Vegetation	Footage with Stabilizing Woody Vegetation	Adjusted % for Stabilizing Woody Vegetation
1. Bed	1. Vertical Stability (Riffle and Run units)	1. <u>Aggradation</u> - Bar formation/growth sufficient to significantly deflect flow laterally (not to include point bars)			0	0	100%			
		2. <u>Degradation</u> - Evidence of downcutting			0	0	100%			
	2. Riffle Condition	1. <u>Texture/Substrate</u> - Riffle maintains coarser substrate	N/A	N/A			100%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	1. <u>Depth</u> Sufficient (Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth $\geq$ 1.6)	5	5			100%			
		2. <u>Length</u> appropriate (>30% of centerline distance between tail of upstream riffle and head of downstream riffle)	61	61			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	1. Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	57	57			100%			
		2. Thalweg centering at downstream of meander (Glide)	57	57			100%			
	2. Bank	1. <u>Scoured/Eroding</u>	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion			2	8			
2. <u>Undercut</u>		Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely. Does <b>NOT</b> include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	0	100%	N/A	N/A	N/A
3. <u>Mass Wasting</u>		Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Totals</b>					<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>99.6%</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>
3. Engineered Structures	1. <u>Overall Integrity</u>	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	12	12			100%			
	2. <u>Grade Control</u>	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	12	12			100%			
	2a. <u>Piping</u>	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	12	12			100%			
	3. <u>Bank Protection</u>	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does <u>not</u> exceed 15%. (See guidance for this table in EEP monitoring guidance document)	12	12			100%			
	4. <u>Habitat</u>	Pool forming structures maintaining ~ Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth ratio $\geq$ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at base-flow.	12	12			100%			



**Table 6**      **Vegetation Condition Assessment**  
**Planted Acreage**      **12.35**

Vegetation Category	Definitions	Mapping Threshold	CCPV Depiction	Number of Polygons	Combined Acreage	% of Planted Acreage
1. Bare Areas	Very limited cover of both woody and herbaceous material.	0.05 acres	polygons filled with orange dots and x's	4	0.37	2.9%
2. Low Stem Density Areas	Woody stem densities clearly below target levels based on MY3, 4, or 5 stem count criteria.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Total</b>						
3. Areas of Poor Growth Rates or Vigor	Areas with woody stems of a size class that are obviously small given the monitoring year.	N/A	Pattern and Color	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Cumulative Total</b>						

**Easement Acreage**      **15.94**

Vegetation Category	Definitions	Mapping Threshold	CCPV Depiction	Number of Polygons	Combined Acreage	% of Easement Acreage
4. Invasive Areas of Concern	Areas or points (if too small to render as polygons at map scale).	1000 SF	Pattern and Color	N/A	N/A	N/A
5. Easement Encroachment Areas	Areas or points (if too small to render as polygons at map scale).	none	Pattern and Color	N/A	N/A	N/A

Figure 4.1 - 4.13 Vegetation Plot Photos and Problem Areas



4.1 Vegetation Plot 1



4.2 Vegetation Plot 2



4.3 Vegetation Plot 3



4.4 Vegetation Plot 4



4.5 Vegetation Plot 5



4.6 Vegetation Plot 6



**4.7 Vegetation Plot 7**



**4.8 Vegetation Plot 8**



**4.9 Vegetation Plot 9**



**4.10 Bare area near STA 24+00**



**4.11 Thin grass adjacent to XS-10**



**4.12 Minor erosion on right bank at STA 18+0**



**4.13 Minor erosion on right bank at STA 18+50**

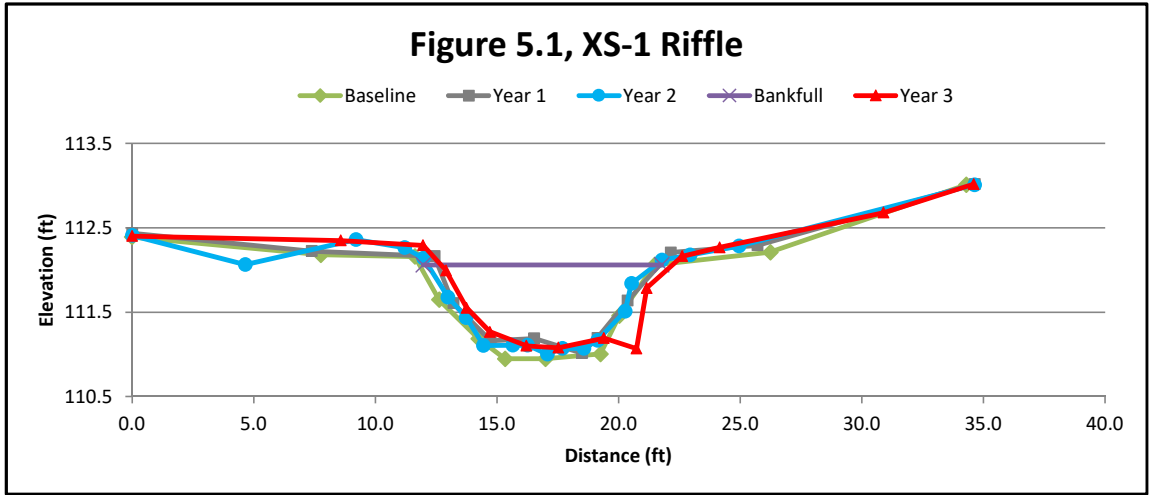
**Appendix C. Vegetation Plot Data**

**Table 7.**

EEP Project Code 95719. Project Name: UT Millers Creek

Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	Current Plot Data (MY3 2017)																											Annual Means																																						
			95719-01-0001			95719-01-0002			95719-01-0003			95719-01-0004			95719-01-0005			95719-01-0006			95719-01-0007			95719-01-0008			95719-01-0009			MY3 (2017)			MY2 (2016)			MY1 (2015)			MY0 (2015)																													
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<i>Acer rubrum</i>	red maple	Tree															2												1						3																																	
<i>Betula nigra</i>	river birch	Tree				2	2	2										1	1	1							1	1	1	4	4	4	3	3	4	8	8	8	13	13	13																											
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	green ash	Tree				1	1	1	3	3	3							4	4	4	10	10	10	5	5	5	4	4	4	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	28	28	28																								
<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>	sweetgum	Tree			3			13									14									2			3			35			23																																	
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	tuliptree	Tree				2	2	2	4	4	4						2	2	2	2				2	2	2	4	4	4	14	14	14	13	13	13	15	15	15	19	19	19																											
<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	sweetbay	Tree				1	1	1																						1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																					
<i>Morella cerifera</i>	wax myrtle	shrub									1							2	2	2										2	2	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3																								
<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	blackgum	Tree						1									1			1												3																																				
<i>Persea borbonia</i>	redbay	tree						1																								1																																				
<i>Pinus</i>	pine	Tree																																																																		
<i>Pinus taeda</i>	loblolly pine	Tree						2			2						4			3			1									12																																				
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	American sycamore	Tree													8	8	8													8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8																					
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	black cherry	Tree																																																																		
<i>Quercus</i>	oak	Tree																																																																		
<i>Quercus michauxii</i>	swamp chestnut oak	Tree	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2							5	5	5				2	2	2	4	4	4	19	19	19	20	20	20	21	21	21	22	22	22																											
<i>Quercus phellos</i>	willow oak	Tree				2	2	2	4	4	4							9	9	9				1	1	1	3	3	3	19	19	19	21	21	21	25	25	25	28	28	28																											
<i>Salix nigra</i>	black willow	Tree															6															6																																				
<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	bald cypress	Tree	9	9	9	5	5	5	4	4	4	12	12	12	8	8	8	2	2	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	5	5	5	65	65	65	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	64	67	67	67																								
	<b>Stem count</b>		12	12	15	16	16	33	17	17	20	12	12	12	18	18	31	23	23	41	20	20	22	20	20	23	21	21	24	159	159	221	159	159	190	171	171	176	189	189	189																											
	<b>size (ares)</b>		1			1			1			1			1			1			1			1			1			9			9			9			9			9																										
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	<b>Species count</b>		2	2	3	7	7	11	5	5	7	1	1	1	3	3	7	6	6	9	2	2	4	5	5	7	6	6	7	9	9	15	9	9	14	9	9	10	9	9	10	9	9	9																								
	<b>Stems per ACRE</b>		485.6	485.6	607	647.5	647.5	1335	688	688	809.4	485.6	485.6	485.6	728.4	728.4	1255	930.8	930.8	1659	809.4	809.4	890.3	809.4	809.4	930.8	849.8	849.8	971.2	714.9	714.9	993.7	714.9	714.9	854.3	768.9	768.9	791.4	849.8	849.8	849.8																											

**Appendix D. Stream Survey Data**

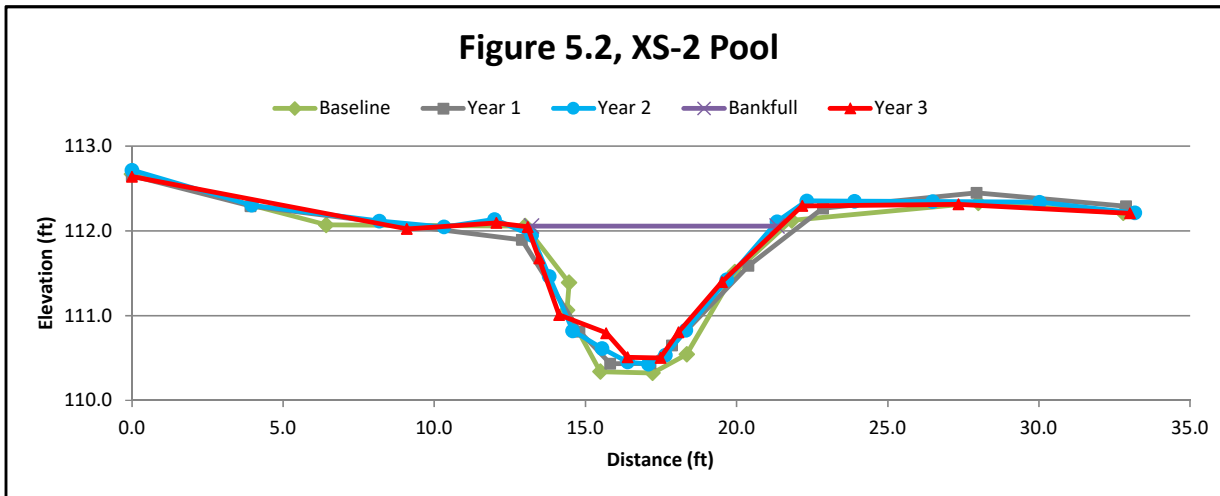


Dimension	Cross Section 1 (Riffle)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.7	9.1	9.4	9.5		
Floodprone Width (ft)	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	7.7	6.3	6.7	6.8		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	12.2	13.2	13.2	13.2		
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	20.2	21.4	20.8	20.5		
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1		

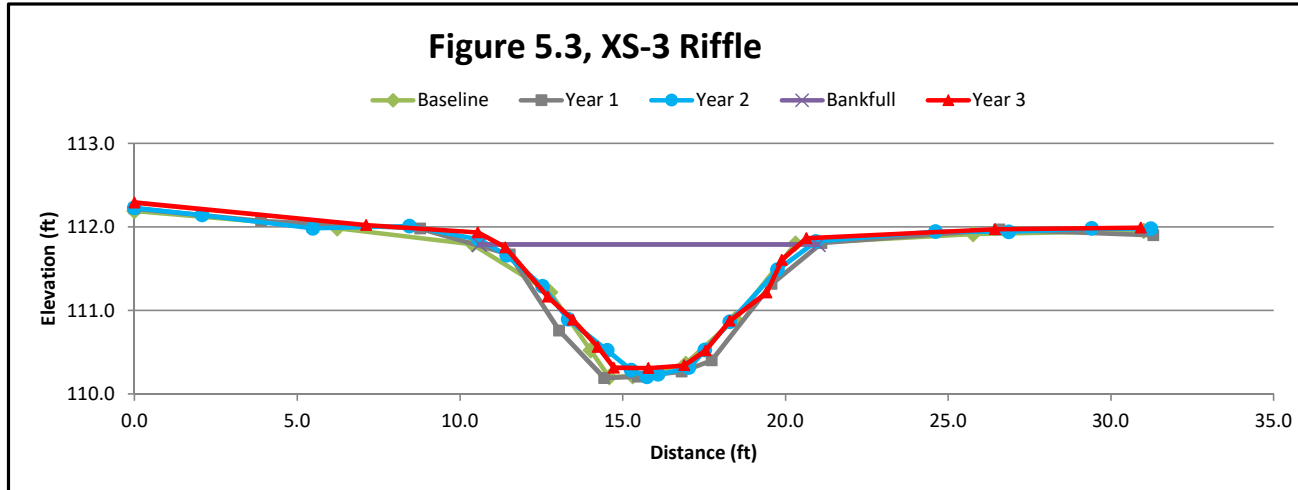
\*Bankfull Bank Height Ratio = (( Current Monitoring Year Top of Bank Elevation - Baseline Bankfull Elevation) + Baseline Max Depth) / Baseline Bankfull Max Depth



**Figure 5.2, XS-2 Pool**

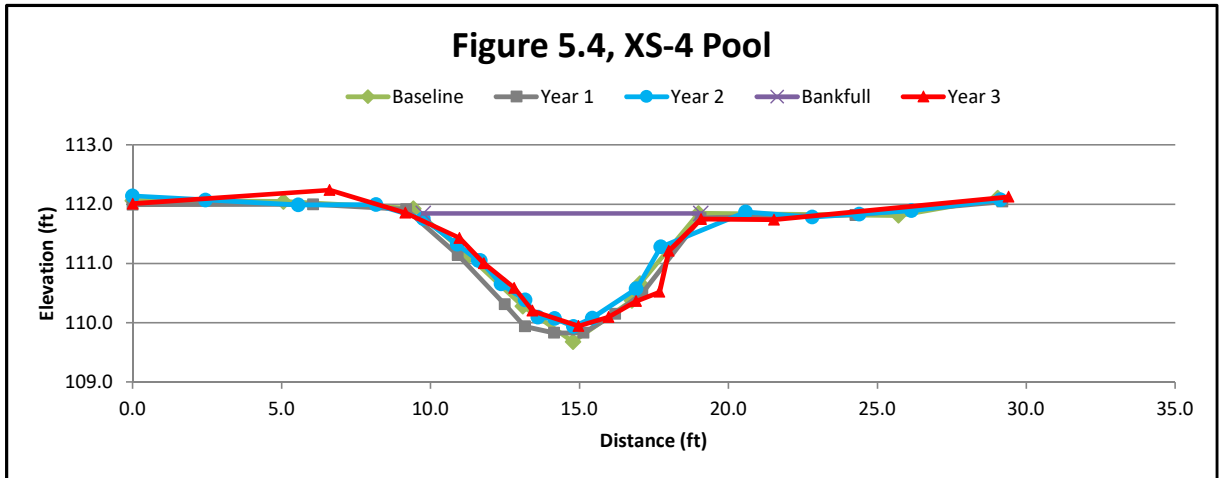


Dimension	Cross Section 2 (Pool)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	8.6	8.6	7.8	8.0		
Floodprone Width (ft)						
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.9		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.8	7.3	7.3	7.0		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio						
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio						
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio						

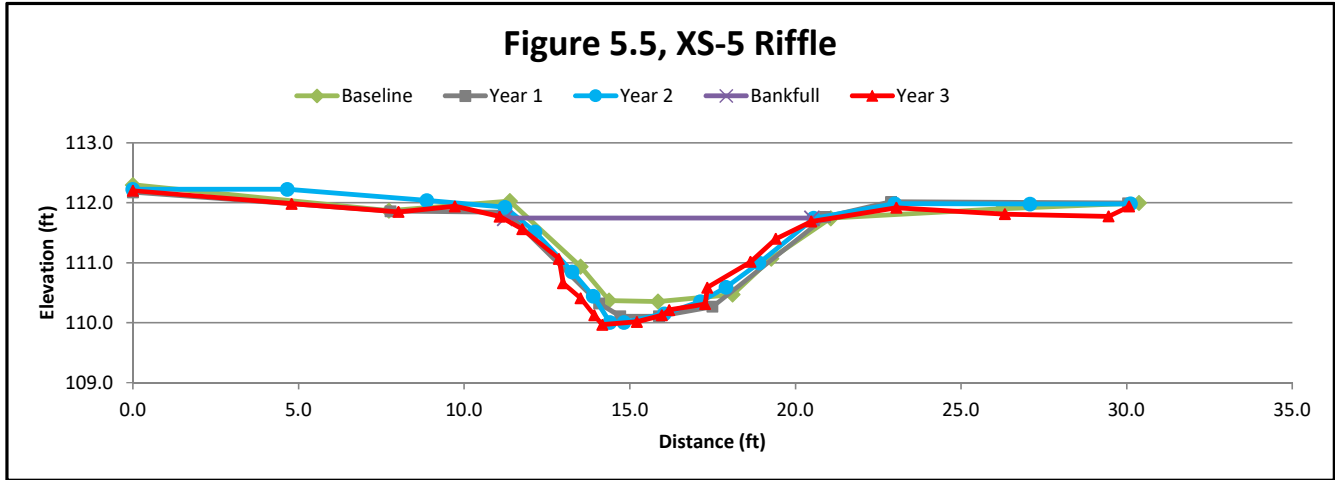


Dimension	Cross Section 3 (Riffle)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.9	10.6	10.0	9.2		
Floodprone Width (ft)	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.8	9.9	8.5	8.5		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	11.1	11.4	11.6	10.0		
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	12.8	11.9	12.7	13.8		
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1		

\*Bankfull Bank Height Ratio = (( Current Monitoring Year Top of Bank Elevation - Baseline Bankfull Elevation) + Baseline Max Depth) / Baseline Bankfull Max Depth



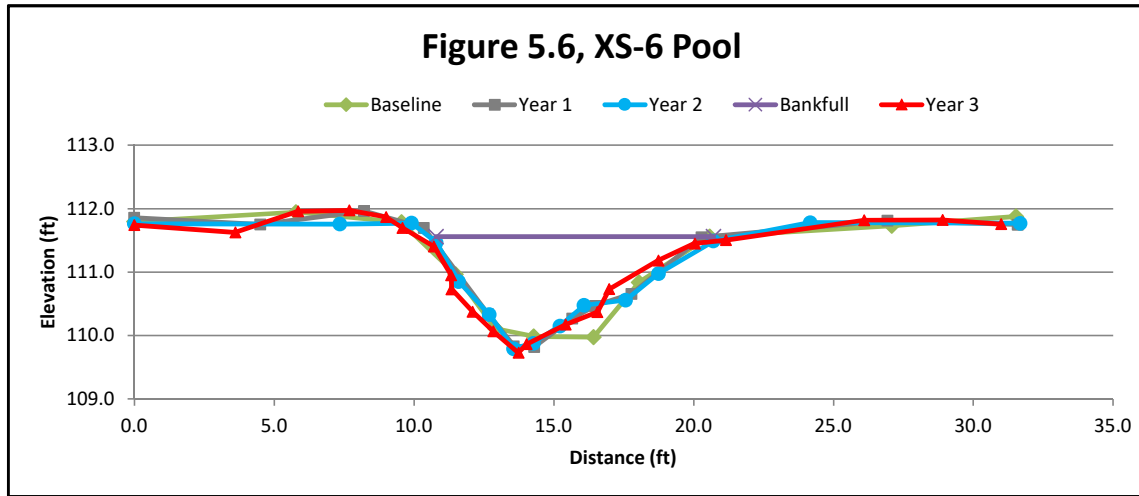
Dimension	Cross Section 4 (Pool)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.4	9.8	10.2	12.2		
Floodprone Width (ft)						
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.8		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.8		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	10.9	11.4	9.4	9.8		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio						
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio						
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio						



Dimension	Cross Section 5 (Riffle)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.1	9.4	8.9	9.9		
Floodprone Width (ft)	182.9	182.9	182.9	182.9		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.8		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.4	9.7	9.1	9.3		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	10.0	9.1	8.7	10.5		
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	20.0	19.5	20.5	18.5		
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0		

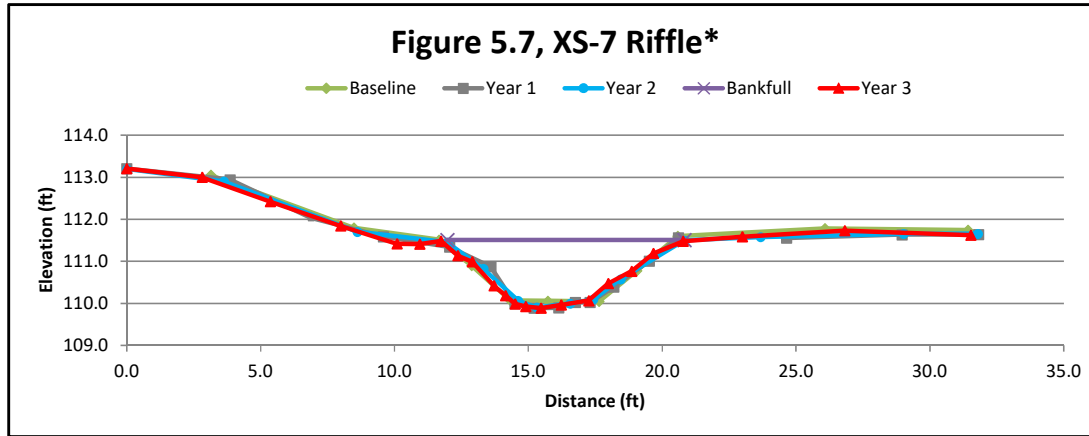


\*Bankfull Bank Height Ratio = (( Current Monitoring Year Top of Bank Elevation - Baseline Bankfull Elevation) + Baseline Max Depth) / Baseline Bankfull Max Depth



Dimension	Cross Section 6 (Pool)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	10.5	9.7	9.8	9.5		
Floodprone Width (ft)						
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	10.1	9.3	8.7	8.4		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio						
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio						



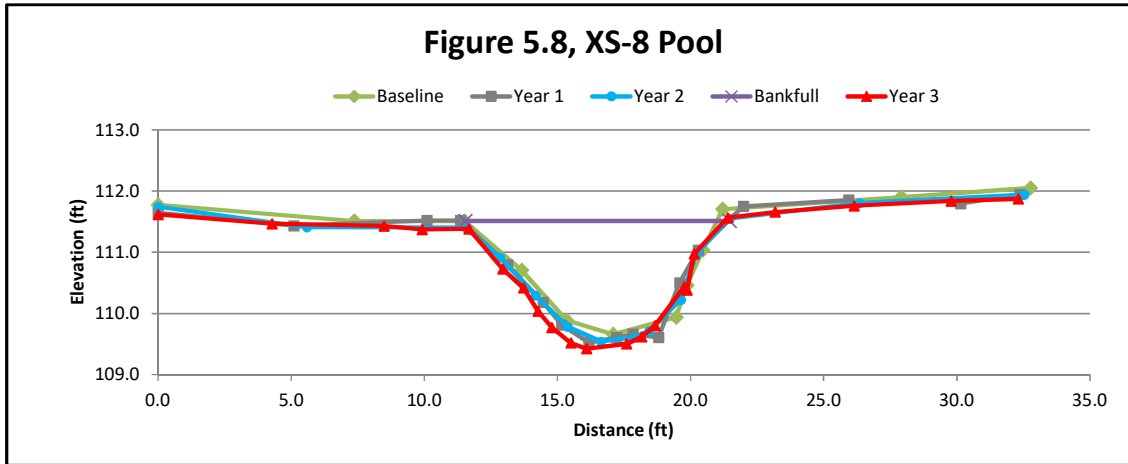


\*Baseline cross-section was not started on left pin

Dimension	Cross Section 7 (Riffle)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	8.8	10.2	9.6	9.7		
Floodprone Width (ft)	162.2	162.2	162.2	162.2		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.7		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	8.8	12.0	10.9	10.9		
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	18.5	16.0	16.8	16.7		
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio**	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		

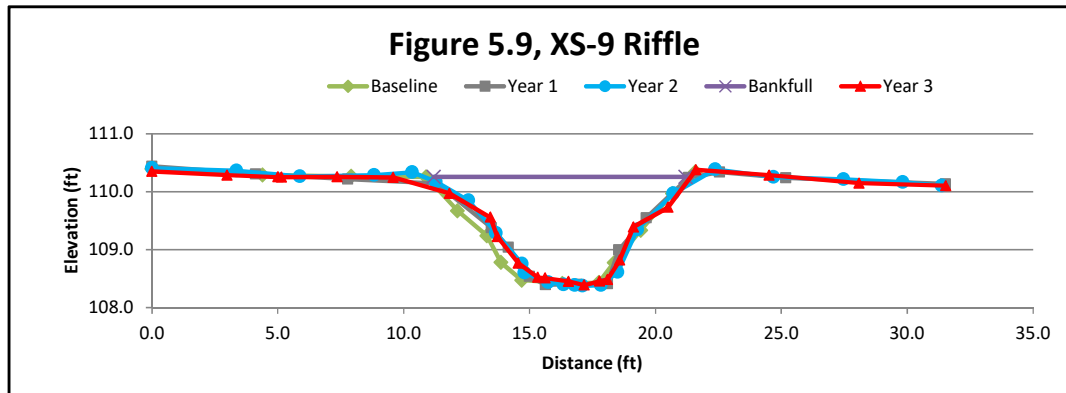


\*\*Bankfull Bank Height Ratio = (( Current Monitoring Year Top of Bank Elevation - Baseline Bankfull Elevation) + Baseline Max Depth) / Baseline Bankfull Max Depth



Dimension	Cross Section 8 (Pool)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.5	10.0	9.6	9.3		
Floodprone Width (ft)						
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	11.1	11.9	10.8	11.4		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio						
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio						
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio						



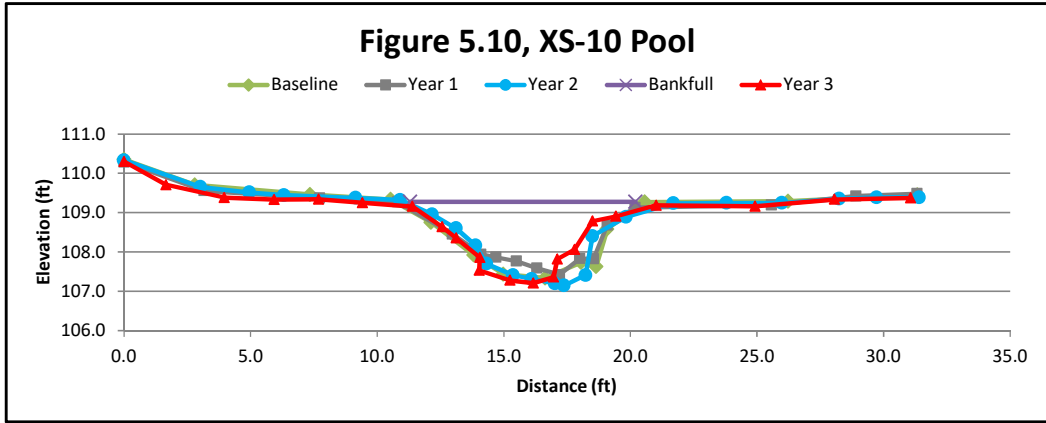


Dimension	Cross Section 9 (Riffle)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	10.5	10.2	11.1	11.7		
Floodprone Width (ft)	219.0	219.0	219.0	219.0		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	12.0	11.1	11.3	11.2		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	9.1	9.4	10.9	12.2		
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	20.9	21.5	19.8	18.8		
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.1		



\*Bankfull Bank Height Ratio = (( Current Monitoring Year Top of Bank Elevation - Baseline Bankfull Elevation) + Baseline Max Depth) / Baseline Bankfull Max Depth





Dimension	Cross Section 10 (Pool)					
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>						
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.8	9.2	10.5	9.6		
Floodprone Width (ft)						
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.9	1.7	2.1	2.1		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	11.4	8.7	10.7	10.2		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio						
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio						
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio						



**Table 8. Baseline Stream Data Summary**  
**UT to Millers Creek, DMS Project ID No. 95719**  
**UT to Millers Creek: 2,709 LF**

Parameter	Regional Curve	Pre-Existing Condition	Reference - Wildcat Branch	Reference - UT Brick Bound Swamp	Design	As-built/Baseline					
						Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	n
<b>Dimension and Substrate - Riffle</b>											
	Eq.	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	n
Bankfull Width (ft)		9.7	8.2	6.1	8.8	8.8	9.6	9.7	10.5	0.7	5
Floodprone Width (ft)		12.3	130.0	24.5	125.0	126.3	177.1	182.9	219.0	35.1	5
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)		0.75	1.03	0.50	0.92	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.1	5
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)		1.1	1.6	1.0	1.4	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.8	0.3	5
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )		7.2	8.5	3.1	8.3	7.7	9.1	8.7	12.0	1.7	5
Width/Depth Ratio		12.9	8.0	12.2	9.5	8.8	10.2	10.0	12.2	1.4	5
Entrenchment Ratio		1.3	15.9	4.0	14.3	11.9	13.1	12.9	14.3	0.9	5
Bank Height Ratio		4.83	1.09	1.00	1.00	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	5
d50 (mm)		sand	sand	sand	sand						
<b>Profile</b>											
Riffle Length (ft)						8.6	21.9	22.8	33.6	9.0	7
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)		Channelized	0.0022	0.0012	0.0007	0.0039	0.0069	0.0075	0.0096	0.0019	7
Pool Length (ft)						9.1	27.0	25.7	53.9	11.6	61
Pool Max depth (ft)		Channelized	1.75	1.25	1.75	1.60	1.86	1.90	2.20	0.23	5
Pool Spacing (ft)		Channelized	14.0 - 16.6	15.29 - 27.81	20.1 - 84.9	12.5	41.8	40.3	96.3	18.4	63
Pool Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )						8.80	10.46	10.90	11.40	1.05	5
<b>Pattern</b>											
Channel Beltwidth (ft)		Channelized	13.8 - 19.4	13.8 - 19.4	17.5 - 52.5						
Radius of Curvature (ft)		Channelized	10.9 - 15.3	5.0 - 9.0	20.1 - 22.8						
Rc: Bankfull Width (ft/ft)		Channelized	1.3 - 1.9	0.9 - 1.5	2.3 - 2.6						
Meander Wavelength (ft)		Channelized	22.5 - 29.0	23.0 - 29.0	14.0 - 56.0						
Meander Width Ratio		Channelized	1.7 - 2.4	2.3 - 3.2	2.0 - 6.0						
<b>Substrate, bed and transport parameters</b>											
Ri% / P%										33/67	
SC% / Sa% / G% / C% / B% / Be%											
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95/ d <sub>p</sub> / d <sub>sp</sub> (mm)											
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/ft <sup>2</sup>											
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull											
Unit Stream Power (transport capacity) lbs/ft.s		0.01			0.01				0.02		
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>											
Drainage Area (SM)		0.37	0.44	0.11	0.37						
Impervious cover estimate (%)											
Rosgen Classification		G-F/5	E5	E5	E5				E5		
Bankfull Velocity (fps)			1.00	0.97	0.80						
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)		8.4	8.5	3.0	8.4						
Valley length (ft)		2126			2126				2126		
Channel Thalweg length (ft)		2339			2679				2709		
Sinuosity (ft)		1.10	1.15	1.35	1.26				1.27		
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)		0.0011	0.0024	0.0016	0.0005				0.0005		
BF slope (ft/ft)					0.0005				0.0005		
Bankfull Floodplain Area (acres)											
Proportion over wide (%)											
Entrenchment Class (ER Range)											
Incision Class (BHR Range)											
BEHI VL% / L% / M% / H% / VH% / E%											
Channel Stability or Habitat Metric											
Biological or Other											

**Table 9. Morphology and Hydraulic Monitoring Summary (Dimensional Parameters - Cross Section)**  
**UT to Millers Creek (DMS Project No. 95719)**  
**UT to Millers Creek: 2,709 LF**

Dimension	Cross Section 1 (Riffle)							Cross Section 2 (Pool)						
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>														
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.7	9.1	9.4	9.5				8.6	8.6	7.8	8.0			
Floodprone Width (ft)	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2										
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7				1.0	0.9	1.0	0.9			
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0				1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5			
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	7.7	6.3	6.7	6.8				8.8	7.3	7.3	7.0			
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	12.2	13.2	13.2	13.2										
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	20.2	21.4	20.8	20.5										
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1										
Dimension	Cross Section 3 (Riffle)							Cross Section 4 (Pool)						
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>														
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.9	10.6	10.0	9.2				9.4	9.8	10.2	12.2			
Floodprone Width (ft)	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3										
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9				1.2	1.2	0.9	0.8			
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5				2.2	1.9	1.8	1.8			
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.8	9.9	8.5	8.5				10.9	11.4	9.4	9.8			
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	11.1	11.4	11.6	10.0										
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	12.8	11.9	12.7	13.8										
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1										
Dimension	Cross Section 5 (Riffle)							Cross Section 6 (Pool)						
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation<sup>1</sup></b>														
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.1	9.4	8.9	9.9				10.5	9.7	9.8	9.5			
Floodprone Width (ft)	182.9	182.9	182.9	182.9										
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9				1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9			
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.8				1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7			
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.4	9.7	9.1	9.3				10.1	9.3	8.7	8.4			
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	10.0	9.1	8.7	10.5										
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	20.0	19.5	20.5	18.5										
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0										
Dimension	Cross Section 7 (Riffle)							Cross Section 8 (Pool)						
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>														
Bankfull Width (ft)	8.8	10.2	9.6	9.7				9.5	10.0	9.6	9.3			
Floodprone Width (ft)	162.2	162.2	162.2	162.2										
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9				1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2			
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6				1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0			
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.7				11.1	11.9	10.8	11.4			
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	8.8	12.0	10.9	10.9										
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	18.5	16.0	16.8	16.7										
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0										
Dimension	Cross Section 9 (Riffle)							Cross Section 10 (Pool)						
	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY+
<b>Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation</b>														
Bankfull Width (ft)	10.5	10.2	11.1	11.7				9.8	9.2	10.5	9.6			
Floodprone Width (ft)	219.0	219.0	219.0	219.0										
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0				1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0			
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9				1.9	1.7	2.1	2.1			
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	12.0	11.1	11.3	11.2				11.4	8.7	10.7	10.2			
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	9.1	9.4	10.9	12.2										
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	20.9	21.5	19.8	18.8										
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio*	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.1										

\*Bankfull Bank Height Ratio = ((Current Monitoring Year Top of Bank Elevation - Baseline Bankfull Elevation) + Baseline Bankfull Max Depth) / Baseline Bankfull Max Depth

**Table 10. Monitoring Data - Stream Reach Data Summary  
UT to Millers Creek (DMS Project No. 95719)**

Parameter	Baseline						MY-1						MY-2						MY-3						MY-4						MY-5					
	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD <sup>4</sup>	n	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD <sup>4</sup>	n	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD <sup>4</sup>	n	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD <sup>4</sup>	n	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD <sup>4</sup>	n	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD <sup>4</sup>	n
<b>Dimension and Substrate</b>																																				
Bankfull Width (ft)	8.8	9.6	9.7	10.5	0.7	5	9.1	9.9	10.2	10.6	0.6	5	8.9	9.8	9.6	11.1	0.8	5	9.2	10.0	9.7	11.7	1.0	5												
Floodprone Width (ft)	126.3	177.1	182.9	219.0	35.1	5	126.3	177.1	182.9	219.0	35.1	5	126.3	177.1	182.9	219.0	35.1	5	126.3	177.1	182.9	219.0	35.1	5												
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.1	5	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.2	5	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.1	5	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.1	5												
<sup>1</sup> Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.8	0.3	5	1.0	1.6	1.6	1.9	0.3	5	1.1	1.6	1.6	1.9	0.3	5	1.0	1.5	1.6	1.9	0.3	5												
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	7.7	9.1	8.7	12.0	1.7	5	6.3	9.1	9.7	11.1	1.8	5	6.7	8.8	8.5	11.3	1.6	5	6.8	8.9	8.7	11.2	1.6	5												
Width/Depth Ratio	8.8	10.2	10.0	12.2	1.4	5	9.1	11.0	11.4	13.2	1.7	5	8.7	11.1	10.9	13.2	1.6	5	10.0	11.4	10.9	13.2	1.3	5												
Entrenchment Ratio	11.9	13.1	12.9	14.3	0.9	5	11.9	18.1	19.5	21.5	4.1	5	12.7	18.1	19.8	20.8	3.4	5	13.8	17.6	18.5	20.5	2.6	5												
<sup>1</sup> Bank Height Ratio	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	5	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.1	5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	5	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.1	5												
<b>Profile</b>																																				
Riffle Length (ft)	8.6	21.9	22.8	33.6	9.0	7																														
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.0039	0.0069	0.0075	0.0096	0.0019	7																														
Pool Length (ft)	9.1	27.0	25.7	53.9	11.6	61																														
Pool Max depth (ft)	1.60	1.86	1.90	2.20	0.23	5																														
Pool Spacing (ft)	12.5	41.8	40.3	96.3	18.4	63																														
<b>Pattern*</b>																																				
Channel Beltwidth (ft)		17.5 - 52.5																																		
Radius of Curvature (ft)		20.1 - 22.8																																		
Rc:Bankfull width (ft/ft)		2.3 - 2.6																																		
Meander Wavelength (ft)		14.0 - 56.0																																		
Meander Width Ratio		2.0 - 6.0																																		
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																																				
Rosgen Classification			E5																																	
Channel Thalweg length (ft)			2709																																	
Sinuosity (ft)			1.27																																	
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)			0.0011																																	
BF slope (ft/ft)			0.0005																																	
<sup>3</sup> Ri% / Ru% / P% / G% / S%	33		67																																	
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Channel Stability or Habitat Metric																																				
Biological or Other																																				

Shaded cells indicate that these will typically not be filled in.  
 1 = The distributions for these parameters can include information from both the cross-section measurements and the longitudinal profile.  
 2 = Proportion of reach exhibiting banks that are eroding based on the visual survey from visual assessment table  
 3 = Riffle, Run, Pool, Glide, Step; Silt/Clay, Sand, Gravel, Cobble, Boulder, Bedrock; dip = max pave, disp = max subpave  
 4 = Of value/needed only if the n exceeds 3  
 \*Pattern data taken from design calculations as stream was built according to design plans per As-Built drawings

**Appendix E. Hydrologic Data**

**Table 11. Verification of Bankfull Events**

Date	Crest Gauge Info		Gauge Reading (ft)	Gauge Elevation (ft)	Crest Elevation (ft)	Bankfull Elevation (ft)	Height above Bankfull (ft)
	Site	Sta.					
7/14/2015	2	37+03	2.29	107.16	109.45	107.71	1.74
10/19/2015	1	10+62	1.50	111.46	112.96	112.07	0.89
4/27/2016	1	10+62	1.88	111.46	113.34	112.07	1.26
4/27/2016	2	37+03	3.70	107.16	110.87	107.71	3.15
10/10/2016	1	10+62	2.79	111.46	114.25	112.07	2.18
10/10/2016	2	37+03	3.43	107.16	110.59	107.71	2.88
10/10/2016	N/A	Approx. 20+00	Visual	Visual	Visual	Visual	Visual
1/17/2017	1	10+62	2.29	111.46	113.75	112.07	1.68
1/17/2017	2	37+03	3.13	107.16	110.29	107.71	2.58
4/26/2017	1	10+62	2.00	111.46	113.46	112.07	1.39
4/26/2017	2	37+03	4.06	107.16	111.22	107.71	3.51

**Figure 6.1 - 6.4 Crest Gauge Photos**



**6.1 Crest Gauge 1 (1/17/2017)**



**6.2 Crest Gauge 2 (1/17/2017)**



6.3 Crest Gauge 1 (4/26/2017)



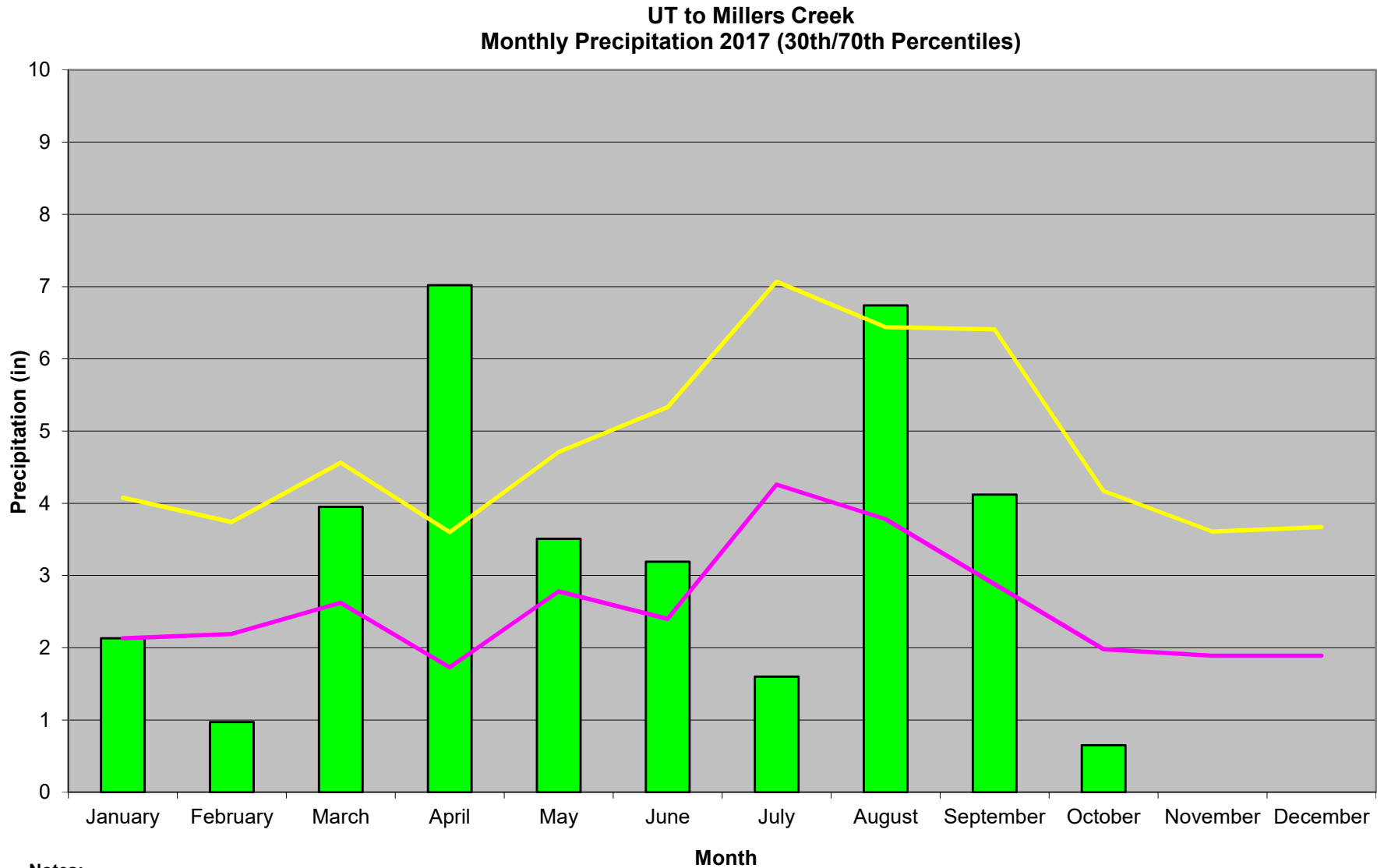
6.4 Crest Gauge 2 (4/26/2017)

**Table 12. Summary of Gauge Hydrologic Data**

Gauge Number*	Wetland Community Type	Target Hydroperiod	Percentage of Growing Season Year 1	Longest Number Of Consecutive Days Meeting Wetland Hydrology Criteria During Year 1 Growing Season	Percentage of Growing Season Year 2	Longest Number Of Consecutive Days Meeting Wetland Hydrology Criteria During Year 2 Growing Season	Percentage of Growing Season Year 3	Longest Number Of Consecutive Days Meeting Wetland Hydrology Criteria During Year 3 Growing Season
1	Riparian Bottomland Hardwood	12.5%	43	130	23	69	7.6	23
2	Riparian Bottomland Hardwood	12.5%	53	161	49	149	43.6	132
3	Riparian Bottomland Hardwood	12.5%	10	30	21	65	5.6	17
4	Headwater Riparian (Zero Order)	10%	70	212	100	304	52.5	159
5	Riparian Bottomland Hardwood	12.5%	32	97	49	149	49.2	149
6	Riparian Bottomland Hardwood	12.5%	52	158	48	146	51.5	156
Reference	Headwater Riparian (Zero Order)	10%	39	118	46	141	17.8	54
Reference	Riparian Bottomland Hardwood	12.5%	36	108	26	79	26.1	79

\*Green shading indicates that gauge has met target hydroperiod for monitoring year  
 Red shading indicates that gauge has not met target hydroperiod for monitoring year

Figure 7. Zero Order Reference Wetland Gauge



**Notes:**

1. Precipitation data obtained from on-site rain gauge (collected through December 31).
2. 30th and 70th percentiles calculated from long-term climatic data 1984-2013 ([www.wcc.nrcs.usda.gov](http://www.wcc.nrcs.usda.gov))

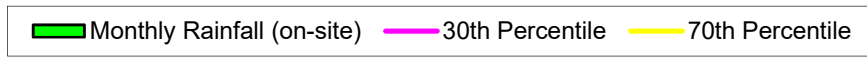




Figure 8.0. Zero Order Reference Wetland Gauge

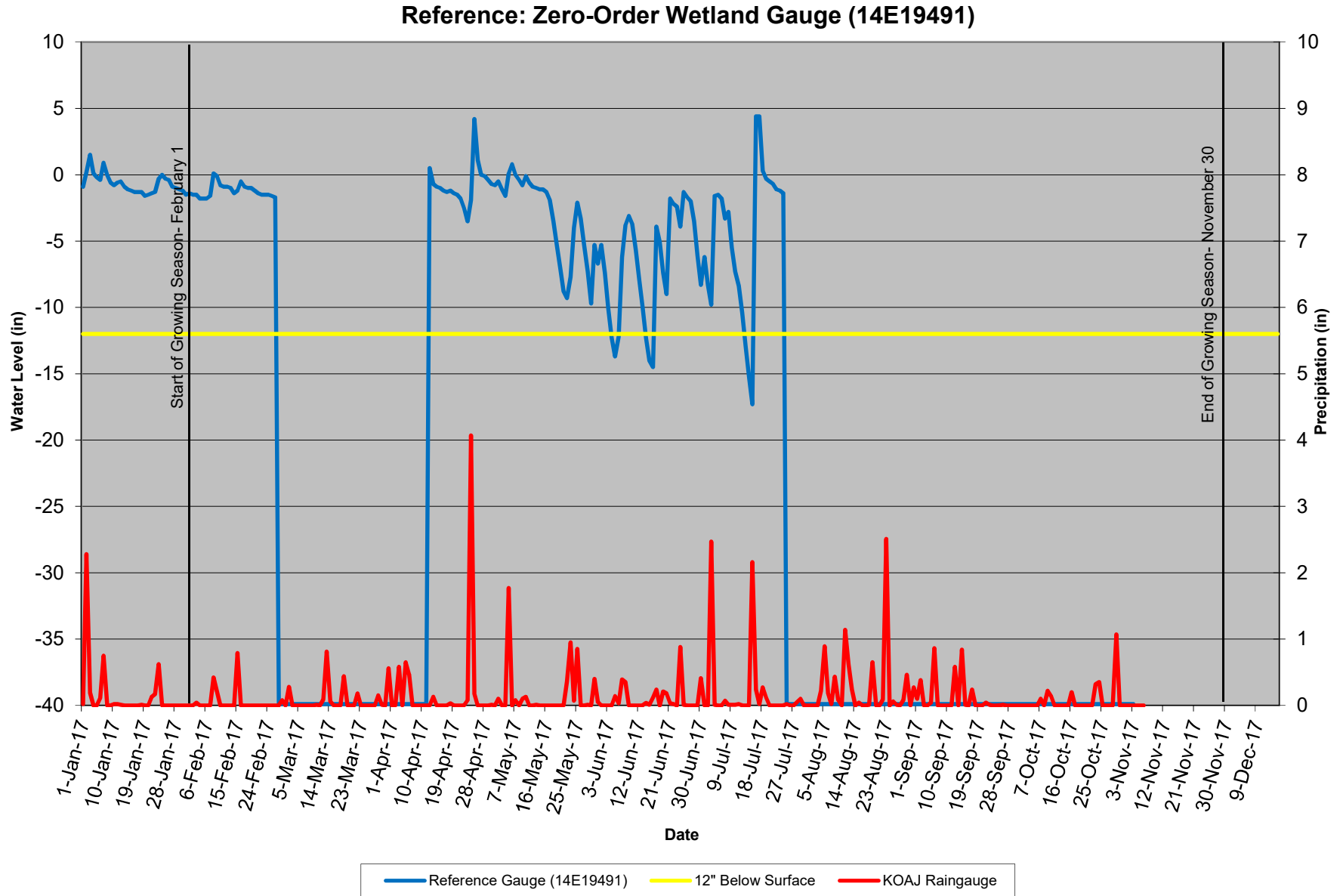


Figure 8.1. Second Order Reference Wetland Gauge  
**Reference: Second-Order Wetland Gauge (14EB20BB)**

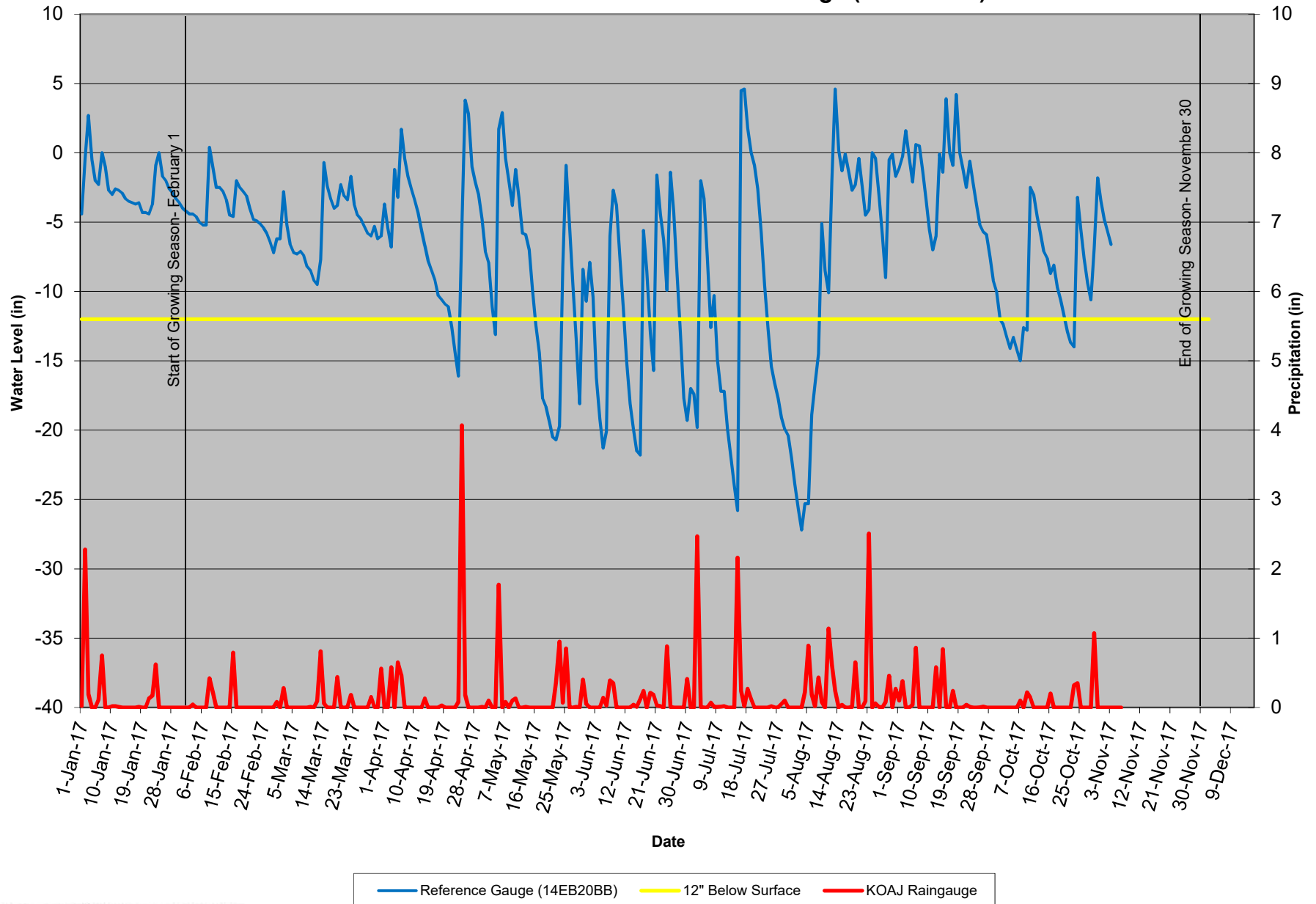


Figure 8.2. Wetland Gauge 1

Gauge 1 (14E14CEA)

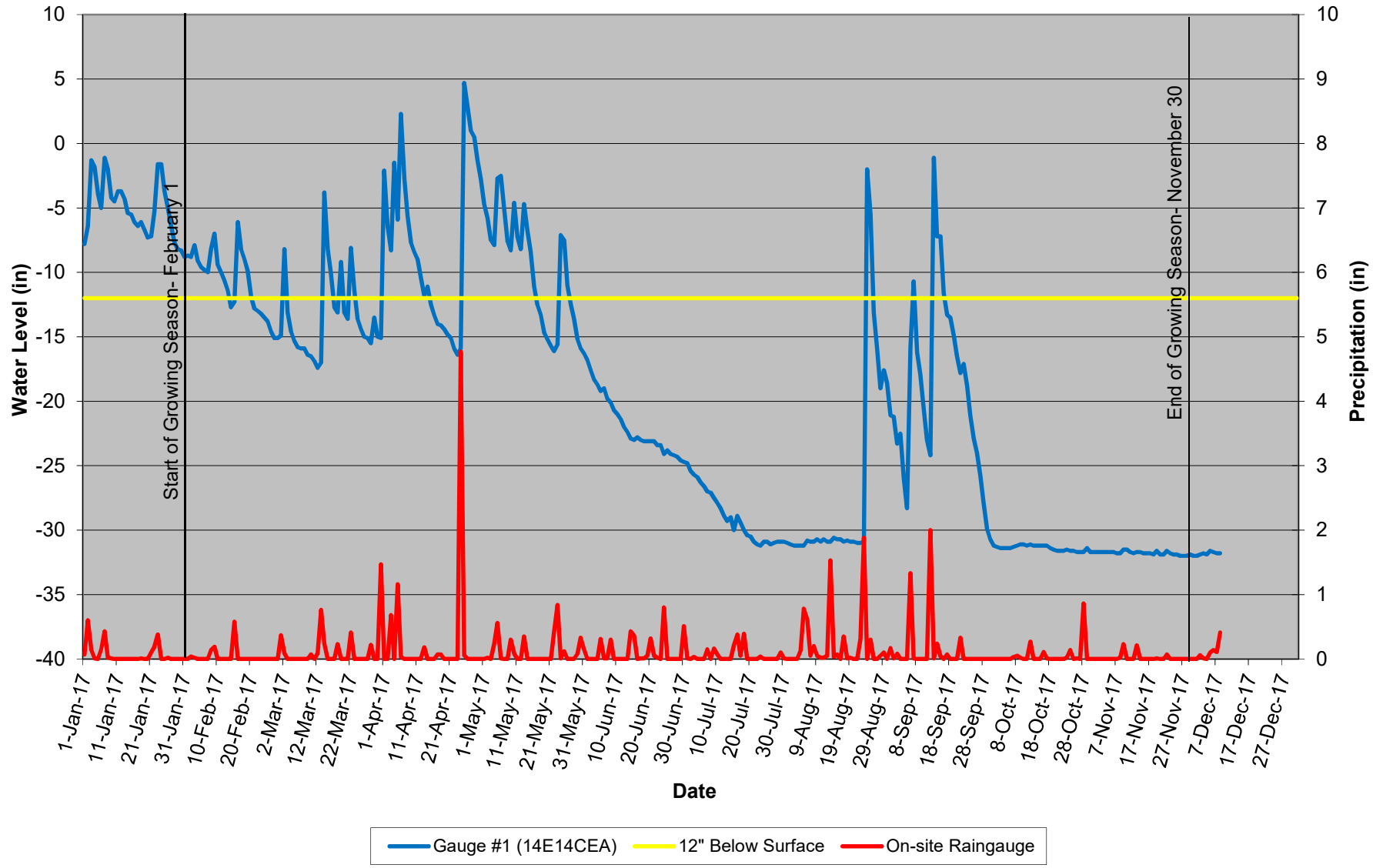


Figure 8.3. Wetland Gauge 2

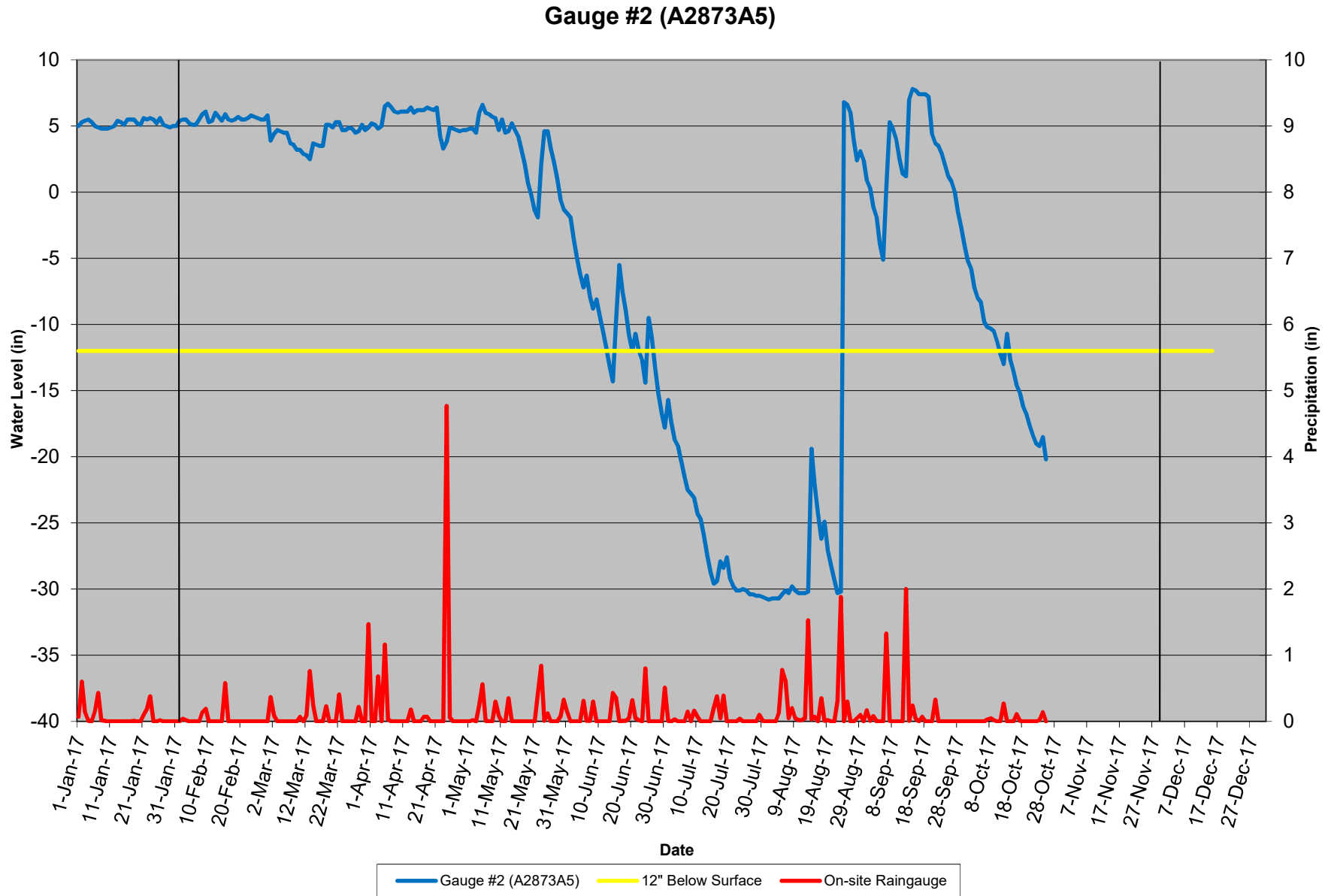


Figure 8.4. Wetland Gauge 3

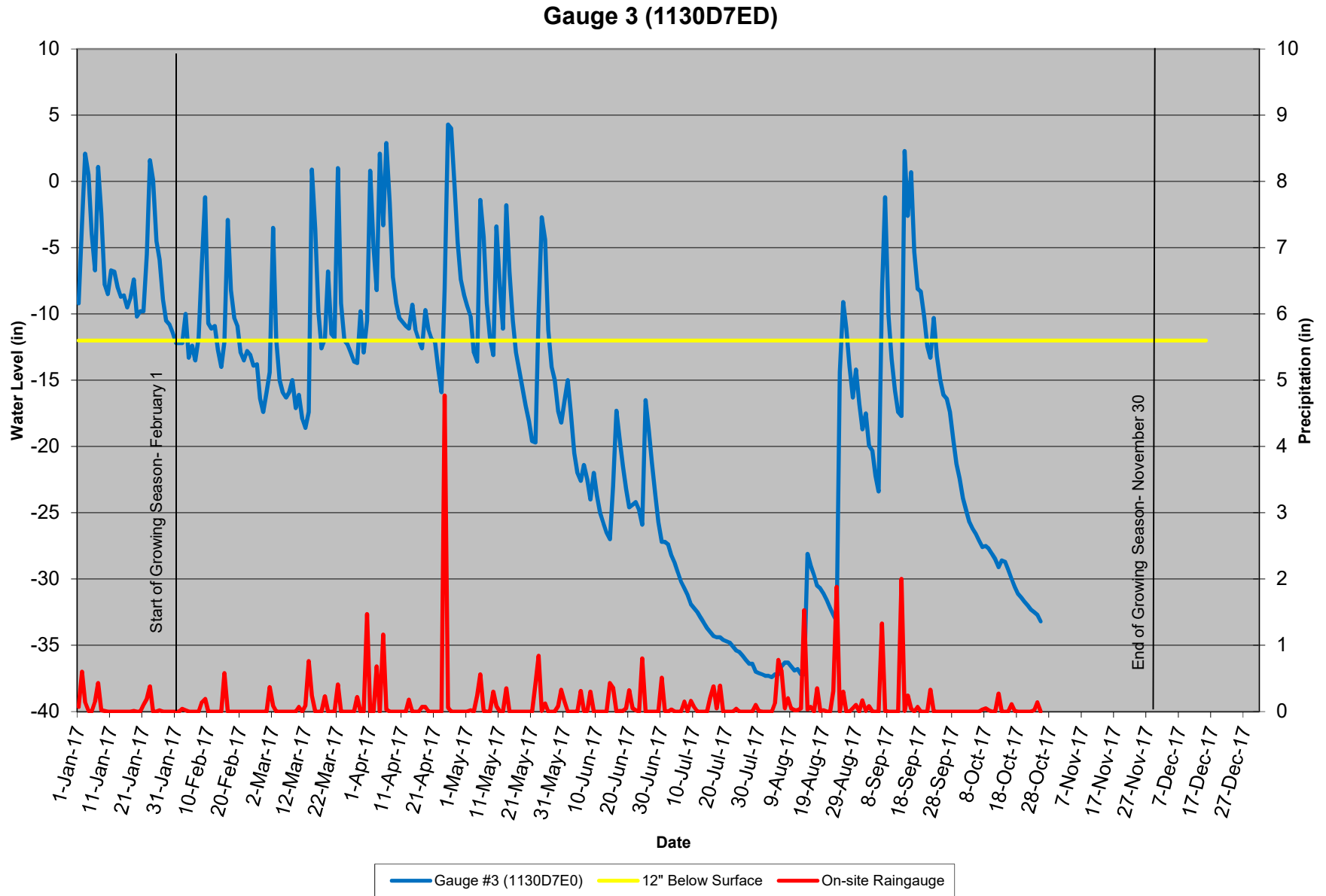


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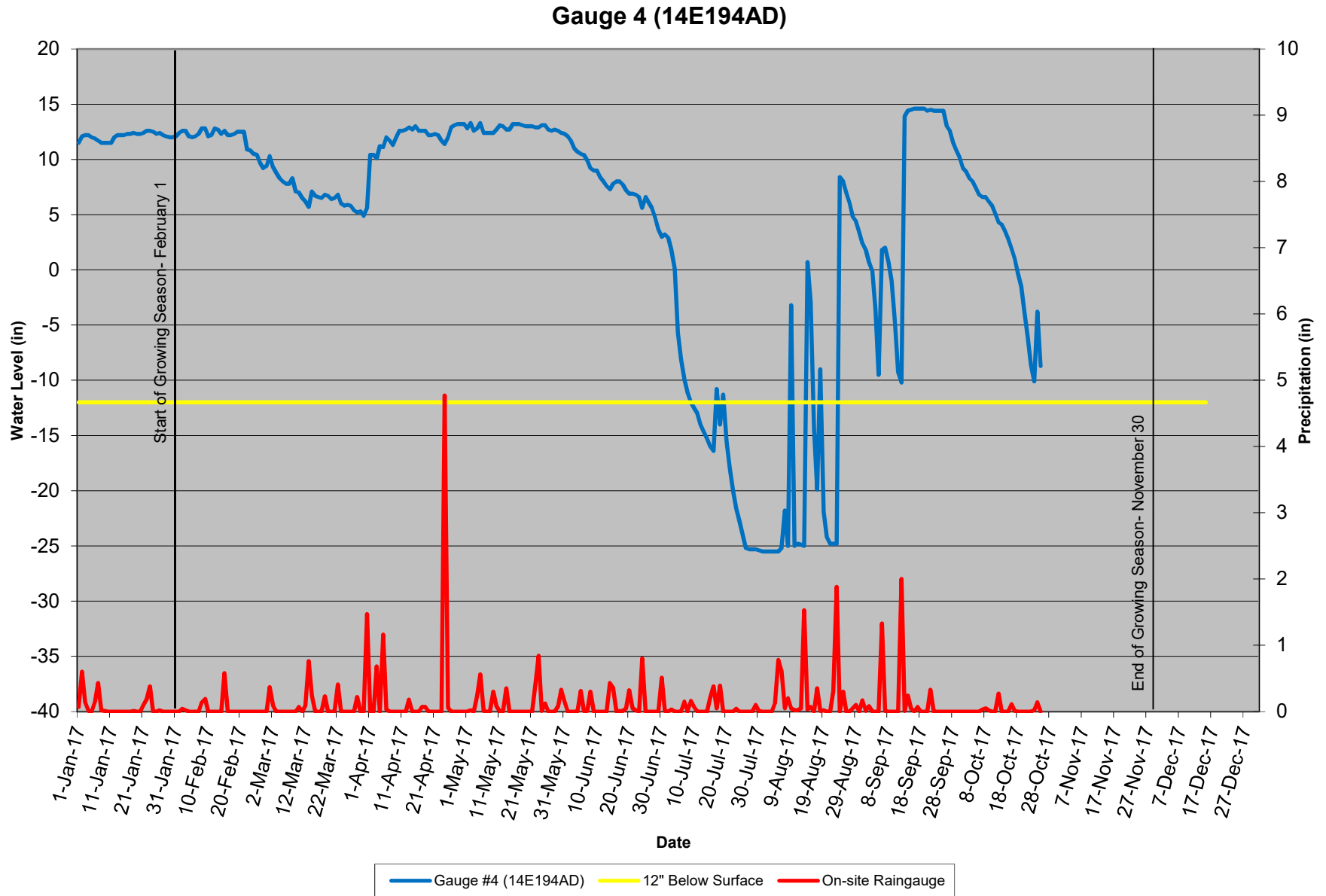


Figure 8.6. Wetland Gauge 5

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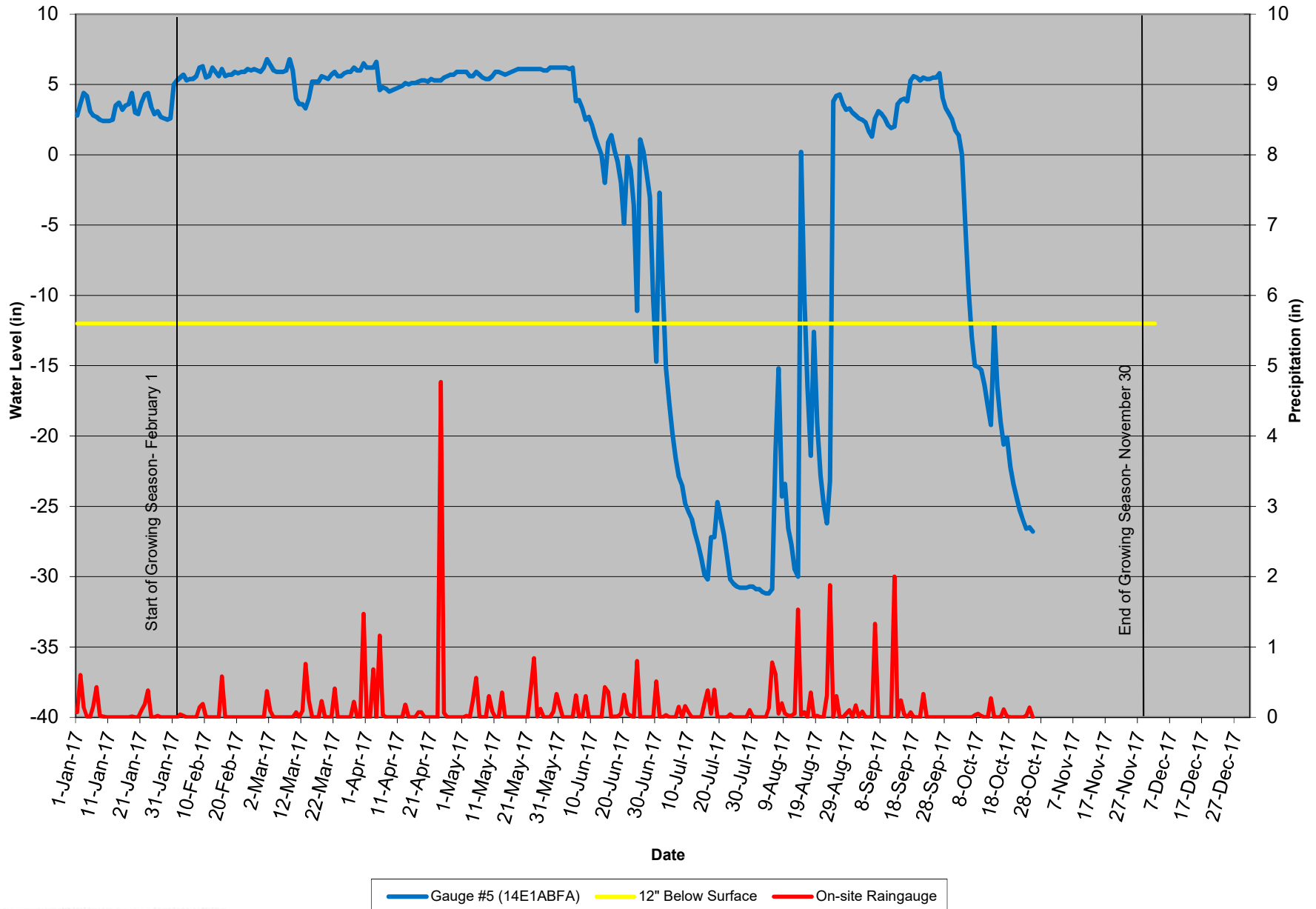


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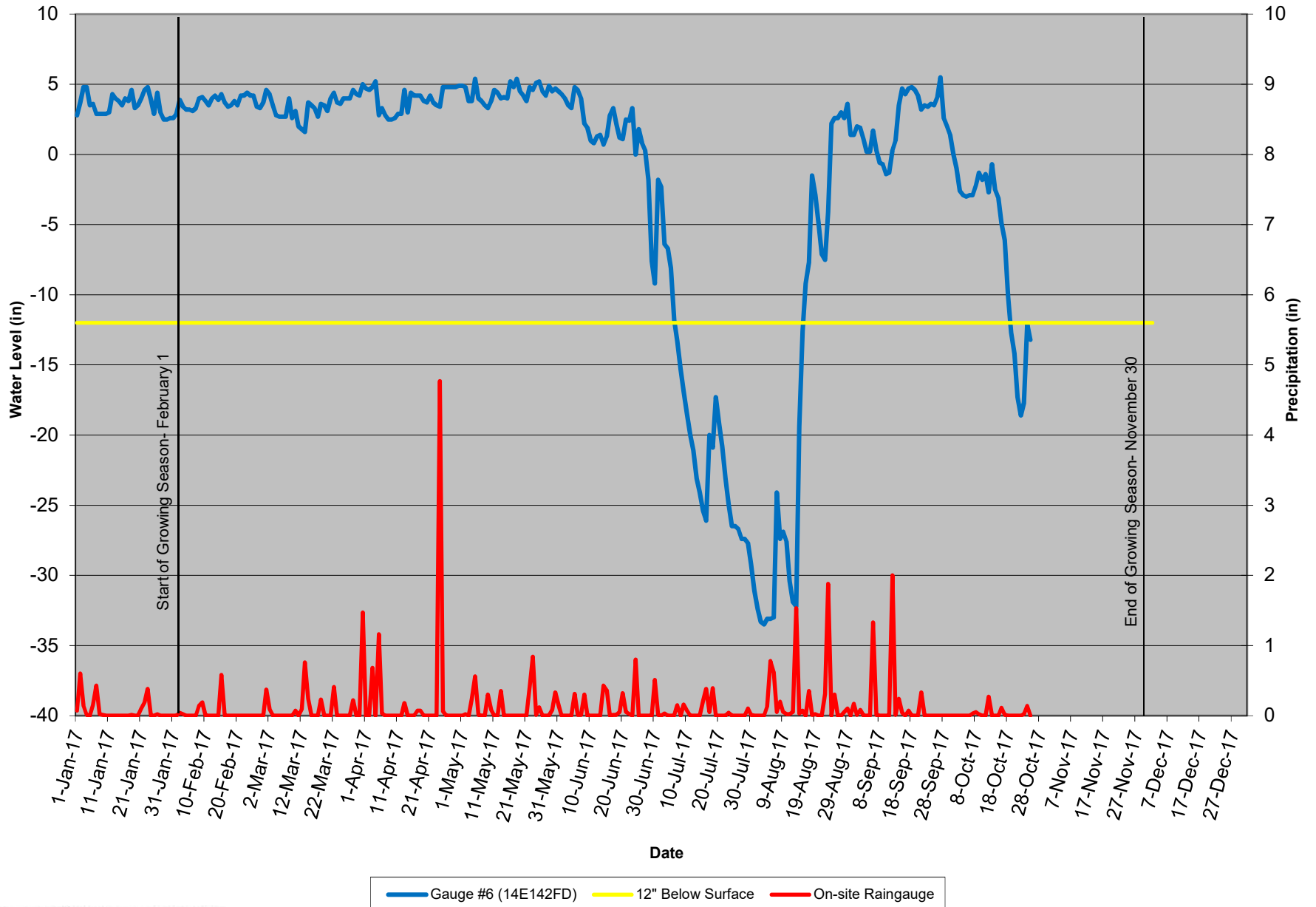
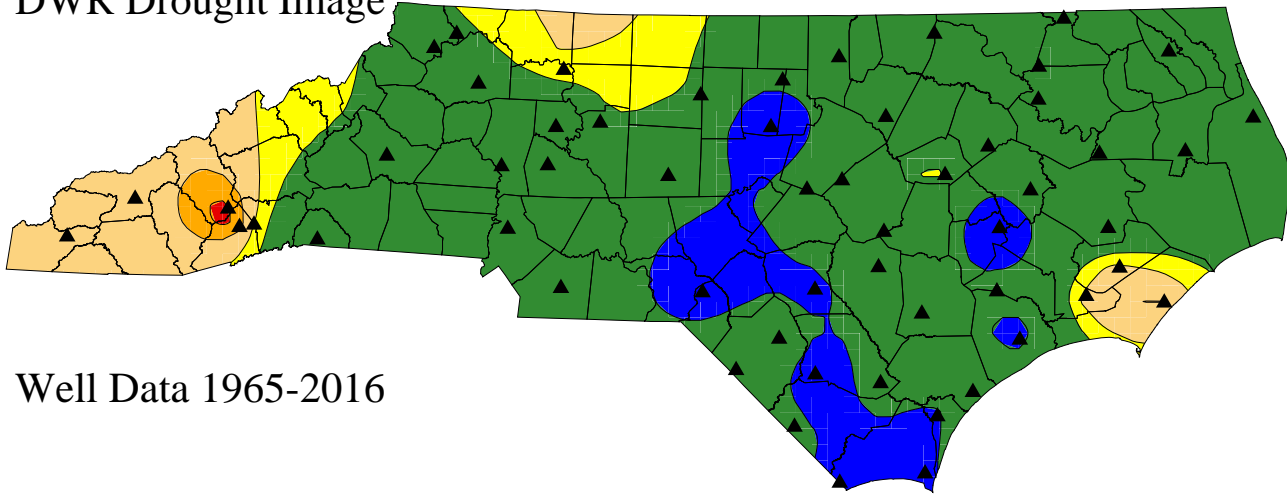




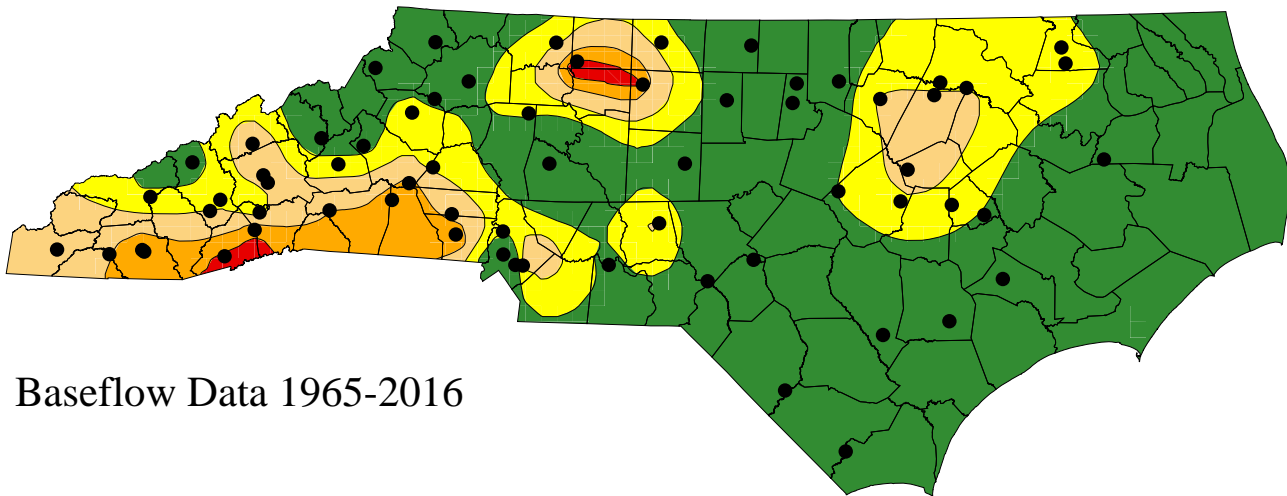
Figure 9.0. NCDWR Drought Status Map January

North Carolina Division of Water Resources January 31, 2017

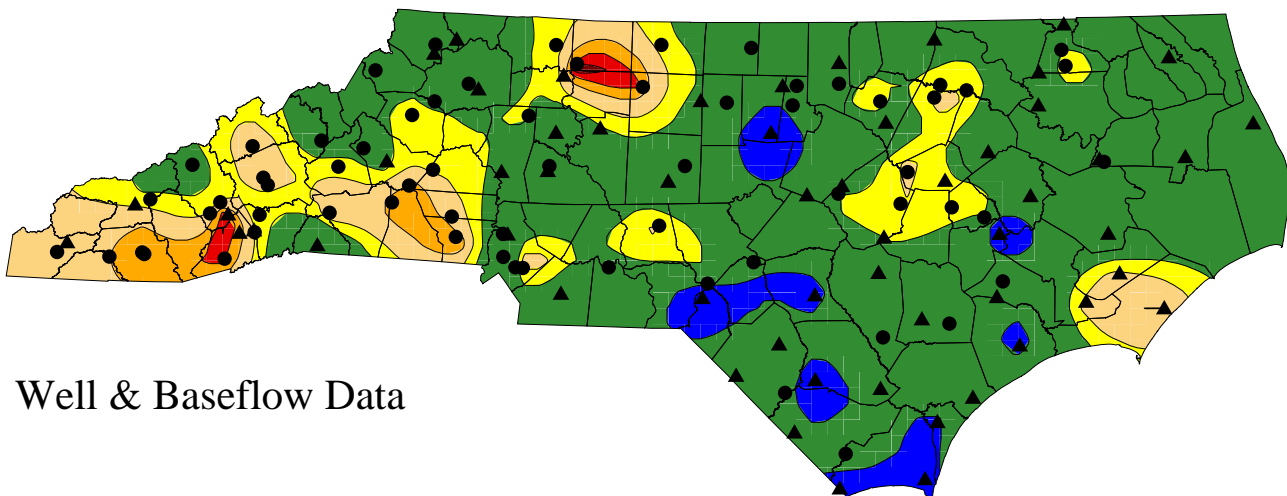
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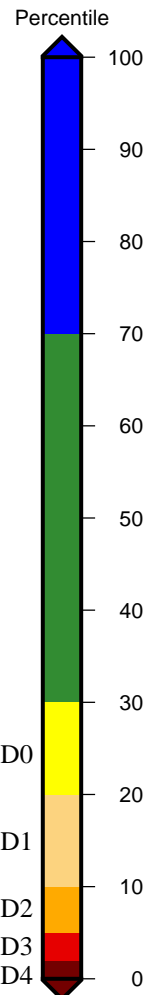
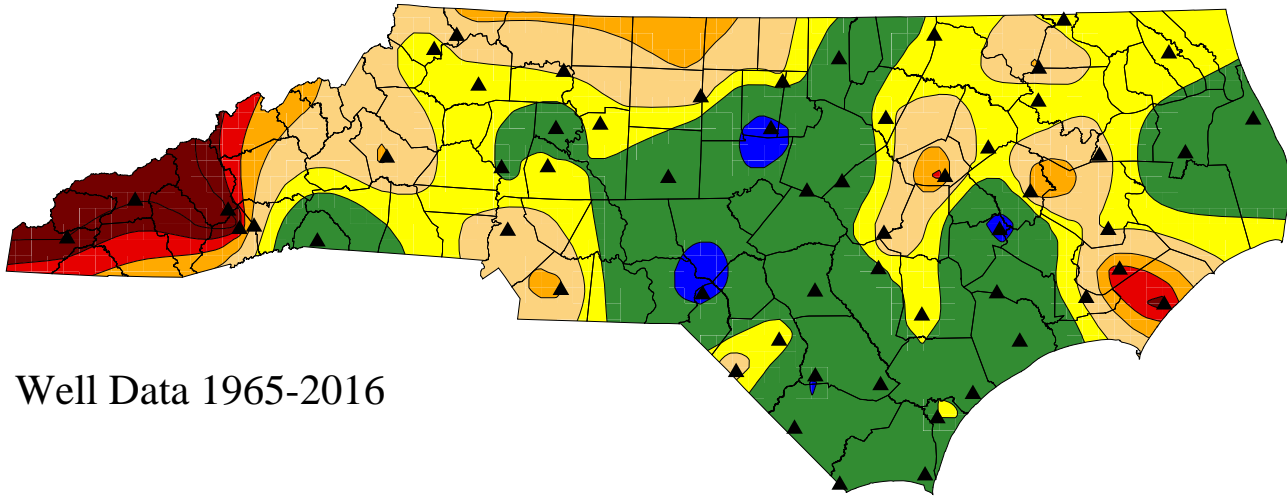
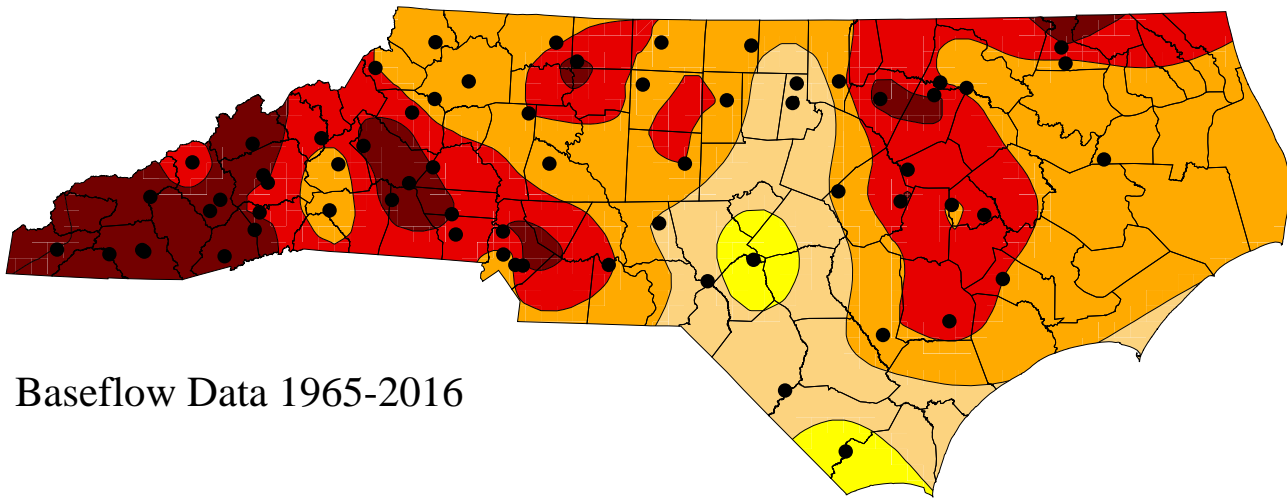


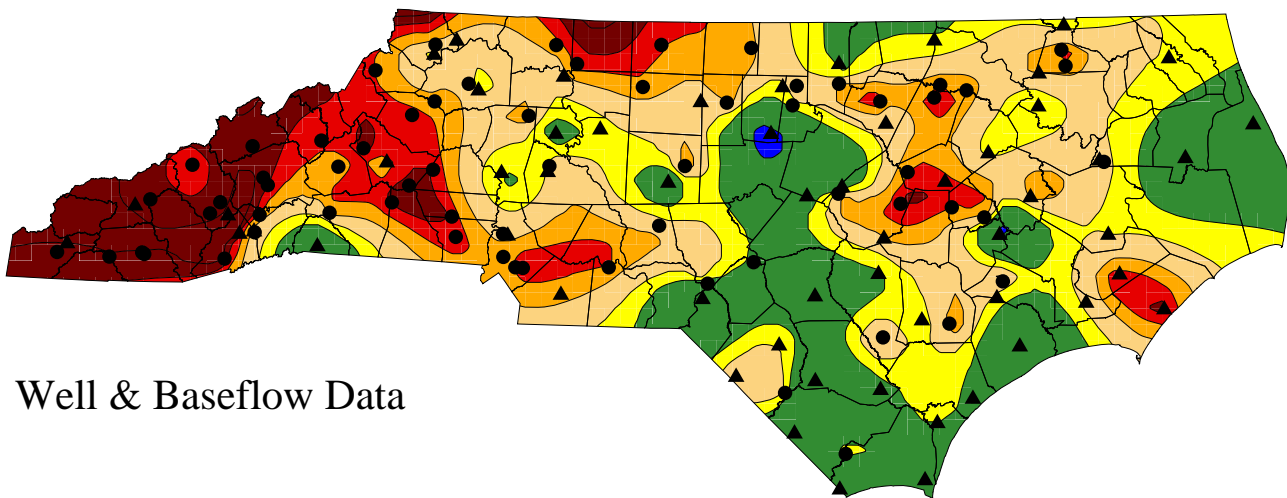
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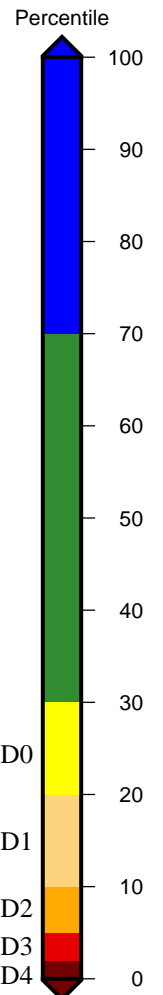
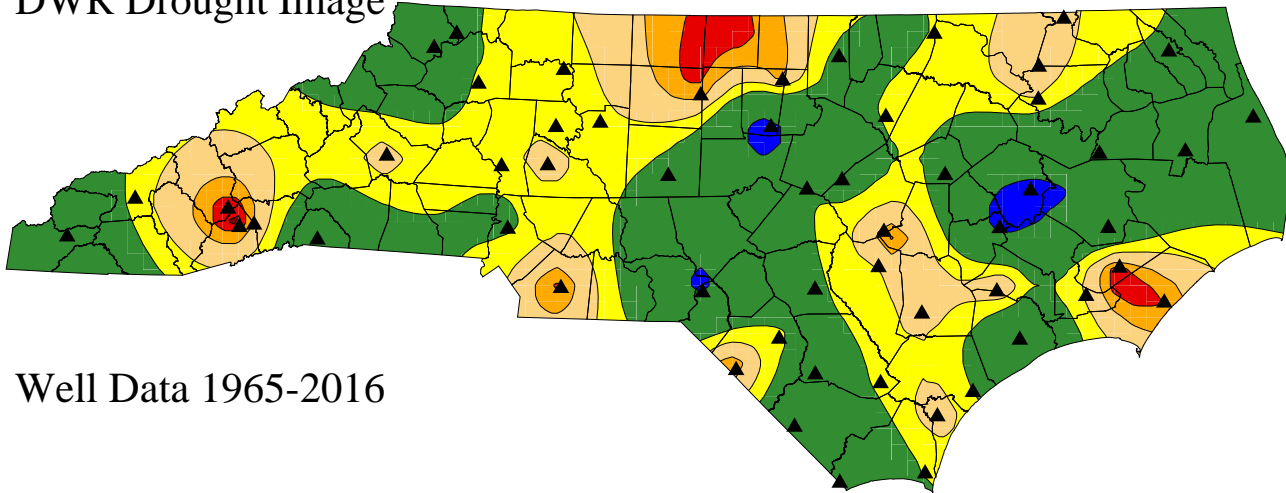


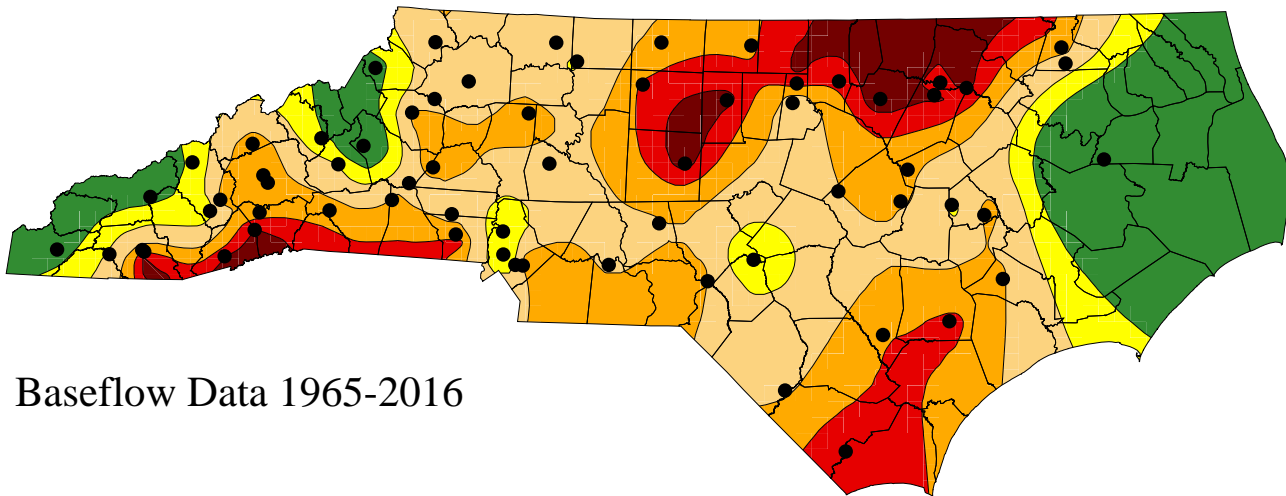
Figure 9.2. NCDWR Drought Status Map March

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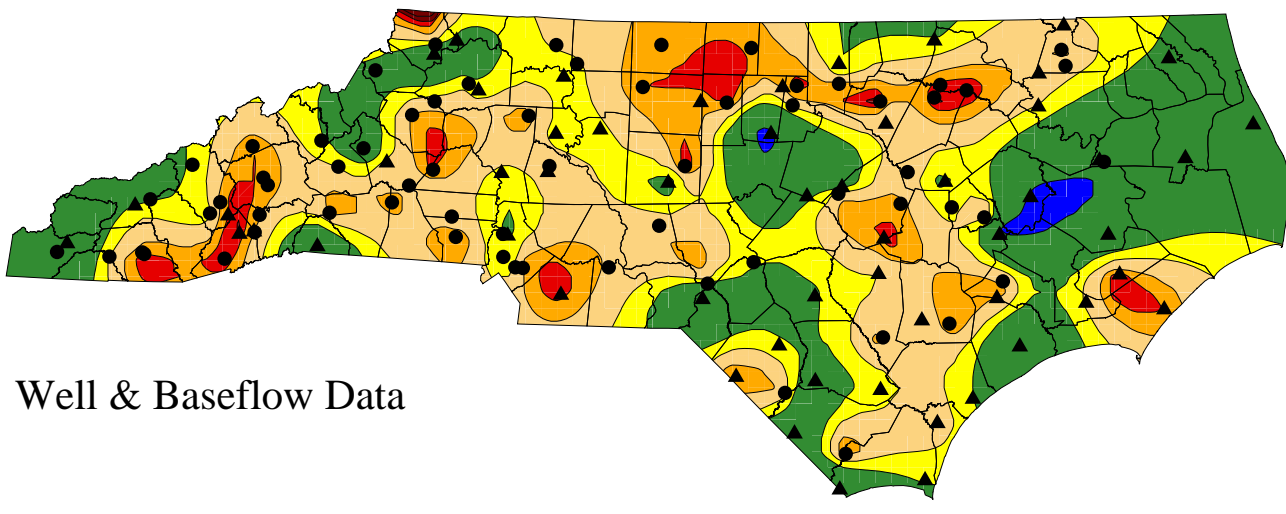
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