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# **Executive Summary**

In 2001, the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) identified two unnamed tributaries to Nick Creek in Chatham County, North Carolina, as stream mitigation sites. The tributaries are on a tract that was referred to as the Smith Tract Mitigation Site. The two unnamed tributaries have been designated Reach 1 and Reach 2. These two streams join just south of the Smith property boundary line and then discharge into Nick Creek approximately 6,000 linear feet west of the Smith Property, just above the confluence of Nick Creek and the Rocky River.

The Smith Tract is a combination of four properties owned by Mr. Ernest H. Smith and his wife, Linda S. Smith. The subject property is located at 700 Smith Hudson Road (SR 1328) in the Matthews Township. The property is currently being utilized for cattle pasture for beef production. Reach 1 runs east to west bisecting the property. The drainage area for Reach 1 is approximately 1.28 square miles and is located entirely within a wooded area just north of a cleared field and the landowner's residence. The main factors that contributed to the stream's degradation were the cattle access along the stream banks, causing soil loss and bank instability, limited under-story riparian and stream bank vegetation due to cattle grazing and movement, and pattern instability due to a vehicle crossing access in a stream bend. Reach 2 runs north to south in the western portion of the property and has a drainage area of approximately 0.21 square miles. The area where Reach 2 is located is wooded and fenced off to cattle. The main factors in the degradation of Reach 2 were the riparian buffer removal, the installation of a culvert for farm equipment access, and the incision of the main channel into which Reach 2 flows.

The project involves 1) stream restoration and enhancement, and riparian buffer restoration and preservation. Table 1 displays the approximate areas and lengths of the restoration/enhancement/preservation areas.

Table 1: 1	Project Restoration,	Enhancement.	and Preservation	Specifications

Project Restoration/Enhancement/Preservation						
Type	Acres	Linear Feet				
Stream Restoration	N/A	1,113.64				
Stream Enhancement	N/A	955				
Stream Buffer Enhancement	2.21	N/A				
Stream Buffer Restoration	0.3	N/A				
Stream Buffer Preservation	6.67	N/A				

Stream and buffer restoration were completed in conjunction with vegetation establishment and the removal of an existing culvert along Reach 2 and the installation of a cattle crossing along Reach 1. Stream enhancement consisted of repairing the stream banks along Reach 1 that had been damaged by cattle over the years. The channel dimensions were adjusted by sloping back unstable vertical banks to a stable gradient of 2H:1V or flatter. The sloping back of the banks brought the channel cross section back

into target dimensions for width and cross sectional area. Reach 2 was a priority 1 restoration. The stream was reconnected to its floodplain and the stream pattern, profile, and dimension were adjusted to allow the stream to efficiently transport its water and sediment load through a combination of changes to the channel dimensions, pattern, and bedform. The new channel was constructed with a mean width of 11 feet and an average cross sectional area of 8 square feet in the riffles. The pools were constructed with an average pool width of 10 feet and a larger cross sectional area of 11 square feet. Vegetation in the riparian zone was restored to reflect historic Piedmont/Mountain Bottomland Forest species composition and abundance. Plants were established at 6 x 10 foot spacing (640 plants/acre). Vegetation in the buffer areas was established for bank stability and for control of bed erosion.

Ecological benefits of the restoration include improving the water quality in Nick Creek, the Rocky River, and the Cape Fear River Basin. This was done by planting riparian and wetland vegetation along the stream banks. Riparian vegetation is important for maintaining bank stability and control of bed erosion and can be directly linked to water quality issues. Riparian vegetation also plays a role in increasing biodiversity and serves to provide habitat for native fauna.

The UT to Rocky River (Smith Tract) Project will be monitored once each year for a period of five (5) years, with the first year monitoring to be completed in September of 2007 by the principal design consultant, Ward Consulting Engineers, P.C. The success criteria for the preferred species in the restoration areas will be based on annual and cumulative survival and growth over five (5) years. Survival of preferred species must be at a minimum 320 stems/ac at the end of five (5) years of monitoring. Height growth must average six (6) feet. Species composition will be compared with reference stands and will be subject to review and approval. Average annual growth height increment of preferred species will be 1.25 feet/year over the 5-year monitoring period. Rainfall data will be collected monthly to produce a record of the actual rainfall received at the site. The 1<sup>st</sup>-Year Monitoring Report will be submitted to EEP prior to the end of the first calendar year, documenting plant community conditions within the restoration areas. The report will also include a proposed plan of action for the following year including maintenance activities.

#### 1.0 Introduction

# 1.1 Background

In 2001, the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) identified two unnamed tributaries to Nick Creek in Chatham County, North Carolina, as stream mitigation sites. The tributaries are on a tract that was referred to as the Smith Tract Mitigation Site. The two unnamed tributaries have been designated Reach 1 and Reach 2. Reach 1 is located in the approximate middle of the property and flows from the property's eastern boundary line with Mr. John R. Fox to the western property line with Mr. George Edward Pike. Reach 2 is located in the western most portion of the property and flows from the northern property boundary line with Ms. Julia B. Howard to the southern property boundary line with Mr. George Edward Pike. These two streams join just south of the Smith property boundary line on Mr. Pike's property, and then discharge into Nick Creek approximately 6,000 linear feet west of the Smith Property, just above the confluence of Nick Creek and the Rocky River.

The Smith Tract is a combination of four properties owned by Mr. Ernest H. Smith and his wife, Linda S. Smith. The subject property is located at 700 Smith Hudson Road (SR 1328) in the Matthews Township. The property is currently being utilized for cattle pasture for beef production. Mr. and Mrs. Smith reside on the property. The cattle are kept either in a fenced area where they have access to Reach 1 or on the parcel that is located on the opposite side of Smith Hudson Road. The owner normally maintains approximately 40-50 head of cattle on the property. The cattle are raised for beef production. The stock is primarily sold in February, and to a lesser extent in August or September. The cattle are rotated to various fields on the property. The livestock is grazed approximately 75% of the year on the fields and woods adjacent to the streams on the property.

Reach 1 runs east to west bisecting the property. The reach is located entirely within a wooded area just north of a cleared field and the landowner's residence. There is an access road for vehicles and livestock that crosses through the creek approximately 150 feet upstream of the western property line. A small bridge that is used for pedestrian and 4-wheeler traffic also crosses the stream in the upper portion of the reach. Livestock had complete access to the stream along the entire length of Reach 1.

A pond is located just north of Reach 1. The cattle had access to this pond but the landowner has plans to fence out the livestock. The owner uses the pond for recreational boating and stocks it for fishing.

Reach 2 runs north to south in the western portion of the property. This stream has a drainage area approximately one-sixth the size of that of Reach 1 and is correspondingly smaller in dimension. The area where Reach 2 is located is wooded and fenced off to cattle. A dirt vehicle access road crossed the upstream portion of Reach 2, with a culvert under the roadway to maintain stormwater flows. Just upstream of the culvert is an area

that was dug out to pond water. The owner stated that a natural spring exists just upstream on the adjacent property. At the lower end of Reach 2 the woods have been cleared and an open field, not in agriculture use, borders the stream to the east. The property adjacent to Reach 2 was used for crop production in the past, but was taken out of crop production approximately 30 years ago and planted with pine. The owner is planning on harvesting the pine trees in the future.

#### 1.2 Location

From U.S. Highway 64 just east of Siler City, head north on Silk Hope Road, then turn left onto Rufus Brewer Road, and take the next left onto Smith Hudson Road. The property is in Chatham County (Figure 1). The construction entrance off of Smith Hudson Road, just east of the house, provides access to Reach 1 (Latitude 35°45'56" and Longitude 79°24'57") and Reach 2 (Latitude 35°45'57" and Longitude 79°25'9"). The site is in the Cape Fear River Basin in Cataloging Unit 03030003.

### 1.3 Project Structure, Mitigation Type, Approach, and Objectives

The project site consists of approximately sixty-seven (67) acres. Reach 1 classified as a C4/E4 stream that was slightly incised along its entire length. The stream has a slate bed and many rock outcrops that have inhibited its further incision. The main factors that contributed to the stream's degradation were the cattle access along the stream banks, causing soil loss and bank instability, limited under-story riparian and stream bank vegetation due to cattle grazing and movement, and pattern instability due to a vehicle crossing access in a stream bend. Reach 2 is a G4 stream with slate outcrops and bedrock nick points. The main factors in the degradation of Reach 2 were the riparian buffer removal, the installation of a culvert for farm equipment access, and the incision of the main channel into which Reach 2 flows. The stream head cut ends at the northern property line with Ms. Howard, and the streams on the Howard property are not incised, providing a natural tie in location to prevent further incision upstream. Reach 2 is located mostly in a wooded buffer with moderate bank vegetation and bank erosion potential.

#### 1.4 Watershed Description

The combined drainage area for Reach 1 and Reach 2 is approximately 1.49 square miles. The entire watershed is located south of Silk Hope Liberty Road (SR 1346), west of Silk Hope Road (SR 1003), north of Smith Hudson Road (SR 1328), and east of Jesse Bridges Road (SR 1332). The drainage area for Reach 1 is approximately 1.28 square miles. The eastern boundary of the watershed for Reach 1 is approximately 5,000 feet east of Rufus Brewer Road and the southern boundary extends almost to Silk Hope Road. The watershed's northwestern boundary parallels Jesse Bridges Road approximately 1,500 feet to the east. The drainage area for Reach 2 is approximately 0.21 square miles. The watershed boundary extends to the north to Jesse Bridges Road and to the east and west approximately 1,000 feet from the stream. The southern boundary of the watershed is at the intersection of the southwest corner of the property and the center of Reach 2.

The watershed contributing to Reach 1 is currently developed with rural agricultural usage. The watershed is approximately 15% wooded, with the remaining 85% cleared

for grazing or crop production. There are scattered residential and farm support buildings within the watershed. Approximately 44% of this watershed is above ponds that have been constructed on line in the streams. A few of the ponds are in the upper portion of the watershed and are not likely to have a significant hydrologic effect on the basin discharges. There are, however, three ponds on the northeast tributary that may impact as much as 30% of the watershed. The watershed contributing storm water runoff to Reach 2 has less agriculturally developed land. Approximately 50% of the land still remains wooded and 50% has been converted to agricultural land usage. No visible ponds were detected from the aerial and topographic maps available at the time of study.

The property falls under the planning and zoning restrictions of Chatham County. The watershed area is not currently zoned and is in an area projected by the county to have the smallest amount of development. The property and watershed fall under the least restrictive Chatham County, Local Watershed Regulations. These regulations state the "agricultural activities conducted after January 1, 1993 shall maintain a minimum ten foot vegetative buffer or equivalent control as determined by the Soil and Water Conservation Commission, along all perennial waters indicated on the most recent versions of U.S.G.S. 1:24,000 (7.5 minute) scale topographic maps or as determined by government studies".

# 2.0 Restoration Summary

# 2.1 Mitigation Goals and Objectives

The mitigation goals and objectives of this project are:

- 1. Reconnect Reach 2 to its floodplain through the restoration of 1,185 linear feet of stream
- 2. Relocate 150 feet and stabilize 955 feet of stream bank in Reach 1
- 3. Provide a stable stream channel that neither degrades nor aggrades while maintaining its dimension, pattern, and profile with the capacity to transport its watershed's water and sediment load.
- 4. Provide a minimum of 150-foot easement (75 feet from the top of either bank) along Reach 1 and 2.
- 5. Provide stream buffer enhancement of 2.21 acres, restoration of 0.3 acres, and preservation of 6.67 acres.
- 6. Fence the buffer in Reach 1 and Reach 2 to exclude livestock. Fencing will allow for cattle/equipment access as well as a future roadway crossing on Reach 1.
- 7. Improve water quality and reduce erosion by stabilizing the stream banks through restricting cattle and improving riparian vegetation.
- 8. Improve the aquatic habitat of Reach 1 and 2 with the use of natural material stabilization structures such as root wads, rock cross-vanes, woody debris, and a riparian buffer.
- 9. Provide aesthetic value, wildlife habitat, and bank stability through the creation or enhancement of a riparian zone.

### 2.2 Restoration Approach

The project involves: 1) stream restoration and enhancement, and 2) riparian buffer enhancement, restoration and preservation. The following sections break down the different restoration efforts on the site.

#### 2.2.1 Streams

The stream design was based on Dave Rosgen's natural channel design methodology. Morphologic characteristics were measured on both existing stream reaches and the reference reach. These measurements of pattern, profile and dimension were reduced to a range of values and dimensionless ratios used to determine a proposed stable stream form.

Reach 1 was predominantly a stable C4/E4 stream type that was slightly incised. The restoration and enhancement efforts proposed for this reach was primarily bank stabilization and fencing out the cattle to prevent access to the stream. The bank stabilization work occurred along approximately 955 linear feet of the stream. The channel dimensions were adjusted by sloping back unstable vertical banks to a stable gradient of 2H:1V or flatter. The sloping back of the banks brought the channel cross section back into target dimensions for width and cross sectional area. The pattern was not adjusted in Reach 1 except for approximately 150 feet of relocation near the western property line. The floodplain was also graded down in one area where it was too high and all disturbed areas were seeded with temporary and permanent seed and matted with erosion control matting. Straw was spread out over the floodplain area that was disturbed. Approximately 150 feet of Reach 1 was relocated to reestablish the stream pattern and dimension that had been impaired due to the vehicle crossing around this location. An improved cattle/vehicle crossing was constructed where the vehicle crossing was after the realignment of this portion of the stream had been completed.

Reach 2 was a priority 1 restoration. The stream was reconnected to its floodplain and the stream pattern, profile, and dimension were adjusted to allow the stream to efficiently transport its water and sediment load through a combination of changes to the channel dimensions, pattern, and bedform. The new channel was constructed with a mean width of 11 feet and an average cross sectional area of 8 square feet in the riffles. The pools were constructed with an average pool width of 10 feet and a larger cross sectional area of 11 square feet. Pattern was reintroduced by increasing the overall length and sinuosity, which will decrease the stream slope and channel shear stresses. Constructed riffles were used at many locations along the new channel to provide for vertical grade control and stability. Six (6) single-wing rock vanes and two (2) sills were also installed along the channel to provide for bank and channel dimension stability and to prevent the flow of water from cutting a new channel around the constructed channel. One cross-vane was installed at the bottom of the stream to prevent any stream degradation from moving upstream from the downstream property.

Vegetation was later established along Reaches 1 and 2 after all construction activities had been completed and the time of year was more appropriate for planting.

#### 2.2.2 Buffer Restoration

Vegetation in the riparian zone was restored to reflect historic Piedmont/Mountain Bottomland Forest species composition and abundance. Plants were established at 6 x 10 foot spacing (640 plants/acre). Vegetation in the buffer areas was established for bank stability and for control of bed erosion.

The following planting zones were established for the project:

- Zone 1: Stream buffer within 50 feet of the stream and consisting of 0.96 acres along Reach 1 and 1.38 acres along Reach 2.
- Zone 2: Stream buffer at Reach 2 greater than 50 feet from the stream and consisting of 0.11 acres.
- Zone 3: Stream bank, consisting of approximately 2,400 linear feet along Reaches 1 and 2.

In Zone 1, approximately 615 plants were initially installed at Reach 1 and 885 plants initially installed at Reach 2, for a total of 1,500 plants in Zone 1. In Zone 2, approximately 70 plants were installed. Zone 3 consists of the stream bank area right along each stream and totals approximately 2,400 linear feet for both Reaches 1 and 2. In Zone 3 along Reach 1, approximately 856 plants were installed, and in Zone 3 along Reach 2, approximately 771 plants were installed, for a total of 1,636 plants.

# 3.0 Monitoring Plan

The UT to Rocky River (Smith Tract) Project will be monitored once each year for a period of five (5) years, with the first year monitoring to be completed in December of 2007 by the principal design consultant, Ward Consulting Engineers, P.C. Monitoring will consist of an overall survey of the condition of the stream restoration and enhancement areas, evaluation of monitoring plots, and evaluation of the stream gauge.

#### 3.1 As-Built Data Collection

The as-built data for the project site were developed by Niall Gillespie, Surveying. They surveyed the final grades of Reach 1 and Reach 2 including the top of bank, toe, and centerline of the Reach 2, the location of bank repairs on Reach 1, and all structures installed along both reaches. They also surveyed all pool features left or enlarged adjacent to the channel, with the pool depth and water surface elevation indicated, and then prepared a contour map. Ward Consulting Engineers placed additional information on the as-built map including the stream restoration lengths, buffer widths, vegetation plots and cross section locations.

#### 3.2 Stream Restoration and Enhancement

To meet mitigative success, baseline conditions were established in the form of as-built drawings. At the conclusion of construction activities, the channel modifications and planted vegetation based on a 1.4 - 1.7 year bankfull return period will be monitored annually for a minimum of five (5) years. The  $1^{st}$  Year Monitoring Report will be prepared at the end of the  $1^{st}$  year.

The success criteria for stream restoration is based on the stability of the stream. The geomorphology of the stream will be monitored as follows:

Dimension: Permanent cross sections were established in the frequency of one for every 20 bankfull widths along the length of the reach. Cross section sites were selected such that approximately half are placed in riffles and half are placed in pools. Measurements of W/D ratio, entrenchment ratios, and low bank height ratio will be monitored yearly. The location of the cross sections was GPS'd. There is one cross section along Reach 1 and five cross sections along Reach 2.

Pattern: Pattern measurements included sinuosity and meander width ratio and will be performed yearly. Measurements of radius of curvature will be monitored on newly constructed meanders for the first year only.

Profile: Longitudinal profile was surveyed and measurements collected on slope (average, pool, riffle) and pool-to-pool spacing.

Materials: Pebble counts in pools and riffles were performed. The D50 and D84 particle size diameter percentiles will be monitored to assure an increase in coarseness in riffles and an increase in fineness in pools.

Photo Reference Points: Photo reference points were established at all cross sections showing banks and channel. Additional photos will be taken at selected structures on the project to monitor their structural stability.

During the annual review the entire stream reach will be evaluated for any potential problem areas and photographs taken to document the degree and severity. Potential problem areas may include bank instability, in-stream structure failure or unsuccessful vegetation establishment. If a failure area is noted, corrective actions will be evaluated to resolve the problem. Remedial actions will be undertaken considering any seasonal limitations. Annual reports will be submitted to EEP prior to the end of each calendar year, documenting plant community conditions within the restoration areas and documenting hydrologic data within these areas and reference plots. The annual reports will also include a proposed plan of action for the following year including maintenance activities.

#### 3.3 Vegetation

The success criteria for the preferred species in the restoration areas will be based on annual and cumulative survival and growth over five (5) years. Survival of preferred species must be at a minimum 320 stems/ac at the end of five (5) years of monitoring. Height growth must average six (6) feet. Species composition will be compared with reference stands and will be subject to review and approval. Average annual height increment of preferred species will be 1.25 ft/yr over the 5-year monitoring period.

Six vegetation plots were installed by The Catena Group for monitoring, with two plots in Zone 1 along Reach 1, three plots in Zone 1 along Reach 2, and one plot in Zone 2 along Reach 2. The plots were set at 32.8 feet x 32.8 feet (10 x 10 meters) square. The corners of each plot were marked with 12" x ½" sections of metal conduit driven in the ground, with 4" exposed. Each metal conduit stake was marked with flagging. The locations of the plots are shown on the as-built plans and described as follows:

- Plot 1: Located along Reach 1 approximately 200 feet downstream of the eastern property line (the upstream limit of Reach 1), on the southern side of the stream.
- Plot 2: Located along Reach 1 approximately 50 feet upstream of the downstream limit of Reach one on the southern side of the stream.
- Plot 3: Located along Reach 2 approximately 120 feet downstream of the northern property line (upstream limit of Reach 2), along the eastern side of Reach 2, east of the pond.
- Plot 4: Located along Reach 2 approximately 320 feet downstream of the northern property line (upstream limit of Reach 2), along the eastern side of the stream.
- Plot 5: Located along Reach 2 approximately 350 feet upstream of the southern property line (downstream limit of Reach 2), along the eastern side of the stream.
- Plot 6: Located along Reach 2 approximately 160 feet upstream of the southern property line (downstream limit of Reach 2), along the eastern side of the stream.

The first vegetation monitoring count was performed on December 20, 2006 and the results are included in Tables 3 and 4. In addition to the woody vegetation plantings, herbaceous seed mixes were applied throughout the site as detailed in the Restoration Plan. The project will be determined to be successful once vegetation success criteria have been met. The vegetation growth data will be matched with rain data to determine if abnormal conditions were present. During vegetation monitoring, planted and volunteer stem densities will be measured in addition to the relative abundance and diversity of herbaceous vegetation within the monitoring plots. Survival, numbers per acre by species, and tree height will be measured at the end of each growing season just prior to leaf fall in the month of September. Planting locations and methods will be completed in the first year Annual Report.

### 4.0 Maintenance & Contingency Plans

The North Carolina Ecosystem Enhancement Program (EEP) will be responsible for the maintenance of this project for a period of five (5) years after project completion. During the first year of monitoring by the design consultant, if a problem that requires an immediate corrective action or a flaw in the site is noted at any point, it will be brought immediately to the attention of the EEP. After the first year, repairs will be made as necessary by the EEP.

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Figure 1: Location Map

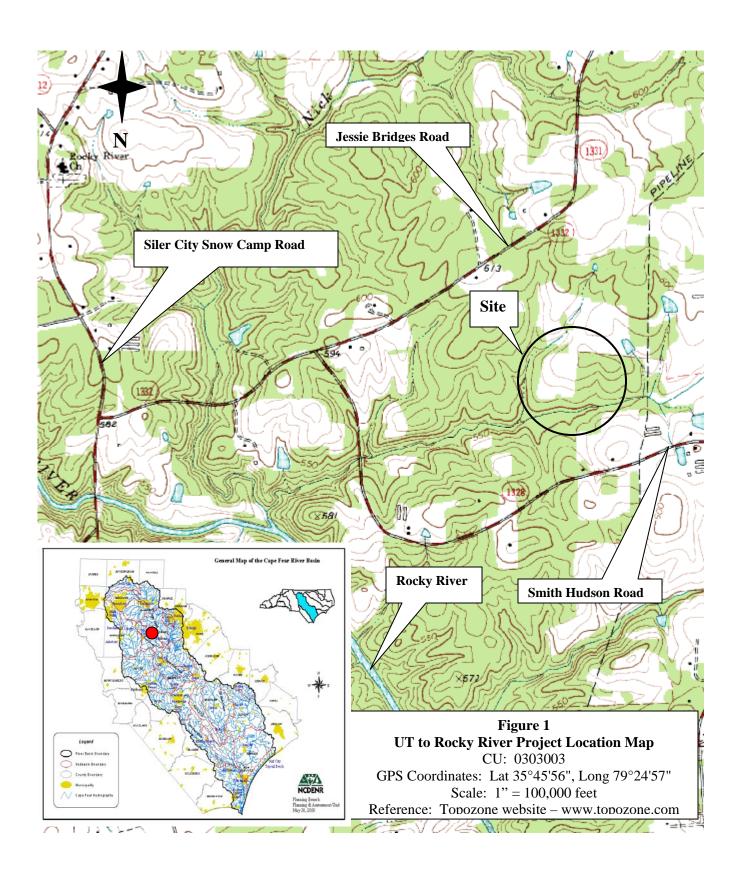
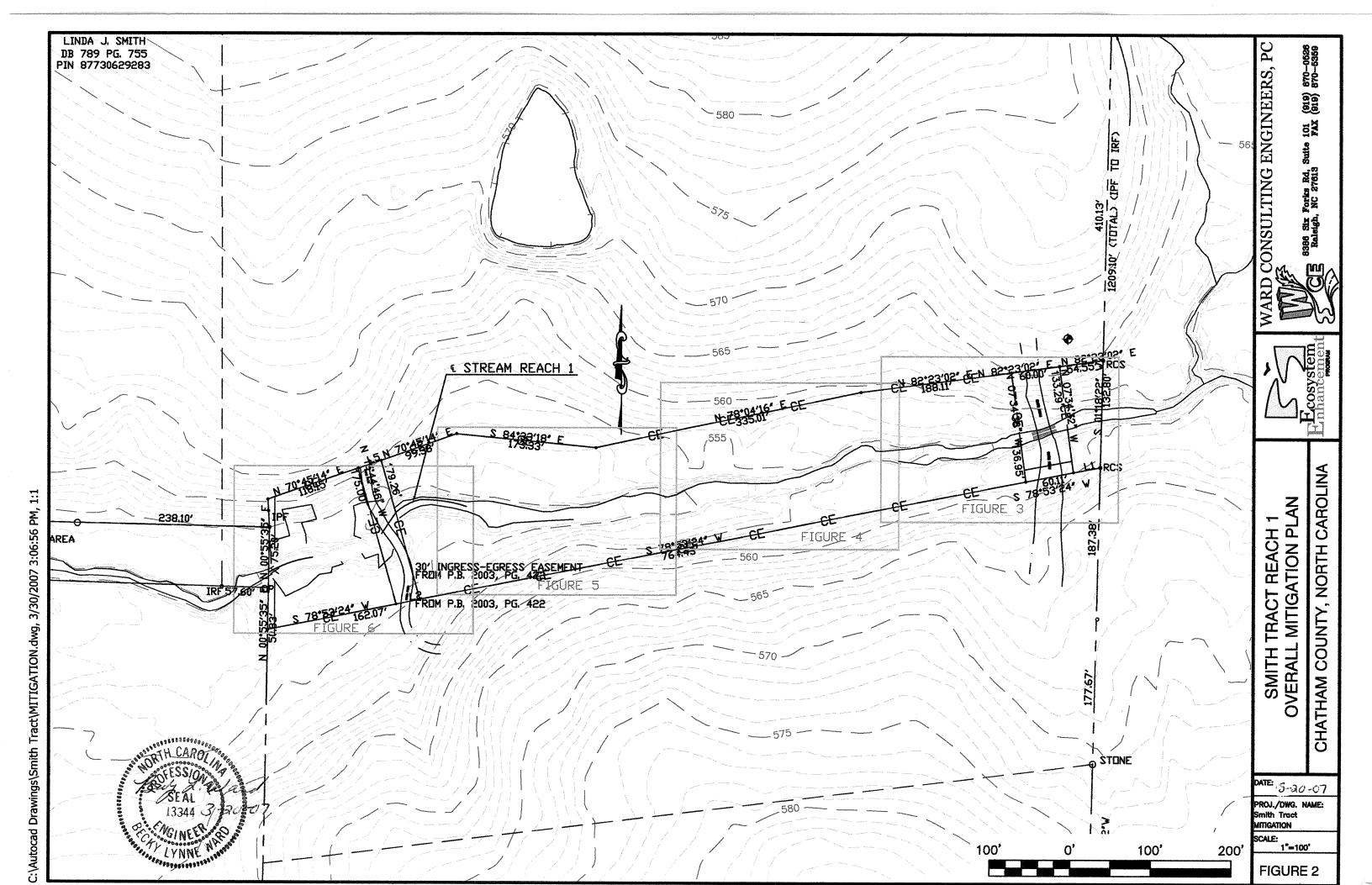
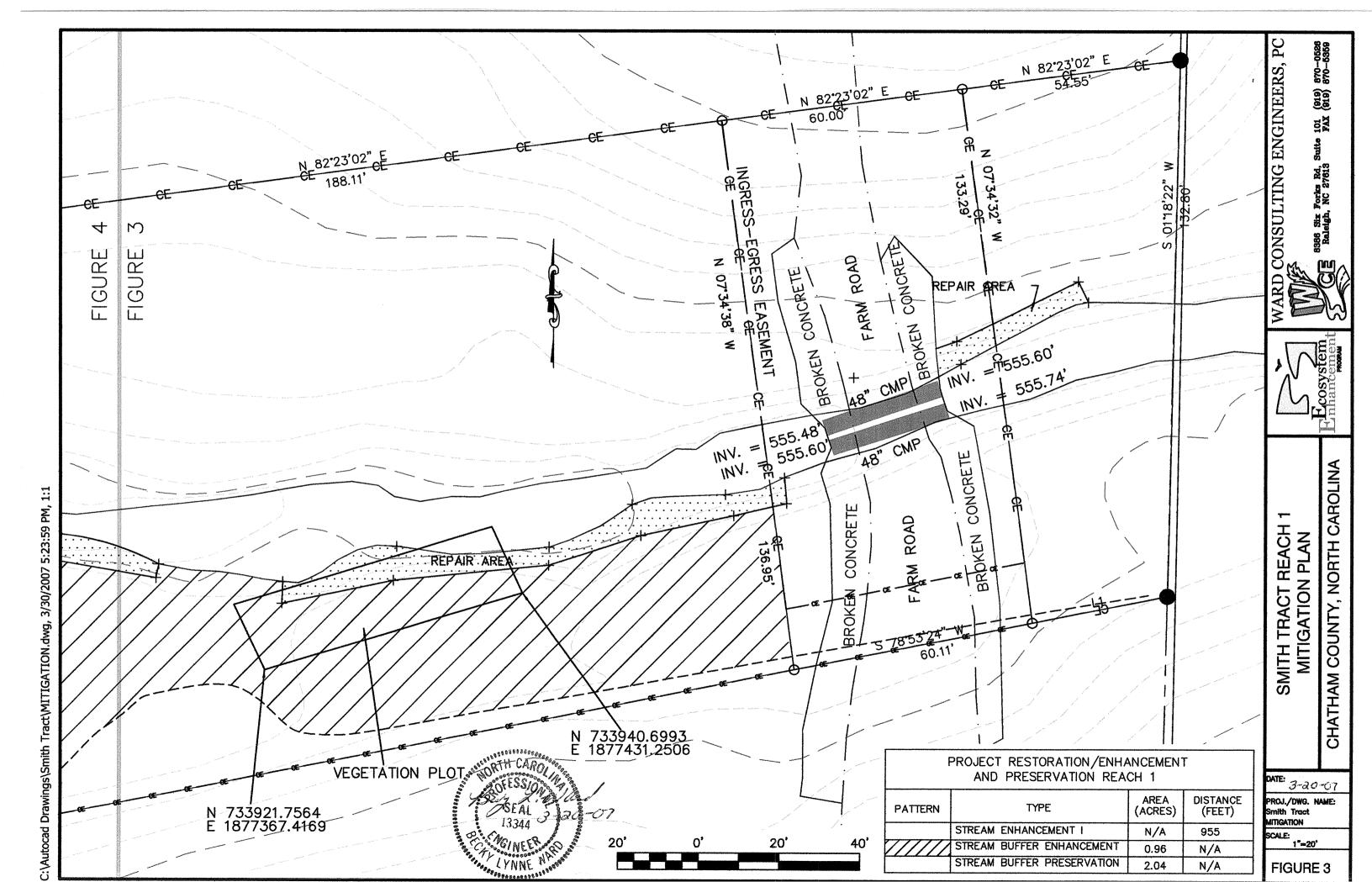
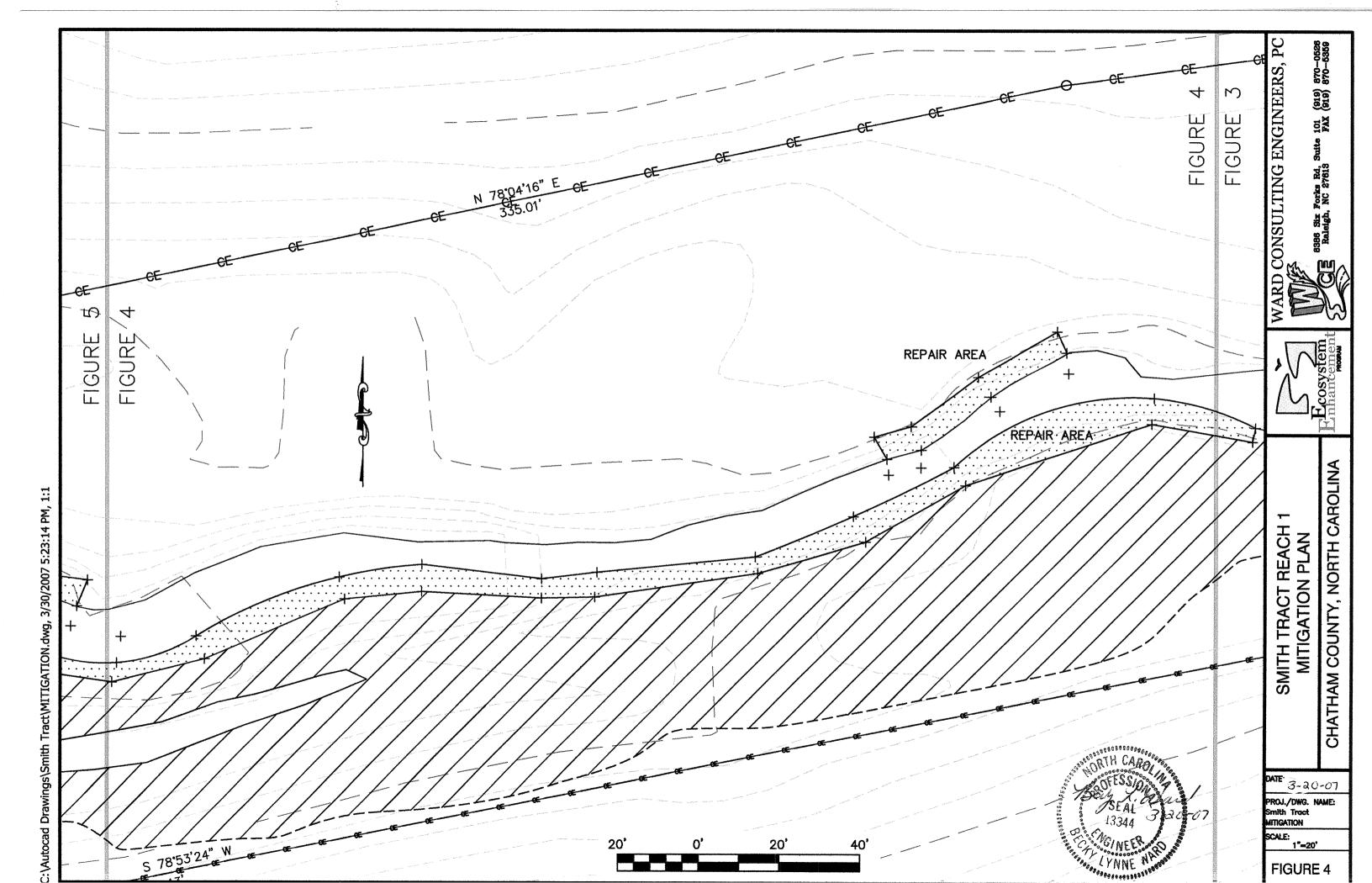
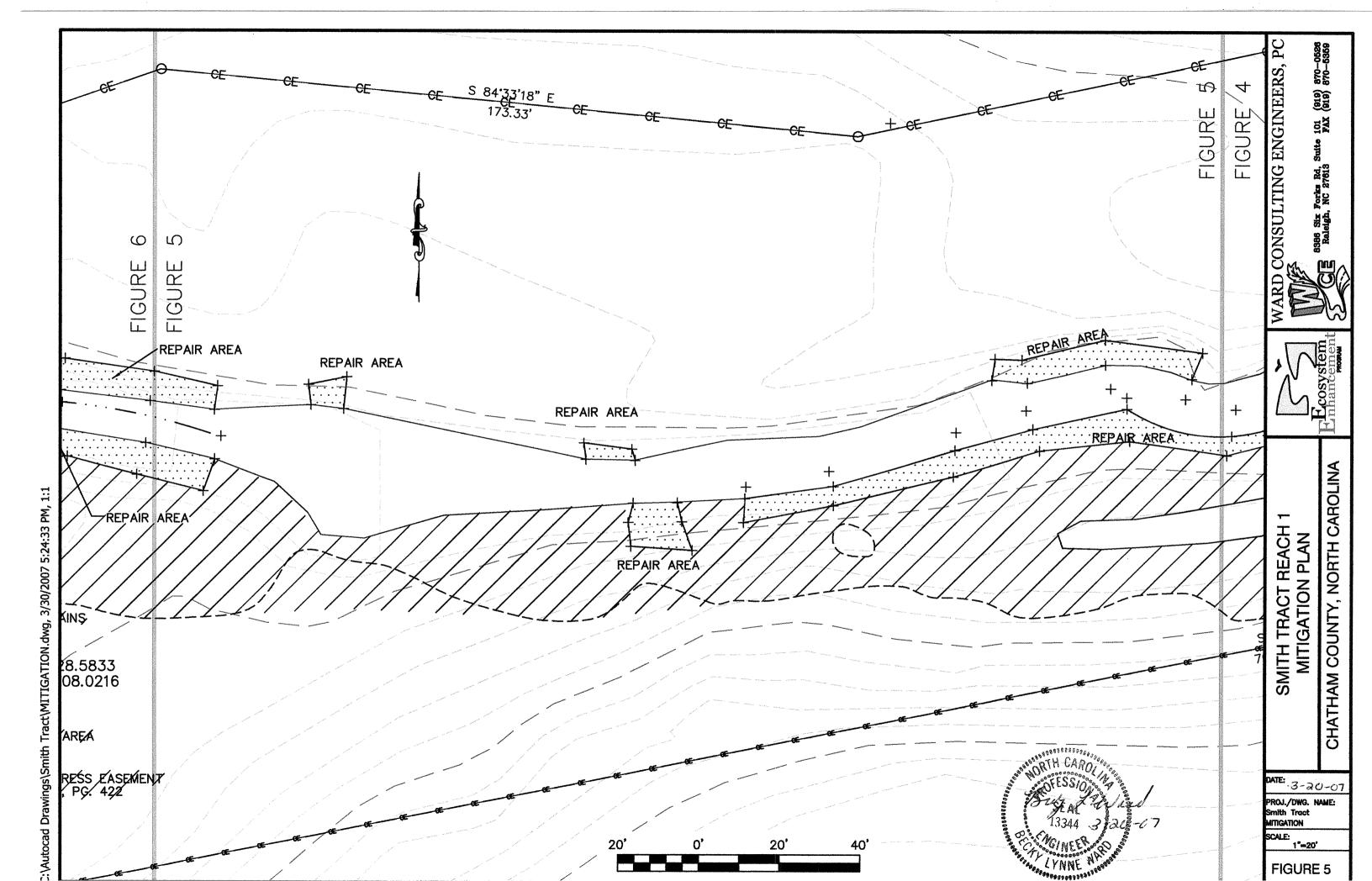


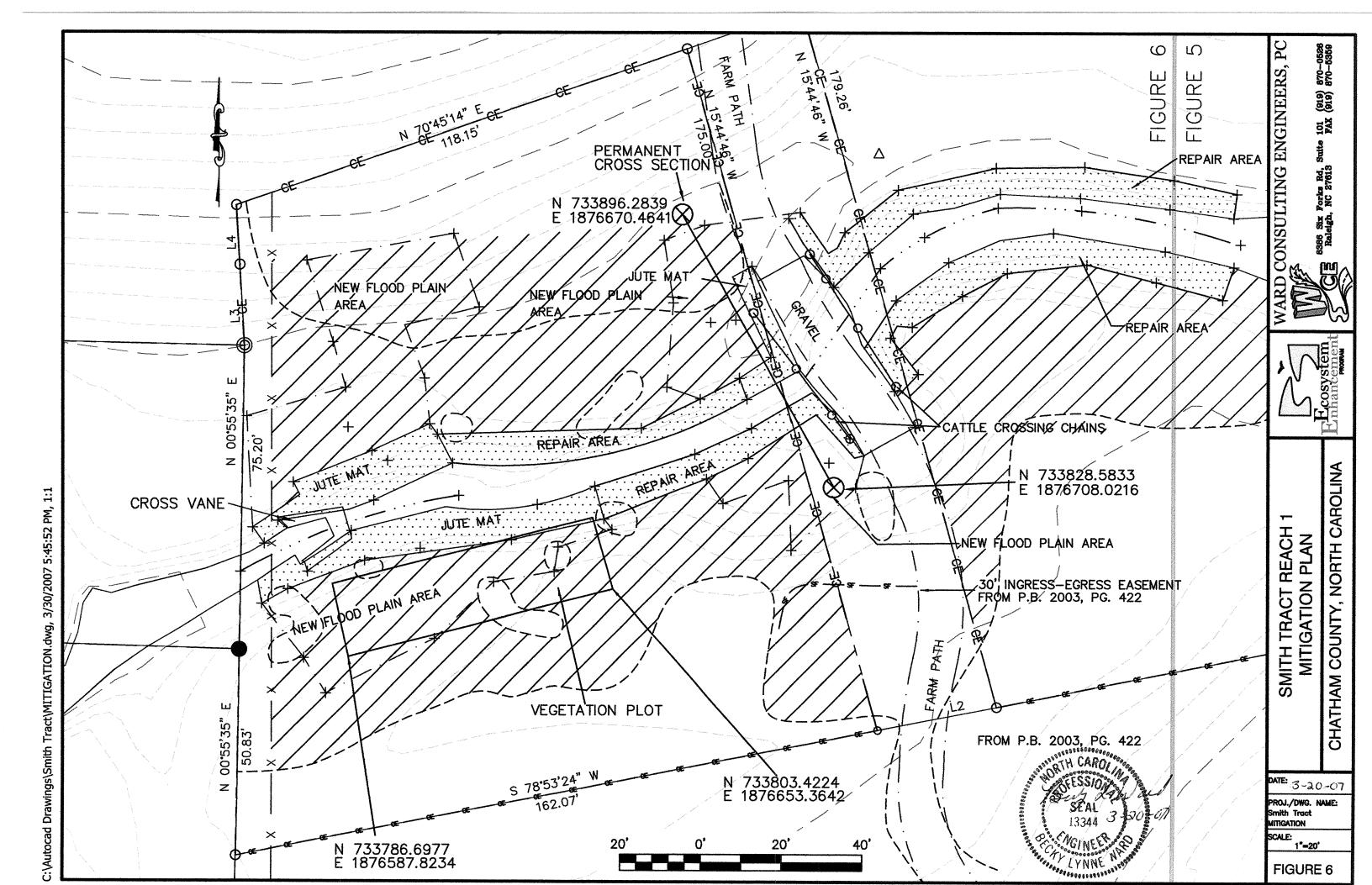
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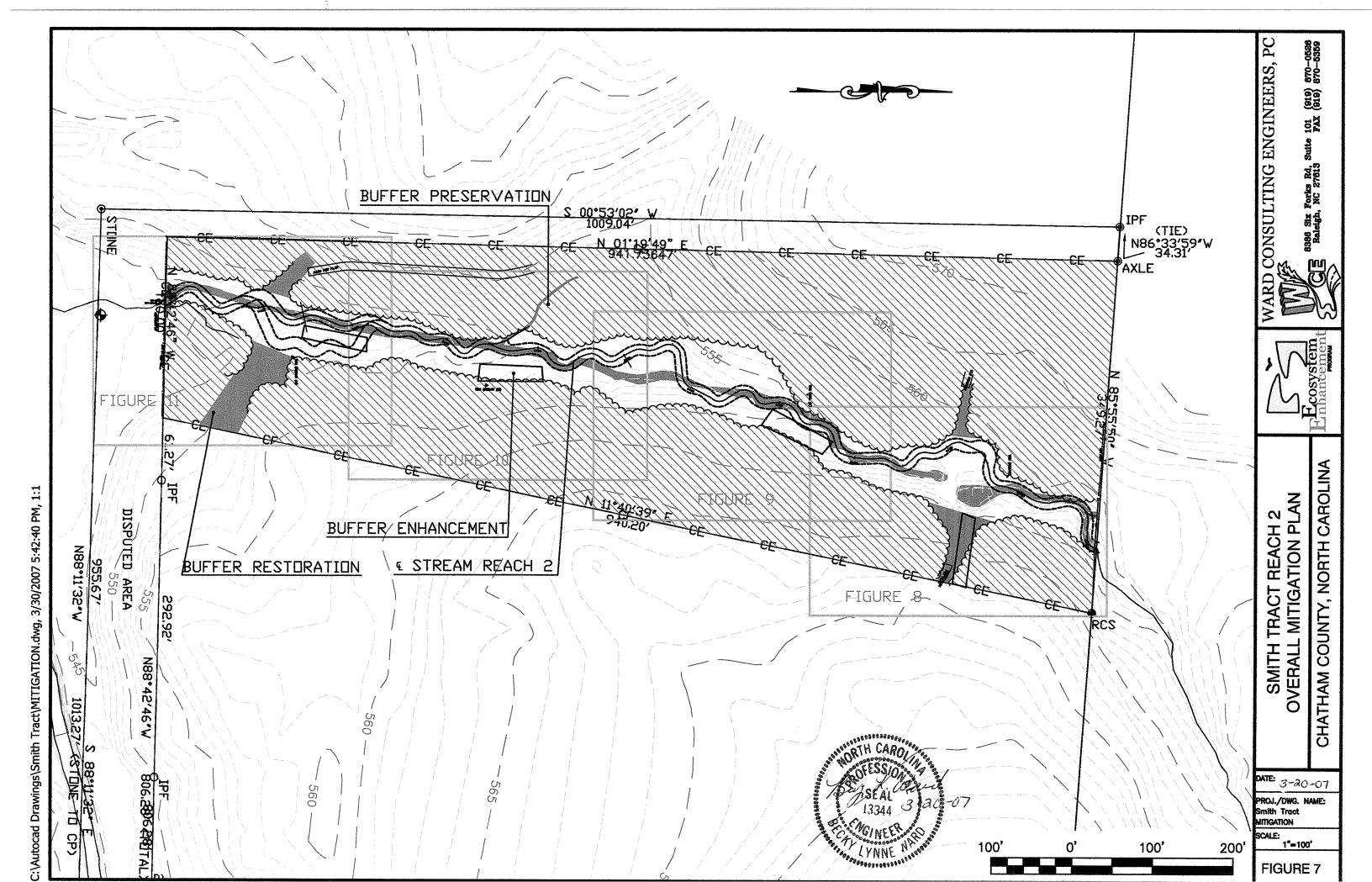


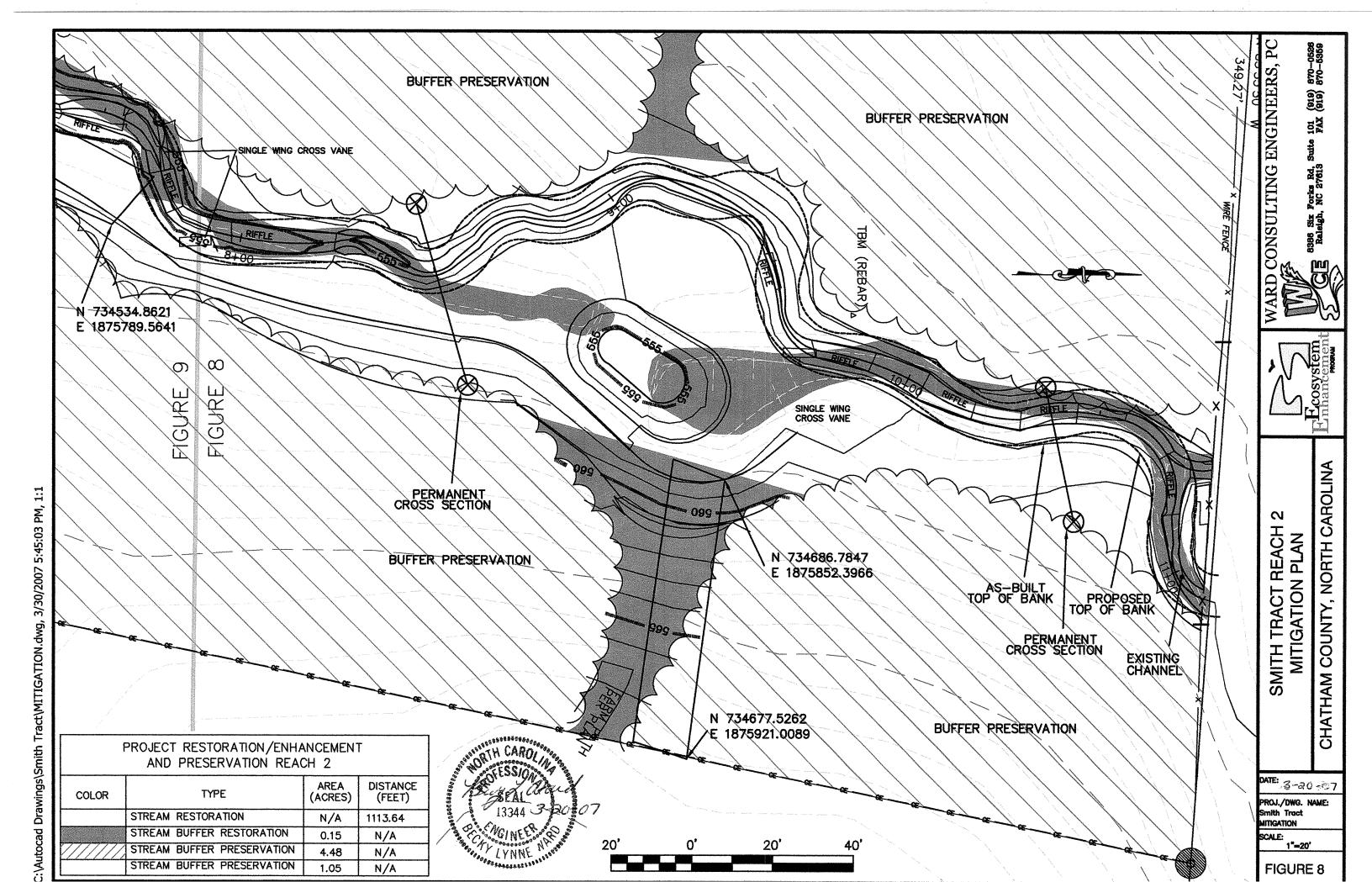


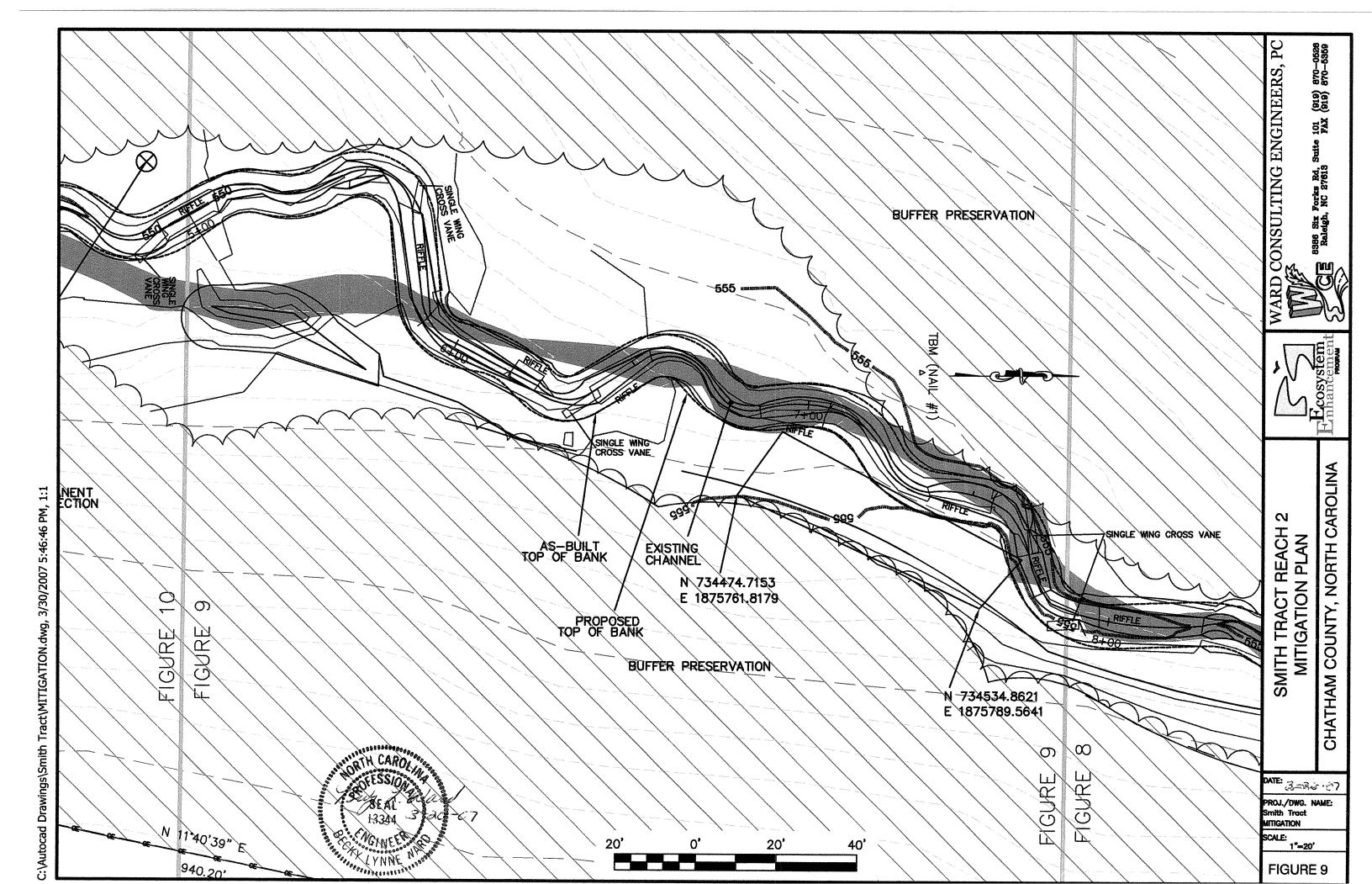


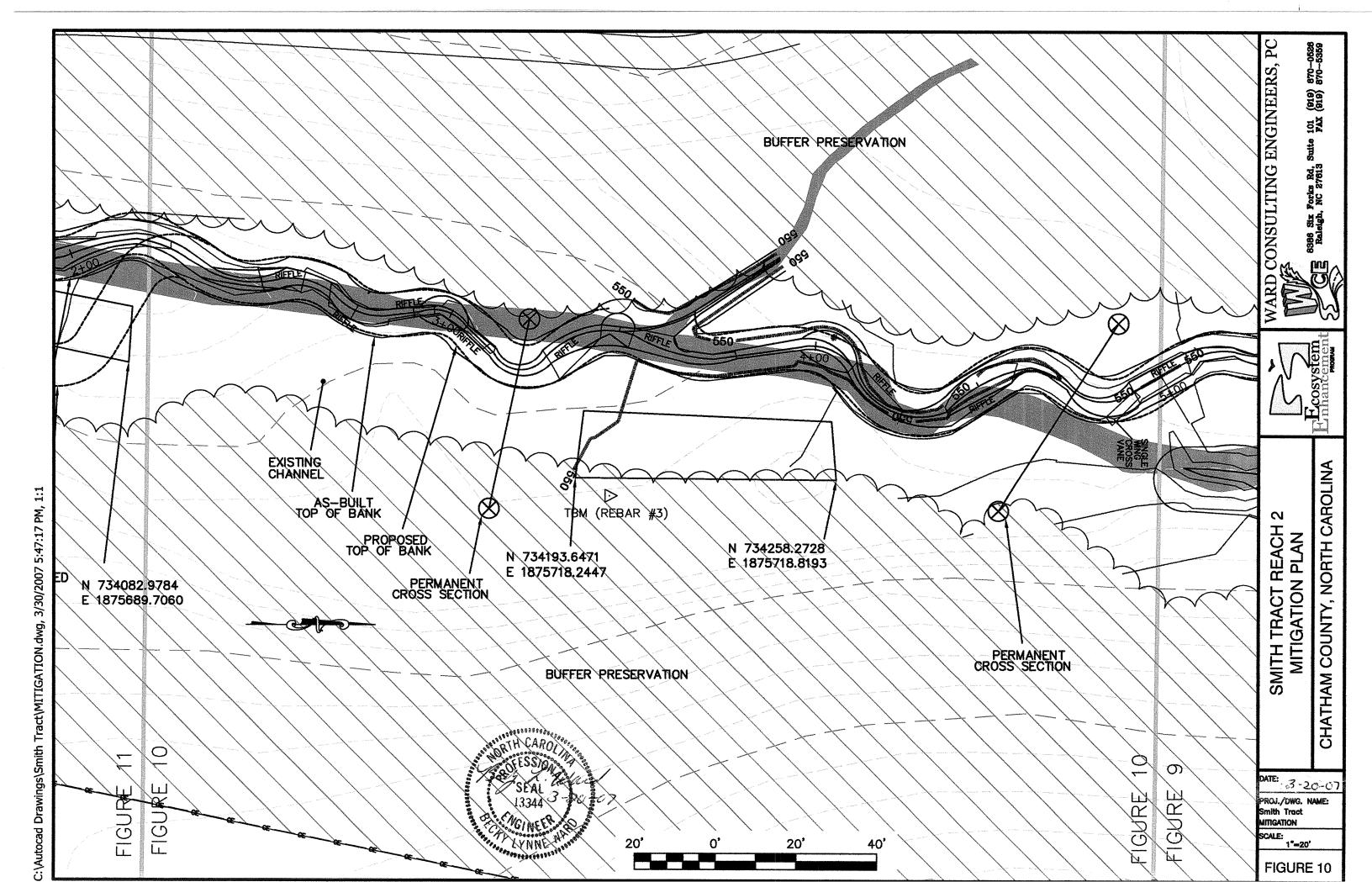




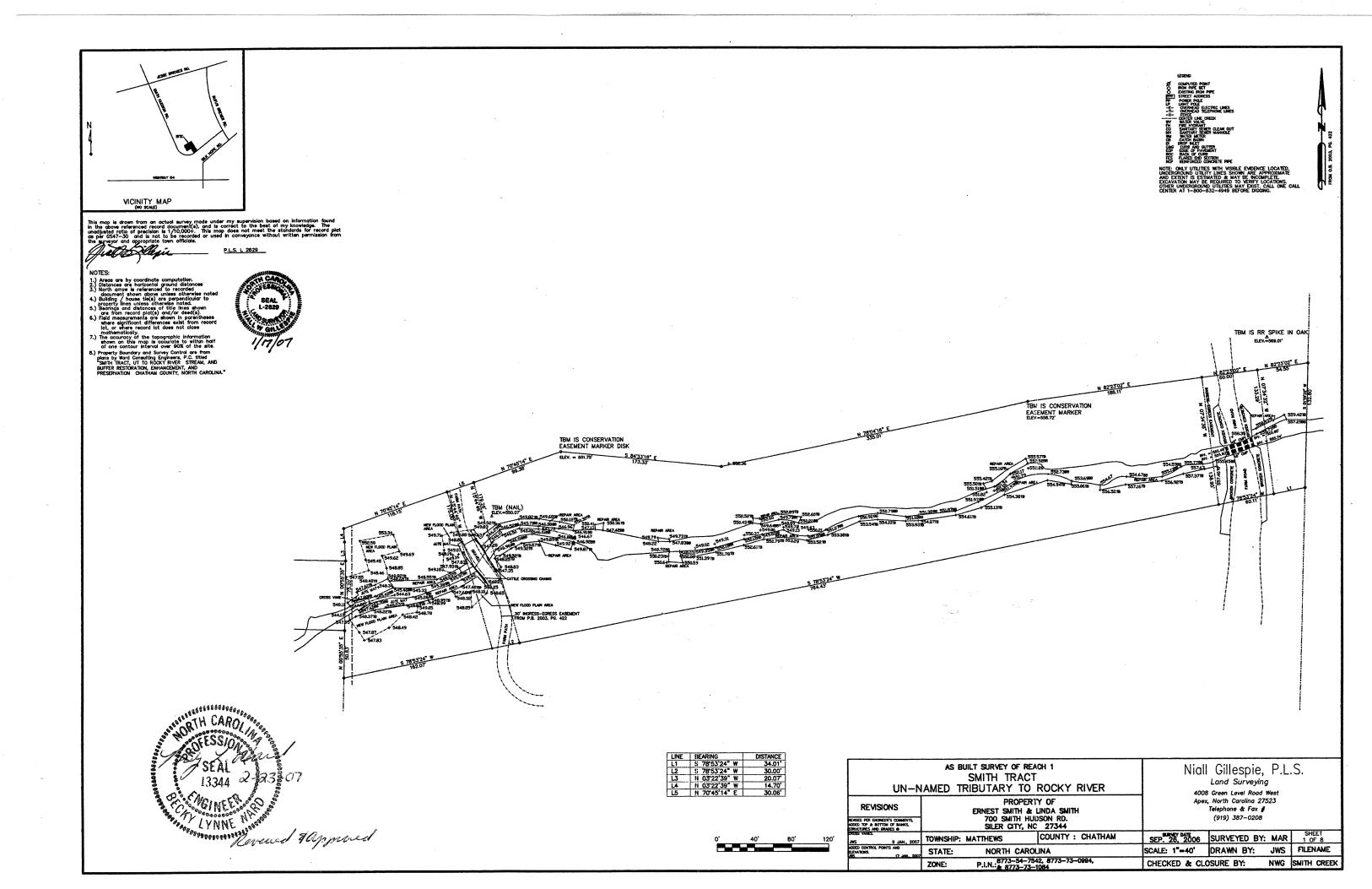


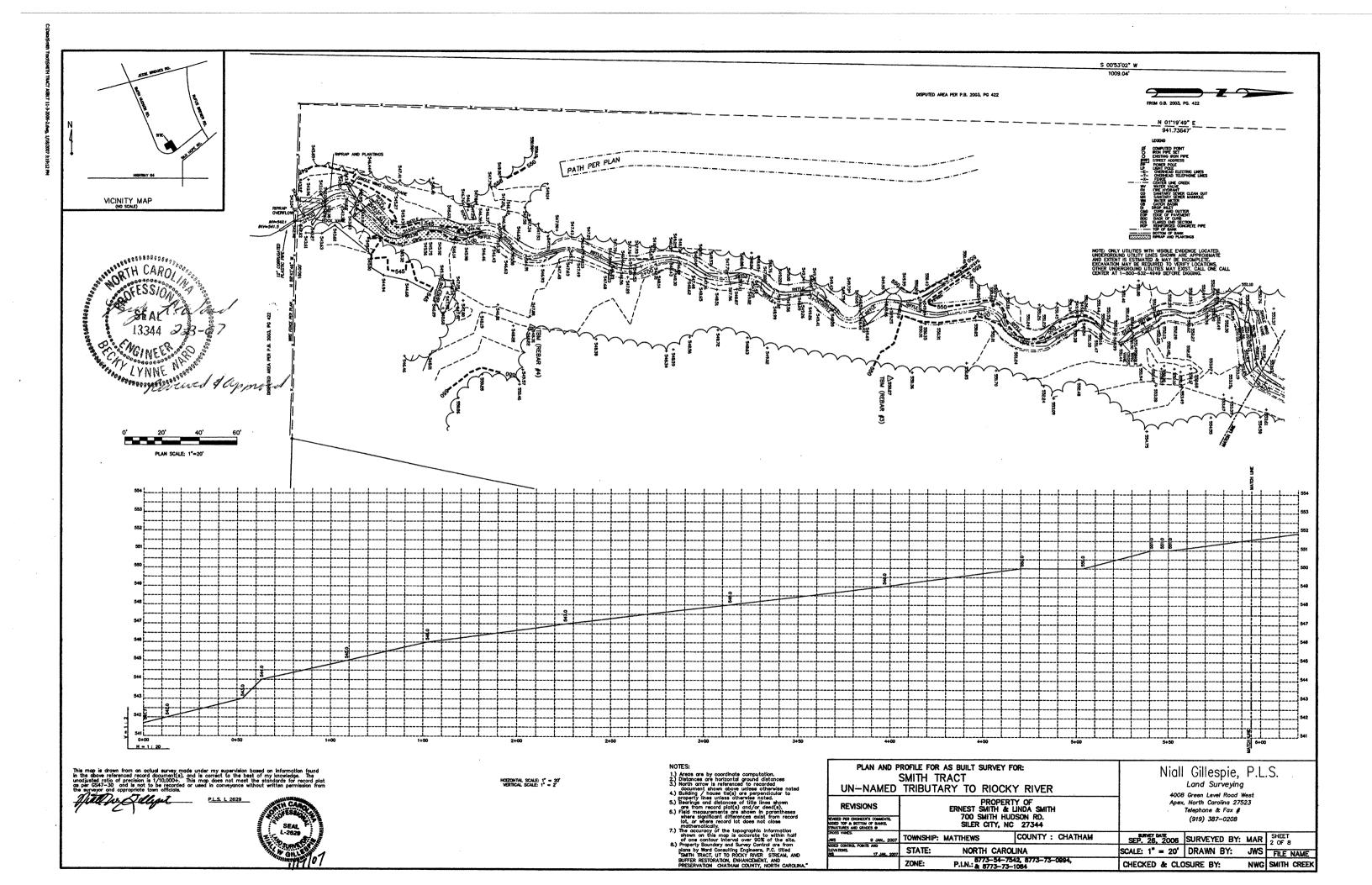


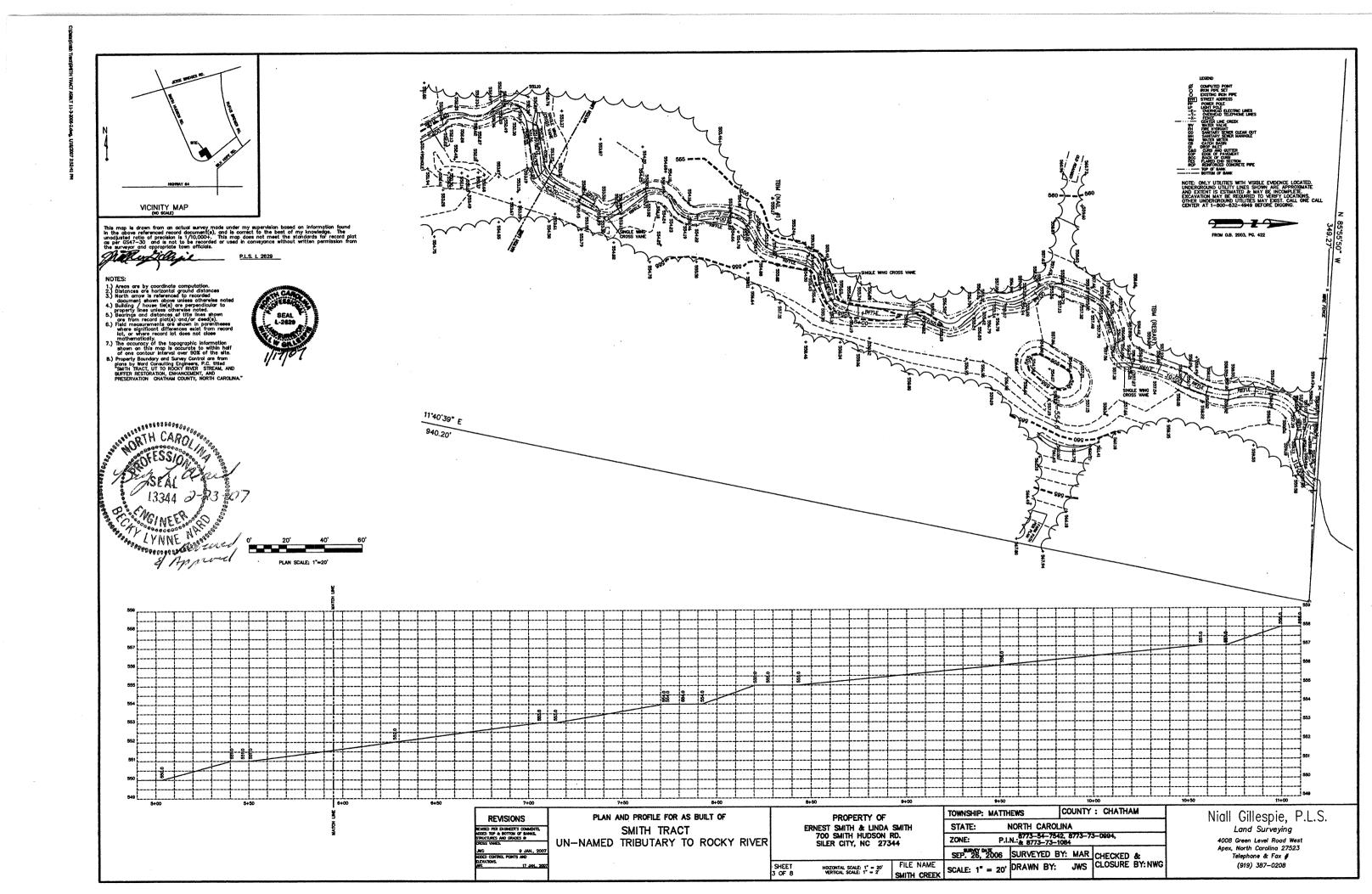


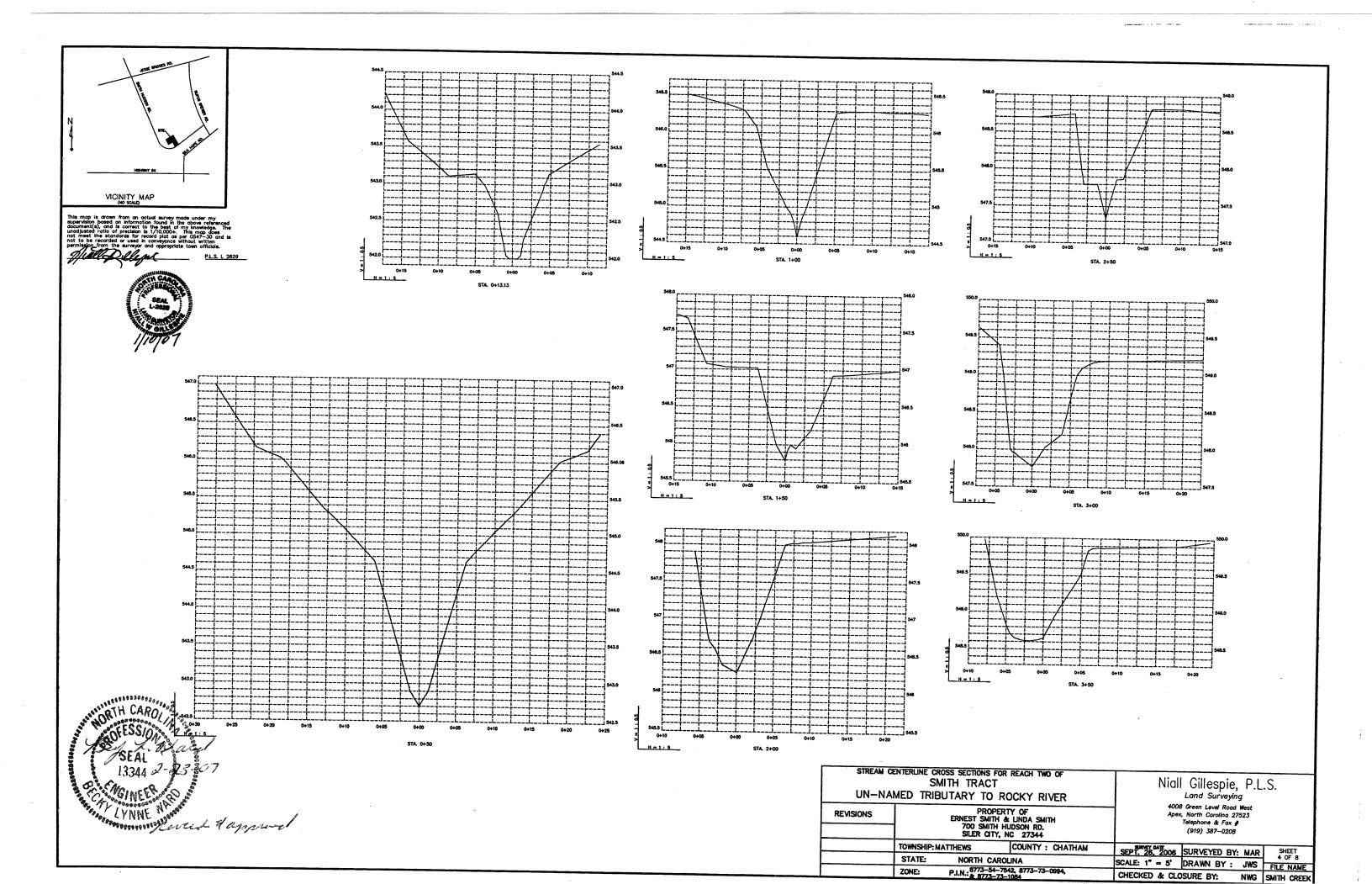


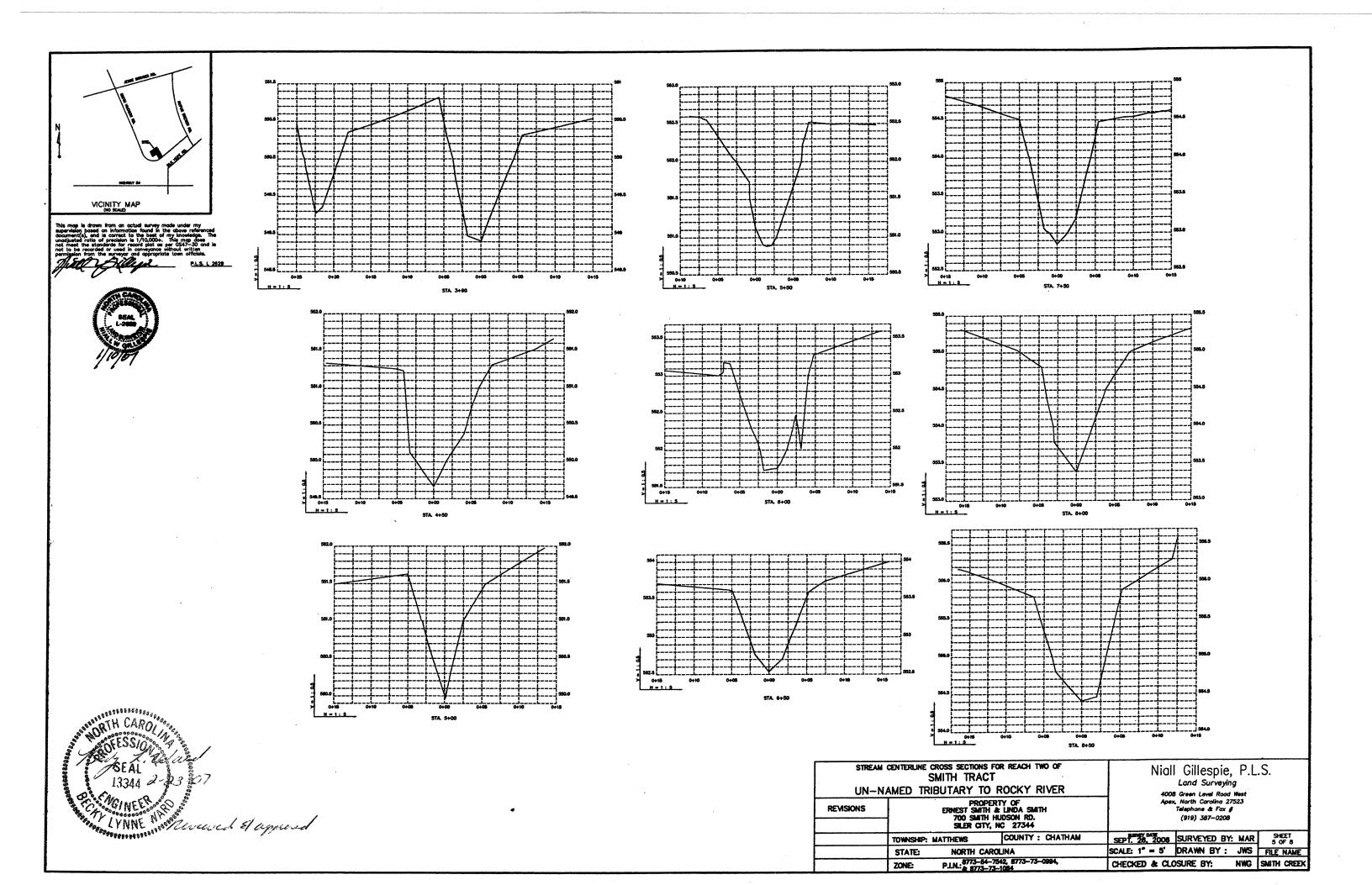
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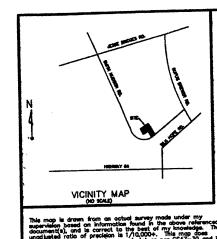


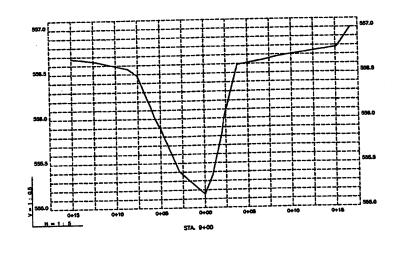


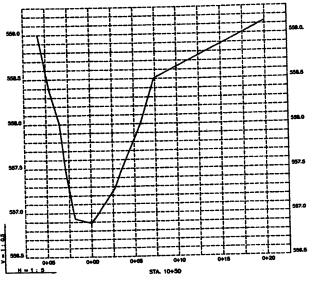






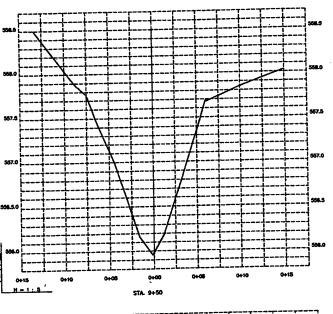


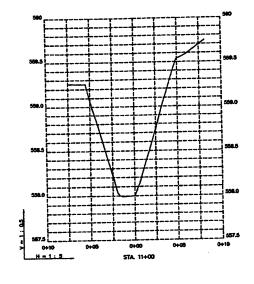


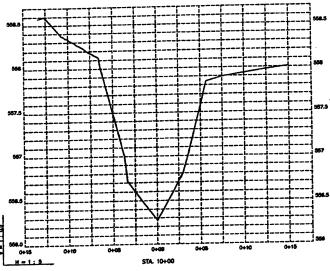




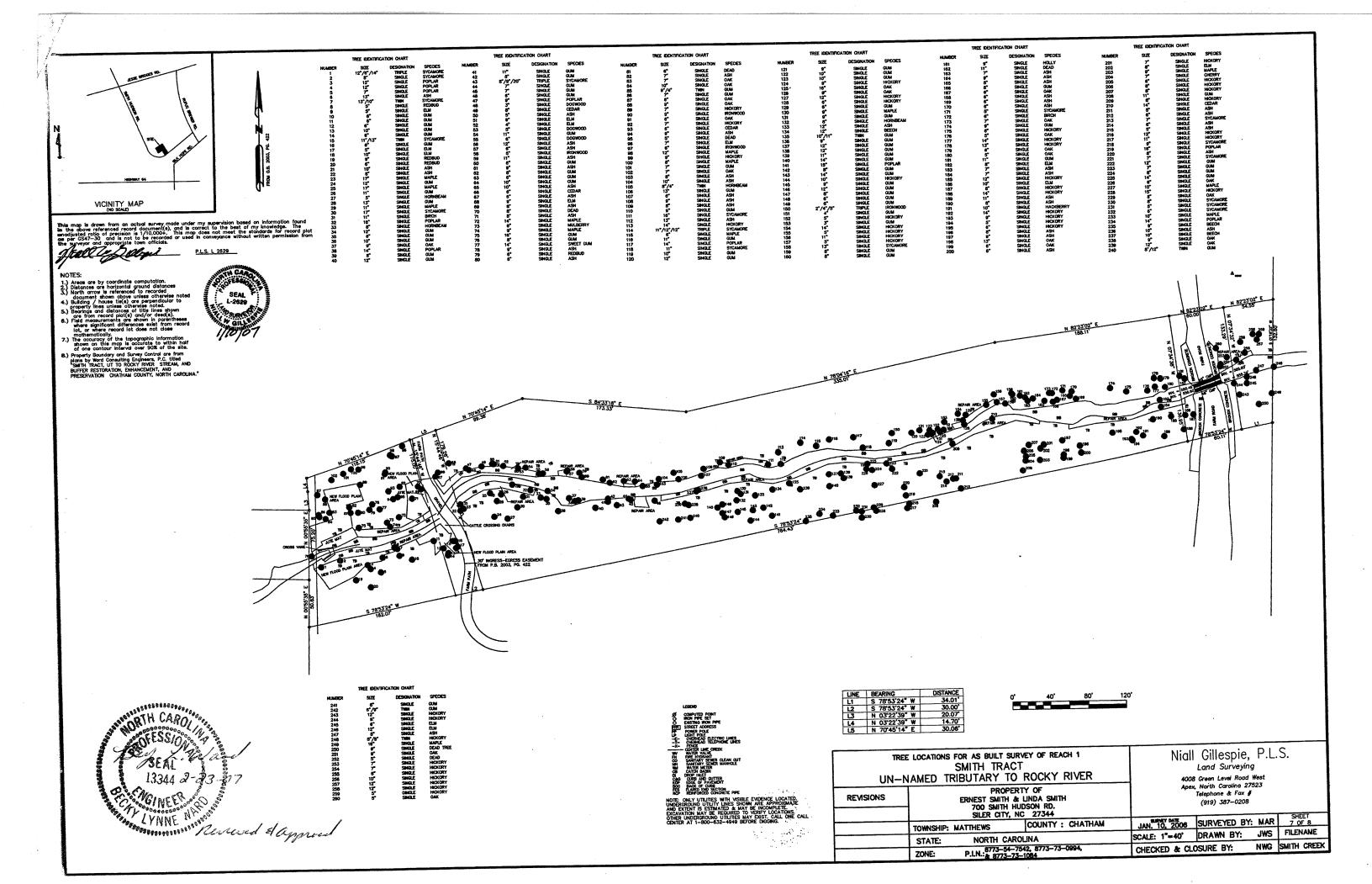
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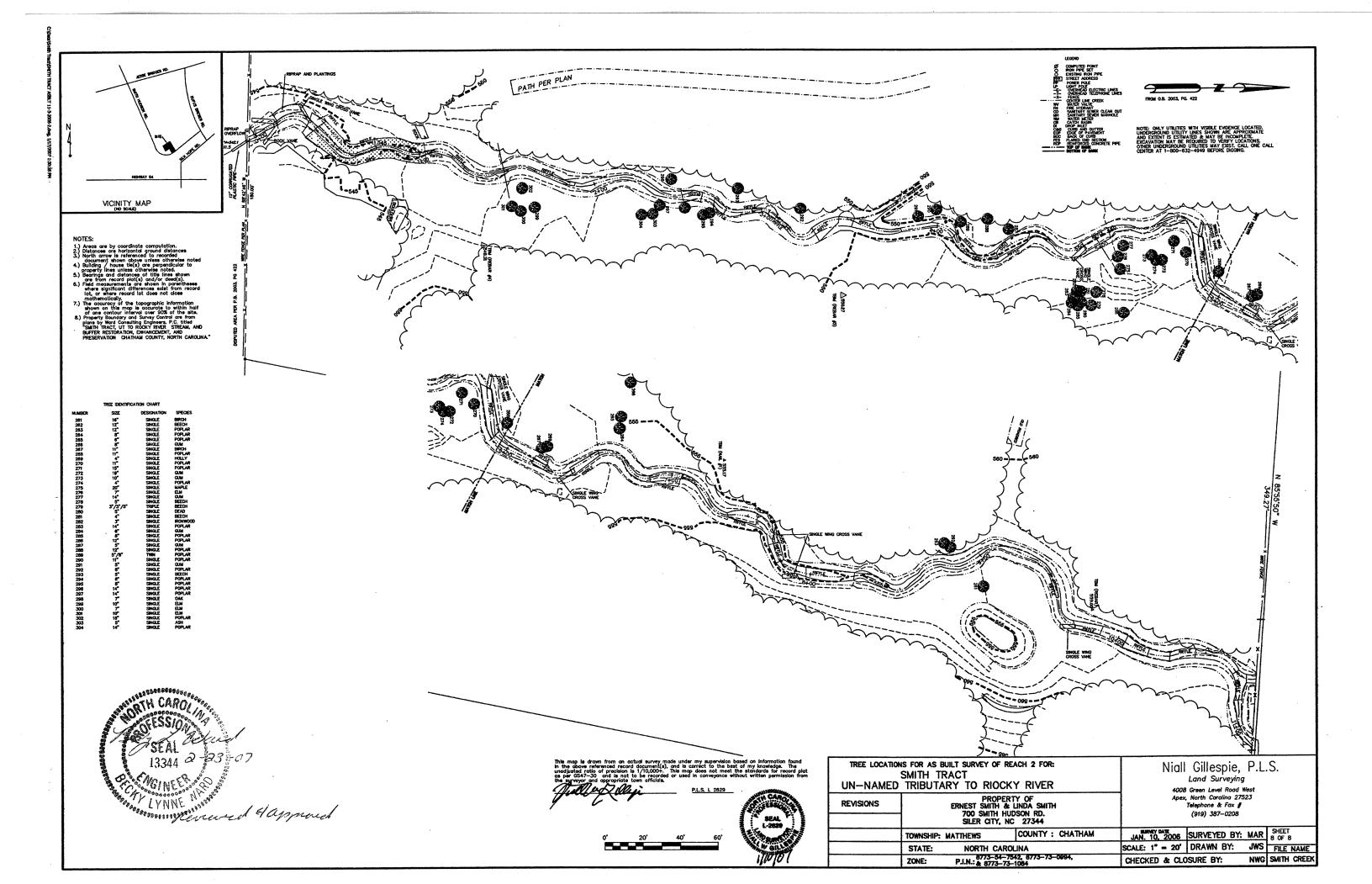






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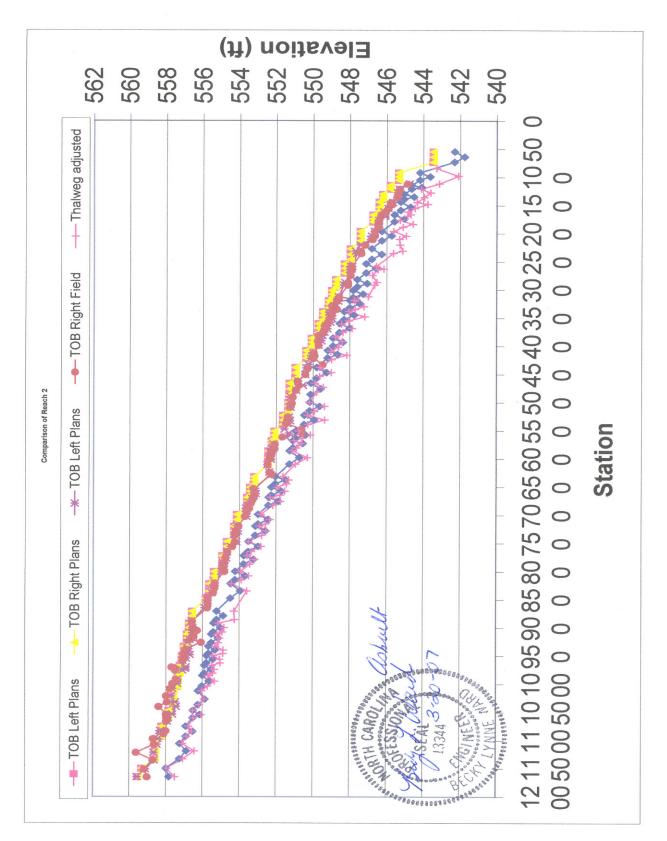






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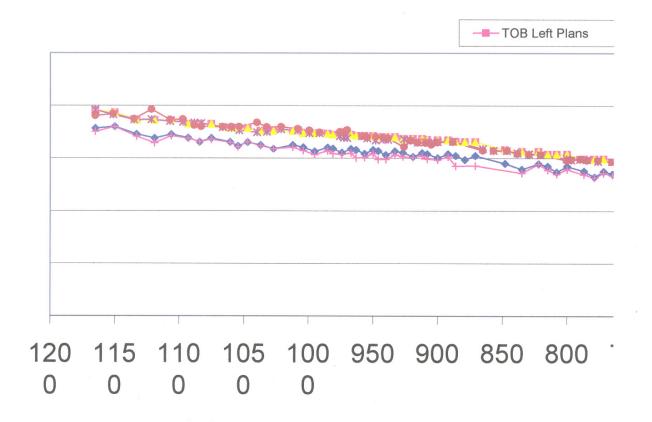
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815	554.24	555.4	555.4	I .	820.5	553.95	555.33	555.35
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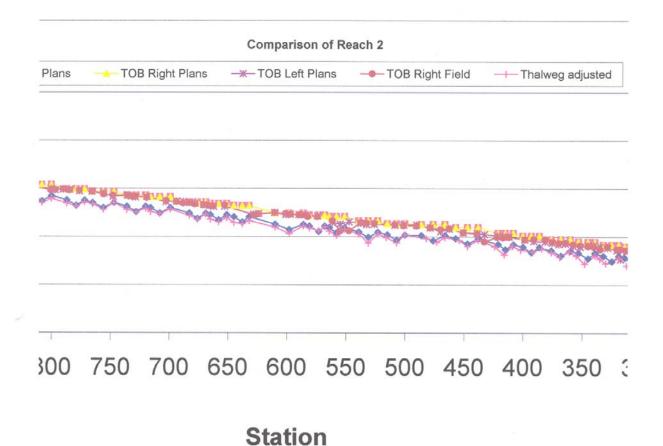
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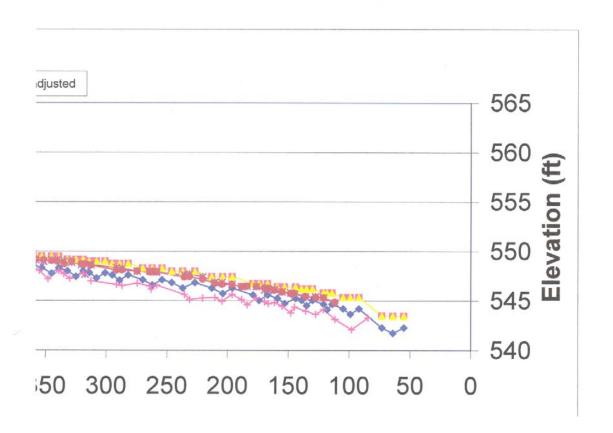
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## Final Profile Use for Monitoring Adjusting profile to correct stationing

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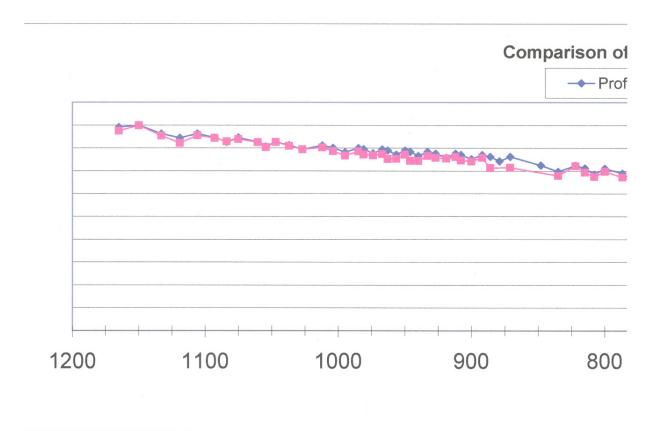


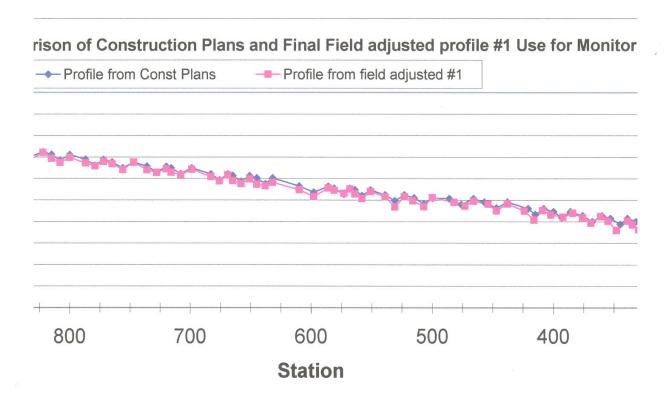


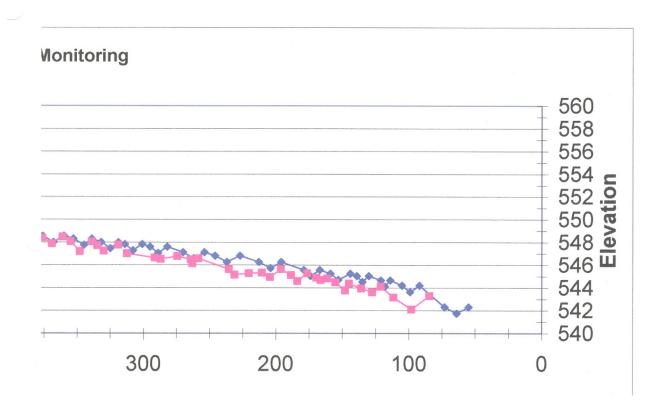


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772	553.77	554.93	554.93		776.3	552.83	554.71	554.78
765	553.53	554.69	554.69	4	765.6	553.51	554.67	554.67
756	552.98	554.68	554.68		755.6	552.8	554.48	554.4
747	553.52	554.68	554.68	4	747.8	552.55	554.17	554.25
736	553.14	554.3	554.3	4	735.4	552.91	554.25	554.25
728	552.59	554.29	554.29	46	732	552.585	554.19	554.2
720	553.13	554.29	554.29		728.6	552.36	554.09	554.17
716	552.99	554.15	554.15		719	552.845	554.14	554.05
708	552.44	554.14	554.14		702.8	552.18	553.61	553.705
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683	552.43	553.59	553.59	4	688	552.33	553.64	553.47
676	551.88	553.58	553.58	4	682.6	551.8	553.525	553.52
669	552.42	553.58	553.58		678	551.54	553.46	553.37
665	552.28	553.44	553.44		670.8	551.97	553.33	553.27
658	551.73	553.43	553.43	a .	665.8	551.45	553.22	553.21
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568	551.09	552.25	552.25		582.4	550.14	552.24	552.09
564	550.95	552.11	552.11	ii .	574	550.79	552.16	552.08
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531	549.94	551.64	551.64		554.8	549.36	551.32	550.6
523	550.48	551.64	551.64		547.4	550.31	551.56	550.62
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447	549.02	550.96	550.96		478.5	549.64	550.92	550.955
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408	548.68 549.21	550.36	550.38 550.37		438.7	548.16	550.37	550.295
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2	295	547.61	548.77	548.77		320.5	546.87	548.64	548.71
2	289	547.06	548.76	548.76		317.5	546.61	547.66	548.71
2	282	547.6	548.76	548.76		312.5	547.01	548.62	548.59
2	270	547.13	548.29	548.29		291.5	546.65	548.34	548.1
2	262	546.59	548.29	548.29		287	546.53	548.27	548.1
2	254	547.13	548.29	548.29		274.5	546.77	547.98	547.98
	246	546.82	547.98	547.98		264.2	546.48	548.01	547.91
	237	546.28	547.98	547.98		263	546.15	547.93	547.89
	227	546.82	547.98	547.98		258.5	546.51	547.955	547.92
	213	546.27	547.43	547.43					
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	96	546.27	547.43	547.43		235.5	545.64	547.62	547.38
	79	545.58	546.74	546.74		231.2	545.135	547.69	547.42
	74	545.04	546.74	546.74		220.4	545.27	547.43	547.16
	67	545.58	546.74	546.74		210.5	545.31	546.88	546.77
	59	545.25	546.41	546.41		204.5	544.94	546.82	546.655
	53	544.71	546.41	546.41		196.2	545.635	546.665	546.66
	44	545.25	546.41	546.41		188.5	545.12	546.43	546.415
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	18	544.11	545.81	545.81		161.3	544.82	546.16	546.06
	14	544.65	545.81	545.81		155.2	544.47	545.92	545.9
	05	544.19	545.35	545.35		148	543.77	545.79	545.72
	99	543.64	545.35	545.35		144.9	544.36	545.67	545.75
	92	544.19	545.35	545.35		135.8	543.96	545.4	545.44
	73	542.31	543.47	543.47		127.5	543.61	545.41	545.35
	64	541.76	543.46	543.46		121	544.12	545.31	545.29
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7.0 Cross Sections

**Project:** UT to Rocky River (Smith Tract)

Location: Reach 1 Permanent Cross Section #1 Riffle

**Date:** 1/15/2007

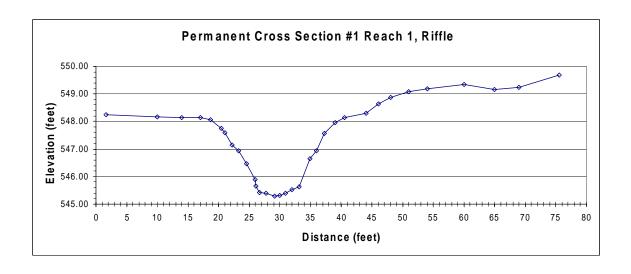
Left Permanent Benchmark Elevation: 550.07

Benchmark description: Iron pin by old shed

Note: Cross Section taken from left to right looking downstream

		Height of			
	Back-Sight	Instrument	Fore-Sight	Height	Notes
Station	BS	HI	FS	Elevation	Comments
Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Remarks
	4.18	554.25			Iron pin
1.70			6.00	548.25	
10.00			6.07	548.18	
14.00			6.10	548.15	
17.00			6.12	548.13	
18.70			6.19	548.06	TOB Left
20.40			6.51		Bankfull
21.00			6.65	547.60	
22.20			7.11	547.14	
23.30			7.31	546.94	
24.60			7.79	546.46	
26.00			8.36	545.89	
26.10			8.60		Edge of water/water surface
26.70			8.84	545.41	
27.70			8.86	545.39	
29.10			8.97	545.28	TW
30.00			8.94	545.31	
30.90			8.85	545.40	
32.00			8.73	545.53	
33.10			8.63	545.63	Edge of water/water surface
34.90			7.60	546.65	
35.90			7.31	546.94	
37.2			6.68	547.58	
39			6.28		TOB/Bankfull Right
40.50			6.12	548.14	
44.00			5.96	548.30	
46.00			5.62	548.63	
48.00			5.37	548.89	
51.00			5.17	549.08	
54.00			5.06	549.19	
60.00			4.91	549.35	
65.00			5.09	549.16	
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Location: Reach 2 Permanent Cross Section #1 Riffle

Date: 11/27/2006

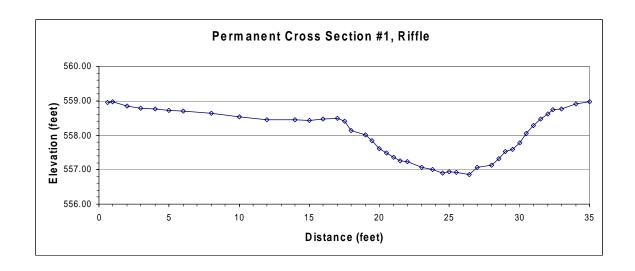
Left Permanent Benchmark Elevation:	559
Right Permanent Benchmark Elevation:	

Benchmark description: Rebar approx. 110 stream ft downstream from upper project limit on right side of stream

Note: Cross Section taken from left to right looking downstream

	1	Height of			
	Back-Sight	Instrument	Fore-Sight	Height	Notes
Station	BS	Н	FS	Elevation	Comments
Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Remarks
	2.93	561.93			
0.60	2.00	001.00	2.97	558.96	
1.00			2.96	558.97	
2.00			3.08	558.85	
3.00			3.14	558.79	
4.00			3.16	558.77	
5.00			3.20	558.73	
6.00			3.22	558.71	
8.00			3.29	558.64	
10.00			3.39	558.54	
12.00			3.47	558.46	
14.00			3.49	558.44	
15.00			3.50	558.43	
16.00			3.45	558.48	
17.00			3.44		TOB Left
17.50			3.53	558.40	
18.00			3.79	558.14	
19.00			3.92	558.01	
19.50			4.09	557.84	
20.00			4.31	557.62	
20.50			4.44	557.49	
21.00			4.57	557.36	
21.5			4.67	557.26	BF Bench Left
22			4.69	557.24	
23.00			4.87	557.06	
23.80			4.93	557.00	Toe Left
24.50			5.02	556.91	
25.00			4.99	556.94	
25.50			5.01		4.96 is WS reading = 556.97 feet
26.40			5.08	556.85	Toe Right
27.00			4.87	557.06	
28.00			4.80		BF Bench Right
28.50			4.62	557.31	
29.00			4.41	557.52	
29.50			4.34	557.59	
30.00			4.15	557.78	
30.50			3.87	558.06	
31.00			3.64	558.29	
31.50			3.46	558.47	
32.00			3.32	558.61	
32.40			3.18		TOB Right
33.00			3.17	558.77	
34.00			3.02	558.91	
35.00			2.95	558.98	



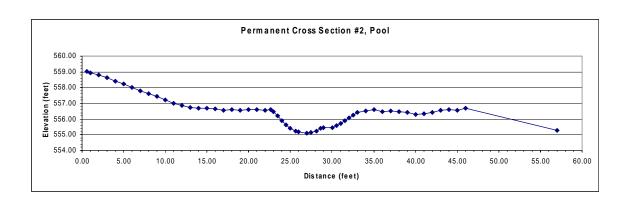


Project: UT to Rocky River
Location: Reach 2 Permanent Cross Section #2 Pool
Date: 11/27/2006

Left Permanent Benchmark Elevation: Note: Cross Section taken from left to right looking downstream Photo Reference Location: Looking upstream

		Height of			
	Back-Sight	Instrument	Fore-Sight	Height	Notes
Station	BS	HI	FS	Elevation	Comments
Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Remarks
0.60	2.93	561.93	2.91	559.02	
1.00			3.00	558.93	
2.00			3.14	558.79	
3.00			3.31	558.62	
4.00			3.53	558.40	
5.00			3.70	558.23	
6.00			3.93	558.00	
7.00			4.14 4.31	557.79 557.62	
8.00 9.00			4.51	557.62	
10.00			4.72	557.21	
11.00			4.94	556.99	
12.00			5.08	556.85	
13.00			5.18	556.75	
14.00			5.23	556.70	
15.00			5.26 5.27	556.67	
16.00 17.00			5.27 5.39	556.66 556.55	
18.00			5.35	556.59	
19.00			5.36	556.57	
20.00			5.31	556.62	
21.00			5.32	556.62	
22.00			5.35	556.58	
22.60			5.33		TOB Left
23.00 23.50			5.44 5.73	556.49 556.21	
23.30			6.02	555.91	
24.5			6.31	555.63	
25.00			6.54	555.39	
25.60			6.71	555.23	Toe Left
26.00			6.76	555.17	
27.00			6.84		Water surface reading 6.65 = 555.28 feet
27.50 28.10			6.80 6.71	555.13	Toe Right
28.60			6.50	555.43	roe nigni
29.00			6.47	555.46	
30.00			6.47		BF Bench Right
30.50			6.33	555.60	
31.00			6.22	555.71	
31.50			6.03	555.91	
32.00 32.50			5.85 5.67	556.08 556.26	
33.00			5.50		TOB Right
34.00			5.43	556.50	- · <del>g···</del>
35.00			5.34	556.59	
36.00			5.45	556.48	
37.00			5.40	556.54	
38.00 39.00			5.44	556.49	
40.00			5.51 5.62	556.42 556.31	
41.00			5.60	556.33	
42.00			5.51	556.42	
43.00			5.38	556.55	
44.00			5.34	556.59	
45.00			5.35	556.58	
46.00			5.26	556.67	
			6.65	555.28	





Location: Reach 2 Permanent Cross Section #3 Riffle

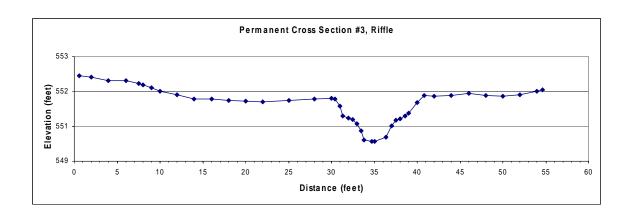
11/27/2006 Date:

554.65 Left Permanent Benchmark Elevation:

Benchmark description: Rebar, TBM located on right side of stream approx. 446 feet downstream of upper project limit Note: Cross Section taken from left to right looking downstream

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	Darly Olaha	Height of	F 0:-b4	I I a i a la d	Notes
01-11	Back-Sight	Instrument	Fore-Sight	Height	Notes
Station	BS	HI	FS	Elevation	Comments
Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Remarks
	0.77	555.42			
0.6			3.19	552.24	
2.0			3.24	552.18	
4.0			3.35	552.07	
6.0			3.35	552.07	
7.5			3.46	551.96	
8.0			3.51	551.91	
9.0			3.60	551.83	
10.0			3.72	551.70	
12.0			3.84	551.58	
14.0			3.98	551.44	
16.0			3.98	551.44	
18.0			4.01	551.41	
20.0			4.05	551.37	
22.0			4.06	551.36	
25.0			4.02	551.40	
28.0			3.98	551.45	
30.0			3.94	551.48	
30.4			3.97	551.45	TOB Left
31.0			4.20	551.22	
31.3			4.55	550.87	BF Bench Left
32.0			4.61	550.81	
32.5			4.66	550.76	
33.0			4.81	550.61	
33.5			5.04	550.38	
33.8			5.35	550.07	Toe Left
34.7			5.39	550.03	Center channel
35.0			5.40	550.03	
36.4			5.24	550.18	Toe Right
37.0			4.87	550.56	
37.5			4.68	550.74	
38.0			4.63	550.80	
38.6			4.53	550.89	BF Bench Right
39.0			4.44	550.98	
40.0			4.10	551.32	
40.8			3.85		TOB Right
42.0			3.89	551.53	
44.0			3.85	551.57	
46.0			3.79	551.63	
48.0			3.86	551.56	
50.0			3.87	551.55	
52.0			3.83	551.60	
54.0			3.72	551.70	
54.6			3.67	551.75	





Location: Reach 2 Permanent Cross Section #4 Pool

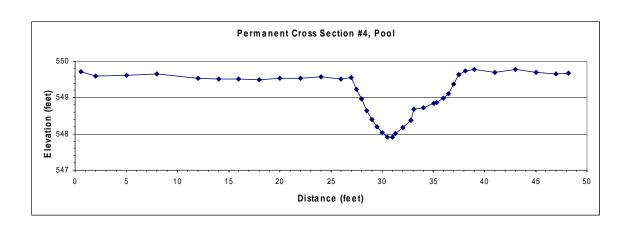
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Left Permanent Benchmark Elevation: 554.65

Note: Cross Section taken from left to right looking downstream

		Height of			
	Back-Sight	Instrument	Fore-Sight	Height	Notes
Station	BS	HI	FS	Elevation	Comments
Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Remarks
Feet			reet	reet	Remarks
0.0	0.77	555.42	F 74	540.74	
0.6			5.71	549.71	
2.0			5.83	549.59	
5.0			5.81	549.62	
8.0			5.77	549.65	
12.0 14.0			5.89 5.91	549.53	
				549.52	
16.0			5.91	549.52	
18.0			5.94	549.49 549.53	
20.0			5.89		
22.0			5.89	549.53	
24.0			5.86	549.57	
26.0			5.90	549.52	TOD L. (
27.0			5.87		TOB Left
27.5			6.20	549.22	
28.0			6.45	548.97	
28.5			6.77	548.65	
29.0			7.03	548.39	
29.5			7.22		water surface reading 6.98 = 548.44 ft
30.0			7.39		Toe Left
30.5			7.50	547.92	
31.0			7.51	547.92	
31.3			7.41	548.01	
32.0			7.24	548.18	To a Direkt
32.8			7.05		Toe Right
33.1			6.74	548.68	
34.0			6.70	548.72	
35.0			6.58	548.84	
35.3 36.0			6.56 6.44	548.87	BF bench Right
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36.5			6.32	549.10	
37.0 37.5			6.05 5.79	549.37 549.63	
38.1 39.0			5.68 5.65	549.74	TOB Right
41.0			5.73	549.78	
43.0			5.73	549.70	
43.0 45.0				549.77	
			5.72	549.70	
47.0 48.2			5.77 5.75		
48.2			5.75	549.68	





Location: Reach 2 Permanent Cross Section #5 Riffle

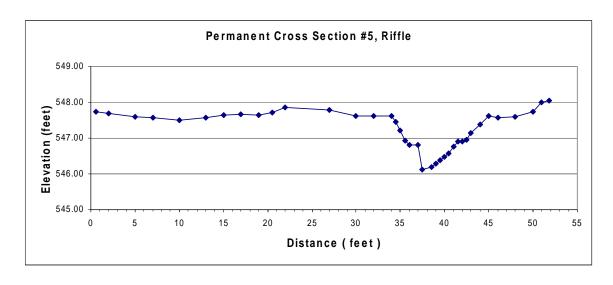
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Left Permanent Benchmark Elevation: 549.17

Note: Cross Section taken from left to right looking downstream

		Height of			
	Back-Sight	Instrument	Fore-Sight	Height	Notes
Station	BS	HI	FS	Elevation	Comments
Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Feet	Remarks
	2.71	551.88			
0.6		001.00	4.13	547.75	
2			4.19	547.69	
5			4.28	547.60	
7			4.31	547.57	
10			4.39	547.49	
13			4.31	547.57	
15			4.24	547.64	
17			4.22	547.66	
19			4.23	547.65	
20.5			4.155	547.73	
22			4.015	547.87	
27			4.095	547.79	
30			4.26	547.62	
32			4.26	547.62	
34			4.25	547.63	TOB Left
34.5			4.43	547.45	
35			4.66	547.22	
35.5			4.96	546.92	
36			5.06		BF Bench Left
37			5.07	546.81	
37.5			5.77		Toe Left
38.5			5.695	546.19	
39			5.59	546.29	
39.5			5.49	546.39	
40			5.4		Toe Right
40.5			5.31	546.57	
41			5.11	546.77	
41.5			4.98	546.90	
42			4.985	546.90	DE D
42.5			4.93		BF Bench Right
43			4.735	547.15	
44			4.51	547.37	TOD D' 14
45			4.26		TOB Right
46			4.31	547.57	
48			4.285	547.60	
50			4.13	547.75	
51			3.87	548.01	
51.8			3.83	548.05	





8.0 Tables

Table 1: Project Restoration, Enhancement,	and Preservation Specifications
Ward Consulting Engineers, P.C.	UT to Rocky River Stream Restoration,

Table 1: Project Restoration, Enhancement, and Preservation Specifications

There is industrial and industrial a					
Project Restoration/Enhancement/Preservation					
Type	Acres	Linear Feet			
Stream Restoration	N/A	1,010			
Stream Enhancement	N/A	955			
Stream Buffer Enhancement	2.21	N/A			
Stream Buffer Restoration	0.3	N/A			
Stream Buffer Preservation	6.67	N/A			

Table 2: Project Restoration, Enhancement Credit	t, and Preservation Post Construction is
Ward Consulting Engineers, P.C.	UT to Rocky River Stream Restoration, Enhancement, and Preservation Project,

Table 2: UT to Rocky River Restoration/Enhancement/Preservation Project Post Construction Credits					
Type Level of Restoration   Proposed Credit Ratio   SM					
Stream	Stream Enhancement		477.5		
	Restoration	1:1	1,010		
	Preservation	5:1	-		
Stream Total			1487.5		

## **Table 3: Vegetation Results**

December 2006		Exhibit Table VII: Stem counts for each species arranged by plot Plots						1
	Species	1	2	3	4	5	6	Initial Totals
otal # planted	Reach 1, Zone 1							
90	Carya cordiformis	8	3					1
60	Quercus pagodaefolia	2	2					
60	Quercus phellos		3					
60	Liriodendron tulipifera	3	2					
60	Ulmus americana							
60	Celtis laevigata							
60	Fraxinus pennsylvanica	2	4					
65	Betula nigra		3					
60	Carpinus caroliniana	2	4					
40	Platanus occidentalis	3						
	Reach 1, Zone 3							
172	Alnus serrulata	1						
172	Viburnum nudum							
172	Sambucus canadensis							
175	Ilex verticillata							
175	Linera benzoin	1						
	Reach 2, Zone 1							
130	Carya cordiformis				5	4	6	
87	Quercus pagodaefolia				2	2	-	
87	Quercus phellos				1	5	1	
87	Liriodendron tulipifera				3	3		
87	Ulmus americana				5	1	2	
87	Celtis laevigata				5		_	
87	Fraxinus pennsylvanica				5	4	1	1
90	Betula nigra	-	-		4	5	·	
88	Carpinus caroliniana				· i			
55	Platanus occidentalis				1	2	1	-
00	Reach 2, Zone 2		-		· ·			
14	Carya cordiformis			2				
14	Quercus alba		-	6				
14	Quercus rubra			5				
14	Liriodendron tulipifera			4				
14	Nyssa sylvatica		-	6				
• •	Reach 2, Zone 3							
157	Alnus serrulata				3		6	
157	Viburnum nudum		-				2	
157	Sambucus canadensis				2		6	
160	llex verticillata				2		4	
160	Linera benzoin				2		5	
100	Reach 2, Zone 3 Live	<u> </u>						1
	Stakes in Rock Joint							
	Planting area only							
30	Cornus amomum	Г	-				I	1
30 10								-
10	Salix nigra  Total plants per plot	22	21	23	40	26	34	16