

**FINAL**  
**YEAR 4 (2017) ANNUAL MONITORING REPORT**  
**BEAR CREEK (PHILLIPS SITE) RESTORATION PROJECT**

Chatham County, North Carolina  
DMS Project No. 26 (Contract No. 5715)  
DWR Project No. 0713-94  
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**Data Collection – January-August 2017**

Cape Fear River Basin  
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RE: Bear Creek (Phillips) Monitoring (DMS Project # 26, Contract #5715)  
Final MY4 (2017) Annual Monitoring Report

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Dear Jeff:

Axiom Environmental, Inc. (AXE) is pleased to provide you with three hard copies and a CD of digital files for the Final Bear Creek (Phillips) Annual Monitoring Report. We received your comments via email on December 22, 2017 and have addressed them as follows:

1. DMS received the digital submissions on November 28, 2017. The digital data and drawings have been reviewed and determined to meet DMS requirements.
2. Section 1.0, page 1: Axiom states that the easement boundary has been marked with DMS signage and is fenced but no mention is made of the condition of the fencing. Please indicate if the fence is in good condition or if maintenance is required.  
*The following statement was added to section 1.0: "All fencing is intact and functioning as designed, and easement signage remains visible."*
3. Section 2.1, Stream Areas of Concern, page 4: This section only refers to two areas of concern but a third is indicated in the GIS files located on the upstream side of the culverts on Bear Creek Reach 1. In addition, the third area is not depicted on the CCPV or Table 5A either. If this is no longer an area of concern, please remove from GIS files.  
*Only the two areas of concern were observed onsite during Year 4 (2017) monitoring. The shapefile in the digital submittal has been updated to reflect this.*
4. Appendix D: For any morphological tables, provide a footnote with the tables that describes the method by which Axiom is calculating Bank Height Ratio and Entrenchment Ratio. In addition, please provide context to any observed changes in these calculated ratios in the report narrative. DMS has proposed a method for these calculations that can be found in the As Built baseline template guidance AS-built Baseline Monitoring Report – June 2017 Page 22, specifically paragraphs 8 and 9.  
*The bank height ratios were recalculated according to the DMS method. Entrenchment ratios were checked and determined to be correct. Footnotes were added at the bottom of the tables explaining how these ratios were calculated. The following was added to the cross-section discussion in section 2.1: "Year 4 (2017) cross-section data shows little change from as-built conditions. The bank height ratio at cross-section 7 increased to 1.13, indicating a small amount of down-cutting which can be seen on the left side of the cross-section plot (Appendix D). In a small channel like the Unnamed Tributary, the bank height ratio can be greatly affected by very small changes in thalweg elevation. This cross-section will be closely monitored through year 5 (2018) but is not concerning at this time."*



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Please let me know if you have any questions or comments regarding any component of this submittal. Thank you for the opportunity to continue to assist the Division of Mitigation Services with this important project.

Sincerely,  
AXIOM ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Kenan Jernigan', is written over a light blue circular stamp.

Kenan Jernigan  
*Project Scientist*

Attachments: 3 hardcopies Final Bear Creek (Phillips) Annual Monitoring Report  
1 CD containing digital support files

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## 1.0 PROJECT SUMMARY

The North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality- Division of Mitigation Services (DMS) has established the Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project (Site) located off of Siler City-Glendon Road (SR 1006) in the southwest portion of Chatham County. The Site is encompassed within 14-digit Cataloging Unit 03030003070050 of the Cape Fear River Basin (Figure 1 and Table 4, Appendix A). Land use at the Site, prior to mitigation activities, was primarily comprised of open pasture used for livestock grazing with a few small areas of mixed hardwood forest. Site streams were impaired by historical and current land management practices, which included timber harvesting, pasture conversion, channelization, and livestock grazing. The easement boundary has been marked with standard DMS metal signage, and is fenced with high tensile barbed wire. All fencing is intact and functioning as designed, and easement signage remains visible. Completed project activities, reporting history, completion dates, project contacts, and project attributes are summarized in Tables 1-4 (Appendix A). This report (compiled based on the NC Division of Mitigation Services (NCDMS) *Procedural Guidance and Content Requirements for DMS Monitoring Reports* Version 1.5 dated 6/8/12) summarizes data for Year 4 (2017) monitoring.

The Site is located in the *Upper and Middle Rocky River Local Watershed Plan (LWP)* area ([http://portal.ncdenr.org/c/document\\_library/get\\_file?uuid=bcd905ef-bbfb-42bb-84a4-d69f39fd3b03&groupId=60329](http://portal.ncdenr.org/c/document_library/get_file?uuid=bcd905ef-bbfb-42bb-84a4-d69f39fd3b03&groupId=60329)). The LWP identified the following major stressors in the watershed: excess nutrient loading from farming and urban runoff, a lack of riparian vegetation, channel modifications, bacterial contamination, and sediment loading from overland runoff and stream bank erosion. Specifically, cattle access to streams and insufficient bank vegetation were identified as prime causes of streambank erosion in the watershed. The LWP identified the Bear Creek Project as a stream restoration opportunity with the potential to improve water quality and habitat within the Upper Rocky River watershed.

The Site's watershed includes Hydrologic Unit Code (HUC) 03030003070050 which was identified as a Targeted Local Watershed in NCDMS's *Cape Fear River Basin Restoration Priorities (RBRP) 2009* ([http://portal.ncdenr.org/c/document\\_library/get\\_file?uuid=864e82e8-725c-415e-8ed9-c72dfcb55012&groupId=60329](http://portal.ncdenr.org/c/document_library/get_file?uuid=864e82e8-725c-415e-8ed9-c72dfcb55012&groupId=60329)) and is identified in the *Upper Rocky River Local Watershed Plan Detailed Assessment and Targeting of Management Report* ([http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/eep/lwps?p\\_p\\_id=20&p\\_p\\_lifecycle=1&p\\_p\\_state=exclusive&p\\_p\\_mode=view&\\_20\\_struts\\_action=%2Fdocument\\_library%2Fget\\_file&\\_20\\_folderId=2806346&\\_20\\_name=DLFE-57173.pdf](http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/eep/lwps?p_p_id=20&p_p_lifecycle=1&p_p_state=exclusive&p_p_mode=view&_20_struts_action=%2Fdocument_library%2Fget_file&_20_folderId=2806346&_20_name=DLFE-57173.pdf)).

Site construction resulted in a stable riparian system that will reduce sediment and nutrient loading to Bear Creek while contributing to water quality conditions that support terrestrial and aquatic species identified in the basin. The goals of the Bear Creek Restoration Project address stressors identified in the LWP and include the following.

- Remove harmful nutrients from creek flow,
- Reduce pollution of creeks by removing excess sediment,
- Improve stream bank stability,
- Increase dissolved oxygen concentrations,
- Improve in-stream habitat,
- Restore terrestrial habitat, and
- Improve aesthetics.

The project goals were addressed through the following project objectives.

- Cattle were removed from streams and runoff is filtered through buffer zones. Flood flows are filtered through restored floodplain areas, where flood flow will spread through native vegetation, which will uptake excess nutrients.
- Stream bank erosion, which contributes sediment loads to the creek, will be greatly reduced, if not eliminated in the Site. Eroding stream banks were stabilized by increasing woody root mass on banks and reducing channel incision. Storm flow containing grit and fine sediments is filtered through restored floodplain areas where flow will spread through native vegetation. The spreading flood flows will reduce velocity, allowing sediment to settle out.
- Eroding stream banks were stabilized using bioengineering, natural channel design techniques, and grading to reduce bank angles and bank height.
- In-stream structures promote aeration of water.
- In-stream structures were constructed to improve habitat diversity and trap detritus. Wood structures were incorporated into the stream as part of the restoration design including log drops and rock structures that incorporate woody debris.
- Adjacent buffer and riparian habitats were restored with native vegetation as part of the project. Native vegetation will provide cover and food for terrestrial creatures.
- Native plant species were planted, invasive species were treated, and eroding and unstable areas were stabilized as part of this project.

The Site mitigation plan was completed in June 2011 with the final design and construction plans completed in June 2012 (Table 2, Appendix A). Project construction was completed between April and October 2013. The implemented mitigation is as follows (Figure 2, Appendix B and Table 1, Appendix A).

- 4061 Stream Mitigation Units by:
  - Restoring approximately 4061 linear feet of stream channel through construction of stable channel at the historic floodplain elevation.
- Planting a native woody riparian buffer (at least 50 feet in width) adjacent to restored channels within the Site.
- Protecting the Site in perpetuity with a conservation easement.

### **Stream Success Criteria**

Stream restoration success criteria for the Site are based on the *Stream Mitigation Guidelines* issued in April 2003 by the USACE and NCDWQ. Success criteria for stream restoration will include 1) documentation of two bankfull events, 2) little change in the channel cross-section from as-built conditions, 3) stable longitudinal profile, 4) substrate consistency, and 5) photographic evidence of stability.

### **Bankfull Events**

Two bankfull flow events in separate years must be documented within the 5-year monitoring period. Otherwise, the stream monitoring will continue until two bankfull events have been documented in separate years.

### **Cross-sections**

Riffle cross-sections located on the restoration and enhancement reaches should be stable and should show little change in bankfull area, maximum depth ratio, and width-to-depth ratio. Riffle cross-sections should generally fall within the parameters defined for channels of the appropriate Rosgen stream type. If any changes do occur, these changes will be evaluated to assess whether the stream channel is showing signs of instability. Indicators of instability include a vertically incising thalweg or eroding channel banks. Changes

in the channel that indicate a movement toward stability or enhanced habitat include a decrease in the width-to-depth ratio in meandering channels or an increase in pool depth.

### Longitudinal Profile

Longitudinal profile data for the stream reach should show that bedform features are remaining stable. The riffles should be steeper and shallower than the pools, while the pools should be deep with flat water surface slopes. The relative percentage of riffles and pools should not change significantly from the design parameters.

### Bed Material Analysis

Substrate materials in restoration reaches should indicate a progression towards or the maintenance of coarser materials in the riffle features and smaller particles in the pool features.

### Photo Reference Sites

Photographs will be used to evaluate channel aggradation or degradation, bank erosion, success of riparian vegetation, and effectiveness of erosion control measures subjectively. Lateral photos should not indicate excessive erosion or continuing degradation of the banks. A series of photos over time should indicate successive maturation of riparian vegetation.

### Vegetation Success Criteria

Success criteria have been established to verify that the vegetation component supports community elements necessary for forest development. Success criteria for this project includes an average density of 320 planted stems per acre must be surviving in the first three monitoring years. Subsequently, 290 planted stems per acre must be surviving in year 4, and 260 planted stems per acre in year 5.

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

## **2.0 METHODOLOGY**

### **2.1 Streams**

Post-restoration monitoring will be conducted for five years following the completion of construction to evaluate the effectiveness of Site restoration activities. Monitored stream parameters include stream dimension (cross-sections), pattern (longitudinal survey), profile (profile survey), and photographic documentation. Stream survey data can be found in Appendix D.

### Bankfull Events

The occurrence of bankfull events within the monitoring period will be documented using a crest gauge and visual observations. The crest gauge was installed along the streambank to record the highest watermark between site visits, and the gauge will be checked each time the Site is visited to determine if a bankfull event has occurred (Figures 2A-2B, Appendix B). Photographs will be used to document the occurrence of debris lines and sediment deposition on the floodplain during monitoring Site visits.

### Cross-sections

Ten permanent cross-sections, six riffle and four pool, were established and will be used to evaluate stream dimension; locations are depicted on Figures 2, 2A, and 2B (Appendix B). Because riffle cross-sections are critical in determining bankfull design parameters, the number of riffle cross-sections established outnumber

pool cross-sections. Each cross-section is marked on both banks with permanent pins to establish the exact transect location. A common benchmark will be used for cross-section comparisons from year-to-year data. The annual cross-section survey will include points measured at all breaks in slope, including top of bank, bankfull, inner berm, edge of water, and thalweg, if the features are present. Riffle cross-sections will be classified using the Rosgen Stream Classification System.

Year 4 (2017) cross-section data shows little change from as-built conditions. The bank height ratio at cross-section 7 increased to 1.13, indicating a small amount of down-cutting which can be seen on the left side of the cross-section plot (Appendix D). In a small channel like the Unnamed Tributary, the bank height ratio can be greatly affected by very small changes in thalweg elevation. This cross-section will be closely monitored through year 5 (2018) but is not concerning at this time.

#### Longitudinal Profile

After Site construction, approximately 4100 linear feet of longitudinal profile was completed to document baseline conditions. Longitudinal profile will be resurveyed annually for the duration of the five-year monitoring period. Measurements include thalweg, water surface, bankfull, and top of low bank. Each of these measurements will be taken at the head of each channel unit (e.g., riffle, pool) and at the maximum pool depth. The survey will be tied to a permanent benchmark.

#### Bed Material Analysis

Pebble counts will be conducted for six permanent riffle cross-sections (100-counts per cross-section) across the Site. Pebble counts will be completed annually during the five year monitoring period to reveal any changes in sediment gradation over time as the stream adjusts to upstream sediment loads.

#### Photo Reference Sites

Photographs will be used to visually document restoration success for at least five years following construction. Lateral reference photos should show a stable cross-section with no excessive erosion or degradation of the banks. Reference photographs will show both banks at each permanent cross-section. A survey tape pulled across the cross-section will be centered in the bank photographs. The photographer will make every effort to maintain the same area in each photo over time.

#### Stream Areas of Concern

Two stream areas of concern were observed during monitoring year 4 (2017). Area of Concern #1 was observed during the previous three monitoring years, and it remains concerning during monitoring year 4 (2017). The right bank of the Unnamed Tributary to Bear Creek has failed causing the water to leave the stream channel and scour a new, smaller channel during heavy flow events. The bank and new channel appear unstable and are void of vegetation. Area of Concern #2 consists of bank scour in the inner bend of a pool caused by instream vegetation that has changed the flow path causing it to undercut the stream bank. These areas of concern are depicted on Figure 2A in Appendix B and will be closely monitored throughout the remainder of the monitoring period.

## **2.2 Vegetation**

After planting was completed, an initial evaluation was performed to verify planting methods were successful and to determine initial species composition and density. Twelve (12) sample vegetation plots (10-meter by 10-meter) were installed and measured within the Site as per guidelines established in *CVS-DMS Protocol for Recording Vegetation, Version 4.2* (Lee et al. 2008). Vegetation plots are permanently monumented with 6-foot metal t-posts at each corner. In each sample plot, vegetation parameters to be monitored include species composition and species density. Visual observations of the percent cover of shrub and herbaceous species will also be documented by photograph. Vegetation plot information can be found in Appendix C.

Year 4 (2017) stem count measurements indicate an average of 435 planted stems per acre (excluding livestakes) across the Site, which is above success criteria for monitoring year 4 (2017). Additionally, all but one individual plots met success criteria. Plot 4 was just one stem shy of the 290 stems per acre threshold.

Shortly after construction was complete, several large rain events caused flooding that scoured the floodplain, leaving it bare. Vegetation has established throughout much of the floodplain, but there are still some bare areas. These scoured areas have been depicted on Figures 2A-2B in Appendix B.

Due to poor growth and low stem densities during year 1 (2014), a supplemental planting occurred at the Site in February/March 2015. A total of 2870 stems were planted site-wide. These trees appear to be vigorous, and stem densities reflect high survival.

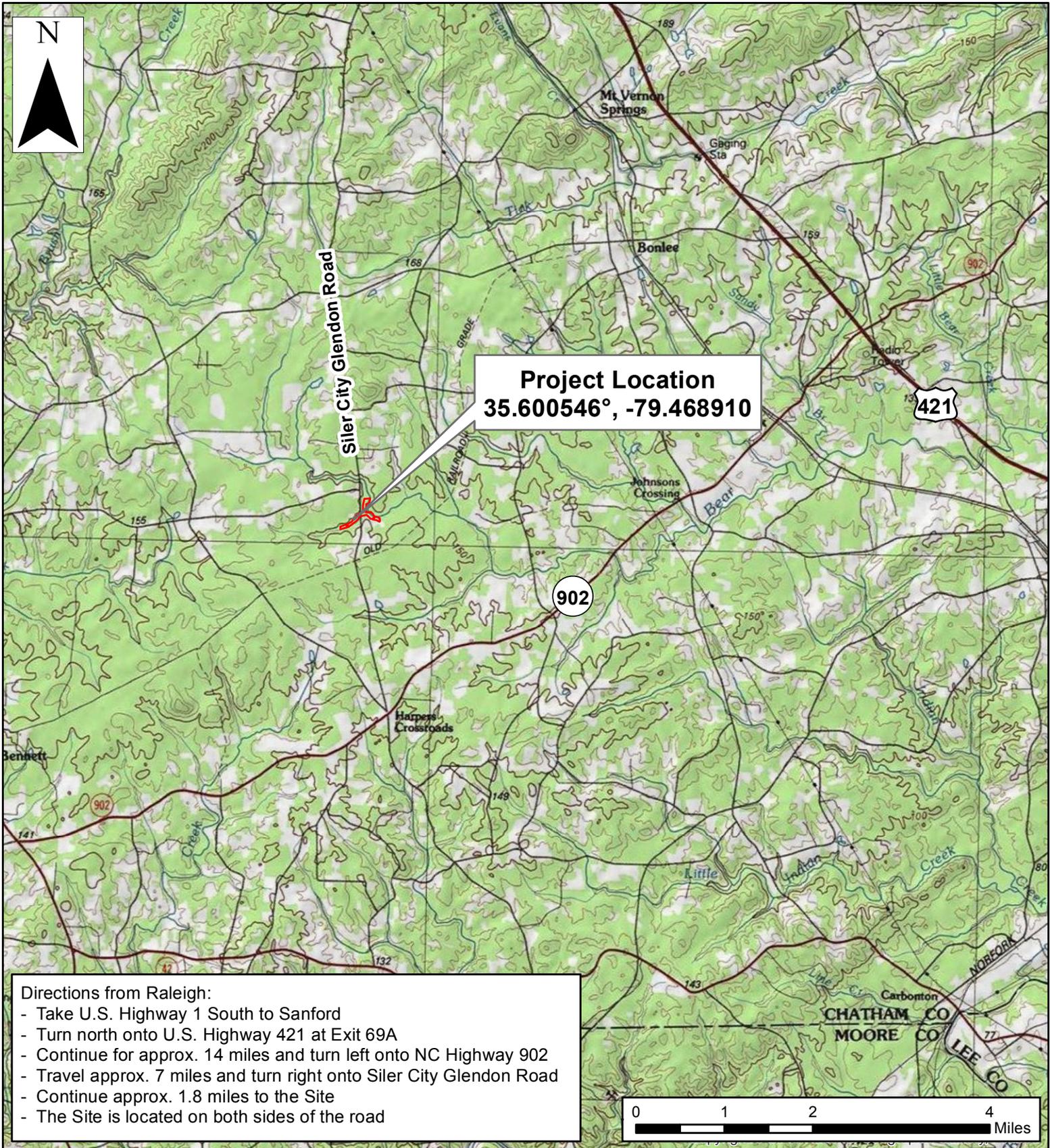
On February 9 and 13, 2017, an additional 1000 sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*) bare root seedlings were planted within areas of the Site not meeting success criteria in previous years. Additionally, Poast herbicide (sethoxydim) was applied to fescue via backpack sprayers to reduce competition. Appendix F contains information and mapping for the 2017 supplemental planting as well as the herbicide application log. The fescue treatment appears to have been successful in reducing competition with the newly planted stems; the new stems appear vigorous.

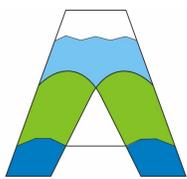
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APPENDIX A  
PROJECT VICINITY MAP AND BACKGROUND TABLES

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VICINITY MAP  
BEAR CREEK (PHILLIPS)  
DMS PROJECT NUMBER 26  
Chatham County, North Carolina

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**Table 1. Project Components and Mitigation Credits  
Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project**

Mitigation Credits							
Stream		Riparian Wetland			Nonriparian Wetland		
Restoration		Restoration			Restoration		
4061		--			--		
Projects Components							
Station Range	Existing Linear Footage/Acreage	Priority Approach	Restoration/Restoration Equivalent	Restoration Linear Footage/Acreage	Mitigation Ratio	Mitigation Credits	Comment
Bear Creek Reach 1 Station 200+60 to 210+63	859	PII	Restoration	1003-25=978	1:1	978	Stream crossing (25 linear feet) removed from credit.
Bear Creek Reach 2 Station 210+63 to 222+52	1050	PII	Restoration	1189-35=1154	1:1	1154	Stream crossing (35 linear feet) removed from credit.
UT to Bear Creek Station 100+00 to 120+11	1857	PI	Restoration	2011-62-20 =1929	1:1	1929	Stream Crossing and forded crossing (62 linear feet and 20 linear feet) removed from credit.
Component Summation							
Restoration Level	Stream (linear footage)	Riparian Wetland (acreage)			Nonriparian Wetland (acreage)		
Restoration	4061	--			--		
Enhancement (Level 1)	--	--			--		
Enhancement (Level II)	--	--			--		
<b>Totals</b>	<b>4061</b>	<b>--</b>			<b>--</b>		
<b>Mitigation Units</b>	<b>4061 SMUs</b>	<b>0.00 Riparian WMUs</b>			<b>0.00 Nonriparian WMUs</b>		

**Table 2. Project Activity and Reporting History  
Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project**

<b>Activity or Deliverable</b>	<b>Data Collection Complete</b>	<b>Completion or Delivery</b>
Mitigation Plan	--	June 2011
Final Design – Construction Plans	--	June 2012
Construction	--	April 2013-October 2013
Temporary S&E Mix applied to Entire Project Site	--	April 2013-October 2013
Permanent Seed Mix applied to the Entire Project Site	--	April 2013-October 2013
Bare Root; Containerized; and B&B Plantings for the Entire Project Site	--	March 2014
Mitigation Plan/ As-Built (Year 0 Monitoring Baseline)	March-April 2014	May 2014
Year 1 Monitoring	September 2014	November 2014
Site-Wide Supplemental Planting	--	February 2015-March 2015
Year 2 Monitoring	September 2015	October 2015
Year 3 Monitoring	September 2016	October 2016
Year 4 Monitoring	November 2017	January 2018
Year 5 Monitoring		

**Table 3. Project Contacts Table  
Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project**

<b>Designer</b>	Wildlands Engineering 1430 South Mint Street, Suite 104 Charlotte, NC 28203 Emily Reinicker 704-332-7754
<b>Construction Plans and Sediment and Erosion Control Plans</b>	Wildlands Engineering 1430 South Mint Street, Suite 104 Charlotte, NC 28203 Emily Reinicker 704-332-7754
<b>Construction Contractor</b>	Land Mechanic Designs, Inc 126 Circle G Lane Willow Spring, NC 27592 Charles Hill 919-639-6132
<b>Planting Contractor</b>	Carolina Silvics, Inc. 908 Indian Trail Road Edenton, NC 27932 Mary-Margaret S. McKinney 252-482-8491
<b>As-built Surveyor</b>	Stewart-Proctor Engineering and Surveying 319 Chapanoke Road Raleigh, NC 27603 Herb Proctor 919-779-1855
<b>Baseline Data Collection and Annual Monitoring</b>	Axiom Environmental, Inc. 218 Snow Avenue Raleigh, NC 27603 Grant Lewis 919-215-1693

**Table 4. Project Attribute Table  
Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project**

Project County	Chatham County, North Carolina		
Physiographic Region	Carolina Slate Belt		
Ecoregion	Piedmont		
Project River Basin	Cape Fear		
USGS HUC for Project (14 digit)	03030003070050		
NCDWQ Sub-basin for Project	06-06-12		
Planning Area	Upper and Middle Rocky River LWP		
WRC Class (Warm, Cool, Cold)	Warm		
% of project easement fenced or demarcated	100% fenced to exclude livestock		
Beaver activity observed during design phase?	unknown		
	<b>Restoration Component Attribute Table</b>		
	Bear Cr Reach 1	Bear Cr Reach 2	UT to Bear Cr
Drainage Area (acres)	2610	3196	565
Stream Order (USGS topo)	3rd	3rd	2nd
Restored Length (feet)	966	1179	1937
Perennial or Intermittent	P	P	P
Watershed Type	Rural		
Watershed impervious cover	<5%		
NCDWQ AU/Index number	17-43-16		
NCDWQ Classification	C	C	C
303d listed?	No		
Upstream of a 303d listed	No		
Reasons for 303d listed segment	NA		
Total acreage of easement	14.42		
Total existing vegetated acreage of easement	---		
Total planted restoration acreage	~14.42		
Rosgen Classification of preexisting	C4	G4	E/C5
Rosgen Classification of As-built	C4	C4	C5
Valley type	VIII	VIII	VIII
Valley slope	0.0031	0.0018	0.0054
Cowardin classification of proposed	NA	NA	NA
Trout waters designation	No		
Species of concern, endangered etc.	No		
Dominant Soil Series	Callison-Lignum complex 2-6% slopes (CaB)	Riverview silt loam 0-3% slopes (RvA)	Callison - misenheimer complex 6-10% slopes (CbC)

## APPENDIX B

### VISUAL ASSESSMENT DATA

Figures 2 and 2A-2B. Current Conditions Plan View (CCPV)  
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Vegetation Plot Photographs



Figure 2A



Figure 2B



Siler City Glendon Road

**Legend**

-  Easement Boundary
-  Stream Channel



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CURRENT CONDITIONS PLAN VIEW  
BEAR CREEK (PHILLIPS)  
DMS PROJECT NUMBER 26  
Chatham County, North Carolina

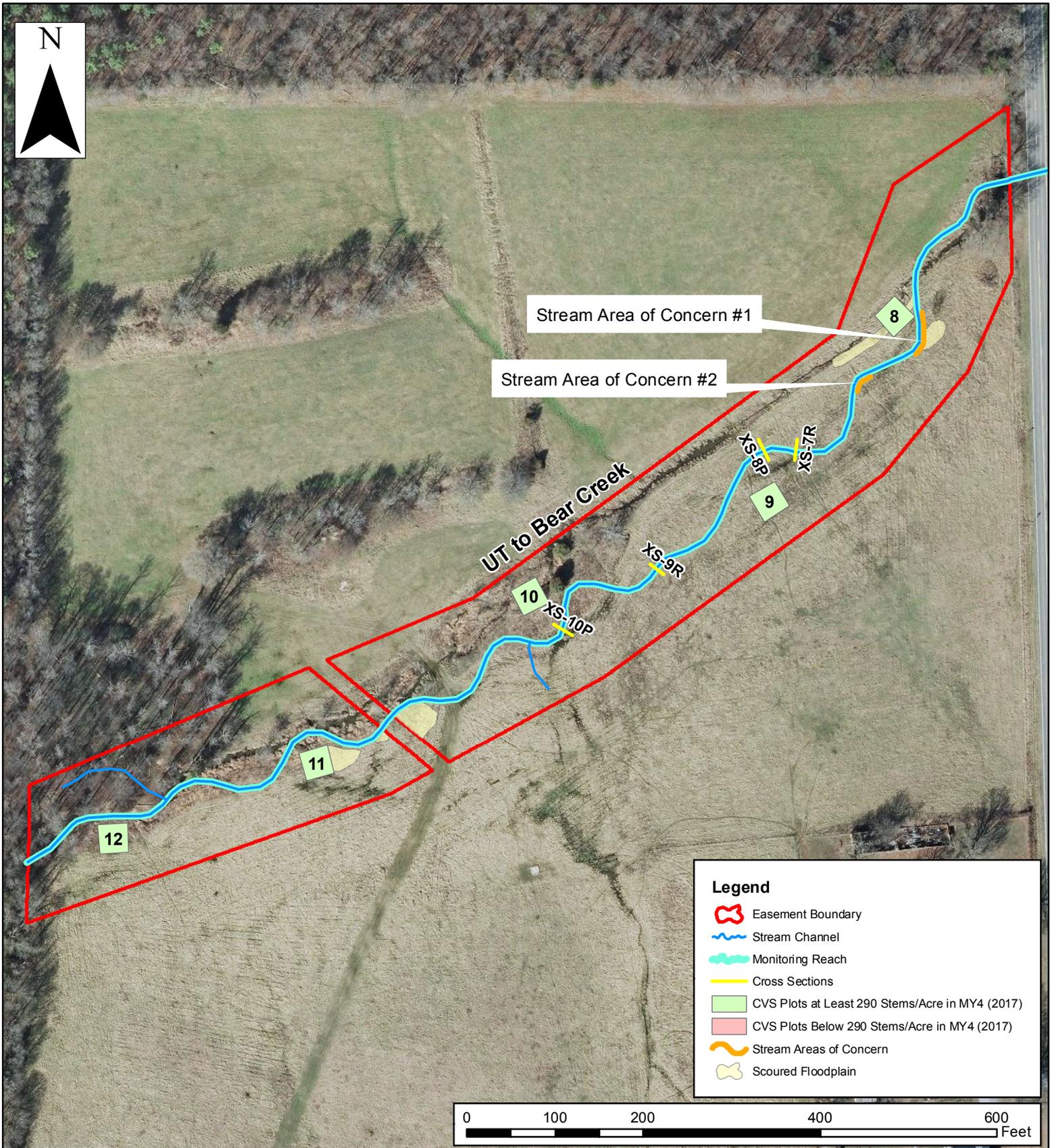
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**Legend**

- Easement Boundary
- Stream Channel
- Monitoring Reach
- Cross Sections
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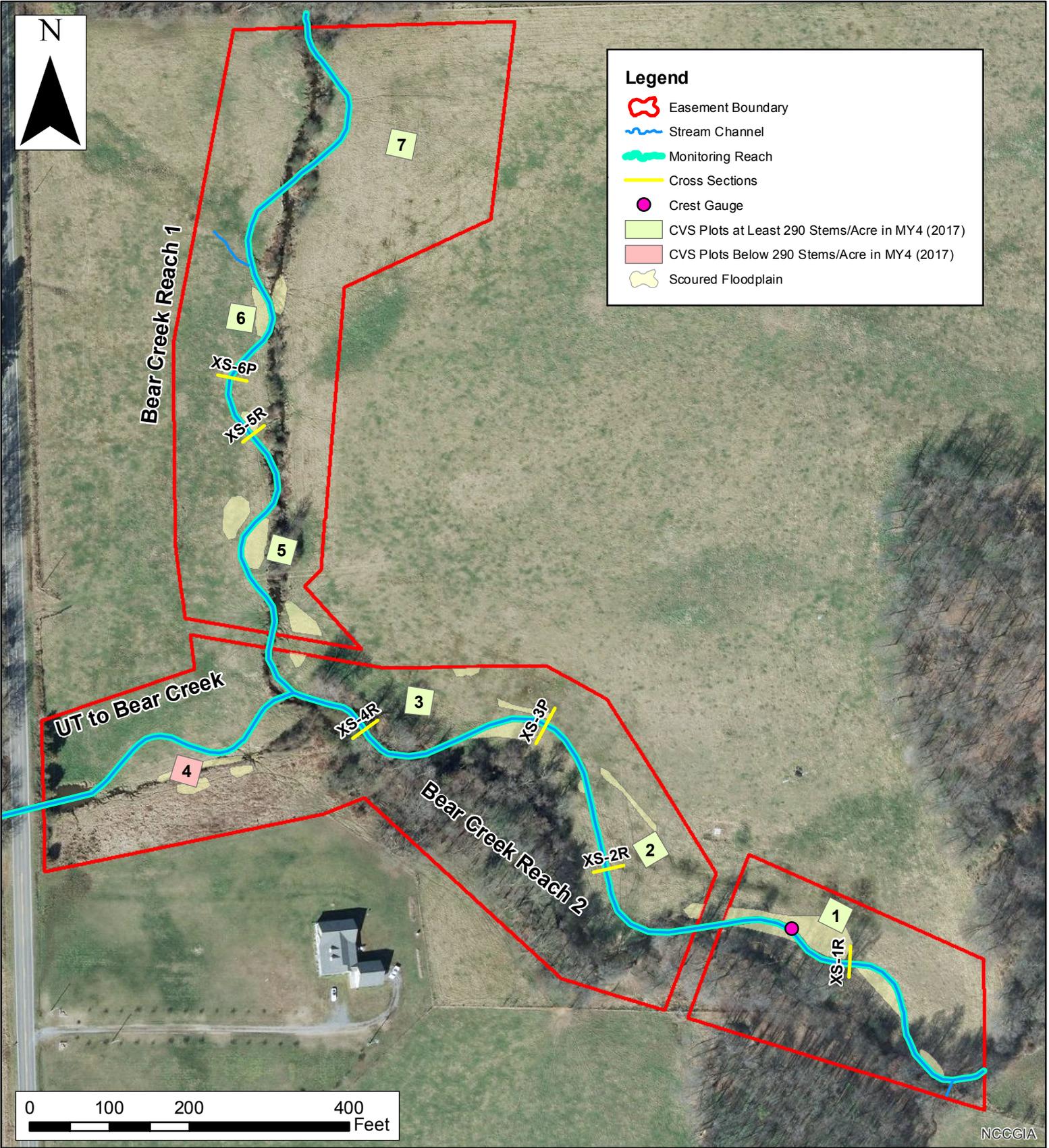
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FIGURE  
**2A**



**Legend**

- Easement Boundary
- Stream Channel
- Monitoring Reach
- Cross Sections
- Crest Gauge
- CVS Plots at Least 290 Stems/Acre in MY4 (2017)
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FIGURE  
**2B**

Table 5A  
 Reach ID  
 Assessed Length

**Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment**  
 Bear Creek - Reach 1 (Upstream)  
 966

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	7	7			100%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	1. <u>Depth</u> Sufficient (Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth $\geq$ 1.6)	8	8			100%			
		2. <u>Length</u> appropriate (>30% of centerline distance between tail of upstream riffle and head of downstream riffle)	8	8			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	1. Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	7	7			100%			
2. Thalweg centering at downstream of meander (Glide)		8	8			100%				
<b>Totals</b>										
2. Bank	1. Scoured/Eroding	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion			0	0	100%			100%
	2. Undercut	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%			100%
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%			100%
<b>Totals</b>										
3. Engineered Structures	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	15	15			100%			
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	15	15			100%			
	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	15	15			100%			
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does <u>not</u> exceed 15%. (See guidance for this table in EEP monitoring guidance document)	15	15			100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~ Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth ratio $\geq$ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at base-flow.	15	15			100%			

Table 5B  
 Reach ID  
 Assessed Length

**Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment**  
 Bear Creek - Reach 2 (Downstream)  
 1179

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%			100%
		2. <u>Degradation</u> - Evidence of downcutting				0	0	100%			
	2. Riffle Condition	1. <u>Texture/Substrate</u> - Riffle maintains coarser substrate	10	10				100%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	1. <u>Depth</u> Sufficient (Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth $\geq$ 1.6)	10	10				100%			
		2. <u>Length</u> appropriate (>30% of centerline distance between tail of upstream riffle and head of downstream riffle)	10	10				100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	1. Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	10	10				100%			
2. Thalweg centering at downstream of meander (Glide)		9	9				100%				
<b>Totals</b>											
2. Bank	1. Scoured/Eroding	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion				0	0	100%			100%
	2. Undercut	Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely. Does <u>NOT</u> include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.				0	0	100%			100%
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse				0	0	100%			100%
<b>Totals</b>											
3. Engineered Structures	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	15	15				100%			100%
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	15	15				100%			
	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	15	15				100%			
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does <u>not</u> exceed 15%. (See guidance for this table in EEP monitoring guidance document)	15	15				100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~ Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth ratio $\geq$ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at base-flow.	15	15				100%			

Table 5C  
 Reach ID  
 Assessed Length

**Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment**  
 UT to Bear Creek  
 1937

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	24	24			100%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	1. <u>Depth</u> Sufficient (Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth $\geq$ 1.6)	24	24			100%			
		2. <u>Length</u> appropriate (>30% of centerline distance between tail of upstream riffle and head of downstream riffle)	24	24			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	1. Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	24	24			100%			
2. Thalweg centering at downstream of meander (Glide)		24	24			100%				
<b>Totals</b>										
2. Bank	1. Scoured/Eroding	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion			2	35	99%			99%
	2. Undercut	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%			100%
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%			100%
<b>Totals</b>										
3. Engineered Structures	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	30	30			100%			
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	30	30			100%			
	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	30	30			100%			
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does <u>not</u> exceed 15%. (See guidance for this table in EEP monitoring guidance document)	30	30			100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~ Max Pool Depth : Mean Bankfull Depth ratio $\geq$ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at base-flow.	30	30			100%			

**BEAR CREEK (PHILLIPS)**

**Table 6** **Vegetation Condition Assessment**

**Planted Acreage<sup>1</sup>** **14.42**

Vegetation Category	Definitions	Mapping Threshold	CCPV Depiction	Number of Polygons	Combined Acreage	% of Planted Acreage
1. Bare Areas	Very limited cover of planted woody and herbaceous material on floodplain	0.1 acres	Yellow Polygon	25	0.51	3.5%
2. Low Stem Density Areas	None	0.1 acres	N/A	0	0.00	0.0%
<b>Total</b>					0.51	3.5%
3. Areas of Poor Growth Rates or Vigor	None	0.25 acres	N/A	0	0.00	0.0%
<b>Cumulative Total</b>				0	0.51	3.5%

**Easement Acreage<sup>2</sup>** **14.42**

Vegetation Category	Definitions	Mapping Threshold	CCPV Depiction	Number of Polygons	Combined Acreage	% of Easement Acreage
4. Invasive Areas of Concern <sup>4</sup>	N/A	1000 SF	N/A	0	0.00	0.0%
5. Easement Encroachment Areas <sup>3</sup>	N/A	none	N/A	0	0.00	0.0%

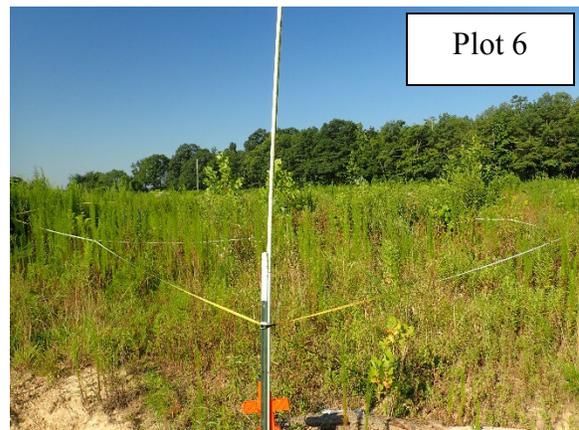
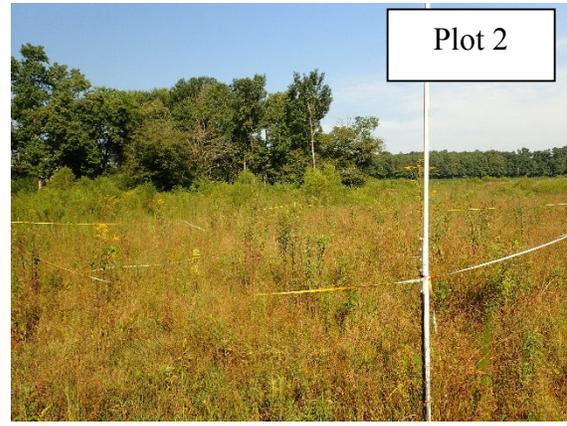
<sup>1</sup> = Enter the planted acreage within the easement. This number is calculated as the easement acreage minus any existing mature tree stands that were not subject to supplemental planting of the understory, the channel acreage, crossings or any other elements not directly planted as part of the project effort.

<sup>2</sup> = The acreage within the easement boundaries.

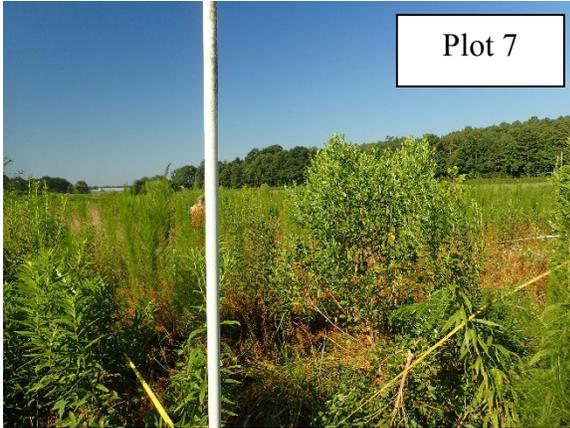
<sup>3</sup> = Encroachment may occur within or outside of planted areas and will therefore be calculated against the overall easement acreage. In the event a polygon is cataloged into items 1, 2 or 3 in the table and is the result of encroachment, the associated acreage should be tallied in the relevant item (i.e., item 1,2 or 3) as well as a parallel tally in item 5.

<sup>4</sup> = Invasives may occur in or out of planted areas, but still within the easement and will therefore be calculated against the overall easement acreage. Invasives of concern/interest are listed below. The list of high concern species are those with the potential to directly outcompete native, young, woody stems in the short-term (e.g. monitoring period or shortly thereafter) or affect the community structure for existing, more established tree/shrub stands over timeframes that are slightly longer (e.g. 1-2 decades). The low/moderate concern group are those species that generally do not have this capacity over the timeframes discussed and therefore are not expected to be mapped with regularity, but can be mapped, if in the judgement of the observer their coverage, density or distribution is suppressing the viability, density, or growth of planted woody stems. Decisions as to whether remediation will be needed are based on the integration of risk factors by DMS such as species present, their coverage, distribution relative to native biomass, and the practicality of treatment. For example, even modest amounts of Kudzu or Japanese Knotweed early in the projects history will warrant control, but potentially large coverages of Microstegium in the herb layer will not likely trigger control because of the limited capacities to impact tree/shrub layers within the timeframes discussed and the potential impacts of treating extensive amounts of ground cover. Those species with the "watch list" designator in gray shade are of interest as well, but have yet to be observed across the state with any frequency. Those in *red italics* are of particular interest given their extreme risk/threat level for mapping as points where *isolated* specimens are found, particularly early in a projects monitoring history. However, areas of discreet, dense patches will of course be mapped as polygons. The symbology scheme below was one that was found to be helpful for symbolizing invasives polygons, particularly for situations where the condition for an area is somewhere between isolated specimens and dense, discreet patches. In any case, the point or polygon/area feature can be symbolized to describe things like high or low concern and species can be listed as a map inset, in legend items if the number of species are limited or in the narrative section of the executive summary.

**Bear Creek (Phillips Site)  
Vegetation Monitoring Photographs  
Taken July 2017**



**Bear Creek (Phillips Site)  
Vegetation Monitoring Photographs  
Taken July 2017  
(continued)**



## APPENDIX C

### VEGETATION PLOT DATA

Table 7. Planted Woody Vegetation

Table 8. 2017 Vegetation Plot Success by Project Asset Type

Table 9. Total and Planted Stems by Plot and Species

**Table 7. Planted Woody Vegetation  
Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project**

SPECIES	QUANTITY
<b>Bare Root Seedlings</b>	
River birch ( <i>Betula nigra</i> )	300
Green ash ( <i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i> )	600
Sweetgum ( <i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i> )	200
Tulip poplar ( <i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i> )	200
Red chokeberry ( <i>Photinia pyrifolia</i> )	280
American sycamore ( <i>Platanus occidentalis</i> )	900
Scarlet oak ( <i>Quercus coccinea</i> )	300
Swamp chestnutoak ( <i>Quercus michauxii</i> )	800
Willow oak ( <i>Quercus phellos</i> )	800
Southern arrowwood ( <i>Viburnum dentatum</i> )	670
Rusty blackhaw ( <i>Viburnum rifidulum</i> )	150
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5200</b>
<b>Livestakes</b>	
Silky dogwood ( <i>Cornus amomum</i> )	2940
Black willow ( <i>Salix nigra</i> )	1260
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4200</b>

**Table 8. 2017 Vegetation Plot Success by Plot Type  
Bear Creek (Phillips Site) (#26)**

Plot #	Riparian Buffer Stems <sup>1</sup>	Stream/Wetland Stems <sup>2</sup>	Live Stakes	Invasives	Volunteers <sup>3</sup>	Total <sup>4</sup>
1	n/a	9	0	0	14	23
2	n/a	14	0	0	6	20
3	n/a	11	0	0	11	22
4	n/a	7	0	0	0	7
5	n/a	12	0	0	2	14
6	n/a	15	0	0	10	25
7	n/a	8	0	0	2	10
8	n/a	14	0	0	0	14
9	n/a	11	0	0	9	20
10	n/a	9	0	0	5	14
11	n/a	9	0	0	7	16
12	n/a	10	0	0	10	20

**Stem Class**

<sup>1</sup>Buffer Stems

<sup>2</sup>Stream/ Wetland Stems

<sup>3</sup>Volunteers

<sup>4</sup>Total

**characteristics**

Native planted hardwood trees. Does NOT include shrubs. No pines. No vines.

Native planted woody stems. Includes shrubs, does NOT include live stakes. No vines

Native woody stems. Not planted. No vines.

Planted + volunteer native woody stems. Includes live stakes. Excl. exotics. Excl. vines.

**Table 9. Total and Planted Stems by Plot and Species**  
**DMS Project Code 26. Project Name: Bear Creek (Phillips Site)**

		Current Plot Data (MY4 2017)																											
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	026-01-0001			026-01-0002			026-01-0003			026-01-0004			026-01-0005			026-01-0006			026-01-0007			026-01-0008			026-01-0009		
			PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T												
Acer negundo	boxelder	Tree																										1	
Acer rubrum	red maple	Tree									1																		
Baccharis halimifolia	eastern baccharis	Shrub			2						2							1				2						2	
Betula nigra	river birch	Tree	1	1	1							1	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	3	1	1	1				2	2	2
Carpinus caroliniana	American hornbeam	Tree	1	1	1																								
Carya	hickory	Tree																											
Celtis laevigata	sugarberry	Tree																											
Cercis canadensis	eastern redbud	Tree																											
Diospyros virginiana	common persimmon	Tree																		1	1	1							
Fraxinus	ash	Tree														1													
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	Tree	1	1	1	3	3	6	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	6	6	6	4	4	4
Liquidambar	sweetgum	Tree																	1										
Liquidambar styraciflua	sweetgum	Tree			6																								
Liriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	Tree	1	1	1	1	1	1				1	1	1															
Photinia pyrifolia	red chokeberry	Shrub	1	1	1	3	3	3							1	1	1								2	2	2		
Pinus taeda	loblolly pine	Tree																	8										
Platanus occidentalis	American sycamore	Tree	1	1	5	5	5	8	1	1	3	1	1	1	4	4	4	6	6	6	2	2	2	1	1	1			
Quercus	oak	Tree																											
Quercus michauxii	swamp chestnut oak	Tree	2	2	2	2	2	2	6	6	6				2	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	2	2
Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree	1	1	1							1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				2	2	2			
Quercus rubra	northern red oak	Tree																		1	1	1							
Salix nigra	black willow	Tree			2																								
Ulmus americana	American elm	Tree							1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2							3	3	9
Viburnum	viburnum	shrub																											
Viburnum dentatum	southern arrowwood	Shrub							1	1	1	1	1	1															
		<b>Stem count</b>	9	9	23	14	14	20	11	11	22	7	7	7	12	12	14	15	15	25	8	8	10	14	14	14	11	11	20
		<b>size (ares)</b>	1			1			1			1			1			1			1			1			1		
		<b>size (ACRES)</b>	0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02		
		<b>Species count</b>	8	8	11	5	5	5	5	5	7	7	7	7	7	8	6	6	9	6	6	7	5	5	5	4	4	6	
		<b>Stems per ACRE</b>	364.2	364.2	930.8	566.6	566.6	809.4	445.2	445.2	890.3	283.3	283.3	283.3	485.6	485.6	566.6	607	607	1012	323.7	323.7	404.7	566.6	566.6	566.6	445.2	445.2	809.4

**Color for Density**

- Exceeds requirements by 10%
- Exceeds requirements, but by less than 10%
- Fails to meet requirements, by less than 10%
- Fails to meet requirements by more than 10%

- PnoLS = Planted excluding livestockes
- P-all = Planting including livestockes
- T = All planted and natural recruits including livestockes
- T includes natural recruits

**Table 9. Total and Planted Stems by Plot and Species (continued)**  
**DMS Project Code 26. Project Name: Bear Creek (Phillips Site)**

Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	Current Plot Data (MY4 2017)									Annual Means														
			026-01-0010			026-01-0011			026-01-0012			MY4 (2017)			MY3 (2016)			MY2 (2015)			MY1 (2014)			MY0 (2014)		
			PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T	PnoLS	P-all	T
Acer negundo	boxelder	Tree													1			1								
Acer rubrum	red maple	Tree													1			4								
Baccharis halimifolia	eastern baccharis	Shrub						2							11			10			1					
Betula nigra	river birch	Tree				4	4	4	2	2	2	15	15	16	22	22	22	15	15	15	14	14	14	26	26	26
Carpinus caroliniana	American hornbeam	Tree										1	1	1	1	1	1									
Carya	hickory	Tree															1									
Celtis laevigata	sugarberry	Tree															1									
Cercis canadensis	eastern redbud	Tree															1									
Diospyros virginiana	common persimmon	Tree										1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1						
Fraxinus	ash	Tree													1											
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	Tree	2	2	2							24	24	27	28	28	28	28	28	28	18	18	18	18	18	18
Liquidambar	sweetgum	Tree								1					2											
Liquidambar styraciflua	sweetgum	Tree													6			12			2			3		
Liriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	Tree	1	1	1							4	4	4	6	6	6	9	9	9				1	1	1
Photinia pyrifolia	red chokeberry	Shrub										7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	8	8	8
Pinus taeda	loblolly pine	Tree			2					1					11			10			1					
Platanus occidentalis	American sycamore	Tree	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	7	28	28	41	30	30	30	20	20	20	19	19	19	22	22	22
Quercus	oak	Tree													2	2	2	2	2	2	5	5	5	56	56	56
Quercus michauxii	swamp chestnut oak	Tree	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	24	24	24	25	25	25	26	26	26	7	7	7	3	3	3
Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	12	12	12	13	13	13	17	17	17	15	15	15	2	2	2
Quercus rubra	northern red oak	Tree										1	1	1												
Salix nigra	black willow	Tree													2			1								
Ulmus americana	American elm	Tree	1	1	4			5	1	1	5	10	10	34	10	10	20	17	17	17	5	5	6			
Viburnum	viburnum	shrub															1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	4	
Viburnum dentatum	southern arrowwood	Shrub										2	2	2	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1
<b>Stem count</b>			9	9	14	9	9	16	10	10	20	129	129	205	148	148	199	145	145	149	93	93	97	141	141	141
<b>size (ares)</b>			1			1			1			12			12			12			12			12		
<b>size (ACRES)</b>			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.30			0.30			0.30			0.30			0.30		
<b>Species count</b>			6	6	7	4	4	6	5	5	7	12	12	20	12	12	21	12	12	15	10	10	11	10	10	10
<b>Stems per ACRE</b>			364.2	364.2	566.6	364.2	364.2	647.5	404.7	404.7	809.4	435	435	691.3	499.1	499.1	671.1	489	489	502.5	313.6	313.6	327.1	475.5	475.5	475.5

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**Appendix D.**  
**Stream Geomorphology Data**

Tables 10a-10f. Baseline Stream Data Summary  
Tables 11a-11f. Monitoring Data-Dimensional Data Summary  
Cross-section Plots  
Longitudinal Profile Plots  
Substrate Plots



**Table 10c. Baseline Stream Data Summary (Bear Creek Reach 2)**  
**Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project - DMS Project Number 26**

Parameter	Gauge	Regional Curve			Pre-Existing Condition (Reach 2)					Reference Reach(es) Data					Design (Reach 2)			Monitoring Baseline				
		LL	UL	Eq.	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Max	Med	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD
<b>Dimension and Substrate - Riffle Only</b>																						
BF Width (ft)							26.0			10.7			11.2				28.5	27.2	28.5	29.0	29.3	1.1
Floodprone Width (ft)							250.0			60			114+		233	256			250			
BF Mean Depth (ft)							2.4			1.6			1.8				2.0	1.8	1.9	1.8	2.1	0.2
BF Max Depth (ft)							4.1			2.1			2.6				2.8	2.7	2.9	2.7	3.4	0.4
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )							70.8			17.8			19.7				57.6	48.8	54.3	52.9	61.1	6.3
Width/Depth Ratio							9.7			5.8			7.1				14.1	14.0	15.1	15.0	16.1	1.1
Entrenchment Ratio							9.4			5.5			10.2+		8.2	9.0		8.5	8.8	8.6	9.2	0.4
Bank Height Ratio							1.1						1.0				1.0		1.0			
<b>Profile</b>																						
Riffle length (ft)																						
Riffle slope (ft/ft)												0.0130			0.0017	0.0028						
Pool length (ft)																						
Pool Max depth (ft)							4.7					3.3		2.5	6.0							
Pool spacing (ft)					100.0			250.0				71.0		82.0	203.0							
<b>Pattern</b>																						
Channel Beltwidth (ft)					100			180		38			41				176			176		
Radius of Curvature (ft)					80			200		11			15		55	85		55			85	
Rc:Bankfull width (ft/ft)					3.1			7.7		1.3			1.4		1.9	3		1.9			3	
Meander Wavelength (ft)					300			480		46			48		158	374		158			374	
Meander Width ratio					4.2			6.9		4.1			4.4				6.2			62		
<b>Transport parameters</b>																						
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lbs/ft <sup>2</sup>																						
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull																						
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m <sup>2</sup>																						
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																						
Rosgen Classification							G4					E4				C4						
Bankfull Velocity (fps)							3.8									4.7						
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)							270															
Valley Length (ft)							955					----										
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)							1050					----										
Sinuosity							1.1					2.3				1.2						
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)							0.0016					0.0047				0.0041						
BF slope (ft/ft)							----					----				----						
Bankfull Floodplain Area (acres)							----					----				----						
% of Reach with Eroding Banks							----					----				----						
Channel Stability or Habitat Metric							----					----				----						
Biological or Other							----					----				----						

**Table 10d. Baseline Stream Data Summary (Substrate, Bed, Bank, and Hydrologic Containment Parameter Distributions)**  
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Parameter	Pre-Existing Condition					Reference Reach(es) Data					Design					Monitoring Baseline									
Ri%/RU%P%G%/S%																									
SC%/SA%/G%/C%/B%BE%																									
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95																									
Entrainment Class <1.5/1.5-1.99/2.0-4.9/5.0-																									
Incision Class <1.2/1.2-1.49/1.5-1.99/>2.0																									



**Table 11a. Monitoring Data - Dimensional Morphology Summary (Dimensional Parameters - Cross Sections)**

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Parameter	Cross Section 1 (Reach 2 - Downstream)							Cross Section 2 (Reach 2 - Downstream)							Cross Section 3 (Reach 2 - Downstream)							Cross Section 4 (Reach 2 - Downstream)						
	Riffle							Riffle							Pool							Riffle						
Dimension	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+
BF Width (ft)	29.0	28.5	26.3	25.9	27.1			29.3	29.4	28.8	28.2	29.4			30.1	32.2	30.4	29.5	30.2			27.2	27.4	29.0	31.5	29.1		
Floodprone Width (ft) (approx)	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0			250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0		
BF Mean Depth (ft)	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7			2.1	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9			2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.0			1.8	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.8		
BF Max Depth (ft)	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.4			3.4	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4			4.6	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.4			2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8		
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft²)	52.9	51.3	44.3	43.5	46.4			61.1	57.3	57.2	56.9	57.1			70.0	72.7	67.7	67.3	61.9			48.8	50.4	54.1	54.9	52.2		
Width/Depth Ratio	15.9	15.8	15.7	15.4	15.8			14.1	15.1	14.5	14.0	15.1			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			15.2	14.9	15.5	18.1	16.2		
Entrenchment Ratio*	8.6	8.8	9.5	9.7	9.2			8.5	8.5	8.7	8.9	8.5			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			9.2	9.1	8.6	7.9	8.6		
Bank Height Ratio**	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0			1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0			1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0			1.0	1.04	1.07	1.07	1.04		
d50 (mm)	22.7	26.5	25.7	21.1	24.2			45.0	39.6	49.1	30.1	27.8			----	----	----	----	----			22.8	8.7	34.3	33.4	19.8		

**Table 11b. Monitoring Data - Stream Reach Data Summary**

**Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project - DMS Project Number 26**

Parameter	Baseline (Downstream Reach 2)					MY-1					MY-2					MY-3					MY-4					MY-5				
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle Only	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD
BF Width (ft)	27.2	28.5	29.0	29.3	1.1	27.4	28.4	28.5	29.4	1	26.3	28.0	28.8	29	1.5	25.9	28.5	28.2	31.5	2.8	27.1	28.5	29.1	29.4	1.3					
Floodprone Width (ft)	250					250					250					250					250									
BF Mean Depth (ft)	1.8	1.9	1.8	2.1	0.2	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	0.1	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.0	0.2	1.7	1.8	1.7	2.0	0.2	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	0.1					
BF Max Depth (ft)	2.7	2.9	2.7	3.4	0.4	2.6	2.8	2.8	3.1	0.3	2.4	2.8	2.9	3.2	0.4	2.3	2.8	2.9	3.3	0.5	2.4	2.9	2.8	3.4	0.5					
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft²)	48.8	54.3	52.9	61.1	6.3	50.4	53.0	51.3	57.3	3.8	44.3	51.9	54.1	57.2	6.7	43.5	51.8	54.9	56.9	7.2	46.6	51.9	52.2	57.1	5.4					
Width/Depth Ratio	14.0	15.1	15.0	16.1	1.1	15.2	15.5	15.5	15.8	0.3	14.4	15.0	15.3	15.5	0.6	14.1	16.0	15.2	18.5	2.3	15.5	15.9	15.9	16.2	0.4					
Entrenchment Ratio*	8.5	8.8	8.6	9.2	0.4	8.5	8.8	8.8	9.1	0.3	8.6	8.9	8.7	9.5	0.5	7.9	8.8	8.9	9.7	0.9	8.5	8.8	8.6	9.2	0.4					
Bank Height Ratio**		1.0					1.0					1.0					1.0					1.0		1.04						
<b>Profile - Downstream Reach 2</b>																														
Riffle length (ft)	19	45	41	78	19	18	60	52	127	37	9	52	52	106	31	20	44	37	84	20	19	39	34	70	20					
Riffle slope (ft/ft)	0.0005	0.0052	0.0037	0.0091	0.0033	0.0000	0.0048	0.0051	0.0088	0.0030	13.1970	0.0043	0.0034	0.0078	0.0025	0.0016	0.0058	0.0044	0.0108	0.0032	0.0016	0.0057	0.0049	0.0131	0.0036					
Pool length (ft)	8	33	39	48	14	11	32	36	42	11	13	33	33	56	12	9	35	35	60	15	12	39	43	65	18					
Pool Max depth (ft)		4.6					4.7					3.5					4.5					4.4								
Pool spacing (ft)	68	107	102	150	30	82	122	100	215	48	74	123	102	197	45	72	107	99	157	31	84	110	100	144	23					
Channel Beltwidth (ft)			176																											
Radius of Curvature (ft)	55			85																										
Rc:Bankfull width (ft/ft)	1.9			3																										
Meander Wavelength (ft)	158			374																										
Meander Width ratio			62																											
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																														
Rosgen Classification	C-Type					C-Type					C-Type					C-Type					C-Type									
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)	946					939					999.8					1017					980									
Sinuosity	1.2					1.2					1.2					1.2					1.2									
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)	0.0019					0.002					0.0017					0.0023					0.0022									
BF slope (ft/ft)	----					----					----					----					----									
Ri%/RU%/P%/G%/S%	47	16	21	16		50	14	27	9		42	18	27	13		41	14	32	13		33	21	33	13						
SC%/SA%/G%/C%/B%/BE%																														
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95																														
% of Reach with Eroding Banks																														
Channel Stability or Habitat Metric																														
Biological or Other																														

\* For the purposes of monitoring change in entrenchment ratio, the elevation of the floodprone width (2x max bankfull depth) from the asbuilt dataset is divided by the width at bankfull elevation from the current year's dataset.

\*\* For the purposes of monitoring trends in the bank height ratio, the low bank height from the current year's dataset is divided by the bankfull depth from the asbuilt dataset.

**Table 11c. Monitoring Data - Dimensional Morphology Summary (Dimensional Parameters - Cross Sections)**

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Parameter	Cross Section 5 (Reach 1 - Upstream)							Cross Section 6 (Reach 1 - Upstream)						
	Riffle							Pool						
Dimension	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+
BF Width (ft)	23.8	24.1	24.1	24.6	23.7			26.9	29.1	28.1	29.2	28.5		
Floodprone Width (ft) (approx)	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
BF Mean Depth (ft)	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7			2.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9		
BF Max Depth (ft)	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.8			3.4	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5		
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	42.3	41.5	41.6	40.8	40.6			55.4	56.3	52.6	55.3	54.4		
Width/Depth Ratio	13.4	14.0	14.0	14.8	13.8			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
Entrenchment Ratio*	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.5			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
Bank Height Ratio**	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0			1.0	1.03	1.03	1.00	1.03		
d50 (mm)	9.4	13.3	9.9	8.0	8.4			----	----	----	----	----		

**Table 11d. Monitoring Data - Stream Reach Data Summary**

**Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project - DMS Project Number 26**

Parameter	Baseline					MY-1					MY-2					MY-3					MY-4					MY-5					
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle Only	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	
BF Width (ft)			23.8					24.1					24.1					24.6					23.7								
Floodprone Width (ft)			250					250					250					250					250								
BF Mean Depth (ft)			1.8					1.7					1.7					1.7					1.7								
BF Max Depth (ft)			2.8					2.7					2.6					2.7					2.8								
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )			42.3					41.5					41.6					40.8					40.6								
Width/Depth Ratio			13.3					14.0					11.7					14.8					12.3								
Entrenchment Ratio*			10.5					10.4					10.4					10.2					10.6								
Bank Height Ratio**			1.0					1.0					1.0					1.0					1.0								
<b>Profile - Reach 1 - Upstream</b>																															
Riffle length (ft)	18	57	45	118	35	18	68	41	156	52	12.8	66.7	48	156.5	48.7	30	56	44	102	27	21	49	33	103	31						
Riffle slope (ft/ft)	0.0004	0.0053	0.0047	0.0107	0.0039	0.0000	0.0061	0.0035	0.0266	0.0090	0.0000	0.0048	0.0045	0.0016	0.0006	0.0000	0.0042	0.0035	0.0087	0.0030	0.0000	0.0079	0.0052	0.0211	0.0069						
Pool length (ft)	5	26	20	64	18	15	35	29	69	21	17	39	35	69	22	17	44	31	109	33	12	45	39	100	30						
Pool Max depth (ft)		3.4					3.5					3.5					3.5					3.5									
Pool spacing (ft)	60	115	116	198	42	66	147	127	283	76	63	148	120	302	86	71	127	113	199	50	66	128	118	198	49						
<b>Pattern</b>																															
Channel Beltwidth (ft)			144																												
Radius of Curvature (ft)	44			70																											
Rc:Bankfull width (ft/ft)	1.8			2.9																											
Meander Wavelength (ft)	154			286																											
Meander Width ratio	6.3			11.7																											
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																															
Rosgen Classification		C-Type						C-Type						C-Type						C-Type											
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)		1088						1073						1175.4						1162						1221					
Sinuosity		1.2						1.2						1.2						1.2						1.2					
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)		0.0017						0.0014						0.0014						0.002						0.0022					
BF slope (ft/ft)		----						----						----						----						----					
Ri%/RU%P%G%/S%	37	15	24	9		50	15	22	12		46	16	26	10		44	11	34	11		36	12	37	15							
SC%/SA%/G%/C%/B%BE%																															
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95																															
% of Reach with Eroding Banks																															
Channel Stability or Habitat Metric																															
Biological or Other																															

\* For the purposes of monitoring change in entrenchment ratio, the elevation of the floodprone width (2x max bankfull depth) from the asbuilt dataset is divided by the width at bankfull elevation from the current year's dataset.

\*\* For the purposes of monitoring trends in the bank height ratio, the low bank height from the current year's dataset is divided by the bankfull depth from the asbuilt dataset.

**Table 11e. Monitoring Data - Dimensional Morphology Summary (Dimensional Parameters - Cross Sections)**

**Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project - DMS Project Number 26**

Parameter	Cross Section 7 (Unnamed Tributary)							Cross Section 8 (Unnamed Tributary)							Cross Section 9 (Unnamed Tributary)							Cross Section 10 (Unnamed Tributary)						
	Riffle							Pool							Riffle							Pool						
Dimension	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+	MY0	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY5+
BF Width (ft)	12.5	11.7	11.9	12.2	12.3			16.3	15.2	18.4	17.0	16.6			11.4	11.4	10.5	10.5	10.2			14.2	16.3	14.7	13.8	13.9		
Floodprone Width (ft) (approx)	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
BF Mean Depth (ft)	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0			1.4	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.4			0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8			1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2		
BF Max Depth (ft)	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.8			2.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0			1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3			2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3		
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	11.8	11.1	11.8	11.6	12.6			22.2	23.0	23.2	23.3	23.1			10.0	9.9	8.5	8.3	8.3			18.4	19.0	18.7	16.5	16.8		
Width/Depth Ratio	13.2	12.3	12.0	12.8	12.0			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			13.0	13.1	12.9	13.3	12.5			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
Entrenchment Ratio*	6.4	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.5			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA			7.0	7.0	7.6	7.6	7.8			NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
Bank Height Ratio**	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.13			1.0	1.07	1.07	1.07	1.07			1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0			1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		
d50 (mm)	4.3	9.4	5.7	4.9	7.3			----	----	----	----	----			25.7	24.2	18.8	17.3	11.0			----	----	----	----	----		

**Table 11f. Monitoring Data - Stream Reach Data Summary**

**Bear Creek (Phillips Site) Restoration Project - DMS Project Number 26**

Parameter	Baseline					MY-1					MY-2					MY-3					MY-4					MY-5				
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle Only	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD
BF Width (ft)	11.4	12.0	12.0	12.5	0.8	11.4	11.6	11.6	11.7	0.2	10.5	11.2	11.2	11.9	1	10.5	11.4	11.4	12.2	1.2	10.2	11.3	11.3	12.3	1.5					
Floodprone Width (ft)		80					80					80					80					80								
BF Mean Depth (ft)	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.1	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.1	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.1	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.1	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.1					
BF Max Depth (ft)	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	0.1	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	0.1	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	0.1	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	0.1	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.8	0.4					
BF Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	10.0	10.9	10.9	11.8	1.3	9.9	10.5	10.5	11.1	0.8	8.5	10.2	10.2	11.8	2.3	8.3	10.0	10.0	11.6	2.3	8.3	10.5	10.5	12.6	3.0					
Width/Depth Ratio	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.7	0.1	11.7	12.2	12.2	12.7	0.7	11.9	12.5	12.5	13.1	0.9	12.2	12.7	12.7	13.1	0.7	12.3	12.5	12.5	12.8	0.3					
Entrenchment Ratio*	6.4	6.7	6.7	7.0	0.4	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.0	0.1	6.7	7.2	7.2	7.6	0.6	6.6	7.1	7.1	7.6	0.8	6.5	7.2	7.2	7.8	0.9					
Bank Height Ratio**		1.0					1.0					1.0					1.0				1.0	1.0	1.0	1.13						
<b>Profile - Unnamed Tributary</b>																														
Riffle length (ft)	9	35	29	92	21	9	32	27	99	21	8	33	27.1	97.3	20.9	6	28	23	95	21	7	34	26	124	25					
Riffle slope (ft/ft)	0.0006	0.0081	0.0063	0.0189	0.0059	NA*	NA*	NA*	NA*	NA*	0.0000	0.0075	0.0071	0.0253	0.0063	0.0000	0.0086	0.0064	0.0260	0.01	0.0000	0.0061	0.0056	0.0201	0.0054					
Pool length (ft)	4	23	19	73	15	4	21	17	47	12	2	22	17	67	14	7	25	21	72	15	2	23	20	102	19					
Pool Max depth (ft)	2.3	2.6	2.3	2.8		2.3	2.7	2.7	3.0		2.3	2.7	2.7	3.0		2.2	2.6	2.6	3.0	0.6	2.3	2.7	2.7	3.0	0.5					
Pool spacing (ft)	13	69	74	121	30	16	68	72	127	26	31	77	78	129	23	16	70	70	143	31	15	70	69	148	28					
<b>Pattern</b>																														
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	68			77																										
Radius of Curvature (ft)	27			47																										
Rc:Bankfull width (ft/ft)	2			3.5																										
Meander Wavelength (ft)	79			165																										
Meander Width ratio	5			5.7																										
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																														
Rosgen Classification	C-Type					C-Type					C-Type					C-Type					C-Type									
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)	1971					1999					2013.7					2004					2010									
Sinuosity	1.2					1.2					1.2					1.2					1.2									
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)	0.0041					NA*					0.0036					0.0044					0.0044									
BF slope (ft/ft)	----					----					----					----					----									
Ri%/RU%P%G%/S%	44	13	33	10		46	12	30	12		43	12	30	15		37	16	35	12		46	11	32	11						
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NA\* No water in channel during field surveys.

\* For the purposes of monitoring change in entrenchment ratio, the elevation of the floodprone width (2x max bankfull depth) from the asbuilt dataset is divided by the width at bankfull elevation from the current year's dataset.

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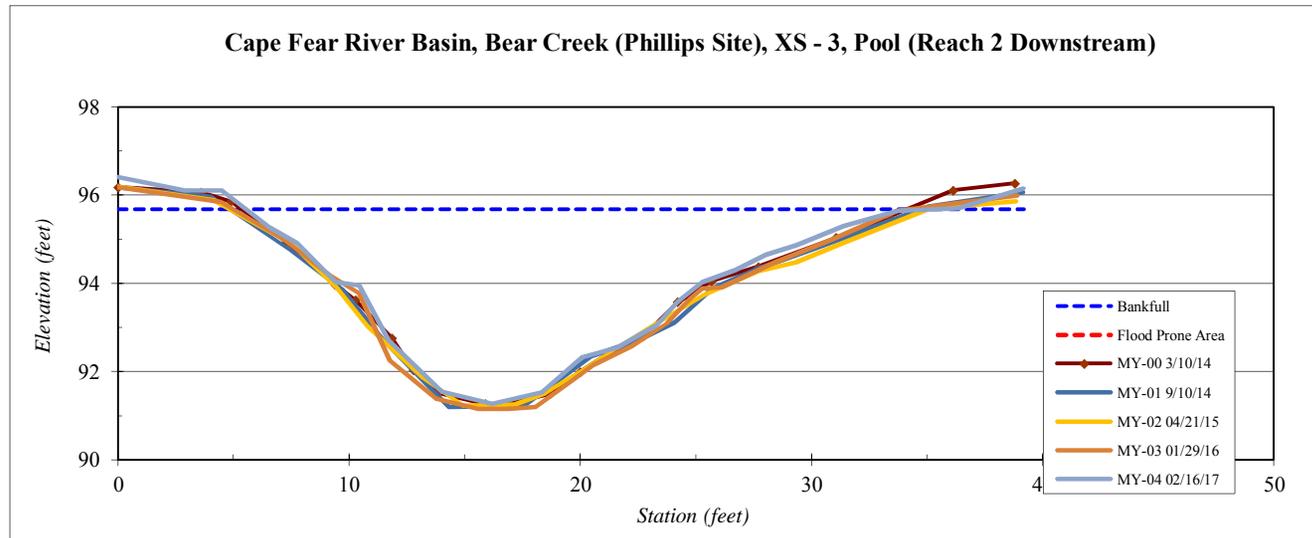
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<b>XS ID</b>	XS - 3, Pool (Reach 2 Downstream)
<b>Drainage Area (sq mi):</b>	4.99
<b>Date:</b>	2/16/2017
<b>Field Crew:</b>	Perkinson, Keith

Station	Elevation
0.0	96.4
2.9	96.1
4.5	96.1
6.6	95.3
7.8	94.9
9.4	94.0
10.4	94.0
11.7	92.7
14.0	91.5
16.2	91.3
18.3	91.5
20.1	92.3
21.6	92.5
23.3	93.05
24.2	93.59
25.3	94.03
26.7	94.30
28.0	94.64
29.3	94.87
31.4	95.29
33.7	95.64
36.4	95.70
39.2	96.15

SUMMARY DATA	
<b>Bankfull Elevation:</b>	95.7
<b>Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area:</b>	61.9
<b>Bankfull Width:</b>	30.2
<b>Flood Prone Area Elevation:</b>	-
<b>Flood Prone Width:</b>	-
<b>Max Depth at Bankfull:</b>	4.4
<b>Mean Depth at Bankfull:</b>	2.0
<b>W / D Ratio:</b>	-
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<b>Bank Height Ratio:</b>	1.0



Stream Type C















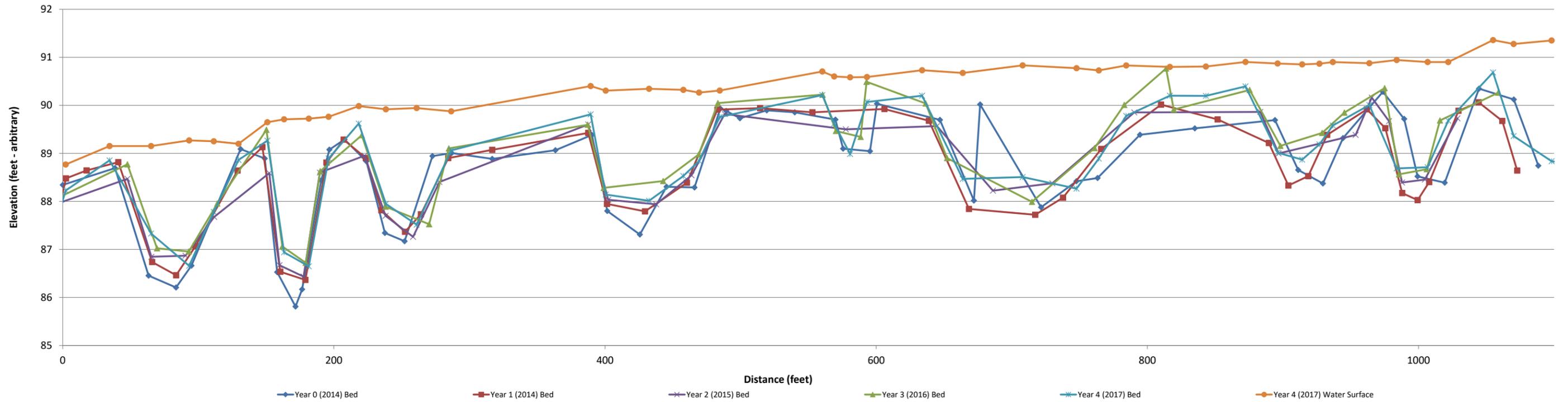


**Project Name** Bear Creek - Profile  
**Reach** Reach 1 (Upstream) Station 00+00 - 11+00  
**Feature** Profile  
**Date** 2/16/17  
**Crew** Perkinson, Keith

	2014	2014	2015	2016	2017
Avg. Water Surface Slope	0.0017	0.0014	0.0019	0.0020	0.0022
Riffle Length	57	68	67	56	49
Avg. Riffle Slope	0.0053	0.0061	0.0048	0.0042	0.0052
Pool Length	26	35	39	44	45
Pool to Pool Spacing	115	147	148	127	128

2014 Year 0 Monitoring \Survey			2014 Year 1 Monitoring \Survey			2015 Year 2 Monitoring \Survey			2016 Year 3 Monitoring \Survey			2017 Year 4 Monitoring \Survey		
Station	Bed Elevation	Water Elevation												

Bear Creek Year 3 (2016) Profile - Reach 1 (Upstream), Station 00+00 to 06+00

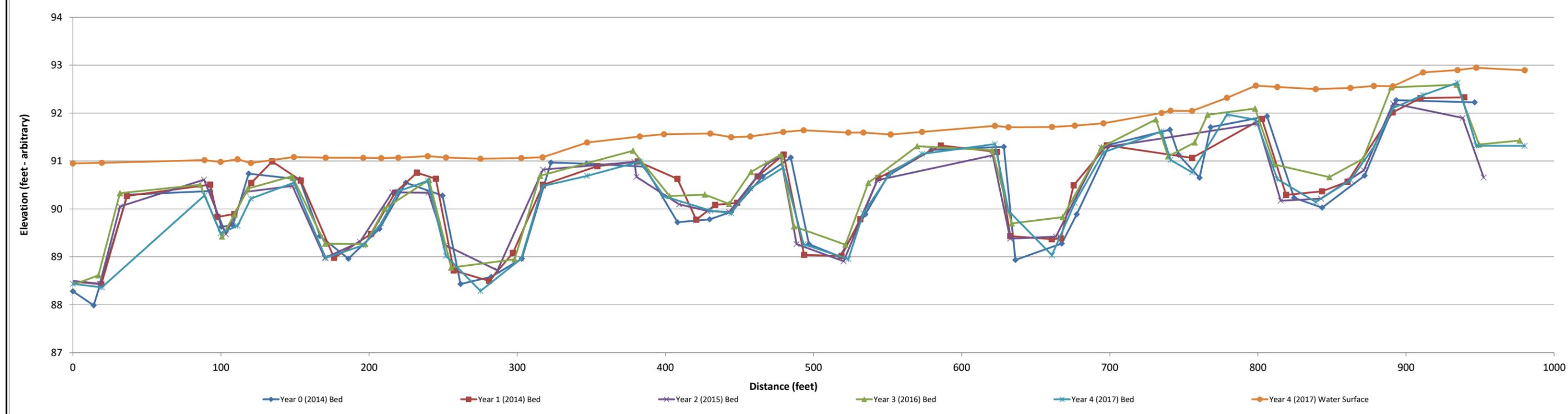


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**Reach** Reach 2 (Downstream) Station 00+00 - 10+00  
**Feature** Profile  
**Date** 2/16/17  
**Crew** Perkinson, Keith

<b>Avg. Water Surface Slope</b>	2014	2014	2015	2016	2017
	0.0019	0.0020	0.0017	0.0023	0.0022
<b>Riffle Length</b>	45	60	52	44	39
<b>Avg. Riffle Slope</b>	0.0052	0.0048	0.0043	0.0058	0.0057
<b>Pool Length</b>	33	32	33	35	39
<b>Pool to Pool Spacing</b>	107	122	123	107	110

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Bear Creek Year 3 (2016) Profile - Reach 2 (Downstream), Station 00+00 to 10+00



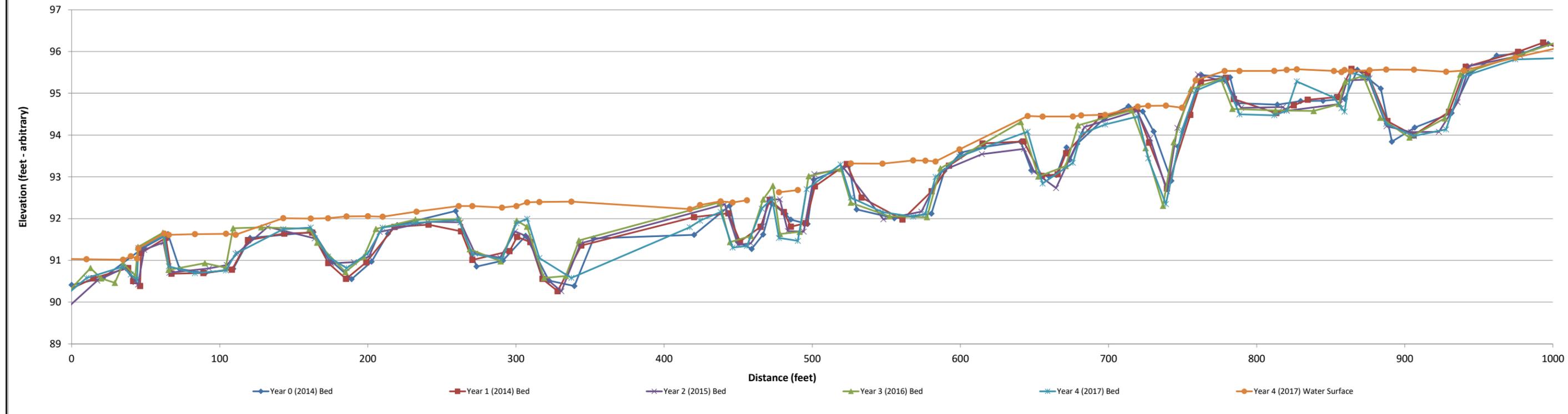
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**Date** 2/16/17  
**Crew** Perkinson, Keith

<b>Avg. Water Surface Slope</b>	2014 0.0041	2014 NA*	2015 0.0036	2016 0.0044	2017 0.0044
<b>Riffle Length</b>	35	32	33	28	34
<b>Avg. Riffle Slope</b>	0.0081	NA*	0.0075	0.0086	0.0061
<b>Pool Length</b>	23	21	22	25	23
<b>Pool to Pool Spacing</b>	69	68	77	70	70

NA\* No water in channel during field surveys.

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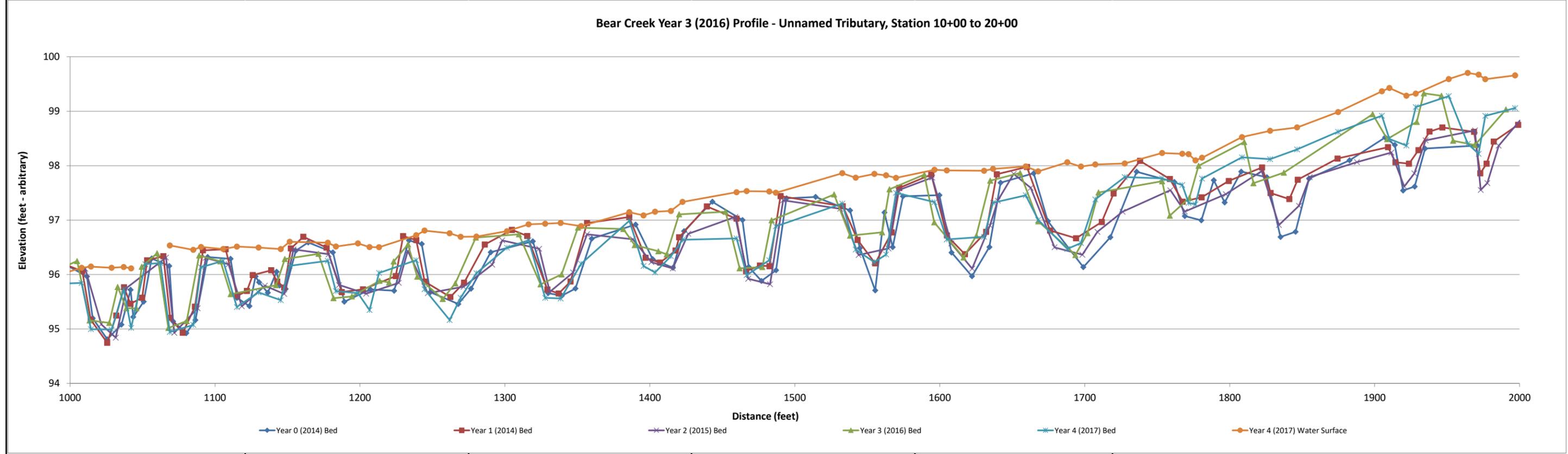
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<b>Project Name</b>	Bear Creek - Profile
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<b>Feature</b>	Profile
<b>Date</b>	2/16/17
<b>Crew</b>	Perkinson, Keith

<b>Avg. Water Surface Slope</b>	2014	2014	2015	2016	2017
	0.0041	NA	0.0036	0.0044	0.0044
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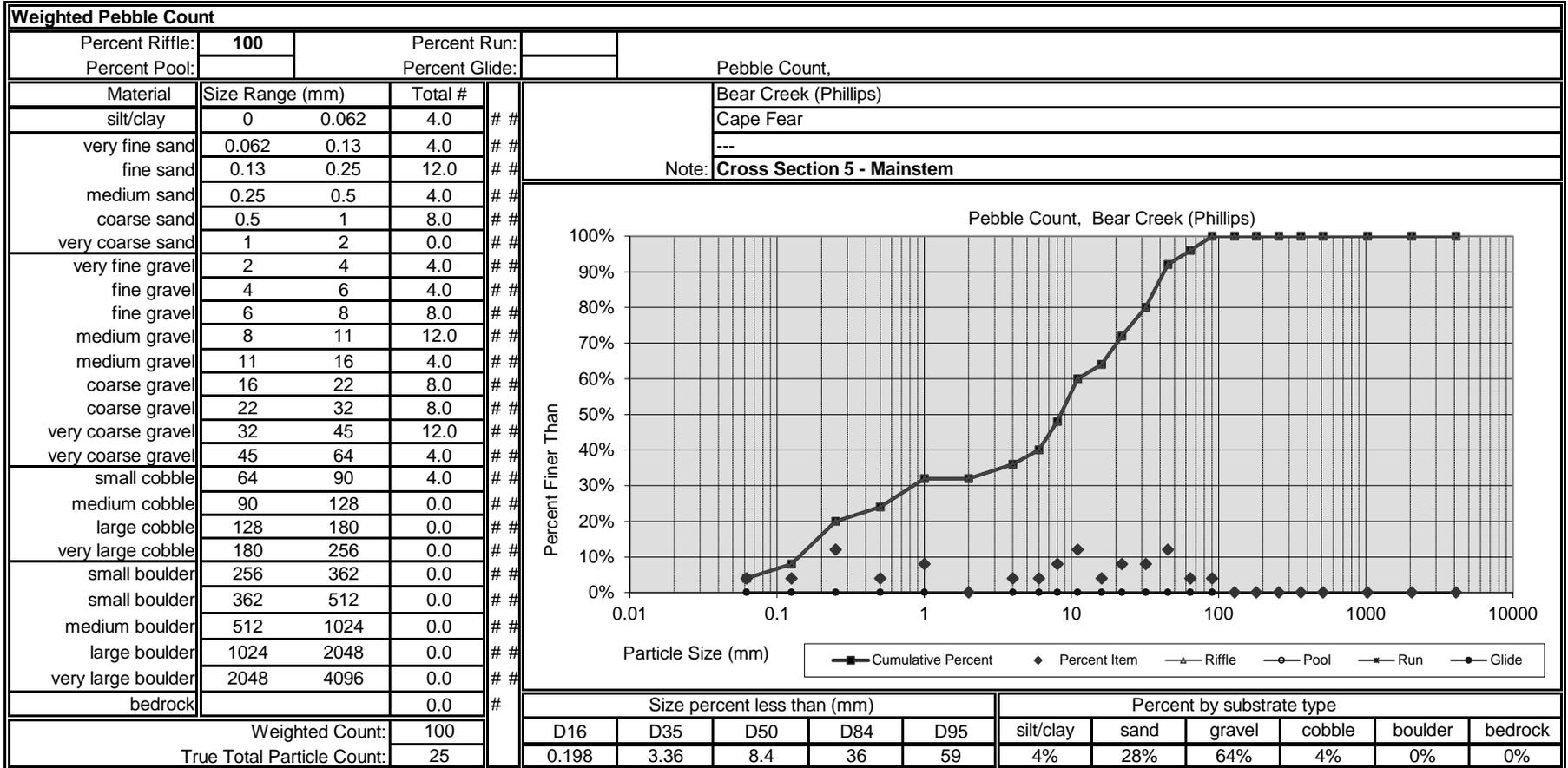
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**Appendix E.  
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Date of Data Collection	Date of Occurrence	Method	Photo (if available)
March 13, 2014	March 7, 2014	Wrack on floodplain and crest gauge data indicate a bankfull event after 1.59 inches* of rain in one day.	1
August 22, 2014	May 15, 2014	Crest gauge data indicates a bankfull event after 2.08 inches* of rain in one day.	--
September 23, 2014	September 4, 2014	Wrack on floodplain and crest gauge data indicate bankfull event after 1.95 inches of rain* in three days.	2
April 20, 2015	April 17, 2015	Wrack and standing water on floodplain and crest gauge data indicate bankfull event after 2.13 inches of rain* in three days.	3
July 14, 2015	June 19, 2015	Wrack on floodplain and crest gauge data indicate bankfull event after 1.95 inches of rain* in two days.	4
September 21, 2015	August 20, 2015	Wrack on floodplain and crest gauge data indicate bankfull event after 2.11 inches of rain* in two days.	--
January 27, 2016	December 23, 2015	Wrack on floodplain and crest gauge data indicate bankfull event after 3.60 inches of rain* in two days.	--
January 27, 2016	December 30, 2015	Wrack on floodplain and crest gauge data indicate bankfull event after 3.59 inches rain* in one day.	5-6
May 17, 2016	May 3, 2016	Wrack on floodplain and crest gauge data indicate bankfull event after 1.99 inches rain* in one day.	7
July 27, 2016	June 15, 2016	Crest gauge data indicates bankfull event after 2.54 inches rain* in one day.	--
September 22, 2016	August 3, 2016	Crest gauge data indicates bankfull event after 2.22 inches of rain* in two days.	--
November 16, 2017	September 1, 2017	Crest gauge data indicates bankfull event after 2.05 inches of rain* in one day.	--

\*Weather Underground 2017



Bankfull Photo 1: Wrack on fence



Bankfull Photo 2: Wrack piled on fencepost

Bankfull Photo 3: Wrack in floodplain



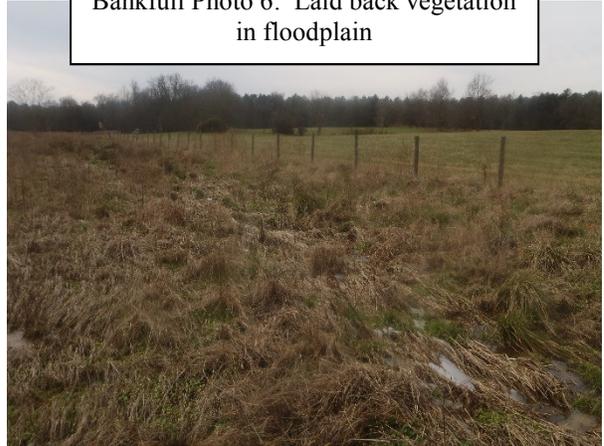
Bankfull Photo 4: Wrack in floodplain



Bankfull Photo 5: Wrack in floodplain



Bankfull Photo 6: Laid back vegetation in floodplain



Bankfull Photo 7: Wrack in floodplain



**Appendix F.**  
**Additional Information**

2017 Supplemental Planting and Herbicide Application Information



March 20, 2017

Mr. Jeff Schaffer  
NC Division of Mitigation Services  
217 West Jones Street, Suite 3000A  
Raleigh, North Carolina 27603

Re: *D14019S Bear Creek Phillips (26), Chatham County, NC*

Dear Mr. Schaffer:

This letter serves as our Site Maintenance Report for final activities at the above referenced project site.

On February 9 and 13, 2017, Carolina Silvics installed 1,000 sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*) bare root seedlings in areas throughout the site that were not meeting success criteria. The attached exhibit details the approximate areas and stems per area that were planted. We also applied Poast® herbicide (sethoxydim) from backpack sprayers to fescue growing in these areas to attempt to reduce competition. A pesticide application log for this application is attached.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please feel free to contact me at (252) 482-8491 or [mary-margaret@carolinasilvics.com](mailto:mary-margaret@carolinasilvics.com). Otherwise, we will consider this project closed out and expect acceptance and subsequent payment of our final invoice for this project.

Respectfully,

CAROLINA SILVICS, INC.

Mary-Margaret McKinney, RF  
President

# PLANTING PLAN

Bear Creek (Phillips)  
EEP #26  
Chatham County, NC  
March 2014

## PLANTING SUMMARY

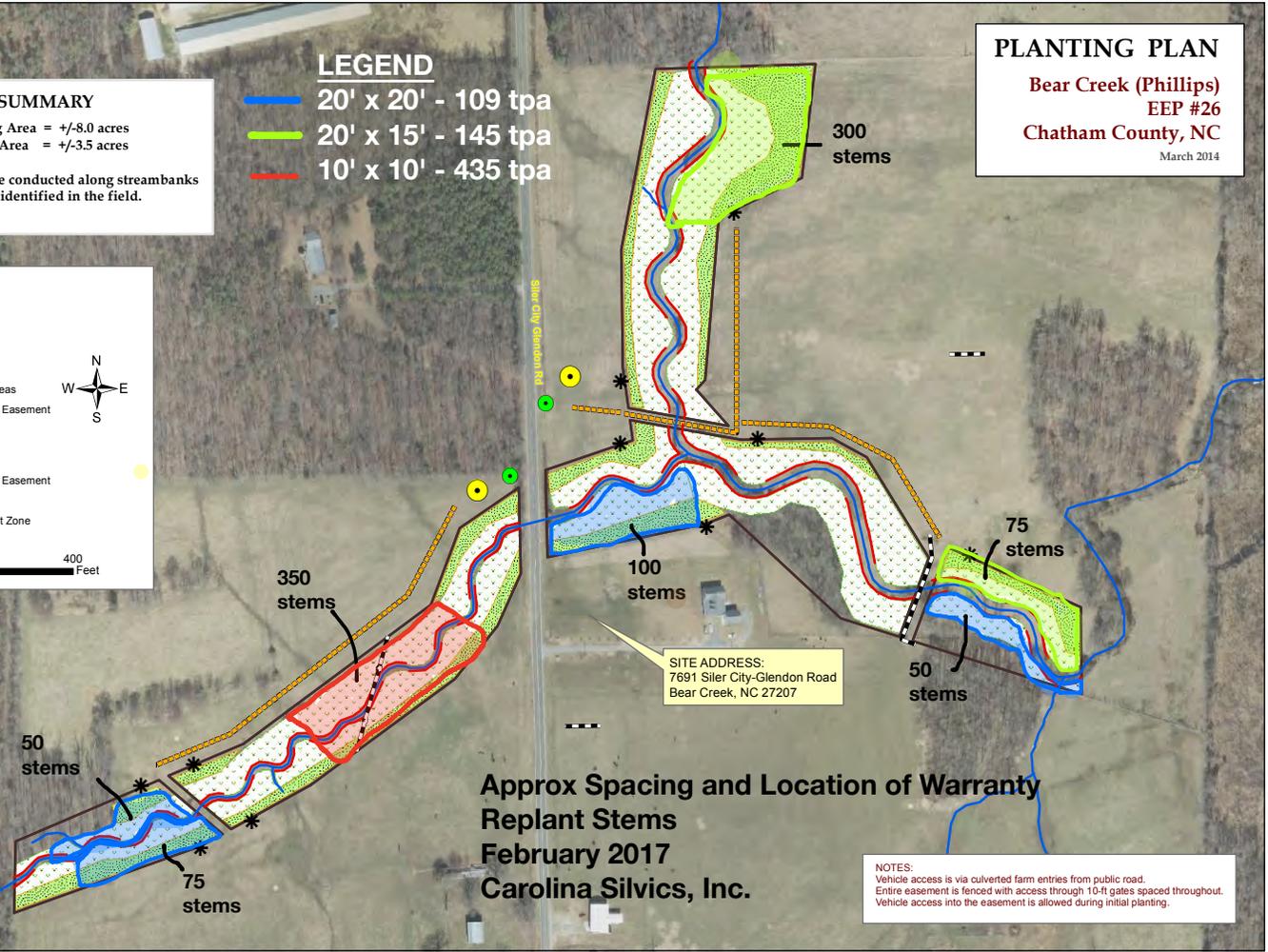
Riparian Planting Area = +/-8.0 acres  
Upland Planting Area = +/-3.5 acres

Live Staking to be conducted along streambanks at locations to be identified in the field.

- ### LEGEND
- 20' x 20' - 109 tpa
  - 20' x 15' - 145 tpa
  - 10' x 10' - 435 tpa

## Legend

- Site Entry
- Gates
- Water Lines
- Live Stake Areas
- Conservation Easement
- Staging Area
- Site Access
- Conservation Easement
- Upland Zone
- Riparian Plant Zone



Approx Spacing and Location of Warranty  
Replant Stems  
February 2017  
Carolina Silvics, Inc.

NOTES:  
Vehicle access is via culverted farm entries from public road.  
Entire easement is fenced with access through 10-ft gates spaced throughout.  
Vehicle access into the easement is allowed during initial planting.

# Carolina Silvics, Inc. Pesticide Application Log

CarSilv - 0370

Client	NC Division of Mitigation Services		
Project Site	UT to Bear Creek (Phillips) #26		
Date	02-13-2017		
Start Time	9:00	End Time	10:50
Only PAL for Site for This Day?	Yes	If NO, this is PAL # of ##	
Sky Cover	Partly Cloudy	Temp (F)	58
Wind Direction	SE	Wind Speed	1-5 mph
Applicators	Sebastian Kimlinger (NC 026-34613)		
Application Method	Foliar Spray (Backpack)		
Herbicide	Poast® (sethoxydim)		
Herbicide Rate (%)	1.5	Total Concentrate	6 oz
Surfactant or Adjuvant (1)	Other (see comments)		
Surfactant/Adjuvant 1 Rate (%)	.5		
Other			
Other Rate/Amt			
Diluent	Water		
Total Solution	3 gallons		
Species Controlled	Fescue		
Area Description	Fescue along planting area		
Additional Comments	CWC Sufactant 90		