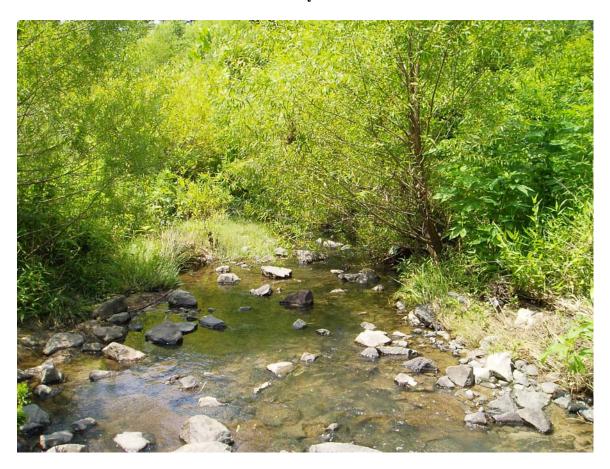
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# 1.0 Executive Summary

The Third Fork Creek stream restoration project is located in southwest-central Durham, North Carolina, in the headwaters of the Third Fork Creek watershed (US Geological Survey 14-digit Hydrologic Unit Code 03030002060120) within the New Hope Creek Sub-basin of the Upper Cape Fear River (NC Division of Water Quality Sub-basin 03-06-05). The project has restored approximately 3,025 linear feet of perennial stream in the Cape Fear River Basin. Evaluation and design were initiated during the summer of 2002. Construction was completed in January 2005.

According to the 2003 Restoration Plan (KCI 2003), the stream restoration project's goals and objectives are to:

- Restore stable channel morphology that is capable of moving the flows and sediment provided by its watershed;
- Reduce sediment-related water quality impacts resulting from lateral bank erosion and bed degradation;
- Improve aquatic habitat diversity through the reestablishment of riffle-pool bed variability and the use of in-stream structures;
- Restore vegetative riparian buffers utilizing native plant species; and,
- Improve natural aesthetics in an urban park setting.

In June 2009 RJG&A staff used the CVS-EEP monitoring protocol, level 2, to evaluate the planted woody stem survival in eight permanent vegetation plots. The average live planted woody stem density (829 live stems per acre) has exceeded the vegetation success criteria (260 live stems per acre in Year 5) by 218 percent. Throughout the riparian buffer restoration area, planted woody stem survival and vigor are high. Nonnative invasive species are scattered throughout the site, including *Reynoutria japonica* (Japanese knotweed), *Ampelopsis brevipedunculata* (porcelainberry), *Albizia julibrissin* (mimosa), *Melia azedarach* (chinaberry), *Pyrus calleryana* (callery pear), *Triadica sebifera* (Chinese tallow tree), and *Humulus japonicus* (Japanese hops).

RJG&A staff collected cross-section, longitudinal, and pebble data in June 2009. Overall, the site is maintaining its as-built dimension, pattern, and profile. Several areas of bank slump/undercut that were identified during past visits have stabilized and are no longer considered problem areas, however new areas of scour and slumping have developed. Despite these problem areas, the qualitative evaluation performed in July 2009, indicates that 90% of the banks in the upper reach and 91% of the banks in the lower reach are performing as intended. The bank scour and slumping may be due, in part, to the site's location in an urbanized watershed where rapid drainage during storm events results in high flows and velocities that cause bank erosion.

# 2.0 Project Background

## 2.1. Project Goals and Objectives

According to the 2003 Restoration Plan (KCI 2003), the stream restoration project's goals and objectives are to:

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- Restore vegetative riparian buffers utilizing native plant species; and,
- Improve natural aesthetics in an urban park setting.

## 2.2. Project Structure, Mitigation Type, and Approach

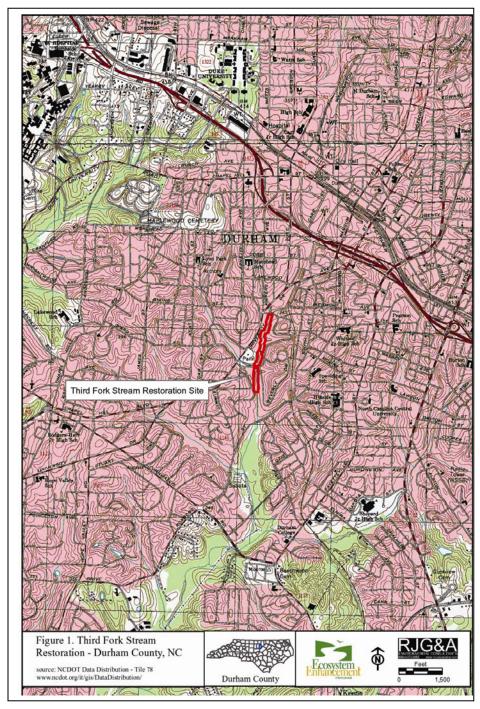
A priority 2 stream restoration approach was used to design and reestablish approximately 3,025 linear feet of meandering, bankfull channel and a new floodplain along Third Fork Creek. The project restored riffle-pool sequencing and used cross-vane and j-hook in-stream structures to provide grade control. The unnamed tributary that enters from the upper reach's left bank (station 20+33) was incorporated and stabilized with a grade control structure to match the grade of the restored channel. Coir fiber matting and live staking were installed/planted to help stabilize the graded stream banks. Native species were planted in a 50-foot wide buffer on both sides the restored stream.

# 2.3 Location and Setting

The entire restoration site is contained within Forest Hills Park, which is owned by the City of Durham. To get to the Third Fork Creek restoration site from NC 147, take exit 12C. At the end of the off-ramp, drive north on Duke Street. At the first light, take a left on Jackson and then a left on to Vickers. Take Vickers to the intersection with University Drive (US 15/501 Business). Forest Hills Park will be directly in front of you. Take a right on to University and park in the parking lot across from West Forest Hills Boulevard (Figure 1).

The upstream boundary of the restoration project is downstream from where Third Fork Creek emerges from the box culvert under the northern stretch East Forest Hills Boulevard. The stream restoration extends downstream along the main channel from this point to the southern edge of the Forest Hills Park. The double box culvert under the southern stretch of the East Forest Hills Boulevard loop divides the restoration into upper and lower reaches. An unnamed tributary to Third Fork Creek joins the lower reach on the downstream end of the culvert. The lower reach therefore has a significantly larger watershed.

Forest Hills Park is dominated by lawn/open space with relatively little mature canopy cover (less than 25 percent). A playground and other facilities with impervious cover (e.g swimming pool, tennis courts, and picnic shelter) are located near the southern portion of the restoration's upper reach. The surrounding area is highly urbanized. The majority of the land use is dedicated to residential and commercial development and secondary roads. Prior to the restoration, both project reaches were incised and had active bed degradation and channel widening characterized by severe bank erosion.



# 2.4. History and Background

KCI Associates of North Carolina designed the Third Fork (Forest Hills Park) stream restoration. The restoration plan was completed in February 2003 and construction was completed approximately two years later. As-built data collection occurred in March 2005 and the as-built and year one monitoring reports were submitted in December 2005. Robert J. Goldstein and Associates collected monitoring data and submitted the Year 2 report in December 2006, the Year 3 report in October 2007, and the Year 4 report in November 2008. Year 5 monitoring data were collected in June and July 2009.

Thi	Exhibit Table I. Project Restoration Components Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration – EEP Project #139												
Reach ID	Pre-existing Feet/Acres	Mitigation Type	Approach	Footage	Stationing	Comment							
Upstream		R	P2	1,600	10+00- 26+00	Realigned channel with restored floodplain to convey							
Downstream	2,900	R	P2	1,525	26+00 – 40+25	stormflow/ sediment and restore aquatidc habitat							

Exhibit Table I Third Fork Creek S	I. Activity and Rep tream Restoration	· ·
Activity or Report	<b>Data Collection</b>	Completion
Restoration Plan	2002	February 2003
Construction	NA	January 2005
Temporary S&E mix applied	NA	NA
Permanent seed mix applied	NA	NA
Bare Root Planting	NA	NA
Mitigation Plan	NA	December 2005 (report date)
As-built	March 2005	December 2005 (report date)
Year 1 Monitoring		December 2005 (report date)
Vegetation	September 2005	
Geomorphological	September 2005	
Year 2 Monitoring		December 2006 (report date)
Vegetation	September 2006	
Geomorphological	October 2006	

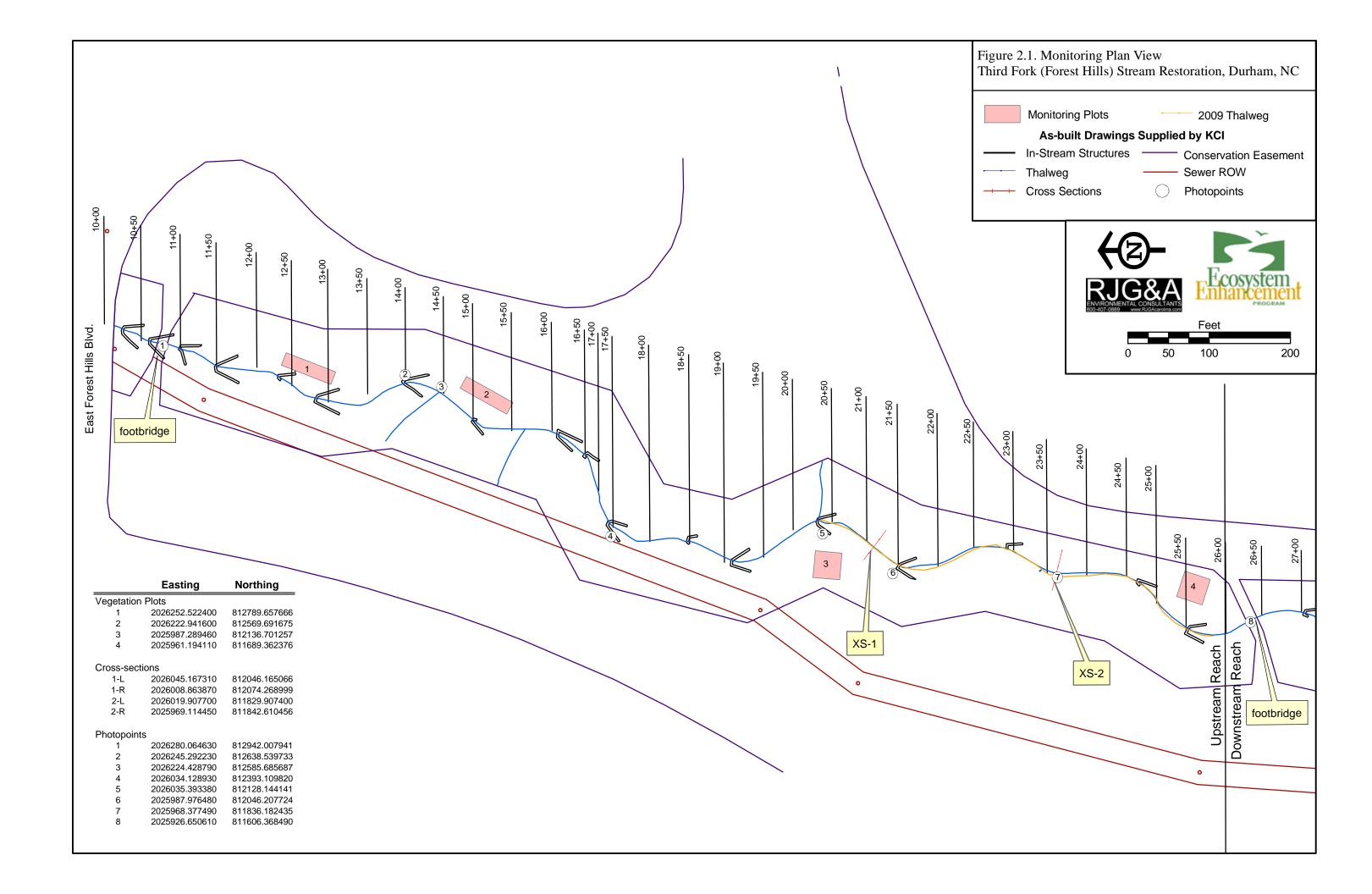
	Exhibit Table II. Activity and Reporting History Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration – EEP Project #139											
Year 3 Monitoring		October 2007 (report date)										
Vegetation	July 2007											
Geomorphological	July 2007											
Year 4 Monitoring		November 2008 (report date)										
Vegetation	July 2008											
Geomorphological	September 2008											
Year 5 Monitoring		July 2009 (report date)										
Vegetation	June 2009											
Geomorphological	June 2009											

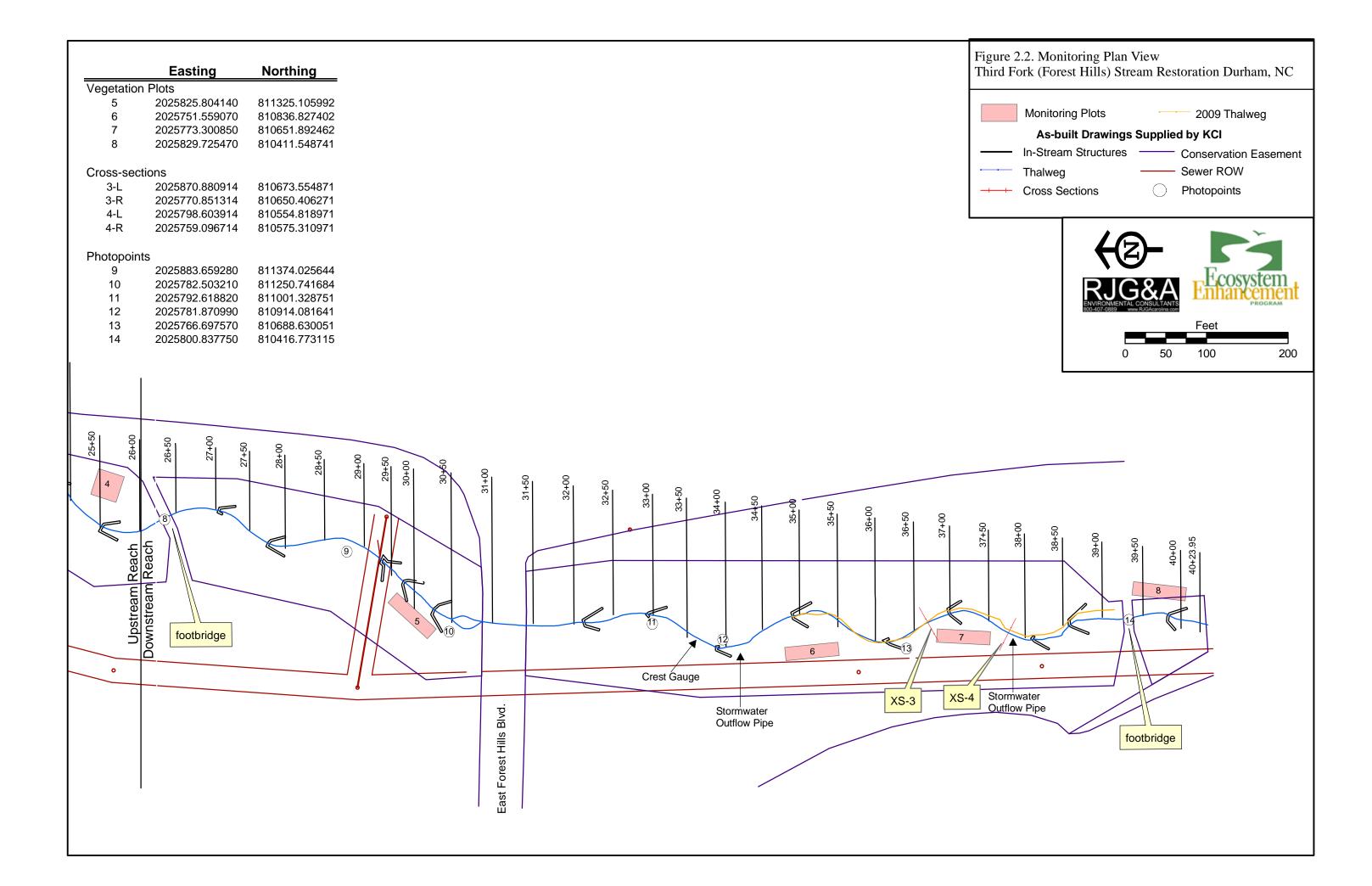
Exhib	it Table III. Project Contacts
Third Fork Creek	x Stream Restoration – EEP Project #139
Design:	KCI Associates of North Carolina, P.A.
	Landmark Center II, Suite 220
	4601 Six Forks Road
	Raleigh, North Carolina 27609
	Mr. Joe Pfeiffer
	(919) 783-9214
Construction Contractor:	Not Provided
Planting Contractor:	Not Provided
Seeding Contractor:	Not Provided
Seed Mix Sources:	Not Provided
Nursery Stock Suppliers:	Not Provided
Monitoring Performers	KCI Associates of North Carolina, P.A.
(2005):	Landmark Center II, Suite 220
	4601 Six Forks Road
	Raleigh, North Carolina 27609
	Mr. Joe Pfeiffer
	(919) 783-9214
Monitoring Performers	RJG&A
(2006 - 2009):	1221 Corporation Parkway, Suite 100
	Raleigh, NC 27616
	Mr. Sean Doig
	(919) 872-1174

	Project Background
Third Fork Creek Stream	Restoration – EEP Project #139
County	Durham
Drainage Area	1,126.4 acres (1.76 square miles)
Drainage Impervious Cover Estimate (%)	44%
Stream Order	Second Order
Physiographic Region	Piedmont
Ecoregion	Triassic Basins
Rosgen Classification of As-built	
Upper Reach	F5, G5, E5
Lower Reach	C5
Dominant Soil Types	
Upstream Reach	Congaree
Downstream Reach	Congaree
Reference Site ID	North Prong Creek
USGS HUC for Project and Reference	03030002060120, 0303002060140
NCDWQ Sub-basin for Project and	03-06-05, 03-06-05
Reference	
NCDWQ Classification for Project and	C
Reference	
Any portion of the project segment 303d	Yes
listed?	
Any portion of the project segment	Yes
upstream of a 303d listed segment?	
Reasons for 303d Listing or Stressor	Turbidity, low dissolved oxygen, fecal coliform
	bacteria
% of Project Easement Fenced	0%

# 2.5. Monitoring Plan View

See Figure 2.1 and 2.2 for the Monitoring Plan View.





# 3.0 Project Conditions and Monitoring Results

RJG&A's 2009 initial assessment was completed on 6 March. Quantitative vegetation and geomorphologic data were collected between 1 and 10 June. Another qualitative evaluation was conducted on 3 July and 17 July 2009.

## 3.1 . Vegetation Assessment

RJG&A staff evaluated the planted woody stem survival in June and July 2009. The average live planted woody stem density (829 live stems per acre) has exceeded the vegetation success criteria (260 live stems per acre in Year 5) by 218 percent. Throughout the riparian buffer restoration area, planted woody stem survival and vigor are high. Non-native invasive species are scattered throughout the site, including *Reynoutria japonica* (Japanese knotweed), *Ampelopsis brevipedunculata* (porcelainberry), *Albizia julibrissin* (mimosa), *Melia azedarach* (chinaberry), *Pyrus calleryana* (callery pear), *Triadica sebifera* (Chinese tallow tree), and *Humulus japonicus* (Japanese hops). Due to its prevalence and its habitat of growing over other vegetation, Japanese hops may represent the greatest threat to the success of planted stems on the site.

Summary vegetation data and monitoring plot photos are located in Appendix A.

#### 3.1.1. Vegetation Problem Areas

See Appendix A.1. Table 6, Appendix A.2. Vegetation Problem Area Photos, and Appendix B.1. Current Conditions Plan View.

#### 3.1.2. Current Conditions Plan View

The Current Conditions Plan View may be found in Appendix B.1.

#### 3.2. Stream Assessment

#### 3.2.1. Procedural Items

#### 3.2.1.1. Morphometric Criteria

RJG&A personnel collected cross section, pebble, and longitudinal profile data in June 2009. Survey data were collected at four cross-sections and along approximately 350 linear feet of both the upstream and downstream reaches. Photographs were taken at the four cross sections and at the 14 permanent photo locations that were established by KCI. The site was also qualitatively assessed and the crest gauge evaluated in July 2009.

#### 3.2.1.2. Hydrologic Criteria

A crest gauge with granulated cork was installed along the right bank at station 33+75 on 13 June 2007. The evaluation of Third Fork Creek in 2009 indicates that at least two storm events resulted in flows over the designed/built bankfull elevation. The crest gauge was evaluated on 6 March 2009 and the only cork remaining inside the gauge was stuck around the cap, indicating that a bankfull storm event had occurred. This conclusion was supported by evidence of rack and drift lines on the bankfull benches throughout the restoration. After this evaluation, the gauge was re-filled with approximately five cubic

inches of ground cork. The gauge was again evaluated on 17 July 2009. Granulated cork was found on the top rim of the crest gauge, indicating that at least one bankfull event had occurred since 6 March. Details about hydrologic evaluations of the site can be found below in Exhibit Table V.

	Exhibit Table V. Verification of Bank Third Fork Stream Restoration – EEP		
Date of Data Collection	Date of Occurrence	Method	Photo # (if available)
1 November	Based on USGS Gage Data: 22	Observed	NA
2006	November 2006	Rack and	
		Drift Lines;	
		Proximal	
		USGS Gage	
16 July 2007	13 June 2007 (crest gauge installation	Crest Gauge	NA
	date) – 16 July 2007	Evaluation	
	CRONOS data suggest 14 June or 11		
	July 2007		
12 October	16 July 2007 – 12 October 2007	Crest Gauge	NA
2007	CRONOS data suggest 28 July, 15	Evaluation	
	August, or 23 August 2007		
6 May 2008	12 October 2007 – 5 May 2008	Crest Gauge	NA
	CRONOS data suggest 4 March 2008 or 27-28 April 2008	Evaluation	
28 October	6 May – 28 October 2008	Crest Gauge	NA
2008	CRONOS data suggest 5 July, 28	Evaluation	
	August, 6 September, and 26 September		
	2008		
6 March	29 October 2008 – 6 March 2009	Crest Gauge	NA
2009	CRONOS data suggests 2 March 2009	Evaluation	
17 July 2009	7 March 2009 – 17 July 2009	Crest Gauge	NA
	CRONOS data suggest 5 June and 10	Evaluation	
	June 2009		

**Table VI BEHI and Sediment Export Estimates.** Based on a conversation with the EEP project manager, BEHI was not assessed in Monitoring Year 5 due to a lack of preconstruction and as-built BEHI data.

#### 3.2.2. Current Conditions Plan View

The Current Conditions Plan View can be found in Appendix B.1.

### 3.2.3. Problem Areas Table

Overall, the site is maintaining its as-built dimension, pattern, and profile. Several areas of bank slump/undercut that were identified in the past have stabilized and are no longer considered problem areas, however new areas of scour and slumping have developed. These problem areas may in part develop due to the fact that the site is located in a highly

urbanized watershed and storm events result in high flows containing a lot of sediment. The problem area table and associated photographs can be found in Appendix B.2. and B.3.

#### 3.2.4. Numbered Issue Photo Section

Representative problem area photos listed in Table B.1. are located in Appendix B.3.

#### 3.2.5. Fixed Station Photos

Permanent photopoint images are located in Appendix B.4.

#### 3.2.6. Stability Assessment Table

The visual stability assessment was conducted in July 2009 and the findings are summarized below. More detailed information can be found in Appendix B.5. Low scores for certain features are due to the accumulation of fine sediment at the site, which is creating filled-in pools, mid-stream bars, off-center thalwegs, overly-active eroding meanders, and slumping banks. This fine sediment is both transported from upstream and off-site into the project area and also enters the stream due to scour and bank slump in the project area. Secondarily, debris build-up in certain stream segments has aggravated this problem. Specific examples of these problems are detailed Appendices B.2. and B.3.

Exhibit Table VII	_				•	ment								
1 mu For	Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration – EEP Project #139 Upstream Reach (1600 Feet)													
Feature	Initial*	MY-01	MY-02	MY-03	MY-04	MY-05								
A. Riffles	100%	NA	92%	86%	78%	82%								
B. Pools	100%	NA	87%	87%	80%	80%								
C. Thalweg	100%	NA	69%	97%	100%	100%								
D. Meanders 100% NA 90% 98% 98% 92%														
E. Bed General 100% NA 100% 100% 95% 98%														
F. Bank	100%	NA	NA	98%	98%	90%								
G. Vanes/J Hooks, etc.	100%	NA	93%	96%	96%	96%								
H. Wads and Boulders	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA								
	Downs	tream Rea	ch (1425 F	'eet)										
A. Riffles	100%	NA	56%	56%	82%	84%								
B. Pools	100%	NA	56%	56%	64%	81%								
C. Thalweg	100%	NA	57%	57%	57%	71%								
D. Meanders	100%	NA	67%	67%	82%	81%								
E. Bed General	100%	NA	100%	100%	100%	99%								
F. Bank	100%	NA	NA	NA	81%	91%								
F. Vanes/J Hooks, etc.	100%	NA	89%	94%	92%	95%								
G. Wads and Boulders	100%	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA								

<sup>\*</sup>These percentages are assumed. Neither the As-built Monitoring Report nor the First Year Monitoring Report contained any visual stability assessment data.

Exhibit Table VIII. Baseline	Morp	hology	and H	ydrau	lic Sun	mary - '	Third F	ork Cree	ek Stream	Restor	ation– E	EP Proje	ct #139	– Upstr	eam Re	ach		
Parameters	U	SGS D	ata	Regi	Regional Curve Int.			Existing C	ondition	Re	eference R	Reach		Design		As-Built		
Dimension	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Mean	Min	Max	Mean	Min	Max	Mean	Min	Max	Mean
Bankfull Width (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	21.8	26.8	NA	NA	NA	17.8	NA	NA	27	NA	NA	NA
Floodprone Width (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	29.2	400.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	45.1	57.2	NA	NA	NA	26.2	NA	NA	60	NA	NA	NA
Mean Depth (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.5	NA	NA	2.2	NA	NA	NA
Maximum Depth (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.7	NA	NA	3.0	NA	NA	4.0	NA	NA	NA
Width/Depth Ratio	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8.3	15.9	NA	NA	NA	12.1	NA	NA	12.1	NA	NA	NA
Entrenchment Ratio	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.1	18.3	NA	NA	NA	33.7	2.3	14.8	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bank Height Ratio	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pattern																		
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	158	NA	NA	120.0	NA	NA	NA
Radius of Curvature (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	37.0	40.0	NA	60.0	75.0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Meander Wavelength	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	94.0	143.0	NA	160	190	NA	NA	NA	NA
Meander Width ratio	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8.9	NA	NA	4.4	NA	NA	NA
Profile																		
Riffle length (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Riffle slope (ft/ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.2	0.6	NA	0.2	2.1	NA	0.3	0.3	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pool length (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8.0	30.0	NA	27.0	40.0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pool spacing (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	40.0	85.5	NA	60.0	125.0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Substrate																		
d50 (mm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.3	0.4	NA	NA	NA	0.2	0.3	0.4	NA	NA	NA	NA
d84 (mm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																		
Valley Length (ft)		NA			NA			NA			NA			NA			NA	
Channel Length (ft)		NA			NA			1890			407			2083			NA	
Sinuosity		NA			NA			1.03			1.28			1.13			NA	
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)		NA			NA			0.25			0.24		0.25			NA		
BF slope (ft/ft)		NA			NA			NA			NA			NA			NA	
Rosgen Classification		NA			NA		F5, G5, E5		C5		C5		NA					
Habitat Index		NA			NA			NA			NA		NA		NA			
Macrobenthos		NA			NA			NA			NA			NA			NA	

Exhibit Table VIII. Baseline	Morp	hology	and H	ydrau	lic Sun	ımary - '	Third F	ork Cree	ek Stream	Restor	ation– E	EP Proje	ct #139	– Down	stream	Reach		
Parameters	U	SGS D	ata	Regional Curve Int.			Pre-E	xisting C	ondition	Re	ference R	Reach		Design			As-Bui	lt
Dimension	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Med	Min	Max	Mean	Min	Max	Mean	Min	Max	Mean	Min	Max	Mean
Bankfull Width (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	29.5	NA	NA	17.8	NA	NA	30.0	NA	NA	NA
Floodprone Width (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	62.0	400.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	71.4	NA	NA	26.2	NA	NA	75.0	NA	NA	NA
Mean Depth (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.5	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.5	NA	NA	NA
Maximum Depth (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.8	3.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.3	NA	NA	NA
Width/Depth Ratio	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	12.2	NA	NA	12.1	NA	NA	12.0	NA	NA	NA
Entrenchment Ratio	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	6.8	NA	NA	33.7	NA	NA	6.7	NA	NA	NA
Bank Height Ratio	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pattern																		
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	158	NA	NA	90.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Radius of Curvature (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	37.0	40.0	NA	60.0	80.0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Meander Wavelength	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	94.0	143.0	NA	180	200.0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Meander Width ratio	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8.9	NA	NA	3.0	NA	NA	NA
Profile																		
Riffle length (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Riffle slope (ft/ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.3	0.3	NA	0.2	2.1	NA	NA	NA	0.3	NA	NA	NA
Pool length (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8.0	30.0	NA	30.0	45.0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Pool spacing (ft)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	40.0	85.5	NA	70.0	140.0	NA	NA	NA	NA
Substrate																		
d50 (mm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.4	0.4	NA	NA	NA	0.2	NA	NA	0.4	NA	NA	NA
d84 (mm)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>																		
Valley Length (ft)		NA			NA			NA			NA			NA			NA	
Channel Length (ft)		NA			NA			900			407			925			NA	
Sinuosity		NA			NA			1.01			1.28			1.10			NA	
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)		NA			NA			0.20			0.24		0.20				NA	
BF slope (ft/ft)		NA			NA			NA			NA		NA			NA		
Rosgen Classification		NA			NA			C5		C5		C5			NA			
Habitat Index		NA			NA			NA			NA		NA		NA			
Macrobenthos		NA			NA			NA			NA			NA			NA	_

Table IX. Morphology and H	ydraulic Mo	nitoring Sur	nmary - Thi	rd Fork Cre	ek Stream	Restoration	ı - EEP Proje	ct #139 Upstı	eam Reach				
		_	XS 1-F	Riffle			XS 2-Pool						
Dimension	As-built	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	As-built	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	
Floodprone Width (ft)	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	
Bankfull Width (ft)	27.66	27.11	28.63	27.46	27.35	27.71	26.43	26.39	27.62	27.39	34.54	37.40	
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	61.64	61.37	62.47	61.28	63.29	62.64	70.07	72.88	76.71	77.42	83.22	83.64	
Mean Depth (ft)	2.23	2.26	2.18	2.23	2.31	2.26	2.65	2.76	2.78	2.83	2.41	2.24	
Maximum Depth (ft)	3.96	3.95	4.19	4.23	4.36	4.50	4.81	5.11	5.45	5.59	6.00	5.85	
Width/Depth Ratio	12.41	12.00	13.12	11.8	11.82	12.26	9.97	NA	9.94	9.69	14.34	16.72	
Entrenchment Ratio	8.68	8.85	8.38	8.74	8.78	8.66	9.08	NA	8.69	8.67	6.95	6.42	
Bank Height Ratio	1.00	1.00	1.03	1.02	1.04	1.03	1.00	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.00	1.00	
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	NA	NA	30.91	30.12	30.25	30.91	NA	NA	31.70	31.14	38.72	41.16	
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	NA	NA	2.02	NA	2.09	2.03	NA	NA	2.42	2.49	2.15	2.03	
Substrate													
d50 (mm)	NA	0.06	0.04	0.36	0.04	0.04	NA	0.06	0.09	0.14	0.05	0.17	
d84 (mm)	NA	0.06	0.06	1.88	0.09	0.40	NA	0.10	0.78	1.63	0.93	1.56	
Pattern		As-built		MY1		MY2		MY3		MY4		MY5	
Channel Beltwidth (ft)		NA		NA		33.88		29.28		40.36		40.39	
Radius of Curvature (ft)		NA		NA		69.42		60.58		46.09		39.79	
Meander Wavelength		NA		NA		177.65		182.45		181.68		181.61	
Meander Width ratio		NA		NA		1.20		2.12		1.17		1.29	
Profile													
Riffle length (ft)		NA		NA		51.43		55.57		43.37		52.00	
Riffle slope (ft/ft)		NA		NA		0.002		0.002		0.002		-0.001	
Pool length (ft)		NA		NA		28.60		47.39		54.80		52.75	
Pool spacing (ft)		NA		NA		35.95		21.96		43.76		46.00	
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>													
Valley Length (ft)		NA		NA		310		310		310		310	
Channel Length (ft)		NA		NA		350		350		343		341	
Sinuosity		NA		NA		1.13		1.13		1.11		1.10	
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)		NA		NA		0.0018		0.0018		0.0016		0.0012	
BF slope (ft/ft)		NA		NA		0.0007		0.0007		0.0035		0.0016	
Rosgen Classification		NA		NA		C5		C5		C5		C5	
Habitat Index		NA	-	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
Macrobenthos		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	

Table IX. Morphology and Hydraulic Monitoring Summary - Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - EEP Project #139 Downstream Reach

Table IX. Morphology and Hy			XS 3-I						XS 4-P			- 1
Dimension	As-built	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	As-built	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5
Floodprone Width (ft)	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00	240.00
Bankfull Width (ft)	30.33	29.00	28.65	32.07	30.28	27.40	24.03	23.29	23.94	24.28	24.69	24.82
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	54.61	53.46	51.94	64.17	69.49	73.68	59.65	60.40	60.73	68.79	63.78	63.55
Mean Depth (ft)	1.80	1.84	1.81	2.17	2.29	2.69	2.48	2.59	2.79	2.83	2.58	2.56
Maximum Depth (ft)	3.28	3.48	3.64	4.59	4.73	5.29	5.00	4.97	4.72	4.77	4.73	4.87
Width/Depth Ratio	16.85	15.70	15.80	13.64	13.19	10.19	9.68	NA	7.81	8.57	9.56	9.69
Entrenchment Ratio	7.91	8.28	8.38	8.11	7.93	8.76	9.99	NA	11.01	9.89	9.72	9.67
Bank Height Ratio	1.08	1.04	1.13	1.15	1.07	1.04	1.11	1.12	1.05	1.09	1.13	1.09
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	NA	NA	31.23	32.35	32.93	31.36	NA	NA	25.36	27.91	28.20	27.91
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	NA	NA	1.66	1.98	2.11	2.35	NA	NA	2.39	2.46	2.26	2.28
Substrate												
d50 (mm)		0.49	6.27	0.76	0.76	0.06		1.00	0.85	0.78	1.14	0.76
d84 (mm)		1.50	16.60	9.65	9.65	0.45		2.00	11.30	3.17	4.42	4.85
Pattern		As-built		MY1		MY2		MY3		MY4		MY5
Channel Beltwidth (ft)		NA		NA		35.77		47.47		47.53		46.95
Radius of Curvature (ft)		NA		NA		57.96		56.59		40.69		41.74
Meander Wavelength		NA		NA		162.56		183.76		176.63		171.17
Meander Width ratio		NA		NA		1.54		1.61		1.48		1.42
Profile												
Riffle length (ft)		NA		NA		14.24		8.45		35.67		41.00
Riffle slope (ft/ft)		NA		NA		0.02		0.03		0.02		0.02
Pool length (ft)		NA		NA		101.45		51.15		53.00		61.33
Pool spacing (ft)		NA		NA		23.28		30.45		57.00		47.00
<b>Additional Reach Parameters</b>												
Valley Length (ft)		NA		NA		308		310		310		310
Channel Length (ft)		NA		NA		350		350		353		345
Sinuosity		NA		NA		1.14		1.13		1.14		1.11
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)		NA	-	NA		0.0009		0.001		0.0008		0.0018
BF slope (ft/ft)		NA		NA		0.0003		0.0046		0.0021		0.0029
Rosgen Classification		NA		NA		C5b		E5		E5		E5
Habitat Index		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA
Macrobenthos		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA

# IV. Methodology

Monitoring methodologies follow the current EEP-provided templates and guidelines (Lee *et al* 2006). Photographs were taken digitally. A Trimble Geo XT handheld mapping-grade unit was used to collect cross section, vegetation corner, photopoint, and problem area locations. Additional notations were written on the spring 2009 versions of the CCPV.

## 4.1. Stream Methodology

Methods employed were a combination those specified in the Mitigation Plan, the First Annual Monitoring Report, and standard regulatory guidance and procedures documents. Stream monitoring data was collected using the techniques described in US ACE Stream Mitigation Guidelines, US Forest Service's Stream Channel Reference Sites, and Applied River morphology (USACE, 2003; Harrelson et al., 1994; Rosgen, 1996). A South Total Station and Nikon automatic level were used for collecting all geomorphic data. Photographs facing downstream were taken at each cross section.

## 4.2. Vegetation Methodology

Eight representative vegetation survey plots were selected and installed in the upstream and downstream reaches during September 2006. Where appropriate, the new monitoring plots were co-located with the first year monitoring plots. All plots measure 100 square meters in area and are either 10 meters by 10 meters, or five meters by 20 meters. Pursuant to the guidelines, the four corners of each plot (e.g. 0,0; 0,10; 10,0; and 10,10; or 0,0; 0,20; 5,0; and 5,20.) marked with 18 inch long one half inch diameter galvanized steel conduit were relocated in 2008. Within each plot, each planted woody stem location (x and y) recorded in 2006 was relocated. No mortality was observed.

Level 1 (planted woody stems) and Level 2 (volunteer woody stems) data collection was performed in all plots, pursuant to the most recent CVS/EEP protocol (Lee *et al* 2006). Within each plot, each planted woody stem location (x and y) was recorded, and height and live stem diameter were recorded for each stem location. All planted stems were identified with pink flagging. Vegetation was identified using Weakley (Weakley 2007). Photos were taken of each vegetation plot from the 0,0 corner. Because the dimensions of the plots installed in 2006 are different than the first annual vegetation monitoring plots, direct comparison with the first year data is inappropriate.

Tables 1 through 5 in Appendix A contain the data from the vegetation monitoring. Monitoring plot photos can also be found in Appendix A.

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# **Appendix A Vegetation Data**

# A1. Vegetation Data Tables

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#### A.1. Table 1. Vegetation Metadata - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

**Report Prepared By** sean doig **Date Prepared** 7/21/2009 13:40

database name ThirdFork.mdb

database location C:\Documents and Settings\Owner\Desktop\EEP 2009

computer name GATELAP file size 42991616

DESCRIPTION OF WORKSHEETS IN THIS DOCUMENT-----

**Metadata**Description of database file, the report worksheets, and a summary of project(s) and project data.

**Proj, planted** Each project is listed with its PLANTED stems per acre, for each year. This excludes live stakes.

Each project is listed with its TOTAL stems per acre, for each year. This includes live stakes, all

**Proj, total stems** planted stems, and all natural/volunteer stems.

Plots List of plots surveyed with location and summary data (live stems, dead stems, missing, etc.).

**Vigor** Frequency distribution of vigor classes for stems for all plots. **Vigor by Spp** Frequency distribution of vigor classes listed by species.

List of most frequent damage classes with number of occurrences and percent of total stems

**Damage** impacted by each.

**Damage by Spp**Damage values tallied by type for each species.

Damage by Plot
Damage values tallied by type for each plot.

A matrix of the count of total living stems of each species (planted and natural volunteers combined)

**ALL Stems by Plot and spp** for each plot; dead and missing stems are excluded.

PROJECT SUMMARY

Project Code 139

project Name Forest Hills

**Description** Stream Restoration

River Basin Cape Fear length(ft) 3025 stream-to-edge width (ft) 50 area (sq m) 35948

Required Plots (calculated) 8
Sampled Plots 8

A.1. Table 2. Vigor by Species - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

	Nestoration - Wils (2	-000,			_			
	Species	4	3	2	1	0	Missing	Unknown
	Alnus serrulata	15				1		
	Amelanchier arborea	1						
	Betula nigra	12						
	Callicarpa americana	21		1	1	1		
	Cephalanthus occidentalis	1				1		
	Clethra alnifolia	1						
	Cornus amomum	15						
	Fraxinus pennsylvanica	16					1	
	Itea virginica	11	1		1	1		
	Salix nigra	2						
	Sambucus canadensis	4						
	Symphoricarpos orbiculatus	15		1				
	Viburnum nudum	2						
	Morella cerifera	9						
	Viburnum dentatum	6	1					
	llex decidua	3						
	llex opaca	3						
	Cercis canadensis							
	Hamamelis virginiana							
	Platanus occidentalis	16		1			1	
TOT:	20	162	2	3	2	4	2	

A.1. Table 3. Damage by Species - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream

Postoration - MV5 (2009) - Project #139

Restoration -	MY5	(2009	) - F	Project #
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Alaya sarrulata	All C	Solution of the second of the		lue demage)
Alnus serrulata	16	16		
Amelanchier arborea	1	1		
Betula nigra	12	12		
Callicarpa americana	24	23	1	
Cephalanthus occidentalis	2	2		
Cercis canadensis	1	1		
Clethra alnifolia	1	1		
Cornus amomum	15	15		
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	17	17		
Hamamelis virginiana	8	8		
llex decidua	3	3		
llex opaca	3	3		
Itea virginica	14	13	1	
Morella cerifera	9	9		
Platanus occidentalis	18	18		
Salix nigra	2	2		
Sambucus canadensis	4	4		
Symphoricarpos orbiculatus	16	16		
Viburnum dentatum	7	6	1	
Viburnum nudum	2	2		
TOT: 20	175	172	3	

A.1. Table 4. Damage by Plot - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

	Restoration	- MY	<b>5 (20</b>	09)	- Project #13
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	E139-jo,sd-0005-year:3	10	10		
	E139-jo,sd-0007-year:3	17	17		
	E139-sd-0008-year:3	10	10		
	E139-wjs-0001-year:3	35	33	2	
	E139-WJS-0002-year:3	29	29		
	E139-wjs-0003-year:3	32	31	1	
	E139-wjs-0004-year:3	12	12		
	E139-WM-0006-year:3	30	30		
TOT:	8	175	172	3	

A.1. Table 5. Planted Stems by Plot and Species - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration MY5 (2009) - Project #139

		N	<u>1Y5</u>	(2009)	<u>- Pr</u>	ojec	:t #1	39					
	Socies	20	# Plant	Sugar Signal Stems	Pleasems	5/10	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	8,50	7.00	25/0	600	\$ 10 d	9,5
	Alnus serrulata	15	7	2.14	1	2		4	1	3	1	3	
	Amelanchier arborea	1	1	1			1						
	Betula nigra	12	7	1.71	1	2	1		2	1	2	3	j
	Callicarpa americana	23	6	3.83		2	1	5	8	4		3	
	Cephalanthus occidentalis	1	1	1						1			
	Cercis canadensis	1	1	1				1					
	Clethra alnifolia	1	1	1				1					
	Cornus amomum	15	8	1.88		1	1	3	3	2	1	2	j
	Fraxinus pennsylvanica	16	6	2.67	2		2		3	3	2		
	Hamamelis virginiana	8	6	1.33		1	2	1	1	1		2	
	llex decidua	3	3	1	1			1	1				
	llex opaca	3	2	1.5				1			2		
	Itea virginica	13	5	2.6		2		5	1	4		1	j
	Morella cerifera	9	4	2.25		3		2		1		3	
	Platanus occidentalis	17	7	2.43		2	1	6	2	1	2	3	j
	Salix nigra	2	1	2	2								
	Sambucus canadensis	4	3	1.33		1		1				2	
	Symphoricarpos orbiculatus	16	8	2	1	1	1	2	3	4	2	2	
	Viburnum dentatum	7	2	3.5					3	4			
	Viburnum nudum	2	2	1					1			1	
TOT:	20	169	20		10	17	10	33	29	29	12	29	

# Appendix A.1.

A.1. Table 6. Vegetation Problem Area Table - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

MY5 (2009) - Project #139												
Feature/Issue	Station/ Range	Probable Cause	Photo #									
Reynoutria japonica (Japanese knotweed), Ampelopsis brevipedunculata (porcelainberry), Albizia julibrissin (mimosa), Melia azedarach (chinaberry), Pyrus calleryana (callery pear), Triadica sebifera (Chinese tallow tree)	1000-4024	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-shows Japanese hops and Japanese knotweed									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	1145-1215	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	1205-1255	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicu</i> s)	1235-1380	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicu</i> s)	1335-1360	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicu</i> s)	1340-1355	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	1600-1650	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	1750-1800	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> japonicus)	1930-2000	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	2180-2205	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	2480-2585	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	2940-2955	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	3070-3090	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	3145-3200	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	3150-3205	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> japonicus)	3260-3320	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4									

# A.1. Table 6. Vegetation Problem Area Table - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

Feature/Issue	Station/ Range	Probable Cause	Photo #
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	3380-3465	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> <i>japonicus</i> )	3515-3540	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4
Japanese hops ( <i>Humulus</i> japonicus)	3565-3580	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4
Japanese hops (Humulus japonicus)	3750-3780	Introduction of waterborne seeds from offsite	VP1-VP4

# A.1. Table 7. Stem Count Total and Planted by Plot and Species - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek EEP Project Code 139. Project Name: Forest Hills

			Current Plot Data (MY3 2009)																							
			E139-jo,sd-0005 E139-jo,sd-0007 E139-sd-0008 E139-wjs-0001 E139-WJS-0002						0002	E13	9-wjs-0	0003	E13	89-wjs-0	0004	E139-WM-0006										
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	P-LS	P-all	Т	P-LS	P-all	Т	P-LS	P-all	Т	P-LS	P-all	Т	P-LS	P-all	Т	P-LS	P-all	Т	P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	Т
Acer negundo	boxelder	Tree						2																		
Acer rubrum	red maple	Tree																								
Albizia julibrissin	silktree	Shrub Tree																								
Alnus serrulata	hazel alder	Shrub Tree		1	1		2	2					4	4		1	1		3	3		1	1		3	3
Amelanchier arborea	common serviceberry	Shrub Tree								1	1															
Baccharis halimifolia	eastern baccharis	Shrub Tree																								
Betula nigra	river birch	Tree		1	1		2	2		1	1					2	2		1	1		2	2		3	3
Callicarpa americana	American beautyberry	Shrub					2	2		1	1		5	5		8	8		4	4					3	3
	northern catalpa	Tree			2			3						3									1			1
	common buttonbush	Shrub Tree																	1	1						
Cercis canadensis	eastern redbud	Shrub Tree											1	1												
	coastal sweetpepperbu												1	1												
	silky dogwood	Shrub	2	2	2		1	1		1	1		3	3		3	3		2	2	1	1	1		2	2
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	Tree		2	2			4		2	2					3	3		3	3		2	2		4	23
Hamamelis virginiana	American witchhazel	Shrub Tree					1	1		2	2		1	1		1	1		1	1					2	2
Ilex decidua	possumhaw	Shrub Tree		1	1								1	1		1	1									
Ilex opaca	American holly	Shrub Tree											1	1								2	2			1
Itea virginica	Virginia sweetspire	Shrub					2	. 2					5	5		1	1		4	4					1	1
Juniperus virginiana	eastern redcedar	Tree																								3
Liquidambar styraciflua	sweetgum	Tree						7												1			18			8
Morella cerifera	wax myrtle	Shrub Tree					3	3					2	2					1	1					3	3
Paulownia tomentosa	princesstree	Tree																								
Pinus taeda	loblolly pine	Tree																		5						9
Platanus occidentalis	American sycamore	Tree					2	3		1	1		6	8		2	2		1	1		2	3		3	5
Prunus	plum	Shrub Tree																								
Prunus serotina	black cherry	Shrub Tree																								2
Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree																		1						
Salix nigra	black willow	Tree	2	2	3																					
Sambucus canadensis	Common Elderberry	Shrub Tree					1	1					1	1											2	3
Symphoricarpos orbiculatus	•	Shrub		1	1		1	1		1	1		2	2		3	3		4	4		2	2		2	2
	bald cypress	Tree																		1						
Ulmus	elm	Tree												1												
Ulmus alata	winged elm	Tree																					2			
Ulmus americana	American elm	Tree																								
Ulmus rubra	slippery elm	Tree						1																		
	blueberry	Shrub Vine Tree	е																							
Viburnum dentatum	southern arrowwood	Shrub Tree														3	3		4	4						
Viburnum nudum	possumhaw	Shrub Tree														1	1								1	1
		Stem count	4	10	13	0	17	35	0	10	10	0	33	39	0	29	29	0	29	37	1	12	34	0	29	75
		size (ares)		1	-		1	-		1	-		1	-		1	-		1			1			1	
		size (ACRES)		0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02			0.02	-
		Species count	2		8	0	10	15	0	8	8	0	13	15	0	12	12	0				7	10		12	18
	St	ems per ACRE		404.7	526.1	0	688	1416	0	404.7	404.7	0	1335	1578	0		1174	0	1174	1497	40.47	485.6	1376	0	1174	3035

A.1. Table 7. Stem Count Total and Planted by Plot and Species EEP Project Code 139. Project Name: Forest Hills

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		MY3 (2009) MY2 (2008)		8)	M	Y1 (200	7)	М	6)							
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	T	P-LS	P-all	Т	P-LS	P-all	T		
Acer negundo	boxelder	Tree			2						1					
Acer rubrum	red maple	Tree									1			13		
Albizia julibrissin	silktree	Shrub Tree									3		1	3		
Alnus serrulata	hazel alder	Shrub Tree		15	15		16	16		17	19		17	17		
Amelanchier arborea	common serviceberry	Shrub Tree		1	1		1	1		1	2		1	3		
Baccharis halimifolia	eastern baccharis	Shrub Tree												1		
Betula nigra	river birch	Tree		12	12		12	12		12	13		12	12		
Callicarpa americana	American beautyberry	Shrub		23	23		24	24		23	25		25	25		
Catalpa speciosa	northern catalpa	Tree			10											
Cephalanthus occidentalis	common buttonbush	Shrub Tree		1	1		2	2			2					
Cercis canadensis	eastern redbud	Shrub Tree		1	1		1	1		1	1		2	2		
Clethra alnifolia	coastal sweetpepperbu	Shrub		1	1		1	1		1	1					
Cornus amomum		Shrub	3	15	15	3	15	15	3	15	15	3	16	16		
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	, ,	Tree		16	39		18	18		23	30		23	23		
Hamamelis virginiana	American witchhazel	Shrub Tree		8	8		8	8		7	8		7	7		
Ilex decidua	possumhaw	Shrub Tree		3	3		3	3		4	4		4	4		
llex opaca	American holly	Shrub Tree		3	4		4	4		4	4		4	4		
Itea virginica	Virginia sweetspire	Shrub		13	13		14	14		13	15		14	14		
<u> </u>		Tree			3											
	sweetgum	Tree			34						47			11		
Morella cerifera	wax myrtle	Shrub Tree		9	9		9	9		9	11		9	9		
Paulownia tomentosa	princesstree	Tree									5			9		
Pinus taeda		Tree			14						6			3		
Platanus occidentalis		Tree		17	23		18	18		18	26		18	30		
Prunus	plum	Shrub Tree												1		
Prunus serotina	black cherry	Shrub Tree			2						3			1		
Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree			1						2			4		
Salix nigra	black willow	Tree	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3		
Sambucus canadensis	Common Elderberry	Shrub Tree		4	5		4	4		4	5		3	4		
Symphoricarpos orbiculatus	coralberry	Shrub		16	16		17	17		16	17		17	17		
Taxodium distichum		Tree			1						1			2		
Ulmus		Tree			1									6		
Ulmus alata	winged elm	Tree			2									1		
Ulmus americana		Tree												3		
Ulmus rubra	slippery elm	Tree			1						6					
		Shrub Vine Tre									1					
Viburnum dentatum	southern arrowwood	Shrub Tree		7	7		7	7		7	7		7	7		
Viburnum nudum		Shrub Tree		2	2		2	2		2	2		1	1		
	•	Stem count	5	169	272	5	178	178	5	179	285	5	183	256		
		size (ares)		8			8		8			8				
		size (ACRES)		0.20			0.20			0.20			0.20			
	Species coun			20	31	2		20	2		31	2		31		
		ems per ACRE											925.7			
	30	onio per AOIL	20.23	007.0	1070	20.23	550.4	550.4	20.23	555.5	1 TTL	20.23	020.1	1200		

A.2. Representative Vegetation Problem Photos - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139



A.3. Vegetation Monitoring Plot Photographs - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139



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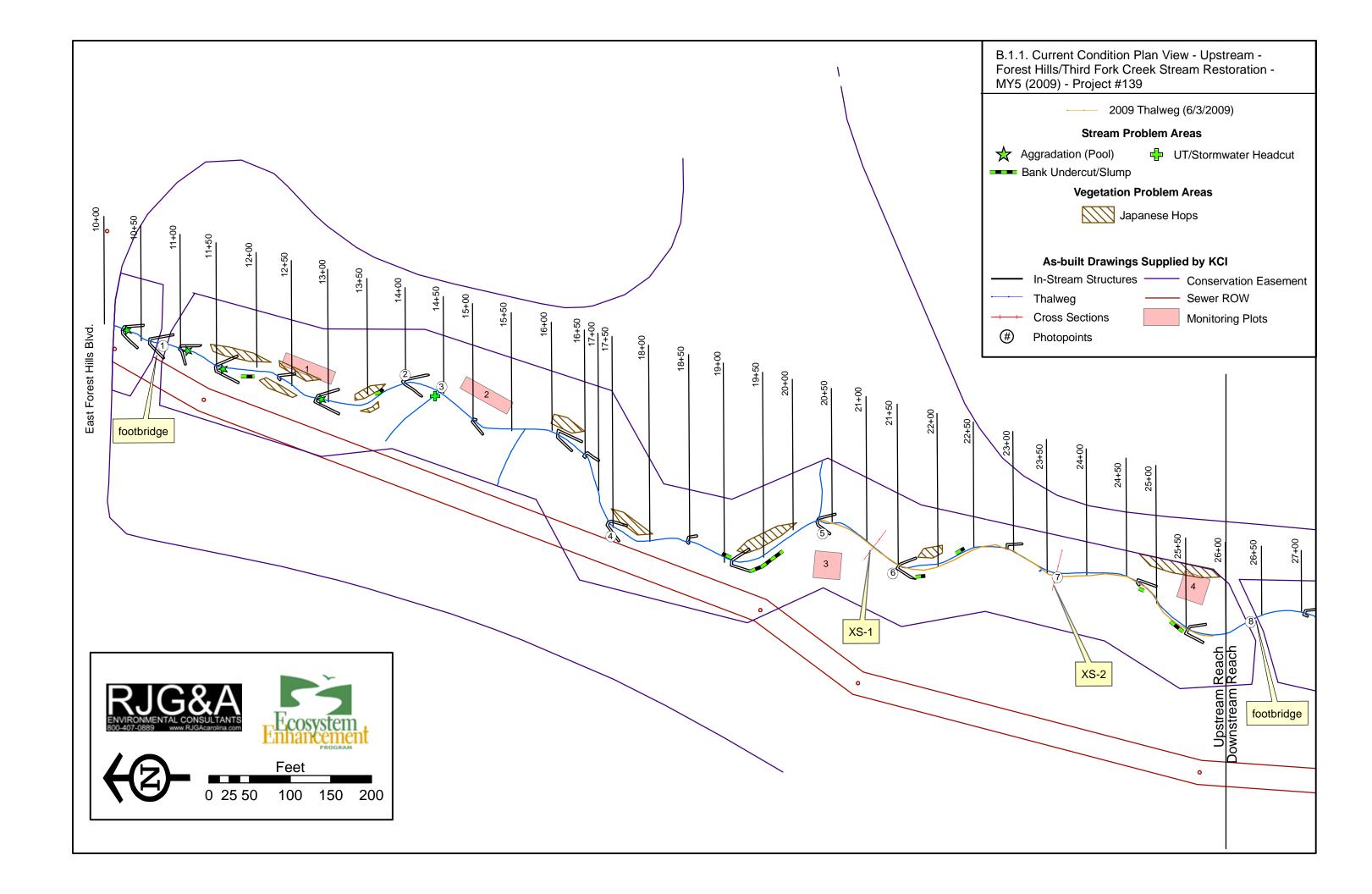
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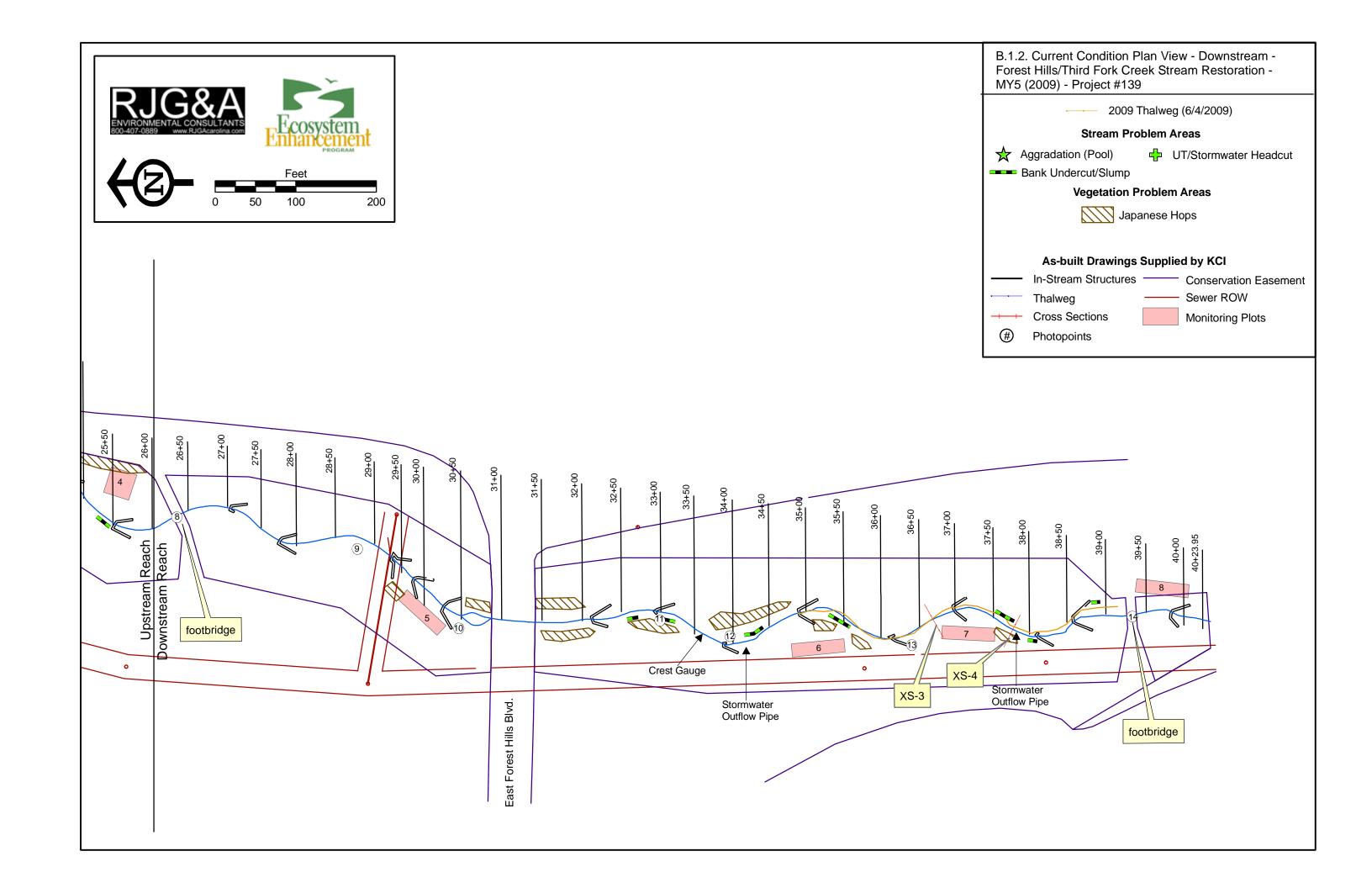
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# Appendix B Geomorphologic Raw Data

Figure B1. Current Conditions Plan View

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# B.2. Stream Problem Areas Table - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

Feature/Issue	Station	Suspected Cause	Photo #
Aggradation (pool)	1025	Sediment from offsite/upstream	SP1
Aggradation (pool)	1110	Sediment from offsite/upstream	SP1
Aggradation (pool)	1158	Sediment from offsite/upstream	SP1
Right Bank Scour/Slump	1190-1205	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Aggradation (pool)	1290	Sediment from offsite/upstream	SP1
Right Bank Scour/Slump	1345-1360	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Left Bank Scour/Slump	1355-1367	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Headcut at UT/stormwater	1443	Insufficient armor	SP2
Right Bank Scour/Slump	1900-1910	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	1930-1960	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	1940-1960	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	2180-2186	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Left Bank Scour/Slump	2222-2234	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	2480-2485	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	2530-2548	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	3270-3285	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	3410-3430	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Left Bank Scour/Slump	3415-3440	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	3525-3555	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Left Bank Scour/Slump	3750-3780	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Right Bank Scour/Slump	3800-3810	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4
Left Bank Scour/Slump	3850-3863	No armor/rootwad	SP3 & SP4

B.3. Stream Problem Photos - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139



**SP3-Bank slump (7/6/2009)** 

**SP4-Bank scour (7/17/2009)** 



**PP #1 – Looking Upstream (11/20/06)** 



**PP #2 – Looking Upstream (11/20/06)** 



PP #1 - Looking Upstream (03/06/09)



PP #2 - Looking Upstream (03/06/09)



PP #3 – Ditch Entering Stream (11/20/06)



PP #4 – Looking Downstream (11/20/06)



PP #3 - Ditch Entering Stream (03/11/09)



PP #4 – Looking Downstream (03/06/09)



**PP #5 – UT Entering Stream (11/20/06)** 



PP #6 – Looking Downstream (11/20/06)



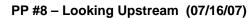
**PP #5 – UT Entering Stream (03/06/09)** 



PP #6 – Looking Downstream (03/06/09)









**PP #8 – Looking Upstream (03/06/09)** 



**PP #10 – Looking Downstream (07/16/07)** 

**PP #10 – Looking Downstream (03/06/09)** 



**PP #12 – Looking Upstream (11/20/06)** 

**PP #12 – Looking Upstream (03/11/09)** 



**PP #13 – Looking Upstream (11/20/06)** 



PP #14 - Looking Upstream (11/20/06)



PP #13 - Looking Upstream (03/11/09)



**PP #14 – Looking Upstream (03/11/09)** 

## B.5. Qualitative Visual Stability Assessment Table - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139 Upstream Reach (1600 feet)

Feature	Metric (per As-built and reference baselines)	(# Stable)	Total	Total	Percent	Feature
Category		Number	Number	Number/	Performing	Performing
		Performing	per As-	feet in	in Stable	Mean (%)
		as Intended	built	Unstable State	Condition	
A. Riffles	1. Present	10	10	NA	100	
	2. Armor stable	10	10	NA	100	
	3. Facet grade appears stable	10	10	NA	100	
	4. Minimal evidence of embedding/fining	3	10	NA	30	
	5. Length appropriate	8	10	NA	80	82
B. Pools	1. Present	13	15	NA	87	
511 0010	Sufficiently deep	12	15	NA	80	
	3. Length appropriate	11	15	NA	73	80
C. Thalweg	1. Upstream of meander bend (run/inflection) centering	16	16	NA	100	
	2. Downstream of meander (glide/inflection) centering	16	16	NA	100	100
D Meanders	Outer bend in state of limited/controlled erosion	12	16	NA	75	
Di Moundoi e	Of those eroding, # w/concomitant point bar formation	0	4	NA		
	3. Apparent Rc within spec	16	16	NA	100	
	Sufficient floodplain access and relief	16	16	NA	100	92
E. Bed	General channel bed aggradation areas (bar formation)	NA	NA	0/0	100	
(General)	2. Channel bed degradation – areas of increasing downcutting or			- /		
	head cutting	NA	NA	2/60	96	98
F. Bank	Actively eroding, wasting, or slumping bank	NA	NA	10/161	90	90
G. Vanes	1. Free of back or arm scour	15	18	NA	83	
	2. Height appropriate	18	18	NA	100	
	3. Angle and geometry appear appropriate	18	18	NA	100	00
	4. Free of piping or other structural failures	18	18	NA	100	96
H. Wads/	1. Free of scour	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Boulders	2. Footing stable	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

## B.5. Qualitative Visual Stability Assessment Table - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139 Downstream Reach (1525 feet)

Feature	Metric (per As-built and reference baselines)	(# Stable)	Total	Total	Percent	Feature
Category		Number	Number	Number/	Performing	•
		Performing	per As-	feet in	in Stable	Mean (%)
		as Intended	built	Unstable	Condition	
A. Riffles	1. Present	10	10	State NA	100	
A. Killies	2. Armor stable	10	10	NA NA	100	•
	3. Facet grade appears stable	10	10	NA NA	100	·
	4. Minimal evidence of embedding/fining	5	10	NA NA	50	
	5. Length appropriate	7	10	NA	70	84
	or zongan appropriate					
B. Pools	1. Present	11	12	NA	92	•
	2. Sufficiently deep	10	12	NA	83	
	3. Length appropriate	8	12	NA	67	81
C. Thalweg	Upstream of meander bend (run/inflection) centering	5	7	NA	71	
C. Illaiweg	Downstream of meander (glide/inflection) centering	<u>5</u>	7	NA NA	71	71
	2. Downstream of meander (glide/inflection) centering	<u> </u>	'	11/1	, ,	, .
D. Meanders	Outer bend in state of limited/controlled erosion	5	7	NA	71	
	2. Of those eroding, # w/concomitant point bar formation	0	2	NA		
	3. Apparent Rc within spec	5	7	NA	71	•
	4. Sufficient floodplain access and relief	7	7	NA	100	81
E. Bed	General channel bed aggradation areas (bar formation)	NA	NA	0	100	
(General)	2. Channel bed degradation – areas of increasing downcutting or					•
	head cutting	NA	NA	2/30	98	99
F. Bank	Actively eroding, wasting, or slumping bank	NA	NA	7/140	91	91
G. Vanes	1. Free of back or arm scour	12	14	NA	86	
	2. Height appropriate	13	14	NA	93	
	3. Angle and geometry appear appropriate	14	14	NA	100	
	4. Free of piping or other structural failures	14	14	NA	100	95
H. Wads/	1. Free of scour	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Boulders	2. Footing stable	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

#### B.6. Cross Section Plots with Annual Overlays - Forest Hills/Third Fork Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

River Basin:	Cape Fear
Watershed:	Third Fork Creek
XS ID	XS 1 (riffle)
Reach:	Upstream
Date:	6/3/2009
Field Crew:	J. O'Neal, S. Doig

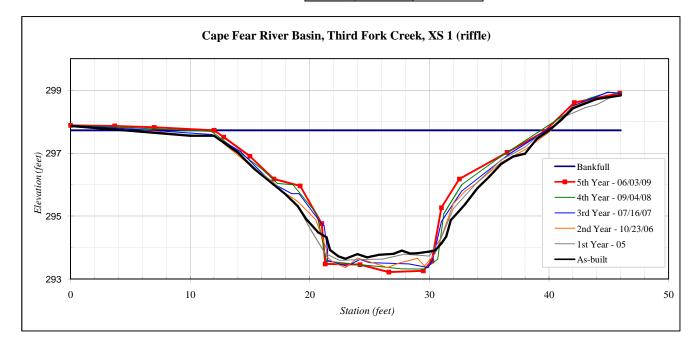
Station	Elevation	
0	297.88	
3.7	297.86	
7	297.82	
12	297.72	
12.8	297.51	
15	296.9	
17	296.18	
19.2	295.96	
21	294.76	
21.3	293.48	
24.2	293.46	
26.6	293.22	
29.5	293.26	
30.2	293.57	
31	295.27	
32.5	296.18	
36.5	297.02	
39.60	297.68	
42.1	298.6	
45.9	298.9	

SUMMARY DATA	
Floodprone Elevation (ft)	302.22
Bankfull Elevation (ft)	297.72
Floodprone Width (ft)	240.00
Bankfull Width (ft)	27.71
Entrenchment Ratio	8.66
Mean Depth (ft)	2.26
Maximum Depth (ft)	4.50
Width/Depth Ratio	12.26
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	62.64
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	30.91
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	2.03



View of cross-section #1 looking downstream

Stream Type: C5



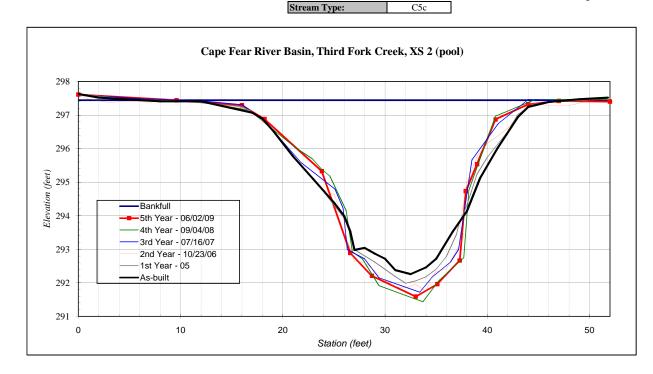
River Basin:	Cape Fear
Watershed:	Third Fork Creek
XS ID	XS 2 (pool)
Reach:	Upstream
Date:	6/2/2009
Field Crew:	J. O'Neal, S. Doig

Station	Elevation
0.00	297.61
9.60	297.44
16.00	297.29
18.20	296.88
23.80	295.33
26.60	292.89
28.70	292.21
33.00	291.59
35.10	291.96
37.30	292.67
37.90	294.73
39.00	295.54
40.80	296.87
44.00	297.32
47.00	297.42
52.00	297.4

SUMMARY DATA	
Floodprone Elevation (ft)	303.29
Bankfull Elevation (ft)	297.44
Floodprone Width (ft)	240
Bankfull Width (ft)	37.4
Entrenchment Ratio	6.42
Mean Depth (ft)	2.24
Maximum Depth (ft)	5.85
Width/Depth Ratio	16.72
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	83.64
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	41.16
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	2.03



View of cross-section #2 looking downstream



#### B.6. Cross Section Plots with Annual Overlays - Forest Hills/Third Fork Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

River Basin:	Cape Fear
Watershed:	Third Fork Creek
XS ID	XS 3 (riffle)
Reach:	Downstream
Date:	9/5/2008
Field Crew:	J. O'Neal, S. Doig

Station	Elevation
0	293.06
1.1	292.89
5	292.74
7.4	292.55
10.5	292.01
12	290.63
14.3	288.5
16	287.62
17.8	287.45
20.1	287.96
22.7	288.01
24	288.6
26	290.96
27.5	291.17
27.8	290.72
29.1	290.76
32.4	292.3
48	292.43

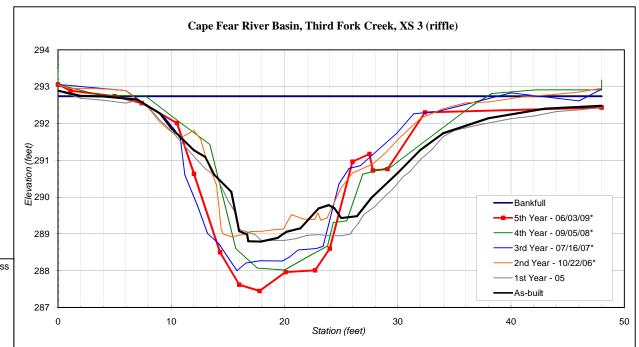
SUMMARY DATA	
Floodprone Elevation (ft)	298.03
Bankfull Elevation (ft)	292.74
Floodprone Width (ft)	240.00
Bankfull Width (ft)	27.40
Entrenchment Ratio	8.76
Mean Depth (ft)	2.69
Maximum Depth (ft)	5.29
Width/Depth Ratio	10.19
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	73.68
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	31.36
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	2.35



View of cross-section #3 looking downstream

Stream Type:

E5



\*the original (as-built and 1st year) cross section was not relocated in 2006. Subsequent years' data represent relocation based best professional judgment, which appropriately approximates the original location.

#### B.6. Cross Section Plots with Annual Overlays - Forest Hills/Third Fork Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

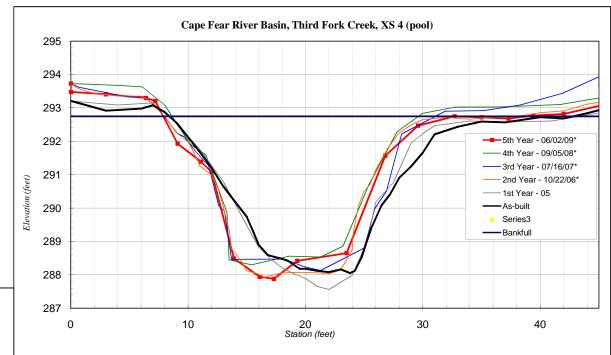
River Basin:	Cape Fear
Watershed:	Third Fork Creek
XS ID	XS 4 (pool)
Reach:	Downstream
Date:	6/2/2009
Field Crew:	J. O'Neal, S. Doig

Station	Elevation
0	293.73
0	293.48
3	293.41
6.4	293.3
7.2	293.21
9.1	291.93
11.1	291.39
12	291.08
13.9	288.49
16.1	287.94
17.3	287.88
19.3	288.42
23.5	288.65
26.8	291.57
29.6	292.47
32.7	292.75
35	292.72
37.30	292.68
39.4	292.77
42	292.82
45.1	293.07
45.1	293.28

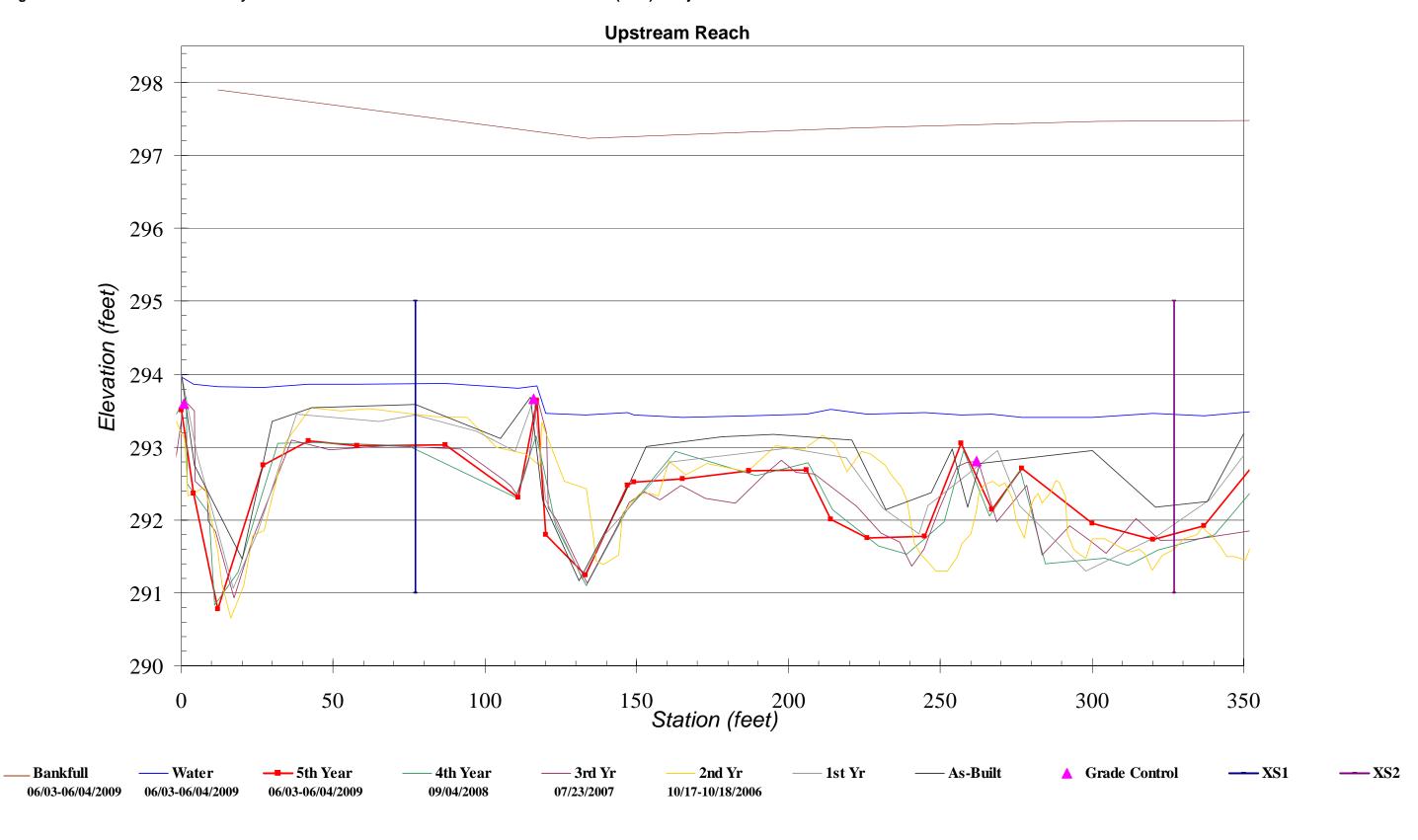
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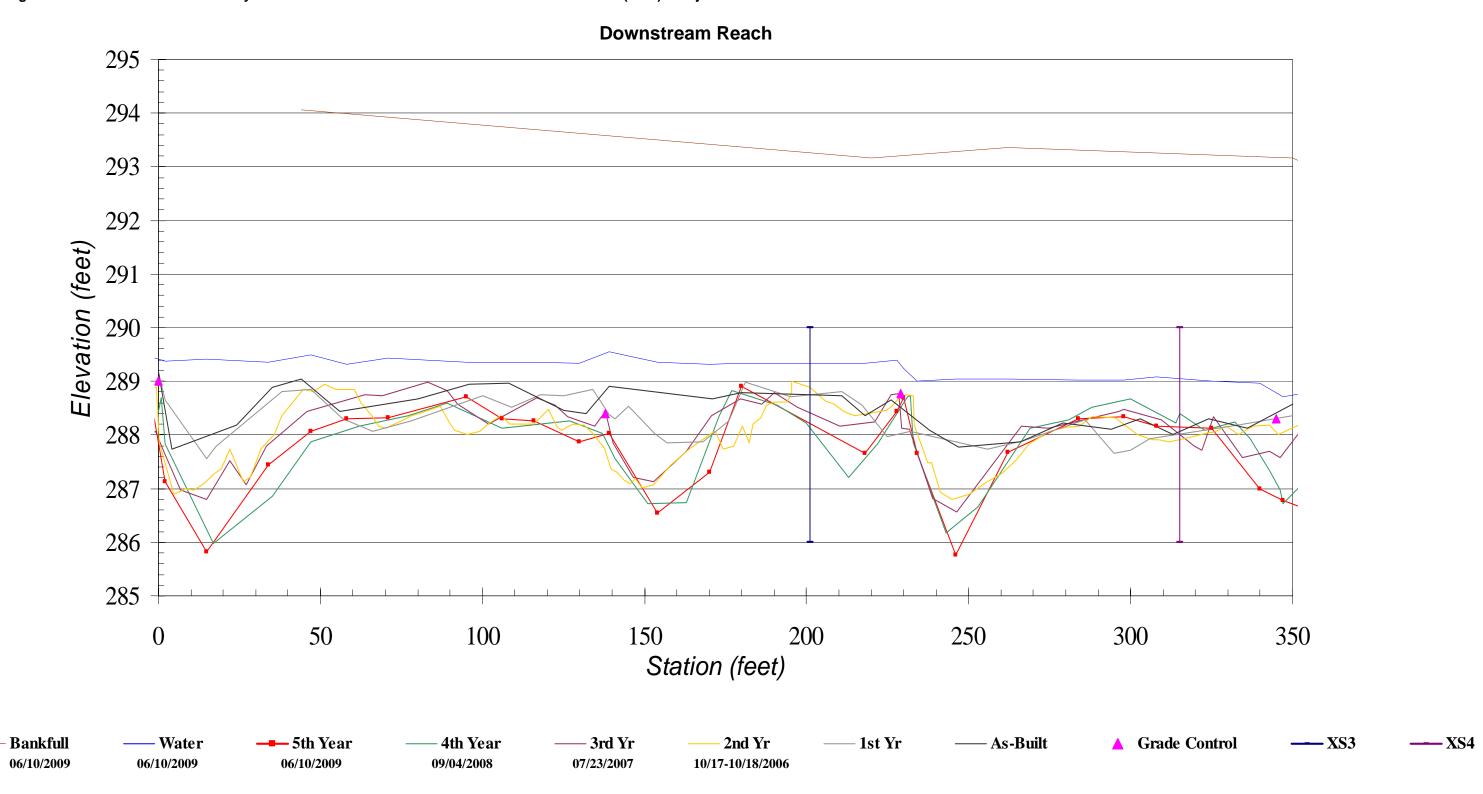


Stream Type: E5



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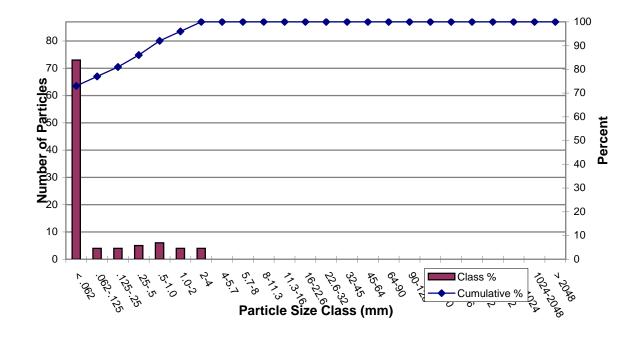
B.8. Pebble Counts - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

Cross Section One

	Particle	Size Range (mm)	Total #	Class %	Cumulative %
S/C	Silt/Clay	< .062	73	73	73
Sand	Very Fine Sand	.062125	4	4	77
	Fine Sand	.12525	4	4	81
	Medium Sand	.255	5	5	86
Ø	Coarse Sand	.5-1.0	6	6	92
	Very Course Sand	1.0-2	4	4	96
	Very Fine Gravel	2-4	4	4	100
	Fine Gravel	4-5.7		0	100
	Fine Gravel	5.7-8		0	100
<b>e</b>	Medium Gravel	8-11.3		0	100
Gravel	Medium Gravel	11.3-16		0	100
Ū	Coarse Gravel	16-22.6		0	100
	Coarse Gravel	22.6-32		0	100
	Very Course Gravel	32-45		0	100
	Very Course Gravel	45-64		0	100
4)	Small Cobble	64-90		0	100
Cobble	Small Cobble	90-128		0	100
<b>7</b> 0	Medium Cobble	128-180		0	100
	Large Cobble	180-256		0	100
Boulder	Small Boulders	256-362		0	100
	Small Boulders	362-512		0	100
	Medium Boulders	512-1024		0	100
	Large Boulders	1024-2048		0	100
	Bedrock	> 2048		0	100

 $d_{50} = 0.04 \text{ mm}$  $d_{84} = 0.40 \text{ mm}$ 

Total 100



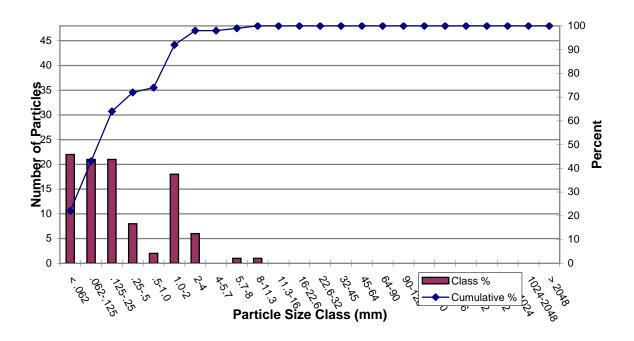
B.8. Pebble Counts - Forest Hills/Third Fork Creek Stream Restoration - MY5 (2009) - Project #139

Cross Section Two

	Particle	Size Range (mm)	Total #	Class %	<b>Cumulative %</b>
S/C	Silt/Clay	< .062	22	22	22
	Very Fine Sand	.062125	21	21	43
7	Fine Sand	.12525	21	21	64
Sand	Medium Sand	.255	8	8	72
S	Coarse Sand	.5-1.0	2	2	74
	Very Course Sand	1.0-2	18	18	92
	Very Fine Gravel	2-4	6	6	98
	Fine Gravel	4-5.7		0	98
	Fine Gravel	5.7-8	1	1	99
<b>'e</b>	Medium Gravel	8-11.3	1	1	100
Gravel	Medium Gravel	11.3-16		0	100
J	Coarse Gravel	16-22.6		0	100
	Coarse Gravel	22.6-32		0	100
	Very Course Gravel	32-45		0	100
	Very Course Gravel	45-64		0	100
	Small Cobble	64-90		0	100
Cobble	Small Cobble	90-128		0	100
<b>7</b> 5	Medium Cobble	128-180		0	100
	Large Cobble	180-256		0	100
	Small Boulders	256-362		0	100
Boulder	Small Boulders	362-512		0	100
	Medium Boulders	512-1024		0	100
	Large Boulders	1024-2048		0	100
	Bedrock	> 2048		0	100

 $d_{50} = 0.17 \text{ mm}$  $d_{84} = 1.56 \text{ mm}$ 

Total 100



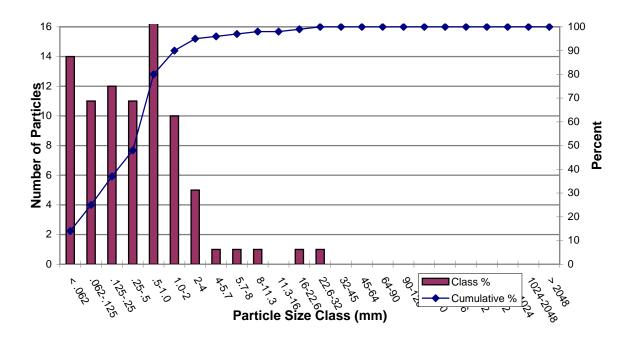
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Cross Section Three

	Particle	Size Range (mm)	Total #	Class %	Cumulative %
S/C	Silt/Clay	< .062	14	14	14
Sand	Very Fine Sand	.062125	11	11	25
	Fine Sand	.12525	12	12	37
	Medium Sand	.255	11	11	48
Ø	Coarse Sand	.5-1.0	32	32	80
	Very Course Sand	1.0-2	10	10	90
-	Very Fine Gravel	2-4	5	5	95
	Fine Gravel	4-5.7	1	1	96
	Fine Gravel	5.7-8	1	1	97
<b>e</b>	Medium Gravel	8-11.3	1	1	98
Gravel	Medium Gravel	11.3-16		0	98
Ū	Coarse Gravel	16-22.6	1	1	99
	Coarse Gravel	22.6-32	1	1	100
	Very Course Gravel	32-45		0	100
	Very Course Gravel	45-64		0	100
4)	Small Cobble	64-90		0	100
Cobble	Small Cobble	90-128		0	100
<b>.</b>	Medium Cobble	128-180		0	100
	Large Cobble	180-256		0	100
Boulder	Small Boulders	256-362		0	100
	Small Boulders	362-512		0	100
	Medium Boulders	512-1024		0	100
	Large Boulders	1024-2048		0	100
	Bedrock	> 2048		0	100

 $d_{50} = 0.06 \text{ mm}$  $d_{84} = 0.45 \text{ mm}$ 

Total 100



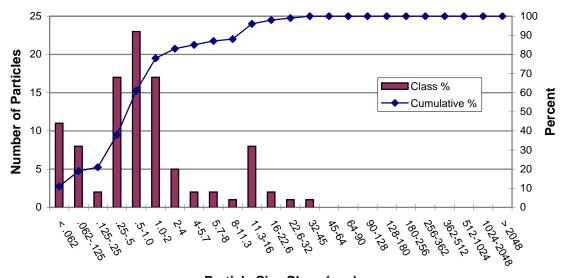
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Cross Section Four

	Particle	Size Range (mm)	Total #	Class %	Cumulative %
S/C	Silt/Clay	< .062	11	11	11
Sand	Very Fine Sand	.062125	8	8	19
	Fine Sand	.12525	2	2	21
	Medium Sand	.255	17	17	38
<b>%</b>	Coarse Sand	.5-1.0	23	23	61
	Very Course Sand	1.0-2	17	17	78
	Very Fine Gravel	2-4	5	5	83
	Fine Gravel	4-5.7	2	2	85
	Fine Gravel	5.7-8	2	2	87
'el	Medium Gravel	8-11.3	1	1	88
Gravel	Medium Gravel	11.3-16	8	8	96
5	Coarse Gravel	16-22.6	2	2	98
	Coarse Gravel	22.6-32	1	1	99
	Very Course Gravel	32-45	1	1	100
	Very Course Gravel	45-64		0	100
	Small Cobble	64-90		0	100
Cobble	Small Cobble	90-128		0	100
Ço.	Medium Cobble	128-180		0	100
	Large Cobble	180-256		0	100
Boulder	Small Boulders	256-362		0	100
	Small Boulders	362-512		0	100
	Medium Boulders	512-1024		0	100
	Large Boulders	1024-2048		0	100
	Bedrock	> 2048		0	100

 $d_{50} = 0.76 \text{ mm}$  $d_{84} = 4.85 \text{ mm}$ 

Total 100



Particle Size Class (mm)