

# MONITORING YEAR 5 ANNUAL REPORT

Final

## HENRY FORK MITIGATION SITE

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Catawba River Basin HUC 03050103 Expanded Service Area

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Signature Date of Official Approving Credit Release

1 - For NCDMS, no credits are released during the first milestone

2 - For NCDMS projects, the initial credit release milestone occurs automatically when the as-built report (baseline monitoring report) has been made available to the IRT by posting it to the DMS portal, provided the following have been met:

1) Approved of Final Mitigation Plan

2) Recordation of the preservation mechanism, as well as a title opinion acceptable to the USACE covering the property.

3) Completion of all physical and biological improvements to the mitigation site pursuant to the mitigation plan.

4) Receipt of necessary DA permit authorization or written DA approval for projects where DA permit issuance is not required.

3 - A 10% reserve of credits is to be held back until the bankfull event performance standard has been met.

Credit Release Milestone		Cool Stream Credits							
Project Credits	Scheduled Releases %	Proposed Releases %	Proposed Released #	Not Approved # Releases	Approved Credits	Anticipated Release Year	Actual Release Date		
1 - Site Establishment	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
2 - Year 0 / As-Built	30.00%	30.00%	1,451.500	0.000	1,451.500	2016	6/24/2016		
3 - Year 1 Monitoring	10.00%	10.00%	480.767	9.200	471.567	2017	10/20/2017		
4 - Year 2 Monitoring	10.00%	10.00%	480.767	0.000	480.767	2018	4/25/2018		
5 - Year 3 Monitoring	10.00%	10.00%	480.767	0.000	480.767	2019	4/26/2019		
6 - Year 4 Monitoring	5.00%	5.00%	240.383	0.000	240.383	2020	4/20/2020		
7 - Year 5 Monitoring	10.00%					2021			
8 - Year 6 Monitoring	5.00%					2022			
9 - Year 7 Monitoring	10.00%					2023			
Stream Bankfull Standard	10.00%	10.00%	480.767	0.000	480.767	2018	4/25/2018		
	•	•	Totals	0.000	3,605.751		•		

Total Gross Credits	4,807.667
Total Unrealized Credits to Date	0.000
Total Released Credits to Date	3,605.751
Total Percentage Released	85.00%
Remaining Unreleased Credits	1,201.916

Credit Release Milestone		Riparian Credits							
Project Credits	Scheduled Releases %	Proposed Releases %	Proposed Released #	Not Approved # Releases	Approved Credits	Anticipated Release Year	Actual Release Date		
1 - Site Establishment	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
2 - Year 0 / As-Built	30.00%	30.00%	1.265	0.000	1.265	2016	6/24/2016		
3 - Year 1 Monitoring	10.00%	10.00%	0.422	0.000	0.422	2017	10/20/201		
4 - Year 2 Monitoring	10.00%	10.00%	0.422	0.000	0.422	2018	4/25/2018		
5 - Year 3 Monitoring	15.00%	15.00%	0.633	0.000	0.633	2019	4/26/2019		
6 - Year 4 Monitoring	5.00%	5.00%	0.211	0.000	0.211	2020	4/20/2020		
7 - Year 5 Monitoring	15.00%					2021			
8 - Year 6 Monitoring	5.00%					2022			
9 - Year 7 Monitoring	10.00%					2023			
Stream Bankfull Standard	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
	•		Totals	0.000	2.953		•		

Total Gross Credits	4.222
Total Unrealized Credits to Date	0.000
Total Released Credits to Date	2.953
Total Percentage Released	69.94%
Remaining Unreleased Credits	1.269

#### Notes

10/20/2017: Adjustment required due to IRT concerns on how the as-built credits were calculcated

#### Contingencies (if any)

#### **Project Quantities**

Mitigation Type	Restoration Type	Physical Quantity
Cool Stream	Restoration	3,057.000
Cool Stream	Enhancement I	2,626.000
Riparian	Restoration	3.965
Riparian	Enhancement	0.681

Debits							Stream Restoration Credits	Riparian Restoration	Riparian Restoration Equivalent Credits
Beginning Balance (	ginning Balance (mitigation credits)							3.880	0.342
eleased Credits							3,605.751	2.714	0.239
Unrealized Credits	Unrealized Credits							0.000	0.000
Owning Program	wning Program Req. Id TIP # Project Name USACE DWR Permit DCM Permit Permit # # #								
NCDOT Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-006006		SR 1922 - Bridge 119 - Division 13	2014-00081			124.000		
NCDOT Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-007286	B-5398	Bridge 21 on SR 1803	2016-01344			62.000		
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-003097		US 521 Landfill (Foxhole)	2005-31884	2005-0893			0.608	
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-003217		Bromley	2006-41599- 390	2006-1849			0.039	
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-003783		Midwood Phase II (Firth Court Redevelopment)	2005-30123	2004-1615			0.345	
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-004107		Johnston Road Widening/Ballentine Road	2000-30479	2000-0162			0.110	
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-005039		Wilkinson Blvd Parking Decks	2009-03090	2000-1195			0.031	
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-005039		Wilkinson Blvd Parking Decks	2009-03090	2000-1195			1.014	
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-005039		Wilkinson Blvd Parking Decks	2009-03090	2000-1195			0.345	
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-003217		Bromley	2006-41599- 390	2006-1849				0.013
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-004107		Johnston Road Widening/Ballentine Road	2000-30479	2000-0162				0.100
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-005039		Wilkinson Blvd Parking Decks	2009-03090	2000-1195				0.034
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-005075		Silverlanding	2009-00940	2009-0544				0.038
Statewide Stream & Wetland ILF Program	REQ-005075		Silverlanding	2009-00940	2009-0544				0.036
Total Credits Debite	Total Credits Debited						186.000	2.492	0.221
Remaining Available	e balance (Relea	ased credits)					3,419.751	0.222	0.018
Remaining balance	(Unreleased cre	dits)					1,201.916	1.166	0.103

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January 8, 2021

Mr. Matthew Reid Western Project Manager Division of Mitigation Services 5 Ravenscroft Dr., Suite 102 Asheville, NC 28801

RE: Response to MY5 Draft Report Comments Henry Fork Mitigation Project DMS Project # 96306 Contract Number 005782 RFP Number 16-005298 Catawba River Basin – CU# 03050103 Expanded Service Area Catawba County, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Reid:

Wildlands Engineering, Inc. (Wildlands) has reviewed the Division of Mitigation Services (DMS) comments from the Draft Monitoring Year 5 report for the Henry Fork Mitigation Project. DMS's comments are noted below in **bold**. Wildlands' responses to those comments are noted in *italics*.

DMS comment: Please add the following information to the title page:

- O USACE # 2014-00538
- **DWR # 20140193**

Wildlands response: The USACE and DWR numbers have been added to the title page.

DMS comment: Executive Summary: Please update the WMUs from 4.221 to 4.222. This is the official WMU total used on the debit ledgers.

Wildlands response: The WMUs have been updated from 4.221 and 4.222 in the Executive Summary and Project Overview. Table 1 was also updated with the official WMU total used on the debit ledgers.

DMS comment: Vegetation Areas of Concern: The report indicates a supplemental planting occurred in March 2020. Please include a brief description of the supplemental planting effort. Include approximate number of bare roots, live stakes, or containerized plants that were installed and the approximate acreage of the replant area.

*Wildlands response: Text was added to section 1.2.5 to describe the supplemental planting effort that occurred in March 2020.* 

DMS comment: Wetlands: GWG 8 has failed to meet success criteria for five monitoring years. Please update the report with the acreage of wetland re-establishment that is at risk of not meeting success criteria. Please be prepared to discuss this area during the 2020 credit release meeting.



Wildlands response: Text has been added to section 1.2.5 indicating the acreage of wetland reestablishment that is at risk of not meeting criteria. A map figure showing this at risk area has been included in Appendix 6. Wildlands will be prepared to discuss this area during the 2020 credit release meeting.

DMS comment: The report discusses the wetland addendum letter submitted to DMS on October 6, 2020 and includes the letter in the appendix. Please also include that the IRT responded on October 28, 2020 with several concerns regarding the addendum and include the IRT email in the appendix. Please also note that the wetland addendum request is not resolved at this point.

Wildlands response: The IRT comments from October 28, 2020 and the subsequent email responses from Wildlands have been included in Appendix 6. It is noted in the report text that the wetland addendum request has not been resolved at the time of the annual monitoring report submittal.

DMS comment: Groundwater Gage Plots: The note at the bottom of the graphs regarding the barotroll malfunction is unclear. It says the data collected during the February and April 16-17 malfunctions were omitted, but then then says the readings conducted during April 16-22 was verified and included. Is the April 16 date in the verified statement supposed to be April 21? Please review and revise as necessary.

Wildlands response: The note at the bottom of the groundwater gage plots has been revised and simplified to indicate that the data collected during the February and April malfunctions was omitted from the reported data.

DMS comment: All but GWG 8 are meeting success criteria; however, most are meeting the success criteria using the barotroll from another site. Are any of the gages meeting the 8.5% or 20 consecutive day success criteria earlier in the growing season before the barotroll failure? Please be prepared to discuss how the barotroll is used to calibrate data and the effects of using one from offsite during the credit release meeting.

Wildlands response: All the GWGs, except GWG 8, had additional intervals of meeting the 20 consecutive day success criteria earlier in the growing season before the onsite barotroll failure on August 1, 2020:

GWG 1: 3/20 to 4/8 (20 consecutive days) GWG 2: 3/20 to 4/10 (22 consecutive days) GWG 3: 3/20 to 4/10 (22 consecutive days) GWG 4: 4/23 to 6/7 (45 consecutive days) GWG 5: 4/23 to 8/1 (100 consecutive days) GWG 6: 4/23 to 7/17 (85 consecutive days) GWG 7: 4/23 to 5/15 (22 consecutive days) GWG 9: 4/23 to 7/2 (70 consecutive days) GWG 10: 4/23 to 8/1 (100 consecutive days) GWG 11: 4/23 to 6/7 (45 consecutive days) GWG 12: 3/20 to 4/16 (28 consecutive days) GWG 13: 4/23 to 8/1 (100 consecutive days) GWG 13: 4/23 to 5/16 (23 consecutive days) GWG 14: 4/23 to 5/16 (22 consecutive days)



Wildlands will be prepared at the 2020 credit release meeting to discuss that the barotroll is used to calibrate the groundwater gage pressure based on the local atmospheric pressure. The positive pressure difference is then used to calculate the depth of water above the groundwater gage sensor. In addition, the offsite barotroll data (Owl's Den Mitigation Site) that was used after 8/1/2020 was plotted against the onsite barotroll data available earlier in the year with the sites' elevation difference taken into account to verify that the offsite barotroll was an appropriate substitution to use.

#### **Digital Files Review**

DMS comment: The stream gauge data excel spreadsheet will not open, which is likely caused by macros. Please resubmit these data in excel, ensuring that the spreadsheet can be open.

Wildlands response: Wildlands is able to open the stream gage data spreadsheet that was provided to DMS in the electronic support files. There is a large amount of data associated with the stream gages since they are programmed to collect measurements every 30 minutes. Therefore, the stream gage spreadsheet usually requires more time than a typical excel file to fully open.

Enclosed please find one (1) hard copies and one (1) electronic copy on CD of the Final Monitoring Report. Please contact me at 828-545-3865 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Wildlands Engineering Inc. (Wildlands) implemented a full delivery project at the Henry Fork Mitigation Site (Site) for the North Carolina Division of Mitigation Services (DMS) to restore 3,057 linear feet (LF) of perennial streams and enhance 2,626 LF of intermittent streams, enhance 0.68 acres of existing wetlands, rehabilitate 0.25 acres of existing wetlands, and re-establish 3.71 acres of wetlands in Catawba County, NC. The Site is expected to generate 4,807.667 stream mitigation units (SMUs) and 4.222 wetland mitigation units (WMUs) (Table 1). The Site is located near the City of Hickory in Catawba County, NC, in the Catawba River Basin eight-digit Cataloging Unit (CU) 03050102 and the 14-digit Hydrologic Unit Code (HUC) 03050102010030 (Figure 1).

The project's compensatory mitigation credits will be used in accordance with the In-Lieu Fee (ILF) Program Instrument dated July 28, 2010, the expanded service area as defined under the September 12, 2006 PACG memorandum, and/or DMS acceptance and regulatory permit conditions associated with DMS ILF requirements. Hydrologic Unit Code (HUC) 03050102010030, Lower Henry Fork, was identified as a Targeted Local Watershed (TLW) in DMS' 2007 Catawba River Basin Restoration Priority (RBRP) Plan. The project streams consist of four unnamed tributaries (UTs) to the Henry Fork River on the site of a former golf course, referred to herein as UT1, UT2, UT1A, and UT1B (Figure 2). The project also consists of several wetland restoration components, as well as buffer planting along Henry Fork. The project watershed consists of agricultural, forested, and residential land uses.

The project goals established in the Mitigation Plan (Wildlands, 2015) were completed with careful consideration of goals and objectives that were described in the RBRP and to meet DMS mitigation needs while maximizing the ecological and water quality uplift within the watershed. The established project goals include:

- Permanently protect the project site from harmful uses;
- Correct modifications to streams, wetlands, and buffers;
- Improve and re-establish hydrology and function of previously cleared wetlands;
- Reduce current erosion and sedimentation;
- Reduce nutrient inputs to streams and wetlands and downstream water bodies;
- Improve instream habitat; and
- Provide and improve terrestrial habitat and native floodplain forest.

The Site construction and as-built surveys were completed between November 2015 and March 2016. Monitoring Year (MY) 5 assessments and site visits were completed between January and November 2020.

Overall, the Site has met the required stream and vegetation success criteria for MY5. Geomorphic surveys indicate that cross-section bankfull dimensions closely match the baseline with minor deviations due to natural sediment transport processes, and streams are functioning as intended. All project streams recorded at least one bankfull event or greater in MY5. The bankfull performance standard had been met for the Site in MY4. The vegetation assessment resulted in an average planted stem density of 564 stems per acre and is exceeding the interim success criterion of 260 stems per acre for MY5 and on track to meet the performance criteria of 210 stems per acre in MY7. In addition, all fifteen vegetation plots exceeded this requirement. Fourteen of the fifteen groundwater monitoring gages installed on the Site met or exceeded the hydrologic success criteria for MY5. The MY5 visual assessment revealed a few areas of concern including pockets of invasive plant species and areas of low stem growth. Areas of concern will continue to be monitored and adaptive management will be performed as needed.



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Monitoring Year 5 Annual Report

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# Section 1: PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Site is located near the City of Hickory in Catawba County, NC, in the Catawba River Basin eight-digit CU 03050102 and the 14-digit HUC 03050102010030 (Figure 1). Access to the Site is via Mountain View Road, approximately one mile southwest of Hickory, North Carolina. Situated in the Inner Piedmont Belt of the Piedmont Physiographic Province (USGS, 1998), the project watershed consists of agricultural, forested, and residential land uses. The drainage area for the Site is 178 acres (0.28 square miles).

The project streams consist of four unnamed tributaries (UTs) to the Henry Fork River on the site of a former golf course, referred to herein as UT1, UT2, UT1A, and UT1B. Stream restoration reaches included UT1 (Reach 1 and 2) and UT1B, together comprising 3,057 LF of perennial stream channel. Stream enhancement reaches included UT1A and UT2, together totaling 2,626 LF. Stream enhancement activities for UT1A and UT2 were the same as for restoration reaches; however, the tributaries are intermittent and were credited as enhancement. The riparian areas of the tributaries, as well as a 100-foot wide buffer along the project side of Henry Fork, were planted with native vegetation to improve habitat and protect water quality. Wetland components included enhancement of 0.68 acres of existing wetlands, rehabilitation of 0.25 acres of existing wetlands and re-establishment of 3.71 acres of wetlands.

Construction activities were completed by Land Mechanic Designs, Inc. in March 2016. Planting and seeding activities were completed by Bruton Natural Systems, Inc. in March 2016. A conservation easement has been recorded and is in place on 48.06 acres (Deed Book 03247, Page Number 0476-0488) within a tract owned by WEI-Henry Fork, LLC. The project is expected to generate 4,807.667 SMUs and 4.222 WMUs. Annual monitoring will be conducted for seven years. Close-out is anticipated to commence in 2023 given the success criteria are met. Appendix 1 provides more detailed project activity, history, contact information, and watershed/site background information for this project.

Directions and a map of the Site are provided in Figure 1 and project components are illustrated for the Site in Figure 2.

## 1.1 Project Goals and Objectives

This Site is intended to provide numerous ecological benefits within the Catawba River Basin. The Site will help meet the goals for the watershed outlined in the RBRP and provide numerous ecological benefits within the Catawba River Basin. While many of these benefits are limited to the Henry Fork project area, others, such as pollutant removal, reduced sediment loading, and improved aquatic and terrestrial habitat, have farther-reaching effects. Expected improvements to water quality and ecological processes are outlined below as project goals and objectives. These project goals established were completed with careful consideration of goals and objectives that were described in the RBRP and to meet the DMS mitigation needs while maximizing the ecological and water quality uplift within the watershed.

The following project specific goals established in the Mitigation Plan (Wildlands, 2015) include:

- Permanently protect the project site from harmful uses; and
- Correct modifications to streams, wetlands and buffers;
- Improve and re-establish hydrology and function of previously cleared wetlands;
- Reduce current erosion and sedimentation;
- Reduce nutrient inputs to streams and wetlands, and to downstream water bodies;
- Improve instream habitat; and
- Provide and improve terrestrial habitat and native floodplain forest.



The project goals were addressed through the following project objectives:

- Decommissioning the existing golf course and establishing a conservation easement on the Site will eliminate direct chemical fertilizer, pesticide, and herbicide inputs;
- Resizing and realigning channels to address stream dredging and ditching. Planting native woody species in riparian zones which have been maintained through mowing. By correcting these prior modifications, the channels and floodplains will provide a suite of hydrologic and biological function;
- Restoring appropriate stream dimensions and juxtaposition of streams and wetlands on the landscape. Wetlands will be enhanced through more frequent overbank flooding, and by reducing the drawdown effect that current ditched channels have on wetland hydrology; thereby, enhancing wetland connectivity to the local water table. The project will extend existing wetland zones into adjacent areas and support wetland functions;
- Removing historic overburden to uncover relic hydric soils. Roughen wetland re-establishment. Restore streams for wetland benefit. Each of these will bring local water table elevations closer to the ground surface. Create overbank flooding and depressional storage for overland and overbank flow retention. Decrease direct runoff, and increase infiltration;
- Planting a native vegetation community on the Site to revegetate the riparian buffers and wetlands. Conduct soil restoration through topsoil harvesting and reapplication and leaf litter harvesting and application from adjacent forested areas. This will return functions associated with buffers and forested floodplains, as well as enhance soil productivity and bring native biological activity and seed into the disturbed areas;
- Constructing diverse and stable channel form with varied stream bedform and installing habitat features, along with removing culverts. These will allow aquatic habitat quality and connectivity enhancement; and
- Placing a portion of the right bank Henry Fork floodplain under a conservation easement, and planting all stream buffers and wetlands with native species. Creating a 100-foot wide corridor of wooded riparian buffer along that top right bank area and re-establishing native plant communities and habitat connectivity within Site to adjoining natural areas along the river corridor.

## 1.2 Monitoring Year 5 Data Assessment

Annual monitoring was conducted between January and November 2020 to assess the condition of the project. The stream, vegetation, and hydrologic success criteria for the Site follows the approved success criteria presented in the Henry Fork Mitigation Plan (Wildlands, 2015).

## 1.2.1 Stream Assessment

Morphological surveys for MY5 were conducted in April and June 2020. Throughout the Site, the crosssection survey results indicate that channel dimensions are stable and continuing to function with minimal adjustments. Along UT1 Reach 1 and Reach 2, the establishment of juncus/herbaceous vegetation along the edge of water (XS1, XS4, and XS5 riffles) is causing the channel to narrow somewhat; however, this is not an indicator of instability. The pool max depth has decreased since asbuilt for the XS2 along UT1 Reach 1 but does not seem to be representative to the pools in this reach. Cross-sections along UT1A display some deposition with decreased cross-sectional areas but have maintained max depths and are still functioning as a single thread channel. Similarly, along UT1B, crosssections show some deposition but to a lesser extent than UT1A with minimal change in cross-sectional areas compared to as-built. The cross-sections along UT2 have retained stable dimensions throughout the monitoring period thus far.



In general, MY5 pebble counts in UT1 and UT1B indicate a maintenance of coarser material in the riffle features and finer particles in the pool features. Please refer to Appendix 4 for the cross-section plots, pebble count plots, and morphology summary tables.

## 1.2.2 Stream Hydrology Assessment

At the end of the seven-year monitoring period, two or more bankfull events must have occurred in separate years within the restoration reaches. The success criteria were met for the project after MY4. During MY5, all stream reaches recorded at least one additional bankfull event.

In addition to monitoring bankfull events, intermittent streams must be monitored to demonstrate a minimum of 30 consecutive days of flow during periods of normal rainfall. Stream gages installed on intermittent channels (UT1A and UT2) indicated each stream recorded at least 117 consecutive days of baseflow. The number of consecutive days was likely longer than what is reported due to a malfunction with the on-site barotroll. A new barotroll will be installed on the Site before the start of MY6. The presence of baseflow was also observed in UT1, UT1A, UT1B, and UT2 during each site visit; thereby, confirming recorded stream gage data. Refer to Appendix 5 for hydrology summary data and plots.

## 1.2.3 Vegetative Assessment

A total of 15 vegetation plots (VPs) were established during baseline monitoring within the project easement area using standard 10 by 10 meter plots. Vegetation plots are monitored in accordance with the guidelines and procedures developed by the Carolina Vegetation Survey-EEP Level 2 Protocol (Lee et al., 2008). The final vegetative performance standard will be the survival of 210 planted stems per acre in the planted riparian and wetland corridor at the end of the required seven-year monitoring period. The interim measure of vegetative success for the Site is the survival of at least 260 stems per acre at the end of MY5.

The MY5 vegetative survey was completed in July 2020 and resulted in an average stem density of 564 planted stems per acre for the Site with a range of 445 – 648 planted stems per acre per plot. The Site, as well as all 15 vegetation plots (100%) are exceeding the MY5 density of 260 planted stems per acre. The MY5 average stem height for all plots is about 6 feet. The vegetation plots with the lowest average heights and vigor (health scores) included VP 6, 7, and 11. These vegetation plots are located within or near the wetland re-establishment areas and saturated soil conditions are deterring some stem growth. Please refer to section 1.2.5 for further discussion about areas of low stem vigor/height.

Approximately 81% of the planted stems monitored in vegetation plots are thriving with a health score of 3 or greater. The planted tree species with the highest health scores included willow oak (*Quercus phellos*), river birch (*Betula nigra*), persimmon (*Diospyros virginiana*), and sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*). About 15% of the stems have a vigor of 2 or less indicating some damage is present, and about 1% of the monitored stems were missing in MY5. The poor tree health is a result of suffocation from herbaceous plants or vines, insects, deer, wet or dry soil conditions, or other unknown factors. There was only a stem mortality of 3% between MY3 and MY5 vegetation assessments. Please refer to Appendix 2 for vegetation plot photographs, Current Condition Plant View (CCPV) Figures for vegetation plot locations, and Appendix 3 for vegetation data tables.

## 1.2.4 Wetland Assessment

Following construction, groundwater gages (GWGs) were distributed so that the data collected would provide a reasonable indication of groundwater levels throughout the wetland components on the Site. Additional gages have been added to further refine this data. A gage was established in an adjacent reference wetland and is being utilized to compare with the hydrologic response within the restored wetland areas at the Site. A barotroll logger to measure barometric pressure used in the calculations of

groundwater levels with gage transducer data was installed on the Site. The onsite barotroll quit working on 8/1/2020 so the remaining data was calibrated using the barotroll from a nearby mitigation site (Owl's Den Mitigation Site) which is located in Lincoln, County approximately 15 miles from the Site. A new barotroll will be installed at the beginning of MY6 (2021). The rainfall data is collected from an existing NC CRONOS station (Hickory 4.8 SW, NC). All monitoring gages were downloaded on a quarterly basis and maintained on an as needed basis. A soil temperature gage was also installed on Site in October 2016. Wildlands is using the soil temperature probe data to confirm the dates defined in the WETS table for Burke County, NC, as needed. The WETS growing season is not available for Catawba County; however, a growing season is defined for historic weather data collected at the Hickory Regional Airport in Burke County, which runs from March 20<sup>th</sup> to November 11<sup>th</sup> (237 days in 2020), is being used for hydrologic success. The final performance standard established for wetland hydrology will be a free groundwater surface within 12 inches of the ground surface for 20 consecutive days (8.5%) of the defined growing season under typical precipitation conditions.

In total, there are fifteen GWGs currently installed on the Site. Seven of the groundwater hydrology gages (GWGs) were established during the baseline monitoring within the wetland rehabilitation and reestablishment zones (GWGs 1 - 4 and 6 - 8). During the initial GWG installation, GWG 3 was installed in a seep where hydrology was much stronger than the surrounded area; therefore, Wildlands relocated GWG 3 in January 2017 (MY2) to an area that was more representative of the surrounding wetlands. Wildlands also installed two additional gages (GWG 5 and 9) within the wetland re-establishment areas during 2017 (MY2) in order to further assess wetland performance near where GWGs were not meeting criteria. The transducer for GWG 5 was replaced at the beginning of MY4 due to abnormal data in MY3 and to ensure accurate water level data is being reported. In February and March 2019 (MY4), six additional GWG were added to the Site. Three of the gages (GWG 10 - 12) were installed to better define the wetland re-establishment area within the right floodplain of UT1 Reach 2. The remaining three gages (GWG 13 - 15) were installed in locations adjacent to wetland enhancement areas to provide groundwater data to support the potential expansion of these wetland areas.

Of the fifteen GWGs, fourteen met the success criteria for MY5. Of the gages that met, the percentage of consecutive days of the growing season with ground water levels within the first 12 inches of the ground surface ranged from 11% to 89%. GWG 8 did not meet the success criteria for MY5 with a measured maximum 14 consecutive days during the growing season or four days short of the success criteria. GWGs 5, 10, and 13 achieved the success criteria for at least 89% of the growing season with plots showing similar hydroperiods to one another and indicating comparable groundwater hydrology in those areas. The remainder of the GWG's hydroperiods were like that of the reference gage. Monthly rainfall data in 2020 indicated higher than normal rainfall amounts occurred during the months of January, April, May, June, August, September, and October. Lower than normal rainfall amounts occurred only during the month of March. Please refer to the CCPV Figures 3.0-3.2 in Appendix 2 for the groundwater gage locations and Appendix 5 for groundwater hydrology summary data and plots.

## 1.2.5 Areas of Concern and Adaptive Management Plan

#### **Vegetation**

In MY5, minor areas of invasive plant populations were found within the conservation easement. These species include Japanese honeysuckle (*Lonicera japonica*), multiflora rose (*Rosa multiflora*), Chinese privet (*Ligustrum sinense*), Creeping primrose (*Ludwigia peploides*), Asian spiderwort (*Murdannia keisak*) and kudzu (*Pueraria montana*). Invasive treatments occurred in July and September 2020, particularly focusing on small areas of kudzu and in-stream vegetation and have hindered establishment of those species within the Site. Areas of dense sweet gum (*Liquidambar styraciflua*) populations that were



treated in November 2019 have reduced monocultures of the species and allowed desirable tree species to become established.

Visual and vegetation assessments in MY5 continue to reveal some areas of low stem vigor/height on the lower portion of the Site (UT2 and UT1 Reach 2 floodplains) that are represented by vegetation plots 6, 7, and 11 where plots are exceeding the density performance standard but some of the planted stems display lower vigor and/or stunted heights. However, these areas are showing signs of improvement with desired volunteer species including river birch, sycamore, tag alder (*Alnus serrulata*), and cottonwood (*Populus deltoides*) naturally starting to develop and herbaceous vegetation filling in previously observed bare areas. In March 2020, a supplemental planting effort installed 100 bare roots and 150 1-gallon container plants in approximately 1.5 acres of the Site where low stem vigor/height had been noted.

### <u>Streams</u>

Isolated areas of bank scour along UT1 (near stations 106+00 and 124+75), that were first noted in MY4, were repaired in the August 2019 and January 2020 by regrading and replanting the banks with live stakes and established vegetation transplanted from the floodplain. The repairs have remained stable and effective, even after several large precipitation events in 2020.

The on-site intermittent streams (UT1A and UT2) that received full restoration approach but are credited at a reduced enhancement ratio, have continued to maintain single channel morphology. In previous years, low flow and some vegetation within the channel had been noted along these reaches. Flow was observed during each site visit in MY5. Some deposition was noted along UT1A as observed within the cross-sections, but the stream continues to retain dimensions with minor changes. Similar minor localized aggradation was noted along UT1 Reach 1 downstream of the wetland enhancement area in the footprint of the old pond bed. In March 2020, additional live stakes were planted along the few bank areas that were lacking woody vegetation to improve stream shading. As the woody vegetation continues to become established, the baseflow channel is expected to become stronger and less vegetated.

A few beaver dams were removed at the beginning of MY5 throughout the lower portion of UT1 Reach 2. No beaver dams were observed during the fall 2020 site walk. Though their presence continues to occur, they are less frequent and their effects less severe on the Site. The less frequent impounding of the streams has benefitted the Site by allowing the floodplain vegetation to become established and not backing up flow from tributaries to UT1 (UT1A and UT2). Beaver activity will continue to be monitored and managed until closeout.

## <u>Wetlands</u>

Wetland hydrology continues to be weak in the wetland rehabilitation area at the head of UT2 (GWG 8). As discussed in section 1.2.4, all GWGs except for GWG 8 met or exceeded the success criteria indicating that groundwater levels have continued to recharge in MY5, bolstered by strong winter rainfall totals, as well as above average growing season rainfall. To ensure adequate representation of the hydrology in the wetland re-establishment area upslope of UT1 Reach 2, three additional gages (GWGs 10 - 12) were installed at the beginning of MY4. In addition, GWGs 13 - 15 were added in MY4 adjacent to wetland enhancement areas to provide hydrology data to support the potential expansion of these areas to offset any loss of wetland re-establishment areas where GWGs (GWG 8) are not meeting success criteria.

In September 2020, Wildlands staff determined that approximately 0.051 acres of the wetland reestablishment area, represented by GWG 8, is at risk of not meeting success criteria for wetland hydrology. A wetland addendum letter was submitted to DMS on October 6, 2020 to identify additional



wetland areas that have been created by the project and formally request the inclusion of these created wetland areas for credit in order to offset those identified as at risk. Currently, at the submittal of the Final Henry Fork Mitigation Site's MY5 annual report, the wetland addendum request has not been resolved. A copy of the wetland addendum letter, the 15-day review period comments received from the IRT on October 28, 2020, and Wildlands' responses to the IRT's comments from the 15-day review period, and follow-up response from the IRT are included in Appendix 6.

#### **Conservation Easement**

There is an approved narrow footpath through the easement near vegetation plot 5 for the purpose of frisbee golf that Wildlands has allowed on a conditional basis and to discontinue by the time of closeout. This has continued to be monitored to ensure that it does not violate easement terms or threaten stream assets.

The minor mowing encroachments that were observed in MY1 and MY2 along the floodplain of UT1 Reach 1 have been resolved. While there has been a stop to the encroachment issues, the Site boundary and prior problem areas will continue to be monitored for easement enforcement.

Quarterly site visits will continue to be conducted to monitor and address any areas of concern. If necessary, future adaptive management will be implemented to improve herbaceous cover, treat and control invasive plants, and address hydrology issues. Please refer to Appendix 2 for CCPV Figures 3.0-3.2 for mapped areas of concern.

## 1.3 Monitoring Year 5 Summary

Overall, the Site has met the required stream and vegetation success criteria for MY5. Geomorphic surveys indicate that cross-section bankfull dimensions closely match the baseline with minor deviations due to natural sediment transport processes, and streams are functioning as intended. All project streams recorded at least one bankfull event or greater in MY5. The bankfull performance standard had been met for the Site in MY4. The vegetation assessment resulted in an average planted stem density of 564 stems per acre and is exceeding the interim success criterion of 260 stems per acre for MY5 and on track to meet the performance criteria of 210 stems per acre in MY7. In addition, all fifteen vegetation plots exceeded this requirement. Fourteen of the fifteen groundwater monitoring gages installed on the Site met or exceeded the hydrologic success criteria for MY5. The MY5 visual assessment revealed a few areas of concern including pockets of invasive plant species and areas of low stem growth. Areas of concern will continue to be monitored and adaptive management will be performed as needed.

Summary information and data related to the performance of various project and monitoring elements can be found in the tables and figures in the report appendices. Narrative background and supporting information formerly found in these reports can be found in the Mitigation Plan documents available on DMS's website. All raw data supporting the tables and figures in the appendices are available from DMS upon request.



# Section 2: METHODOLOGY

Geomorphic data were collected following the standards outlined in The Stream Channel Reference Site: An Illustrated Guide to Field Techniques (Harrelson et al., 1994) and in the Stream Restoration: A Natural Channel Design Handbook (Doll et al., 2003). All Integrated Current Condition Mapping was recorded using either a Trimble or Topcon handheld GPS with sub-meter accuracy and processed using Pathfinder and ArcGIS. Crest gages were installed in surveyed riffle cross sections and monitored quarterly. Hydrologic monitoring instrument installation and monitoring methods are in accordance with the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE, 2003) standards. Vegetation monitoring protocols followed the Carolina Vegetation Survey-EEP Level 2 Protocol (Lee et al., 2008).



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APPENDIX 1. General Figures and Tables



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Figure 1 Vicinity Map Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

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Figure 2 Project Component/Asset Map Henry fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

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## Table 1. Project Components and Mitigation Credits

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	MITIGATION CREDITS									
Stream			Riparian Wetland		Non-Riparian Wetland		Buffer	Nitrogen Nutrient Offset	Phosphorous N	lutrient Offset
Type Totals	R 4,807.667	RE N/A	R 3.880	RE 0.342	R N/A	RE N/A			N/A N/A	
Totals	4,007.007	14/14	3.000				IN/A	NA		
	Reach ID Proposed Stationing/ Location*		Existing Footage/ Acreage	Approach	Restoration (R) or Restoration Equivalent		Restoration Footage/Acreage*		Mitigation Ratio	Credits (SMU/WMU)*
STREAMS	UT1 Reach 1 Upper	100+00 to 103+02		P1	Restorati	on		302	1:1	302.000
			1,392							
	UT1 Reach 1 Lower	103+02 to 114+71		P1	Restorati			,169	1:1	1,169.000
	UT1 Reach 2	114+71 to 126+99	1,499	P1/P2	Restorati			,228	1:1	1,228.000
	UT1A	180+00 to 186+57	353	P1	Enhancem	ent		557	1.5:1	438.000
	UT1B	150+00 to 153+58	478	P1	Restorati	on	:	358	1:1	358.000
	UT2	200+00 to 219+69	1,915	P1	Enhancem	ent	1	,969	1.5:1	1,312.667
WETLANDS	Wetland 1	Floodplain near UT1 Reach 2	N/A	Planting, hydrologic improvement	Re-establish	ment	2	2.48	1:1	2.480
	Wetland 2	Floodplain near UT2	N/A	Planting, hydrologic improvement	Re-establish	ment	1	23	1:1	1.230
	Wetland A	Floodplain between UT1 Reach 2 and UT1A	0.18	Planting, hydrologic improvement	Rehabilita	tion	C	0.18	1.5:1	0.120
	Wetland B	Floodplain between UT1 Reach 2 and UT1A	0.01	Planting, hydrologic improvement	Rehabilita	tion	0	.013	1.5:1	0.009
	Wetland C	Floodplain between UT1 Reach 2 and UT1A	0.003	Planting, hydrologic improvement	Rehabilita	tion	0	.003	1.5:1	0.002
	Wetland G	Floodplain near UT1A	0.02	Planting	Enhancem	ent	C	0.02	2:1	0.009
	Wetland H	East hillslope near UT1A	0.06	Planting	Enhancem	ent	(	0.06	2:1	0.028
	Wetland I	East hillslope near UT1A	0.08	Planting	Enhancem	ent	C	0.08	2:1	0.039
	Wetland J	East hillslope near UT1 Reach 2	0.04	Planting	Enhancem	ent	C	0.04	2:1	0.018
	Wetland K	East hillslope near UT1 Reach 2	0.06	Planting	Enhancem	ent	(	0.06	2:1	0.028
	Wetland M	East hillslope near UT1 Reach 2	0.13	Planting	Enhancem	ent	(	0.13	2:1	0.065
	Wetland N	Floodplain towards river from UT2	0.08	Planting	Enhancem	ent	C	0.08	2:1	0.042
	Wetland P	Floodplain upslope of UT2	0.02	Planting	Enhancem	ent	c	0.02	2:1	0.012
	Wetland Q	Floodplain upslope of UT2	0.07	Planting	Enhancem	ent	c	0.07	2:1	0.035
	Wetland R	Floodplain in footprint of Pond 3 near head of UT1 Reach 2	0.06	Significant improvement to wetland functions	Rehabilita	tion	0.06		1.5:1	0.039
	Wetland S	UT1 Reach 1 Valley (Pond 1)	0.16	Planting	Enhancem	ent	C	0.13	2:1	0.066
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COMPONENT SUMMATION									
Restoration Level	Stream (LF) Riparian Wetland (acres) Non-Riparian Wetland (acres) fee				Upland (acres)				
Restoration	3,057	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Enhancement I	2,626	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Wetland Re-Establishment	N/A	3.71	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Wetland Rehabilitation	N/A	0.25	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Wetland Enhancement	N/A	0.68	N/A	N/A	N/A				
Preservation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				

\* Stream credit calculations were originally calculated along the as-built thalweg and updated to be calculated along stream centerlines for Monitoring Year 2 after discussions with NC IRT.

# Table 2. Project Activity and Reporting HistoryHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No.96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

Activity or Report		Data Collection Complete	Completion or Scheduled Delivery
Mitigation Plan		August 2015	September 2015
Final Design - Construction Plans		October 2015	October 2015
Construction		November 2015 - March 2016	March 2016
Temporary S&E mix applied to entire project are	ea <sup>1</sup>	March 2016	March 2016
Permanent seed mix applied to reach/segments	1	March 2016	March 2016
Bare root and live stake plantings for reach/seg	ments	March 2016	March 2016
Baseline Monitoring Document (Year 0)	Stream Survey	March 2016	May 2016
	Vegetation Survey	March 2016	
Year 1 Monitoring	Stream Survey	October 2016	
	Vegetation Survey	September 2016	December 2016
Year 1 Beaver dam removal on UT1 Reach 2		May-September 2016	December 2010
Year 1 Invasive Species Treatment		June & July 2016	
Year 2 Monitoring	Stream Survey	April 2017	
	Vegetation Survey	July 2017	December 2017
Year 2 Invasive Species Treatment		August 2017	7
Year 3 Monitoring	Stream Survey	April 2018	
	Vegetation Survey	September 2018	November 2018
Year 3 Invasive Species Treatment		June & August 2018	
Year 4 Monitoring	Stream Survey	N/A	
	Vegetation Survey	N/A	7
Year 4 Beaver dam removal on UT1 Reach 2		March 2019 - November 2019	November 2019
Year 4 Bank Repair on UT1 Reach 1		August 2019	7
Year 4 Invasive Species Treatment		October 2019	
Year 5 Bank Repair on UT1 Reach 2		January 2020	
Year 5 Beaver Maintenance		February 2020	7
Year 5 Supplemental Planting		March 2020	November 2020
Year 5 Monitoring	Stream Survey	June 2020	
	Vegetation Survey	July 2020	
Year 5 Invasive Species Treatment		July & September 2020	7
Voor 6 Monitoring	Stream Survey		
Year 6 Monitoring	Vegetation Survey		
Voor 7 Monitoring	Stream Survey		
Year 7 Monitoring	Vegetation Survey		7

<sup>1</sup>Seed and mulch is added as each section of construction is completed. N/A - Not applicable

Table 3. Project Contact TableHenry Fork Stream Mitigation Site DMS Project No.96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

	Wildlands Engineering, Inc.
Designer	167-B Haywood Rd.
Jake McLean, PE	Asheville, NC 28806
	828.774.5547
	Land Mechanics Designs, Inc.
Construction Contractor	780 Landmark road
	Willow Spring, NC 27592
	Bruton Natural Systems, Inc
Planting Contractor	P.O. Box 1197
	Fremont, NC 27830
	Land Mechanics Designs, Inc.
Seeding Contractor	780 Landmark road
	Willow Spring, NC 27592
Seed Mix Sources	Green Resource, LLC
Nursery Stock Suppliers	
Bare Roots	Dykes and Son Nursery
Live Stakes	Bruton Natural Systems, Inc
Plugs	Wetland Plants, Inc.
Monitoring Performers	Wildlands Engineering, Inc.
Monitoring, POC	Kristi Suggs
	704.332.7754, ext. 110

#### Table 4. Project Information and Attributes

Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No.96306

Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

**PROJECT INFORMATION** Project Name Henry Fork Mitigation Site County Catawba County Project Area (acres) 48.06 Project Coordinates (latitude and longitude) 35°42'12.98"N, 81°21'53.20"W PROJECT WATERSHED SUMMARY INFORMATION Physiographic Province Inner Piedmont River Basin Catawba USGS Hydrologic Unit 8-digit 03050102 (Expanded Service Area for 03050103) USGS Hydrologic Unit 14-digit 03050102010030 DWR Sub-basin 03-08-35 Project Drainage Area (acres) 178 Project Drainage Area Percentage of Impervious Area 5% CGIA Land Use Classification 39% - Herbaceous/Pasture, 36% - Forested, 25% - Developed, >1% - Water **REACH SUMMARY INFORMATION** UT1 Reach 1 UT1B Parameters UT1 Reach 2 UT1A UT2 Length of Reach (linear feet) - Post-Restoration 1,497 1,232 658 358 1,969 Drainage Area (acres) 106 129 23 31 49 NCDWR Stream Identification Score 39.5 32.5 27.25 31.25 27 NCDWR Water Quality Classification С Morphological Desription (stream type) D D D Т 1 Evolutionary Trend (Simon's Model) - Pre-Restoration Ш IV/V IV/V Ш IV/V Codorus loam, Dan River loam, Hatboro Loam, Poplar Forest gravelly sandy loam 2-6% slopes, and Woolwine-Fairview complex Underlying Mapped Soils Drainage Class Soil Hydric Status 0.024-0.056 0.0043-0.017 0.015-0.077 0.0032 0.0095-0.016 Slope FEMA Classification N/A\* Piedmont Alluvial Forest Native Vegetation Community 0% Percent Composition Exotic Invasive Vegetation -Post-Restoration **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS** Applicable? Regulation **Resolved**? Supporting Documentation USACE Nationwide Permit No.27 Waters of the United States - Section 404 PCN prepared Yes and DWQ 401 Water Quality Waters of the United States - Section 401 Yes PCN prepared Certification No. 3885. Division of Land Quality (Dam Safety) N/A N/A N/A Henry Fork Mitigation Plan; Wildlands determined "no effect" on Catawba County listed Endangered Species Act Yes Yes endangered species. June 5, 2015 email correspondence from USFWS stated "not likely to adversely affect" northern long-eared bat. No historic resources were found Historic Preservation Act Yes Yes to be impacted (letter from SHPO dated 3/24/2014) Coastal Zone Management Act (CZMA)/Coastal Area Management Act (CAMA) No N/A N/A No impact application was prepared for local Floodplain development permit FEMA Floodplain Compliance Yes\* review. No post-project activities required. issued by Catawba County. Essential Fisheries Habitat No N/A N/A

\*The project site reaches do not have regulated floodplain mapping, but are located within the Henry Fork floodplain.

**APPENDIX 2. Visual Assessment Data** 







Figure 3.0 Current Condition Plan View (KEY) Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

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Figure 3.1 Current Condition Plan View (Sheet 1) Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020







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Figure 3.2 Current Condition Plan View (Sheet 2) Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

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Table 5a. Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment TableHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

UT1 Reach 1	1,497	LF								
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	Adjust % for Stabilizing Woody Vegetation
	1. Vertical Stability	Aggradation			1	125	92%			
	(Riffle and Run units)	Degradation			0	0	100%			
	2. Riffle Condition	Texture/Substrate	36	39			92%			
1. Bed		Depth Sufficient	31	33			94%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	Length Appropriate	33	33			100%			
		Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	33	33			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	Thalweg centering at downstream of meander bend (Glide)	33	33			100%			
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	1. Scoured/Eroded	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
2. Bank	2. Undercut	Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely. Does NOT include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
			-	Totals	0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	81	81			100%			
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	70	70			100%			
3. Engineered Structures <sup>1</sup>	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	81	81			100%			
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does not exceed 15%.	81	81			100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~Max Pool Depth : Bankfull Depth ≥ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at baseflow.	46	46			100%			

Table 5b. Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment TableHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

UT1 Reach 2	1,232	LF								
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	Adjust % for Stabilizing Woody Vegetation
	1. Vertical Stability	Aggradation			0	0	100%			
	(Riffle and Run units)	Degradation			0	0	100%			
	2. Riffle Condition	Texture/Substrate	14	14			100%			
1. Bed		Depth Sufficient	15	15			100%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	Length Appropriate	15	15			100%			
	4. The house Describion	Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	15	15			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	Thalweg centering at downstream of meander bend (Glide)	15	15			100%			
	1. Scoured/Eroded	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
2. Bank	2. Undercut	Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely. Does NOT include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	L	L	I <u></u>	Totals	0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	12	12			100%			
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	9	9			100%			
3. Engineered Structures <sup>1</sup>	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	9	9			100%			
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does not exceed 15%.	12	12			100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~Max Pool Depth : Bankfull Depth ≥ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at baseflow.	6	6			100%			

Table Sc. Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment TableHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

UT1A	658	LF								
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	Adjust % for Stabilizing Woody Vegetation
	1. Vertical Stability	Aggradation			1	150	77%			
	(Riffle and Run units)	Degradation			0	0	100%			
	2. Riffle Condition	Texture/Substrate	11	14			79%			
1. Bed		Depth Sufficient	10	13			77%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	Length Appropriate	13	13			100%			
	4 The house Describion	Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	13	13			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	Thalweg centering at downstream of meander bend (Glide)	13	13			100%			
	1. Scoured/Eroded	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
2. Bank	2. Undercut	Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely. Does NOT include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
				Totals	0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	6	6			100%			
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	3	3			100%			
3. Engineered Structures <sup>1</sup>	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	3	3			100%			
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does not exceed 15%.	6	6			100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~Max Pool Depth : Bankfull Depth ≥ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at baseflow.	6	6			100%			

Table 5d. Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment TableHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

UT1B	358	LF								
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	Adjust % for Stabilizing Woody Vegetation
	1. Vertical Stability	Aggradation			1	30	92%			
	(Riffle and Run units)	Degradation			0	0	100%			
	2. Riffle Condition	Texture/Substrate	10	11			91%			
1. Bed		Depth Sufficient	7	8			88%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	Length Appropriate	8	8			100%			
	4 Thelese Desition	Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	8	8			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	Thalweg centering at downstream of meander bend (Glide)	8	8			100%			
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	1. Scoured/Eroded	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
2. Bank	2. Undercut	Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely. Does NOT include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
				Totals	0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	27	27			100%			
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	24	24			100%			
3. Engineered Structures <sup>1</sup>	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	27	27			100%			
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does not exceed 15%.	27	27			100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~Max Pool Depth : Bankfull Depth ≥ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at baseflow.	12	12			100%			

Table Se.Visual Stream Morphology Stability Assessment TableHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

UT2	1,969	LF								
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	Adjust % for Stabilizing Woody Vegetation
	1. Vertical Stability	Aggradation			0	0	100%			
	(Riffle and Run units)	Degradation			0	0	100%			
	2. Riffle Condition	Texture/Substrate	35	35			100%			
1. Bed		Depth Sufficient	32	32			100%			
	3. Meander Pool Condition	Length Appropriate	32	32			100%			
	4 Thehuse Desition	Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	32	32			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	Thalweg centering at downstream of meander bend (Glide)	32	32			100%			
	Ĩ	[								
	1. Scoured/Eroded	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
2. Bank	2. Undercut	Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely. Does NOT include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	3. Mass Wasting	Bank slumping, calving, or collapse			0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	L	L		Totals	0	0	100%	n/a	n/a	n/a
	1. Overall Integrity	Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs.	3	3			100%			
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	N/A	N/A			N/A			
3. Engineered Structures <sup>1</sup>	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sills or arms.	N/A	N/A			N/A			
	3. Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does not exceed 15%.	3	3			100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining ~Max Pool Depth : Bankfull Depth ≥ 1.6 Rootwads/logs providing some cover at baseflow.	3	3			100%			

#### Table 6. Vegetation Condition Assessment Table

Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

Planted Acreage	15				
Vegetation Category	Definitions	Mapping Threshold (Ac)	Number of Polygons	Combined Acreage	% of Planted Acreage
Bare Areas	Very limited cover of both woody and herbaceous material	0.01	1	0.01	0.07%
Low Stem Density Areas	Woody stem densities clearly below target levels based on MY3, 4, or 5 stem count criteria.		1	0.03	0.18%
	·	Total	2	0.04	0.3%
Areas of Poor Growth Rates or Vigor	Areas with woody stems of a size class that are obviously small given the monitoring year.		6	0.90	6.16%
	nulative Total	8	0.94	6.4%	

Easement Acreage	48				
Vegetation Category	Definitions T		Number of Polygons	Combined Acreage	% of Easement Acreage
Invasive Areas of Concern Areas of points (if too small to render as polygons at map scale).		1,000	11	1.25	2.6%
Easement Encroachment Areas	Areas of points (if too small to render as polygons at map scale).	none	0	0	0.0%

Stream Photographs






















Vegetation Photographs







Vegetation Plot 13 - (07/30/2020)

Vegetation Plot 14 - (07/29/2020)



Vegetation Plot 15 - (07/29/2020)

APPENDIX 3. Vegetation Plot Data

### Table 7. Vegetation Plot Criteria Attainment

Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

Plot	MY5 Success Criteria	Tract Mean
1	Y	
2	Y	
3	Y	
4	Y	
5	Y	
6	Y	
7	Y	
8	Y	100%
9	Y	
10	Y	
11	Y	
12	Y	
13	Y	
14	Y	
15	Y	

### Table 8. CVS Vegetation Plot Metadata

Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

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Description of database file, the report worksheets, and a summary of project(s) and project data.
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 planted stems, and all
natural/volunteer stems.
List of plots surveyed with location and summary data (live stems, dead stems, missing, etc.).
Frequency distribution of vigor classes for stems for all plots.
Frequency distribution of vigor classes listed by species.
List of most frequent damage classes with number of occurrences and percent of total stems impacted by each.
Damage values tallied by type for each species.
Damage values tallied by type for each plot.
A matrix of the count of PLANTED living stems of each species for each plot; dead and missing stems are excluded.
A matrix of the count of total living stems of each species (planted and natural volunteers combined) for each plot; dead
and missing stems are excluded.
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### Table 9a. Planted and Total Stem Counts

Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

					Curren	it Plot 🛛	Data (M	Y5 202	0)											
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	9630	)6-WEI-	0001	9630	06-WEI-	0002	9630	06-WEI-	0003	9630	06-WEI-	0004	9630	6-WEI-	0005	963	06-WEI	-0006
			PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	т
Acer negundo	Box Elder	Tree																		
Acer rubrum	Red Maple	Tree															15	3	3	3
Alnus serrulata	Tag Alder	Shrub Tree																		
Betula nigra	River Birch	Tree	1	1	1				4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	1	1	1
Celtis laevigata	Sugarberry	Shrub Tree																		
Diospyros virginiana	American Persimmon	Tree	6	6	6	4	4	4	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2			
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	Green Ash	Tree	1	1	1	7	7	7	3	3	3	6	6	6	1	1	1	3	3	3
Juglans nigra	Black Walnut	Tree																		
Liquidambar styraciflua	Sweet Gum	Tree						3			4			5						
Liriodendron tulipifera	Tulip Poplar	Tree																		
Nyssa sylvatica	Black Gum	Tree																		
Pinus rigida	Pitch Pine	Tree									4			1						
Platanus occidentalis	Sycamore	Tree	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	4	4	8	3	3	22	3	3	10
Populus deltoides	Cottonwood	Tree																		
Quercus lyrata	Overcup Oak	Tree																		
Quercus michauxii	Swamp Chestnut Oak	Tree																3	3	3
Quercus phellos	Willow Oak	Tree	5	5	5	4	4	4	5	5	5				1	1	1			1
Rhus aromatica	Sumac	Shrub			2			5												
Salix	Willow	Shrub Tree						3												
Salix nigra	Black Willow	Tree																		1
Salix sericea	Silky Willow	Shrub Tree																		
Ulmus americana	American Elm	Tree																		
		Stem count	14	14	16	16	16	27	15	15	23	16	16	26	11	11	45	13	13	21
		size (ares)		1			1			1			1			1			1	
		size (ACRES)		0.0247	1		0.02471	1		0.0247	1		0.02471	L		0.02471	1		0.0247	1
		Species count	5	5	6	4	4	7	5	5	7	4	4	6	5	5	6	5	5	6
		Stems per ACRE	567	567	648	648	648	1093	607	607	931	648	648	1052	445	445	1821	526	526	850

### 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%

Volunteer species included in total

PnoLS: Number of planted stems excluding live stakes P-all: Number of planted stems including live stakes T: Total stems

### Table 9b. Planted and Total Stem Counts

Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

				(	Current	t Plot D	ata (M`	Y5 2020	))											
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	9630	)6-WEI-	0007	9630	)6-WEI-	8000	9630	6-WEI-	0009	9630	6-WEI-	0010	9630	)6-WEI-	0011	9630	06-WEI-	0012
			PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	т
Acer negundo	Box Elder	Tree																		
Acer rubrum	Red Maple	Tree							4	4	4			8	3	3	3			
Alnus serrulata	Tag Alder	Shrub Tree									5									3
Betula nigra	River Birch	Tree	2	2	9	2	2	2	3	3	6	4	4	4	2	2	2	2	2	31
Celtis laevigata	Sugarberry	Shrub Tree																		
Diospyros virginiana	American Persimmon	Tree				1	1	1				1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	Green Ash	Tree	6	6	6	6	6	6				3	3	3	1	1	1	5	5	5
Juglans nigra	Black Walnut	Tree																		
Liquidambar styraciflua	Sweet Gum	Tree						2												2
Liriodendron tulipifera	Tulip Poplar	Tree																		
Nyssa sylvatica	Black Gum	Tree																		
Pinus rigida	Pitch Pine	Tree																		
Platanus occidentalis	Sycamore	Tree	2	2	2	2	2	47	3	3	26	2	2	13	1	1	1	5	5	11
Populus deltoides	Cottonwood	Tree									11									
Quercus lyrata	Overcup Oak	Tree																		
Quercus michauxii	Swamp Chestnut Oak	Tree	3	3	3	1	1	1	3	3	3	4	4	4	3	3	3			
Quercus phellos	Willow Oak	Tree	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2				1	1	1
Rhus aromatica	Sumac	Shrub																		1
Salix	Willow	Shrub Tree																		
Salix nigra	Black Willow	Tree																		
Salix sericea	Silky Willow	Shrub Tree																		
Ulmus americana	American Elm	Tree																		
		Stem count	14	14	21	14	14	61	15	15	57	16	16	35	11	11	11	16	16	56
		size (ares)		1 0.02471			1			1		ļ	1			1			1	
	size (AC						0.02471	1		0.0247:	L		0.02471	L		0.02471	L		0.02471	1
	Species co						6	7	5	5	7	6	6	7	6	6	6	5	5	7
		Stems per ACRE	567	567	850	567	567	2469	607	607	2307	648	648	1416	445	445	445	648	648	2266

### 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%

Volunteer species included in total

PnoLS: Number of planted stems excluding live stakes P-all: Number of planted stems including live stakes T: Total stems

#### Table 9c. Planted and Total Stem Counts

Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

	Current Plot Data (MY5 2020) Name Common Name Species Type 96306-WEI-0013 96306-WEI-0014 96306-WEI																	Ann	ual Me	eans						
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	9630	D6-WEI-	0013	9630	06-WEI-	0014	9630	)6-WEI-	0015	MY	5 (8/20	020)	MY	3 (9/20	18)	MY	2 (7/20	)17)	MY	1 (9/20	16)	MY	′0 (3/20	J16)
			PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т	PnoLS	P-all	Т															
Acer negundo	Box Elder	Tree									14			14			16			19			20			12
Acer rubrum	Red Maple	Tree				1	1	1				11	11	34	12	12	17	12	12	100	12	12	22	13	13	13
Alnus serrulata	Tag Alder	Shrub Tree												8			7			8			1			
Betula nigra	River Birch	Tree	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	34	34	73	34	34	45	34	34	52	35	35	35	37	37	37
Celtis laevigata	Sugarberry	Shrub Tree																					1			
Diospyros virginiana	American Persimmon	Tree	5	5	5	1	1	1	4	4	4	31	31	31	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	Green Ash	Tree	1	1	1	3	3	3				46	46	46	49	49	49	51	51	51	52	52	52	57	57	57
Juglans nigra	Black Walnut	Tree															3			1						
Liquidambar styraciflua	Sweet Gum	Tree									10			26			31			10			17			5
Liriodendron tulipifera	Tulip Poplar	Tree						3			13			16			30			2			7			2
Nyssa sylvatica	Black Gum	Tree																								2
Pinus rigida	Pitch Pine	Tree												5												
Platanus occidentalis	Sycamore	Tree	1	1	1	5	5	8	7	7	7	42	42	160	43	43	271	44	44	460	44	44	108	57	57	57
Populus deltoides	Cottonwood	Tree												11			10			19			7			
Quercus lyrata	Overcup Oak	Tree															1									
Quercus michauxii	Swamp Chestnut Oak	Tree	1	1	1	1	1	1				19	19	19	20	20	20	20	20	21	20	20	20	20	20	20
Quercus phellos	Willow Oak	Tree	3	3	3							26	26	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
Rhus aromatica	Sumac	Shrub												7			8									
Salix	Willow	Shrub Tree												3												
Salix nigra	Black Willow	Tree																					1			
Salix sericea	Silky Willow	Shrub Tree																		1						
Ulmus americana	American Elm	Tree									1			1												
		Stem count	12	12	12	13	13	19	13	13	51	209	209	481	217	217	567	220	220	803	222	222	350	243	243	264
		size (ares)		1			1			1			15			15			15			15			15	
		size (ACRES)		0.0247	1		0.0247:	1		0.02471			0.3707			0.3707			0.3707	-		0.3707			0.3707	/
		Species count	6	6	6	6	6	7	3	3	7	7	7	16	7	7	15	7	7	14	7	7	14	7	7	11
		Stems per ACRE	486	486	486	526	526	769	526	526	2064	564	564	1298	585	585	1530	594	594	2166	599	599	944	656	656	712

#### 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% Volunteer species included in total PnoLS: Number of planted stems excluding live stakes P-all: Number of planted stems including live stakes T: Total stems APPENDIX 4. Morphological Summary Data and Plots

### Table 10a. Baseline Stream Data Summary Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No.96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

### Henry Fork-UT1 Reach 2, UT1A and UT2

Henry Fork-UT1 Reach 2, UT1A and UT2									
	PRE-RESTORAT				DESIGN			AS-BUILT/BASELINE	
Parameter	UT1 Reach 2	UT1A	UT2	UT1 Reach 2	UT1A	UT2	UT1 Reach 2	UT1A	UT2
	Min Max	Min Max	Min Max	Upper Lower	Min Max	Min Max	Min Max	Min Max	Min Max
Reference Cross Section Number	X\$9	XS8	XS5,XS6						
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle									
Bankfull Width (ft)	9.4	12.5	15.2 16.3	10.1	6.2	7.5	10.5	6.6	5.65
Floodprone Width (ft)	17.9	23.1	18 19.8	23 46	150 200	60 110	96.7+	31.4	81.3 149.8+
Bankfull Mean Depth	0.7	0.2	0.5 0.5	0.82	0.51	0.58	0.9	0.40	0.85
Bankfull Max Depth	1.4	0.7	0.6 0.6	1.30	0.85	0.95	1.5	0.80	1.2
Bankfull Cross-sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	6.1	2.8	7.5 7.8	8.3	3.2	4.4	9.7	2.5	4.6
Width/Depth Ratio	14.4	56.0	30.7 34.4	12.3	12.1	12.9	11.4	17.0	7.2
Entrenchment Ratio	1.9	1.8	1.2 1.2	2.3 4.6	24.2 32.37	8.0 14.7	9.2+	4.8	15.9 20.3
Bank Height Ratio	2.7	1.9	2.9 7.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1
D50 (mm)	5.3/N/A	0.28/0.34	SC/0.04	N/A	0.34	0.04	Silt/Clay		
				-		-			
Riffle Length (ft)	- F						23.3 51.9	10.8 32.9	3.45 52.3
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.4 1.7	6.7	N/A <sup>2</sup>	0.002 0.0080	0.005 0.0210	0.0020 0.0080	0.0000 0.0230	0.0010 0.0395	0.0000 0.0144
Pool Length (ft)	2						15.4 83.1	10.2 47.5	10.28 60.9
Pool Max Depth (ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	1.3 2.5	0.8 1.5	0.0 1.8	2.2 3.5	0.9 2.6	1.6 2.6
Pool Spacing (ft)	38.1	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	20 86	12 53	15 68	49 136	29 53	28 87
Pool Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )									
Pattern			-			1 1	1		
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	8 83	8 37	9 58	7 84	7 36	8 59
Radius of Curvature (ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	25 51	13 25	14 24	25 58	9 25	13 24
Rc:Bankfull Width (ft/ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	19.2 39.2	15.3 29.4	14.7 25.3	2.4 5.5	1.4 3.8	2.3 4.2
Meander Length (ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	120 210	63 100	65 156	123 210	61 100	63 158
Meander Width Ratio	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	N/A <sup>2</sup>	92.3 161.5	74.1 117.6	68.4 164.2	11.7 20.0	9.2 15.2	11.2 28.0
Substrate, Bed and Transport Parameters				F					
Ri%/Ru%/P%/G%/S%									
SC%/Sa%/G%/C%/B%/Be%									
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95/d100	SC/0.18/2.8/38/62/128-180	SC/SC/SC/SC/0.25/4.0/11.3-16	SC/SC/SC/SC/SC/8.0/45-64						
Reach Shear Stress (Competency) lb/ft <sup>2</sup>	0.8-1.6	0.7	0.18-0.25+4	0.06	0.13	0.05	0.00 0.11	0.13	0.07 0.07
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull									
Stream Power (Capacity) W/m <sup>2</sup>									
Additional Reach Parameters					1	1	1		
Drainage Area (SM)	0.2	0.036	0.077	0.24-0.28	0.04	0.08	0.24-0.28	0.04	0.08
Watershed Impervious Cover Estimate (%)	5.3%	6.1%	2.4%	5.3%	6.1%	2.4%	5.3%	6.1%	2.4%
Rosgen Classification	Modified B4c <sup>3</sup>	Modified B6c <sup>3</sup>	Modified F6 <sup>3</sup>	C6	C6	C6	C6	C6	C6
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	3.0 18.3	2.2 6.1	1.3 1.5 10.2	1.7 14	2.0	1.2	1 13	1.4	0.8 1.0 4.0 6.7
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)		b.1 		14	<b>D</b>	5	13	4	4.0 6.7
Q-NFF regression (2-yr)			29						
Q-USGS extrapolation (1.2-yr) Q-Mannings	18.3	61         19           18.3         6.1		14	6	5	13	4	4.0 6.7
		6.1	10.2				922	4 415	4.0 6.7
Valley Length (ft) Channel Thalweg Length (ft)	1,499*	353	1,915	1,228	657	1,969	1,232	658	1,174
Channel Thalweg Length (Tt) Sinuosity	1,499	1.05	1.03	1.39	1.06	1,505	1,232	1.6	1,909
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft) <sup>2</sup>				0.0016 0.0018	0.0037 0.0043	0.0016 0.0019	0.0023	0.0063	0.0018
Bankfull Slope (ft/ft)				0.0016 0.0018	0.0037 0.0043	0.0016 0.0019	0.0025	0.0060	0.0015
SC: Silt/Clay <0.062 mm diameter particles		1		0.0010 0.0010	0.0043	0.0010 0.0019	1 0.0007	0.0000	0.0015

SC: Silt/Clay <0.062 mm diameter particles (---): Data was not provided

N/A: Not Applicable

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<sup>3</sup>The Rosgen classification system is for natural streams and project streams have been heavily manipulated. These classifications are for illustrative purposes only.

<sup>4</sup>The 25-year event was the largest event modeled; it does not fill the channel

<sup>5</sup>Sinuosity on UT1 Reach 2 is calculated by drawing a valley length line that follows the proposed valley; the existing valley is poorly defined \*Does not include last 150' to tie-in to Henry Fork.

### Table 10b. Baseline Stream Data SummaryHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No.96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

Henry Fork-UT1 Reach 1 and UT1B

	PRE	-RESTORATION				DES	IGN			AS-BUILT,	/BASELINE	
Parameter	UT1 Reac	n 1	UT	1B	UT1 F	Reach 1	UT	1B	UT1 R	leach 1	UT	'1B
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Upper	Lower	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Reference Cross Section Number	XS3,XS4	Ļ	XS1	,XS2								
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle									1	1		
Bankfull Width (ft)	3.2	3.3	2.7	3.1	6.0	7.0	5	.5	6.9	7.3	5	.4
Floodprone Width (ft)	6.7	11.4	17.5	19.8	15	20(40 <sup>3</sup> )	10	15	51.3	118.3+	13	3.2
Bankfull Mean Depth	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.40	0.49	0	.4	0.4	0.5		.4
Bankfull Max Depth	0.7	1.0	0.7	0.9		1.3	0.	55	0	.75	0	.6
Bankfull Cross-sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	1.8	2.1	1.9	2	2.4	3.4	2	.1	2.9	3.5	2	.2
Width/Depth Ratio	5.1	5.7	3.7	5.1	1	2.3	14	1.7	1	5.8	37	7.7
Entrenchment Ratio	2.0	3.6	1.7	2.5	2.5	2.9 (5.7 <sup>3</sup> )	1.8	2.7	7.0	17.1+	6	.9
Bank Height Ratio	1.0	3.1	1.7	2.2		1.0	1			.0		.0
D50 (mm)	16/8.3	1	6.9	/5.3	5	8.3	5	.3	1	7.1	11	L.O
Profile	-7		1		I		-		I		I	
Riffle Length (ft)							-		8.0	47.3	11.3	41.2
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.041	0.21	N	/Δ <sup>2</sup>	0.056	0.092	0.067	0.110	0.0142	0.0987	0.0259	0.0978
Pool Length (ft)	0.011	0.21							4.3	33.4	5.6	20.0
Pool Max Depth (ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>		N	/^ <sup>2</sup>	0.6	1.5	0.7	1.3	0.9	2.8	0.5	2.2
Pool Spacing (ft)	10.4	20.5	N/		12	35	11	28	10	60	7	43
Pool Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )	10.1										,	
Pattern	N/42		1	1.2	6	20		24	40	20		10
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>		N/		6	28	5	21	10	26	4	19
Radius of Curvature (ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>		N/		14	30	10	18	8	31	8	32
Rc:Bankfull Width (ft/ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>		N/		2.3	4.3	1.8	3.3	1.2	4.5	1.5	5.9
Meander Length (ft)	N/A <sup>2</sup>		N/		52	104	46	92	56	104	48	90
Meander Width Ratio	N/A <sup>2</sup>		N/	/A <sup>2</sup>	9	15	8	17	8	15	9	17
Substrate, Bed and Transport Parameters												
Ri%/Ru%/P%/G%/S%												
SC%/Sa%/G%/C%/B%/Be%												
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95/d100	SC/0.18/2.80/38/	-	FS/SC/SC/0.14/				-	• 1	-			••
Reach Shear Stress (Competency) lb/ft <sup>2</sup>	2.3-3.1		1.3	-2.4	1.0	0-1.2	0.	91	0	.87	1.	32
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull												
Stream Power (Capacity) W/m <sup>2</sup>												
Additional Reach Parameters									-		-	
Drainage Area (SM)	0.17			048		7-0.17		048		-0.17	0.0	
Watershed Impervious Cover Estimate (%)	5.9%			9%	5	.9%	7.			9%	7.9	
Rosgen Classification	Modified Low W/D		Modified	B5a / E5b <sup>4</sup>	B4a	B4a (C4b <sup>5</sup> )	B4			4a		4a
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	4.8	5.3	3.8	4.1	4.6	4.1		.3	2.6	3.9		.9
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)	8.5	11.4	1	8	10	15		9	7.6	12.6	8	.7
Q-NFF regression (2-yr)												
Q-USGS extrapolation (1.2-yr)	30	<u>.</u>		24						-		
Q-Mannings	8.5	11.4	1	8	10	15		9	7.6	12.6		.7
Valley Length (ft)										271		38
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)	1,392			78		471		58		497		58
Sinuosity	1.0		1	.1	1.11	1.16	1.			2		.1
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft) <sup>2</sup>			-		0.0477	0.0527	0.0500	0.0565		369	0.0	
Bankfull Slope (ft/ft)			-		0.0477	0.0527	0.0500	0.0565	0.0241	0.0612	0.0	602

SC: Silt/Clay <0.062 mm diameter particles

FS: Fine Sand 0.125-0.250mm diameter particles

(---): Data was not provided

N/A: Not Applicable

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<sup>2</sup> Due to the highly manipulated condition of the streams resulting in ditched streams with little profile diversity, no profile or pattern data was assessed on UT1A, UT2, UT1 Reach 2, and UT1B.

<sup>3</sup> UT1 Reach 1 (Lower) is a hybrid reach that goes through what is presently a pond and then drops rapidly down what is presently a dam embankment and drop to master stream floodplain. Through the pond, slopes and floodprone width is more typical of a C. <sup>4</sup>The Rosgen classification system is for natural streams and project streams have been heavily manipulated. These classifications are for illustrative purposes only.

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dam embankment and drop to master stream floodplain. Through the pond, slopes and floodprone width is more typical of a C.

<sup>6</sup>UT1B is classified in existing conditions as a sand bed stream. This is thought to be reflective of manipulation (impoundment and

channelization resulting in a less steep stream). The restored stream, with slopes exceeding 2% grade throughout the reach, will be a

gravel dominated stream, and is classified as such.

### Table 10c. Baseline Stream Data Summary

Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No.96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

								REFERENCE	REACH DATA							
Parameter	UT to Cataw	vba River Reach 1	UT to Catawb	a River Reach 2	UT to L	yle Creek	Vile P	reserve	UT to Sou	th Crowders	Group Car	np Tributary	UT to Ga	p Branch	Upstream UT	1 to Henry Fork
	Min <sup>1</sup>	Max <sup>1</sup>	Min <sup>1</sup>	Max <sup>1</sup>	Min <sup>1</sup>	Max <sup>1</sup>	Min <sup>1</sup>	Max <sup>1</sup>	Min <sup>1</sup>	Max <sup>1</sup>	Min <sup>1</sup>	Max <sup>1</sup>	Min <sup>1</sup>	Max <sup>1</sup>	Min <sup>1</sup>	Max <sup>1</sup>
Reference Cross Section Number	XS2	XS3	x	S4	XS1	XS3	XS1	XS3	XS1	XS2	XS3	XS4	×	S2	XS1	XS2
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle	•	ł	•		L	•	•	•	1	•	l.	•	•		•	•
Bankfull Width (ft)	12.4	9.7	1	2.3	8.6	7.0	6.2	5.7	6.1	8.4	4.4	4.2	6	.2	3.2	7.7
Floodprone Width (ft)	79	52	1	3	48.9	45.2	200+	200+	25.5	31.2	8.6	10.6	2	).9	6.3	13
Bankfull Mean Depth	1.4	1.2	1	.1	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.8	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.8	(	.6	0.6	0.5
Bankfull Max Depth	1.7	1.7	1	.7	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.2	1	.0	0.8	0.7
Bankfull Cross-sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	17.6	11.4	1	3.2	4.1	3.5	5.3	4.5	6.4	8.7	3.6	3.4	3	.8	1.9	3.6
Width/Depth Ratio	8.7	8.2	1	L.5	18.3	13.9	7.4	7.2	5.7	8.2	5.5	5.2	1	0.1	5.2	16.4
Entrenchment Ratio		5.8+	5	8+	2	.5+	3	0+	4.2	3.7	1.9	2.5		.4	2.0	1.7
Bank Height Ratio		1.0	1	.0	1	1.0	1	0	1.6	1.0	1.0	1.0	1	.0	1.0	1.3
 D50 (mm)	I	1.8	7	5.9	(	0.2	(	).4	1	9.7	(	0.3	1	9.0	3	34.0
Profile			1						1		I		1			
Riffle Length (ft)	[		-										1			
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.0114	0.0605	0.0142	0.3451	0.0055	0.0597		063	0.0202	0.0664	0.0105	0.1218	0.0110	0.1400	0.0500	0.0700
Pool Length (ft)	0.0114		-				1									
Pool Max Depth (ft)		2.5	N	/A	1	1.3		4	1.3	3.0	1.8	2.8	1	5	1	N/A
Pool Spacing (ft)	31	60	19	46	15	28		4.8	28	63	9	58	18	27	. 14	25
	51	<u>31 60 19 46</u>														
Pool Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )				-		-		-				-		· · · ·		
Pattern			-	2		24	1	10		04	45.5	10.5	<b>_</b>	10	1	1/4
Channel Beltwidth (ft)		55		3		21		19		81	15.5	16.5		/A		N/A
Radius of Curvature (ft)	31	56	29	52	19	32	27	50	9	20	8.0	11.8		/A		N/A
Rc:Bankfull Width (ft/ft)	2.8	5.1	2.4	4.2	2.2	4.6	4.4	8.8	1.5	2.4	1.9	2.7		/A		N/A
Meander Length (ft)	65	107	52	79	39	44	29	45	45	72	31	34		/A		N/A
Meander Width Ratio	4.4	5.7	1 1	.8	2.4	3.0	3.1	4.2	9.6	13.3	3.6	3.8	N	/A	ſ	N/A
Substrate, Bed and Transport Parameters																
Ri%/Ru%/P%/G%/S%																
SC%/Sa%/G%/C%/B%/Be%				/	10.1.10.0			/ / . /				/				
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95/d100	0.3/0.4/1	L.8/12.8/25/90	1.5/29.8/75.9/17	0.8/332.0/>2048.	-/0.1/0.2/	/0.5/4.0/8.0	0.2/0.3/0	0.4/0.9/2/-	0.8/12.1/19.//	49.5/75.9/180.0	SC/0.1/0.3/1	6.0/55.6/128.0	0.4/8/19.0/102	.3/256.0/>2048	2.8/16/34/6	4/101/128-180
Reach Shear Stress (Competency) lb/ft <sup>2</sup>															-	
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull																
Stream Power (Capacity) W/m <sup>2</sup>																
Additional Reach Parameters	•		-				•		-				•		•	
Drainage Area (SM)		1.60	1.	60	0	.25	1	.09	0	.22	0	.10	0	04	C	).05
Watershed Impervious Cover Estimate (%)			-													
Rosgen Classification		E5		/C3b		C5		5		E4		5b		nched B4a/A4		34a
Bankfull Velocity (fps)	0			.3	2	2.1	3.3	3.2	3.3	4.4	3.6	3.4		.0	5.4	3.8
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)		58	8	3		8		16		25		12		.9		12
Q-NFF regression (2-yr)	FF regression (2-yr)															
Q-USGS extrapolation (1.2-yr)	extrapolation (1.2-yr)															
Q-Mannings																
Valley Length (ft)							· ·						· ·			
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)							· ·									
Sinuosity		1.2	1	.1	1	1.1	1	1		2.2		1.6	N	/A		1.1
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft) <sup>2</sup>			-				·						· ·			
Bankfull Slope (ft/ft)			-		· ·											

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### Table 11a. Morphology and Hydraulic Summary (Dimensional Parameters - Cross-Section)

Henry Fork Mitigation Site

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### UT1 Reach 1 & UT1 Reach 2

		Cross-Section 1, UT1 Reach 1 (Riffle)								Cro	ss-Sect	ion 2, U	JT1 Rea	ich 1 (P	ool)			Cro	ss-Sect	ion 3, L	JT1 Rea	ch 1 (Pe	ool)	
Dimension and Substrate <sup>1</sup>	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7
Bankfull Elevation (ft) <sup>1</sup>	906.1	906.1	906.1	906.1		906.2			901.9	901.9	901.9	901.9		901.8			878.3	878.3	878.3	878.2		878.1		
Low Bank Elevation	906.1	906.1	906.1	906.2		906.2			901.9	901.9	901.9	901.9		901.8			878.3	878.3	878.3	878.2		878.1		
Bankfull Width (ft)	7.3	6.8	7.1	7.8		5.5			8.8	9.6	10.9	11.3		12.2			7.8	7.7	9.6	10.0		8.8		
Floodprone Width (ft) <sup>2</sup>	51	51	52	55		55																		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.5	N/A	0.6			1.2	1.0	0.9	0.7	N/A	0.4			1.2	1.0	0.9	0.9	N/A	0.9		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.1	11/7	1.2			2.2	1.7	1.8	1.5	N/A	1.1			2.2	1.8	1.8	2.0	N/A	2.4		
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	3.5	2.9	3.3	4.3		3.4			10.7	9.5	10.0	8.0		5.1			9.1	8.1	8.8	9.0		8.1		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	15.4	15.7	15.0	14.3		8.8																		
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio	7.0	7.5	7.3	7.0		10.1																		
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1		1.0																		
		Cro	ss-Secti	ion 4, U	T1 Rea	ch 1 (Ri	ffle)			Cros	ss-Secti	on 5, U	T1 Rea	ch 2 (Ri	ffle)			Cro	ss-Sect	ion 6, L	JT1 Rea	ch 2 (P	ool)	
Dimension and Substrate <sup>1</sup>	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7
Bankfull Elevation (ft) <sup>1</sup>	877.6	877.6	877.6	877.5		877.7			873.5	873.5	873.5	873.4		873.6			872.7	872.7	872.7	872.8		872.8		
Low Bank Elevation	877.6	877.6	877.6	877.5		877.6			873.5	873.5	873.5	873.5		873.5			872.7	872.7	872.7	872.8		872.8		
Bankfull Width (ft)	6.9	7.4	7.6	6.9		4.9			10.5	11.1	10.9	11.2		10.6			8.8	8.8	9.2	10.7		9.8		
Floodprone Width (ft) <sup>2</sup>	118+	118+	118+	60+		60+			97+	97+	97+	75+		73+										
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	N/A	0.4			0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	N/A	0.8			1.0	0.8	0.7	0.8	N/A	0.8		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	11/7	0.8			1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	14/7	1.6			1.8	1.4	1.3	1.5	N/A	1.3		
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	2.9	3.2	3.1	2.8		1.9			9.7	10.1	9.3	10.1		8.7			8.8	7.2	6.8	8.4		7.8		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio	16.2	17.1	18.7	16.8		12.7			11.4	12.1	12.7	12.4		12.8										
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio Bankfull Bank Height Ratio	17.1+	17.1 16.0+	18.7 15.5+	16.8 8.6+		12.7 12.2+			11.4 9.2+	12.1 8.7+	12.7 8.9+	12.4 6.7+		12.8 6.9+										

<sup>1</sup>Prior to MY3, bankfull dimensions were calculated using a fixed bankfull elevation. For MY3 through MY7 bankfull elevation and channel cross-section dimensions are calculated using a fixed Abkf as described in the Standard Measurement of the BHR Monitoring Parameter provided by NCIRT and NCDMS (9/2018).

<sup>2</sup> Floodprone width in MY3 through MY7 is based on the width of the cross-section, in lieu of assuming the width across the floodplain as was done in previous monitoring years.

 Table 11b. Morphology and Hydraulic Summary (Dimensional Parameters - Cross-Section)

 Henry Fork Mitigation Site

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### UT1A, UT1B, & UT2

	Cross-Section 7, UT1A (Pool)									Cross-S	ection	8, UT1/	A (Riffle	)				Cross-S	ection 9	9, UT18	8 (Pool)				C	Cross-S	ection 1	10, UT1	B (Riffle	)		
Dimension and Substrate <sup>1</sup>	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7
Bankfull Elevation (ft) <sup>1</sup>	874.9	874.9	874.9	874.8		875.2			875.0	875.0	875.0	874.9		875.2			922.9	922.9	922.9	923.1		923.0			922.1	922.1	922.1	922.2		922.3		
Low Bank Elevation	874.9	874.9	874.9	874.8		875.2			875.0	875.0	875.0	874.9		875.0			922.9	922.9	922.9	923.1		923.0			922.1	922.1	922.1	922.2		922.3		
Bankfull Width (ft)	5.6	5.8	4.5	4.2		5.0			6.6	6.3	7.7	6.5		4.9			5.5	5.9	6.9	8.3		6.9			5.4	5.9	4.3	6.5		5.7		
Floodprone Width (ft) <sup>2</sup>									31+	81+	79+	85+		86+											38	56	54	56		60		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	N/A	0.3			0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	N/A	0.3			0.9	0.7	0.6	0.7	N/A	0.7			0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4	N/A	0.3		
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	0.7	1.0	0.7	0.8	10/2	0.8			0.8	0.6	0.6	0.8	19/7	0.8			1.4	1.2	1.0	1.4	19/1	1.3			0.6	0.5	0.3	0.6	1974	0.6		
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	2.0	2.3	1.5	1.7		1.6			2.5	2.3	2.4	2.4		1.6			5.0	4.2	4.0	5.6		4.5			2.2	2.0	1.0	2.5		2.0		
Bankfull Width/Depth Ratio									17.0	17.3	24.9	17.9		15.4											13.2	17.3	19.6	17.0		16.3		
Bankfull Entrenchment Ratio									4.8+	12.8+	10.3+	13.1+		17.5+											6.9	9.4	12.5	8.6		10.6		
Bankfull Bank Height Ratio									1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		0.8											1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1		0.9		
			Cross-	Section	11, UT2	2 (Pool)					Cross-S	ection	12, UT2	2 (Riffle)					Cross-S	ection :	13, UT2	(Pool)					Cross-S	ection	14, UT2	(Riffle)		
Dimension and Substrate <sup>1</sup>	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	Base	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7
Bankfull Elevation (ft) <sup>1</sup>	876.0	876.0	876.0	876.0		876.0			876.0	876.0	876.0	876.0		876.1			875.1	875.1	875.1	875.0		875.0			875.2	875.2	875.2	875.2		875.2		
Low Bank Elevation	876.0	876.0	876.0	876.0		876.0			876.0	876.0	876.0	876.0		876.0			875.1	875.1	875.1	875.0		875.0			875.2	875.2	875.2	875.3		875.1		
Bankfull Width (ft)	10.2	11.5	11.1	10.8		10.9			8.1	9.1	8.6	8.0		8.3			7.8	8.2	10.0	12.0		10.9			7.4	6.9	7.5	8.5		8.0		
Floodprone Width (ft) <sup>2</sup>									81+	51+	51+	51+		51+											150+	150+	150+	59+		59+		
Floodprofile width (It)									01+	21+	51+	51+		21+																		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	 0.8	0.8	0.9	0.8	Ν/Δ	0.7			0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	N/A	0.6			1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	N/A	0.7			0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	Ν/Δ	0.4		
					N/A				-	-	-	-	N/A	-			1.1 1.9	1.0 1.6	0.9 1.7	0.8 1.8	N/A	0.7 1.5			0.6	0.5	0.6 1.1	0.6	N/A	0.4		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.8 1.9	0.8	0.9	0.8	N/A	0.7			0.7	-	0.7	0.7	N/A	0.6				-			N/A	-							N/A			
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft) Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	0.8 1.9 8.6	0.8 1.6	0.9 1.7	0.8 1.7	N/A	0.7			0.7	0.6 1.4	0.7	0.7	N/A	0.6			1.9	1.6	1.7	1.8	N/A	1.5			1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	N/A	0.9		
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft) Bankfull Max Depth (ft) Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	0.8 1.9 8.6	0.8 1.6 9.5	0.9 1.7 9.7	0.8 1.7 8.5	N/A	0.7 1.6 8.0			0.7 1.4 5.7	0.6 1.4 5.5	0.7 1.5 6.0	0.7 1.3 5.3	N/A	0.6 1.3 4.9			1.9 8.8	1.6 8.1	1.7 9.4	1.8 8.0	N/A	1.5 8.0			1.0 4.2	1.0 3.8	1.1 4.4	1.2 4.8	N/A	0.9 3.1		

<sup>1</sup>Prior to MY3, bankfull dimensions were calculated using a fixed bankfull elevation. For MY3 through MY7 bankfull elevation and channel cross-section dimensions are calculated using a fixed Abkf as described in the Standard Measurement of the BHR Monitoring Parameter provided by NCIRT and NCDMS (9/2018).

<sup>2</sup> Floodprone width in MY3 through MY7 is based on the width of the cross-section, in lieu of assuming the width across the floodplain as was done in previous monitoring years.

### Table 12a. Monitoring - Stream Reach Data SummaryHenry Fork Mitigation Site

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### UT1 Reach 1

Parameter	As-Built	/Baseline	M	Y1	N	1Y2	N	1Y3	M	Y4	N	1Y5	М	Y6	М	IY7
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle																
Bankfull Width (ft)	6.9	7.3	6.8	7.4	7.1	7.6	6.9	7.8			4.9	5.5				
Floodprone Width (ft)	51	118+	51	118+	52	118+	55	60+	]		55	60+				
Bankfull Mean Depth	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5			0.4	0.6				
Bankfull Max Depth		.75		.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	1.1		/A	0.8	1.2				
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	2.9	3.5	2.9	3.2	3.1	3.3	2.8	4.3		/~	1.9	3.4				
Width/Depth Ratio		5.8	15.7	17.1	15.0	18.7	14.3	16.8			8.8	12.7				
Entrenchment Ratio	7.0	17.1+	7.5+	16.0+	7.3+	15.5+	7.0	8.6+			10.1	12.2+				
Bank Height Ratio		0		0		L.O	1.0	1.1			0.8	1.0				
D50 (mm)	35.9	37.9	56.1	87.0	87.3	93.6	73.0	104.7	66.2	88.3	47.7	68.5				
Profile			-													
Shallow Length (ft)		47.3														
Shallow Slope (ft/ft)		0.0987														
Pool Length (ft)		33.4														
Pool Max Depth (ft)	0.9	2.8														
Pool Spacing (ft)	10	60														
Pool Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )																
Pattern		-														
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	10	26														
Radius of Curvature (ft)		31														
Rc:Bankfull Width (ft/ft)	1.2	4.5														
Meander Wave Length (ft)		104														
Meander Width Ratio	8	15														
Additional Reach Parameters																
Rosgen Classification		4a														
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)		497														
Sinuosity (ft)		2														
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)		369														
Bankfull Slope (ft/ft)	0.0241	0.0612														
Ri%/Ru%/P%/G%/S%																
SC%/Sa%/G%/C%/B%/Be%																
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95/d100																
% of Reach with Eroding Banks			0	1%	0	)%	0	)%	N	/A	(	)%				

# Table 12b. Monitoring - Stream Reach Data SummaryHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

### UT1 Reach 2

Parameter	As-Built,	/Baseline	N	IY1	N	1Y2	M	Y3	N	1Y4	N	1Y5
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle						•		• •				
Bankfull Width (ft)	10	).5	1	1.1	1	0.9	11	1.2			1	0.6
Floodprone Width (ft)	9	7+	9	7+	9	7+	7.	5+			7	'3+
Bankfull Mean Depth		.9		).9		).9		.9				).8
Bankfull Max Depth		.5	1	5		L.5	1	.6			1	L.6
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )		.7		0.1		9.3		).1	Ν	I/A		3.7
Width/Depth Ratio	1	1.4		2.1		2.7		2.4			1	2.8
Entrenchment Ratio		2+		.7+		.9+		7+				.9+
Bank Height Ratio		.0	1	0	1	L.O	1	.0			C	).9
D50 (mm)	Silt	/Clay										
Profile												
Riffle Length (ft)	23.3	51.9										
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.0000	0.0230										
Pool Length (ft)	15.4	83.1										
Pool Max Depth (ft)	2.2	3.5										
Pool Spacing (ft)	49	136										
Pool Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )												
Pattern		_	_									
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	7	84										
Radius of Curvature (ft)	25	58										
Rc:Bankfull Width (ft/ft)	2.4	5.5										
Meander Wave Length (ft)	123	210										
Meander Width Ratio	11.7	20.0										
Additional Reach Parameters			_									
Rosgen Classification		6										
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)		232										
Sinuosity (ft)		.3										
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)		023										
Bankfull Slope (ft/ft)	0.0	037										
Ri%/Ru%/P%/G%/S%												
SC%/Sa%/G%/C%/B%/Be%												
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95/d100					_		_					
% of Reach with Eroding Banks			0	)%	(	0%	0	%	N	I/A	C	)%

	M	Y6	MY7			
Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
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# Table 12c. Monitoring - Stream Reach Data SummaryHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

### UT1A

Parameter	As-Built,	/Baseline	Ν	/IY1	MY2		M	MY3		1Y4	MY5	
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle								• •				
Bankfull Width (ft) 6.6			6.3	7	<b>'</b> .7	6	.5			4.9		
Floodprone Width (ft)	Floodprone Width (ft) 31+		8	31+	7	9+	85+		]		86+	
Bankfull Mean Depth	0	.4		0.4	0	).3	0	.4			0.3	
Bankfull Max Depth	0	.8		0.6	0	).6	0.8				0.8	
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	2	.5		2.3	2	2.4	2	.4	N	I/A	1.6	
Width/Depth Ratio	17	7.0	1	.7.3	2	4.9	17	7.9			15.4	
Entrenchment Ratio	4	.8	3	1.9+	10	).3+	13	.1+			17.5+	
Bank Height Ratio	1	0		1.0	1	0	1	.0			0.8	
D50 (mm)												
Profile												
Riffle Length (ft)	10.8	32.9										
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.0010	0.0395										
Pool Length (ft)	10.2	47.5										
Pool Max Depth (ft)	0.9	2.6										
Pool Spacing (ft)	29	53										
Pool Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )												
Pattern			_									
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	7	36										
Radius of Curvature (ft)	9	25										
Rc:Bankfull Width (ft/ft)	1.4	3.8										
Meander Wave Length (ft)	61	100										
Meander Width Ratio	9.2	15.2										
Additional Reach Parameters			_									
Rosgen Classification		26										
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)		58										
Sinuosity (ft)		6										
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)		063										
Bankfull Slope (ft/ft)	0.0	060										
Ri%/Ru%/P%/G%/S%												
SC%/Sa%/G%/C%/B%/Be%												
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95/d100							_					
% of Reach with Eroding Banks				0%		)%	0	%	N	I/A	0%	

5	M	Y6	MY7			
Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
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# Table 12d. Monitoring - Stream Reach Data SummaryHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

### UT1B

UT1B							-							
Parameter	As-Built/Baseline		N	/IY1	N	MY2		MY3		MY4		MY5		
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min			
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle														
Bankfull Width (ft)	5	5.4		5.9	4	4.3		6.5				5.7		
Floodprone Width (ft)	3	38		56		54		56				60		
Bankfull Mean Depth	C	).4		0.3		).2	(	0.4		0.4				0.3
Bankfull Max Depth	C	).6	(	0.5		0.3	0.6			/A		0.6		
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	2	2.2		2.0	1	1.0		2.5		/~		2.0		
Width/Depth Ratio	1	3.2	1	.7.3		9.6		.7.0				16.3		
Entrenchment Ratio	e	5.9		9.4	1	2.5	5	8.6				10.6		
Bank Height Ratio	1	0		1.0		1.0		1.1				0.9		
D50 (mm)	1	1.0	4	0.2	6	9.0	6	58.5	23	3.3	4	47.7		
Profile														
Shallow Length (ft)	11.3	41.2												
Shallow Slope (ft/ft)	0.0259	0.0978												
Pool Length (ft)	5.6	20.0												
Pool Max Depth (ft)	0.5	2.2												
Pool Spacing (ft)	7	43												
Pool Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )														
Pattern			_											
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	4	19												
Radius of Curvature (ft)	8	32												
Rc:Bankfull Width (ft/ft)	1.5	5.9												
Meander Wave Length (ft)	48	90												
Meander Width Ratio	9	17												
Additional Reach Parameters														
Rosgen Classification		4a												
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)		58												
Sinuosity (ft)		1												
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)	0.0	)598												
Bankfull Slope (ft/ft)	0.0	602												
Ri%/Ru%/P%/G%/S%														
SC%/Sa%/G%/C%/B%/Be%														
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95/d100														
% of Reach with Eroding Banks				0%	(	0%	(	0%	N	/A		0%		

	M	Y6	MY7			
Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
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# Table 12e. Monitoring - Stream Reach Data SummaryHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

### UT2

Parameter	As-Built/Baseline		N	MY1		MY2		MY3		MY4		MY5	
	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min		
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle													
Bankfull Width (ft)	7.4	8.1	6.9	9.1	7.5	8.6	8.0	8.5			8.0	Γ	
Floodprone Width (ft)	81	150+	51+	150+	51+	150+	51+	59+	]		51+		
Bankfull Mean Depth	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7			0.4	Γ	
Bankfull Max Depth	1.0	1.4	1.0	1.4	1.1	1.5	1.2	1.3	0.9				
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	4.2	5.7	3.8	5.5	4.4	6.0	4.8	5.3	N	I/A	3.1	Γ	
Width/Depth Ratio	11.5	12.9	12.7	15.0	12.3	12.6	12.1	14.8	]		14.2	Γ	
Entrenchment Ratio	10.1	29.0+	5.6+	21.8+	5.9+	20.1+	6.3+	7.0+	]		6.1+	Γ	
Bank Height Ratio	1	.0	1	L.O	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1		0.9		
D50 (mm)									1				
Profile			-								-		
Riffle Length (ft)	3.45	52.29											
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.0000	0.0144											
Pool Length (ft)	10.28	60.9											
Pool Max Depth (ft)	1.6	2.6											
Pool Spacing (ft)	28	87											
Pool Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )			1										
Pattern													
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	8	59											
Radius of Curvature (ft)	13	24											
Rc:Bankfull Width (ft/ft)	2.3	4.2											
Meander Wave Length (ft)	63	158											
Meander Width Ratio	11.2	28.0											
Additional Reach Parameters													
Rosgen Classification	(	6											
Channel Thalweg Length (ft)	1,9	969											
Sinuosity (ft)	1	.7											
Water Surface Slope (ft/ft)	0.0	018											
Bankfull Slope (ft/ft)	0.0	015											
Ri%/Ru%/P%/G%/S%													
SC%/Sa%/G%/C%/B%/Be%													
d16/d35/d50/d84/d95/d100													
% of Reach with Eroding Banks			(	)%	(	)%	C	)%	N	I/A	C	)%	

	M	Y6	MY7			
Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
8.3						
59+						
0.6						
1.3						
4.9						
20.4						
7.4+						
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### Cross-Section 1-UT1 R1



#### 3.4 x-section area (ft.sq.) width (ft) 5.5 0.6 mean depth (ft) 1.2 max depth (ft) 6.2 wetted perimeter (ft) 0.6 hydraulic radius (ft) 8.8 width-depth ratio 55.4 W flood prone area (ft) 10.1 entrenchment ratio 1.0 low bank height ratio

Survey Date: 04/2020 Field Crew: Wildlands Engineering



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### Cross-Section 2-UT1 R1



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### Cross-Section 3-UT1 R1



Survey Date: 04/2020 Field Crew: Wildlands Engineering

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### Cross-Section 4-UT1 R1

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5.5

0.3

12.7

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12.2

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Survey Date: 04/2020

width (ft)



### x-section area (ft.sq.) mean depth (ft) max depth (ft) wetted perimeter (ft) hydraulic radius (ft) width-depth ratio W flood prone area (ft) entrenchment ratio low bank height ratio Field Crew: Wildlands Engineering

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### Cross-Section 5-UT1 R2



#### 8.7 x-section area (ft.sq.) 10.6 width (ft) 0.8 mean depth (ft) max depth (ft) 1.6 11.2 wetted perimeter (ft) 0.8 hydraulic radius (ft) 12.8 width-depth ratio 73.1 W flood prone area (ft) 6.9 entrenchment ratio 0.9 low bank height ratio

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### Cross-Section 6-UT1 R2



- 12.3 width-depth ratio

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#### Cross-Section 7-UT1A



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#### Cross-Section 8-UT1A



- 0.8 max depth (ft)
- 5.3 wetted perimeter (ft)
- 0.3 hydraulic radius (ft)
- 15.4 width-depth ratio
- 86.0 W flood prone area (ft)
- 17.5 entrenchment ratio
- 0.8 low bank height ratio

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#### Cross-Section 9-UT1B



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#### Cross-Section 10-UT1B



- 0.3 mean depth (ft)0.6 max depth (ft)
- 5.8 wetted perimeter (ft)
- 0.3 hydraulic radius (ft)
- 16.3 width-depth ratio
- 60.1 W flood prone area (ft)
- 10.6 entrenchment ratio
- 0.9 low bank height ratio
- Survey Date: 04/2020 Field Crew: Wildlands Engineering



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#### Cross-Section 11-UT2



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#### Cross-Section 12-UT2



#### 4.9 x-section area (ft.sq.) 8.3 width (ft) 0.6 mean depth (ft) 1.3 max depth (ft) 9.0 wetted perimeter (ft) hydraulic radius (ft) 0.5 14.2 width-depth ratio 51.0 W flood prone area (ft) 6.1 entrenchment ratio 0.9 low bank height ratio Survey Date: 04/2020 Field Crew: Wildlands Engineering

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#### Cross-Section 13-UT2



- 10.9 width (ft)
- 0.7 mean depth (ft)
- 1.5 max depth (ft)
- 11.7 wetted perimeter (ft)
- 0.7 hydraulic radius (ft)
- 14.7 width-depth ratio

Survey Date: 04/2020 Field Crew: Wildlands Engineering



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#### Cross-Section 14-UT2



- 8.2 wetted perimeter (ft)
- 0.4 hydraulic radius (ft)
- 20.4 width-depth ratio
- 59.0 W flood prone area (ft)
- 7.4 entrenchment ratio
- 0.9 low bank height ratio

Survey Date: 04/2020 Field Crew: Wildlands Engineering

#### Reachwide and Cross-Section Pebble Count Plots Henry Fork Stream Mitigation DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

#### UT1R1, Reachwide

		Diame	ter (mm)	Pa	rticle Co	unt	Reach Summary	
Par	ticle Class						Class	Percent
		min	max	Riffle	Pool	Total	Percentage	Cumulative
SILT/CLAY	Silt/Clay	0.000	0.062		14	14	14	14
	Very fine	0.062	0.125					14
	Fine	0.125	0.250					14
SAND	Medium	0.25	0.50		2	2	2	16
7	Coarse	0.5	1.0		4	4	4	20
	Very Coarse	1.0	2.0	2	4	6	6	26
	Very Fine	2.0	2.8					26
	Very Fine	2.8	4.0					26
	Fine	4.0	5.6		1	1	1	27
	Fine	5.6	8.0	1	1	2	2	29
stet	Medium	8.0	11.0	2	3	5	5	34
GRAVEL	Medium	11.0	16.0	1	4	5	5	39
-	Coarse	16.0	22.6	4	3	7	7	46
	Coarse	22.6	32	5	3	8	8	53
	Very Coarse	32	45	6	5	11	11	64
	Very Coarse	45	64	7	3	10	10	74
	Small	64	90	7	1	8	8	82
alt	Small	90	128	7	2	9	9	91
COBBLE	Large	128	180	4	1	5	5	96
-	Large	180	256	3		3	3	99
	Small	256	362	1		1	1	100
<b>AND</b>	Small	362	512					100
	Medium	512	1024					100
	Large/Very Large	1024	2048					100
BEDROCK	Bedrock	2048	>2048					100
			Total	50	51	101	100	100

Reachwide							
Chann	Channel materials (mm)						
D <sub>16</sub> =	0.5						
D <sub>35</sub> =	12.2						
D <sub>50</sub> =	27.5						
D <sub>84</sub> =	96.7						
D <sub>95</sub> = 167.6							
D <sub>100</sub> =	362.0						





#### **Reachwide and Cross-Section Pebble Count Plots**

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#### UT1R1, Cross-Section 1

Particle Class		Diame	ter (mm)	Riffle 100-	Summary		
				Count	Class	Percent	
		min	max	count	Percentage	Cumulative	
SILT/CLAY	Silt/Clay	0.000	0.062			0	
	Very fine	0.062	0.125			0	
	Fine	0.125	0.250			0	
SAND	Medium	0.25	0.50			0	
7	Coarse	0.5	1.0	2	2	2	
	Very Coarse	1.0	2.0	4	4	6	
	Very Fine	2.0	2.8			6	
	Very Fine	2.8	4.0			6	
	Fine	4.0	5.6			6	
	Fine	5.6	8.0			6	
GRAVEL	Medium	8.0	11.0	2	2	8	
Grb.	Medium	11.0	16.0	4	4	12	
	Coarse	16.0	22.6	14	14	25	
	Coarse	22.6	32	8	8	33	
	Very Coarse	32	45	14	14	47	
	Very Coarse	45	64	18	18	65	
	Small	64	90	6	6	71	
COBBIE	Small	90	128	20	20	90	
COP.	Large	128	180	2	2	92	
	Large	180	256	6	6	98	
<i>.</i>	Small	256	362	2	2	100	
AND CONTRACT	Small	362	512			100	
8°	Medium	512	1024			100	
	Large/Very Large	1024	2048			100	
BEDROCK	Bedrock	2048	>2048			100	
			Total	102	100	100	

	Cross-Section 1					
Ch	annel materials (mm)					
D <sub>16</sub> =	17.8					
D <sub>35</sub> =	33.4					
D <sub>50</sub> =	47.7					
D <sub>84</sub> =	114.5					
D <sub>95</sub> =	213.4					
D <sub>100</sub> =	362.0					





## Reachwide and Cross-Section Pebble Count Plots

Henry Fork Stream Mitigation DMS Project No. 96306

Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

#### UT1R1, Cross-Section 4

Particle Class		Diame	ter (mm)	Riffle 100-	Summary		
		min		Count	Class	Percent	
2	SILT/CLAY Silt/Clay		max		Percentage	Cumulative	
SILT/CLAY	Silt/Clay	0.000	0.062			0	
	Very fine	0.062	0.125			0	
	Fine	0.125	0.250	2	2	2	
SAND	Medium	0.25	0.50	2	2	4	
7	Coarse	0.5	1.0	2	2	6	
	Very Coarse	1.0	2.0	6	6	12	
	Very Fine	2.0	2.8			12	
	Very Fine	2.8	4.0			12	
	Fine	4.0	5.6	2	2	14	
	Fine	5.6	8.0	2	2	16	
JEt	Medium	8.0	11.0			16	
GRAVEL	Medium	11.0	16.0	4	4	20	
	Coarse	16.0	22.6	8	8	28	
	Coarse	22.6	32	4	4	32	
	Very Coarse	32	45	12	12	44	
	Very Coarse	45	64	4	4	48	
	Small	64	90	10	10	58	
COBBLE	Small	90	128	10	10	68	
(0 <sup>8*</sup>	Large	128	180	20	20	88	
	Large	180	256	8	8	96	
	Small	256	362	2	2	98	
Constant of the second se	Small	362	512	2	2	100	
్రహ	Medium	512	1024			100	
	Large/Very Large	1024	2048			100	
BEDROCK	Bedrock	2048	>2048			100	
			Total	100	100	100	

	Cross-Section 4						
Ch	annel materials (mm)						
D <sub>16</sub> =	8.0						
D <sub>35</sub> =	34.8						
D <sub>50</sub> =	68.5						
D <sub>84</sub> =	168.1						
D <sub>95</sub> =	245.0						
D <sub>100</sub> =	512.0						





#### Reachwide and Cross-Section Pebble Count Plots

Henry Fork Stream Mitigation DMS Project No. 96306

Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

#### UT1B, Reachwide

		Diame	ter (mm)	Ра	rticle Co	unt	Reach Summary	
Par	ticle Class						Class	Percent
		min	max	Riffle	Pool	Total	Percentage	Cumulative
SILT/CLAY	Silt/Clay	0.000	0.062	3	11	14	14	14
	Very fine	0.062	0.125					14
	Fine	0.125	0.250		2	2	2	16
SAND	Medium	0.25	0.50	3	6	9	9	24
2'	Coarse	0.5	1.0	1		1	1	25
	Very Coarse	1.0	2.0		2	2	2	27
	Very Fine	2.0	2.8					27
	Very Fine	2.8	4.0					27
	Fine	4.0	5.6					27
	Fine	5.6	8.0		1	1	1	28
JEL	Medium	8.0	11.0	1	1	2	2	30
GRAVEL	Medium	11.0	16.0	1	1	2	2	32
	Coarse	16.0	22.6	4	4	8	8	40
	Coarse	22.6	32	5	5	10	10	50
	Very Coarse	32	45	2	1	3	3	52
	Very Coarse	45	64	11	3	14	14	66
	Small	64	90	9	4	13	13	79
COBBLE	Small	90	128	3	9	12	12	90
085	Large	128	180	2	1	3	3	93
-	Large	180	256	4		4	4	97
	Small	256	362	3		3	3	100
and the second s	Small	362	512					100
	Medium	512	1024					100
	Large/Very Large	1024	2048					100
BEDROCK	Bedrock	2048	>2048					100
			Total	52	51	103	100	100

Reachwide							
Chann	Channel materials (mm)						
D <sub>16</sub> =	0.3						
D <sub>35</sub> =	18.3						
D <sub>50</sub> =	33.9						
D <sub>84</sub> =	105.8						
D <sub>95</sub> =	211.8						
D <sub>100</sub> =	362.0						





#### Reachwide and Cross-Section Pebble Count Plots Henry Fork Stream Mitigation

DMS Project No. 96306

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#### UT1B, Cross-Section 10

Particle Class		Diame	ter (mm)	Riffle 100-	Summary		
				Count	Class	Percent	
	SILT/CLAY Silt/Clay		max	count	Percentage	Cumulative	
SILT/CLAY	Silt/Clay	0.000	0.062			0	
	Very fine	0.062	0.125			0	
	Fine	0.125	0.250			0	
SAND	Medium	0.25	0.50			0	
7	Coarse	0.5	1.0			0	
-	Very Coarse	1.0	2.0	8	8	8	
	Very Fine	2.0	2.8			8	
	Very Fine	2.8	4.0			8	
	Fine	4.0	5.6			8	
	Fine	5.6	8.0			8	
GRAVEL	Medium	8.0	11.0	6	6	14	
GRA	Medium	11.0	16.0	8	8	22	
	Coarse	16.0	22.6	10	10	32	
	Coarse	22.6	32	8	8	40	
	Very Coarse	32	45	8	8	48	
	Very Coarse	45	64	12	12	60	
	Small	64	90	8	8	68	
COBBLE	Small	90	128	18	18	86	
(O <sup>ST</sup>	Large	128	180	12	12	98	
	Large	180	256			98	
	Small	256	362	2	2	100	
R <sup>OMBER</sup>	Small	362	512			100	
ø	Medium	512	1024			100	
	Large/Very Large	1024	2048			100	
BEDROCK	Bedrock	2048	>2048			100	
			Total	100	100	100	

Cross-Section						
Ch	annel materials (mm)					
D <sub>16</sub> =	12.1					
D <sub>35</sub> =	25.7					
D <sub>50</sub> =	47.7					
D <sub>84</sub> =	123.1					
D <sub>95</sub> =	165.3					
D <sub>100</sub> =	362.0					





APPENDIX 5. Hydrology Summary Data and Plots

#### Table 13. Verification of Bankfull Events

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Reach	MY	Date of Occurrence	Method		
	MY1	N/A	Crest Gage		
		4/24/2017	Crest & Stream		
	MY2	4/24/2017	Gage		
	IVITZ	10/8/2017	Crest & Stream		
			Gage		
		2/7/2018			
		4/25/2018			
	MY3	5/29/2018			
		9/16/2018	_		
		10/11/2018	_		
UT1 Reach 2		10/26/2018	_		
	MY4	6/9/2019	_		
		10/31/2019	Stream Gage		
		5/21/2020			
		6/19/2020	_		
		8/15/2020			
	MY5	9/2/2020 9/17/2020	_		
		9/25/2020	_		
		10/11/2020	_		
		11/12/2020	_		
	MY1	Unknown	Creat Case		
		UTKITOWIT	Crest Gage Crest & Stream		
	MY2	4/24/2017			
			Gage Crest & Stream		
		10/8/2017			
	MY3	10/11/2018	Gage		
UT1A	MY4 MY5	6/9/2019	_		
		10/31/2019	_		
		4/13/2020	Stream Gage		
		6/19/2020	Stream Gage		
		8/15/2020	_		
		11/12/2020	_		
	MY1	N/A	Crest Gage		
	IVITI	-	Crest & Stream		
	MY2	10/8/2017	Gage		
		6/9/2019	Udge		
UT1B	MY4	8/24/2019	_		
0115		10/31/2019	_		
		6/19/2020	Stream Gage		
	MY5	8/15/2020	_		
		11/12/2020	_		
	MY1	N/A	Crest Gage		
			Crest & Stream		
	MY2	4/24/2017	Gage		
		2/7/2018	Cube		
	MY3	5/29/2018	-		
		6/9/2019	-		
	MY4	10/31/2019	-		
		1/12/2020	-		
		1/24/2020	-		
UT2		3/25/2020	-		
		4/30/2020	1.		
		5/21/2020	Stream Gage		
		6/19/2020	-		
	MY5	8/15/2020	-		
		9/2/2020	-		
		9/18/2020	_		
		9/25/2020			
		10/11/2020			
		-, _,			

\* N/A, no bankfull events recorded.

# Table 14. Wetland Gage Attainment SummaryHenry Fork Mitigation SiteDMS Project No. 96306Monitoring Year 5 - 2020

	Summary of Groundwater Gage Results for Monitoring Years 1 through 7 Success Criteria Achieved <sup>2</sup> /Max Consecutive Days During Growing Season <sup>1</sup> (Percentage)								
Gage	Succ	ess Criteria Ach	ieved <sup>-</sup> /Max Cor	secutive Days I	During Growing	Season <sup>+</sup> (Percei	ntage)		
Gage	Year 1 (2016)	Year 2 (2017)	Year 3 (2018)	Year 4 (2019)	Year 5 (2020)	Year 6 (2021)	Year 7 (2022)		
Reference	No/18 Days (8%)	Yes/59 Days (25%)	Yes/79 Days (34%)	Yes/61 Days (26%)	Yes/63 Days (27%)				
GWG 1	No/0 Days (0%)	Yes/23 Days (10%)	Yes/48 Days (20%)	Yes/42 Days (18%)	Yes/27 Days (11%)				
GWG 2	Yes/ 29 Days (12.3%)	No/7 Days (3%)	No/12 Days (5%)	Yes/39 Days (17%)	Yes/49 Days (21%)				
GWG 3 <sup>4</sup>	Yes/236 Days (100%)	No/3 Days (1%)	No/5 Days (2%)	Yes/35 Days (15%)	Yes/49 Days (21%)				
GWG 4	No/3 Days (1.3%)	Yes/25 Days (11%)	Yes/46 Days (20%)	Yes/68 Days (29%)	Yes/64 Days (27%)				
GWG 5 <sup>3</sup>	N/A	Yes/189 Days (80%)	Yes/102 Days (43%)	Yes/236 Days (100%)	Yes/202 Days (85%)				
GWG 6	Yes/79 Days (33.5%)	Yes/89 Days (38%)	Yes/96 Days (41%)	Yes/76 Days (32%)	Yes/116 Days (49%)				
GWG 7	No/7 Days (3.0%)	Yes/21 Days (9%)	Yes/44 Days (19%)	Yes/44 Days (19%)	Yes/89 Days (38%)				
GWG 8	No/1 Days (0.4%)	No/14 Days (6%)	No/11 Days (5%)	No/19 Days (8%)	No/14 Days (6%)				
GWG 9 <sup>3</sup>	N/A	No/13 Days (6%)	Yes/20 Days (9%)	Yes/68 Days (29%)	Yes/90 Days (38%)				
GWG 10 <sup>5</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes/236 Days (100%)	Yes/202 Days (85%)				
GWG 11 <sup>5</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes/61 Days (26%)	Yes/113 Days (48%)				
GWG 12 <sup>5</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes/36 Days (15%)	Yes/61 Days (26%)				
GWG 13 <sup>5</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes/236 Days (100%)	Yes/202 Days (85%)				
GWG 14 <sup>6</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes/67 Days (28%)	Yes/89 Days (38%)				
GWG 15 <sup>6</sup>	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes/45 Days (19%)	Yes/89 Days (38%)				

N/A, not applicable

<sup>1</sup>Growing season dates March 20 - November 11

<sup>2</sup>Success criteria is 20 consecutive days (8.5%) of the growing season.

<sup>3</sup>GWGs 5 and 9 were installed on April 7, 2017.

<sup>4</sup>GWG 3 was relocated in January 2017.

<sup>5</sup>GWGs 10 -13 were installed on February 20, 2019.

<sup>6</sup>GWGs 14-15 were installed on March 7, 2019.

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#### Monthly Rainfall Data

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<sup>1</sup> 2020 rainfall collected by NC CRONOS Station Hickory 4.8 SW, NC

<sup>2</sup> 30th and 70th percentile rainfall data collected from WETS station Conover Oxford Shoal, NC
APPENDIX 6. Wetland Addendum



October 6, 2020

Mr. Matthew Reid NCDEQ Division of Mitigation Services 5 Ravenscroft Drive Suite 102 Asheville, NC 28801

Subject: Wetland Addendum Henry Fork Mitigation Site DMS Project No. 96303 DEQ Contract No. 005782 Catawba River Basin – HUC 03050103 Expanded Service Area Catawba County, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Reid,

Wildlands Engineering, Inc. (Wildlands) conducted a wetland assessment in 2020, Monitoring Year (MY) 5 of 7, to identify additional potential wetland areas on the Henry Fork Mitigation Site (Site) that have been created by this project. Additional supplemental data including a potential wetland area table, map figure, groundwater gage plots, photo log, and wetland data sheets have been included with this addendum letter.

#### Background

In anticipation of additional wetlands created on the Site after construction, section 8.2 (Wetland Mitigation Credits) of the Henry Fork Mitigation Plan states: "DMS reserves the right to request additional wetland credits created by the project. Wetland credits will be proposed based upon additional gauge data and/or wetland delineation." Therefore, in February and March 2019 (MY4), three groundwater gages were installed in locations adjacent to credited wetland areas to provide groundwater data to support the potential expansion of wetland areas on the Site. The purpose of delineating these extra areas is to offset any wetland credits that may be at risk of losing credit. Wildlands is not, however, seeking additional wetland credit above the original asset table amount.

Wildlands defends and maintains a 7.2% (17 consecutive day) success criteria in the IRT approved Mitigation Plan but the USACE commented that a 8.5% (20 consecutive day) success criteria would be required. Wildlands updated the success criteria in the MYO report. The final performance standard established for wetland hydrology will be a free groundwater surface within 12 inches of the ground surface for 20 consecutive days (8.5%) of the 236 day growing season (March 20 through November 11) under typical precipitation conditions.

#### **Data Collection and Analysis**

As stated above, three additional groundwater gages (GWG 13 – 15) were installed in February and March 2019 before the start of MY4 growing season, for the purpose of providing groundwater data to

document additional wetland areas. On June 23, 2020, Wildlands personnel performed a Site investigation to identify additional potential wetland areas on the Site. Five areas (Wetlands AA through EE) were delineated and mapped using global positioning system (GPS) data collection and three wetland data points (DP1 – 3) were collected. Please refer to the attached hydrologic data for groundwater gage plots and summary table of the success criteria for each gage on Site.

Wetlands AA, BB, and CC are located south of Wetland N enhancement area. Before construction and as a former golf course, this area was identified as a ditch with a linear wetland that fed into intermittent stream channel UT2. During construction, the outlet of the ditch was plugged thus raising the groundwater level and creating conditions for anaerobic wetland processes to occur. GWG 15 was installed in MY4 to be representative of the low area and to document hydrologic conditions for the proposed wetland areas south of wetland N. For two consecutive years, GWG 15 has achieved the wetland hydrologic success criteria established for the Site. Wetland data point 1 (DP1) documents the hydrology, vegetation, and soil conditions representative of Wetlands AA, BB, and CC.

Wetland DD is located in the footprint of a former golf course inline pond bed (pond 3) that was filled during construction. Before construction, UT1 flowed through pond 3 before making its way to the Henry Fork river. The restoration of UT1 realigned the stream channel and took pond 3 offline. The restored hydrology of UT1 has allowed for frequent overbank flooding of riparian wetland areas, thus expanding the hydrologic function into this area. GWG 1 was installed during the MY0 baseline data collection and is in close proximity to Wetland DD. GWG 1 has achieved the wetland hydrologic success criteria for the Site in MY2 through MY5 thus far. Wetland data point 2 (DP2) documents the hydrology, vegetation, and soil conditions representative of Wetland DD.

Wetland EE is located in and around the pre-construction footprint of UT1 near the previous UT1A confluence, adjacent to Wetlands J and K enhancement areas. The restoration of UT1A has increased the floodplain access from overbank flooding and resulted in a gain in wetland function well beyond the mapped wetland re-establishment area (Wetland 1). GWG 13 was installed in MY4 and has achieved wetland hydrologic success criteria for the past two years. Wetland data point 3 (DP3) was collected near GWG 13 and details the conditions of Wetland EE.

#### Wetland Credits

The combined area from Wetland AA through EE totals 0.661 acres. Pre-construction, these five areas were not wetlands and were not identified as such in the approved Jurisdictional Determination for the Site. Also, the additional wetland areas (AA – EE) were not identified as having hydric soils in the LSS soil report from the Mitigation Plan. Therefore, a creation credit ratio of 3:1 is proposed for all five wetland areas where a rise in groundwater elevations have created conditions necessary to support wetland conditions and promote wetland functions. In total, an additional 0.220 riparian wetland mitigation units (WMUs) are available to offset any wetland credits that may be determined to be at risk of losing credit. Please refer to the attached summary table of the additional wetland areas on the Site.

#### Conclusion

This wetland addendum summarizes the data collection and analysis of five proposed wetlands (Wetland AA – EE) that have been identified on the Site after construction was complete. Following DMS and IRT approval of this wetland addendum, Wildland's will document the additional wetland areas in

this year's annual monitoring report. It will be stated in the report that these additional areas are only to be used as offset if any existing wetland credits are found to be at risk.

Feel free to contact me at 828-545-3865 if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Jake McLean Project Manager jmclean@wildlandseng.com

#### Additional Potential Wetland Areas

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Wetland ID	Location	Existing Acreage	Approach	Restoration (R) or Restoration Equivalent (RE)	Restoration Acreage	Mitigation Ratio	Credits (WMU)
Wetland AA	Floodplain towards river from UT2	N/A		Creation	0.042	3:1	0.014
Wetland BB	Floodplain towards river from UT2	N/A	Creation of wetland functions that support hydrologic, vegetative, and wetland soils	Creation	0.097	3:1	0.032
Wetland CC	Floodplain towards river from UT2	N/A		Creation	0.123	3:1	0.041
Wetland DD	Floodplain in footprint of Pond 3 near head of UT1 Reach 2	N/A		Creation	0.197	3:1	0.066
Wetland EE	East hillslope near UT1 Reach 2	N/A		Creation	0.202	3:1	0.067
				Total	0.661		0.220

Map Figure









0 150 300 Feet

Henry Fork Mitigation Site Wetland Addendum DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020 *Catawba County, NC*  Wetland Data Sheets

U.S. Arn WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA See ERDC/EL TR-07-24;		Mountains and	-	n Req	OMB Control #: 0710-xxxx, Exp: F Requirement Control Symbol EX (Authority: AR 335-15, paragrapi			
Project/Site: Henry Fork Mitigation Site		City	/County: <u>Catawba C</u>	ounty		Sampling Date:	6-23-20	
Applicant/Owner: Wildlands Engineeri	ng, Inc			State:	NC	Sampling Point:	DP1	
Investigator(s): Jordan Hessler & Mimi Ca	ddell	Section,	Township, Range:	N/A				
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): floodpla	ain	Local relief	(concave, convex, r	ione): Conca	ve	Slope (%):	0-1	
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR P, MLRA	Long: -8	1.366247		Datum:	NAD83			
Soil Map Unit Name: Codorus Loam (CsA) & Hatboro Loam (HaA) NWI classification: N/A								
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the	site typical for this t	me of year?	Yes X	No	(lf no, e	explain in Remark	s.)	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hyd	drologysigni	icantly disturbed?	Are "Normal Ci	rcumstances"	present?	Yes X	No	
Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hyd	drology natu	ally problematic?	(If needed, exp	lain any answ	ers in Re	emarks.)		
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attac	ch site map sh	owing samplin	ng point locatio	ons, transe	cts, im	portant featu	res, etc	
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes X No	Is the	Sampled Area					
Hydric Soil Present?	Yes X No	within	a Wetland?	Ye	s <u>X</u>	No		
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>X</u> No							
Remarks: Vegetation and Hydrology indicators are s	strong in this area.							

### HYDROLOGY

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)       Surface Soil Cracks (B6)         x       Surface Water (A1)       True Aquatic Plants (B14)       Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)         x       High Water Table (A2)       Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)       Drainage Patterns (B10)         Saturation (A3)       Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)       Moss Trim Lines (B16)
x       High Water Table (A2)       Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)       Drainage Patterns (B10)         Saturation (A3)       Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)       Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Saturation (A3)       Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)       Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Water Marks (B1) Presence of Reduced Iron (C4) Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Sediment Deposits (B2) Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6) Crayfish Burrows (C8)
x Drift Deposits (B3) Thin Muck Surface (C7) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4) Other (Explain in Remarks) Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Iron Deposits (B5) Geomorphic Position (D2)
x Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Shallow Aquitard (D3)
Water-Stained Leaves (B9) Microtopographic Relief (D4)
Aquatic Fauna (B13) X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:
Surface Water Present? Yes x No Depth (inches): 0
Water Table Present?     Yes     x     No     Depth (inches):     0
Saturation Present?       Yes       x       No       Depth (inches):       0       Wetland Hydrology Present?       Yes       X       No
(includes capillary fringe)
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available: Ground water gage #15 is near data point 1. See gage data attached.
Remarks:
2.25" rain event 4 days prior to site visit.

### **VEGETATION (Four Strata)** – Use scientific names of plants.

Sampling Point: DP1

	Absolute	Dominant	Indicator	
Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30)	% Cover	Species?	Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. Liquidambar styraciflua	20	Yes	FAC	Number of Dominant Species
2. Acer negundo	10	Yes	FAC	That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 7 (A)
3. Acer rubrum	5	No	FAC	Total Number of Dominant
4. Betula nigra	5	No	FACW	Species Across All Strata: 7 (B)
5.				Percent of Dominant Species
6.				That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)
7.				Prevalence Index worksheet:
	40	=Total Cover		Total % Cover of: Multiply by:
50% of total cover: 2		6 of total cover:	8	$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 )				FACW species $35 \times 2 = 70$
1. Acer rubrum	5	Yes	FAC	FAC species $45 \times 3 = 135$
2. Acer negundo	5	Yes	FAC	FACU species $0   x 4 = 0$
		165	TAC	
3.				UPL species $0 \times 5 = 0$
4.				Column Totals: 140 (A) 265 (B)
5				Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.89
6.		·		Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
7				1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
8				X 2 - Dominance Test is >50%
9.				X 3 - Prevalence Index is $\leq 3.0^{1}$
	10	=Total Cover		4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting
50% of total cover:	5 20%	6 of total cover:	2	data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 )				Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
1. Juncus effusus	30	Yes	FACW	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be
2. Carex longii	30	Yes	OBL	present, unless disturbed or problematic.
3. Carex lupulina	30	Yes	OBL	Definitions of Four Vegetation Strata:
4. Solidago spp.	5	No		_
5.				<b>Tree</b> – Woody plants, excluding vines, 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of
6.				height.
7				<b>Sapling/Shrub</b> – Woody plants, excluding vines, less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft
8		·		(1 m) tall.
9				
10				<b>Herb</b> – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
11				or size, and woody plants less than 5.20 it tall.
	95	=Total Cover		Woody Vine – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in
50% of total cover: 4	8 20%	6 of total cover:	19	height.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 5 )				
1				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
		=Total Cover		Hydrophytic Vegetation
50% of total cover:		6 of total cover:		Present? Yes X No
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a sepa	arate sheet.)			

Depth	Matrix		Redo	x Featur	es			
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
0-8	7.5YR 4/3	80	10YR 5/2	20	D	М	Loamy/Clay	yey
8-14	7.5YR 4/3	50	10YR 5/2	50	D	М	Loamy/Clay	yey
<sup>I</sup> Type: C=C Hydric Soil Histosol		etion, RM	I=Reduced Matrix, I					ocation: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix. Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soi 2 cm Muck (A10) (MLRA 147)
	oipedon (A2)		Thin Dark S		. ,	•		Coast Prairie Redox (A16)
	istic (A3)		Loamy Mucl	•	, <b>,</b>	•		(MLRA 147, 148)
	en Sulfide (A4)		Loamy Gley	•	• • •		,	X Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19)
	d Layers (A5)		Depleted Ma		. ,			(MLRA 136, 147)
	uck (A10) <b>(LRR N)</b>		Redox Dark	• •				Red Parent Material (F21)
	d Below Dark Surface	(A11)	Depleted Da		. ,			(outside MLRA 127, 147, 148)
·	ark Surface (A12)	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	Redox Depr		. ,			Very Shallow Dark Surface (F22)
	Aucky Mineral (S1)		Iron-Mangar		• •	2) (LRR N	N.	Other (Explain in Remarks)
	Bleyed Matrix (S4)		MLRA 13			., (	-,	= = = = = (= = + = = = = = = = = = = =
	Redox (S5)		Umbric Surf	, ace (F13	B) (MLRA	122, 136	6)	<sup>3</sup> Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and
	Matrix (S6)		Piedmont Fl	oodplain	Soils (F	19) <b>(MLR</b>	A 148)	wetland hydrology must be present,
Dark Su	rface (S7)		Red Parent	Material	(F21) <b>(M</b>	LRA 127	, 147, 148)	unless disturbed or problematic.
Restrictive	Layer (if observed):							
Type:								
Depth (i	nches):						Hydric Soi	I Present? Yes X No

Soils look to be transitioning to wetland soils.

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OMB Control #: 0710-xxxx, Exp: Pending Requirement Control Symbol EXEMPT: (Authority: AR 335-15, paragraph 5-2a)

Project/Site: Henry Fork Mitigation Site	City/County: Catawba County Sampling Date: 6-23-20
Applicant/Owner: Wildlands Engineering, Inc	State: NC Sampling Point: DP2
Investigator(s): Jordan Hessler & Mimi Caddell Section	on, Township, Range: N/A
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): floodplain Local rel	lief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope (%): 0-1
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR P, MLRA 136 Lat: 35.702921	Long: -81.364125 Datum: NAD83
Soil Map Unit Name: Codorus Loam (CsA) & Hatboro Loam (HaA)	NWI classification: N/A
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes X No (If no, explain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologysignificantly disturbe	ed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes X No
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynaturally problematic	c? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing samp	bling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Hydric Soil Present? Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes X No Yes X No Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	Yes <u>X</u> No
Remarks:			

#### HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is re	quired; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
x Surface Water (A1)	True Aquatic Plants (B14)	Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
x High Water Table (A2)	Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	Drainage Patterns (B10)
Saturation (A3)	Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roo	ots (C3) Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Water Marks (B1)	Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Sediment Deposits (B2)	Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	(C6) Crayfish Burrows (C8)
Drift Deposits (B3)	Thin Muck Surface (C7)	Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	Other (Explain in Remarks)	Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Iron Deposits (B5)		x Geomorphic Position (D2)
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	(B7)	Shallow Aquitard (D3)
Water-Stained Leaves (B9)		Microtopographic Relief (D4)
Aquatic Fauna (B13)		X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:		
Surface Water Present? Yes x	No Depth (inches): 5	
Water Table Present? Yes x	No Depth (inches): 0	
Saturation Present? Yes x	No Depth (inches): 0	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No
(includes capillary fringe)		
	monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspe	ctions), if available:
Ground water gage #1 is near data point	2. See gage data attached	
Remarks:		
2.25" rain event 4 days prior to site visit.		

#### **VEGETATION (Four Strata)** – Use scientific names of plants.

Sampling Point: DP2

Trac Stratum (Dist size) 20	Absolute	Dominant	Indicator	Dominance Test worksheet:
<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>30</u> ) 1. <i>Alnus serrulata</i>	% Cover	Species? Yes	Status OBL	
Alnus serrulata     Betula nigra	<u>10</u> 5	Yes	FACW	Number of Dominant SpeciesThat Are OBL, FACW, or FAC:4(A)
<ol> <li>Betula nigra</li> <li>Platanus occidentalis</li> </ol>	5	Yes	FACW	
4.	5	res	FACW	Total Number of DominantSpecies Across All Strata:44
5.				
6.				Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)
7.				Prevalence Index worksheet:
	20	=Total Cover		Total % Cover of: Multiply by:
50% of total cover: 10		of total cover:	4	$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 )			<u> </u>	FACW species $20   x^2 = 40$
1.				FAC species $0 \times 3 = 0$
2.				FACU species $0   x4 = 0$
3.		<u> </u>		$\begin{array}{c} 1 \text{ Act species} \\ 0 \\ \text{UPL species} \\ 0 \\ \text{x}5 = \\ 0 \\ \end{array}$
4.				
5.		. <u></u>		Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.20
6				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
7				1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
8				X 2 - Dominance Test is >50%
9				X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
50% of total cover:		=Total Cover		4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 )	2070			Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
1. Leersia oryzoides	60	Yes	OBL	
2. Carex lupulina	10	No	OBL	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
3. Juncus effusus	10	No	FACW	Definitions of Four Vegetation Strata:
4.				<b>Tree</b> – Woody plants, excluding vines, 3 in. (7.6 cm) or
5.				more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of
6.				height.
7.				Sapling/Shrub – Woody plants, excluding vines, less
8.				than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft
9.				(1 m) tall.
3				Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless
11.				of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
	80	=Total Cover		Woody Vine – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in
50% of total cover: 40	) 20%	of total cover:	16	height.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 5 )				
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
		=Total Cover		Hydrophytic
50% of total cover:		of total cover:		Vegetation Present? Yes X No
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a sepa	rate sheet.)			

epth	Matrix			x Featur		2				
nches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	e Remarks		
0-6	10YR 4/3	70	7.5YR 4/6	30	С	Μ	Loamy/Cla	yey Prominent redox concentrations		
6-14	7.5YR 3/4	90	10YR 4/2	10	D	<u>M</u>	Loamy/Cla	yey		
	oncentration, D=Depl	etion, RN	Reduced Matrix, N	/S=Mas	ked Sand	d Grains.	²L	ocation: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix. Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soil		
Histosol	(A1)		Polyvalue Be	elow Sur	face (S8	) (MLRA	147, 148)	2 cm Muck (A10) (MLRA 147)		
Histic Ep	oipedon (A2)		Thin Dark St	urface (S	9) <b>(MLR</b>	A 147, 14	48)	Coast Prairie Redox (A16)		
Black Histic (A3)			Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (MLRA 136)					(MLRA 147, 148)		
Hydroge	n Sulfide (A4)		Loamy Gley	ed Matrix	(F2)			x Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19)		
Stratified	d Layers (A5)		Depleted Ma	trix (F3)				(MLRA 136, 147)		
2 cm Mu	ıck (A10) <b>(LRR N)</b>		Redox Dark	Surface	(F6)			Red Parent Material (F21)		
Depleted	d Below Dark Surface	(A11)	Depleted Da	rk Surfa	ce (F7)			(outside MLRA 127, 147, 148)		
Thick Da	ark Surface (A12)		Redox Depre	essions	(F8)			Very Shallow Dark Surface (F22)		
Sandy N	lucky Mineral (S1)		Iron-Mangar	ese Ma	sses (F12	2) (LRR N	١,	Other (Explain in Remarks)		
Sandy G	eleyed Matrix (S4)		MLRA 130	5)				—		
Sandy R	edox (S5)		Umbric Surfa	ace (F13	) (MLRA	122, 136	6)	<sup>3</sup> Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and		
Stripped	Matrix (S6)		Piedmont Fl	oodplain	Soils (F	19) <b>(MLR</b>	A 148)	wetland hydrology must be present,		
Dark Su	rface (S7)		Red Parent	Material	(F21) <b>(M</b>	LRA 127	, 147, 148)	unless disturbed or problematic.		
estrictive	Layer (if observed):									
Type:										
Depth (i	nches):						Hydric Soi	il Present? Yes X No		
Remarks:										
brunt chan	ge in soil color at 6".									

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OMB Control #: 0710-xxxx, Exp: Pending Requirement Control Symbol EXEMPT: (Authority: AR 335-15, paragraph 5-2a)

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Project/Site: Henry Fork Mitigation Site	City/County: Catawba County	<u> </u>	Sampling Date: 6-23-20
Applicant/Owner: Wildlands Engineering, Inc		State: NC S	Sampling Point: DP3
Investigator(s): Jordan Hessler & Mimi Caddell	Section, Township, Range: <u>N/A</u>		
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): floodplain	Local relief (concave, convex, none):	Concave	Slope (%): 0-1
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR P, MLRA 136 Lat: 35.7	203183 Long: -81.362	086	Datum: NAD83
Soil Map Unit Name: Hatboro Loam (HaA)		NWI classificatio	n: N/A
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this	time of year? Yes X No	(If no, exp	olain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologysign	ificantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circums	tances" present?	Yes X No
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynatu	rally problematic? (If needed, explain a	ny answers in Rem	arks.)
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map sh	owing sampling point locations, t	ransects, imp	ortant features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Hydric Soil Present? Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes X No Yes X No Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	Yes_X_ No
Remarks:			

#### HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is requi	red; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
x Surface Water (A1)	True Aquatic Plants (B14)	Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
x High Water Table (A2)	Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	Drainage Patterns (B10)
x Saturation (A3)	Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Ro	ots (C3) Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Water Marks (B1)	X Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Sediment Deposits (B2)	Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	(C6) Crayfish Burrows (C8)
Drift Deposits (B3)	Thin Muck Surface (C7)	Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	Other (Explain in Remarks)	Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Iron Deposits (B5)	—	x Geomorphic Position (D2)
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B	7)	Shallow Aquitard (D3)
Water-Stained Leaves (B9)		Microtopographic Relief (D4)
Aquatic Fauna (B13)		X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:		
Surface Water Present? Yes x	No Depth (inches): 2	
Water Table Present? Yes x	No Depth (inches): 0	
Saturation Present? Yes x	No Depth (inches): 0	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No
(includes capillary fringe)		
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, mo		ctions), if available:
Ground water gage #13 is near data point 3	. See gage data attached	
Remarks:		
2.25" rain event 4 days prior to site visit.		

#### **VEGETATION (Four Strata)** – Use scientific names of plants.

Sampling Point: DP3

	Absolute	Dominant	Indicator	
Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 )	% Cover	Species?	Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. Salix nigra	10	Yes	OBL	Number of Dominant Species
2. Betula nigra	5	Yes	FACW	That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 5 (A)
3. Alnus serrulata	5	Yes	FACW	Total Number of Dominant
4. Platanus occidentalis	5	Yes	FACW	Species Across All Strata: 5 (B)
5.				Percent of Dominant Species
6.				That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)
7.				Prevalence Index worksheet:
···	25	=Total Cover		Total % Cover of: Multiply by:
50% of total cover: 13		of total cover:	5	$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 )	2070	of total cover.		FACW species75 $x 2 =$ 150
1				
2.		<u> </u>		FACU species 0 x 4 = 0
3.				UPL species $0 \times 5 = 0$
4		. <u> </u>		Column Totals: <u>115</u> (A) <u>190</u> (B)
5				Prevalence Index = $B/A = 1.65$
6				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
7		. <u></u>		1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
8				X 2 - Dominance Test is >50%
9.				X_3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
		=Total Cover		4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting
50% of total cover:	20%	of total cover:		data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 )				Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
1. Juncus effusus	60	Yes	FACW	
2. Carex lupulina	10	No	OBL	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
3. Sagittaria latifolia	10	No	OBL	Definitions of Four Vegetation Strata:
4. Typha latifolia	10	No	OBL	<b>Tree</b> – Woody plants, excluding vines, 3 in. (7.6 cm) or
5.	10			more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of
6.				height.
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
7				<b>Sapling/Shrub</b> – Woody plants, excluding vines, less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft
8.				(1 m) tall.
9				
10				<b>Herb</b> – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
11				
		=Total Cover		<b>Woody Vine</b> – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in
50% of total cover: 45	5 20%	of total cover:	18	height.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 5 )				
1				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
		=Total Cover		Hydrophytic
50% of total cover:		of total cover:		Vegetation Present? Yes X No
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separ	rate sheet.)			

Depth	Matrix		Redo	x Featur	es			
inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	e Remarks
0-8	10YR 4/1	95	7.5YR 4/6	5	RM	М	Loamy/Cla	yey Mica flakes mixed in
8-14	2.5YR 3/1	100					Loamy/Cla	yey
Туре: С=С	oncentration, D=Depl	etion, RM	=Reduced Matrix, N	/S=Mas	ked Sand	d Grains.	2L	ocation: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
ydric Soil	Indicators:							Indicators for Problematic Hydric So
Histosol	( )		Polyvalue B		•	, <b>、</b>		2 cm Muck (A10) (MLRA 147)
	pipedon (A2)		Thin Dark S				-	Coast Prairie Redox (A16)
Black H	istic (A3)		Loamy Muck	xy Minera	al (F1) <b>(N</b>	ILRA 136	5)	(MLRA 147, 148)
_ ′ ँ	en Sulfide (A4)		Loamy Gley		` '			Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19)
	d Layers (A5)		x Depleted Ma	. ,				(MLRA 136, 147)
2 cm Mu	uck (A10) <b>(LRR N)</b>		Redox Dark					Red Parent Material (F21)
Deplete	d Below Dark Surface	e (A11)	Depleted Da	rk Surfa	ce (F7)			(outside MLRA 127, 147, 148)
Thick Da	ark Surface (A12)		Redox Depr	essions	(F8)			Very Shallow Dark Surface (F22)
Sandy N	/lucky Mineral (S1)		Iron-Mangar	ese Ma	sses (F12	2) (LRR N	١,	Other (Explain in Remarks)
	Eleyed Matrix (S4)		MLRA 13	5)				
	Redox (S5)		Umbric Surf	ace (F13	3) <b>(MLRA</b>	122, 136	5)	<sup>3</sup> Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation ar
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Wetland Photographs





From Mitigation Plan: Jurisdictional Determination Hydric Soil Evaluation September 9, 2013 (Proposal Phase) Hydric Soil Investigation May 13, 2014 (Design Phase)

### U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS WILMINGTON DISTRICT

Action ID: 2014-00538 County: Catawba U.S.G.S. Quad; Hickory

#### NOTIFICATION OF JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION

Property Owner:         WEI – Henry Fork, LLC / Attn.: Shawn Wilkerson           Address:         1430 South Mint Street, Suite 104						
Telephone Number:	Charlotte, NC 28203 704-332-3306					
Size (acres):	<u>48</u>	Nearest Town:	Hickory			
Nearest Waterway:	UTs to Henry Fork and Henry Fork	Coordinates:	35.703751 N, 81.364880 W			
River Basin/ HUC:	South Fork Catawba (03050102)					

Location description: <u>The site is located on a tract of land (parcel ID 279108883819) which was a part of the former</u> <u>Henry River Golf Course at 2575 Mountain View Road in Hickory, Catawba County North Carolina.</u>

#### Indicate Which of the Following Apply:

#### A. Preliminary Determination

Based on preliminary information, there may be wetlands on the above described property. We strongly suggest you have this property inspected to determine the extent of Department of the Army (DA) jurisdiction. To be considered final, a jurisdictional determination must be verified by the Corps. This preliminary determination is not an appealable action under the Regulatory Program Administrative Appeal Process (Reference 33 CFR Part 331). If you wish, you may request an approved JD (which may be appealed), by contacting the Corps district for further instruction. Also, you may provide new information for further consideration by the Corps to reevaluate the JD.

#### **B.** Approved Determination

- There are Navigable Waters of the United States within the above described property subject to the permit requirements of Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act and Section 404 of the Clean Water Act. Unless there is a change in the law or our published regulations, this determination may be relied upon for a period not to exceed five years from the date of this notification.
- X There are waters of the U.S. including wetlands on the above described property subject to the permit requirements of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA)(33 USC § 1344). Unless there is a change in the law or our published regulations, this determination may be relied upon for a period not to exceed five years from the date of this notification.

\_ We strongly suggest you have the wetlands on your property delineated. Due to the size of your property and/or our present workload, the Corps may not be able to accomplish this wetland delineation in a timely manner. For a more timely delineation, you may wish to obtain a consultant. To be considered final, any delineation must be verified by the Corps.

 $\underline{X}$  The waters of the U.S. including wetlands on your property have been delineated and the delineation has been verified by the Corps. We strongly suggest you have this delineation surveyed. Upon completion, this survey should be reviewed and verified by the Corps. Once verified, this survey will provide an accurate depiction of all areas subject to CWA jurisdiction on your property which, provided there is no change in the law or our published regulations, may be relied upon for a period not to exceed five years.

\_\_\_\_\_ The waters of the U.S. including wetlands have been delineated and surveyed and are accurately depicted on the plat signed by the Corps Regulatory Official identified below on \_\_\_\_\_\_. Unless there is a change in the law or our published regulations, this determination may be relied upon for a period not to exceed five years from the date of this notification.

- There are no waters of the U.S., to include wetlands, present on the above described project area which are subject to the permit requirements of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 USC 1344). Unless there is a change in the law or our published regulations, this determination may be relied upon for a period not to exceed five years from the date of this notification.
- The property is located in one of the 20 Coastal Counties subject to regulation under the Coastal Area Management Act (CAMA). You should contact the Division of Coastal Management to determine their requirements.

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Wildlands Engineering, Inc., Attn.: Ian Eckardt, 1430 South Mint Street, Suite 104, Charlotte, NC 28203

NCDENR - Ecosystem Enhancement Program, Attn.: Paul Wiesner, 5 Ravenscroft Drive, Suite 102, Asheville, NC 28801

E: PRELIMINARY JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION: You do not need to respond to the Corps regarding the preliminary JD. The Preliminary JD is not appealable. If you wish, you may request an approved JD (which may be appealed), by contacting the Corps district for further instruction. Also you may provide new information for further consideration by the Corps to reevaluate the JD.

SECTION II - REQUEST FOR APPEAL or OBJECTIONS TO AN INITIAL PROFFERED PERMIT

REASONS FOR APPEAL OR OBJECTIONS: (Describe your reasons for appealing the decision or your objections to an initial proffered permit in clear concise statements. You may attach additional information to this form to clarify where your reasons or objections are addressed in the administrative record.)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: The appeal is limited to a review of the administrative record, the Corps memorandum for the record of the appeal conference or meeting, and any supplemental information that the review officer has determined is needed to clarify the administrative record. Neither the appellant nor the Corps may add new information or analyses to the record. However, you may provide additional information to clarify the location of information that is already in the administrative record.

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District Engineer, Wilmington Regulatory Division,	Mr. Jason Steele, Administrativ	ve Appeal Review Officer				
Attn: David Brown	CESAD-PDO					
3-271-7980 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, South Atlantic Division						
	60 Forsyth Street, Room 10M15					
	Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8801					
	Phone: (404) 562-5137					
RIGHT OF ENTRY: Your signature below grants the right	of entry to Corps of Engineers p	ersonnel, and any government				
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Catawba County, NC

Jurisdictional Feature	Classification	Length (LF)*	Acreage	Watershed (ac)	NCDWQ Stream Scores	USACE Stream Scores
UT1	Perennial RPW	3,071	-	130	39.5/32.5	54/44
UT1A	Intermittent RPW	353	-	23	27.25	49
UT1B	Perennial RPW	491	-	31	31.25	49
UT2	Intermittent RPW	1,945	-	66	27	43
Wetland A	Headwater Forest	-	0.182	-	-	-
Wetland B	Headwater Forest	-	0.013	-	-	-
Wetland C	Headwater Forest	-	0.003	-	-	-
Wetland D	Headwater Forest	-	0.094	-	-	-
Wetland E	Headwater Forest		0.004		-	-
Wetland F	Headwater Forest	-	0.067	-	-	-
Wetland G	Headwater Forest	-	0.021	-	-	-
Wetland H	Headwater Forest	-	0.056	-	-	-
Wetland I	Headwater Forest	-	0.078	-	-	-
Wetland J	Headwater Forest	-	0.036	-	-	-
Wetland K	Headwater Forest	-	0.062	-	-	-
Wetland L	Headwater Forest	-	0.003	-	-	-
Wetland M	Headwater Forest	-	0.131	-	-	-
Wetland N	Headwater Forest	-	0.084	-	-	-
Wetland O	Headwater Forest	-	0.028	-	-	-
Wetland P	Headwater Forest	-	0.023	-	-	-
Wetland Q	Headwater Forest	-	0.069	-	-	-
Wetland R	Non-tidal Freshwater Marsh	-	0.059	-	-	-
Wetland S	Non-tidal Freshwater Marsh	-	0.159	-	-	-
Pond 1**	-	-	0.20	-	-	-
Pond 2**	-	-	0.81	-	-	
Pond 3**	-	-	0.20	-	-	-
Pond 4**	-	-	0.37	-	-	-

 Table 1. Henry Fork Stream and Wetland Mitigation Project

 Summary of On-Site Jurisdictional Waters

\*Linear footage includes stream length through ponds.

\*\*Ponds are manmade impoundments and prior discussion with Corps indicates that they will be treated as streams for quantification of impacts.

## HYDRIC SOIL EVALUATION

### FOR THE PROPOSED HENRY RIVER MITIGATION SITE

### CATAWBA COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

Prepared for:

Wildlands Engineering, Inc.

Prepared by:

Jason A. Payne NC Licensed Soil Scientist #1308



September 9, 2013

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#### PURPOSE OF REPORT

This report has been prepared to assist Wildlands Engineering during planning and design for the proposed mitigation site located at the Henry River Golf Course in Catawba County, NC. A detailed evaluation was conducted to characterize soils across the site, with a focus on identifying hydric soils.

#### SITE LOCATION

The site is located on an approximately 90-acre property, southwest of the intersection of Highway 321 and Interstate 40, at 2575 Mountain View Road (Parcel# 279108883819), in Hickory, NC. The evaluation area is situated in the floodplain of, and south of the Henry Fork River, north of the terminus of Mountain View Road.

#### METHODOLOGY

The hydric soil evaluation began with a cursory review of NRCS soils maps, recent aerial photos and a USGS topographic map for the area. The site analysis was performed on July 25, 2013. Soil auger borings were advanced throughout the study area. The hydric soil status at each location was noted, and is based upon the NRCS Field Indicators of Hydric Soils in the United States - A Guide for Identifying and Delineating Hydric Soils (Version 7.0, 2010). During the site evaluation, each soil boring was assigned to one of four different soil types or units:

- Soil Unit 1 (S1) Hydric, relatively undisturbed
- Soil Unit 2 (S2) Hydric soil that has been buried, with hydric indicators in the fill material
- Soil Unit 3 (S3) Hydric soil that has been buried. Fill material is non-hydric
- Soil Unit 4 (S4) Non-hydric soil (no evidence of buried hydric soil)

Following the site investigation, field data were compiled to prepare the hydric soil map for the project.

#### FINDINGS

Evidence of anthropogenic site manipulation is abundant throughout the study area. One finds much evidence of ditching and/or channelization of streams across the site. Additionally, fill material has been placed over a majority of the floodplain area during past construction for the golf course. The soil beneath is generally undisturbed.

The Soil Units are briefly discussed below and representative soil profile descriptions using the USDA - NRCS standard nomenclature are appended for hydric soil areas S1, S2 & S3. The attached "Henry River Project Hydric Soils Evaluation" map illustrates the approximate location of soil borings and soil map units across the site. Two, separate hydric soil areas were mapped during the evaluation. The western hydric soil area occupies approximately 1.49-acres, and consists only of S2

and S3 borings. The eastern hydric soil area occupies 3.03-acres, and consists of S1, S2 and S3 borings.

#### <u>Soil Unit 1 (S1) – Hydric Soil</u>

Soils in this area had no fill material and generally had typical diagnostic soil horizons. While several hydric soil indicators were present, indicator F3 was the most common.

**Indicator F3 - Depleted Matrix.** A layer that has a depleted matrix with 60 percent or more chroma of 2 or less and that has a minimum thickness of either:

- a. 5 cm (2 inches) if the 5 cm is entirely within the upper 15 cm (6 inches) of the soil, or
- b. 15 cm (6 inches), starting within 25 cm (10 inches) of the soil surface.

This soil typically had a silt loam textured surface horizon that ranged from 4 to 8 inches with oxidized rhizoshperes present. The subsurface textures were generally clay loam, grading to silty clay, with a matrix color of chroma 2 or less.

#### Soil Unit 2 (S2) – Hydric Fill Over Hydric Soil

Soil Unit 2 had fill material deposited during construction of the golf course. The soil beneath the fill was relatively undisturbed. Depth of fill was variable, but ranged from 6-to-12-inches. The buried soil had a loam textured surface horizon underlain by either loam, clay loam, or sandy clay loam subsurface horizons and met hydric indicator F3 Depleted Matrix.

Here, the affects of hydrologic manipulation on the site are less pronounced and fill material has been on-site long enough to develop hydric indicators. While some of the fill material may have been hydric in origin (deposited from adjoining wetland or dredge from the ditches), most fill material was sourced from upland areas. There was evidence of active reduction and oxidation reactions in all borings. The soil either met indicator F3 Depleted Matrix or F6;

**Indicator F6 - Redox Dark Surface**. A layer that is at least 10 cm (4 inches) thick, is entirely within the upper 30 cm (12 inches) of the mineral soil, and has:

- a. Matrix value of 3 or less and chroma of 1 or less and 2 percent or more distinct or prominent redox concentration occurring as soft masses or pore lining, or
- b. Matrix value of 3 or less and chroma of 2 or less and 5 percent or more distinct or prominent redox concentrations occurring as soft masses or pore linings.

#### Soil Unit 3 (S3) – Non-Hydric Fill Over Hydric Soil

Soil Unit 3 clearly had fill material deposited during construction of the golf course. The soil beneath the fill was relatively undisturbed. Depth of fill was quite variable, but ranges from 12-to-26-inches. The buried soil had a silty clay loam surface horizon underlain by clay, silty clay or clay loam subsurface horizons. These areas met hydric indicator F3 - Depleted Matrix. While there was some evidence of recent reduction and oxidations reactions within some fill, it did not meet any of the hydric indicators.

#### Soil Unit 4 (S4) – No Evidence of Buried Hydric Soil

Most of Soil Unit 4 evidenced fill material, but in all cases neither the fill material nor the original soil met any hydric soil indicators within a depth reasonable for remediation. For example, some borings exhibited fill depths of greater than 36-inches, and were terminated. Since these areas contained mostly fill material without hydric soil indicators, a representative soil profile description was omitted.

#### CONCLUSION

This report presents information that may be used as reference for planning and design for the proposed work at the Henry River Mitigation site. Specifically, soil borings provide evidence of areas where hydric soils are either present or present below fill material. Soil units for each of these areas were delineated on the attached map. The site hydrology has been altered by ditching and/or channelization of streams and the addition of the fill material. Subsequently, opportunities exist for wetland restoration. These findings represent a professional opinion based on Hydric Soil Investigation and knowledge of the current regulations regarding wetland mitigation in North Carolina and national criteria for determining hydric soil.



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# HYDRIC SOIL INVESTIGATION

# **Henry Fork Mitigation Site**

## Catawba County, North Carolina

**Prepared for:** 

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Prepared by:



410-B Millstone Drive Hillsborough, NC 27278



May 13, 2014

# **INTRODUCTION**

Wildlands Engineering, Inc. is considering mitigating a section of the Henry Fork project site in the Catawba River Basin (03050101). The site is accessed off Mountain View Road (SR 1192) in Hickory, Catawba County, NC. The Catena Group, Inc. (Catena) was retained to perform a detailed soil investigation that would, in part, determine the depth of fill material that was previously observed during a preliminary soil and site.

# **METHODOLOGY**

The field investigation was performed on April 29, 2014. Seventy-two (72) hand-turned auger borings were advanced throughout the study area on a seventy-five ft by seventy-five ft grid (Figure 1). Each soil boring was marked in the field with a red pin flag noting the boring number, soil unit number, and either depth of fill material or depth boring was terminated. Hydric soil status was based upon the NRCS Field Indicators of Hydric Soils in the Unities States - A Guide for Identifying and Delineating Hydric Soils (Version 7.0, 2010).

# RESULTS

There is clear evidence of human manipulation throughout the study area. In addition to ditching and/or channelization of streams, fill material has been placed over the majority of the study area. Six Soil Units were created based on data collected from soil borings and are described below and summarized in Table 1. Table 2 lists the classification and fill depth when applicable for each soil boring (appended).

**Soil Unit 1.** Soil Unit 1 had a typical surface diagnostic horizon that met hydric soil indicator F3.

F3 Depleted Matrix. A layer that has a depleted matrix with 60 percent or more chroma of 2 or less and that has a minimum thickness of either:

a. 5 cm (2 inches) if the 5 cm is entirely within the upper 15 cm (6 inches) of the soil, or 5 cm (6 inches), or

b. 15 cm (6 inches), starting within 25 cm (10 inches) of the soil surface.

**Soil Unit 2.** Soil Unit 2 consists of non-hydric soil that appeared to be undisturbed.

**Soil Unit 3.** Soil Unit 3 clearly has overburden material deposited as a result of human manipulation. The soil material below the overburden was relatively undisturbed and met hydric indicator F3 Depleted Matrix. The overburden was classified as hydric and met hydric indicator F3 Depleted Matrix.

**Soil Unit 4.** Soil Unit 4 clearly has overburden material deposited as a result of human manipulation. The soil material below the overburden was relatively undisturbed other than a compressed soil structure and a truncated profile, remnants of past surface manipulations. This material still appeared to be hydric and met indicator F3 Depleted Matrix. The overburden did not meet any hydric soil indicator. A typical soil profile for Soil Unit 4 is appended. Soil Unit 4 comprised the majority of the study site.

<u>Soil Unit 5.</u> Soil Unit 5 clearly has overburden material deposited as a result of human manipulation. The overburden material and the soil beneath did not meet any hydric soil indicator.

<u>Soil Unit 6.</u> Soil Unit 6 clear has overburden material deposited as a result of human manipulation. The surface of the overburden material currently meets hydric indicator F3 Depleted Matrix. The material below the surface did not currently meet any hydric soil indicator.

Soil Unit	Classification	Hydric Indicator
1	Undisturbed Hydric Soil	F3
2	Undisturbed Non-Hydric Soil	n/a
3	Hydric Overburden/Buried Hydric Soil	F3
4	Non-Hydric Overburden/Buried Hydric Soil	F3
5	Non-Hydric Overburden/Buried Non-Hydric Soil	n/a
6	Hydric Overburden/Non-Hydric Soil	F3

Table 1. Summary of Soil Boring Classification and Hydric Indicator (if applicable).

# CONCLUSION

Seventy-two (72) soil borings were advanced throughout the study area. Borings were placed into one of six Soil Units. The depth of fill material was noted at each boring when applicable. It is anticipated that Priority 1 stream restoration, combined with limited soil manipulation, has the potential to reestablish approximately 5.6 acres of wetlands (Figure 1).

The findings presented herein represent Catena's professional opinion based on our Hydric Soil Investigation and knowledge of the current regulations regarding wetland mitigation in North Carolina and national criteria for determining hydric soil.

Boring No.	Soil Unit	Depth of Fill	Boring No.	Soil Unit	Depth of Fill
1	5	N/A	49	2	N/A
2	4	34	50	3	22
3	4	24	51	4	14
4	4	26	52	4	38
5	4	24	53	4	36
6	4	34	54	4	31
7	4	32	55	4	32
8	4	34	56	2	N/A
9	4	27	57	4	27
10	4	13	58	4	15
11	4	18	59	4	8
12	4	16	60	5	N/A
13	4	20	61	5	N/A
14	4	18	62	4	28
15	4	19	63	4	25
16	4	19	64	4	17
17	4	13	65	4	27
18	4	21	66	4	30
19	4	27	67	4	20
20	4	23	68	3	17
31	4	16	69	4	12
32	4	15	70	5	N/A
33	4	24	71	6	N/A
34	5	40	72	4	28
35	4	24	73	5	N/A
37	4	45	74	5	N/A
38	4	29	75	5	N/A
39	2	N/A	76	5	N/A
40	2	N/A	77	4	22
41	2	N/A	78	5	N/A
42	2	N/A	79	5	N/A
44	4	38	80	2	N/A
45	4	38	81	1	N/A
46	2	N/A	82	5	N/A
47	2	N/A	83	5	N/A
48	2	N/A	84	5	N/A

Table 2. Classification of Each Soil Boring and Depth of Fill Material (if applicable).



# SOIL EVALUATION FORM

The Catena Group, Inc 410-B Millstone Drive Hillsborough, NC 27278 919.732.1300 Catena Job: 4172 Henry Fork Hyd. Soil Inv. County: Catawba Date: 4/29/14 Sheet: <u>1</u> of <u>1</u>

Profile #	Horizon	Horizon Depth (In)	Structure / Texture	Consistence / Mineralogy	Matrix Color	Mottle Colors (Quantity, Size, Contrast, Color)
1	Fill	13	O,M parting to 1,M,SBK / C, CL	FI / S, P	Variegated	
	Ab	18	1,M, SBK parting to 1,M,GR / SL	FR / SS, SP	10YR 3/1	m,2,D 7.5YR 4/4
	Bt	28	1,M,SBK / CL	FI / SS, SP	2.5Y 4/1	m,2,P 10YR 4/4; m,2,P 7.5YR 5/6
	BC	36	1,CO,SBK / C	FI / SS,SP	2.5Y 5/2	m,2,P 10YR 4/6; m,2,P 2.5Y 4/6

#### Jake McLean

То:	Browning, Kimberly D CIV USARMY CESAW (USA); Wiesner, Paul
Cc:	Reid, Matthew; Eric Neuhaus; Shawn Wilkerson; Allen, Melonie; Haywood, Casey M CIV (USA);
	Tugwell, Todd J CIV USARMY CESAW (USA); Davis, Erin B; Bowers, Todd; Wilson, Travis W.; Munzer,
	Olivia; Mimi Caddell; Kristi Suggs
Subject:	RE: Request for more information/ DMS Mitigation Plan Addendum Request: Henry Fork Stream and
	Wetland Mitigation Project/ SAW- 2014-00538/Catawba County
Attachments:	Supplemental Data - at risk wetland assets.pdf; Henry Fork - Wetland Supplement WLE 12.10.20
	Response to IRT Comments from 10.30.20.pdf

#### Hi Everyone,

I apologize for the delay in getting this response out. Please find our responses below in red text, and a copy of this email response attached in pdf for your files. We will require additional time to collect vegetation data and do planting to supplement these areas, but I'm hoping that based on this response we can get some feedback on our proposed approach to guide us in moving forward with this. Although our perceived wetland credit risk is low based on current data (see attached pdf), we understand that the IRT has viewed prior credit establishment on the site through a holistic lens based on the unique nature of this site. Furthermore, we understand that in order to agree to additional crediting on this site, this should include just effort to enhance ecological uplift and provide associated documentation. If you feel that the efforts proposed below are not commensurate with the credit being requested, we are amenable to revisit the ratio requested or the efforts proposed.

Thanks, Jake

From: Browning, Kimberly D CIV USARMY CESAW (USA) <Kimberly.D.Browning@usace.army.mil> Sent: Friday, October 30, 2020 1:59 PM

To: Wiesner, Paul <paul.wiesner@ncdenr.gov>

**Cc:** Jake McLean <jmclean@wildlandseng.com>; Reid, Matthew <matthew.reid@ncdenr.gov>; Eric Neuhaus <eneuhaus@wildlandseng.com>; Shawn Wilkerson <swilkerson@wildlandseng.com>; Allen, Melonie <melonie.allen@ncdenr.gov>; Haywood, Casey M CIV (USA) <Casey.M.Haywood@usace.army.mil>; Tugwell, Todd J CIV USARMY CESAW (USA) <Todd.J.Tugwell@usace.army.mil>; Davis, Erin B <erin.davis@ncdenr.gov>; Bowers, Todd <bowers.todd@epa.gov>; Wilson, Travis W. <travis.wilson@ncwildlife.org>; Munzer, Olivia <olivia.munzer@ncwildlife.org>

**Subject:** Request for more information/ DMS Mitigation Plan Addendum Request: Henry Fork Stream and Wetland Mitigation Project/ SAW- 2014-00538/Catawba County

Good afternoon Paul,

The 15-day comment review period for the NCDMS Henry Fork Mitigation Plan Addendum (SAW-2014-00538) closed on October 28, 2020. Per Section 332.8(o)(9) of the 2008 Mitigation Rule, this review followed the streamlined review process. All comments received during the review process are below.

#### USACE Comments, Todd Tugwell and Kim Browning:

The Corps requests vegetation data for these proposed wetland areas prior to approving their addition to the wetland assets. Some areas have woody stems (both planted and volunteer) while some do not. We propose to map areas of existing high and low density stem counts within the proposed wetlands, and to plant areas of low density during this dormant season at a rate of 600 stems/acre. We propose to set up 3 vegetation plots to track density and vigor in the proposed wetlands over the remaining monitoring term - we will do this in a way that includes representation of both existing and new stems. We also propose to visually monitor the success of new plantings. New plantings are proposed

to consist of wetland and deer-tolerant livestakes which will limit diversity (and transplants from adjacent areas where available to supplement and diversify species). We have observations of low success with planting bareroot or potted trees that have already been rooted in a drier hydrologic regime and we have had significant vegetation setbacks and losses from deer on this site. If deemed acceptable, vegetation data will be provided prior to the credit release meeting in April, 2021.

Only two of the five areas proposed have gauges in them. This is concerning because the IRT requested these gauges back in March 2016 if WEI thought the wetland boundaries were going to be different from the approved mitigation plan. We understand these were requested early on and have no response to counter this concern - gages13, 14, and 15 were installed as soon as we determined we desired to make this request. We feel that GWG1 is representative of Wetland DD and that GWG's 14 & 15 are representative of Wetlands AA, BB, and CC.

Wetland EE appears to be relatively permanently impounded according to the gauge data, which raises concern whether this area may be too wet to support trees.

The hydrologic regime of Wetland EE in 2019 was impacted by beaver impoundments - beaver were subsequently trapped and removed. Related to tree growth - it is true that the variation in topography in all of these wetlands influences the type of vegetation and habitat supported in each of these areas - some being old irrigation ponds or having ditch remnants that are emergent in character. Intermittent impoundment by beaver and riverine flooding have also influenced current vegetation. We proposed to attempt to establish woody vegetation in all of the wetlands, but recognize that some of the areas may not support this. We can accept that no credit may be offered for wetlands that do not support woody vegetation.

Prior to approving this addendum we request veg data for the proposed areas, and we would like a map that shows the areas that are at-risk/not meeting success. Vegetation data will be collected and provided along with other data specified above. The map showing at-risk areas determined by gage analysis and wetland delineation is attached.

#### EPA, Todd Bowers:

At this time I have no specific comments on the proposed addendum for the site to provide 0.220 riparian wetland mitigation units to only be used if proposed wetlands at the mitigation site do not meet the thresholds or performance standards for success in the current mitigation plan. The created potential wetlands appear to be providing the appropriate function based on the groundwater gauge data (GWG 13 and 15) and the vigorous vegetation growth shown in the attached photos.

As stated, the WMUs generated by this supplemental request would only be used to offset credits approved in the mitigation plan that are not granted due to failure to meet performance.

#### WRC, Travis Wilson:

Looking at the mapped locations as well at the photos it looks like the vegetation is comprised of emergent and pioneering species. All wetlands on this site were classified as Headwater forest. If these wetlands are going to be classified the same they should follow the same planting plan and vegetative success criteria.

As discussed above, there are pockets of deeper water with prolonged inundation. We propose to plant woody species from the livestake planting plan this winter in areas that have not already revegetated with desired species (river birch, box elder, alders). Refer to proposed vegetative success monitoring in the response to Corps comments. Further, we have treatment of cattails visible in the photos scheduled for next year. We request that vegetation criteria be relaxed to the point of demonstrating successful establishment and progression of woody species in these areas rather than achieving full term criteria by the currently scheduled close-out date.

#### DWR, Erin Davis:

Are all of the proposed wetland creation areas outside of the original planted project area? I question whether they would meet the standard veg density performance standard. One of the areas is sweetgum dominated.

Yes, most of the areas are outside of the planted area. We propose to perform the monitoring as stated above. There are dense riverbirch and alder thickets in some of the proposed wetland areas, but I don't believe that any areas are sweetgum monocultures. We have treated some such monocultures on the site within and adjacent to planted areas and will consider the same treatment in these creations areas where warranted. We do feel that with the difficulty of deer browsing on this site that establishment of canopy through pioneering species with an eye towards later forest succession may be better than no canopy.

Please reach out if you have any questions. Thanks Kim

Kim Browning Mitigation Project Manager, Regulatory Division I U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

-----Original Message-----From: Haywood, Casey M CIV (USA) <<u>Casey.M.Haywood@usace.army.mil</u>> Sent: Tuesday, October 13, 2020 12:34 PM To: Tugwell, Todd J CIV USARMY CESAW (USA) <<u>Todd.J.Tugwell@usace.army.mil</u>>; Browning, Kimberly D CIV USARMY CESAW (USA) <<u>Kimberly.D.Browning@usace.army.mil</u>>; Davis, Erin B <<u>erin.davis@ncdenr.gov</u>>; Haywood, Casey M CIV (USA) <<u>Casey.M.Haywood@usace.army.mil</u>>; Smith, Ronnie D CIV USARMY CESAW (USA) <<u>Ronnie.D.Smith@usace.army.mil</u>>; McLendon, C S CIV USARMY CESAW (USA) <<u>Scott.C.McLendon@usace.army.mil</u>>; Bowers, Todd <<u>bowers.todd@epa.gov</u>>; Wilson, Travis W. <<u>travis.wilson@ncwildlife.org</u>>; Munzer, Olivia <<u>olivia.munzer@ncwildlife.org</u>>; Byron Hamstead <<u>byron Hamstead@fws.gov</u>> Cc: Jake McLean <<u>imclean@wildlandseng.com</u>>; Reid, Matthew <<u>matthew.reid@ncdenr.gov</u>>; Wiesner, Paul <<u>paul.wiesner@ncdenr.gov</u>>; Eric Neuhaus <<u>eneuhaus@wildlandseng.com</u>>; Shawn Wilkerson <<u>swilkerson@wildlandseng.com</u>>; Allen, Melonie <<u>melonie.allen@ncdenr.gov</u>> Subject: Notice of NCDEQ - DMS Mitigation Plan Addendum Request: Henry Fork Stream and Wetland Mitigation Project (DMS# 96306) - (SAW- 2014-00538) (DWR#20140193) - Catawba 03050102\_Catawba County

Good afternoon IRT,

The below referenced Mitigation Plan Addendum Request review has been requested by NCDMS. Per Section 332.8(o)(9) of the 2008 Mitigation Rule, this review follows the streamlined review process, which requires an IRT review period of 15 calendar days from this email notification. Please provide any comments by 5 PM on the 15-day comment deadline shown below. Comments provided after the 15-day comment deadline (shown below) may not be considered.

At the conclusion of this comment period, a copy of all comments will be provided to NCDMS and the NCIRT along with District Engineer's intent to approve or disapprove this AMP.

Wildlands Engineering, Inc. (WEI) has prepared a Mitigation Plan Addendum for the Henry Fork Mitigation Site (DMS# 96306). WEI has identified five additional wetland areas that have developed following site construction. These five wetland areas were not identified in the approved Jurisdictional Determination (USACE) and they were not identified as having hydric soils in the LSS soils report from the IRT approved Mitigation Plan. As a result, WEI is proposing a creation credit ratio of 3:1 for the additional 0.661 acres for a total of 0.220 Riparian WMUs.

WEI is not seeking additional wetland credit above the approved Mitigation Plan and the DMS credit ledger will not be updated. The purpose of proposing these additional areas for credit is to offset any wetland credits that may be at risk of losing credit at project closeout. These additional areas have been monitored since March 2019 (MY4) and will continue to be monitored through project closeout. Upon IRT review and approval of this wetland addendum, Wildland's will document the additional wetland areas in this year's annual monitoring report (MY5) and through project closeout.

The site is currently in MY5 (2020) and is scheduled to close in 2023.

Digital copies were uploaded to the IRT SharePoint page (10/6/2020) and DWR's Laser Fiche system (10/6/2020) for IRT review. A copy is also attached.

15-Day Comment Start: October 13, 2020

15-Day Comment Deadline: October 28, 2020 45-Day DE Decision: November 27, 2020

Project information is as follows:

Henry Fork Mitigation Site

DMS Project # 96306

Institution Date: 2/15/2014

RFP 16-005298 (Issued: 6/6/2013)

Catawba River Basin

Cataloging Unit 03050103 Expanded Service Area

Catawba County, North Carolina

USACE Action ID: SAW- 2014-00538

DWR#: 20140193

Proposed Mitigation Project Credits:

4,807.667 SMU (cool)

4.222 WMU (riparian)

Full Delivery Provider: Wildlands Engineering Inc. – Contact: Jake McLean, jmclean@wildlandseng.com <mailto:jmclean@wildlandseng.com>, (828) 774-5547

NCDEQ - DMS Project Manager: Matthew Reid, matthew.reid@ncdenr.gov <mailto:matthew.reid@ncdenr.gov>, (828) 231-7912

The Mitigation Plan Addendum has been uploaded to the IRT/ NCDEQ SharePoint Mitigation Plan Review page and can be accessed here:

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Please contact the Mitigation Office if you have questions.

V/r,

Casey Haywood

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#### Jake McLean

From:	Jake McLean			
Sent:	Friday, December 18, 2020 8:41 AM			
То:	'Browning, Kimberly D CIV USARMY CESAW (USA)'			
Cc:	Mimi Caddell			
Subject:	RE: DMS Mitigation Plan Addendum Request: Henry Fork Stream and Wetland Mitigation Project/			
	SAW- 2014-00538/Catawba County			

Ok, thanks.

-----Original Message-----

From: Browning, Kimberly D CIV USARMY CESAW (USA) <Kimberly.D.Browning@usace.army.mil> Sent: Friday, December 18, 2020 8:38 AM To: Jake McLean <jmclean@wildlandseng.com> Subject: RE: DMS Mitigation Plan Addendum Request: Henry Fork Stream and Wetland Mitigation Project/ SAW- 2014-00538/Catawba County

Good morning Jake,

The IRT agrees that Wildlands should be held to the vigor standard that is expected at close-out; so 10' high by MY7. It looks like you plan to replant livestakes, which might make it harder, but that is your choice; to earn full credit, this seems like a reasonable requirement. It also looked like there were a lot of pioneer species there already (like sweetgum and red maple) but it was hard to tell from the pictures. We'd like to review the veg data when it's available. Feel free to reach out if you have questions, Kim

Kim Browning Mitigation Project Manager, Regulatory Division I U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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Thanks Kim. We intended below to request that vigor be compared against year 1 & 2 standards ("successful...progression" of the proposed plantings). Is the IRT allowing for this to be the standard, or are you indicating that year 6 & 7 vigor standards must be met for full credit? Just wanting to clarify.

From response:

"We request that vegetation criteria be relaxed to the point of demonstrating successful establishment and progression of woody species in these areas rather than achieving full term criteria by the currently scheduled close-out date."

Best, Jake

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From: Browning, Kimberly D CIV USARMY CESAW (USA) <Kimberly.D.Browning@usace.army.mil> Sent: Thursday, December 17, 2020 3:29 PM To: Jake McLean <jmclean@wildlandseng.com>; Wiesner, Paul <paul.wiesner@ncdenr.gov>





Conservation Easement

Wetland Rehabilitation

Wetland Enhancement

Henry Fork River

Planted Buffer

Stream Restoration

----- Bankfull Line

Reach Break

Reference GageBarotroll Gage

Wetland Re-establishment

Stream Enhancement I





Henry Fork Mitigation Site Wetland Addendum DMS Project No. 96306 Monitoring Year 5 - 2020 *Catawba County, NC*