MY03 MONITORING REPORT

Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site Chatham County Cape Fear River Basin - 3030003



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MEMORANDUM

Date: February 26, 2024

To: Jeremiah Dow, DMS Project Manager

From: Adam Spiller, Project Manager

KCI Associates of North Carolina, PA

Subject: MY-02 Monitoring Report Comments

Hip Bone Creek DMS#100059, Contract 007528

Cape Fear River Basin CU 03040101 Chatham County, North Carolina

Please find below our responses in italics to the MY-03 Monitoring Report comments from NCDMS received on February 9, 2024, for the Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site.

- 1. On the CCPV, recommend changing the wetland re-establishment color from red to a different, contrasting color. If a veg plot or GW gauge fail to meet success, it would be very difficult to see. *KCI Response: This change has been made*.
- 2. Please include the invasive treatment area on Table 5 since it appears to exceed the 0.1 acre minimum mapping threshold.

KCI Response: This change has been made.

- 3. Appendix C
 - a. Recommend removing BHR from pool cross section plots and geomorphology tables. *KCI Response: This change has been made*
 - b. Please verify that the dark blue bankfull lines on the plots are based on MY0 cross sectional area and not MY0 bankfull elevation.
 - KCI Response: That is correct, the dark blue line represents the bankfull based on baseline cross-sectional area.
 - c. Cross section 13 please check the bankfull & LTOB lines on the graph. The location of the lines appears suspect and the reported change from a LTOB cross sectional area of 3 ft2 to 1.1 ft2 is questionable since the plot does not indicate aggradation to that degree. KCI Response: The error with this cross section has been corrected and the morphology tables have been updated accordingly.
- 4. For Table 13, recommend color coding the text or cells red and blue to match the CCPV based on meeting success or not (see the MY2 final report). This makes it much easier to quickly assess trends over the course of monitoring.

KCI Response: This change has been made.

5. Table 14 – please add a "3" to current monitoring year row so it reads "Year 3 Monitoring." *KCI Response: This error has been corrected.*

6. DMS was informed at the site visit that there was a minor encroachment where some cattle were observed in the easement last spring. Please briefly describe the encroachment and corrective actions taken in the report.

KCI Response: A section about the encroachment has been added to the report.

Please contact me if you have any questions or would like clarification concerning these responses. Sincerely,

Adam Spiller Project Manager

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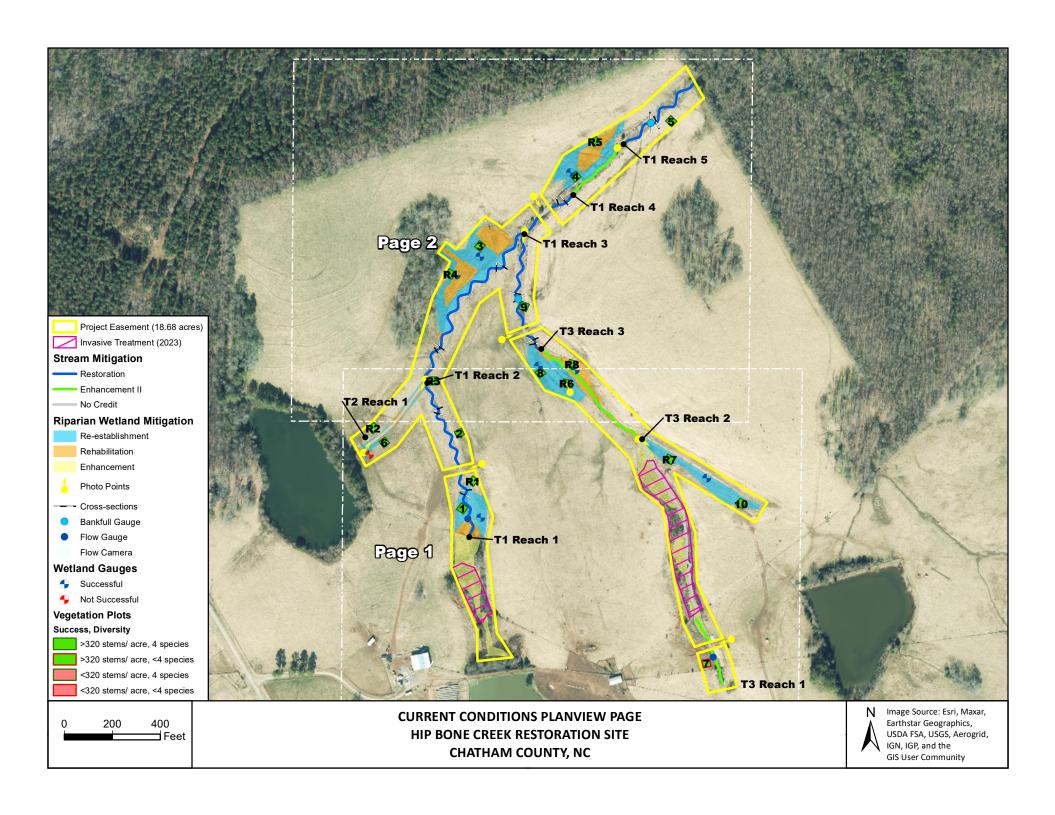
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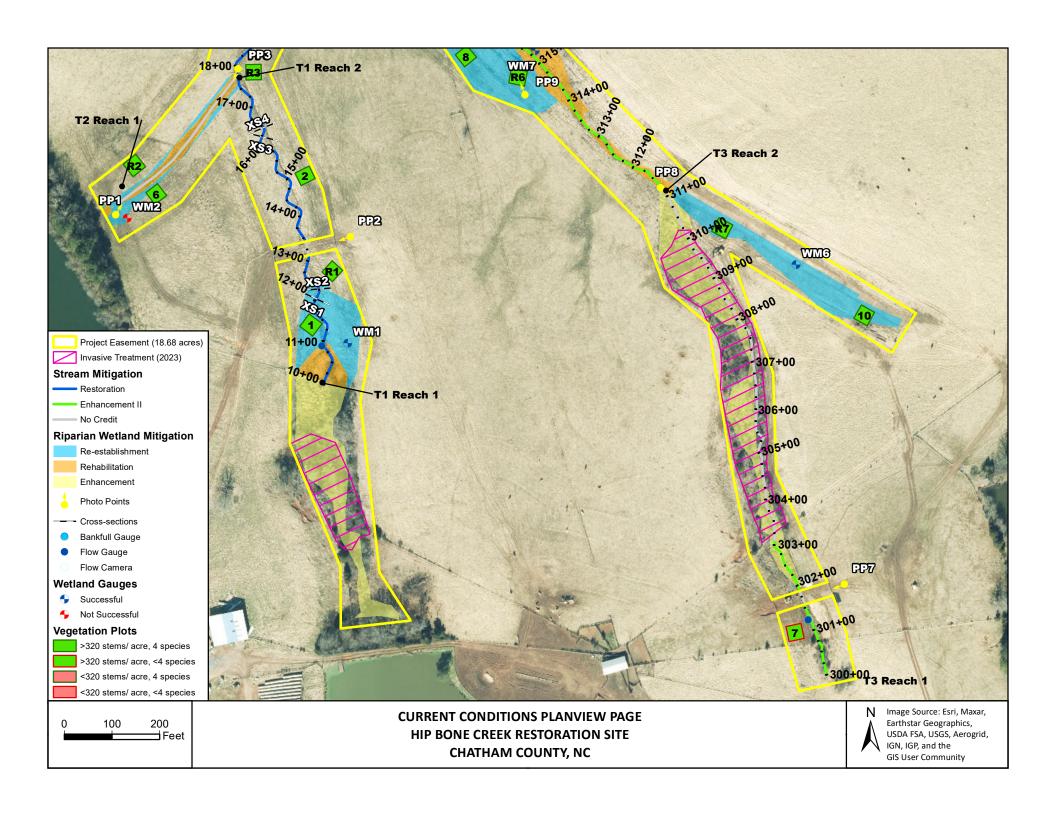
PROJECT SUMMARY

The Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (HBCRS) is a full delivery project for the North Carolina Division of Mitigation Services (DMS). The site restored and enhanced a total of 4,026 linear feet of stream and 6.023 acres of riparian wetland. The HBCRS is a riparian system in the Cape Fear River Basin (03030003 8-digit cataloging unit) in Chatham County, North Carolina. The site's natural hydrologic regime had been substantially modified by relocation and straightening, impacts from cattle, installation of field ditches, and other anthropogenic impacts. This site restored impacted agricultural lands to a stable stream and wetland ecosystem with a functional riparian buffer, floodplain access, and riparian wetlands. Project planting and construction were completed in April 2021 and the monitoring components were installed in May 2021.

Table 1. Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059) Project Mitigation Quantities and Credits

Table 1. Hip Bone Creek R	estoration Site	_	1059) Project I	viitigation Qua		earts		
	Original Mitigation	As- Built Ft/	Original Mitigation	Original Restoration	Original Mitigation Ratio			
Project Segment	Plan Ft/Ac	Ac	Category	Level	(X:1)	Credits	Co	omments
Stream								
T1 Reach 1	780	745	Warm	R	1.00000	750.000		exception STA +12 to 13+42
T1 Reach 2	906	890	Warm	R	1.00000	906.000		
T1 Reach 3	269	208	Warm	R	1.00000	209.000		exception STA +77 to 28+37
T1 Reach 4	295	295	Warm	EII	2.50000	118.000		
T1 Reach 5	452	447	Warm	R	1.00000	452.000		
T3 Reach 1	310	280	Warm	EII	2.50000	112.000		exception STA 1+57 to 301+87
T3 Reach 2	591	590	Warm	EII	2.50000	236.400		
T3 Reach 3	573	545	Warm	R	1.00000	543.000		' exception STA 7+98 to 318+28
					Total:	3,326.400		
Wetland			•			-		
Riparian Enhancement	1.495	1.473	R	Е	2.50000	0.598		
Riparian Re-establishment	3.040	3.04	R	REE	1.00000	3.040		
Riparian Rehabilitation	1.488	1.471	R	RH	1.50000	0.992		
					Total:	4.630		
Project Credits								
			Stream	-	Riparian	Non-Rip		Coastal
Restoration Level	Warm		Cool	Cold	Wetland	Wetla	and	Marsh
Restoration	2,860.0	00						
Re-establishment					3.040			
Rehabilitation					0.992			
Enhancement					0.598			
Enhancement I	166.10	0						
Enhancement II	466.40	U						
Creation								
Preservation	2.226.4	0.0			4.620			
Total	3,326.4	UU			4.630			





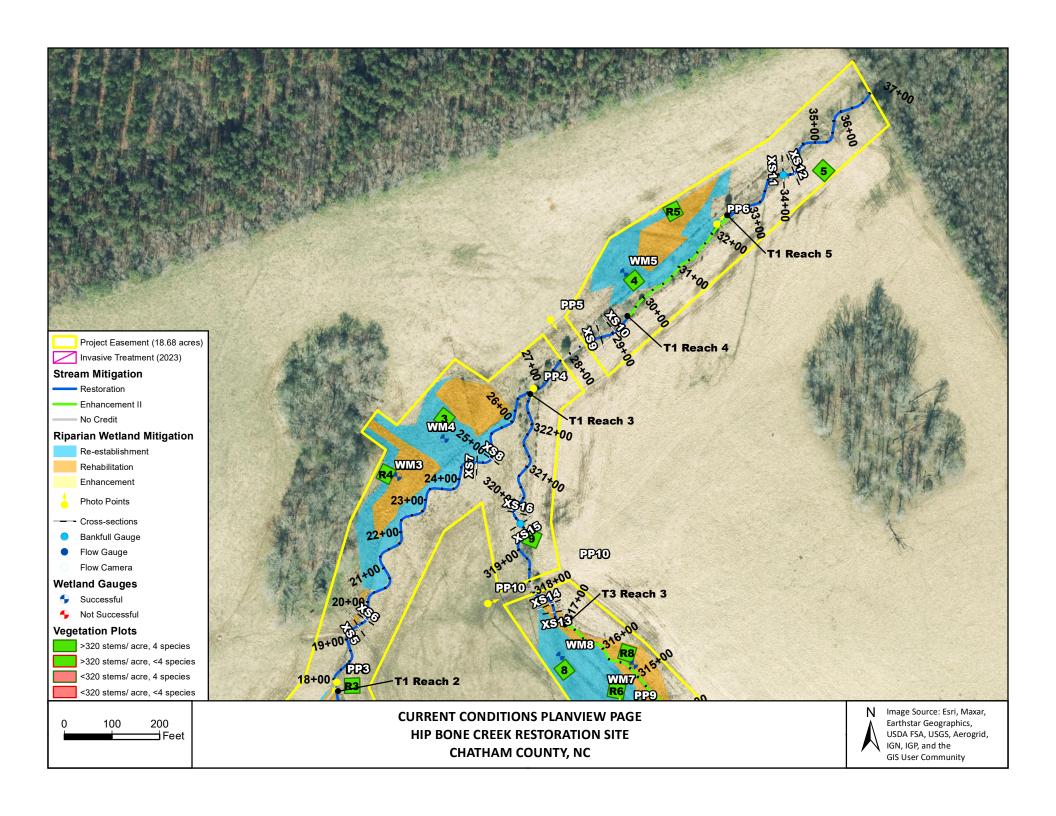


Table 2. Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059) Goals, Performance and Results

Goal	Objective/Treatment	Likely Functional Uplift	Performance Criteria	Measurement	Cumulative Monitoring Results
Restore a channelized stream to a meandering C-type channel with a floodplain	-Relocate channelized streams to historic landscape positions -Install a bankfull-sized channel cross-section - Install bedform diversity with pools, riffles, and habitat strucures	Dispersion of high flows on the floodplain, increase in biogeochemical cycling within the system, and recharging of riparian wetlands.	BHR<1.2, ER>2.2, and no change >10% in BHR or ER between monitoring events; 4 bankfull events; continuous flow for at least 30 days each year	16 cross-section surveys, 4 pressure transducer stream gauges (measuring bankfull events on T1-5 and T3-3 and stream flow on T1- 1 and T3-1), annual visual inspection	All 16 XS have BHR<1.2 and ER>2.2; 10 BKF event in 2023; T1- 1 flow for 231 consecutive days, T3-1 flow for 317 consecutive days
Buffer and reduce sediment impacts to the project stream	Demarcate the project easement boundaries and fence out livestock	Reduction in sediment, nutrient, and fecal coliform inputs to.	Fence intact around entire easement, adequate signage present around easement boundary	Annual visual inspection	Fencing installation completed 10/4/21, fence and signs are in good condition
Restore a forested riparian community	Plant the site with native trees and shrubs and a herbaceous seed mix	Reduction in floodplain sediment inputs from runoff, increased bank stability, increased LWD and organic material in streams.	Survival rate of 320 stems per acre at MY3, 260 planted stems per acre at MY5, and 210 stems per acre at MY7; at least 4 native hardwood species in each plot	18 vegetation plots	All veg plots >320 stems/acre; 17 veg plots >4 native hardwood species
Restore a wetland hydroperiod to drained and/or livestock- impacted land	Reconnect streams to floodplain; redevelop wetland microtopography to slow the flow of surface and subsurface drainage	Increase in wetland hydroperiod and biogeochemical cycling within the system, decrease in sediment and nutrient inputs to streams.	Continuous saturation within 12" of the soil surface for 12% of the growing season (26 days)	8 pressure transducer gauges	7/8 gauges >12% continuous saturation in 2023

Table 3. Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059) Project Attribute Table

Project Name	Hi	p Bone Cr	eek Re	estoration Site	
County		Chat	ham C	ounty	
Project Area (acres)			18.68		
Project Coordinates (latitude and longitude decimal degrees)		35.6804	N, -79	0.4018 W	
Project Watershed S	ummary Informat	ion			
Physiographic Province		F	Piedmo	nt	
River Basin		C	Cape Fe	ear	
USGS Hydrologic Unit 8-digit		3	303000	3	
DWR Sub-basin		()3-06-1	.2	
Project Drainage Area (acres)			158		
Project Drainage Area Percentage of Impervious Area			1%		
Land Use Classification	(5%			rest (9%), Open Water elopment (1%)	
Reach Summa	• .		Π	D 1.2	
Pre-project length (feet)	Reach			Reach 3	
		2,439 1,403			
Post-project (feet) Valley confinement (Confined, moderately confined,	2,702	1,474			
unconfined)	Unconfi	Unconfined Unconfine			
Drainage area (acres)	158			43	
Perennial, Intermittent, Ephemeral	Intermitt	ent		Intermittent	
NCDWR Water Quality Classification	C			С	
Dominant Stream Classification (existing)	G4			G4	
Dominant Stream Classification (proposed)	C4/C4	b		C4	
Dominant Evolutionary class (Simon) if applicable	Channelized,	Stage III	Channelized, Stage III		
Wetland Summ					
Parameters	WA and	WE	WB,	WC, WD, WF, and WG	
Pre-project (acres)	2.52			0.99	
Post-project (acres)	2.78			2.67	
Wetland Type (non-riparian, riparian)	Riparia			Riparian	
Mapped Soil Series	Georgev		'	Chewacla/Wehadkee	
Soil Hydric Status	Non-hyd	ric		Hydric	
Parameters Parameters	onsiderations Applicable?	Resolv	ed?	Supporting Docs?	
Water of the United States - Section 404	Yes	SAW-2018-01160			
Water of the United States - Section 401	Yes Yes SAW-2018-0 Yes Yes DWR# 18-0				
Endangered Species Act	Yes Yes USFWS				
Historic Preservation Act	No N/A NCSHPC				
Coastal Zone Management Act (CZMA or CAMA)	No N/A N/A				
Essential Fisheries Habitat					
ESSERIAI FISHERIES HAOITAT	No	N/A	1	N/A	

MONITORING RESULTS

The third year of vegetation monitoring was conducted June 14, 2023. During the site's third growing season all 18 vegetation monitoring plots achieved the success criteria of 320 stems/acre and only one plot (Plot 7F, 3 species) had less than 4 woody species. Across all of the plots the site average 949 planted stems/acre. Areas of Chinese privet growing in and around the wetland enhancement areas along T1 and T3 were treated on June 19, 2023. Treatment consisted of cutting down living stems and spraying the stumps with herbicide. This was the second treatment of invasive species within the site, and as of December 8, 2023, no large stems of Chinese privet were noted within the site. KCI will continue to monitor the site for invasive species and will treat them as needed. Overall the site is well vegetated with many planted and volunteer woody stems throughout the easement and a robust and diverse herbaceous layer.

The MY03 cross-section survey was completed on July 17, 2023. The MY03 survey found that the stream was functioning as designed with no problem areas identified. All 16 cross-sections had bank height ratios less than 1.2 and entrenchment ratios greater than 2.2.

Based on the WETS table for Siler City 2 N Station in Siler City, NC, the growing season for the site extends from April 2 until November 5 (218 days). The daily rainfall data was obtained from an on-site rain gauge. In 2023, the months of January, February, March, July, August, September, October and November experienced average rainfall. May experienced below average rainfall while April and June recorded above average rainfall. Overall the site experienced average rainfall during 2023.

During the site's third growing season, 7 of the 8 gauges achieved the success criteria of 12% continuous saturation (26 days). The gauge that did not achieve the success criteria (Gauge 2) has not achieved the success criteria in any of the monitoring years so far. This gauge is located near the fringe of the wetlands around T2 and although it has not achieved the success criteria, it has had greater than 5% continuous saturation in all three monitoring years. KCI does not believe that the failure of this gauge to achieve the success criteria is indicative of a larger issue with the site, but is rather the natural variability that exists in any natural system, especially around the fringes of that system. KCI is planning on installing a supplemental wetland gauge in the vicinity of Gauge 2 before the start of the 2024 growing season.

Both of the stream flow gauges recorded greater than 30 consecutive days of flow. This data was further backed up by the flow cameras which also both showed greater than 30 consecutive days of flow despite being obscured by vegetation for a large portion of the summer. Five bankfull events were recorded on T1 and 10 bankfull events were recorded on T3 in 2023.

On June 19, 2023, while KCI was on site for the invasive treatment, it was noted that several cows had entered the easement through an open gate on the northern side of the upstream crossing on T1. The landowner was immediately notified, and he arrived on site and removed the cows from the easement shortly after. The area that the cows had access to was assessed for damage but there was no evidence that they had significantly impacted the vegetation or the project streams. The site boundaries were inspected on December 8, 2023 and no issues were noted. All of the fencing is intact around the boundary and there were no signs of encroachment into the easement.

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APPENDIX A

Visual Assessment Data

Table 4. Hip Bone Creek Resotration Site (ID-100059) Visual Stream Stability Assessment

Reach T1
Assessed Stream Length 2702
Assessed Bank Length 5404

Assessed Bank	Length	5404	Assessment Date:	12/8/2023		
Major	Channel Category	Metric	Number Stable, Performing as Intended	Total Number in As-built	Amount of Unstable Footage	% Stable, Performing as Intended
	Surface Scour/Bare	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or				
Bank	Bank	surface scour			0	100%
	Toe Erosion	Bank toe eroding to the extent that bank failure appears likely. Does <u>NOT</u> include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	100%
	Bank Failure	Fluvial and geotechnical - rotational, slumping, calving, or collapse			0	100%
				Totals	0	100%
Structure	Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	16	16		100%

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Reach T3
Assessed Stream Length 1,474
Assessed Bank Length 2,948

Bank Protection

Assessed Bank Length 2,948 Assessment Date: 12/8/2023

Number Stable, Performing as Total Number Unstable

Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does <u>not</u> exceed 15%.

(See guidance for this table in DMS monitoring guidance document)

Major	r Channel Category	Metric	Number Stable, Performing as Intended	Total Number in As-built	Amount of Unstable Footage	% Stable, Performing as Intended
Bank	Surface Scour/Bare Bank	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or surface scour			0	100%
	Toe Erosion	Bank toe eroding to the extent that bank failure appears likely. Does <u>NOT</u> include undercuts that are modest, appear sustainable and are providing habitat.			0	100%
	Bank Failure	Fluvial and geotechnical - rotational, slumping, calving, or collapse			0	100%
	•			Totals	0	100%
Structure	Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill.	7	7		100%
	Bank Protection	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does <u>not</u> exceed 15%. (See guidance for this table in DMS monitoring guidance document)	7	7		100%

100%

Table 5. Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059) Visual Vegetation Assessment

Planted acreage 17.4 Assessment Date: 12/8/2023

			Mapping	Combined	% of Planted
Vegetation Category	Definitions		Threshold	Acreage	Acreage
Bare Areas	Very limited cover of both woody and herbaceous material.		0.10 acres	0.00	0.0%
Low Stem Density Areas	Woody stem densities clearly below target levels based on current MY stem count criteria.		0.10acres	0.00	0.0%
			Total	0.00	0.0%
Areas of Poor Growth Rates	Planted areas where average height is not meeting current MY Performance Standard.		0.10 acres	0.00	0.0%
		Cumulati	ve Total	0.00	0.0%

Assessment Date: 12/8/2023 18.7 **Easement Acreage** % of Mapping Combined Easement Vegetation Category Definitions Threshold Acreage Acreage Invasives may occur outside of planted areas and within the easement and will therefore be calculated against the total easement acreage. Include species with the potential to directly outcompete native, young, woody stems in the 0.10 acres 0.00 0.0% Invasive Areas of Concern short-term or community structure for existing communities. Species included in summation above should be identified in report summary. Encroachment may be point, line, or polygon. Encroachment to be mapped consists of any violation of restrictions 0 Easement Encroachment Areas specified in the conservation easement. Common encroachments are mowing, cattle access, vehicular access none Encroachment has no threshold value as will need to be addressed regardless of impact area. Invasvie Treatment Area Area where invasive species have been treated with mechanical cutting and/or herbicide spraying. 0.10 acres 1.62 8.6%

Photo Reference Photos



PP1 - MY - 00 - 5/24/21



PP2 - MY - 00 - 5/24/21



PP3 - MY - 00 - 5/24/21



PP1 - MY-03 - 12/8/23



PP2 - MY - 03 - 12/8/23



PP3 - MY - 03 - 12/8/23



PP4 - MY - 00 - 5/24/21



PP5 - MY-00 - 5/24/21



PP6 - MY-00 - 5/24/21



PP4 - MY - 03 - 12/8/23



PP5 - MY-03 - 12/8/23



PP6 - MY-03 - 12/8/23



PP7 - MY - 00 - 5/24/21



PP8 - MY - 00 - 5/24/21



PP9 - MY - 00 - 5/24/21



PP7 - MY-03 - 12/8/23



PP8 - MY - 03 - 12/8/23



PP9 - MY - 03 - 12/8/23



PP10 - MY-00 - 5/24/21



 $\overline{PP10 - MY-03 - 12/8/23}$

Vegetation Monitoring Plot Photos



Vegetation Plot 1 - MY-00 - 5/14/21



Vegetation Plot 2 - MY-00 - 5/13/21



Vegetation Plot 3 - MY-00 - 5/13/21



Vegetation Plot 1 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot 2 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot 3 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot 4 - MY-00 - 5/13/21



Vegetation Plot 5 - MY-00 - 5/13/21



Vegetation Plot 6 - MY-00 - 5/14/21



Vegetation Plot 4 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot 5 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot 6 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot 7 - MY-00 - 5/13/21



Vegetation Plot 7 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot 8 – MY-00 – 5/13/21



Vegetation Plot 8 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot 9 - MY-00 - 5/13/21



 $Vegetation\ Plot\ 9-MY\text{-}03-6/15/23$



Vegetation Plot 10 - MY-00 - 5/13/21



Vegetation Plot 10 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot R1 – MY-03 – 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot R2 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot R3 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot R4 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot R5 – MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot R7 – MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot R6 - MY-03 - 6/15/23



Vegetation Plot R8 – MY-03 - 6/15/23

APPENDIX B

Vegetation Plot Data

Table 6. Vegetation				Table								
Hip Bone Creek Res	toration Site								1			
			Plot 1 F	ı			Plot 2 F				Plot 3 F	
	Stems/ Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/ Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/ Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasive
Monitoring Year 7												
Monitoring Year 5												
Monitoring Year 3	1174	3	8	0	931	4	5	0	1052	2	6	0
Monitoring Year 2	1093	3	8	0	972	3	4	0	810	2	6	0
Monitoring Year 1	1052	2	8	0	931	2	4	0	729	2	6	0
Monitoring Year 0	1093	1	8	0	1174	2	5	0	688	2	6	0
-		Veg	Plot 4 F			Veg l	Plot 5 F			Veg 1	Plot 6 F	
	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasivo
Monitoring Year 7		(14)				(14)		1111451165		(14)		111/401/
Monitoring Year 5												
Monitoring Year 3	850	3	6	0	1012	3	4	0	850	4	5	0
Monitoring Year 2	850	2	6	0	1012	2	4	0	1012	3	5	0
Monitoring Year 1	850	2	6	0	891	2	4	0	810	2	5	0
Monitoring Year 0	769	1	5	0	1012	1	4	0	810	2	5	0
Wilding Tear o	707	Veg	Plot 7 F	U	1012	Veg l	Plot 8 F	U	010	_	Plot 9 F	U
	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht.	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht.	# Species	%	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht.	# Species	%
Miti V7		(ft)	-			(ft)	•	Invasives		(ft)	•	Invasiv
Monitoring Year 7												
Monitoring Year 5	1052		2	0	950		4	0	1174	2	-	0
Monitoring Year 3	1052	2	3	0	850	5	4	0	1174	3	5	0
Monitoring Year 2	1133	2	3	0	850	3	4	0	1214	2	5	0
Monitoring Year 1	1133	1	3	0	850	2	4	0	1093	2	4	0
Monitoring Year 0	1174	2	3	0	850	1	4	0	1174	1	5	0
			Plot 10 F				Group 1 R				Group 2 R	
	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasiv
Monitoring Year 7												
Monitoring Year 5												
Monitoring Year 3	1174	4	5	0	1093	5	6	0	891	5	7	0
Monitoring Year 2	1214	2	4	0								
Monitoring Year 1	1255	2	5	0								
Monitoring Year 0	1498	2	7	0								
		Veg Plo	t Group 3 l	R		Veg Plot	Group 4 R			Veg Plot	Group 5 R	
	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasiv
Monitoring Year 7												
Monitoring Year 5												
Monitoring Year 3	688	2	7	0	526	6	5	0	810	3	4	0
Monitoring Year 2												
Monitoring Year 1												
Monitoring Year 0												
		Veg Plo	t Group 6 l	R		Veg Plot	Group 7 R			Veg Plot	Group 8 R	
	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasives	Stems/Ac.	Av. Ht. (ft)	# Species	% Invasiv
Monitoring Year 7						.,,						
Monitoring Year 5												
Monitoring Year 3	972	4	6	0	1133	3	8	0	850	3	6	0
Monitoring Year 2												
Monitoring Year 1												
Monitoring Year 0												

Table 7. Vegetation Plot Data

Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Tree/Shrub	Indicator	Veg P	lot 1 F	Veg P	lot 2 F	Veg P	lot 3 F	Veg P	lot 4 F	Veg P	lot 5 F
	Scientific Name	Common Name	Tree/Siliub	Status	Planted	Total								
	Betula nigra	river birch	Tree	FACW	11	11	6	6	3	8	5	5	14	14
	Cornus amomum	silky dogwood	Shrub	FACW										
Species	Diospyros virginiana	common persimmon	Tree	FAC	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2		
Included in	Platanus occidentalis	American sycamore	Tree	FACW	7	7	13	13	5	5	6	6	8	8
Approved Mitigation	Quercus falcata	southern red oak	Tree	FACU	1	1			3	3	2	2	1	1
Plan	Quercus michauxii	swamp chestnut oak	Tree	FACW	2	2					1	1		
	Quercus palustris	pin oak	Tree	FACW	2	2	2	2	5	5				
	Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree	FACW	1	1	1	2	3	3	5	5	3	3
	Salix nigra	black willow	Tree	OBL	1	4								
Sum	Performance Standard				26	29	23	24	21	26	21	21	26	26
	Acer rubrum	red maple	Tree	FAC						13				
	Baccharis halimifolia	eastern baccharis	Tree	FAC										
	Cephalanthus occidentalis	common buttonbush	Shrub	OBL										
Post	Juglans nigra	black walnut	Tree	UPL										
Mitigation Plan Species	Liquidambar styraciflua	sweetgum	Tree	FAC						1		1		
Fian Species	Liriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	Tree	FACU						3				
	Pinus taeda	loblolly pine	Tree	FAC						2				
	Rhus copallinum	winged sumac	Tree	UPL										
	Ulmus americana	American elm	Tree	FAC										
Sum	Proposed Standard				26	29	23	24	21	26	21	21	26	26
	Current Year S	tem Count				29		24		26		21		26
Mitigation	Stems/	Acre				1174		931		1052		850		1012
Plan	Species (Count				8		5		6		6		4
Performanc	Dominant Species (Composition (%)				38		54		29		27		54
e Standard	Average Plot I	Height (ft.)				3		4		2		3		3
	% Invas	ives				0		0		0		0		0

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Table 7. Vegetation Plot Data
Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Tree/Shrub	Indicator	Veg P	ot 6 F	Veg P	ot 7 F	Veg P	lot 8 F	Veg P	lot 9 F	Veg Pl	ot 10 F
	Scientific Name	Common Name	iree/siliub	Status	Planted	Total	Planted	Total	Planted	Total	Planted	Total	Planted	Total
	Betula nigra	river birch	Tree	FACW	5	5	1	1	22	22	16	16		
	Cornus amomum	silky dogwood	Shrub	FACW										
Species	Diospyros virginiana	common persimmon	Tree	FAC	1	1					1	1	1	1
Included in	Platanus occidentalis	American sycamore	Tree	FACW	14	16	12	12	2	2	5	5	9	9
Approved Mitigation	Quercus falcata	southern red oak	Tree	FACU							2	2	4	4
Plan	Quercus michauxii	swamp chestnut oak	Tree	FACW										
	Quercus palustris	pin oak	Tree	FACW	1	1			4	4			2	2
	Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree	FACW	1	1	13	13	1	1	6	6	13	13
	Salix nigra	black willow	Tree	OBL										
Sum	Performance Standard				22	24	26	26	29	29	30	30	29	29
	Acer rubrum	red maple	Tree	FAC		2								
	Baccharis halimifolia	eastern baccharis	Tree	FAC										11
	Cephalanthus occidentalis	common buttonbush	Shrub	OBL										
Post	Juglans nigra	black walnut	Tree	UPL										
Mitigation Plan Species	Liquidambar styraciflua	sweetgum	Tree	FAC										
riaii species	Liriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	Tree	FACU										
	Pinus taeda	loblolly pine	Tree	FAC										
	Rhus copallinum	winged sumac	Tree	UPL										
	Ulmus americana	American elm	Tree	FAC										
Sum	Proposed Standard				22	24	26	26	29	29	30	30	29	29
	Current Year S	tem Count				24		26		29		30		29
Mitigation	Stems//	Acre				850		1052		850		1174		1174
Plan	Species (5		3		4		5		5
Performanc	Dominant Species (Composition (%)				62		50		76		53		32
e Standard	Average Plot I	Height (ft.)				4		2		5		3		4
	% Invas	ives				0		0		0		0		0

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Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059)

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Tree/Shrub	Indicator Status	Veg Plot 1 R	Veg Plot 2 R	Veg Plot 3 R	Veg Plot 4 R	Veg Plot 5 R	Veg Plot 6 R	Veg Plot 7 R	Veg Plot 8 R
					Total							
	Betula nigra	river birch	Tree	FACW	6	4	3	10	10	3	2	1
	Cornus amomum	silky dogwood	Shrub	FACW							1	
Species	Diospyros virginiana	common persimmon	Tree	FAC		1	3		5	2	3	2
Included in	Platanus occidentalis	American sycamore	Tree	FACW	13	6	2	1		9	3	4
Approved Mitigation	Quercus falcata	southern red oak	Tree	FACU	1	1	1	1	4		4	3
Plan	Quercus michauxii	swamp chestnut oak	Tree	FACW	4		1					
	Quercus palustris	pin oak	Tree	FACW		3	1	1		2	3	
	Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree	FACW	2	6	6	2		4	6	7
	Salix nigra	black willow	Tree	OBL	1	1			1	4	6	4
Sum	Performance Standard				27	22	17	15	20	24	28	21
	Acer rubrum	red maple	Tree	FAC								
	Baccharis halimifolia	eastern baccharis	Tree	FAC		1					25	1
	Cephalanthus occidentalis	common buttonbush	Shrub	OBL					12			2
Post	Juglans nigra	black walnut	Tree	UPL						1		
Mitigation Plan Species	Liquidambar styraciflua	sweetgum	Tree	FAC				2				
Tian species	Liriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	Tree	FACU								
	Pinus taeda	loblolly pine	Tree	FAC								
	Rhus copallinum	winged sumac	Tree	UPL	2	1	1					
	Ulmus americana	American elm	Tree	FAC			4					
Sum	Proposed Standard				27	22	17	15	20	24	28	21
	Current Year S	item Count			27	22	17	15	20	24	28	21
Mitigation	Stems//	Acre			1093	891	688	526	810	972	1133	850
Plan	Species (Count			6	7	7	5	4	6	8	6
Performanc	Dominant Species (45	25	27	59	38	36	47	29
e Standard	Average Plot I	Height (ft.)			5	5	2	6	3	4	3	3
	% Invas	ives			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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APPENDIX C

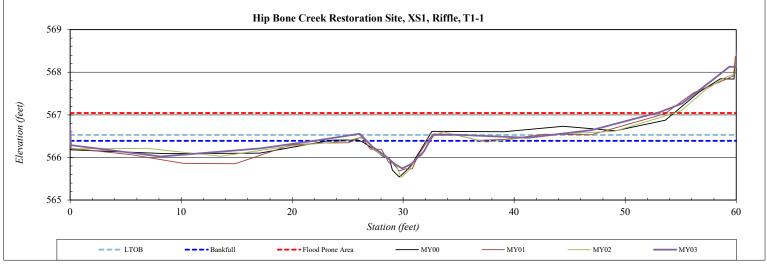
Stream Geomorphology Data

River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS1
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.06
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	566.73
0.1	566.29
8.2	566.02
17.2	566.21
22.2	566.40
26.1	566.56
27.3	566.24
28.5	566.02
29.2	565.85
29.9	565.74
30.2	565.78
30.7	565.85
31.9	566.14
32.7	566.53
34.9	566.53
41.2	566.46
47.0	566.64
53.1	567.06
55.1	567.26
57.5	567.75
59.4 60.0	568.13 568.13
60.0	568.51
00.1	308.31

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	566.39
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	2.1
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	2.9
Bankfull Width (ft):	5.7
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	567.04
Flood Prone Width (ft):	53
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.7
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.4
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	15.4
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	9.3
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	1.2
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	565.74





River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS2
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.06
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	566.52
0.1	566.13
7.8	565.81
13.5	565.76
18.9	565.68
24.4	565.67
25.2	565.68
26.8	565.26
27.9	564.98
29.1	564.73
29.8	564.40
30.6	563.99
31.1	563.99
31.9	563.80
32.8	563.94
33.7	564.44
34.7	565.13
36.2	565.75
36.3	565.75
39.2	565.76

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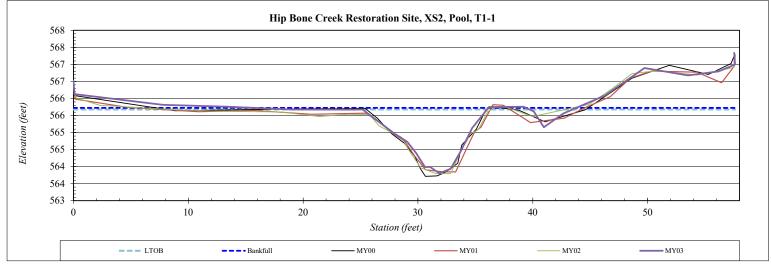
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SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	565.73
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	10.9
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	10.4
Bankfull Width (ft):	11.0
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	
Flood Prone Width (ft):	
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.9
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.0
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	563.80



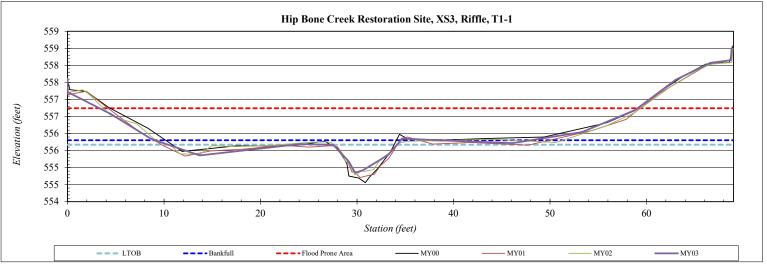


River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS3
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.08
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	557.60
0.0	557.22
4.5	556.58
8.7	555.84
13.7	555.36
24.1	555.69
27.5	555.67
29.1	555.18
29.8	554.86
30.1	554.87
30.6	554.92
31.9	555.14
33.2	555.37
34.7	555.85
40.8	555.78
46.1	555.72
53.3	556.04
58.8	556.69
63.0	557.58
66.6	558.08
68.7	558.15
68.8	558.50

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	555.80
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	3.9
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	3.0
Bankfull Width (ft):	7.0
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	556.74
Flood Prone Width (ft):	56
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.9
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.5
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	12.7
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	8.0
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	0.9
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	554.86





River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS4
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.08
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	557.64
0.1	557.11
2.9	556.55
7.2	555.80
12.2	554.97
21.8	555.26
27.8	555.33
29.2	555.23
30.9	554.76
32.1	554.32
33.0	554.05
34.1	553.82
35.2	553.87
36.0	553.74
37.1	553.92
37.9	554.17
38.7	554.69
39.8	555.02
42.2	555.16
43.7	555.24

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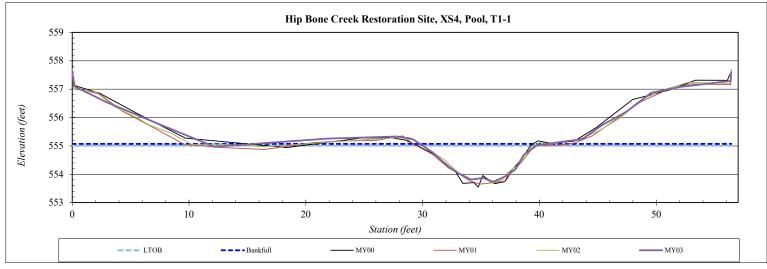
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SUMMARY DATA	-
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	555.07
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	8.1
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	7.6
Bankfull Width (ft):	10.0
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	
Flood Prone Width (ft):	
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.3
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.8
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	553.74



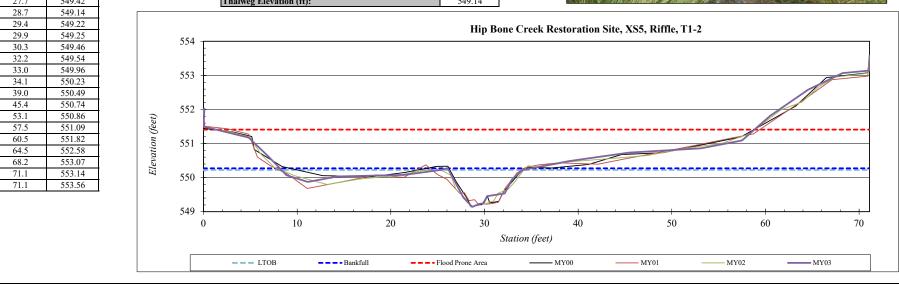


River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS5
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.13
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	552.00
0.1	552.03
0.0	551.50
4.8	551.18
6.9	550.63
8.9	550.07
11.1	549.88
14.3	550.04
21.5	550.08
25.4	550.23
26.1	550.28
27.7	549.42
28.7	549.14
29.4	549.22
29.9	549.25

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	550.28
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	5.4
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	5.0
Bankfull Width (ft):	8.0
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	551.41
Flood Prone Width (ft):	57
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.1
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.7
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	11.9
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	7.2
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	1.0
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	549.14





River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS6
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.13
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	551.47
0.0	551.08
2.7	550.84
4.5	550.41
6.6	550.01
8.8	549.79
12.2	549.89
18.8	549.35
25.7	549.91
28.8	549.91
30.5	549.57
32.2	548.66
34.0	548.08
35.2	547.60
36.0	547.75
36.5	547.59
37.1	548.01
37.0	5/18/32

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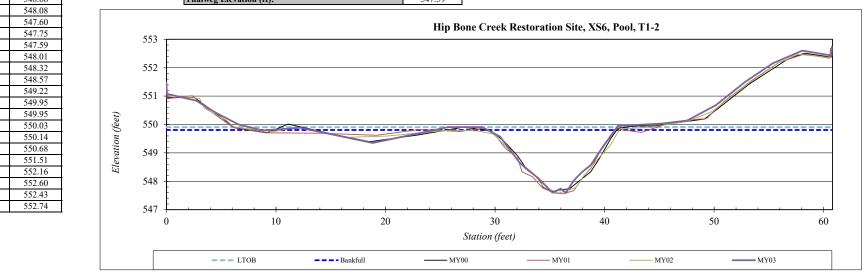
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SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	549.81
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	14.0
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	15.2
Bankfull Width (ft):	11.6
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	
Flood Prone Width (ft):	
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	2.2
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.2
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	547.59





River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS7
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.14
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	542.84
0.0	542.67
9.4	542.53
17.1	542.77
19.5	542.67
21.4	542.75
22.8	542.22
23.4	542.04
24.1	541.91
24.7	541.93
25.4	541.93
26.0	541.96
27.0	542.00
27.5	542.02
28.1	542.54
29.0	542.80
31.1	542.90
33.2	542.95

38.8

45.2

50.2

56.1

58.3

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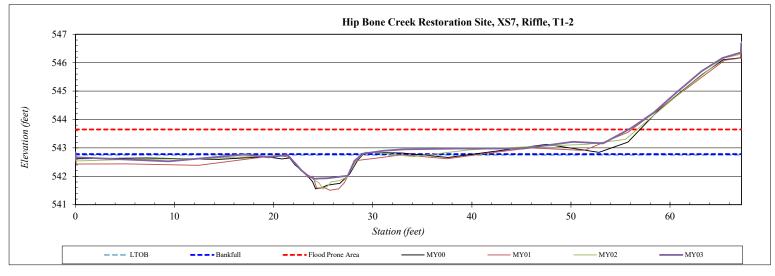
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SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	542.78
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	4.6
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	4.4
Bankfull Width (ft):	7.5
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	543.65
Flood Prone Width (ft):	56
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.9
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.6
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	12.4
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	7.4
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	1.0
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	541.91





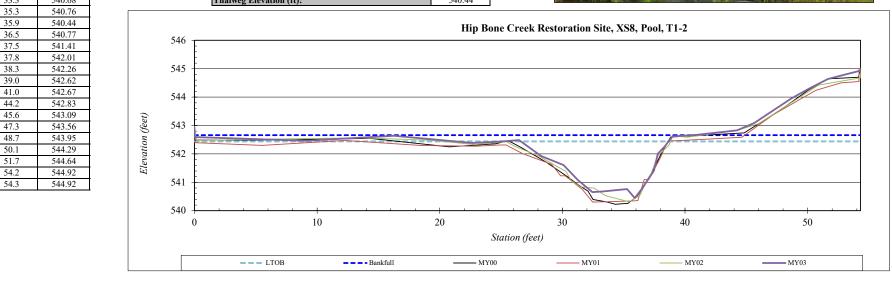
River Basin:	Cape Fear River	
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site	
XS ID	XS8	
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.14	
Date:	7/17/2023	
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET	

Station	Elevation
0.0	542.93
0.0	542.59
9.0	542.46
16.3	542.64
22.7	542.38
25.1	542.44
26.5	542.49
28.3	541.93
30.1	541.61
31.3	541.08
32.4	540.66
33.3	540.68
35.3	540.76
35.9	540.44
36.5	540.77
37.5	5/11 //1

44.2

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	542.66
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	16.7
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	13.7
Bankfull Width (ft):	13.9
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	
Flood Prone Width (ft):	
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	2.2
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.2
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	540.44



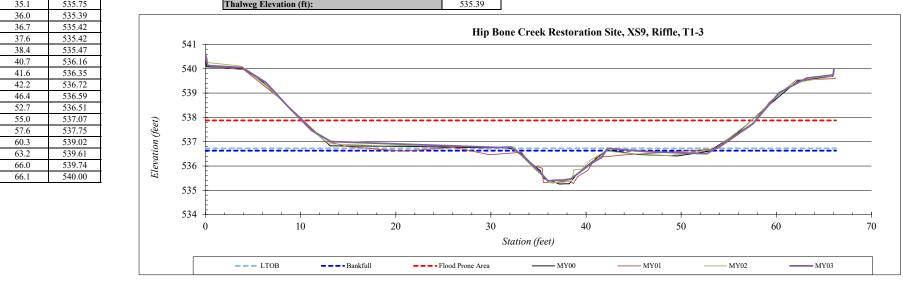


River Basin: Cape Fear River	
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS9
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.19
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	540.62
0.2	540.13
3.9	540.05
6.4	539.44
8.7	538.44
11.1	537.47
13.2	537.01
22.0	536.88
30.9	536.76
32.1	536.78
33.4	536.41
35.1	535.75
36.0	535.39
36.7	535.42
37.6	535.42

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	536.63
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	7.2
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	8.1
Bankfull Width (ft):	9.5
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	537.87
Flood Prone Width (ft):	48
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.2
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.8
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	12.5
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	5.0
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	1.1
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	535.39



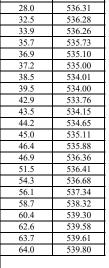


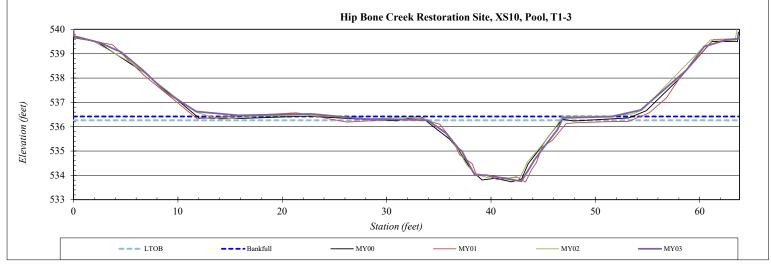
River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS10
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.19
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS CK KB ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	540.07
0.0	539.73
2.5	539.46
4.6	539.07
6.6	538.34
8.9	537.41
11.7	536.63
15.8	536.46
22.8	536.52
28.0	536.31
32.5	536.28
33.9	536.26
35.7	535.73
36.9	535.10
37.2	535.00
38.5	534.01

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	536.42
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	20.0
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	18.3
Bankfull Width (ft):	11.0
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	
Flood Prone Width (ft):	
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	2.7
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.8
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	533.76





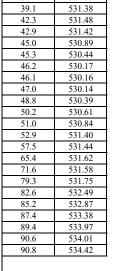


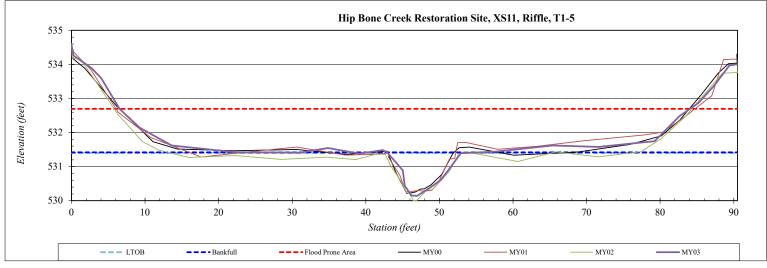
River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS11
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.25
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	534.58
0.3	534.26
2.7	533.90
4.0	533.60
6.6	532.69
9.3	532.14
13.6	531.62
22.2	531.42
31.0	531.41
34.9	531.55
39.1	531.38
42.3	531.48
42.9	531.42
45.0	530.89
45.3	530.44
46.2	530.17

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	531.42
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	7.3
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	7.1
Bankfull Width (ft):	10.0
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	532.69
Flood Prone Width (ft):	77
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.3
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.7
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	13.8
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	7.7
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	1.0
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	530.14







River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS12
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.25
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	534.48
0.1	534.39
1.8	533.84
3.3	533.32
5.4	532.99
8.5	532.21
11.1	531.72
12.7	531.15
20.0	531.17
26.4	531.28
31.3	531.29
37.3	531.09
42.6	531.16
46.6	531.30
48.3	530.72
50.3	530.11
51.9	529.73
53.2	529.41
57.4	529.03
58.9	529.06
60.3	529.94
61.6	530.84
62.3	531.29
66.3	531.35
69.8	531.45
72.0	531.97
75.2	532.71

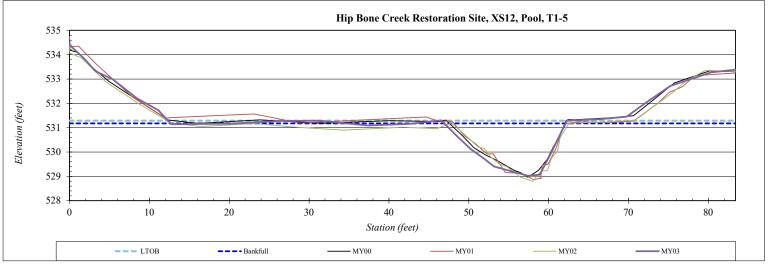
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83.7 86.3 533.28

533.39 533.38 533.83

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	531.17
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	20.8
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	22.8
Bankfull Width (ft):	15.6
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	
Flood Prone Width (ft):	
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	2.1
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.3
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	529.03





River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS13
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.05
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS CK KB ET

Elevation
551.02
550.60
550.38
549.87
549.61
549.07
548.50
548.54
548.55
548.74
548.68
548.38
547.68
547.40
547.50
548.26
548.36
548.49

48.8

49.2

51.9

55.8

57.6

58.5

58.5

548.52

548.79

548.87

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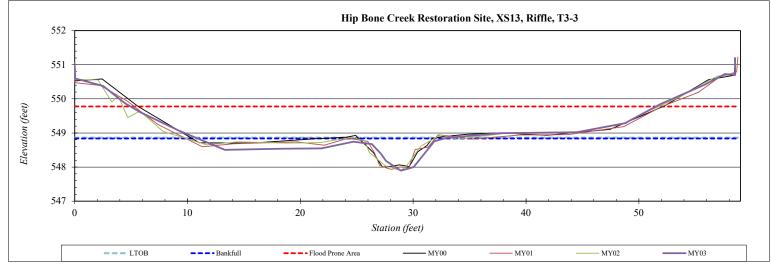
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550.23

550.20

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Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	548.84
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	3.4
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	3.6
Bankfull Width (ft):	6.4
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	549.78
Flood Prone Width (ft):	47
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.9
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.5
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	12.0
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	7.3
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	1.0
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	547.90



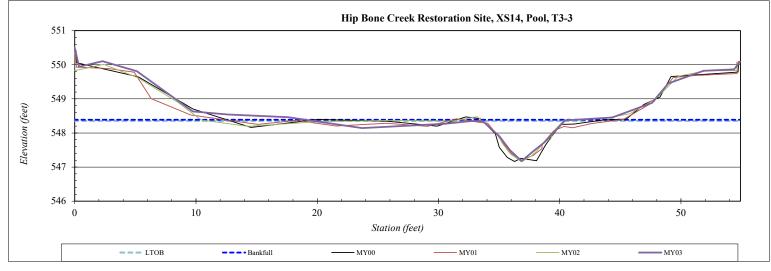


River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS14
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.05
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	550.00
0.4	549.45
2.3	549.61
5.1	549.31
9.7	548.14
12.6	548.05
17.6	547.97
23.7	547.65
30.5	547.77
32.7	547.85
33.6	547.86
35.0	547.41
35.9	547.00
36.9	546.68
37.8	546.98
38.7	547.23
40.4	547.87
44.3	547.96
47.6	548.38
49.0	548.96
51.9	549.33
54.4	549.37
54.9	549.60

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	548.39
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	4.3
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	4.1
Bankfull Width (ft):	6.8
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	
Flood Prone Width (ft):	
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	547.9
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.6
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	0.50



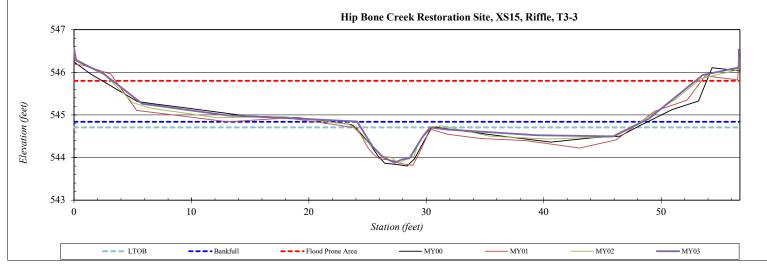


River Basin:	Cape Fear River
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site
XS ID	XS15
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.06
Date:	7/17/2023
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET

Station	Elevation
0.0	546.56
0.2	546.28
2.5	545.96
5.8	545.26
13.1	544.99
19.7	544.91
23.2	544.86
24.1	544.85
25.4	544.26
26.3	544.01
27.3	543.88
27.9	543.96
28.6	543.98
29.3	544.31
29.7	544.50
30.3	544.71
31.9	544.66
39.5	544.52
45.9	544.50
49.0	544.91
53.5	545.94
56.7	546.12
56.6	546.53

SUMMARY DATA	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	544.84
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	3.9
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	3.0
Bankfull Width (ft):	6.2
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	545.80
Flood Prone Width (ft):	50
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.0
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.6
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	10.0
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	8.0
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	0.9
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	543.88



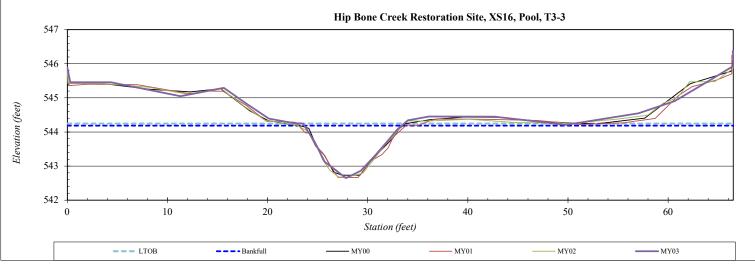


River Basin:	Cape Fear River	
Site:	Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site	
XS ID	XS16	
Drainage Area (sq mi):	0.06	
Date:	7/17/2023	
Field Crew:	TS, CK, KB, ET	

Station	Elevation
0.0	545.89
0.3	545.46
4.3	545.46
11.3	545.05
15.6	545.29
17.9	544.83
20.1	544.39
22.6	544.26
23.5	544.25
24.7	543.70
25.7	543.12
26.9	542.85
27.8	542.65
29.3	542.86
30.8	543.31
31.9	543.70
33.0	544.08
34.0	544.34
36.1	544.46
42.7	544.45
49.8	544.21
57.0	544.55
60.6	544.90
64.3	545.54
66.5	545.94
66.5	546.37

Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull Area	544.18
Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	8.6
LTOB Cross-Sectional Area (sq ft):	9.2
Bankfull Width (ft):	9.7
Flood Prone Area Elevation (ft):	
Flood Prone Width (ft):	
Max Depth at Bankfull (ft):	1.5
Mean Depth at Bankfull (ft):	0.9
W / D Ratio (ft/ft):	
Entrenchment Ratio (ft/ft):	
Bank Height Ratio (ft/ft):	
Thalweg Elevation (ft):	542.65





Parameter	Pre-Existing Condition				Design		Monitoring Baseline (MY0)			
Riffle Only	Min	Mean	Med	Max	n	Min	Max	Min	Max	n
Bankfull Width (ft)	5.2	6.3	6.3	7.3	2	5.4		5.5	6.4	2
Floodprone Width (ft)	12	13.4	13.4	14.8	2	35	42	54.8	54.9	2
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	2	0.4		0.4	0.6	2
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.3	2	0.7		0.8	1.1	2
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft²)	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2	2.2		2.1	3.9	2
Width/Depth Ratio	11	16.4	16.4	21.8	2	13		10.7	14.5	2
Entrenchment Ratio	1.6	2.3	2.3	2.9	2	6.5	7.8	8.5	9.9	2
Bank Height Ratio	1	1.1	1.1	1.2	2	1		1	1	2
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull			30				29	42		
Rosgen Classification			G4c/G4			C4b		C4b		
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)		8.1 - 8.6					8		5.6 – 13.5	
Sinuosity (ft)	1				1.2		1.2			
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)		0.003 - 0.025				0.024		0.0249		
Other										

Table 8b. Baseline Stream Data Summary, H	ip Bone Creek (II	D-100059), Reach	T1-2								
Parameter		Pre-Existing Condition				Design		Monitoring Baseline (MY0)			
Riffle Only	Min	Mean	Med	Max	n	Min	Max	Min	Max	n	
Bankfull Width (ft)	4.4	7.3	7.3	10.2	2	7		6.5	7.9	1	
Floodprone Width (ft)	12.6	20.4	20.4	28.2	2	42	56	56.7	57.2	1	
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.4	0.7	0.7	1	2	0.6		0.7	0.7	1	
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	2	0.9		1.1	1.1	1	
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	2	4		4.6	5.4	1	
Width/Depth Ratio	4.5	14.7	14.7	24.8	2	12.2		9.3	11.7	1	
Entrenchment Ratio	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2	6	8	7.1	8.7	1	
Bank Height Ratio	1	1	1	1	2	1		1	1	1	
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull			33			2	25	29			
Rosgen Classification			G4c/G4			C4		C4			
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)		14.1 – 14.6					13.6		13.7 – 15.6		
Sinuosity (ft)		1				1.2		1.2			
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)		0.003 - 0.025				0.015		0.014			
Other											

Table 8c. Baseline Stream Data Summary, Hi	ip Bone Creek (II)-100059), Reach	1 T1-3 and 5								
Parameter	Pre-Existing Condition				Design		Monitoring Baseline (MY0)				
Riffle Only	Min	Mean	Med	Max	n	Min	Max	Min	Max	n	
Bankfull Width (ft)	4.6	11.8	11.6	19.3	4	8.6		9.3	9.4	1	
Floodprone Width (ft)	12.5	28.3	25.4	49.9	4	30	58	47.8	77.5	1	
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.4	0.7	0.6	1.3	4	0.7		0.8	0.8	1	
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.1	1.7	1.8	1.9	4	1.1		1.2	1.4	1	
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft ²)	5.8	6.6	6	8.8	4	6		7.2	7.3	1	
Width/Depth Ratio	3.6	24.2	25.6	42.1	4	12.4		11.8	12.3	1	
Entrenchment Ratio	2	2.5	2.6	2.7	4	3.5	6.7	5.1	8.3	1	
Bank Height Ratio	1	1.1	1	1.5	4	1		1	1	1	
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull			18				17	23			
Rosgen Classification			G4c/G4			C4		C4			
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)		15.3 – 22.7					19.8		19.3 – 20.0		
Sinuosity (ft)	1				1.14		1.14				
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)	0.003 - 0.025					0.0082		0.0101			
Other											

Table 8d. Baseline Stream Data Summary, H	ip Bone Creek (II	D-100059), Reach	1 T3							
Parameter		Pre-Ex	isting Condition	n		De	sign	Monite	oring Baseline	e (MY0)
Riffle Only	Min	Mean	Med	Max	n	Min	Max	Min	Max	n
Bankfull Width (ft)	4.6	11.8	11.6	19.3	3	5.8		6.5	7.2	2
Floodprone Width (ft)	12.5	28.3	25.4	49.9	3	30	40	45.2	50.3	2
Bankfull Mean Depth (ft)	0.4	0.7	0.6	1.3	3	0.5		0.5	0.5	2
Bankfull Max Depth (ft)	1.1	1.7	1.8	1.9	3	0.7		0.8	0.9	2
Bankfull Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	5.8	6.6	6	8.8	3	2.7		3.4	3.9	2
Width/Depth Ratio	3.6	24.2	25.6	42.1	3	12.7		12.3	13.3	2
Entrenchment Ratio	2	2.5	2.6	2.7	3	5.2	6.9	7	7	2
Bank Height Ratio	1	1.1	1	1.5	3	1		1	1	2
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull			39				23	29		
Rosgen Classification			G4			(C4	C4		
Bankfull Discharge (cfs)			2.7 - 9.0			8	3.7	9.7 – 11.1		
Sinuosity (ft)			1		1	.13	1.13			
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)		0	0.02 - 0.039		0.	017	0.0183			
Other										

mension and Substrate				Section 1 on 12+00	. ,					Section 2 n 12+25,	. ,					ection 3 (n 16+25,			
	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull1 Area	566.3	566.4	566.3	566.4			565.6	565.6	565.6	565.7			555.7	555.7	555.8	555.8			t
Bank Height Ratio Based on AB Bankfull1 Area	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.2			-	-	-	-			1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9			T
Thalweg Elevation	565.5	565.7	565.5	565.7			563.7	563.8	563.8	563.8			554.6	554.7	554.8	554.9			T
LTOB Elevation	566.3	566.5	566.5	566.5			565.6	565.6	565.5	565.7			555.7	555.6	555.7	555.7			T
LTOB Max Depth (ft	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.8			1.9	1.7	1.7	1.9			1.1	0.9	0.9	0.8			T
LTOB Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	2.1	2.1	2.8	2.9			10.9	10.9	9.9	10.4			3.9	3.9	3.6	3.0			T
				Section 4 on 16+37	,					ection 5 (Station,				•		ection 6 (n 19+62,	, ,		
	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull1 Area	555.0	555.0	555.1	555.1			550.3	550.2	550.2	550.3			549.7	549.7	549.7	549.8			
Bank Height Ratio_Based on AB Bankfull1 Area	ı -	-	-	-			1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0			-	-	-	-			T
Thalweg Elevation	553.5	553.7	553.7	553.7			549.1	549.2	549.1	549.1			547.6	547.6	547.6	547.6			
LTOB Elevation	555.0	555.0	555.1	555.0			550.3	550.1	550.2	550.2			549.7	549.6	549.8	549.9			I
LTOB Max Depth (ft	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3			1.1	0.9	1.1	1.1			2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3			
LTOB Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	8.1	8.1	8.5	7.6			5.4	5.4	5.5	5.0			14.0	14.0	14.9	15.2			
				Section 7 on 24+62.	,					Section 8 n 25+00, '	. ,					ection 9 l n 28+75, '	,		
	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	T
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull1 Area	542.6	542.6	542.7	542.8			542.5	542.4	542.5	542.7			536.6	536.6	536.6	536.6			T
Bank Height Ratio_Based on AB Bankfull1 Area	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0			-	-	-	-			1.0	0.9	1.0	1.1			1
Thalweg Elevation	541.6	541.5	541.6	541.9			540.2	540.3	540.3	540.4			535.3	535.3	535.3	535.4			T
LTOB Elevation	542.6	542.6	542.7	542.8			542.5	542.3	542.4	542.4			536.6	536.4	536.6	536.7			T
LTOB Max Depth (ft)	1.1	1.1	1.2	0.8			2.2	2.0	2.1	2.0			1.4	1.1	1.3	1.3			1
LTOB Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	4.6	4.6	4.9	4.4			16.7	16.7	15.2	13.7			7.2	7.2	7.0	8.1			Ī
				Section 10 on 29+00	. ,					ection 11 n 34+00,						ection 12 n 34+37,	. ,		
	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull1 Area	536.3	536.3	536.4	536.4			531.5	531.4	531.3	531.4			531.3	531.3	531.2	531.2			J
Bank Height Ratio_Based on AB Bankfull1 Area	ı -	-	-	-			1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0			-	_	-	-			
Thalweg Elevation	533.7	533.7	533.9	533.8			530.2	530.3	530.0	530.1			529.0	528.9	528.8	529.0			I
LTOB Elevation	536.3	536.1	536.4	536.3			531.5	531.3	531.4	531.4			531.3	531.2	531.2	531.3			
LTOB Max Depth (ft	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.5			1.2	1.0	1.4	1.3			2.4	2.3	2.4	2.3			
LTOB Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	20.0	20.0	20.2	18.3			7.3	7.3	7.9	7.1			20.8	20.8	19.7	22.8			

Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059)																	
Dimension and Substrate				Section 13 on 317+37	,					ection 14 317+50,	,					ection 15 (319+62,	
	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull1 Area	548.8	548.8	548.8	548.8			548.3	548.4	548.4	548.4			544.7	544.7	544.8	544.8	
Bank Height Ratio_Based on AB Bankfull1 Area	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0			-	-	-	-			1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	
Thalweg Elevation	548.0	547.9	547.9	547.9			547.2	547.2	547.2	0.5			544	543.8	543.9	543.9	
LTOB Elevation	548.8	548.8	548.8	548.9			548.3	548.2	548.4	548.4			544.7	544.7	544.7	544.7	
LTOB Max Depth (ft)	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.0			1.1	1.0	1.2	547.9			0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	
LTOB Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	3.4	3.4	3.0	3.6			4.3	4.3	4.5	4.1			3.9	3.9	3.3	3.0	
				Section 10 on 319+87													
	MY00	MY01	MY02	MY03	MY05	MY07	1										
Bankfull Elevation (ft) - Based on AB-Bankfull1 Area	544.2	544.1	544.1	544.2													
Bank Height Ratio_Based on AB Bankfull1 Area	-	-	-	-													
Thalweg Elevation	542.7	542.7	542.7	542.6													
LTOB Elevation	544.2	544.2	544.2	544.2													
LTOB Max Depth (ft)	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6													
LTOB Cross Sectional Area (ft2)	8.6	8.6	9.3	9.2													

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APPENDIX D

Hydrologic Data

Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site 30-70 Percentile Graph WETS Station Name: Siler City 2N

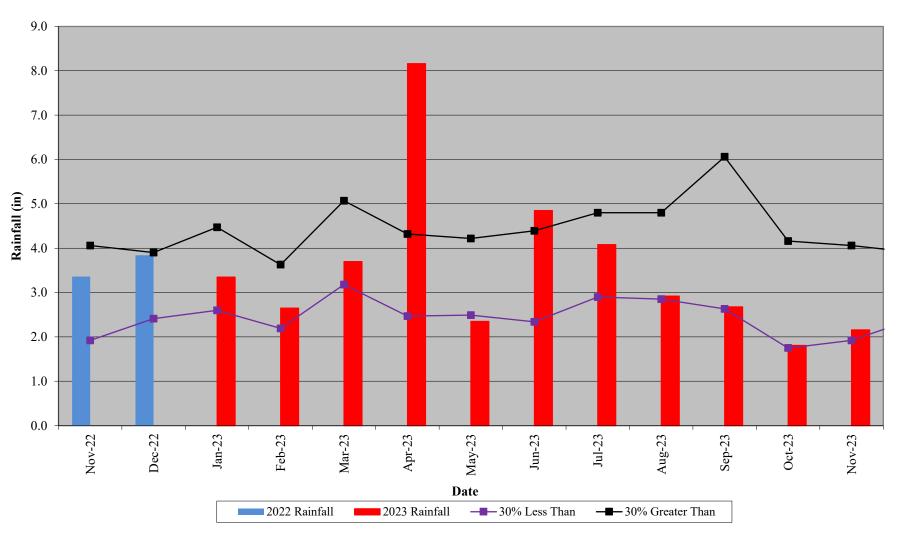


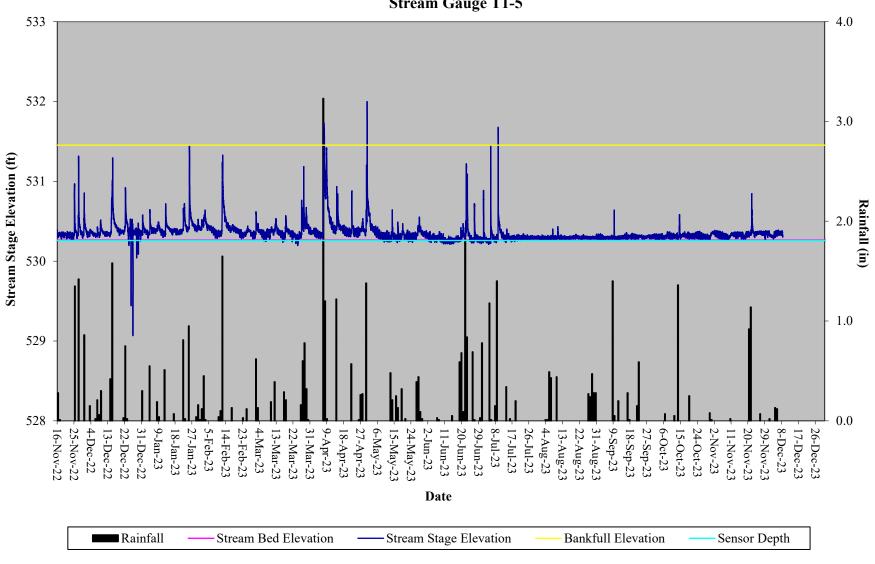
Table 10. Rainfall Summary,	Table 10. Rainfall Summary, Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059)									
	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7			
	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027			
Annual Precip Total	38.49	21.76	38.71							
WETS 30th Percentile	29.73	29.73	29.73							
WETS 70th Percentile	53.88	53.88	53.88							
Normal	Y	N	Y							

Table 11. Overbank Events , Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059)								
Cogo ID	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7	
Gage ID	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	
T1-5	none	3	5					
T3-3	none	5	10					

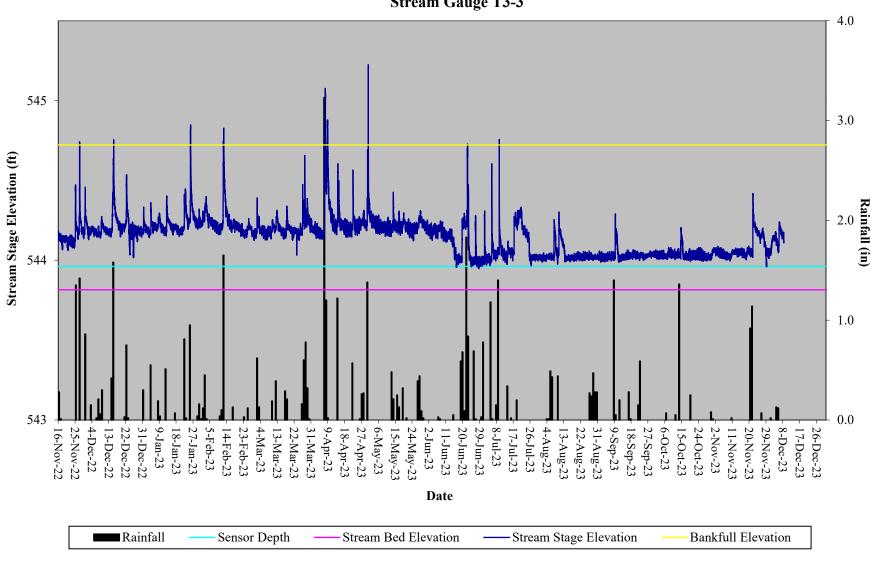
Table 12. Stream Flow Crit	ole 12. Stream Flow Criteria Attainment, Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-100059)									
		Greater than 30 Days of Flow/Max Consecutive Days								
Reach	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7			
Keacii	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027			
T1-1	Yes/105	Yes/218	Yes/231							
(Gauge)	1 68/103	168/216	168/231							
T1-1 (Camera)	Yes/90	Yes/69	Yes/199							
T3-1	V/205	W/242	37/217							
(Gauge)	Yes/205	Yes/242	Yes/317							
T3-1	Yes/39	Yes/108	Yes/30							
(Camera)	1 68/39	1 65/100	1 68/30							

Table 13. Wetland Hydrology	Criteria Atta	ainment, Hip	Bone Creek	Restoration S	Site (ID-10005	59)				
	Performance	Standard: 12	%							
	WETS Static	ETS Station: Siler City 2N								
	Growing Sea	rowing Season: 4/2 to 11/5 (217 days)								
			Max. Conse	cutive Hydr	operiod (%)					
Manitania - Cana	MY1	MY2	MY3	MY4	MY5	MY6	MY7			
Monitoring Gauge	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027			
WM-1	5.5%	22.9%	25.2%							
WM-2	6.0%	6.4%	8.3%							
WM-3	30.9%	38.5%	56.0%							
WM-4	5.1%	12.4%	17.4%							
WM-5	3.2%	23.4%	28.9%							
WM-6	19.8%	38.5%	55.5%							
WM-7	28.1%	9.6%	18.3%							
WM-8	2.3%	22.9%	24.8%							

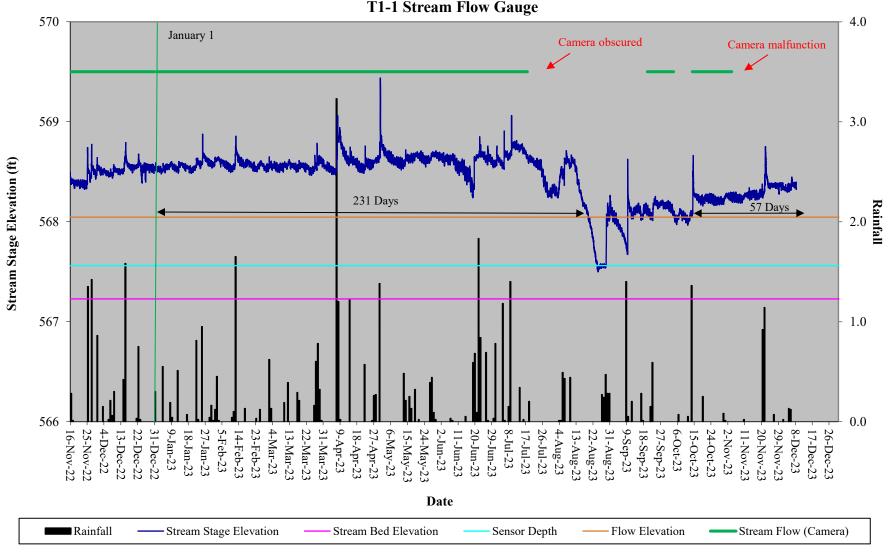
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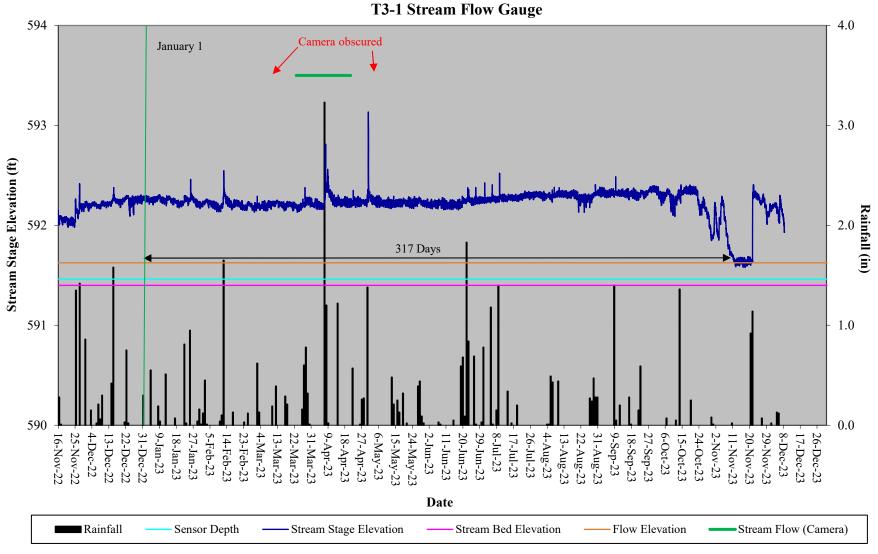
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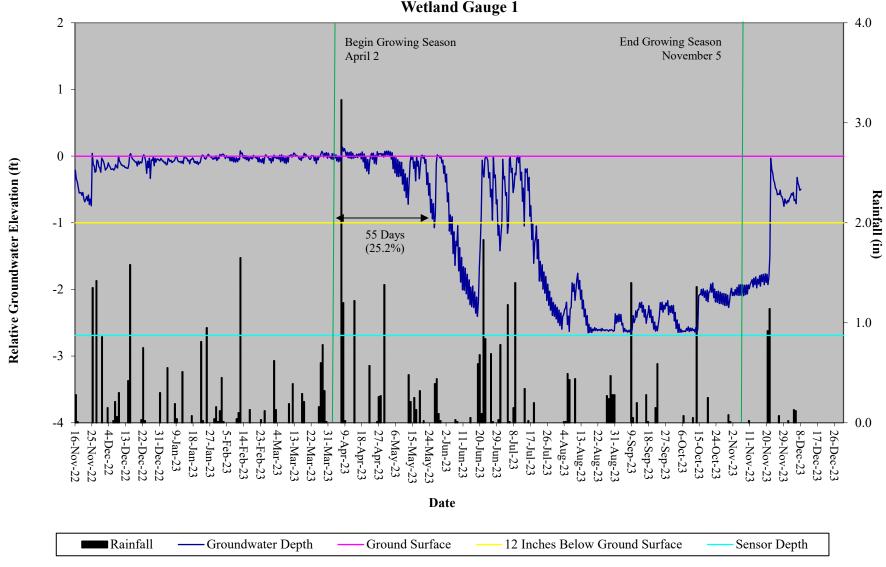


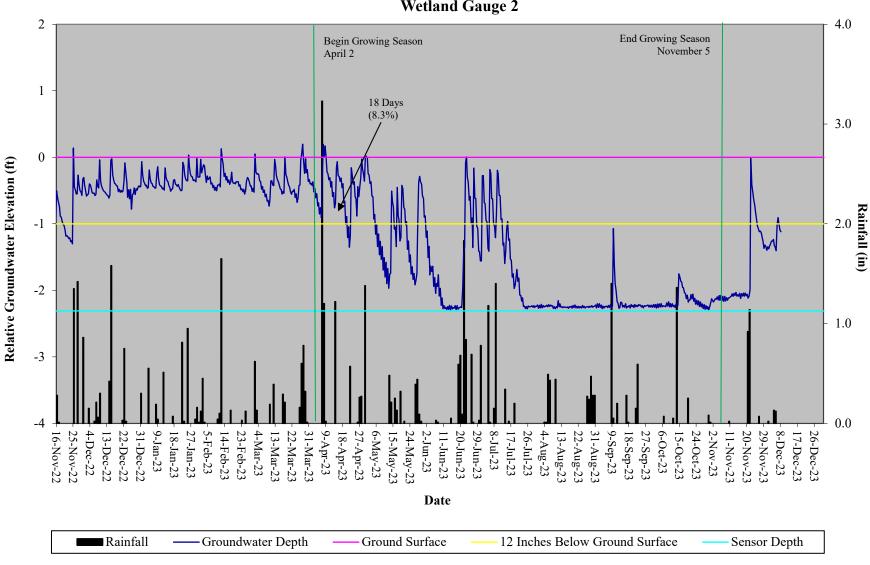
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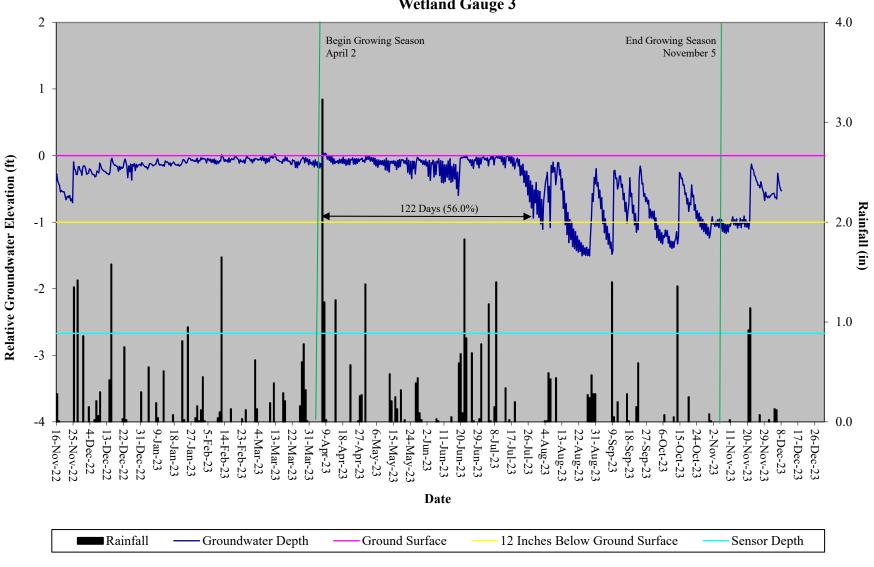


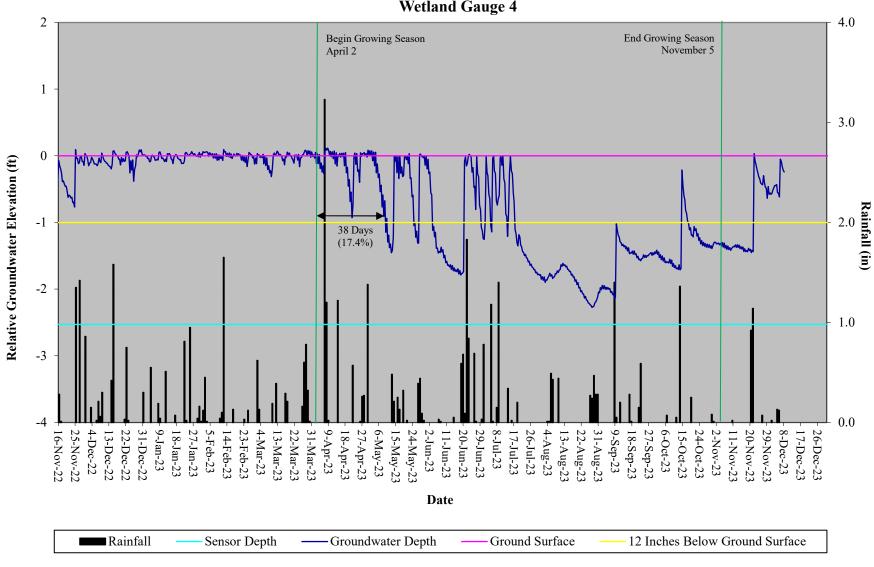
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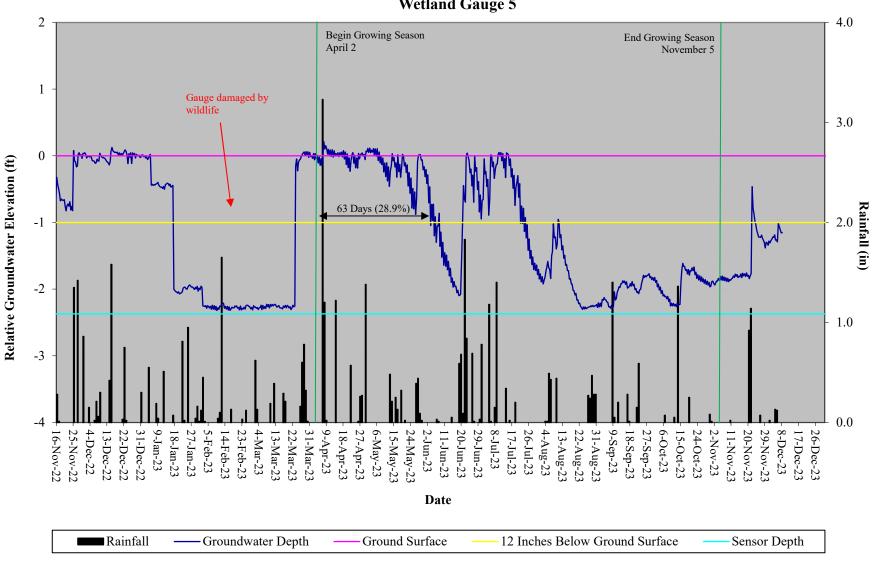


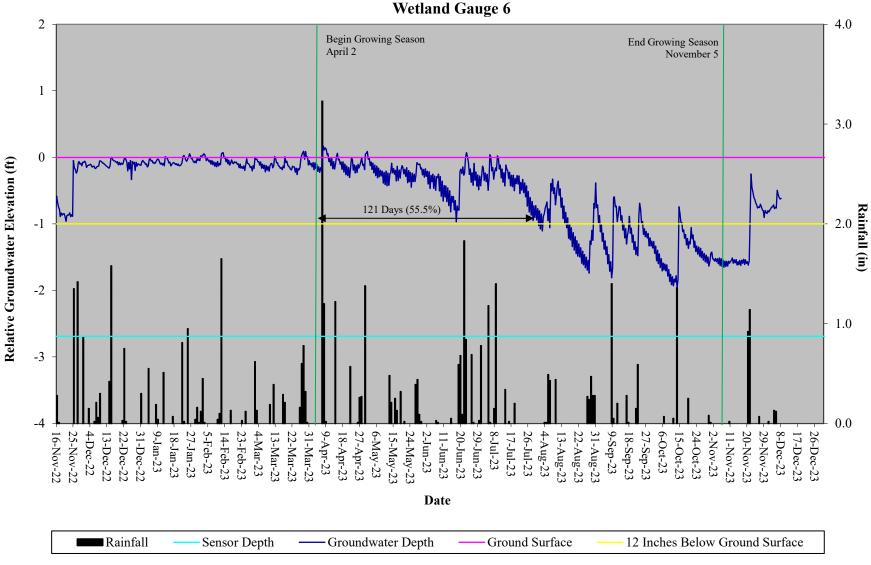


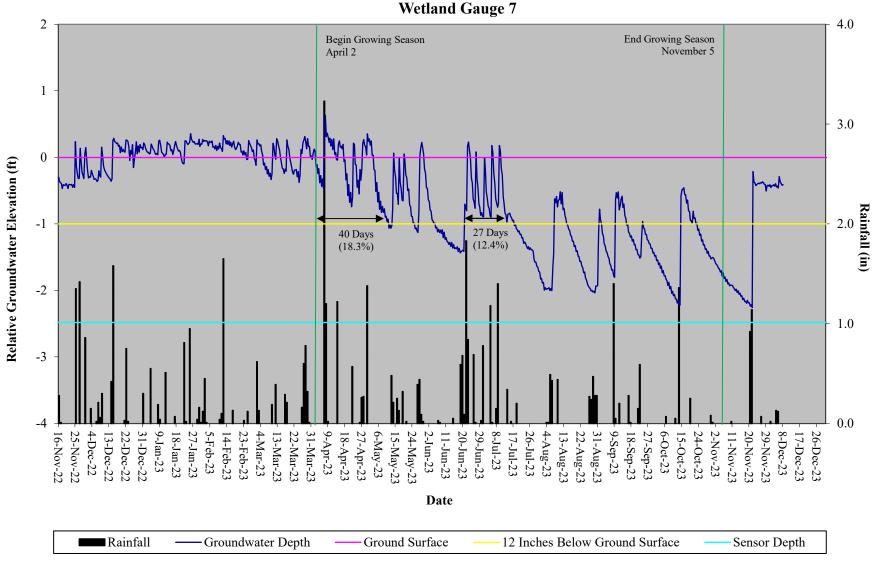


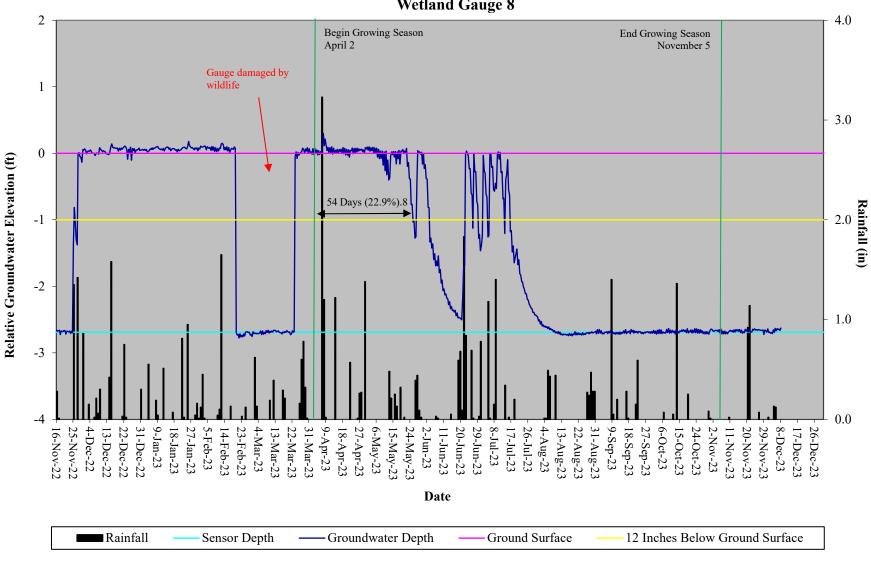












APPENDIX E

Project Timeline and Contact Info

Table 14. Project Activity & Reporting H Hip Bone Creek Restoration Site (ID-1000		
Activity or Report	Data Collection Complete	Actual Completion or Delivery
Project Instituted		April 23, 2018
Mitigation Plan		March 17, 2020
Final Design - Construction Plans		March 17, 2020
Construction Grading Completed		April 16, 2021
Planting Completed		April 30, 2021
Baseline Monitoring/Report	May 2021	July 2021
Vegetation Monitoring	May 14, 2021	
Stream Survey	May 21,2021	
Year 1 Monitoring	December 2021	January 2022
Vegetation Monitoring	November 17, 2021	
Stream Survey	December 13, 2021	
Invasive Treatment		July 28, 2022
Year 2 Monitoring	November 2022	December 2022
Vegetation Monitoring	August 22, 2022	
Stream Survey	July 15, 2022	
Invasive Treatment		June 19, 2023
Year 3 Monitoring	December 2023	January 2024
Vegetation Monitoring	June 14, 2023	
Stream Survey	July 17, 2023	

Table 15. Project Contacts					
Hip Bone Creek Restoration	on Site (ID-100059)				
Design Firm	KCI Associates of North Carolina, PA				
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	Raleigh, NC 27609				
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	Phone: (919) 278-2514				
	Fax: (919) 783-9266				
Construction Contractor	Chatham Civil Contracting				
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	Siler City, NC 27344				
	Contact: Mr. Stephen James				
	Phone: (919)704-4442				
Planting Contractor	Shenandoah Habitats				
	1983 Jefferson Highway				
	Waynesboro, VA 22980				
	Contact: Mr. David Coleman				
	Phone: (540) 941-0067				
Monitoring Performers					
	KCI Associates of North Carolina, PA				
	4505 Falls of Neuse Road				
	Suite 400				
	Raleigh, NC 27609				
	Contact: Mr. Adam Spiller				
	Phone: (919) 278-2514				
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