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UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project

Gounty Onslow
Date Project Instituted 7/18/2011
Date Prepared 8/27/2018

USACE Action ID 2011-02193 NCDWR Permit No 2012-0916

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



January 16, 2019

Jeff Schaffer Eastern Supervisor, Project Management NCDEQ Division of Mitigation Services 1652 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1652

Subject: Task 11: Response Letter to DMS review comments regarding the Draft Year 5 Monitoring

Report for the UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project (#95019)

White Oak River Basin – CU#03030001, Onslow County, North Carolina

DEQ Contract No. 003992, Baker No. 124578

Dear Mr. Schaffer,

Please find enclosed three hardcopies of the Final Year 5 Monitoring Report and our responses to your review comments received on December 19, 2018 regarding the UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project located in Onslow County, NC. As requested, we have also provided a CD containing a pdf version of the final report along with the revised GIS shapefiles in response to the review comments below:

1. Digital drawings:

- a. Digital files for each asset listed in Table 1 were not formatted or attributed as required in the EEP/DMS digital drawing guidance. The stream centerlines for example were submitted as a highly segmented polyline and were devoid of attributes such as reach ID and linear footage. DMS would prefer to receive shapefiles for all of the features in the digital drawings requirements, but at a minimum, each asset (as listed in table 1 of the monitoring report) and each monitoring feature must be provided as a discreet, properly attributed polyline/polygon as required by contract and stated in table 2 of DMS's Format, Data Requirements, and Content Guidance for Electronic Drawings Submitted to EEP version 1.0 (03/27/08).

 Response: For the draft e-submittal, older shapefiles were erroneously included. The revised shapefiles (made last year from similar DMS comments) are included with the final e-submittal
- b. During the review, DMS received a pop-up warning that the spatial reference is missing for the As- Built_Streams_UTMillSwamp, Crossings_UTMillSwamp, FlowGauges_UTMillSwamp, TopOfBank_UTMillSwamp, UTMillSwamp_CrestGauge

Response: As stated above, older shapefiles were erroneously included the draft e-submission and have been replaced with the revised shapefiles in the final e-submission with our apologies for the confusion.

2. Cover Page: Change the word "Permits:" to USACE Action ID.

Response: Change made as advised.

with our apologies for the confusion.

3. Section 1:

a. Page 3, paragraph 7: the report states that gauge MSAW10 "unexpectedly and permanently failed during the summer of 2018." Please address if this gauge is to be replaced and if not, explain why.

Response: Wetland gauge MSAW10 has never passed the hydrology success criteria of consecutive days within 12" of ground surface for 12% of the growing season in any monitoring year, with 0.0%, 0.6%, 5.3%, 2.1%, 4.9%, and now 5.3%. Given that this was one of the wetter years on record and it still failed to meet success criteria, it seems highly unlikely that it ever will. As such, it will not be replaced. The report has been amended to offer more explanation about this well.

b. Page 3, paragraph 8: the report states that "Flow gauge MSFL2 (on lower UT1b) permanently failed during the winter of 2017/2018 and was not replaced as it had already met the required project success criteria in each previous monitoring year." Please address if this gauge is to be replaced and if not, explain why.

Response: We do not intend to replace flow gauge MSFL2 at this stage of the project. The mitigation plan states that the success criteria for this reach (UT1b) is the documentation of two separate flow events within a 5-year monitoring period consisting of a minimum of 30 consecutive days each. Gauge MSFL2 has easily passed each previous monitoring year with consecutive flow lengths of 35, 131, 152, 105, and 164 days, along with cumulative yearly flow totals of 79, 327, 186, 231, and 243 days (see Table 13). Thus, this gauge has already significantly exceeded the required success criteria. Also consider that this reach does have a second flow gauge installed within the upper section which has also already met the success criteria five consecutive times and will continue to record flow data for the reach for the remaining two years of project monitoring. The report has been amended to offer more explanation about this gauge.

4. Section 2.2.2: Even though the groundwater gauges are discussed in this section, explain why there is no section to specifically discuss the wetland assessment. Section 2.2.2 appears as if it should be more associated with the stream portion of this project.

Response: A new Section 2.3 (Wetlands Assessment) was added to methodology portion of report as a location for the wetlands-specific discussion.

5. Appendix D, Table 11: During our review of the Bank Height Ratios (BHR) in Table 11, DMS staff performs a visual comparison of the MY5 data to As-Built/Baseline cross-sections. DMS noted/realized that by displaying the As-built Bankfull Cross-Sectional Area alone, the calculation for the BHR can be difficult to reconcile. We noted possible discrepancies in the BHR calculations for cross-sections 1 and 5 given this disconnect. Using the new BHR calculation methodology where the As-Built Bankfull Area is held constant, please display the Year 5 bankfull elevation as another data series just for the sake of clarity between the BHR calculation and the overlay. It appears that the BHR calculations were done correctly, but just please add the MY5 bankfull data series with its elevation for the sake of clarity to the reader.

Response: An additional data series was added to each cross-section figure showing the MY5 bankfull line (generated using the as-built bankfull area as per the recent DMS memo) as requested. The BHR calculations for the listed cross-sections were re-checked again and were all confirmed as correct. With the new bankfull line shown, a visual comparison between it and the MY5 cross-section data certainly makes the BHR value appear to make intuitive sense.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me at 919-481-5731 or via email at Scott.King@mbakerintl.com.

Sincerely,

Scott King, LSS, PWS

Enclosures

UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project Sixth Monitoring Measurement Fifth Year of Credit Release - FINAL

Onslow County, North Carolina

NCDMS Project ID Number – 95019, DEQ Contract No. 003992

USACE Action ID: SAW-2011-02193, DWR# 20120916



Project Info: Credit Release Year: 5 of 7 (Sixth site measurement since construction)

Year of Data Collection: 2018

Year of Completed Construction: 2013 Submission Date: December 2019

Submitted To: NCDEQ – Division of Mitigation Services

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1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Michael Baker Engineering (Baker) restored 3,606 linear feet of perennial stream, 6.62 acres of riparian wetlands, and enhanced 600 linear feet of stream along an unnamed tributary (UT) to Mill Swamp in Onslow County, North Carolina (NC), (Appendix A). The total planted acreage was approximately 15.2 acres, and the permanent conservation easement is 19.6 acres. The UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project (Site) is located in Onslow County, approximately three miles northwest of the Town of Richlands. The Site is located in the NC Division of Water Resources (NCDWR) sub-basin 03-05-02 and the NCDEQ Division of Mitigation Services (NCDMS) Targeted Local Watershed (TLW) 03030001-010020 of the White Oak River Basin. The project involved the restoration and enhancement of a Coastal Plain Headwater Small Stream Swamp system (Schafale and Weakley 1990) from impairments within the project area due to past agricultural conversion, cattle grazing, and draining of floodplain wetlands by ditching activities.

The project goals directly addressed stressors identified in the White Oak River Basin Restoration Priorities or RBRP (NCDMS 2010) such as degraded riparian conditions, channel modification, and excess sediment and nutrient inputs. The primary restoration goals, as outlined in the approved mitigation plan, are described below:

- Create geomorphically stable conditions along the unnamed tributaries across the Site,
- Implement agricultural Best Management Practices (BMPs) to reduce nonpoint source inputs to receiving waters,
- Protect and improve water quality by reducing bank erosion, nutrient and sediment inputs,
- Restore stream and wetland hydrology by connecting historic flow paths and promoting natural flood processes, and
- Restore and protect riparian buffer functions and corridor habitat in perpetuity by establishing a permanent conservation easement.

To accomplish these goals, the following objectives were identified:

- Restore existing incised, eroding, and channelized streams by providing access to their historic floodplains,
- Prevent cattle from accessing the riparian buffer, reducing excessive bank erosion,
- Increase aquatic habitat value by providing more bedform diversity, creating natural scour pools and reducing sediment from accelerated bank erosion,
- Plant native species riparian buffer vegetation along stream bank and floodplain areas, protected by a
 permanent conservation easement, to increase stormwater runoff filtering capacity, improve bank
 stability, and shade the stream to decrease water temperature,
- Improve aquatic and terrestrial habitat through improved substrate and in-stream cover, addition of woody debris, and reduction of water temperature, and
- Control invasive species vegetation within the project area and if necessary, continue treatments during the monitoring period.

The project as-built condition closely mimics that proposed by the design. Differences are outlined below:

- The Stream and Wetland Mitigation Plan (Mitigation Plan) specified the planting of riparian live stakes during construction; however, due to construction being completed during the growing season in May 2013 no live stakes were installed. During construction, it was determined that live stakes would be installed during the dormant season. It is noted that as of March 27, 2014, approximately 300 live stakes were installed along the stream banks in the restored single thread channel of the UT1c area.
- Permanent fencing along Reach UT3 was originally proposed 50 feet from both of the streambanks outside of the conservation easement; however, the landowner decided to use the northern pasture for hay production only, so fencing was installed only on the southern side of the reach to exclude cattle.

Special Notes:

In consideration of this report, the following timeline should be noted:

Completion of construction -5/31/13

Completion of installation of tree and shrub bare roots -6/13/13

Year 1 (2013) vegetation monitoring -10/16/13

Live stake installation - 3/27/14

Year 1 (2013) supplemental vegetation monitoring – 5/18/14

Supplemental Year 1 (5/18/14) vegetation monitoring was conducted in order to provide additional mortality data. This additional monitoring effort was done since the time that had elapsed between the installation of the tree and shrub bare roots (6/13/13) and Year 1 vegetation monitoring (10/16/13) was only 125 days of the growing season (March 18th through November 16th). Trees and shrubs grew for an additional 61 days of growing season from 3/18/14 through 5/18/14 in early 2014 and were supplementally monitored. A total of 186 days of growing season had elapsed since the trees were planted and the supplemental Year 1 vegetation monitoring was conducted. An additional 181 days within the growing season (5/19/14 through 11/16/14) had elapsed prior to Year 2 (2014) vegetation monitoring, providing the required minimum of 180 days of growing season growth as stated in the approved Mitigation Plan. As such, Baker considered the data collected on 12/19/14 to be Year 2 data and the data collected on 11/13/15 to be Year 3 data. However, the US Army Corps of Engineers has declined to release the credits generated from Year 2 (2014) citing too short of a period between plant installation and monitoring. As such, the 2015 monitoring report was considered Year 2. All references to Year 2 henceforth will indicate monitoring activities conducted during 2015. Data collected during 2014 that was previously considered monitoring Year 2 will be labeled as Year 2*.

Year 2* (2014) vegetation monitoring – 12/19/14

Year 2 (2015) vegetation monitoring – 11/13/15

Year 3 (2016) vegetation monitoring – November, 2016

Supplemental 3-foot bare roots installed in the area around Vegetation Plot 3 only – March 20, 2017

Year 4 (2017) vegetation assessment was conducted in October of 2017, but no formal monitoring plot data is required to be collected as part of Year 4 monitoring effort.

Year 5 (2018) vegetation monitoring -10/30/18

The Year 5 monitoring survey data of the eight permanent cross-sections indicate that the Site is geomorphically stable and performing at 100 percent for the all parameters evaluated. The data collected are within the lateral/vertical stability and in-stream structure performance categories. There are no Stream Problem Areas (SPA) to report.

During Year 5 monitoring, the planted acreage performance categories were functioning at 100 percent with no bare areas to report, no current low stem density areas, and no areas of poor growth rates. The average density of total planted stems, based on the data collected from the six monitoring plots in October 2018 was 459 stems/acre. Thus, the Year 5 vegetation data demonstrates that the Site has met the minimum success interim criteria of 260 stems/acre by the end of Year 5.

Previously during Year 4 monitoring, the area around Veg Plot 3 totaling approximately 0.20 acres was supplementally planted in March of 2017 with additional stems of bald cypress (*Taxodium distichum*) from bare root, and water tupelo (*Nyssa aquatica*) planted from tubelings. This area was inspected again in October of 2018 and the stems appear to be alive and doing well, with numerous healthy-looking stems readily identifiable.

Invasive species areas of concern were observed and documented during Year 5 monitoring. One area of Chinese privet (*Ligustrum sinense*) re-sprouts totaling 0.53 acres was discovered along the left floodplain of the middle section of Reach UT1c. This area is identified as a Vegetation Problem Area (VPA) and will be treated in Monitoring Year 6. These resprouts overlap with a 0.55 acre area that had previously been treated for privet in February of 2018. The CCPV found in Appendix B shows the locations of each of these areas.

Additionally, scattered loblolly pine (*Pinus taeda*) and sweetgum (*Liquidambar styraciflua*) saplings were observed growing in the floodplain of UT1c and lower UT1b. They were subsequently heavily thinned during Monitoring Year 5.

At this time, no other areas of concern regarding the Site vegetation were observed along UT1a, UT1b or UT1c. The complete Year 5 vegetation assessment information and photographs are provided in Appendix B and C.

During Year 5 monitoring, groundwater monitoring demonstrated that fifteen of the sixteen groundwater monitoring wells located along Reach UT1c met the wetland success criteria as stated in the Site Mitigation Plan. The gauges that met success criteria demonstrated consecutive hydroperiods of 12% or greater, ranging from 12.3 to 100% of the growing season (see Figure 4 and Table 12 in Appendix E). The one gauge that did not meet success criteria with only 5.3% was MSAW10, which unexpectedly and permanently failed during the summer of 2018. Gauge MSAW10 has never passed the hydroperiod success criteria of consecutive days within 12" of ground surface for 12% of the growing season in any monitoring year, with 0.0%, 0.6%, 5.3%, 2.1%, 4.9%, and now 5.3%. Given that this was one of the wetter years on record and it still failed to meet success criteria during the typical early-spring timeframe, it seems highly unlikely that it ever will. As such, it will not be replaced.

Additionally, during an IRT field visit on 5/1/18, it was suggested that wells MSAW3 and MSAW7 could be relocated to better help confirm restored wetland areas elsewhere in the floodplain. These wells had previously been located either directly on the wetland boundary, or outside it in the adjacent uplands, and it was felt they would be more useful collecting data in other, more relevant areas. As such, in June 2018 these two wells were relocated to the suggested areas as shown in the CCPV found in Appendix B. Graphs for all the groundwater data collected from each well during Year 5 monitoring are located in Appendix E.

Year 5 flow monitoring on Reach UT1b demonstrated that flow gauge MSFL1 (on upper UT1b) met the stated success criteria of 30 days or more of consecutive flow through upper UT1b with 65 days of consecutive flow and 247 days of total cumulative flow. The gauge demonstrated similar patterns relative to rainfall events observed in the vicinity of the Site. Flow gauge MSFL2 (on lower UT1b) unexpectedly and permanently failed during the winter of 2017/2018. It will not be replaced as it had already met the required project success criteria

in each previous monitoring year with consecutive flow lengths of 35, 131, 152, 105, and 164 days, along with cumulative yearly flow totals of 79, 327, 186, 231, and 243 days (see Table 13). Thus, this gauge has already significantly exceeded the required success criteria of documenting two separate flow events within the project monitoring period. Flow data for this reach will continue to be collected for the remaining two project monitoring years from gauge MSFL1 alone. Flow data collected during Year 5 monitoring are located in Appendix E.

The Site was also found to have had at least two above-bankfull events based on the crest gauge readings during Year 5 monitoring. The highest recorded reading was measured to be 3.41 feet and was associated with Hurricane Florence on September 15, 2018. Crest gauge reading data are presented in Appendix E and gauge photographs are presented in Appendix B.

Summary information/data related to the Site and statistics related to 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 Baseline Monitoring Report and in the Mitigation Plan available on the North Carolina Division of Mitigation Services (NCDMS) website. All raw data supporting the tables and figures in the appendices is available from NCDMS upon request.

2.0 METHODOLOGY

The seven-year monitoring plan for the Site includes criteria to evaluate the success of the stream, wetland, and vegetation components of the project. The methodology and report template used to evaluate these components adheres to the NCDMS *Monitoring Requirements and Performance Standards for Stream and/or Wetland Mitigation* guidance document dated November 7, 2011 (NCDMS 2011), which will continue to serve as the template for subsequent monitoring years. The specific locations of monitoring features: vegetation plots, permanent cross-sections, monitoring wells, flow gauges, and the crest gauge, are shown on the CCPV sheets found in Appendix B.

The Year 5 vegetation plot data and all visual site assessment data were collected in October 2018. The cross-section survey data were collected in November 2018, while the final monitoring gauge data were collected in December 2018.

2.1 Stream Assessment – Reach UT1a & UT1b

The UT1a and UT1b mitigation approach involved the restoration of historic flow patterns and flooding functions in a multi-thread headwater stream system. Monitoring efforts focus on visual observations to document stability, the use of water level monitoring gauges to document both groundwater and flooding functions.

2.1.1 Hydrology

Two automated groundwater well gauges (pressure transducers) are installed along well transects, with a total of four well transects installed in the UT1a and UT1b areas. The automated loggers are programmed to collect data at 6-hour intervals to record groundwater levels in UT1a and UT1b areas. Graphs of the groundwater data collected for these gauges during Year 5 monitoring are located in Appendix E.

Additionally, two in-stream flow gauges (pressure transducers) were installed to document the occurrence of extended periods of shallow surface ponding, indicative of flow. The gauges attempt to

document flooding connectivity between the restored UT1a and UT1b reaches for at least 30 consecutive days under normal climatic conditions. Flow gauge MSFL1 (on UT1a) met this success criteria with 65 consecutive days of recorded flow, and a cumulative total of 247 days of flow. The gauge demonstrated similar patterns relative to rainfall events observed in the vicinity of the Site. Flow gauge MSFL2 (on UT1b) permanently failed during the winter of 2017/2018 and was not replaced as it had already met the required project success criteria in each previous monitoring year. Flow data collected during Year 5 monitoring are located in Appendix E.

2.1.2 Photographic Documentation

The headwater stream reaches were photographed longitudinally beginning at the downstream portion of the Site and moving towards the upstream end of the Site. Photographs were taken looking upstream at delineated locations throughout the restored stream valley. The photograph points were established close enough together to provide an overall view of the reach lengths and valley crenulations. The angle of the photo depends on what angle provides the best view and was noted and continued in future photos. Site photographs for UT1a and UT1b were taken at established photo-point stations and can be found in Appendix B.

2.2 Stream Assessment – Reach UT1c

The UT1c mitigation approach involved the restoration of historic flow patterns and flooding functions in a single-thread headwater stream system. Monitoring efforts focus on visual observations, the use of groundwater level monitoring gauges, a crest gauge to document bankfull flooding events, and established stream cross-sections to monitor channel stability.

Stream survey data is collected to a minimum of Class C Vertical and Class A Horizontal Accuracy using Leica TS06 Total Station and was georeferenced to the NAD83 State Plane Coordinate System, FIPS3200 in US Survey Feet, which was derived from the As-built Survey. This survey system collects point data with an accuracy of less than one tenth of a foot.

2.2.1 Morphologic Parameters and Channel Stability

A longitudinal profile was surveyed for the entire length of channel immediately after construction to document as-built baseline monitoring conditions (Year 0) only. The survey was tied to a permanent benchmark and measurements included thalweg, water surface, bankfull, and top of low bank. Each of these measurements was taken at the head of each feature (e.g., riffle, pool) and at the maximum pool depth. Yearly longitudinal profiles will not be conducted during subsequent monitoring years unless channel instability has been documented or remedial actions/repairs are required by the USACE or NCDMS.

Survey data from the eight permanent project cross-sections were collected and classified using the Rosgen Stream Classification System, and all monitored cross-sections fall within the quantitative parameters defined for channels of the design stream type (Rosgen 1994). The Year 5 monitoring survey data for the cross-sections indicates that the Site is geomorphically stable and performing at 100 percent for all the parameters evaluated. The data collected are within the lateral/vertical stability and in-stream structure performance categories. Morphological survey data are presented in Appendix D.

Please note, as per NCDMS/IRT request the bank height ratios for MY5 have been calculated using the as-built bankfull area to determine low bank height and the max depth based on the current-year channel profile. All other values were calculated using the as-built bankfull elevation, as was done for all previous monitoring reports.

2.2.2 Hydrology

One crest gauge was installed on the floodplain at the bankfull elevation along the left top of bank on UT1c approximately at Station 45+50. In MY5, two above-bankfull events associated with storm events were documented by the crest gauge. The highest recorded reading was measured to be 3.41 feet and was associated with Hurricane Florence on September 15, 2018. Crest gauge reading data are presented in Appendix E and gauge photographs are presented in Appendix B.

2.2.3 Photographic Documentation

Representative project photographs for MY5 for Reach UT1c were taken at the previously established photo-point stations located along the enhanced and restored stream sections of UT1c and are presented in Appendix B. Additionally, reference photograph transects were taken at each permanent cross-section in November of 2018. The survey tape was centered in the photographs of the bank. The water line was located in the lower edge of the frame, and as much of the bank as possible is included in each photograph.

2.2.4 Visual Stream Morphological Stability Assessment

The visual stream morphological stability assessment involves the qualitative evaluation of lateral and vertical channel stability, and the integrity and overall performance of in-stream structures throughout the Project reach as a whole. Habitat parameters and pool depth maintenance are also evaluated. During Year 5 monitoring, the entire project reach was walked, noting geomorphic conditions of the stream bed profile (riffle/pool facets); both stream banks, and engineered in-stream structures. All stream reaches appear stable and functioning. All stream beds are vertically stable, the pools are maintaining depth, stream banks are stable and vegetating, and in-stream structures are physically intact and performing as designed. No Stream Problem Areas (SPAs) were documented during Year 5 monitoring. A more detailed summary of the methodology and results for the visual stream stability assessment can be found in Appendix B, which includes supporting data tables.

2.3 Wetland Assessment

Following construction, ten automated groundwater monitoring wells were installed in the UT1c wetland restoration area following USACE protocols (USACE 2005). The gauges themselves are all In-Situ brand Rugged Troll 100 data loggers. An additional six monitoring wells were installed in the spring of 2016 in the left floodplain of UT1c for a more detailed evaluation there. During an IRT site visit on 5/1/18, it was suggested that two of the wells (MSAW3 and MSAW7) originally located on, or just outside, the wetland boundary line be relocated to help confirm restored wetland areas elsewhere in the floodplain. As such, in June 2018 those two wells were relocated to the suggested areas as shown in the CCPV found in Appendix B. Also during Year 5 monitoring, the gauge at well MSAW10 unexpectedly and permanently failed in the summer of 2018. Given that it has never once passed the success criteria hydroperiod requirement, it will not be replaced at this stage of the project. Graphs of the groundwater data collected from each well during Year 5 monitoring are found in Appendix E.

During Year 5 monitoring, groundwater monitoring demonstrated that fifteen of the sixteen groundwater monitoring wells located along Reach UT1c met the wetland success criteria as stated in the Site Mitigation Plan. The gauges that met success criteria demonstrated consecutive hydroperiods of 12% or greater, ranging from 12.3 to 100% of the growing season (see Table 12 in Appendix E).

Total observed rainfall at the Albert Ellis airport (KOAJ) weather station located near Richlands, NC for the previous 12-month period from December 2017 through November 2018 was 74.2 inches. The WETS table for Hoffman Forest station (NC4144) in Onslow County was used to calculate the 30-year

average for that same 12-month period and documents an average of 56.5 inches of rainfall, with an historic 30% probable of 51.9 inches and an historic 70% probable of 60.5 inches. Thus, the site appears to have an exceeded the 70% probable by 13.7 inches. However, much of that additional rainfall came in September 2018, and in particular from Hurricane Florence, which dropped approximately 13 inches of rainfall on the site on September 15th alone. The remainder of the fall of 2018 has been fairly dry, with monthly rainfall totals below their historic 30% probables in October and November.

2.4 Vegetation Assessment

In order to determine if success criteria are achieved, vegetation-monitoring quadrants were installed and are monitored annually across the Site in accordance with the CVS-NCDMS Protocol for Recording Vegetation, Version 4.1 (Lee 2007) using the CVS-DMS Data Entry Tool v. 2.3.1 (CVS 2012). The vegetation monitoring plots are a minimum of two percent of the planted portion of the Site, with six plots established randomly within the planted UT1a, UT1b and UT1c riparian buffer areas per Monitoring Levels 1 and 2. No monitoring quadrants were established within the undisturbed wooded areas of UT1a and UT1b. The sizes of individual quadrants are 100 square meters for woody tree species.

During Year 5 monitoring, the planted acreage performance categories were functioning well with no bare areas to report. The average density of total planted stems, based on the data collected from the six monitoring plots in October 2018 was 459 stems/acre. Thus, the Year 5 vegetation data demonstrates that the Site has met the minimum success interim criteria of 260 stems/acre by the end of Year 5.

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Appendix A

Project Vicinity Map and Background Tables

The subject project site is an environmental restoration site of the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) and the Division of Mitigation Services (DMS) and is encompassed by a recorded conservation easement, but is bordered by land under private ownership. Accessing the site may require traversing areas near or along the easement boundary and therefore access by the general public is not permitted. Access by authorized personnel of state and federal agencies or their designees/contractors involved in the development, oversight and stewardship of the restoration site is permitted within the terms and timeframes of their defined roles. Any intended site visitation or activity by any person outside of these previously sanctioned roles and activities requires prior coordination with DMS. LENOIR Pink Hill **Project Location** Warren Taylor Rd **∂258**⟨ Beulaville. Richlands ONSLOW COUNT Site Directions To access the site from Raleigh, follow Interstate 40 southeast and take the NC Highway 24 Exit East/NC Highway 903 North, Exit 373 toward Kenansville and Magnolia. From Exit 373, continue on the Kenansville Bypass for 6 miles before turning right onto NC Highway 24 East. After turning right onto NC Highway 24 (Beulaville Highway), continue for 23 miles before turning left onto US Highway 258 (Kinston Highway). Once on US Highway 258, travel for approximately 1.2 miles before turning right onto Warren Taylor Road. Then proceed 0.5 miles and turn left while heading north through a large field. The site is located where the farm road intersects UT to Mill Swamp at a Note: Site is located within targeted local watershed 03030001010020. downstream culvert crossing. Figure 1 DMS Project # 95019 **Project Location Project Vicinity Map UT to Mill Swamp Site** DEQ -258 **Division of Mitigation Services Michael Baker** INTERNATIONAL **Onslow County** 0 0.5 1 ■Miles

				N	Aitigation Credits				
	Stream	Riparian	Wetland	Non-riparian Wetland			Buffer	Nitrogen Nutrient Offset	Phosphorus Nutrient Offset
Type	R, El	R	Е						
Totals	3,909 SMU	4.0 WMU	0						
				Pr	oject Components				
Project Compo	ent or Reach ID	Stationing/ Location	Existing	g Footage/ Acreage	Approach		Restoration/ Restoration Equivalent	Restoration Footage or Acreage	Mitigation Ratio
Reach UT1a		10+00 - 16+00		600 LF	Enhancement Lev	vel I	400 SMU	600 LF	1.5:1
Reach UT1b		16+00 - 36+93		2,131 LF	Headwater Restora	ation	1,996 SMU	1,996 LF	1:1
Reach UT1c		37+24 - 52+37		1,350 LF	Single thread Resto	ration	1,513 SMU	1,513 LF	1:1
Reach UT3		10+00 - 23+69		1,060 LF	Cattle Exclusio	on N/A N/A		N/A	N/A
Vetland Area #1		See plan sheets		0.0 AC	Restoration		4.0 WMU	4.0 AC	1:1
				Con	nponent Summation				
Restora	ion Level	Stream (LF)		Riparian Wetland (AC)		Non-ripa	rian Wetland (AC)	Buffer (SF)	Upland (AC)
			Riverine	Non-Riverin	ne			. ,	
Rest	ration	3,509	4.0						
Enhan	ement I	600							
Enhanc	ement II								
Cre	ntion								
Prese	vation								
High Qualit	Preservation								
					BMP Elements				
Element	Location	Purpose/Function		Notes					

^{*}Note: Credit calculations were originally calculated along the as-built thalweg but were revised starting in Monitoring Year 4 to be calculated along stream centerlines and valley length after discussions with the NC-IRT stemming from the April 3, 2017 Credit Release Meeting.

Activity or Report	Scheduled Completion	Data Collection Complete	Actual Completion or Delivery
Mitigation Plan Prepared	N/A	N/A	Aug-13
Mitigation Plan Amended	N/A	N/A	Sep-13
Mitigation Plan Approved	N/A	N/A	Nov-13
Final Design – (at least 90% complete)	N/A	N/A	Mar-13
Construction Begins	N/A	N/A	Apr-13
Temporary S&E mix applied to entire project area	N/A	N/A	N/A
Permanent seed mix applied to entire project area	N/A	N/A	Jun-13
Planting of live stakes	Fall/Winter 2013	N/A	Mar-14
Planting of bare root trees	N/A	N/A	Jun-13
End of Construction	N/A	N/A	May-13
Survey of As-built conditions (Year 0 Monitoring-baseline)	N/A	Aug-13	Aug-13
Year 1 Monitoring	Dec-13	Dec-13	Jun-14
¹Year 2* Monitoring	Dec-14	Dec-14	Jan-15
Year 2 Monitoring	Nov-15	Nov-15	Dec-15
Year 3 Monitoring	Dec-16	Nov-16	Dec-16
Year 4 Monitoring	Dec-17	Nov-17	Jan-18
Year 5 Monitoring	Dec-18	Dec-18	Dec-18
Year 6 Monitoring	Dec-19	N/A	N/A
Year 7 Monitoring	Dec-20	N/A	N/A

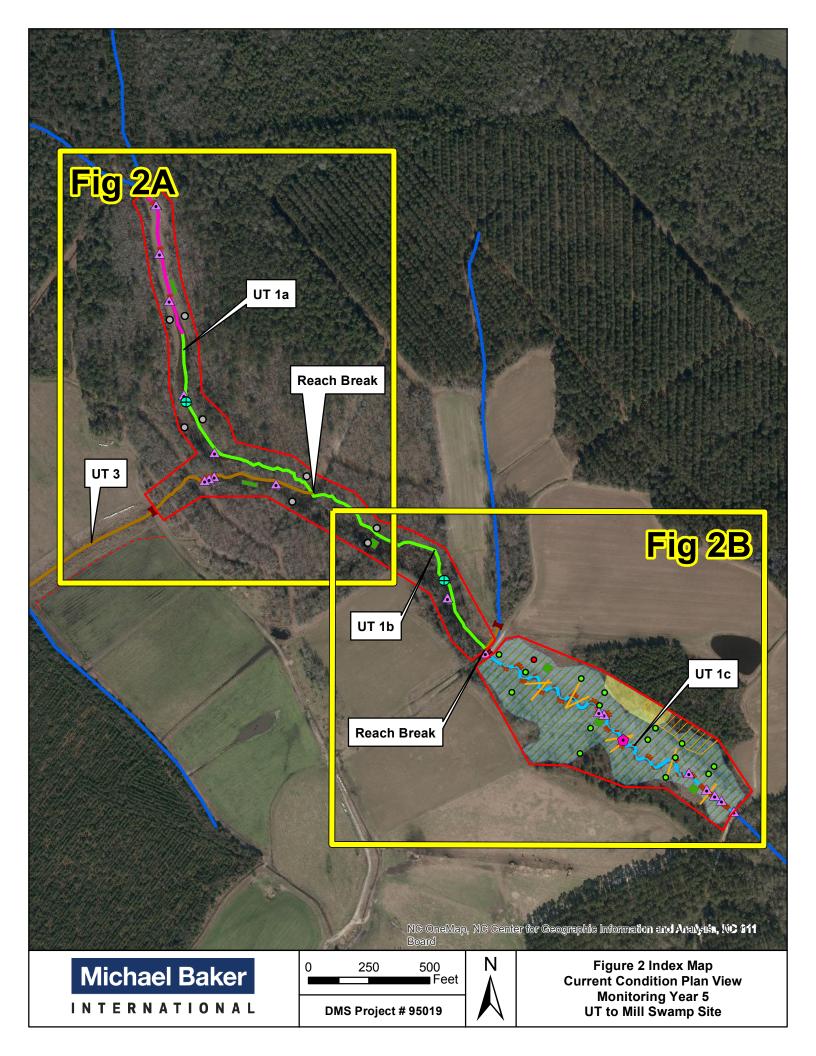
¹ As stated in the **Special Notes** section of the Excutive Summary: the US Army Corps of Engineers declined to release the credits generated from Year 2 (2014) citing too short of a period between plant installation and monitoring following construction. As such, this report (2018) will be considered Year 5. All references to Year 5 included in this report will indicate monitoring activities conducted during 2018. Data collected during 2014 that was previously considered monitoring Year 2 is labeled as Year 2*

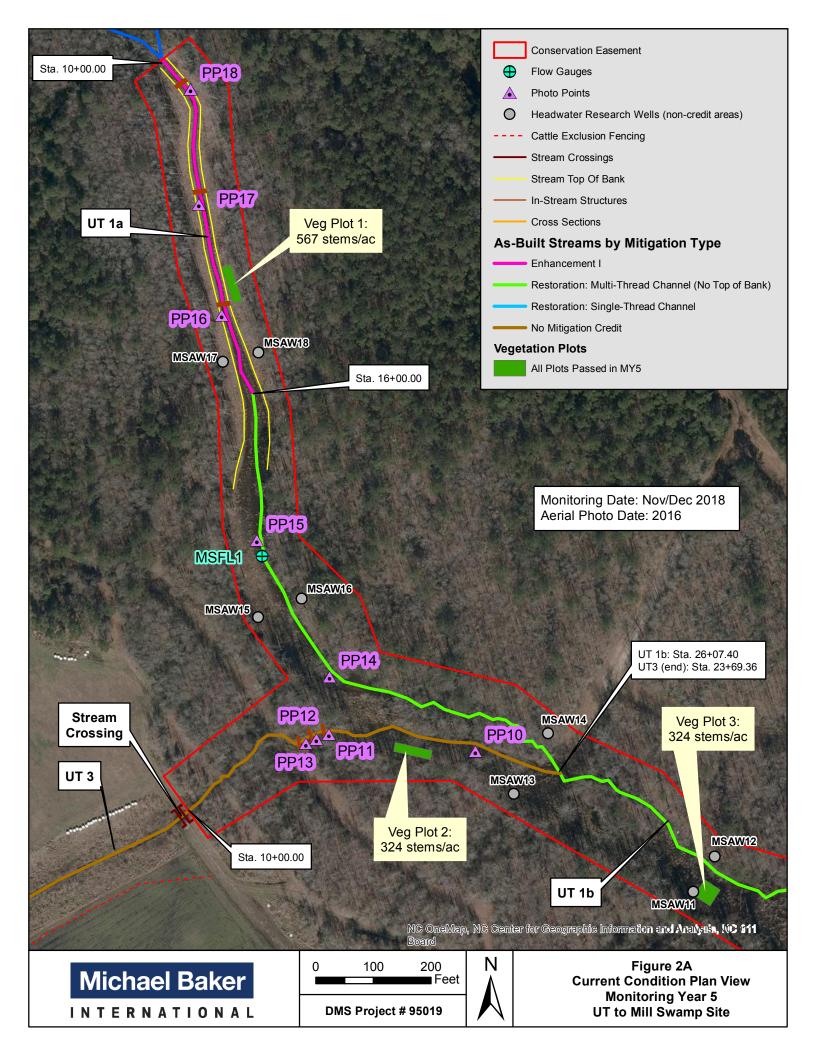
Table 3. Project Contacts UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project:	DMS Ducient ID No. 05010
Designer Villa Swamp Restoration Project:	DIVIS FTOJECT ID No. 95019
Michael Baker Engineering, Inc.	8000 Regency Parkway, Suite 600 Cary, NC 27518 Contact: Katie Mckeithan, Tel. (919) 481-5703
Construction Contractor	
River Works, Inc.	114 W. Main St. Clayton, NC 27520 Contact: Bill Wright, Telephone: 919-590-5193
Planting Contractor	C / 1
River Works, Inc.	114 W. Main St. Clayton, NC 27520 Contact: Bill Wright, Telephone: 919-590-5193
Seeding Contractor	C / 1
River Works, Inc.	114 W. Main St. Clayton, NC 27520 Contact: Bill Wright, Telephone: 919-590-5193
Seed Mix Sources	Green Resources, Tel. 336-855-6363
Nursery Stock Suppliers	Mellow Marsh Farm, 919-742-1200 ArborGen, 843-528-3204 Superior Tree, 850-971-5159
Monitoring Performers	
Michael Baker Engineering, Inc.	8000 Regency Parkway, Suite 600 Cary, NC 27518 Contact:
Stream Monitoring Point of Contact Vegetation Monitoring Point of Contact Wetland Monitoring Point of Contact	Scott King, Tel. 919-481-5731 Scott King, Tel. 919-481-5731 Scott King, Tel. 919-481-5731

Table 4. Project Attributes						
UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project: DMS Proj	ect ID No. 95	5019				
		ct Information				
Project Name		wamp Restoration Project				
County	Onslow					
Project Area (acres)	19.6					
Project Coordinates (latitude and longitude)	34.9377 N,					
	Watershed Summary Information					
Physiographic Province	Inner Coasta	l Plain				
River Basin	White Oak					
USGS Hydrologic Unit 8-digit and 14-digit		03030001010020				
DWQ Sub-basin	03-05-02					
Project Drainage Area (AC)	421 (d/s mai	n stem UT1)				
Project Drainage Area Percentage of Impervious Area	<1%					
CGIA Land Use Classification		Other Hay, Rotation, or Pasture; 413				
NCEEP Land Use Classification for UT to Mill Swamp	Forest (52%)					
Watershed (White Oak River Basin Restoration Priorities,	Agriculture (
2010)	Impervious (
	Stream Reach	Summary Information				
Parameters		Reach UT1		Reach UT3		
Length of Reach (LF)		4,091		1,060		
Valley Classification (Rosgen)		X		X		
Drainage Area (AC)		421		23		
NCDWQ Stream Identification Score	40.5					
NCDWQ Water Quality Classification	C; NSW C; NSW					
Morphological Description (Rosgen stream type)		G/F	1	Intermittent Ditch (N/A)		
1 0 1 0 31 /	(Channelized Headwater System)					
Evolutionary Trend	$Gc \rightarrow F$ Intermittent Ditch (N/A)					
Underlying Mapped Soils	Mk, St, Ly, FoA Mk, St					
Drainage Class	Poorly drained, somewhat poorly drained Poorly drained, somewhat poorly drained					
Soil Hydric Status		Hydric		Hydric		
Average Channel Slope (ft/ft)		0.0041		0.0058		
FEMA Classification		N/A		N/A		
Native Vegetation Community	Coasta	al Plain Small Stream Swamp	Coast	al Plain Small Stream Swamp		
Percent Composition of Exotic/Invasive Vegetation		~10%		<5%		
		mmary Information				
Parameters		Non-Jurisdictional W1)				
Size of Wetland (AC)		orth of UT1c, 3.26 south of UT1c)				
Wetland Type	Riparian Riv					
Mapped Soil Series		ee), St (Stallings), Ly (Lynchburg)				
Drainage Class		ed, somewhat poorly drained				
Soil Hydric Status	Hydric					
Source of Hydrology	Groundwater					
Hydrologic Impairment		connected floodplain from ditches a		ncision)		
Native Vegetation Community		Small Stream Swamp, Successiona	ıl			
Percent Composition of Exotic/Invasive Vegetation	9.7% (Before	e fall 2016 treatment event)				
	Regulato	ry Considerations				
Regulation	Applicable			Supporting Documentation		
Waters of the United States – Section 404				See Mitigation Plan		
Waters of the United States – Section 401	Yes Yes See Mitigation Plan					
Endangered Species Act	No N/A See Mitigation Plan					
Historic Preservation Act	No	N/A		See Mitigation Plan		
Coastal Zone Management Act (CZMA)/ Coastal Area Management Act (CAMA)	No	N/A		See Mitigation Plan		
FEMA Floodplain Compliance	No	N/A		See Mitigation Plan		
Essential Fisheries Habitat	No	N/A N/A		See Mitigation Plan See Mitigation Plan		
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Appendix B

Visual Assessment Data





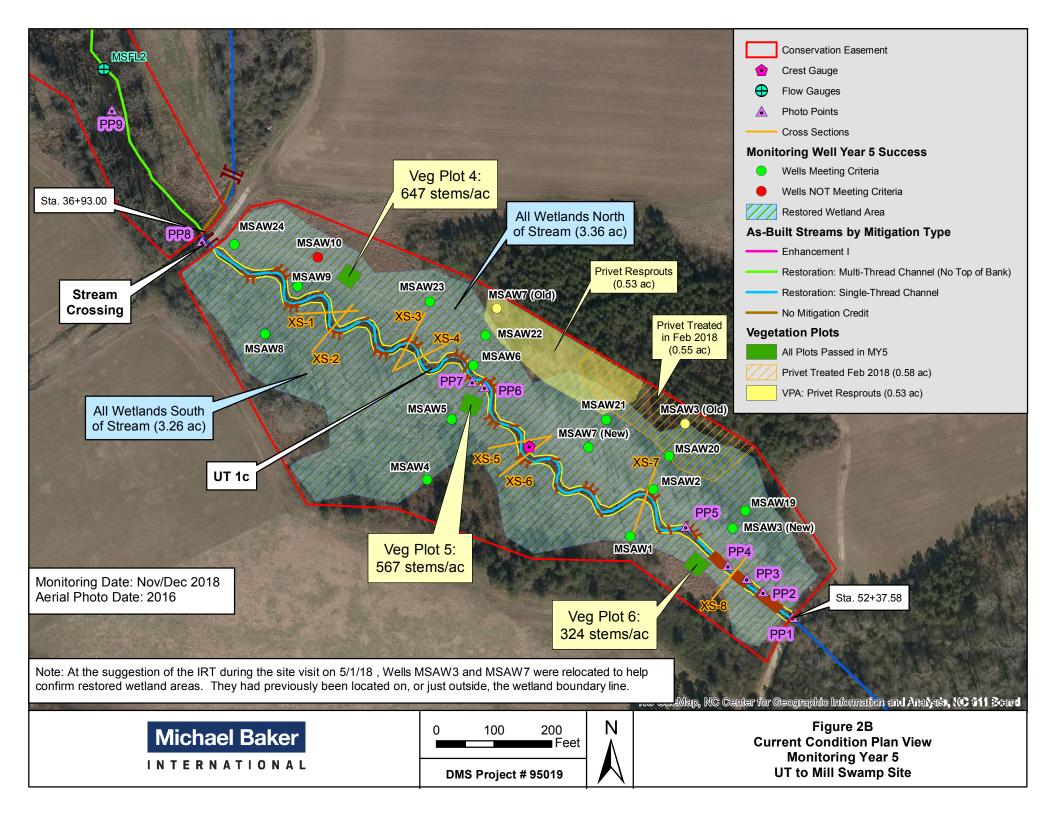


Table 5a. Visual Strean	n Morphology Stabil	ity Assessment								
UT to Mill Swamp Rest	oration Project: DM	S Project ID No. 95019								
Reach ID: UT1c	•	•								
Assessed Length (LF): 1,5	13									
Major Channel Category	Channel Sub- Category	Metric	Number Stable, Performing as Intended	Total Number per As-built	Number of Unstable Segments	Amount of Unstable Footage	% Stable, Performing as Intended	Number with Stabilizing Woody Veg.	Footage with Stabilizing Woody Veg.	Adjusted % for Stabilizing Woody Veg.
	1.Vertical Stability	1. Aggradation			0	0	100%			
	1. vertical Stability	2. Degradation			0	0%	100%			
	2. Riffle Condition	Texture Substrate	3	3			100%			
1. Bed	3. Meander Pool	1. Depth	22	22			100%			
	Condition	2. Length	22	22			100%			
	4. Thalweg Position	1. Thalweg centering at upstream of meander bend (Run)	19	19			100%			
		2. Thalweg centering at downstream of meander bend (Glide)	19	19			100%			
	1. Scoured/Eroding	Bank lacking vegetative cover resulting simply from poor growth and/or scour and erosion			0	0	100%	0	0	100%
2. Bank	2. Undercut	Banks undercut/overhanging to the extent that mass wasting appears likely			0	0	100%	0	0	100%
2. Dank	3. Mass Wasting	Banks slumping, caving or collapse			0	0	100%	0	0	100%
				Totals	0	0	100%	0	0	100%
3. Engineering Structures		Structures physically intact with no dislodged boulders or logs	8	8			100%			
	2. Grade Control	Grade control structures exhibiting maintenance of grade across the sill	8	8			100%			
	2a. Piping	Structures lacking any substantial flow underneath sill or arms	8	8			100%			
	3. Bank Position	Bank erosion within the structures extent of influence does not exceed 15%	8	8			100%			
	4. Habitat	Pool forming structures maintaining - Max Pool Depth	8	8			100%			

Table 5b. Stream Problem Areas (SPAs) UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project: DMS Project ID No. 95019						
Feature Issue	Station Number	Suspected Cause	Photo Number			
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A			

UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Total Planted Acreage:	15.2					
Vegetation Category	Defintions Definitions	Mapping Threshold (acres)	CCPV Depiction	Number of Polygons	Combined Acreage	% of Planted Acreage
Bare Areas	Very limited cover both woody and herbaceous material.	0.1	NA	0	0.00	0.0%
2. Low Stem Density Areas	Woody stem densities clearly below target levels based on MY3, 4 or 5 stem count criteria.	0.1	NA	0	0.00	0.0%
			Total	0	0.00	0.0%
Areas of Poor Growth Rates or Vigor	Areas with woody stems or a size class that are obviously small given the monitoring year.	0.25	NA	0	0.00	0.0%
			Cumulative Total	0	0.00	0.0%
Easement Acreage:	19.6					
Vegetation Category	Defintions	Mapping Threshold	CCPV Depiction	Number of Polygons	Combined Acreage	% of Easement Acreage
5. Invasive Areas of Concern	Areas of points (if too small to render as polygons at map scale)	1000 ft²	Yellow polygon	1	0.53	2.7%
6. Easement Encroachment Areas	Areas of points (if too small to render as polygons at map scale)	none	NA	0	0.00	0.0%

Table 6b. Vegetation Problem Areas (VPAs) UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project: DMS Project ID No. 95019						
Feature Issue	Station Numbers / Location	Suspected Cause	Photos			
Chinese privet (Ligustrum sinense)	Station 43+75 to 46+50 (along the outermost portion of the left bank). See CCPV for exact location	Re-sprouts	See Appendix B			



Photo Point 1 – Upstream at Culvert



Photo Point 2 – Log Jam



Photo Point 3 – Log Jam



Photo Point 4 – Log Weir/Log Jam



Photo Point 5 – Log Weir



Photo Point 6 – Log Weir



Photo Point 7 – Log Weir



Photo Point 8 – UT1b Upstream



Photo Point 9 – UT1b at Flow Gauge #2



Photo Point 10 – UT3 above confluence



Photo Point 11 – UT3 Log Weir



Photo Point 12 – UT3 Log Weir



Photo Point 13 – UT3 Log Weir



Photo Point 14 – UT1b view upstream



Photo Point 15 – UT1b view upstream



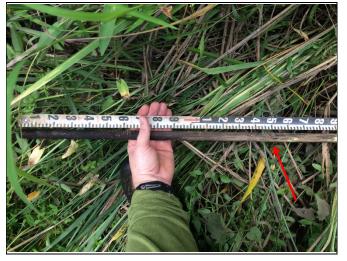
Photo Point 16 – Log Weir



Photo Point 17 – Log Weir



Photo Point 18 – Log Weir



Crest gauge reading: 1.50 ft from 5/31/18 storm



Crest gauge reading: 1.50 ft from 5/31/18 storm



Crest gauge reading: 3.41 ft from 9/15/18 (Hurricane Florence)



Crest gauge reading: 3.41 ft from 9/15/18 (Hurricane Florence)



Debris wrack line on floodplain of UT-1c



Debris wrack line outside channel on UT-1b

UT to Mill Swamp: Crest Gauge and Flow Camera Photographs



Flow Camera #1 on 1/14/18 (flow in channel)



Flow Camera #1 on 3/8/18 (flow in channel)



Flow Camera #1 on 9/19/18 (post-Hurricane Florence) with flow in channel



Flow Camera #1 on 9/19/18 (post-Hurricane Florence) with flow in channel



Flow looking upstream on Reach UT1b at Station 19+00 on 2/28/18



Flow looking downstream on Reach UT1b at Station 19+00 on 2/28/18



Vegetation Plot 5 Vegetation Plot 6





VPA (Ligustrum sinense resprouts) 10/30/18



VPA (Ligustrum sinense resprouts) 12/04/18



Ligustrum sinense (treated in Feb 2018)



Ligustrum sinense (treated in Feb 2018)



Ligustrum sinense (treated in Feb 2018)

Appendix C

Vegetation Plot Data

Table 7. Vegetation Plot Criteria Attainment (Planted Stems)
UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project: DMS Project ID No. 95019

Plot ID	Vegetation Survival Threshold Met?	MY5 Planted Density / As-built Planted Stem Density*	2018 Tract Mean
1	Y	567/1052	
2	Y	324/931	
3	Y	324/1012	450
4	Y	647/931	459
5	Y	567/809	
6	Y	324/728	

Note: *Planted /As-Built Planted Stem Count reflects the changes in stem density for each monitoring year as compared to their initial as built planting density. These stem counts reflect the changes in the *planted* stem density ONLY. See Table 9c and 9d for volunteer species totals.

Table 8. CVS Vegetation Plot Metadata

UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project: DMS Project ID No. 95019

Report Prepared By Scott King 11/29/2018 12:01 Date Prepared

database name MichaelBaker_UTMillSwamp.mdb

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DESCRIPTION OF WORKSHEETS IN THIS DOCUMENT--

Description of database file, the report worksheets, and a summary of project(s) and project data. Metadata Each project is listed with its PLANTED stems per acre, for each year. This excludes live stakes. Proj, planted

Proj, total stems

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.).

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

List of most frequent damage classes with number of occurrences and percent of total stems impacted by each. Damage

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

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. Planted Stems by Plot and Spp

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

ALL Stems by Plot and spp excluded.

PROJECT SUMMARY--

Project Code project Name UT to Mill Swamp Description River Basin White Oak

length(ft) 5237 stream-to-edge width (ft) 50 48648.4 area (sq m) Required Plots (calculated) 12 Sampled Plots 6

Table 9a. CVS Stem Co UT to Mill Swamp Rest												
Species		# Ploy		Subje 50/0	000,000,000	2003.00 Joshis 2001.00 Joshis	200 ₂₀ 100 ₁₃	2002,000,000,000	20079070005.	301301.000.70ar.s		
Carpinus caroliniana	Shrub/Tree	American hornbeam	4	3	1.3				2	1	1	
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	Tree	green ash	1	1	1.0	1						
Liriodendron tulipifera	Tree	tuliptree	3	1	3.0	3						
Nyssa biflora	Tree	swamp tupelo	5	4	1.3	1	1	1	2			
Persea palustris	Tree	swamp bay	3	3	1.0	1				1	1	
Quercus laurifolia	Tree	laurel oak	2	2	1.0					1	1	
Quercus lyrata	Tree	overcup oak	7	4	1.8	3	1			2	1	
Quercus michauxii	Tree	swamp chestnut oak	12	5	2.4	3	1	3	1	4		
Quercus nigra	Tree	water oak	2	2	1.0	1			1			
Quercus pagoda	Tree	cherrybark oak	17	6	2.8	1	4	1	5	4	2	
Quercus phellos	Tree	willow oak	7	4	1.8		1	1	4	1		
Taxodium distichum	Tree	bald cypress	2	1	2.0			2				
Ulmus americana	Tree	American elm	3	2	1.5				1		2	
			68	38		14	8	8	16	14	8	

Constitution Name	C N			Pl	ots			Year 5	Yearly Average Plant
Species Latin Name	Common Name	1	2	3	4	5	6	Totals	stems/acre
Carpinus caroliniana	American hornbeam				2	1	1	4	
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	1						1]
Liriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	3						3]
Nyssa biflora	swamp tupelo	1	1	1	2			5]
Persea palustris	swamp bay	1				1	1	3	
Quercus laurifolia	laurel oak					1	1	2]
Quercus lyrata	overcup oak	3	1			2	1	7]
Quercus michauxii	swamp chestnut oak	3	1	3	1	4		12]
Quercus nigra	water oak	1			1			2	
Quercus pagoda	cherrybark oak	1	4	1	5	4	2	17]
Quercus phellos	willow oak		1	1	4	1		7]
Taxodium distichum	bald cypress			2				2	
Ulmus americana	American elm				1		2	3]
*Number of Planted Stems Per	Plot	14	8	8	16	14	8	68	
Stems/acre Year 5 (Fall 2018)		567	324	324	648	567	324		459
Stems/acre Year 4 (Fall 2017)*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-		-
Stems/acre Year 3 (Fall 2016)		567	405	243	688	567	364		472
Stems/acre Year 2 (Fall 2015)		567	405	283	688	567	283		465
Stems/acre Year 2* (Fall 2014)		607	445	486	688	607	486		553
Stems/acre Supplemental Year 1 (Spring 2014)		648	486	486	769	648	607		607
Stems/acre Year 1 (Fall 2013)			567	567	769	688	648		648
Stems/acre Initial			931	1012	931	809	728	1	911

Notes:

^{*}Planted Stem Count reflects the changes in planted stem density ONLY. See Table 9c and 9d for volunteer species totals.

^{**}Supplemental planting in and around the vicinity of Vegetation Plot 3 was completed on March 20, 2017. Monitoring year 4 did not require vegetation plot monitoring.

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Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	9 P	5019-01-00	01 T	P	95019-01-00 V	02 T	9 P	5019-01-00 V	03 T	9 P	5019-01-000 V	04 Г	9 P	5019-01-00 V	05 T	9 P	5019-01-000 V	06 Т
Betula nigra	river birch	Tree	Р	V	- '	Р .	v	'	P -	v	- '	۲	V	-	۲	V	<u> </u>	۲	V	<u> </u>
Callicarpa americana	American beautyberry	Shrub			3		1	1												
Carpinus caroliniana	American hornbeam	Tree					<u> </u>					2		2	1		1	1		
Clethra alnifolia	coastal sweetpepperbush	Shrub		1	1							_		_			1			
raxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	Tree	1		1															
ea virginica	Virginia sweetspire	Shrub																		
iriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	Tree	3		3					1	1									
lyssa biflora	swamp tupelo	Tree	1		1	1		1	1		1	2		2						
Persea palustris	swamp bay	tree	1	2	3										1		1	1		
Quercus laurifolia	laurel oak	Tree													1		1	1		1
Quercus lyrata	overcup oak	Tree	3		3	1		1							2		2	1		1
Quercus michauxii	swamp chestnut oak	Tree	3		3	1		1	3		3	1		1	4		4			
Quercus nigra	water oak	Tree	1		1							1		1						
Quercus pagoda	cherrybark oak	Tree	1		1	4		4	1		1	5		5	4		4	. 2		
Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree				1		1	1		1	4		4	. 1		1			
Salix nigra	black willow	Tree								1	1		1	1		10	10			
axodium distichum	bald cypress	Tree							2		2									
Ilmus americana	American elm	Tree										1		1				2		
cer Rubrum	Red Maple	Shrub or Tree								1	1									
		Stem count	14	6	20	3	1	9	8	3	11	16	1	17	14	10	24	8	0)
		size (ares)		1			1			1			1			1			1	
		. ()		0.00			0.00						0.00			0.00				
		size (ACRES)		0.02	1 40	ļ.,	0.02	1 0		0.02			0.02			0.02	1 0	_	0.02	d .
		Species count	566.56		809.37	323.75	40.47	364.22	323.75	104.44	445.15	647.50	40.47	687.97	566.56	404.69	971.25	323.75	0	32
	Stems per A			242.81	009.37	323.75	40.47	304.22		121.41 Annual Mea		047.50	40.47	007.97	300.30	404.09	9/1.25	323.75	0	32
				MY5 (2018			MY4 (2016			MY3 (2015			MY2 (2014)		1	MY1 (2013)		•		
Scientific Name	Common Name	Species Type	P	V	т т	Р	V	т	Р	V	т	Р	V V	т	Р	V	т т			
Betula nigra	river birch	Tree			-	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	 '			- ' -	. 1	1	. 1	<u> </u>		· ·			
Callicarpa americana	American beautyberry	Shrub		4	4							<u> </u>								
Carpinus caroliniana	American hornbeam	Tree	4		4	4		4	4		4	3		3	5		5			
Clethra alnifolia	coastal sweetpepperbush	Shrub	7	1	1			7				,			J		,			
raxinus pennsylvanica	green ash	Tree	1		1	1		1												
ea virginica	Virginia sweetspire	Shrub							1		1	2		2	2		2			
iriodendron tulipifera	tuliptree	Tree	3	1	4	3	3	6	3		3	6		6	7		7			
lyssa biflora	swamp tupelo	Tree	5		- 5	7	,	7	7		7	a		0	12		12			
Persea palustris	swamp bay	tree	3	2	5	3		. 3	3		. 3	2		2	6		.2			
Quercus laurifolia	laurel oak	Tree	2		2	2		2	2		2			_	Ĭ		Ť			
Quercus lyrata	overcup oak	Tree	7		7	7	1	7	9		9	9		q	9		9	1		
Quercus michauxii	swamp chestnut oak	Tree	12		12	13	1	13	15		15	20		20	21		21	1		
Quercus nigra	water oak	Tree	2		2	3		3	2		2	3		3	6		6	1		
Quercus pagoda	cherrybark oak	Tree	17		17	17	1	17	14		14	14		14	12		12	1		
Quercus phellos	willow oak	Tree	7		7	7	 	7	7		7	9		9	10		10	1		
Salix nigra	black willow	Tree	·	12	12			·	i		·	i		Ť	i i		 	1		
axodium distichum	bald cypress	Tree	2	<u> </u>	2												1	1		
Ilmus americana	American elm	Tree	3		3	3	3	3	2		2	4		4	4		4			
lcer Rubrum	Red Maple	Shrub or Tree		1	1										2		2	1		
Stem coun			68		89	70		73	69		69	82		82	96		96			
size (ares				6			6			6			6			6		1		
size (ACRES				0.15			0.15	,		0.15			0.15			0.15		1		
Species coun			13					12	12		12	12		12	12			1		
Stems per ACR	Ē		458.64	141.64	600.28	472.13	20.23	492.37	465.39	0	465.39	553.07	6.74	553.07	647.50	0	647.50	1		
	Exceeds requirements by 10% Exceeds requirements, but by less than 10%																			

Table 9d. Vegetation Plot Summary Information

UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project: DMS Project ID No. 95019

UT to Mill Swamp (#95019)

Year 5 (30-Oct-2018)

Vegetation Plot Summary Information

	Riparian Buffer	Stream/ Wetland					Unknown Growth
Plot #	Stems ¹	Stems ²	Live Stakes	Invasives	Volunteers ³	Total⁴	Form
1	n/a	14	0	0	6	20	0
2	n/a	8	0	0	1	9	0
3	n/a	8	0	0	2	11	0
4	n/a	16	0	0	1	17	0
5	n/a	14	0	0	10	24	0
6	n/a	8	0	0	0	8	0

Wetland/Stream Vegetation Totals

(per acre)

Stream/ Wetland

Plot #	Stems ²	Volunteers ³	Total ⁴	Success Criteria Met?
1	567	243	809	Yes
2	324	40	364	Yes
3	324	121	445	Yes
4	647	40	688	Yes
5	567	405	971	Yes
6	324	0	324	Yes
Project Avg	459	148	594	Yes

Riparian Buffer Vegetation Totals

(per acre)

	Riparian Buffer	Success
Plot #	Stems ¹	Criteria Met?
1	n/a	
2	n/a	
3	n/a	
4	n/a	
5	n/a	
6	n/a	
Project Avg	n/a	

Stem Class characteristics

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

Stream/ Wetland Stems Native planted woody stems. Includes shrubs, does NOT include live stakes. No vines

Volunteers Native woody stems. Not planted. No vines.

⁴Total Planted + volunteer native woody stems. Includes live stakes. Excl. exotics. Excl. vines.

Colors for Density

Exceeds requirements by 10%

Appendix D

Stream Survey Data

Figure 3. Cross-sections with Annual Overlays.

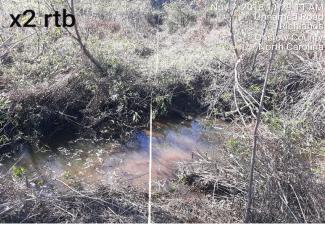
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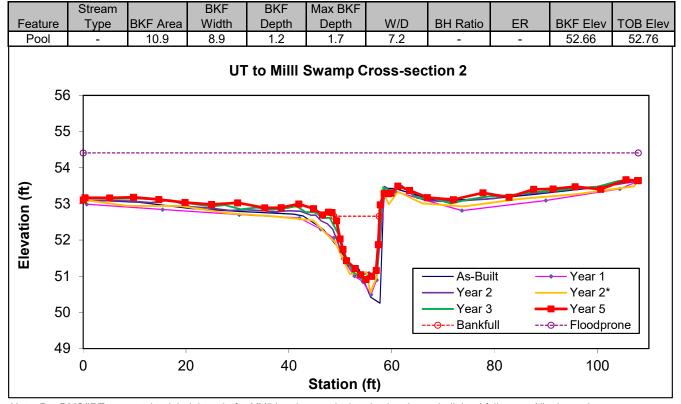


		Stream		BKF	BKF	Max BKF					
Featu			BKF Area	Width	Depth	Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
Riffl	le	E	7.0	8.5	0.8	1.8	10.3	1.0	12.3	52.91	53.04
	56				UT to Mi	II Swamp	Cross-s	section 1			
	55										€
(f)	54									_	
Elevation (ft)	53					-					
111	52					With the second	₹ -	—— As-Built —— Year 2	t <u> </u>	← Year 1 ← Year 2*	$\neg $
	51	M	Y5 BKF= 52.96	5'		•		—— Year 3 MY5 Bł ⊝ Floodpr	<f< th=""><th>► Year 5 ⊝ Bankful</th><th></th></f<>	► Year 5 ⊝ Bankful	
	50	0	2	20	40)	60	·	80		100
						Station (

(Year 5 Data - Collected November 2018)





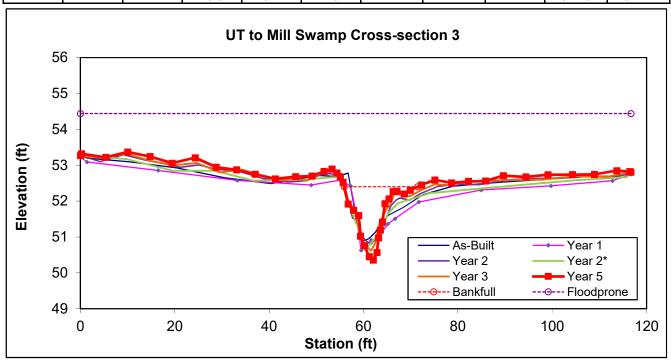


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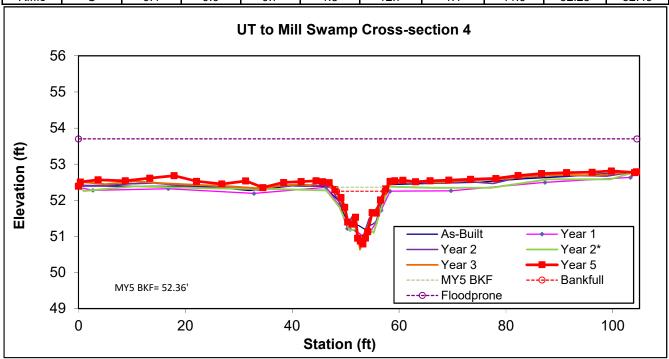
	Stream		BKF	BKF	Max BKF					
Feature	Type	BKF Area	Width	Depth	Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
Pool	-	11.4	15.6	0.7	2.0	21.2	-	-	52.40	52.27



(Year 5 Data - Collected November 2018)



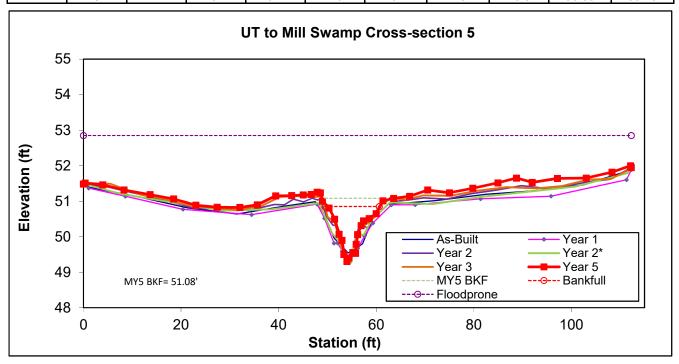
	Stream		BKF	BKF	Max BKF					
Feature	Type	BKF Area	Width	Depth	Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
Riffle	С	6.4	9.0	0.7	1.5	12.7	1.1	11.6	52.25	52.49



(Year 5 Data - Collected November 2018)



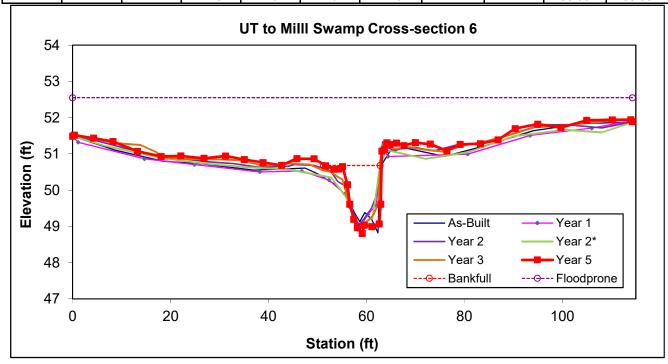
	Stream		BKF	BKF	Max BKF					
Feature	Type	BKF Area	Width	Depth	Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
Riffle	С	7.1	10.7	0.7	1.5	16.2	1.0	10.5	50.85	50.45



(Year 5 Data - Collected November 2018)



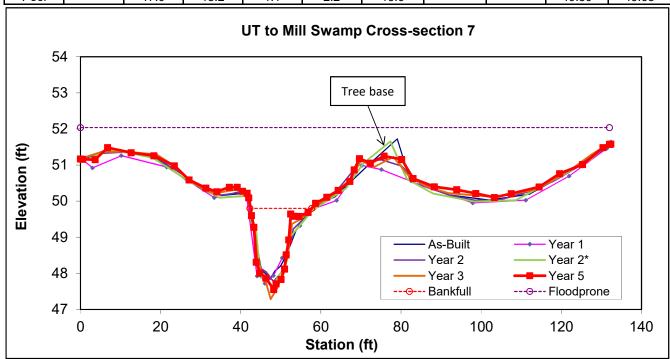
	Stream		BKF	BKF	Max BKF					
Feature	Type	BKF Area	Width	Depth	Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
Pool	_	11 2	11.5	1.0	1.9	11.8	_	_	50.68	50.65



(Year 5 Data - Collected November 2018)



		Stream		BKF	BKF	Max BKF					
Fea	ature	Type	BKF Area	Width	Depth	Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
Р	ool	_	17.0	15.2	1.1	2.2	13.6	-	-	49.80	49.65



Note: Per DMS/IRT request, bank height ratio for MY5 has been calculated using the as-built bankfull area. All other values were calculated using the as-built bankfull elevation, as was done for previous monitoring reports.

(Year 5 Data - Collected November 2018)



		Stream		BKF	BKF	Max BKF					
F	eature	Type	BKF Area	Width	Depth	Depth	W/D	BH Ratio	ER	BKF Elev	TOB Elev
	Riffle	Е	16.6	10.5	1.6	2.5	6.7	1.2	8.0	48.70	48.66

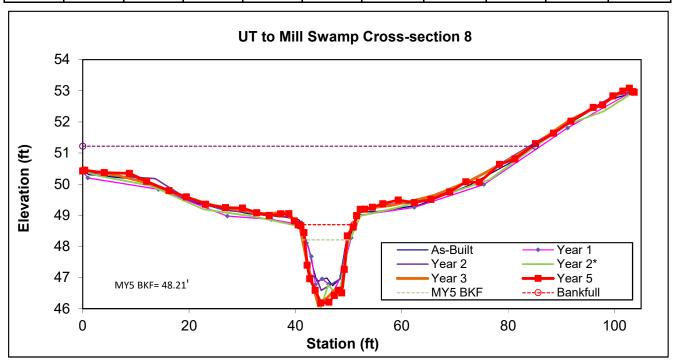


Table 10. Baseline Stream Data Summary

Reach UT1c (1,513 LF)

Parameter	USGS Gauge		onal Curve In rman et al, 19		Pre-Existing Condition ¹					
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle		LL	UL	Eq.	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	n
BF Width (ft)		23.0	80.0	9.9	6.8			8.7		2
Floodprone Width (ft)					8.2			11.8		2
BF Mean Depth (ft)		2.3	5.8	1.3	0.8			1.0		2
BF Max Depth (ft)					1.1			1.4		2
BF Cross-sectional Area (ft²)		80.0	300.0	16.2	5.6			8.6		2
Width/Depth Ratio					8			9		2
Entrenchment Ratio					1.2			1.4		2
Bank Height Ratio					4.2			2.8		2
d50 (mm)						0.25				1^2
Pattern										
Channel Beltwidth (ft)										
Radius of Curvature (ft)										
Rc:Bankfull width (ft/ft)										
Meander Wavelength (ft)										
Meander Width Ratio										
Profile										
Riffle Length (ft)										
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)										
Pool Length (ft)										
Pool Spacing (ft)										
Pool Max Depth (ft)					1.1			1.16		2
Pool Volume (ft ³)										
Substrate and Transport Parameters										
Ri% / Ru% / P% / G% / S%										
SC% / Sa% / G% / B% / Be%										
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95						0.	10 / 0.15 / 0	.25 / 1.2 / 2.7	7^{2}	
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/f ²										
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull (Rosgen Curve)										
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m ²										
Additional Reach Parameters										
Drainage Area (SM)								0.66		
Impervious cover estimate (%)										
Rosgen Classification						Gc				
BF Velocity (fps)					0.8			1.2		2
BF Discharge (cfs)		290.0	2000.0	66.0		6.48				
35										
Channel length (ft) ²						4091				
Sinuosity						1.13				
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)						0.0045				2
BF slope (ft/ft)										
Bankfull Floodplain Area (acres)										
BEHI VL% / L% / M% / H% / VH% / E%										
Channel Stability or Habitat Metric										
Biological or Other										

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² Bulk samples taken since pebble count procedure is not applicable for sand-bed streams.

³ Values were chosen based on sand-bed reference reach data and past project evaluations.

Composite reference reach information from Johannah Creek, Johnston County; Panther Branch, Brunswick County; Rocky Swamp, Halifax County; and Beaver Dam Branch, Jones County

Table 10. Baseline Stream Data Summary (continuted)

Reach UT1c (1,513 LF)

Reach UTIC (1,515 LF)]	Reference R	teach(es) Dat	a				
Parameter			Beaverda	ım Branch					oastal Plair	n Composite l	Data ⁴	
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	n	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	n
BF Width (ft)												
Floodprone Width (ft)												
BF Mean Depth (ft)												
BF Max Depth (ft)												
BF Cross-sectional Area (ft²)		24				2	7.8			95.9		
Width/Depth Ratio	11			17		2	8			14		
Entrenchment Ratio	10			11		2	4			13		
Bank Height Ratio	1.0			1.3		2	1.0			1.3		
d50 (mm)		0.5										
Pattern												
Channel Beltwidth (ft)												
Radius of Curvature (ft)												
Rc:Bankfull width (ft/ft)	1.8			2.4			1.5			3.0		
Meander Wavelength (ft)												
Meander Width Ratio							2.0			6.3		
Profile							2.0			0.5		
Riffle Length (ft)												
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)												
Pool Length (ft)												
Pool Spacing (ft)												
Pool Max Depth (ft)												
Pool Volume (ft ³)												
Substrate and Transport Parameters												
Ri% / Ru% / P% / G% / S%												
SC% / Sa% / G% / B% / Be%												
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95			03/04/0	0.5 / 0.9 / 1.2								
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/f ²												
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull (Rosgen Curve)												
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m ²												
Additional Reach Parameters												
Drainage Area (SM)				3.0			1.0			19.5		
Impervious cover estimate (%)												
Rosgen Classification		C5c						E5/C5				
BF Velocity (fps)		1.5					1.0			1.4		
BF Discharge (cfs)		37					10			127		
35												
Channel length (ft) ²												
Sinuosity		1.66					1.22			1.77		
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)		0.0004					0.0004			0.0022		
BF slope (ft/ft)												
Bankfull Floodplain Area (acres)												
BEHI VL% / L% / M% / H% / VH% / E%												
Channel Stability or Habitat Metric												
Biological or Other												

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Table 10. Baseline Stream Data Summary (continued)

Reach UT1c (1,513 LF)

Parameter			Des	sign			As-built						
Dimension and Substrate - Riffle	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	n	Min	Mean	Med	Max	SD	n	
BF Width (ft)		10.3				1	10.1			13.8		4	
Floodprone Width (ft)		>100				1	80.1			105.0		4	
BF Mean Depth (ft)		0.7				1	0.6			1.2		4	
BF Max Depth (ft)		1.0				1	1.1			2.0		4	
BF Cross-sectional Area (ft²)		7.6				1	7.5			12.3		4	
Width/Depth Ratio		14				1	8.3			19.4		4	
Entrenchment Ratio		>10				1	7.9			9.4		4	
Bank Height Ratio		1.0				1	1.0			1.1		4	
d50 (mm)		0.25											
Pattern						1							
Channel Beltwidth (ft)	35			60		3	38.0	79.0		120.0			
Radius of Curvature (ft)	20			30		3	21.0	26.0		31.0			
Rc:Bankfull width (ft/ft)	2.0			3.0		3	38.0	79.0		120.0			
Meander Wavelength (ft)	80			110		3	72.0	104.0		124.0			
Meander Width Ratio	3.5			6.0		3	3.5	6.0		8.0			
Profile													
Riffle Length (ft)													
Riffle Slope (ft/ft)	0.004			0.010			0.0046	0.0043		0.0039			
Pool Length (ft)													
Pool Spacing (ft)	30			80			41		72	57			
Pool Max Depth (ft)		1.6											
Pool Volume (ft ³)													
Substrate and Transport Parameters													
Ri% / Ru% / P% / G% / S%													
SC% / Sa% / G% / B% / Be%													
d16 / d35 / d50 / d84 / d95													
Reach Shear Stress (competency) lb/f ²		0.149											
Max part size (mm) mobilized at bankfull (Rosgen Curve)													
Stream Power (transport capacity) W/m ²		4.181											
Additional Reach Parameters				0.66						0.66			
Drainage Area (SM)				0.66						0.66			
Impervious cover estimate (%) Rosgen Classification		C5						C5					
BF Velocity (fps)		1.76						3.0					
BF Discharge (cfs)		12.9						340.0					
35		12.7						3523					
Channel length (ft) ²		1453						4238					
Sinuosity		1.24						1.20					
Water Surface Slope (Channel) (ft/ft)		0.0038						0.0042					
BF slope (ft/ft)								0.0054					
Bankfull Floodplain Area (acres)													
BEHI VL% / L% / M% / H% / VH% / E%													
Channel Stability or Habitat Metric													
Biological or Other													

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Table 11. Cross-section Morphology Data

UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project: DMS Project ID No. 95019

Reach UT1c (1.513 LF)

Reach UT1c (1,513 LF)																																
			(Cross-sectio	n X-1 (Riffl	e)						Cross-section	on X-2 (Poo							Cross-sectio	n X-3 (Pool						(Cross-section	n X-4 (Riffle)	,		
Dimension and substrate	Base	MY1	MY2*	MY2	MY3	¹MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2*	MY2	MY3	¹MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2*	MY2	MY3	¹ MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2*	MY2	MY3	¹ MY4	MY5	MY+
Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation					•	•																										
BF Width (ft)	11.9	11.1	11.3	10.1	8.8	I	8.5		15.4	22.5	21.3	12.7	11.9	I	8.9		21.3	39.2	33.5	19.6	18.1	1	15.6		11.2	11.5	11.3	9.6	9.7		9.0	
BF Mean Depth (ft)	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8		0.8		1.1	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.0		1.2		0.6	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.7		0.7		0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7		0.7	
Width/Depth Ratio	18.9	17.7	16.1	15.9	11.7		10.3		14 4	31.2	30.1	12.6	12.0		7.2		33.9	82.4	72.8	29.6	27.8		21.2		16.5	15.4	14.7	14.6	14.3		12.7	
BF Cross-sectional Area (ft²)	7.5	6.9	8.0	6.4	6.6		7.0		16.6	16.2	15.0	12.8	11.9	+	10.9		13.4	18.7	15.4	12.9	11.7		11.4		7.5	8.5	8.7	6.3	6.6		6.4	
BF Max Depth (ft)	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.7		1.8		2.4	2.2	2.1	1.8	1.8		1.7		1.5	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.8		2.0		1.1	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.6		1.5	
Width of Floodprone Area (ft)	104	104	104	104	104		104		108	108	108	108	108		108		117	117	117	117	117		117		104	105	104	104	104		105	
Entrenchment Ratio	8.8	9.4	9.2	10.3	11.9		12.3		-	-	-	-	-		-		-	-	-	-	-		-		9.4	9.1	9.2	10.8	10.8		11.6	
Bank Height Ratio	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1		1.0		_	_	-	-	-		-		-	_	-	-	-		-		1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2		1.1	
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	13.2	12.3	12.7	11.4	10.3		9.9		17.6	23.9	22.7	14.7	13.9		10.2		22.5	40.2	34.4	20.9	19.4		16.7		12.5	12.9	12.9	11.0	11.0		9.9	
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6		0.7		0.9	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9		1.1		0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.6		0.7		0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6		0.6	
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Dimension and substrate	Base	MY1	MY2*	MY2	MY3	¹MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2*	MY2	MY3	¹MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2*	MY2	MY3	¹MY4	MY5	MY+	Base	MY1	MY2*	MY2	MY3	¹MY4	MY5	MY+
Based on fixed baseline bankfull elevation																																
BF Width (ft)	13.8	14.6	13.4	11.5	11.2		10.7		15.1	31.0	22.9	13.3	13.9		11.5		15.5	16.6	16.3	15.8	15.6		15.2		10.1	10.7	12.2	9.6	10.2		10.5	
BF Mean Depth (ft)	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7		0.7		0.8	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.8		1.0		1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2		1.1		1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.6		1.6	
Width/Depth Ratio	19.4	19.8	19.0	17.3	15.5		16.2		20.1	78.8	46.4	18.4	17.5		11.8		14.5	14.9	15.0	14.7	13.4		13.6		8.3	8.4	9.1	6.8	6.2		6.7	
BF Cross-sectional Area (ft²)	9.9	10.8	9.5	7.6	8.0		7.1		11.3	12.2	11.3	9.7	11.1		11.2		16.7	18.4	17.7	17.0	18.2		17.0		12.3	13.6	16.3	13.7	16.7		16.6	
BF Max Depth (ft)	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.6		1.5		1.8	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8		1.9		2.0	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.5		2.2		2.0	2.2	2.7	2.1	2.6		2.5	
Width of Floodprone Area (ft)	112	112	112	112	112		112		114	114	114	114	114		114		132	132	132	132	132		132		80	83	86	80	85		85	
Entrenchment Ratio	8.1	7.7	8.4	9.8	10.1		10.5		-	-	-	-	-		-		-	-	-	-	-		-		7.9	7.8	7.1	8.3	8.4		8.0	
Bank Height Ratio	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2		1.0		-	-	-	-	-		-		-	-	-	-	-		-		1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2		1.2	
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	15.3	16.1	14.9	12.8	12.6		11.5		16.6	31.8	23.9	14.8	15.5		13.3		17.7	18.8	18.5	17.9	17.9		16.7		12.5	13.2	14.8	12.5	13.4		12.6	
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6		0.6		0.7	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.7		11.8		0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0		1.0		1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2		1.3	
Based on current/developing bankfull feature																																
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Bank Height Ratio				1	1						1		1	+			 	1							1	1	1			\longrightarrow		
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Hydraulic Radius (ft)					1						1		1	+											1					\longrightarrow		
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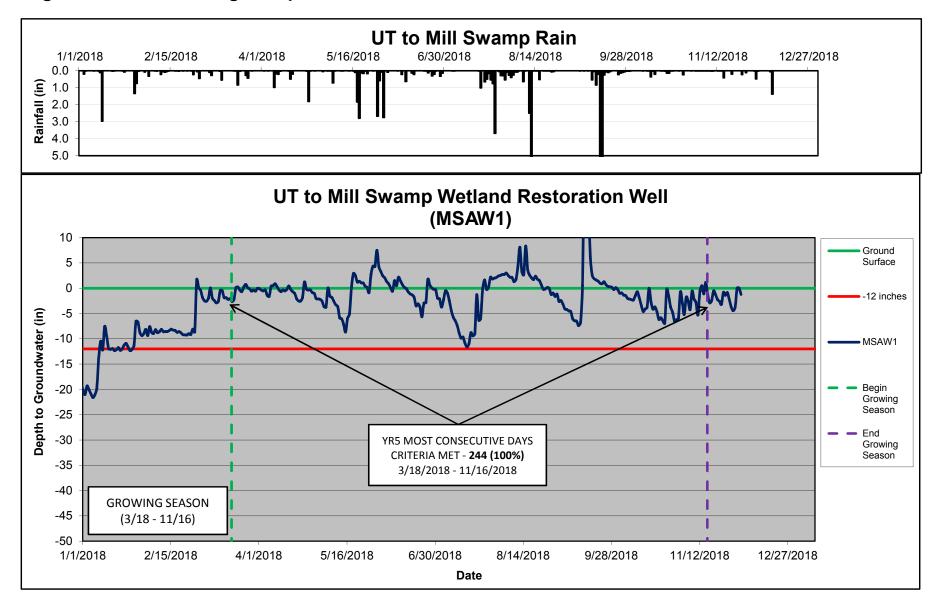
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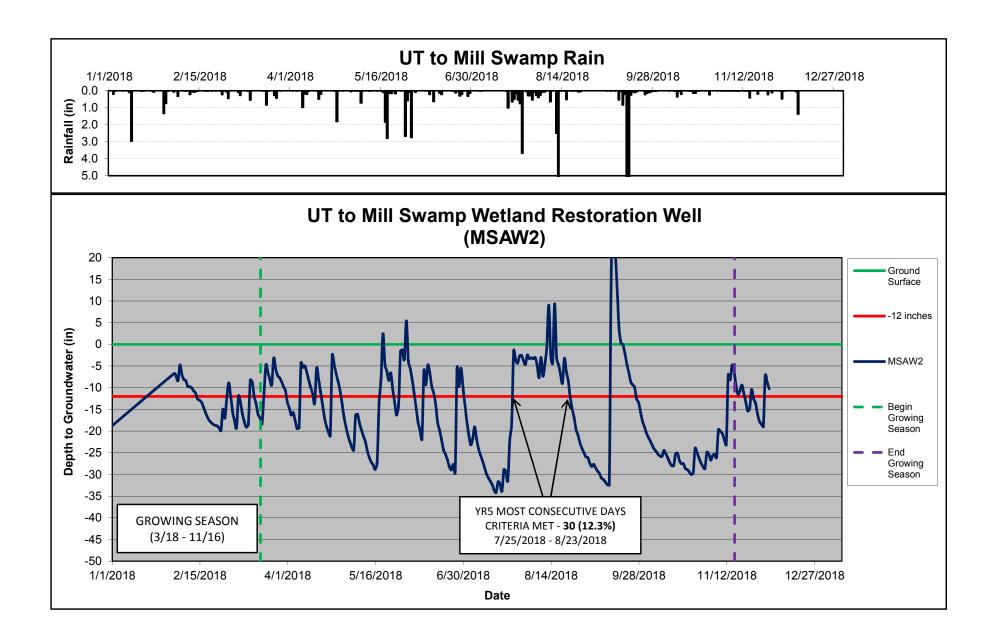
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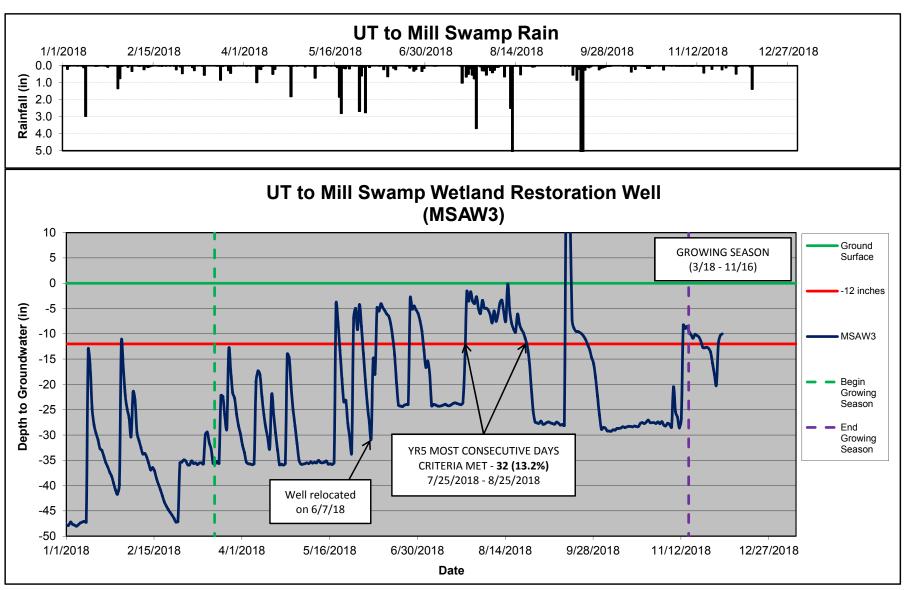
Appendix E

Hydrologic Data

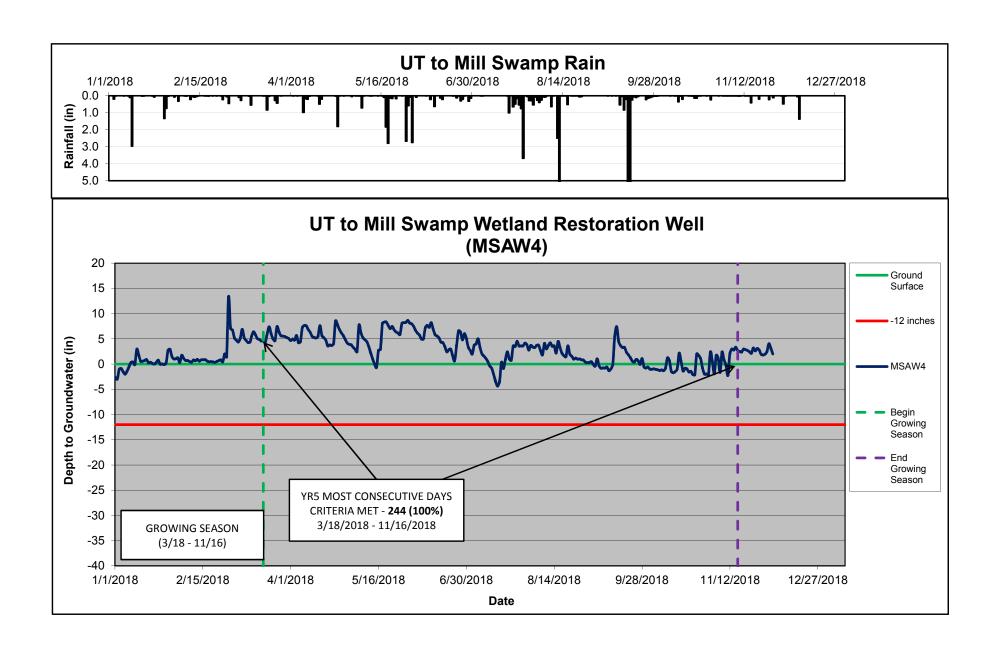
Figure 4. Wetland Gauge Graphs

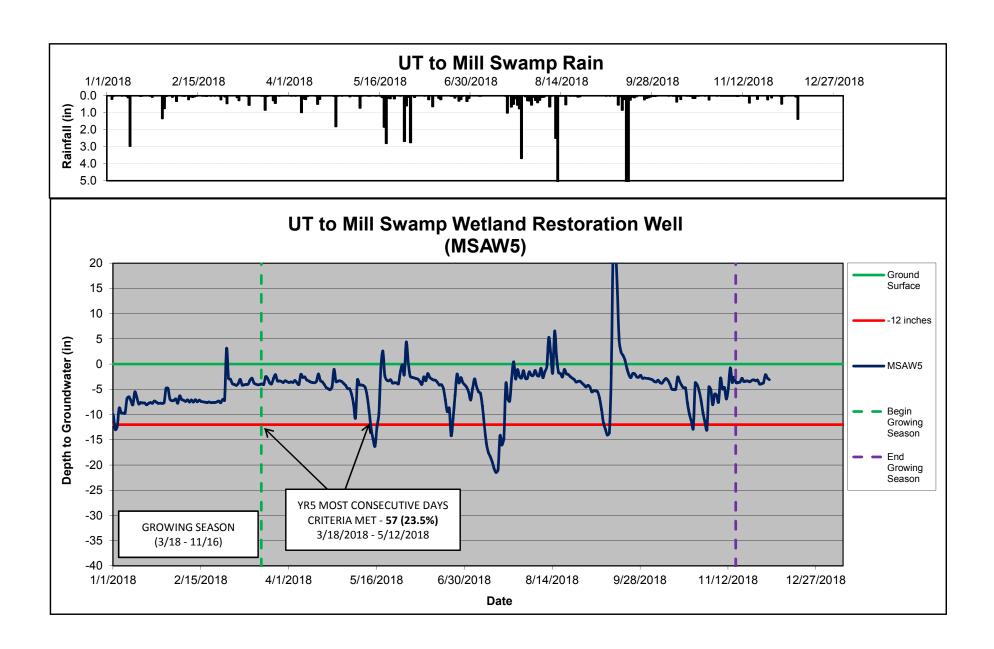


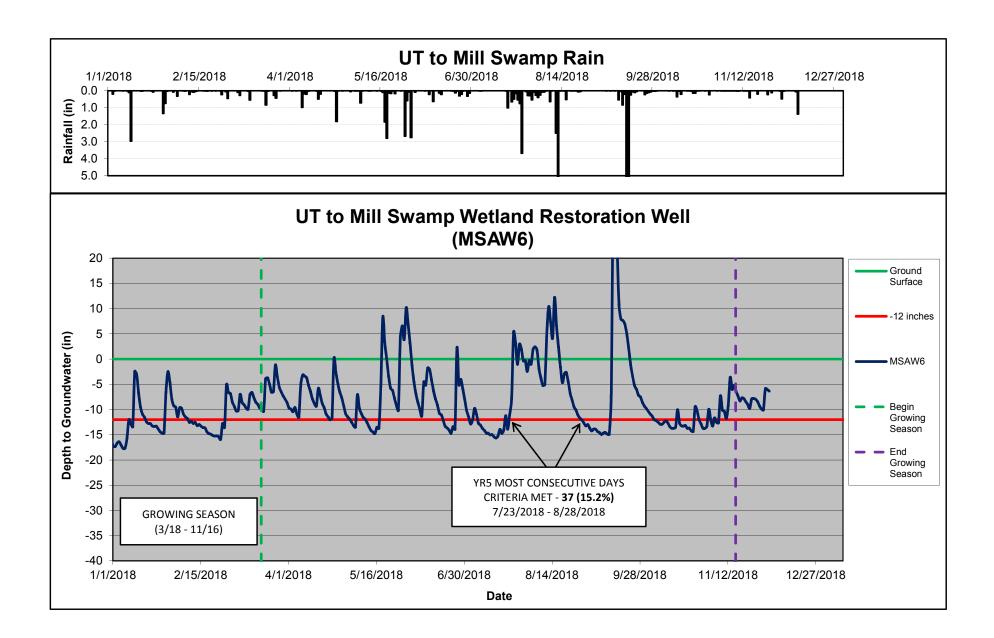


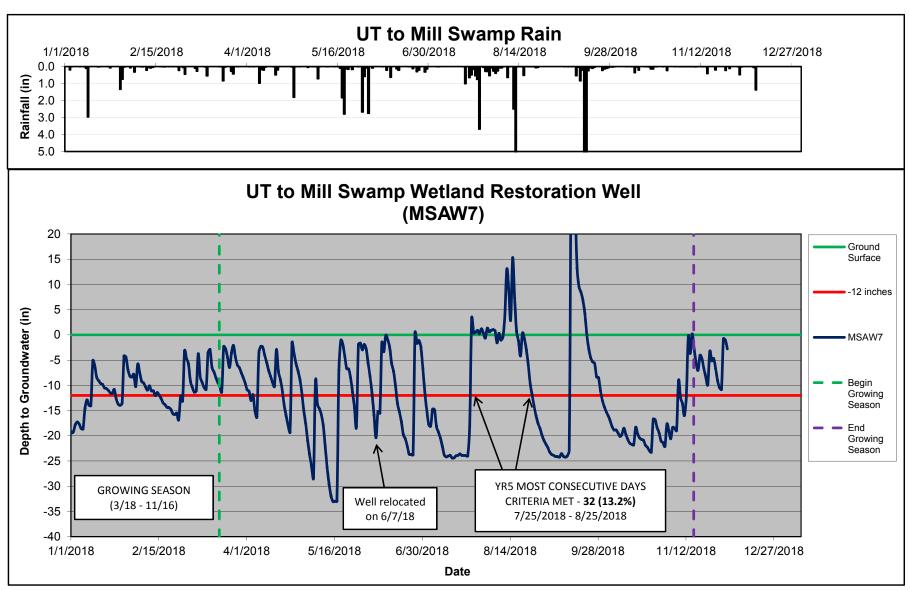


Note: Well MSAW3 was relocated by IRT suggestion on 6/7/18 as shown on the CCPV in Appendix B.

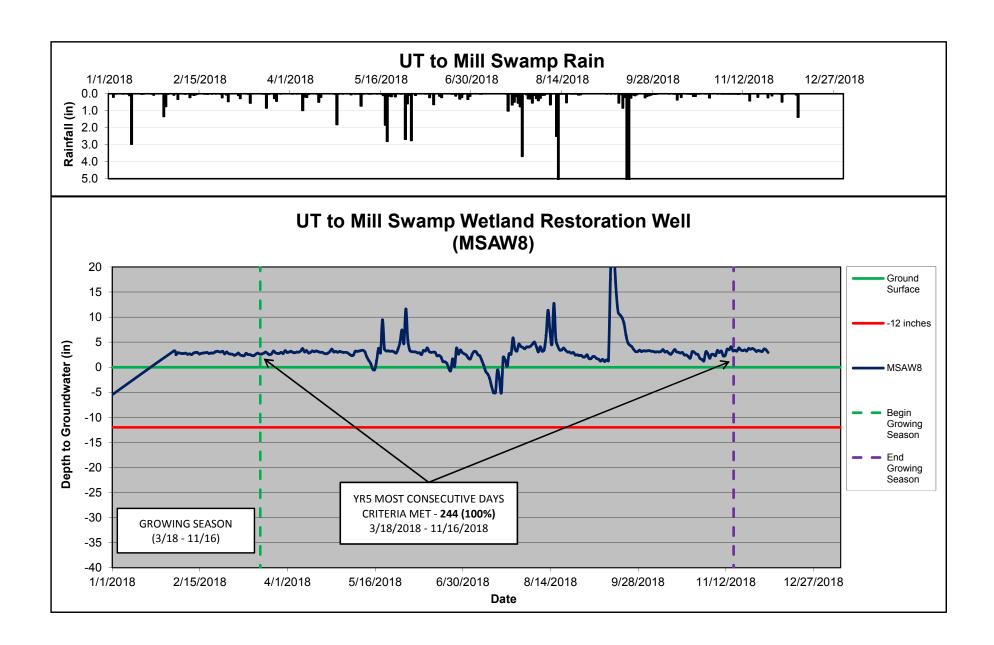


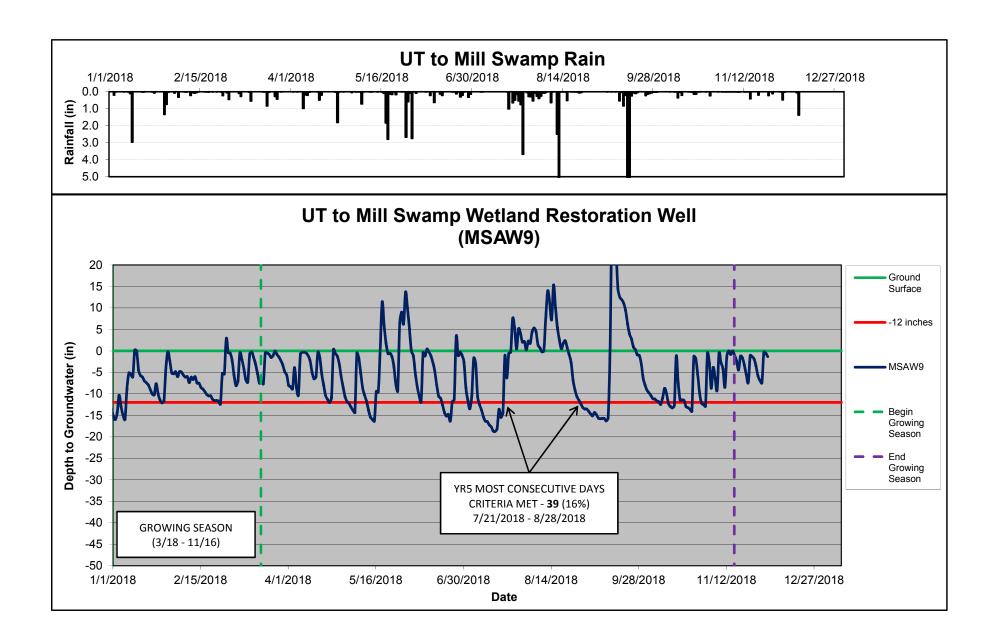


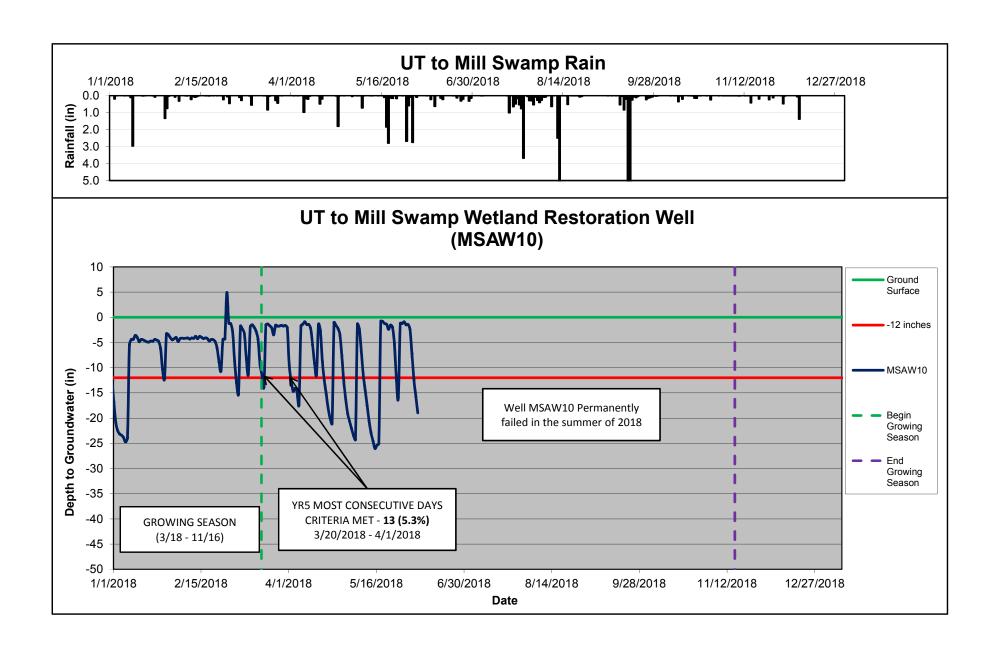


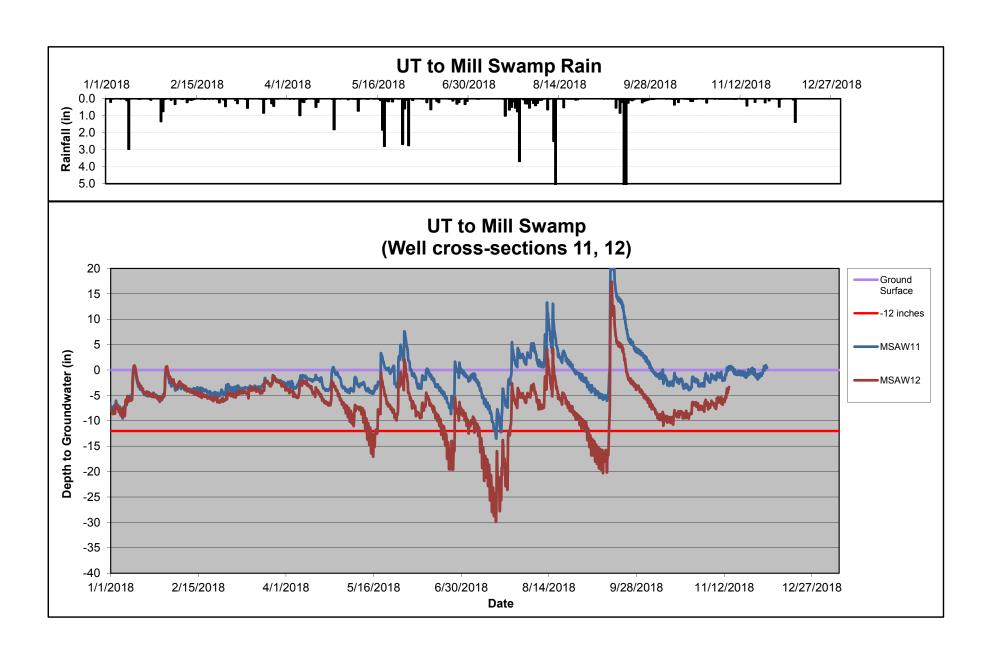


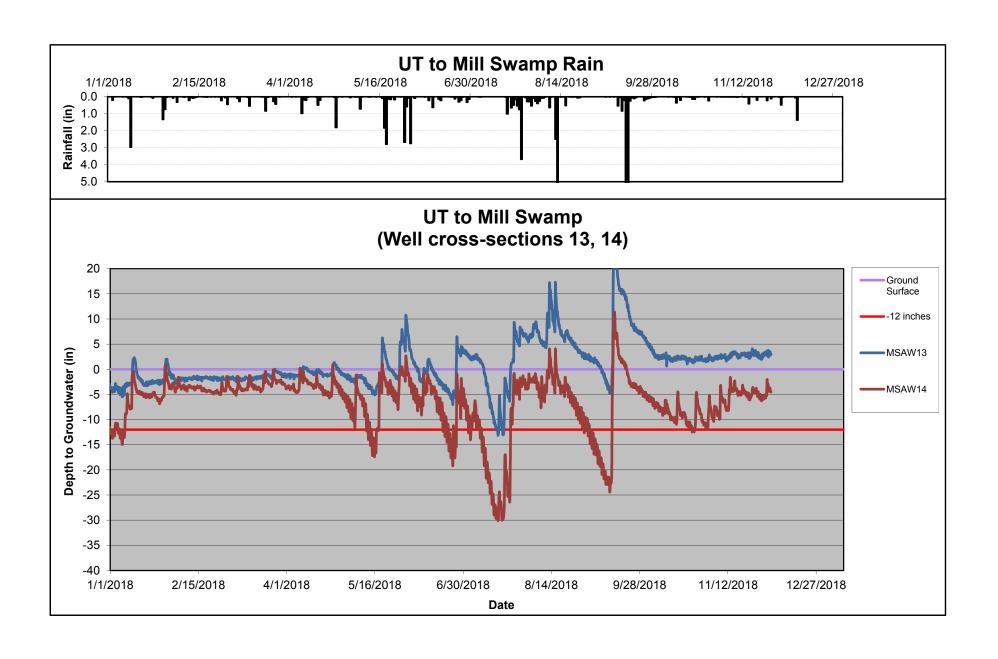
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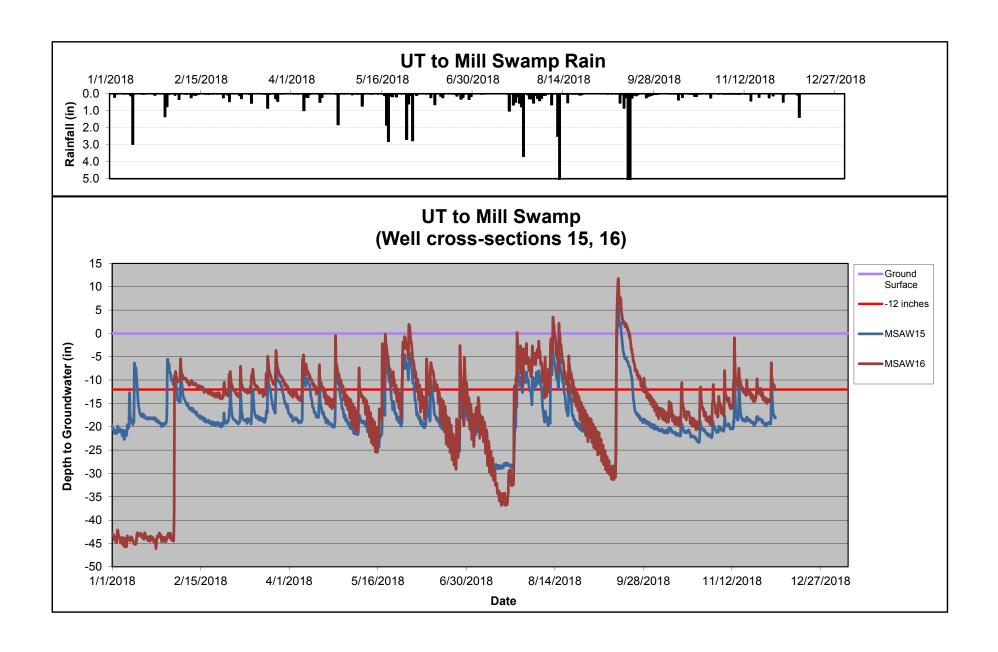


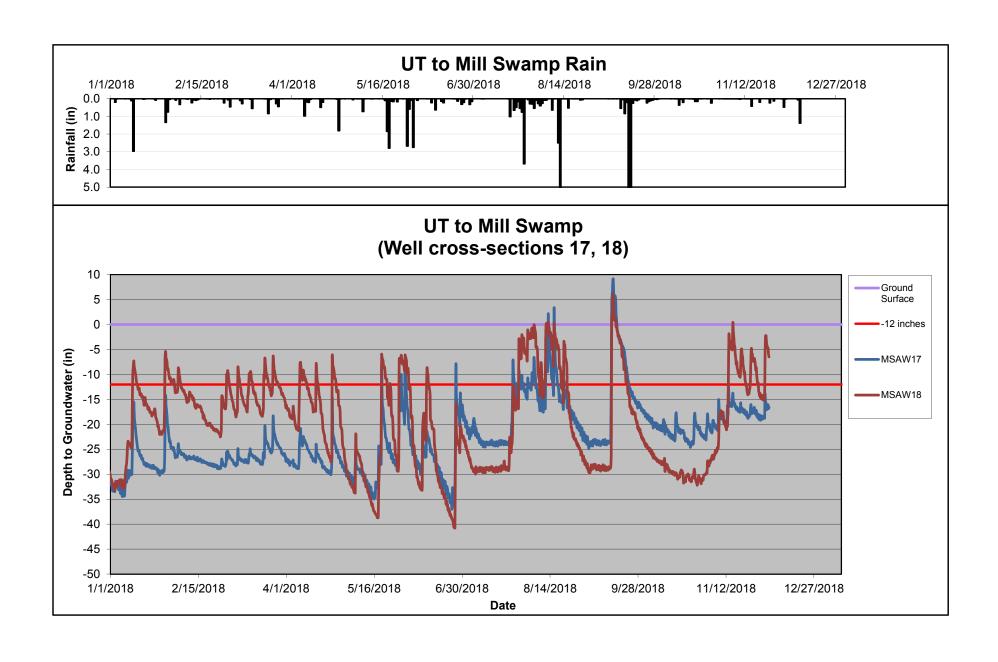


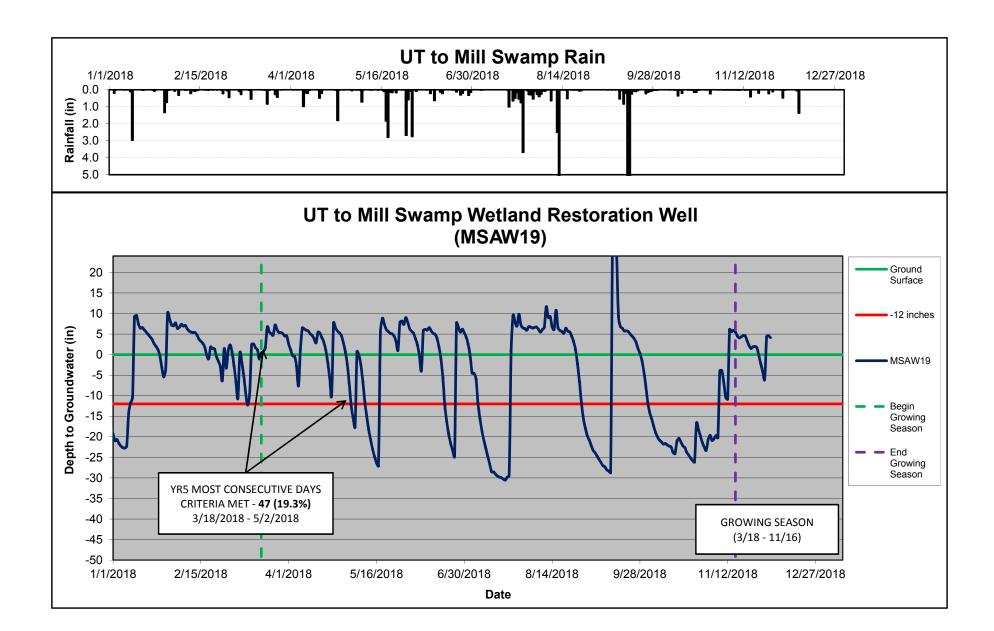


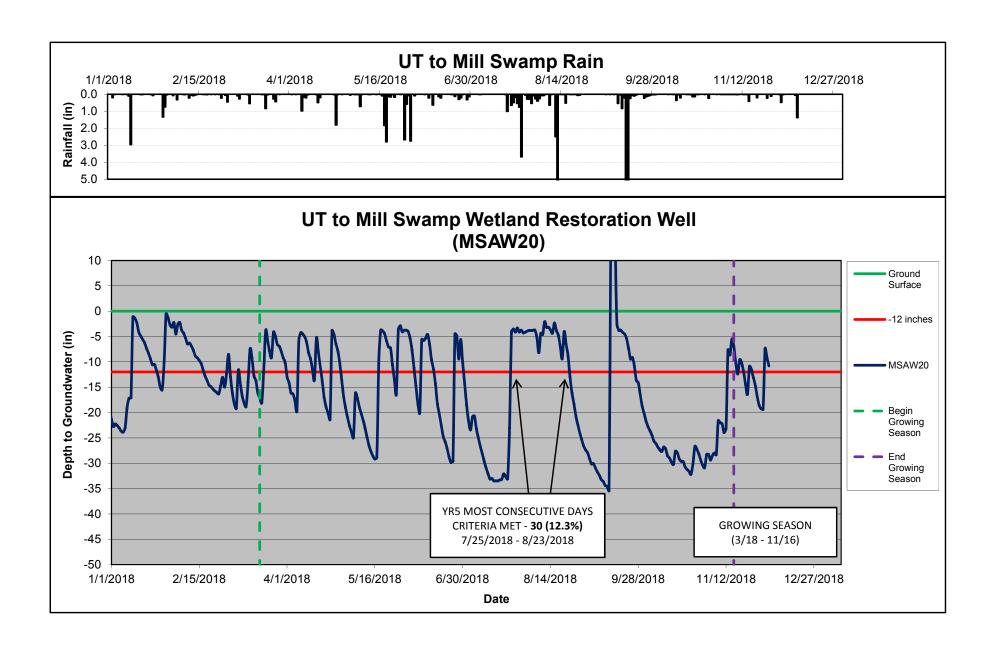


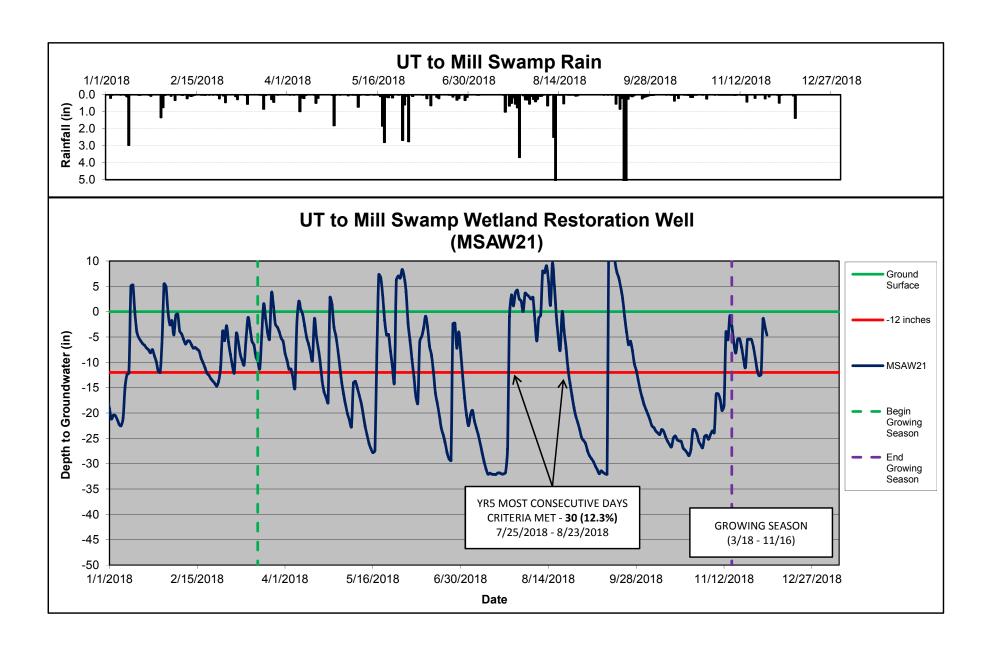


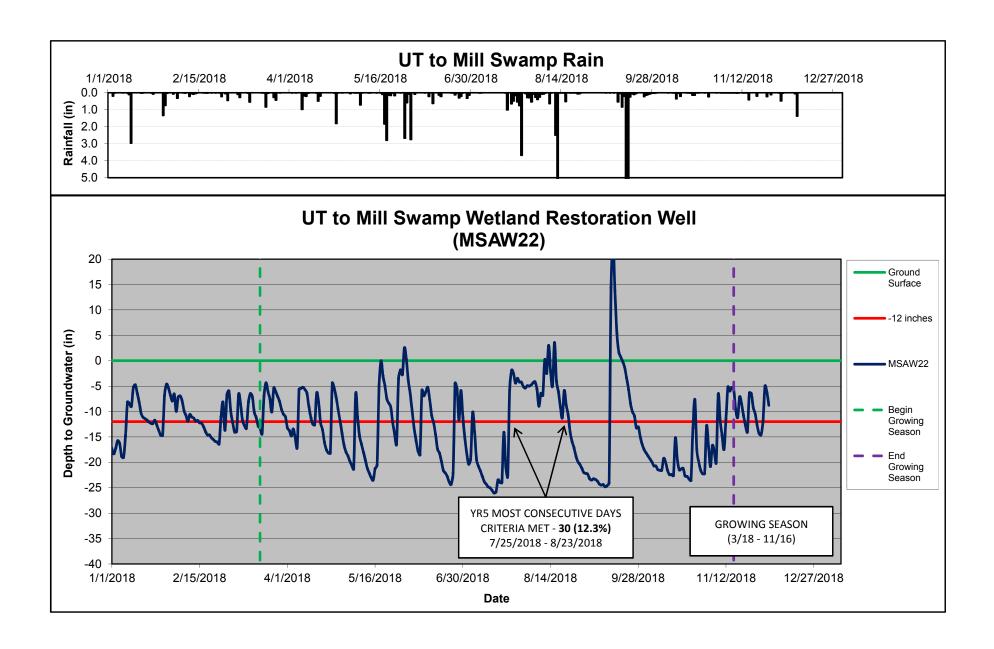


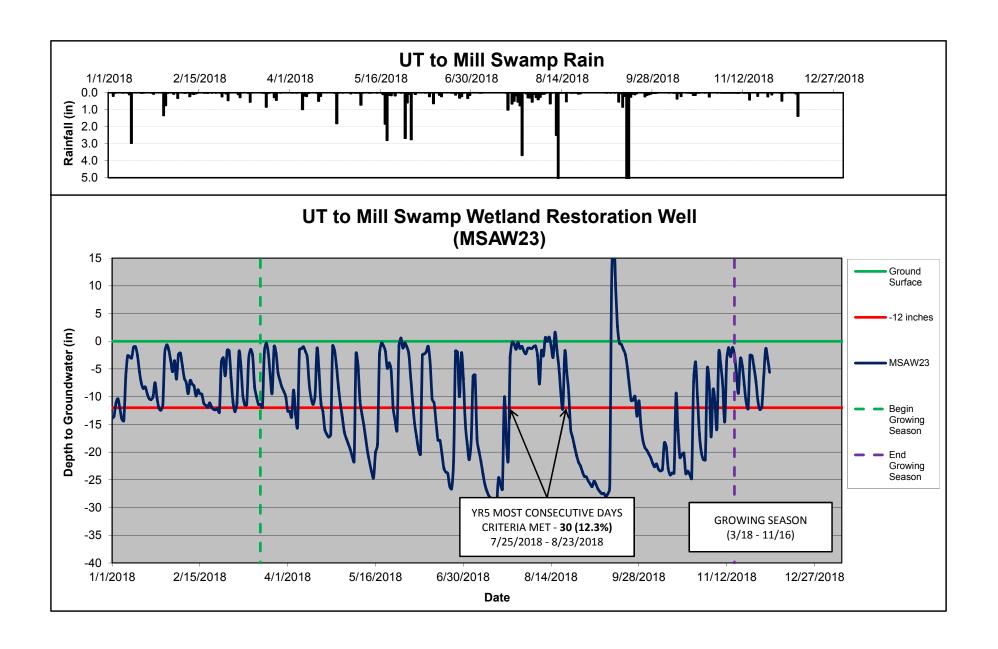












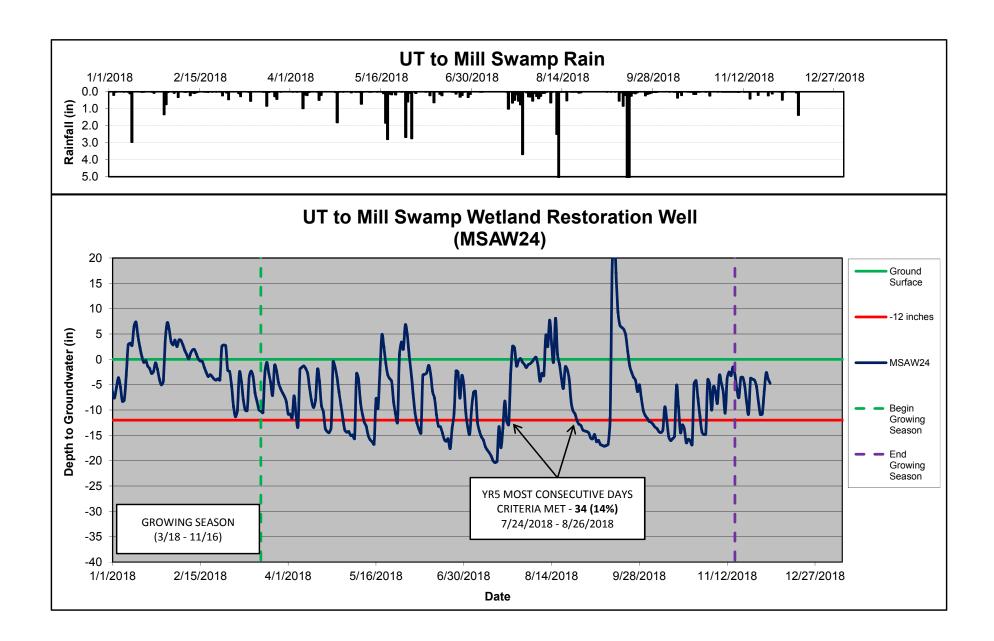
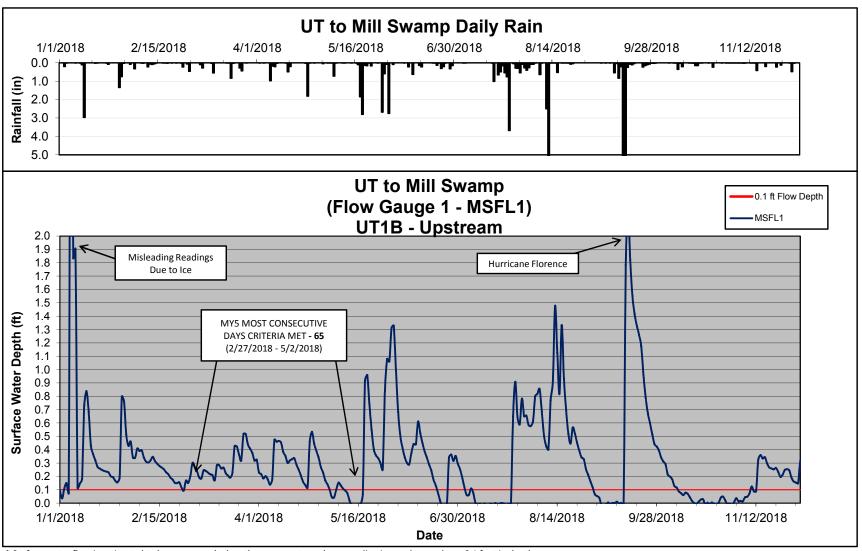
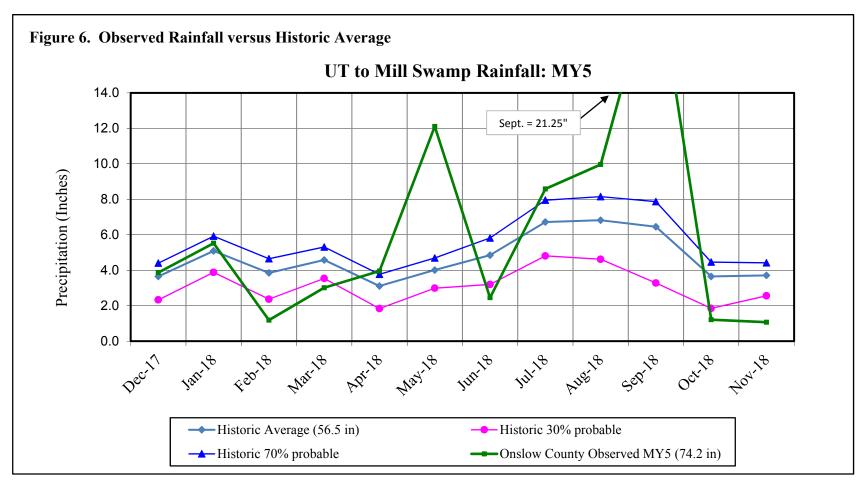


Figure 5. Flow Gauge Graph



^{*} Surface water flow is estimated to have occurred when the pressure transducer reading is equal to or above 0.1 feet in depth.



Note: Data from nearest NC-CRONOS station KOAJ

Table 12. Wetland Restoration Area Well Success

W. II VD	Perce	ntage of Cons	ecutive Days	<12 inches fro	om Ground Su	rface¹		Most C	onsecutive Da	nys Meeting (Criteria²		Perce	entage of Cum	ulative Days	<12 inches fro	m Ground Su	rface¹		Cun	nulative Days	Meeting Crit	eria³	
Well ID	Year 1 (2013)	Year 2* (2014)	Year 2 (2015)	Year 3 (2016)	Year 4 (2017)	Year 5 (2018)	Year 1 (2013)	Year 2* (2014)	Year 2 (2015)	Year 3 (2016)	Year 4 (2017)	Year 5 (2018)	Year 1 (2013)	Year 2* (2014)	Year 2 (2015)	Year 3 (2016)	Year 4 (2017)	Year 5 (2018)	Year 1 (2013)	Year 2* (2014)	Year 2 (2015)	Year 3 (2016)	Year 4 (2017)	Year 5 (2018)
									UT	Γ1c Cross-S	Sectional W	ell Arrays (Installed Ju	ıly 2013)										
MSAW1	4.4	29.1	20.8	24.6	14.8	100.0	11	71	51	60	36	244	53.5	56.8	52.1	66.5	37.4	100.0	130	138	127	162	91	244
MSAW2	0.7	3.3	6.5	4.0	2.5	12.3	2	8	16	10	6	30	3.5	20.2	26.3	19.8	22.2	40.2	9	49	64	48	54	98
MSAW3†	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.4	13.1	0	1	2	2	1	32	0.0	1.0	2.1	0.8	0.4	27.9	0	3	5	2	1	68
MSAW4	10.3	27.8	36.4	31.2	46.1	100.0	25	68	89	76	112	244	97.0	74.2	61.0	83.4	80.2	100.0	236	180	148	203	195	244
MSAW5	3.3	21.2	19.7	31.1	25.1	23.4	8	52	48	76	61	57	40.5	51.9	51.6	58.3	52.7	91.4	98	126	126	142	128	223
MSAW6	1.1	3.8	7.0	4.2	10.7	15.2	3	9	17	10	26	37	9.5	23.3	28.3	19.7	24.3	67.6	23	57	69	48	59	165
MSAW7†	0.2	3.7	2.7	2.1	1.6	13.1	1	9	7	5	4	32	0.3	10.9	14.6	7.1	6.6	49.2	1	27	36	17	16	120
MSAW8	14.1	47.3	37.7	31.1	36.2	100.0	34	115	92	76	88	244	96.8	73.9	66.3	83.0	79.4	100.0	235	180	161	202	193	244
MSAW9	2.5	4.5	8.6	5.7	5.3	16.0	6	11	21	14	13	39	44.5	33.0	28.6	41.7	39.1	77.5	108	80	70	101	95	189
MSAW10 ⁴	0.0	0.6	5.3	2.1	4.9	5.3	0	2	13	5	12	13	0.0	1.1	13.1	16.8	30.5	20.9	0	3	32	41	74	51
									Supplemen	ntal UT1c N	Monitoring	Wells (Insta	ılled Februa	ary/March 2	2016)									
**MSAW19				8.7	12.8	19.3				21	31	47				43.8	42.4	66.0				107	103	161
**MSAW20				3.7	3.7	12.3				9	9	30				10.1	19.3	42.2				25	47	103
**MSAW21				3.7	10.7	12.7				9	26	31				12.7	17.7	48.4				31	43	118
**MSAW22				2.8	3.3	12.7				7	8	31				14.0	23.0	43.4				34	56	106
**MSAW23				3.1	9.5	12.7				8	23	31				23.7	32.5	52.0				58	79	127
**MSAW24				31.2	26.3	13.9				76	64	34				72.1	83.1	64.8				175	202	158
														JT1b (Insta										
MSAW11	4.7	21.2	32.3	40.1	36.0	49.8	12	52	79	98	88	122	38.5	72.4	76.7	84.9	68.3	99.6	94	176	187	206	166	243
MSAW12	0.7	15.4	10.1	7.6	14.5	25.3	2	38	25	19	35	62	7.0	19.1	24.9	27.4	15.1	84.0	17	47	61	67	37	205
MSAW13	6.5	46.5	40.0	40.0	36.0	50.0	16	113	97	97	88	122	81.5	80.0	82.2	84.8	66.0	99.3	198	195	200	206	161	242
MSAW14	0.6	39.1	18.3	17.9	25.6	23.5	2	95	45	44	62	57	4.0	31.0	46.7	61.6	32.7	84.6	10	75	114	150	80	207
MSAW15	0.8	0.9	2.4	1.6	1.1	3.6	2	2	6	4	3	9	4.0	3.9	5.1	6.7	2.0	20.0	10	10	13	16	5	49
MSAW16	2.4	2.8	2.3	2.1	1.2	13.6	6	7	6	5	3	33	14.5	13.0	11.5	7.1	2.2	40.2	35	32	28	17	5	98
MSAW17	0.0	0.1	0.7	0.3	0.2	3.7	0	0	2	1	1	9	0.0	0.1	1.3	0.5	0.2	9.3	0	0	3	1	1	23
MSAW18	3.8	10.2	7.4	2.2	1.2	5.0	9	25	18	5	3	12	18.5	15.3	20.8	10.7	3.6	23.1	45	37	51	26	9	56

Notes:

Indicates the percentage of the single greatest consecutive or cumulative number of days within the monitored growing season with a water 12 inches or less from the soil surface.

²Indicates the single greatest consecutive number of days within the monitored growing season with a water table 12 inches or less from the soil surface.

Indicates the total cumulative number of days within the monitored growing season with a water table 12 inches or less from the soil surface.

⁴Well MSAW10 unexpectedly and permanently failed in the summer of 2018.

† Wells MSAW3 and MSAW7 were relocated on 6/7/18 as per IRT suggestion during a field visit on 5/1/18. See CCPV in Appendix B for new and previous locations.

The growing season for Onslow County is from March 18 to November 16 and is 244 days long. 12% of the growing season is 29 days.

HIGHLIGHTED indicates wells that *did not* to meet the success criteria for the most consecutive number of days within the monitored growing season with a water 12 inches or less from the soil surface. Following Year 5 wetland monitoring, only one of sixteen wells did not exhibit hyrdroperiods greater than 12% during the 2018 growing season. That well is MSAW10 and it permanently failed in the summer of 2018.

**To gather additional well data in the UT1c restoration area, In-Situ groundwater monitoring dataloggers AW19 -AW23 were installed on 2/26/2016, AW24 was installed on 3/10/2016. The installation of the additional dataloggers was completed during the 2016 spring wet season when groundwater levels were normally closer to the ground surface.

Table 13. Flow Gauge Success

UT to Mill Swamp Restoration Project: DMS Project ID No. 95019

		N	Aost Cons	ecutive Da	ıys Meetin	ıg Criteria	n ¹				Cumula	tive Days	Meeting (Criteria ²		
Flow Gauge ID	Year 1 (2013)	Year 2* (2014)	Year 2 (2015)	Year 3 (2016)	Year 4 (2017)	Year 5 (2018)	Year 6 (2019)	Year 7 (2020)	Year 1 (2013)	Year 2* (2014)	Year 2 (2015)	Year 3 (2016)	Year 4 (2017)	Year 5 (2018)	Year 6 (2019)	Year 7 (2020)
					Flow	Gauges	(Installed	d Septeml	ber 27, 20	013)						
MSFL1	9	31	51	59	139	65	-	-	34	242	137	187	213	247	-	-
MSFL2	35	131	152	105	164	N/A ³	-	-	79	327	186	231	243	N/A ³	-	-

Notes:

Indicates the single greatest number of consecutive days within the monitoring year where flow was measured.

Success Criteria per UT to Mill Swamp Mitigation Plan: A surface water flow event will be considered perennial when the recorded flow duration occurs for a minimum of 30 consecutive days during the monitoring year. Two surface water flow events must be documented within a five-year monitoring period; otherwise, monitoring will continue for seven years or until two flow events have been documented in separate years.

Surface water flow is estimated to have occurred when the pressure transducer reading is equal to or above 0.1 feet in depth.

Indicates the total number of days within the monitoring year where flow was measured.

³The pressure transducer for MSFL2 permanently failed over the winter of 2017/2018 and was not replaced as it had already met the required project success criteria in each previous year.

Table 14. Verification	of Rankfull Events		
	storation Project: DMS Project No. 9	95019	
Date of Data	Estimated Occurrence of	Method of Data	Gauge Reading
Collection	Bankfull Event	Collection	(feet)
	Year 1 (2013)		
10/16/2013	10/11/2013	Crest Gauge	0.17
12/24/2013	12/15/2013	Crest Gauge	0.19
	Year 2* (2014)		
3/27/2014	3/7/2014	Crest Gauge	0.32
10/14/2014	8/4/2014	Crest Gauge	0.56
12/19/2014	11/26/2014	Crest Gauge	0.27
	Year 2 (2015)		
1/24/2015	1/24/2015	Crest Gauge	0.59
4/27/2015	2/26/2015	Crest Gauge	1.07
6/23/2015	5/11/2015	Crest Gauge	1.61
11/12/2015	10/3/2015	Crest Gauge	1.54
	Year 3 (2016)		
3/10/2016	2/5/2016	Crest Gauge	1.44
11/22/2016	10/8/2016 (Hurricane Matthew)	Crest Gauge	2.32
3/20/2017	1/2/2017	Crest Gauge	1.18
6/2/2017	4/25/2017	Crest Gauge	1.20
	Year 5 (2018)		
6/7/2018	5/31/2018	Crest Gauge*	1.50
10/30/2018	9/15/2018 (Hurricane Florence)	Crest Gauge*	3.41

Note: Crest gauge readings can be correlated with spikes in flow gauge measurements (see graph in Appendix E)