

Appendix G:  
Tractive Stress Calculations

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# Computation Sheet

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## CHECK TODD'S DESIGN GEOMETRY

NOTE: MOST SURVEY INFO USES NAVD 88

AT SPILLWAY LET MEAN DEPTH = MAX DEPTH = 2.5'

ALSO, X-SEC AT DAM CAN HAVE SMALLER AREA THAN UPSTREAM CROSS SECTION BECAUSE AT DAM THE X-SEC IS AT A BREAK POINT BETWEEN A C CHANNEL - FLAT AND AN A-CHANNEL STEEP. THE A CHANNEL WILL CARRY A GIVEN Q AT A MUCH SMALLER X-SECTIONAL AREA.

CHANNEL ELEV AT DAM =  $482.4 - 2.5 = 479.9$  NAVD 88

EXISTING GROUND ELEV AT 136+50 FROM CAD PROFILE = 482.9 NAVD 88 GREEN CURVE

NEAREST STAKES ARE AT 9120 → 482.61 51' 45"  
9118 481.88 80' AS.

$$AV. = \frac{(482.9 + 481.88)}{2} = 482.4 \text{ NAVD 88} = \text{elev. at } 136+50$$

STREAM IS IRREGULAR GOING TO A NEW BOTTOM = 482.9 AT 136+50 IS REASONABLE.

PROPOSED SLOPE CHANNEL BOTTOM =  $\frac{482.9 - 479.9}{136+50 - 128+93}$  ← 490.0 NAVD 88

$$= \frac{3.0}{757} = .00396 \text{ ← HIGH}$$

THIS IS SLOPE  
TODD WANTS

IF DROP US. INVERT TO 482.5 AT 136+50 GET  $S = \frac{2.6}{757} = .0034$  OR

CALCULATE SHEAR STRESS FOR MAX DEPTH = 2.5 FT BANKFULL

$$\tau = \gamma D S = \frac{62.4 \text{ LBF} \cdot 2.5 \text{ FT} \cdot (.0034)}{\text{FT}^2} = 0.5304 \text{ LB/FT}^2$$

WHICH EQUALS RIVERMORPH PREDICTION.

## Steele Brook Feasibility Study: Notes

Gentlemen, I have been looking at the two design scenarios; Alt.3: Notch Spillway / Ramping, and Alt.4: Full spillway removal. And here is what I have come up with. I believe that we have talked about parts of this data in the past, but figured I would reiterate and elaborate so that we could move forward with the modeling and other analysis all being on the same page.

### Alternative 3: Notch Spillway / Ramping

The foundation of the proposed channel is based on a geomorphically correct channel, and natural channel design concepts. Basically, design a channel-floodplain system where the channel is shaped by the bankfull flow.

Drop the elevation of the entire spillway 1.0 ft, from elev. 483.4 to elev. 482.4. Notch the "new" spillway with a channel which matches the bankfull channel dimensions

Bankfull channel dimensions:

$$W_{bkf} = 40'$$

$$D_{bkf} = 2.5' \text{ (mean depth)}$$

$$A_{bkf} = 100 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$S_{bkf} = 0.0034 \text{ ft/ft (this } S_{bkf} \text{ is measured from sta. 128+93 to sta. 136+50)}$$

The channel materials will be composed of in-situ sand and gravels. Our pebble count of the riffle revealed a  $d_{50}$  of 12 mm (~0.5" gravel) and a  $d_{84}$  of 51 mm (~2.1" gravel). Keep in mind that this pebble count was in the riffle, and is not a true composite of the reach. It is likely, that the particle size may decrease slightly if the pools are factored in. Due to the bacteria concern, and the need to stick our head underwater to get the pool sample, for the feasibility study will should just use the riffle data.

Based on the above Bkf channel dimensions, I had Rivermorph run an entrainment calculator, based on Shields curve for Threshold of Motion, which indicates that the critical shear stress at the Bkf flow is 0.50 lb/ft<sup>2</sup>, and the movable particle size is 28.6 mm (~1.2" gravel). Keep in mind that this is just a predictive tool, but for the level of detail needed from this study, having an alluvial channel with the capacity to entrain a particle in the  $d_{50}$ - $d_{84}$  range is pointing towards a vertically stable alluvial channel.

Down stream of the dam, the channel will transition to a step-pool system with a slope of 0.05 ft/ft. There will be between 12 and 13 individual steps, which will extend from the dam down to about sta. 127+25. Ben has drafted a profile of this. I will start to work on the channel dimensions associated with that. Clearly, the channel will decrease in width, due to the dramatic increase in slope.

479.9  
479.9

NAV 2

392.7

WHERE IS THE RIFFLE

90 mm (2.5")  
DATA SET

3.5 US 1.2

STABLE

DO NOT...  
DO NOT...  
DO NOT...

#### Alternative 4: Full Removal of Spillway

Again, the foundation of the proposed channel is based on a geomorphically correct channel, and natural channel design concepts. Basically, design a channel-floodplain system where the channel is shaped by the bankfull flow.

Remove the entire spillway, splash pad and footer of the dam, and construct a new channel from sta. 128+65 (~ 23' down stream of dam) to sta. 140+00 (~ 1,107' upstream of dam).

Bankfull channel dimensions:

$$W_{bkf} = 40'$$

$$D_{bkf} = 2.5' \text{ (mean depth)}$$

$$A_{bkf} = 100 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$S_{bkf} = 0.0083 \text{ ft/ft (this } S_{bkf} \text{ is measured from sta. 128+65 to sta. 140+00)}$$

Notice that the mean depth and width are the same as alternative 3. Due to the increase in slope, it is likely that the width of the channel would actually decrease to something like 37-38 feet, however, for the purpose of the feasibility study and the entrainment calculations, it was easier to keep it the same.

Based on the above Bkf channel dimensions, I had Rivermorph run an entrainment calculator, based on Shields curve for Threshold of Motion, which indicates that the critical shear stress at the Bkf flow is 1.21 lb/ft<sup>2</sup>, and the movable particle size is 196.1 mm (~8.0" cobble). Again, keep in mind that this is just a predictive tool, but for the level of detail needed for this study, having an alluvial channel with the capacity to entrain a particle well in excess of the  $d_{max}$  of the in-situ materials, clearly points to a vertically unstable alluvial channel. Therefore, there would be the need to truck in cobble to form the entire channel boundary (similar to what we are going to do with Merwins). For the purposes of the feasibility analysis, we could use the 8.0" cobble as the  $d_{50}$  for the channel boundary materials.

One of the key factors is the ability to construct a channel-floodplain system. Taking the 0.0083 ft/ft slope, I drew cross sections showing a bankfull channel and a floodplain for this alternative. The cross sections are drawn for Ben's cross sections 342.1, 342.2, 343.3, 342.5, 342.6 and 342.7. Using Rosgen's reported data of average Entrenchment Ratio (ER) for C4 and C3 stream types, I used an ER for the channel of 2.9. Rosgen's data reports that approx 72% of C3 stream types have an ER between 2.3 and 3.14.

I was able to construct a channel-floodplain system for all but one of the above cross-sections with a minimum ER of 2.9, and often going above that towards an ER of 4.5 in some cases, while still leaving the vegetated peninsula on the west and staying within the floodpool area. The one cross-section that does not work is 342.1 which is the dam, where the ER drops down to 2.2. That said the dam cross section would be part of the transitional reach to B stream type below, and having an ER of 2.2 would fit the bill for a B stream type (in fact it is the upper range for a B).

To do this, the channel centerline alignment needs to shift slightly from what Ben has on the plan view. To be more specific, the centerline for cross-section 342.5 shifts 45 feet to the east, 342.6 shifts 35 feet to the east, and 342.7 can stay as is, or perhaps shift 5 feet to the east.

So ignoring the in-situ sediment for now, this alternative is more doable than I originally thought. We still would have to deal with massive amounts of excavation, and massive amounts of material coming in. Also the down is still dealing with some decent vertical walls associated with the Dam wing walls, however, there are a lot of vertical walls along this channel.

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FROM C102  
REFERENCE RIFLE IS AT 140418 ST US 344

THERE IS ALSO AN UPSTREAM RIFLE AT 142431  
43' DS 345

PLOT HEC-RAS PROFILES AND XSECS FROM EXISTING  
HEC-RAS MODEL SEE 33-39

FROM XSEC 342.8 (139401) GOING UPSTREAM PROFILES  
GET STEEPER

FROM XSEC 342.7 (136480)  
342.8 (139401)  
TO XSEC 344 (139466) } THIS HAVE BERTIS ON LEFT  
THAT WILL CONFINE FLOW  
YET HEC-RAS MODEL ASSUMES  
UNIMPEDED FLOW TO POND AREA  
TO LEFT. SO EXISTING

REAL WORLD SITUATION ACTUALLY CONFINES FLOW TO  
DEEP CHANNEL AND WILL CAUSE HIGHER WATER SURFACES  
AT THESE XSECS. ON THE OTHER HAND THE FEMA  
Q'S ~~BE~~ USED IN HEC-RAS ARE ABNORMALLY HIGH.

XSEC 345 (142472) HAS ALL FLOW IN CHANNEL UP  
TO 10-YR 100-YR HAS MINOR  
LEVEE ON RIGHT TO OVERTOP.  
346 HAS MOST OF 10-YR IN CHANNEL

SLOPE FROM 346 TO 345 (142472) ARE A GOOD  
ESTIMATE OF FLOW WITHOUT POND BACKWATER  
GET THESE SLOPES FROM ENERGY GRADES  
ON PROFILE SHW 34.1 TO 34.3 TABLES

YR FLOOD	E.G. ELEV 346	ELEV 345 (142472)	Δ H ELEV	DIST. BETWEEN XSECS	E.G. SLOPE
1	489.89	487.04	2.85	448	.00636
2	490.78	488.17	2.61	}	.00583
10	492.23	489.52	2.71		.00605
100	493.99	491.11	2.88		.00642

PRETTY  
STEEP

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THE RIFFLES ARE BETWEEN 344 (139166)  
AND 345 (142172)

TRY TO CHARACTERIZE ENERGY GRADE THIS EXPERIENCES  
NOW. I.E. BEFORE DMI MODIFICATION

NOTE: MOST OF FLOW AT 342.8 FOR 1 AND 2-YR IS  
NOT HIGHER THAN THAT SHOWN. EVEN IF WATER DOES  
NOT HAVE FULL ACCESS TO "RIGHT CHANNEL"; THE DIVIDE  
IS AT 2-YR ELEV. SEE SHT 36

HENCE!

ASSUME NO FLORE BACKWATER GETS UP TO 344

MOST OF 1+2 YR ARE IN MAIN CHANNEL AT 344 & 345  
SEE SHT 37 AND 38.

SO 2-YR EG SLOPE FROM 345 (14272) TO 344 (139166)  
ON SHT 34.1 IS SAME AS 345 TO 346

SO SLOPE IS SAME AS 2-YR ON SHT 32.1 = .00583

GET 1&2-YR DEPTHS AT 344 AND 345 FROM SHT 34.2

YR	DEPTH 344	DEPTH 345	AVG.	GET TRACTIVE STRESS MAX WITH AD. DEPTH $S = .00583$
1	2.67	2.28	2.48	$T = VDS$ 0.90      Q = 221
2	3.17	3.16	3.16	1.15      Q = 405

SO IF TODDS EXISTING RIFLE SAMPLE COMES FROM  
RIFLES BETWEEN 344 AND 345 IT MAY BE  
EXPERIENCING TRACTIVE STRESSES BETWEEN 0.90 AND 1.15 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

HOWEVER, IF WE LOWER HIGH M&NB. Q'S DOWN TO A  
USGS REF. Q OF 226 CFS AND THEN ADJUST THIS TO A  
PRORATED 1 1/2 YR =  $\frac{(221+405)}{405} + 226 = 175$  CFS



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THE PROPORTION USE N&M&B 1 YR = 221 TO ARRIVE  
2 YR = 405

AT A N&M&B  $\frac{1\frac{1}{2} \text{ YR}}{2 \text{ YR}}$  RATIO

THIS WAS MULT. X USGS 2 YR = 226 TO  
GET USGS  $1\frac{1}{2} \text{ YR} = 175 \text{ CFS}$  BANKFULL  
ASSUMES BANKFULL IS ABOUT  $1\frac{1}{2} \text{ YR}$ .

ALSO IF N&M&B LOWER CHANNEL N DOWN TO  
.03 WHICH MIGHT BE OKAY IF CHANNEL BANK  
VEG. IS SMALL, WILL GET A LOWER WATER  
DEPTH AND TRACTIVE STRESS.

MAYBE THIS COULD DROP AN MAX DPTH OF 344 + 345  
BY 20% TO  
 $2.48 \times .80 = 1.98 \text{ FT}$

THIS ALSO LOWERS TRACTIVE STRESS TO  $.8(90) = 0.72 \frac{\text{LB}}{\text{FT}^2}$

THIS IS STILL MORE THAN 7000'S  $T = .5 \frac{\text{LB}}{\text{FT}^2}$  THAT  
ENTRAINS A  $1/2''$  GRAVEL  
 $d_{50} = 0.5''$   
 $d_{84} = 2.1''$

SO THIS BED IS SOMEWHAT MOBILE AT  $T = 0.5 \frac{\text{LB}}{\text{FT}^2}$   
AND WE THINK BANK FULL IS ACTUALLY  $T = 0.72 \frac{\text{LB}}{\text{FT}^2}$

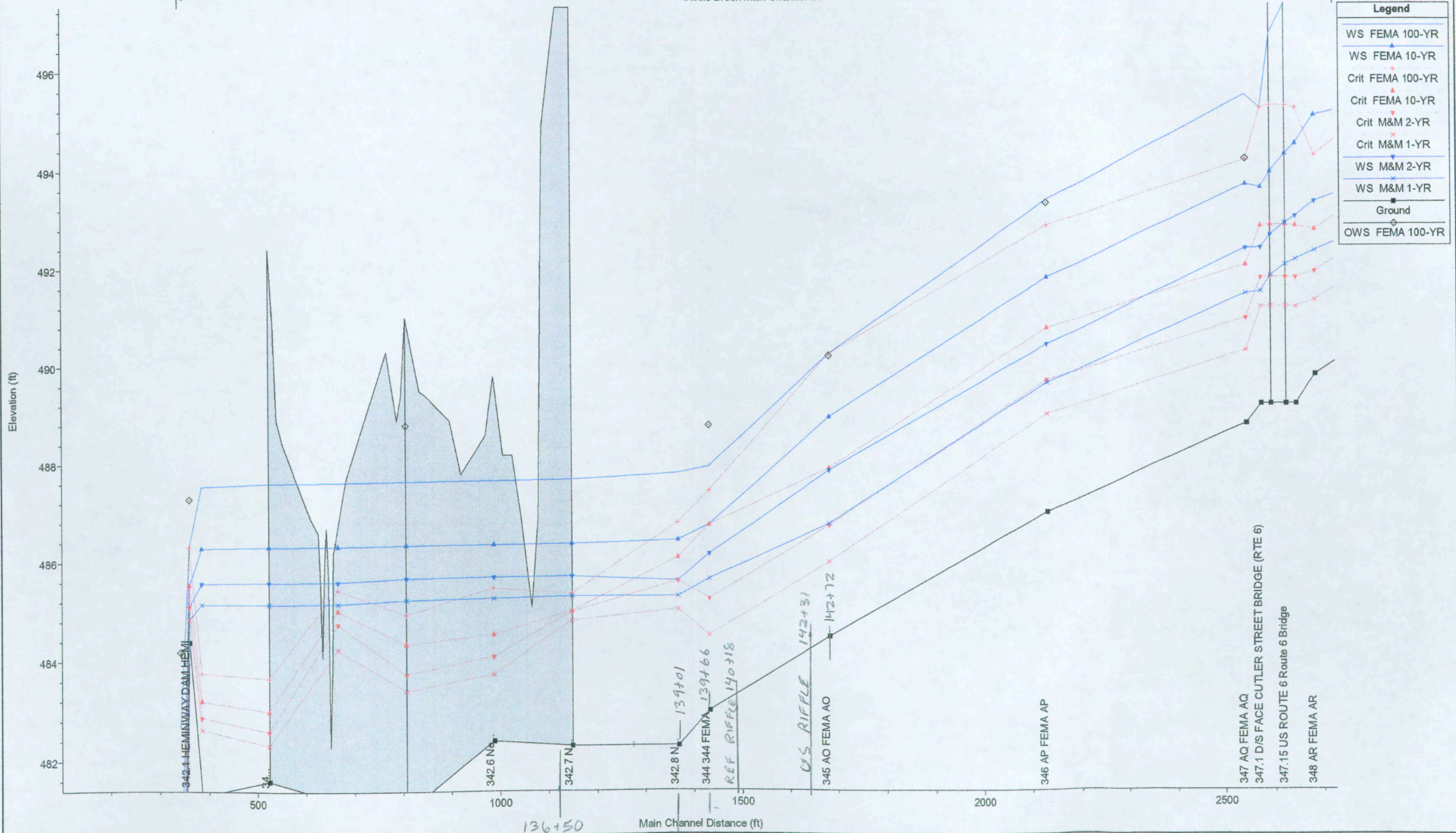
IF WE MAKE TRACTIVE STRESS THROUGH POND =  $0.5 \frac{\text{LB}}{\text{FT}^2}$   
IT IS LESS THAN WHAT RIFFLE BETWEEN 344 TO 345  
GETS NOW.

BUT POND SUBSTRATE IS PROB FINER THAN SUBST. AT  
344 TO 345.

Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 1/29/2009

Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel

Steele Brook Main Channel US



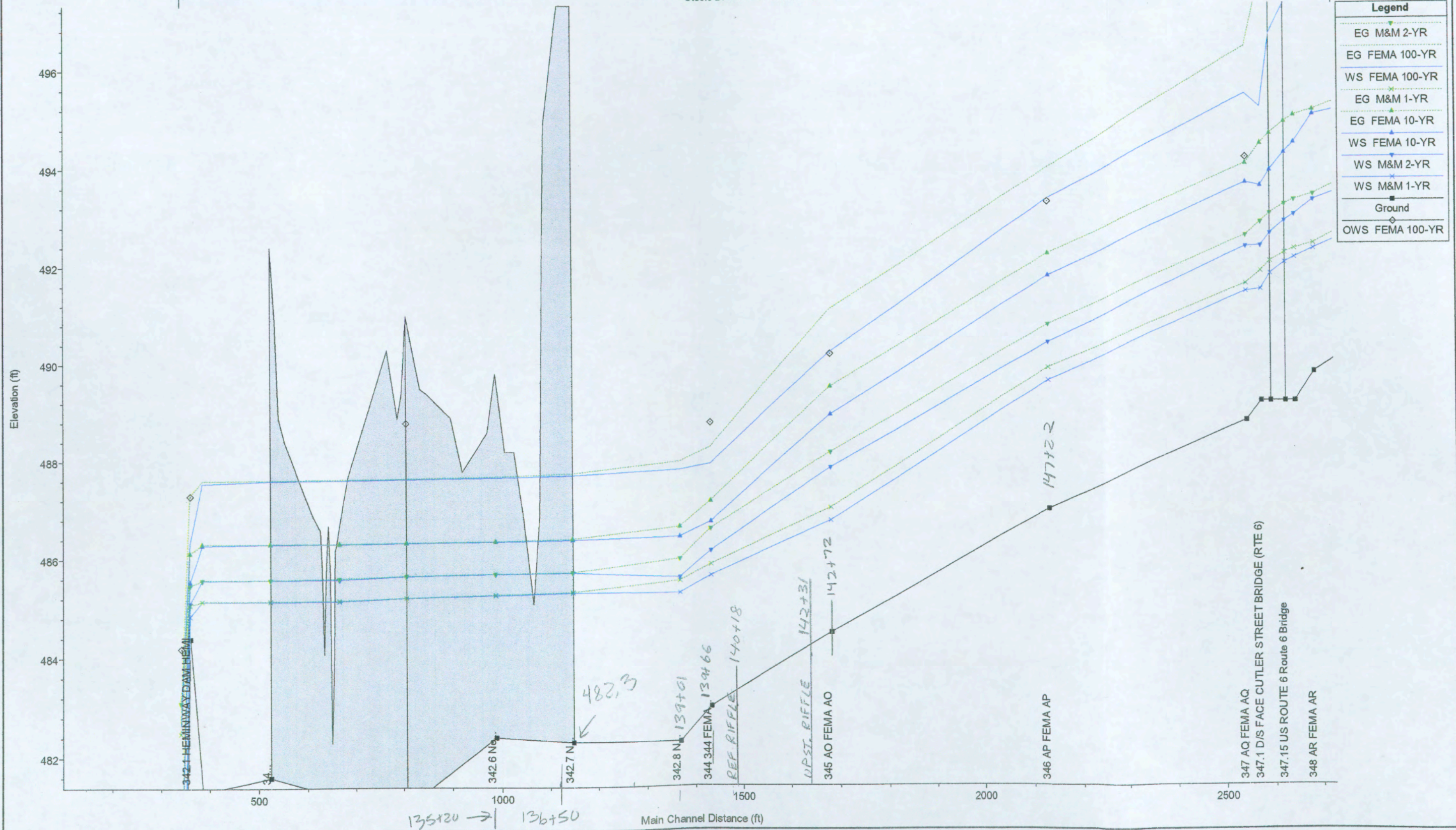
Legend	
WS FEMA 100-YR	Blue line with diamond markers
WS FEMA 10-YR	Blue line with triangle markers
Crit FEMA 100-YR	Red line with triangle markers
Crit FEMA 10-YR	Red line with triangle markers
Crit M&M 2-YR	Red line with triangle markers
Crit M&M 1-YR	Red line with triangle markers
WS M&M 2-YR	Blue line with triangle markers
WS M&M 1-YR	Blue line with triangle markers
Ground	Solid black line
OWS FEMA 100-YR	Red line with diamond markers

1 in Horiz. = 200 ft 1 in Vert. = 2 ft

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Legend	
EG M&M 2-YR	(Dotted green line with triangle markers)
EG FEMA 100-YR	(Solid blue line)
WS FEMA 100-YR	(Dotted green line with 'x' markers)
EG M&M 1-YR	(Dotted green line with triangle markers)
EG FEMA 10-YR	(Dotted green line with triangle markers)
WS FEMA 10-YR	(Dotted green line with triangle markers)
WS M&M 2-YR	(Solid blue line with triangle markers)
WS M&M 1-YR	(Solid blue line with 'x' markers)
Ground	(Solid black line with square markers)
OWS FEMA 100-YR	(Solid blue line with diamond markers)

1 in Horiz. = 200 ft 1 in Vert. = 2 ft

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HEC-RAS Plan: EXIST River: Steele Brook Reach: Main Channel US

Reach	River Sta	Profile	Q Total (cfs)	Min Ch El (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Crit W.S. (ft)	E.G. Elev (ft)	E.G. Slope (ft/ft)	Vel Cntl (ft/s)	Flow Area (sq ft)	Top Width (ft)	Froude # Ch
Main Channel US	347 AQ	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	488.80	495.49	484.17	496.44	0.006461	7.82	263.30	59.98	0.66
Main Channel US	347 AQ	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	488.80	493.68	492.03	494.07	0.003679	4.97	165.01	48.85	0.48
Main Channel US	347 AQ	M&M 2-YR	405.00	488.80	492.38	490.95	492.60	0.003030	3.81	106.41	40.80	0.42
Main Channel US	347 AQ	M&M 1-YR	221.00	488.80	491.46	490.29	491.60	0.002767	3.09	71.50	35.13	0.38
Main Channel US	346 AP	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	487.00	493.36	492.84	493.99	0.005183	6.99	443.84	243.63	0.59
Main Channel US	346 AP	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	487.00	491.78	490.74	492.23	0.005507	5.41	158.61	101.37	0.57
Main Channel US	346 AP	M&M 2-YR	405.00	487.00	490.41	489.69	490.78	0.007099	4.84	83.67	42.55	0.61
Main Channel US	346 AP	M&M 1-YR	221.00	487.00	489.63	488.99	489.89	0.006914	4.13	53.56	33.89	0.58
Main Channel US	345 AO	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	484.50	490.24	490.24	491.11	0.007982	8.35	385.03	233.93	0.72
Main Channel US	345 AO	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	484.50	488.95	487.91	489.52	0.006568	6.08	134.89	45.18	0.62
Main Channel US	345 AO	M&M 2-YR	405.00	484.50	487.86	486.75	488.17	0.004795	4.50	89.99	37.36	0.51
Main Channel US	345 AO	M&M 1-YR	221.00	484.50	486.78	486.00	487.04	0.005785	4.10	53.89	29.61	0.54
Main Channel US	344 344	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	483.00	487.95	487.46	488.29	0.009053	5.64	484.10	258.52	0.69
Main Channel US	344 344	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	483.00	486.76	486.76	487.18	0.012686	6.04	204.68	203.02	0.78
Main Channel US	344 344	M&M 2-YR	405.00	483.00	486.17	485.27	486.62	0.008067	5.50	94.53	169.75	0.63
Main Channel US	344 344	M&M 1-YR	221.00	483.00	485.67	484.53	485.89	0.003659	3.80	58.13	23.56	0.43
Main Channel US	342.8	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	482.30	487.83	486.82	487.99	0.003047	4.81	789.43	383.93	0.43
Main Channel US	342.8	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	482.30	486.46	486.10	486.66	0.005099	4.77	317.18	282.63	0.52
Main Channel US	342.8	M&M 2-YR	405.00	482.30	485.64	485.62	486.00	0.010719	5.52	120.35	186.37	0.72
Main Channel US	342.8	M&M 1-YR	221.00	482.30	485.32	485.05	485.56	0.007710	4.20	73.16	115.51	0.60
Main Channel US	342.7	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	482.30	487.71	485.37	487.75	0.000432	1.60	1305.71	483.04	0.17
Main Channel US	342.7	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	482.30	486.39	485.01	486.41	0.000327	1.16	712.30	389.28	0.15
Main Channel US	342.7	M&M 2-YR	405.00	482.30	485.73	485.00	485.74	0.000226	0.83	491.81	291.80	0.11
Main Channel US	342.7	M&M 1-YR	221.00	482.30	485.32	484.82	485.33	0.000242	0.78	282.81	273.71	0.11
Main Channel US	342.65	Lat Struct										
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 100-YR	1822.43	482.40	487.68	485.48	487.69	0.000197	1.11	1862.58	629.53	0.11
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 10-YR	777.42	482.40	486.37	484.54	486.38	0.000152	0.83	1061.42	560.23	0.10
Main Channel US	342.6	M&M 2-YR	398.21	482.40	485.71	484.10	485.71	0.000100	0.61	715.53	486.98	0.08
Main Channel US	342.6	M&M 1-YR	220.61	482.40	485.27	483.74	485.29	0.000349	0.87	280.79	433.47	0.14

HEC-RAS Plan: EXIST River: Steele Brook Reach: Main Channel US

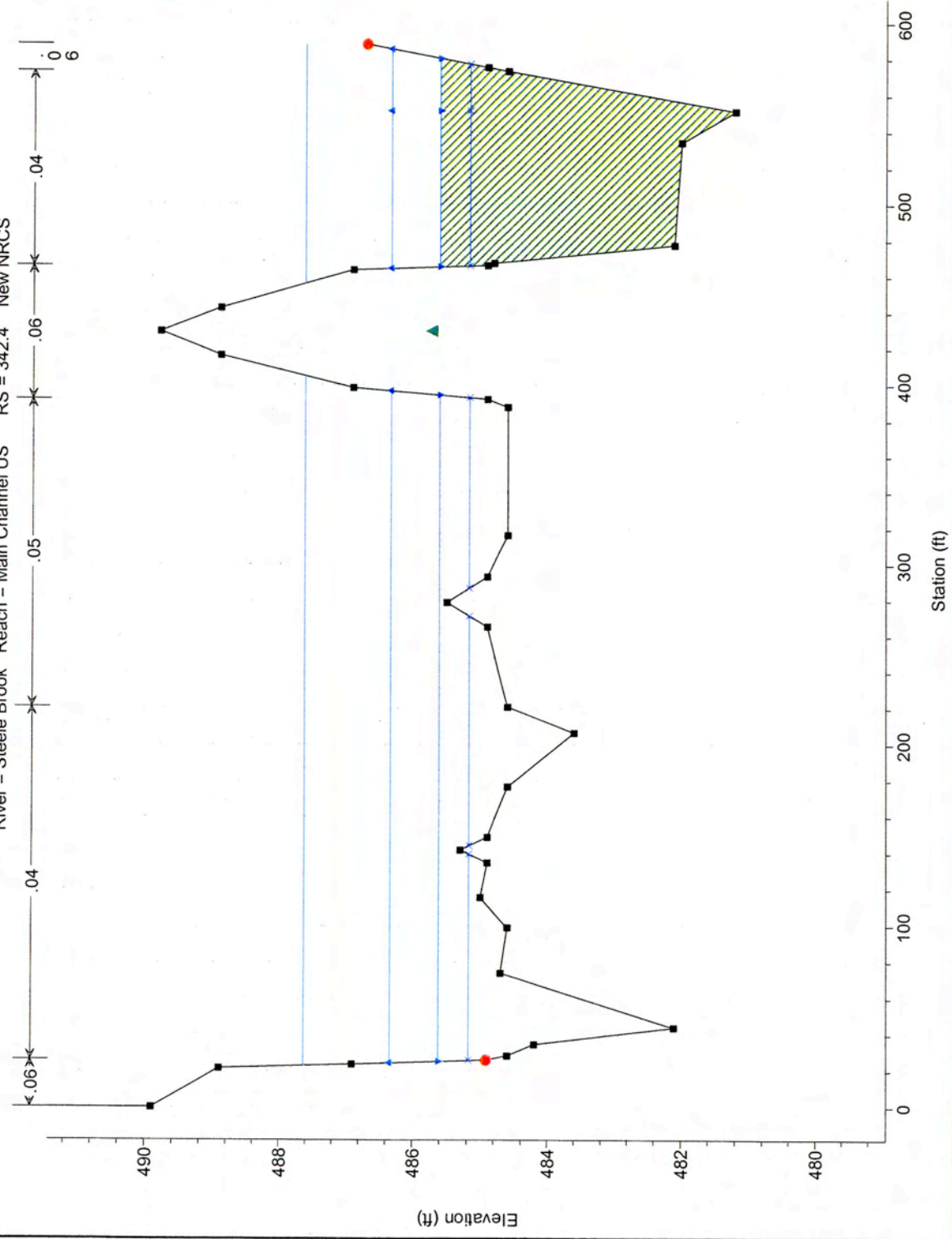
Reach	River Sta	Profile	E.G. Elev (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Vel Head (ft)	Frctn Loss (ft)	C & E Loss (ft)	Q Left (cfs)	Q Channel (cfs)	Q Right (cfs)	Top Width (ft)
Main Channel US	347	AQ	496.44	495.49	0.95	2.36	0.10		2060.00		59.98
Main Channel US	347	AQ	494.07	493.68	0.38	1.83	0.01		820.00		48.85
Main Channel US	347	AQ	492.60	492.38	0.22	1.82	0.01		405.00		40.80
Main Channel US	347	AQ	491.60	491.46	0.15	1.70	0.01		221.00		35.13
Main Channel US	346	AP	493.99	493.36	0.62	2.86	0.03	366.08	1660.86	33.06	243.63
Main Channel US	346	AP	492.23	491.78	0.45	2.70	0.01	3.03	815.18	1.79	101.37
Main Channel US	346	AP	490.78	490.41	0.36	2.60	0.01		405.00		42.55
Main Channel US	346	AP	489.89	489.63	0.26	2.84	0.00		221.00		33.89
Main Channel US	345	AO	491.11	490.24	0.87	2.23	0.16	24.72	1630.55	404.73	233.93
Main Channel US	345	AO	489.52	488.95	0.57	2.29	0.05		820.00		45.18
Main Channel US	345	AO	488.17	487.86	0.31	1.53	0.01		405.00		37.36
Main Channel US	345	AO	487.04	486.78	0.26	1.14	0.01		221.00		29.61
Main Channel US	344	344	488.29	487.95	0.34	0.24	0.05	1045.20	1014.81		258.52
Main Channel US	344	344	487.18	486.76	0.42	0.44	0.07	247.20	572.80		203.02
Main Channel US	344	344	486.62	486.17	0.45	0.60	0.02	16.33	388.67		169.75
Main Channel US	344	344	485.89	485.67	0.22	0.33	0.00		221.00		23.56
Main Channel US	342.8	FEMA 100-YR	487.99	487.83	0.16	0.21	0.04	496.65	602.39	960.96	383.93
Main Channel US	342.8	FEMA 10-YR	486.66	486.46	0.20	0.19	0.05	67.08	387.94	364.97	282.63
Main Channel US	342.8	M&M 2-YR	486.00	485.64	0.37	0.16	0.11	1.77	307.83	95.41	186.37
Main Channel US	342.8	M&M 1-YR	485.56	485.32	0.24	0.16	0.07		193.77	27.23	115.51
Main Channel US	342.7	FEMA 100-YR	487.75	487.71	0.04	0.05	0.01	4.42	2042.46	13.13	483.04
Main Channel US	342.7	FEMA 10-YR	486.41	486.39	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.72	817.23	2.05	389.28
Main Channel US	342.7	M&M 2-YR	485.74	485.73	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.12	404.53	0.35	291.80
Main Channel US	342.7	M&M 1-YR	485.33	485.32	0.01	0.05	0.00	0.02	220.98		273.71
Main Channel US	342.65	Lat Struct									
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 100-YR	487.69	487.68	0.02	0.03	0.00	274.52	1544.46	3.45	629.53
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 10-YR	486.38	486.37	0.01	0.02	0.00	66.44	710.43	0.55	560.23
Main Channel US	342.6	M&M 2-YR	485.71	485.71	0.01	0.03	0.00	17.59	380.52	0.08	486.98
Main Channel US	342.6	M&M 1-YR	485.29	485.27	0.01	0.05	0.00	7.71	212.89		433.47

Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 1/29/2009

Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel

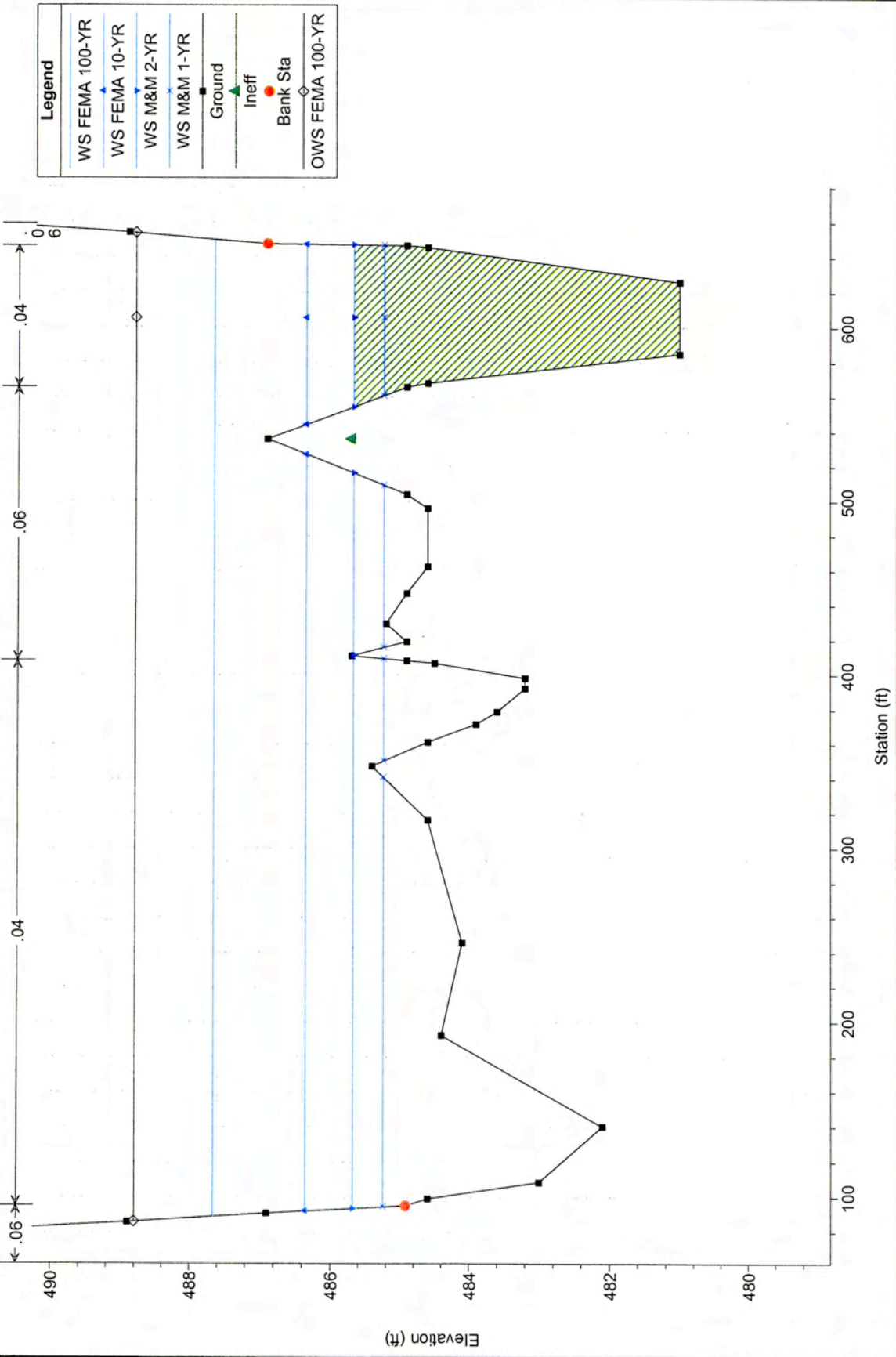
River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 342.4 New NRCS

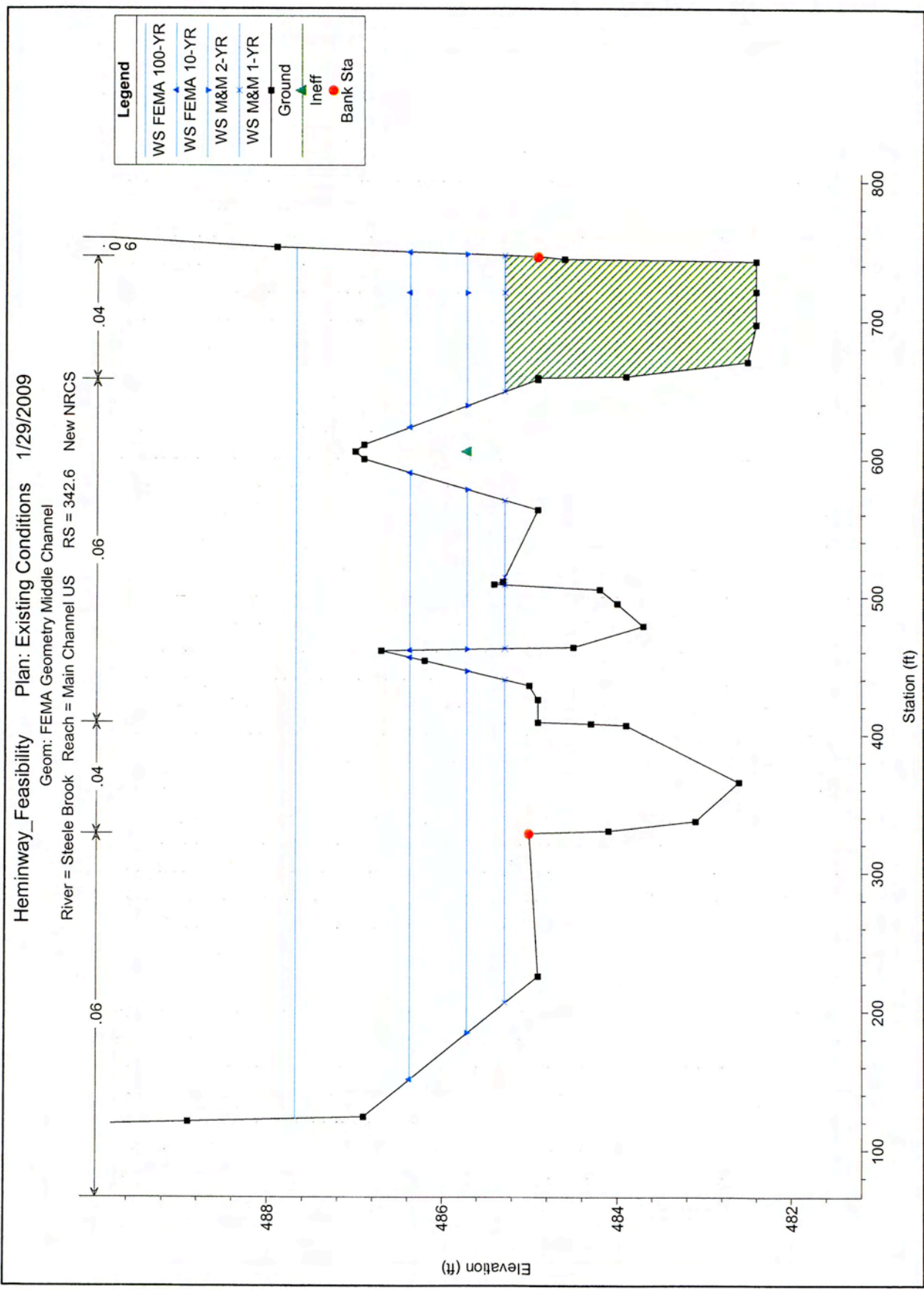
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WS FEMA 100-YR	▲
WS FEMA 10-YR	▲
WS M&M 2-YR	▲
WS M&M 1-YR	▲
Ground	■
Ineff	▲
Bank Sta	●



### Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 1/29/2009

Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel  
River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 342.5 New NRCS





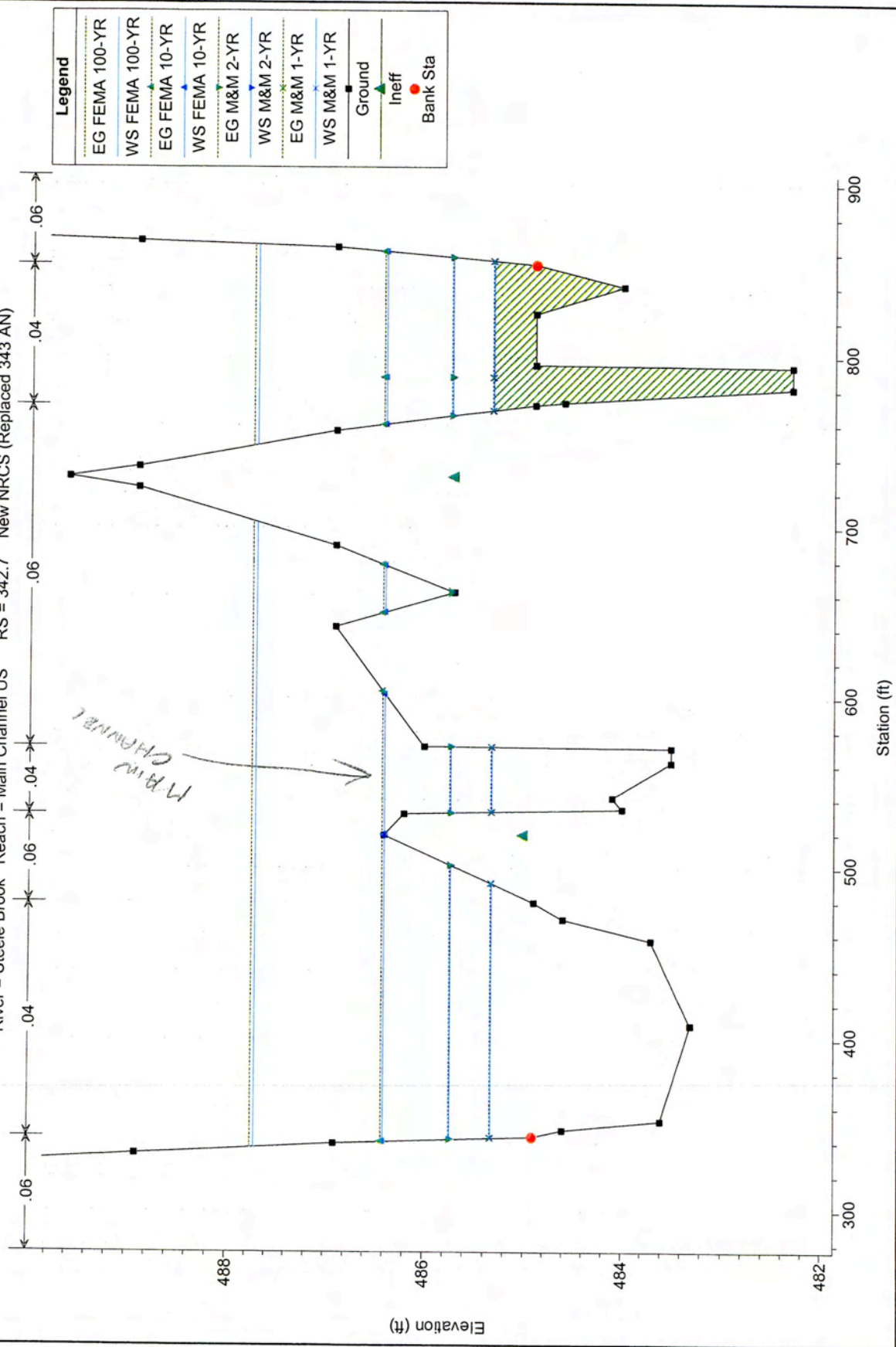


Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 1/29/2009

River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 342.7 New NRCS (Replaced 343 AN)

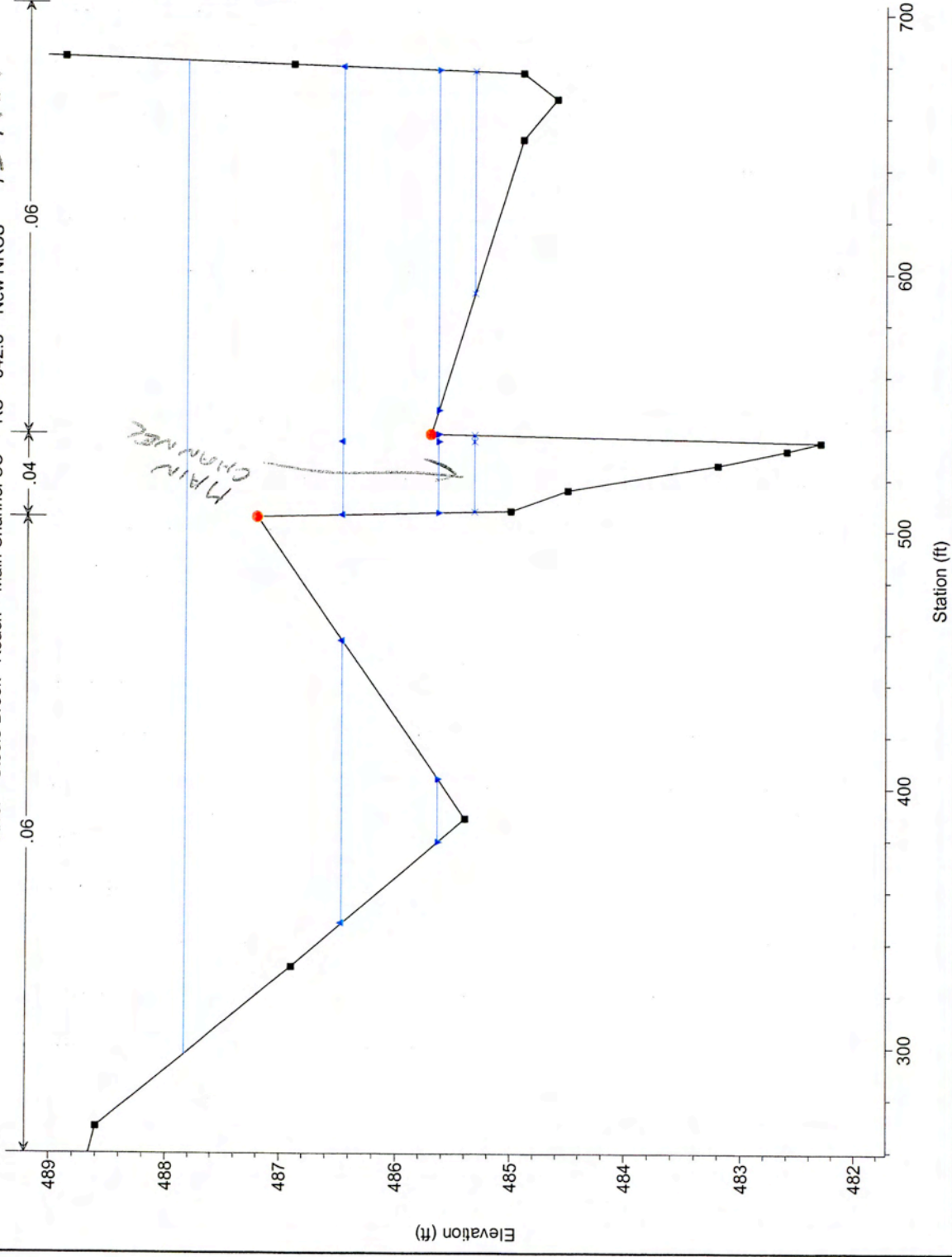
Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel 136+80

30' U.S. OF 136+50



Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 1/29/2009  
Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel  
River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 342.8 New NRCS 139401

Legend	
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WS FEMA 10-YR	—
WS M&M 2-YR	—
WS M&M 1-YR	—
Ground	—
Bank Sta	—

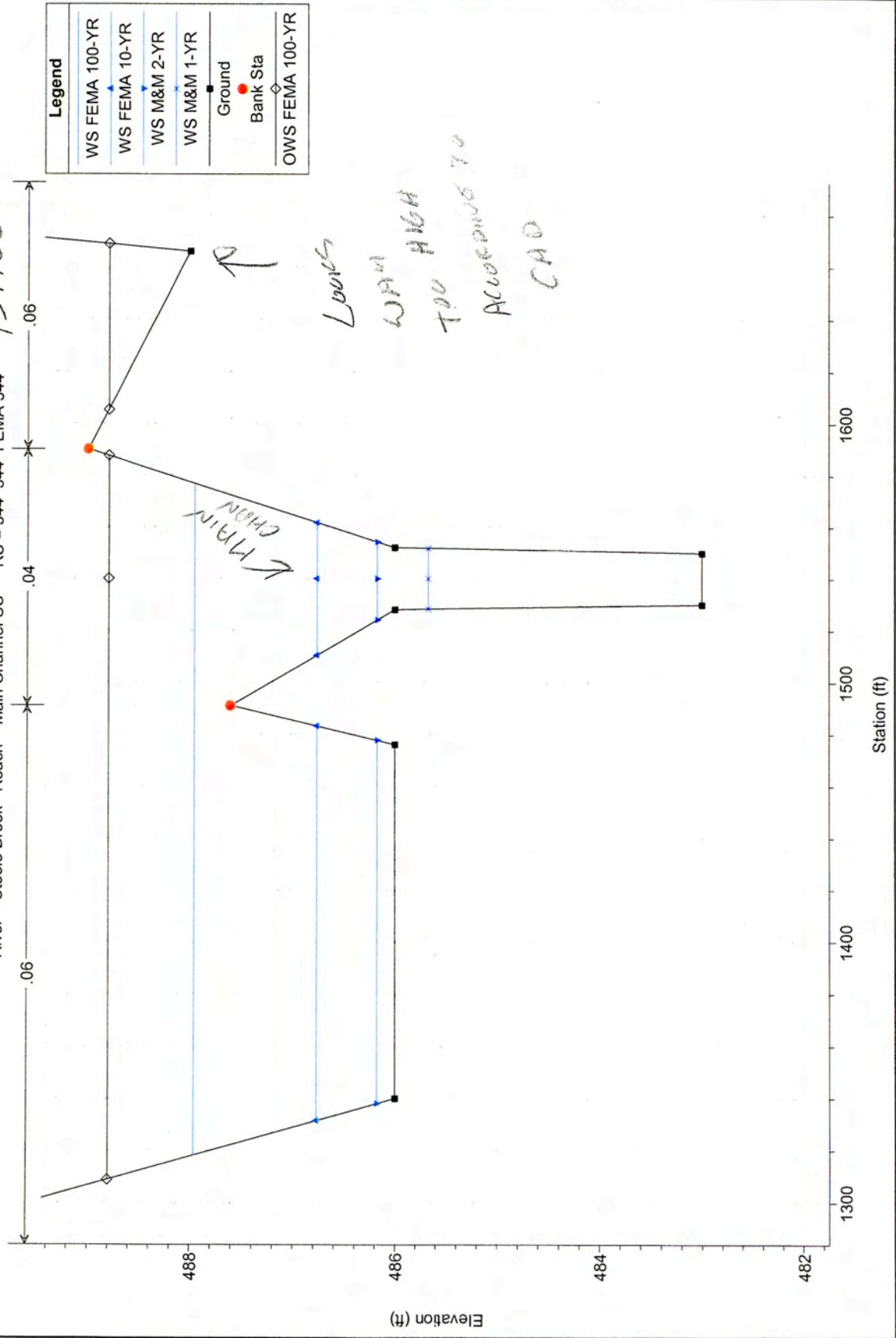


Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 1/29/2009

Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel

River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 344 344 FEMA 344

139+66

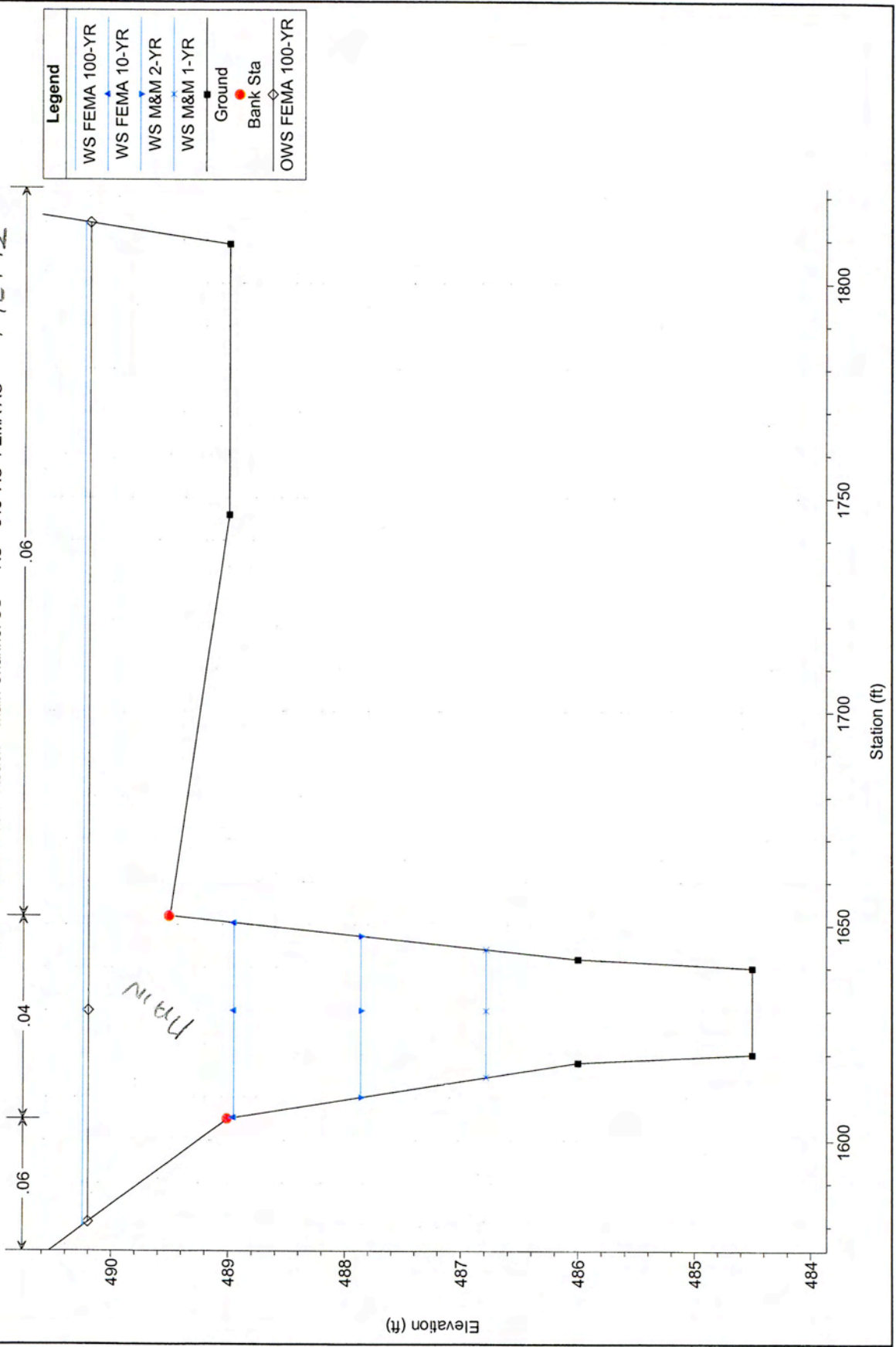


Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 1/29/2009

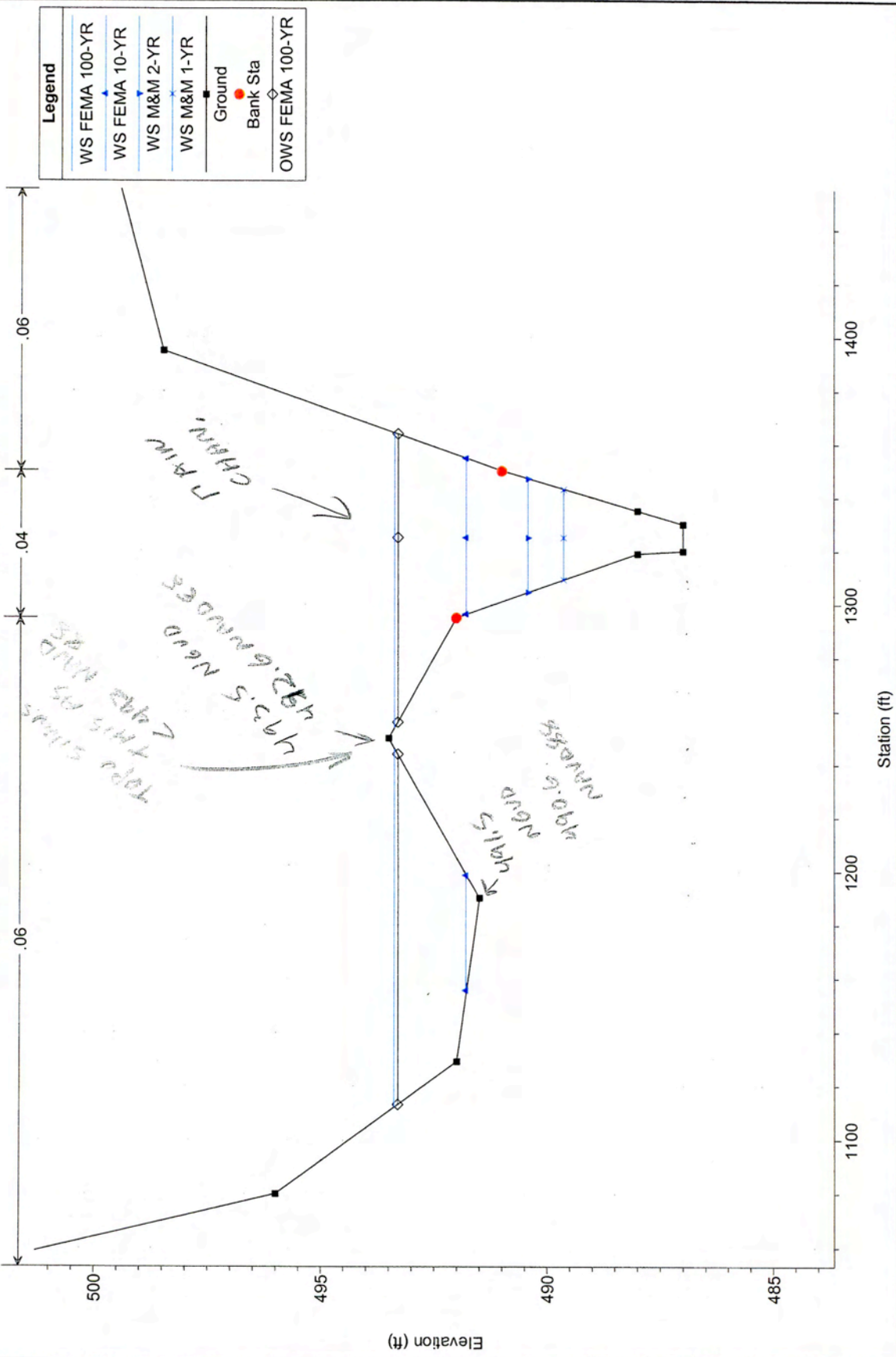
Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel

River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 345 AO FEMA AO

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Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 1/29/2009  
 Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel  
 River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 346 AP FEMA AP



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NOW ESTIMATE TRACTIVE STRESSES THROUGH POND  
 FROM 341.1 DAM (129+94)  
 TO 342.7 (135+80) JUST 30' US OF 13650

GET ENERGY GRADE ELEV.: (FROM TABLE SAT 41)  
 DIST = 13680 - 12894 = 786 FT ✓

4R-FLOOD	E.G. ELEV	D.H. E.G.	DIST BETWEEN	E.G. SLOPE
		(FT)	(FT)	
	342.7	342.1		
	13680	DAM 12894		
1	485.33 ✓	485.04	.24 ✓	.000305 ✓
2	485.74 ✓	485.48	.26 ✓	.00033 ✓
10	486.41 ✓	486.13	.28 ✓	.00036 ✓
100	487.75 ✓	487.31 ✓	.44 ✓	.00056 ✓

GET EXISTING TRACTIVE STRESS ACROSS POND  
 USE T = VDS GET MAX D. FROM PG 41  
 MAX D. WS - MIN CHAN FLEV. AT VSEC 3424

4R-FLOOD	MAX DEPTH (FT)	E.G. SLOPE	T (LB/FT <sup>2</sup> )
1	2.96	.000305	0.075
2	4.71	.00033	0.0908
10	5.13	.00036	0.1152
100	6.42	.00056	0.224

*Handwritten notes:*  
 T IS MAX...  
 THESE...  
 ALMOST TRIPLE T 1/2 YR.

NOTE: ~~THE~~ PRESENT T 1/2 YR = .082 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>  
 NEW 1/2 YR T = .5 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>  
 INCREASE =  $\frac{.5}{.082} = 6.1$  TIMES GREATER

HEC-RAS Plan: EXIST River: Steele Brook Reach: Main Channel US

Reach	River Sta	Profile	E.G. Elev (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Min Ch El (ft)	Vel Head (ft)	Frctn Loss (ft)	C & E Loss (ft)	Q Left (cfs)	Q Channel (cfs)	Q Right (cfs)	Top Width (ft)
Main Channel US	342.8	FEMA 100-YR	487.99	487.83	482.30	0.16	0.21	0.04	496.65	602.39	960.96	383.93
Main Channel US	342.8	FEMA 10-YR	486.66	486.46	482.30	0.20	0.19	0.05	67.08	387.94	364.97	282.63
Main Channel US	342.8	M&M 2-YR	486.00	485.64	482.30	0.37	0.16	0.11	1.77	307.83	95.41	186.37
Main Channel US	342.8	M&M 1-YR	485.56	485.32	482.30	0.24	0.16	0.07		193.77	27.23	115.51
Main Channel US	342.7	FEMA 100-YR	487.75	487.71	482.30	0.04	0.05	0.01	4.42	2042.46	13.13	483.04
Main Channel US	342.7	FEMA 10-YR	486.41	486.39	482.30	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.72	817.23	2.05	389.28
Main Channel US	342.7	M&M 2-YR	485.74	485.73	482.30	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.12	404.53	0.35	291.80
Main Channel US	342.7	M&M 1-YR	485.33	485.32	482.30	0.01	0.05	0.00	0.02	220.98		273.71
Main Channel US	342.65		Lat Struct									
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 100-YR	487.69	487.68	482.40	0.02	0.03	0.00	274.52	1544.46	3.45	629.53
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 10-YR	486.38	486.37	482.40	0.01	0.02	0.00	66.44	710.43	0.55	560.23
Main Channel US	342.6	M&M 2-YR	485.71	485.71	482.40	0.01	0.03	0.00	17.59	380.52	0.09	486.98
Main Channel US	342.6	M&M 1-YR	485.29	485.27	482.40	0.01	0.05	0.00	7.71	212.89		433.47
Main Channel US	342.5	FEMA 100-YR	487.66	487.65	481.00	0.01	0.02	0.00	2.73	1819.55	0.14	560.98
Main Channel US	342.5	FEMA 10-YR	486.35	486.35	481.00	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.43	776.99		538.06
Main Channel US	342.5	M&M 2-YR	485.68	485.67	481.00	0.01	0.05	0.00	0.12	398.09		515.08
Main Channel US	342.5	M&M 1-YR	485.24	485.23	481.00	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.01	220.59		484.98
Main Channel US	342.45		Lat Struct									
Main Channel US	342.4	FEMA 100-YR	487.64	487.62	481.20	0.02	0.01	0.00	1.33	1813.66		513.51
Main Channel US	342.4	FEMA 10-YR	486.34	486.33	481.20	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.20	777.22		492.69
Main Channel US	342.4	M&M 2-YR	485.62	485.61	481.20	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.08	398.12		483.56
Main Channel US	342.4	M&M 1-YR	485.18	485.16	481.20	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	220.60		457.57
Main Channel US	342.3	FEMA 100-YR	487.62	487.62	481.60	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.64	833.97	430.54	381.00
Main Channel US	342.3	FEMA 10-YR	486.33	486.32	481.60	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.09	382.84	200.31	375.50
Main Channel US	342.3	M&M 2-YR	485.60	485.60	481.60	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	286.45	1.07	346.49
Main Channel US	342.3	M&M 1-YR	485.16	485.16	481.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	145.96	0.12	326.07
Main Channel US	342.2	FEMA 100-YR	487.61	487.55	481.30	0.05	0.02	0.28		1265.15		229.49
Main Channel US	342.2	FEMA 10-YR	486.32	486.30	481.30	0.02	0.01	0.17		583.24		221.98
Main Channel US	342.2	M&M 2-YR	485.60	485.59	481.30	0.01	0.01	0.11		287.54		219.61
Main Channel US	342.2	M&M 1-YR	485.16	485.16	481.30	0.00	0.00	0.07		146.08		218.17
Main Channel US	342.1	HEMINWAY DAM	487.31	486.33	484.40	0.97	0.02	0.27		1265.15		82.70
Main Channel US	342.1	HEMINWAY DAM	486.13	485.55	484.40	0.58	0.02	0.16		583.24		82.66
Main Channel US	342.1	HEMINWAY DAM	485.48	485.12	484.40	0.36	0.14	0.08		287.54		82.64
Main Channel US	342.1	HEMINWAY DAM	485.09	484.86	484.40	0.23	0.34	0.03		146.08		82.62

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## REFINE BANKFULL CHANNEL GEOMETRY

TODD NEEDS EXISTING ENERGY GRADE FOR BANKFULL AT REFERENCE RIFFLE 40+17.73

FROM SHT 34.1 MEASURED ENERGY GRADE OF 1-YR FROM 344 TO 345 SEE SHEET 34.2

ENERGY GRADE DIFF. 1-YR:  $487.04 - 485.89 = 1.15$  FT  
CHANNEL DIST. FROM PROF. = 244'

$$S = \frac{1.15}{244} = .0047$$

TODD AND I SAID  $N = .035$  IS REASONABLE

LOOK AT XSECS 344 SHT 37 ALL 1-YR CONT. IN CHANNEL  
345 ALL 1-YR 2, 10 CONTAINED IN CHANNEL

HEC-RAS USES 1-YR  $Q = 221$  CFS HERE.  $Q_2 = 405$

NOTE 11 & 12 BC TR-20 HAD  $Q_2 = 405$  CFS.

0566 2-YR = 221 NON ORG  
350 ORGANIZED SHT 16.3 BUT USED VERY LOOSE

TODD AND I DID FOLLOWING WORK <sup>BF RATIO</sup> OVER THE PHONE  
RIVERBENCH FOR REFERENCE RIFFLE HAS  
 $N = .035$

$$S = .0047 \quad d_{50} = 10 \text{ mm}$$

BKFL Width = 39.49 FT

BK Depth = 3.5 MAX DEPTH

AREA 94.08 FT<sup>2</sup>

$V = 5.0$  FT/SEC

$Q = 470$  CFS > M&M BC 2-YR

$T = 0.66$  LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

MEAN DEPTH = 2.38 R = 2.25'

IF TODD USES BKFL Field Meas. Slope = .0021 NEEDS FROM

RIFLE TO 200' D.S. STEEPEST AREA REACH IN VICINITY.

$V = 3.34$

$Q_2 = 341.4$

$T = 0.29$  LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

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REFINE EXISTING TRACTIVE STRESS FOR BANKFULL FLOW AT THE REFERENCE RIFFLE. (146+17.73)

REFINING TRACTIVE STRESS AT THE REFERENCE RIFFLE WILL HELP ANALYZE HOW STABLE THE EXISTING STREAM BED IS. WATER SURFACE SLOPE OR ENERGY GRADE IS AN IMPORTANT INPUT VARIABLE TO TRACTIVE STRESS. TODD'S PRIOR BANKFULL SHOTS AT THE REFERENCE RIFFLE AND GOING DOWNSTREAM SHOWED BANKFULL SLOPE = .0021. HOWEVER, THERE WERE NOT ENOUGH OF THEM TO BE FULLY CONFIDENT TO SAY HOW ACCURATE THIS WAS. THE HEC-RAS 1-YR ENERGY GRADE SLOPE IS .0047.

TO MEASURE THIS SLOPE ANOTHER WAY THE AVERAGE STREAM BOTTOM ELEV. OF THE REFERENCE RIFFLE AND SEWER LINE RIFFLE UPSTREAM AT 142+31 WERE DETERMINED AND A SLOPE CALCULATED. SEE SHOTS 44.1-44.3, 45.1-45.3 TODD SENT THIS DATA FROM RIVERMORPH.

FOR REFERENCE RIFFLE AV. ELEV OF APPROX. EQUAL SPACED POINTS OVER THE RIFFLE = 483.40 FOR BW = 37'

FOR SEWER LINE RIFFLE AV. ELEV = 483.92 FOR BOT. WIDTH = 25'

CHANNEL DISTANCE BETWEEN RIFFLES FROM HEC-RAS PROFILE  
SHOT 34.1 = 150'

FROM PLAN VIEW SHOT 10 = 206' PL ON CAD = 211'

FROM TODD'S NOTES = 197'

213' YELLOW LINE ON CAD

HEC-RAS 345 TO 344 = 250 FT

345 IS 41' US OF UPSTREAM RIFFLE } BEN HAS ELIMINATED THESE  
344 IS 52' DS OF REF RIFFLE

SO DIST BETWEEN RIFFLES = 250 - 41 - 52 = 157 FT

BEN SAID THE YELLOW LINE BETWEEN SEWER RIFFLE AND THE REFERENCE RIFFLE IS THE REAL DISTANCE = 213 FT

SLOPE BETWEEN RIFFLES =  $\frac{483.92 - 483.40}{213} = .00244$

NOTE: THESE ELEVATIONS REPRESENT DIFFERENT BOTTOM WIDTHS. SLOPE MIGHT NOT BE THAT VALID.

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ANOTHER WAY TO ESTIMATE THE SLOPE IS TO TAKE WATER SURFACE AT EST. BANKFUL = 433 CFS (NOTE THIS HAS SOME ERROR BECAUSE WE ASSUMED A SLOPE OF .0035 AT BOTH X SECS TO GET WATER SURFACE) AND ADD VELOCITY HEAD.  
FROM SHT 44.4 AT WS. ELEV 486.11 Q = 433 CFS  
 $V = 4.42 \text{ FT/SEC}$   
VEL. HEAD =  $\frac{(4.42)^2}{2(32.2)} = 0.303 \text{ FT}$   
EG. ELEV =  $486.11 + .303 = 486.41 \text{ FT}$

FROM SHT 45.4  
AT SEWER LINE RIFFLE WS ELEV = 487.1 Q = 433  
VEL. = 3.77 FT/SEC  
VEL H. =  $\frac{3.77^2}{2(32.2)} = 0.22$

ENERGY GRADE =  $487.1 + 0.22 = 487.32$

ENERGY GRADE SLOPE BETWEEN THE 2 RIFFLES  $\approx$

$$\frac{487.32 - 486.41}{213} = .00427$$

IF WE AVERAGE THE TWO SLOPE METHODS WE GET

$$\frac{.00244 + .00427}{2} = .0034$$

THIS IS OUR BEST ESTIMATE OF THE BANKFUL ENERGY GRADE EXISTING AT THE REFERENCE RIFFLE. IT HAS A MEAN DEPTH OF 2.47 FT.

TRACTION STRESS AT THE REF RIFFLE ( $T$ ) =  $\gamma D S$

$$T = \frac{62.4 \text{ LB}}{\text{FT}^3} (2.47 \text{ FT}) (.0034) = 0.52 \text{ LB/FT}^2$$

FROM SHT 31.2

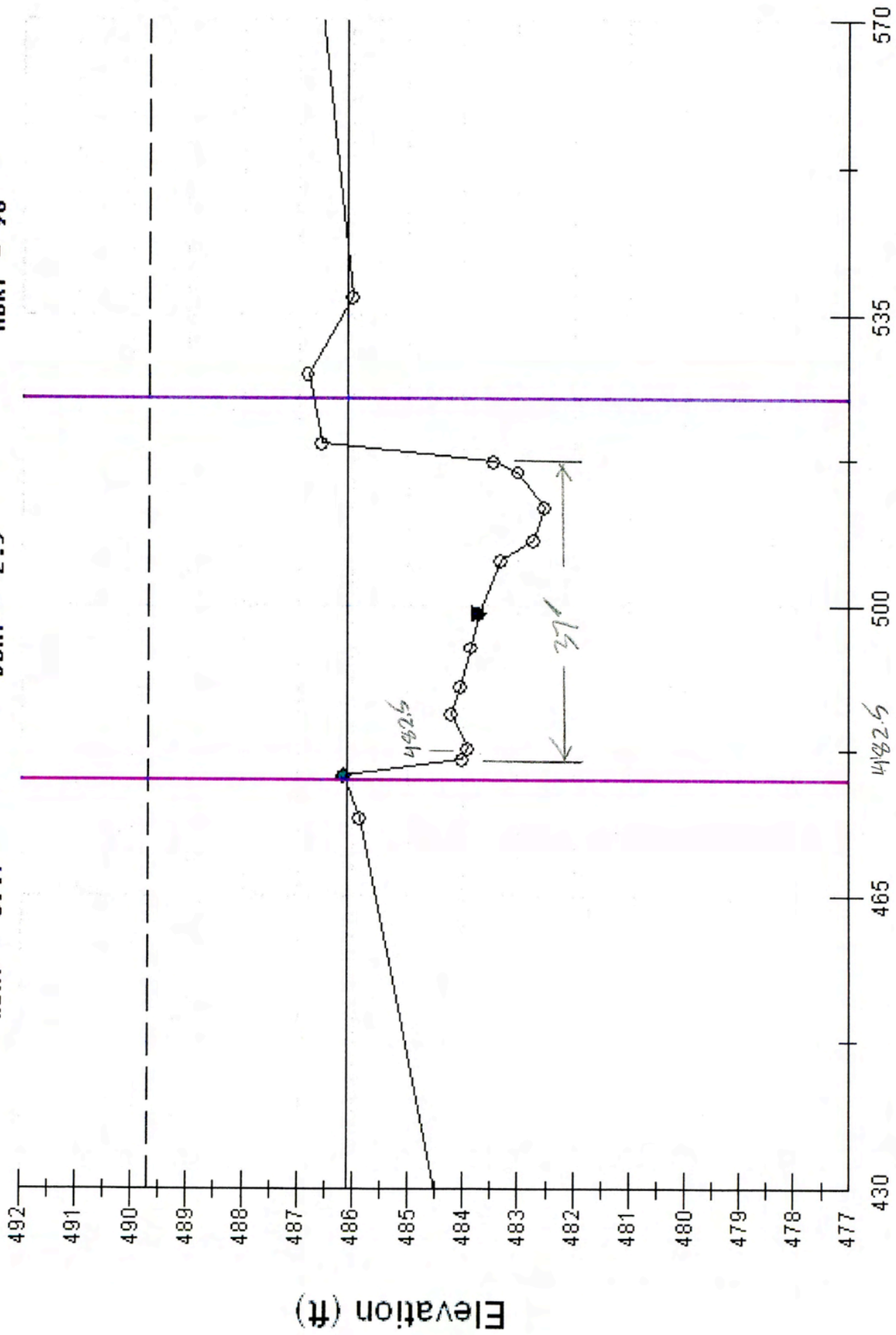
TODD'S SHIELDS ENTRAINMENT FOR 700.15 LB/FT<sup>2</sup> SANDS  
A 28.6 mm PARTICLE OR 1.2"  $D_{50}$  RIFFLE: 0.5" AND  
 $D_{94} = 2.1$  INCHES, SO THIS RIFFLE PROBABLY MOBILIZES IN BANKFUL EVEN

# Reference Riffle

140-17.73

44,108

- Ground Points **Wbkf = 39.7**
- ◆ Bankfull Indicators **Dbkf = 2.5**
- ▼ Water Surface Points **Abkf = 98**



SCALE 1" = 17.5'  
1" = 175'

Horizontal Distance (ft)

Elevation (ft)

Reference-Riffle-Summary Report.txt  
RIVERMORPH CROSS SECTION SUMMARY

River Name: Steele Brook  
Reach Name: Reach 1  
Cross Section Name: G-Riffle-2  
Survey Date: 09/25/08

Cross Section Data Entry

BM Elevation: 0 ft  
Backsight Rod Reading: 0 ft

TAPE	FS	ELEV	NOTE
0	0	500	
30.694	0	498	
59.016	0	496	
94.795	0	494	
132.581	0	492	
169.482	0	490	
207.207	0	488	
294.936	0	486	
342.813	0	484	
381.99	0	483.211	
413.256	0	484	
474.498	0	485.87	
479.54	0	486.17	
481.566	0	484.01	BKF
482.739	0	483.91	
487.027	0	484.22	
490.3	0	484.04	
495	0	483.85	
498.953	0	483.7	LEW
505.397	0	483.3	
507.848	0	482.71	
511.856	0	482.51	
516.103	0	483	
517.311	0	483.44	
519.571	0	486.55	
527.786	0	486.81	
537.085	0	486	
656.479	0	488	
659.841	0	490	
663.48	0	492	
667.129	0	494	
670.882	0	496	
677.706	0	498	
684.717	0	500	

SKIP  
100 CL @ 2'

AU. ELEV. BOXED PTS  
FROM STREAMBED =  
 $4350.56 / 9 = 483.40$

Cross Sectional Geometry

	Channel	Left	Right
Floodprone Elevation (ft)	489.69	489.69	489.69
Bankfull Elevation (ft)	486.1	486.1	486.1
Floodprone width (ft)	483.99	-----	-----
Bankfull width (ft)	39.64	17.56	22.07
Entrenchment Ratio	12.21	-----	-----

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Mean Depth (ft)	2.46	1.98	2.85
Maximum Depth (ft)	3.59	2.33	3.59
Width/Depth Ratio	16.11	8.87	7.74
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	97.64	34.83	62.8
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	42.12	20.83	25.95
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	2.32	1.67	2.42
Begin BKF Station	479.61	479.61	497.17
End BKF Station	519.24	497.17	519.24

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 Entrainment Calculations  
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Entrainment Formula: Shields Curve

	Channel	Left Side	Right Side
Slope	0.0035	0	0
Shear Stress (lb/sq ft)	0.51		
Movable Particle (mm)	29.3		

REFERENCE RIFFLE - (R-RIFFLE)																				
ELEV	DEPTH	AREA	WET PER	WIDTH	HYD RAD	MEAN D	SLOPE	ROUGH	R/D84	VELOCITY	U/U*	U^2/2g	DISCHARGE	SHEAR	POWER	POWER/W	FROUDE	TRANSPORT		
(ft)	(ft)	(sq ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft/ft)	[n] (ft^(1/6))		(fps)		(ft)	(cfs)	(psf)	(lb/s)	(lb/ft/s)		(lb/s)		
485.21	2.7	63.02	39.8	38.16	1.58	1.65	0.0035	0.035	0	3.41	8.08	0.18	214.81	0.35	46.91	1.23	0.47	1.44		
485.31	2.8	66.84	40.06	38.32	1.67	1.74	0.0035	0.035	0	3.54	8.15	0.19	236.4	0.36	51.63	1.35	0.47	2.46		
485.41	2.9	70.68	40.32	38.49	1.75	1.84	0.0035	0.035	0	3.65	8.22	0.21	257.9	0.38	56.33	1.46	0.47	3.78		
485.51	3	74.54	40.58	38.66	1.84	1.93	0.0035	0.035	0	3.77	8.29	0.22	281.23	0.4	61.42	1.59	0.48	5.13		
485.61	3.1	78.41	40.84	38.82	1.92	2.02	0.0035	0.035	0	3.88	8.34	0.23	304.35	0.42	66.47	1.71	0.48	6.6		
485.71	3.2	82.3	41.1	38.99	2	2.11	0.0035	0.035	0	3.99	8.4	0.25	328.26	0.44	71.69	1.84	0.48	8.19		
485.81	3.3	86.21	41.36	39.16	2.08	2.2	0.0035	0.035	0	4.09	8.46	0.26	352.96	0.45	77.09	1.97	0.49	9.89		
485.91	3.4	90.13	41.62	39.32	2.17	2.29	0.0035	0.035	0	4.21	8.52	0.28	379.58	0.47	82.9	2.11	0.49	11.68		
486.01	3.5	94.08	41.88	39.49	2.25	2.38	0.0035	0.035	0	4.31	8.57	0.29	405.9	0.49	88.65	2.24	0.49	13.58		
486.11	3.6	98.03	42.15	39.65	2.33	2.47	0.0035	0.035	0	4.42	8.62	0.3	432.91	0.51	94.55	2.38	0.5	15.56		
486.21	3.7	102.04	42.96	40.32	2.37	2.53	0.0035	0.035	0	4.47	8.64	0.31	455.76	0.52	99.54	2.47	0.49	17.27		

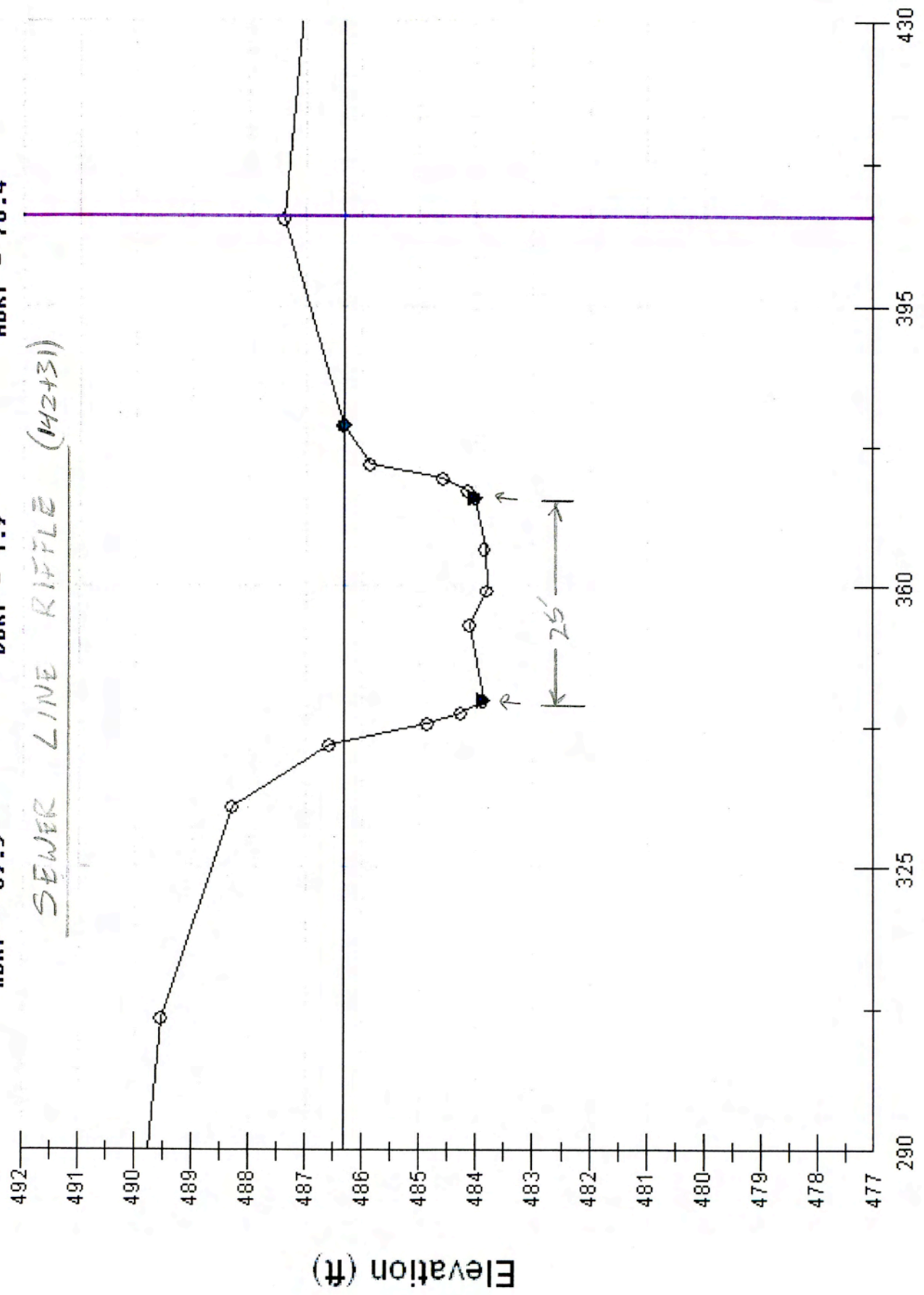
NOTE: The Yellow row is the Bankfull discharge from the reference riffle.

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○ Ground Points      ◆ Bankfull Indicators      ▼ Water Surface Points

Wbkf = 39.5      Dbkf = 1.9      Abkf = 76.4

SEWER LINE RIFFLE (142+31)



Horizontal Distance (ft)

Sewerline-Riffle-Summary Report.txt  
RIVERMORPH CROSS SECTION SUMMARY

River Name: Steele Brook  
 Reach Name: Reach 1  
 Cross Section Name: G-Riffle-1  
 Survey Date: 09/25/08

Cross Section Data Entry

BM Elevation: 0 ft  
 Backsight Rod Reading: 0 ft

TAPE	FS	ELEV	NOTE
0	0	500	
12.504	0	498	
22.102	0	496	
25.066	0	494	
55.926	0	494	
125.495	0	492	
202.147	0	490	
271.117	0	490	
306.473	0	489.53	
332.594	0	488.27	
340.213	0	486.57	
342.897	0	484.85	
344.183	0	484.27	
345.718	0	483.87	
355.332	0	484.1	LEW
359.545	0	483.8	
364.793	0	483.84	
371.148	0	484.01	REW
371.885	0	484.14	
373.481	0	484.58	
375.287	0	485.86	
380.065	0	486.33	BKF
405.744	0	487.37	
447.724	0	486.82	
527.329	0	486.56	
560.746	0	488	
567.217	0	490	
572.339	0	492	
578.851	0	494	
587.13	0	496	
595.424	0	498	
612.3	0	500	

NAVD 88 DATUM

AV. ELEV BOXED PIS =

$2419.62 / 5 = 483.92$

Cross Sectional Geometry

	Channel	Left	Right
Floodprone Elevation (ft)	488.86	488.86	488.86
Bankfull Elevation (ft)	486.33	486.33	486.33
Floodprone width (ft)	243.17	-----	-----
Bankfull width (ft)	39.48	17.71	21.77
Entrenchment Ratio	6.16	-----	-----
Mean Depth (ft)	1.94	2.09	1.81
Maximum Depth (ft)	2.53	2.46	2.53



## Sewerline-Riffle-Summary Report.txt

Width/Depth Ratio	20.35	8.47	12.03
Bankfull Area (sq ft)	76.42	36.93	39.48
Wetted Perimeter (ft)	40.6	20.77	24.71
Hydraulic Radius (ft)	1.88	1.78	1.6
Begin BKF Station	340.59	340.59	358.3
End BKF Station	380.07	358.3	380.07

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 Entrainment Calculations  
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Entrainment Formula: Shields Curve

	Channel	Left Side	Right Side
Slope	0.0035	0	0
Shear Stress (lb/sq ft)	0.41		
Movable Particle (mm)	22.6		

SEWER LINE RIFFLE (S-RIFFLE)																			
ELEV	DEPTH	AREA	WET PER	WIDTH	HYD RAD	MEAN D	SLOPE	ROUGH	R/D84	VELOCITY	U/U*	U^2/2g	DISCHARGE	SHEAR	POWER	POWER/W	FROUDE	TRANSPORT	
(ft)	(ft)	(sq ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft/ft)	[n] (ft^(1/6))		(fps)		(ft)	(cfs)	(psf)	(lb/s)	(lb/ft/s)		(lb/s)	
485.9	2.1	60.52	35.42	34.44	1.71	1.76	0.0035	0	0	3.51	7.99	0.19	212.33	0.37	46.37	1.35	0.47	2.23	
486	2.2	64.03	36.62	35.61	1.75	1.8	0.0035	0	0	3.51	7.9	0.19	224.65	0.38	49.06	1.38	0.46	2.84	
486.1	2.3	67.65	37.83	36.78	1.79	1.84	0.0035	0	0	3.51	7.81	0.19	237.35	0.39	51.84	1.41	0.46	3.51	
486.2	2.4	71.38	39.04	37.95	1.83	1.88	0.0035	0	0	3.51	7.73	0.19	250.44	0.4	54.7	1.44	0.45	4.25	
486.3	2.5	75.24	40.24	39.13	1.87	1.92	0.0035	0	0	3.51	7.64	0.19	263.98	0.41	57.65	1.47	0.45	5.07	
486.4	2.6	79.24	42.46	41.32	1.87	1.92	0.0035	0.035	0	3.81	8.31	0.23	302.21	0.41	66	1.6	0.49	5.52	
486.5	2.7	83.51	45.12	43.94	1.85	1.9	0.0035	0.035	0	3.79	8.29	0.22	316.22	0.4	69.06	1.57	0.48	5.7	
486.6	2.8	88.03	47.86	46.65	1.84	1.89	0.0035	0.035	0	3.77	8.29	0.22	332.13	0.4	72.54	1.55	0.48	6.05	
486.7	2.9	92.84	50.79	49.57	1.83	1.87	0.0035	0.035	0	3.76	8.28	0.22	349.01	0.4	76.22	1.54	0.48	6.2	
486.8	3	97.95	53.72	52.49	1.82	1.87	0.0035	0.035	0	3.75	8.27	0.22	366.87	0.4	80.13	1.53	0.48	6.74	
486.9	3.1	103.34	56.65	55.41	1.82	1.87	0.0035	0.035	0	3.75	8.27	0.22	387.06	0.4	84.53	1.53	0.48	7.27	
487	3.2	109.03	59.58	58.32	1.83	1.87	0.0035	0.035	0	3.76	8.28	0.22	409.87	0.4	89.52	1.53	0.48	7.81	
487.1	3.3	115.01	62.51	61.24	1.84	1.88	0.0035	0.035	0	3.77	8.29	0.22	433.92	0.4	94.77	1.55	0.48	8.61	
487.2	3.4	121.28	65.44	64.16	1.85	1.89	0.0035	0.035	0	3.79	8.29	0.22	459.23	0.4	100.3	1.56	0.49	9.45	
487.3	3.5	127.84	68.37	67.07	1.87	1.91	0.0035	0.035	0	3.81	8.31	0.23	487.56	0.41	106.48	1.59	0.49	10.63	

NOTE: The yellow row is the corresponding discharge for the bankfull discharge at the reference riffle.

NOTE: The green row is the discharge based on the field indicator for bankfull in the sewer-line reach. This reach is impacted, do not trust BKF.

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TODD, SUE, BEN, AND I HAD A TELECONFERENCE AND AGREED:

1) FOR ALT 3 THE DAM WILL BE CUT DOWN 1' FT ACROSS THE 81 FT LENGTH. THEN A BANKFULL CHANNEL WILL BE CUT 2.5 DEEPER IN MIDDLE OF DAM THAT LOWERS GRADE CONTROL AT THE DAM BY 3.5'. TODD WILL REFINE WIDTH OF CUT AT DAM BECAUSE DAM IS ACTUALLY A TRANSITION ZONE BETWEEN C TYPE CHANNEL AND AN A TYPE - MT STREAM CHANNEL.

2) THE FUTURE CHANNEL THROUGH THE POND WILL:  
a) USE SAME SINUOSITY AS EXISTING MODEL.

b) HAVE A CHANNEL BOTTOM SLOPE OF .0035 AND CARRY THIS UPSTREAM UNTIL IT DAYLIGHTS ABOVE EXISTING CHANNEL.

c) HAVE BANKFULL WIDTH = 39 FT

d) HAVE MEAN DEPTH = 2.5 FT

e) AREA = 94 FT<sup>2</sup>

QUICK CALCULATION INDICATES THE CHANNEL WILL DAYLIGHT ABOUT 150 UPSTREAM OF 136450 THIS IS STILL 95' D.S. OF 342.8 134101. AT CHANNEL BOTTOM = 482.3. BEN ALSO SHOWED MIGHT BE GOOD TO STOP CHANNEL EXCAVATION AT 342.7 NEAR 136450 THIS PREVENTS INCISION AND DAMAGING GOOD RIPARIAN VEGETATION. PERHAPS COULD PUT IN A 0.5' DROP GRADE CONTROL STRUCTURE.

3) STARTING CHANNEL AT 3.5' BELOW PRESENT DAM CREST IS NEEDED TO GET DEEP ENOUGH CHANNEL TO CREATE FLOODPLAINS, INSTEAD OF PONDS. THIS WILL REDUCE WATER TEMPERATURE AND EVICT GEESE THEREBY IMPROVING WATER QUALITY.

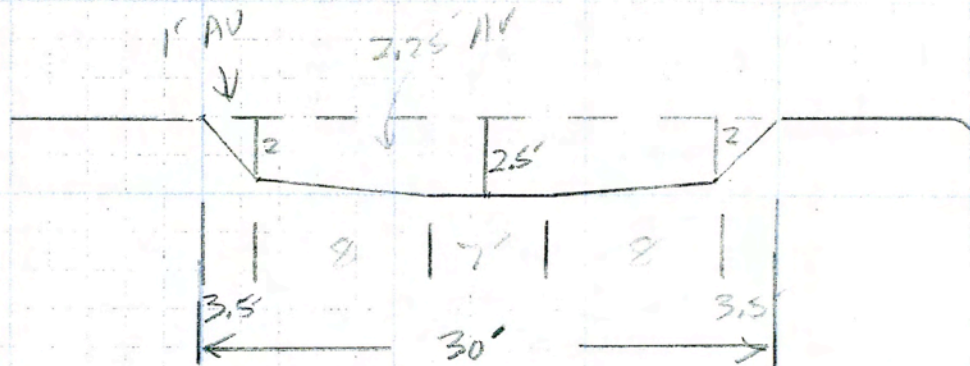
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## ESTIMATE FLOW THROUGH TODD'S PROPOSED DAM NOTCH



UPSTREAM VEL. HEAD EST. AT 4.42 FT/SEC FROM RIVER MORPH SHY 44.4

$$V_{HEAD} = \frac{V^2}{2g} = \frac{4.42^2}{2(32.2)} = 0.30 \text{ FT}$$

SO ADD 0.3 TO H IN WEIR EQ  
 $Q = C L H^{3/2}$  USE 3.0 FOR C

$$Q = 3(7)(2.2)^{3/2} = 98.4$$

$$= 3(16)(2.55)^{3/2} = 195.5$$

$$= 3(7)(1.3)^{3/2} = 31.1$$

$$\text{TOTAL } Q = \underline{325 \text{ CFS}}$$

REASONABLE BANKFULL Q.

M&M HAD 27R = 405  
14R = 221

USGS URBAN 350

WE THINK BANKFULL IN CT IS 1,24R

$$\text{SO } Q_{BANK} = 221 + .2(405 - 221) = 260 \text{ CFS. } \swarrow$$

← CLOSE ENOUGH

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TODD SAID UPSTREAM REF. RIFFLE THAT HAD BANKFULL  $Q = 433$  CFS AT SLOPE  $= .0035$  AND WD 40 FT  
MIGHT BE OVERSIZED SHT 444. ~~LATER NEED ESTIMATE BANKFULL 330 CFS~~

I SAID WE JUST DO NOT KNOW, BECAUSE WE HAVE NO GOOD GAUGE DATA FOR STEELE BROOK. WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT BANKFULL  $Q$  IS WITH VERY GOOD PRECISION

WE WILL ULTIMATELY NEED TO DO SOME SORT OF THRESHOLD CHANNEL ARMORING OF THE INSITU SANDS. IF CHANNEL IS A BIT OVERSIZED BEDLOAD CAN SETTLE IN IT FOR A WHILE AND THEN BE WASHED OUT BY BIGGER STONES. THAT'S BETTER THAN BEING UNDERSIZED AND HAVE CHANNEL RIPPED APART.

ALSO, AT DESIGN PHASE, IF MANY ~~LOGS~~ LOGS AND ROOT WADS OR MICRO FEATURES ARE PLACED, THIS WILL IMPROVE FLOW SO STARTING A BIT OVERSIZED IS A GOOD THING.

NEXT DRAW TYPICAL FISH RAMP WEIRS GOING DOWNSTREAM OF DAM (SEE NEXT SHT)

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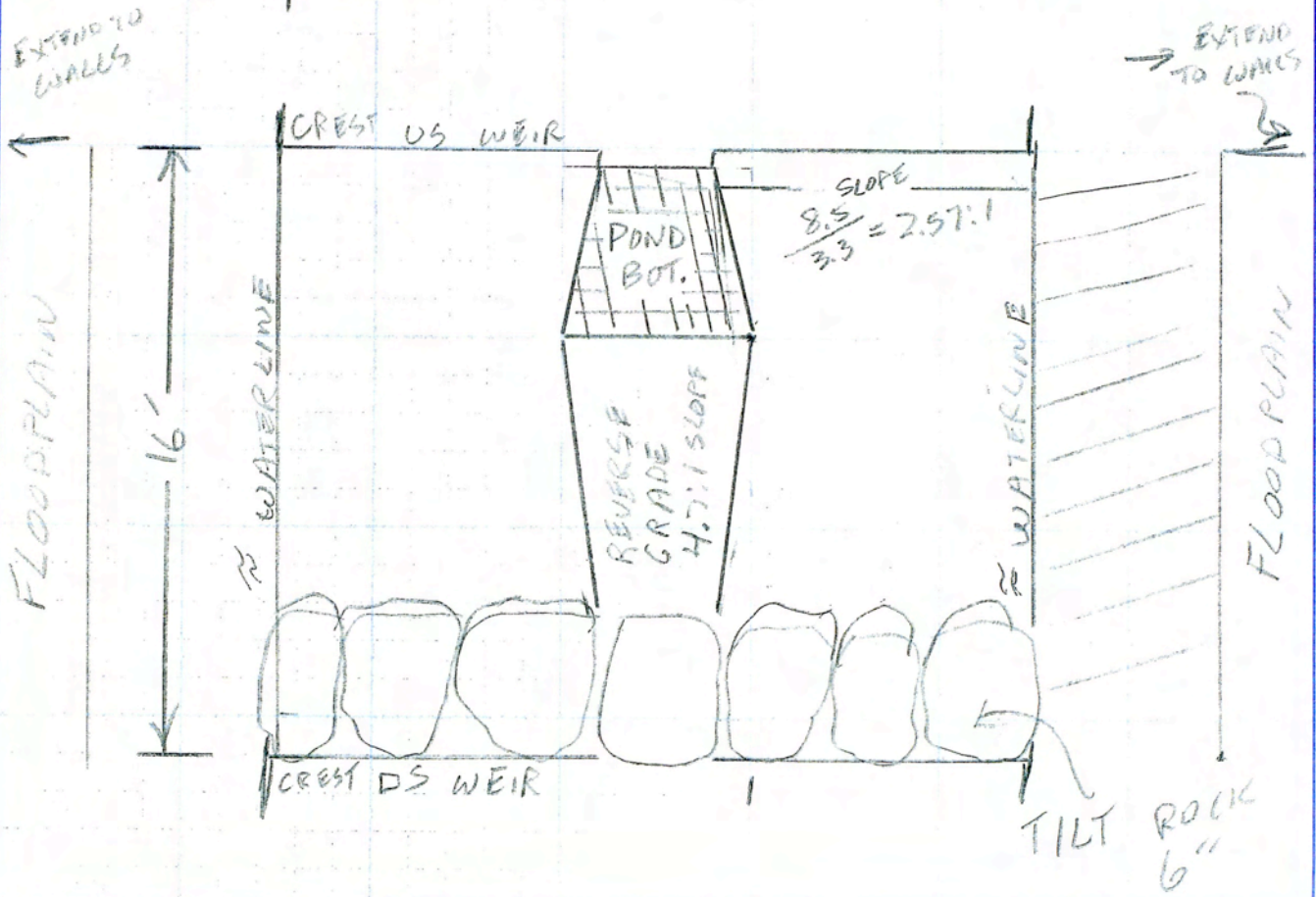
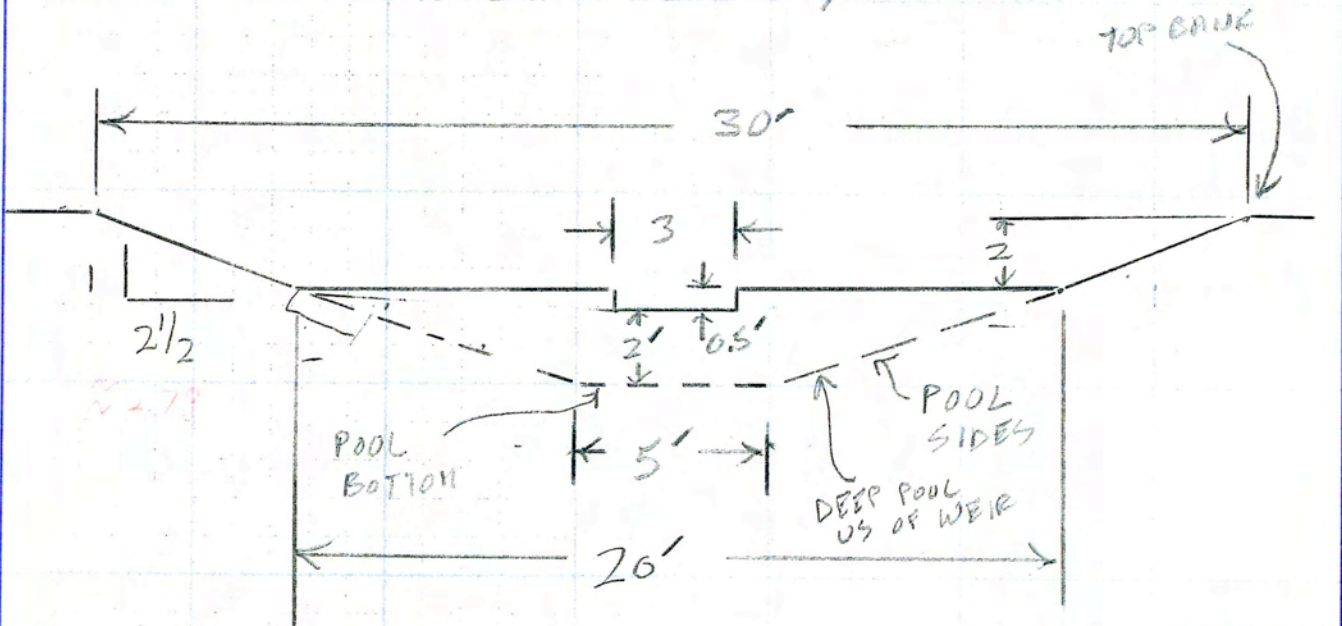
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## FISH RAMP - POOL WEIRS

TYPICAL POOL WEIR LOOKING UPSTREAM  
PROPOSED WEIR SECTIONS FOR FISH RAMP DOWNST.  
OF DAM 5% GRADE 0.8 FT/WEIR LIFT



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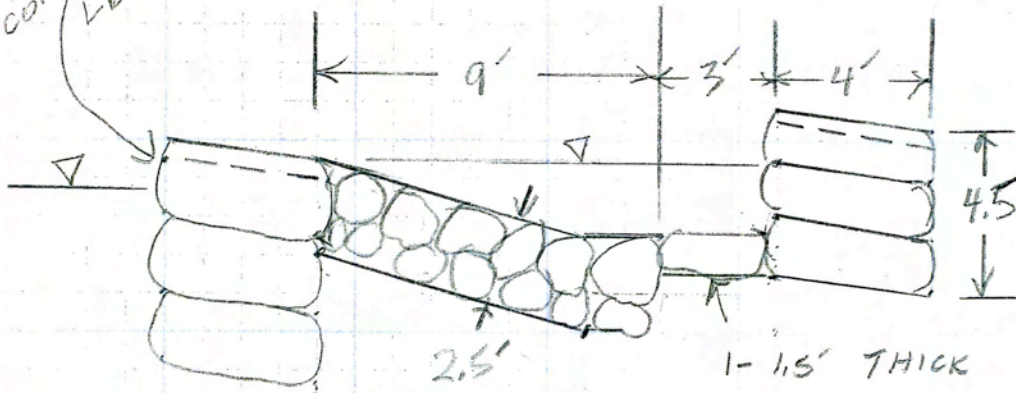
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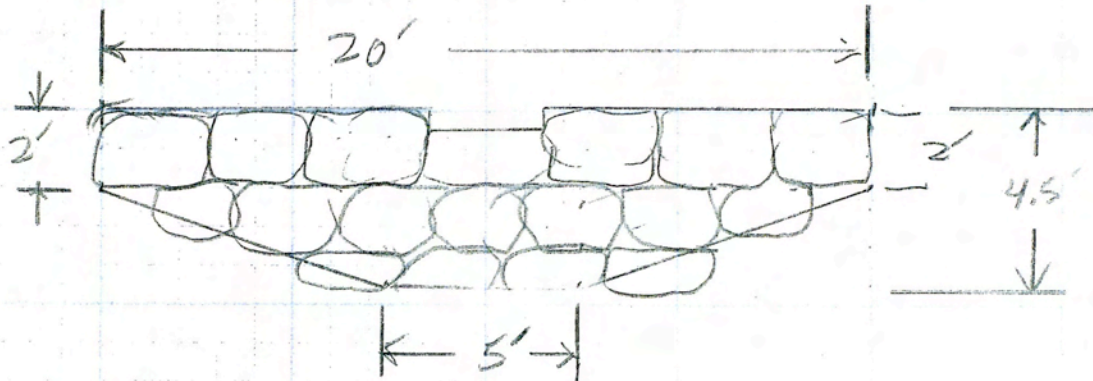
SEE 109.2 WEIR ROCK = 1'-2' THICK TOP ROCK AT LEAST 1.5' THICK, SPLASH PAD ROCK CAN BE 1' THICK

MIDDLE NOTCH CONTROLS H<sub>2</sub>O LEVEL.

### PROFILE



### CROSS SECTION - LARGE ROCK



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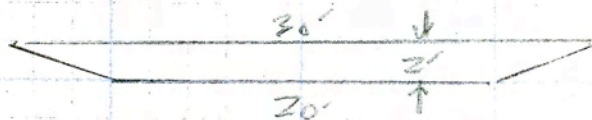
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## FISH RAMP Q, DEPTH, VELOCITY CALC.

NOTE: 30' WIDTH AT TOP OF BANK BLENDS NICELY WITH DAM NOTCH UPSTREAM

ESTIMATE Q AT 2' DEPTH OVER WEIR



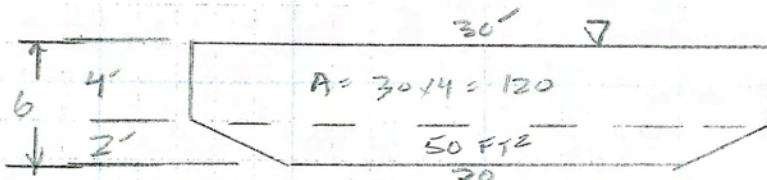
$S = .05$   $N = .065$  FROM USGS WATER SUPPLY PAPER 1249 PG 197 MERCED RIVER

$$A = \left( \frac{20 + 30}{2} \right) 2 = 50 \text{ FT}^2 \quad R = \frac{50}{20 + 2\sqrt{5^2 + 2^2}} = 1.624 \text{ FT}$$

$$Q = \frac{1.486}{N} A R^{2/3} S^{1/2} = \frac{1.486 (50) (1.624)^{2/3} (.05)^{1/2}}{.065} = 353 \text{ CFS}$$

> BANKFULL BUT NO REAL NEED TO HAVE BANKFULL FLOW BELOW FLOODLINE IN THE FISH LADDER. THE ENTIRE FISH LADDER WILL BE ROCKED AND NOT VEGETATED WITH FLOW CONCENTRATED TOWARD STRAICEST FEASIBLE POOL TO AID IN BEHIND FLUSHING, KEEPING WATER COOL AND BE KEEP POOL LEFT IN DROUGHT YEARS WITH MINIMAL BELOW GRADE PERCOLATION.

EST. Q AT 6' DEPTH - NOTE: SOME PARTS OF CHANNEL DOWNSTREAM ARE ONLY 30' WIDE



$$\text{TOTAL } A = 120 + 50 = 170 \text{ FT}^2$$

$$W.P. = \left( 4 + \sqrt{5^2 + 2^2} \right) 2 + 20 = 38.77 \text{ FT}$$

$$R = A / W.P. = 170 / 38.77 = 4.38$$

$$Q = \frac{1.486 (170)}{.065} (4.38)^{2/3} (.05)^{1/2} = 2327 \text{ CFS} \quad \rightarrow \text{FEMA } 100\text{-TR} = 2000 \text{ CFS}$$

$$V = Q / A = 2327 / 170 = 13.7 \text{ FT/SEC} \quad \text{WAMOO!}$$



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NOTE, FEMA Q'S <sup>COULD BE</sup> ~~ACT~~ ~~PROBABLY~~ HIGH

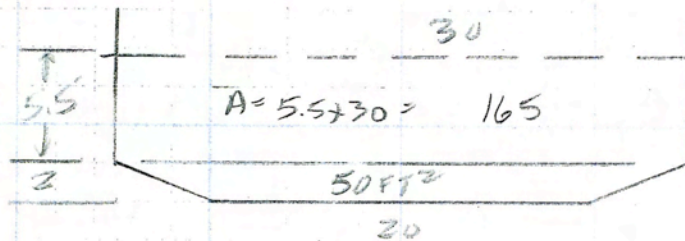
MALONE & MALBROOKS 100-YR TR20 = 2288 CFS

FROM USGS REG EQ. SCI INVEST 2004-5160  
PG 18 TYPICAL RATIO OF 500 TO 100 YR =

$$\frac{369 (5.73)^{.204}}{276 (5.73)^{.791}} = \frac{1501.69}{1079} = 1.39$$

SO EST. 500-YR = 2288 x 1.39 = 3181 CFS ← COULD STILL BE HIGH!

EST. FLOW DEPTH AT 7.5'



TOTAL A = 215 FT<sup>2</sup>

$$W.P. = 2 \left[ 5.5 + \sqrt{5^2 + 1^2} \right] + 20 = 41.77 \quad R = \frac{A}{WP} = \frac{215}{41.77} = 5.15$$

$$Q = \frac{1.486}{.065} (215) (5.15)^{2/3} (.05)^{1/2} = 3279 \text{ CFS}$$

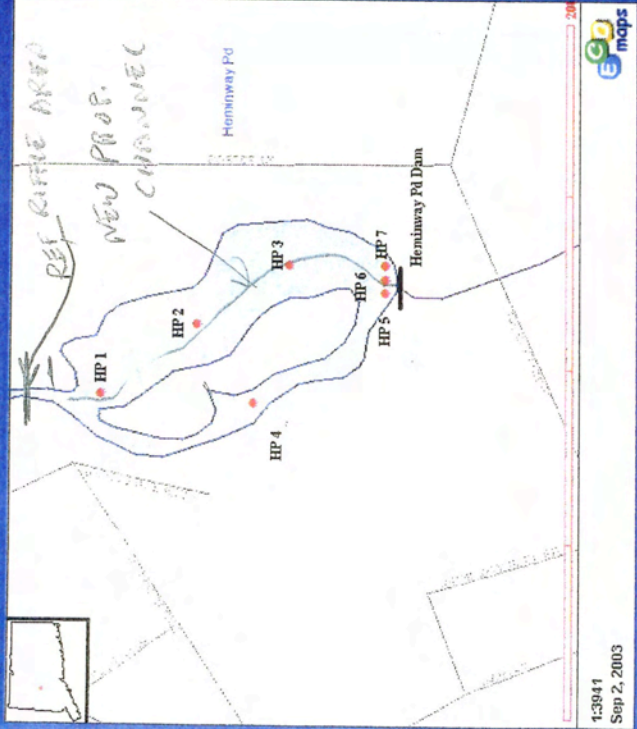
≈ 500-YR ~~STOE~~ FLOOD

$$V = \frac{Q}{A} = \frac{3279}{215} = 15.2 \text{ FT/SEC} \rightarrow \text{FAST}$$

SIZE ROCK WITH ISBASH FOR QUICK EST. PROFILE ON SHT 7 SHOWS 100-YR HAS 3' BACK WATER ON THE FIRST FISH WEIR AND 10-YR IS RIGHT AT 1ST WEIR ELEV. SO 100-YR Q AND VELOCITY IS MORE THAN ADEQUATE FOR ~~Q~~ QUANTITY TALLE.

# Heminway Pond Sediment Sampling - August 2003

Sampling Locations



Sediment Core



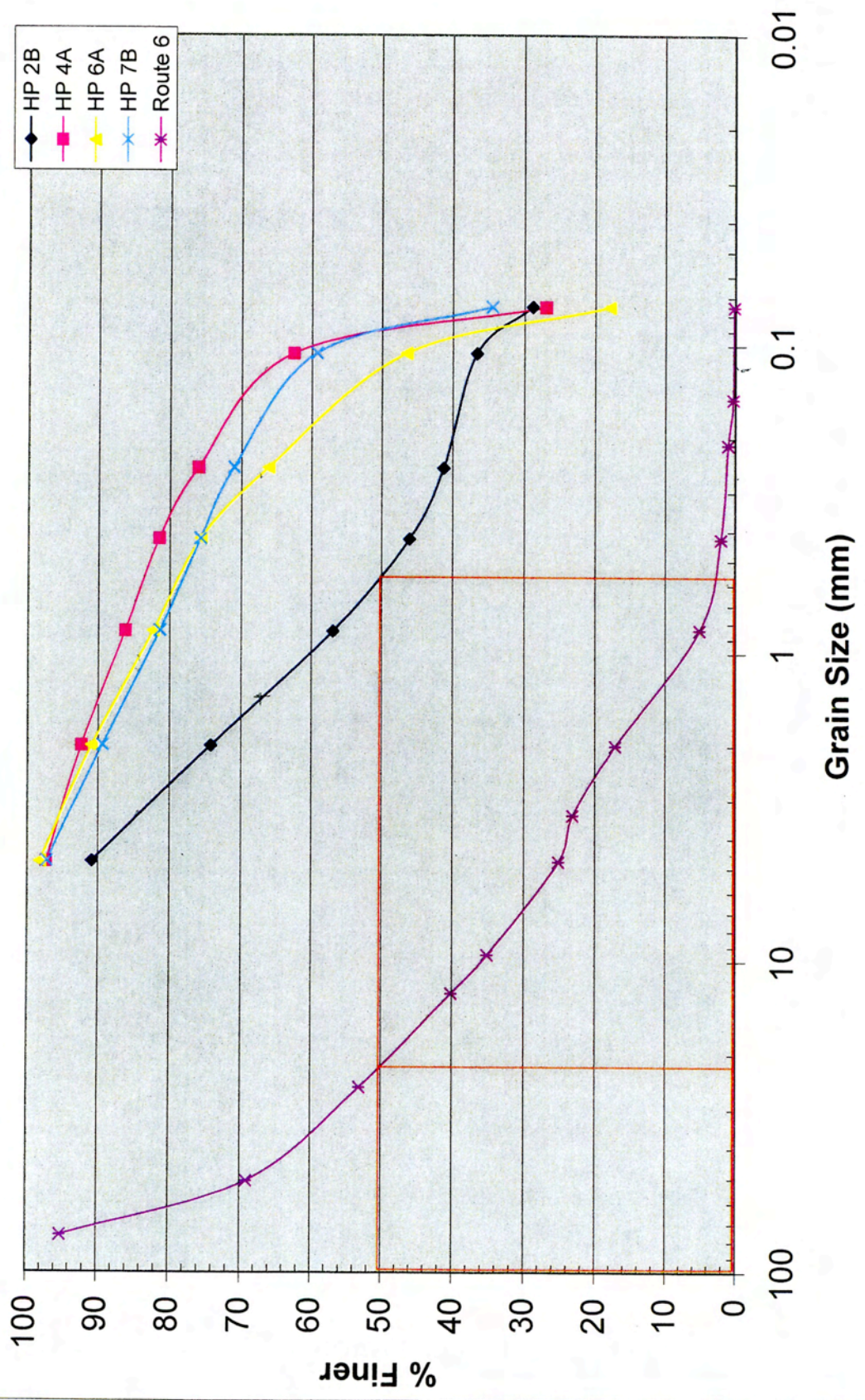
Sediment Core



## Results

- No Pesticides or PCB's detected
- Most sediments not likely to pose risk to aquatic life or people
- Isolating sediments at station HP4 should be evaluated because the levels of metals and PAHs are slightly higher than benchmarks

# Heminway Pond Sediment Sample Gradations



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ANALYZE MORE SEDIMENT DATA FROM DEP  
SEE SMT 47 AND 48

THE NEW CHANNEL WILL FLOW THROUGH HP 5, 67 AND HP 3 AND GO TO REF RIFFLE UPSTREAM OF HP 1 HP 2 & HP 4 ARE IN SIDE POND AREAS PROB BOB NEAR DAM SAMPLE GRAD. AVAILABLE ARE 6A, 7B. THERE IS NO 3 OR 5

SAMPLE	D10	P35	D50 <sup>mm</sup>	D67	D84	D100
HP 6A	0.08	0.09	.14	.27	1	4.8 <sup>D90</sup>
HP 7B	<del>0.08</del>	0.08	0.09	.17	1.03	4.8 <sup>P90</sup>
HP 2B		0.09	0.57	1.5	3.3	4.8 <sup>D90</sup>

NOTE, THE REF. RIFFLE SAMPLE HERE WAS MORE GRAVELLY WITH  $D_{50} = 1.2$

HP 4A	0.08	0.09	0.11	.68	4.8
AVERAGE OF 4		0.22	0.51	1.50	

NOTE HP 2B AND HP 4A ARE LIKELY IN QUIET POOL AREAS AWAY FROM THE CENTRAL ALLUVIAL CHANNEL THAT FLOWS THROUGH THE ALLUVIAL FAN OF SEDIMENT GROWING ACROSS THE POND.

TODD ALSO WALKED DOWN THE POND AS FAR AS HE COULD GO DOWN THE CENTRAL CHANNEL TOT ABOUT 13H30, HE FOUND IT WAS COARSE SAND WITH A FEW LARGER 1/4" PER STONE SIZE PARTICLES, IE. 6 mm PARTICLES

NOTE, ABOVE 4 DEP SAMPLES HAVE LARGEST PARTICLES = 4.8 mm, NOT TO DIFFERENT FROM TODD'S CHANNEL WALK

THE 4 DEP PARTICLES HAVE AN  $D_{50} = 0.22$  mm AND  $D_{84} = 1.5$  mm

TODD ALSO SAID THERE ARE ABOUT 4 RIFFLES INCLUDING THE REF RIFFLE AT AND SEWER LINE WITH 2 MORE UPSTREAM GOING TO THE RT 6 BRIDGE THE LONG POOLS ARE QUITE SANDY, UPSTREAM OF RT 6 THE SEDIMENT GETS MORE COBBLY

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SEE PROFILE SHT 58

NOTE: BEN HAS CONVERTED ALL HEL-RAS MODELS TO NAVD 88 DATUM

THE RIFFLES TOOD MENTIONS PROVIDE STABILITY TO THE SYSTEM.

THE REF. RIFFLE HAS  $D_{50} = 0.5"$  AND  $D_{84} = 2.1$  (SHT 31.2)

ASSUME OTHER RIFFLES HAVE THIS, TOO

147' US OF 345 A SIDE TRIB FEEDS IN THAT FEEDS LARGE AMOUNTS OF SAND TO SYSTEM. PROBABLY ROAD SAND. JOU D.S. OF 346

INITIAL ANALYSIS ESTIMATED FUTURE BANKFULL STRESS AT .5 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

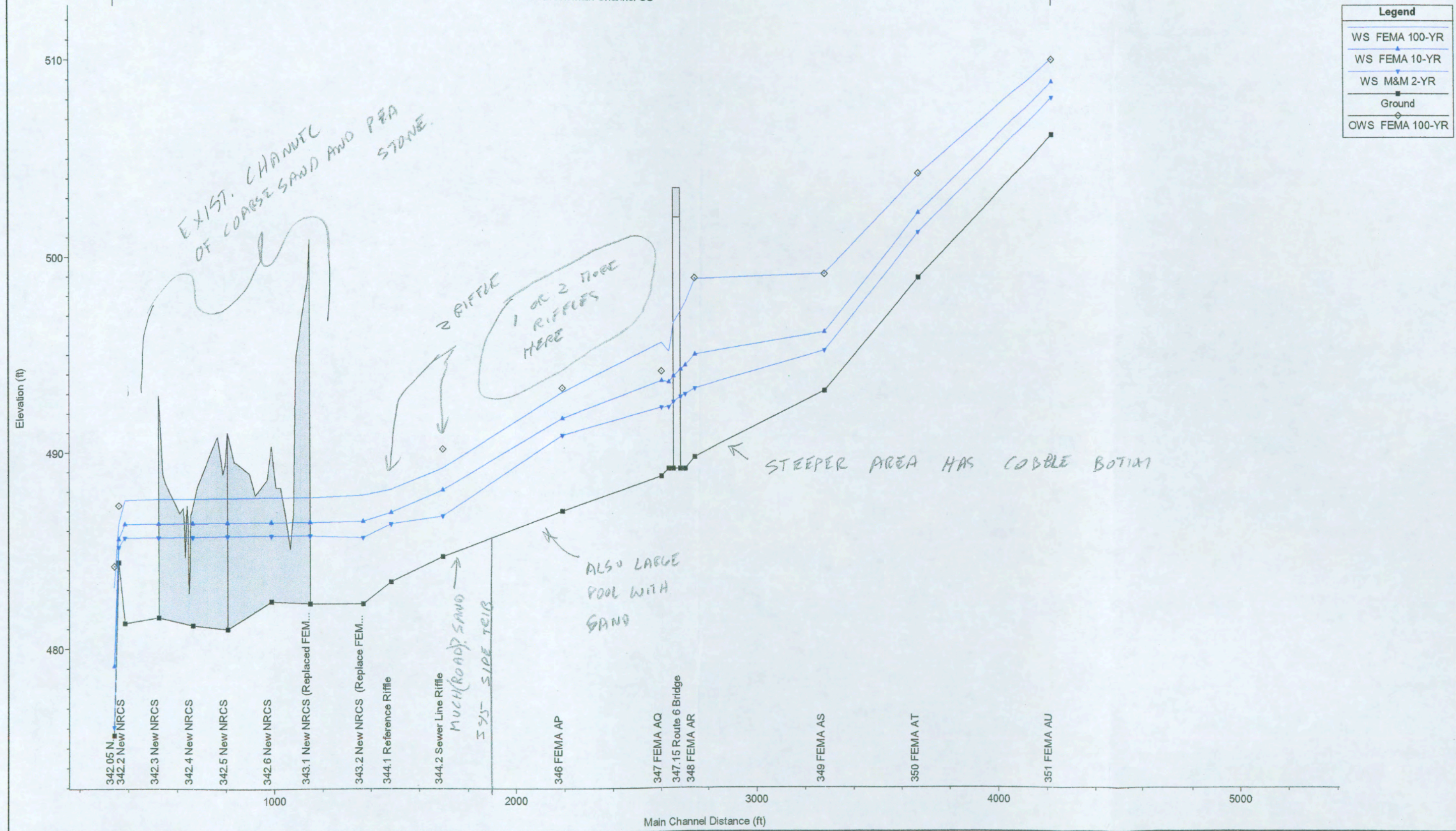
SHIELDS ENTRAINMENT SHOWS 0.5 LB/FT ENTRAINS  $\geq 2$ mm BY SHIELDS DATA OR 90mm (3.5") PARTICLE USING

ROUGH RIVER MORPH. SO CHANNEL WILL REQUIRE SOME SORT OF ARMORING. WAIT UNTIL HEL-RAS MODEL FUTURE CONDITION IS FINALIZED.

PL. 2. WHAT IS THE FLOW AT EXCESS OF BANKFULL.

Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: Existing Conditions 2/5/2009  
 Geom: FEMA Geometry Middle Channel

Steele Brook Main Channel US



Legend	
WS FEMA 100-YR	◆
WS FEMA 10-YR	▲
WS M&M 2-YR	▼
Ground	■
OWS FEMA 100-YR	◇

1 in Horiz. = 400 ft 1 in Vert. = 5 ft

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CHECK OUT ANDREWS EQ. IN RIVER MORPH FOR STREAM COMPETENCY.

METHOD REQUIRES FOLLOWING INPUT.

$D_{50 \text{ BED}}$ , PARTICLE WHICH 50% OF PARTICLES ARE FINER ON THE BED (IN MM).

$D_{\text{MAX BAR}}$  = LARGEST PARTICLE FOUND IN BAR (mm).

$D_{50 \text{ BAR}}$  PARTICLE AT WHICH 50% OF PARTICLES ARE FINER ON THE BAR (mm).

PROGRAM THEN CALCULATES A  $D_{\text{BAR}}/D_{50 \text{ BED}}$  WHICH EQUALS THE RATIO OF  $D_{\text{MAX BAR}}/D_{50 \text{ BED}}$ .  
SO THIS INFERS  $D_{\text{BAR}} = D_{\text{MAX BAR}}$

THE METHOD YIELDS DIMENSIONLESS SHEAR STRESS.

METHOD 1 USES THE CRITICAL DIMENSIONLESS SHEAR STRESS EQUATION:

$$T_c = .0834 * (D_{50 \text{ BED}}/D_{50 \text{ BAR}})^{-0.872}$$

WHERE  $T_c$  = CRITICAL DIMENSIONLESS SHEAR STRESS

APPLICABLE WHEN  $D_{50 \text{ BED}}/D_{50 \text{ BAR}} = 3.0-7.0$

$$\text{METHOD 2} = T_c = .0384 * (D_{\text{BAR}}/D_{50 \text{ BED}})^{-0.887}$$

APPLICABLE WHEN  $D_{\text{BAR}}/D_{50 \text{ BED}} = (1.3-3.0)$

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FOR  $D_{50BRO} = 25 \text{ mm}$   $D_{maxBAR} = 50$   $D_{50BAR} = 20$   $SLOPE = .0035$   
RIVERMORPH GIVES THIS OUTPUT

Method 1  $D_{50/REQ BAR} = 1.25$

$$T_c = .0627$$

Depth Needed = 5.31 FT ASSUME FLOW DEPTH WHERE PARTICLE MOBILIZES

$D_{50BRO}/BAR \neq 30-70$  METHOD 1 DOES NOT APPLY

$$METHOD 2 \quad D_{maxBAR} / D_{50BRO} = 2$$

$$T_c = 0.0208$$

DEPTH NEEDED = 1.61 FT

NOTE  $D_{bar}$  OR  $D_{maxBAR} = 2.0$  IS WITHIN  $1.3-3.0$  SO METHOD 2 APPLIES

NOTE: NEN-654 EQ. 8-19 GIVES

$$T_c = T^* (Y_s - Y_w) D \quad \text{WHERE}$$

$T_c$  = CRITICAL SHEAR IN LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

$T^*$  = dimensionless SHIELDS PARAMETER (ASSUME THIS IS CRITICAL DIMENS. SHEAR)

$Y_s$  = SPECIFIC WEIGHT SEDIMENT

$Y_w$  = SPECIFIC WEIGHT WATER

$D$  = PARTICLE DIAM. FEET

SO ASSUME  $T^* = 0.0208$  FROM ABOVE

$$Y_s = 165 \text{ LB/FT}^3 \quad Y_w = 62.4 \quad Y_s - Y_w = 102.6 \text{ LB/FT}^3$$

$$D = 25 \text{ mm} = 1'' = 1/12' = .08333'$$

$$T_c = 0.0208 \frac{(102.6 \text{ LB})}{\text{FT}^3} (.08333 \text{ FT}) = 0.1778 \text{ LB/FT}^2$$



**Adjustment for mixtures**

Natural streambeds seldom have uniform bed gradations. The critical bed shear stress equation must be modified for mixtures. There are two approaches: one is to select a  $\tau^*$  that is characteristic of mixtures; the other is to select a percent finer grain size that is characteristic of initiation of motion. Meyer-Peter and Muller (1948) and Gessler (1971) determined that when  $R^* > 400$ , the critical Shields parameter for sediment mixtures was about 0.047 when median grain size was used. Neill (1968) determined from his data that in gravel mixtures, most particles became mobile when  $\tau^*$  was 0.030, when median grain size was used for  $D$ . Andrews (1983) found a slight difference in  $\tau^*$  for different grain sizes in a mixture, and presented the equation 8-22:

$$\tau_i^* = 0.0834 \left( \frac{D_i}{D_{50}} \right)^{-0.872} \quad (\text{eq. 8-22})$$

where:

subscript,  $i$  = Shields parameter and grain size for size class  $i$

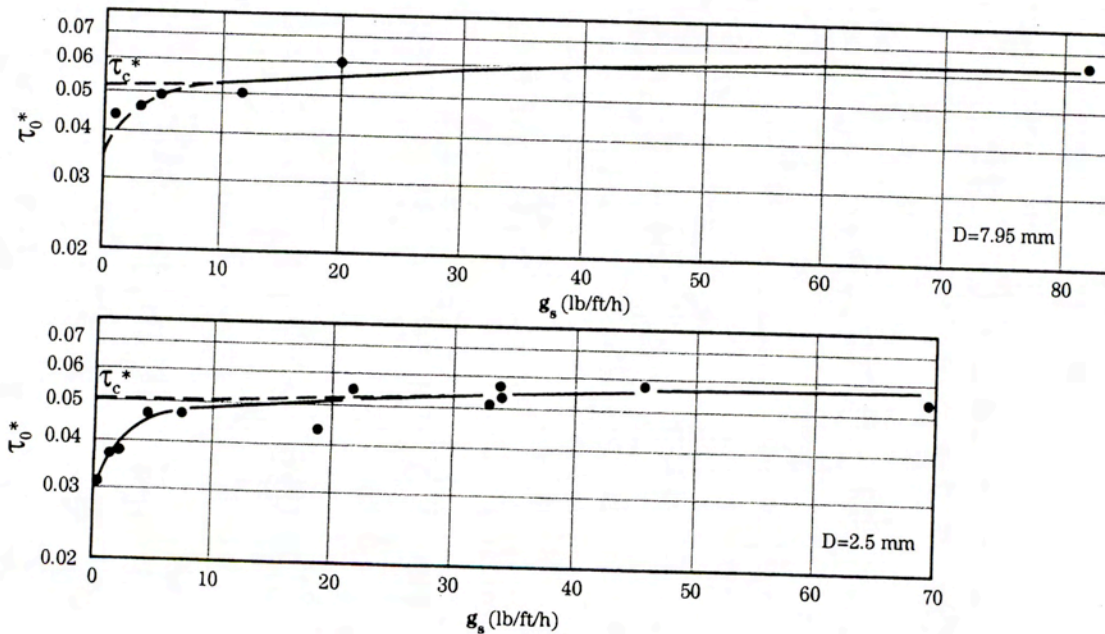
$D_{50}$  = median diameter of the subsurface material

The minimum value for  $\tau^*$  was found to be 0.020. According to Andrews, the critical shear stress for individual particles has a very small range; therefore, the entire bed becomes mobilized at nearly the same shear stress. However, Wilcock (1998) and Wilcock and McArdeil (1993) have demonstrated that this near-equal mobility result applies only to unimodal sediments with a small to modest standard deviation. In coarse beds with a wide range of sizes (especially mixtures of sand and gravel), the fines may begin to move at flows much smaller than the coarse grains.

**Gessler's concept for particle stability**

Critical shear stress is difficult to define because entrainment is sporadic at low shear stresses caused by bursts of turbulence. Due to the difficulty in defining initiation of motion in a flume, the Shields curve was developed by extrapolating measured sediment transport rates back to zero. Unfortunately, the relationship between the Shields parameter and sediment transport is not linear at low shear stresses. This phenomenon was demonstrated by Paintal (1971) (fig. 8-12). Note that the extrapolated critical dimensionless shear stress was about 0.05, but the actual critical dimensionless shear stress was 0.03.

**Figure 8-12** Variation in Shields parameter with decreasing sediment load



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NOTE: RIVER DEPTH HAS SHIELD ENTRAINMENT FUNCTION AND SHOWS FOR  $T_c$  0.177R LB/FT<sup>2</sup> → 0.18 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

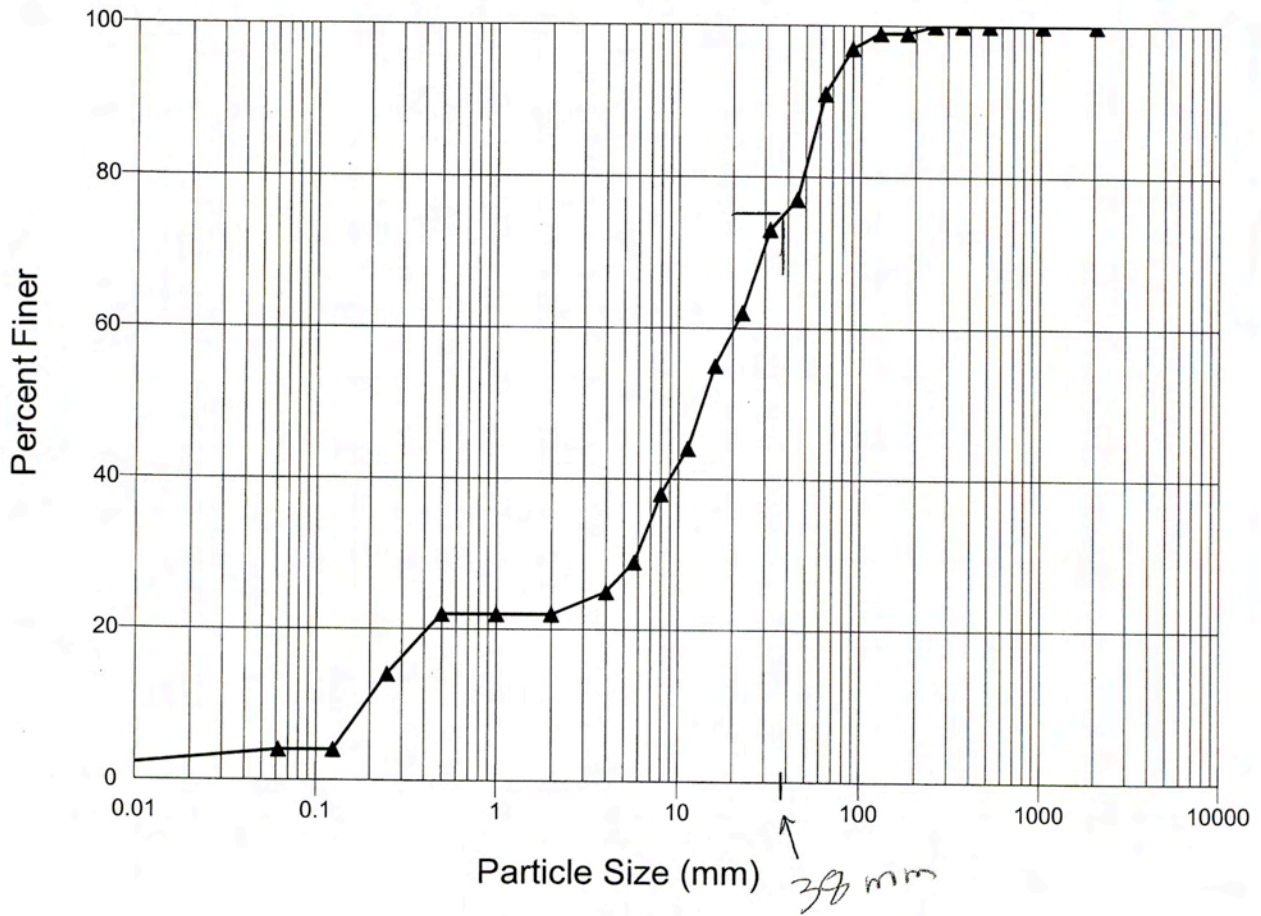
10.9 mm  $\approx$  0.43" ENTRAINS BY SHIELDS CURVE

4242 mm  $\approx$  1.67" ENTRAINS BY ROSGENS REAL WORLD MT STREAM DATA IN COLORADO

SO IN THIS CASE ANDREWS IS ABOUT 1/2 IN BETWEEN AT 1" DIAM.

HOW DOES THIS COMPARE TO DESIGN ARMORING FROM ~~SHEAR~~ ERAC TN-EMRA-SR-29 FISCHENICH TABLE 2  
1" GRAVEL → 0.33 LB/FT<sup>2</sup> PERMISSIBLE  
SHEAR EVEN THOUGH ANDREWS SAY CRITICAL SHEAR IS 0.18 LB/FT<sup>2</sup> PERMISSIBLE T SHOULD BE < CRITICAL

### Reference-Riffle



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River Name: Steele Brook  
 Reach Name: Reach 1  
 Sample Name: Reference-Riffle  
 Survey Date: 01/29/2009

Size (mm)	TOT #	ITEM %	CUM %
0 - 0.062	4	4.00	4.00
0.062 - 0.125	0	0.00	4.00
0.125 - 0.25	10	10.00	14.00
0.25 - 0.50	8	8.00	22.00
0.50 - 1.0	0	0.00	22.00
1.0 - 2.0	0	0.00	22.00
2.0 - 4.0	3	3.00	25.00
4.0 - 5.7	4	4.00	29.00
5.7 - 8.0	9	9.00	38.00
8.0 - 11.3	6	6.00	44.00
11.3 - 16.0	11	11.00	55.00
16.0 - 22.6	7	7.00	62.00
22.6 - 32.0	11	11.00	73.00
32 - 45	4	4.00	77.00
45 - 64	14	14.00	91.00
64 - 90	6	6.00	97.00
90 - 128	2	2.00	99.00
128 - 180	0	0.00	99.00
180 - 256	1	1.00	100.00
256 - 362	0	0.00	100.00
362 - 512	0	0.00	100.00
512 - 1024	0	0.00	100.00
1024 - 2048	0	0.00	100.00
Bedrock	0	0.00	100.00

D16 (mm)	0.31
D35 (mm)	7.23
D50 (mm)	13.86
D84 (mm)	54.5
D95 (mm)	81.33
D100 (mm)	255.99
Silt/Clay (%)	4
Sand (%)	18
Gravel (%)	69
Cobble (%)	9
Boulder (%)	0
Bedrock (%)	0

Total Particles = 100.

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BEN HAS FINISHED BOTH MATURE N AND NEWLY CONSTRUCTED - N PARTIAL DAM REMOVAL HEC-RAS RUNS. HE MODIFIED THE NEWLY CONSTRUCTED N'S FROM SHT 66-72 A BIT.

THERE IS VERY LITTLE DIFFERENCE IN THE ENERGY GRADE OR WATER SURFACE OF NEWLY CONSTRUCTED N-VALUES VS MATURE N-VALUE RUN.

THE 10-YR MATURE N RUN HAS A HYD. JUMP FROM 3442 SEWER LINE TO 3441 R/R. **RISEK. MAKE NOT A JUMP. POSSIBLY UNABLE TO SOLVE THE ENERGY EQUATION.**

PLOT MATURE N-VALUE BKF<sub>10</sub> 100-YR PROFILES AND SUMMARY TABLE 75.2-78

CALCULATE TRACTIVE STRESSES AND FIND ASSOCIATED PARTICLES THAT MOVE UNDER THAT STRESS

$$T = \gamma D S$$

LET D = WATER DEPTH, LET S = ENERGY GRADE SLOPE. MEASURE WATER DEPTHS AT PROFILES

YR - PROF. X SEC	MAX DEPTH (FT)	EG. SLOPE	T LB/FT <sup>2</sup>
BKF <sub>10</sub> MATN ALT 3 343.1 - 342.6	2.15	$(485.02 - 484.5) / 159 = .00327$	.439
10-YR MATN ALT 3 343.1 - 342.6	2.9	$(485.61 - 485.25) / 159 = .00226$	.409
100-YR " " " "	3.8	$(486.32 - 486.17) / 159 = .003459$	.820
BKF <sub>10</sub> MATN ALT 3 342.3 - 342.2	2.9	$(483.22 - 483.16) / 140 = .000429$	.0776
10-YR " " " "	3.8	$(484.18 - 484.09) / 140 = .000643$	.152
100-YR " " " "	5.2	$(485.73 - 485.64) / 140 = .000643$	.209

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YR-PROF.	CONTINUE		TRACTION STRESS		T LB/FT <sup>2</sup>
	X-SEC	MAX DEPTH (FT)	EG.	SLOPE	
BK1 Mat. N + EXIST SEWER LINE - 343.2	344.2	2.55	(486.77 - 485.92)	/325 = .0026	.576
110-YR	"	3.50	(488.18 - 486.17)	/325 = .00618	1.35
100-YR Mat. N + EXIST LINE 344.2 - 343.2	343.2	4.75	(489.22 - 487.25)	/325 = .00606	1.80

BK1 - EXIST	343.1 - 342.6	1.1	2.25	(484.99 - 484.76) / 159 = .00182	0.256
10-YR	"	2.2	3.15	(485.61 - 485.51) / 159 = .000629	0.1236
100-YR	"	4.1	4.4	(486.85 - 486.79) / 159 = .000377	0.1035
BK1 EXIST	342.3 - 342.2	1.1	4.143	(484.59 - 484.58) / 140 = .000071	0.1905
10-YR	"	4.9	5.2	(485.46 - 485.45) / 140 = .000071	0.230
100-YR	"	6.35	6.35	(486.73 - 486.71) / 140 = .000143	0.567

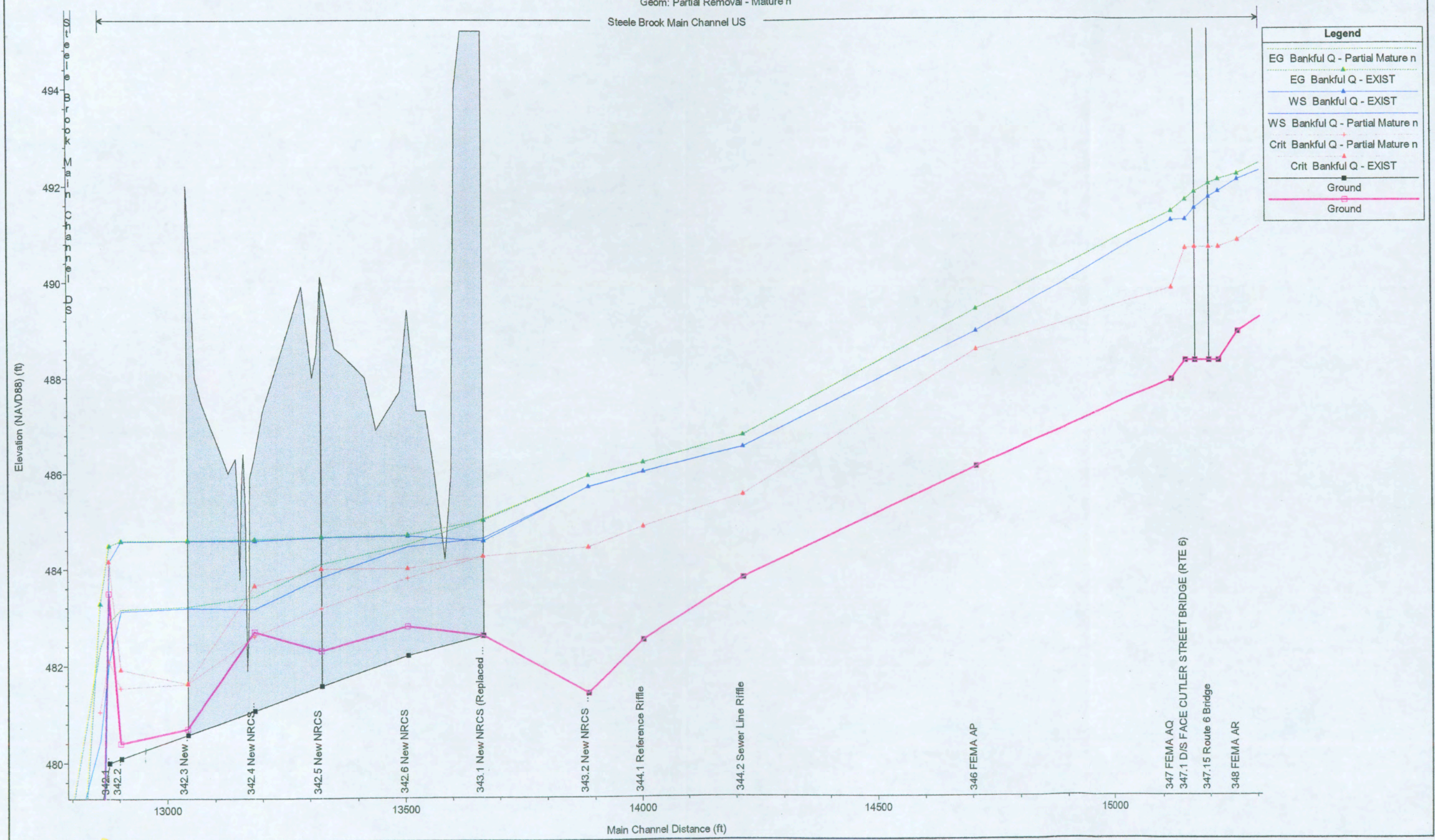
SHT 82 SHOWS PARTIAL RUN WITH NEWLY CONSTRUCTED FLOODPLAIN. N-VALUES DOES NOT CHANGE ENERGY GRADE MUCH FROM THE MATURE N VALUE RUN AND THE DEPTHS ARE SIMILAR TO 0.3' DIFFERENT EXCEPT FOR MID. JUMP AT REF. RIFFLE.

THE CROSS SECTIONS FROM THE REF RIFFLE AT 344.1 TO THE RAM AT 342.1 HAVE THE SAME DEPTH FOR THE MOST PART IN THE CHANNEL AND FLOODPLAIN DEEP PARTS. SO DO NOT CALCULATE DIFFERENT TRACTIVE STRESSES FOR THE FLOODPLAINS.

SHEETS 83-85 SHOW THERE MIGHT BE FLOODPLAIN SEEPAGE INTO FLOODPLAIN TRENCHES.

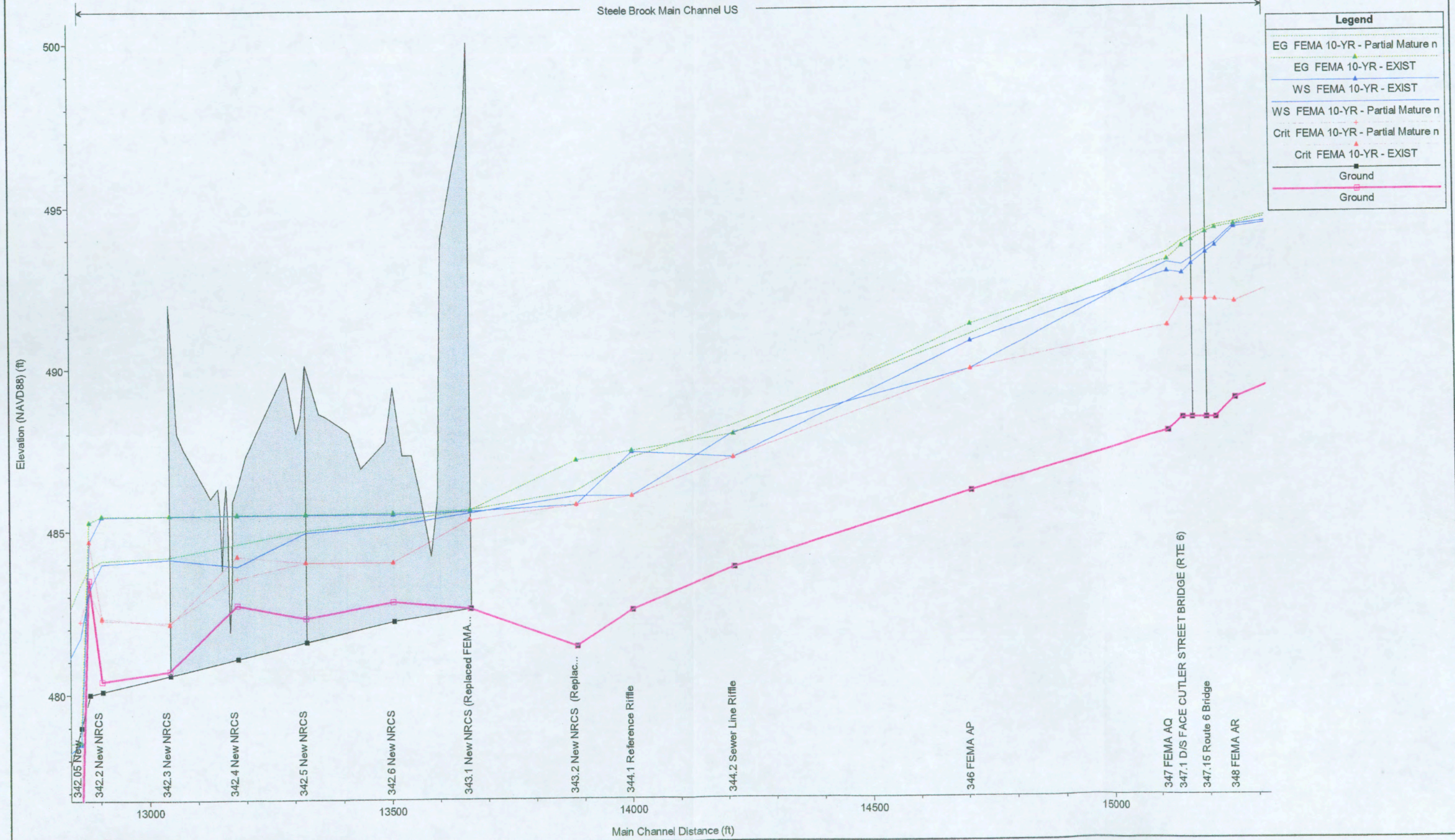
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 Steele Brook Main Channel US



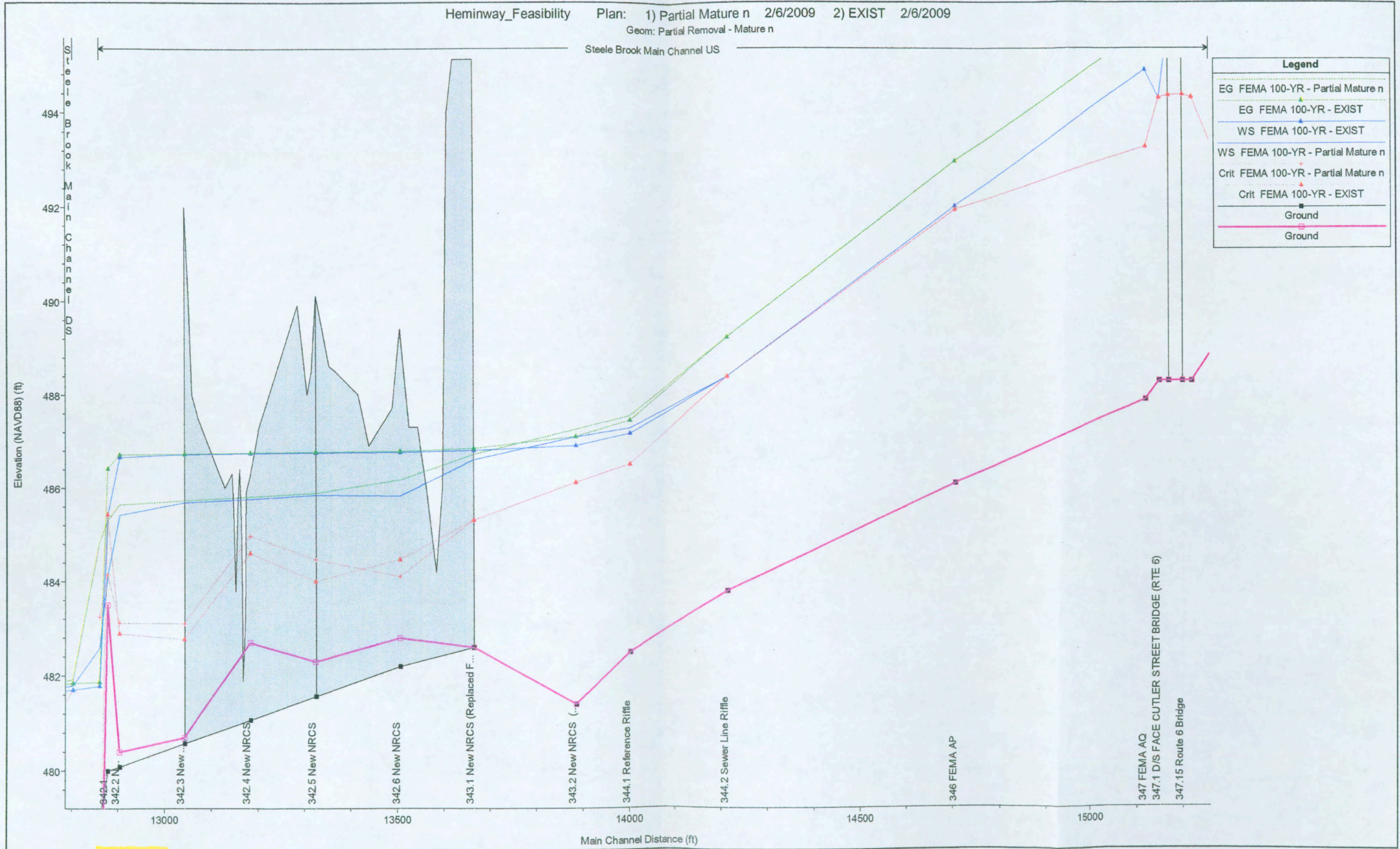
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Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: 1) Partial Mature n 2/6/2009 2) EXIST 2/6/2009  
 Geom: Partial Removal - Mature n



1 in Horiz. = 200 ft 1 in Vert. = 3 ft





1 in Horiz. = 200 ft 1 in Vert. = 2 ft

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HEC-RAS Plan: Partial Mature n

Reach	River Sta	Profile	Q Total (cfs)	Min Ch El (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Crit W.S. (ft)	E.G. Elev (ft)	E.G. Slope (ft/ft)	Vel Chnl (ft/s)	Flow Area (sq ft)	Top Width (ft)	Froude # Chl
Main Channel US	346 AP	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	486.10	492.03	491.95	492.97	0.008531	8.36	344.78	209.41	0.75
Main Channel US	346 AP	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	486.10	489.86	489.86	490.92	0.018611	8.28	98.98	46.34	1.00
Main Channel US	346 AP	Bankful Q	330.00	486.10	488.93	488.54	489.39	0.011044	5.43	60.73	36.14	0.74
Main Channel US	344.2	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	483.80	488.38	488.38	489.22	0.006883	8.96	428.85	231.15	0.77
Main Channel US	344.2	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	483.80	487.94	487.18	488.18	0.002040	4.53	327.52	225.02	0.41
Main Channel US	344.2	Bankful Q	330.00	483.80	486.53	485.53	486.77	0.002984	4.00	84.68	45.03	0.46
Main Channel US	344.1	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	482.50	487.29	486.51	487.54	0.003254	5.46	616.76	375.40	0.51
Main Channel US	344.1	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	482.50	486.00	486.00	487.19	0.014441	8.74	93.86	39.52	1.00
Main Channel US	344.1	Bankful Q	330.00	482.50	486.01	484.86	486.20	0.002322	3.51	94.08	39.93	0.40
Main Channel US	343.2	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	481.40	487.09	486.11	487.25	0.002262	4.87	828.81	389.85	0.43
Main Channel US	343.2	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	481.40	486.01	485.74	486.17	0.002464	4.17	337.51	174.51	0.42
Main Channel US	343.2	Bankful Q	330.00	481.40	485.68	484.42	485.92	0.002433	3.87	85.23	173.68	0.42
Main Channel US	343.1	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	482.60	486.60	485.31	486.72	0.002146	4.44	1207.67	476.41	0.41
Main Channel US	343.1	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	482.60	485.52	485.30	485.61	0.002193	3.53	512.40	392.65	0.39
Main Channel US	343.1	Bankful Q	330.00	482.60	484.62	484.24	485.02	0.007627	5.07	65.04	282.17	0.69
Main Channel US	342.65 Embankment & FP		Lat Struct									
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 100-YR	1807.81	482.20	485.83	484.11	486.17	0.005136	6.26	622.34	599.54	0.63
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 10-YR	762.59	482.20	485.14	484.00	485.25	0.002271	3.56	444.18	523.75	0.40
Main Channel US	342.6	Bankful Q	322.26	482.20	484.45	483.80	484.50	0.001308	2.20	283.02	446.31	0.29
Main Channel US	342.5	FEMA 100-YR	1807.81	481.57	485.84	484.47	485.88	0.000569	2.44	1529.26	551.38	0.22
Main Channel US	342.5	FEMA 10-YR	762.59	481.57	484.92	484.00	484.98	0.001115	2.84	716.41	520.50	0.29
Main Channel US	342.5	Bankful Q	322.26	481.57	483.82	483.18	484.09	0.004551	4.17	77.99	393.39	0.55
Main Channel US	342.45 Embankment		Lat Struct									
Main Channel US	342.4	FEMA 100-YR	1807.81	481.07	485.76	484.97	485.80	0.000580	2.64	1331.93	496.84	0.22
Main Channel US	342.4	FEMA 10-YR	762.59	481.07	483.89	483.52	484.57	0.008616	6.98	169.73	367.10	0.78
Main Channel US	342.4	Bankful Q	322.26	481.07	483.17	482.61	483.42	0.004835	4.21	99.92	170.09	0.56
Main Channel US	342.3	FEMA 100-YR	1628.29	480.58	485.69	483.12	485.73	0.000260	1.91	1345.66	376.01	0.16
Main Channel US	342.3	FEMA 10-YR	726.59	480.58	484.13	482.18	484.18	0.000537	2.10	535.23	321.61	0.21
Main Channel US	342.3	Bankful Q	310.54	480.58	483.19	481.63	483.22	0.000369	1.38	324.12	300.44	0.16

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HEC-RAS Plan: Partial Mature n (Continued)

Reach	River Sta	Profile	Q Total (cfs)	Min Ch El (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Crit W.S. (ft)	E.G. Elev (ft)	E.G. Slope (ft/ft)	Vel Chnl (ft/s)	Flow Area (sq ft)	Top Width (ft)	Froude # Chl
Main Channel US	342.2	FEMA 100-YR	1628.29	480.09	485.42	483.12	485.64	0.001220	4.15	573.37	222.07	0.34
Main Channel US	342.2	FEMA 10-YR	726.59	480.09	483.99	482.26	484.09	0.000872	2.76	379.52	217.12	0.27
Main Channel US	342.2	Bankful Q	310.54	480.09	483.12	481.54	483.16	0.000473	1.66	263.32	211.33	0.19
Main Channel US	342.1 HEMINWAY DAM	FEMA 100-YR	1628.29	480.00	484.15	484.15	485.30	0.007411	8.61	189.18	82.63	1.00
Main Channel US	342.1 HEMINWAY DAM	FEMA 10-YR	726.59	480.00	483.19	483.19	483.86	0.008484	6.60	110.10	81.00	1.00
Main Channel US	342.1 HEMINWAY DAM	Bankful Q	310.54	480.00	482.10	482.10	482.90	0.008079	7.19	43.17	26.98	1.00
Main Channel US	342.05	FEMA 100-YR	1628.29	479.00	482.59	483.25	484.83	0.132978	12.02	135.44	76.62	1.59
Main Channel US	342.05	FEMA 10-YR	726.59	479.00	481.73	482.22	483.34	0.206503	10.16	71.48	72.62	1.81
Main Channel US	342.05	Bankful Q	310.54	479.00	480.46	481.05	482.37	0.214143	11.11	27.96	25.26	1.86
Main Channel DS	341.2	FEMA 100-YR	2840.00	476.00	481.79	481.70	481.92	0.002770	2.93	995.06	541.91	0.25
Main Channel DS	341.2	FEMA 10-YR	1130.00	476.00	480.09	480.09	481.34	0.049050	8.99	125.66	50.09	1.00
Main Channel DS	341.2	Bankful Q	330.00	476.00	478.37	478.37	479.16	0.055942	7.11	46.43	29.33	1.00
Main Channel DS	341.1	FEMA 100-YR	2840.00	471.00	481.62	479.80	481.72	0.001250	3.26	1195.91	480.36	0.18
Main Channel DS	341.1	FEMA 10-YR	1130.00	471.00	477.43	475.39	478.02	0.009378	6.26	187.20	40.67	0.47
Main Channel DS	341.1	Bankful Q	330.00	471.00	474.47	473.37	474.74	0.009941	4.13	80.48	32.36	0.45
Main Channel DS	341 AL	FEMA 100-YR	2840.00	470.70	481.58	479.60	481.67	0.000411	3.50	1617.65	558.12	0.20
Main Channel DS	341 AL	FEMA 10-YR	1130.00	470.70	476.81	475.25	477.61	0.004056	7.23	163.72	36.95	0.56
Main Channel DS	341 AL	Bankful Q	330.00	470.70	473.48	473.17	474.05	0.009729	6.08	54.24	28.76	0.78

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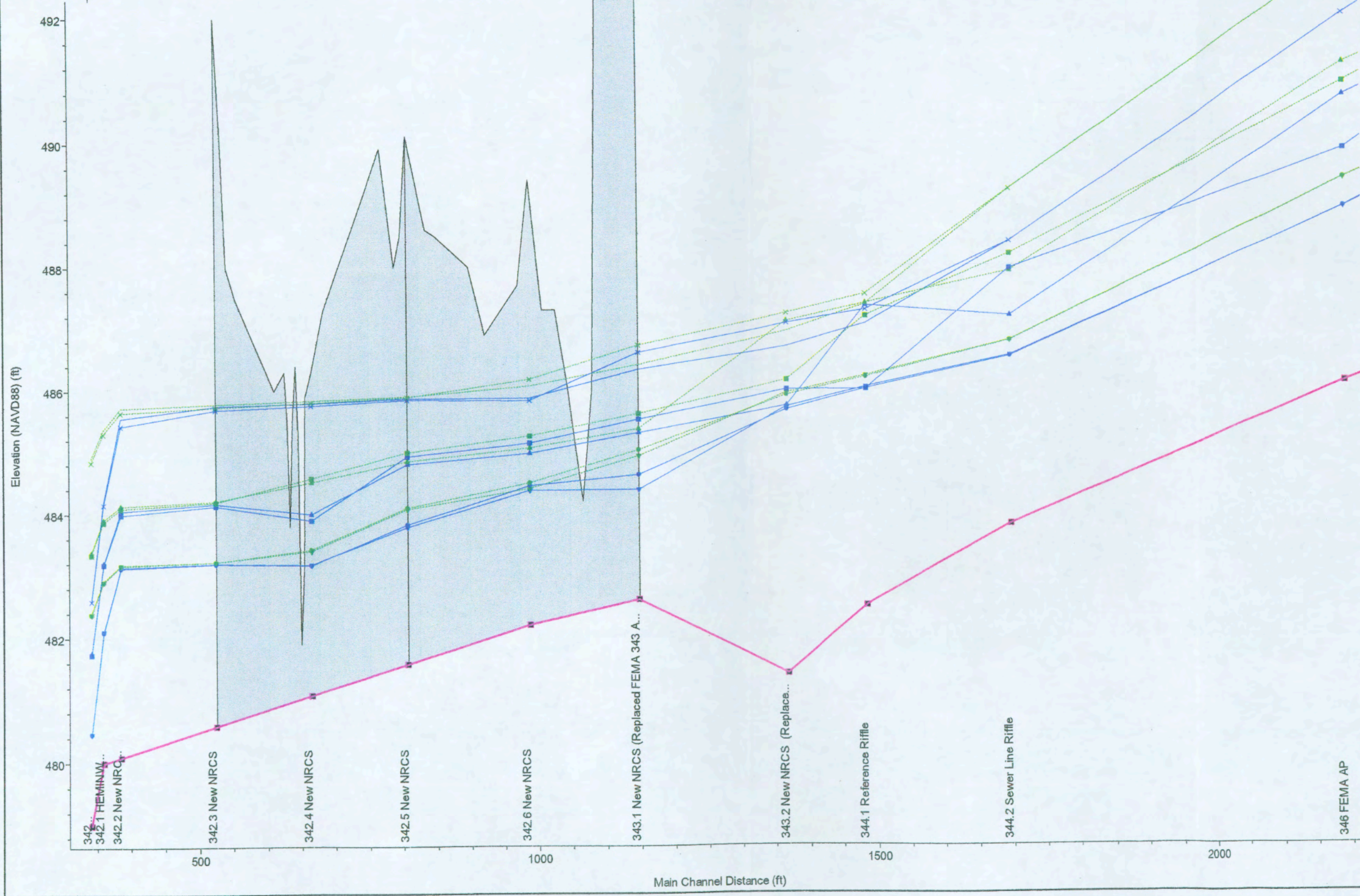
HEC-RAS Plan: EXIST River: Steele Brook Reach: Main Channel US

Reach	River Sta	Profile	Q Total (cfs)	Min Ch El (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Crit W.S. (ft)	E.G. Elev (ft)	E.G. Slope (ft/ft)	Vel Chnl (ft/s)	Flow Area (sq ft)	Top Width (ft)	Froude # Chl	Length Wtd. (ft)	Hydr Radius C (ft)	Max Chl Dpth (ft)
Main Channel US	346 AP	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	486.10	490.71	489.86	491.23	0.006642	5.78	143.88	73.80	0.62	491.54	2.63	4.61
Main Channel US	346 AP	Bankful Q	330.00	486.10	488.93	488.54	489.39	0.011069	5.44	60.68	36.12	0.74	494.00	1.64	2.83
Main Channel US	344.2	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	483.80	487.18	487.18	487.90	0.006831	7.12	167.07	182.90	0.73	209.70	2.89	3.38
Main Channel US	344.2	Bankful Q	330.00	483.80	486.53	485.53	486.77	0.002975	4.00	84.78	45.08	0.46	213.25	2.27	2.73
Main Channel US	344.1	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	482.50	487.36	486.00	487.39	0.000477	2.12	635.52	382.51	0.19	102.91	3.45	4.86
Main Channel US	344.1	Bankful Q	330.00	482.50	486.01	484.86	486.20	0.002307	3.50	94.27	40.28	0.40	116.18	2.25	3.51
Main Channel US	343.2	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	481.40	485.74	485.74	487.12	0.013999	9.41	87.15	173.84	1.00	218.88	2.56	4.34
Main Channel US	343.2	Bankful Q	330.00	481.40	485.69	484.42	485.92	0.002412	3.86	85.47	173.70	0.41	220.59	2.52	4.29
Main Channel US	343.1	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	482.60	485.57	485.30	485.61	0.000588	1.85	526.13	399.51	0.20	157.57	2.42	4.17
Main Channel US	343.1	Bankful Q	330.00	482.60	484.57	484.24	484.99	0.008488	5.25	62.89	279.81	0.72	158.32	1.55	3.17
Main Channel US	342.65 Embankment & FP		Lat Struct												
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 10-YR	743.78	482.80	485.47	484.00	485.51	0.000587	1.74	505.57	560.61	0.20	150.64	2.20	3.97
Main Channel US	342.6	Bankful Q	318.32	482.80	484.68	484.00	484.70	0.000394	1.09	312.06	472.71	0.16	158.00	1.47	3.18
Main Channel US	342.5	FEMA 10-YR	743.78	482.30	485.48	484.00	485.48	0.000064	0.59	1296.95	539.06	0.07	138.42	2.28	5.38
Main Channel US	342.5	Bankful Q	318.32	482.30	484.65	484.00	484.66	0.000152	0.68	499.82	509.38	0.10	148.07	1.48	4.55
Main Channel US	342.45 Embankment		Lat Struct												
Main Channel US	342.4	FEMA 10-YR	743.78	482.70	485.46	484.20	485.47	0.000090	0.51	1116.99	493.14	0.07	190.55	1.76	5.16
Main Channel US	342.4	Bankful Q	318.32	482.70	484.58	483.65	484.61	0.001040	1.10	258.77	481.30	0.21	141.81	0.88	4.28
Main Channel US	342.3	FEMA 10-YR	600.07	480.70	485.46	482.13	485.46	0.000031	0.48	1239.36	375.57	0.04	138.09	3.59	5.56
Main Channel US	342.3	Bankful Q	247.83	480.70	484.58	481.63	484.59	0.000030	0.40	628.56	336.64	0.04	139.34	2.72	4.68
Main Channel US	342.2	FEMA 10-YR	600.07	480.40	485.43	482.33	485.45	0.000150	1.13	530.44	222.09	0.10	25.65	3.91	5.03
Main Channel US	342.2	Bankful Q	247.83	480.40	484.58	481.92	484.58	0.000058	0.60	415.05	219.23	0.06	25.65	3.06	4.18
Main Channel US	342.1 HEMINWAY DAM	FEMA 10-YR	600.07	483.50	484.68	484.68	485.27	0.005725	6.16	97.43	82.66	1.00	18.35	1.15	1.18
Main Channel US	342.1 HEMINWAY DAM	Bankful Q	247.83	483.50	484.16	484.16	484.48	0.006752	4.57	54.28	82.63	0.99	18.35	0.65	0.66

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Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: 1) Partial 2/7/2009 2) Partial Mature n 2/6/2009  
Geom: Partial Removal

Steele Brook Main Channel US



Legend	
EG FEMA 100-YR - Partial	EG FEMA 100-YR - Partial Mature n
EG FEMA 10-YR - Partial	EG FEMA 10-YR - Partial Mature n
WS FEMA 100-YR - Partial	WS FEMA 100-YR - Partial Mature n
EG Bankful Q - Partial	EG Bankful Q - Partial Mature n
WS FEMA 10-YR - Partial	WS FEMA 10-YR - Partial Mature n
WS Bankful Q - Partial	WS Bankful Q - Partial Mature n
Ground	Ground

PARTIAL RUN  
HAS NEWLY  
CONSTRUCTED N-VALUES  
ON FLOODPLAINS

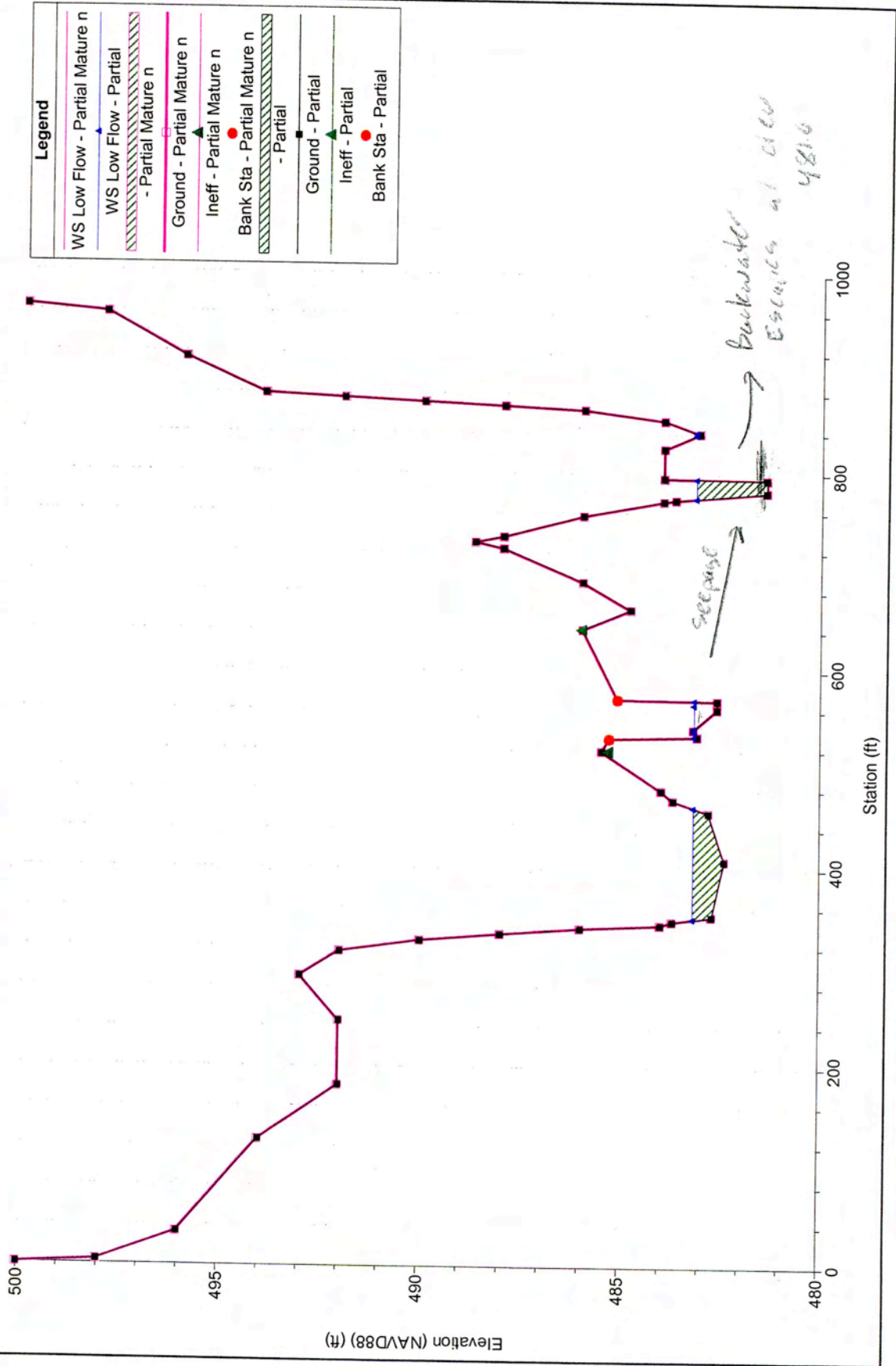
### Heminway\_Feasibility

Plan: 1) Partial

2) Partial Mature n

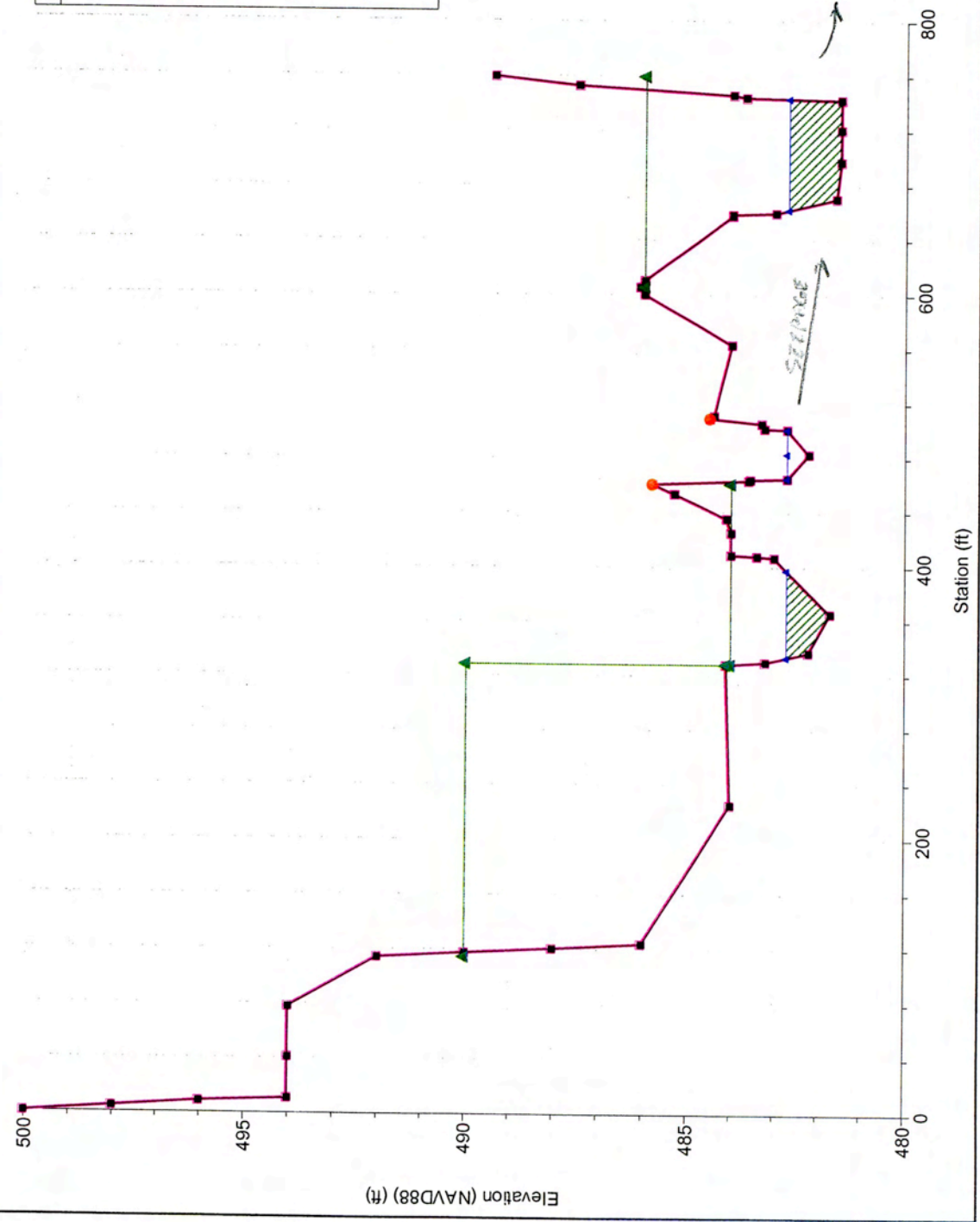
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River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 343.1 New NRCS (Replaced FEMA 343 AN)



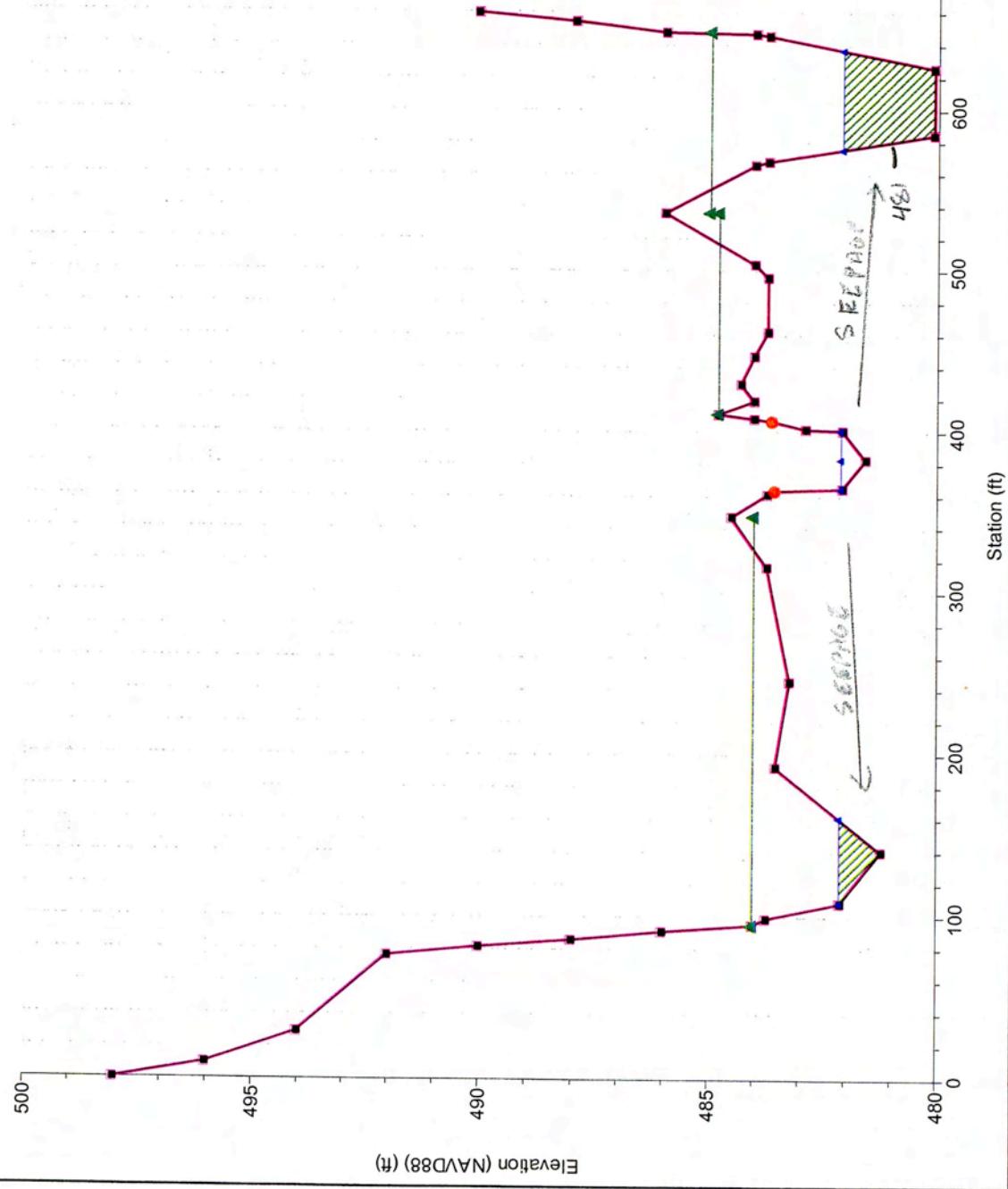
Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: 1) Partial 2) Partial Mature n  
Geom: Partial Removal  
River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 342.6 New NRCS

Legend	
WS Low Flow - Partial	WS Low Flow - Partial Mature n - Partial Mature n
Ground - Partial Mature n	Ineff - Partial Mature n
Bank Sta - Partial Mature n - Partial	Ground - Partial
Ineff - Partial	Bank Sta - Partial



Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: 1) Partial 2) Partial Mature n  
 River = Steele Brook Reach = Main Channel US RS = 342.5 New NRCS  
 Geom: Partial Removal

Legend	
WS Low Flow - Partial Mature n	Ground - Partial Mature n
WS Low Flow - Partial	Ineff - Partial Mature n
WS Low Flow - Partial Mature n	Bank Sta - Partial Mature n
Ground - Partial Mature n	Ground - Partial
Ineff - Partial Mature n	Ineff - Partial
Bank Sta - Partial Mature n	Bank Sta - Partial



GROUNDWATER SLOPE =  $\frac{1'}{190} = .0056$   
 TO  $\frac{0.5}{190} = .0028$



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FROM SH 754  
PLOT THE HAND CALCULATED TRACTIVE STRESS ON TRACTIVE STRESS GRAPHS PLOTTED BY HEC-RAS, (SEE 87-89)

NOTE, THE HEC-RAS TRACTIVE STRESS VALUES VARY TRAGICALLY BECAUSE EG. SLOPE AT SINGLE POINTS VARY GREATLY AS CALCULATED BY HEC-RAS.

FOR INSTANCE, AT BK#1 EXIST MODEL SH 20

SLOPE MEASURED BY EG LINE PLOTTED ARE

$$343.2 - 343.1 = (485.92 - 484.99) / 20.84 = .004216$$

$$343.1 - 342.6 = (484.99 - 484.70) / 152.32 = .001832$$

EG SLOPE AT 343.1 IS .008428 I.E. STEEPER THAN BOTH THE APPROACH AND EXIT, SO IT IS NOT REASONABLE, HENCE IT IS NOT A GOOD IDEA TO USE THESE TRACTIVE STRESSES THAT ARE BASED ON THE EG. SLOPE CALCULATED AT A SINGLE POINT.

ON HEC-RAS HYD REF MANUAL VERS. 3.1 SH 2-10

EQ 2-12 E.G. SLOPE =  $S_f = \left(\frac{Q}{K}\right)^2$  THIS IS THE

EQUATION THAT GIVES THE ERRATIC SLOPES.

EQ. 2-13 TO 2-16 GIVE REACH FRICTION SLOPE =  $S_f$ . THIS IS GRAPHICALLY SHOWN ON FIG 2-1

SH 2-3.

THIS ONE SHOWS THE ENERGY USED UP BY FRICTION BUT DOES NOT ACCOUNT FOR VELOCITY HEAD AND EXPANSION + CONTRACTION LOSSES.

NOTE: CLASSICAL TRACTIVE STRESS DERIVATION ON FLOOD PLAIN MODELING USING HEC-RAS FIRST ED. PAGES 31 AND 32 SHOW  $T = \frac{F_f}{A_L} = \frac{\text{FRICTION}}{\text{SURFACE AREA}}$ .

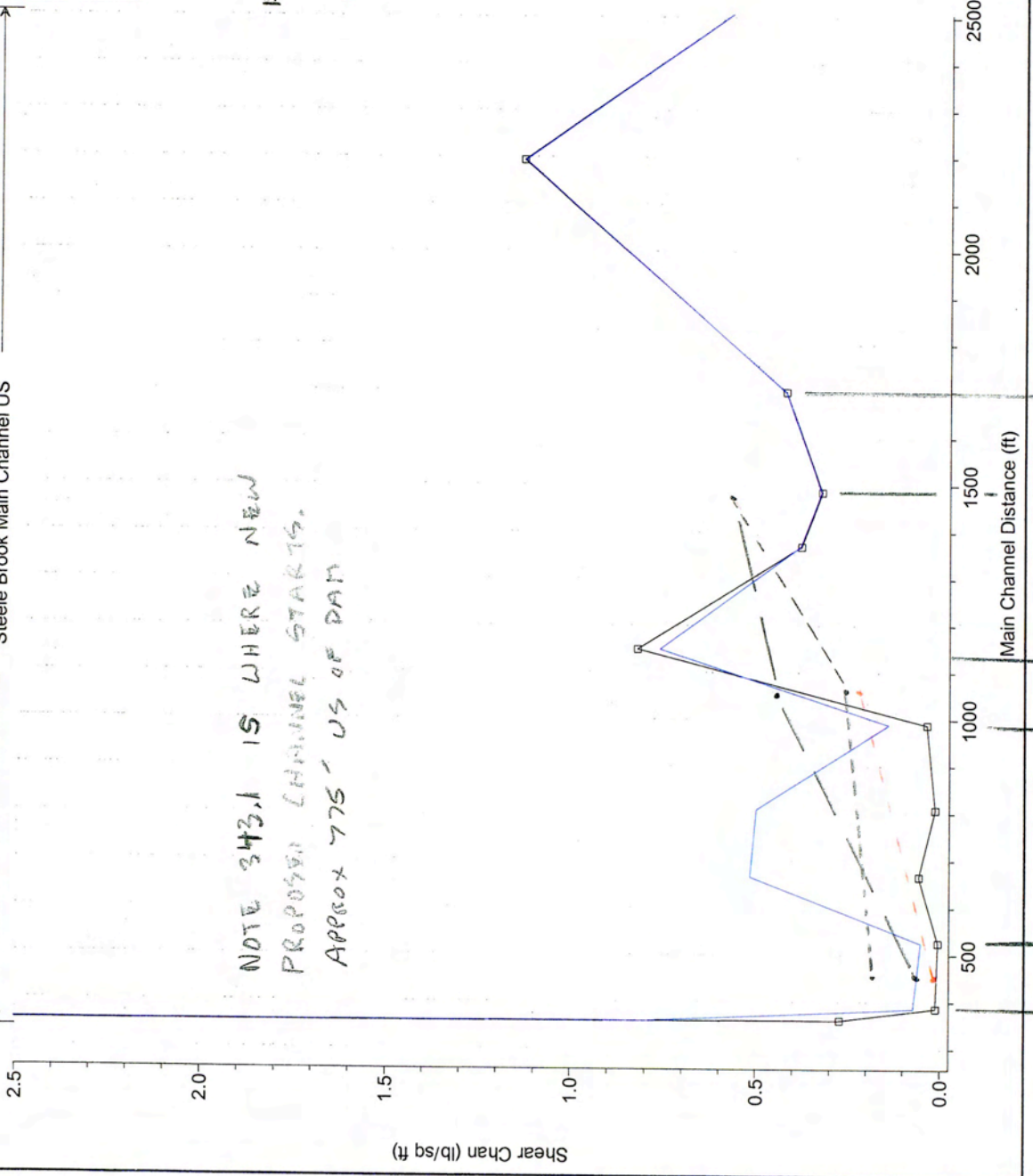
SO IT MIGHT BE BETTER IF HEC-RAS USED  $S_f = \text{FRICTION SLOPE FOR A REACH TO CALCULATE } T/\text{TRACT.}$

CEG'S THOUGHTS

Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: 1) EXIST 2/6/2009 2) Partial Mature n 2/6/2009  
Geom: Partial Removal

ALL ALT. 3

Steele Brook Main Channel US



Legend	
—	Shear Chan Bankful Q - Partial Mature n
- - -	Shear Chan Bankful Q - EXIST

NOTE 343.1 IS WHERE NEW PROPOSED CHANNEL STARTS. APPROX 775' US OF DAM

HAND CALC. PARTIAL MATURE N BKFL  
HAND CALC. EXISTING BKFL

342.2  
342.3  
342.6  
343.1  
344.1  
344.2  
344.2 SEWER LINE

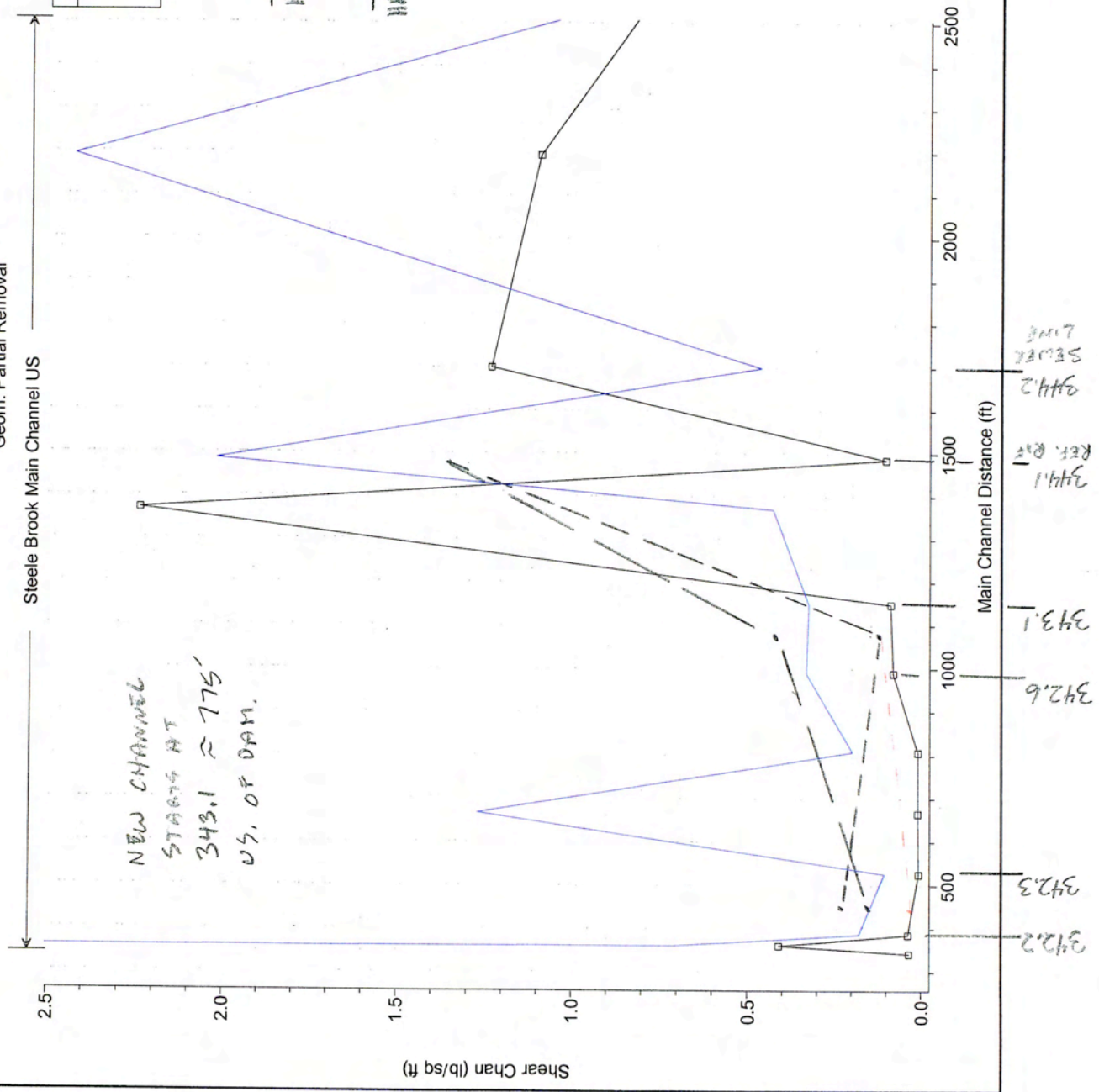
Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: 1) EXIST 2/6/2009 2) Partial Mature n 2/6/2009  
Geom: Partial Removal  
Steele Brook Main Channel US

ALL ALT. 3

Legend	
	Shear Chan FEMA 10-YR - Partial Mature n
	Shear Chan FEMA 10-YR - EXIST

HAND CALC PARTIAL MATURE N 10-YR

HAND CALC. EXISTING 10-YR



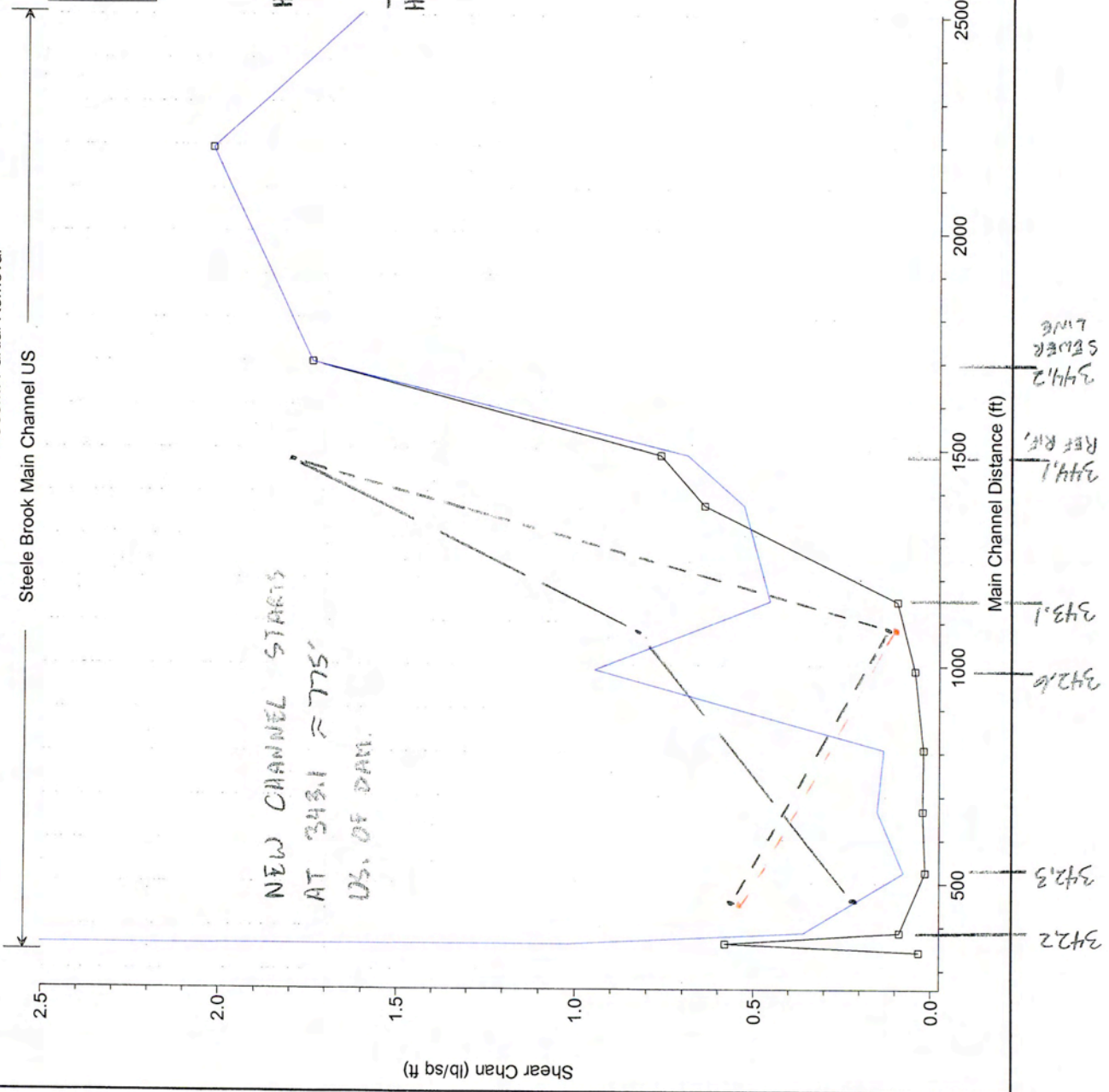
CA 2/6/2009

Heminway\_Feasibility Plan: 1) EXIST 2/6/2009 2) Partial Mature n 2/6/2009

Geom: Partial Removal

Steele Brook Main Channel US

Legend	
	Shear Chan FEMA 100-YR - Partial Mature n
	Shear Chan FEMA 100-YR - EXIST



NEW CHANNEL STARTS AT 348.1 ≈ 775' US OF DAM.

HAND CALC. PARTIAL MATURE  
HAND CALC. EXISTING 100-YR

N-1007R

Steele Brook Particle Sizes Entrained - Shields and Rosgen Existing and Alternate 3

REACH AND FLOOD	EXISTING SAMPLE DIAM. (in) mm	EXISTING			ALTERNATIVE 3		
		MAX. SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	PARTICLE SIZE ENTRAINED		MAX. SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	PARTICLE SIZE ENTRAINED	
			Shields Data (mm) (inch)	Rosgen Data (mm) (inch)		Shields Data (mm) (inch)	Rosgen Data (mm) (inch)
344.2 - 343.2 (Across ref. riffle)							
D50	13.9 (0.54)						
D84	54.5 (2.14)						
Bankfull		Essentially same as alternative 3			0.58	32 (1.3)	101 (4)
10-yr					1.35	126 (5)	187 (7.4)
100-yr		Essentially same as alternative 3			1.8	222 (8.7)	230 (9)
343.1 - 342.6 (First 159' of channel)							
D84	? 5 (0.2)						
Bankfull		0.26	13 14 (0.55) 50 56 (2.2)		0.44	24 (0.9)	84 (3.3)
10-yr		0.12	7 8 (0.32) 30 32 (1.26)		0.41	22 (0.87)	79 (3.1)
100-yr		0.13	8 (0.32) 34 (1.3)		0.82	52 (2.1)	132 (5.2)
342.3 - 342.2 (25' -165' US of Dam)							
D50	0.22						
D75	1.0						
Bankfull		0.19	11 (0.43) 46 (1.8)		0.078	5 (0.2)	24 (0.94)
10-yr		0.23	1.9 (0.076) 8 (0.315) 53 (2.1)		0.15	5.5 (0.217) 9 (0.35)	39 (1.54)
100-yr		0.57	2.0 (0.079) 9 (0.354) 101 (4.0)		0.21	12 (0.47)	49 (1.9)

closer to 5.5 mm on plot

4 (0.157) 18 (0.709)

calculated by H&S

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SELECT SUITABLE CHANNEL AND FLOODPLAIN ARMOR FROM ERDC TN-EMRP-54-29

NOTE EQ 9-10 ADJUST  $T_{max}$  TO BE  $T_{max}$

T CALCULATED HERE IS FROM DEEP CHANNEL FT

NOTE A TYPICAL HYD RADIUS / MAX DEPTH =  $\frac{2.25}{3.51} = .64$  @ 3441

@ 3431  $\frac{1.55}{3.17} = .488$

@ 3440  $\frac{2.27}{2.73} = 0.83$

AV. .652

SO FAR RADIUS  $T$ 'S max depth  $L$ ,  $T_{max} \times .65$

EQ 10  $T_{max} = 2.65 T \left( \frac{R_c}{L} \right)^{0.5}$

FROM CAD MODEL  $\frac{R_c}{L} = \frac{100}{40} = 2.5$

$2.65 (2.5)^{0.5} = 1.325$

SO  $T_{max} = 1.325 \times 1.5 = 1.9875$

SO USE  $T_{max} = 1.9875$

SO DO  $T = 1.9875 \times 1.5 \times 1.15 = 3.38$  FOR TRIP EFFECTS

NOTE EQ 9-15 AT IS SO USE ORIGINAL ESTIMATE OF CHANNEL MAX DEPTH TO GET  $T_{max}$  IS USABLE.

USE TABLE 2 PERMISSIBLE SHEAR AND VELOCITIES ON SR-29

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Subject SUITABLE CHANNEL ARMOR BY SR-24				Sheet <u>92</u> of <u>    </u>

DO NOT RIFFLE AT 344.1 DATA SHOE FOR EXISTING TANK 3  
GET T FROM 217 15-15.1

Bnk #1  $T = .576 \times 1.12 = 0.645 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 2" \text{ GRAVEL}$   
 10-4R  $T = 1.35 \times 1.12 = 1.51 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 3" \text{ COBBLE}$   
 100-4R  $T = 1.9 \times 1.12 = 2.128 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 6" \text{ COBBLE}$

NOTE SH 18.3 AND 9X.7 HAVE A MORE ACCURATE INTERPOLATION.

REACH FROM 343.1-342.0 ALT. 3 TANK IS FIRST 129 FEET OF THE NEW CHANNEL

BANK #1 =  $.139 \times 1.12 = 0.149 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 1.5" \text{ GRAVEL}$   
 10-4R =  $.109 \times 1.12 = 0.122 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 1.5" \text{ GRAVEL}$   
 100-4R =  $.220 \times 1.12 = 0.246 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 3" \text{ GRAVEL}$

REACH FROM 343.1-342.0 EXISTING

Bnk #1 =  $.256 \times 1.12 = .286 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 1" \text{ GRAVEL TWICE SHIELDS}$   
 10-4R =  $.1236 \times 1.12 = .1384 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 2" \text{ GRAVEL}$   
 100-4R =  $.1153 \times 1.12 = .1291 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 2" \text{ GRAVEL}$

REACH 342.3-342.2 ALT 3 25' TO 105' 0.5 OF 117.1

Bnk #1 =  $.0776 \times 1.12 = .0869 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow \text{FINE GRAVEL}$   
 10-4R =  $.152 \times 1.12 = 0.170 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 1/2" \text{ GRAVEL}$   
 100-4R =  $.209 \times 1.12 = 0.234 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 3/4" \text{ GRAVEL}$

REACH 342.2 TO 342.3 EXISTING

Bnk #1 =  $.1905 \times 1.12 = 0.213 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 1/4" \text{ GRAVEL}$   
 10-4R =  $.230 \times 1.12 = 0.257 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 3/4" \text{ GRAVEL}$   
 100-4R =  $.507 \times 1.12 = 0.568 \text{ LB/FT}^2 \rightarrow 1.5" \text{ GRAVEL}$

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Subject <b>SUITABLE ARMOR BY NAT. COOP. MOUNTAIN REPT. 108</b>				Sheet <b>93</b> of _____

NOTE: 654 EQ TS140-9 USES  $D_{50} = \frac{VRSR}{4} = \frac{T_c}{4}$

NOTE: THIS IS AN ALT BECAUSE R IS USED TO APPROX. THE MAX T WE HAVE BASED UPON D. MULTIPLY BY 0.05 TO GET AV. T (SEE SH 90)

DO REF. RIFLE AT 344.1 FOR EXISTING AND ALT. 3  
GET T FROM SH 75-75.1

DNKPL  $T = .576 \times .65/4 = .0936' = 1.12''$   
 10-YR  $T = 1.35 \times .65/4 = 0.219' = 2.63''$   
 100-YR  $T = 1.8 \times .65/4 = 0.2925' = 3.51''$

} MUCH LESS THAN SHIELDS DATA

REACH FROM 343.1-342.6 ALT. 3. FIRST 159' OF NEW CHANNEL

BKRI =  $.439 \times .65/4 = .071' = 0.856$  INCH  
 10-YR =  $.409 \times .65/4 = .066' = 0.80$  INCH  
 100-YR =  $.820 \times .65/4 = .133' = 1.60$  INCHES

} SLIGHTLY SMALLER THAN SHIELDS

REACH FROM 342.3-342.2 ALT 3 25'-165' U.S. OF DAM

BKRI =  $0.0776 \times .65/4 = .01261' = 0.15$  INCH  
 10-YR =  $0.152 \times .65/4 = .0247' = 0.3$  INCH  
 100-YR =  $0.209 \times .65/4 = .03396' = 0.4$  INCH

} PROB. BELOW LIMITS OF METHOD.  
 } CLOSE TO SHIELDS

NOTE: THESE USE AVERAGE TRACTIVE STRESS



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Subject <b>USE LANE'S METHOD FOR ON SITE GRADATIONS</b>				Sheet <b>94</b> of _____

SEE 654 B-19

USE LANE'S METHOD FOR COARSE GRAINED SOILS

WHEN  $D_{75}$  IS BETWEEN 0.25 AND 5 INCHES IE 6.33 mm AND 127 mm

8-24  $T_{ab} = 0.4 D_{75}$

$T_{ab}$  ALLOWABLE SAFETY LB/FT<sup>2</sup>  
 $D_{75}$  IN INCHES

FOR CHANNEL BOTTOM

FOR CHANNEL SIDES

8-25  $T_{as} = 0.4K D_{75}$

$$K = \frac{\sqrt{2^2 - \cot^2 \phi}}{1 + 2^2} = \frac{\sqrt{2^2 - \cot^2 34.5^\circ}}{1 + 2^2} = .71$$

FOR SAND IN POND FROM WFD SAMPLES GET

SHT 56 AV.  $D_{67} = 0.51$  mm

$D_{84} = 1.5$  mm

$D_{75} \approx (0.51 + 1.5) / 2 = 1.01$  mm  $\rightarrow$  1.0 mm

FROM FIG 8-14 FOR SLIGHTLY ROUND ASSUMED  $\phi_R = 34.5^\circ$   
FROM FIG 8-15

K FOR A SIDE SLOPE OF 2H:1V  $K = 0.6$

FIG 8-16 SINCE  $D_{75} < 6.33$  mm USE

8-16 GIVE  $T_a$  DIRECTLY

CHART USES  $D_{50}$  FROM SHT 56  $D_{50} = 0.22$  mm

FOR LOW CONTENT OF FINE SEDIMENT  $T = 0.048$  LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

FOR REFERENCE RIFLE PARTICLE DATA SHT 63

$D_{75} = 38$  mm  $\rightarrow$  1.5" USE EQ. ~~8-24~~ 8-24 AND 8-25

$T_{ab} = 0.4 D_{75} = 0.4(1.5) = 0.6$  LB/FT<sup>2</sup> } CLOSE TO SHIELDS.

$T_{as} = 0.4(.71) 1.5 = 0.426$  LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

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BACK CALCULATE LANE'S METHOD TO GET PAST SIZES FOR CERTAIN TRACTIVE STRESSES

$\frac{T_{ad}}{0.4} = D_{75}$  ALLOWABLE BOTTOM STRESS  
GET MAX DEPTH STRESSES FROM SHT 75-75.1

FOR REACH REF. RIFFLE AT 344.1 ALT 3 AND EXISTING

BKPI	T = 0.576	$0.576/0.4 = 1.44$ in	37 mm
10-4R	= 1.35	$1.35/0.4 = 3.38$ in	86 mm
100-4R	= 1.8	$1.8/0.4 = 4.50$ in	114 mm

FOR REACH 343.1-342.6 ALT 3

BKPI	T = 0.439	$0.439/0.4 = 1.09 \rightarrow 1.1$ in	28 mm
10-4R	T = 0.409	$0.409/0.4 = 1.02 \rightarrow 1.0$ in	25 mm
100-4R	T = 0.820	$0.820/0.4 = 2.05 \rightarrow 2.1$ in	53 mm

FOR REACH 342.3-342.2 ALT 3

BKPI	T = 0.176	$0.176/0.4 = 0.44" < .25$ USE OTHER	FIG. 8-16
10-4R	T = 0.152	$.152/0.4 = 0.38"$	2.4 mm LOW SEAMANT D50
100-4R	T = 0.309	$.309/0.4 = 0.77"$	10 mm

343.1-342.6 EXISTING

BKPI	T = 0.26	$0.26/0.4 = 0.65 \rightarrow 0.65$ in	17 mm
10-4R	T = 0.12	$0.12/0.4 = 0.30$ in	8 mm
100-4R	T = 0.13	$0.13/0.4 = 0.33$ in	8 mm
REACH	342.3-342.2 EXISTING	$< 1.4$ in	1.4 in
BKPI	T = 0.19	$0.19/0.4 = 0.475$ in	12 mm
10-4R	T = 0.33	$0.33/0.4 = 0.825$ in	15 mm
100-4R	T = 0.57	$0.57/0.4 = 1.425$ in	36 mm

Steele Brook Particle Sizes Entrained - Existing - All Methods

REACH AND FLOOD		EXISTING SAMPLE DIAM. mm (In)	MAX. SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	CRITICAL PAR. SIZES ENTRAINED			ALLOWABLE PARTICLE SIZES		
				Rivermorph Shields Data mm (inch)	Rivermorph Rosgen Data mm (inch)	ACOE Craig F. Stream Note 29 mm (inch)	National Highway Report 108 mm (inch)	Lanes Method mm (inch)	
<b>344.2 - 343.2</b> (Across ref. riffle)									
	D50	13.9 (0.54)							
	D84	54.5 (2.14)							
	Bankfull		0.58	32 (1.3)	101 (4)	51 (2)	28 (1.1)	37 (1.4)	
	10-yr		1.35	126 (5)	187 (7.4)	127 (5)	67 (2.6)	86 (3.4)	
	100-yr		1.8	222 (8.7)	230 (9)	152 (6)	89 (3.5)	114 (4.5)	
<b>343.1 - 342.6</b> (First 159' of channel)									
	D84	? 5 (0.2)							
	Bankfull		0.26	13 14 (0.55)	50 56 (2.2)	25 (1)		17 (0.65)	
	10-yr		0.12	7 8 (0.32)	30 32 (1.26)	< 1" gravel		8 (0.3)	
	100-yr		0.13	7 8 (0.32)	27 34 (1.3)	< 1" gravel		8 (0.33)	
<b>342.3 - 342.2</b> (25' -165' US of Dam)									
	D50	0.22							
	D75	1.0							
	Bankfull		0.19	2 11 (0.43)	46 (1.8)	? 3/4" gravel		12 (0.48)	
	10-yr		0.23	2 13 (0.51)	9 53 (2.1)	? 3/4" gravel		15 (0.58)	
	100-yr		0.57	4 32 (1.3)	17 101 (4.0)	51 (2)		36 (1.4)	

(CIT: 2001) (S: 98.2.1.4)

100-yr

**Steele Brook Particle Sizes Entrained - Alternate 3 - All Methods**

		ALTERNATE 3 CONDITION - PARTICLE SIZES					
		CRITICAL PAR. SIZES ENTRAINED			ALLOWABLE PARTICLE SIZES		
REACH AND FLOOD	EXISTING SAMPLE DIAM. mm (In)	MAX. SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	Rivermorph Shields Data mm (inch)	Rivermorph Rosgen Data mm (inch)	ACOE Craig F. Stream Note 29 Table 2 (inch)	National Highway Report 108 D50 Particle mm (inch)	Lanes Method for D75 Particle mm (inch)
<b>344.2 - 343.2</b> (Across ref. riffle)							
D50	13.9 (0.54)						
D84	54.5 (2.14)						
Bankfull		0.58	32 (1.3)	101 (4)	51 (2)	28 (1.1)	37 (1.4)
10-yr		1.35	126 (5)	187 (7.4)	127 (5)	67 (2.6)	86 (3.4)
100-yr		1.8	222 (8.7)	230 (9)	152 (6)	89 (3.5)	114 (4.5)
<b>343.1 - 342.6</b> (First 159' of channel)							
D84	? 5 (0.2)						
Bankfull		0.44	24 (0.9)	84 (3.3)	38 (1.5)	22 (0.86)	28 (1.1)
10-yr		0.41	22 (0.87)	79 (3.1)	38 (1.5)	20 (0.8)	25 (1.0)
100-yr		0.82	52 (2.1)	132 (5.2)	76 (3)	41 (1.6)	53 (2.1)
<b>342.3 - 342.2</b> (25' -165' US of Dam)							
D50	0.22						
D75	1						
Bankfull		0.078	5 (0.2)	24 (0.94)	? Fine gravel	? 3.8 (0.15)	2.4
10-yr		0.15	9 (0.35)	39 (1.54)	? 1/2" gravel	? 8 (0.3)	10 (0.38)
100-yr		0.21	12 (0.47)	49 (1.9)	? 3/4" gravel	? 10 (0.4)	13 (0.52)

*Handwritten notes:*  
 14-0-0-3  
 new 11/1/04 (low?)  
 (small)

Footnotes.

For the stream Note SR-29, the average stream tractive stress based upon hydraulic radius is typically modified to produce maximum tractive stress with suggested factors of safety for both location and time. Location F.S. = 1.5 and time factor = 1.1 to 1.2. Basic tractive stresses shown on the spreadsheet were the original study tractive stresses based upon maximum channel depth. For this SR 29 method, these original maximum tractive stresses were multiplied by 0.65 to convert to an average tractive stress (based on hydraulic radius). This was then multiplied by a location F.S. of 1.5 and a time F.S. of 1.15. These tractive stresses were the value used in Table 2 of SR-29.

National Highway Report 108 method was produced from data done on highway ditches with round rock and flows up to 1,000 cfs. This method links D50 size with a tractive stress. *Tmax was used to be 1.2 to 1.5*

Lanes method uses equations for channel bottom and channel sides to link an allowable D75 particle with a design tractive stress. It applies to D75 particles ranging from from 0.25 inch to 5 inches. For particles less than 0.25 inches, Fig 8-16 in NEH654 is used to link a tractive stress with a D50 size. The values reported here for the channel bottom equation. The 2.4 mm bankfull diam of the dam came from Fig. 8-16. *Tmax was used*

Note the Rivermorph data is to show the critical stress at where a particle of a certain size first entrains. The SR-29, Highway 108 and Lanes method are actually design methods with some level of conservatism built into them. Ironically, the critical stress data from Rosgen from Colorado streams produces the most conservative results at least at these ranges of tractive stress.

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AND ASSUMPTIONS ON  
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**Steele Brook Particle Sizes Entrained - Existing And Alternate 3 - Assumptions**

In Alternative 1 (Existing) and Alternative 3 (Dam Notched), the tractive stress assumptions used for each method vary somewhat, mainly because the technical references describing the methods use various forms of tractive stress. Suspect values are in bold italics. All results for ACOE, National Highway Report 108, and Lanes methods are for round rock. Most of these stresses were arrived at by the previous hand calculations. However, this excel program has been written to also calculate them automatically to get an extra accuracy check. The unique

**Rivermorph data** is from the tractive stress curve in that program and uses the maximum shear stress in the third column. This shear is calculated from the maximum channel depth.

**The ACOE Craig Fischenich Stream Note 29 Table 2 Method** uses tractive stress as follows: The average stream tractive stress based upon hydraulic radius is typically modified to produce maximum tractive stress with suggested factors of safety for both location and time. Location  $F.S = 1.5$  and time factor = 1.1 to 1.2. So for column 4 of this spread sheet, ACOE SHEAR, the maximum tractive stresses of column 3 were multiplied by 0.65 to approximate an average tractive stress (based on hydraulic radius). This was then multiplied by a location F.S. of 1.5 and a time F.S. of 1.15. These ACOE SHEAR stresses of column 4 were used in Table 2 of SR-29.

**The National Highway Report 108 Method** was produced from data done on highway ditches with round rock and flows up to 1,000 cfs. This method links D50 size with average tractive stress  $\tau_{avg}$  based upon hydraulic radius. The basic formula used in NEH 654 Eq. TSC-4 is  $D50 = \tau_{avg}/4$  where D50 is in ft. For this spreadsheet the formula embedded in the column for the 108 method obtains average shear by multiplying max shear in column 3 by 0.65 and also converts the units of D50 to inches.

**Lanes Method** uses equations for channel bottom and channel sides to link an allowable D75 particle with a design tractive stress. It applies to D75 particles ranging from 0.25 inch to 5 inches, using NEH654 eq. 8-24. In this spreadsheet, the equation is rearranged to solve for D75 such that  $D75 = \tau_{ab}/0.4$ , where  $\tau_{ab}$  is the allowable shear stress in lbs/sqft and D75 is in inches. The maximum shear stress of column 3 was used for allowable shear. This is consistent with Alt 3 and also shows the particle size that can be expected to remain in place in the deepest part of the channel. Particles larger than 5 inches are out of range of the method and are shown in bold italics. For particles less than 0.25 inches, Fig 8-16 in NEH654 is used to link a tractive stress with a D50 size. Why it uses D50 instead of D75 is one of life's mysteries. The middle curve for low content of sediment in suspension was used. The 2.4 mm bankfull diam. of the dam came from Fig. 8-16.

Note, the Rivermorph data is to show the critical stress at where a particle of a certain size first entrains. The ACOE SR-29, Highway 108 and Lanes method are actually design methods with some level of conservatism built into them. Ironically, the critical stress data from Rosgen from Colorado streams produces the most conservative results at least at these ranges of tractive stress.

Wherever, any of the data are off the figures, the results are published in bold italics and the best guess is shown.

Steele Brook Particle Sizes Entrained - Existing Condition - All Methods									
REACH AND FLOOD	EXISTING SAMPLE DIAM. mm (inch)	MAX. SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	ACOE Uses Sp Max. Shear LBS/SQ FT	CRITICAL PARTICLE SIZES ENTRAINED			ALLOWABLE PARTICLE SIZES		
				Rivermorph Shields Data Uses Max. Shear mm (inch)	Rivermorph Rosgen Data Uses Max. Shear mm (inch)	ACOE Craig F. Stream Note 29 Uses Spec. Max. Shear mm (inch)	National Highway Report 108 Uses Avg. Shear (inch)	Lanes Method Uses Max. Shear mm (inch)	
<b>344.2 - 343.2 (Across ref. riffle)</b>									
D50	13.9 (0.54)								
D84	54.5 (2.14)								
Bankfull		0.58	0.65	32 (1.3)	101 (4)	48 (1.9)	29	1.1	37
10-yr		1.35	1.51	126 (5)	187 (7.4)	114 (4.5)	67	2.6	86
100-yr		1.8	2.02	222 (8.7)	230 (9)	155 (6.1)	89	3.5	114
<b>343.1 - 342.6 (First 159' of channel)</b>									
D50	?								
D84	5 (0.22)								
Bankfull		0.22	0.25	13 (0.51)	50 (2.0)	< 1" gravel			14
10-yr		0.11	0.12	7 (0.28)	30 (1.2)	< 1" gravel			7
100-yr		0.10	0.11	7 (0.28)	28 (1.1)	< 1" gravel			6
<b>342.3 - 342.2 (25' -165' US of Dam)</b>									
D50	0.22 (.0087)								
D75	1 (.039)								
D84	1.5 (0.059)								
Bankfull		0.018	0.02	2 (0.079)	8 (0.31)	sandy loam			<.1
10-yr		0.022	0.02	2 (0.079)	9 (0.35)	sandy loam			<.1
100-yr		0.055	0.06	4 (0.16)	18 (0.71)	< fine gravel			1





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Subject <b>STABILITY ANALYSIS OF ALT. 4</b>				Sheet <b>99</b> of _____

ALTERNATE 4 REMOVES THE ENTIRE DAM AND EXCAVATES A STEEPER CHANNEL FLOODPLAIN DOWN THROUGH THE EXISTING POND.

PROFILES ON 100-102 SHOW 2 TO 100-YR EXISTING AND FULL DAM REMOVAL WITH MAJOR U VALUES ON THE FLOODPLAIN. WOOPS BEN MODIFIED CONVEYANCE METHOD SO REDD THESE. BANKFULL AND 10-YR ENERGY GRADE LINES FUTURE ARE APPROX. EQUAL TO THE EXISTING UPSTREAM OF THE SEWER LINE RIFFLE. 10-YR WATER SURFACE IS 0.3' HIGHER AT SEWER LINE RIFFLE.

100-YR WATER SURFACE AND ENERGY GRADE LINE ARE COINCIDENT UPSTREAM OF THE REF. RIFFLE, SO THERE WILL BE NO INCREASED TRACTIVE STRESS UPSTREAM OF THE REFERENCE RIFFLE.

**ALT. 4**

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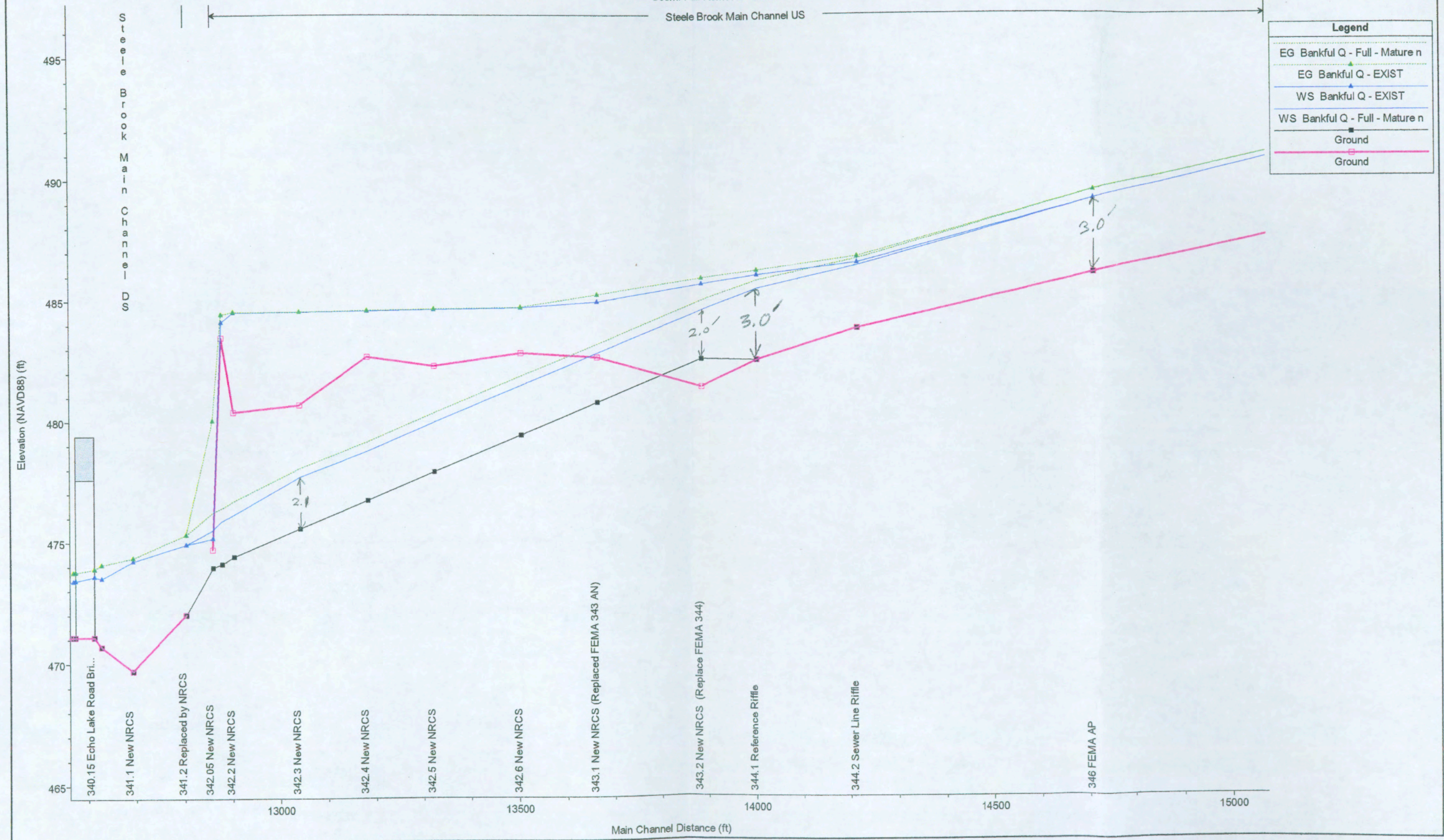
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STORM & REACH	GET ENERGY GRADES		MAX DEPTHS	DIST FROM PROF. FT	AND T=VDS	EG. SLOPE	MAX D. RIFFLE REACH	SEE SHG T LB/FT <sup>2</sup>
	US	DS						
BKPI 344.2-344.1 <small>SEWER TO REF.</small>	486.68	485.77		212	.00429	3.0	0.80	
BKPI 344.1-342.3	485.77	478.06		955	.00807	2.0	1.01	
BKPI 342.3-341.2 <small>THROUGH DAM</small>	478.06	475.30		238	.0116	2.1	1.52	
BKPI 346-344.2 <small>VS SEWER</small>	489.51	486.68		490	.00578	3.0	1.08	
10-4R 344.2-342.3 <small>AS REF</small>	488.10	486.12		318	.00623	4.0	1.56	
10 342.2-342.3	486.12	479.37		838	.00805	3.3	1.66	
10 342.3-342.05 <small>DAM</small>	479.37	478.62		182	.00412	4.0	1.03	
10 346-344.2 <small>VS SEWER</small>	491.07	488.10		490	.00606	4.3	1.63	
100 344.2-344.1 <small>SEWER TO REF</small>	489.22	487.43		212	.00844	4.6	2.42	
100 344.1-342.5	487.43	483.34		670	.006104	5.0	1.90	
100 342.5-342.05 <small>DAM</small>	483.34	482.45		463	.00192	7.8	0.93	
100 346-344.2 <small>VS SEWER</small>	492.97	489.22		490	.00765	5.8	2.77	

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Geom: Full Removal - Mature n

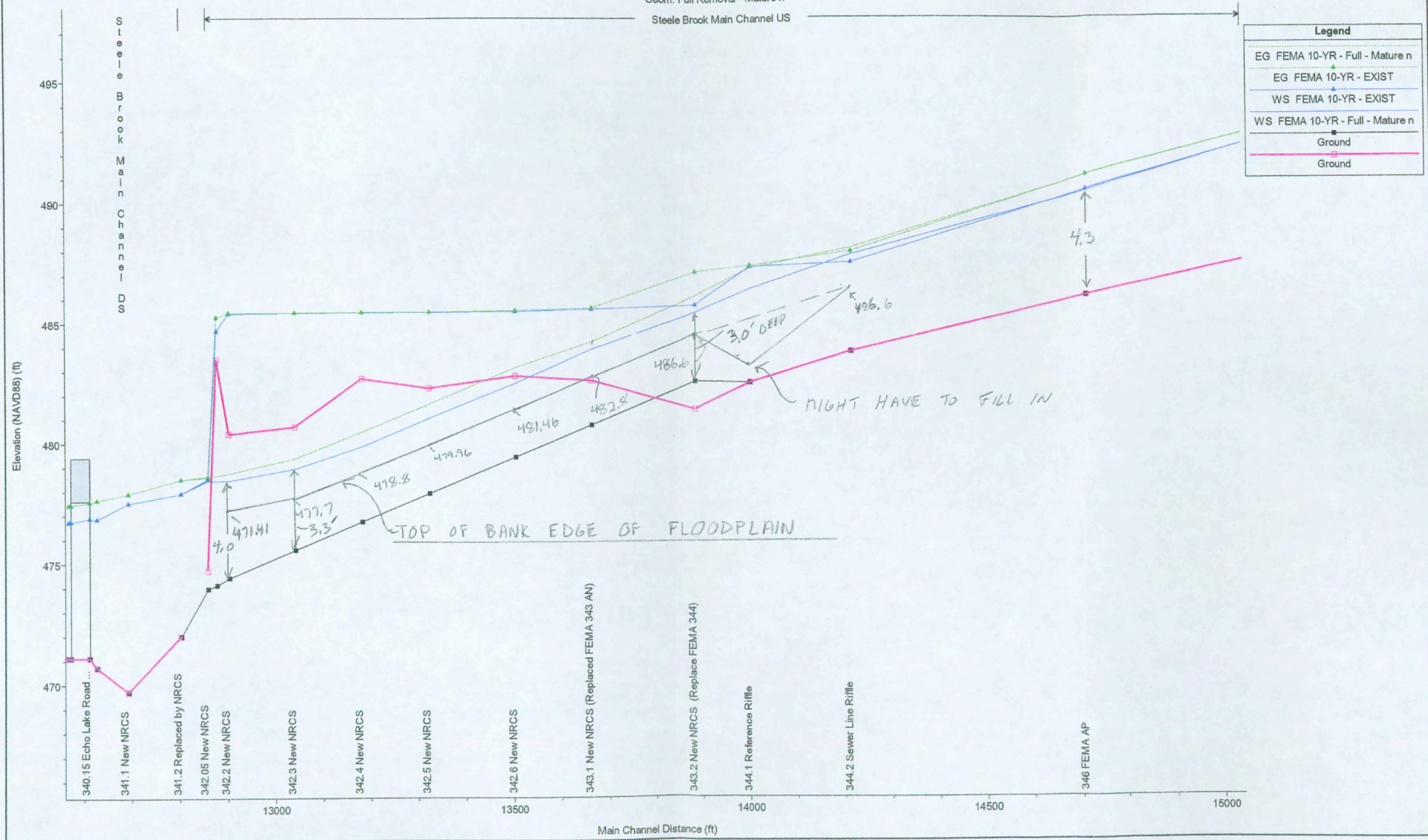
Steele Brook Main Channel US



1 in Horiz. = 200 ft 1 in Vert. = 4 ft

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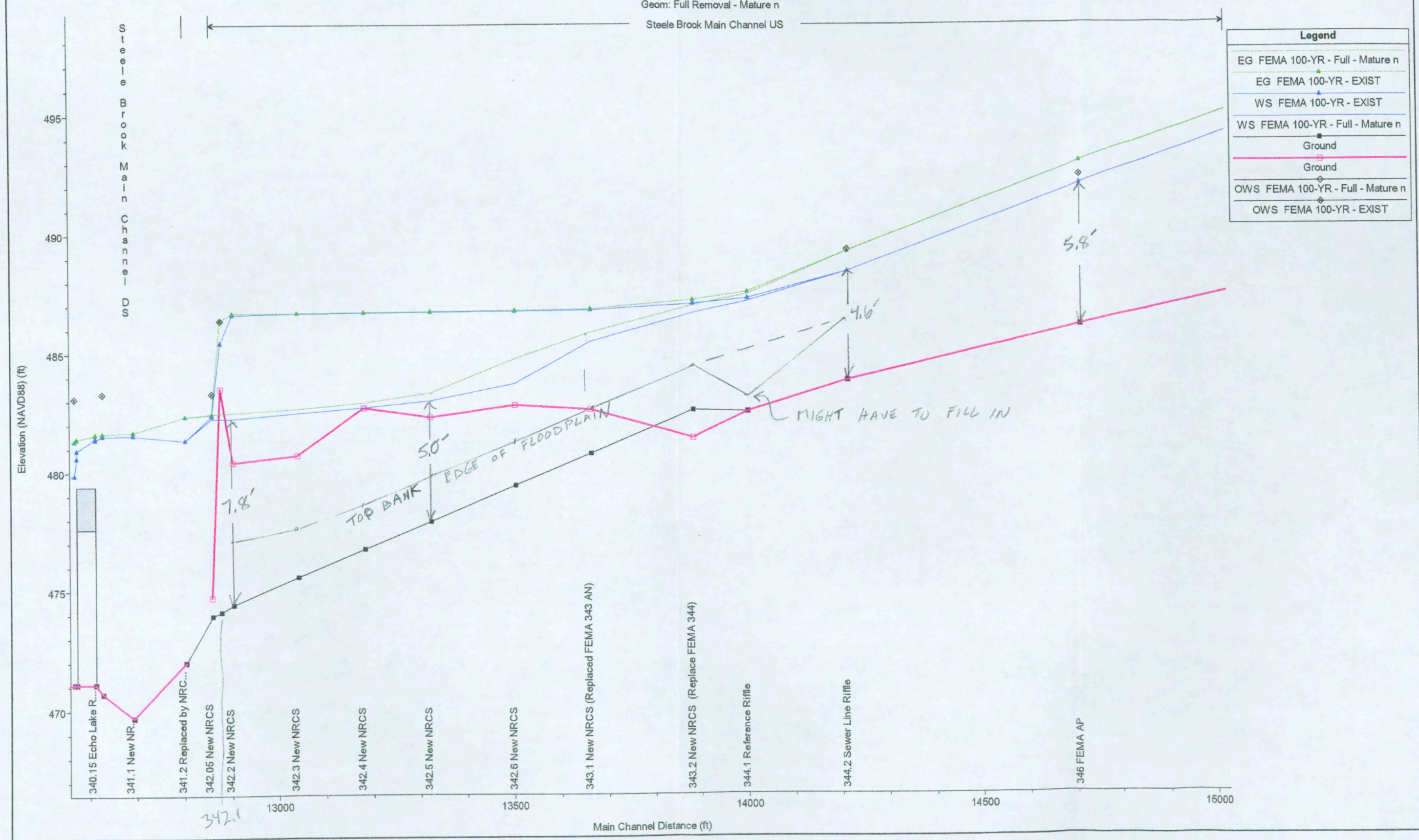
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Legend	
EG FEMA 10-YR - Full - Mature n	▲
EG FEMA 10-YR - EXIST	▲
WS FEMA 10-YR - EXIST	▲
WS FEMA 10-YR - Full - Mature n	▲
Ground	■
Ground	■

- 340.15 Echo Lake Road ...
- 341.1 New NRCS
- 341.2 Replaced by NRCS
- 342.05 New NRCS
- 342.2 New NRCS
- 342.3 New NRCS
- 342.4 New NRCS
- 342.5 New NRCS
- 342.6 New NRCS
- 343.1 New NRCS (Replaced FEMA 343 AN)
- 343.2 New NRCS (Replace FEMA 344)
- 344.1 Reference Riffle
- 344.2 Sewer Line Riffle
- 346 FEMA AP

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HEC-RAS Plan: Full - Mature n

Reach	River Sta	Profile	Q Total (cfs)	Min Ch El (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Crit W.S. (ft)	E.G. Elev (ft)	E.G. Slope (ft/ft)	Vel Chnl (ft/s)	Flow Area (sq ft)	Top Width (ft)	Froude # Chl
Main Channel US	347.15 ROUTE 6		Bridge									
Main Channel US	347.1	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	488.30	494.39	494.31	496.88	0.018287	12.65	162.81	31.49	0.98
Main Channel US	347.1	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	488.30	492.79	491.94	493.61	0.008810	7.27	112.84	31.04	0.67
Main Channel US	347.1	Bankful Q	330.00	488.30	491.18	490.63	491.60	0.008810	5.24	63.02	30.58	0.64
Main Channel US	347 AQ	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	487.90	494.86	493.28	495.70	0.005485	7.37	279.63	61.63	0.61
Main Channel US	347 AQ	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	487.90	492.83	491.15	493.21	0.003532	4.90	167.47	49.16	0.47
Main Channel US	347 AQ	Bankful Q	330.00	487.90	491.11	489.80	491.31	0.003023	3.59	92.03	38.56	0.41
Main Channel US	346 AP	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	486.10	492.04	491.95	492.97	0.008430	8.32	346.89	210.20	0.74
Main Channel US	346 AP	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	486.10	490.42	489.86	491.07	0.009314	6.48	126.75	52.83	0.72
Main Channel US	346 AP	Bankful Q	330.00	486.10	489.16	488.54	489.51	0.007810	4.77	69.19	38.63	0.63
Main Channel US	344.2	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	483.80	488.38	488.38	489.22	0.006883	8.96	428.85	231.15	0.77
Main Channel US	344.2	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	483.80	487.82	487.18	488.10	0.002432	4.84	301.38	221.70	0.45
Main Channel US	344.2	Bankful Q	330.00	483.80	486.41	485.53	486.68	0.003532	4.23	79.49	42.07	0.50
Main Channel US	344.1	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	482.50	487.14	486.51	487.43	0.003835	5.77	578.98	360.74	0.55
Main Channel US	344.1	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	482.50	486.40	486.00	487.25	0.008700	7.43	115.38	270.52	0.79
Main Channel US	344.1	Bankful Q	330.00	482.50	485.45	484.86	485.77	0.005306	4.56	72.39	38.56	0.59
Main Channel US	343.2	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	482.57	486.67	486.05	486.99	0.005384	6.57	789.13	374.13	0.58
Main Channel US	343.2	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	482.57	485.44	485.44	486.12	0.010760	7.24	205.00	326.75	0.78
Main Channel US	343.2	Bankful Q	330.00	482.57	484.59	484.12	485.00	0.008823	5.12	64.97	61.91	0.66
Main Channel US	343.1	FEMA 100-YR	2060.00	480.74	485.47	484.50	485.86	0.004562	6.71	683.23	386.42	0.55
Main Channel US	343.1	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	480.74	483.91	483.48	484.21	0.005021	5.32	324.75	267.36	0.54
Main Channel US	343.1	Bankful Q	330.00	480.74	482.78	482.29	483.14	0.007876	4.88	88.27	200.07	0.63
Main Channel US	342.65 Embankment & FP		Lat Struct									
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 100-YR	2018.46	479.41	483.71	483.65	484.74	0.010882	9.70	409.93	262.78	0.84
Main Channel US	342.6	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	479.41	482.48	482.40	483.14	0.009003	6.98	198.68	245.77	0.72
Main Channel US	342.6	Bankful Q	330.00	479.41	481.46	480.96	481.85	0.008313	5.02	65.91	44.18	0.64
Main Channel US	342.5	FEMA 100-YR	2018.46	477.91	483.00	482.12	483.34	0.003575	6.25	782.44	371.02	0.50
Main Channel US	342.5	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	477.91	481.05	480.95	481.63	0.007965	6.67	233.20	288.30	0.68
Main Channel US	342.5	Bankful Q	330.00	477.91	479.96	479.46	480.35	0.008213	5.00	66.23	46.13	0.64

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HEC-RAS Plan: Full - Mature n (Continued)

Reach	River Sta	Profile	Q Total (cfs)	Min Ch El (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Crit W.S. (ft)	E.G. Elev (ft)	E.G. Slope (ft/ft)	Vel Chnl (ft/s)	Flow Area (sq ft)	Top Width (ft)	Froude # Chl
Main Channel US	342.45	Embankment	Lat Struct									
Main Channel US	342.4	FEMA 100-YR	2018.46	476.74	482.73	480.93	482.92	0.001727	4.85	973.50	369.69	0.35
Main Channel US	342.4	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	476.74	479.86	479.78	480.47	0.008397	6.81	222.93	229.10	0.70
Main Channel US	342.4	Bankful Q	330.00	476.74	478.77	478.29	479.17	0.008525	5.06	65.31	41.33	0.65
Main Channel US	342.3	FEMA 100-YR	2014.80	475.57	482.49	479.76	482.67	0.001194	4.46	976.12	289.13	0.30
Main Channel US	342.3	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	475.57	478.94	478.61	479.37	0.005619	5.88	260.39	186.87	0.58
Main Channel US	342.3	Bankful Q	330.00	475.57	477.70	477.12	478.06	0.007145	4.80	70.49	61.49	0.60
Main Channel US	342.2	FEMA 100-YR	2014.80	474.41	482.26	478.77	482.50	0.001166	4.80	756.66	208.83	0.30
Main Channel US	342.2	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	474.41	478.45	477.34	478.74	0.002921	4.81	280.50	182.64	0.43
Main Channel US	342.2	Bankful Q	330.00	474.41	476.15	475.96	476.71	0.014701	6.01	54.91	34.27	0.84
Main Channel US	342.1	HEMINWAY DAM	2014.80	474.10	482.25	478.35	482.46	0.000473	4.17	564.98	91.72	0.26
Main Channel US	342.1	HEMINWAY DAM	820.00	474.10	478.44	477.01	478.65	0.001068	4.06	237.05	80.28	0.35
Main Channel US	342.1	HEMINWAY DAM	330.00	474.10	475.87	475.65	476.41	0.007738	5.89	56.07	34.34	0.81
Main Channel US	342.05	FEMA 100-YR	2014.80	473.95	482.25	478.20	482.45	0.000440	4.07	578.65	92.17	0.25
Main Channel US	342.05	FEMA 10-YR	820.00	473.95	478.43	476.86	478.62	0.000924	3.87	248.82	80.72	0.33
Main Channel US	342.05	Bankful Q	330.00	473.95	475.50	475.50	476.22	0.012215	6.80	48.55	33.90	1.00
Main Channel DS	341.2	FEMA 100-YR	2840.00	472.00	481.34	478.91	482.33	0.006138	8.22	364.50	51.86	0.52
Main Channel DS	341.2	FEMA 10-YR	1130.00	472.00	477.90	476.29	478.49	0.006745	6.23	188.19	50.17	0.51
Main Channel DS	341.2	Bankful Q	330.00	472.00	474.90	474.37	475.30	0.013590	5.11	64.52	33.62	0.65
Main Channel DS	341.1	FEMA 100-YR	2840.00	469.70	481.55	477.10	481.68	0.000959	3.82	1204.63	474.70	0.20
Main Channel DS	341.1	FEMA 10-YR	1130.00	469.70	477.50	474.10	477.89	0.003114	5.11	229.94	41.05	0.35
Main Channel DS	341.1	Bankful Q	330.00	469.70	474.21	471.93	474.35	0.002262	2.97	111.29	32.45	0.28
Main Channel DS	341	AL	2840.00	470.70	481.53	479.60	481.62	0.000431	3.57	1589.34	556.95	0.20
Main Channel DS	341	AL	1130.00	470.70	476.84	475.25	477.62	0.003994	7.19	164.61	37.01	0.56
Main Channel DS	341	AL	330.00	470.70	473.51	473.17	474.07	0.009226	5.98	55.20	28.85	0.76
Main Channel DS	340.2	FEMA 100-YR	2840.00	471.10	481.37	477.64	481.60	0.000813	5.03	1295.13	553.34	0.28
Main Channel DS	340.2	FEMA 10-YR	1130.00	471.10	476.87	474.64	477.54	0.002585	6.53	173.05	30.04	0.48
Main Channel DS	340.2	Bankful Q	330.00	471.10	473.60	472.66	473.90	0.002874	4.41	74.78	29.96	0.49

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FOR ALT. 4  
THE NEW CHANNEL WILL NEED ARMORING  
THE EXISTING SANDS ARE CLEARLY NOT ADEQUATE  
AT THE NEW STEEP SLOPE.

BRACKET STABILITY WITH RIVERTOPPH SHIELDS  
AND ROSEBEN PARTICLE STABILITY HIGHWAY  
REPORT 102, FISHERNICK SR-29 TABLE 2, AND LANES  
METHOD

HIGHWAY REPORT 102 USES

654 of TS14C-4  $D_{50} = \frac{V R S_e}{4}$   $D_{50}$  IN FT

BE CONSERV. AND USE THE  $D_{MAX}$  INSTEAD OF R

NOTE, WE WILL USE Q'S AS LARGE AS 2840 CFS AND  
104 METHOD IS UP TO ONLY 1,000 CFS, SO GOING CONSERV.  
IS WARRANTED. NO TO BE CONSISTANT WITH ALT 3 USE  
TABLE. LET  $T_{TAB} = T_{MAX} \times 0.65$  IN EXCELL SPREADSHEET  
NOTE  $V R S_e = T_{TAB} \times \frac{1}{D_{50}}$  (TRAP STRESS)

LET EXCELL FIND  $D_{50} = 0.65 \frac{T}{4} \times 12 \rightarrow$  GIVES  $D_{50}$  IN INCHES  
FOR ALOE FISHERNICK STRM NOTE 29

~~1st~~ FIRST ADJUST  $T_{MAX}$  WITH 0.65  $\times$  1.5  $\times$  1.15  
 $\rightarrow$  FOR AV.  $\rightarrow$  FOR MAX.  $\rightarrow$  FOR TIME

IF DESIGN LEVEL WE SHOULD USE  
INTERPOLATE VALUES FOR TABLE 2 OF SR-29-13 (PERMITS LEVEL)

NOTE LANES E.G. 654 8-24 IS ie. need to save tab at channel bottom  
 $T_{tab} = 0.4 D_{75}$  = Allowable channel bottom EQ. 29-9

is good up to 3" PARTICLE. AND DOWN TO 1/4" SAND.

$D_{75} = \frac{T_{tab}}{0.4}$   $D_{75}$  IS IN INCHES

SO LET EXCELL FIND ALL THESE. L.  
LET  $T_{tab} = T_{MAX}$  SHEAR FOUND FROM MAX DEPTH COL C IN EXCEL

USE FIG 8-16 FOR PARTICLES  $< 1/4"$  TO 6mm.

ALL THESE ALT. 4 CHANNEL TRACTIVE STRESSES  
AND PARTICLE SIZES ARE CALCULATE AND OR LISTED ON  
SHTS 107.1 C, D, AND E.

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RECORD BEN SMITH'S COMMENTS FOR FUTURE DESIGN WORK.

DIFFERENCES IN Q'S

100-YR FEMA DS OF POND 2840 CFS

100-YR FEMA IN POND 2000 CFS  
(HEC-RAS USED 2000 TO 2015 WITH LAT. STR. SPILLOVER)  
TR-20 100-YR FLOW 2222 CFS

USGS 100-YR REGRESSION 1238 CFS

THESE COULD MAKE A HUGE DIFFERENCE  
DEPENDING ON WHAT IS SELECTED DURING  
FINAL DESIGN.



IMPACT TRACTIVE STRESS ASSUMPTIONS ARE SHOWN IN THE SEE 107.1 C, D, E

<u>Steele Brook Particle Sizes Entrained - Alternate 4 - All Methods for Channel Tractive Stress</u>									
<p>In alternative 4, the breakpoints between significant changes in energy grade slope are not the same for floods of different return frequency as they were for alternate 3. Hence different reaches are shown below. Rivermorph data is from the tractive stress curve there. Suspect values are in bold italics. ACOE comes from reading Table 2 directly. National Highway Report and Lanes methods come from equations in NEH 654 chapter 8 that have a functional relationship between particle size and allowable tractive stress. In Lanes method, particles above 5 inches are out of range of the method and are shown in bold italics. All results for ACOE, National Highway Report 108 and Lanes methods are for round rock.</p>									
ALTERNATE 4 CONDITION - PARTICLE SIZES									
CRITICAL PART. SIZES ENTRAINED									
FLOOD AND REACH	EXISTING SAMPLE DIAM. mm (in)	MAX. SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	Shields Data		Rosgen Data		ACOE Craig F. Stream Note 29 Table 2 (mm) (inch)	Nat. Highway Report 108 D50 Particle (mm) (inch)	Lanes Method for D75 Particle (mm) (inch)
			(mm) (inch)	(mm) (inch)	(mm) (inch)	(mm) (inch)			
<b>Bankful Flood</b>									
D50 Ref riffle	13.9 (0.54)								
D84 Ref riffle	54.5 (2.14)								
346 - 344.2 (u.s. sewer line)		1.08	84	3.3	160	6.3	81.28	92	3.6
344.2 - 344.1 (Sewer Line to Ref. Riffle)		0.8	51	2.0	127	5.0	60.96	68	2.7
344.1 - 352.3		1.01	75	3.0	152	6.0	76.2	86	3.4
342.3 - 341.2 (through dam)		1.52	63	2.5	209	8.2	116.8	130	5.1
<b>10-YR Flood</b>									
D50 Ref riffle	13.9 (0.54)								
D84 Ref riffle	54.5 (2.14)								

163 6.4

IMPOSED SO TRACTIVE STRESS ASSUMPTIONS ARE SIMILAR ALT. 3 AND BRING ASSUMPTION TO FRONT.

107.1<sup>A</sup> OF  
107.1B FOLLOWS

FLOOD AND REACH	EXISTING SAMPLE DIAM. mm (In)	MAX. SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	CRITICAL PART. SIZES ENTRAINED				ALLOWABLE PARTICLE SIZES					
			Shields Data		Rosgen Data		ACOE Craig F. Stream Note 29 Table 2		Nat. Highway Report 108 D50 Particle		Lanes Method for D75 Particle	
			(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)
346 - 344.2 (u.s. sewer line)		1.63	180	7.1	219	8.6	124.5	4.9	139	5.5	104	4.1
344.2 - 343.2 (S. line to across Ref. Riffle)		1.56	165	6.5	216	8.5	119.4	4.7	133	5.2	99	3.9
343.2 - 342.3		1.66	189	7.4	221	8.7	127	5.0	142	5.6	105	4.2
342.3 - 342.05 (through dam)		1.03	81	3.2	157	6.2	78.74	3.1	88	3.5	65	2.6
<b>100-YR Flood</b>												
D50 Ref riffle	13.9 (0.54)											
D84 Ref riffle	54.5 (2.14)											
346 - 344.2 (u.s. sewer line)		2.77	651	<b>25.6</b>	321	12.6	210.8	8.3	237	9.3	176	<b>6.9</b>
344.2 - 344.1 (Sewer Line to Ref. Riffle)		2.42	460	<b>18.1</b>	291	11.5	185.4	7.3	207	8.1	154	<b>6.1</b>
344.1 - 342.5		1.9	265	<b>10.4</b>	245	9.6	144.8	5.7	162	6.4	121	4.8
342.5 - 342.05 (through dam)		0.93	65	2.6	144	5.7	71.12	2.8	79	3.1	59	2.3

107.1 C, D & E Follow

Model  
B  
F

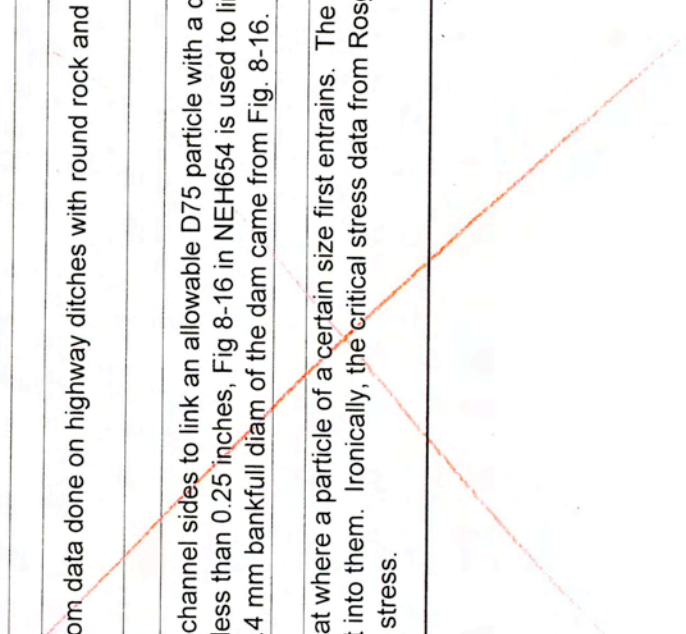
Footnotes.

For the stream Note SR-29, the average stream tractive stress based upon hydraulic radius is typically modified to produce maximum tractive stress with suggested factors of safety for both location and time. Location F.S. = 1.5 and time factor = 1.1 to 1.2. Basic tractive stresses shown on the spreadsheet were the original study tractive stresses based upon maximum channel depth. For this SR 29 method, these original maximum tractive stresses were multiplied by 0.65 to convert to an average tractive stress (based on hydraulic radius). This was then multiplied by a location F.S. of 1.5 and a time F.S. of 1.15. These tractive stresses were the value used in Table 2 of SR-29.

National Highway Report 108 method was produced from data done on highway ditches with round rock and flows up to 1,000 cfs. This method links D50 size with a tractive stress.

Lanes method uses equations for channel bottom and channel sides to link an allowable D75 particle with a design tractive stress. It applies to D75 particles ranging from 0.25 inch to 5 inches. For particles less than 0.25 inches, Fig 8-16 in NEH654 is used to link a tractive stress with a D50 size. The values reported here for the channel bottom equation. The 2.4 mm bankfull diam of the dam came from Fig. 8-16.

Note the Rivermorph data is to show the critical stress at where a particle of a certain size first entrains. The SR-29, Highway 108 and Lanes method are actually design methods with some level of conservatism built into them. Ironically, the critical stress data from Rosgen from Colorado streams produces the most conservative results at least at these ranges of tractive stress.



**Steele Brook Particle Sizes Entrained - Alternate 4 - All Methods for Channel Tractive Stress**

In Alternative 4, the breakpoints between significant changes in energy grade slope are not the same for floods of different return frequency as they were for Alternate 3. Hence different reaches are shown below. The technical references describing the various methods for determining particle size below use different assumptions for calculating tractive stress. The tractive stress assumptions used for alternate 4 have been kept consistent with the tractive stress assumptions used for Alternate 3. This is done, so that realistic comparisons can be made between Alternates 3 and 4. Suspect values are in bold italics. All results for ACOE, National Highway Report 108, and Lanes methods are for round rock. The unique tractive stress assumptions for each method are shown next:

**Rivermorph data** is from the tractive stress curve in that program and uses the maximum shear stress in the third column. This shear is calculated from the maximum channel depth.

The **ACOE Craig Fischenich Stream Note 29 Table 2 Method** uses tractive stress as follows: The average stream tractive stress based upon hydraulic radius is typically modified to produce maximum tractive stress with suggested factors of safety for both location and time. Location  $F.S. = 1.5$  and time factor = 1.1 to 1.2. So for column 4 of this spread sheet, ACOE SHEAR, the maximum tractive stresses of column 3 were multiplied by 0.65 to approximate an average tractive stress (based on hydraulic radius). This was then multiplied by a location F.S. of 1.5 and a time F.S. of 1.15. These ACOE SHEAR stresses of column 4 were used in Table 2 of SR-29.

The **National Highway Report 108 Method** was produced from data done on highway ditches with round rock and flows up to 1,000 cfs. This method links  $D_{50}$  size with average tractive stress  $\tau_{avg}$  based upon hydraulic radius. The basic formula used in NEH 654 Eq. TSC-4 is  $D_{50} = \tau_{avg}/4$  where  $D_{50}$  is in ft. For this spreadsheet the formula embedded in the column for the 108 method obtains average shear by multiplying max shear in column 3 by 0.65 and also converts the units of  $D_{50}$  to inches.

**Lanes Method** uses equations for channel bottom and channel sides to link an allowable  $D_{75}$  particle with a design tractive stress. It applies to  $D_{75}$  particles ranging from from 0.25 inch to 5 inches, using NEH654 eq. 8-24. In this spreadsheet, the equation is rearranged to solve for  $D_{75}$  such that  $D_{75} = \tau_{ab}/0.4$ , where  $\tau_{ab}$  is the allowable shear stress in lbs/sqft and  $D_{75}$  is in inches. The maximum shear stress of column 3 was used for allowable shear. This is consistent with Alt. 3 and also shows the particle size that can be expected to remain in place in the deepest part of the channel. If particles are less than 0.25 inches by the equation, than Fig 8-16 in NEH654 is viewed manually to link a tractive stress with a  $D_{50}$  size. Why it uses  $D_{50}$  instead of  $D_{75}$  is one of life's mysteries. The middle curve for low content of sediment in suspension is probably most useful for CT streams where soils are mostly sandy loams with little silt or clay. Particles larger than 5 inches are out of range for the equation and particles less than 0.1 mm are out of range for Fig. 8-16. Any of these are shown in bold italics.

Note the **Rivermorph data** is used to show the critical stress at where a particle of a certain size first entrains. The **ACOE SR-29, Highway 108 and Lanes** methods are actually design methods with some level of conservatism built into them. Ironically, the **critical stress data from Rosgen** from Colorado streams produces the most conservative results; at least at these ranges of tractive stress.



STEELE BROOK ALTERNATE 4 CONDITION - CHANNEL PARTICLE SIZES													
----- CRITICAL PART. -----													
----- SIZES ENTRAINED -----													
----- ALLOWABLE PARTICLE SIZES -----													
FLOOD AND REACH	EXISTING SAMPLE DIAM. mm (in)	MAX. SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	ACOE SHEAR LBS/SQ FT	Shields Data		Rosgen Data		ACOE Craig F. Stream N. 29 Table 2 Uses		Nat. Highway Report 108 D50 Particle Uses Avg.		Lanes Method for D75 Particle Uses	
				(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)	(mm)	(inch)
342.3 - 342.05 (through dam)		1.03	1.15	81	3.2	157	6.2	86.36	3.4	51	2.0	65	2.6
<b>100-YR Flood)</b>													
D50 Ref riffle	13.9 (0.54)												
D84 Ref riffle	54.5 (2.14)												
346 - 344.2 (u.s. Sewer line)		2.77	3.11	651	<b>25.6</b>	321	12.6	236.2	9.3	137	5.4	176	<b>6.9</b>
344.2 - 344.1 (Sewer line to Ref. riffle)		2.42	2.71	460	<b>18.1</b>	291	11.5	205.7	8.1	120	4.7	154	<b>6.1</b>
344.1 - 342.5		1.9	2.13	265	<b>10.4</b>	245	9.6	162.6	6.4	94	3.7	121	4.8
342.5 - 342.05 (through dam)		0.93	1.04	65	2.6	144	5.7	78.74	3.1	46	1.8	59	2.3

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## TRACTION STRESS ANALYSIS OF FLOODPLAIN ALT 4

DRAW IN FLOODPLAIN ELEVATIONS ON 10-YR AND 100-YR PROFILES SMTS 101 AND 102.

FOR 100 YR  $T_{100} < T_{CHANNEL}$  (SEE SMT 99)

ENERGY GRADE SLOPE 343.1 TO 342.5

$$= (485.8 - 483.3) / 325 = .00769$$

$$(485.76 - 483.34) / 340.88 = .007393$$

DEPTH AT 343.1 = 2.8' DEPTH ON FLOODPLAIN

$$T = 62.4 (2.8) (.00769) = 1.34 \text{ LB/FT}^2$$

$T = KAS$

ENERGY GRADE SLOPE FROM 342.5 TO 342.1

$$= (483.3 - 482.4) / 445 = .00202$$

$$(483.34 - 482.46) / 447.01 = .001968$$

DEPTH AT ~~48~~ 342.2 = 5.2'

$$T = 62.4 (5.2) (.00202) = 0.66 \text{ LB/FT}^2$$

FOR 10 YR  $T_{10} < T_{CHANNEL}$  (SEE SMT 99)

EG SLOPE 344.1 TO 343.1

$$= (487.3 - 484.2) / 332 = .00934 \text{ OK}$$

Channel Bot. SLOPE =  $(482.6 - 474.4) / 978 = .00838 \text{ OK}$

WATER DEPTH AT 343.2 = 0.9' AT 343.2

$$T = 62.4 (0.9) (.00934) = 0.52 \text{ LB/FT}^2$$

EG SLOPE 343.1 TO 342.3 =  $(484.2 - 479.4) / 620 = .0077$   
DEPTH = 1.5 AT 343.1 ON EDGE FLOODPLAIN

$$T = 62.4 (1.5) (.0077) = 0.72 \text{ LB/FT}^2$$

FROM TABLE 2 SR-29 SITE NET TAKES 0.45 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

HARDWOOD TREES HAVE STRAWTH NET TAKES 1.5-1.65 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>  
0.11 TO 0.25 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

654 TABLE 8-4 HAS SAME VALUES

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NOTE ERM CHART 7 WATERWAYS PAGE 7-8 AND TABLE 7-1 SAY SAND IS EASILY PRODEABLE AND HAS ALLOWABLE STRESS OF 0.02 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>.

FIGURE 7-5 REFINES THIS FURTHER ASSUMING A D<sub>75</sub> = 1mm FROM PER SAMPLE DATA

$T_a = T_{\text{allowable}} = 0.4 \text{ LB/FT}^2$  (LAST VALUE ON FIGURE)

ALSO A VEGETAL RETARDANCE OF D ALONG INPUT TO TABLE T-5 HAS  $C_I = 4.44$

FROM EQ. 7-4  $T_{10} = 0.75 C_I = 0.75 (4.44) = 3.33 \text{ LB/FT}^2$

NOTE E OR BURNED STUBBLE AA  $C_I = 2.88$

HERE  $T_{10} = 0.75 (2.88) = 2.16 \text{ LB/FT}^2$

Total STRESS ALLOWED FOR SOIL + TYPE VEG = 2.16 + 4.25 = 6.41 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

NO. 3 SR-3A TABLE 3 HAS CLASS TURF = 1.0 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>  
B TURF = 2.1 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>  
A TURF = 3.7 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

SO THESE TWO ARE IN THE BALL PARK.

654 TABLE T-14I-4 HAS

GRASS TURF EXCELLENT → 3.2 LB/FT<sup>2</sup> ESTABLISHED

LIVE BRUSH WATERFENCE ANIMAL 0.2 - 2 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>  
ESTABLISHED 10-50 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

STREAMBANK SOIL BIO HAS P6 34

DECIDUOUS TREES RIGHT AFTER CONST = 0.4 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>  
AFTER 3-4 SEASONS = 2.4 LB/FT<sup>2</sup>

SO USE STRAW AND NET WITH COIR WITH SEED MIX OF GRASS AND CILLONS USE COIR TO LAST 3 YEARS BY THEN MILKWEED ESTABLISHED

COULD ALSO USE JUTE IF LASTS ONE YEAR WHILE GRASS COMES UP.  
+ STRAW



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LANDLOCK EROSION CONTROL MATS FROM SI  
GEOSOLUTIONS HAS A DOUBLE PLASTIC NET OF STRAW  
CALLED S2 AND LASTS ONE YEAR CAN TAKE  
UP TO  $\frac{165}{20} \times 2 = 1.65 \text{ LB/FT}^2$  SHEAR.

CS2 STRAW + COCONUT BLEND TAKES UP TO  
 $\frac{185}{20} \times 2 = 1.85 \text{ LB/FT}^2$  AND LASTS 2 YRS.

STANDARD ROLLS ARE 6.5' x 138.5 FT LONG =  $1004 \text{ yd}^2$

~~CAN~~ CAN ALSO GET  $7.5 \times 130 = 1000 \text{ yd}^2$   
AND  $12.5 \times 432 = 1000 \text{ yd}^2$

MAY BE COVERED BY JUTE OR PLASTIC NETS

CALL 1-800-FIX-SOIL  
FROM SHT 107.2

NOTE MAX TRACTIVE STRESS FOR 10-YRS  $0.72 \text{ LB/FT}^2$   
FOR 100 YRS  $1.34 \text{ LB/FT}^2$

SO PLAIN STRAW ~~MAY~~ AND PLASTIC NET MAY WILL DO  
IT, IF GET QUICK GRASS COVER.

## Steele Brook Stability Analysis

### Basic Stream Stability Concepts:

The flowing water of streams applies an erosive force to stream beds and banks. When this erosive force is high enough, significant amounts of stream bed and bank particles can be eroded and carried downstream. This is known as bedload movement. The strength of this erosive potential as applied to a unit area of the stream bed or bank can be measured with a quantity called tractive stress. Commonly, this is designated in pounds of downstream force per each square foot of the bed or bank. Typically, tractive stress increases when stream flows get deeper or the slope of the water surface from upstream to downstream gets steeper.

Fields of study such as fluvial geomorphology and hydraulic engineering have produced various tables that show how much tractive stress must be applied to move various sizes of particles lying on stream beds and banks. Typically, the earth and rock materials on these streams have a range and distribution of particle sizes known as a gradation. Describing how diameters of these particles vary within a gradation is commonly done with a measurement concept called effective diameter. The definition of effective diameter is best done by example. The  $D_{50}$  effective diameter is defined as that particle diameter within a gradation where 50 percent of the weight of the gradation is comprised of particles smaller than the  $D_{50}$  diameter. Similarly, the  $D_{84}$  would be defined as that particle diameter within a gradation where 84 percent of the weight of the gradation is comprised of particles smaller than the  $D_{84}$  diameter.

Several tools exist to link tractive stress with the particle sizes of the bedload. One of these is the Rivermorph computer program that catalogs and analyzes many features of fluvial geomorphology. Several graphical curves of Rivermorph show what size particles of sand, gravel, cobble, and rock will move under various applied tractive stresses. One of these curves is based upon 50 samples of Colorado streams as measured by David Rosgen where the particles moved range from  $\frac{1}{4}$  to 16 inch diameters.

### Steele Brook Geomorphology and Hydraulic Features:

For many years Steele Brook has flown into Heminway Pond. The relatively flat water slope of the pond causes the water velocity of Steele Brook to slow down as it enters the pond. In turn this causes sand and gravel carried by Steele Brook to settle out near the end of flood flows and create a delta extending nearly  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the way across the Pond. When Heminway Dam is partially or fully removed as described in Alternatives 3 and 4, the water surface slopes through the pond will become much steeper. Water surface slopes of some portions of the channel just upstream of the pond may increase a bit as well. These increased water slopes will increase tractive stress applied to the new channel and parts of the old channel as well. The net result will be to increase the erosion of channel sand and gravel and consequent bedload movement.

All streams naturally carry some amount of bedload. It cannot and should not be eliminated. Much work has been done in this feasibility study to begin to characterize

how much the tractive stress and bedload movement of Steele Brook will increase as the dam is partially or fully removed. To fully characterize the increases in tractive stress will definitely take more work later on in advanced conceptual stages or design stages of the Steel Brook Project. Nevertheless, a brief description of the methods and results of this tractive stress work done so far will be described next. This will be very useful to guide future conceptual and design work.

The pond and channels were surveyed and a topographic map was produced. Further measurements were done during a geomorphic analysis to characterize a desired natural range of stream channel widths and depths, and floodplain widths. A pebble count sample was done of the stream armor gradation at the reference riffle and the  $D_{50}$  and  $D_{84}$  effective diameters were calculated. Also, effective diameters on six pond sample gradations done by the CT-DEP were utilized. The preferred channel and floodplain geometry was then used to design the size and location of the new channel in alternatives 3 and 4. Next, the flow behavior of the existing and new channels was modeled using the HEC-RAS computer program. From the water surface flow depths and slopes predicted by HEC-RAS, tractive stress was calculated at various parts of the existing and new channels. Finally, the previously mentioned Rosgen curve in Rivermorph was used to show the effects of how tractive stress in the existing and proposed channels will move particles of various sizes.

The predicted particle sizes moved by the stream at various locations under various flood levels are summarized in Tables \_ and \_. These tables are organized to compare particle size movement of Alternative 3 and 4 to existing conditions. For convenience, the  $D_{50}$  and  $D_{84}$  effective diameters are shown at the bottom of the tables. Thus, the tables approximate how mobile the stream armor is under existing conditions and in Alternatives 3 and 4. To reduce table complexity the tractive stress causing the particle size movement is omitted. The level of particle sampling done in the channel and pond is considered reasonable for beginning to analyze alternatives in this feasibility study. However, it must be mentioned more particle size sampling and gradation measurement must be done for advanced conceptual analysis and final design analysis to refine this predictive channel behavior.

Also, it must be pointed out the water surface flood profiles predicted by HEC-RAS are fairly complex. The Echo Lake Bridge and the narrow deep channel upstream of the bridge create flooded backwater in the existing condition and alternatives 3 and 4. This helps reduce water surface slopes and tractive stress upstream in the pond area, thereby reducing bedload movement. In alternatives 3 and 4, the newly created floodplain in the dam area is a transition zone and will still be narrower than the floodplain upstream. This in turn has a backwater effect for about 50 to 300 feet upstream that reduces bedload movement somewhat as compared to the channel further upstream.

#### Channel Stability:

Conclusions from Table \_ for comparing existing conditions to alt. 3 (for partial dam removal) and suggestions for future analysis are:

1. Particle movement from the reference riffle going upstream is essentially the same in the existing condition and in alt. 3.
2. Upstream of the reference riffle, the stream can move 4, 7.4, and 9.0 inch particles in the respective 1 ½, 10, and 100 year flood frequency flows. The reference riffle D<sub>50</sub> size = 0.5 inch and the D<sub>84</sub> size = 2.1 inches. The particles in upstream pools are even finer. So the stream armor of this portion of the stream is fairly mobile in the existing condition and will remain so in alt. 3.
3. In the upper 2/3 reach of the pond, alt. 3 will have a significantly greater capability to move particles downstream than the existing condition. For example, the existing 10-year can move a 1.2 inch particle while alt. 3 will be able to move a 3.1 inch particle. In both the existing case and alt. 3, the predicted particle sizes moved are substantially larger than the existing surface particles estimated at a D<sub>84</sub> size of 0.22 inches. This analysis shows the armor in the pond is unstable even in the existing condition and supports why the pond delta continues to grow. Typically at the peak of a flood bedload movement is high and towards the end of the flood bedload settles out increasing the size of the delta.
4. In the reach 25 to 165 feet upstream of the dam, the particle sizes moved in both the existing condition and alt. 3 are smaller than upstream. The tractive stress here is reduced from downstream backwater. Nevertheless, alt. 3 will have significantly greater capability to move particles than the existing conditions. Also, alt. 3 will remove most of the upstream pond that is effective at trapping sediment on the tail end of flood flows. Hence, alt. 3 can move much more bedload downstream as compared to the existing condition.
5. Some level of additional stream armor would be reasonable for alt. 3. The extent of this can only be designed after stakeholders decide how much risk they are willing to assume for additional channel movement and bedload transport.

Conclusions from Table \_ for comparing existing conditions to alt. 4 (for full dam removal) and suggestions for future analysis are:

1. Particle movement from the reference riffle going upstream will be greater in alt. 4 than the existing condition.
2. Upstream of the reference riffle up to the sewer line, the alt. 4 channel can move 5, 8.5, and 11.5 inch cobbles in the respective 1 ½, 10, and 100 year flood frequency flows. The reference riffle D<sub>50</sub> size = 0.5 inch and the D<sub>84</sub> size = 2.1 inches. The particles in upstream pools are even finer. So the existing stream armor of this portion of the stream will become very mobile in alt 4.
3. In the reach through the pond, alt. 4 will significantly increase the size of particles that can be moved as compared to the existing condition. For example, the existing 10-year can move a 1.2 inch particle while alt. 4 will be able to move an 8.7 inch particle. In both the existing case and alt. 4, the predicted particle sizes moved are substantially larger than the existing surface particles.
4. In the reach through the dam, the particle sizes moved in alt. 4 are larger for the 1 ½-year than the 10 and 100-year floods, because of backwater in higher floods.
5. Alt. 4 shows an even greater need for additional stream armoring than alt. 3. Again this can only be designed after stakeholders decide how much risk they are willing to assume for additional channel movement and bedload transport.

**TABLE ? - STEELE BROOK -  
COMPARE SIZES OF STREAMBED PARTICLES MOVED  
BY VARIOUS FLOOD FLOWS  
FOR THE EXISTING CONDITION AND FOR ALTERNATE 3**

----- SECTION OF STEELE BROOK -----						
	<u>SEWER LINE TO REFERENCE RIFFLE</u>		<u>UPSTREAM 2/3 OF THE POND</u>		<u>25' - 165' UPSTREAM OF THE DAM</u>	
<u>RETURN FRE- QUENCY FLOWS</u>	<u>EXISTING CONDI- TION (INCH)</u>	<u>ALTER- NATE 3 (INCH)</u>	<u>EXISTING CONDI- TION (INCH)</u>	<u>ALTER- NATE 3 (INCH)</u>	<u>EXISTING CONDI- TION (INCH)</u>	<u>ALTER- NATE 3 (INCH)</u>
1 1/2 -Year	4.0	4.0	2.0	3.3	0.31	0.94
10 -Year	7.4	7.4	1.2	3.1	0.35	1.5
100 -Year	9.0	9.0	1.1	5.2	0.71	1.9

Existing surface particles in the reference riffle have  $D_{50} = 0.5$  inch and  $D_{84} = 2.1$  inches.  
Existing surface particles in the upstream 2/3 of the pond have  $D_{84} = 0.22$  inch. Existing surface particles 25' - 165' upstream of the dam have  $D_{50} = 0.0087$  inch and  $D_{84} = 0.059$  inch.

**TABLE ? - STEELE BROOK -  
COMPARE SIZES OF STREAMBED PARTICLES MOVED  
BY VARIOUS FLOOD FLOWS  
FOR THE EXISTING CONDITION AND FOR ALTERNATE 4**

----- SECTION OF STEELE BROOK -----						
	<u>SEWER LINE TO REFERENCE RIFFLE</u>		<u>THROUGH THE POND</u>		<u>THROUGH THE DAM</u>	
<u>RETURN FRE- QUENCY FLOWS</u>	<u>EXISTING CONDI- TION (INCH)</u>	<u>ALTER- NATE 4 (INCH)</u>	<u>EXISTING CONDI- TION (INCH)</u>	<u>ALTER- NATE 4 (INCH)</u>	<u>EXISTING CONDI- TION (INCH)</u>	<u>ALTER- NATE 4 (INCH)</u>
1 1/2 -Year	4.0	5.0	0.31 - 2.0	6.0	NA	8.2
10 -Year	7.4	8.5	0.35 - 1.2	8.7	NA	6.2
100 -Year	9.0	11.5	0.71 - 1.1	9.6	NA	5.7

Existing surface particles in the reference riffle have a  $D_{50}$  Size = 0.5 inch and a  $D_{84}$  size = 2.1 inches. Existing surface particles in the pond have a  $D_{50} = .0087$  inch and a  $D_{84}$  size that ranges from .059 to 0.2 inch through the pond. The dam is a large concrete structure.

Canal and Floodplain Stability:

In alternative 4, the canal on the west side will carry a very small part of Steele Brook flows. To reduce the danger of pedestrians falling of the walled sides of this canal, it is recommended the canal be filled in with earth and vegetated with grass and dogwoods to form an intermittent waterway. Tractive stress analysis shows upon initial seeding this canal will be vulnerable to erosion. Planning level calculations show protecting this new seeding with mulch net consisting of two layers of plastic net with straw mulch sewed between the layers would be reasonable protection until a grass sod with dogwoods becomes established.

The floodplains for alternates 3 and 4 would be similarly vulnerable to erosion as analyzed with tractive stress. For about one year until grass sod and riparian perennial hardwoods become established, these floodplains would also need the straw mulch net described above. The above assumes the alt. 3 floodplain would be mostly relatively flat vegetated areas with a few very shallow flooded areas. If the stakeholders and permit agencies opt for small dugout ponds here that could also function as sediment traps and if the stakeholders can contend with some erosion on the floodplain than much of this temporary straw mulch net could be eliminated. In alt.4, the overall floodplain slope is steeper at 0.8 % and the floodplain is narrower, so that the entire floodplain should be covered with the straw mulch net.