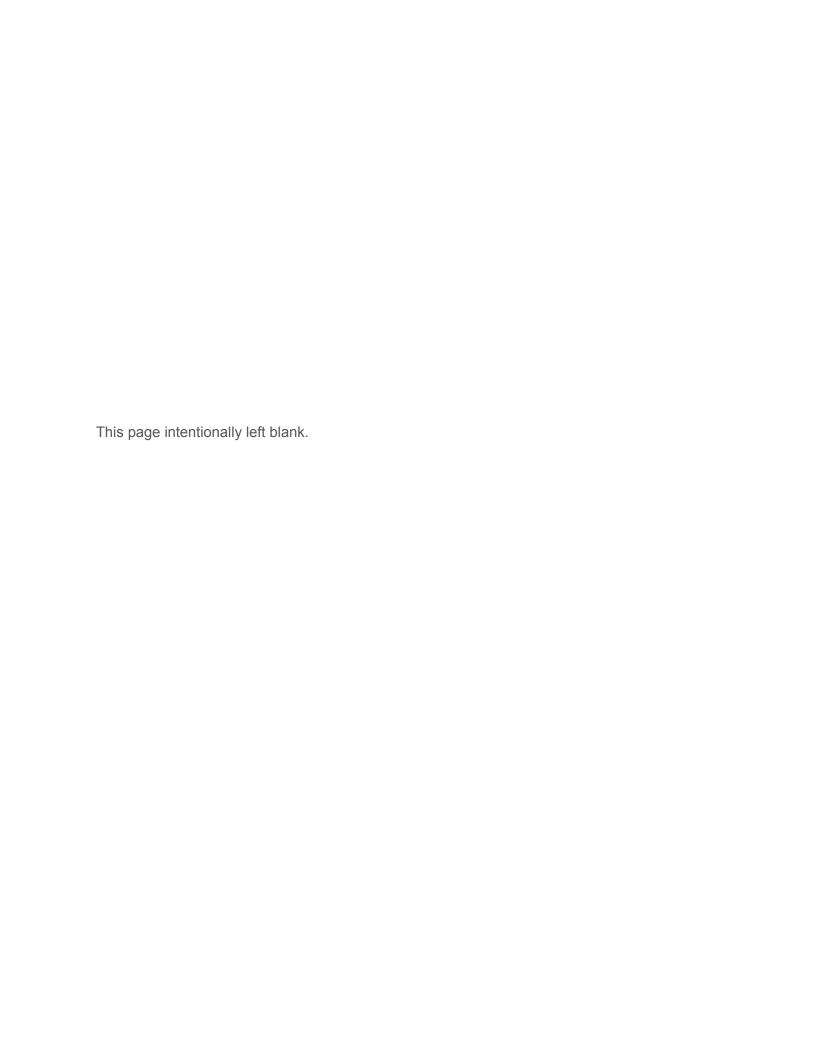


Major Water Quality Impact Assessment

Conditional Use Permit and Conditional Rezoning Application

SPSA Regional Landfill

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1 Project Purpose

The Southeastern Public Service Authority (SPSA) is proposing to expand the Regional Landfill located off Bob Foeller Drive in Suffolk, Virginia. Currently, the Regional Landfill property consists of approximately 833 acres and is comprised of three parcels owned by SPSA, Tax Map Nos. 27*37, 27*37*1 and 27*38A. Tax Map Nos. 27*37 and 27*37*1 comprise 308 acres and are zoned Heavy Manufacturing (M-2). Tax Map 27*28A contains 525 acres and is mixed zoning of Agricultural (A) 440.34 acres and M-2 84.8 acres (Figure 1: Site Plan).

The existing landfill is comprised of six cells (Cells I-VI) which have been constructed on parcels 27*37 and 27*37*1. Cells I-IV are closed with a final cover system and Cells V and VI are currently operational. Cell VII has been permitted with the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (VADEQ) for construction onto a portion of parcel 27*38A, which is currently zoned as M-2. The Cell VII area (73 acres) is currently being used by SPSA as a soil borrow area in accordance with the Erosion and Sediment Control Permit, ESC-2009-00002. Based on current operations and estimated future disposal needs, Cell VII is anticipated to be constructed for operation beginning after 2024.

SPSA is requesting, through applications to the City of Suffolk, conditional rezoning of the remaining portion of parcel 27*38A from Agricultural (A) to M-2 and Conditional Use approval of Cell VII landfill and development of a sand or gravel extraction (soil borrow operation) and vegetative composting system on 129 acres (Future Cell VIII and IX) of the property within portions of the property to be rezoned. The future Cell VIII and IX area is located to the north of Cell VII and to the east of the closed Cells I-IV.

In accordance with Appendix B-4(e)(2) and B-5(h) of the Unified Development Ordinance, this Water Quality Impact Assessment (WQIA) has been prepared as a supplement to SPSA's application for the Conditional Rezoning of a portion of parcel 27*28A, and the Conditional Use Permit Application.

Prior to development of the Cell VII Borrow Area, Map Lot 27*28A contained approximately 425 acres of non-tidal, seasonally flooded palustrine forested wetlands. Approximately 12 acres of wetlands were disturbed for the development of Cell VII borrow area and landfill, and SPSA has provided 98 acres of preservation, restoration and enhancement as mitigation in accordance with the 88-0707 401/404 permits issued by VADEQ and US Army Corps of Engineers for the work.

Since the development of this site impacts more than 10,000 square feet of land within the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area (CBPA), a major water quality impact assessment is required for the Conditional Use Permit and Conditional Rezoning applications. SPSA has contracted with HDR to prepare this WQIA report. This WQIA addresses landfill Cell VII, and borrow area in Future Cells VIII and IX (Study Area), which comprise 202 acres of the SPSA Regional Landfill facility (Figure 2: Study Area).



2 Overview

Much of the information required by the City's WQIA regulations is included in the Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) prepared by the US Army Corps of Engineers (Norfolk District) completed May 1995 regarding expansion options for the Regional Landfill. The EIS evaluated over 88 sites within the Regional Landfill service area and identified four potential landfill sites for further analysis, including the 525 acre parcel 27*28A adjacent to the existing landfill facility. The 525-acre property was selected as the least environmentally damaging practicable alternative and SPSA proceeded with acquisition of the property and permitting of the Cell VII landfill expansion. In July 2005, a WQIA was submitted as part of a CUP application to the City of Suffolk for the development of Cell VII of the Regional Landfill.

Pertinent information relating to the proposed expansion site was excerpted from the EIS for inclusion into the WQIA. This WQIA will specifically evaluate the 202-acre site of Cells VII, VIII and IX which is a sub-area of the 525-acres evaluated in the 1995 EIS. Excerpts from the EIS have been edited to specifically reference the 202-acre portion of the parcel. Text taken from the EIS has been *italicized* in this report and includes reference to the specific source sections of the EIS.

The Study Area is located within the Resource Management Area (RMA) of the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Overlay District. Therefore, the WQIA narrative follows the format of Appendix B-13 of the Suffolk Unified Development Ordinance titled "Environmental Documentation Within Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area (CBPA)" and includes pertinent sections to the proposed project. The City has previously confirmed that the project site is not located in a Resource Protection Area (RPA) of the CBPA. This report is written following the City requested information for a Major Water Quality Impact Assessment for ease of review.

3 Minor Water Quality Impact Assessment

Information in Section 3.1 reflects what is requested in the Appendix B-13(b) of the Suffolk Unified Development Ordinance, Minor Water Quality Impact Assessment.

3.1 RPA and Buffer Locations

The 202-acre Study Area is not located in the portion of the CBPA designated as the RPA (Figure 1: Site Plan). Additionally, no 100-foot buffer areas are located in the expansion site. The closest RPA is located a half mile to the west of the SPSA landfill site at Burnett's Mill Creek.

However, Map Lot 27*28A is located in the region designated as the RMA, as all areas within the CBPA not inside the RPA are considered to be in the RMA. The RMA boundary falls across the majority of Cell VII (~59 acres) and a small portion overlaps Cell VIII and IX (~6.1 acres). RMA's are contiguous to RPA's and may include flood plains, highly erodible soils associated with steep slopes, non-tidal wetlands, not included in the RPA and other lands necessary to protect water quality.



3.2 Encroachment Nature

The development in the RMA will consist of borrow and landfilling activities, along with associated erosion and sedimentation control measures.

The proposed activities will have minimal impact on the amount of impervious surface within the Study Area. Currently, Cell VII is being used as a borrow area and has erosion control measures in place. Since the Cell VII expansion and future borrow area site is located adjacent to the current landfill facilities, the existing paved landfill entrance roadway and site roadways will be utilized for access to operations of Cell VIII and the borrow areas in Future Cell VIII and IX. A perimeter gravel roadway will be installed as part of Cell VII construction for operation and access for maintenance of the erosion control and stormwater best management practices. The perimeter gravel roadway will be approximately 30 feet in width and be 5,100 feet in length for approximately 153,000 square feet of new impervious gravel surface, or less than 5% of the total area. For a proposed layout of Cell VII landfill development, Figure 1: Site Plan is included for reference. The construction and operation of a borrow area or composting system will utilize the existing gravel access road to the east of Cells I – IV for access to the area, and would have minimal impervious areas generating run-off.

3.3 Best Management Practices

As shown in Figure 3: Basegrade Plan, the Cell VII borrow area has been developed with drainage swales and two sediment basins for treatment of runoff from the borrow area and a diversion dike to route off-site stormwater around the Cell VII area. The erosion and sediment control practices are being constructed and maintained in accordance with the Erosion and Sediment Control Permit, ESC-2009-00002.

The design for Cell VII includes grass lined drainage channels around the perimeter of the landfill to direct flow toward the existing sediment basins. The design also includes a series of built in drainage benches in the slopes to catch and direct runoff to slope drains or reinforced drainage channels (Appendix A). These slope drains and/or reinforced drainage channels will direct runoff down the slopes into the perimeter channels shown on the Plan 0C-09 in Appendix A. The channels are designed to discharge into the sediment basins and the discharge rates controlled to reduce the peak flows off-site through the use of perforated riser outlet structures. See Appendix A for stormwater calculations and the final grading plan for the closed conditions at Cell VII (2009 Cell VII Permit Application).

The development of the soil borrow area within future Cells VIII and IX will be completed similarly to the Cell VII soil borrow area and will incorporate drainage channels and sediment basins for treatment of run-off during operation. Based on the VADEQ Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook, if all 129 acres were to be developed as the borrow area, the sediment basin would need to provide 134 CY/acre of storage volume (17,286 CY) and 33.5 CY/acre of sediment storage (4,322 CY). A sediment basin with an area of approximately 3 acres and depth of 7 feet, would provide sufficient storage and treatment for the stormwater run-off. Conceptual calculations for the sediment basin are included in Appendix B.



The potential development of a compost system would require installation of some impervious areas for collection of contact water for treatments and some gravel roadways for access to the facility areas. The development of the soil borrow would be subject to an erosion and sediment control permit from the City of Suffolk. The vegetative waste composting system would be subject to VADEQ solid waste permitting as well as City of Suffolk site plan approval, which would include review of proposed erosion and sediment and stormwater management systems.

3.4 Existing Site Vegetation

The majority of the proposed landfill Cell VII does not have much in the way of vegetation as it is being used as a borrow area. At the tie-in of Cell V and Cell VII, there is an approximate 70 foot wide vegetated area between the cells. The eastern part of this strip, adjacent to Cell VII, is vegetated with native vegetation. This strip of native vegetation is 30-40 feet wide. The western part of the ± 70 foot wide strip is mowed grasses. Table 3-1 describes the 30-40 foot wide strip of natural vegetation between Cells V and VII.

Table 3-1 Site Vegetation Between Cells V and VII

Common Name	Scientific Name				
Trees					
Sweet Gum	Liquidambar styraciflua				
Water Oak	Quercus nigra				
Loblolly Pine	Pinus taeda				
Sa	plings				
Sweet Bay	Magnolia virginiana				
Swamp Chestnut Oak	Quercus michauxii				
Shrubs/herbaceous					
Sweet Gum	Liquidambar styraciflua				
Pepper Bush	Clethra alnifolia				
Persimmon	Diospyros virginiana				
Switch Cane	Arundinaria tecta				
Vines					
Greenbrier	Smilax rotundifolia				
Poison Ivy	Toxicodendron radicans				
Virginia Creeper	Parthenocissus quinquefolia				

Source: Davis Environmental, June 2016 field reports

The existing vegetation within Cell VII is sparse and patchy due to current borrow activities. This area is characterized as ever-changing with young volunteer pine (*Pinus taeda*) and invasive species such as cattails (*Typha* sp.).



The vegetation across the 129 acres of Cells VIII and IX are similar in character. Two plant communities were identified and include Community 1, which is characterized by hardwood forested wetlands; and Community 2, which supports a slightly drier plant community represented by mixed forested uplands. Community 1 makes up the majority of the area, and Community 2 represents small hummock uplands scattered in the southeast area of Cells VIII and IX. This forested area was cut for timber in the 1980s and represents a mixed age stand of trees ranging from 28 to 60 years. Increased harvesting of timber occurred in the southern third of the site; therefore, the southern third has younger trees (90% cover) while the remainder has fewer young trees (70% cover). The following two tables list the dominant trees, shrubs, vines and forbes in each plant community.

Table 3-2 Plant Community 1 (Wetland)

Common Name	Scientific Name	Estimated % Cover (can exceed 100%)			
Trees					
Red Maple	Acer rubrum	60			
Sweet Gum	Liquidambar styraciflua	20			
Swamp Chestnut Oak	Quercus michauxii	20			
Water Oak	Quercus nigra	5			
Sweet Bay	Magnolia virginiana	3			
American Holly	llex opaca	2			
Loblolly Pine	Pinus taeda	1			
	Shrubs				
Pepper Bush	Clethra alnifolia	30			
Switch Cane	Arundinaria tecta	30			
Highbush Blueberry	Vaccinium corymbosum	8			
Sweet Bay	Magnolia virginiana	3			
	Vines				
Greenbriar	Similax rotundifolia	25			
Poison Ivy	Toxicodendron radicans	15			
Laurel-leaf Greenbriar	Similax laurifolia	2			
Forbes					
Netted Chain Fern	Woodwardia areolata	25			
Virginia Chain Fern	Woodwardia virginica	25			
Lizard Tail	Saururus cemuus	20			
Royal Fern	Osmunda regalis	5			

Source: Davis Environmental, June 2016 field reports;



Table 3-3 Plant Community 2 (Upland)

Common Name Scientific Name		Estimated % Cover (can exceed 100%)			
Red Maple	Acer rubrum	30			
Sweet Gum	Liquidamabar styraciflua	30			
Yellow Poplar	Liriodendron tulipifera	30			
Loblolly Pine	Pinus taeda	30			
American Holly	llex opaca	10			
	Shrubs				
Pawpaw	Asimina triloba	25			
Highbush Blueberry	Vaccinium corymbosum	10			
Switch Cane	Arundinaria tecta	10			
	Vines				
Japanese Honeysuckle	Lonicera japonica	25			
Virginia Creeper	Parthenocissus quinquefolia	10			
Poison Ivy	Toxicodendron radicans	10			
Grape	Vitis rotundifolia	5			
Forbes					
New York Fern	Thelypteris noveboracensis	30			
Lady Fern	Athyrium filix-femina	30			
Netted Chain Fern	Woodwardia areolata	10			

Source: Davis Environmental, June 2016 field reports



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4.1 Existing Hydrogeological Elements

4.1.1 Existing Topography

The Study Area lies entirely within the Swamps and Peatlands (63c) Level IV Ecoregion of the Middle Atlantic Coastal Plain (63) Level III Ecoregion of Virginia (EPA, 2003). The Middle Atlantic Coastal Plain is a low, nearly flat plain with many swampy or marshy areas that extend northeastward from Georgia to New Jersey. The Swamps and Peatlands, also known as the Dismal Swamp, is a large, forested wetland with extensive organic deposits. This ecoregion is nearly flat, poorly drained, and is underlain by lagoonal strata and impermeable clays. Elevation of the Study Area ranges from 16 to 20 feet above sea level.

Changes in elevation in the vicinity of the Study Area are marked by four topographic features: the sand ridge and dunes along the Atlantic Ocean; and the Suffolk, Hazleton, and Surry Scarps, which represent former beachfronts. The Suffolk Scarp is located approximately four miles west of the Study Area; Godwin Blvd. is located atop this scarp.

4.1.2 Geology

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The coastal plain province of Virginia consists of an eastwardly thickening sedimentary wedge composed principally of unconsolidated gravels, sand silt, and clay with variable amounts of shell material. These deposits range in thickness from approximately 300 feet in Southampton County to over 2,000 feet in Virginia Beach. The sediment is underlain by consolidated basement bedrock, which consists of metamorphic and igneous rocks (Teifke 1973; USACE, 1995)

4.1.3 Soil Characteristics

 $3.1.3^{1}$

Coastal plain soils originated from unconsolidated marine and fluvial sediments. The textures of the soils often consist of loams, sands, muck, and combinations thereof, with loams constituting between 50 and 80 percent of the soils. The deep soils are generally moderately to poorly drained, with a great deal of wetness being common in some locations.

The Suffolk County Soil Survey dataset identified six soil types within the Study Area, all which are hydric soils (Figure 4: NRCS Soils). The majority of soils within Cell VII have been disturbed due to current borrow activities and those in Cell VIII and IX are mainly undisturbed except for previous forest clearing activities during the 1908's. Table 4-1 lists the soils and acreage in the Study Area.

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Table 4-1 Study Area Soils

Soil Series Name (Map Symbol)	Cell VII (Ac.)	Cell VIII and IX (Ac.)
Tomotley loam (24)	63.6	66.3
Torhunta loam (25)	-	59.4
Levy silt clay loam (13)	5.0	-
Deloss mucky loam (4)	-	3.1
Rains fine sandy loam (19)	2.5	-
Dragston fine sandy loam (6)	1.9	-

Source: Suffolk County Soil Survey shapefile (USDA, 2010)

4.1.4 Mineral Resources

 $3.1.4^{1}$

Highly priced, precious mineral resources are not abundant in the coastal plain area. The mineral resources that are available include sand, gravel, clay, and coquina. Economical utilization of these resources is dependent upon their distance from the surface and geographic proximity to their destined use site. Sand obtained from several formations in the area is used for general construction and road fill. Many sand borrow pits exist west of the Suffolk Scarp in the lower member of the Windsor Formation. East of the Suffolk Scarp, sand is taken from the Sand Bridge Formation.

Analysis of clay samples from Isle of Wight County indicates the potential for use as a lightweight aggregate or in face brick and drain tile. Coquina facies in the Yorktown Formation provide a source of calcium carbonate for cement manufacturing. Coquina, which is composed of more than 90 percent shell fragments, is exposed in isolated patches just east of the Suffolk Scarp from the James River south to Chuckatuck.

4.1.5 Hydrology and Hydrography

The Study Area is located in the Nansemond River-Cedar Lake basin, more specifically in the Hampton Roads Hydrologic Unit No. 02080208 (USGS 2006). Approximately 6,415 feet of stream channel, representing two unnamed tributaries (UTs) identified by the National Hydrography Dataset (NHD) in the Study Area (USGS, 2006). However, field reconnaissance by Davis Environmental Consultants, Inc. in June 2016 did not confirm the presence of any defined stream channels within the Study Area.

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The U.S. Geological Survey recently completed an in-depth study of the groundwater resources in southeastern Virginia. Their report, <u>Hydrogeologic Framework of the Virginia Coastal Plain</u> (USGS, 1988) defined eight separate aquifers. Ranging from shallowest to deepest, the aquifers are known as: Columbia, Yorktown-Eastover, St. Marys-Choptank, Chickahominy-Piney Point, Aquia, Upper Potomac, Middle Potomac, and Lower Potomac. The Columbia aquifer is also known as the water-table aquifer and except for some localized areas is generally not confined. Because of its closeness to the surface, this shallow aquifer is susceptible to contamination



from septic tanks and agricultural or industrial discharges. The remaining aquifers are confined and are under artesian pressure. These lower aquifers are generally not as vulnerable to contamination from surface sources; however, some leakage between formations does occur where head relationships favor such movements (USGS 1988).

4.1.6 Shellfish Beds, Submerged Aquatic Vegetation and Fish Spawning Areas

There are no shellfish beds or submerged aquatic vegetation within the Study Area. The National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) Essential Fish Habitat (EFH) Mapper did not identify any essential fish habitat necessary for fish spawning, breeding or feeding within the Study Area (NMFS, 2016). A list of potential freshwater fish that may use the ditches within the Great Dismal Swamp within the vicinity of the Study Area are represented in Table 4-2. The stream channel within Cell VII is upstream of Burnett's Mill Creek and connects to a network of Great Dismal Swamp ditches downstream of the Study Area, south of Portsmouth Boulevard (Routes 460/58/13).

Table 4-2 Possible Fish Species in Drainage Ditches connected to The Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge

Common Name	Scientific Name
Longnose gar	Lepisosteus osseus
Bowfin	Amia calva
Redfin pickerel	Esox americanus
Chain pickerel	Esox niger
Golden shiner	Notemigonus crysoleucas
White catfish	Ameiurus catus
Channel catfish	Ictakurus punctatus
Yellow bullhead	Ameiurus natalis
Brown bullhead	Ameiurus nebulosus
American eel	Anquilla rostrata
Mosquitofish	Gambusia holbrooki
Swampfish	Chologaster comuta
Pirate perch	Aphredoderus sayanus
Mud sunfish	Acantharchus pomotis
Flier	Centrarchus marcopterus
Warmouth	Lepomis gulosus
Bluespotted sunfish	Enneacanthus gloriousus
Banded sunfish	Enneacanthus obesus



Common Name	Scientific Name
Redbreast sunfish	Lepomis auritus
Pumpkinseed	Lepomis gibbosus
Bluegill	Lepomis microchirus
Largemouth bass	Micropterus salmoides
Black crappie	Pomoxis nigromaculatus
Eastern swamp darter	Etheostoma fusiforme
Yellow perch	Perca flavescens
Eastern mudminnow	Umbra pygmaea
Creek chubsucker	Erimyzon oblongus

Source: Animals of the Great Dismal Swamp (USFWS, 2013)

4.1.7 Requisite Permits from Agencies

Below is a list of anticipated permits for applicable agencies needed to develop the project.

Table 4-3 Federal, State and Local Permits Needed for Project

Permit Type	Issuing Agency/ Authority	Permitted Activity
Conditional Use Permit	City of Suffolk	Construction and operation of municipal solid waste landfill
Solid Waste Permit	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)	Construction and operation of municipal solid waste landfill Cells VII and use of borrow from Cells VIII and IX
Industrial Wastewater Discharge	Hampton Roads Sanitation District	Discharge of leachate to local publicly owned treatment works
VA Pollutant Discharge Elimination Permit	DEQ-Water Division	Discharge of storm water and process waste water to Burnett's Mill Creek
Section 401 of Clean Water Act	VADEQ	Impact of ~129 acres of forested wetlands for Cells VIII and IX development
Section 404 of the Clean Water Act	US Army Corps of Engineers	Impact of ~129 acres of forested wetlands for Cells VIII and IX development



4.2 Impacts to Hydrogeological Elements

4.2.1 Site Clearing and Subgrade Preparation

In landfill Cell VII, the site will continue to be used for borrow until such time that the landfill cell is required for operations. The soil borrow operations are being completed in conformance with the permitted Cell VII landfill subgrade elevations. Final subgrade preparation and installation of the liner and leachate collection system for Cell VII would be conducted when appropriate. In Cell VIII and IX, areas would be cleared and grubbed of all vegetation including trees, stumps, brush vines, downed timber logs, rotten wood, roots and rubbish and other debris. All depressions caused by clearing would be filled, unless further earthwork or excavation is required, and compacted to the density of the surrounding material. The existing woody vegetation in the Cell VIII and IX area is relatively new growth of red maple, sweet gum and swamp chestnut oak, and SPSA will likely provide the clearing contractor with the option of harvesting the timber or chipping and selling it for biomass. Topsoil materials will be stripped and stockpiled on-site for use in final closure construction of existing cells of the landfill, or stabilization of berms and swales in the Cell VII construction.

Groundwater will be dewatered from beneath the Cell VII landfill base liner system by an underdrain and pumping system. This system would be comprised of a network of perforated plastic pipe laterals which drain to collection header pipes and pump. These drains would prevent groundwater intrusion and facilitate initial site construction. Following construction of the Cell VII liner system and installation of cover materials and initial lifts of waste for ballast, it is anticipated that the groundwater dewatering system would cease operation. SPSA has applied for a Special Exception Permit from VADEQ for the groundwater dewatering, and technical review is planned to be completed closer to the planned Cell VII landfill construction start.

Approximately 97% of the 129-acre Study Area will need to be cleared for the development of the soil borrow area. A proposed 50-foot buffer between the Cell VIII and IX area and wetland preservation area will be maintained to reduce potential impacts of the development on the wetland system. Figure 1: Site Plan shows the wooded areas of the Study Area and the proposed limits of clearing for Cell VIII and IX.

4.2.2 Pre- and Post Development Pollutant Loads in Runoff

The proposed expansion of the SPSA Regional Landfill (Study Area) within the City is required to meet the criteria as set forth in the CBPA. Any land disturbing project within the CBPA is required to provide BMP for surface runoff, if the pollutant loading for proposed conditions is greater than that for existing conditions. Pollutant loading, expressed as total phosphorus load using CBPA procedures, is principally a function of the area of the site, percentage of imperviousness, average annual rainfall, and the flow weighted mean pollutant concentration.

The Study Area is located within a Chesapeake Bay Preservation RMA. The Study Area is classified as a new development. For the determination of pollutant loading for existing conditions, the City has adopted the default value for CBPAs of 16 percent of average watershed imperviousness. For any new developments, if the site imperviousness is less than



the average watershed imperviousness of 16 percent, then no further determination of post development pollutant loading is required and no BMP measures are necessary.

Development of Cell VII will be constructed to Virginia Department of Solid Waste Management regulations, which requires stabilized intermediate cover on the finished slopes and a final cap design consisting of eighteen (18) inches of final cover soil material and six (6) inches of topsoil, which is a pervious material. The only new impervious areas would mainly consist of the perimeter access roads and internal haul roads. Since the proposed Cell VII area is adjacent to the existing landfill facility, the landfill's existing roadways should be utilized for access to the new cell. A perimeter gravel roadway will be installed as part of Cell VII construction for operation and access for maintenance of the erosion control and stormwater best management practices. The perimeter gravel roadway will be approximately 30 feet in width and be 5,100 feet in length for approximately 153,000 square feet of new impervious gravel surface, or less than 5% of the total 73 acre area.

The development of the soil borrow area within future Cells VIII and IX will be completed similarly to the Cell VII soil borrow area and will incorporate drainage channels and sediment basins for treatment of run-off during operation. The potential development of a compost system would require installation of some impervious areas for collection of contact water for treatments and some gravel roadways for access to the facility areas, but any impervious surface would be much less than 5% of the total 129 acre area. The development of the soil borrow would be subject to an erosion and sediment control permit from the City of Suffolk. The vegetative waste composting system would be subject to VADEQ solid waste permitting as well as City of Suffolk site plan approval, which would include review of proposed erosion and sediment and stormwater management systems. There is ample area within the 129 acres to incorporate the sediment basins required for treatment of the runoff from the disturbed area.

The proposed expansion of landfill Site Cell VII and the soil borrow or compost system in the Cell VIII and IX area would not result in an increase of impervious area greater than the default value of 16 percent. Therefore no further analysis should be needed to determine pre- and post-development pollutant loading.

4.2.3 Wetland Impacts and Justification

²The Southeastern Public Service Authority of Virginia (SPSA) was established in 1973 under the Virginia Water and Sewer Authorities Act to develop a regional water supply system. In 1976, its responsibilities were amended to include the development of a regional solid waste disposal and resource recovery system. SPSA was the first regional waste management operation in Virginia organized under this Act.

The 2,000-square mile Service Area, shown on Figure 5: Service Area includes the cities of Chesapeake, Franklin, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk, and Virginia Beach and the counties of Isle of Wight and Southampton. SPSA is governed by a board of directors which consists of a representative and an alternate appointed by each of the member communities. SPSA handles virtually all of the municipal solid waste generated in each participating community, with the

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² EIS, Chapter 1.1 Introduction



exception of some non-processible bulky items and white goods (major household appliances) and currently serves a population of just over 1.1 million people.

Currently, SPSA operates an integrated solid waste management system, which includes the Regional Landfill in Suffolk, nine transfer stations located throughout the service area, and contract for disposal of processible waste at Wheelabrator Technologies, Inc. (Wheelabrator) waste-to-energy facility located in Portsmouth, Virginia. The contract with Wheelabrator expires in January 2018, and SPSA has entered into an agreement RePower South, LLC (RePower) with respect to a new facility proposed to be constructed in Chesapeake, Virginia. The RePower facility will process the disposed waste stream to remove additional recyclables and to produce fuel pellets for use at coal and biomass power generating facilities. The residue from the RePower and non-processible wastes are anticipated to be disposed of at the SPSA Regional Landfill.

Other components of SPSA's solid waste system include recycling programs, three permanent household hazardous waste collection facilities, and several landfill ancillary facilities described below. In 2015, SPSA handled over 1 million tons of waste, of which approximately 39% were delivered by the member communities. In 2015 approximately 295,000 tons of waste were managed at SPSA for disposal at the Regional Landfill. In order for SPSA to continue to provide long term disposal capacity for its member communities, SPSA began working with the Norfolk District Corps of Engineers in 1988 to find a suitable landfill site within its Service Area. The expansion onto this 525 acre site, Map Lot 27*28A, was one of four scenarios reviewed in an EIS prepared by the US Army Corps of Engineers, and ultimately selected as the alternative having the least environmentally damaging practicable alternative and SPSA proceeded with acquisition of the property and permitting of the Cell VII landfill expansion.

The borrow area for Cell VII resulted in the permanent impact of approximately 12 acres of non-tidal, palustrine, forested wetlands associated with an unnamed tributary of Bennett's Mill Creek. Mitigation for the wetland impacts was submitted and approved under a 404 Permit modification, dated October 30, 2002. Cell VII has been designed and was permitted for construction approval by VADEQ on June 8, 2011 as an amendment to the existing Solid Waste Permit #417.

Forested wetland impacts to the Study Area, for this next expansion will encompass the majority of the 129-acre area of Cell VIII and IX. Small areas of uplands were located on Cell VIII and IX but approximately 95% of the site was determined to be hardwood forested wetlands.

4.2.4 Supply of Water to Wetlands, Streams, Lakes, Rivers or Other Water Bodies Impacts

4.1 Floodplain Management³: The proposed expansion site is not located within an established 100-year floodplain, and lies well above the 100-year flood elevation of the Nansemond River tributary to which it drains. While additional surface flow to this tributary could result from development of the site, its flood storage capacity would not be altered since development would occur upstream of and outside the floodplain. Flow increases would be minimized through

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³ EIS, Chapter 4 Environmental Consequences



proper implementation of stormwater management controls. According to 1990 the flood insurance rate maps for the City of Suffolk, the site does lie within an "approximate flood hazard area" which appears to closely match the delineation of the Dismal Swamp on the U.S.G.S. Chuckatuck typographic quadrangle

During permitting of the Cell VII landfill, SPSA performed a floodplain study and determined that the 100-year floodplain elevation for the Cell VII area is approximately 18.6 feet MSL, which is less than the existing topography of the area. A Letter of Map Revision (LOMR) application was approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to revise the 100-year floodplain to be outside the proposed facility boundary.

Land upstream and contiguous to the proposed landfill expansion site is comprised principally of undeveloped wetlands. Hence, potential damage to upstream structures, roads, etc., would not be a concern. Existing and proposed surface water drainage leads to an existing 8-foot by 6-foot double box culvert (designed by the Virginia Department of Transportation) which crosses beneath the U.S. Routes 460/58 bypass. This drainage structure appears to have the capacity to accommodate an increase in flow, but would be evaluated more thoroughly in the design phase should this alternative be approved. Stormwater controls would be installed as required to comply applicable regulations regarding increased surface water flow from the site. The only structures downstream of the proposed expansion and upstream of this culvert are the support facilities (office/maintenance complex, metals recovery facility, etc.) at the existing landfill. Drainage is presently, and would continue to be, diverted around these structures to avoid possible flooding.

Because of the presence of wetland acreage at the site, the potential loss of flood storage capacity due to wetland conversion was investigated. Part of the functional value of a wetland is in its capacity for storing floodwaters. An assessment methodology developed in Evaluation Wetlands for Flood Storage (Simon et al., 1987) yields a quantitative tool for determining the loss in flood storage capacity through a volumetric comparison of watershed runoff to storage available within a wetland. One major assumption of the method is that "wetlands with a maximum storage-to-runoff ratio of less than 25 percent do not perform a significant flood storage function" (Simon et. al, 1987).

A wetland storage volume of 77.5 acre-feet was determined based on the assumption of an average standing water depth of two inches over the surface of the area of wetlands estimated to be present at the proposed expansion site. Total runoff volume was computed for the Beamon Pond watershed using a land-use based curve number approach (SCS, 1986). The following table presents the basic land use types and estimated percentages of each for the watershed.



Table 4-4 Land Use in Beamon Pond Watershed

Land Use	Acreage	Percentage of Drainage Subbasin (Beamon Pond Watershed)			
Landfill (existing)	250	9.8			
Farmland	45	1.8			
Junkyard	65	2.6			
Wetlands	2,190	86			

Source: Final EIS, (USACE 1995; page 4-2)

A composite curve number based on soil type and moisture conditions was established for the watershed. Total rainfall resulting from a two-year, 24-hour storm was determined using average rainfall intensity curved developed for the area.

The total expected runoff from the watershed was subsequently estimated to be 735 acre-feet based on the composite curve number and the chosen storm frequency and duration.

A ratio of the estimated on-site wetland storage volume (77.5 acre-feet) to total watershed runoff volume (735 acre-feet) yields a value of 10.5 percent. According to the assumptions of the methodology followed herein, the wetland loss associated with the proposed landfill expansion would not represent a substantial loss in the watershed's flood storage capacity. The estimated 10 percent loss of flood storage capacity would not be considered limiting in terms of control of peak flows. Stormwater management would be required at the expansion site to ensure control of peak flow conditions.

4.2.5 Hydrology, Wetland and Stream Circulation Pattern Impacts

4.8 Stream Flows³

Potential changes to stream flow patterns can be assessed by estimating peak runoff alterations due to development. Anticipated changes in runoff value are typically based on changes in land surface characteristics, and the possibility of alterations in timing and duration of peak flows.

For landfills in southeastern Virginia, the concern with stream flow alterations and associated water quality impacts has been effectively addressed through the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act, the requirements for permitting of stormwater discharges as required under the Clean Water Act, the Virginia Stormwater Management Regulations, and Virginia Solid Waste Management Regulations.

The landfill construction must also comply with state and local regulations for erosion and sedimentation control in accordance with the plans approved prior to construction. Together, these regulations require the site to be developed so that the runoff rate of flow during and after development will be as close as possible to the pre-development runoff rate, and require water quality impacts to be mitigated through the use of BMPs (best management practices).



The Erosion and Sediment Control Plan for the Cell VII soil borrow area included use of vegetated drainage swales and two temporary sediment basins sized for the flow from the proposed 54 acres of disturbance. The proposed stormwater management system includes routing run-off from the intermediate cover and final cover the Cell VII landfill and adjacent closed areas of Cell V, toward the sediment basins for treatment and peak flow reduction. Calculations from the proposed stormwater management system are included in Appendix A for reference.

The Erosion and Sediment Control Plan to be developed for the proposed 129 acre soil borrow area in Cell VIII and IX areas will utilize similar practices to manage the peak flows from the disturbed areas for sediment removal and peak run-off control. The temporary sediment basins will be sized in accordance with the requirements of Section 3.14 of the Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook.

4.8.13 Alteration of Water Volume and Drainage Patterns

The proposed Cell VII landfill expansion and soil borrow area site lies within the Burnetts Mill watershed in which Beamon Pond is located (Figure 2: Study Area). The expansion site was evaluated to determine the potential difference in the timing and quantity of surface runoff between existing conditions and the conditions expected after development. The evaluation was based on change in land surface characteristics to assess peak runoff rates, and estimate of change in timing of peak runoff flow conditions (time of concentration, tc) based on anticipated landfill and soil borrow area design.

The development site acreage of 202 acres was used as the drainage area in calculating peak flows for existing conditions and for post-development conditions. The Site Plan shows site drainage characteristics before and after development of the expansion area.

The surface and runoff results and all pertinent variables of peak flows are summarized in Table 4-5. The net change in peak runoff from undeveloped to post-developed conditions for the storm frequencies of two and ten years is 214 cubic feet per second (cfs) and 250 cfs, respectively. These changes do not consider BMPs to control discharge.

Table 4-5 Rational Method Determination of Peak Surface Runoff Rates without Consideration of BMPs

Storm Intensity (I) (in/hr) Q (cfs)							
Stage in Development	С	Tc (min)	2 yr	10 yr	A (acres)	2 yr	10 yr
Existing Conditions/ Undeveloped	0.20	50	1.8	2.3	202	73	93
Post-Development Cell VII	00.5	8	4.9	5.7	73	179	208
Post Development Borrow Area Cell VIII & IX	0.35	33	2.4	3.0	129	108	135



The impact of increased runoff due to development of the landfill site on the outlet currently draining the Beamon Pond watershed (approximately 2,550 acres) was also considered. A double 8 ft x 6 ft box culvert exists beneath the Portsmouth Boulevard (Routes 460/58/13) and does not appear vulnerable to flooding. Preliminary estimates show the flow increases due to development of the site resulting from the two and ten-year storms. Without on-site retention, the two and ten-year storms would comprise 14 and 16 percent of the culvert's ultimate capacity, respectively. In light of the substantial available headwater depth at the culvert (approximately 18 feet) and considering the use of BMP stormwater controls at the site to reduce the peak flows, no adverse impact is anticipated. All drainage details (such as ensuring adequate on-site storage to meet regulatory standards and minimal downstream impact) would be detailed during the design phase of the project.

4.8.23 Alteration of Timing and Duration of Discharge Peaks

The maximum possible discharge from a drainage basin is attained only if the duration of a storm is greater than or equal to the time of concentration of the basin. It follows that storms which have duration less that the basin time of concentration would procure peak discharges less than the maximum theoretical discharge. Assuming all other pertinent parameters remain the same (i.e., same constant rainfall intensity, time of concentration and storm recurrence interval), storms having shorter duration would yield lower peak discharges than those discussed earlier, and these peaks would occur sooner.

Implementation of BMP stormwater controls at any of the landfill sites would serve to reduce the peak quantity of surface flow leaving the site, as required by regulation, and thus render alteration of timing of peak flows inconsequential.

4.2.6 Source Location and Description of Proposed Fill Material

A landfill is constructed in three basic phases. These phases consist of a base liner, waste, and a final cap. Each of these phases involves placement of several different layers of material.

The base liner system consists of structural fill, a geocomposite (a geonet between two geotextiles), a foot of soil liner material, a 40 mil geomembrane liner, a geosynthetic clay liner (made of bentonite between two geotextiles), a 60 mil geomembrane liner, a leachate collection layer (geocomposite and a series of interconnecting HDPE piping), and a foot of protective cover material (with a hydraulic conductivity of 2x10⁻⁵ cm/sec or less).

Waste placement consists of placement of municipal solid waste, daily cover material, and intermediate cover material. Daily cover material is placed over the working area at the end of each day whereas the intermediate cover is a foot of material placed on any areas that will be left undisturbed for a period of 12 months or greater.

Placement of the final cap consists of an eighteen (18) inch thick layer of clay with a hydraulic conductivity of 1x10⁻⁵ cm/sec or less, a 40 mil geomembrane, a geocomposite, an eighteen (18) inch thick final cover layer, and six inches of topsoil.



It is likely that the clay soil materials required for construction of the landfill liner systems and final cover systems will need to be obtained from off-site locations. The soils excavated from the soil borrow areas in the Cell VII area and future Cells VIII and IX areas may be used as the protective cover materials on the liner and above the geocomposite on the final cover system. Excavated on-site soils will also be utilized for daily and intermediate cover soils in support of landfill operations.

4.2.7 Pre- and Post Development Pollutant Loads in Runoff

The proposed expansion of the SPSA Landfill within the City is required to meet the criteria as set forth in the CBPA. Any land disturbing project within the CBPA is required to provide BMP for surface runoff, if the pollutant loading for proposed conditions is greater than that for existing conditions. Pollutant loading, expressed as total phosphorus load using CBPA procedures, is principally a function of the area of the site, percentage of imperviousness, average annual rainfall, and the flow weighted mean pollutant concentration.

The Study Area is located within a Chesapeake Bay Preservation RMA. A portion of the Study Area, Cell VIII and IX, is classified as a new development. For the determination of pollutant loading for existing conditions, the City has adopted the default value for CBPAs of 16 percent of average watershed imperviousness. For any new developments, if the site imperviousness is less than the average watershed imperviousness of 16 percent, then no further determination of post development pollutant loading is required and no BMP measures are need to be placed.

The proposed Cell VII area encompasses approximately 73 acres, and the proposed soil borrow area in future Cells VIII and IX encompasses approximately 129 acres. The proposed Cell VII will be constructed to Virginia Department of Solid Waste Management regulations. This means the landfill will have a final cap design consisting of eighteen (18) inches of final cover soil material and six (6) inches of topsoil, which is a pervious material. The only new impervious areas would mainly consist of haul and perimeter access roads. The perimeter gravel roadway will be approximately 30 feet in width and be 5,100 feet in length for approximately 153,000 square feet of new impervious gravel surface, or less than 5% of the total 73 acre area.

The development of the soil borrow area within future Cells VIII and IX will be completed similarly to the Cell VII soil borrow area and will incorporate drainage channels and sediment basins for treatment of run-off during operation. The potential development of a compost system would require installation of some impervious areas for collection of contact water for treatments and some gravel roadways for access to the facility areas, but any impervious surface would be much less than 5% of the total 129 acre area.

The proposed expansion of landfill Site Cell VII and the soil borrow or compost system in the Cell VIII and IX area would not result in an increase of impervious area greater than the default value of 16 percent. Therefore no further analysis should be needed to determine pre- and post-development pollutant loading.



4.3 Mitigation to Hydrological Elements

4.3.1 Erosion and Sediment Control Mitigation Measures

The proposed erosion and sediment control measures for the Cell VII landfill will consist of vegetated exterior intermediate and final cover slopes with built-in benches every 40 vertical feet to collect stormwater and direct it to either slope drains or reinforced channels which will drain to the perimeter channel shown on the Site Plan. The perimeter channels will direct the runoff to the proposed sediment basin for treatment and peak flow control, prior to discharge into the existing drainage system.

The soil borrow area in future Cells VIII and IX will be developed in accordance with an erosion and sediment control plan to be developed and approved by the City of Suffolk. It is anticipated that the plan will be similar to that employed for the Cell VII soil borrow area and will include vegetated drainage channels and temporary sediment basins for settlement and management of silty soils.

All disturbed areas will be seeded to minimize runoff. Some channels may have rip-rap placed within them to minimize erosion and runoff velocities. All erosion and sedimentation control devices will be maintained during and after construction to ensure that the devices will operate properly.

4.3.2 Wetland Mitigation

SPSA has mitigated for the 12 acres of permanent wetland impacts at Cell VII by providing onsite wetland compensation in the form of 12 acres of restored forested wetlands, 36 acres of enhanced forested wetlands and 50 acres of preserved forested wetlands (Figure 1: Site Plan). These areas are located to the northeast of Cell VII and to the east of the proposed borrow Cells VIII and IX.

Restoration of wetland hydrology in the enhancement and restoration areas was initiated in summer 2007 with construction of two earthen berms. Restoration success has been evaluated based on the permit conditions and outlined in the compensatory mitigation plan dated November 13, 2007. Site monitoring began in 2008 and two future years of monitoring (2016, 2017) are required by the permits. A statement of compliance with compensatory wetland mitigation requirements under Corps and DEQ permit #88-0707 is enclosed in Appendix C.

The majority (> 95%) of the 129 acres in Cell VIII and IX is wetlands and will require compensatory mitigation. A jurisdictional determination package will be prepared by Davis Environmental Consultants Inc. in the summer of 2016 and an exact area of wetlands will be determined for Cell VIII and IX.

Per conversations with the Corps representative, a 2:1 mitigation ratio will be applied for wetlands impacts. Mitigation credits must be acquired from mitigation banks in the HUC 02080208 (Hampton Roads), where available. A database search of the Regulatory In-lieu Fee and Banking Information Tracking System (RIBITS) for this sub-basin has determined credits are available (as of June 27, 2016) from private mitigation banks. Davis Mitigation, implemented by The Great Dismal Swamp Restoration Bank, has 180 wetland acre-credits available, and



Dover Farm has 500 wetland acre-credits available. SPSA has yet to determine which bank will provide the needed wetland credits to cover the permanent wetland impacts.

4.4 Existing Landscape Elements

Natural vegetation within the Study Area is described in Section 3.4.

4.5 Impact to Landscape Elements

Plant communities within the Study Area will be removed in their entirety during the multiple phasing of the landfill. Vegetation between existing Cell V and proposed Cell VII will be removed to join the landfill cells. As Cells VIII and IX are used for borrow for Cell VII landfill activities, areas will be incrementally removed as borrow is needed.

4.6 Mitigation to Landscape Elements

Section 4.3.2 of this document addresses wetland mitigation measures.

In the conditions section of the Conditional Use Permit, C19-05 issued on September 21, 2007, an evergreen vegetative buffer approximately 2,000 feet in length, at least 50 feet in width, and located within the 200-foot property line buffer would be installed immediately north of Portsmouth Boulevard (Routes 460/58/13) and adjacent to Landfill Cell VII. The condition states that the selected evergreen vegetation should reach a height of 20 feet within five years of installation.

The evergreen buffer was not installed for several reasons, including construction of the Chesapeake water line. The current buffer vegetation was assessed for quality and compliance of the CUP condition in June 2016. The vegetative buffer east of the stream crossing is approximately 75% effective as a visual buffer (Figure 1: Site Plan). Loblolly pine is the dominant species and the remaining 25% of the area is relatively thin with smaller trees. The remainder of the buffer, the area west of the stream crossing, located between the linear sediment basin and waterline easement currently lacks an effective visual buffer. Appendix B includes photographs of the current footprint of the proposed buffer areas and adjacent waterline easement.

It is recommended a 25-foot wide buffer be enhanced along the entire 2,000-foot length of Bob Foeller Drive (Figure 1: Site Plan). The enhanced buffer will be located adjacent and north of the Chesapeake waterline easement for the majority of the 2,000 feet. A cost effective method would be to re-establish and enhance the current 25-foot buffer area with loblolly pine seedlings, while concentrating the majority of tree plantings between the sediment basin and waterline on the west side of the buffer area. Planting of the seedlings during the winter-spring season and using a local tree source such as the Virginia Department of Forestry will ensure optimal seedling survival. Approximately 1,000-2,000 seedlings will be needed to plant the entire area west of the stream crossing between the waterline and sediment basin and enhance the 25% of the buffer east of the stream crossing that has gaps in tree growth. Delineating the buffer area with posted signs and potentially fencing the area will ensure it remains untouched.



4.7 Existing Environmental Elements

The online Information, Planning and Consultation (IPaC) system from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) provides a preliminary assessment of potentially occurring state and federally listed species within the vicinity of the Study Area. The 525-acre (Tax Map 27*28A) SPSA parcel was used as input to generate results for the smaller 129-acre Study Area.

A species conclusion table for federally listed species has been generated and is included in Appendix E. The Northern long-eared Bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) is listed as threatened and was the one federally listed species documented as having suitable habitat within the project vicinity. There are no critical habitats for federally listed species and no refuges or fish hatcheries within the project vicinity. Rare plant species were not noted in the IPaC review.

As part of the IPaC, the Virginia Fish and Wildlife Information Service (VaFWIS) lists federal, and state species that are located within 2 miles of the Study Area. The following five species are known or likely to occur in the vicinity of the Study Area: Canebrake rattlesnake (*Crotalus horridus*), tri-colored bat (*Perimyotis subflavus*), Mabee's salamander (*Ambystoma mabeei*), bald eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*), and spotted turtle (*Clemmys guttata*). The canebrake rattlesnake and the tri-colored bat are both state endangered and the Mabee's salamander is state threatened. The spotted turtle is a collection concern species. A further listing of 60 species by the Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) represents those federal and state listed species found within Suffolk County (Appendix E).

Species descriptions for state and federally listed species with habitat or known or likely to occur in the vicinity of the Study Area are detailed below.

The Northern long-eared bat (NLEB) occurs widely across much of Canada and the southeastern United States, but is unevenly distributed and rarely found in large numbers. It is more common in the northern part of its range than in the southern portion. Winter hibernacula for the NLEB include caves and mines. Hibernacula/winter roosts in central and eastern Virginia may include other landscape features. Suitable summer habitat for the NLEB is generally characterized as forested areas with trees over three inches in DBH. Summer roost sites include tree cavities or crevices, the loose bark of live or dead trees, and abandoned buildings.

The NLEB was officially listed by the USFWS as a threatened species in April of 2015. The listing became effective May 2, 2015. On January 14, 2016 the USFWS also established a final rule under the authority of section 4(d) of the Endangered Species Act that provides measures for the conservation of NLEB. This bat species is federally threatened due to white-nose syndrome, a fungal disease that affects hibernating bats and has lead to widespread mortality of these animals in eastern and mid-western North America. Forested habitat exists within the forested portions of the Study Area in Cells VIII and IX.

The canebrake rattlesnake inhabits hardwood and mixed hardwood-pine forests, cane fields, and the ridges and glades of swampy areas in localized areas of southeastern Virginia. This snake is at the northern limit of its distribution in southeastern Virginia. It overwinters in the base of hollow trees or in stumps. This venomous snake is state endangered because of the loss of habitat primarily through conversion to developed lands but potentially in part because of the



ditching and draining activities in its' habitat. The canebrake rattlesnake had three species occurrences observed during 2000, 2001 and 2009 within 1 mile of the Study Area (Appendix E). One occurrence intersects the Study Area and the other two occurrences are located within 1 mile to the north and east of the Study Area.

The tri-colored bat was historically one of the most common species of bats found throughout the eastern forests of the America. They seem to prefer edge habitats near areas of mixed agricultural use and have been know to feed on large hatches of grain moths emerging from corn cribs. They hibernate in caves or mines and are among the first bats to enter hibernation each fall and the late to emerge in spring. The tri-colored bat was observed in 1996 within 1 mile of the Study Area. This occurrence is located to the southeast in the current wetland enhancement area (Appendix E).

Mabee's salamander is common in the Carolinas but rare in Virginia where it breeds in temporary ponds in bottomland mixed pine-hardwood forests. It is known from five localities in southeastern Virginia, including Suffolk. It is a relatively small species with a small head and long slender toes. The coloration is dark brown-gray to black with silvery whie flecks that are abundant on the side but sparse on the back. The breeding season is in the late fall to early spring. The breeding sites are fish-free vernal ponds or ephemeral coastal plain sinkholes up to 1.5 meters deep with surrounding forests generally composed of hardwoods mixed with pine. Mabee's salamander was observed in 1900 within 2 miles of the Study Area. It was located to the southwest of the Study Area, south of Portsmouth Boulevard (Routes 460/58/13).

The bald eagle has a range from Alaska to the northern border of Mexico and from the Pacific to the Atlantic Coast. The bald eagle is the only eagle found exclusively on the North American continent. The Chesapeake Bay hosts a large influx of summer migrants from Florida and other Gulf Coast states from May to September. Generally, northern (breeding north of 40° N), non-coastal populations including those in Alaska, generally migrate south for the winter between August and January. Habitat for the bald eagle primarily consists of mature forests in proximity to large bodies of open water for foraging. Large dominant trees are utilized for nesting sites, typically within 1 mile of open water. Occurrences of the bald eagle have been noted within the 2 mile vicinity of the Study Area and no known nests have been recorded by the Virginia Center for Conservation Biology eagle nest locator (Appendix E). The bald eagle was formally "delisted" or removed from the federal Endangered Species Act; however, it is protected under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act.

4.8 Impacts to Environmental Elements

In general, the proposed project will expand into forested swampland of the Dismal Swamp and remove viable forested habitat for many wildlife species. The federal and state listed species that are afforded protection include NLEB, canebrake rattlesnake, Mabee's salamander and tricolored bat. Species habitat assessment will be performed this summer to determine presence or absence of habitat each listed protected species.

Impacts to the federal and state listed species have not yet been determined; furthermore, biological field surveys may be required by the USFWS and or state agencies (DCR, VDGIF) to



better assess species impacts. Coordination between USFWS, DCR and Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (VDGIF) will be sought during the 404/401 permitting process in the summer of 2016.

4.9 Mitigation to Environmental Elements

Mitigation for impacts to protected species will be decided during consultation with USFWS, DCR and VDGIF during the 401/404 process.



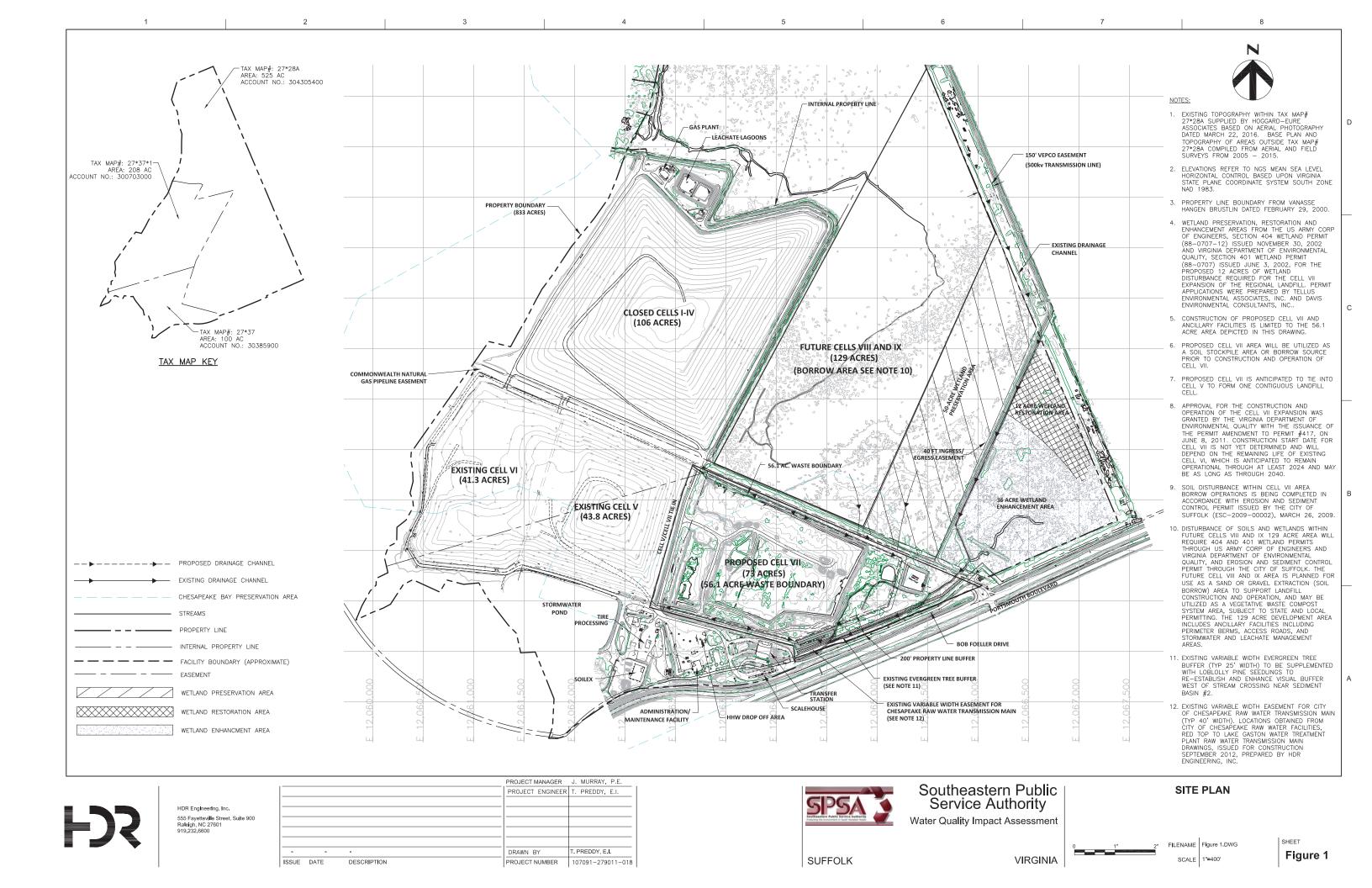
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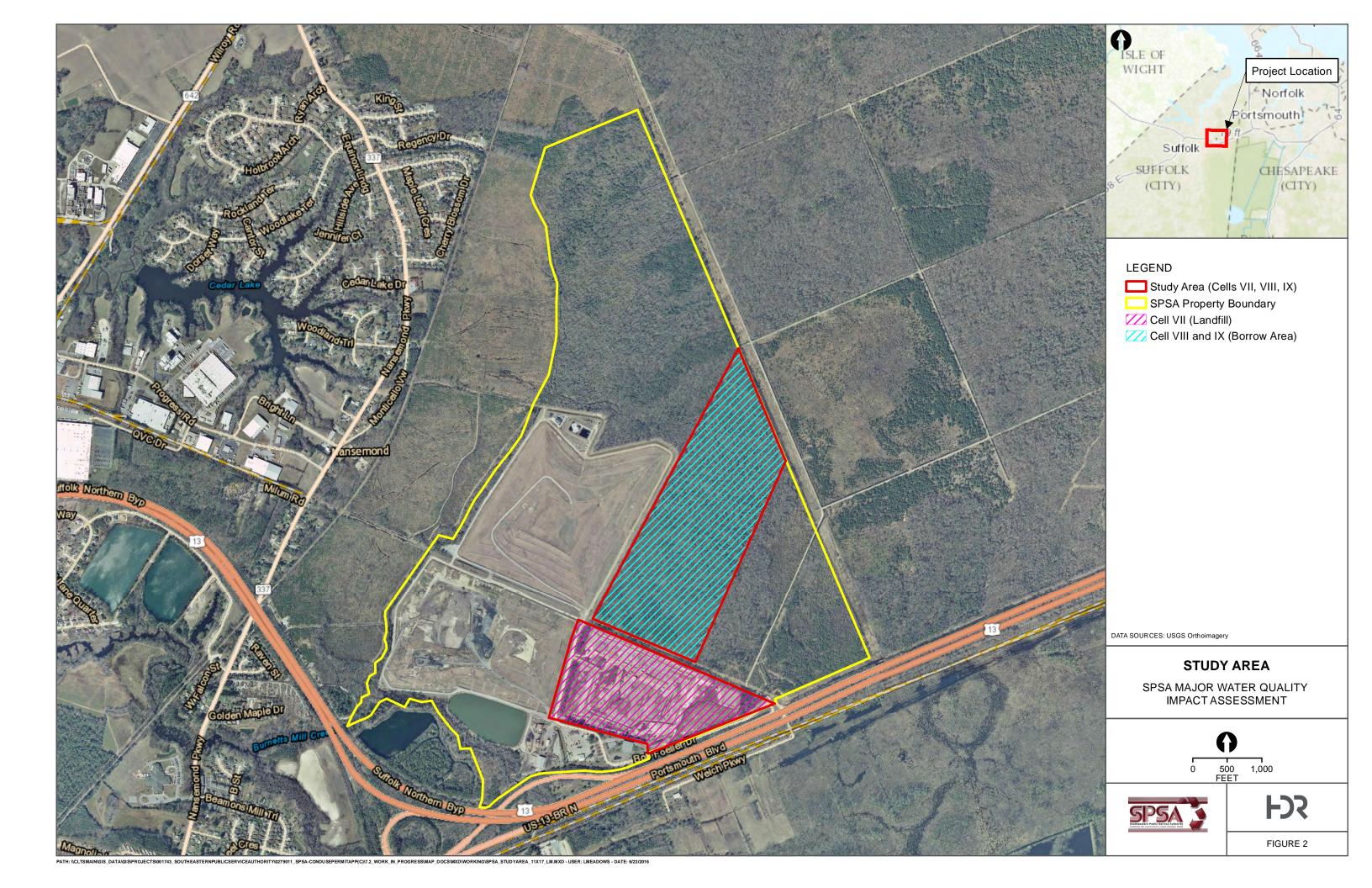
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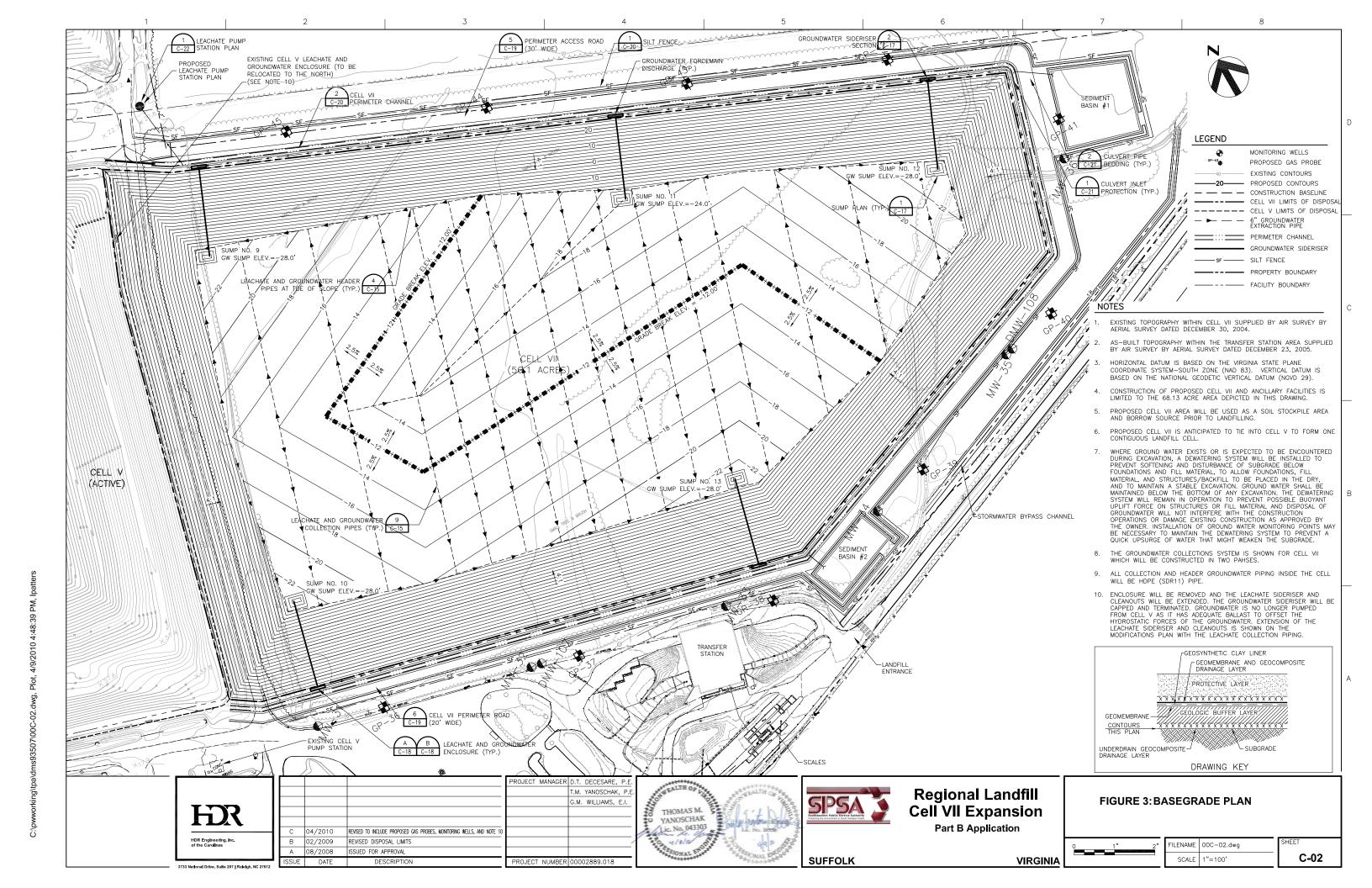


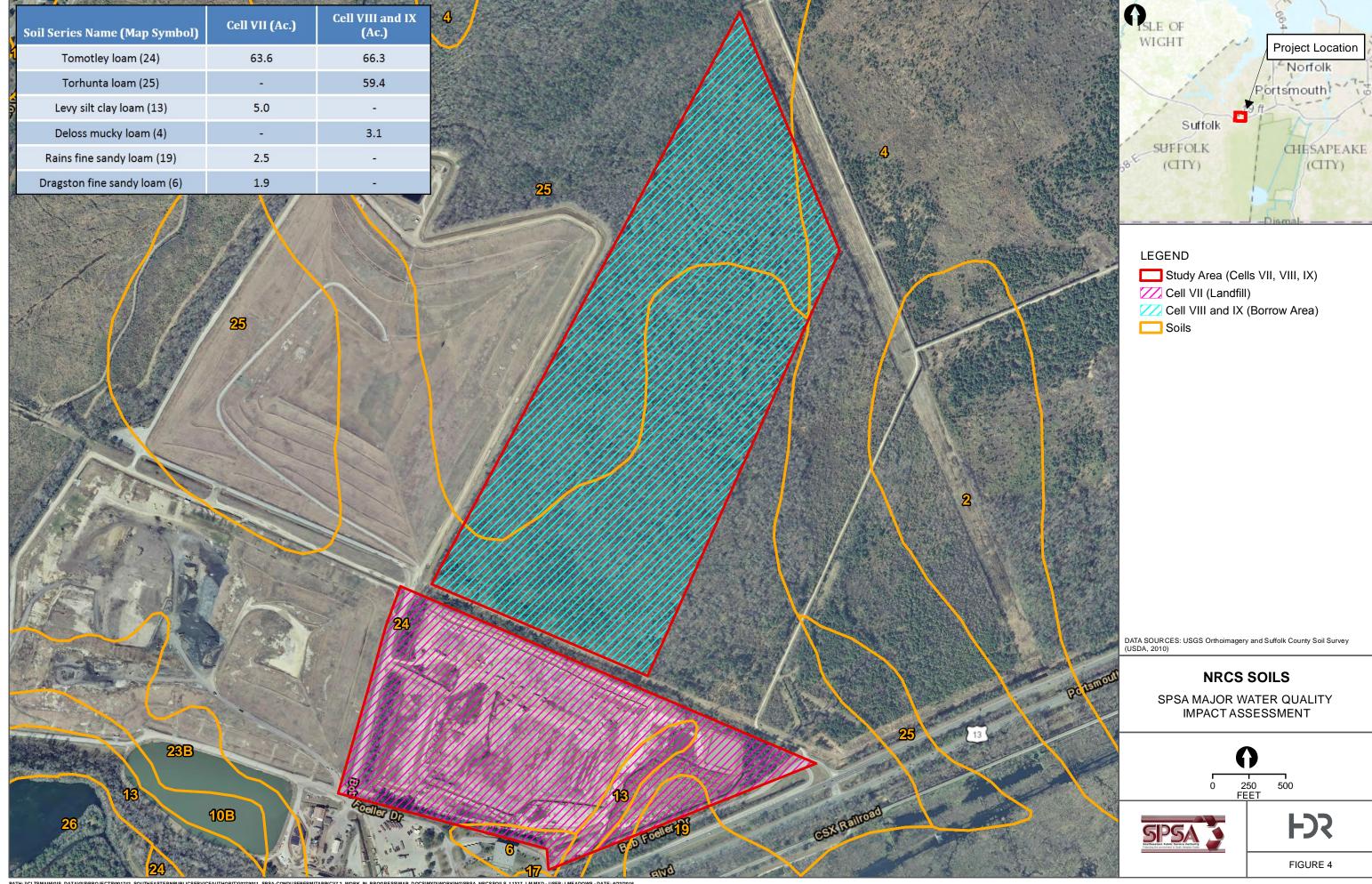


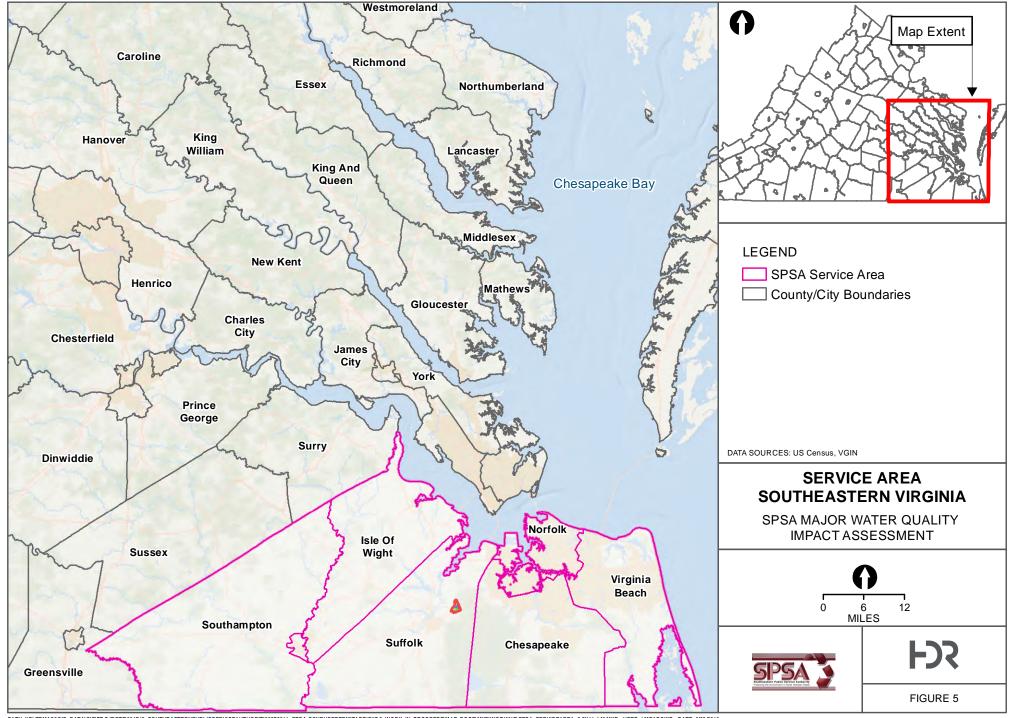
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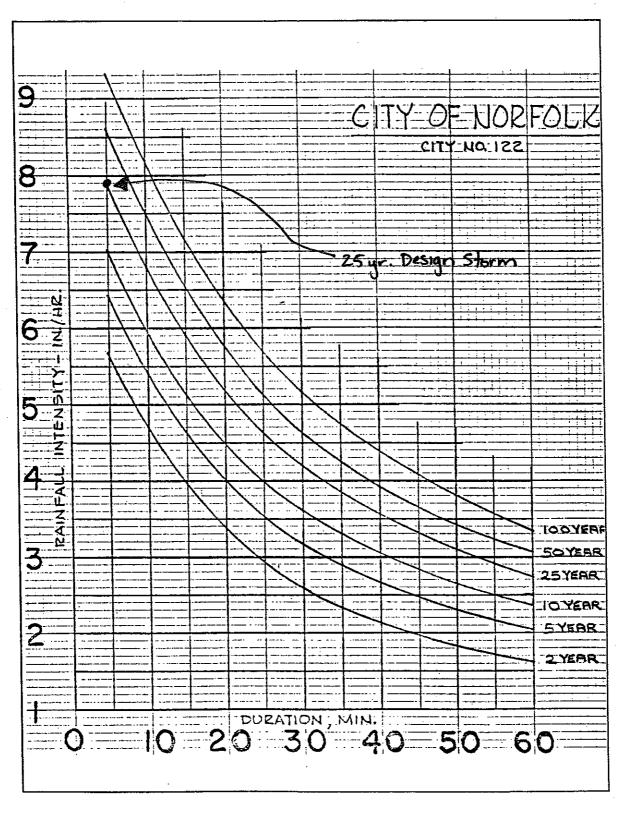




Appendix A – Stormwater Calculations for Closed Conditions at Cell VII



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Source: VDOT

Plate 5-5

TABLE 5-2
VALUES OF RUNOFF COEFFICIENT (C) FOR RATIONAL FORMULA

Land Use	С	Land Use	С
Business: Downtown areas Neighborhood areas	0.70-0.95 0.50-0.70	Lawns: Sandy soil, flat, 2% Sandy soil, average, 2-7% Sandy soil, steep, 7% Heavy soil, flat, 2% Heavy soil, average, 2-7% Heavy soil, steep, 7%	0.05-0.10 0.10-0.15 0.15-0.20 0.13-0.17 0.18-0.22 0.25-0.35
Residential: Single-family areas Multi units, detached Multi units, attached Suburban	0.30-0.50 0.40-0.60 0.60-0.75 0.25-0.40	Agricultural land: Bare packed soil * Smooth * Rough Cultivated rows * Heavy soil, no crop * Heavy soil, with crop * Sandy soil, no crop * Sandy soil, with crop Pasture * Heavy soil * Sandy soil Woodlands	0.30-0.60 0.20-0.50 0.30-0.60 0.20-0.50 0.20-0.40 0.10-0.25 0.15-0.45 0.05-0.25 0.05-0.25
Industrial: Light areas Heavy areas	0.50-0.80 0.60-0.90	Streets: Asphaltic Concrete Brick	0.70-0.95 0.80-0.95 0.70-0.85
Parks, cemeteries	0.10-0.25	Unimproved areas	0.10-0.30
Playgrounds	0.20-0.35	Drives and walks	0.75-0.85
Railroad yard areas	0.20-0.40	Roofs	0.75-0.95

Note: The designer must use judgement to select the appropriate "C" value within the range. Generally, larger areas with permeable soils, flat slopes and dense vegetation should have the lowest C values. Smaller areas with dense soils, moderate to steep slopes, and sparse vegetation should be assigned the highest C values.

Source: American Society of Civil Engineers

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Objective

Design and size perimeter ditches to handle flow from a 25 year storm event.

Equations

Normal Depth Procedure (Manning's Eqn)

 $AR^{2/3} = Qn/1.49s^{0.5}$

Area (A)= $bd+z(d^2)$

 $Z_{av} = AR^{2/3}$

 $Z_{req} = Qn/1.49s^{0.5}$

 $R=Area/(b+2d((z^2+1)^{0.5})$

Avg Shear Stress(T) = d*s*unit weight of water

Design Channels along the access road

Min Channel Freeboard =

0.5 f

Inside Channel Side Slope =

3 (enter X for X:1)

Outside Channel Side Slope =

2 (enter X for X:1)

Bottom Width, b =

Q(cfs) = CIA = Peak Flow

Runoff Coefficient, C =

Ag Land, Bare Packed Soil, Rough (0.20 - 0.50)

Ref 2, Table 5-2, p V-29

Design Storm: 25-Yr, 5-min

I (in/hr) = 7.9

Ref 2, Plate 5-5, Norfolk, p V-15

A(Ac) =

1.72

based on max drainage area off the LF waste pile (North East side of Cell 7, Fig 1)

Calculated Flow Rate Q (cfs) = 4.08

Various Lining Types

		Manning's n		
Lining		depths of		Allowable Shear
Type	Lining Description	0.5-2.0 ft	Vp (ft/sec)	Stress psf
A	Jute Net (HEC-15)	0.015	2.0	0.45
В	Erosion Control Blanket Single Net (Curlex 1)	0.034	5.0	1.55
C	Erosion Control Blanket Double Net (Curlex HV)	0.026	10.0	1.65
Ð	Ordinary Firm Loam (Ref 2)	0.020	3.5	2.0
E	Grass Lined (Ref 2)	0.030	5.0	2.0
F	6" Rip Rap (Ref 2, Ref 1)	0.069	9.0	2.0
G	Unvegetated Turf Reinforcement Mat (TRM) (NAG C350)	0.025	9.5	2.25
H	Class D Phase 2 (Partially vegetated) TRM (NAG C350)	0.048	14.0	3.34
I	12" Rip Rap (Ref 2, Ref 1)	0.078	12.5	4.0
J	Class B Phase 3 (Fully vegetated) TRM (NAG C350)	0.048	18.0	5.7
K	Concrete (HEC-15, EPA 832-F-99-002)	0.013	25.0	10.0

Sideslope Channels Cell VII Stormwater.xls

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Task: Sideslope Channels	Sheet 2	Of 2

Select Lining System for each channel slope that will handle the design flow when vegetated and when initially constructed.

Assume the channel slope is constructed at 3% but settles to 1%

				Cross					
Lining	Channel		Flow Depth	Sectional			Velocity	Average Shear	
Туре	Slope	$Z_{\rm req}$	d (ft)	Area (sf)	R	Z avail	(ft/sec)	Stress (lb/sf)	_
Permane	ent Lining								
E	3.0%	0.47	0.6	1.05	0.30	0.47	3.9	1.2	
E	1.0%	0.82	0.8	1.59	0.37	0.82	2.6	0.5	
Initial Li	ining								
D	3.0%	0.32	0.6	0.79	0.26	0.32	5.2	1.0	Need Temp Lining
D	1.0%	0.55	0.7	1.18	0.32	0.55	3.5	0.4	
Tempora	ary Lining								
В	3.0%	0.54	0.7	1.16	0.32	0.54	3.5	1.3	
В	1.0%	0.93	8.0	1.75	0.39	0.93	2.3	0.5	

CONCLUSION

1. The above calculations are for the "Worst Case Scenario" or largest drainage area of a sideslope channel for Cells V, VI and VII

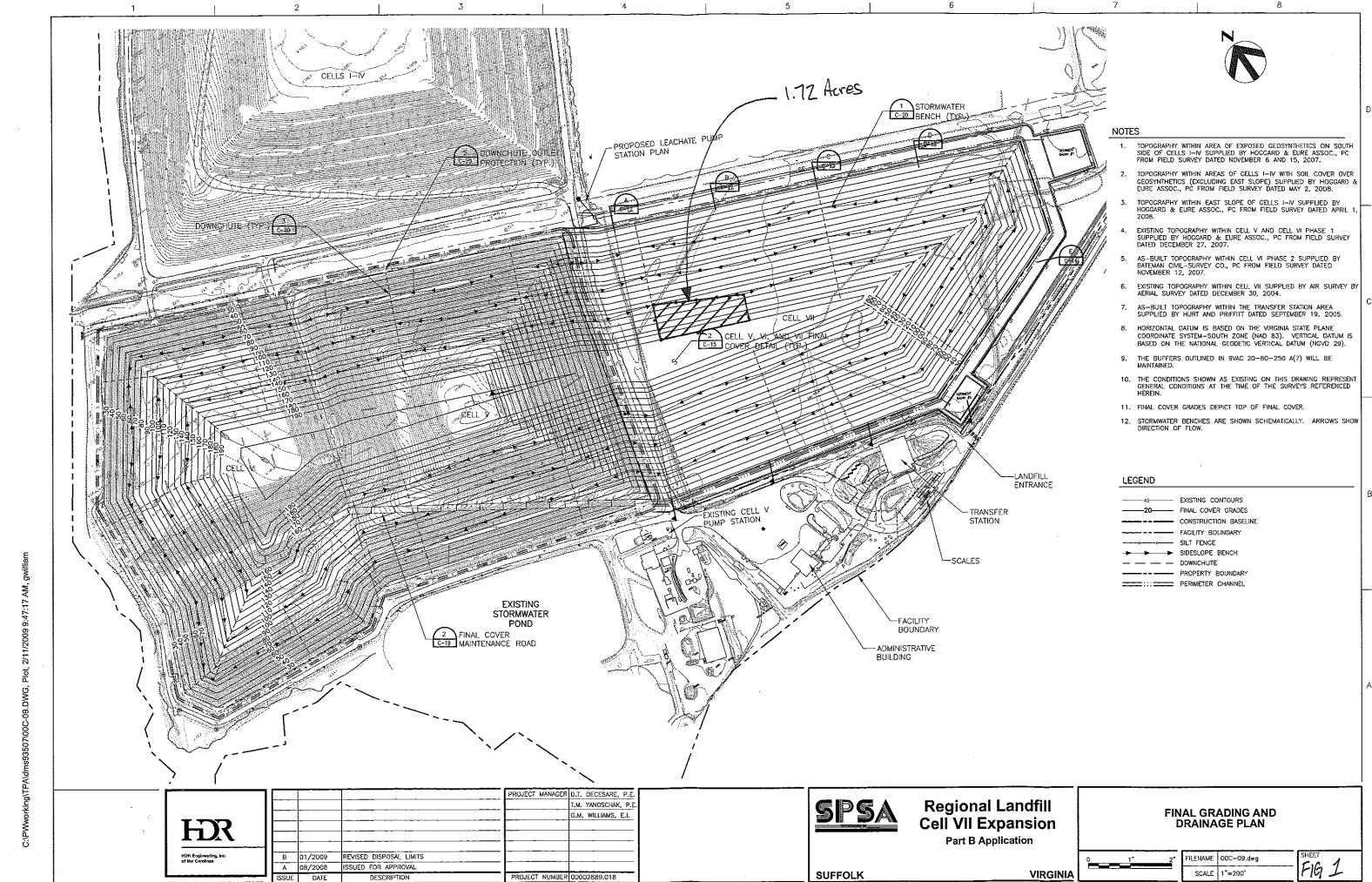
 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Drainage area=} & 1.72 \text{ ac} \\ \text{Bottom Width (ft) =} & 0 \\ \text{Depth (ft) =} & 1.3 \\ \text{Channel Slope =} & 3.0\% \end{array}$

Side Slope= 3H:1V Inside and 2H:1V Outside

2. The sideslope channel design approved for Cells V, VI, and VII are as follows:

Bottom Width (ft) = 0
Side Slopes = 3H:1V Inside and 2H:1V Outside
Depth = 2

3. Permanent lining shall be grass and the temporary lining shall be Curlex I.





Project:	SPSA Cell VII	Computed	GMW	Date: 2/11/09	
Subject:	Storm Water Drainage	Checked	PAW	Date	2-12-09
Task:	Reno Mattress Lined Downchute	Sheet	ŧ	Of	2

Objective

Size a Reno Mattress downchute based on sideslope swale inlet flow rates

Constraints

Minimize the cross sectional area since this will be incorporated into the cover system

References:

- 1. Elements of Urban Stormwater Design, H. Rooney Malcom, P.E.
- 2. VA Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook
- 3. Macaferri, Inc.

Drainage Area

Calculate Peak Flow

$$Q(cfs) = CIA = Peak Flow$$

Drainage Area, A (acres) = to be determined

Equations:

Normal Depth Procedure (Ref 1)

$$AR^{2/3}$$
=Qn/1.49s^{0.5} Area (A)= bd+z(d^2) Z_{av} =AR^{2/3}
 Z_{req} =Qn/1.49s^{0.5} R=Area/(b+2d((z^2)+1)^.5) Q=CIA

Assumptions

The drainage area may vary for each downchute, therefore determine the max drainage area that may be routed through the downchute.

Project:	SPSA Cell VII	Computed:	GMW	Date:	2/11/09
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Task:	Reno Mattress Lined Downchute	Sheet	2	Of	2

Prefer Reno Mattress

Manning's n =	0.07	Reno Mattress Lined, 6" (Ref 3)
max permissible velocity (ft/sec) =	13.8	for 6" (Ref 3)
D 1 1D 1	0.5	
Desired Freeboard =	0.5	ft
Design Channel Slope (s) =	3	X:1
Design Channel Slope (s) =	0.33	feet fall / foot run
Channel Side Slope $(z) =$	3	X:1
Bottom Width (b) =	8	ft.

Flow	Cross					
Depth	Sectional				V	
d (ft)	A (sf)	$Z_{ m req}$	R	$Z_{ m avail}$	(ft/sec)	Comment
0.39	3.54	1.72	0.34	1.72	6.0	OK

Check effects of settlement (flatter slope) on flow depth

Assume the landfill settles to approximately a 3.5:1 slope.

3.5	X:1
0.286	ft fall / foot run
3	X:1
8	ft
	0.286

Flow	Cross						
Depth	Sectional				V		
d (ft)	A (sf)	Z_{req}	R	Z avail	(ft/sec)	Comment	
0.53	3.83	1.86	0.34	1.86	5.5	OK	

Conclusion:

Construct a trapezoidal shaped channel with the following dimensions:

Min Depth of downchute (ft) = 1.03 (includes freeboard)

Set Depth of downchute (ft) = 1.50

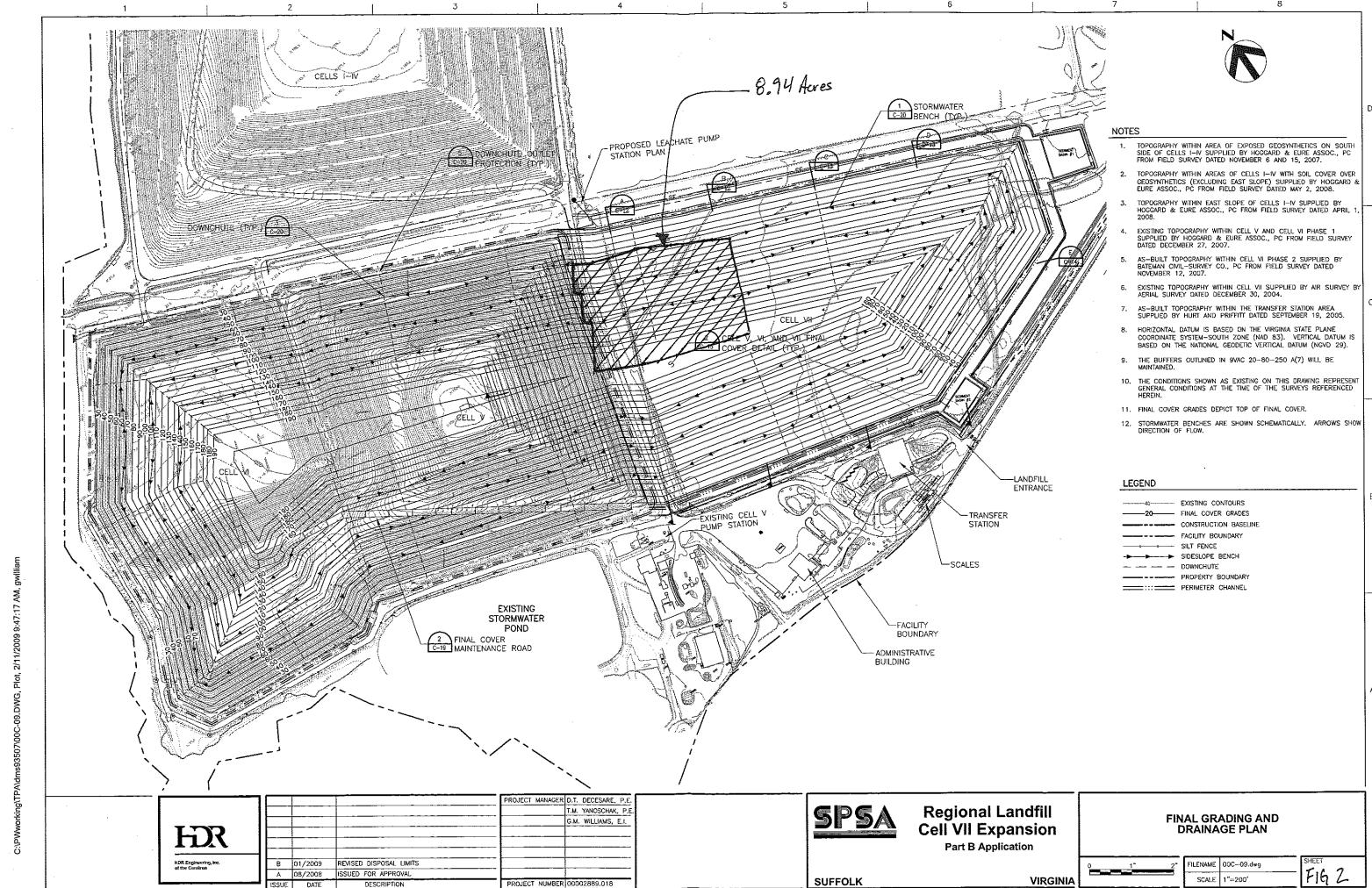
Outside Channel Side Slope (X:1) = 3

Inside Channel Side Slope (X:1) = 3

Design Channel Slope (X:1) = 3

Bottom Width (ft) = 8

Permanent Lining type = Reno Mattress w/6" diameter rip rap





Project: SPSA Cell VII	Computed: GMW	Date: 2/11/09
Subject: Storm Water Drainage	Checked PAW	Date 2-12-09
Task: Perimeter Channels	Sheet 1	Of 2

References

- 1. Elements of Urban Stormwater Design, H. Rooney Malcom, P.E.
- 2. Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook

Objective

Design and size perimeter ditches to handle flow from a 25 year storm event.

Equations

Normal Depth Procedure (Manning's Eqn)

 $AR^{2/3} = Qn/1.49s^{0.5}$

Area (A)= $bd+z(d^2)$

 $Z_{av} = AR^{2/3}$

 $Z_{req} = Qn/1.49s^{0.5}$

 $R=Area/(b+2d((z^2+1)^{0.5})$

Avg Shear Stress(T) = d*s*unit weight of water

Design Channels along the access road

Min Channel Freeboard = 0.5 f

Inside Channel Side Slope = 2 (enter X for X:1)

Outside Channel Side Slope = 2 (enter X for X:1)

Bottom Width, b = 8 ff

Q(cfs) = CIA = Peak Flow

Runoff Coefficient, C=

Ag Land, Bare Packed Soil, Rough (0.20 - 0.50)

Design Storm: 25-Yr, 5-min

I (in/hr) = 7.9

Ref 2, Plate 5-5, Norfolk, p V-15

Ref 2, Table 5-2, p V-29

A(Ac) =

46.1

based on max drainage area off the LF waste pile (North East side of Cell 7, Figure 3)

Calculated Flow Rate Q(cfs) = 109.1

Various Lining Types

		Manning's n		
Lining		depths of		Allowable Shear
Type	Lining Description	0.5-2.0 ft	Vp (ft/sec)	Stress psf
A	Jute Net (HEC-15)	0.015	2.0	0.45
В	Erosion Control Blanket Single Net (Curlex 1)	0.034	5.0	1.55
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Task: Per	imeter Channels	Sheet	2	Of	2

Select Lining System for each channel slope that will handle the design flow when vegetated and when initially constructed.

Channel Bottom Slope around Cell V & VI varies from 0.2% to 0.4%. Assume channel slope around Cell VII will be constucted as 0.4%.

				Cross					
Lining	Channel		Flow Depth	Sectional			Velocity	Average Shear	
Туре	Slope	Z_{req}	d (ft)	Area (sf)	R	$Z_{ m avail}$	(ft/sec)	Stress (lb/sf)	-
Permane	ent Lining								
E	0.4%	34.74	2.2	26.48	1.50	34.74	4.1	0.5	
E	0.2%	49.14	2.6	33.98	1.74	49.14	3.2	0.3	
Initial L	ining								
D	0.4%	23.16	1.7	19.85	1.26	23.16	5.5	0.4	Need Temp Lining
D	0.2%	32.76	2.1	25.39	1.47	32.76	43	0.3	
Tempora	ary Lining		1						
В	0.4%	39.38	2.3	28.97	1.58	39.38	3.8	0.6	
В	0.2%	55.69	2.8	37.21	1.83	55.69	2.9	0.3	

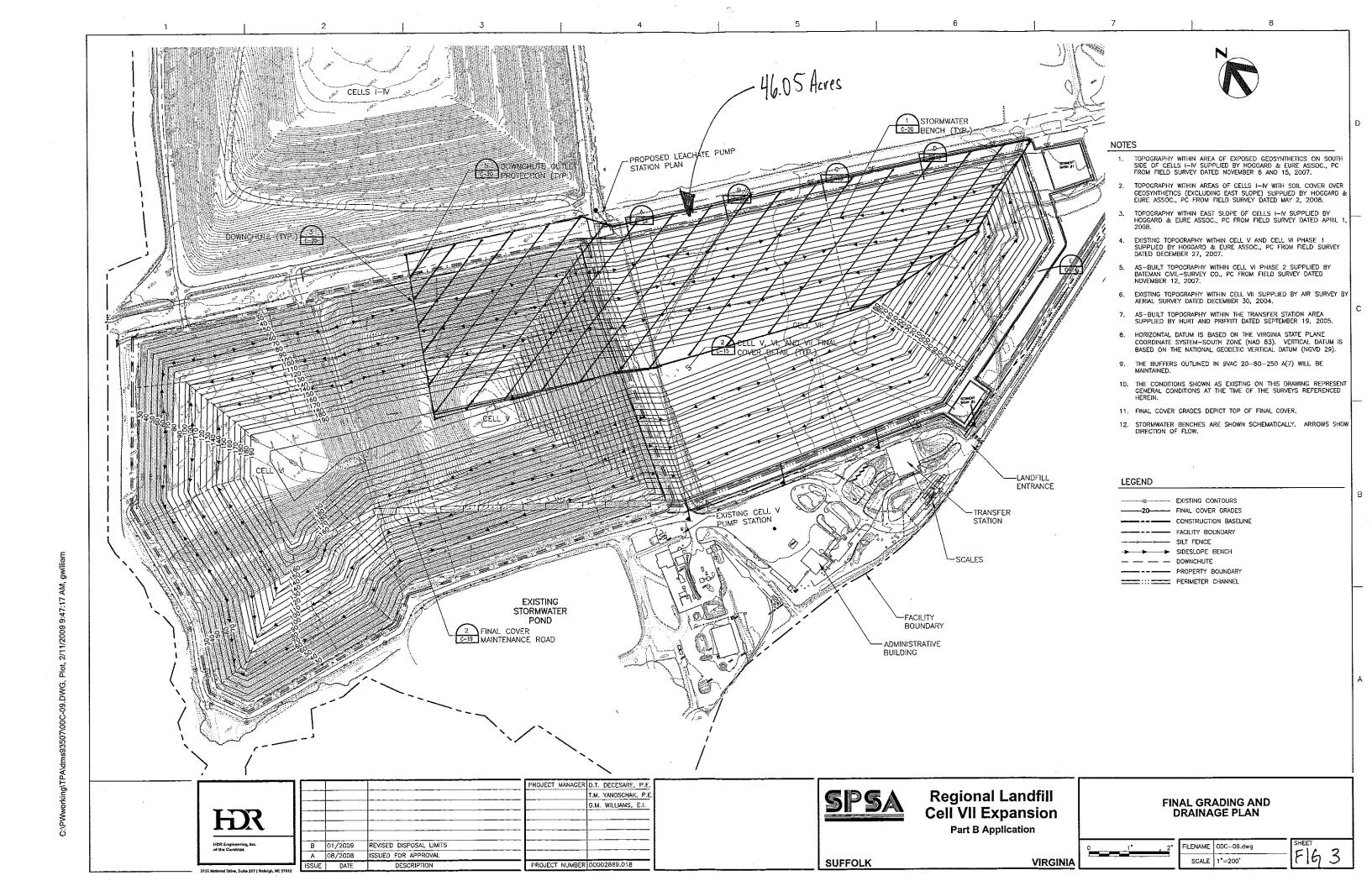
CONCLUSION

1. The above calculations are for the "Worst Case Scenario" or largest drainage area that drains to a perimeter ditch around Cell V & VII.

2. The perimeter channel design approved for Cell VI, are as follows:

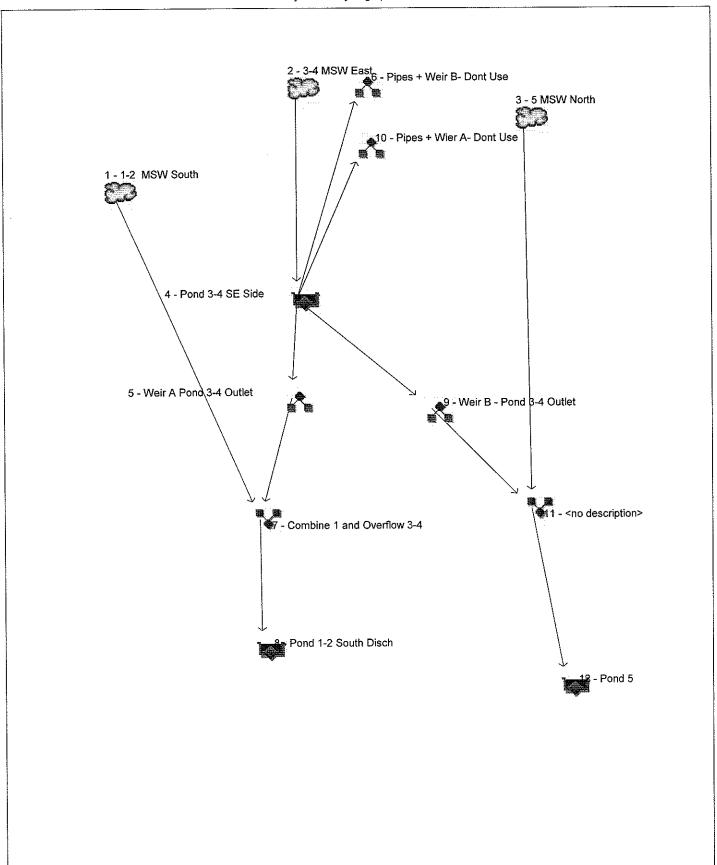
Bottom Width (ft) = 8
Side Slopes = 2H:1V
Depth = 3

3. Permanent lining shall be grass and the temporary lining shall be Curlex I.





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Hyd. No.	Hydrograph type (origin)	Peak flow (cfs)	Time interval (min)	Time to peak (min)	Hyd. volume (acft)	Inflow hyd(s)	Maximum elevation (ft)	Total strge used (acft)	Hydrograph description
1	SCS Runoff	142.36	1	727	12.330				1-2 MSW South
2	SCS Runoff	264.00	1	727	22.866				3-4 MSW East
3	SCS Runoff	113.68	1	727	9.847				5 MSW North
4	Reservoir	181.43	1	736	21.678	2	23.63	3.83	Pond 3-4 SE Side
5	Diversion1	82.91	1	736	7.613	4			Weir A Pond 3-4 Outlet
6	Diversion2	98.52	1	736	14.064	4			Pipes + Weir B- Dont Use
7	Combine	208.07	1	729	19.944	1, 5,	<u></u>		Combine 1 and Overflow 3-4
8	Reservoir	175.40	1	737	19.774	7	17.07	1.85	Pond 1-2 South Disch
9	Diversion1	55.54	1	736	2.782	4			Weir B - Pond 3-4 Outlet
10	Diversion2	125.90	1	736	18.895	4			Pipes + Wier A- Dont Use
11	Combine	154.65	1	729	12.629	3, 9,			<no description=""></no>
12	Reservoir	127.38	1	738	12.629	11	21.52	1.71	Pond 5
SF	PSA Channe	ls w weir	s-REV.g	Jpw	Return	Period: 25	5 Year	Thursday	, Feb 12, 2009

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Hyd. No. 1

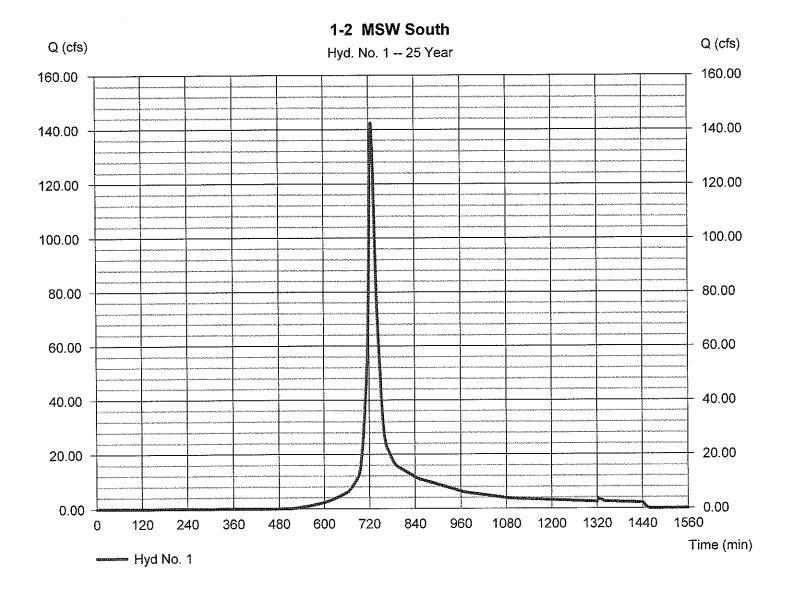
1-2 MSW South

= SCS Runoff Hydrograph type Storm frequency = 25 yrsTime interval = 1 min = 42.200 acDrainage area Basin Slope = 0.0 %Tc method = USER Total precip. = 6.90 inStorm duration = 24 hrs

Peak discharge = 142.36 cfs
Time to peak = 727 min
Hyd. volume = 12.330 acft
Curve number = 70
Hydraulic length = 0 ft

Time of conc. (Tc) = 5.00 min

Distribution = Type III Shape factor = 256



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Hyd. No. 2

3-4 MSW East

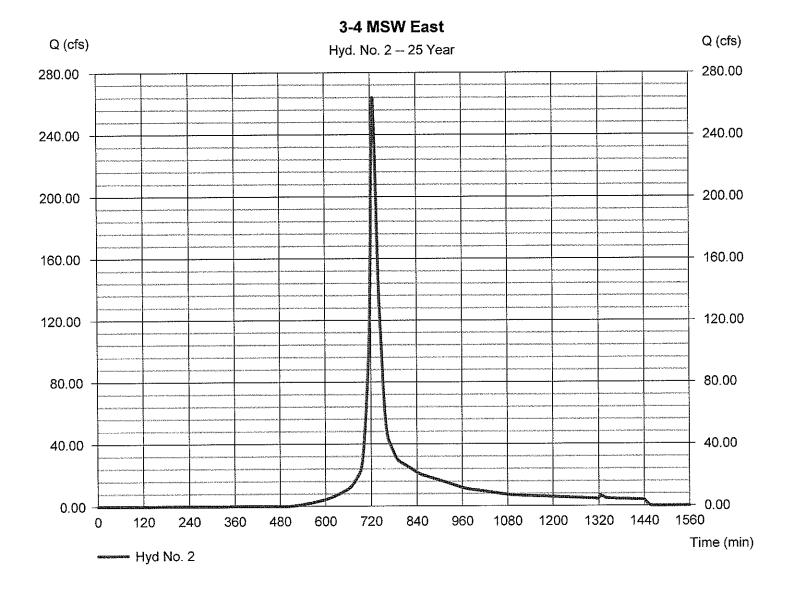
Storm duration

Hydrograph type = SCS Runoff
Storm frequency = 25 yrs
Time interval = 1 min
Drainage area = 78.260 ac
Basin Slope = 0.0 %
Tc method = USER
Total precip. = 6.90 in

= 24 hrs

Peak discharge = 264.00 cfs
Time to peak = 727 min
Hyd. volume = 22.866 acft
Curve number = 70

Hydraulic length = 0 ft
Time of conc. (Tc) = 5.00 min
Distribution = Type III
Shape factor = 256



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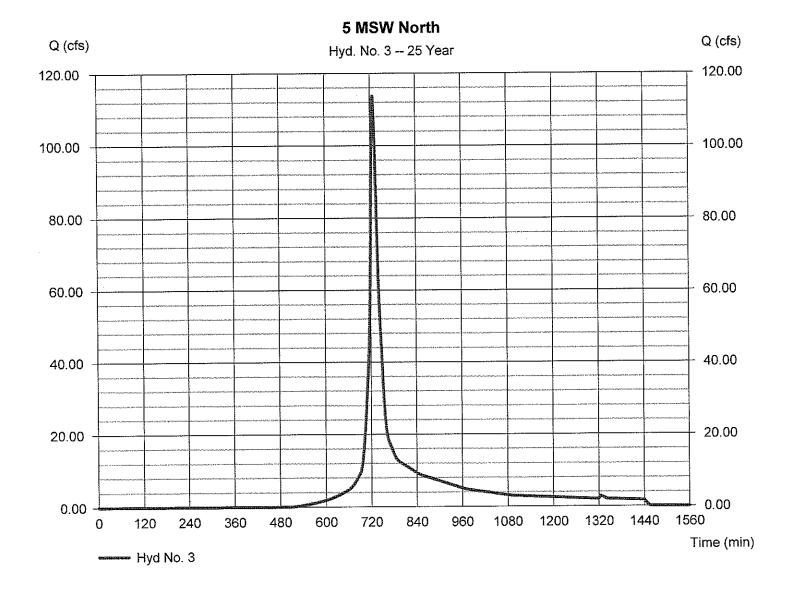
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Hyd. No. 3

5 MSW North

Hydrograph type = SCS Runoff
Storm frequency = 25 yrs
Time interval = 1 min
Drainage area = 33.700 ac
Basin Slope = 0.0 %
Tc method = USER
Total precip. = 6.90 in
Storm duration = 24 hrs

Peak discharge = 113.68 cfs
Time to peak = 727 min
Hyd. volume = 9.847 acft
Curve number = 70
Hydraulic length = 0 ft
Time of conc. (Tc) = 5.00 min
Distribution = Type III
Shape factor = 256



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Hyd. No. 4

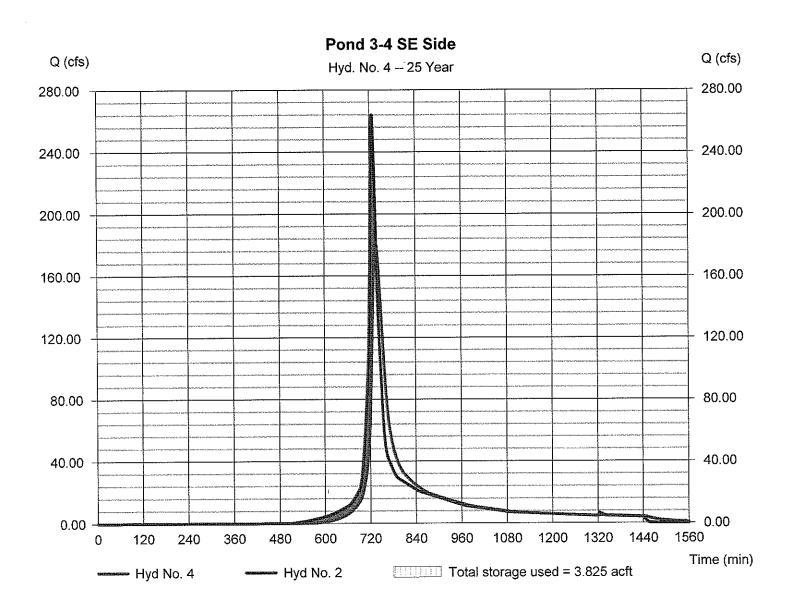
Pond 3-4 SE Side

Hydrograph type = Reservoir Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min

Inflow hyd. No. = 2 - 3-4 MSW East Reservoir name = 3-4 Pond Peak discharge = 181.43 cfs
Time to peak = 736 min

Hyd. volume = 21.678 acft
Max. Elevation = 23.63 ft
Max. Storage = 3.825 acft

Storage Indication method used.



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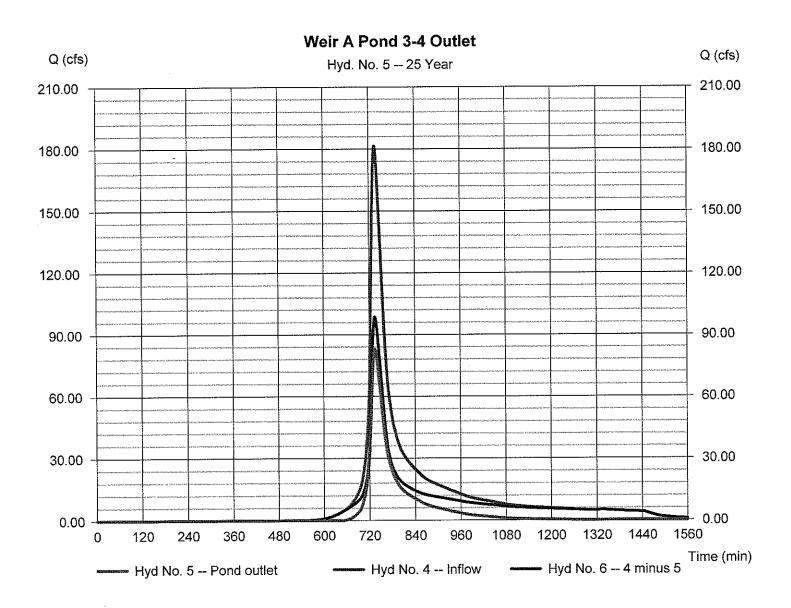
Hyd. No. 5

Weir A Pond 3-4 Outlet

Hydrograph type = Diversion1 Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min

Inflow hydrograph = 4 - Pond 3-4 SE Side Diversion method = Pond - 3-4 Pond Peak discharge = 82.91 cfs
Time to peak = 736 min
Hyd. volume = 7.613 acft

2nd diverted hyd. = 6
Pond structure = Weir A



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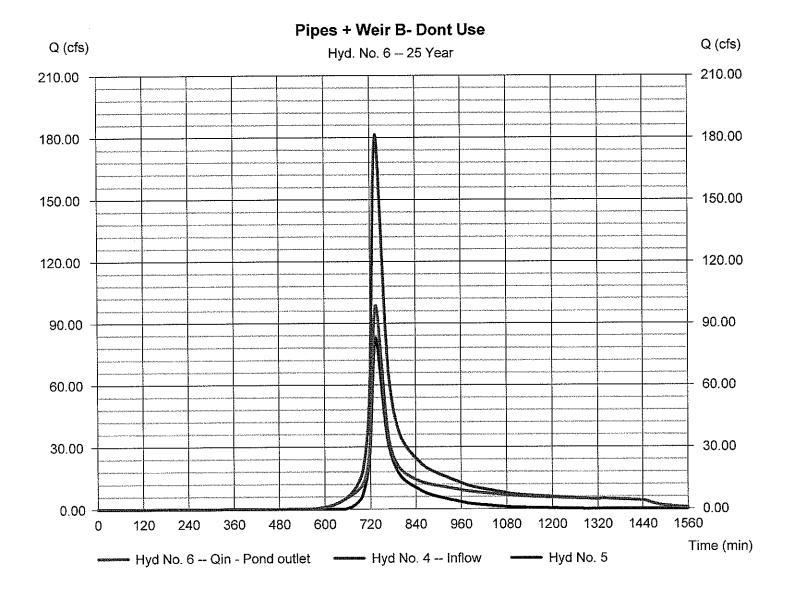
Hyd. No. 6

Pipes + Weir B- Dont Use

Hydrograph type = Diversion2 Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min

Inflow hydrograph = 4 - Pond 3-4 SE Side Diversion method = Pond - 3-4 Pond Peak discharge = 98.52 cfs Time to peak = 736 min Hyd. volume = 14.064 acft

2nd diverted hyd. = 5
Pond structure = Weir A



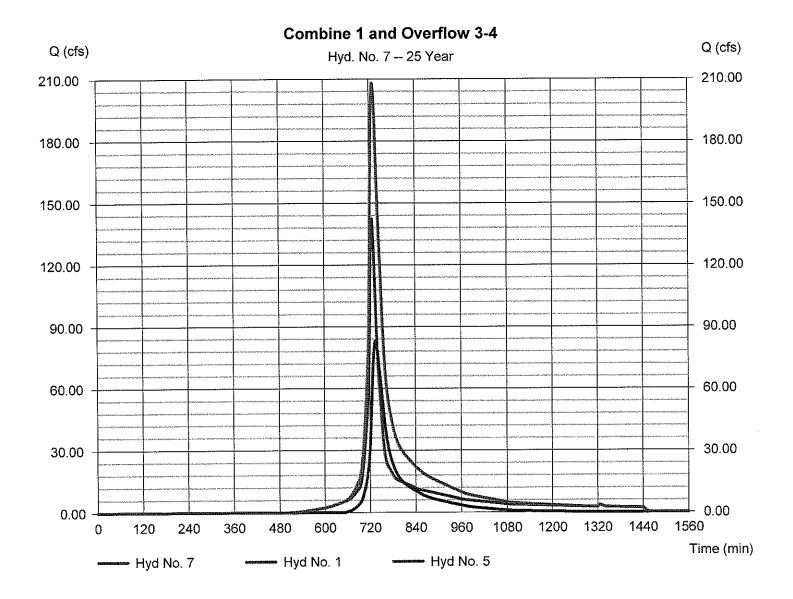
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Hyd. No. 7

Combine 1 and Overflow 3-4

Hydrograph type = Combine Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min Inflow hyds. = 1, 5 Peak discharge = 208.07 cfs
Time to peak = 729 min
Hyd. volume = 19.944 acft
Contrib. drain. areæ 42.200 ac



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Hyd. No. 8

Pond 1-2 South Disch

Hydrograph type = Reservoir Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min

Inflow hyd. No.

= 7 - Combine 1 and Overflow 3-4

Reservoir name = Pond 1-2

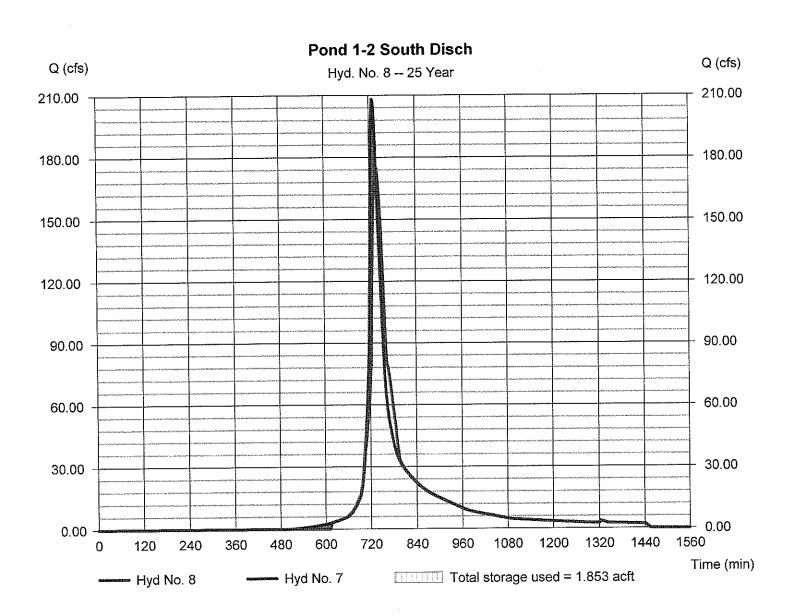
Peak discharge

= 175.40 cfs

Time to peak = 737 min Hyd. volume = 19.774 acft

Max. Elevation = 17.07 ft Max. Storage = 1.853 acft

Storage Indication method used.



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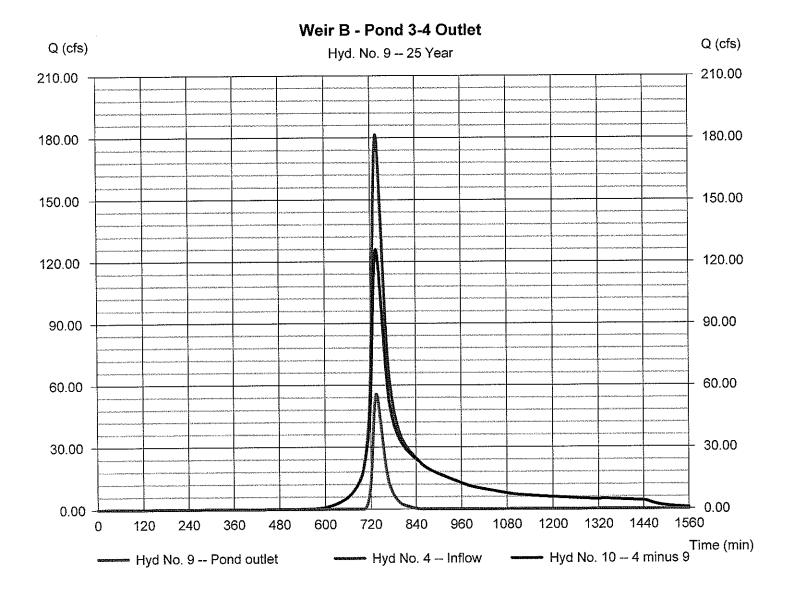
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Weir B - Pond 3-4 Outlet

Hydrograph type = Diversion1 Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min

Inflow hydrograph = 4 - Pond 3-4 SE Side Diversion method = Pond - 3-4 Pond Peak discharge = 55.54 cfs
Time to peak = 736 min
Hyd. volume = 2.782 acft

2nd diverted hyd. = 10 Pond structure = Weir B



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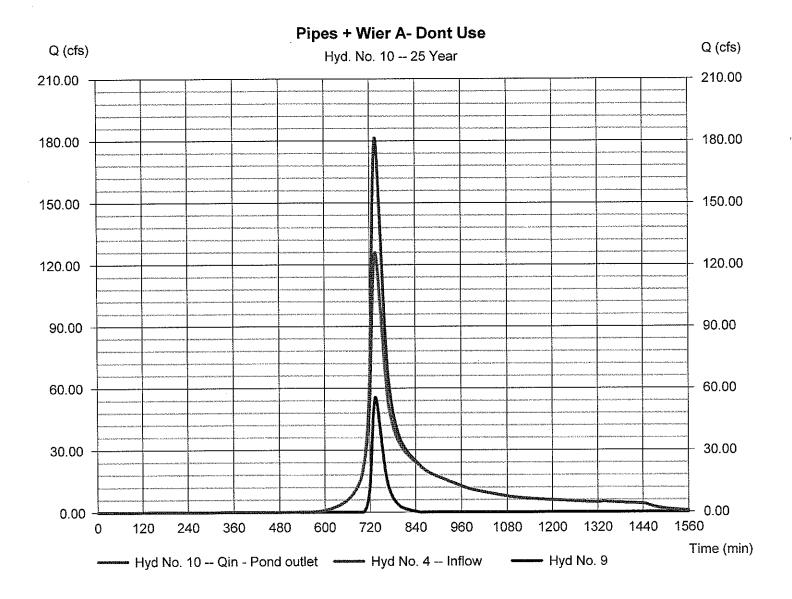
Hyd. No. 10

Pipes + Wier A- Dont Use

Hydrograph type = Diversion2 Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min

Inflow hydrograph = 4 - Pond 3-4 SE Side Diversion method = Pond - 3-4 Pond Peak discharge = 125.90 cfs Time to peak = 736 min Hyd. volume = 18.895 acft

2nd diverted hyd. = 9
Pond structure = Weir B



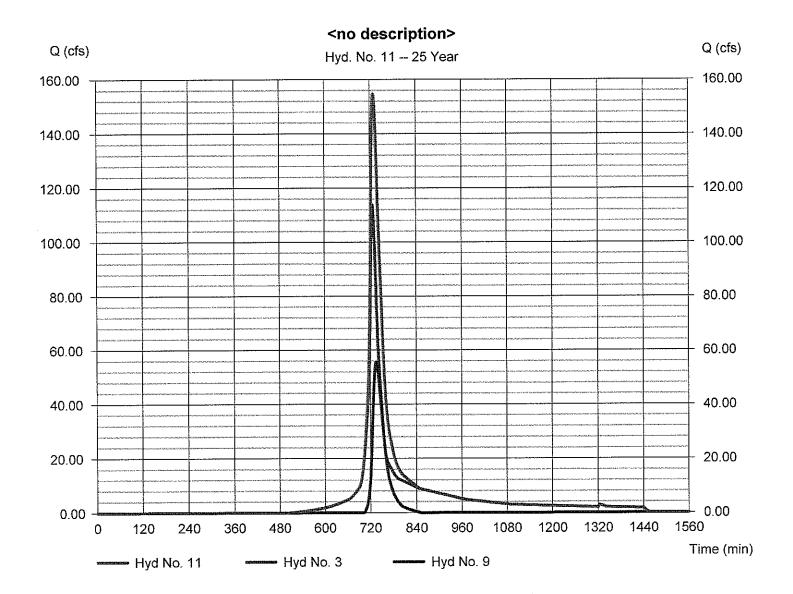
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Hyd. No. 11

<no description>

Hydrograph type = Combine Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min Inflow hyds. = 3, 9 Peak discharge = 154.65 cfs Time to peak = 729 min Hyd. volume = 12.629 acft Contrib. drain. area= 33.700 ac



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Hyd. No. 12

Pond 5

Hydrograph type = Reservoir Storm frequency = 25 yrs Time interval = 1 min

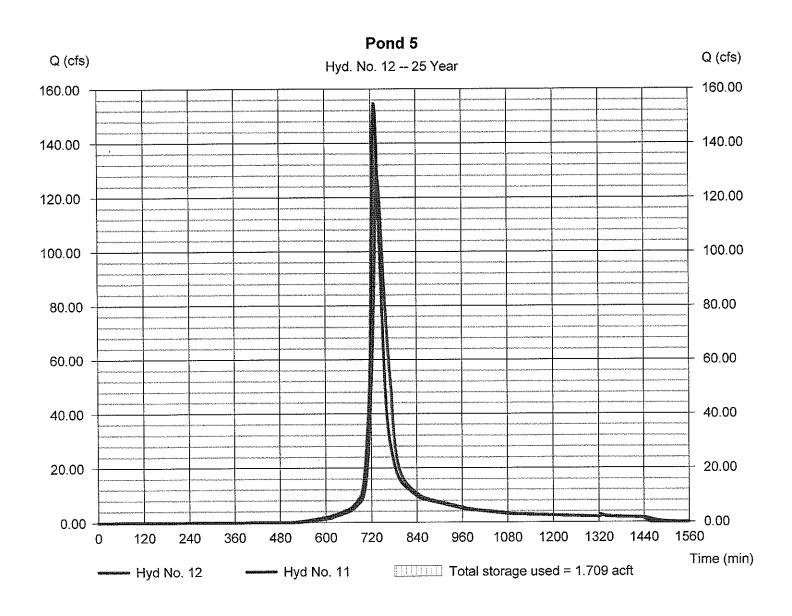
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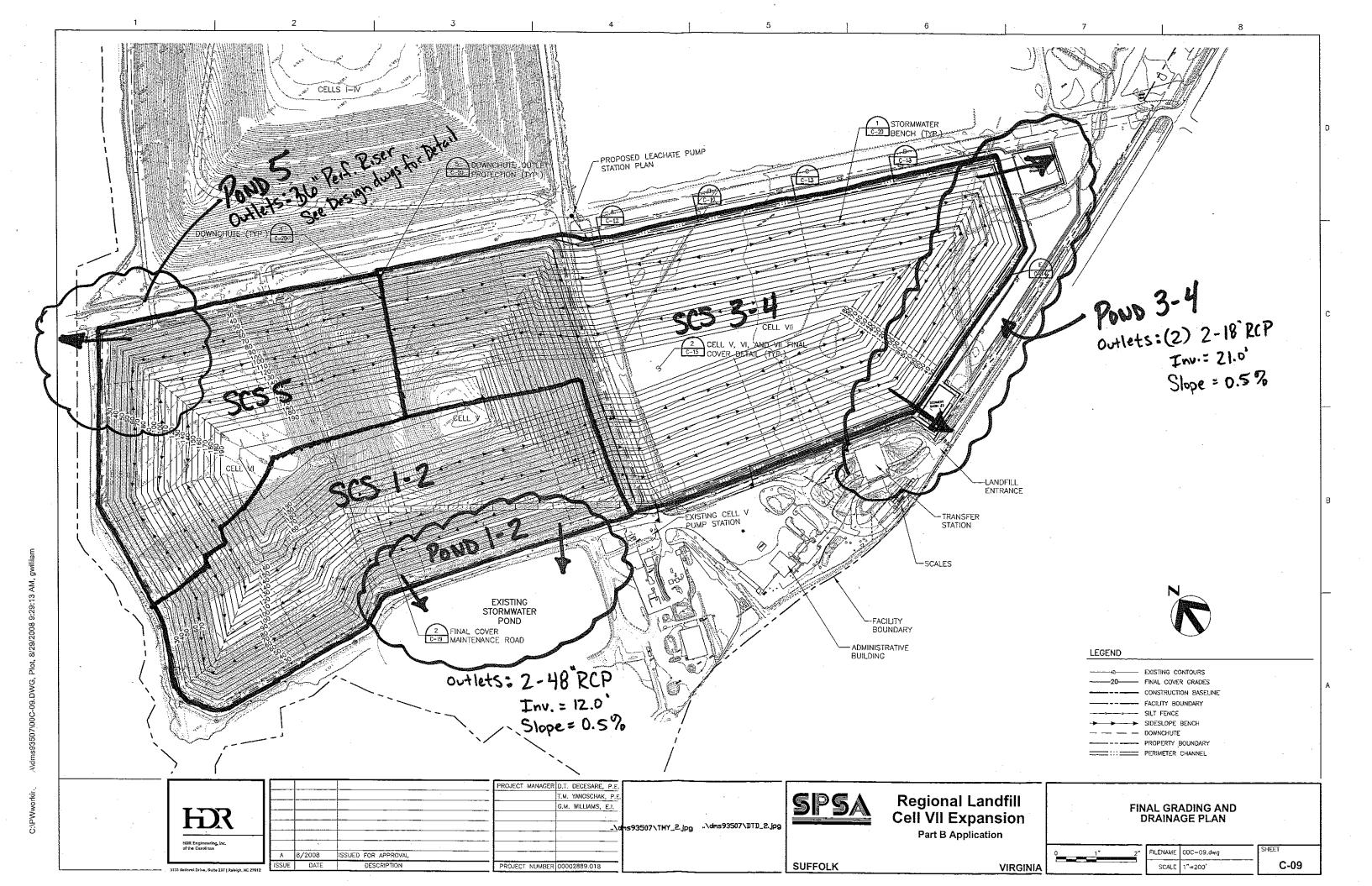
Reservoir name = Pond 5

Peak discharge = 127.38 cfs
Time to peak = 738 min
Hyd. volume = 12.629 acft
Max. Elevation = 21.52 ft

Max. Storage = 1.709 acft

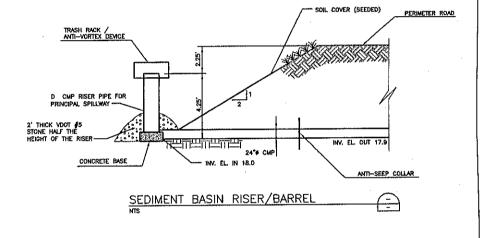
Storage Indication method used.







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STORM DRAINAGE

PERFORATED RISER DETAIL

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SPSA Borrow Area

Sediment Basin # 1

Qp =135.4 cfs 25 - year Storm Event Post Development $T_p =$ 27.9 minutes dT = Max of3 minutes HDR Project No.01743-2889-018 2.0% of increment to peak

1.9 b =6,537 $K_S\!=\!$

				163 0,557
Diameter of Barrel =	24	(in)		
Height of Riser above barrel =	2.25	(ft) elevation	20.25	5.9E-03 Settling Velocity of design particle (fps)
ight of Riser from bottom of barrel=	4.25	(ft) elevation	22.25	2 Effective number of cells (2 is construction site #)
Emergency Spillway =	5.00	(ft) elevation	23.00	93% Minimum Settling Efficiency
Total Height of Dam =	6.00	(ft) elevation	24.00	6.0 ft Maximum Stage 24.00 msl elevation
Length of Emergency Spillway =	8	(ft)		58.5 cfs Peak outflow
Diameter of Riser =	36	(in)		33.8 cfs Peak Barrel outflow
Permanent Pond Stage =	0	(ft) elevation	18.0	24.7 cfs peak weir flow
Notes:				

Notes:

2. Settling efficiency neglects permanent pond volume

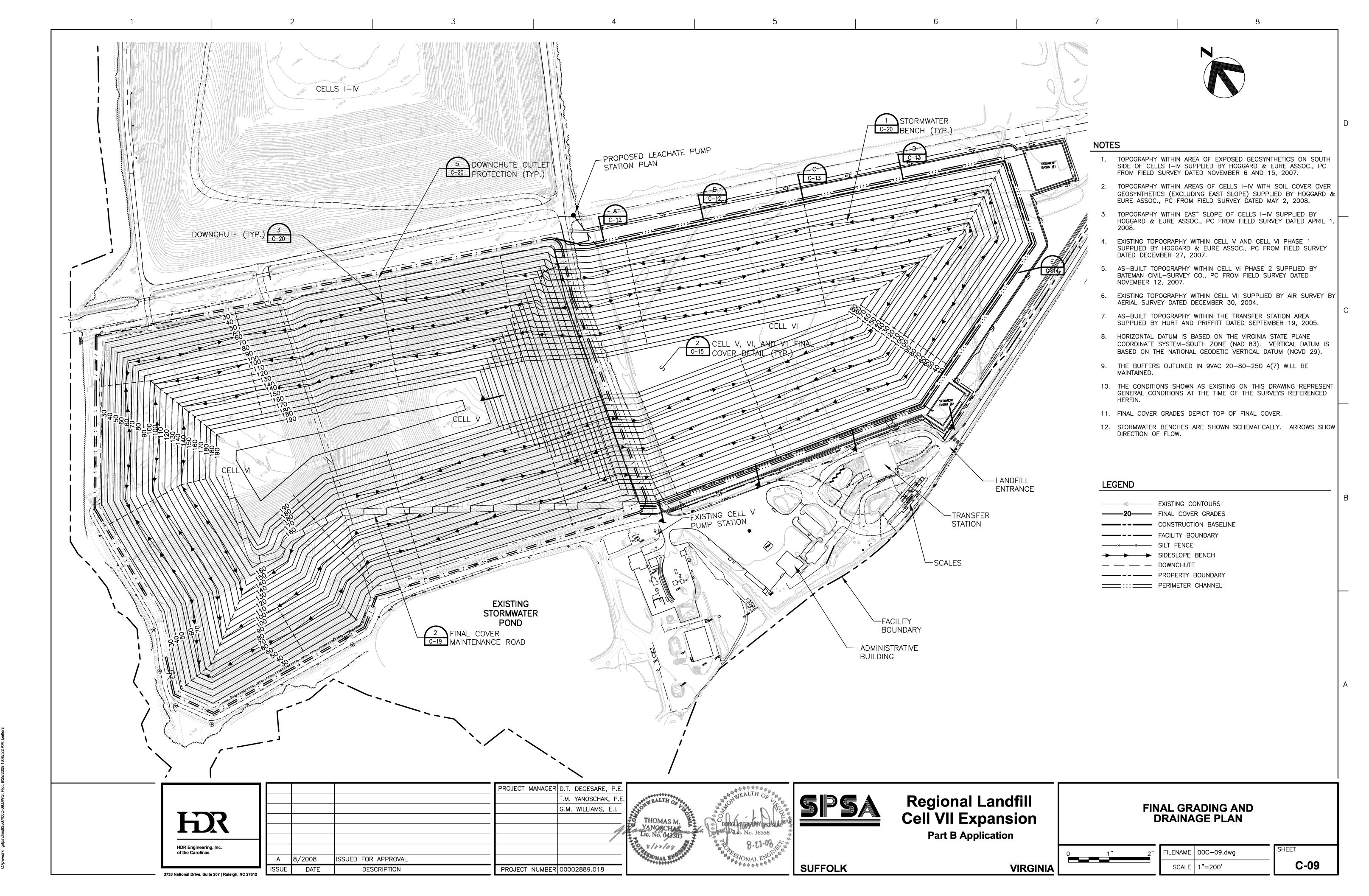
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TIME	INFLOW S	STORAGE	STAGE	FLOW	CAPACITY		CAPACITY			Area	EFF.
[min]	[cfs]	[cu ft]	[ft]	[cfs]	[cfs]	[cfs]	[cfs]	[cfs]	[cfs]	(sf)	[%]
0	0.0	0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	N/A
3	3.8	0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	N/A
6	14.9	691	0.3	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.18	0.18	9.46	4,298	100%
9	32.0	3,344	0.7	0.38	0.38	0.00	0.38	0.38	19.66	8,936	100%
12	53.1	9,032	1.2	0.62	0.62	0.00	0.62	0.62	31.18	14,172	100%
15	75.9	18,476	1.7	0.86	0.86	0.00	0.86	0.86	43.46	19,756	100%
18	97.7	31,975	2.3	1.15	1.15	0.00	1.15	1.15	56.06	25,483	100%
21	116.1	49,353	. 3.0	1.45	1.45	0.00	1.45	1.45	68.57	31,169	100%
24	129.1	69,995	3.6	1.78	1.78	0.00	1.78	1.78	80.65	36,657	100%
27	135.1	92,909	4.1	2.15	2.15	0.00	2.15	2.15	91.97	41,806	100%
30	133.4	116,833	4.7	2.46	11.50	0.00	29.01	11.50	102.29	46,496	99%
33	124.3	138,776	5.1	2.67	28.86	1,28	30.74	30.14	110.80	50,362	97%
36	109.5	155,725	5.5	2.79	44.67	7.72	31.93	39.65	116.88	53,129	96%
39	95.2	168,297	5.7	2.81	57.22	14.11	32.75	46.86	121.17	55,078	95%
42	82.8	176,997	5.9	2.81	66.22	19.07	33.29	52.36	124.04	56,382	94%
45	71.9	182,469	6.0	2.81	72.01	22.37	33.62	55.99	125.81	57,184	94%
48	62.5	185,341	6.0	2.81	75.08	24.15	33.79	57.94	126.72	57,600	94%
51	54.4	186,170	6.0	2.81	75.97	24.67	33.83	58.51	126.98	57,719	93%
54	47.3	185,425	6.0	2.81	75.17	24.21	33.79	58.00	126.75	57,612	94%
5 7	41.1	183,494	6.0	2.81	73.10	23.00	33.68	56.68	126.13	57,333	94%
60	35.7	180,689	5.9	2.81	70.12	21.28	33.51	54.79	125.23	56,925	94%
63	31.1	177,256	5.9	2.81	66.49	19.22	33.30	52.53	124.12	56,420	94%
66	27.0	173,392	5.8	2.81	62.46	16.97	33.07	50.03	122.86	55,846	95%
69	23.5	169,246	5.7	2.81	58.19	14.63	32.81	47.44	121.49	55,222	95%
72	20.4	164,932	5.6	2.81	53.80	12.30	32.53	44.83	120.04	54,564	95%
75	17.7	160,535	5.6	2.81	49.41	10.04	32.25	42.29	118.55	53,884	96%
78	15.4	156,117	5.5	2.79	45.05	7.90	31.95	39.86	117.02	53,191	96%
81	13.4	151,719	5.4	2.77	40.80	5.92	31.66	37.58	115.48	52,490	96%
84	11.7	147,368	5.3	2.73	36.68	4.14	31.35	35.50	113.93	51,786	96%
87	10.1	147,506	5.2	2.69	32.71	2.59	31.05	33.64	112.38	51,081	97%
90	8.8	138,845	5.1	2.67	28.92	1.30	30.74	30.22	110.82	50,374	97%
93	7.7	134,990	5.1	2.62	25.56	0.41	30.45	25.97	109.38	49,720	98%
96	6.7	131,695	5.0	2.60	22.78	0.00	30.20	22.78	108.14	49,153	98%
99	5.8	128,792	4.9	2.58	20.41	0.00	29.98	20.41	107.02	48,647	98%
102	5.0	126,160	4.9	2.56	18.32	0.00	29.77	18.32	106.00	48,183	99%
102	4.4	123,768	4.8	2.53	16.48	0.00	29.58	16.48	105.07	47,757	99%
103	3.8	123,788	4.8	2.51	14.85	0.00	29.40	14.85	104.20	47,365	99%
111	3.3	119,599	4.7	2.49	13.41	0.00	29.24	13.41	103.41	47,004	99%
	2.9	117,779	4.7	2.46	12.14	0.00	29.09	12.14	102.67	46,670	99%
114	2.5	116,112	4.7	2.44	11.00	0.00	28.95	11.00	102.00	46,363	99%
117		114,582	4.6	2.44	10.02	0.00	28.81	10.02	102.00	46,078	100%
120	2.2 1.9	113,170	4.6	2.41	9.11	0.00	28.69	9.11	101.37	45,814	100%
123		111,869	4.6	2.39	8.31	0.00	28.58	8.31	100.79	45,569	100%
126	1.6	110,669	4.6	2.39	7.61	0.00	28.47	7.61	99.75	45,341	100%
129 132	1.4 1.2	10,009	4.5	2.36	6.97	0.00	28.38	6.97	99.28	45,129	100%
132	1.2	107,233	T/	۵.30	0.97	0.00	40.30	0.71			
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^{1.} Length of emergency spillway is the bottom width of the emergency spillway.

135	1.1	108,525	4.5	2.36	6.41	0.00	28.28	6.41	98.85	44,931	100%
138	0.9	107,564	4.5	2.36	5.92	0.00	28.20	5.92	98.44	44,746	100%
141	0.8	106,668	4.5	2.33	5.45	0.00	28.12	5.45	98.06	44,573	100%
144	0.7	105,834	4.4	2.33	5.05	0.00	28.04	5.05	97.70	44,411	100%
147	0.6	105,053	4.4	2.31	4.67	0.00	27.97	4.67	97.37	44,258	100%
150	0.5	104,324	4.4	2.31	4.35	0.00	27.90	4.35	97.05	44,115	100%
153	0.5	103,638	4.4	2.31	4.06	0.00	27.84	4.06	96.76	43,981	100%
156	0.4	102,990	4.4	2.28	3.78	0.00	27.78	3.78	96.48	43,853	100%
159	0.4	102,383	4.4	2.28	3.55	0.00	27.72	3.55	96.21	43,733	100%
162	0.3	101,808	4.4	2.28	3.34	0.00	27.66	3.34	95.96	43,619	100%
165	0.3	101,261	4.3	2.28	3.16	0.00	27.61	3.16	95.72	43,510	100%
168	0.2	100,741	4.3	2.25	2.96	0.00	27.56	2.96	95.49	43,406	100%
171	0.2	100,249	4.3	2.25	2.82	0.00	27.52	2.82	95.28	43,307	100%
174	0.2	99,778	4.3	2.25	2.69	0.00	27.47	2.69	95.07	43,213	100%
177	0.2	99,325	4.3	2.25	2.58	0.00	27.43	2.58	94.87	43,121	100%
180	0.1	98,888	4.3	2.25	2.48	0.00	27.39	2.48	94.67	43,033	100%
184	0.1	98,324	4.3	2.22	2.34	0.00	27.33	2.34	94.42	42,919	100%
188	0.1	97,789	4.3	2.22	2.26	0.00	27.28	2.26	94.18	42,811	100%
192	0.1	97,268	4.3	2.22	2.22	0.00	27.23	2.22	93.95	42,705	100%
196	0.1	96,753	4.2	2.22	2.22	0.00	2.22	2.22	93.72	42,600	100%
200	0.1	96,235	4.2	2.19	2.19	0.00	2.19	2.19	93.49	42,494	100%
204	0.0	95,723	4.2	2.19	2.19	0.00	2.19	2.19	93.25	42,389	100%
208	0.0	95,208	4.2	2.19	2.19	0.00	2.19	2.19	93.02	42,283	100%
212	0.0	94,692	4.2	2.19	2.19	0.00	2.19	2.19	92.79	42,176	100%
216	0.0	94,174	4.2	2.15	2.15	0.00	2.15	2.15	92.55	42,069	100%
220	0.0	93,663	4.2	2.15	2.15	0.00	2.15	2.15	92.32	41,963	100%
224	0.0	93,152	4.2	2.15	2.15	0.00	2.15	2.15	92.08	41,856	100%
228	0.0	92,639	4.1	2.15	2.15	0.00	2.15	2.15	91.85	41,749	100%
233	0.0	91,998	4.1	2.10	2.10	0.00	2.10	2.10	91.55	41,615	100%
238	0.0	91,371	4.1	2.10	2.10	0.00	2.10	2.10	91.26	41,483	100%
243	0.0	90,744	4.1	2.10	2.10	0.00	2.10	2.10	90.97	41,351	100%
248	0.0	90,116	4.1	2.08	2.08	0.00	2.08	2.08	90.68	41,218	100%
253	0.0	89,495	4.1	2.08	2.08	0.00	2.08	2.08	90.39	41,086	100%
258	0.0	88,874	4.0	2.08	2.08	0.00	2.08	2.08	90.10	40,953	100%
263	0.0	88,252	4.0	2.08	2.08	0.00	2.08	2.08	89.80	40,820	100%
268	0.0	87,631	4.0	2.05	2.05	0.00	2.05	2.05	89.51	40,686	100%
273	0.0	87,016	4.0	2.05	2.05	0.00	2.05	2.05	89.22	40,553	100%
278	0.0	86,401	4.0	2.05	2.05	0.00	2.05	2.05	88.92	40,420	100%
284	0.0	85,664	4.0	2.03	2.03	0.00	2.03	2.03	88.57	40,260	100%
290	0.0	84,935	4.0	2.03	2.03	0.00	2.03	2.03	88.22	40,100	100%
296	0.0	84,206	3.9	2.03	2.03	0.00	2.03	2.03	87.87	39,940	100%
302	0.0	83,477	3.9	2.00	2.00	0.00	2.00	2.00	87.51	39,779	100%
308	0.0	82,757	3.9	2.00	2.00	0.00	2.00	2.00	87.16	39,620	100%
314	0.0	82,037	3.9	1.97	1.97	0.00	1.97	1.97	86.81	39,460	100%
320	0.0	81,327	3.9	1.97	1.97	0.00	1.97	1.97	86.46	39,301	100%
326	0.0	80,617	3.8	1.97	1.97	0.00	1.97	1.97	86.11	39,141	100%
332	0.0	79,906	3.8	1.95	1.95	0.00	1.95	1.95	85.76	38,981	100%
339	0.0	79,089	3.8	1.95	1.95	0.00	1.95	1.95	85.35	38,795	100%
346	0.0	78,272	3.8	1.92	1.92	0.00	1.92	1.92	84.94	38,609	100%
353	0.0	77,467	3.8	1.92	1.92	0.00	1.92	1.92	84.53	38,424	100%
360	0.0	76,662	3.7	1.92	1.92	0.00	1.92	1.92	84.12	38,238	100%
367	0.0	75,857	3.7	1.89	1.89	0.00	1.89	1.89	83.71	38,051	100%
374	0.0	75,065	3.7	1.89	1.89	0.00	1.89	1.89	83.31	37,866	100%
381	0.0	74,273	3.7	1.85	1.85	0.00	1.85	1.85	82.90	37,680	100%
389	0.0	73,384	3.7	1.85	1.85	0.00	1.85	1.85	82.43	37,470	100%
397	0.0	72,495	3.6	1.80	1.80	0.00	1:80	1.80	81.97	37,259	100%

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Appendix B – Conceptual Calculations for a Sediment Basin for Cells VIII and IX



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Ref 2, III-78

Ref 1, III-4

Ref 2, V-56

Project:	SPSA Cell VIII and IX Soil Borrow Area	Computed: JSM	Date: 6/20/16
Subject:	Drainage	Checked:	Date:
Task:	Sediment Basin SB #3	Sheet	Of

References

- 1. "Elements of Urban Stormwater Design" by H. Rooney Malcom, P.E.
- 2. Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook.

Pond Volume Requirements

Pre Dev Drainage Area A (ac) = 129.00

67	8643 cy	
67	8643 cy	
134	Total Volume	17286 cy
33.5 cy/acre Mini	4322 cy	

Estimate Depth of Runoff for design storm @ location:

Determine Ultimate Storage Capacity (S): Soil Group B

CN = Varies

S = (1000/CN) - 10 = Varies $Q_p = (qu)(A)(Q^*)$

Runoff Depth Q* (inches) = (P-0.2S)2/(P+0.8S)

 $T_P (min) = 60.5(Q^*)A/Q_P/1.39$

CN	Pre de	evelopment	Post Development
98	Impervious Area (ac) =	0	0
61	Pervious Area (ac) =	129	129
	Total	129	129

Calculate Peak Flow Into Basin

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Development	Post	Post	Post	Post		
Storm Event (yrs) =	2	10	25	100		
Time of conc $(min) =$	5	5	5	5		
Rainfall Depth P (in) =	3.7	5.7	6.7	8.5	(24 rainfall)	Ref 2, V-50
Initial Abstraction Ia (in)=	1.279	1.279	1.279	1.279		Ref 2, V-64
Ia/P ratio =	0.346	0.224	0.191	0.150		
Curve Number CN =	61.00	61.00	61.00	61.00		Ref 2, V-56
S =	6.39	6.39	6.39	6.39		
qu (cfs/sq.mi./in) =	1000	1000	1000	1000		Ref 2, V-55
Drainage Area A (ac) =	129.0	129.0	129.0	129.0	_	
Peak Flow Q_p (cfs) =	134.1	364.3	501.4	772.0		
Runoff Depth Q* (inches) =	0.67	1.81	2.49	3.83		
Time to Peak T_p (min) =	27.86	27.86	27.86	27.86		Ref 1, III-4

Determine Shape of Basin:

Measure the area of the Basin using AutoCADD.

Calculate Volume of the Basin using Truncated Pyramid Method.

				Cumulative	Cumulative
Elevation (ft)	Depth (ft)	Area (sf)	Volume (cf)	Vol (cf)	Vol (cy)
15	0	126,825	-	0	0
16	1	132,088	129,448	129,448	4,794
17	2	137,458	132,106	132,106	4,893
18	3	138,818	132,776	264,882	9,810
19	4	148,520	143,642	408,524	15,131
20	5	154,212	151,357	559,881	20,736
21	6	160,010	157,102	716,983	26,555
22	7	165,915	162,954	879,937	32,590

Spillway Crest

Determine the Sediment Cleanout Interval:

$$V_C(cf) = 18 * T * A^{0.84}$$

 V_C (cf) = Cleanout Volume

T (days) = Cleanout Interval

A (acres) = Drainage Area

34 CY/acre = 118,422 cf

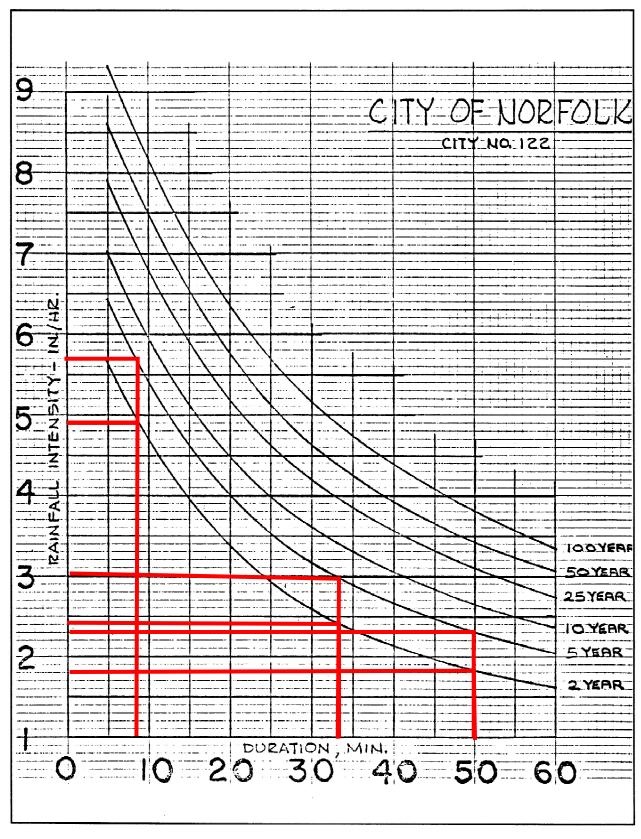
Set Sediment Storage Elevation Z_{sed} (ft) = 1.5

Sediment Volume corresponding to the Sediment Storage Elevation $V_c(cf) = 129,448$

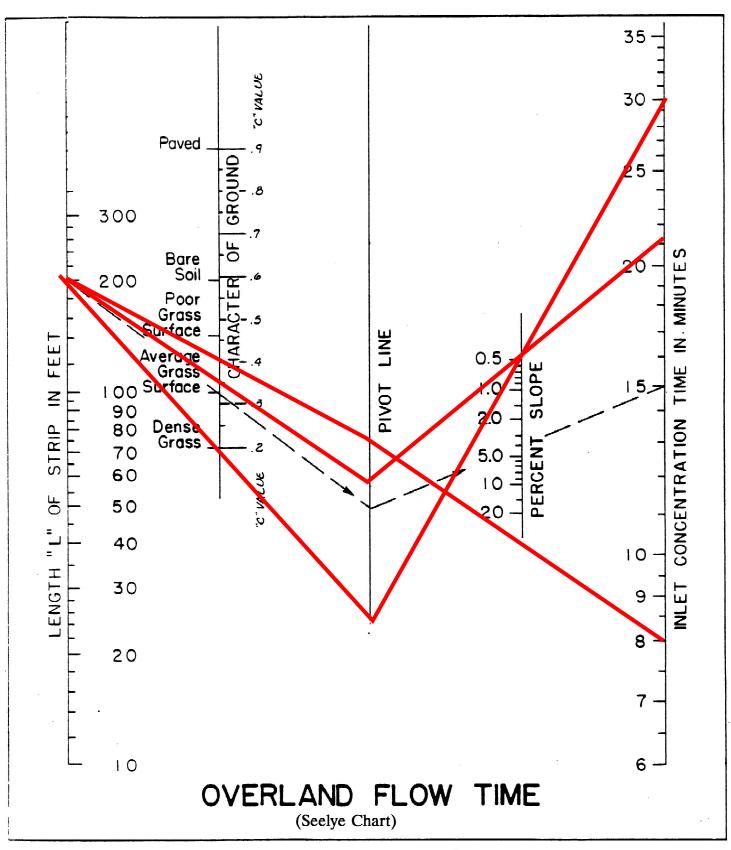
Clean Out Interval (T), days = 121 or as needed

Conclusion

Pond to have permanent pool @ elevation 20 with a 2' berm around the basin. Spillway to route a 25 year storm.



Source: VDOT Plate 5-5



Source: Data Book for Civil Engineers, E.E. Seelye

Plate 5-1



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Appendix C – Statement of Compliance with Compensatory Wetland Mitigation Requirements

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Southeastern Virginia Public Service Authority Statement of Compliance with Compensatory Wetland Mitigation Requirements under Corps and DEQ permits # 88-0707

The Southeastern Virginia Public Service Authority (SPSA) obtained United States Army Corps of Engineers and Virginia Department of Environmental Quality individual permits in 2002 to impact 12 acres of palustrine, forested wetlands as part of a landfill expansion project (Permit #88-0707). To compensate for the wetland impacts, 50 acres of forested wetlands were preserved, 36 acres of recently clear-cut wetlands were enhanced, and 12 acres of forested wetlands were restored. Restoration of wetland hydrology in the enhancement and restoration areas was initiated in summer 2007 with construction of two earthen berms. The earthen berms were designed to conserve water onsite by restricting surface flow in two natural drainages. Restoration success shall be evaluated based on criteria set forth in the permit conditions and outlined in the compensatory mitigation plan dated November 13, 2007. Permit requirements include annual monitoring of hydrology, vegetation, and soils in the restoration and enhancement areas and a qualitative site assessment of the preservation area.

Davis Environmental Consultants (DEC) assisted in the wetland permitting, prepared the Compensatory Mitigation Plan, performed construction management duties, and then performed the required wetland mitigation site monitoring beginning in 2008. DEC monitored the mitigation sites annually starting in 2008 and prepared the necessary monitoring reports for submittal to the Corps and DEQ. This work was done in accordance with the requirements of the Corps and DEC permits. Periodically, DEC met on site with wetland regulators to confirm the findings of these reports. There has been no indication from wetland regulators that these reports were deficient in any way. Two more years of monitoring are required by the permits (2016, 2017). The data for 2016 has already been collected and that report is in preparation for submittal by November 30, 2016.

In addition to the required monitoring, SPSA was obligated under the permits to prepare and record a real estate instrument that preserves, in perpetuity, the entire +/- 98 acre compensation site. A Declaration of Restriction Covenants was prepared on May 1, 2008 by SPSA, approved by the Corps, and was recorded at the City of Suffolk Circuit Court on June 2, 2008, in accordance with permit requirements.

Conclusion

It is the conclusion of DEC that the Southeastern Virginia Public Service Authority is in compliance with the wetland permit requirements for compensatory wetland mitigation for its landfill expansion authorized under permit #88-0707.





Appendix D – Photographs of Vegetative Buffer Area North of Bob Foeller Drive

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Photo

<u>Latitude</u>

Buffer along North side of Water Line along Bob Foeller Drive



Edge of gas line ROW at entrance. Loblolly pine +/-30' tall (6-10" DBH), sweetgum +/-350' west of #1 at bend of water line ROW. Loblolly pine >15' tall on N.side of in understory, switchcane (4-6' tall).



Longitude

Direction

stream; sweetgum6-8' tall along S.edge of ditch.



Twd.bend in stream; scattered loblolly pine, sweetgum 5-10' tall south of stream (big gap); scattered loblolly pine (thin along atream); N side of stram: 30' gap then thick lob.pine >15' tall.



At valve box. Lob.pine >15' tall across stream (dense).

Buffer along North side of Water Line along Bob Foeller Drive

Photo Latitude Longitude Direction

5 N 36 45.345 W 76 30.770 NE

6 N 36 45.345 W 76 30.770 NW

+/-200' W of #4 (3ple Cherrybark Oak); Scattered Lob.Pine 15-20' tall on South stream bank, dense lob.pine >15' on North site stream

+/-200' W of #4 (3ple Cherrybark Oak); Few scattered Lob.Pine, Sweetgum on south stream bank; dense lob.pine 10-15' tall (thick) on N.stream bank.



+/-300' W of #5/6. Lob.pine <3' tall along S stream bank; lob.pine 10-15' tall along N stream bank - thick along stream; many but thian areas w/lob.pine 3-6' tall behind.

Buffer along North side of Water Line along Bob Foeller Drive

Photo	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>	<u>Direction</u>	<u>Photo</u>	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>	<u>Direction</u>
8	N 36° 45.310'		NE	9	N 36° 45.310'	W 76° 30.879'	N

Big pine @ stream crossing. West end of veg.buffer: scattered lob.pine, sweetgum, sycamore, baccharis <3' tall on berm N of stream. Wet swale behind (N Vegetation on berm had been cut; now regenerating; though fewer pines than of) berm.



Big pine @ stream crossing. NW: Scattered Lob.pine, sweetgum, baccharis on berms, logs NW stream.



Big pine @ stream crossing. +/-W: Looking twd scales, transfer station.

Buffer along North side of Water Line along Bob Foeller Drive

Direction Latitude Direction <u>Photo</u> <u>Latitude</u> **Longitude Photo Longitude** N 36° 45.323' W 76° 30.890' E N 36° 45.323 W 76° 30.890' 12 +/-E along berm. 2ndary berm behind wet swale: scat. Lob.pine, baccharis; was +/-W along berm. 2ndary berm behind wet swale: scat. Lob.pine, baccharis; was much more lob.pine before cut. much more lob.pine before cut. N 36° 45.295' W 76° 30.936' N 36° 56.976' W 76° 35.642' 14

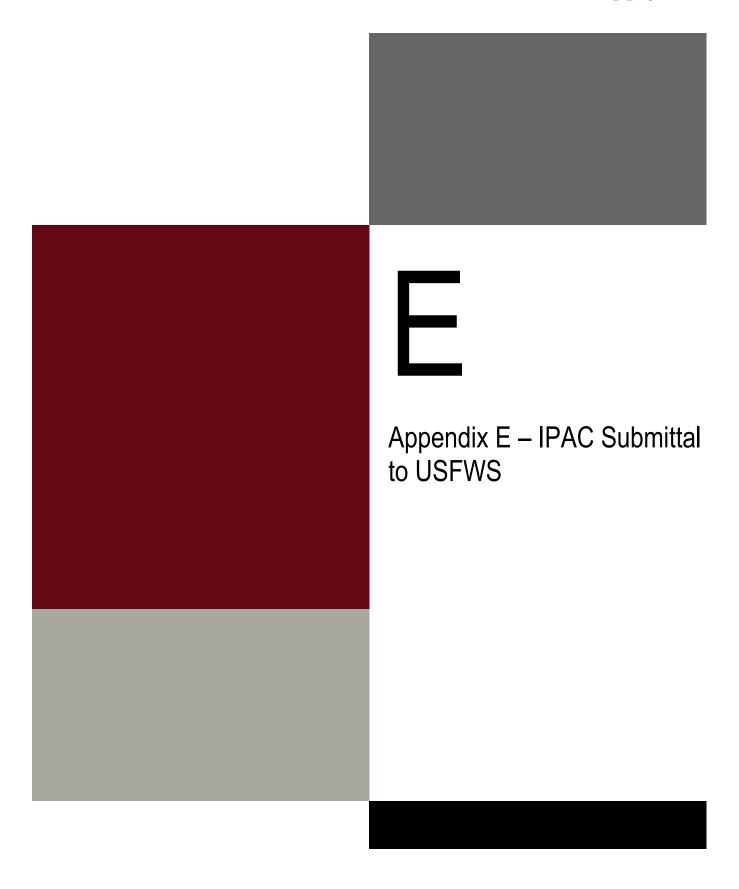


At culvert: NE: Mostly herbaceous veg. on waterline ROW, shrubs, saplings on berm; scattered sweetgum, baccharis south of berm.



At culvert: NE: Mostly herbaceous veg. on waterline ROW, shrubs, saplings on berm; scattered sweetgum, baccharis south of berm.





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FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Virginia Field Office 6669 Short Lane Gloucester, VA 23061

Date: 5/17/2016

Self-Certification Letter

Project Name: SPSA Expansion Cells VII, VIII and IX

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for using the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) Virginia Ecological Services online project review process. By printing this letter in conjunction with your project review package, you are certifying that you have completed the online project review process for the project named above in accordance with all instructions provided, using the best available information to reach your conclusions. This letter, and the enclosed project review package, completes the review of your project in accordance with the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531-1544, 87 Stat. 884), as amended (ESA), and the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668-668c, 54 Stat. 250), as amended (Eagle Act). This letter also provides information for your project review under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190, 42 U.S.C. 4321-4347, 83 Stat. 852), as amended. A copy of this letter and the project review package must be submitted to this office for this certification to be valid. This letter and the project review package will be maintained in our records.

The species conclusions table in the enclosed project review package summarizes your ESA and Eagle Act conclusions. These conclusions resulted in:

- "no effect" determinations for proposed/listed species and/or proposed/designated critical habitat; and/or
- "may affect, not likely to adversely affect" determinations for proposed/listed species and/or proposed/designated critical habitat; and/or
- "may affect, likely to adversely affect" determination for the Northern long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) and relying on the findings of the January 5, 2016 Programmatic Biological Opinion for the Final 4(d) Rule on the Northern long-eared bat; and/or
- "no Eagle Act permit required" determinations for eagles.

Applicant Page 2

We certify that use of the online project review process in strict accordance with the instructions provided as documented in the enclosed project review package results in reaching the appropriate determinations. Therefore, we concur with the "no effect" or "not likely to adversely affect" determinations for proposed and listed species and proposed and designated critical habitat; the "may affect" determination for Northern long-eared bat; and/or the "no Eagle Act permit required" determinations for eagles. Additional coordination with this office is not needed.

Candidate species are not legally protected pursuant to the ESA. However, the Service encourages consideration of these species by avoiding adverse impacts to them. Please contact this office for additional coordination if your project action area contains candidate species.

Should project plans change or if additional information on the distribution of proposed or listed species, proposed or designated critical habitat, or bald eagles becomes available, this determination may be reconsidered. This certification letter is valid for 1 year.

Information about the online project review process including instructions and use, species information, and other information regarding project reviews within Virginia is available at our website http://www.fws.gov/northeast/virginiafield/endspecies/project_reviews.html. If you have any questions, please contact Troy Andersen of this office at (804) 824-2428.

Sincerely,

Cindy Schulz Field Supervisor

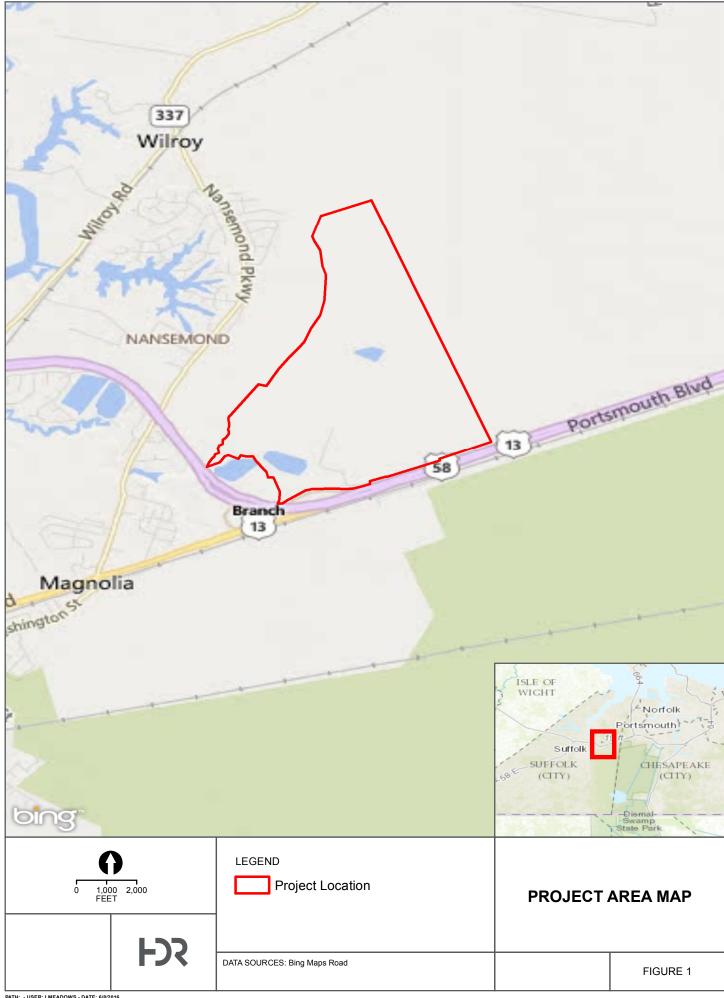
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Enclosures - project review package

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PROJECT AREA MAP



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IPaC OFFICIAL SPECIES LIST



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May 16, 2016

Consultation Code: 05E2VA00-2016-SLI-2641

Event Code: 05E2VA00-2016-E-03165 Project Name: SPSA CUP-WQIA

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project

location, and/or may be affected by your proposed project

To Whom It May Concern:

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, proposed and candidate species, as well as proposed and final designated critical habitat, that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and/or may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirements of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*). Any activity proposed on National Wildlife Refuge lands must undergo a 'Compatibility Determination' conducted by the Refuge. Please contact the individual Refuges to discuss any questions or concerns.

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Please feel free to contact us if you need more current information or assistance regarding the potential impacts to federally proposed, listed, and candidate species and federally designated and proposed critical habitat. Please note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. This verification can be completed formally or informally as desired. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the ECOS-IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the ECOS-IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list

The purpose of the Act is to provide a means whereby threatened and endangered species and the ecosystems upon which they depend may be conserved. Under sections 7(a)(1) and 7(a)(2) of the Act and its implementing regulations (50 CFR 402 *et seq.*), Federal agencies are required to utilize their authorities to carry out programs for the conservation of threatened and

endangered species and to determine whether projects may affect threatened and endangered species and/or designated critical habitat.

A Biological Assessment is required for construction projects (or other undertakings having similar physical impacts) that are major Federal actions significantly affecting the quality of the human environment as defined in the National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 4332(2) (c)). For projects other than major construction activities, the Service suggests that a biological evaluation similar to a Biological Assessment be prepared to determine whether the project may affect listed or proposed species and/or designated or proposed critical habitat. Recommended contents of a Biological Assessment are described at 50 CFR 402.12.

If a Federal agency determines, based on the Biological Assessment or biological evaluation, that listed species and/or designated critical habitat may be affected by the proposed project, the agency is required to consult with the Service pursuant to 50 CFR 402. In addition, the Service recommends that candidate species, proposed species and proposed critical habitat be addressed within the consultation. More information on the regulations and procedures for section 7 consultation, including the role of permit or license applicants, can be found in the "Endangered Species Consultation Handbook" at:

http://www.fws.gov/endangered/esa-library/pdf/TOC-GLOS.PDF

Please be aware that bald and golden eagles are protected under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668 *et seq.*), and projects affecting these species may require development of an eagle conservation plan

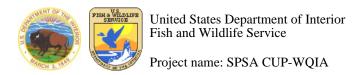
(http://www.fws.gov/windenergy/eagle_guidance.html). Additionally, wind energy projects should follow the wind energy guidelines (http://www.fws.gov/windenergy/) for minimizing impacts to migratory birds and bats.

Guidance for minimizing impacts to migratory birds for projects including communications towers (e.g., cellular, digital television, radio, and emergency broadcast) can be found at: http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/CurrentBirdIssues/Hazards/towers/towers.htm; http://www.towerkill.com; and

http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/CurrentBirdIssues/Hazards/towers/comtow.html.

We appreciate your concern for threatened and endangered species. The Service encourages Federal agencies to include conservation of threatened and endangered species into their project planning to further the purposes of the Act. Please include the Consultation Tracking Number in the header of this letter with any request for consultation or correspondence about your project that you submit to our office.

Attachment



Official Species List

Provided by:

Virginia Ecological Services Field Office 6669 SHORT LANE GLOUCESTER, VA 23061 (804) 693-6694

http://www.fws.gov/northeast/virginiafield/

Consultation Code: 05E2VA00-2016-SLI-2641

Event Code: 05E2VA00-2016-E-03165

Project Type: Landfill

Project Name: SPSA CUP-WQIA

Project Description: Proposed landfill expansion.

Please Note: The FWS office may have modified the Project Name and/or Project Description, so it may be different from what was submitted in your previous request. If the Consultation Code matches, the FWS considers this to be the same project. Contact the office in the 'Provided by' section of your previous Official Species list if you have any questions or concerns.

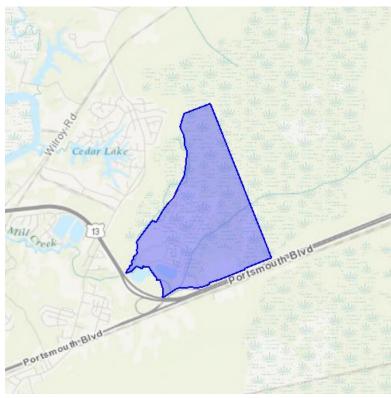




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Project name: SPSA CUP-WQIA

Project Location Map:



Project Coordinates: The coordinates are too numerous to display here.

Project Counties: Suffolk, VA



Endangered Species Act Species List

There are a total of 1 threatened or endangered species on your species list. Species on this list should be considered in an effects analysis for your project and could include species that exist in another geographic area. For example, certain fish may appear on the species list because a project could affect downstream species. Critical habitats listed under the **Has Critical Habitat** column may or may not lie within your project area. See the **Critical habitats within your project area** section further below for critical habitat that lies within your project. Please contact the designated FWS office if you have questions.

Mammals	Status	Has Critical Habitat	Condition(s)
Northern long-eared Bat (Myotis	Threatened		
septentrionalis)			



Critical habitats that lie within your project area

There are no critical habitats within your project area.



Appendix A: FWS National Wildlife Refuges and Fish Hatcheries

There are no refuges or fish hatcheries within your project area.

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SPECIES CONCLUSION TABLE

Species Conclusions Table

Project Name: Southeastern Public Service Authority

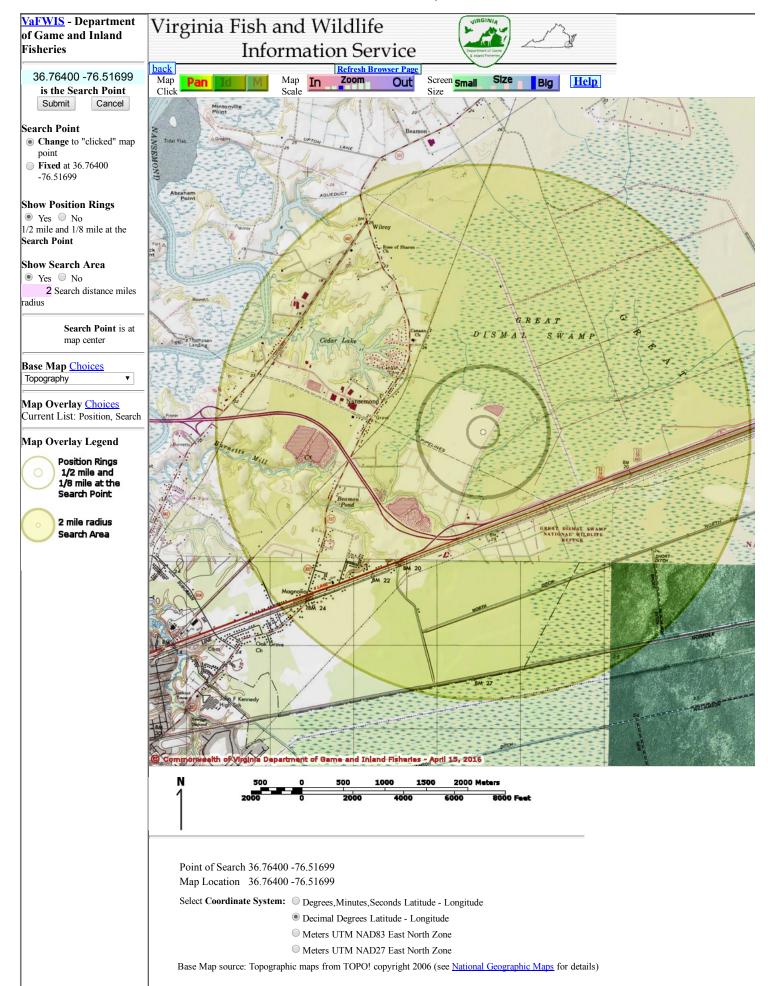
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Species / Resource Name	Conclusion	ESA Section 7 / Eagle Act Determination	Notes / Documentation
Northern long-eared Bat (Myotis septentrionalis)	Suitable habitat present. No critical habitat present.	No effect/Not Likely to Adversely Affect	Implementing a TOYR (April 15-Sept 15) for tree clearing.
Bald Eagles	No suitable habitat present. No critical habitat present. Unlikely to disturb nesting bald eagles. Does not intersect with an eagle concentration area.	No Eagle Act permit required	The Center for Conservation Biology VA Eagle Nest Locator did not have any records of eagle nests in the vicinity of the project area and the project limits are between 2,500 and 600 feet from the Bald Eagle concentration areas. The VAEagles map is attached.
Critical Habitat	No critical habitat present	No effect	Project is located in Suffolk, Virginia.

SOUTHEASTERN PUBLIC SERVICE AUTHORITY OF VIRGINIA CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA

DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND INLAND FISHERIES SEARCH RESULTS

4/15/2016 VaFWIS Map



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Known or likely to occur within a 2 mile radius around point 36.7640000 -76.5169995 in 800 Suffolk City, VA

View Map of Site Location

567 Known or Likely Species ordered by Status Concern for Conservation (displaying first 41) (41 species with Status* or Tier I** or Tier II**)

BOVA Code	Status*	Tier**	Common Name	Scientific Name	Confirmed	Database(s)
040228	FESE	I	Woodpecker, red- cockaded	Picoides borealis		BOVA
010032	FESE	II	Sturgeon, Atlantic	Acipenser oxyrinchus		BOVA
030074	FESE		Turtle, Kemp's ridley sea	Lepidochelys kempii		BOVA
030071	FTST	I	Turtle, loggerhead sea	Caretta caretta		BOVA
040120	FTST	I	Plover, piping	Charadrius melodus		BOVA
040144	FTST	IV	Knot, red	Calidris canutus rufa		BOVA
050022	FTST		Bat, northern long-eared	Myotis septentrionalis		BOVA
040110	SE	I	Rail, black	Laterallus jamaicensis		BOVA
050034	SE	I	Bat, Rafinesque's eastern big-eared	Corynorhinus rafinesquii macrotis		BOVA
030013	SE	II	Rattlesnake, canebrake	Crotalus horridus	Yes	BOVA,Habitat,SppObs
050027	SE		Bat, tri-colored	Perimyotis subflavus	Yes	BOVA,SppObs
040096	ST	Ι	Falcon, peregrine	Falco peregrinus		BOVA
040293	ST	I	Shrike, loggerhead	Lanius ludovicianus		BOVA
020044	ST	II	Salamander, Mabee's	Ambystoma mabeei	<u>Yes</u>	BOVA,Habitat,SppObs
040292	ST		Shrike, migrant loggerhead	Lanius ludovicianus migrans		BOVA

070131	FS	I	Isopod, Phreatic	Caecidotea phreatica		BOVA
100176	FS	I	Skipper, Arogos	Atrytone arogos arogos		BOVA
040093	FS	II	Eagle, bald	Haliaeetus leucocephalus	<u>Yes</u>	BOVA,SppObs
070105	FS	III	Crayfish, Chowanoke	Orconectes virginiensis		BOVA
100192	FS	III	Roadside-skipper, dusky	Amblyscirtes alternata		BOVA
100002	FS	III	Skipper, Duke's (or scarce swamp)	Euphyes dukesi		BOVA
010038	FS	IV	Alewife	Alosa pseudoharengus		BOVA
100001	FS	IV	fritillary, Diana	Speyeria diana		BOVA
010045	FS		Herring, blueback	Alosa aestivalis		BOVA
030067	СС	II	Terrapin, northern diamond-backed	Malaclemys terrapin terrapin		BOVA,Habitat
030063	CC	III	Turtle, spotted	Clemmys guttata	Yes	BOVA,SppObs
040129		I	Sandpiper, upland	Bartramia longicauda		BOVA
040225		I	Sapsucker, yellow-bellied	Sphyrapicus varius		BOVA
040319		I	Warbler, black- throated green	Setophaga virens		BOVA
040422		I	Warbler, Wayne's	Dendroica virens waynei		Habitat
020063		II	Toad, oak	Anaxyrus quercicus		BOVA,Habitat
040038		II	Bittern, American	Botaurus lentiginosus		BOVA
040052		II	Duck, American black	Anas rubripes		BOVA
040029		II	Heron, little blue	Egretta caerulea caerulea		BOVA
040036		II	Night-heron, yellow-crowned	Nyctanassa violacea violacea		BOVA
040105		II	Rail, king	Rallus elegans		BOVA,Habitat
040186		II	Tern, least	Sterna antillarum		BOVA
040187		II	Tern, royal	Sterna maxima maximus		BOVA

040320	II	Warbler, cerulean	Setophaga cerulea	BOVA
040304	II	 .	Limnothlypis swainsonii	BOVA
040266	II	Wren, winter	Troglodytes troglodytes	BOVA

To view All 567 species View 567

Bat Colonies or Hibernacula: Not Known

Anadromous Fish Use Streams (2 records)

View Map of All **Anadromous Fish Use Streams**

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Stream ID	Stream Name	Reach Status	Different Species	Highest TE*	Highest Tier**	View Map	
P118	Nansemond river	Potential	0			Yes	
P24	Burnetts Mill	Potential	0			<u>Yes</u>	

Impediments to Fish Passage (1 records)

View Map of All **Fish Impediments**

ID	Name	River	View Map
785	BRIGHTS DAM	TR-NANSEMOND RIVER	Yes

Colonial Water Bird Survey

N/A

Threatened and Endangered Waters

N/A

Managed Trout Streams

N/A

Bald Eagle Concentration Areas and Roosts

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IV=VA Wildlife Action Plan - Tier IV - Moderate Conservation Need

N/A

Bald Eagle Nests

N/A

Habitat Predicted for Aquatic WAP Tier I & II Species

N/A

Habitat Predicted for Terrestrial WAP Tier I & II Species (7 Species)

View Map of Combined Terrestrial Habitat Predicted for 7 WAP Tier I & II Species Listed Below

ordered by Status Concern for Conservation

BOVA Code	Status*	us* Tier** Common Name		Scientific Name	View Map
030013	SE	II	Rattlesnake, canebrake	Crotalus horridus	Yes
020044	ST	II	Salamander, Mabee's	Ambystoma mabeei	Yes
030067	CC	II	Terrapin, northern diamond- backed	Malaclemys terrapin terrapin	Yes
040422		I	Warbler, Wayne's	Dendroica virens waynei	Yes
020063		II	Toad, oak	Anaxyrus quercicus	Yes
040105		II	Rail, king	Rallus elegans	Yes
050008		IV	Shrew, Dismal Swamp southeastern	Sorex longirostris fisheri	Yes

Public Holdings: (1 names)

Name	Agency	Level
Great Dismal Swamp National Wildlife Refuge	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal

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View Map of **Site Location**

Species Observations where Rattlesnake, canebrake (030013) observed

(3 records, 3 Observations with Threatened or Endangered species) **View Map of All Query Results** Species Observations where Rattlesnake, canebrake (030013) observed

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obsID	class	Date Observed	Observer	Different Species	Highest TE*	Highest Tier**	Yes Yes
321321	SppObs	Jul 18 2009	John Kleopfer	1	SE	II	Yes
63623	SppObs	Oct 10 2001	Lance Gardner and Sue Young	1	SE	II	Yes
65797	SppObs	Jun 1	ALAN H. SAVITZKY (PRINCIPLE PERMITTEE), CHRISTOPHER E. PATTERSEN (COLLECTOR)	1	SE	II	Yes

Displayed 3 Species Observations where Rattlesnake, canebrake (030013) observed

Habitat Predicted for Aquatic WAP Tier I & II Species where Rattlesnake, canebrake (030013) observed

N/A

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Habitat Predicted for Terrestrial WAP Tier I & II Species where Rattlesnake, canebrake (030013) observed

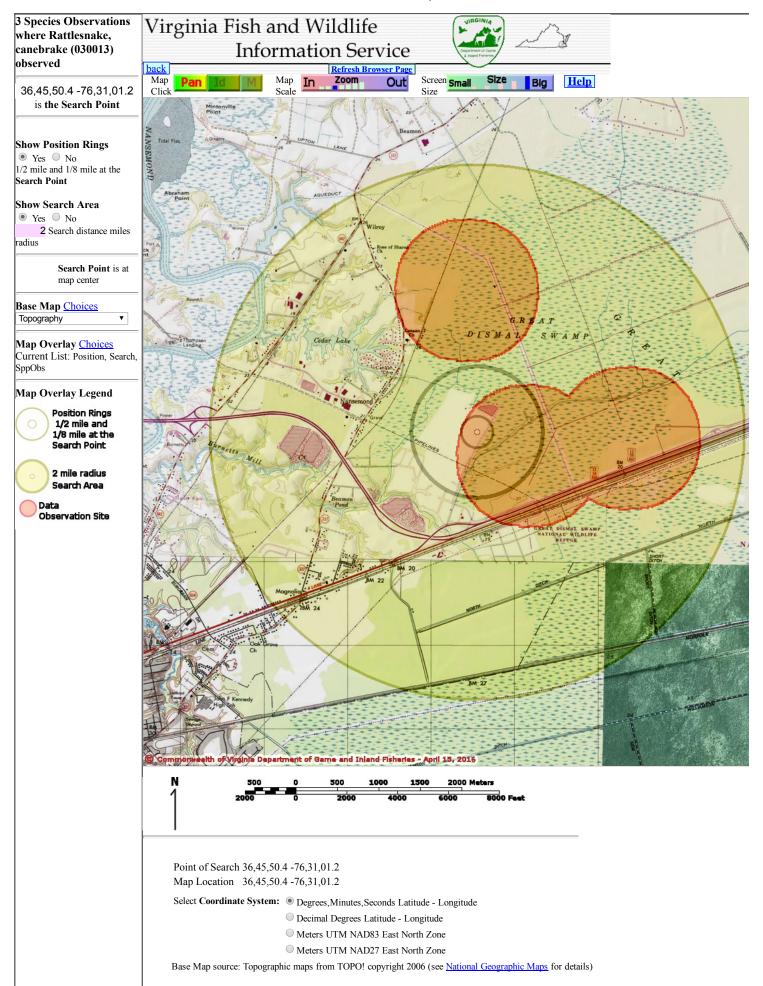
BOVA Code	Status*	Tier**	Common Name	Scientific Name	View Map
030013	SE	II	Rattlesnake, canebrake	Crotalus horridus	<u>Yes</u>

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Known or likely to occur within a **2 mile radius around point 36.7640000 -76.5169995** in **800 Suffolk City, VA** where (050027) **Bat, tri-colored** observed.

View Map of Site Location

Species Observations where Bat, tri-colored (050027) observed

(1 records, 1 Observation with Threatened or Endangered species)

<u>View Map of All Ouery Results</u> Species Observations where Bat, tri-colored (050027) observed

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obsID	class	Date Observed	Observer	Different Species	Highest TE*	Highest Tier**	View Map
53380	SppObs	Jul 29 1996	Steven M. Roble, Ph. D., DCR	2	SE		<u>Yes</u>

Displayed 1 Species Observations where Bat, tri-colored (050027) observed

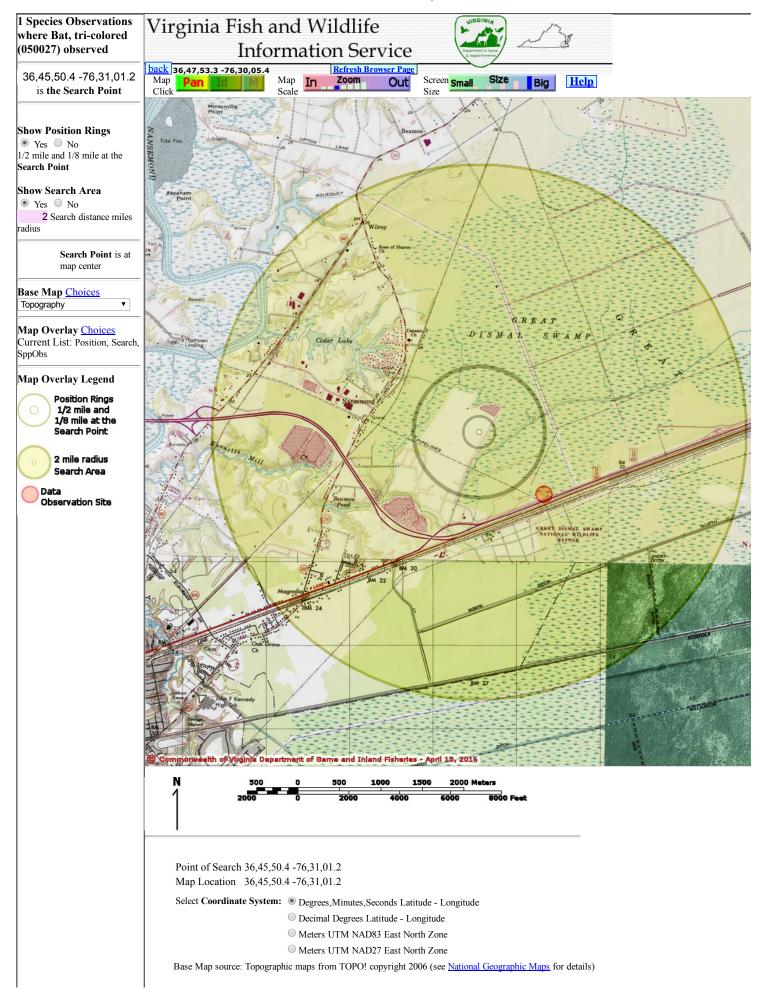
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View Map of **Site Location**

Species Observations where Salamander, Mabee s (020044) observed

(1 records, 1 Observation with Threatened or Endangered species) **View Map of All Query Results** Species Observations where Salamander, Mabee s (020044) observed

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obsID	class	Date Observed	Observer	Different Species	Highest TE*	Highest Tier**	View Map
365908	SppObs	Jan 1 1900		1	ST	II	<u>Yes</u>

Displayed 1 Species Observations where Salamander, Mabee s (020044) observed

Habitat Predicted for Aquatic WAP Tier I & II Species where Salamander, Mabee s (020044) observed

N/A

Habitat Predicted for Terrestrial WAP Tier I & II Species where Salamander, Mabee s (020044) observed

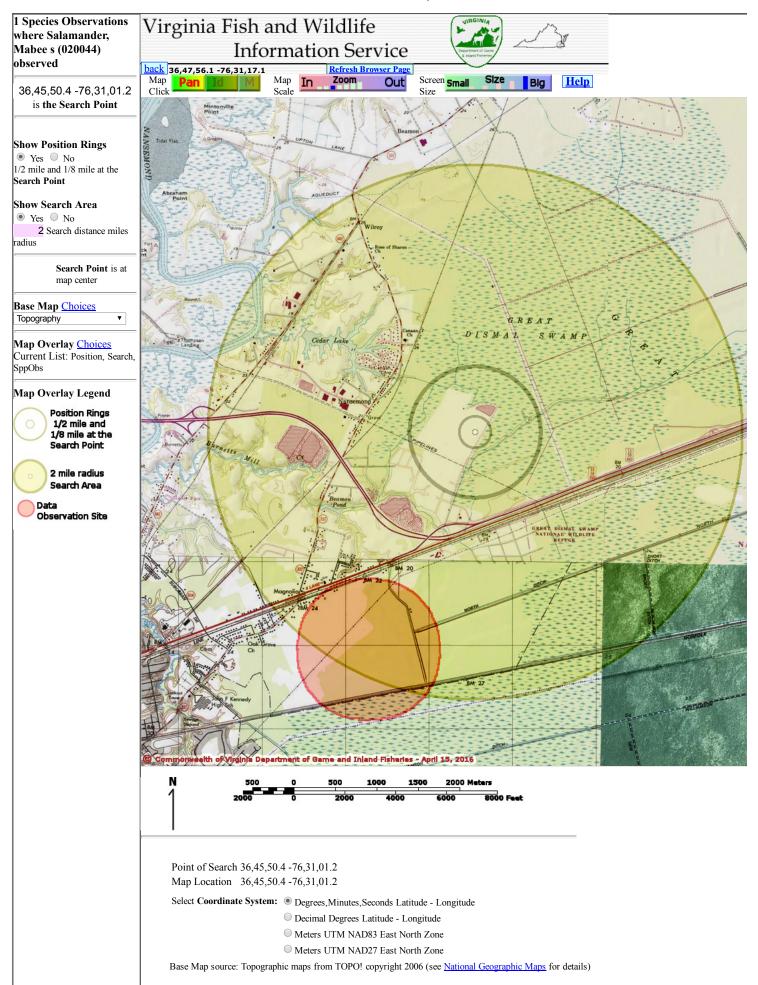
BOVA Code	Status*	Tier**	Common Name	Scientific Name	View Map
020044	ST	II	Salamander, Mabee's	Ambystoma mabeei	<u>Yes</u>

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SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND RECREATION SEARCH RESULTS

Natural Heritage Resources

Your Criteria

Taxonomic Group: Select All

Global Conservation Status Rank: Select All

State Conservation Status Rank: Select All

Federal Legal Status: LE - Listed endangered,LT - Listed threatened,PE - Proposed endangered,PT - Proposed threatened

State Legal Status: LE - Listed endangered, LT - Listed threatened, PE - Proposed endangered, PT - Proposed threatened

County: Suffolk (City)

Physiographic Province: Select All

Watershed (8 digit HUC): Select All

Subwatershed (12 digit HUC): Select All

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Result Summary

Total Species returned: 60

Total Communities returned: 0

Click scientific names below to go to NatureServe report.

Click column headings for an explanation of species and community ranks.

Common Name/Natural Community Suffolk (Cit Outer Coastal Albemarle Cypress Swal	ty)	Global Conservation Status Rank	State Conservation Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	Virginia Coastal Zone
Eastern Big- eared Bat	Corynorhinus rafinesquii macrotis	G3G4T3	S2	None	LE	36	Υ
Dismal Swamp Southeastern Shrew REPTILES	Sorex longirostris fisheri	G5T4	S2	None	LT	8	Υ
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]		S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Dismal Swam REPTILES	p Canal-Cross	Canal-Corapeal	ke Ditch (NC)				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Dismal Swam REPTILES	p-Dismal Swam	np Canal-Big En	try Ditch				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ

Common Name/Natural Community		Global Conservation Status Rank	State Conservation Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	Virginia Coastal Zone
Dismal Swam	<u>population]</u> p-Dismal Swam	np Canal-Fivemi	le Ditch				
REPTILES							
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	<u>horridus</u>						
	[Coastal Plain						
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	p-Jericno Ditch-	-Washington Dit	cn				
MAMMALS	Corynorhinus	C3C4T3	S2	None	LE	36	Υ
Eastern Big- eared Bat	<u>rafinesquii</u>	G3G413	32	None	LC	30	ī
cared bat	<u>macrotis</u>						
REPTILES	<u>maorotio</u>						
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	horridus					-	
	[Coastal Plain						
	population]						
Dismal Swam	p-Lake Drummo	ond-Lake Drumi	mond Feeder Di	itch-Moss Swan	np		
MAMMALS							
Eastern Big-	Corynorhinus	G3G4T3	S2	None	LE	36	Υ
eared Bat	<u>rafinesquii</u>						
D: 1	<u>macrotis</u>	0-74	00				
Dismal	<u>Sorex</u>	G5T4	S2	None	LT	8	Υ
Swamp	longirostris						
Southeastern Shrew	<u>fisheri</u>						
REPTILES							
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	horridus	3 11 1	3 1	110110			•
	[Coastal Plain						
	population]	-					
Nansemond R	River-Cedar Lak	е					

Common Name/Natural Community REPTILES	Scientific I Name	Global Conservation Status Rank	State Conservation Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	Virginia Coastal Zone
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Y
Southern Brai		iver-Deep Cree	k				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Western Bran REPTILES	ch Elizabeth Ri	ver					
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Y
Hampton Roa	ıds						
Cypress Swar	mp-Dragon Swa	amp					
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Y
Dismal Swam REPTILES		Canal-Corapeal	ke Ditch (NC)				
_	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plair population]		S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Dismal Swam REPTILES		np Canal-Big En	try Ditch				

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Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Dismal Swam REPTILES	p-Dismal Swam	np Canal-Fivemi	le Ditch				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Y
Dismal Swam REPTILES	p-Jericho Ditch	-Washington Dit	tch				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Dismal Swam REPTILES		ond-Lake Drumi	mond Feeder D	itch-Moss Swan	np		
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Nansemond F REPTILES	River-Bennett C	reek					
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Y
Nansemond F MAMMALS	River-Cedar Lak	е					
Dismal Swamp	Sorex longirostris	G5T4	S2	None	LT	8	Υ

Common Name/Natural Community Southeastern Shrew		Global Conservation Status Rank	State Conservation Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	Virginia Coastal Zone
REPTILES Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Southern Bran	nch Elizabeth R	iver-Deep Creel	<				
Dismal Swamp Southeastern	Sorex longirostris fisheri	G5T4	S2	None	LT	8	Υ
Shrew REPTILES Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Western Bran MAMMALS	population] ch Elizabeth Riv	/er					
Dismal Swamp Southeastern Shrew	Sorex longirostris fisheri	G5T4	S2	None	LT	8	Υ
REPTILES Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Southern Coa Albemarle Corapeake Sv		wamp					

Common Name/Natural Community MAMMALS	Scientific Name	Global Conservation Status Rank	State Conservation Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	Virginia Coastal Zone
Eastern Big- eared Bat	Corynorhinus rafinesquii macrotis	G3G4T3	S2	None	LE	36	Υ
Cypress Swar AMPHIBIANS	np-Dragon Swa	ımp					
Mabee's Salamander MAMMALS	Ambystoma mabeei	G4	S1S2	None	LT	17	Υ
Eastern Big- eared Bat	Corynorhinus rafinesquii macrotis	G3G4T3	S2	None	LE	36	Υ
Dismal Swamp Southeastern Shrew REPTILES	Sorex longirostris fisheri	G5T4	S2	None	LT	8	Υ
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Dismal Swam REPTILES	p Canal-Cross (Canal-Corapeal	(e Ditch (NC)				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Dismal Swam REPTILES	p-Dismal Swam	ıp Canal-Big En	try Ditch				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Y

Common Name/Natural Community	Scientific Name population	Global Conservation Status Rank	State Conservation Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	<u>Virginia</u> <u>Coastal Zone</u>
Dismal Swam		np Canal-Fivemi	le Ditch				
REPTILES							
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	horridus						
	[Coastal Plair population]	<u>l</u>					
Dismal Swam		-Washington Dit	rch				
REPTILES	p denone Biton	vvasnington bit	.on				
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	<u>horridus</u>						
	[Coastal Plain	1					
D: 10	population]						
Dismai Swam MAMMALS	p-Lake Drumm	ond-Lake Drumi	mond Feeder D	itch-ivioss Swan	np		
Dismal	Sorex	G5T4	S2	None	LT	8	Υ
Swamp	<u>longirostris</u>	0014	O2	None		O	'
Southeastern	•						
Shrew							
REPTILES							
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	horridus						
	[Coastal Plair population]	<u>l</u>					
Nansemond F	River-Cedar Lak	re					
AMPHIBIANS		.0					
Mabee's	<u>Ambystoma</u>	G4	S1S2	None	LT	17	Υ
Salamander	<u>mabeei</u>						
REPTILES		_	_				
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	horridus						
	[Coastal Plain	<u>l</u>					

Common Name/Natural Community	Scientific Name population]	Global Conservation Status Rank	State Conservation Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	Virginia Coastal Zone
Southern Brai		iver-Deep Creek	<				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Western Bran REPTILES	ch Elizabeth Riv	/er					
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Y
Blackwater	ver-Union Cam	n Holding Pond					
MAMMALS		_					
Eastern Big- eared Bat	Corynorhinus rafinesquii macrotis	G3G4T3	S2	None	LE	36	Υ
	o-Spivey Swamp)					
BIRDS Red- cockaded Woodpecker	Picoides borealis	G3	S1	LE	LE	7	Υ
MAMMALS Eastern Big- eared Bat	Corynorhinus rafinesquii macrotis	G3G4T3	S2	None	LE	36	Υ
Lake Kilby-Sp BIRDS							
Red-	<u>Picoides</u>	G3	S1	LE	LE	7	Υ

Common Name/Natural Community cockaded	Scientific Name borealis	Global Conservation Status Rank	State Conservation Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	Virginia Coastal Zone
Woodpecker Somerton Cree	ek-Chapel Swar	mp					
MAMMALS	on onapor ona.						
Eastern Big- eared Bat	Corynorhinus rafinesquii macrotis	G3G4T3	S2	None	LE	36	Υ
Hampton Road	ds						
Cypress Swam AMPHIBIANS	np-Dragon Swai	mp					
Mabee's	<u>Ambystoma</u>	G4	S1S2	None	LT	17	Υ
Salamander REPTILES	<u>mabeei</u>						
Canebrake	Crotalus	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	horridus [Coastal Plain						
	population]						
Dismal Swamp REPTILES		Canal-Corapeak	e Ditch (NC)				
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	<u>horridus</u>						
	[Coastal Plain population]						
Dismal Swamp		p Canal-Big Ent	rv Ditch				
REPTILES			, 2				
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	horridus						
	[Coastal Plain population]						
Dismal Swamp		p Canal-Fivemil	e Ditch				
REPTILES		,					
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ

Common Name/Natural Community Rattlesnake	horridus [Coastal Plain population]		Status Rank	Federal Legal Status	State Legal Status	Statewide Occurrences	Virginia Coastal Zone
Dismal Swam REPTILES	p-Jericho Ditch	-Washington Di	tch				
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Dismal Swam REPTILES	p-Lake Drumm	ond-Lake Drum	mond Feeder D	itch-Moss Swan	np		
Canebrake Rattlesnake	Crotalus horridus [Coastal Plain population]	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Jones Swamp BIRDS	o-Spivey Swam	р					
Red- cockaded Woodpecker	Picoides borealis	G3	S1	LE	LE	7	Υ
Lake Kilby-Sp BIRDS	eights Run						
Red- cockaded Woodpecker	<u>Picoides</u> <u>borealis</u>	G3	S1	LE	LE	7	Υ
Nansemond F AMPHIBIANS	River-Cedar Lak	ke .					
Mabee's Salamander REPTILES	Ambystoma mabeei	G4	S1S2	None	LT	17	Υ
Canebrake Rattlesnake	<u>Crotalus</u> <u>horridus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ

<u>Common</u>	Scientific	<u>Global</u>	<u>State</u>	Federal Legal	State Legal	<u>Statewide</u>	<u>Virginia</u>
Name/Natural	<u>Name</u>	Conservation	Conservation	<u>Status</u>	<u>Status</u>	Occurrences	Coastal Zone
Community		Status Rank	Status Rank				
	[Coastal Plain						
	population]						
Southern Bran	nch Elizabeth Ri	iver-Deep Creel	<				
REPTILES							
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	<u>horridus</u>						
	[Coastal Plain						
	population]						
Western Bran	ch Elizabeth Riv	/er					
REPTILES							
Canebrake	<u>Crotalus</u>	G4T4	S1	None	LE	19	Υ
Rattlesnake	<u>horridus</u>						
	[Coastal Plain						
	population]						

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