

# FINAL DRAINAGE REPORT

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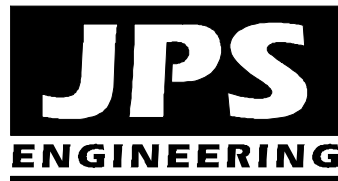
## McDERMOTT SUBDIVISION FILING NO. 1

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DRAINAGE STATEMENT

Engineer's Statement:

The attached drainage plan and report were prepared under my direction and supervision and are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Said drainage report has been prepared according to the criteria established by the County for drainage reports and said report is in conformity with the master plan of the drainage basin. I accept responsibility for liability caused by negligent acts, errors or omissions on my part in preparing this report.

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John P. Schwab, P.E. #29891

Developer's Statement:

I, the developer, have read and will comply with all of the requirements specified in this drainage report and plan.

By:

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Printed Name: Craig and Sally McDermott, Owners  
12930 Herring Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80908

Date

El Paso County's Statement

Filed in accordance with the requirements of the El Paso County Land Development Code, Drainage Criteria Manual, Volumes 1 and 2, and Engineering Criteria Manual as amended.

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Jennifer Irvine, P.E.  
County Engineer / ECM Administrator

Date

Conditions:

## **I. GENERAL LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION**

### **A. Background**

McDermott Subdivision Filing No. 1 is a proposed 3-lot rural residential minor subdivision located in the Black Forest area of northern El Paso County, Colorado. The minor subdivision will create three residential lots on the existing 29.5-acre parcel (El Paso County Assessor's Number 52080-00-030) located along the west side of Herring Road, north of Shoup Road. There are no improvements proposed to the existing residence on the east side of the property, which will be platted as Lot 1. The proposed Lots 2 and 3 will be platted as 5-acre rural residential lots, and the site disturbance associated with subdivision improvements is anticipated to be limited to less than one acre.

### **B. Scope**

This report will provide a summary of site drainage issues impacting the proposed residential minor subdivision. The report will analyze upstream drainage patterns, site-specific developed drainage patterns, and impacts on downstream facilities. This report is based on the guidelines and criteria presented in the El Paso County Drainage Criteria Manual, and the report is intended to fulfill the requirements for a "Final Drainage Report" in support of the Final Plat process for this property.

### **C. Site Location and Description**

McDermott Subdivision Filing No. 1 is located in the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 8, Township 12 South, Range 65 West of the 6th Principal Meridian. The 29.5-acre parcel is currently a developed rural residential property with an existing ranch residence along with a detached garage and shop building. The east half of the parcel including the existing residence will be platted as the 19.5-acre Lot 1, and the vacant area in the west half of the parcel will be platted as two new 5-acre lots (Lots 2 and 3). The property is zoned RR-5 (rural residential), allowing for 5-acre minimum lot sizes, and the proposed minor subdivision is fully in conformance with the existing zoning of the site. Lot 1 (12930 Herring Road) will continue to be accessed by the existing driveway connection to Herring Road. Access to the two new lots will be provided by a shared driveway connection to Herring Road at the northeast corner of the site.

The site is bordered by developed rural residential properties on all sides (Zoned RR-5). The Eagle Forest Subdivision (Zoned PUD), consisting of 2.5-acre minimum residential lots (approved; pending plat recordation), adjoins the west boundary along the southwest corner of the property. Herring Road is an improved, asphalt-paved public street along the east boundary of the site.

The parcel is bordered by existing unplatted rural residential lots on all sides, consisting of 5-acre minimum lot sizes. Herring Road borders the east boundary of the parcel. Ground elevations within the site range from approximately 7,470 to 7,530 feet above mean sea level.

The site is located near the upstream end of the Kettle Creek Drainage Basin, and the Burgess Creek channel is located downstream to the southwest of this property. The terrain is rolling with average grades ranging from 2 to 15 percent. The site was historically a heavily forested area until the majority of trees within the property burned in the 2013 Black Forest Fire. The site is currently re-vegetated with meadow grasses.

#### **D. General Soil Conditions**

According to the Custom Soil Resource Report for this site (see details in Appendix A) provided by the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), on-site soils are comprised of “Type 26: Elbeth sandy loam” and “Type 40-41: Kettle gravelly loamy sand.” These soils are classified as hydrologic soils group “B” (moderate infiltration rate).

#### **E. References**

City of Colorado Springs & El Paso County “Drainage Criteria Manual,” revised October 31, 2018.

City of Colorado Springs “Drainage Criteria Manual, Volumes 1 and 2,” revised October 31, 2018.

El Paso County “Engineering Criteria Manual,” revised December 13, 2016.

FEMA, Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) Number 08041C0320G, December 7, 2018.

JPS Engineering, Inc., “Final Drainage Report for Eagle Forest Subdivision,” December 28, 2021.

## **II. DRAINAGE BASINS AND SUB-BASINS**

### **A. Major Basin Description**

The proposed development lies completely within the Kettle Creek Drainage Basin (FOM 03000) as classified by El Paso County. Stormwater runoff from the property generally drains westerly to existing natural swales flowing southwesterly to the Burgess Creek channel, which ultimately flows to a downstream confluence with the main channel of Kettle Creek.

### **B. Floodplain Impacts**

The project site is located beyond the limits of any 100-year floodplain delineated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The floodplain limits in the vicinity of the site are shown in Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) Panel Number 08041C0320G dated December 7, 2018 (see Firmette Exhibit in Appendix C).

### C. Sub-Basin Description

The existing drainage basins lying in and around the proposed development are depicted on Figure EX1 (Appendix C). The property has been delineated as two on-site drainage basins, flowing northwesterly and southwesterly across the site. The south side of the property has been delineated as Basin M, and the north side of the property has been delineated as Basin N.

Developed runoff in this minor subdivision will generally continue to follow historic paths.

## III. DRAINAGE DESIGN CRITERIA

### A. Development Criteria Reference

No Drainage Basin Planning Study (DBPS) has been completed for the Kettle Creek Drainage Basin. No Master Development Drainage Plan (MDDP) reports were found for any adjacent subdivisions.

### B. Hydrologic Criteria

The tributary drainage basins impacting this site are all less than 100 acres, so Rational Method Hydrology procedures were utilized for calculation of peak flows. Rational Method hydrologic calculations were based on the following assumptions:

- |                                      |                            |             |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| • Design storm (minor)               | 5-year                     |             |
| • Design storm (major)               | 100-year                   |             |
| • Rainfall Intensities               | El Paso County I-D-F Curve |             |
| • Hydrologic soil type               | B                          |             |
|                                      | <u>C5</u>                  | <u>C100</u> |
| • Runoff Coefficients - undeveloped: |                            |             |
| Meadow / Forest areas                | 0.08                       | 0.35        |
| • Runoff Coefficients - developed:   |                            |             |
| Proposed Building / Pavement Areas   | 0.90                       | 0.96        |
- (see composite runoff coefficient calculations in Appendix B)

Hydrologic calculations are enclosed in Appendix B, and peak design flows are identified on the drainage plan drawings.

## IV. DRAINAGE PLANNING FOUR STEP PROCESS

El Paso County Drainage Criteria require drainage planning to include a Four Step Process for receiving water protection that focuses on reducing runoff volumes, treating the water quality capture volume (WQCV), stabilizing drainageways, and implementing long-term source controls.

As stated in DCM Volume 2, the Four Step Process is applicable to all new and re-development projects with construction activities that disturb 1 acre or greater or that disturb less than 1 acre but are part of a larger common plan of development. The Four Step Process has been implemented as follows in the planning of this project:

Step 1: Employ Runoff Reduction Practices

- Minimize Impacts: The proposed minor rural residential subdivision is an inherently low impact development. The proposed 5-acre minimum lot sizes (and average lot size of 9.8-acres) will significantly minimize drainage impacts in comparison to higher density development alternatives.

Step 2: Stabilize Drainageways

- There are no major drainageways within the site. Vegetated buffer strips will be maintained between developed areas of the site and downstream drainage channels.
- Drainage basin fees will be paid at the time of recording of the subdivision plat, and these fees provide the applicable cost contribution towards regional drainage improvements.

Step 3: Provide Water Quality Capture Volume (WQCV)

- Water quality detention is not required based on the low density of the rural residential development proposed (average lot size of 9.8-acres). According to ECM Appendix I Section I.7.1.B.5, a single-family residential lot greater than or equal to 2.5 acres in size per dwelling and having a total lot impervious area of less than 10 percent is excluded from permanent WQ control measures. As detailed in Appendix B, the total increase in estimated impervious area for the subdivision is approximately 2.3 percent, which meets the criteria for exclusion from water quality requirements.

Step 4: Consider Need for Industrial and Commercial BMPs

- No industrial or commercial land uses are proposed as part of this development.

## **V. GENERAL DRAINAGE RECOMMENDATIONS**

The developed drainage plan for the site is to provide and maintain positive drainage away from structures and conform to the established drainage patterns for the overall site. JPS Engineering recommends that positive drainage be established and maintained away from all structures within the site in conformance with applicable building codes and geotechnical engineering recommendations.

Individual lot grading is the sole responsibility of the individual builders and property owners. Final grading of each home site should establish proper protective slopes and positive drainage in accordance with applicable housing industry standards, HUD guidelines, and building codes. In general, main floor elevations for each home should be established a minimum of 2 feet above the adjoining street.

In general, we recommend a minimum of 6 inches clearance from the top of concrete foundation walls to adjacent finished site grades. Positive drainage slopes should be maintained away from all structures, with a minimum recommended slope of 5 percent for the first 10 feet away from buildings in landscaped areas, a minimum recommended slope of 2 percent for the first 10 feet away from buildings in paved areas, and a minimum slope of 1 percent for paved areas beyond buildings.

## VI. DRAINAGE FACILITY DESIGN

### A. General Concept

Development of the proposed minor subdivision will not require any public improvements, as access to the two new lots will be provided by a shared private access drive connection to Herring Road along the east boundary of the subdivision. The general concept for management of developed storm runoff is to establish site grading to provide positive drainage away from the building pads and divert runoff to drainage swales following historic drainage patterns.

### B. Specific Details

#### 1. Existing Drainage Conditions

Historic drainage conditions are depicted on Figure EX1 (Appendix D). The east side of the site is currently a developed rural residential property, and the west side of the parcel is a historically vacant forest and meadow area. There are no existing drainage facilities within the property. There are no existing irrigation facilities, major utilities, or significant encumbrances impacting the site.

Drainage from Basin M (south side of property) sheet flows southwesterly towards the existing natural drainage swale at the southwest corner of the property. Existing peak flows at Design Point #1 are calculated as  $Q_5 = 5.5$  cfs and  $Q_{100} = 30.9$  cfs.

Drainage from Basin N (north side of property) sheet flows northwesterly towards the existing natural drainage swale at the northwest corner of the property. Existing peak flows at Design Point #1 are calculated as  $Q_5 = 5.6$  cfs and  $Q_{100} = 37.2$  cfs.

#### 2. Developed Drainage Conditions

The developed drainage basins and projected flows are shown on the Developed Drainage Plan (Figure D1, Appendix D).

Developed flows from Basin M will continue to sheet flow southwesterly to Design Point #1, with developed peak flows calculated as  $Q_5 = 6.1$  cfs and  $Q_{100} = 31.8$  cfs (100-year flow increase of 0.9 cfs compared to existing conditions).

Per ECM 3.3.4.A provide drainage easement dimensions for swales that have over 15 cfs runoff.



Developed flows from Basin N will continue to sheet flow northwesterly to Design Point #2, with developed peak flows calculated as  $Q_5 = 7.0$  cfs and  $Q_{100} = 39.2$  cfs (100-year flow increase of 2.0 cfs compared to existing conditions).

Recognizing the rural residential nature of the proposed subdivision (5-acre minimum lots), the minor increase in developed flows will have no significant drainage drainage impact in the Kettle Creek Drainage Basin. Future construction of the individual rural residential home sites on Lots 2 and 3 should implement appropriate erosion control measures and maximize preservation of vegetated buffer strips along the downstream side of the properties.

### **C. On-Site Drainage Facility Design**

Developed drainage basins and drainage patterns are depicted on the enclosed Developed Drainage Plan (Sheet D1). No public drainage improvements are required for this minor subdivision. Based on the rural residential nature of this minor subdivision and the large lot sizes proposed, there will be no significant increase in developed flows, and there is no need for on-site flood control detention.

### **D. Analysis of Existing and Proposed Downstream Facilities**

The proposed subdivision area will drain westerly to existing natural drainage swales flowing to the Kettle Creek Drainage Basin. Development of this property as a rural residential subdivision will have no significant impact on downstream drainage facilities.

### **E. Anticipated Drainage Problems and Solutions**

The drainage plan for this minor subdivision consists of maintaining positive drainage away from home sites and conveying surface drainage through the site in general conformance with historic drainage patterns. The primary drainage problems anticipated within this type of development consist of maintenance of proper drainage patterns and erosion control.

Care will need to be taken to implement proper erosion control measures associated with the proposed driveways, home sites, and drainage swales. Drainage facilities outside the public right-of-way will be owned and maintained by the individual lot owners unless otherwise noted.

## **VII. EROSION CONTROL / SEDIMENT CONTROL**

Contractors and Owners will need to implement and maintain proper Construction Control Measures (CCM's) for erosion and sediment control during and after construction. Erosion control measures should include installation of silt fence at the toe of disturbed areas, sediment control logs protecting drainage ditches, vehicle tracking control pads at access points, riprap protection at culvert outlets, and revegetation of disturbed areas. Cut slopes will need to be stabilized during excavation as necessary and vegetation will need to be re-established as soon as possible for stabilization of graded areas.

## VIII. STORMWATER DETENTION AND WATER QUALITY

As previously stated, the proposed development will result in a minimal increase in developed flows based on the rural residential development plan. There is no need for on-site stormwater detention based on the minimal developed drainage impact.

Water quality facilities are not required as this site meets exclusions listed in the revised El Paso County Engineering Criteria Manual (ECM). Section I.7.1.B.5 of the ECM identifies “Large Lot Single Family Sites” as excluded sites under the following definition: “A single-family residential lot, or agricultural zoned lands, greater than or equal to 2.5 acres in size per dwelling and having a total lot impervious area of less than 10 percent.” The proposed subdivision plat will create three lots, but Lot 1 is an existing rural residential property, so the drainage impact of this minor subdivision is to create two new rural residential lots (Lots 2 and 3), with a total size of 10.0-acres. The estimated new impervious area has been calculated as approximately 2.3 percent, which is well below the “10 percent” threshold.

## IX. COST ESTIMATE AND DRAINAGE FEES

The developer will be responsible for all construction costs associated with the proposed roadway, drainage, and subdivision infrastructure improvements. There are no reimbursable public drainage improvements required for this subdivision.

The site lies completely within the Kettle Creek Drainage Basin (FOM 03000), which has a 2022 basin fee of \$11,413 per impervious acre and no b calculated as follows:

Minor Subdivision Area =	
Average Residential Lot Size =	
Impervious Area Percent Increase = 2.338%	(see calculation in Appendix L)
Estimated Impervious Area Increase =	0.6904 ac.
Adjusted Impervious Area = (0.69 ac) * 75% =	0.518 ac.
(includes 25% reduction on drainage fees for 2.5 to 5-acre lots per ECM Appendix L Section 3.10.2a)	
Drainage Basin Fee = (0.518 ac.) @ \$11,413/ac. =	<u>\$5,911.93</u>

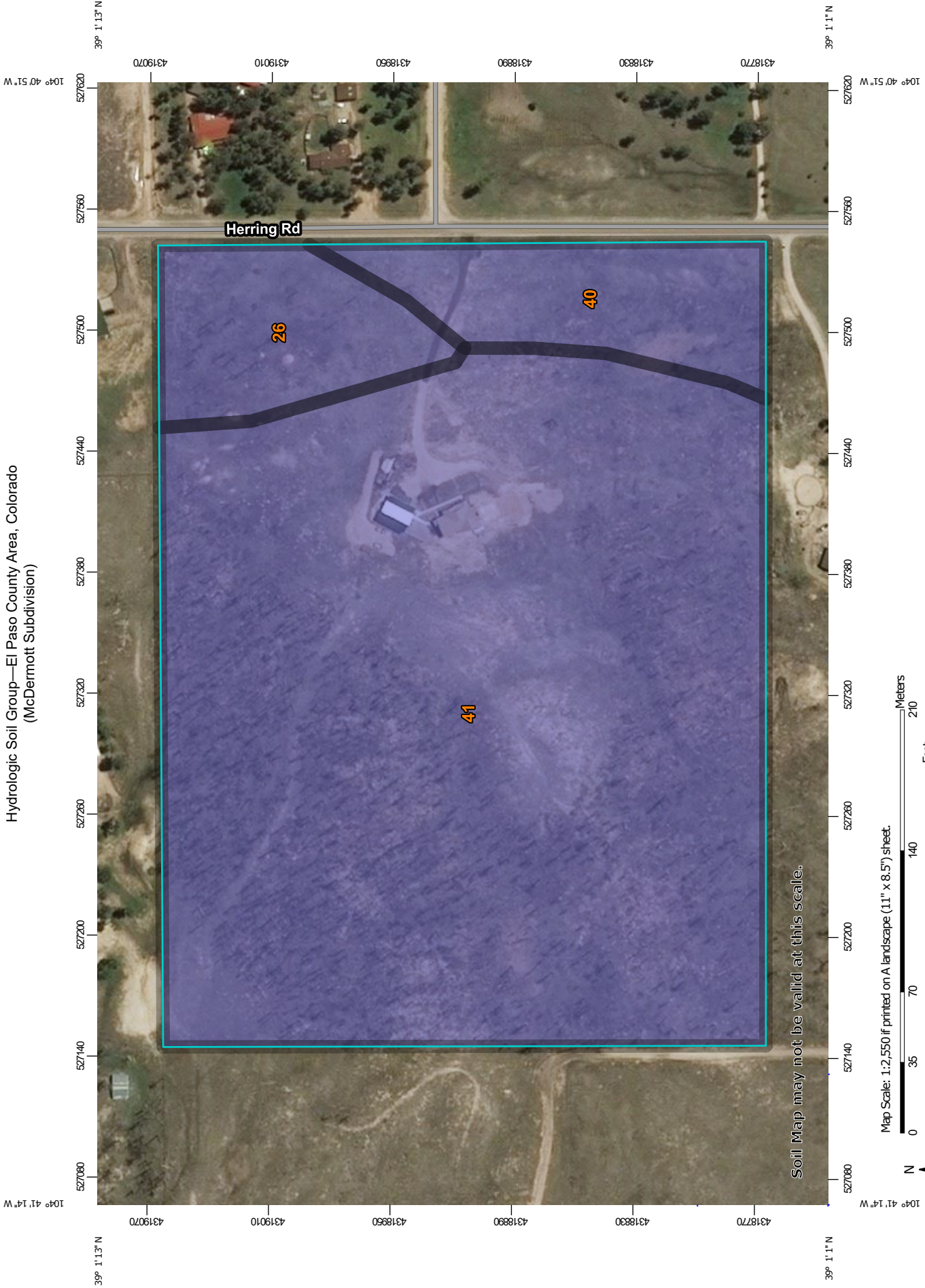
Per ECM 3.13.a, drainage fees are due for new impervious only. Drainage fees should be assessed for the 2 new 5 acre lots, which will result in 0.7 impervious acre. Assess fee on that number since the amount is off by a bit.

## X. SUMMARY

McDermott Subdivision Filing No. 1 is a proposed rural residential subdivision consisting of 3 lots on a 29.5-acre site. Development of the proposed minor subdivision is anticipated to result in a minimal increase in developed runoff from the site, and erosion control best management practices will be implemented to mitigate developed drainage impacts. The proposed drainage patterns will remain consistent with historic conditions. Implementation and maintenance of proper erosion control measures will ensure that this minor subdivision has no significant adverse drainage impact on downstream properties or drainage facilities.

**APPENDIX A**  
**SOILS INFORMATION**

Hydrologic Soil Group—El Paso County Area, Colorado  
(McDermott Subdivision)



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Map Scale: 1:2,550 if printed on A landscape (11" x 8.5") sheet.



































Map projection: Web Mercator Corner coordinates: WGS84 Edge tics: UTM Zone 13N WGS84



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Conservation Service

Web Soil Survey  
National Cooperative Soil Survey

## MAP LEGEND

<b>Area of Interest (AOI)</b>	 C
 Area of Interest (AOI)	 C/D
<b>Soils</b>	 D
<b>Soil Rating Polygons</b>	 Not rated or not available
 A	<b>Water Features</b>
 A/D	 Streams and Canals
 B	<b>Transportation</b>
 B/D	 Rails
 C	 Interstate Highways
 C/D	 US Routes
 D	 Major Roads
 Not rated or not available	 Local Roads
<b>Soil Rating Lines</b>	<b>Background</b>
 A	 Aerial Photography
 A/D	
 B	
 B/D	
 C	
 C/D	
 D	
 Not rated or not available	
<b>Soil Rating Points</b>	
 A	
 A/D	
 B	
 B/D	

## MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:24,000.

Warning: Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.

Enlargement of maps beyond the scale of mapping can cause misunderstanding of the detail of mapping and accuracy of soil line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of contrasting soils that could have been shown at a more detailed scale.

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements.

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service  
Web Soil Survey URL:  
Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more accurate calculations of distance or area are required.

This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.

Soil Survey Area: El Paso County Area, Colorado  
Survey Area Data: Version 19, Aug 31, 2021

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Sep 8, 2018—May 26, 2019

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

## Hydrologic Soil Group

Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
26	Elbeth sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	B	2.5	8.3%
40	Kettle gravelly loamy sand, 3 to 8 percent slopes	B	2.6	9.0%
41	Kettle gravelly loamy sand, 8 to 40 percent slopes	B	24.4	82.7%
<b>Totals for Area of Interest</b>			<b>29.5</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## Description

Hydrologic soil groups are based on estimates of runoff potential. Soils are assigned to one of four groups according to the rate of water infiltration when the soils are not protected by vegetation, are thoroughly wet, and receive precipitation from long-duration storms.

The soils in the United States are assigned to four groups (A, B, C, and D) and three dual classes (A/D, B/D, and C/D). The groups are defined as follows:

Group A. Soils having a high infiltration rate (low runoff potential) when thoroughly wet. These consist mainly of deep, well drained to excessively drained sands or gravelly sands. These soils have a high rate of water transmission.

Group B. Soils having a moderate infiltration rate when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of moderately deep or deep, moderately well drained or well drained soils that have moderately fine texture to moderately coarse texture. These soils have a moderate rate of water transmission.

Group C. Soils having a slow infiltration rate when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of soils having a layer that impedes the downward movement of water or soils of moderately fine texture or fine texture. These soils have a slow rate of water transmission.

Group D. Soils having a very slow infiltration rate (high runoff potential) when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of clays that have a high shrink-swell potential, soils that have a high water table, soils that have a claypan or clay layer at or near the surface, and soils that are shallow over nearly impervious material. These soils have a very slow rate of water transmission.

If a soil is assigned to a dual hydrologic group (A/D, B/D, or C/D), the first letter is for drained areas and the second is for undrained areas. Only the soils that in their natural condition are in group D are assigned to dual classes.

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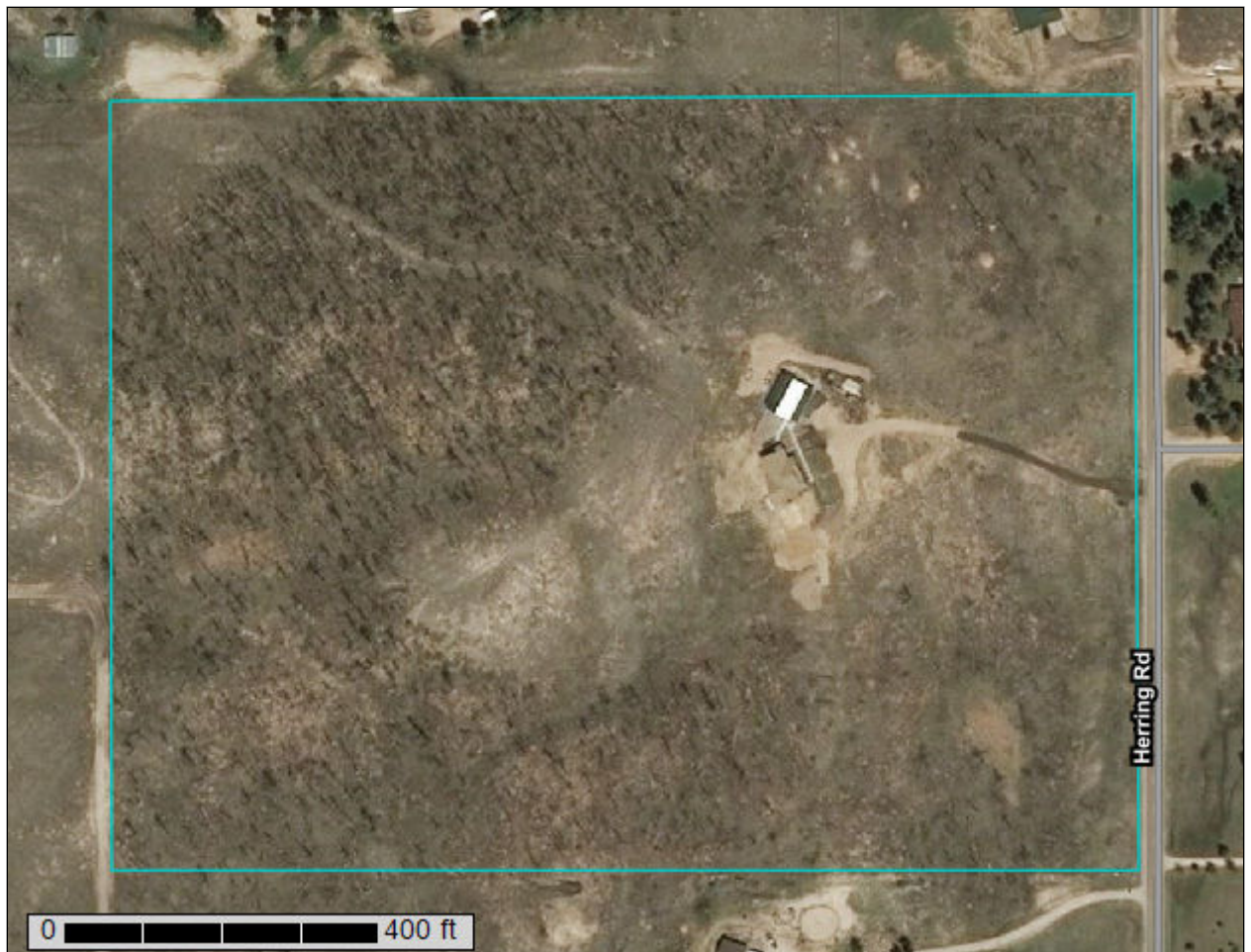
*Aggregation Method:* Dominant Condition

*Component Percent Cutoff:* None Specified

*Tie-break Rule:* Higher



# Custom Soil Resource Report for El Paso County Area, Colorado





# Preface

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Soil surveys contain information that affects land use planning in survey areas. They highlight soil limitations that affect various land uses and provide information about the properties of the soils in the survey areas. Soil surveys are designed for many different users, including farmers, ranchers, foresters, agronomists, urban planners, community officials, engineers, developers, builders, and home buyers. Also, conservationists, teachers, students, and specialists in recreation, waste disposal, and pollution control can use the surveys to help them understand, protect, or enhance the environment.

Various land use regulations of Federal, State, and local governments may impose special restrictions on land use or land treatment. Soil surveys identify soil properties that are used in making various land use or land treatment decisions. The information is intended to help the land users identify and reduce the effects of soil limitations on various land uses. The landowner or user is responsible for identifying and complying with existing laws and regulations.

Although soil survey information can be used for general farm, local, and wider area planning, onsite investigation is needed to supplement this information in some cases. Examples include soil quality assessments (<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/soils/health/>) and certain conservation and engineering applications. For more detailed information, contact your local USDA Service Center (<https://offices.sc.egov.usda.gov/locator/app?agency=nrcs>) or your NRCS State Soil Scientist ([http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/soils/contactus/?cid=nrcs142p2\\_053951](http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/soils/contactus/?cid=nrcs142p2_053951)).

Great differences in soil properties can occur within short distances. Some soils are seasonally wet or subject to flooding. Some are too unstable to be used as a foundation for buildings or roads. Clayey or wet soils are poorly suited to use as septic tank absorption fields. A high water table makes a soil poorly suited to basements or underground installations.

The National Cooperative Soil Survey is a joint effort of the United States Department of Agriculture and other Federal agencies, State agencies including the Agricultural Experiment Stations, and local agencies. The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has leadership for the Federal part of the National Cooperative Soil Survey.

Information about soils is updated periodically. Updated information is available through the NRCS Web Soil Survey, the site for official soil survey information.

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# How Soil Surveys Are Made

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Soil surveys are made to provide information about the soils and miscellaneous areas in a specific area. They include a description of the soils and miscellaneous areas and their location on the landscape and tables that show soil properties and limitations affecting various uses. Soil scientists observed the steepness, length, and shape of the slopes; the general pattern of drainage; the kinds of crops and native plants; and the kinds of bedrock. They observed and described many soil profiles. A soil profile is the sequence of natural layers, or horizons, in a soil. The profile extends from the surface down into the unconsolidated material in which the soil formed or from the surface down to bedrock. The unconsolidated material is devoid of roots and other living organisms and has not been changed by other biological activity.

Currently, soils are mapped according to the boundaries of major land resource areas (MLRAs). MLRAs are geographically associated land resource units that share common characteristics related to physiography, geology, climate, water resources, soils, biological resources, and land uses (USDA, 2006). Soil survey areas typically consist of parts of one or more MLRA.

The soils and miscellaneous areas in a survey area occur in an orderly pattern that is related to the geology, landforms, relief, climate, and natural vegetation of the area. Each kind of soil and miscellaneous area is associated with a particular kind of landform or with a segment of the landform. By observing the soils and miscellaneous areas in the survey area and relating their position to specific segments of the landform, a soil scientist develops a concept, or model, of how they were formed. Thus, during mapping, this model enables the soil scientist to predict with a considerable degree of accuracy the kind of soil or miscellaneous area at a specific location on the landscape.

Commonly, individual soils on the landscape merge into one another as their characteristics gradually change. To construct an accurate soil map, however, soil scientists must determine the boundaries between the soils. They can observe only a limited number of soil profiles. Nevertheless, these observations, supplemented by an understanding of the soil-vegetation-landscape relationship, are sufficient to verify predictions of the kinds of soil in an area and to determine the boundaries.

Soil scientists recorded the characteristics of the soil profiles that they studied. They noted soil color, texture, size and shape of soil aggregates, kind and amount of rock fragments, distribution of plant roots, reaction, and other features that enable them to identify soils. After describing the soils in the survey area and determining their properties, the soil scientists assigned the soils to taxonomic classes (units). Taxonomic classes are concepts. Each taxonomic class has a set of soil characteristics with precisely defined limits. The classes are used as a basis for comparison to classify soils systematically. Soil taxonomy, the system of taxonomic classification used in the United States, is based mainly on the kind and character of soil properties and the arrangement of horizons within the profile. After the soil

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scientists classified and named the soils in the survey area, they compared the individual soils with similar soils in the same taxonomic class in other areas so that they could confirm data and assemble additional data based on experience and research.

The objective of soil mapping is not to delineate pure map unit components; the objective is to separate the landscape into landforms or landform segments that have similar use and management requirements. Each map unit is defined by a unique combination of soil components and/or miscellaneous areas in predictable proportions. Some components may be highly contrasting to the other components of the map unit. The presence of minor components in a map unit in no way diminishes the usefulness or accuracy of the data. The delineation of such landforms and landform segments on the map provides sufficient information for the development of resource plans. If intensive use of small areas is planned, onsite investigation is needed to define and locate the soils and miscellaneous areas.

Soil scientists make many field observations in the process of producing a soil map. The frequency of observation is dependent upon several factors, including scale of mapping, intensity of mapping, design of map units, complexity of the landscape, and experience of the soil scientist. Observations are made to test and refine the soil-landscape model and predictions and to verify the classification of the soils at specific locations. Once the soil-landscape model is refined, a significantly smaller number of measurements of individual soil properties are made and recorded. These measurements may include field measurements, such as those for color, depth to bedrock, and texture, and laboratory measurements, such as those for content of sand, silt, clay, salt, and other components. Properties of each soil typically vary from one point to another across the landscape.

Observations for map unit components are aggregated to develop ranges of characteristics for the components. The aggregated values are presented. Direct measurements do not exist for every property presented for every map unit component. Values for some properties are estimated from combinations of other properties.

While a soil survey is in progress, samples of some of the soils in the area generally are collected for laboratory analyses and for engineering tests. Soil scientists interpret the data from these analyses and tests as well as the field-observed characteristics and the soil properties to determine the expected behavior of the soils under different uses. Interpretations for all of the soils are field tested through observation of the soils in different uses and under different levels of management. Some interpretations are modified to fit local conditions, and some new interpretations are developed to meet local needs. Data are assembled from other sources, such as research information, production records, and field experience of specialists. For example, data on crop yields under defined levels of management are assembled from farm records and from field or plot experiments on the same kinds of soil.

Predictions about soil behavior are based not only on soil properties but also on such variables as climate and biological activity. Soil conditions are predictable over long periods of time, but they are not predictable from year to year. For example, soil scientists can predict with a fairly high degree of accuracy that a given soil will have a high water table within certain depths in most years, but they cannot predict that a high water table will always be at a specific level in the soil on a specific date.

After soil scientists located and identified the significant natural bodies of soil in the survey area, they drew the boundaries of these bodies on aerial photographs and

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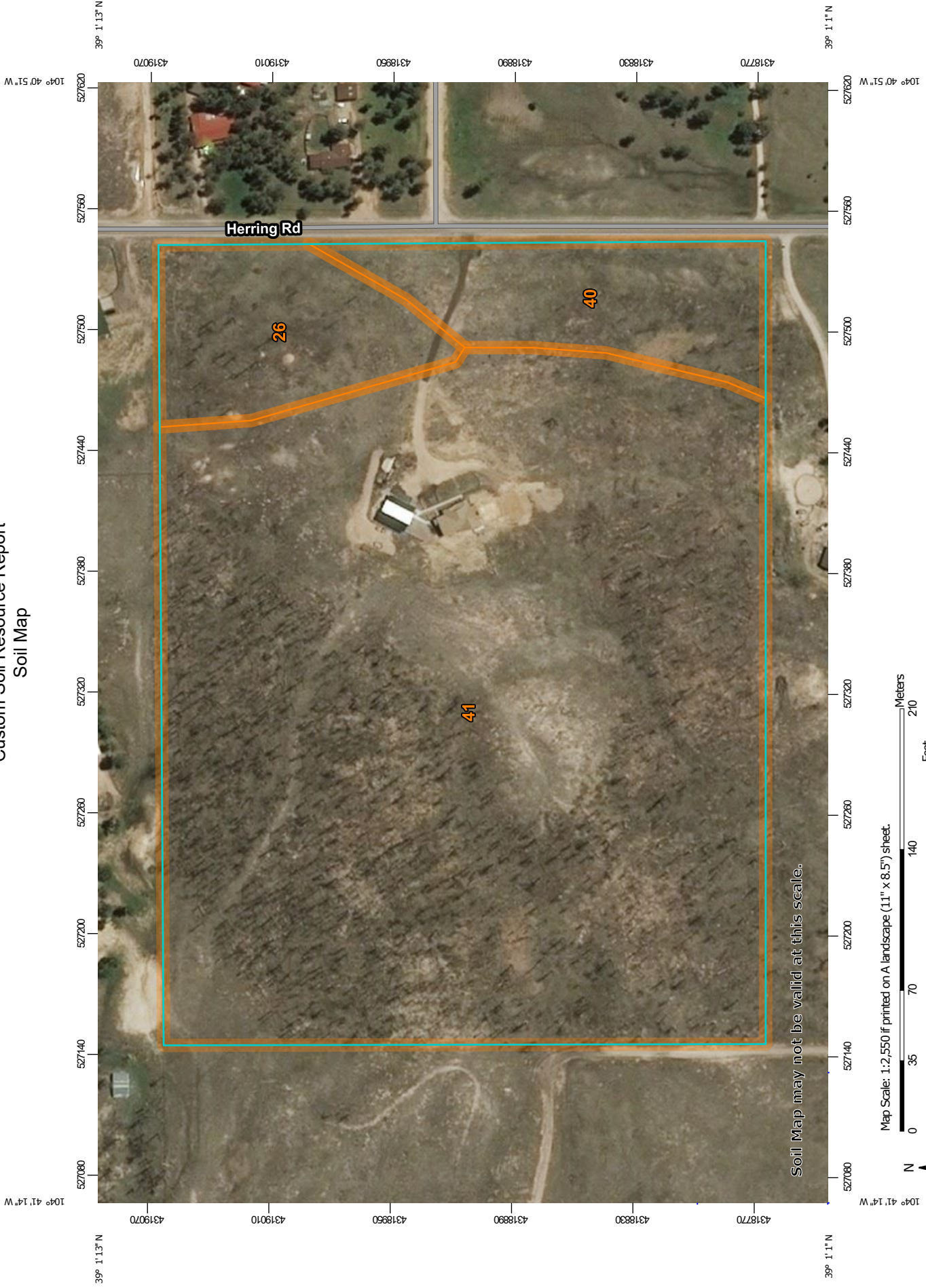
identified each as a specific map unit. Aerial photographs show trees, buildings, fields, roads, and rivers, all of which help in locating boundaries accurately.

# Soil Map

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The soil map section includes the soil map for the defined area of interest, a list of soil map units on the map and extent of each map unit, and cartographic symbols displayed on the map. Also presented are various metadata about data used to produce the map, and a description of each soil map unit.

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Soil Map



Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.

Map Scale: 1:2,550 if printed on A landscape (11" x 8.5") sheet.



Map projection: Web Mercator Corner coordinates: WGS84 Edge tics: UTM Zone 13N WGS84



## MAP LEGEND

- Area of Interest (AOI)**
  - Area of Interest (AOI)
- Soils**
  - Soil Map Unit Polygons
  - Soil Map Unit Lines
  - Soil Map Unit Points
- Special Point Features**
  - Blowout
  - Borrow Pit
  - Clay Spot
  - Closed Depression
  - Gravel Pit
  - Gravelly Spot
  - Landfill
  - Lava Flow
  - Marsh or swamp
  - Mine or Quarry
  - Miscellaneous Water
  - Perennial Water
  - Rock Outcrop
  - Saline Spot
  - Sandy Spot
  - Severely Eroded Spot
  - Sinkhole
  - Slide or Slip
  - Sodic Spot
- Water Features**
  - Streams and Canals
- Transportation**
  - Rails
  - Interstate Highways
  - US Routes
  - Major Roads
  - Local Roads
- Background**
  - Aerial Photography
- Other Features**
  - Spoil Area
  - Stony Spot
  - Very Stony Spot
  - Wet Spot
  - Other
  - Special Line Features

## MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:24,000.

**Warning:** Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.

Enlargement of maps beyond the scale of mapping can cause misunderstanding of the detail of mapping and accuracy of soil line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of contrasting soils that could have been shown at a more detailed scale.

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements.

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service  
 Web Soil Survey URL:  
 Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more accurate calculations of distance or area are required.

This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.

Soil Survey Area: El Paso County Area, Colorado  
 Survey Area Data: Version 19, Aug 31, 2021

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Sep 8, 2018—May 26, 2019

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

## Map Unit Legend

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
26	Elbeth sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	2.5	8.3%
40	Kettle gravelly loamy sand, 3 to 8 percent slopes	2.6	9.0%
41	Kettle gravelly loamy sand, 8 to 40 percent slopes	24.4	82.7%
<b>Totals for Area of Interest</b>		<b>29.5</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## Map Unit Descriptions

The map units delineated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions, along with the maps, can be used to determine the composition and properties of a unit.

A map unit delineation on a soil map represents an area dominated by one or more major kinds of soil or miscellaneous areas. A map unit is identified and named according to the taxonomic classification of the dominant soils. Within a taxonomic class there are precisely defined limits for the properties of the soils. On the landscape, however, the soils are natural phenomena, and they have the characteristic variability of all natural phenomena. Thus, the range of some observed properties may extend beyond the limits defined for a taxonomic class. Areas of soils of a single taxonomic class rarely, if ever, can be mapped without including areas of other taxonomic classes. Consequently, every map unit is made up of the soils or miscellaneous areas for which it is named and some minor components that belong to taxonomic classes other than those of the major soils.

Most minor soils have properties similar to those of the dominant soil or soils in the map unit, and thus they do not affect use and management. These are called noncontrasting, or similar, components. They may or may not be mentioned in a particular map unit description. Other minor components, however, have properties and behavioral characteristics divergent enough to affect use or to require different management. These are called contrasting, or dissimilar, components. They generally are in small areas and could not be mapped separately because of the scale used. Some small areas of strongly contrasting soils or miscellaneous areas are identified by a special symbol on the maps. If included in the database for a given area, the contrasting minor components are identified in the map unit descriptions along with some characteristics of each. A few areas of minor components may not have been observed, and consequently they are not mentioned in the descriptions, especially where the pattern was so complex that it was impractical to make enough observations to identify all the soils and miscellaneous areas on the landscape.

The presence of minor components in a map unit in no way diminishes the usefulness or accuracy of the data. The objective of mapping is not to delineate pure taxonomic classes but rather to separate the landscape into landforms or

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landform segments that have similar use and management requirements. The delineation of such segments on the map provides sufficient information for the development of resource plans. If intensive use of small areas is planned, however, onsite investigation is needed to define and locate the soils and miscellaneous areas.

An identifying symbol precedes the map unit name in the map unit descriptions. Each description includes general facts about the unit and gives important soil properties and qualities.

Soils that have profiles that are almost alike make up a *soil series*. Except for differences in texture of the surface layer, all the soils of a series have major horizons that are similar in composition, thickness, and arrangement.

Soils of one series can differ in texture of the surface layer, slope, stoniness, salinity, degree of erosion, and other characteristics that affect their use. On the basis of such differences, a soil series is divided into *soil phases*. Most of the areas shown on the detailed soil maps are phases of soil series. The name of a soil phase commonly indicates a feature that affects use or management. For example, Alpha silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is a phase of the Alpha series.

Some map units are made up of two or more major soils or miscellaneous areas. These map units are complexes, associations, or undifferentiated groups.

A *complex* consists of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas in such an intricate pattern or in such small areas that they cannot be shown separately on the maps. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar in all areas. Alpha-Beta complex, 0 to 6 percent slopes, is an example.

An *association* is made up of two or more geographically associated soils or miscellaneous areas that are shown as one unit on the maps. Because of present or anticipated uses of the map units in the survey area, it was not considered practical or necessary to map the soils or miscellaneous areas separately. The pattern and relative proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar. Alpha-Beta association, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

An *undifferentiated group* is made up of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas that could be mapped individually but are mapped as one unit because similar interpretations can be made for use and management. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas in a mapped area are not uniform. An area can be made up of only one of the major soils or miscellaneous areas, or it can be made up of all of them. Alpha and Beta soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

Some surveys include *miscellaneous areas*. Such areas have little or no soil material and support little or no vegetation. Rock outcrop is an example.

## El Paso County Area, Colorado

### 26—Elbeth sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

*National map unit symbol:* 367y  
*Elevation:* 7,300 to 7,600 feet  
*Farmland classification:* Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Elbeth and similar soils:* 85 percent  
*Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.*

#### Description of Elbeth

##### Setting

*Landform:* Hills  
*Landform position (three-dimensional):* Side slope  
*Down-slope shape:* Linear  
*Across-slope shape:* Linear  
*Parent material:* Alluvium derived from arkose

##### Typical profile

*A - 0 to 3 inches:* sandy loam  
*E - 3 to 23 inches:* loamy sand  
*Bt - 23 to 68 inches:* sandy clay loam  
*C - 68 to 74 inches:* sandy clay loam

##### Properties and qualities

*Slope:* 8 to 15 percent  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Drainage class:* Well drained  
*Runoff class:* Medium  
*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* Moderately high (0.20 to 0.60 in/hr)  
*Depth to water table:* More than 80 inches  
*Frequency of flooding:* None  
*Frequency of ponding:* None  
*Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* Moderate (about 7.1 inches)

##### Interpretive groups

*Land capability classification (irrigated):* None specified  
*Land capability classification (nonirrigated):* 4e  
*Hydrologic Soil Group:* B  
*Ecological site:* F048AY908CO - Mixed Conifer  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Minor Components

##### Pleasant

*Percent of map unit:*  
*Landform:* Depressions  
*Hydric soil rating:* Yes

##### Other soils

*Percent of map unit:*

*Hydric soil rating:* No

## **40—Kettle gravelly loamy sand, 3 to 8 percent slopes**

### **Map Unit Setting**

*National map unit symbol:* 368g  
*Elevation:* 7,000 to 7,700 feet  
*Farmland classification:* Not prime farmland

### **Map Unit Composition**

*Kettle and similar soils:* 85 percent  
*Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.*

### **Description of Kettle**

#### **Setting**

*Landform:* Hills  
*Landform position (three-dimensional):* Side slope  
*Down-slope shape:* Linear  
*Across-slope shape:* Linear  
*Parent material:* Sandy alluvium derived from arkose

#### **Typical profile**

*E - 0 to 16 inches:* gravelly loamy sand  
*Bt - 16 to 40 inches:* gravelly sandy loam  
*C - 40 to 60 inches:* extremely gravelly loamy sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

*Slope:* 3 to 8 percent  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Drainage class:* Somewhat excessively drained  
*Runoff class:* Low  
*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)  
*Depth to water table:* More than 80 inches  
*Frequency of flooding:* None  
*Frequency of ponding:* None  
*Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* Low (about 3.4 inches)

#### **Interpretive groups**

*Land capability classification (irrigated):* None specified  
*Land capability classification (nonirrigated):* 4e  
*Hydrologic Soil Group:* B  
*Ecological site:* F048AY908CO - Mixed Conifer  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

### **Minor Components**

#### **Other soils**

*Percent of map unit:*  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

**Pleasant**

*Percent of map unit:*  
*Landform:* Depressions  
*Hydric soil rating:* Yes

**41—Kettle gravelly loamy sand, 8 to 40 percent slopes**

**Map Unit Setting**

*National map unit symbol:* 368h  
*Elevation:* 7,000 to 7,700 feet  
*Farmland classification:* Not prime farmland

**Map Unit Composition**

*Kettle and similar soils:* 85 percent  
*Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.*

**Description of Kettle**

**Setting**

*Landform:* Hills  
*Landform position (three-dimensional):* Side slope  
*Down-slope shape:* Linear  
*Across-slope shape:* Linear  
*Parent material:* Sandy alluvium derived from arkose

**Typical profile**

*E - 0 to 16 inches:* gravelly loamy sand  
*Bt - 16 to 40 inches:* gravelly sandy loam  
*C - 40 to 60 inches:* extremely gravelly loamy sand

**Properties and qualities**

*Slope:* 8 to 40 percent  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Drainage class:* Somewhat excessively drained  
*Runoff class:* Medium  
*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* High (2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)  
*Depth to water table:* More than 80 inches  
*Frequency of flooding:* None  
*Frequency of ponding:* None  
*Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* Low (about 3.4 inches)

**Interpretive groups**

*Land capability classification (irrigated):* None specified  
*Land capability classification (nonirrigated):* 7e  
*Hydrologic Soil Group:* B  
*Ecological site:* F048AY908CO - Mixed Conifer  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

**Minor Components**

**Pleasant**

*Percent of map unit:*

*Landform:* Depressions

*Hydric soil rating:* Yes

**Other soils**

*Percent of map unit:*

*Hydric soil rating:* No

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**APPENDIX B**  
**HYDROLOGIC CALCULATIONS**

**Table 6-6. Runoff Coefficients for Rational Method**

(Source: UDFCD 2001)

Land Use or Surface Characteristics	Percent Impervious	Runoff Coefficients											
		2-year		5-year		10-year		25-year		50-year		100-year	
		HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D
<b>Business</b>													
Commercial Areas	95	0.79	0.80	0.81	0.82	0.83	0.84	0.85	0.87	0.87	0.88	0.88	0.89
Neighborhood Areas	70	0.45	0.49	0.49	0.53	0.53	0.57	0.58	0.62	0.60	0.65	0.62	0.68
<b>Residential</b>													
1/8 Acre or less	65	0.41	0.45	0.45	0.49	0.49	0.54	0.54	0.59	0.57	0.62	0.59	0.65
1/4 Acre	40	0.23	0.28	0.30	0.35	0.36	0.42	0.42	0.50	0.46	0.54	0.50	0.58
1/3 Acre	30	0.18	0.22	0.25	0.30	0.32	0.38	0.39	0.47	0.43	0.52	0.47	0.57
1/2 Acre	25	0.15	0.20	0.22	0.28	0.30	0.36	0.37	0.46	0.41	0.51	0.46	0.56
1 Acre	20	0.12	0.17	0.20	0.26	0.27	0.34	0.35	0.44	0.40	0.50	0.44	0.55
<b>Industrial</b>													
Light Areas	80	0.57	0.60	0.59	0.63	0.63	0.66	0.66	0.70	0.68	0.72	0.70	0.74
Heavy Areas	90	0.71	0.73	0.73	0.75	0.75	0.77	0.78	0.80	0.80	0.82	0.81	0.83
<b>Parks and Cemeteries</b>													
Parks and Cemeteries	7	0.05	0.09	0.12	0.19	0.20	0.29	0.30	0.40	0.34	0.46	0.39	0.52
Playgrounds	13	0.07	0.13	0.16	0.23	0.24	0.31	0.32	0.42	0.37	0.48	0.41	0.54
Railroad Yard Areas	40	0.23	0.28	0.30	0.35	0.36	0.42	0.42	0.50	0.46	0.54	0.50	0.58
<b>Undeveloped Areas</b>													
Historic Flow Analysis-- Greenbelts, Agriculture	2	0.03	0.05	0.09	0.16	0.17	0.26	0.26	0.38	0.31	0.45	0.36	0.51
Pasture/Meadow	0	0.02	0.04	0.08	0.15	0.15	0.25	0.25	0.37	0.30	0.44	0.35	0.50
Forest	0	0.02	0.04	0.08	0.15	0.15	0.25	0.25	0.37	0.30	0.44	0.35	0.50
Exposed Rock	100	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.92	0.92	0.94	0.94	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.96
Offsite Flow Analysis (when landuse is undefined)	45	0.26	0.31	0.32	0.37	0.38	0.44	0.44	0.51	0.48	0.55	0.51	0.59
<b>Streets</b>													
Paved	100	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.92	0.92	0.94	0.94	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.96
Gravel	80	0.57	0.60	0.59	0.63	0.63	0.66	0.66	0.70	0.68	0.72	0.70	0.74
<b>Drive and Walks</b>													
Drive and Walks	100	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.92	0.92	0.94	0.94	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.96
<b>Roofs</b>													
Roofs	90	0.71	0.73	0.73	0.75	0.75	0.77	0.78	0.80	0.80	0.82	0.81	0.83
<b>Lawns</b>													
Lawns	0	0.02	0.04	0.08	0.15	0.15	0.25	0.25	0.37	0.30	0.44	0.35	0.50

### 3.2 Time of Concentration

One of the basic assumptions underlying the Rational Method is that runoff is a function of the average rainfall rate during the time required for water to flow from the hydraulically most remote part of the drainage area under consideration to the design point. However, in practice, the time of concentration can be an empirical value that results in reasonable and acceptable peak flow calculations.

For urban areas, the time of concentration ( $t_c$ ) consists of an initial time or overland flow time ( $t_i$ ) plus the travel time ( $t_r$ ) in the storm sewer, paved gutter, roadside drainage ditch, or drainage channel. For non-urban areas, the time of concentration consists of an overland flow time ( $t_i$ ) plus the time of travel in a concentrated form, such as a swale or drainageway. The travel portion ( $t_r$ ) of the time of concentration can be estimated from the hydraulic properties of the storm sewer, gutter, swale, ditch, or drainageway. Initial time, on the other hand, will vary with surface slope, depression storage, surface cover, antecedent rainfall, and infiltration capacity of the soil, as well as distance of surface flow. The time of concentration is represented by Equation 6-7 for both urban and non-urban areas.

$$t_c = t_i + t_t \quad (\text{Eq. 6-7})$$

Where:

$t_c$  = time of concentration (min)

$t_i$  = overland (initial) flow time (min)

$t_t$  = travel time in the ditch, channel, gutter, storm sewer, etc. (min)

### 3.2.1 Overland (Initial) Flow Time

The overland flow time,  $t_i$ , may be calculated using Equation 6-8.

$$t_i = \frac{0.395(1.1 - C_5)\sqrt{L}}{S^{0.33}} \quad (\text{Eq. 6-8})$$

Where:

$t_i$  = overland (initial) flow time (min)

$C_5$  = runoff coefficient for 5-year frequency (see Table 6-6)

$L$  = length of overland flow (300 ft maximum for non-urban land uses, 100 ft maximum for urban land uses)

$S$  = average basin slope (ft/ft)

Note that in some urban watersheds, the overland flow time may be very small because flows quickly concentrate and channelize.

### 3.2.2 Travel Time

For catchments with overland and channelized flow, the time of concentration needs to be considered in combination with the travel time,  $t_t$ , which is calculated using the hydraulic properties of the swale, ditch, or channel. For preliminary work, the overland travel time,  $t_t$ , can be estimated with the help of Figure 6-25 or Equation 6-9 (Guo 1999).

$$V = C_v S_w^{0.5} \quad (\text{Eq. 6-9})$$

Where:

$V$  = velocity (ft/s)

$C_v$  = conveyance coefficient (from Table 6-7)

$S_w$  = watercourse slope (ft/ft)

**Table 6-7. Conveyance Coefficient,  $C_v$** 

Type of Land Surface	$C_v$
Heavy meadow	2.5
Tillage/field	5
Riprap (not buried)*	6.5
Short pasture and lawns	7
Nearly bare ground	10
Grassed waterway	15
Paved areas and shallow paved swales	20

\* For buried riprap, select  $C_v$  value based on type of vegetative cover.

The travel time is calculated by dividing the flow distance (in feet) by the velocity calculated using Equation 6-9 and converting units to minutes.

The time of concentration ( $t_c$ ) is then the sum of the overland flow time ( $t_i$ ) and the travel time ( $t_t$ ) per Equation 6-7.

### 3.2.3 First Design Point Time of Concentration in Urban Catchments

Using this procedure, the time of concentration at the first design point (typically the first inlet in the system) in an urbanized catchment should not exceed the time of concentration calculated using Equation 6-10. The first design point is defined as the point where runoff first enters the storm sewer system.

$$t_c = \frac{L}{180} + 10 \quad (\text{Eq. 6-10})$$

Where:

$t_c$  = maximum time of concentration at the first design point in an urban watershed (min)

$L$  = waterway length (ft)

Equation 6-10 was developed using the rainfall-runoff data collected in the Denver region and, in essence, represents regional “calibration” of the Rational Method. Normally, Equation 6-10 will result in a lesser time of concentration at the first design point and will govern in an urbanized watershed. For subsequent design points, the time of concentration is calculated by accumulating the travel times in downstream drainageway reaches.

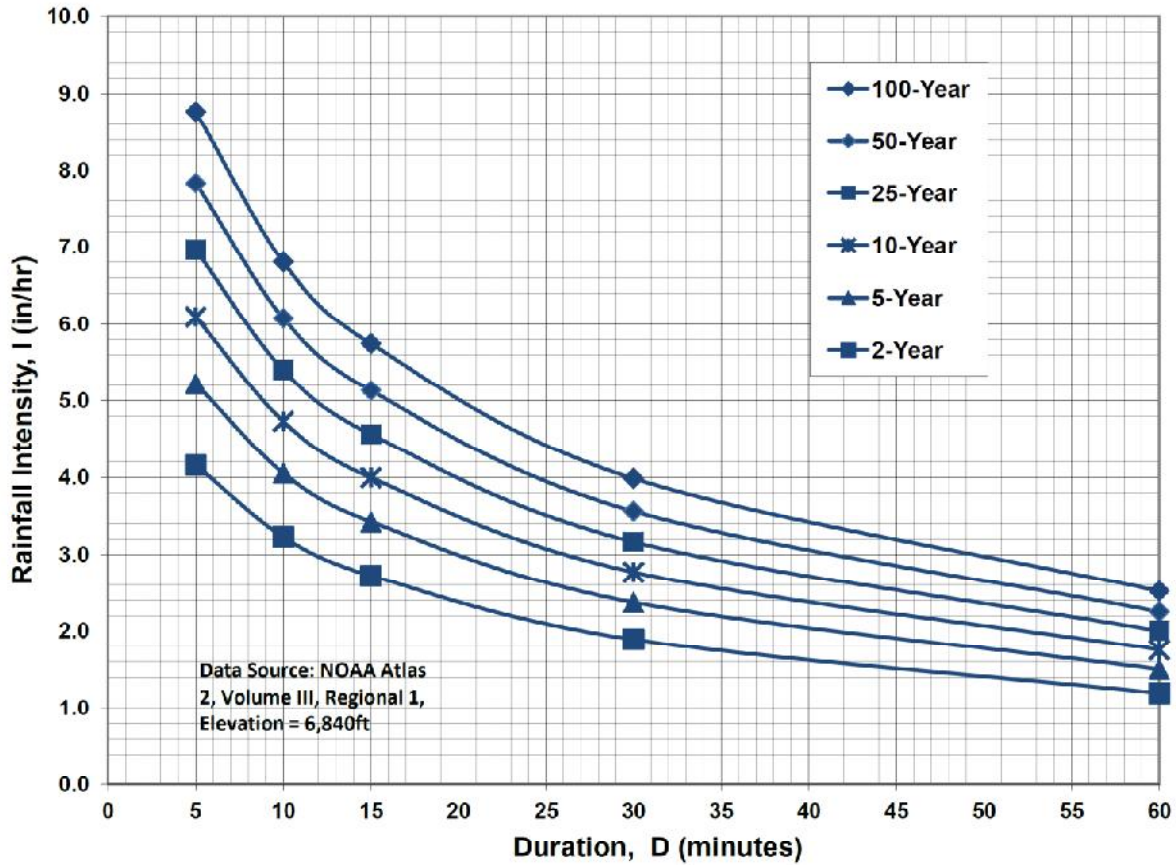
### 3.2.4 Minimum Time of Concentration

If the calculations result in a  $t_c$  of less than 10 minutes for undeveloped conditions, it is recommended that a minimum value of 10 minutes be used. The minimum  $t_c$  for urbanized areas is 5 minutes.

### 3.2.5 Post-Development Time of Concentration

As Equation 6-8 indicates, the time of concentration is a function of the 5-year runoff coefficient for a drainage basin. Typically, higher levels of imperviousness (higher 5-year runoff coefficients) correspond to shorter times of concentration, and lower levels of imperviousness correspond to longer times of

**Figure 6-5. Colorado Springs Rainfall Intensity Duration Frequency**



**IDF Equations**

$$I_{100} = -2.52 \ln(D) + 12.735$$

$$I_{50} = -2.25 \ln(D) + 11.375$$

$$I_{25} = -2.00 \ln(D) + 10.111$$

$$I_{10} = -1.75 \ln(D) + 8.847$$

$$I_5 = -1.50 \ln(D) + 7.583$$

$$I_2 = -1.19 \ln(D) + 6.035$$

Note: Values calculated by equations may not precisely duplicate values read from figure.

McDERMOTT SUBDIVISION FILING NO. 1  
IMPERVIOUS AREA CALCULATIONS

IMPERVIOUS AREAS - TYPICAL 5-ACRE RURAL RESIDENTIAL LOTS - FOR REFERENCE ONLY											
BASIN	TOTAL AREA (AC)	AREA (%)	SUB-AREA 1 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	AREA (%)	SUB-AREA 2 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	AREA (%)	SUB-AREA 3 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	WEIGHTED % IMP
5-ACRE LOTS	5.00	7.00	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	100.00	93.00	MEADOW/FOREST	0				7.000
BASIN	TOTAL AREA (AC)	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 1 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 2 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 3 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	WEIGHTED % IMP
5-ACRE LOTS	5.00	0.35	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	100.00	4.65	MEADOW/FOREST	0				7.000

\* PRESUMPTIVE IMPERVIOUS VALUE FOR 5-ACRE LOTS IS 7.0% PER EL PASO COUNTY DRAINAGE BASIN FEE ADDENDUM DATED 6/21/01

EXISTING CONDITIONS IMPERVIOUS AREAS - McDERMOTT SUBDIVISION											
BASIN	TOTAL AREA (AC)	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 1 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 2 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 3 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	WEIGHTED % IMP
M	12.98	0.50	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	100	12.48	MEADOW/FOREST	0				3.852
N	16.62	0.20	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	100	16.42	MEADOW/FOREST	0				1.203
M,N	29.60										2.365

DEVELOPED CONDITIONS IMPERVIOUS AREAS - McDERMOTT SUBDIVISION

BASIN	TOTAL AREA (AC)	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 1 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 2 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 3 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	PERCENT IMPERVIOUS	WEIGHTED % IMP
M	12.98	0.70	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	100	12.28	MEADOW/FOREST	0				5.393
N	16.62	0.50	BUILDING / ASPHALT	100	0.24	GRAVEL DVWY	80	15.88	LANDSCAPED	0	4.164
M,N	29.60										4.703

DEVELOPED CONDITIONS IMPERVIOUS AREAS - McDERMOTT SUBDIVISION

NET INCREASE	29.60										2.338
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McDERMOTT SUBDIVISION  
COMPOSITE RUNOFF COEFFICIENTS

EXISTING CONDITIONS

5-YEAR C-VALUES										
BASIN	TOTAL AREA (AC)	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 1 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	C	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 2 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	C	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 3 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	WEIGHTED C-VALUE
M	12.98	0.50	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	0.900	12.48	MEADOW	0.08			0.112
N	16.62	0.20	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	0.900	16.42	MEADOW	0.08			0.090
M,N	29.60									0.099

100-YEAR C-VALUES

BASIN	TOTAL AREA (AC)	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 1 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	C	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 2 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	C	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 3 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	WEIGHTED C-VALUE
M	12.98	0.50	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	0.960	12.48	MEADOW	0.35			0.373
N	16.62	0.20	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	0.960	16.42	MEADOW	0.35			0.357
M,N	29.60									0.364

DEVELOPED CONDITIONS

5-YEAR C-VALUES										
BASIN	TOTAL AREA (AC)	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 1 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	C	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 2 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	C	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 3 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	WEIGHTED C-VALUE
M	12.98	0.70	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	0.900	12.28	MEADOW/FORREST	0.08			0.124
N	16.62	0.50	BUILDING / ASPHALT	0.9	0.24	GRAVEL DVWY	0.59	15.88	MEADOW	0.112
M,N	29.60									0.117

100-YEAR C-VALUES

BASIN	TOTAL AREA (AC)	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 1 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	C	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 2 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	C	AREA (AC)	SUB-AREA 3 DEVELOPMENT/ COVER	WEIGHTED C-VALUE
M	12.98	0.70	BUILDING / PAVEMENT	0.960	12.28	MEADOW/FORREST	0.35			0.383
N	16.62	0.50	BUILDING / ASPHALT	0.96	0.24	GRAVEL DVWY	0.7	15.88	MEADOW	0.373
M,N	29.60									0.378



McDERMOTT SUBDIVISION FILING NO. 1  
RATIONAL METHOD

EXISTING CONDITIONS FLOWS

BASIN	DESIGN POINT	AREA (AC)	C		Overland Flow			Channel flow					TOTAL		INTENSITY <sup>(5)</sup>		PEAK FLOW	
			5-YEAR	100-YEAR	LENGTH (FT)	SLOPE (FT/FT)	T <sub>CO</sub> <sup>(1)</sup> (MIN)	CHANNEL LENGTH (FT)	CONVEYANCE COEFFICIENT C	SLOPE (FT/FT)	SCS <sup>(2)</sup> VELOCITY (FT/S)	T <sub>t</sub> <sup>(3)</sup> (MIN)	T <sub>c</sub> <sup>(4)</sup> (MIN)	5-YR (IN/HR)	100-YR (IN/HR)	Q5 <sup>(6)</sup> (CFS)	Q100 <sup>(6)</sup> (CFS)	
M	1	12.98	0.112	0.373	100	0.100	8.4	800	15	0.048	3.29	4.1	12.5	3.80	6.38	5.52	30.88	
N	2	16.62	0.090	0.357	100	0.060	10.2	700	15	0.077	4.16	2.8	13.0	3.74	6.27	5.59	37.23	
M,N		29.60	0.099	0.364									13.0	3.74	6.27	10.95	67.60	

DEVELOPED FLOWS

BASIN	DESIGN POINT	AREA (AC)	C		Overland Flow			Channel flow					TOTAL		INTENSITY <sup>(5)</sup>		PEAK FLOW	
			5-YEAR	100-YEAR	LENGTH (FT)	SLOPE (FT/FT)	T <sub>CO</sub> <sup>(1)</sup> (MIN)	CHANNEL LENGTH (FT)	CONVEYANCE COEFFICIENT C	SLOPE (FT/FT)	SCS <sup>(2)</sup> VELOCITY (FT/S)	T <sub>t</sub> <sup>(3)</sup> (MIN)	T <sub>c</sub> <sup>(4)</sup> (MIN)	5-YR (IN/HR)	100-YR (IN/HR)	Q5 <sup>(6)</sup> (CFS)	Q100 <sup>(6)</sup> (CFS)	
M	1	12.98	0.124	0.383	100	0.100	8.3	800	15	0.048	3.29	4.1	12.4	3.81	6.40	6.14	31.81	
N	2	16.62	0.112	0.373	100	0.060	10.0	700	15	0.077	4.16	2.8	12.8	3.76	6.32	7.01	39.17	
M,N		29.60	0.117	0.378									12.8	3.76	6.32	13.03	70.69	

1) OVERLAND FLOW T<sub>CO</sub> = (0.395\*(1.1-RUNOFF COEFFICIENT)\*(OVERLAND FLOW LENGTH<sup>(0.5))/(SLOPE<sup>(0.333))</sup>)</sup>

2) SCS VELOCITY = C \* ((SLOPE(FT/FT)<sup>0.5</sup>)

C = 2.5 FOR HEAVY MEADOW

C = 5 FOR TILLAGE/FIELD

C = 7 FOR SHORT PASTURE AND LAWNS

C = 10 FOR NEARLY BARE GROUND

C = 15 FOR GRASSED WATERWAY

C = 20 FOR PAVED AREAS AND SHALLOW PAVED SWALES

3) MANNING'S CHANNEL TRAVEL TIME = LV (WHEN CHANNEL VELOCITY IS KNOWN)

4) T<sub>c</sub> = T<sub>CO</sub> + T<sub>t</sub>

\*\*\* IF TOTAL TIME OF CONCENTRATION IS LESS THAN 5 MINUTES, THEN 5 MINUTES IS USED

5) INTENSITY BASED ON I-D-F EQUATIONS IN CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS DRAINAGE CRITERIA MANUAL

$$I_5 = -1.5 * \ln(Tc) + 7.583$$

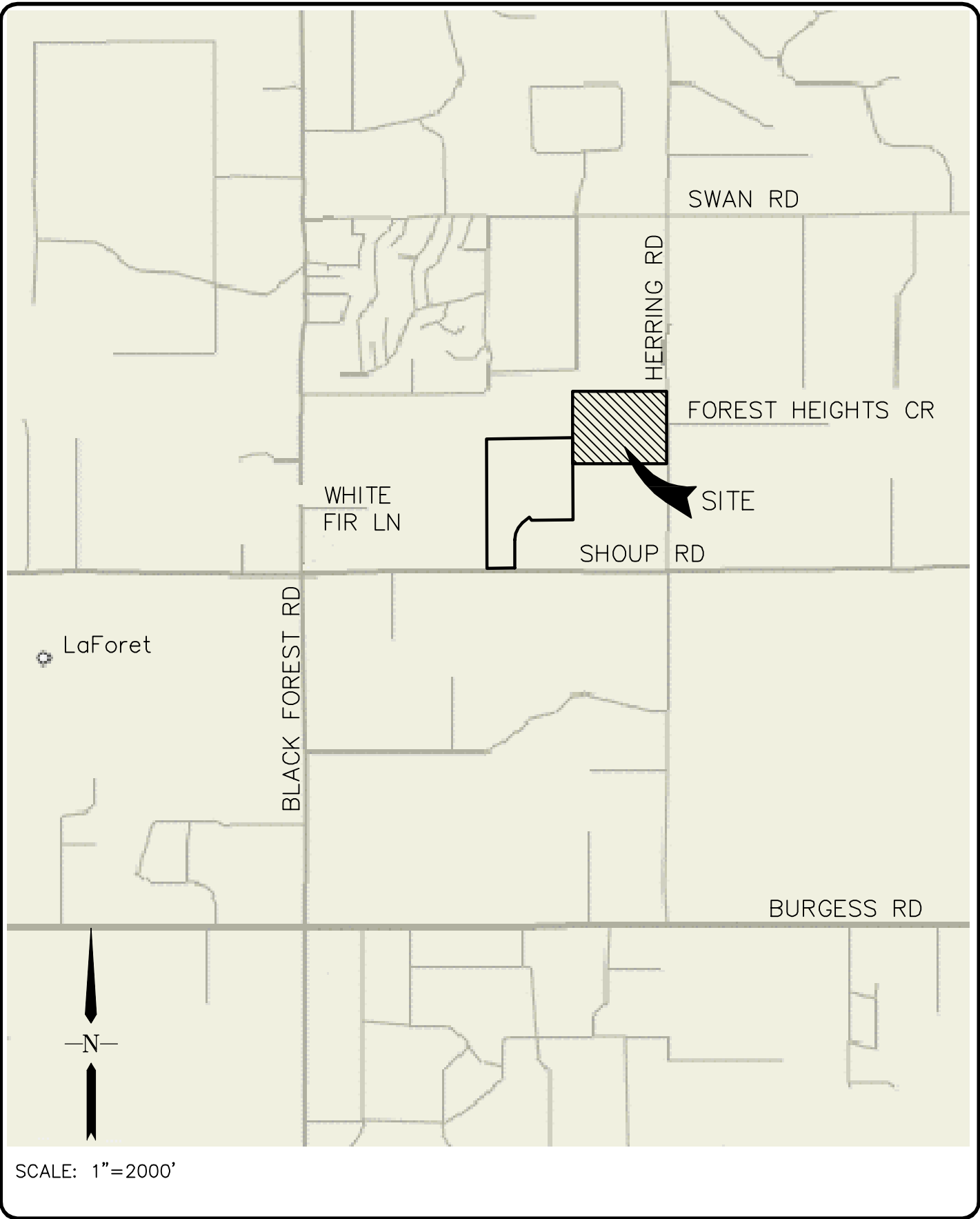
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6) Q = CIA

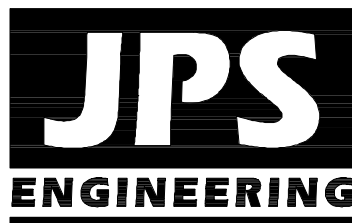
## **APPENDIX C**

### **FIGURES**

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VICINITY MAP



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**FIGURE A1**  
JPS PROJ NO. 012201

# National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette



104°41'22"W 39°1'22"N



0 250 500 1,000 1,500 2,000 Feet 1:6,000

Basemap: USGS National Map: Orthoimagery: Data refreshed October, 2020

## Legend

SEE FIS REPORT FOR DETAILED LEGEND AND INDEX MAP FOR FIRM PANEL LAYOUT

SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS		Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) Zone A, V, A99
		With BFE or Depth Zone AE, AO, AH, VE, AR
		Regulatory Floodway

OTHER AREAS OF FLOOD HAZARD		0.2% Annual Chance Flood Hazard, Areas of 1% annual chance flood with average depth less than one foot or with drainage areas of less than one square mile Zone X
		Future Conditions 1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard Zone X
		Area with Reduced Flood Risk due to Levee. See Notes. Zone X
		Area with Flood Risk due to Levee Zone D

OTHER AREAS		NO SCREEN Area of Minimal Flood Hazard Zone X
		Effective LOMRs
		Area of Undetermined Flood Hazard Zone D

GENERAL STRUCTURES		Channel, Culvert, or Storm Sewer
		Levee, Dike, or Floodwall

OTHER FEATURES		20.2 Cross Sections with 1% Annual Chance
		17.5 Water Surface Elevation
		Coastal Transect
		Base Flood Elevation Line (BFE)
		Limit of Study
		Jurisdiction Boundary
		Coastal Transect Baseline
		Profile Baseline
		Hydrographic Feature

MAP PANELS		Digital Data Available
		No Digital Data Available
		Unmapped



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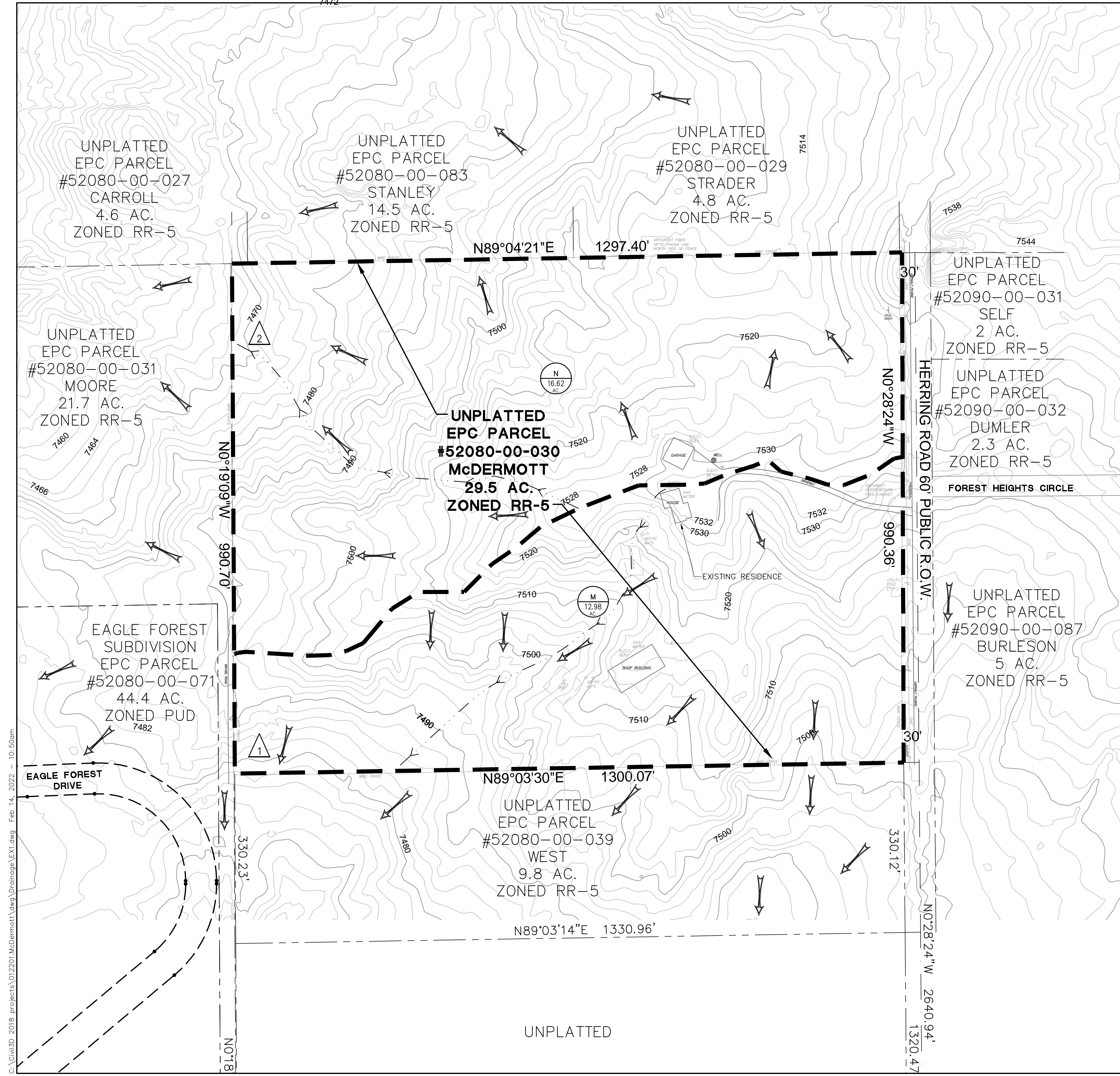
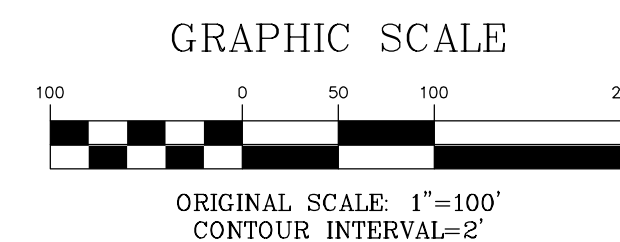
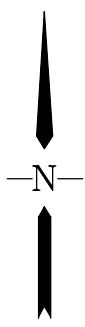
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LEGEND

- FILING LIMITS
- MAJOR BASIN BOUNDARY
- 6520 EXISTING CONTOUR
- DRAINAGE SWALE
- FLOW DIRECTION ARROW
- DESIGN POINT
- BASIN DESIGNATION
- BASIN AREA (ACRES)

SUMMARY HYDROLOGY TABLE		
DESIGN POINT	Q <sub>5</sub> (CFS)	Q <sub>100</sub> (CFS)
1	5.5	30.9
2	5.6	37.2



**McDERMOTT SUBDIVISION**

**EXISTING CONDITIONS  
DRAINAGE PLAN**

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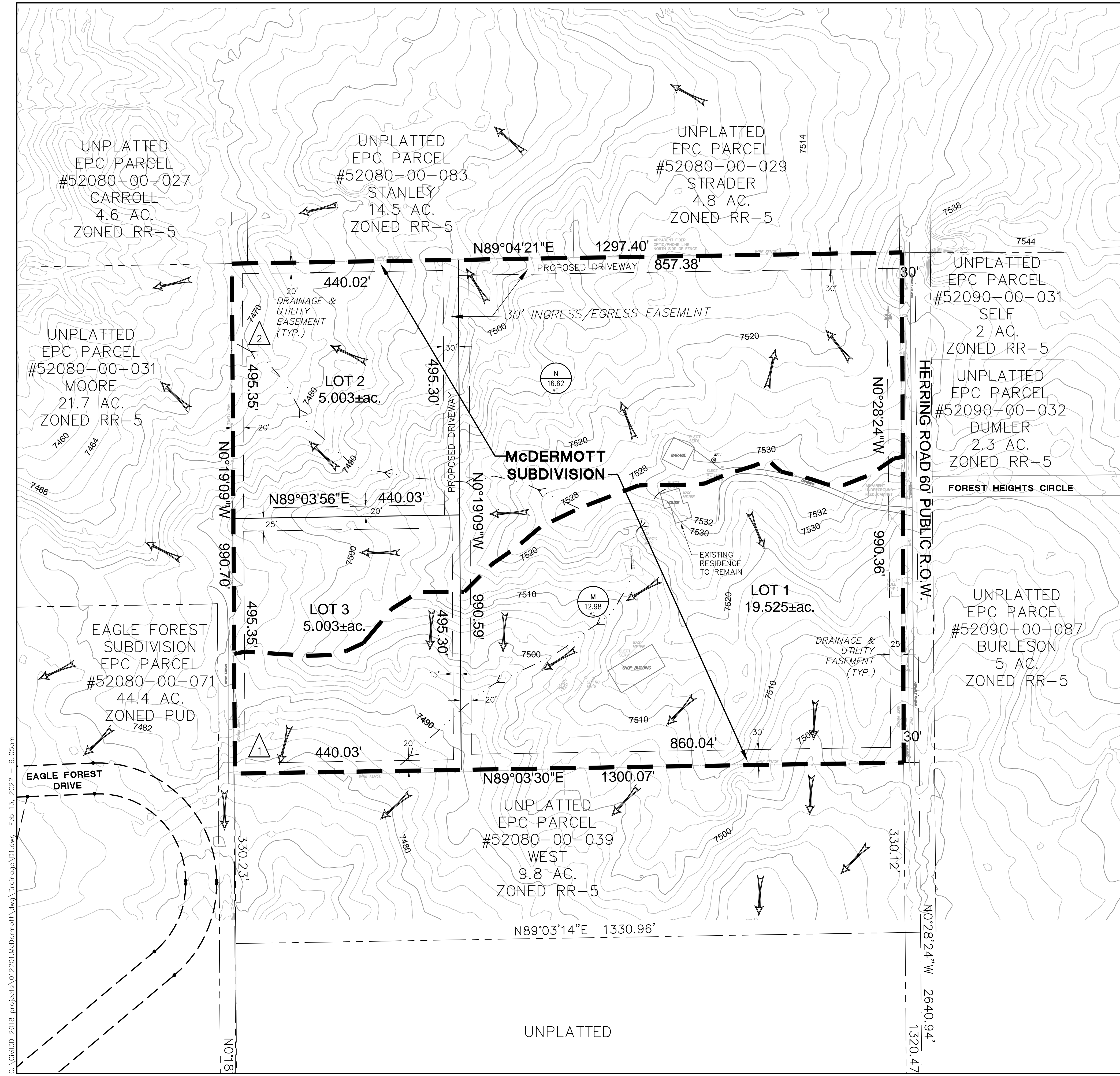


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DESIGN POINT	Q <sub>5</sub> (CFS)	Q <sub>100</sub> (CFS)
1	6.1	31.8
2	7.0	39.2

Per ECM 3.3.4.A, drainage easement dimensions need to be determined by engineer for natural drainage swales that convey over 15 cfs. Determine where drainage easements are required for swales that convey more than 15 cfs.



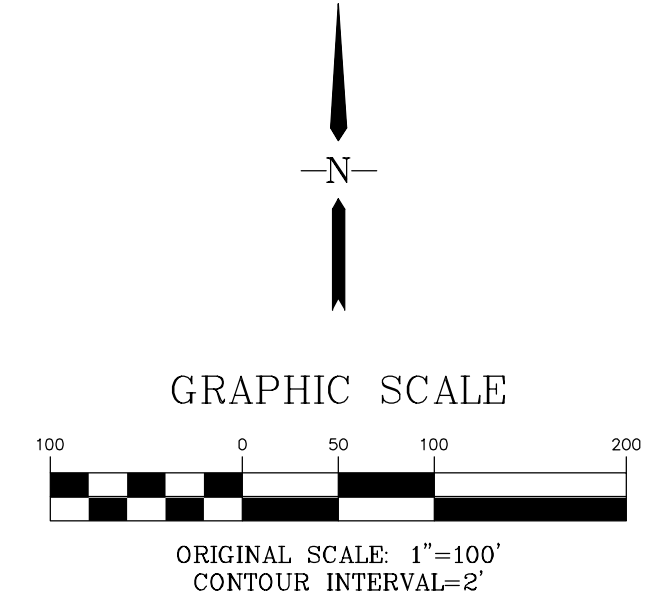
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