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Attn: Charles K. Cothorn

Re: Geologic Hazard Addendum
Springs at Waterview East
South Powers and Bradley Road
Colorado Springs, Colorado

Ref: Entech Engineering, Inc., Revised February 8, 2019. *Soils, Geology and Geologic Hazard, Springs at Waterview East, South Powers Boulevard and Bradley Road, El Paso County, Colorado.* Entech Job No. 170039

Dear Mr. Cothorn:

A Soils, Geology and Geologic Hazard Study was prepared by Entech Engineering, Inc., Revised Date February 8, 2019, for the above referenced site. This addendum is in response to the Colorado Geological Survey (CGS) review letter dated March 20, 2019, CGS Unique No. EP-18-0011_4 and is included in Appendix A.

CGS recommended additional investigation on the site in areas where significant cuts are proposed. Entech has recently drilled additional borings at the site. The Summary of Laboratory Test Results, Test Boring Location Maps and Test Boring Logs are included in Appendices B and C. Soils encountered in these borings consisted of predominantly clay soils with underlying claystone and shale. The bedrock underlying the site is the Pierre Shale Formation of Cretaceous Age, which typically has a moderate to high expansion potential.

Based on the additional subsurface information, it is anticipated claystone or clay soils will be exposed in the majority of cuts proposed on the site. These soils have the potential for moderate to high expansion potential. Mitigation of the expansive soils will be required for the majority of the site. Specific recommendations for foundations and construction will be provided in the Subsurface Soil Investigations after additional investigation is performed for the different phases of the development prior to construction.

We trust this has provided you with the information you required. If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully Submitted,

ENTECH ENGINEERING, INC.



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AA Projects/2017/170039 geohaz addendum

Reviewed by:



Joseph C. Goode, Jr.
President



**APPENDIX A: Colorado Geological Survey Review Letter, dated
March 20, 2019, CGS Unique No. EP18-0011_4**

COLORADO GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

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Karen Berry
State Geologist

March 20, 2019

Nina Ruiz
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Location:
W½ Section 9,
T15S, R65W of the 6th P.M.
38.7562, -104.6777

Subject: Trails at Aspen Ridge PUDSP191 (previously reviewed as Springs East at Waterview SP-17-010) El Paso County, CO; CGS Unique No. EP-18-0011 4

Dear Ms. Ruiz:

Colorado Geological Survey has reviewed the Trails at Aspen Ridge combined PUD/preliminary plan referral. I understand the applicant currently proposes 516 SF residential lots on 118 acres located southeast of S. Powers Blvd. and Bradley Road, east of Security-Widefield.

The available referral documents include:

- Trails at Aspen Ridge Letter of Intent (February 13, 2019),
- Soil, Geology, and Geologic Hazard, Springs at Waterview East (Entech Engineering, Inc., revised February 8, 2019),
- Set of ten Trails at Aspen Ridge Grading and Erosion Control Plans (Matrix Design Group/Stantec, February 2019),
- and other documents.

CGS previously reviewed the Springs East at Waterview development, and two previous versions of Entech's Soil, Geology, and Geologic Hazard report (4/25/2017 and 2/21/2018). Entech's revised (2/8/2019) report contains an updated lot layout but is otherwise unchanged from the 2/21/2018 version.

Entech's ten borings were drilled to a depth of 20 feet. The Trails at Aspen Ridge Grading and Erosion Control Plans indicate that significant cuts and fills are planned. Cuts of approximately 15 feet are proposed in the area of Entech's borings TB-1 in the in the northeastern area of the site, and TB-5, in the southwestern area of the site, so Entech's borings extend only five feet below proposed grade in these areas, and do not extend to sufficient depths to provide meaningful information about soil and bedrock engineering properties and groundwater levels.

As noted in CGS's 11/28/2017 review letter, **additional investigation, sampling, testing and analysis are needed in proposed cut areas, based on the project grading plans**, to characterize subsurface conditions, determine depth and extent of overexcavation, if overexcavation is planned to reduce the use of drilled pier foundations, and to determine basement feasibility where Entech's borings did not extend to sufficient depth below planned basement floor and foundation bearing depths.

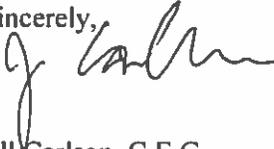
Entech states (page 7) "Overexcavation depths of 4 to 6 feet are anticipated for the site." This means 4 to 6 feet below foundation bearing elevations. For a development of the proposed density, overexcavation should

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be performed over the entire area within a specific construction phase determined to require overexcavation, at the grading phase of development, before wet utilities are installed. In areas of expansive soils, significant cuts and/or shallow claystone bedrock, roads will require overexcavation as well.

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on this project. If you have questions or require additional review, please call me at (303) 384-2643, or e-mail carlson@mines.edu.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jill Carlson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and "C".

Jill Carlson, C.E.G.
Engineering Geologist

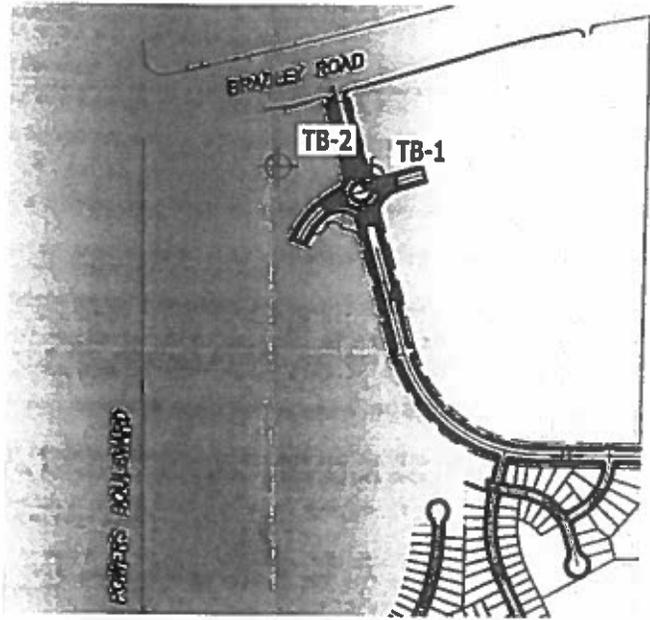
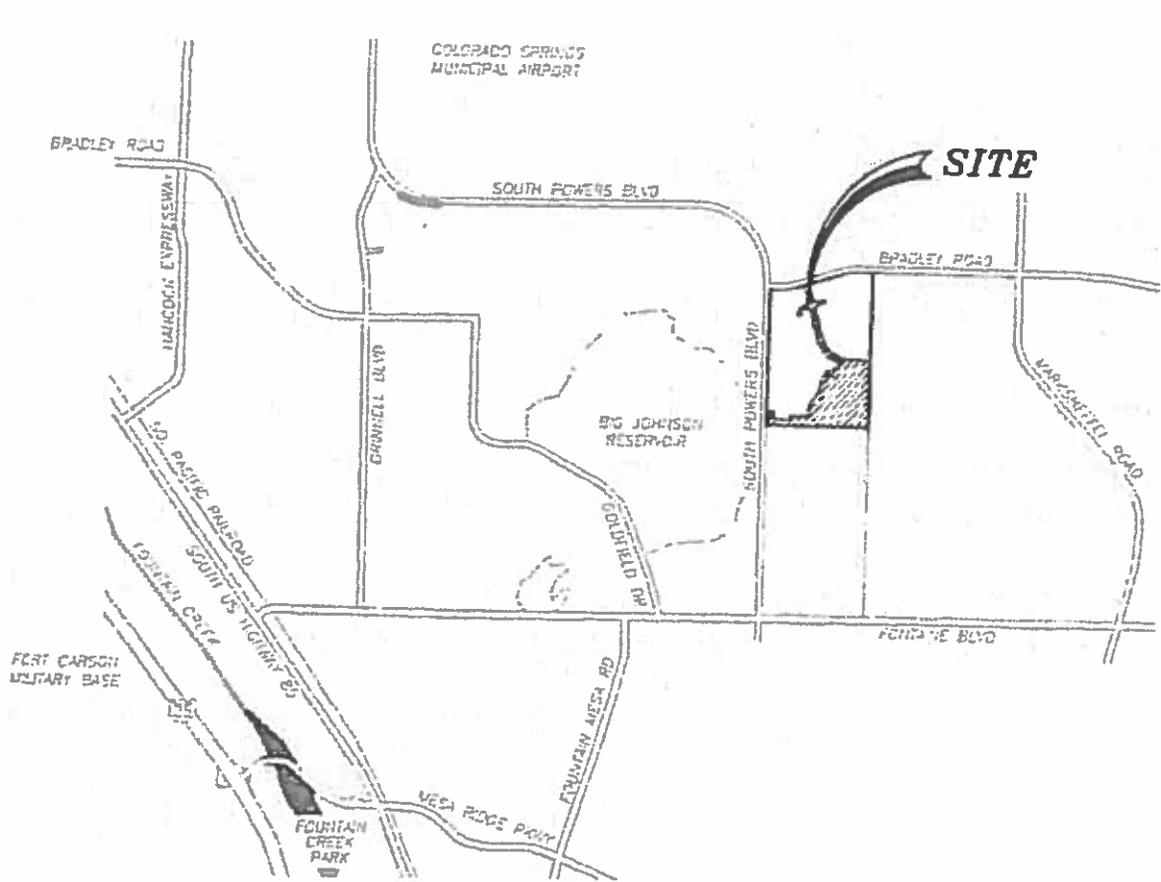
**APPENDIX B: Laboratory Test Results and Test Boring Logs,
Entech Job No. 190161**

TABLE 1
SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

CLIENT COLA, LLC
 PROJECT TRAILS AT ASPEN RIDGE
 JOB NO. 190161

SOIL TYPE	TEST BORING NO.	DEPTH (FT)	WATER (%)	DRY DENSITY (PCF)	PASSING NO. 200 SIEVE (%)	LIQUID LIMIT (%)	PLASTIC INDEX (%)	SULFATE (WT %)	FHA SWELL (PSF)	SWELL/CONSOL (%)	UNIFIED CLASSIFICATION	SOIL DESCRIPTION
1	2	5			34.4						SM	SAND, SILTY
2	1	2-3			67.3	27	13				CL	CLAY, SANDY
2	1	10	33.1	103.3	90.0	44	26			0.3	CL	CLAY, SANDY
2	2	30			61.6						CL	CLAY, VERY SANDY
3	1	20	23.2	102.6	95.5	32	13			0.9	CL	CLAYSTONE, SANDY

FIGURE



⊕ TB-2- APPROXIMATE TEST BORING LOCATION AND NUMBER



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<i>VICINITY MAP/TEST BORING LOCATION PLAN</i>			
<i>LEGACY DRIVE - BORROW SITE</i>			
<i>EL PASO COUNTY, CO</i>			
<i>FOR: COLA, LLC</i>			
DRAWN BY: SCC	DATE DRAWN: 02/21/19	DESIGNED BY: SCC	CHECKED: SCC

JOB NO.:
190161
FIG. NO.:
1

APPENDIX A: Test Boring Logs

TEST BORING NO. 1
 DATE DRILLED 2/8/2019
 Job # 190161

TEST BORING NO. 2
 DATE DRILLED 2/8/2019
 CLIENT COLA, LLC
 LOCATION TRAILS AT ASPEN RIDGE

REMARKS

WATER @ 15', 2/8/19
 CLAY, SANDY, TAN TO RED
 BROWN, FIRM, MOIST

HIGHLY WEATHERED CLAYSTONE,
 GRAY BROWN, VERY STIFF,
 MOIST

Depth (ft)	Symbol	Samples	Blows per foot	Watercontent %	Soil Type
5	[Symbol]		14	7.3	2
5	[Symbol]		8	14.0	2
10	[Symbol]		12	21.3	2
15	[Symbol]		11	11.1	2
20	[Symbol]		34	19.6	3

REMARKS

DRY TO 30', 2/8/19
 SAND, SILTY, FINE GRAINED,
 LIGHT BROWN, LOOSE TO MEDIUM
 DENSE, MOIST

CLAYEY LENSES

CLAY, SANDY, RED BROWN,
 STIFF, MOIST

Depth (ft)	Symbol	Samples	Blows per foot	Watercontent %	Soil Type
5	[Symbol]		15	7.2	1
5	[Symbol]		10	6.1	1
10	[Symbol]		9	3.1	1
15	[Symbol]		17	3.0	1
20	[Symbol]		13	4.5	1
25	[Symbol]		29	10.9	1
30	[Symbol]		16	15.5	2



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TEST BORING LOG

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DATE

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DATE: 2/21/19

JOB NO:
 190161

FIG NO:
 A-1

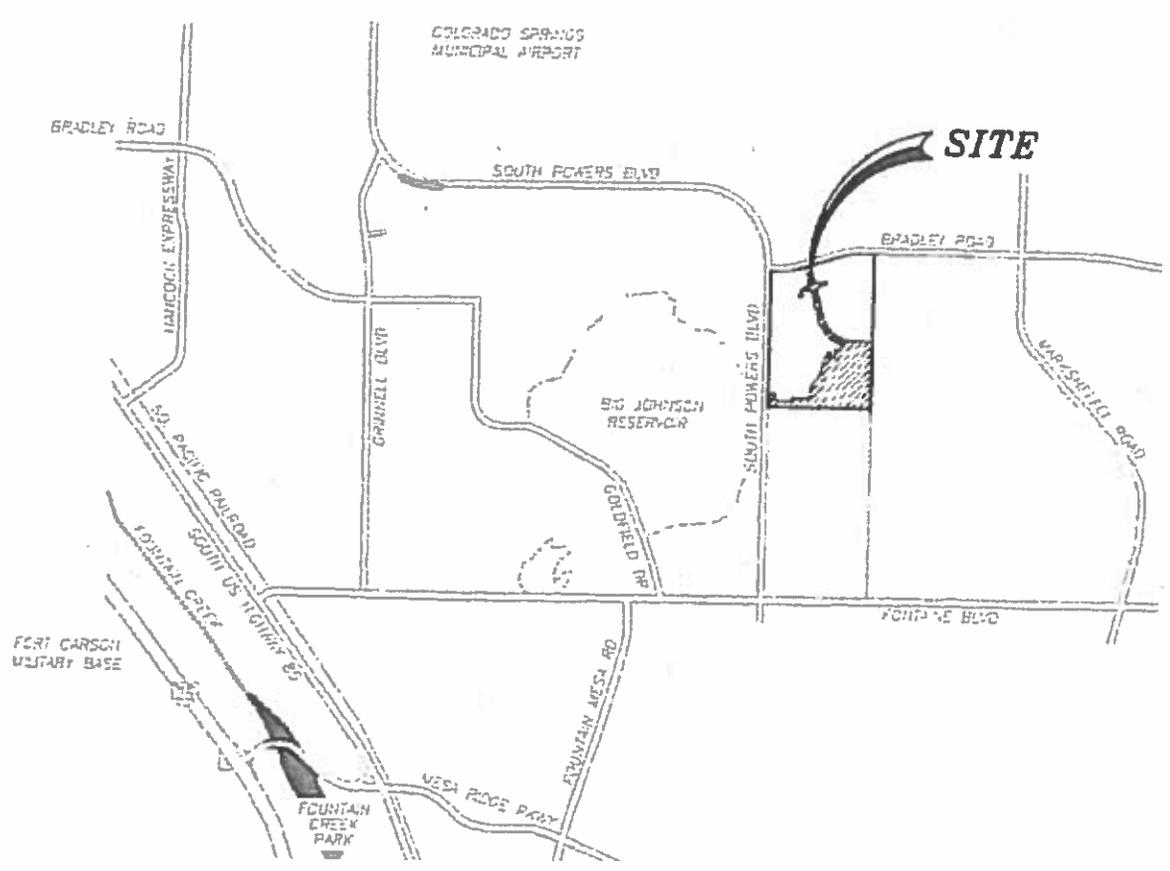
**APPENDIX C: Laboratory Test Results and Test Boring Logs,
Entech Job No. 190162**

TABLE 1
SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

CLIENT COLA, LLC
 PROJECT TRAILS AT ASPEN RIDGE
 JOB NO. 190162

SOIL TYPE	TEST BORING NO.	DEPTH (FT)	WATER (%)	DRY DENSITY (PCF)	PASSING NO. 200 SIEVE (%)	LIQUID LIMIT (%)	PLASTIC INDEX (%)	SULFATE (WT %)	FHA SWELL (PSF)	SWELL/CONSOL (%)	UNIFIED CLASSIFICATION	SOIL DESCRIPTION
1	1	2-3	13.3	103.0	91.8	39	19	<0.01		1.5	CL	CLAY, SANDY
1	2	2-3			95.6				1420		CL	CLAY, SANDY
2	1	10	15.8	107.2	97.3			0.24		1.2	CL	CLAYSTONE, SANDY
2	2	15	15.8	113.9	97.9	56	36			3.1	CH	CLAYSTONE, SANDY
3	1	20			93.5			0.15			CL	SHALE

FIGURES

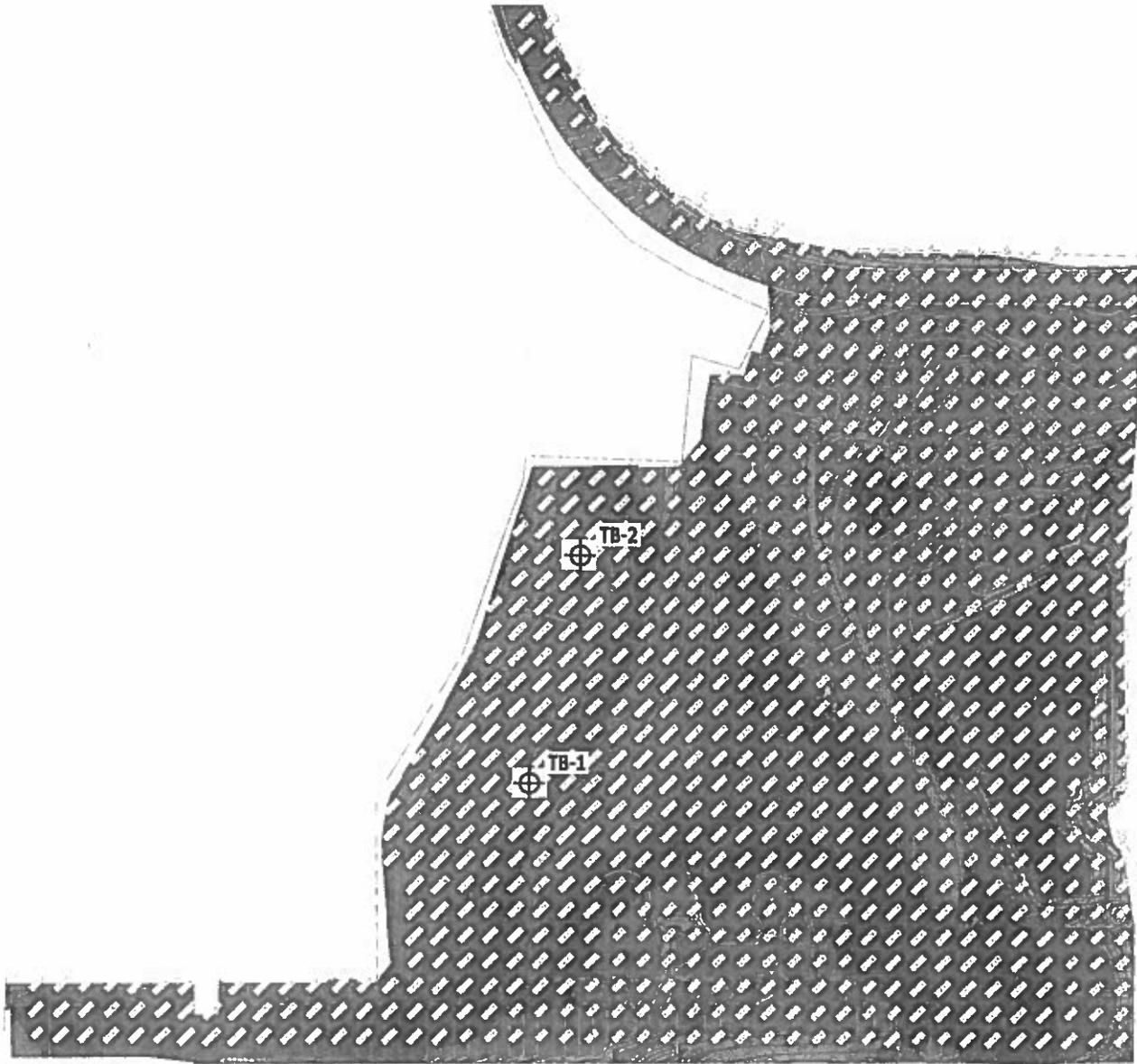


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VICINITY MAP
TRAILS AT ASPEN RIDGE-BORROW SITE
EL PASO COUNTY, CO
FOR: COLA, LLC

DRAWN BY: SCC	DATE DRAWN: 02/25/19	DESIGNED BY: SCC	CHECKED: SCC
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JOB NO.:
190162
FIG. NO.:
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 TB-2- APPROXIMATE TEST BORING LOCATION AND NUMBER



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*TEST BORING LOCATION MAP
TRAILS AT ASPEN RIDGE-BORROW SITE
EL PASO COUNTY, CO
FOR: COLA, LLC*

DRAWN BY:
SCC

DATE DRAWN:
02/25/19

DESIGNED BY:
SCC

CHECKED:
SCC

JOB NO.:
190162
FIG. NO.:

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APPENDIX A: Test Boring Logs

TEST BORING NO. 1
 DATE DRILLED 2/11/2019
 Job # 190162

TEST BORING NO. 2
 DATE DRILLED 2/11/2019
 CLIENT COLA, LLC
 LOCATION TRAILS AT ASPEN RIDGE

REMARKS

REMARKS

DRY TO 20', 2/11/19

0.5' TOPSOIL, CLAY, SANDY,
 TAN, STIFF, MOIST

WEATHERED TO FORMATIONAL
 CLAYSTONE, SANDY, TAN,
 VERY STIFF TO HARD, MOIST

SHALE, GRAY BROWN, HARD,
 MOIST

Depth (ft)	Symbol	Samples	Blows per foot	Watercontent %	Soil Type
0-5			24	10.1	1
5-10			45	11.3	2
10-15			50 9"	15.0	2
15-20			50 9"	13.1	2
20-22			50 2"	9.5	3

DRY TO 30', 2/11/19

0.5' TOPSOIL, CLAY, SANDY,
 TAN, STIFF, MOIST

WEATHERED TO FORMATIONAL
 CLAYSTONE, SANDY, GRAY
 BROWN, VERY STIFF TO HARD,
 MOIST

SHALE, GRAY BROWN, HARD,
 MOIST

Depth (ft)	Symbol	Samples	Blows per foot	Watercontent %	Soil Type
0-5			20	13.5	1
5-10			28	15.2	1
10-15			47	16.3	2
15-20			40	17.6	2
20-25			47	17.0	2
25-30			50 7"	13.6	2
30-32			50 2"	9.6	3



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TEST BORING LOG

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DATE

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DATE: *2/22/19*

JOB NO.:
 190162

FIG NO.:
 A-1