



STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

- 1. Applicant's name: Dominion
- 2. Evaluator's name: EST-K. Murphy
- 3. Date of evaluation: 8/19/14
- 4. Time of evaluation: 3:00
- 5. Name of stream: UNT to Juniper Run
- 6. River basin: CAPE FEAR
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 2 acres
- 8. Stream order: 0
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 50ft
- 10. County: SAMSON
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): NA

Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.29219 Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.53056

Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____

- 13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
located south of Godwin Lake Road
- 14. Proposed channel work (if any): TBD
- 15. Recent weather conditions: SUNNY
- 16. Site conditions at time of visit: undisturbed

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat
 Trout Waters Outstanding Resource Waters Nutrient Sensitive Waters Water Supply Watershed (I-IV)

18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: _____

- 19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO
- 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO
- 21. Estimated watershed land use: % Residential % Commercial % Industrial 90 % Agricultural
 % Forested % Cleared / Logged % Other (_____)

22. Bankfull width: 8 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 5

24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) Moderate (4 to 10%) Steep (>10%)

25. Channel sinuosity: Straight Occasional bends Frequent meander Very sinuous Braided channel

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Total Score (from reverse): 18 Comments: _____

Evaluator's Signature: Kurt Campbell Date: 8/19/14

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| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|-------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 5 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 1 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 0 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | 1 |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 4 |
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| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 4 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 0 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | 1 |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 18 |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

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SSAO003

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|---|---|--------------------------------|
| Date: 8/19/14 | Project/Site: SERP | Latitude: 35,29219 |
| Evaluator: EST-K. MURPHY | County: SAMPSON | Longitude: -78,53056 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if ≥ 30 11.5 | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent Perennial | Other: DUNN e.g. Quad Name: |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 4)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|------|----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 4.5)

| | | | | |
|--|--------|-----|---------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | 1 | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

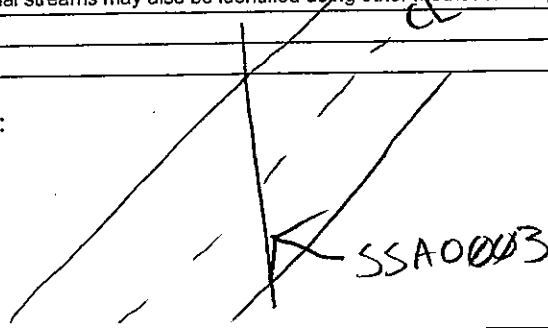
C. Biology (Subtotal = 3)

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|---|----------------------------------|-----|---|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = 0 | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes:

Sketch:



OHWM width: 3 ft.

Bank width: 8 ft.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao003 facing upstream south.



Waterbody ssao003 facing downstream north.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao003 facing east across channel.

USACE AID# _____

DWQ# _____

Site # _____ (indicate on attached map)
SSA 002



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- 1. Applicant's name: DOMINION
- 2. Evaluator's name: EST-K. MURPHY
- 3. Date of evaluation: 8/19/14
- 4. Time of evaluation: 9:00 AM
- 5. Name of stream: UNT to TWINER RUN
- 6. River basin: CAPE FEAR
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 20AC
- 8. Stream order: 1
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 30 FE
- 10. County: SAMPSON
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): NA

Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.27980 Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.54931

Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Orho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____

13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
located North of Green Path Road.

- 14. Proposed channel work (if any): TBD
- 15. Recent weather conditions: SUNNY
- 16. Site conditions at time of visit: undisturbed

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: _____ Section 10 _____ Tidal Waters _____ Essential Fisheries Habitat
_____ Trout Waters _____ Outstanding Resource Waters _____ Nutrient Sensitive Waters _____ Water Supply Watershed _____ (I-IV)

18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: _____

19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO

21. Estimated watershed land use: _____ % Residential _____ % Commercial _____ % Industrial 30 % Agricultural
70 % Forested _____ % Cleared / Logged _____ % Other (_____)

22. Bankfull width: 7 ft. 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 1 ft.

24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) _____ Moderate (4 to 10%) _____ Steep (>10%)

25. Channel sinuosity: _____ Straight Occasional bends _____ Frequent meander _____ Very sinuous _____ Braided channel

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Total Score (from reverse): 61 Comments: _____

Evaluator's Signature Kevin Murphy Date 8/19/14

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| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 5 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 3 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 4 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 5 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 2 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | — |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
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| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 1 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | — |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 3 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 61 |

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SSA0002

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| Date: 8/19/14 | Project/Site: SERP | Latitude: 35.27980 |
| Evaluator: ESI-K. Murphy | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.54931 |
| Total Points: 34.5 <i>Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if ≥ 30*</i> | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent <input type="checkbox"/> Perennial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Other: Dunn e.g. Quad Name: |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 17)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|----------|------|----------|--------|
| 1 ^a Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = (0) | | Yes = 3 | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 10.5)

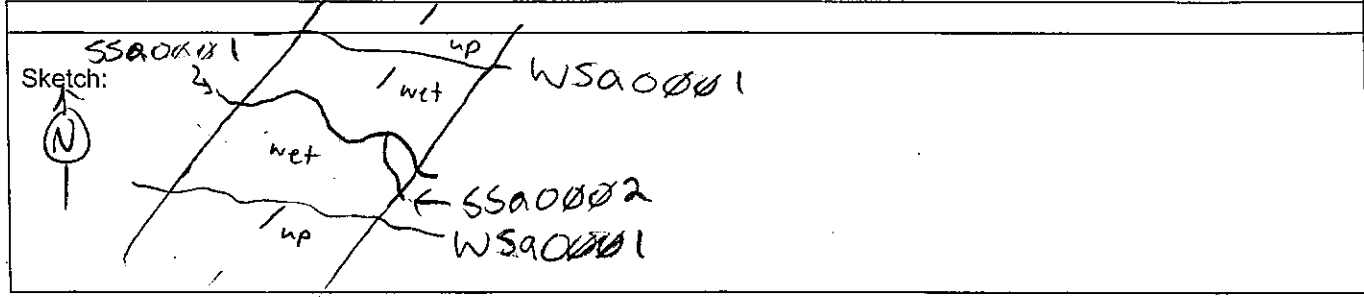
| | | | | |
|--|--------|-------|-----------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | (1) | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 7)

| | | | | |
|---|------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | (2) | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | (3) | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = (0) | | | |

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Notes:



OHWM width: 4 ft.

Bank width: 7 ft.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao002 facing east upstream.



Waterbody ssao002 facing downstream west.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao002 facing north across channel.



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- 2. Evaluator's name: K. MURPHY
- 3. Date of evaluation: 8/19
- 4. Time of evaluation: 9:00
- 5. Name of stream: LITTLE JUNIPER RUN
- 6. River basin: CAPE FEAR
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 20 ACRES
- 8. Stream order: 2
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 50 ft
- 10. County: SAMPSON
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): NA
- Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.27982
- Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.55057

Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____

13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
located north of green path road.

- 14. Proposed channel work (if any): TBD
- 15. Recent weather conditions: Rain within the past 24 hours
- 16. Site conditions at time of visit: undisturbed

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat Trout Waters Outstanding Resource Waters Nutrient Sensitive Waters Water Supply Watershed (I-IV)

18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: _____

19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO

21. Estimated watershed land use: _____ % Residential _____ % Commercial _____ % Industrial 30 % Agricultural
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22. Bankfull width: 12 ft 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 1 ft

24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) Moderate (4 to 10%) Steep (>10%)

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| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
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| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | 71 | |

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SSA0001

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| Date: 8/19 | Project/Site: SERP | Latitude: 35.21982 |
| Evaluator: K. Murphrey | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.55057 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if $\geq 30^*$ 36.5 | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent <u>Perennial</u> | Other: Dunn e.g. Quad Name: |

| A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 18.5) | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|-------|-----------|--------|
| 1 ^a Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

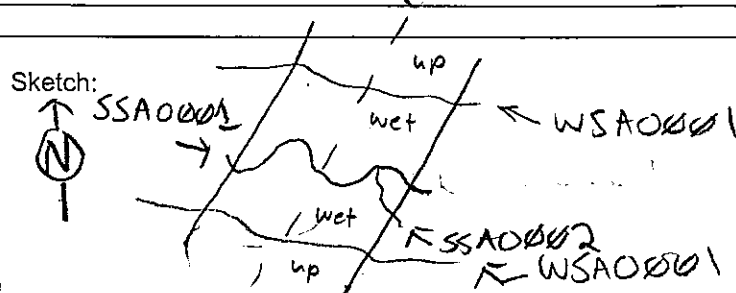
^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

| B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 10.5) | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|--|--------|-------|-----------|--------|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | (1) | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

| C. Biology (Subtotal = 7.5) | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|--|------------------------------------|-------|----------|--------|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | (2) | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | (3) | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroenthos (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = (0) | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes:



OHWM width: 8 ft.

Bank width: 12 ft.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao001 facing east upstream.



Waterbody ssao001 facing west downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao001 facing north across channel.

USACE AID# _____

DWQ# _____

Site # _____ (indicate on attached map)

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STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

- 1. Applicant's name: Dominion
- 2. Evaluator's name: ESI (Roper, Harbour)
- 3. Date of evaluation: 5/20/15
- 4. Time of evaluation: 11am
- 5. Name of stream: JUNIPER RUN
- 6. River basin: NEUSE
- 7. Approximate drainage area: > 100 ac
- 8. Stream order: 3rd
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 20 ft
- 10. County: Sampson
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): none
- Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.27794
- Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.55359

Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____

13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
West of Green Path Rd and Savannah Hill Rd

- 14. Proposed channel work (if any): proposed pipeline
- 15. Recent weather conditions: Warm & dry
- 16. Site conditions at time of visit: forested

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat
 Trout Waters Outstanding Resource Waters Nutrient Sensitive Waters Water Supply Watershed (I-IV)

18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: 1 ac

19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO

21. Estimated watershed land use: 5 % Residential 40 % Forested _____ % Commercial _____ % Industrial 55 % Agricultural
_____ % Cleared / Logged _____ % Other (_____)

* (Top of Bank)
22. Bankfull width: 12 ft 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 4 ft

24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) Moderate (4 to 10%) Steep (>10%)

25. Channel sinuosity: Straight Occasional bends Frequent meander Very sinuous Braided channel

Instructions for completion of worksheet (located on page 2): Begin by determining the most appropriate ecoregion based on location, terrain, vegetation, stream classification, etc. Every characteristic must be scored using the same ecoregion. Assign points to each characteristic within the range shown for the ecoregion. Page 3 provides a brief description of how to review the characteristics identified in the worksheet. Scores should reflect an overall assessment of the stream reach under evaluation. If a characteristic cannot be evaluated due to site or weather conditions, enter 0 in the scoring box and provide an explanation in the comment section. Where there are obvious changes in the character of a stream under review (e.g., the stream flows from a pasture into a forest), the stream may be divided into smaller reaches that display more continuity, and a separate form used to evaluate each reach. The total score assigned to a stream reach must range between 0 and 100, with a score of 100 representing a stream of the highest quality.

Total Score (from reverse): 66 Comments: _____

Evaluator's Signature [Signature] Date 5/20/15

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STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET

| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 4 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 3 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 4 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 5 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 4 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 4 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | — |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 3 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 0 |
| HABITAT | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 4 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | — |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 4 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 66 |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

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| | | |
|---|--|-------------------------------|
| Date: 5/20/15 | Project/Site: ACP | Latitude: 35.27794 |
| Evaluator: ESI (Proper, Harbour) | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.55359 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if $\geq 30^*$ 25.5 | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent <u>Perennial</u> | Other e.g. Quad Name: DANN |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 11)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|------|----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 9)

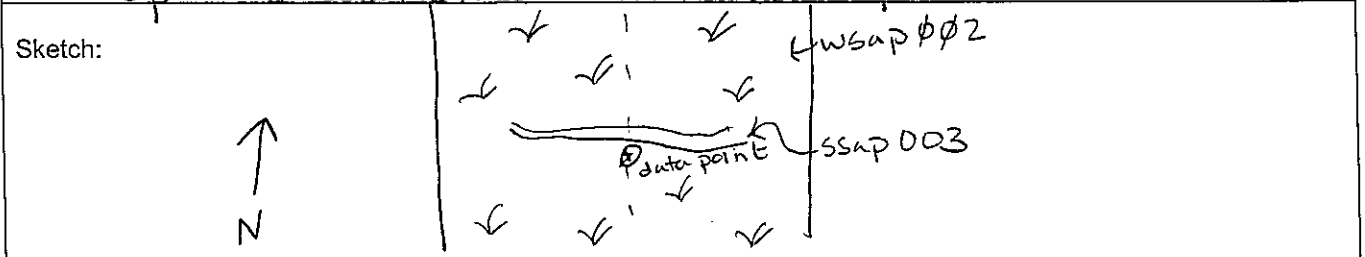
| | | | | |
|--|--------|-----|---------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | 1 | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 5.5)

| | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|-----|---|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = 0 | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes: small section of channel, braided system up- and downstream from data point.



Bankfull width: 12 ft
OHWM width: 12 ft

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssap003 facing east upstream.



Waterbody ssap003 facing west downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssap003 facing south across bank.

ssap002

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| | | |
|---|--|-------------------------------|
| Date: 5/4/15 | Project/Site: ACP | Latitude: 35.27214 |
| Evaluator: ESI (Roper, Harbour) | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.55901 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if $\geq 30^*$ 15 | Stream Determination (circle one) <u>Ephemeral</u> Intermittent Perennial | Other e.g. Quad Name: DUNN |

| A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 1) | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|------|----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank ditch | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 7.5)

| | | | | |
|--|--------|-----|---------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | 1 | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

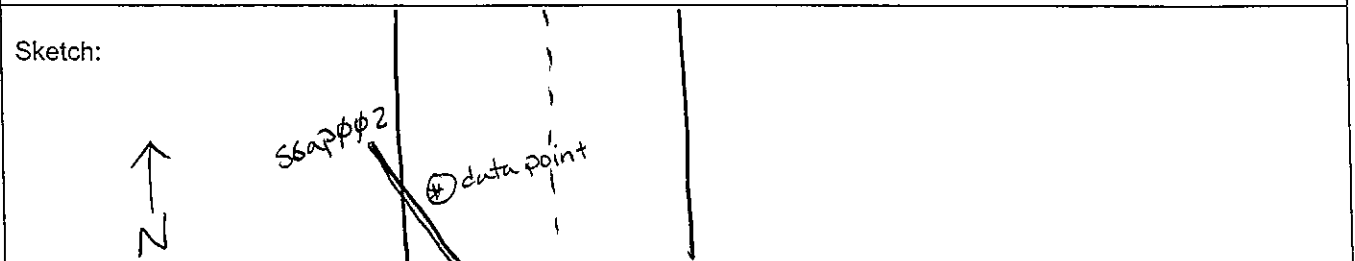
C. Biology (Subtotal = 6.5)

| | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|-----|---|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | 2 | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = 0 | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes:

Sketch:



OHWM: 4 ft
Bank: 6 ft.
width

USACE AID# _____

DWQ# _____

Site # _____ (indicate on attached map)

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STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

- 1. Applicant's name: Dominion
- 2. Evaluator's name: EST (Roper, Harbour)
- 3. Date of evaluation: 5/4/15
- 4. Time of evaluation: 1:30pm
- 5. Name of stream: UNT to BEVERDOM SWAMP
- 6. River basin: Cape Fear
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 30 ac
- 8. Stream order: 0
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 20 ft
- 10. County: Sampson
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): none
- Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.77214
- Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.55901
- Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____
- 13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
on Green Path Rd between Moulton Rd and Timothy Rd
- 14. Proposed channel work (if any): proposed pipeline
- 15. Recent weather conditions: warm and dry
- 16. Site conditions at time of visit: ditch in between agricultural fields
- 17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat
 Trout Waters Outstanding Resource Waters Nutrient Sensitive Waters Water Supply Watershed (I-IV)
- 18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: _____
- 19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO
- 21. Estimated watershed land use: 5 % Residential % Commercial % Industrial 90 % Agricultural
5 % Forested % Cleared / Logged % Other (_____)
- * (Top of Bank)
22. Bankfull width: 6 ft
- 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 3 ft
- 24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) Moderate (4 to 10%) Steep (>10%)
- 25. Channel sinuosity: Straight Occasional bends Frequent meander Very sinuous Braided channel

Instructions for completion of worksheet (located on page 2): Begin by determining the most appropriate ecoregion based on location, terrain, vegetation, stream classification, etc. Every characteristic must be scored using the same ecoregion. Assign points to each characteristic within the range shown for the ecoregion. Page 3 provides a brief description of how to review the characteristics identified in the worksheet. Scores should reflect an overall assessment of the stream reach under evaluation. If a characteristic cannot be evaluated due to site or weather conditions, enter 0 in the scoring box and provide an explanation in the comment section. Where there are obvious changes in the character of a stream under review (e.g., the stream flows from a pasture into a forest), the stream may be divided into smaller reaches that display more continuity, and a separate form used to evaluate each reach. The total score assigned to a stream reach must range between 0 and 100, with a score of 100 representing a stream of the highest quality.

Total Score (from reverse): 27 Comments: _____

Evaluator's Signature Lauren Roper Date 5/4/15

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STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET

| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|---|-----------------------|----------|-----------|-------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 1 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 1 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 1 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | NA |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 0 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 1 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | NA |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | 27 | |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssap002 facing south upstream.



Waterbody ssap002 facing north downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssap002 facing west across bank.

ssap001

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| | | |
|--|---|----------------------------|
| Date: 5/4/15 | Project/Site: ACP | Latitude: 35.27097 |
| Evaluator: ESI (Roper, Harbour) | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.55913 |
| Total Points: 16 Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if $\geq 30^*$ | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent Perennial | Other e.g. Quad Name: DUNN |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 1)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|------|----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank ditch | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 6.5)

| | | | | |
|--|--------|-----|---------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 0.5 | 1 | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 8.5)

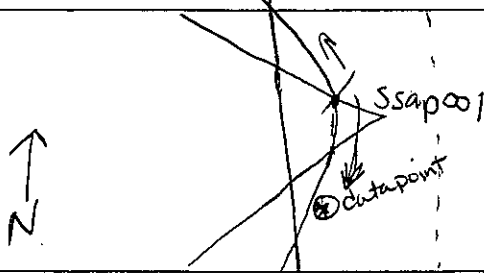
| | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|-----|---|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = 0 | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes:

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Sketch:



OHWM: 4 ft
Bank: 6 ft.
width

USACE AID# _____

DWQ# _____

Site # _____ (indicate on attached map)

ssap 001



STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

- 1. Applicant's name: Dominion
- 2. Evaluator's name: ESI (Roper, Harbour)
- 3. Date of evaluation: 5/4/15
- 4. Time of evaluation: 1pm
- 5. Name of stream: UNT to Beaverdam Swamp
- 6. River basin: Cape Fear
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 30 ac
- 8. Stream order: 0
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 15 ft
- 10. County: Sampson
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): _____

Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.27097 Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.55913

Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____

13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
on Green Path Rd between Moulton Rd and Timothy Rd

14. Proposed channel work (if any): proposed pipeline

15. Recent weather conditions: warm and dry

16. Site conditions at time of visit: agricultural ditch in between fields

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat
 Trout Waters Outstanding Resource Waters Nutrient Sensitive Waters Water Supply Watershed (I-IV)

18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: _____

19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO

21. Estimated watershed land use: 5 % Residential % Commercial % Industrial 90 % Agricultural
5 % Forested % Cleared / Logged % Other (_____)

* (Top of Bank) 22. Bankfull width: 6 ft 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 3 ft

24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) Moderate (4 to 10%) Steep (>10%)

25. Channel sinuosity: Straight Occasional bends Frequent meander Very sinuous Braided channel

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Total Score (from reverse): 27 Comments: _____

Evaluator's Signature Jamie Roper Date 5/4/15

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| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|---|-----------------------|----------|-----------|-------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 1 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 1 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 1 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | NA |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 0 |
| HABITAT | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 1 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | NA |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | 27 | |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssap001 facing northeast upstream.



Waterbody ssap001 facing southwest downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssap001 facing north across bank.



STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET

SSAO007



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

1. Applicant's name: Dominion 2. Evaluator's name: K. Maricham, K. Murphy
 3. Date of evaluation: 9/9/14 4. Time of evaluation: 11:00AM
 5. Name of stream: Beaverdam Swamp 6. River basin: Cape Fear
 7. Approximate drainage area: >50 acres 8. Stream order: 2
 9. Length of reach evaluated: 100 ft 10. County: Sampson
 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees. 12. Subdivision name (if any): NA
 Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.25586 Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.56437
 Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____
 13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
Located southwest of old US 421 Hwy
 14. Proposed channel work (if any): TBD
 15. Recent weather conditions: 6 inches of rain past 36 hours
 16. Site conditions at time of visit: undisturbed
 17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: _____ Section 10 _____ Tidal Waters _____ Essential Fisheries Habitat
 _____ Trout Waters _____ Outstanding Resource Waters _____ Nutrient Sensitive Waters _____ Water Supply Watershed _____ (I-IV)
 18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES (NO) If yes, estimate the water surface area: _____
 19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? (YES) NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? (YES) NO
 21. Estimated watershed land use: 10 % Residential _____ % Commercial _____ % Industrial 20 % Agricultural
70 % Forested _____ % Cleared / Logged _____ % Other (_____)
 * (Top of Bank) 9 ft.
 22. Bankfull width: _____ 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 3 ft.
 24. Channel slope down center of stream: _____ Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) _____ Moderate (4 to 10%) _____ Steep (>10%)
 25. Channel sinuosity: _____ Straight _____ Occasional bends Frequent meander _____ Very sinuous _____ Braided channel

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Total Score (from reverse): 75 Comments: 6 inches of rain past 36 hours

Evaluator's Signature Kevin [Signature] Date 9/9/14

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| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
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| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 6 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 3 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | — |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
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| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 4 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | — |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 3 |
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| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 75 |

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SSAO 007

NC DWQ Stream Identification Form Version 4.11

| | | |
|---|---|--------------------------------|
| Date: 9/9/14 | Project/Site: ACP | Latitude: 35.25586 |
| Evaluator: ESI-K. Murphy | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.56437 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if ≥ 30 39.5 | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent (Perennial) | Other: Dunn e.g. Quad Name: |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 19.5)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|-------|-----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 11)

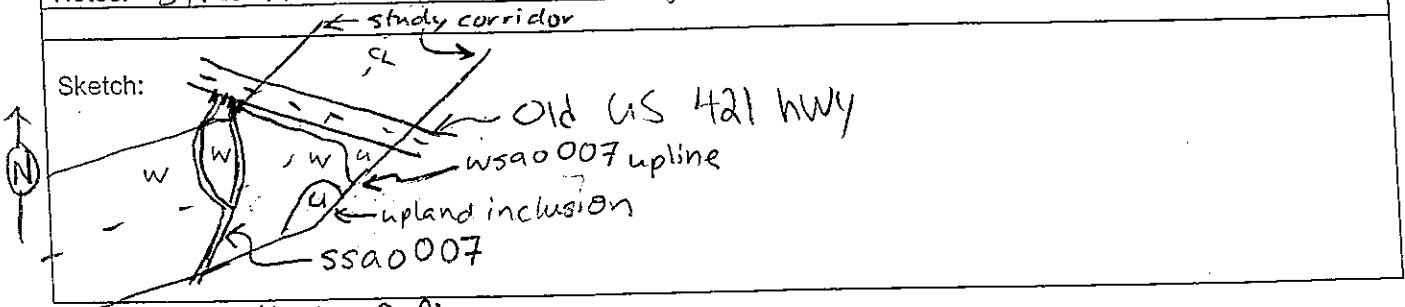
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|--|--------|-------|-----------|-------|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | (1) | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | (1.5) |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 9)

| | | | | |
|---|------------------------------------|-----|-----|-------|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | (0) |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | (3) | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | (1.5) |
| 25. Algae | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = (1.5) Other = 0 | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes: stream SSAO 007 diverges at culvert + connects back



OHWM width: 9 ft
Top of Bank width: 10 ft

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao007 facing northeast upstream.



Waterbody ssao007 facing southwest downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao007 facing northwest across channel.

Open Waterbody Data Sheet

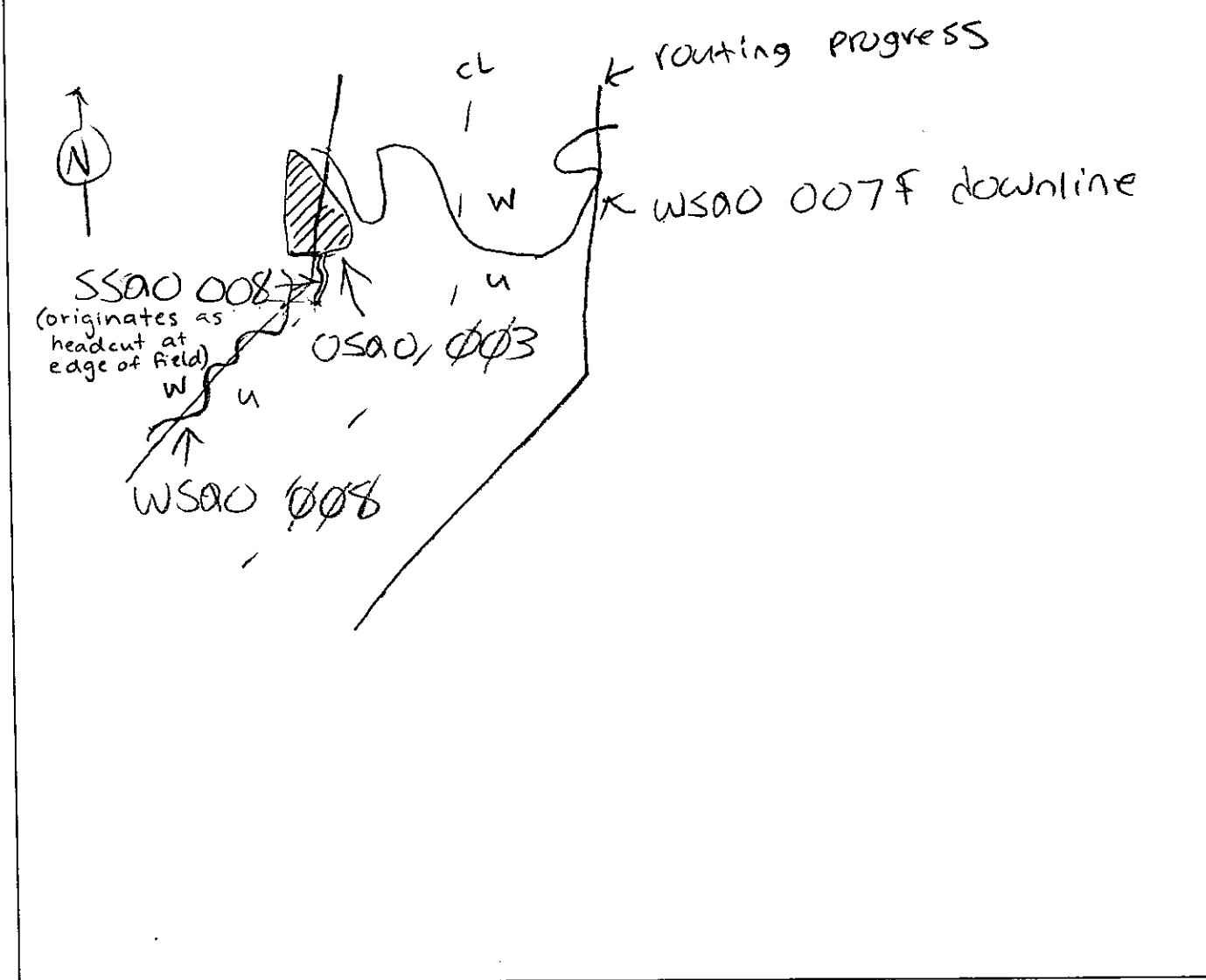
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|--|--------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--|------------------|
| Survey Description | | | | | |
| Project Name: Southeast Reliability | | Waterbody Name: ACP Unnamed Pond | | Waterbody ID: 05a0003 | Date: 9/10/14 |
| State: NC | County: SAMPSON | Company: ESI | Crew Member Initials: KSW, KWM | Photos: Facing North | |
| Tract Number(s): 21-044 | | Nearest Milepost: 409.8 | | Associated Wetland ID(s): WSA0 007F | |
| Survey Type: <small>(check one)</small> | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Centerline <input type="checkbox"/> Re-Route <input type="checkbox"/> Access Road <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | | |
| Physical Attributes | | | | | |
| Waterbody Type: <small>(check one)</small> | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stock Pond <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Pond <input type="checkbox"/> Lake <input type="checkbox"/> Reservoir <input type="checkbox"/> Impoundment <input type="checkbox"/> Oxbow <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | | |
| Hydrologic Regime: | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Permanently Flooded <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Semipermanently Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonally Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Flooded | | | | | |
| OHWM Height: NA ft. | | OHWM Indicator: <small>(check all that apply)</small> | | | |
| | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clear line on bank <input type="checkbox"/> Shelving <input type="checkbox"/> Wrested vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Scouring <input type="checkbox"/> Water staining | | | |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Bent, matted, or missing vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Wrack line <input type="checkbox"/> Litter and debris <input type="checkbox"/> Abrupt plant community change <input type="checkbox"/> Soil characteristic change | | | |
| Depth of Water: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> >3 ft. | | Bank height (average): 8 ft. berm | | Bank slope (average): 45 degrees | |
| Qualitative Attributes | | | | | |
| Water Appearance: <small>(check one)</small> | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> No water <input type="checkbox"/> Clear <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Turbid <input type="checkbox"/> Sheen on surface <input type="checkbox"/> Surface scum <input type="checkbox"/> Algal mats <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | | |
| Substrate: <small>(check all that apply)</small> | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bedrock <input type="checkbox"/> Boulder <input type="checkbox"/> Cobble <input type="checkbox"/> Gravel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sand <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Silt/ clay <input type="checkbox"/> Organic <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | | |
| % of Substrate: % % % % 10% 40% % % | | | | | |
| Width of Riparian Zone: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> >100 ft. | | Vegetative Layers: <small>(check all that apply)</small> | | | |
| | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trees: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saplings/Shrubs: <input type="checkbox"/> Herbs | | | |
| | | Avg. DBH of Dominants: <small>(approx.)</small> 6 in. 1 in. in. | | | |
| Dominant Bank Vegetation (list): Acer rubrum, Liquidambar styraciflua, Persea borbonia, Vitis rotundifolia, Smilax rotundifolia | | | | | |
| Aquatic Habitats (ex: submerged or emerged aquatic vegetation, overhanging banks/roots, leaf packs, large submerged wood, riffles, deep pools, etc.): Open water | | | | | |
| Aquatic Organisms Observed (list): mosquito larvae, frogs | | | | | |
| T&E Species Observed (list): NA | | | | | |
| Disturbances (ex: livestock access, manure in waterbody, waste discharge pipes): run-off from field | | | | | |
| Waterbody is: <small>(check one)</small> | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Artificial, man-made <input type="checkbox"/> Manipulated | | | | | |
| Waterbody Quality ^a : <small>(check one)</small> | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Low | | | | | |

Waterbody ID:
05A0003

- High Quality:** Natural, natural bank vegetation around entire waterbody; banks stable and protected by roots; water color is clear to tea-colored; no barriers to fish movement; many fish cover types available; diverse and stable aquatic habitat; no disturbance by livestock or man.
- Moderate Quality:** Altered by rip-rap; natural vegetation extends 1/3-1/2 of the active channel width on each side; filtering function or bank vegetation only moderately compromised; banks moderately unstable; water color is cloudy, submerged objects covered with greenish film; moderate odor; minor barriers to fish movement; fair aquatic habitat; minimum disturbance by livestock or man.
- Low Quality:** Rip rap and channelization excessive; natural vegetation less than 1/3 of the active channel width on each side; lack of regeneration; filtering function severely compromised; banks unstable (eroding); water color is muddy and turbid; obvious pollutants (algal mats, surface scum, surface sheen); heavy odor; severe barriers to fish movement; little to no aquatic habitat; severe disturbance from livestock or man.

Notes:

Waterbody Sketch (Include north arrow, centerline, distance from centerline, data point locations, survey boundary, and IDs of associated features)



Environmental Field Surveys
Open Waterbody Photo Point Page



Open Waterbody osao003 facing north.

SSao008



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- 2. Evaluator's name: F. St. K. Marphrey
- 3. Date of evaluation: 9/10/14
- 4. Time of evaluation: 11:30am
- 5. Name of stream: UNT to Beaverdam Swamp
- 6. River basin: Cape Fear
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 6 acres
- 8. Stream order: 1
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located southwest of old US 421 HWY

- 14. Proposed channel work (if any): TBD
- 15. Recent weather conditions: 6 inches of rain on 9/8/14
- 16. Site conditions at time of visit: Stream originates at headcut at edge of field.

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat
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18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: _____

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Evaluator's Signature Karin [Signature] Date 9/10/14

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| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 2 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 2 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 11 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | - |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 1 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | - |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 27 |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

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| | | |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| Date: 9/10/14 | Project/Site: ACP | Latitude: 35.25175 |
| Evaluator: ESI-KIM WATKINS | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.56990 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if $\geq 30^*$ 27 | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral <input type="checkbox"/> Intermittent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Perennial <input type="checkbox"/> | Other <u>Dunn</u> e.g. Quad Name: |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 15.5)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|----------|-------|----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 8. Headcuts | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = (0) | | Yes = 3 | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 6.5)

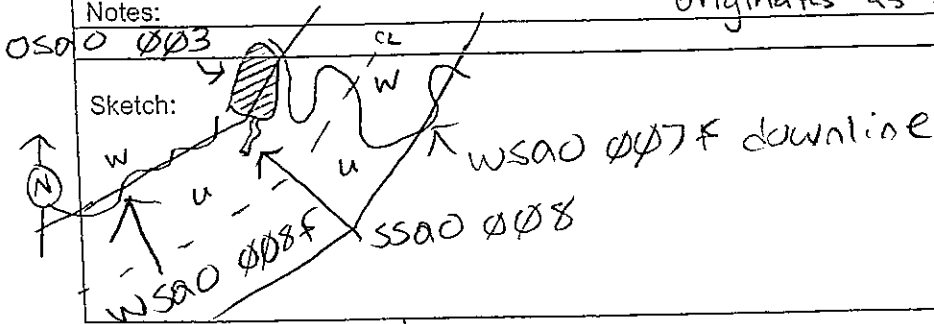
| | | | | |
|--|--------|-----|-----------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | (1.5) | 1 | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 5)

| | | | | |
|---|------------------------------------|-----|---|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | (2) | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | (3) | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = (0) | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes: originates as headcut at edge of ag. field



OHWM width: 1

Top of Bank width: 10

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao008 facing south upstream.



Waterbody ssao008 facing north downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao008 facing east across channel.



Waterbody ssao008 facing north, showing headcut at origin.

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PERENNIAL BRAIDED STREAM SSAA001 → BEAVERDAM SWAMP
NC DWQ Stream Identification Form Version 4.11

| | | |
|--|--|---|
| Date: <i>APRIL 11, 2015</i> | Project/Site: <i>DOMINION - ACP</i> | Latitude: <i>35° 14' 57.129"</i> |
| Evaluator: <i>GAVIN BLOSSER</i> | County: <i>SAMPSON</i> | Longitude: <i>-78° 34' 33.027"</i> |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if ≥ 30* <i>44.25</i> | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent <u>Perennial</u> | Other <i>BEAVERDAM SWAMP</i> e.g. Quad Name: |

| A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = <i>22.0</i>) | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|------------|----------------|------------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | 2 | <u>3</u> |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | <u>2</u> | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | <u>2</u> | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | <u>3</u> |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | 1 | <u>2</u> | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | 1 | 2 | <u>3</u> |
| 8. Headcuts | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | <u>0.5</u> | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | <u>1.5</u> |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = <u>3</u> | |

*8.5
13.5
22.0*

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = *11.0*)

| | | | | |
|--|--------|----------|----------------|------------|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | <u>3</u> |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | <u>1</u> | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | <u>1.5</u> |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | <u>1.5</u> |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = <u>3</u> | |

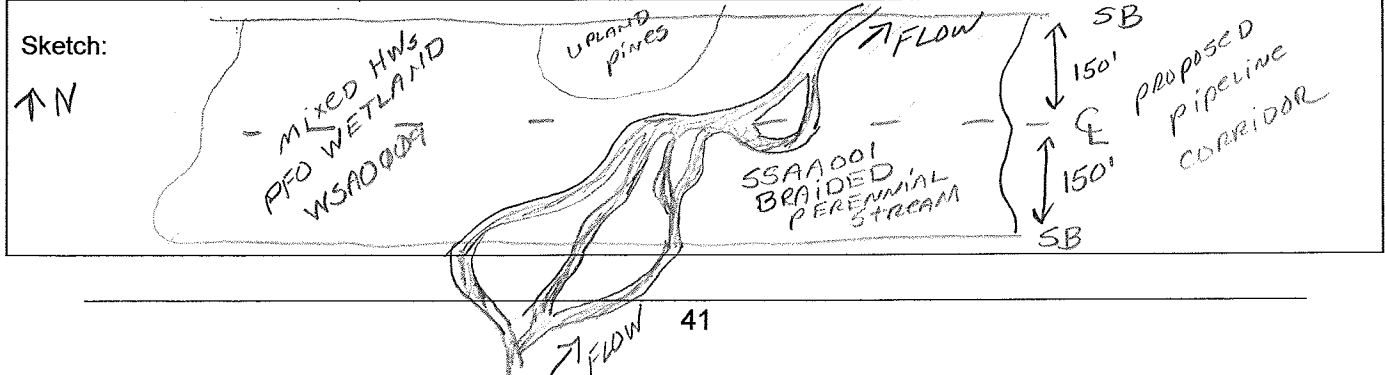
C. Biology (Subtotal = *11.25*)

| | | | | |
|---|--|------------|----------|------------|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | 2 | <u>1</u> | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | 3 | <u>2</u> | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) <i>RIFFLE, VEGETATION, COMMON, MAYFLY</i> | 0 | 1 | 2 | <u>3</u> |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | <u>0.5</u> | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | 0 | 0.5 | <u>1</u> | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | <u>1.5</u> |
| 25. Algae | 0 | <u>0.5</u> | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = <u>0.75</u> OBL = 1.5 Other = 0 | | | |

*6.75
4.5
11.25*

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes: *SEVERE CHINESE PRIVET INFESTATION THROUGHOUT STREAM IS A COMPLEX BRAIDED SYSTEM*





BEAVERDAM SWAMP
STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



PERENNIAL BRAIDED STREAM SSAAD01

Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

1. Applicant's name: DOMINION - ACP
2. Evaluator's name: GAVIN BLOSSER
3. Date of evaluation: APRIL 11, 2015
4. Time of evaluation: 1:30 PM
5. Name of stream: BEAVERDAM SWAMP SSAAD01
6. River basin: CAPE FEAR
- * 7. Approximate drainage area: _____
8. Stream order: _____ *
9. Length of reach evaluated: 300'
10. County: SAMPSON
11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
12. Subdivision name (if any): N/A
- Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35° 14' 57.129" Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78° 34' 33.027"
- Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____
13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
EAST OF SPRING BRANCH ROAD ; NORTH OF HAWLEY ROAD
14. Proposed channel work (if any): PIPELINE CROSSING
15. Recent weather conditions: THUNDERSTORMS NIGHT BEFORE LAST
16. Site conditions at time of visit: CLEAR, SUNNY, LIGHT WINDS, 75° F
- * 17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: _____ Section 10 _____ Tidal Waters _____ Essential Fisheries Habitat
 _____ Trout Waters _____ Outstanding Resource Waters _____ Nutrient Sensitive Waters _____ Water Supply Watershed _____ (I-IV)
18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES (NO) If yes, estimate the water surface area: N/A
19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? (YES) NO
20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? (YES) NO *
21. Estimated watershed land use: 5% Residential _____ % Commercial _____ % Industrial 65% Agricultural
15% Forested 15% Cleared / Logged _____ % Other (_____)
22. Bankfull width: 30.0'
23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 3.0
24. Channel slope down center of stream: _____ Flat (0 to 2%) X Gentle (2 to 4%) _____ Moderate (4 to 10%) _____ Steep (>10%)
25. Channel sinuosity: _____ Straight _____ Occasional bends _____ Frequent meander _____ Very sinuous X Braided channel

Instructions for completion of worksheet (located on page 2): Begin by determining the most appropriate ecoregion based on location, terrain, vegetation, stream classification, etc. Every characteristic must be scored using the same ecoregion. Assign points to each characteristic within the range shown for the ecoregion. Page 3 provides a brief description of how to review the characteristics identified in the worksheet. Scores should reflect an overall assessment of the stream reach under evaluation. If a characteristic cannot be evaluated due to site or weather conditions, enter 0 in the scoring box and provide an explanation in the comment section. Where there are obvious changes in the character of a stream under review (e.g., the stream flows from a pasture into a forest), the stream may be divided into smaller reaches that display more continuity, and a separate form used to evaluate each reach. The total score assigned to a stream reach must range between 0 and 100, with a score of 100 representing a stream of the highest quality.

Total Score (from reverse): 72 Comments: Complex BRAIDED PERENNIAL STREAM flowing through AN expansive PFD WETLAND in a LOW ELEVATION VALLEY. Very severe Chinese privet infestation in understory throughout

Evaluator's Signature Gavin Blosser Date APRIL 11, 2015

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BEAVERDAM SWAMP
STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET
 PERENNIAL BRAIDED STREAM SSA001

| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|--|-----------------------|----------|----------|-------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 4 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 4 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 4 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 3 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 1 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 3 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 4 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 72 |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.



Waterbody SSAA001 facing east upstream



Waterbody SSAA001 facing west downstream



Waterbody SSAO001 facing south across

Open Waterbody Data Sheet

| | | | |
|--|--|--|---|
| Survey Description | | | |
| Project Name: Southeast Reliability | | Waterbody Name: Unnamed Pond | |
| Waterbody ID: 05a0 001 | | Date: 9/3/2014 | |
| State: NC | County: Sampson | Company: ESI | Crew Member Initials: KWM, KSM |
| Photos: Facing west | | | |
| Tract Number(s): 21-063 | | Nearest Milepost: 412.2 | Associated Wetland ID(s): N/A |
| Survey Type: (check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Centerline <input type="checkbox"/> Re-Route <input type="checkbox"/> Access Road <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | |
| Physical Attributes | | | |
| Waterbody Type: (check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stock Pond <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Pond <input type="checkbox"/> Lake <input type="checkbox"/> Reservoir <input type="checkbox"/> Impoundment <input type="checkbox"/> Oxbow <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | |
| Hydrologic Regime: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanently Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Semipermanently Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonally Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Flooded | | | |
| OHWM Height: 1 ft. | OHWM Indicator: (check all that apply) | | |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clear line on bank | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shelving | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrested vegetation |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Bent, matted, or missing vegetation | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrack line | <input type="checkbox"/> Litter and debris |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Abrupt plant community change | <input type="checkbox"/> Scouring |
| | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Water staining |
| Depth of Water: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> >3 ft. | Bank height (average): 3 ft. | Bank slope (average): 45 degrees | |
| Qualitative Attributes | | | |
| Water Appearance: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> No water <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clear <input type="checkbox"/> Turbid <input type="checkbox"/> Sheen on surface <input type="checkbox"/> Surface scum <input type="checkbox"/> Algal mats <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | |
| Substrate: (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Bedrock <input type="checkbox"/> Boulder <input type="checkbox"/> Cobble <input type="checkbox"/> Gravel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sand <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Silt/clay <input type="checkbox"/> Organic <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | |
| % of Substrate: _____% _____% _____% _____% 50% 50% _____% _____% | | | |
| Width of Riparian Zone: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> <10 ft. | Vegetative Layers: (check all that apply) | | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Trees: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saplings/Shrubs: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Herbs |
| | Avg. DBH of Dominants: (approx) N/A in. | 1 in. | N/A in. |
| Dominant Bank Vegetation (list): Liquidambar styraciflua, Acer rubrum, Diodea sp., Ludwigia sp., Boehmeria cylindrica, Eleocharis sp., Cyperus sp. | | | |
| Aquatic Habitats (ex: submerged or emergent aquatic vegetation, overhanging banks/roots, leaf packs, large submerged wood, riffles, deep pools, etc.): open water, submerged/emergent branches, submerged aquatic vegetation | | | |
| Aquatic Organisms Observed (list): Bluegill, dragonflies (eastern pondhawk, blue dasher, eastern amberwing) | | | |
| T&E Species Observed (list): None | | | |
| Disturbances (ex: livestock access, manure in waterbody, waste discharge pipes): Pasture - now in mowed/lawn condition | | | |
| Waterbody is: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Artificial, man-made <input type="checkbox"/> Manipulated | | | |
| Waterbody Quality ^a : (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> High <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> Low | | | |

Waterbody ID:

05a0 001

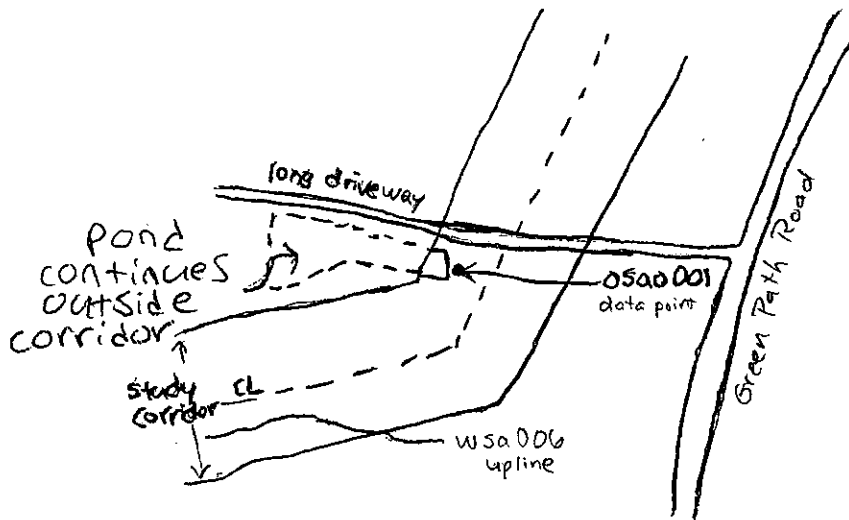
High Quality: Natural, natural bank vegetation around entire waterbody; banks stable and protected by roots; water color is clear to tea-colored; no barriers to fish movement; many fish cover types available; diverse and stable aquatic habitat; no disturbance by livestock or man.

Moderate Quality: Altered by rip-rap; natural vegetation extends 1/3-1/2 of the active channel width on each side; filtering function or bank vegetation only moderately compromised; banks moderately unstable; water color is cloudy, submerged objects covered with greenish film; moderate odor; minor barriers to fish movement; fair aquatic habitat; minimum disturbance by livestock or man.

Low Quality: Rip rap and channelization excessive; natural vegetation less than 1/3 of the active channel width on each side; lack of regeneration; filtering function severely compromised; banks unstable (eroding); water color is muddy and turbid; obvious pollutants (algal mats, surface scum, surface sheen); heavy odor; severe barriers to fish movement; little to no aquatic habitat; severe disturbance from livestock or man.

Notes:

Waterbody Sketch (Include north arrow, centerline, distance from centerline, data point locations, survey boundary, and IDs of associated features)



Environmental Field Surveys
Open Water Photo Point Page



Open Waterbody osao001 facing west.



STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

- 1. Applicant's name: Dominion
- 2. Evaluator's name: EST-K. MURPHY
- 3. Date of evaluation: 9/3/14
- 4. Time of evaluation: 3:00 PM
- 5. Name of stream: UNT to Starlins Swamp
- 6. River basin: CAPE FEAR
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 15 ac
- 8. Stream order: 1
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 50 Fe
- 10. County: SAMPSON
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): NA
- Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.23175
- Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.60530

Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____

13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
Located West of Green Path Road.

- 14. Proposed channel work (if any): TBD
- 15. Recent weather conditions: SUNNY
- 16. Site conditions at time of visit: UNDISTURBED

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat
 Trout Waters Outstanding Resource Waters Nutrient Sensitive Waters Water Supply Watershed (I-IV)

18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? (YES) NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: 2 ac.

19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? (YES) NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? (YES) NO

21. Estimated watershed land use: % Residential % Commercial % Industrial 60 % Agricultural
 % Cleared / Logged % Other (_____)
40 % Forested

* (Top of Bank) 22. Bankfull width: 5 FT 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 2 FE

24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) Moderate (4 to 10%) Steep (>10%)

25. Channel sinuosity: Straight Occasional bends Frequent meander Very sinuous Braided channel

Instructions for completion of worksheet (located on page 2): Begin by determining the most appropriate ecoregion based on location, terrain, vegetation, stream classification, etc. Every characteristic must be scored using the same ecoregion. Assign points to each characteristic within the range shown for the ecoregion. Page 3 provides a brief description of how to review the characteristics identified in the worksheet. Scores should reflect an overall assessment of the stream reach under evaluation. If a characteristic cannot be evaluated due to site or weather conditions, enter 0 in the scoring box and provide an explanation in the comment section. Where there are obvious changes in the character of a stream under review (e.g., the stream flows from a pasture into a forest), the stream may be divided into smaller reaches that display more continuity, and a separate form used to evaluate each reach. The total score assigned to a stream reach must range between 0 and 100, with a score of 100 representing a stream of the highest quality.

Total Score (from reverse): 31 Comments: _____

Evaluator's Signature Kellin Murphy Date 9/3/14

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STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET

| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 4 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 1 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 3 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | — |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | — |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 1 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 31 |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

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| | | |
|--|---|--------------------------------|
| Date: 9/3/14 | Project/Site: ACP | Latitude: 35.23175 |
| Evaluator: EST-K. Murphy | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.60530 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if $\geq 30^*$ 19.5 | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral (intermittent) Perennial | Other Mingo e.g. Quad Name: |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 10)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|----------|------|----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = (0) | | Yes = 3 | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 4.5)

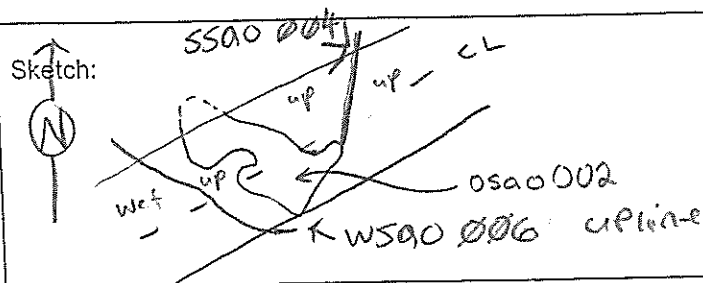
| | | | | |
|--|--------|-------|-----------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | (1) | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 5)

| | | | | |
|---|------------------------------------|-----|---|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | (2) | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | (3) | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = (0) | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes:



OHWM width: 2 ft
Top of Bank width: 5 ft

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao004 facing northeast upstream.



Waterbody ssao004 facing southwest downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao004 facing northwest across channel.

Open Waterbody Data Sheet

| | | | | |
|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--|
| Survey Description | | | | |
| Project Name: Southeast Reliability | | Waterbody Name: Unnamed Pond | | Waterbody ID: 0500 002 |
| Date: 9/3/14 | | | | |
| State: NC | County: Sampson | Company: ESI | Crew Member Initials: KWM, KSM | Photos: upline centerline facing West |
| Tract Number(s): 21-063 | | Nearest Milepost: 412.4 | Associated Wetland ID(s): N/A | |
| Survey Type: (check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Centerline <input type="checkbox"/> Re-Route <input type="checkbox"/> Access Road <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | |
| Physical Attributes | | | | |
| Waterbody Type: (check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stock Pond <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Pond <input type="checkbox"/> Lake <input type="checkbox"/> Reservoir <input type="checkbox"/> Impoundment <input type="checkbox"/> Oxbow <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | |
| Hydrologic Regime: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanently Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Semipermanently Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonally Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Flooded | | | | |
| OHWM Height: 1.5 ft. | | OHWM Indicator: (check all that apply) | | |
| | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clear line on bank <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shelving <input type="checkbox"/> Wrested vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Scouring <input type="checkbox"/> Water staining <input type="checkbox"/> Bent, matted, or missing vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Wrack line <input type="checkbox"/> Litter and debris <input type="checkbox"/> Abrupt plant community change <input type="checkbox"/> Soil characteristic change | | |
| Depth of Water: 3 ft. | | Bank height (average): 3 ft. | | Bank slope (average): 60 degrees |
| Qualitative Attributes | | | | |
| Water Appearance: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> No water <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clear <input type="checkbox"/> Turbid <input type="checkbox"/> Sheen on surface <input type="checkbox"/> Surface scum <input type="checkbox"/> Algal mats <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | |
| Substrate: (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Bedrock <input type="checkbox"/> Boulder <input type="checkbox"/> Cobble <input type="checkbox"/> Gravel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sand <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Silt/clay <input type="checkbox"/> Organic <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | |
| % of Substrate: _____% _____% _____% _____% 50% 50% _____% _____% | | | | |
| Width of Riparian Zone: 0-10 ft. | | Vegetative Layers: (check all that apply) | | |
| | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trees: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saplings/Shrubs: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Herbs Avg. DBH of Dominants: 10 in. 3 in. NA in. | | |
| Dominant Bank Vegetation (list): Phaseolus, Juncus spp., Rhexia, alifanus, Hypericum sp., Pinus taeda, Acer rubrum, Cyrilla racemiflora, Quercus nigra. | | | | |
| Aquatic Habitats (ex: submerged or emerged aquatic vegetation, overhanging banks/roots, leaf packs, large submerged wood, riffles, deep pools, etc.): Deep water, vegetated shallows, overhanging branches | | | | |
| Aquatic Organisms Observed (list): Minnow sp., Bullfrog, Dragonflies (Blue dashers, slaty skimmer); landowner reported he stocks with channel catfish | | | | |
| T&E Species Observed (list): none | | | | |
| Disturbances (ex: livestock access, manure in waterbody, waste discharge pipes): none noted | | | | |
| Waterbody is: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Artificial, man-made <input type="checkbox"/> Manipulated | | | | |
| Waterbody Quality ^a : (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> High <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> Low | | | | |

Waterbody ID:
05a0 002

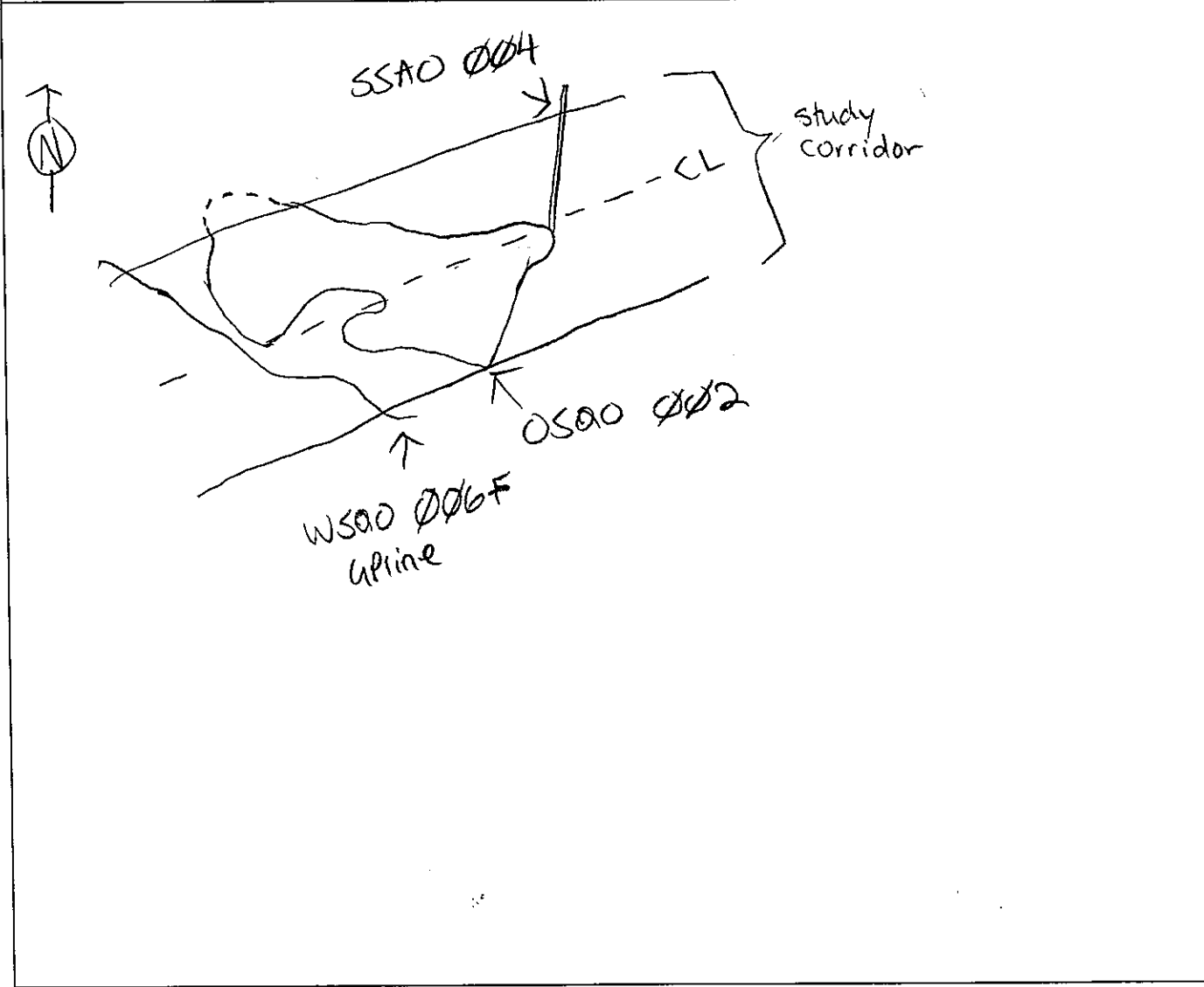
High Quality: Natural, natural bank vegetation around entire waterbody; banks stable and protected by roots; water color is clear to tea-colored; no barriers to fish movement; many fish cover types available; diverse and stable aquatic habitat; no disturbance by livestock or man.

Moderate Quality: Altered by rip-rap; natural vegetation extends 1/3-1/2 of the active channel width on each side; filtering function or bank vegetation only moderately compromised; banks moderately unstable; water color is cloudy, submerged objects covered with greenish film; moderate odor; minor barriers to fish movement; fair aquatic habitat; minimum disturbance by livestock or man.

Low Quality: Rip rap and channelization excessive; natural vegetation less than 1/3 of the active channel width on each side; lack of regeneration; filtering function severely compromised; banks unstable (eroding); water color is muddy and turbid; obvious pollutants (algal mats, surface scum, surface sheen); heavy odor; severe barriers to fish movement; little to no aquatic habitat; severe disturbance from livestock or man.

Notes:

Waterbody Sketch (Include north arrow, centerline, distance from centerline, data point locations, survey boundary, and IDs of associated features)



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Open Water Point Photo Page



Open Waterbody osao002 facing west.

USACE AID# _____

DWQ# _____

Site # _____ (indicate on attached map)

5520 006



STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

- 1. Applicant's name: ACP
- 2. Evaluator's name: K. Markham, K. Murphy
- 3. Date of evaluation: 9/4/14
- 4. Time of evaluation: 11:25
- 5. Name of stream: UNT to Starlins Swamp
- 6. River basin: Cape Fear
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 6900 acres
- 8. Stream order: 3
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 50 ft.
- 10. County: Sampson
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): _____
- Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.23028
- Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.61000

Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo-GIS Other GIS Other _____

13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
Located west of Green Path Road,

14. Proposed channel work (if any): TBD

15. Recent weather conditions: rain yesterday

16. Site conditions at time of visit: undisturbed

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat
 Trout Waters Outstanding Resource Waters Nutrient Sensitive Waters Water Supply Watershed (I-IV)

18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: 5 ac

19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO

21. Estimated watershed land use: _____% Residential _____% Commercial _____% Industrial 60% Agricultural

_____% Cleared / Logged _____% Other (_____)

* (Top of Bank) 22. Bankfull width: 16 ft. 40% Forested 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 1 ft.

24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) Moderate (4 to 10%) Steep (>10%)

25. Channel sinuosity: Straight Occasional bends Frequent meander Very sinuous Braided channel

Instructions for completion of worksheet (located on page 2): Begin by determining the most appropriate ecoregion based on location, terrain, vegetation, stream classification, etc. Every characteristic must be scored using the same ecoregion. Assign points to each characteristic within the range shown for the ecoregion. Page 3 provides a brief description of how to review the characteristics identified in the worksheet. Scores should reflect an overall assessment of the stream reach under evaluation. If a characteristic cannot be evaluated due to site or weather conditions, enter 0 in the scoring box and provide an explanation in the comment section. Where there are obvious changes in the character of a stream under review (e.g., the stream flows from a pasture into a forest), the stream may be divided into smaller reaches that display more continuity, and a separate form used to evaluate each reach. The total score assigned to a stream reach must range between 0 and 100, with a score of 100 representing a stream of the highest quality.

Total Score (from reverse): 81 Comments: stream flow out of beaver impoundment side channel of Starlins Swamp - flowing downhill from beaver dam

Evaluator's Signature K. Murphy Date 9/4/14

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STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET

| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 6 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 6 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 4 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 5 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 6 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 5 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 4 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | NA |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 3 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | NA |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 81 |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

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| | | |
|---|--|--------------------------------|
| Date: 9/4/14 | Project/Site: ACP | Latitude: 35.23028 |
| Evaluator: K. Markham, K. Murphy | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.61000 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if $\geq 30^*$ 35 | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent <u>Perennial</u> | Other Mingo e.g. Quad Name: |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 18.5)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|-------|-----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | (1) | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 9.5)

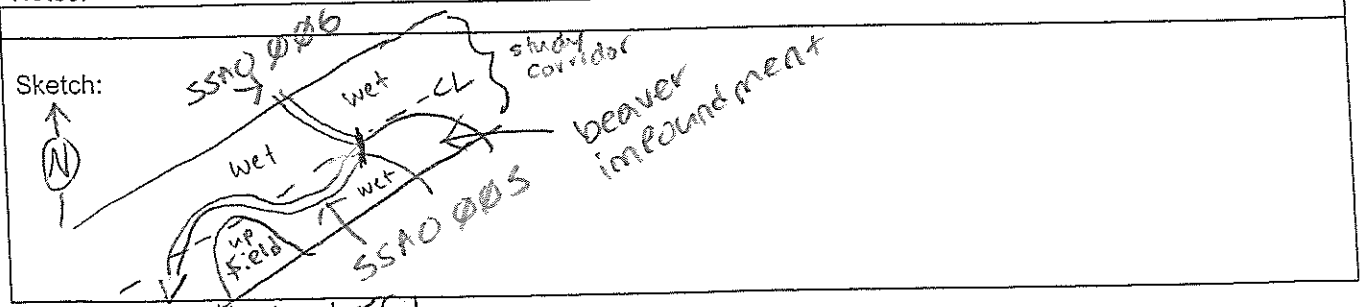
| | | | | |
|--|--------|-------|-----------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | (1) | 0.5 | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 7)

| | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|-------|-----|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | (2) | 1 | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | (3) | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | 0 | (0.5) | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = 0 | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes:



OHWM width: 15 ft
Top of Bank width: 16 ft

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao006 facing east upstream.



Waterbody ssao006 facing west downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao006 facing south across channel.

USACE AID# _____

DWQ# _____

Site # _____ (indicate on attached map)

55a0005



STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

- 1. Applicant's name: Dominion
- 2. Evaluator's name: K. Markham, K. Murphy
- 3. Date of evaluation: 9/4/14
- 4. Time of evaluation: 1000
- 5. Name of stream: Starlings Swamp
- 6. River basin: Cape Fear
- 7. Approximate drainage area: 6900 acres
- 8. Stream order: 3
- 9. Length of reach evaluated: 100 ft.
- 10. County: Sampson
- 11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
- 12. Subdivision name (if any): NA
- Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.22954
- Longitude (ex. -77.556611): -78.61200

Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____

13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location):
LOCATED WEST OF GREEN PATH ROAD.

14. Proposed channel work (if any): TBD

15. Recent weather conditions: Rain within 24 hrs.

16. Site conditions at time of visit: undisturbed

17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: Section 10 Tidal Waters Essential Fisheries Habitat
 Trout Waters Outstanding Resource Waters Nutrient Sensitive Waters Water Supply Watershed (I-IV)

18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: 5 ac.

19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO 20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO

21. Estimated watershed land use: % Residential % Commercial % Industrial 60 % Agricultural
40 % Forested % Cleared / Logged % Other (_____)

* (Top of Bank) 22. Bankfull width: 2 ft 23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): > 4 ft.

24. Channel slope down center of stream: Flat (0 to 2%) Gentle (2 to 4%) Moderate (4 to 10%) Steep (>10%)

25. Channel sinuosity: Straight Occasional bends Frequent meander Very sinuous Braided channel

Instructions for completion of worksheet (located on page 2): Begin by determining the most appropriate ecoregion based on location, terrain, vegetation, stream classification, etc. Every characteristic must be scored using the same ecoregion. Assign points to each characteristic within the range shown for the ecoregion. Page 3 provides a brief description of how to review the characteristics identified in the worksheet. Scores should reflect an overall assessment of the stream reach under evaluation. If a characteristic cannot be evaluated due to site or weather conditions, enter 0 in the scoring box and provide an explanation in the comment section. Where there are obvious changes in the character of a stream under review (e.g., the stream flows from a pasture into a forest), the stream may be divided into smaller reaches that display more continuity, and a separate form used to evaluate each reach. The total score assigned to a stream reach must range between 0 and 100, with a score of 100 representing a stream of the highest quality.

Total Score (from reverse): 78 Comments: main channel of Starlings Swamp - flowing downhill from beaver dam

Evaluator's Signature [Signature] Date 9/4/14

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STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET

| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|---|-----------------------|----------|----------|-------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 2 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 4 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 5 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 6 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 4 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 5 |
| | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | NA |
| STABILITY | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 3 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 5 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 4 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | NA |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 3 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 5 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 78 |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

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| | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------|
| Date: 9/4/14 | Project/Site: ACP | Latitude: 35.22954 |
| Evaluator: K. Markham / K. Murphy | County: Sampson | Longitude: -78.61220 |
| Total Points: Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if $\geq 30^*$ 32 | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral Intermittent <u>Perennial</u> | Other Mingo e.g. Quad Name: |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 17)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|--------|------|-----------|--------|
| 1 ^a . Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 8)

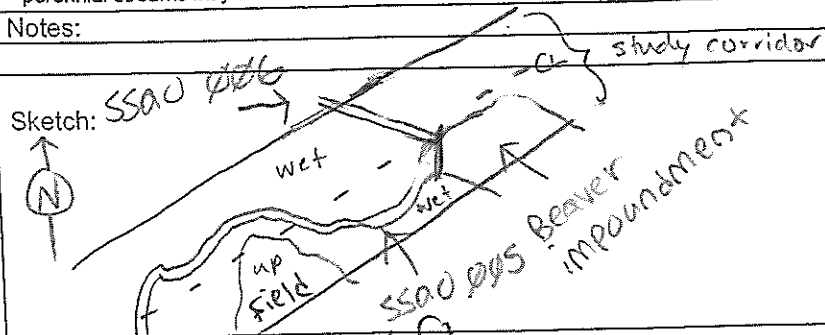
| | | | | |
|--|--------|-----|-----------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | 1 | 2 | (3) |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | 1 | (2) | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | 1 | 0.5 | (0) |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = (3) | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 7)

| | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | 2 | (1) | 0 |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | (3) | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | (0) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | (1) | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | (0) | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75; OBL = 1.5 Other = 0 | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes:



OHWM width: 20 ft
Top of Bank width: 21 ft

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao005 facing east upstream.



Waterbody ssao005 facing west downstream.

Environmental Field Surveys
Waterbody Photo Page



Waterbody ssao005 facing south across channel.

USACE AID# SSAG001 DWQ # _____ Site # _____ (indicate on attached map)



STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET



Provide the following information for the stream reach under assessment:

1. Applicant's name: Dominion
2. Evaluator's name: DDWEST
3. Date of evaluation: 8-20-15
4. Time of evaluation: 3:00
5. Name of stream: UNT TO MINZOSWAMP River basin: Cape Fear
7. Approximate drainage area: > 20 acres
8. Stream order: 1st
9. Length of reach evaluated: 50 ft
10. County: Sampson
11. Site coordinates (if known): prefer in decimal degrees.
12. Subdivision name (if any): NA
- Latitude (ex. 34.872312): 35.2211 Longitude (ex. -77.556611): 78.6095
- Method location determined (circle): GPS Topo Sheet Ortho (Aerial) Photo/GIS Other GIS Other _____
13. Location of reach under evaluation (note nearby roads and landmarks and attach map identifying stream(s) location): _____
14. Proposed channel work (if any): UNKNOWN
15. Recent weather conditions: Recent heavy rains
16. Site conditions at time of visit: Partly cloudy
17. Identify any special waterway classifications known: NK Section 10 NK Tidal Waters NA Essential Fisheries Habitat NK Trout Waters NK Outstanding Resource Waters NK Nutrient Sensitive Waters NK Water Supply Watershed NA (I-IV)
18. Is there a pond or lake located upstream of the evaluation point? YES NO If yes, estimate the water surface area: 5 acres
19. Does channel appear on USGS quad map? YES NO
20. Does channel appear on USDA Soil Survey? YES NO
21. Estimated watershed land use: 10 % Residential _____ % Commercial _____ % Industrial 90 % Agricultural _____ % Forested _____ % Cleared / Logged _____ % Other (_____)
22. Bankfull width: 4
23. Bank height (from bed to top of bank): 4
24. Channel slope down center of stream: X Flat (0 to 2%) _____ Gentle (2 to 4%) _____ Moderate (4 to 10%) _____ Steep (>10%)
25. Channel sinuosity: _____ Straight X Occasional bends _____ Frequent meander _____ Very sinuous _____ Braided channel

Instructions for completion of worksheet (located on page 2): Begin by determining the most appropriate ecoregion based on location, terrain, vegetation, stream classification, etc. Every characteristic must be scored using the same ecoregion. Assign points to each characteristic within the range shown for the ecoregion. Page 3 provides a brief description of how to review the characteristics identified in the worksheet. Scores should reflect an overall assessment of the stream reach under evaluation. If a characteristic cannot be evaluated due to site or weather conditions, enter 0 in the scoring box and provide an explanation in the comment section. Where there are obvious changes in the character of a stream under review (e.g., the stream flows from a pasture into a forest), the stream may be divided into smaller reaches that display more continuity, and a separate form used to evaluate each reach. The total score assigned to a stream reach must range between 0 and 100, with a score of 100 representing a stream of the highest quality.

Total Score (from reverse): 21 Comments: Drainage feature through pasture

Evaluator's Signature [Signature] Date 8-20-15

This channel evaluation form is intended to be used only as a guide to assist landowners and environmental professionals in gathering the data required by the United States Army Corps of Engineers to make a preliminary assessment of stream quality. The total score resulting from the completion of this form is subject to USACE approval and does not imply a particular mitigation ratio or requirement. Form subject to change - version 06/03. To Comment, please call 919-876-8441 x 26.

STREAM QUALITY ASSESSMENT WORKSHEET

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| | # | CHARACTERISTICS | ECOREGION POINT RANGE | | | SCORE |
|---|----|--|-----------------------|----------|----------|-------|
| | | | Coastal | Piedmont | Mountain | |
| PHYSICAL | 1 | Presence of flow / persistent pools in stream (no flow or saturation = 0; strong flow = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 2 | Evidence of past human alteration (extensive alteration = 0; no alteration = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 3 | Riparian zone (no buffer = 0; contiguous, wide buffer = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 4 | Evidence of nutrient or chemical discharges (extensive discharges = 0; no discharges = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 1 |
| | 5 | Groundwater discharge (no discharge = 0; springs, seeps, wetlands, etc. = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 1 |
| | 6 | Presence of adjacent floodplain (no floodplain = 0; extensive floodplain = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 7 | Entrenchment / floodplain access (deeply entrenched = 0; frequent flooding = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 1 |
| | 8 | Presence of adjacent wetlands (no wetlands = 0; large adjacent wetlands = max points) | 0-6 | 0-4 | 0-2 | 0 |
| | 9 | Channel sinuosity (extensive channelization = 0; natural meander = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-3 | 2 |
| | 10 | Sediment input (extensive deposition = 0; little or no sediment = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 1 |
| STABILITY | 11 | Size & diversity of channel bed substrate (fine, homogenous = 0; large, diverse sizes = max points) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-5 | NA |
| | 12 | Evidence of channel incision or widening (deeply incised = 0; stable bed & banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 13 | Presence of major bank failures (severe erosion = 0; no erosion, stable banks = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 2 |
| | 14 | Root depth and density on banks (no visible roots = 0; dense roots throughout = max points) | 0-3 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 15 | Impact by agriculture, livestock, or timber production (substantial impact = 0; no evidence = max points) | 0-5 | 0-4 | 0-5 | 1 |
| HABITAT | 16 | Presence of riffle-pool/ripple-pool complexes (no riffles/ripples or pools = 0; well-developed = max points) | 0-3 | 0-5 | 0-6 | 1 |
| | 17 | Habitat complexity (little or no habitat = 0; frequent, varied habitats = max points) | 0-6 | 0-6 | 0-6 | 2 |
| | 18 | Canopy coverage over streambed (no shading vegetation = 0; continuous canopy = max points) | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 0 |
| | 19 | Substrate embeddedness (deeply embedded = 0; loose structure = max) | NA* | 0-4 | 0-4 | NA |
| BIOLOGY | 20 | Presence of stream invertebrates (see page 4) (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 1 |
| | 21 | Presence of amphibians (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 1 |
| | 22 | Presence of fish (no evidence = 0; common, numerous types = max points) | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0-4 | 0 |
| | 23 | Evidence of wildlife use (no evidence = 0; abundant evidence = max points) | 0-6 | 0-5 | 0-5 | 1 |
| Total Points Possible | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL SCORE (also enter on first page) | | | | | | 21 |

* These characteristics are not assessed in coastal streams.

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| | | |
|--|--|---------------------------|
| Date: <u>8-20-15</u> | Project/Site: <u>ACP</u> | Latitude: <u>35.2211</u> |
| Evaluator: <u>DWEST</u> | County: <u>Sampson</u> | Longitude: <u>78.6095</u> |
| Total Points: <u>241</u> <small>Stream is at least intermittent if ≥ 19 or perennial if ≥ 30*</small> | Stream Determination (circle one) Ephemeral <u>Intermittent</u> Perennial | Other e.g. Quad Name: |

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 10.5)

| | Absent | Weak | Moderate | Strong |
|---|----------|--------------|----------|--------|
| 1 ^a Continuity of channel bed and bank | 0 | 0 | <u>2</u> | 3 |
| 2. Sinuosity of channel along thalweg | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 3. In-channel structure: ex. riffle-pool, step-pool, ripple-pool sequence | 0 | 1 | <u>2</u> | 3 |
| 4. Particle size of stream substrate | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Active/relict floodplain | <u>0</u> | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Depositional bars or benches | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Recent alluvial deposits | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Headcuts | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Grade control | 0 | 0.5 | <u>1</u> | 1.5 |
| 10. Natural valley | 0 | <u>0.5</u> | 1 | 1.5 |
| 11. Second or greater order channel | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

^a artificial ditches are not rated; see discussions in manual

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 6.5)

| | | | | |
|--|--------|------------|------------|-----|
| 12. Presence of Baseflow | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Iron oxidizing bacteria | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Leaf litter | 1.5 | 1 | <u>0.5</u> | 0 |
| 15. Sediment on plants or debris | 0 | <u>0.5</u> | 1 | 1.5 |
| 16. Organic debris lines or piles | 0 | <u>0.5</u> | 1 | 1.5 |
| 17. Soil-based evidence of high water table? | No = 0 | | Yes = 3 | |

C. Biology (Subtotal = 7)

| | | | | |
|---|---|------------|----------|----------|
| 18. Fibrous roots in streambed | 3 | 2 | 1 | <u>0</u> |
| 19. Rooted upland plants in streambed | <u>3</u> | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 20. Macroinvertebrates (note diversity and abundance) | 0 | <u>1</u> | 2 | 3 |
| 21. Aquatic Mollusks | <u>0</u> | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 22. Fish | <u>0</u> | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 23. Crayfish | <u>0</u> | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 24. Amphibians | 0 | 0.5 | <u>1</u> | 1.5 |
| 25. Algae | 0 | <u>0.5</u> | 1 | 1.5 |
| 26. Wetland plants in streambed | FACW = 0.75, <u>OBL = 1.5</u> , Other = 0 | | | |

*perennial streams may also be identified using other methods. See p. 35 of manual.

Notes:

Sketch:

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Waterbody *SSAG001*
facing upstream



Waterbody *SSAG001*
facing downstream

SSAG001



Waterbody SSAG001 facing upline cross stream

Open Waterbody Data Sheet

| | | | |
|---|------------------------|--|---|
| Survey Description | | | |
| Project Name: ACP Southwestern Reliability | | Waterbody Name: PRIVATE POND | |
| Waterbody ID: OSA6001 | | Date: 8-20-15 | |
| State: NC | County: SAMPSON | Company: DOWEST | Crew Member Initials: JD, DB |
| Tract Number(s): 21-070 | | Nearest Milepost: NA | Associated Wetland ID(s): WSA006 |
| Survey Type: (check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Centerline <input type="checkbox"/> Re-Route <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Access Road <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | |
| Physical Attributes | | | |
| Waterbody Type: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Stock Pond <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Pond <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lake <input type="checkbox"/> Reservoir <input type="checkbox"/> Impoundment <input type="checkbox"/> Oxbow <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | |
| Hydrologic Regime: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanently Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Semipermanently Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonally Flooded <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Flooded | | | |
| OHWM Height: 3 ft. | | OHWM Indicator: (check all that apply) | |
| | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clear line on bank <input type="checkbox"/> Shelving <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wrested vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Scouring <input type="checkbox"/> Water staining | |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Bent, matted, or missing vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Wrack line <input type="checkbox"/> Litter and debris <input type="checkbox"/> Abrupt plant <input type="checkbox"/> Soil characteristic change community change | |
| Depth of Water: N/A ft. | | Bank height (average): 6 ft. | Bank slope (average): 25 degrees |
| Qualitative Attributes | | | |
| Water Appearance: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> No water <input type="checkbox"/> Clear <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Turbid <input type="checkbox"/> Sheen on surface <input type="checkbox"/> Surface scum <input type="checkbox"/> Algal mats <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | |
| Substrate: (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Bedrock <input type="checkbox"/> Boulder <input type="checkbox"/> Cobble <input type="checkbox"/> Gravel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sand <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Silt/clay <input type="checkbox"/> Organic <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | |
| % of Substrate: _____% _____% _____% _____% 90 % 70 % _____% _____% | | | |
| Width of Riparian Zone: N/A ft. | | Vegetative Layers: (check all that apply) | |
| | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trees: 15 in. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saplings/Shrubs: _____ in. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Herbs: _____ in. | |
| | | Avg. DBH of Dominants: (approx.) | |
| Dominant Bank Vegetation (list): Quercus hemispherica, Eupatorium capillifolium, Helianthus amarus | | | |
| Aquatic Habitats (ex: submerged or emerged aquatic vegetation, overhanging banks/roots, leaf packs, large submerged wood, riffles, deep pools, etc.): Deep pool | | | |
| Aquatic Organisms Observed (list): Small fish | | | |
| T&E Species Observed (list): NONE | | | |
| Disturbances (ex: livestock access, manure in waterbody, waste discharge pipes): Livestock access, | | | |
| Waterbody is: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Artificial, man-made <input type="checkbox"/> Manipulated | | | |
| Waterbody Quality: (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> High <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Low | | | |

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Waterbody ID:

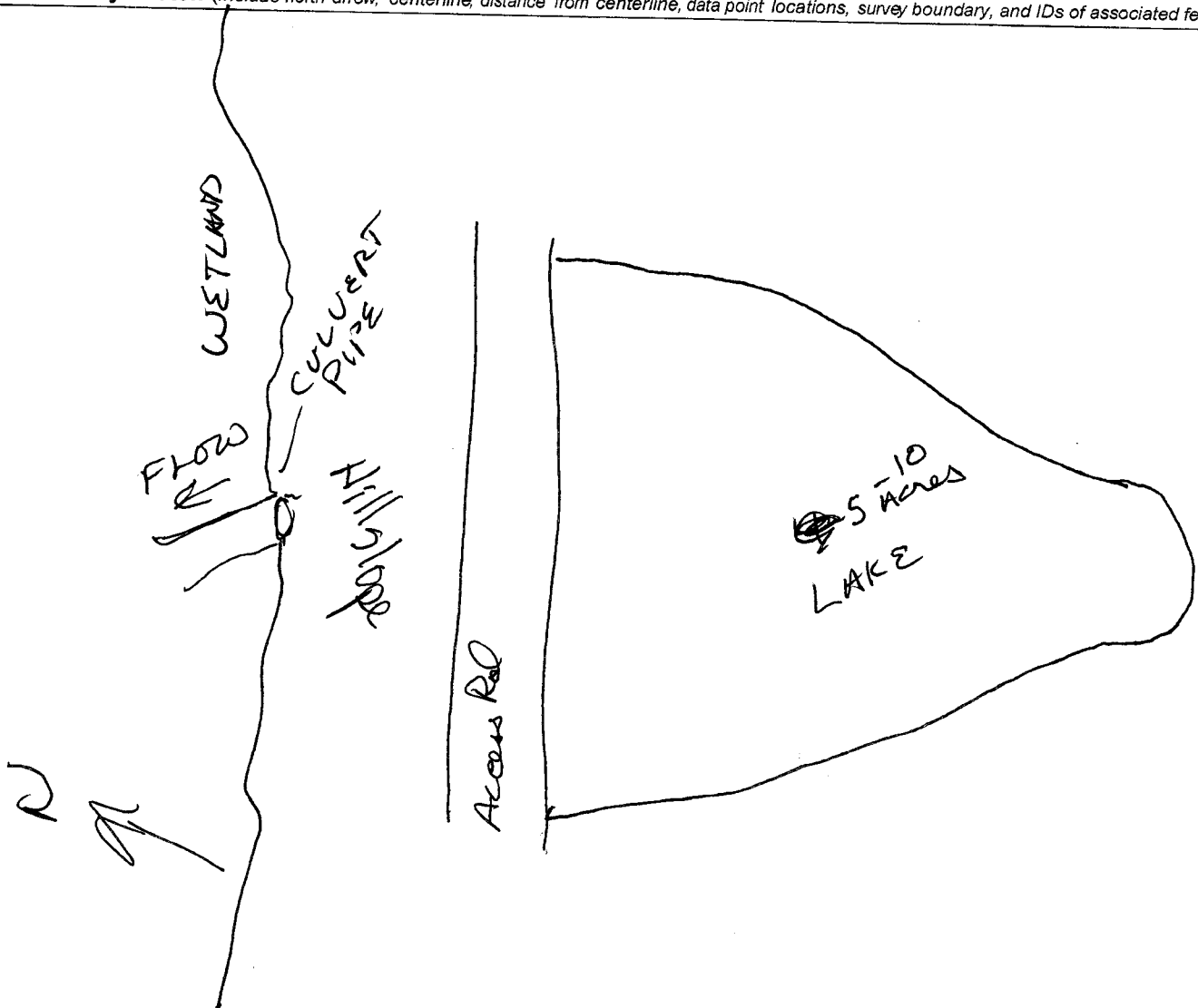
^a **High Quality:** Natural, natural bank vegetation around entire waterbody; banks stable and protected by roots; water color is clear to tea-colored; no barriers to fish movement; many fish cover types available; diverse and stable aquatic habitat; no disturbance by livestock or man.

Moderate Quality: Altered by rip-rap; natural vegetation extends 1/3-1/2 of the active channel width on each side; filtering function or bank vegetation only moderately compromised; banks moderately unstable; water color is cloudy, submerged objects covered with greenish film; moderate odor; minor barriers to fish movement; fair aquatic habitat; minimum disturbance by livestock or man.

Low Quality: Rip rap and channelization excessive; natural vegetation less than 1/3 of the active channel width on each side; lack of regeneration; filtering function severely compromised; banks unstable (eroding); water color is muddy and turbid; obvious pollutants (algal mats, surface scum, surface sheen); heavy odor; severe barriers to fish movement; little to no aquatic habitat; severe disturbance from livestock or man.

Notes:

Waterbody Sketch (Include north arrow, centerline, distance from centerline, data point locations, survey boundary, and IDs of associated features)



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Waterbody 0
OSAG001
facing east



Waterbody *OSAG001*
facing west

OSAG001



Waterbody OSAG001 facing south