



September 10, 2021

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Attention: Mr. Robert Campbell, PE

Subject: **Hydrologic Determination Report**  
Sevierville Pike Project  
Knox County, Tennessee  
GEOServices Project No. 24-21945

Dear Mr. Campbell:

GEOServices, LLC has completed a Hydrologic Determination Report for a multiple drainage features at the above-referenced project, located at 8802 Sevierville Pike in Knox County, Tennessee. Please see our findings in the attached report.

GEOServices appreciates the opportunity to continue providing services to you and looks forward to working with you in the future. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at your convenience.

Sincerely,  
**GEOServices, LLC**

Jason Mann, PE, TN-QHP # 1042-TN10  
Senior Project Manager

Byron L. Barton, P.G.  
Senior Geologist

**HYDROLOGIC DETERMINATION REPORT**  
**FOR**  
**SEVIERVILLE PIKE PROJECT**  
**KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

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GEOServices Project # 24-21945

## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

GEOServices, LLC (GEOServices) performed a hydrologic determination on a five (5) drainage features located in the headwaters of Hines Creek, located at 8802 Sevierville Pike in Knox County, Tennessee. The site investigation and hydrologic determination were conducted on August 9, 2021 by Jason Mann of GEOServices.

## 2.0 SITE DESCRIPTION

The subject project location consists of two parcels; the parcels are described on Map 138, Parcels 270 and 274 102.00 according to the Knox County Property Assessor. The overall project footprint is roughly 173 acres in size; **Map 1** in Appendix A provides an overview of the subject location. The site is bordered on all sides by residential and commercial properties

**Map 2** in Appendix A illustrates the location of the hydrologic resources evaluated on site. Two (2) of the channels are wet weather conveyances, and three (3) channels are jurisdictional streams. All of the channels evaluated drain toward the Hines Creek. The channels on-site were evaluated for geomorphological, hydrological, and biological stream indicators.

Based on the Shooks Gap USGS 7.5 - Minute Topographic Quadrangle (**Map 3** in Appendix A), three (3) of the subject channels are designated as “blue line” features, and two (2) are not. Additionally, the topography of the parcel has an approximate elevation range between approximately 1062 and 920 feet above mean sea level.

The soils map associated with this site is shown as **Map 4** in Appendix A. While there are multiple soil types found in the general area, only one of the soils mapped on site is correlated with hydric conditions. Steadman Silt Loam is listed as a hydric soil.

The entire project lies in the Hines Creek Watershed (HUC 060101070405), which is nested within the Lower French Broad Watershed (HUC 06010107). Hines Creek is not listed on the most-

recent 303(d) list of impaired waterways in Tennessee. The receiving stream is considered to be fully supporting of the seven designated surface water uses in Tennessee.

### **3.0 RESOURCE DESCRIPTION**

Three (3) of the channels found on site have sustained flows, and are considered jurisdictional streams. One of the streams has been recently altered, and the determination process has been influenced by current conditions. Two (2) of the channels are wet weather conveyances. No other water resources were found or evaluated during this investigation.

### **4.0 METHODS**

The channels have been evaluated using the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation Hydrologic Determination Field Data form v1.5. Weather calculations, field data sheets, photos, and a copy of QHP Certification 1042-TN10 is provided in the attached appendices.

### **5.0 RESULTS**

**UT Hines Creek, Channel 1 – Stream** due to secondary stream indicators; a secondary score of 31.0 was calculated using a rigorous and reasonable amount of effort.

**UT Hines Creek, Channel 2 – Stream** due to secondary stream indicators; a secondary score of 20.0 was calculated using a rigorous and reasonable amount of effort.

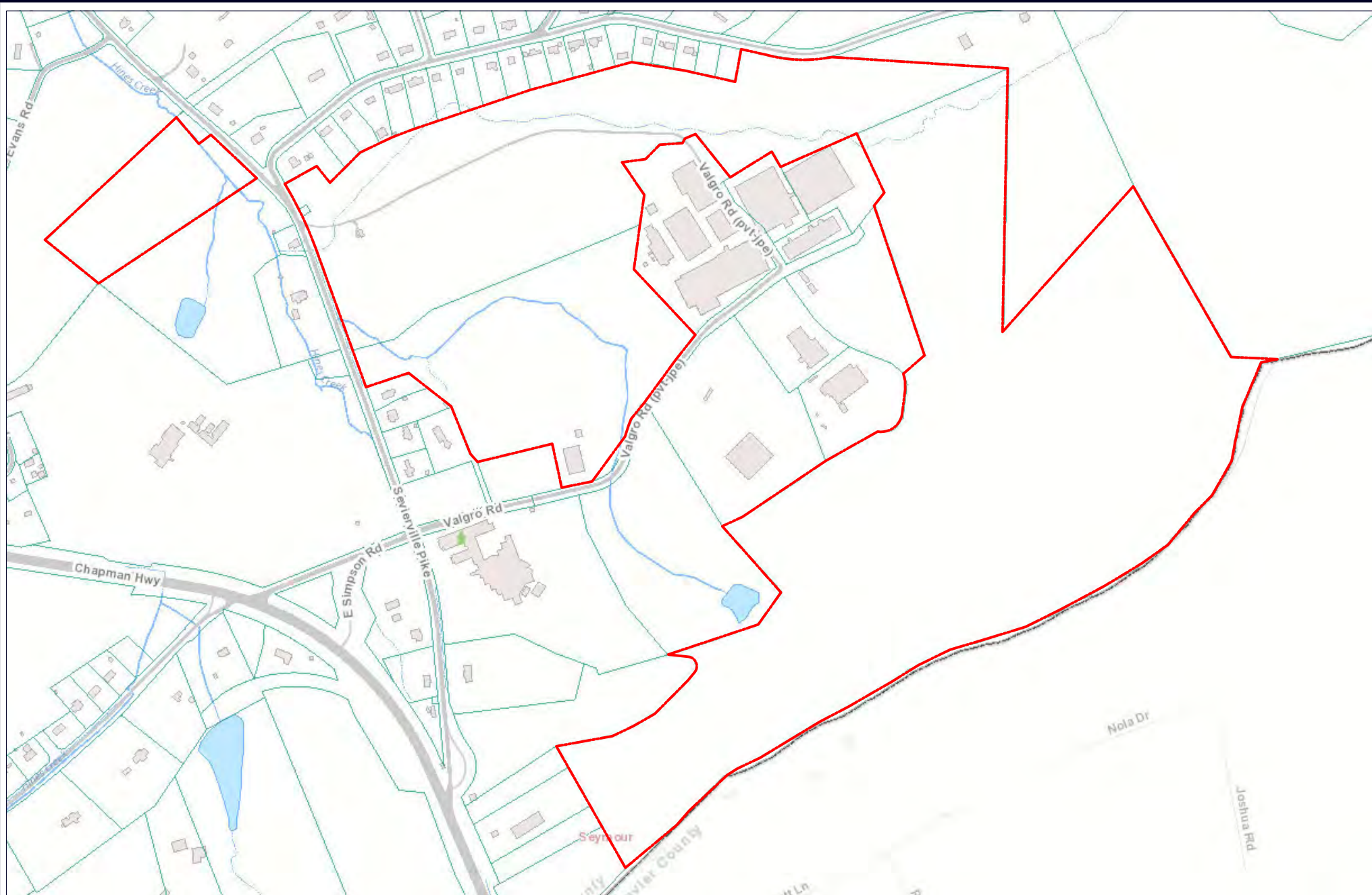
**UT Hines Creek, Channel 3 – Stream** due to primary and secondary stream indicators; a secondary score of 21.5 was calculated using a rigorous and reasonable amount of effort. The channel has been recently disturbed and the alterations impact the score.

**UT Hines Creek, Channel 4 – Wet Weather Conveyance** due to secondary stream indicators; a secondary score of 11.0 was calculated using a rigorous and reasonable amount of effort.

**UT Hines Creek, Channel 5 – Wet Weather Conveyance** due to secondary stream indicators; a secondary score of 18.0 was calculated using a rigorous and reasonable amount of effort.

**Map 2** illustrates the georeferenced location of the water resource in question, and is included in Appendix A.

**Appendix A**  
**Maps**



Note:  
Site boundary and features shown are approximate only.  
Drawing composed from field notes and observations only.

— Subject Property.

SCALE:	NTS
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DRAWN BY:	CSG
DATE:	9-4-2021



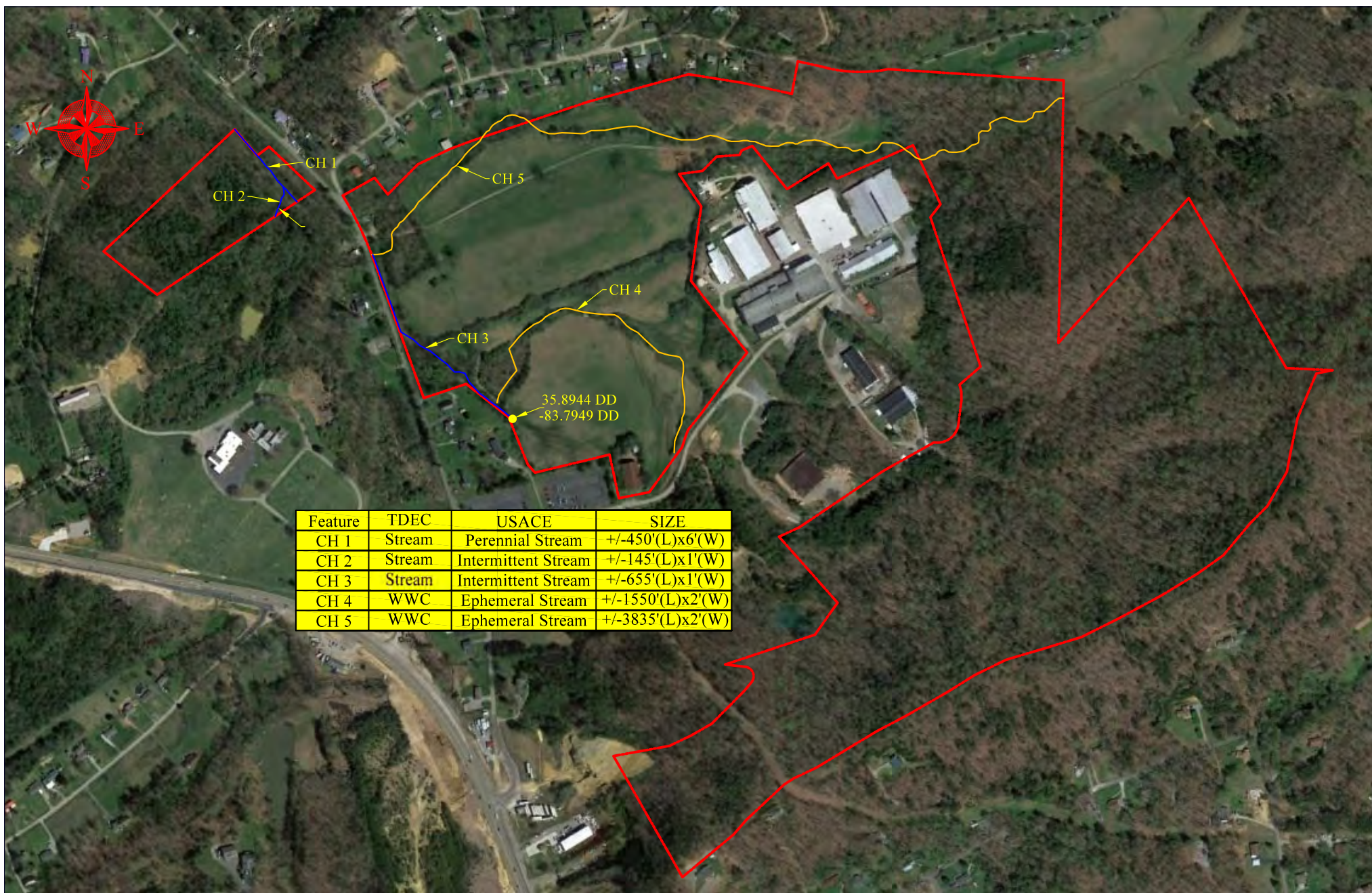
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SUBJECT LOCATION  
SEVIERVILLE PIKE  
STREAM DETERMINATION  
8802 SEVIERVILLE PIKE  
KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

JOB NO: 24-21945





Feature	TDEC	USACE	SIZE
CH 1	Stream	Perennial Stream	+/-450'(L)x6'(W)
CH 2	Stream	Intermittent Stream	+/-145'(L)x1'(W)
CH 3	Stream	Intermittent Stream	+/-655'(L)x1'(W)
CH 4	WWC	Ephemeral Stream	+/-1550'(L)x2'(W)
CH 5	WWC	Ephemeral Stream	+/-3835'(L)x2'(W)

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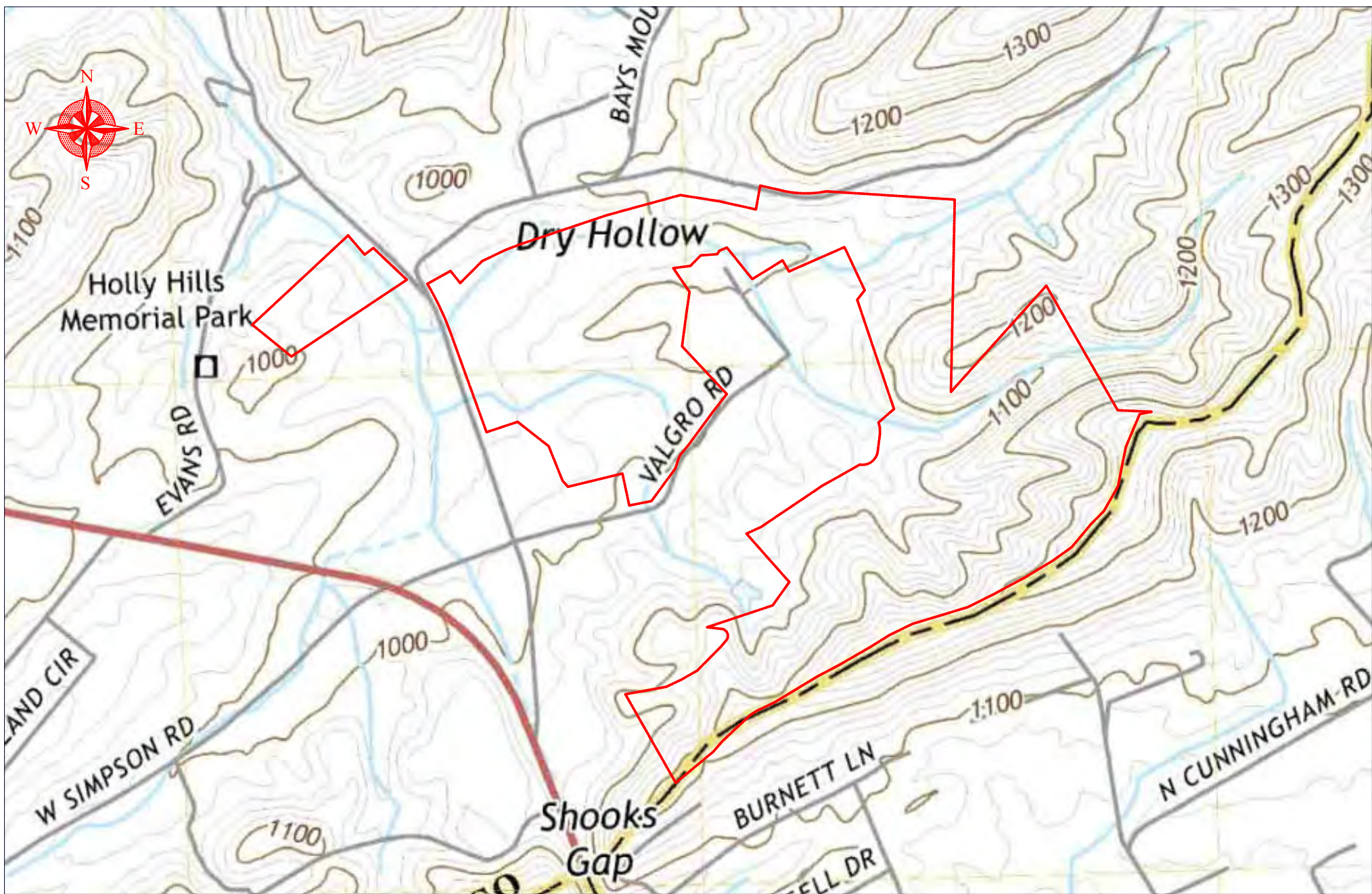
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WATER RESOURCE MAP  
SEVIERVILLE PIKE  
STREAM DETERMINATION  
8802 SEVIERVILLE PIKE  
KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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 Drawing composed from field notes and observations only.  
 — Subject Property.

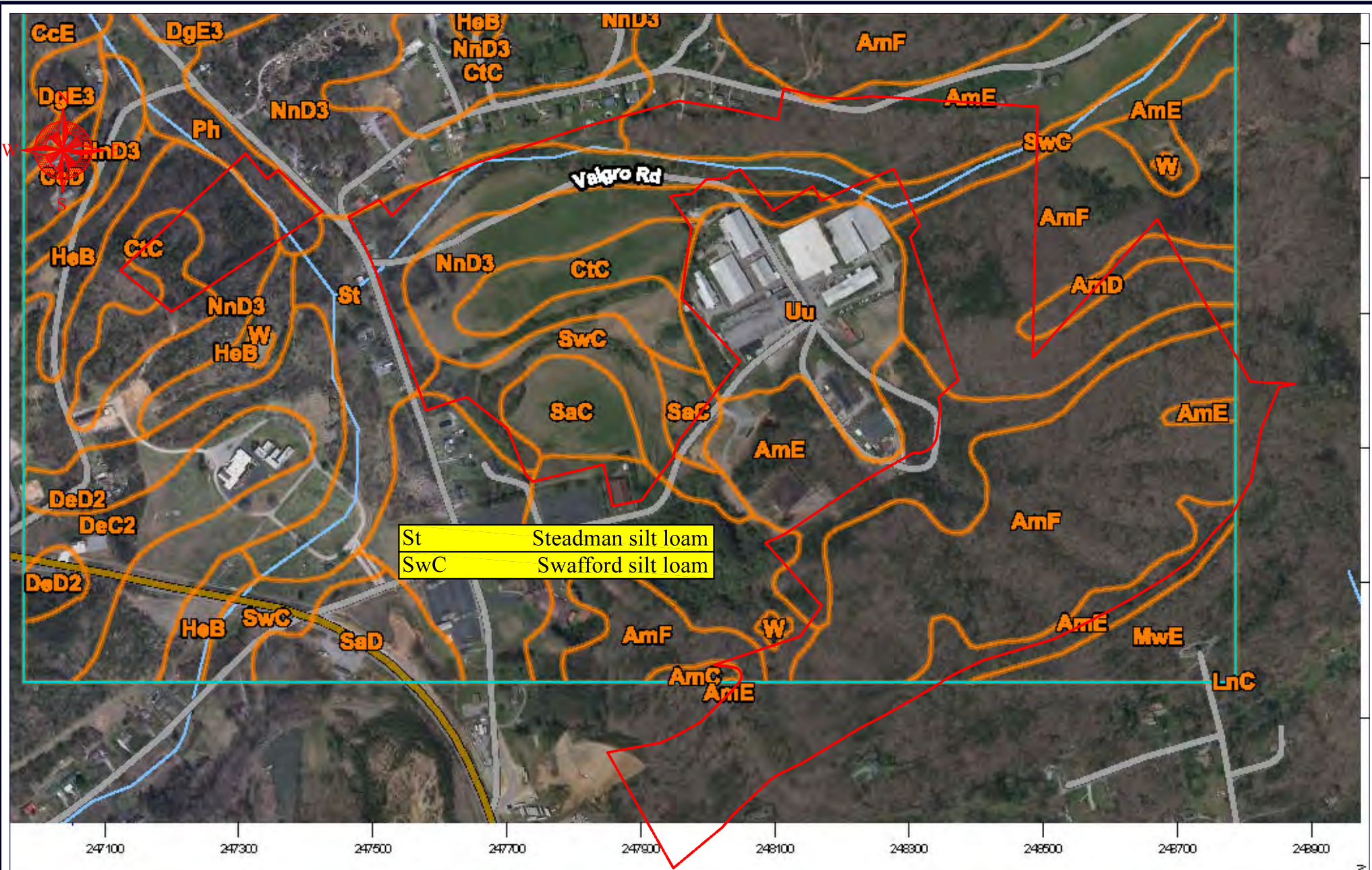
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TOPOGRAPHIC MAP  
 SEVIERVILLE PIKE  
 STREAM DETERMINATION  
 8802 SEVIERVILLE PIKE  
 KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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WEB SOIL SURVEY  
 SEVIERVILLE PIKE  
 STREAM DETERMINATION  
 8802 SEVIERVILLE PIKE  
 KNOX COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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**Appendix B**  
**Photographs**





Photo 1: Photo of Channel 1 as it enters the subject property



Photo 2: Photo of Channel 2 as it enters the subject parcel





Photo 3: Photo of Channel 2 at the confluence with Channel 1



Photo 4: Channel 3 originates with a culvert, acting as a springhead;  
no water source could be found upgradient of this location





Photo 5: The lower section of Channel 3 has been altered



Photo 6: Typical representation of the Channel 3





Photo 7: Photo of Channel 4 as it exits the subject parcel



Photo 8: Typical representation of the Channel 4 near the confluence with Channel 3





Photo 9: Photo of the Channel 5 as it enters the subject parcel



Photo 10: Typical representation of the Channel 5 midway through the property

**Appendix C**  
**Field Data Sheets**



# **Hydrologic Determination Field Data Sheet** Tennessee Division of Water Pollution Control, Version 1.5

Named Waterbody:	UT Hines Creek - Channel # <u>1</u>	Date/Time: 8/9/21
Assessors/Affiliation:	Jason Mann, GEOServices	Project ID : 24-21945
Site Name/Description:	Sevierville Pike Project	
Site Location:	Sevierville Pike, Knox County, TN	
HUC (12 digit):	060101070405	Lat/Long: 35.8963
Previous Rainfall (7-days) :	0.19"	-83.7955
Precipitation this Season vs. Normal : abnormally wet   elevated   average   low   abnormally dry   unknown		
Source of recent & seasonal precip data : NOAA - See Attached		
Watershed Size :	<u>895 acres</u>	County: Knox
Soil Type(s) / Geology :	<u>Steadman Silt Loam</u>	Source: WSS
Surrounding Land Use :	Residential & Commercial	
Degree of historical alteration to natural channel morphology & hydrology (circle one & describe fully in Notes) :		
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <span>Severe</span> <span>Moderate</span> <span><u>Slight</u></span> <span>Absent</span> </div>		

## **Primary Field Indicators Observed**

Primary Indicators	NO	YES
1. Hydrologic feature exists solely due to a process discharge	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WWC
2. Defined bed and bank absent, vegetation composed of upland and FACU species	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WWC
3. Watercourse dry anytime during February through April 15th, under normal precipitation / groundwater conditions	<u>NA</u>	WWC
4. Daily flow and precipitation records showing feature only flows in direct response to rainfall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WWC
5. Presence of multiple populations of obligate lotic organisms with ≥ 2 month aquatic phase		Stream
6. Presence of fish (except <i>Gambusia</i> )	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream
7. Presence of naturally occurring ground water table connection	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream
8. Flowing water in channel and 7 days since last precip >0.1" in local watershed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream
9. Evidence watercourse has been used as a supply of drinking water	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream

**NOTE: If any Primary Indicators 1-9 = "Yes", then no further investigation is necessary. However, assessors may choose to score secondary indicators as supporting evidence.**

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Guidance for the interpretation and scoring of both the primary & secondary indicators is provided in *TDEC-WPC Guidance For Making Hydrologic Determinations, Version 1.5*

**Overall Hydrologic Determination =** Stream

**Secondary Indicator Score (if applicable) =** 31

**Justification / Notes :**

U/S : 35.8972°, -83.7984°  
d/s : 35.8982°, -83.7993°



24-21945 CHI

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 15.5)	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
1. Continuous bed and bank	0	1	2	3
2. Sinuous channel	0	1	2	3
3. In-channel structure: riffle-pool sequences	0	1	2	3
4. Sorting of soil textures or other substrate	0	1	2	3
5. Active/relic floodplain	0	0.5	1	1.5
6. Depositional bars or benches	0	1	2	3
7. Braided channel	0	1	2	3
8. Recent alluvial deposits	0	0.5	1	1.5
9. Natural levees	0	1	2	3
10. Headcuts	0	1	2	3
11. Grade controls	0	0.5	1	1.5
12. Natural valley or drainageway	0	0.5	1	1.5
13. At least second order channel on existing USGS or NRCS map	No = 0		Yes = 3	

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 5.5)		Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
14. Subsurface flow/discharge into channel		0	1	2	3
15. Water in channel and >48 hours since sig. rain		0	1	2	3
16. Leaf litter in channel (January – September)		1.5	1	0.5	0
17. Sediment on plants or on debris		0	0.5	1	1.5
18. Organic debris lines or piles (wrack lines)		0	0.5	1	1.5
19. Hydric soils in channel bed or sides of channel		No = 0		Yes = 1.5	

C. Biology (Subtotal = 10 )	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
20. Fibrous roots in channel bed <sup>1</sup>	3	2	1	0
21. Rooted plants in the thalweg <sup>1</sup>	3	2	1	0
22. Crayfish in stream (exclude in floodplain)	0	1	2	3
23. Bivalves/mussels	0	1	2	3
24. Amphibians	0	0.5	1	1.5
25. Macrobenthos (record type & abundance)	0	1	2	3
26. Filamentous algae; periphyton	0	1	2	3
27. Iron oxidizing bacteria/fungus	0	0.5	1	1.5
28. Wetland plants in channel bed <sup>2</sup>	0	0.5	1	1.5

Focus is on the presence of terrestrial plants.

<sup>2</sup> Focus is on the presence of aquatic or wetland plants.

Total Points = 31

*Under Normal Conditions, Watercourse is a Wet Weather Conveyance if Secondary Indicator Score < 19 points*

**Notes :**

# **Hydrologic Determination Field Data Sheet** Tennessee Division of Water Pollution Control, Version 1.5

Named Waterbody:	UT Hines Creek - Channel # <u>2</u>	Date/Time:	8/9/21
Assessors/Affiliation:	Jason Mann, GEOServices	Project ID :	24-21945
Site Name/Description:	Sevierville Pike Project		
Site Location:	Sevierville Pike, Knox County, TN		
HUC (12 digit):	060101070405	Lat/Long:	35.8963
Previous Rainfall (7-days) :	0.19"		-83.7955
Precipitation this Season vs. Normal : abnormally wet   elevated   average   low   abnormally dry   unknown			
Source of recent & seasonal precip data : NOAA - See Attached			
Watershed Size :	<u>~ 13 acres</u>	County:	Knox
Soil Type(s) / Geology :	<u>Steadman Silt Loam</u>	Source:	WSS
Surrounding Land Use :	Residential & Commercial		
Degree of historical alteration to natural channel morphology & hydrology (circle one & describe fully in Notes) :			
Severe                      Moderate <u>Slight</u> Absent			

## **Primary Field Indicators Observed**

Primary Indicators	NO	YES
1. Hydrologic feature exists solely due to a process discharge	✓	WWC
2. Defined bed and bank absent, vegetation composed of upland and FACU species	✓	WWC
3. Watercourse dry anytime during February through April 15th, under normal precipitation / groundwater conditions	<u>NA</u>	WWC
4. Daily flow and precipitation records showing feature only flows in direct response to rainfall	✓	WWC
5. Presence of multiple populations of obligate lotic organisms with ≥ 2 month aquatic phase	✓	Stream
6. Presence of fish (except <i>Gambusia</i> )	✓	Stream
7. Presence of naturally occurring ground water table connection	✓	Stream
8. Flowing water in channel and 7 days since last precip >0.1" in local watershed	✓	Stream
9. Evidence watercourse has been used as a supply of drinking water	✓	Stream

**NOTE:** If any Primary Indicators 1-9 = "Yes", then no further investigation is necessary. However, assessors may choose to score secondary indicators as supporting evidence.

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**Overall Hydrologic Determination =** Stream

**Secondary Indicator Score (if applicable) =** 20

**Justification / Notes :**

U/S: 35.8971°, -83.7987°                      property boundary  
d/s: 35.8974°, -83.7985°                      confluence w/ CH1



## Secondary Field Indicator Evaluation 24-21945 CH2

### A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 7.5)

	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
1. Continuous bed and bank	0	1	2	3
2. Sinuous channel	0	1	2	3
3. In-channel structure: riffle-pool sequences	0	1	2	3
4. Sorting of soil textures or other substrate	0	1	2	3
5. Active/relic floodplain	0	0.5	1	1.5
6. Depositional bars or benches	0	1	2	3
7. Braided channel	0	1	2	3
8. Recent alluvial deposits	0	0.5	1	1.5
9. Natural levees	0	1	2	3
10. Headcuts	0	1	2	3
11. Grade controls	0	0.5	1	1.5
12. Natural valley or drainageway	0	0.5	1	1.5
13. At least second order channel on existing USGS or NRCS map	No = 0		Yes = 3	

### B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 5)

	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
14. Subsurface flow/discharge into channel	0	1	2	3
15. Water in channel and >48 hours since sig. rain	0	1	2	3
16. Leaf litter in channel (January – September)	1.5	1	0.5	0
17. Sediment on plants or on debris	0	0.5	1	1.5
18. Organic debris lines or piles (wrack lines)	0	0.5	1	1.5
19. Hydric soils in channel bed or sides of channel	No = 0		Yes = 1.5	

### C. Biology (Subtotal = 7.5)

	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
20. Fibrous roots in channel bed <sup>1</sup>	3	2	1	0
21. Rooted plants in the thalweg <sup>1</sup>	3	2	1	0
22. Crayfish in stream (exclude in floodplain)	0	1	2	3
23. Bivalves/mussels	0	1	2	3
24. Amphibians	0	0.5	1	1.5
25. Macroinvertebrates (record type & abundance) *	0	1	2	3
26. Filamentous algae; periphyton	0	1	2	3
27. Iron oxidizing bacteria/fungus	0	0.5	1	1.5
28. Wetland plants in channel bed <sup>2</sup>	0	0.5	1	1.5

<sup>1</sup> Focus is on the presence of terrestrial plants.

<sup>2</sup> Focus is on the presence of aquatic or wetland plants.

Total Points = 20

Under Normal Conditions, Watercourse is a Wet Weather Conveyance if Secondary Indicator Score < 19 points

Notes : □ egg masses

\* amphipods & isopods found



# **Hydrologic Determination Field Data Sheet** Tennessee Division of Water Pollution Control, Version 1.5

Named Waterbody:	UT Hines Creek - Channel # <u>3</u>	Date/Time:	8/9/21
Assessors/Affiliation:	Jason Mann, GEOServices	Project ID :	24-21945
Site Name/Description:	Sevierville Pike Project		
Site Location:	Sevierville Pike, Knox County, TN		
HUC (12 digit):	060101070405	Lat/Long:	35.8963
Previous Rainfall (7-days) :	0.19"		-83.7955
Precipitation this Season vs. Normal : abnormally wet   elevated   average   low   abnormally dry   unknown			
Source of recent & seasonal precip data : NOAA - See Attached			
Watershed Size :	<u>~ 412 acres</u>	County:	Knox
Soil Type(s) / Geology :	<u>Steadman Silt Loam</u>	Source:	WSS
Surrounding Land Use :	Residential & Commercial		
Degree of historical alteration to natural channel morphology & hydrology (circle one & describe fully in Notes) :			
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <span><u>Severe</u></span> <span>Moderate</span> <span>Slight</span> <span>Absent</span> </div>			

## **Primary Field Indicators Observed**

Primary Indicators	NO	YES
1. Hydrologic feature exists solely due to a process discharge	✓	WWC
2. Defined bed and bank absent, vegetation composed of upland and FACU species	✓	WWC
3. Watercourse dry anytime during February through April 15th, under normal precipitation / groundwater conditions	<u>NA</u>	WWC
4. Daily flow and precipitation records showing feature only flows in direct response to rainfall	✓	WWC
5. Presence of multiple populations of obligate lotic organisms with ≥ 2 month aquatic phase	✓	Stream
6. Presence of fish (except <i>Gambusia</i> )	✓	Stream
7. Presence of naturally occurring ground water table connection		<u>Stream</u>
8. Flowing water in channel and 7 days since last precip >0.1" in local watershed	✓	Stream
9. Evidence watercourse has been used as a supply of drinking water	✓	Stream

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**Overall Hydrologic Determination =** stream

**Secondary Indicator Score (if applicable) =** 21.5

### **Justification / Notes :**

u/s: 35.8944°, -83.7949°      culvert end / spring(?)  
d/s: 35.8964°, -83.7972°      confluence w/ CH 5

Stream banks have been graded recently, which impacts this determination.

## Secondary Field Indicator Evaluation 24-21945 CH3

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 7.5)		Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
1. Continuous bed and bank		0	1	2	3
2. Sinuous channel		0	1	2	3
3. In-channel structure: riffle-pool sequences		0	1	2	3
4. Sorting of soil textures or other substrate		0	1	2	3
5. Active/relic floodplain		0	0.5	1	1.5
6. Depositional bars or benches		0	1	2	3
7. Braided channel		0	1	2	3
8. Recent alluvial deposits		0	0.5	1	1.5
9. Natural levees		0	1	2	3
10. Headcuts		0	1	2	3
11. Grade controls		0	0.5	1	1.5
12. Natural valley or drainageway		0	0.5	1	1.5
13. At least second order channel on existing USGS or NRCS map		No = 0		Yes = 3	

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 6.5)		Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
14. Subsurface flow/discharge into channel		0	1	2	3
15. Water in channel and >48 hours since sig. rain		0	1	2	3
16. Leaf litter in channel (January – September)		1.5	1	0.5	0
17. Sediment on plants or on debris		0	0.5	1	1.5
18. Organic debris lines or piles (wrack lines)		0	0.5	1	1.5
19. Hydric soils in channel bed or sides of channel		No = 0		Yes = 1.5	

C. Biology (Subtotal = 7.5)		Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
20. Fibrous roots in channel bed <sup>1</sup>		3	2	1	0
21. Rooted plants in the thalweg <sup>1</sup>		3	2	1	0
22. Crayfish in stream (exclude in floodplain)		0	1	2	3
23. Bivalves/mussels		0	1	2	3
24. Amphibians		0	0.5	1	1.5
25. Macroinvertebrates (record type & abundance)		0	1	2	3
26. Filamentous algae; periphyton		0	1	2	3
27. Iron oxidizing bacteria/fungus		0	0.5	1	1.5
28. Wetland plants in channel bed <sup>2</sup>		0	0.5	1	1.5

<sup>1</sup> Focus is on the presence of terrestrial plants.

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Total Points = 21.5

Under Normal Conditions, Watercourse is a Wet Weather Conveyance if Secondary Indicator Score < 19 points

### Notes :

Highly impacted



# **Hydrologic Determination Field Data Sheet** Tennessee Division of Water Pollution Control, Version 1.5

Named Waterbody:	UT Hines Creek - Channel # 4	Date/Time:	8/9/21
Assessors/Affiliation:	Jason Mann, GEOServices	Project ID :	24-21945
Site Name/Description:	Sevierville Pike Project		
Site Location:	Sevierville Pike, Knox County, TN		
HUC (12 digit):	060101070405	Lat/Long:	35.8963
Previous Rainfall (7-days) :	0.19"		-83.7955
Precipitation this Season vs. Normal : abnormally wet   elevated   average   low   abnormally dry   unknown			
Source of recent & seasonal precip data : NOAA - See Attached			
Watershed Size :	~26 acres	County:	Knox
Soil Type(s) / Geology :	Swafford Silt Loam	Source:	WSS
Surrounding Land Use :	Residential & Commercial		
Degree of historical alteration to natural channel morphology & hydrology (circle one & describe fully in Notes) :			
Severe <u>Moderate</u> Slight      Absent			

## **Primary Field Indicators Observed**

Primary Indicators	NO	YES
1. Hydrologic feature exists solely due to a process discharge	✓	WWC
2. Defined bed and bank absent, vegetation composed of upland and FACU species		<u>WWC</u>
3. Watercourse dry anytime during February through April 15th, under normal precipitation / groundwater conditions	NA	WWC
4. Daily flow and precipitation records showing feature only flows in direct response to rainfall	✓	WWC
5. Presence of multiple populations of obligate lotic organisms with ≥ 2 month aquatic phase	✓	Stream
6. Presence of fish (except <i>Gambusia</i> )	✓	Stream
7. Presence of naturally occurring ground water table connection	✓	Stream
8. Flowing water in channel and 7 days since last precip >0.1" in local watershed	✓	Stream
9. Evidence watercourse has been used as a supply of drinking water	✓	Stream

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**Overall Hydrologic Determination =** WWC

**Secondary Indicator Score (if applicable) =** 11

**Justification / Notes :**

U/S: 35.8936°, -83.7926°      property boundary  
d/s: 35.8947°, -83.7952°      confluence w/ CH3

24-21945 CH4

**A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 7.5)**

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 7.5)	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
1. Continuous bed and bank	0	1	2	3
2. Sinuous channel	0	1	2	3
3. In-channel structure: riffle-pool sequences	0	1	2	3
4. Sorting of soil textures or other substrate	0	1	2	3
5. Active/relic floodplain	0	0.5	1	1.5
6. Depositional bars or benches	0	1	2	3
7. Braided channel	0	1	2	3
8. Recent alluvial deposits	0	0.5	1	1.5
9. Natural levees	0	1	2	3
10. Headcuts	0	1	2	3
11. Grade controls	0	0.5	1	1.5
12. Natural valley or drainageway	0	0.5	1	1.5
13. At least second order channel on existing USGS or NRCS map	No = 0		Yes = 3	

**B. Hydrology** (Subtotal = 1 )

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = )	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
14. Subsurface flow/discharge into channel	0	1	2	3
15. Water in channel and >48 hours since sig. rain	0	1	2	3
16. Leaf litter in channel (January – September)	1.5	1	0.5	0
17. Sediment on plants or on debris	0	0.5	1	1.5
18. Organic debris lines or piles (wrack lines)	0	0.5	1	1.5
19. Hydric soils in channel bed or sides of channel	No = 0		Yes = 1.5	

**C. Biology** (Subtotal = 2.3)

C. Biology (Subtotal = 2.5)	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
20. Fibrous roots in channel bed <sup>1</sup>	3	2	1	0
21. Rooted plants in the thalweg <sup>1</sup>	3	2	1	0
22. Crayfish in stream (exclude in floodplain)	0	1	2	3
23. Bivalves/mussels	0	1	2	3
24. Amphibians	0	0.5	1	1.5
25. Macroinvertebrates (record type & abundance)	0	1	2	3
26. Filamentous algae; periphyton	0	1	2	3
27. Iron oxidizing bacteria/fungus	0	0.5	1	1.5
28. Wetland plants in channel bed <sup>2</sup>	0	0.5	1	1.5

Focus is on the presence of terrestrial plants.

<sup>2</sup> Focus is on the presence of aquatic or wetland plants.

Total Points = 11

*Under Normal Conditions, Watercourse is a Wet Weather Conveyance if Secondary Indicator Score < 19 points*

**Notes :**



# **Hydrologic Determination Field Data Sheet** Tennessee Division of Water Pollution Control, Version 1.5

Named Waterbody:	UT Hines Creek - Channel # <u>5</u>	Date/Time: 8/9/21
Assessors/Affiliation:	Jason Mann, GEOServices	Project ID : 24-21945
Site Name/Description:	Sevierville Pike Project	
Site Location:	Sevierville Pike, Knox County, TN	
HUC (12 digit):	060101070405	Lat/Long: 35.8963
Previous Rainfall (7-days) :	0.19"	-83.7955
Precipitation this Season vs. Normal : abnormally wet   elevated   average   low   abnormally dry   unknown Source of recent & seasonal precip data : NOAA - See Attached		
Watershed Size :	<u>~170 acres</u>	County: Knox
Soil Type(s) / Geology :	<u>Steadman silt loam</u>	Source: WSS
Surrounding Land Use :	Residential & Commercial	
Degree of historical alteration to natural channel morphology & hydrology (circle one & describe fully in Notes) : Severe                      Moderate <u>Slight</u> Absent		

## **Primary Field Indicators Observed**

Primary Indicators	NO	YES
1. Hydrologic feature exists solely due to a process discharge	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WWC
2. Defined bed and bank absent, vegetation composed of upland and FACU species	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WWC
3. Watercourse dry anytime during February through April 15th, under normal precipitation / groundwater conditions	<u>NA</u>	WWC
4. Daily flow and precipitation records showing feature only flows in direct response to rainfall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WWC
5. Presence of multiple populations of obligate lotic organisms with ≥ 2 month aquatic phase	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream
6. Presence of fish (except <i>Gambusia</i> )	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream
7. Presence of naturally occurring ground water table connection	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream
8. Flowing water in channel and 7 days since last precip >0.1" in local watershed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream
9. Evidence watercourse has been used as a supply of drinking water	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Stream

**NOTE: If any Primary Indicators 1-9 = "Yes", then no further investigation is necessary. However, assessors may choose to score secondary indicators as supporting evidence.**

In the absence of a primary indicator, or other definitive evidence, complete the secondary indicator table on page 2 of this sheet, and provide score below.

Guidance for the interpretation and scoring of both the primary & secondary indicators is provided in *TDEC-WPC Guidance For Making Hydrologic Determinations, Version 1.5*

**Overall Hydrologic Determination =** WWC

**Secondary Indicator Score (if applicable) =** 18.0

**Justification / Notes :**

U/S: 35.8983°, -83.7864°                      property line  
D/S: 35.8967°, -83.7972°                      property line

# Secondary Field Indicator Evaluation 24-21945 CH5

A. Geomorphology (Subtotal = 11)				
	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
1. Continuous bed and bank	0	1	2	3
2. Sinuous channel	0	1	2	3
3. In-channel structure: riffle-pool sequences	0	1	2	3
4. Sorting of soil textures or other substrate	0	1	2	3
5. Active/relic floodplain	0	0.5	1	1.5
6. Depositional bars or benches	0	1	2	3
7. Braided channel	0	1	2	3
8. Recent alluvial deposits	0	0.5	1	1.5
9. Natural levees	0	1	2	3
10. Headcuts	0	1	2	3
11. Grade controls	0	0.5	1	1.5
12. Natural valley or drainageway	0	0.5	1	1.5
13. At least second order channel on existing USGS or NRCS map	No = 0		Yes = 3	

B. Hydrology (Subtotal = 2)				
	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
14. Subsurface flow/discharge into channel	0	1	2	3
15. Water in channel and >48 hours since sig. rain	0	1	2	3
16. Leaf litter in channel (January – September)	1.5	1	0.5	0
17. Sediment on plants or on debris	0	0.5	1	1.5
18. Organic debris lines or piles (wrack lines)	0	0.5	1	1.5
19. Hydric soils in channel bed or sides of channel	No = 0		Yes = 1.5	

C. Biology (Subtotal = 5)				
	Absent	Weak	Moderate	Strong
20. Fibrous roots in channel bed <sup>1</sup>	3	2	1	0
21. Rooted plants in the thalweg <sup>1</sup>	3	2	1	0
22. Crayfish in stream (exclude in floodplain)	0	1	2	3
23. Bivalves/mussels	0	1	2	3
24. Amphibians	0	0.5	1	1.5
25. Macrobenthos (record type & abundance)	0	1	2	3
26. Filamentous algae; periphyton	0	1	2	3
27. Iron oxidizing bacteria/fungus	0	0.5	1	1.5
28. Wetland plants in channel bed <sup>2</sup> *	0	0.5	1	1.5

<sup>1</sup> Focus is on the presence of terrestrial plants.

<sup>2</sup> Focus is on the presence of aquatic or wetland plants.

Total Points = 18.0

Under Normal Conditions, Watercourse is a Wet Weather Conveyance if Secondary Indicator Score < 19 points

## Notes :

\* a few FACW species, but zero OBL species

**Appendix D**  
**Weather Data**



# Normal Weather Conditions Calculations Table

Knoxville - August 2021

		Long-term rainfall records								
	Month	Standard Deviation	Minus One Std. Dev. (DRY)	Normal (Mean inches)	Plus One Std. Dev. (WET)	Actual Rainfall	Condition (elevated, low, average)	Condition value	Month weight value	Product of previous two columns
1 <sup>st</sup> prior month*	JUL	2.47	1.77	4.24	6.71	1.70	LOW	1	3	3
2 <sup>nd</sup> prior month*	JUN	1.80	2.01	3.81	5.61	2.85	AVE	2	2	4
3 <sup>rd</sup> prior month*	MAY	1.97	1.83	3.80	5.77	3.62	AVE	2	1	2
									Sum =	9

Note:

If sum is:	9 - DRY
6-9	then prior period has been <b>abnormally dry</b>
10-14	then prior period has been normal ( <b>average</b> )
15-18	Then prior period has been <b>abnormally wet</b>

Condition value:	
<b>Low</b> =	1
<b>Average</b> =	2
<b>Elevated</b> =	3

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...THE KNOXVILLE MCGHEE TYSON AIRPORT CLIMATE SUMMARY FOR THE  
MONTH OF JULY 2021...

CLIMATE NORMAL PERIOD: 1991 TO 2020  
CLIMATE RECORD PERIOD: 1871 TO 2021

WEATHER	OBSERVED VALUE	DATE(S)	NORMAL VALUE	DEPART FROM NORMAL
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TEMPERATURE (F)

HIGHEST	97	07/28		
LOWEST	59	07/04		
AVG. MAXIMUM	88.5		88.4	0.1
AVG. MINIMUM	68.9		68.7	0.2
MEAN	78.7		78.5	0.2
DAYS MAX >= 90	16			
DAYS MAX <= 32	0			
DAYS MIN <= 32	0			
DAYS MIN <= 0	0			

PRECIPITATION (INCHES)

RECORD

MAXIMUM	13.16	1917		
MINIMUM	0.33	1995		
TOTALS	1.70		5.25	-3.55
DAYS >= .01	10			
DAYS >= .10	4			
DAYS >= .50	2			
DAYS >= 1.00	0			

GREATEST

24 HR. TOTAL 0.70 07/01 TO 07/02

SNOWFALL (INCHES)

TOTALS	0.0		0.0	0.0
SINCE 7/1	0.0			
SNOWDEPTH AVG.	0			
DAYS >= TRACE	0			
GREATEST				
SNOW DEPTH	0			



DEGREE DAYS			
HEATING TOTAL	0	0	0
SINCE 7/1	0	0	0
COOLING TOTAL	432	420	12
SINCE 1/1	907	915	-8
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WEATHER CONDITIONS. NUMBER OF DAYS WITH			
THUNDERSTORM	7	RAIN	6
SNOW	0	FOG	13
FOG W/VIS <= 1/4 MILE	0		

- INDICATES NEGATIVE NUMBERS.  
R INDICATES RECORD WAS SET OR TIED.  
MM INDICATES DATA IS MISSING.  
T INDICATES TRACE AMOUNT.

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MONTH OF JUNE 2021...

CLIMATE NORMAL PERIOD: 1991 TO 2020  
CLIMATE RECORD PERIOD: 1871 TO 2021

WEATHER	OBSERVED VALUE	DATE(S)	NORMAL VALUE	DEPART FROM NORMAL
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TEMPERATURE (F)

HIGHEST	93	06/28		
LOWEST	57	06/23		
AVG. MAXIMUM	85.2		85.7	-0.5
AVG. MINIMUM	65.7		64.9	0.8
MEAN	75.5		75.3	0.2
DAYS MAX >= 90	6			
DAYS MAX <= 32	0			
DAYS MIN <= 32	0			
DAYS MIN <= 0	0			

PRECIPITATION (INCHES)

RECORD

MAXIMUM	11.83	1928		
MINIMUM	0.20	1944		
TOTALS	2.85		4.24	-1.39
DAYS >= .01	14			
DAYS >= .10	10			
DAYS >= .50	1			
DAYS >= 1.00	0			

GREATEST

24 HR. TOTAL 0.92 06/21 TO 06/22

SNOWFALL (INCHES)

TOTALS	0.0		0.0	0.0
SINCE 7/1	5.3			
SNOWDEPTH AVG.	0			
DAYS >= TRACE	0			
GREATEST				
SNOW DEPTH	0			



DEGREE DAYS			
HEATING TOTAL	0	2	-2
SINCE 7/1	3366	3527	-161
COOLING TOTAL	323	311	12
SINCE 1/1	475	495	-20
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WEATHER CONDITIONS. NUMBER OF DAYS WITH			
THUNDERSTORM	9	RAIN	8
SNOW	0	FOG	13
FOG W/VIS <= 1/4 MILE	1		

- INDICATES NEGATIVE NUMBERS.  
R INDICATES RECORD WAS SET OR TIED.  
MM INDICATES DATA IS MISSING.  
T INDICATES TRACE AMOUNT.

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MONTH OF MAY 2021...

CLIMATE NORMAL PERIOD: 1991 TO 2020  
CLIMATE RECORD PERIOD: 1871 TO 2021

WEATHER	OBSERVED VALUE	DATE(S)	NORMAL VALUE	DEPART FROM NORMAL
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TEMPERATURE (F)

HIGHEST	90	05/25 05/26		
LOWEST	41	05/13		
AVG. MAXIMUM	76.9		78.9	-2.0
AVG. MINIMUM	55.0		56.9	-1.9
MEAN	65.9		67.9	-2.0
DAYS MAX >= 90	2			
DAYS MAX <= 32	0			
DAYS MIN <= 32	0			
DAYS MIN <= 0	0			

PRECIPITATION (INCHES)

RECORD

MAXIMUM	10.98	1974		
MINIMUM	0.71	1941		
TOTALS	3.62		4.13	-0.51
DAYS >= .01	8			
DAYS >= .10	4			
DAYS >= .50	3			
DAYS >= 1.00	1			
GREATEST				
24 HR. TOTAL	1.30	05/28 TO 05/29		

SNOWFALL (INCHES)

TOTALS	0.0		0.0	0.0
SINCE 7/1	5.3			
SNOWDEPTH AVG.	0			
DAYS >= TRACE	0			
GREATEST				
SNOW DEPTH	0			



DEGREE DAYS

HEATING TOTAL	91	53	38
SINCE 7/1	3366	3525	-159
COOLING TOTAL	125	143	-18
SINCE 1/1	152	184	-32

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WEATHER CONDITIONS. NUMBER OF DAYS WITH

THUNDERSTORM	4	RAIN	4
SNOW	0	FOG	8
FOG W/VIS <= 1/4 MILE	1		

- INDICATES NEGATIVE NUMBERS.

R INDICATES RECORD WAS SET OR TIED.

MM INDICATES DATA IS MISSING.

T INDICATES TRACE AMOUNT.

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PRELIMINARY LOCAL CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA (WS FORM: F-6)

STATION: KNOXVILLE MCGHEE TYSON AIRPORT  
MONTH: AUGUST  
YEAR: 2021  
LATITUDE: 35 49 N  
LONGITUDE: 83 59 W

TEMPERATURE IN F:										:PCPN:	SNOW:	WIND	:SUNSHINE: SKY				:PK WND	
1	2	3	4	5	6A	6B	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
										12Z	AVG	MX	2MIN					
DY	MAX	MIN	AVG	DEP	HDD	CDD	WTR	SNW	DPH	SPD	SPD	DIR	MIN	PSBL	S-S	WX	SPD	DR
1	86	69	78	0	0	13	0.58	0.0	0	8.2	16	230	M	M	8	13	21	230
2	86	63	75	-3	0	10	0.00	0.0	0	5.0	14	30	M	M	5	18	18	360
3	85	68	77	-1	0	12	T	0.0	0	3.7	13	70	M	M	8	3	17	60
4	79	68	74	-4	0	9	0.18	0.0	0	4.0	17	80	M	M	8	138	24	80
5	89	63	76	-2	0	11	0.00	0.0	0	2.3	8	250	M	M	5	18	12	340
6	89	68	79	1	0	14	0.00	0.0	0	2.3	12	260	M	M	9		14	260
7	86	68	77	-1	0	12	0.01	0.0	0	5.5	15	100	M	M	7	3	19	110
8	90	63	77	-1	0	12	0.00	0.0	0	2.8	9	190	M	M	3	1	13	280
9	93	68	81	3	0	16	0.02	0.0	0	5.5	20	210	M	M	6		23	180
10	92	69	81	3	0	16	0.01	0.0	0	3.9	16	310	M	M	7	3	22	320
11	94	70	82	4	0	17	0.00	0.0	0	6.2	20	280	M	M	6	3	25	270
12	93	68	81	3	0	16	0.00	0.0	0	4.8	12	290	M	M	5	3	17	280
13	95	71	83	5	0	18	0.00	0.0	0	5.2	16	230	M	M	5		22	230
14	96	72	84	6	0	19	0.05	0.0	0	5.8	17	210	M	M	5	3	25	60
15	90	70	80	2	0	15	0.39	0.0	0	4.0	30	40	M	M	8	138	38	40
16	84	69	77	-1	0	12	1.29	0.0	0	3.3	17	220	M	M	10	13	29	220
17	73	70	72	-6	0	7	2.81	0.0	0	8.8	18	30	M	M	10	1	30	20
18	89	69	79	1	0	14	0.00	0.0	0	4.1	10	230	M	M	6		14	210
19	83	72	78	0	0	13	0.05	0.0	0	7.2	13	200	M	M	9	13	17	220
20	90	72	81	3	0	16	0.71	0.0	0	3.1	10	10	M	M	6	13	15	340
21	85	69	77	0	0	12	0.04	0.0	0	4.9	18	230	M	M	7	12	23	240
22	91	73	82	5	0	17	1.15	0.0	0	4.3	12	50	M	M	7	1	16	350
23	91	69	80	3	0	15	0.00	0.0	0	3.0	10	340	M	M	1		15	90
24	93	70	82	5	0	17	0.00	0.0	0	3.7	12	40	M	M	2	1	16	50
25	93	72	83	6	0	18	T	0.0	0	3.8	16	340	M	M	3	38	24	340
26	91	70	81	4	0	16	0.21	0.0	0	4.1	21	30	M	M	5	138	32	20
27	91	71	81	4	0	16	0.00	0.0	0	2.7	9	210	M	M	3		13	310
28	91	71	81	5	0	16	T	0.0	0	3.9	12	60	M	M	4	3	15	60
29	91	72	82	6	0	17	0.00	0.0	0	3.7	9	260	M	M	5	3	11	210
30	86	69	78	2	0	13	0.91	0.0	0	3.8	33	210	M	M	8	13	43	200
31	77	69	73	-3	0	8	1.71	0.0	0	7.1	14	50	M	M	10	1	18	200
SM	2742	2145			0	437	10.12	0.0		140.7			M		191			
AV	88.5	69.2								4.5	FAST	ST	M	M	6		MAX (MPH)	
								MISC	----	33	210						43	200

NOTES:  
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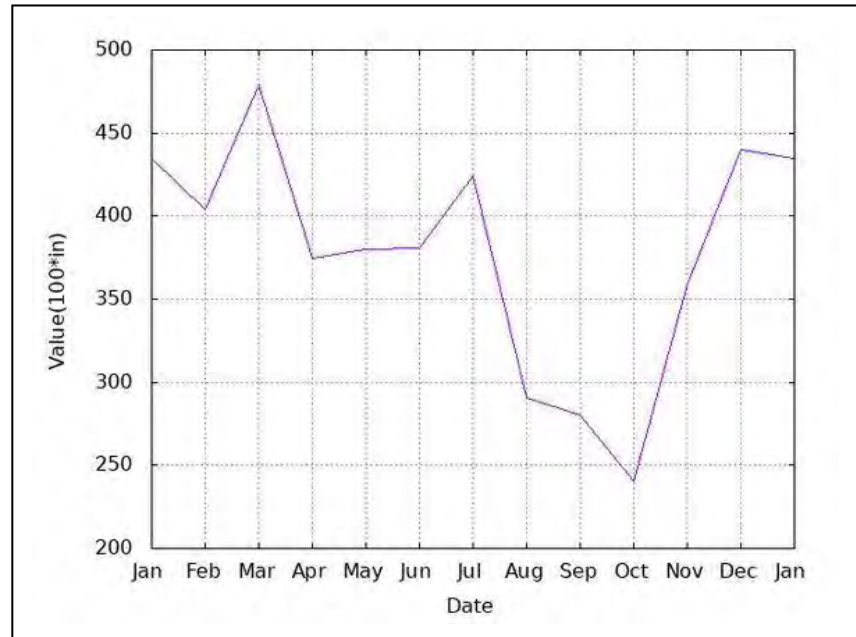


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1991-2020

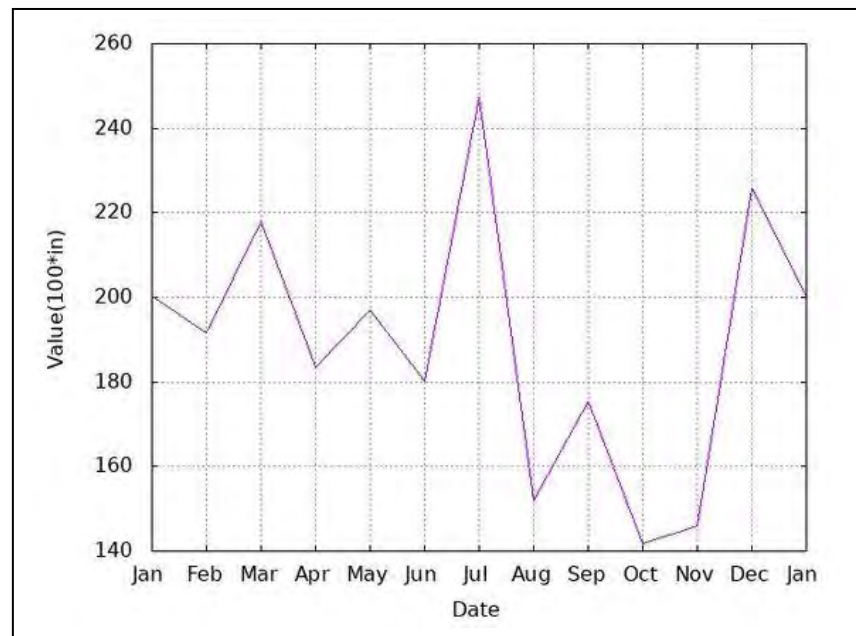
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- 2) 4.037
- 3) 4.790
- 4) 3.750
- 5) 3.802
- 6) 3.807
- 7) 4.239
- 8) 2.906
- 9) 2.803
- 10) 2.404
- 11) 3.586
- 12) 4.401



Standard Deviation (in.)

- 1) 2.002
- 2) 1.915
- 3) 2.180
- 4) 1.835
- 5) 1.969
- 6) 1.800
- 7) 2.474
- 8) 1.519
- 9) 1.754
- 10) 1.419
- 11) 1.459
- 12) 2.256



**Appendix E**  
**Certifications**





11/1/10

Jason Mann  
TDEC  
3711 Middlebrook Pike  
Knoxville, TN 37921

RE: Tennessee Qualified Hydrologic Professional Certification

Dear Mr. Mann

Congratulations, you have successfully completed the Tennessee Hydrologic Determination course. By completing the TN-HDT course, you have also earned 20 Professional Development Hours (PDH). You have now met all the requirements to become a certificated Tennessee Qualified Hydrologic Professional (TN-QHP). Your TN-QHP certification card is attached below.

The TN-QHP certification is valid for three years. You must complete a refresher course within that three year period and submit evidence of course completion along with a renewal application at least 90 days before expiration of your certificate. Should you allow your certification to lapse after 3 years, you will be required to retake the TN-HDT course and submit a new application in order to become a certified TN-QHP.

Please refer to the TDEC website, <http://tn.gov/environment/wpc> or the TN-HDT training website, [www.tnhdt.org](http://www.tnhdt.org) for refresher course details and application forms.

Sincerely,

Paul E. Davis, Director  
Water Pollution Control

Cc: Timothy Gangaware  
TN-HDT Training Program  
Coordinator



Tennessee Qualified  
Hydrologic Professional



This card certifies that:

**Jason Mann**

has successfully completed the 3-day TN HDT course and is a  
Tennessee Qualified Hydrologic Professional

Certification number **1042-TN10**

Expires: **12/31/2014**

Paul E. Davis, P.E.  
Director, TDEC-WPC

Timothy Gangaware, AICP  
Director, TNWRRC-UT



# Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation



This is to certify that

**Jason Mann**

has successfully completed the three day course to become a  
**Tennessee Qualified Hydrologic Professional**

TN QHP Number 1042-TN10

*Paul E. Davis*

Paul E. Davis, P.E.

*Timothy Gangaware*

Timothy Gangaware, A.I.C.P



*This certifies that the recipient has earned 20  
Professional Development Hours*





# Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation

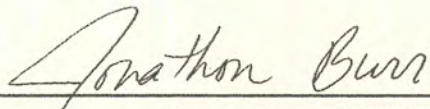


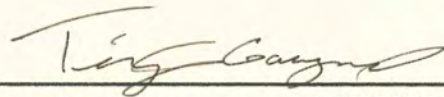
This is to certify that

**Jason Mann**

successfully completed the one-day  
**Tennessee Hydrologic Determination Refresher Course**

September 22, 2020

  
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Jonathon Burr, DWR

  
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Timothy Gangaware, TNWRRC



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