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# Mound Creek (K166-00-00)

## Watershed Description

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- Watershed Information**
- Size – 22,750 Acres (35.6 Square Miles)
  - Percentage of Watershed Developed – 5%
  - City of Waller
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- Environmental Considerations**
- Good Quality Stream Habitat in Lower and Middle Reach of Main Stem of Mound Creek Natural Channel
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- Flooding Concerns**
- City of Waller
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## Recommended Plan Components

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- Stream Corridors**
- 150' to 550' wide Stream Corridors Throughout Watershed
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- Detention Facilities**
- 50 and 65 Acre Basins Upstream of City of Waller Provides 669 ac-ft Storage
  - Three Regional Basins along Main Stem of Mound Creek; 181, 291 and 215 Acres, Provides 7,287 ac-ft Storage
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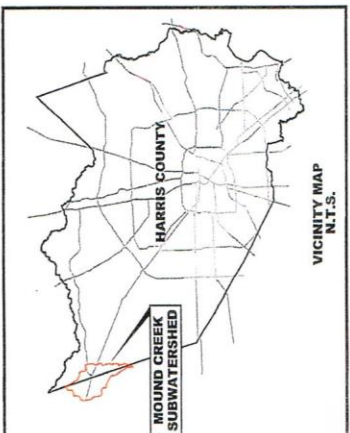
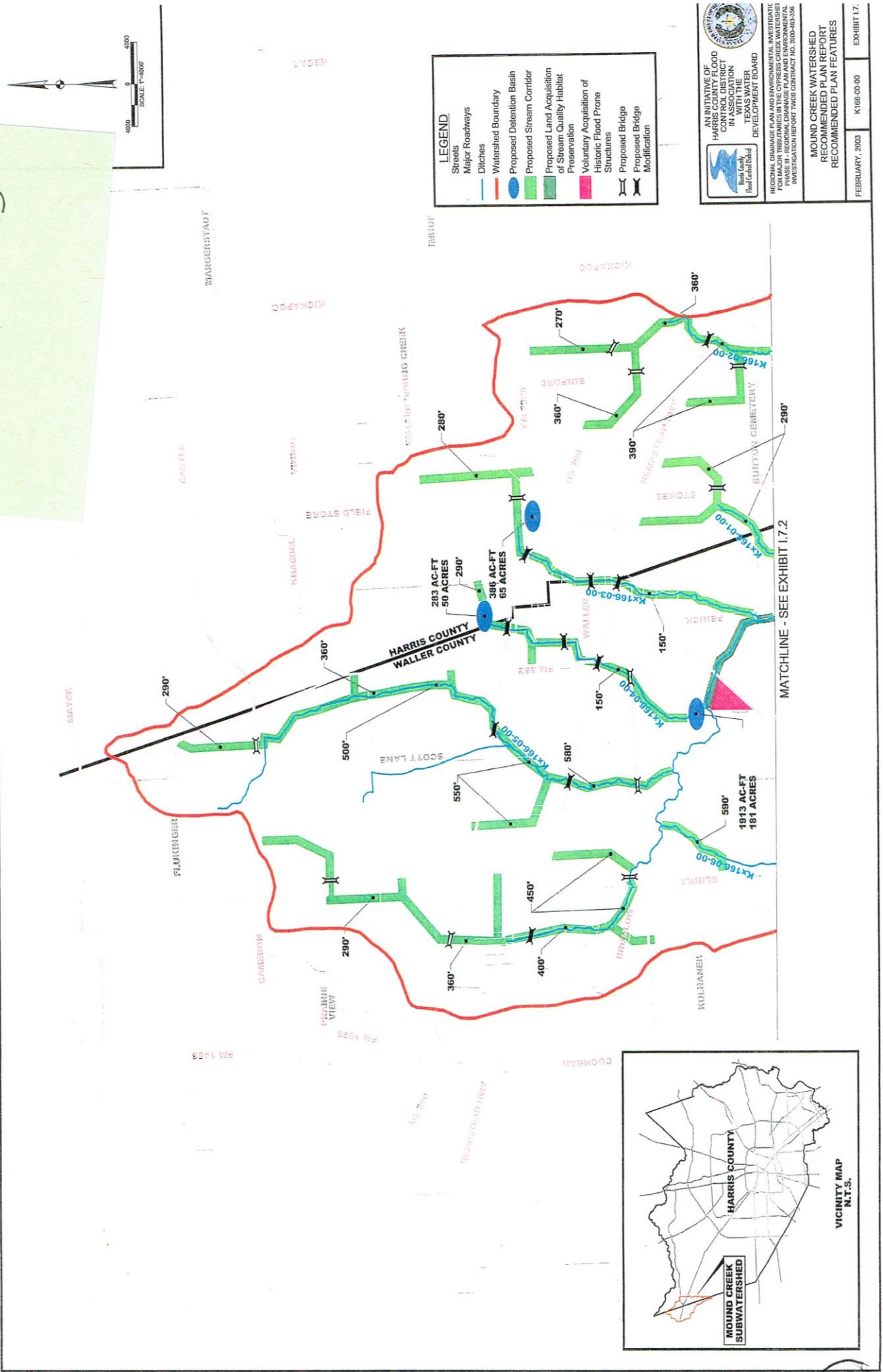
- Stream Habitat/Floodplain Preservation Corridors**
- Preservation along Main Stem of Mound Creek from Confluence to Middle Fork
  - Total Length = 8 miles
  - Proposed Channel Corridors Will Provide Environmental Enhancements to Watershed
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- Voluntary Structure Buyouts**
- Approximately 40 Potentially Flood Prone Structures
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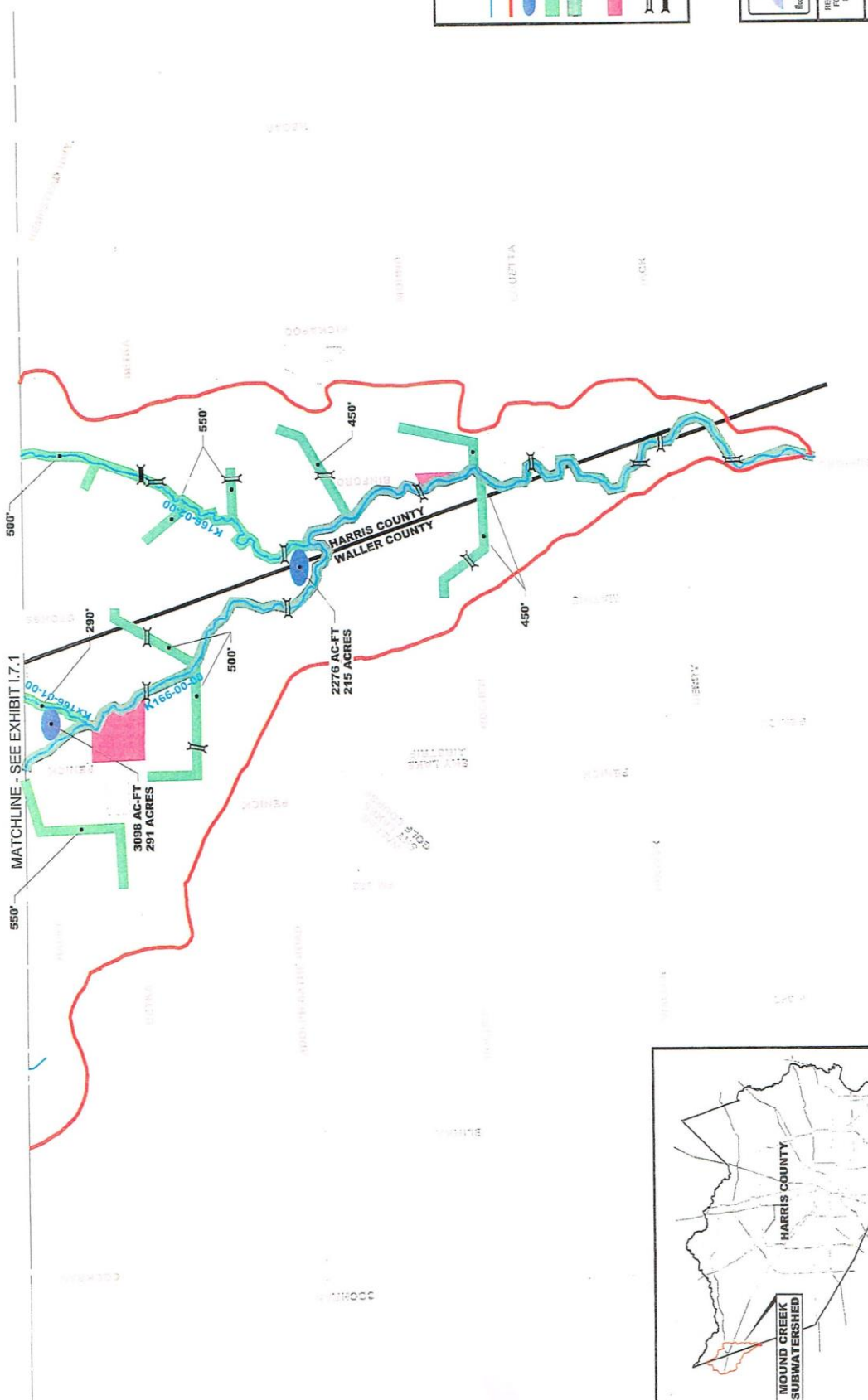
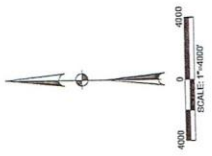
- Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek**
- Project reduces peak flows at streams outfall by approximately 90 cfs
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- Cost**
- Approximately \$162.5 million
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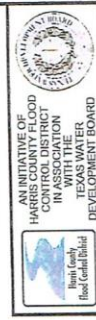






**LEGEND**

- Streets
- Major Roadways
- Ditches
- Watershed Boundary
- Proposed Detention Basin
- Proposed Stream Corridor
- Proposed Land Acquisition of Stream Quality Habitat Preservation
- Voluntary Acquisition of Historic Flood Prone Structures
- Proposed Bridge
- Proposed Bridge Modification

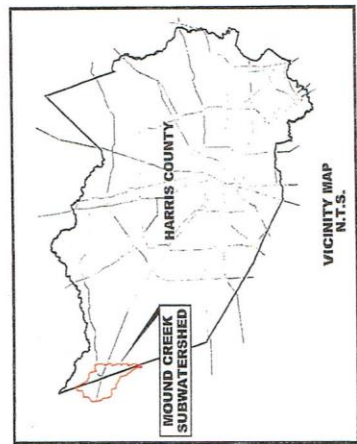


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REGIONAL URBANIZATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATION FOR MAJOR TRIBUTARIES IN THE CYPRESS CREEK WATERSHED PHASE II: REGIONAL URBANIZATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATION REPORT TWRB CONTRACT NO. 2000-483-530

**MOUND CREEK WATERSHED  
 RECOMMENDED PLAN REPORT  
 RECOMMENDED PLAN FEATURES**

FEBRUARY, 2003 K106-00-00 EXHIBIT L7.2



# Little Cypress Creek (L100-00-00)

## Watershed Description

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- Watershed Information**
- Size - 32,900 Acres (51.9 Square Miles)
  - Percentage of Watershed Developed - 15%
  - Development Mostly in Lower Reaches
  - Natural Channel Drainage - Improved Tributaries Downstream of Spring-Cypress Road
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- Environmental Considerations**
- Good Quality Stream Habitat Along Main Stem
  - Wetlands and Prairie Mounds Throughout Area
  - Wide Flood Plain
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- Flooding Concerns**
- Some Flooding Complaints and Repetitive Flood Losses
  - Some Buyouts Have Occurred
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## Recommended Plan Components

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- Stream Corridors**
- Reduces larger floodplain areas, provides storage volume in the section and provides dual-use possibilities
  - 26 proposed Stream Corridors from 220' - 240' wide
  - Total length = 156,000 feet
  - Upper Main Stem and lateral channel improvements into stream corridor sections
  - Total length = 33,500 feet
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- Detention Facilities**
- Seven new and one existing detention facility proposed in plan.
  - Approximately 900 acres providing 4200 acre-feet of storage
  - Provides flow reduction and dual-use possibilities
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- Stream Habitat/Floodplain Preservation Corridors**
- Main stem preserved by variable width preservation corridor
  - Approximately 1900 acres of high-quality habitat and floodplain preserved
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- Voluntary Structure Buyout**
- A number of structures near Kluge Road along Little Cypress Creek remaining in the residual 100-year floodplain
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- Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek**
- Project provides approximately 2686 cfs reduction of the baseline peak 100-year flows
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- Cost**
- Approximately \$106 million
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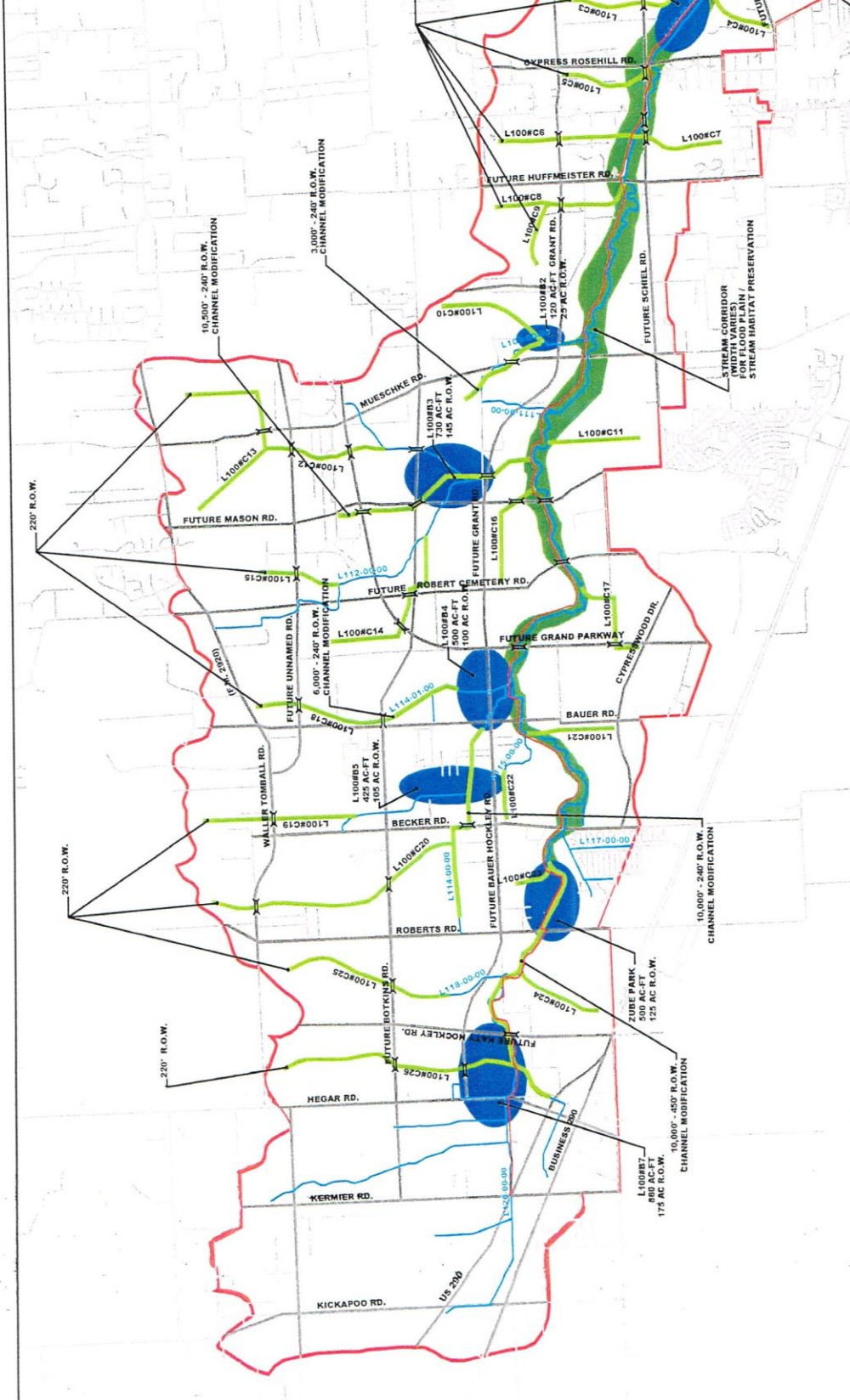


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REGULATORY OPERATIONS OF THE CYPRESS CREEK WATERSHED  
 CHANNEL MODIFICATION PROJECT

LITTLE CYPRESS CREEK WATERSHED  
 REGULATION PLAN REPORT  
 RECOMMENDED PLAN FEATURES

FEBRUARY 2003 L100-00-00 EXHIBIT A



**LEGEND**

- Streets
- Major Roadways
- Ditches
- Watershed Boundary
- Proposed Detention Basin
- Proposed Stream Corridor
- Proposed Land Acquisition of Stream Quality Habitat Preservation
- Proposed Bridge Modification
- Proposed Blotway From Harris County Parks
- Major Canal

**VICINITY MAP**  
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LITTLE CYPRESS CREEK WATERSHED  
 HARRIS COUNTY  
 TEXAS





# Dry Creek (K145-00-00)

## Watershed Description

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- Watershed Information**
- Size – 5,050 Acres (7.9 Square Miles)
  - Percentage of Watershed Developed – 70%
  - Development in Lower and Middle Watershed
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- Environmental Considerations**
- Good Quality Stream Habitat in Lower Reach
  - Channel Improvements in Middle Reach
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- Flooding Concerns**
- Flooding in Western Trails Subdivision
  - Most Development Occurs Around Rectified Channels with Adequate Capacity
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## Recommended Plan Components

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- Stream Corridors**
- 300' Stream Corridor along K145#C1
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- Detention Facilities**
- 30 Acre Basin Upstream of Spring Cypress Rd.
  - Provides 413 ac-ft Storage
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- Stream Habitat/Floodplain Preservation Corridors**
- Preservation along Downstream Reach
  - Total Length = 10,000 feet
  - Proposed Channel Corridors Will Provide Environmental Enhancements to Watershed
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- Voluntary Structure Buyouts**
- Approximately 25 Potentially Flood Prone Structures within Western Trails Subdivision
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- Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek**
- Project reduces peak flows at streams outfall by approximately 277 cfs
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- Cost**
- Approximately \$15.1 million
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# Faulkey Gully (K142-00-00)

## Watershed Description

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- Watershed Information**
- Size - 8,250 Acres (12.9 Square Miles)
  - Percentage of Watershed Developed - 40%
  - Fully Developed Lower Half With 800-Acre Planned Development (NorthPointe) in Middle Third of Watershed
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- Environmental Considerations**
- Good Quality Stream Habitat in Upper Half
  - Wetlands and Prairie Mounds in Upper Half
  - Fully Rectified Channel Section in Lower Half
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- Flooding Concerns**
- Few Flooding Complaints or Repetitive Flood Losses.
  - Most Development Occurs Around Rectified Channels With Adequate Capacity
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## Recommended Plan Components

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- Stream Corridors**
- Reduces larger floodplain areas, provides storage volume in the section and provides dual-use possibilities
  - 18,000 feet of new Stream Corridors from 220'-240' wide in the upper reach of Faulkey Gully
  - 14,500 feet of Main Stem channel improvements into a stream corridor section ranging from 240'-300' wide.
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- Detention Facilities**
- K142#B1 along Faulkey Gully downstream of Shaw Road
  - 33 acre tract, provides approximately 133 acre-feet of storage potential
  - Provides flow reduction and dual-use possibilities
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- Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek**
- Project provides approximately 122 cfs reduction of the baseline peak 100-year flows
  - Reduction can be increased based on usage of channel improvement sections along the main stem as linear detention
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- Cost**
- Approximately \$12.3 million
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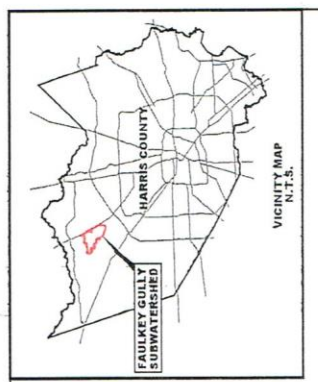
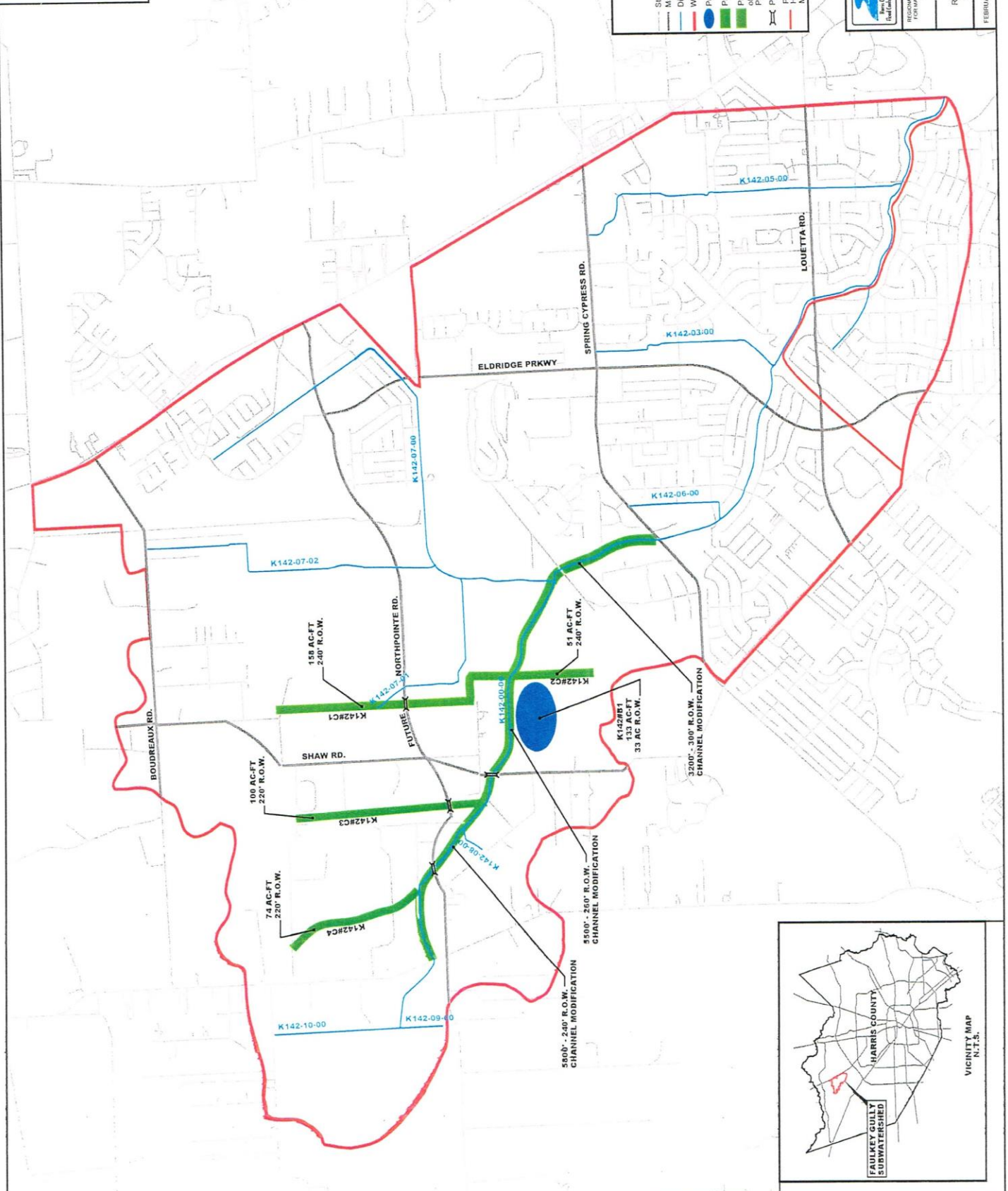


**LEGEND**

- Streets
- Major Roadways
- Ditches
- Watershed Boundary
- Proposed Detention Basin
- Proposed Stream Corridor
- Proposed Leaf Acquisition County Habitat Preservation
- Proposed Bridge Modification
- Proposed Bridge From Harris County Parks Master Plan


  
 ADMINISTRATION OF  
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 IN  
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 DEVELOPMENT BOARD  
 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATION  
 FOR MAJOR TRIBUTARIES IN THE CYPRUS CREEK WATERSHED  
 PHASE 1B (CONTRACT NO. 2004-0326)

FAULKNEY GULLY WATERSHED  
 REGIONAL DRAINAGE PLAN SHEET  
 RECOMMENDED PLAN FEATURES  
 FEBRUARY 2003 K142-00-00 EXHIBIT C7



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# Pillot Gully (K140-00-00)

## Watershed Description

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### Watershed Information

- Size - 3,300 Acres (5.2 Square Miles)
  - Percentage of Watershed Developed - 30%
  - Development in Middle Watershed
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### Environmental Considerations

- Good Quality Stream Habitat in Lower Reaches
  - Channel Improvements in Middle and Upper Reaches
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### Flooding Concerns

- No Flooding Complaints or Repetitive Flood Losses Due to Pillot Gully.
  - Some Local Flooding Concerns Due to Poor Surface Drainage
  - Most Development Occurs Around Rectified Channels With Adequate Capacity
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## Recommended Plan Components

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### Stream Corridors

- Reduces larger floodplain areas, provides storage volume in the section and provides dual-use possibilities
  - 220' wide Stream Corridors along upper Pillot Gully and as an extension of existing tributary K140-05-00
  - Includes channel modifications upstream of Huffsmith-Kohrville Road
  - Total length = 10,500 feet
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### Detention Facilities

- K140#B2 along Pillot Gully, upstream of Huffsmith-Kohrville Road
  - 30 acre tract, provides approximately 120 acre-feet of storage potential
  - Provides flow reduction and dual-use possibilities
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### Stream Habitat/Floodplain Preservation Corridors

- 2 areas of preservation at the mouth and downstream of Spring-Cypress Road
  - Approximately 145 acres of high-quality habitat and floodplain preserved
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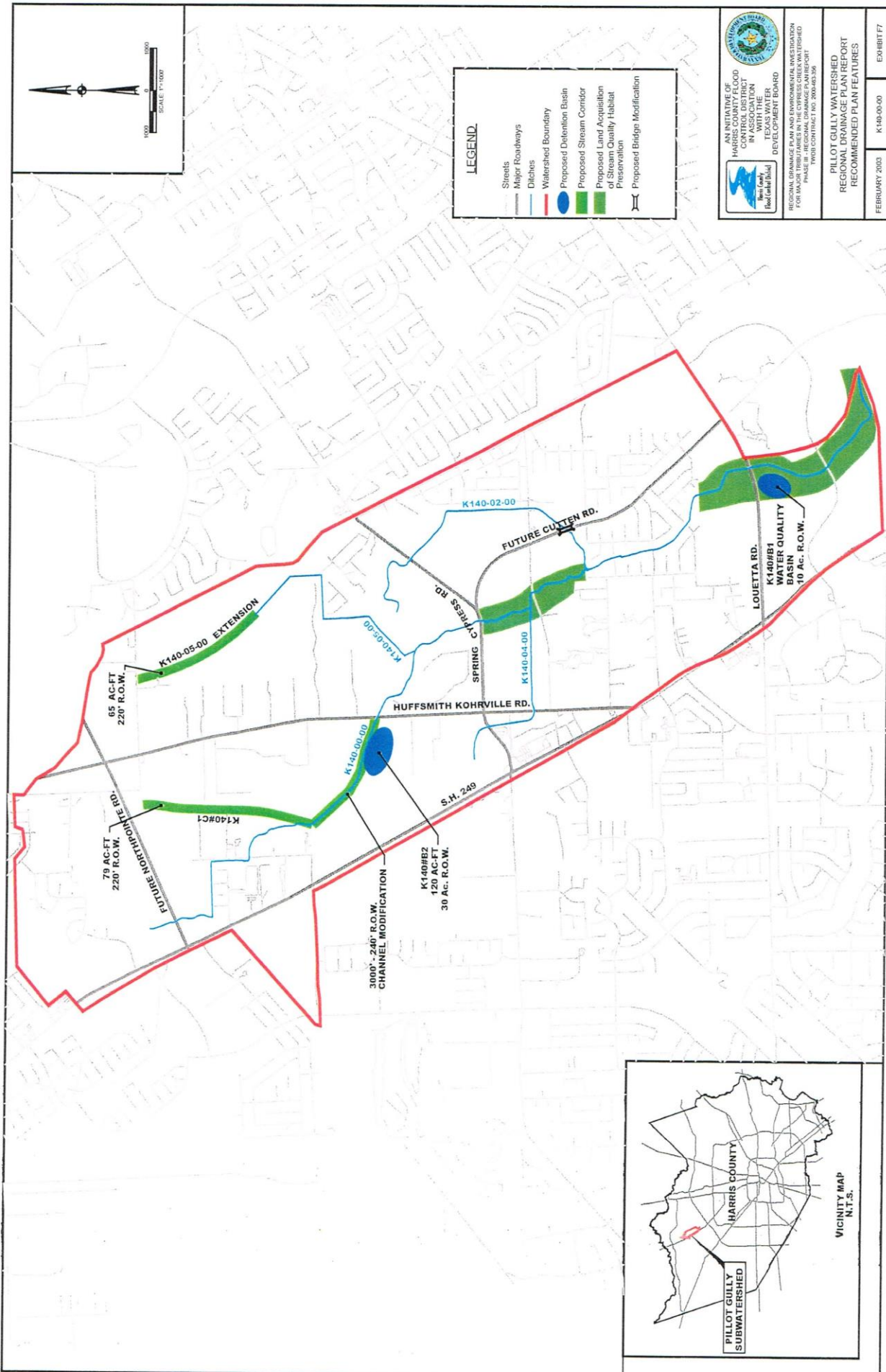
### Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek

- Project provides approximately 421 cfs reduction of the baseline peak 100-year flows
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### Cost

- Approximately \$7.3 million
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- LEGEND**
- Streets
  - Major Roadways
  - Ditches
  - Watershed Boundary
  - Proposed Detention Basin
  - Proposed Stream Corridor
  - Proposed Land Acquisition of Stream Quality Habitat Preservation
  - Proposed Bridge Modification



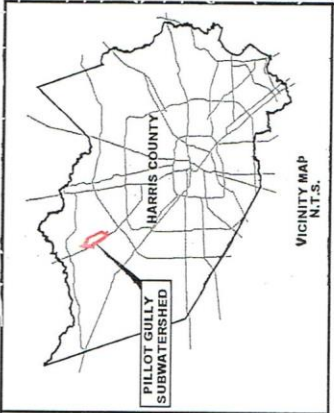
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FOR THE  
PHASE II - REGIONAL DRAINAGE PLAN REPORT  
PROJECT CONTRACT NO. 200403336

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**PILOT GULLY WATERSHED  
REGIONAL DRAINAGE PLAN REPORT  
RECOMMENDED PLAN FEATURES**

FEBRUARY 2003
K140-00-00
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# Dry Gully (K133-00-00)

## Watershed Description

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### Watershed Information

- Size - 3,400 acres (5.3 square miles)
  - GleannLoch Farms is a master-planned development in upper watershed (55% of watershed)
  - Over 90% development in the middle and lower watershed regions
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### Environmental Considerations

- Poor quality stream habitat
  - Channel rectification along entire channel reach
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### Flooding Concerns

- Documented historical structural flooding within multiple areas of Memorial Northwest subdivision
  - Flooding is mainly an internal drainage problem
  - Most development occurs around rectified channels with adequate capacity
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## Recommended Plan Components

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### Detention Facilities

#### Sideweir Detention Basin **K133#B1**

- Located along Dry Gully, downstream of Louetta Road
- Weir set below 10-year water surface elevation
- 10 acre tract; 67 acre-feet of storage
- Provides flow reduction along Dry Gully and possibilities as a multiple usage facility

#### Spring-Cypress Road Detention Basin **K133#B2**

- Located along Dry Gully, downstream of Spring-Cypress Road
  - 2.5 acres; 13 acre-feet
  - Provides storage for storm water quality and mitigation requirements for the future expansion of Spring-Cypress Road
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### Storm Water Drainage Improvement Areas

#### Memorial Northwest Subdivision

- Aid in the flood relief to documented historic structural flooding
  - Reduction of internal drainage problems
  - Coordination with HCPID ED to investigate internal drainage problems
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### Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek

- Project reduces peak flows at streams outfall by approximately 400 cfs
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### Cost

- Approximately \$1.1 million
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# Spring Gully (K131-00-00)

## Watershed Description

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### Watershed Information

- Size – 7,900 acres (12.3 square miles)
  - Percentage of watershed developed = 35%
  - Most development is residential located in lower half of watershed
  - Pine Lakes Subdivision is a master planned community in the upper watershed along K131-04
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### Environmental Considerations

- High quality stream habitat in lower reach of Spring Gully
  - Wetlands in upper half of Theiss Gully Watershed
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### Flooding Concerns

- Historical flooding in Oakwood Glen and Shannon Forest Subdivisions along the mid reaches of Theiss Gully
  - Other historical flooding during T.S. Allison scattered within watershed
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## Recommended Plan Components

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### Stream Corridors

#### K131-00-00, K131#C1

- 300' wide Stream Corridor along un-improved Spring Gully
- 300' wide Stream Corridor along new K131#C1, a proposed tributary to Spring Gully

#### K131-02-04

- 150' wide Stream Corridor along upper reaches of Theiss Gully
  - 300' wide Stream Corridor extension of upper Theiss Gully
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### Detention Facilities

#### Flow Through Detention Basin K13102#B1

- Located along Theiss Gully, downstream of Spring Cypress Road
- 20 acre tract; 114 acre-feet

#### Sideweir Detention Basin K131#B1

- Located along Spring Gully, upstream of Cypresswood Drive
  - 24 acre tract; 270 acre-feet
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### Stream Habitat/Floodplain Preservation Corridors

- Approximately 16 acres along the lower reaches of Spring Gully
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### Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek

- Project reduces peak flows at streams outfall by approximately 1,400 cfs
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### Cost

- Approximately \$13.1 million
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**LEGEND**

- Street
- Major Road
- Stream
- Watershed Boundary

**PLAN COMPONENTS**

- Proposed Detention Basin
- Proposed Channel Corridor
- Proposed Floodplain/Stream Habitat Preservation
- Voluntary Buyout of Historic Flood Prone Structures
- Proposed Bridge Modification



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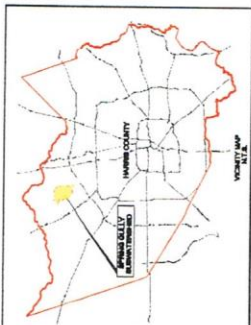
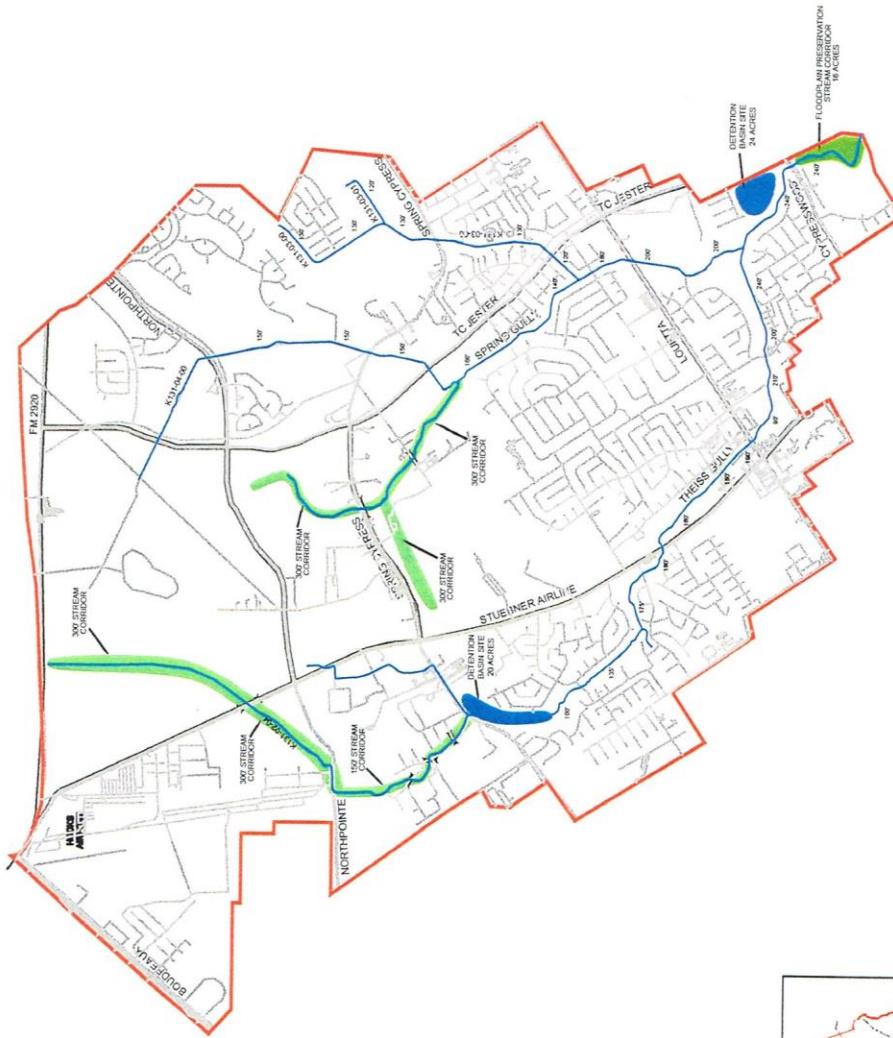
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SPRING GULLY WATERSHED  
 REGIONAL DRAINAGE PLAN REPORT  
 RECOMMENDED PLAN FEATURES

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K121-00-00

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# Seals Gully (K124-00-00)

## Watershed Description

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### Watershed Information

- Size – 4,900 acres (7.7 square miles)
  - Percentage of watershed developed = 45%
  - Kothman Gully is a major tributary
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### Environmental Considerations

- Good stream habitat only along mid reach of Seals Gully
  - Most of Seals Gully has been rectified
  - Entire reach of Kothman Gully has been rectified
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### Flooding Concerns

- Documented structural flooding within Enchanted Oaks and Devonshire Subdivisions in the lower reaches of Seals Gully
  - Documented structural flooding within Northwood Park subdivisions along K124-02-03 within the upper Kothman Gully subarea.
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## Recommended Plan Components

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### Stream Corridors

#### **K124-04, K124-05, K124#C1**

- 300' wide Stream Corridors to provide drainage infrastructure and outfall depth **K124-02-03**
  - 200' wide Stream Corridor to provide drainage infrastructure and outfall depth
  - Also provides relief for existing flooding within Northwood Park Subdivision
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### Detention Facilities

#### **Sideweir Detention Basin K124#B1**

- Located along Seals Gully, downstream of Cypresswood Drive
  - 20 acre tract; 180 acre-feet
  - Provides flow reduction and multiple usage possibilities
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### Stream Habitat/Floodplain Preservation Corridors

- Preservation of Floodplain Corridor along mid-reach of Seals Gully
  - Total stream protection length of 2,600 feet
  - Proposed preservation corridor will preserve watershed environmental qualities
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### Voluntary Structure Buyout

#### **Enchanted Oaks and Devonshire Subdivisions**

- Approximately 66 documented historical flooded homes
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### Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek

- Project reduces peak flows at streams outfall by approximately 1,000 cfs
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### Cost

- Approximately \$18.7 million
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**LEGEND**

- Street
- Major Road
- Stream
- Watershed Boundary

**PLAN COMPONENTS**

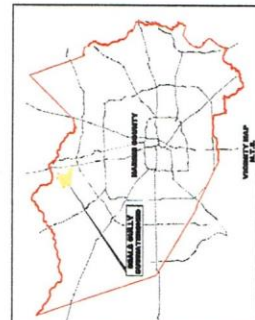
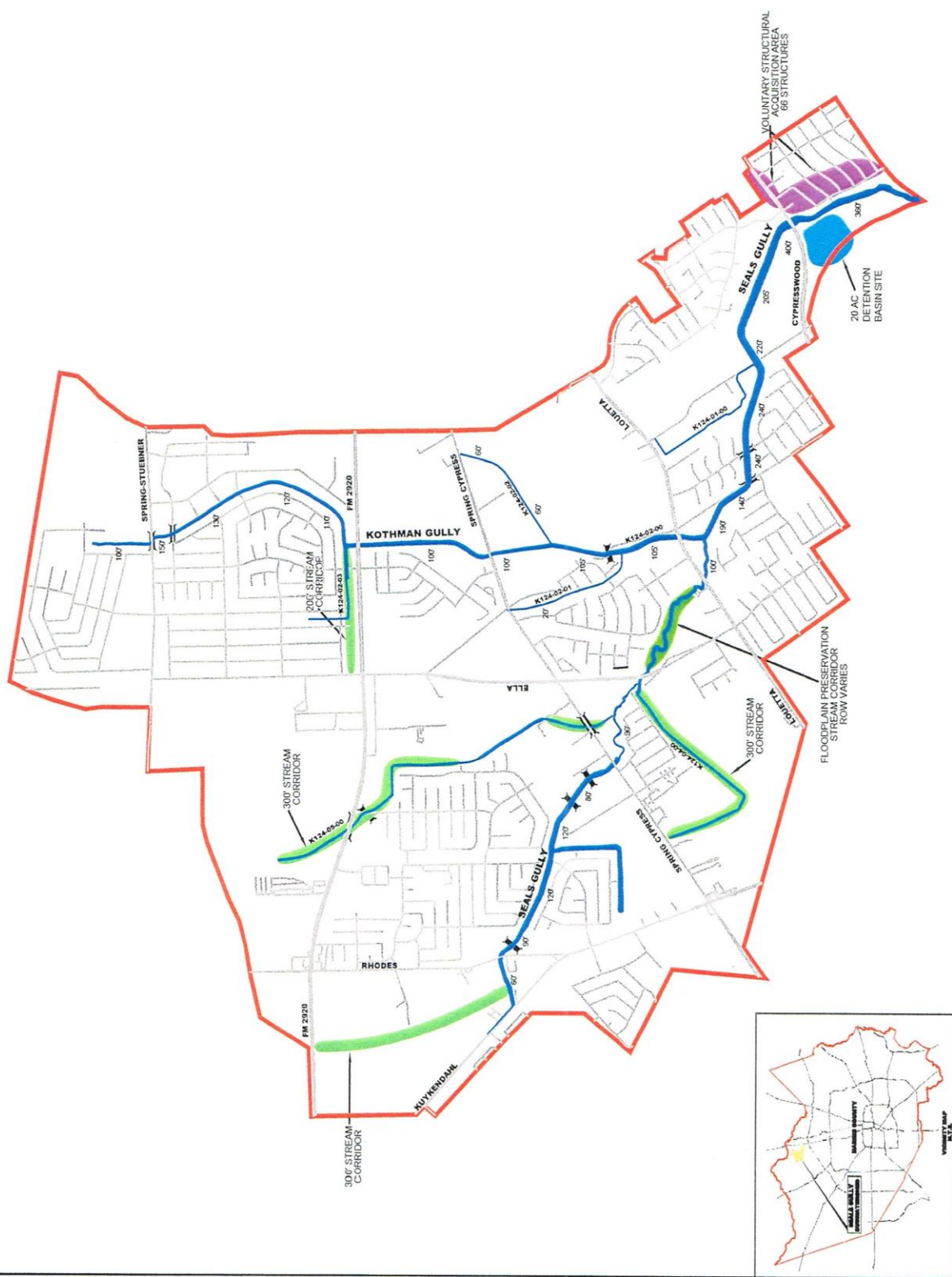
- Proposed Detention Basin
- Proposed Channel Corridor
- Proposed Floodplain/Stream Habitat Preservation
- Voluntary Buyout of Historic Flood Prone Structures
- Proposed Bridge Modification

**HARRIS COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT**  
**Texas Department of Transportation**

REGIONAL DRAINAGE PLAN AND ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATION FOR MAJOR TRIBUTARIES IN THE CYPRESS CREEK WATERSHED PHASE II: SEALS GULLY WATERSHED (E.I. #18) CONTRACT NO. 2004-04-005

**SEALS GULLY WATERSHED REGIONAL DRAINAGE PLAN REPORT RECOMMENDED PLAN FEATURES**

FEBRUARY 2008 K18-02-00 EXHIBIT C7





# Lemm Gully (K120-00-GJ)

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## Watershed Description

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### Watershed Information

- Size – 5,000 acres (7.7 square miles)
  - Percentage of watershed developed = 40%
  - Development mostly in lower reaches and along Senger Gully
  - Senger and Wunsche Gullies are major tributaries
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### Environmental Considerations

- High stream habitat along lower reaches of Lemm Gully and Senger Gully
  - Most of Lemm Gully and Senger Gully have been rectified
  - Wide floodplain along upper reach of Wunsche Gully
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### Flooding Concerns

- North Hill Estates along Lemm Gully
  - Enchanted Oaks and Devonshire along Senger Gully
  - Other Scattered Locations along Senger and Wunsche Gullies
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## Recommended Plan Components

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### Stream Corridors

- K120-03**
- Reduces Large Floodplain and Provides Multiple Usage Possibilities
  - 300' wide Stream Corridor along upper Wunsche Gully; upstream of I-45
  - Total Corridor Length = 5,700 feet
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### Detention Facilities

- Sideweir Detention Basin **K120#B1**
  - Located along Senger Gully, downstream of Cypresswood Drive
  - Weir set below 10-year water surface elevation
  - 22 acre tract; 137 acre-feet
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### Stream Habitat/Floodplain Preservation Corridors

- Approximately 63 acres along the lower reaches of Lemm Gully and Senger Gully
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### Voluntary Structure Buyout

- Approximately 61 documented historical flooded homes along the lower reaches of Lemm Gully and Senger Gully
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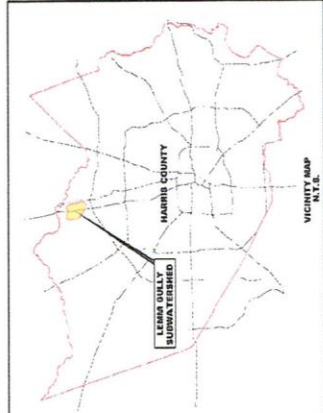
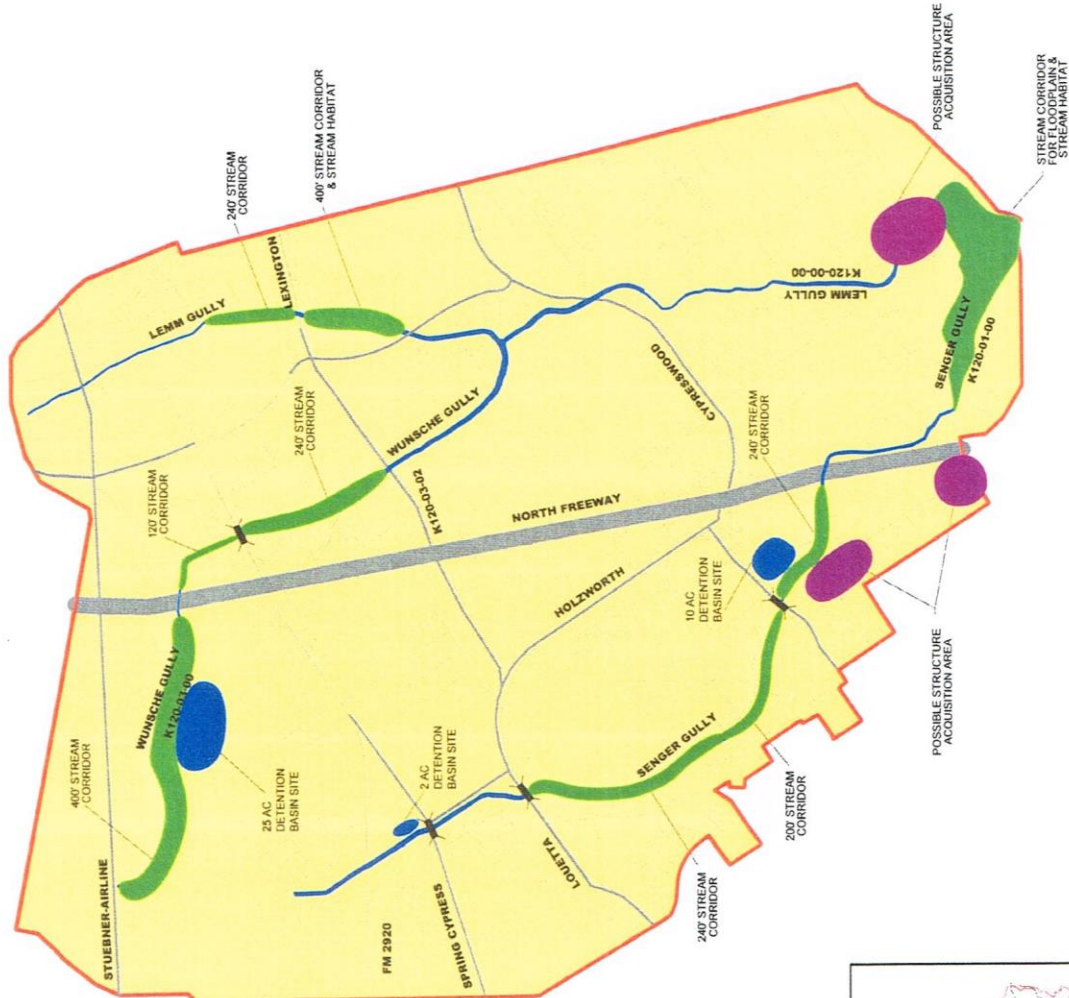
### Reduction of 100-Year Flows Entering Cypress Creek

- Project reduces peak flows at streams outfall by approximately 480 cfs
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### Cost

- Approximately \$13.0 million
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# COMBINED ALTERNATIVES - LEMM GULLY



**LEGEND**

- MAJOR THROUGHWAY
- PROPOSED DETENTION BASIN
- PROPOSED STREAM CORRIDOR
- PROPOSED BRIDGE, MODIFICATION
- PROPOSED LAND ACQUISITION OF WETLANDS
- PROPOSED ACQUISITION OF VOLUNTARY CORRIDOR STRUCTURES

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REGIONAL GRANT-FUNDING ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATION  
 PHASE II: HYDROLOGIC AND HYDRAULIC MODELING REPORT  
 HYDRO CONTRACT NO. 2004-03-06

LEMM GULLY PHASE III TPOB  
 COMBINED ALTERNATIVES

SEPT 2002 K120-00-00 EXHIBIT 2

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