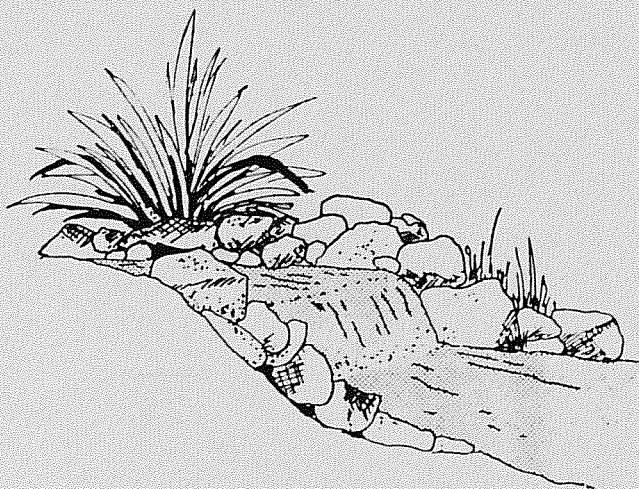


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I. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

The purpose of this study is to define the general nature and approximate location of improvements required to meet present (1987) El Paso County and City of Colorado Springs drainage design criteria and to establish drainage and bridge fees for the basin. This study is conceptual in nature and excludes establishing the exact design of required drainage improvements.

The Middle Tributary Drainage Basin is located in the northern outskirts of the City of Colorado Springs and El Paso County. The basin generally lies between Interstate 25 to the west, Northgate Road to the north and State Highway 83 to the east and south.

The Middle Tributary Drainage Basin does not have a previously approved Planning Study. The majority of the basin is not developed at this time. This study evaluates the present conditions of the major channels along with providing recommendations for future fully developed conditions. The recommended overall basin plan is considered to be the alternative most compatible with projected land use and environmental concerns and the most cost effective.

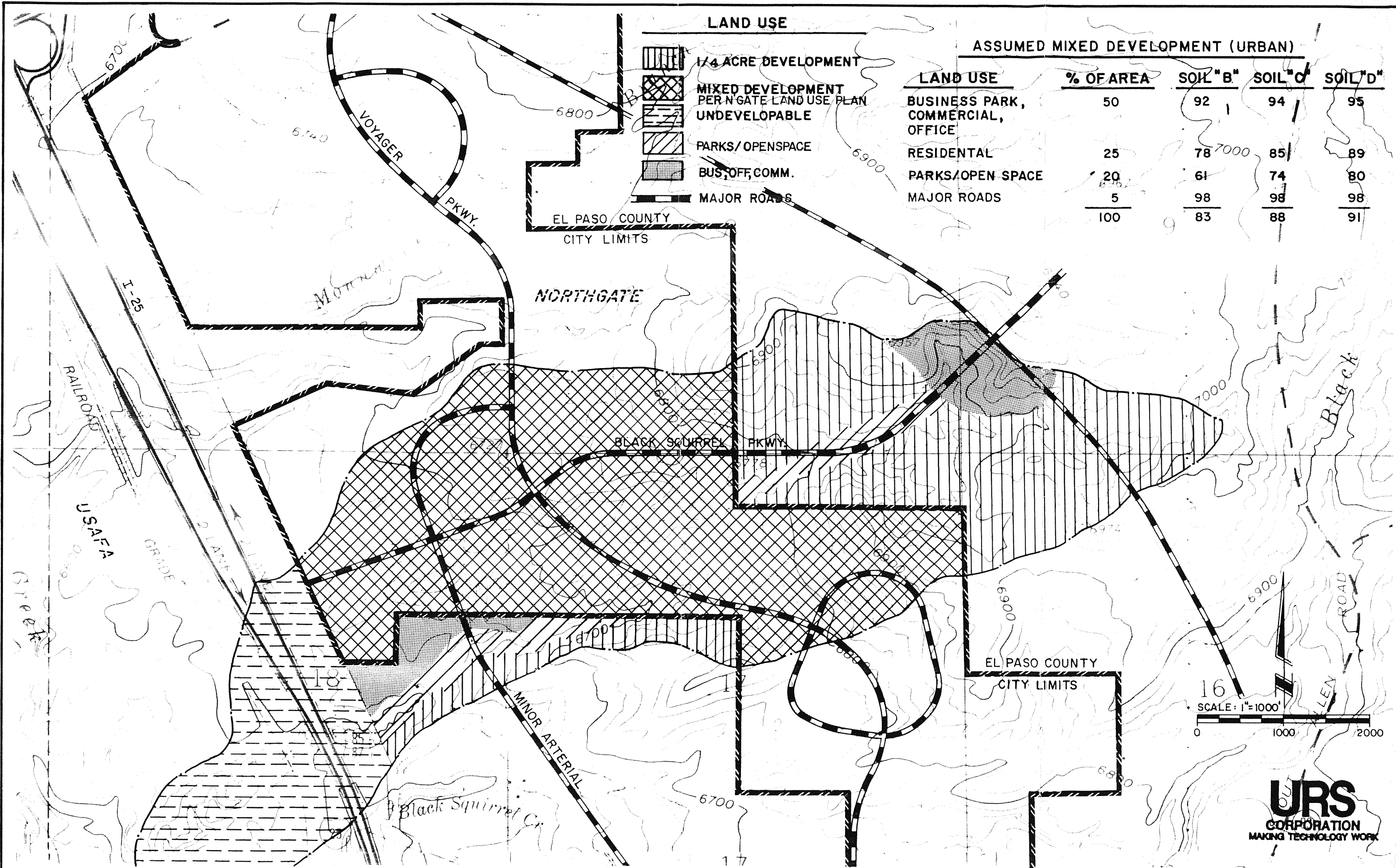
II. BASIN DESCRIPTION

The Project Study Area encompasses the entire Middle Tributary Drainage Basin upstream of the outfall into Monument Creek as shown on Figure 3 (attached). The basin generally slopes from east to west and outfalls into Monument Creek on the Air Force Academy property west of Interstate 25. The basin located in Township 12 south, Range 66 west, section 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, and 18 of the 6th Principal Meridian.

The total basin area consists of 847 acres and lies in unincorporated El Paso County (464 acres) and the City of Colorado Springs (383 acres). The U.S. Air Force Academy encompasses approximately 127 acres within El Paso County. Major roads planned within the basin were obtained from the El Paso County Major Transportation Corridors Plan, the City of Colorado Springs Transportation Plan, the Powers Boulevard Corridor Plans, and meetings with the El Paso County Department of Transportation. Presently, the only major road within the basin is Interstate 25.

The area within the basin was broken into the following land uses. The area in the city (Northgate) was assumed to be the mixed land use presented on the Northgate Land Use Plan (Appendix A). The area within El Paso County was divided into several land

use catagories for this study. This was not intended to set land uses in the county, but rather, an attempt to anticipate future hydrologic curve numbers for the basin. The land uses assumed at urban density in the county include: 1) business, office, and commercial; 2) high density residential; 3) parks and open space. The Air Force Academy land was assumed to remain undeveloped and was not included in the drainage and bridge fee calculations. Significant changes in land use beyond this concept would require a revision to this study. Land use assumptions for the basin are depicted on Figure 1.



MIDDLE TRIBUTARY MASTER DRAINAGE PLAN

PROJECTED LAND USE MAP
FIGURE 1

III. BASIN GEOLOGY AND SOILS

Basin soil and land use characteristics directly affect the relationship between rainfall and runoff within a basin. The U.S. Soil Conservation Service classifies soils into four hydrologic groups (A, B, C and D) according to a soil's runoff potential. Group A soils exhibit high infiltration rates when thoroughly wetted and are considered to have low runoff potential. Group B soils exhibit moderate infiltration rates when thoroughly wetted. Group C soils exhibit slow infiltration rates when thoroughly wetted. Group D soils exhibit very slow infiltration rates when thoroughly wetted and are considered to have high runoff potential.

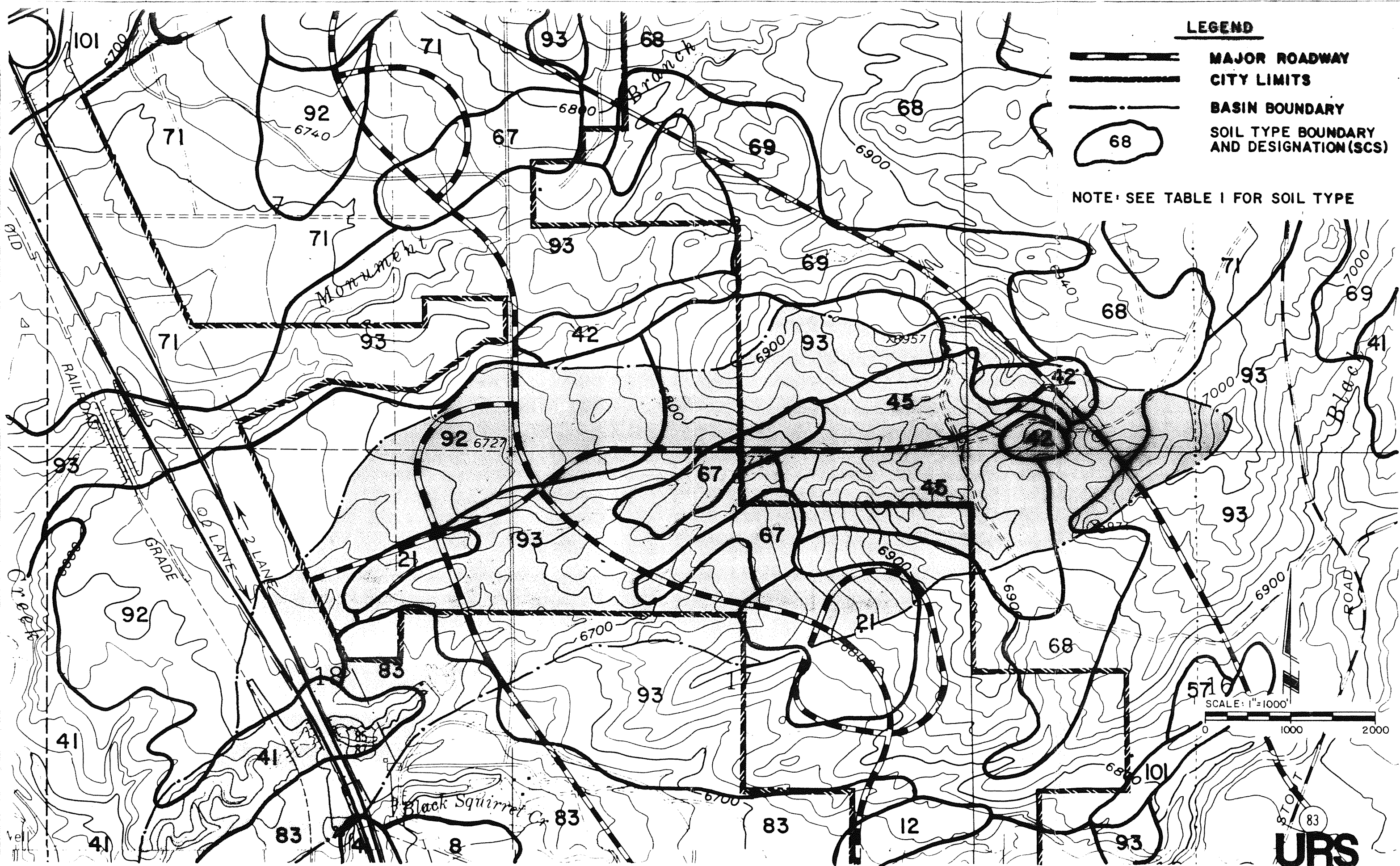
Soil types within the Middle Tributary Basin are listed in Table 1 and delineated in Figure 2. Approximately 75% of the basin is hydrologic soil Group B soils with the remaining 25% split between groups C and D.

TABLE 1

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
SOIL TYPES

SOIL I.D. NUMBER	SOIL NAME	HYDROLOGICAL SOIL GROUP	EROSION POTENTIAL
21	CRUCKTON SANDY LOAM	B	MODERATE
41	KETTLE GRAVELLY LOAM	B	MODERATE
42	KETTLE ROCK OUTCROP	D	SLIGHT-HIGH
45	KUTCH CLAY LOAM	C	MODERATE
67	PEYTON SANDY LOAM	B	MODERATE
68	PEYTON PRING COMPLEX	B	MODERATE
69	PEYTON PRING COMPLEX	B	MODERATE
83	STAPLETON SANDY LOAM	B	MODERATE
92	TOMAH-CROWFOOT LOAMYSAND	B	SLIGHT-MODERATE
93	TOMAH-CROWFOOT LOAMYSAND	B	MODERATE

SOURCE: SOIL SURVEY OF EL PASO COUNTY AREA COLORADO
U.S. SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE
JUNE 1981



MIDDLE TRIBUTARY MASTER DRAINAGE PLAN

SCS SOILS TYPES

FIGURE 2

IV. EXISTING DRAINAGE FACILITIES

Existing drainage facilities and historic flows are shown on Figure 3 (attached). Currently major drainage facilities are constructed at the following locations: 1) Horseshoe - shaped culvert at old railroad grade (AT & SF) 2) One concrete box culvert and one corrugated metal pipe, both located at I-25.

The above mentioned structures are adequate for historic and design flows. In addition, there are numerous small "stockpond" type reservoirs on the main channel and its tributaries. The State Engineers Office does not have record of any of the ponds located within the basin. Field reconnaissance of several of the "stockponds" showed no embankment protection or emergency spillways. All "stockponds" were therefore assumed to be inadequate. For the purpose of this report all "stockponds" were removed. However, future site specific analysis must not limit itself to just this assumption, but incorporate - City, County, State, and Federal regulations into their design considerations.

The remainder of the existing drainage structures in the basin consist solely of small culverts beneath roads located throughout the basin. The channels for the basin have not been improved and are in their natural state.

The geomorphology of the Monument Creek basin in this area

has been studied in conjunction with the construction of the U.S.

Air Force Academy site. Geological Survey Professional Paper 551 has the following to say about the origin of the Monument Creek Basin:

"The modern drainage pattern appears to have been formed by capture. During Tertiary time, streams probably flowed eastward from the mountains across the area called the Black Forest (fig. 1), but were captured in early Pleistocene time by small streams having steeper gradients, such as Monument Creek, that were cutting headward from the Arkansas River. As Monument Creek was cutting headward across the area, small streams from the east and west were cutting surfaces on bedrock at a gradient to meet the newly formed Monument Creek.

These surfaces, called pediments, are the result of a stable base level that prevailed for a long time along the major streams. The stable base level allowed the small streams to meander laterally and widen their valleys. Lowering of base level, probably as a result of climactic change, resulted in downcutting. At least six cycles of this change of stream regimen from lateral to downcutting are recorded in the dissected pediments of terraces of the Academy site. Because the gradients of the streams from the west were steeper than those of the streams flowing from the east, the stages of pedimentation west of Monument Creek never were completed, and ridges were stranded as most of the energy of the streams was concentrated on downcutting. Streams on the east side apparently completed at least the last stage of pedimentation and possibly also the earlier stages. No ridges or remnants of the older pediments can be found for 3-4 miles east of Monument Creek along Kettle Creek and Black Squirrel Creek. The amount of coarse alluvium added to Monument Creek from the mountains on the west far exceeded the amount of fine alluvium from the Black Forest on the east; therefore, Monument Creek was forced to migrate eastward during the successive stages of downcutting. It now impinges on bedrock at many places along its eastern valley wall, but rarely exposes bedrock along its western valley wall.

The difference in grain size between alluvium composed of granite boulders west of Monument Creek and alluvium composed of sand from the Dawson Arkose east of Monument Creek makes a difference in the shape of the pediments west and east of the creek. Small buried ridges on the west side

were protected from erosion by a mantel of boulders or by trains of boulders in ancient stream valleys. Longitudinal irregularities on the pediments thus resulted from the inability of the small intermittent streams to move the

boulders. On the east side of Monument Creek the streams were not restricted by such obstructions; they flowed freely, cutting a smooth gently sloping pediment whose extent was controlled solely by the amount of time available."

Historic conditions for Middle Tributary Drainage Basin were taken as present (1987) conditions. Figure 3 (attached) delineates the historic drainage basins. The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has not incorporated this basin into their flood hazard study. Therefore, the 100-year floodplain was not delineated. Tables 3, 5, and 6 show flows locally and regionally for historic conditions. It should be noted that the hydrology for this basin does not take into account any "stockponds".

The following discusses design points and reaches along the major channel(s) for current conditions. Refer to the design points and reaches of Figure 3. Cross sections were obtained through field reconnaissance and USGS Quadrangle Maps. Soils information was obtained from the Soil Survey of El Paso County, Colorado. The 100-year 24-hour storm flows are discussed since they are larger than the 100-year 2-hour storm.

Design point 17 is located at the confluence of the main

channel of Middle Tributary Basin and Monument Creek. The 100-year 24-hour flow at this point is 905 cfs and the 10-year 24-hour flow is 259 cfs.

Reach 10, located within U.S.A.F.A. property, is a deep, fairly narrow channel with a bare sandy bottom and well vegetated side slopes. The predominant soil type in this area is Kettle gravelly loamy sand which has a moderate hazard of erosion. Erosion for the more frequent storm events should occur along the channel bottom due to the lack of vegetation and higher velocities in the low flow channel. Also some sloughing of the banks may occur due to undercutting. Larger, less frequent, storm events will also cause some bank erosion due to scour.

Design point 16 is located at the horseshoe culvert located at the railroad grade. This culvert is adequate to pass the 100-year storm. No adverse impacts were noticeable during field reconnaissance of this area. The 100-year 24-hour flow at this point is 881 cfs and the 10-year 24-hour flow is 254 cfs.

Reach 9, located within U.S.A.F.A. property, is a shallow, broad channel with a bare sandy bottom and well vegetated side slopes. The predominant soil is the same as for reach 10. Erosion for the channel should be confined to the sandy bottom with little bank erosion expected.

Design point 15 is located at the corrugated metal pipe at Interstate 25. This culvert is adequate to pass the 100-year storm. No adverse impacts were noticeable during field reconnaissance of this area. The 100-year 24-hour flow at this point is 29 cfs and the 10-year 24-hour flow is 141 cfs.

Reach 8 (B & A), partially located within U.S.A.F.A. property, is a shallow, broad channel with bare and vegetated sandy bottoms. The predominant soil type in this area is Tomah-Crowfoot loamy sand which has a slight to moderate hazard of erosion. Some erosion may occur along the channel bottom for the more frequent storm events. Larger, less frequent, storm events will have less of an effect due to the flat, vegetated side slopes.

Design point 14 is located at the City Boundary. The 100-year 24-hour flow is 129 cfs and the 10-year 24-hours flow is 28 cfs.

Design point 13 is located at The Black Squirrel Creek Parkway crossing. The 100-year 24-hour flow is 68 cfs and the 10-year 24-hour flow is 37 cfs.

Design point 12 is located at the concrete box culvert at Interstate 25. This culvert is adequate to pass the 100-year

storm. No major adverse impacts were noticeable during field reconnaissance except for some minor aggradation occurring immediately downstream of the box culvert. The 100-year, 24-hour flow at this point is 803 cfs. and the 10-year, 24-hours flow is 238 cfs.

Reach 7 (B & A), partially located within U.S.A.F.A. property, is a deep to shallow, narrow channel with bare sandy bottom and well vegetated side slopes. Incorporated in this reach is a "stockpond" with well vegetated banks. The predominant soil type for this reach is a combination of Kettle gravelly loam and Stapleton sandy loam, each possessing a moderate hazard of erosion. Some erosion may occur along the channel bottom and banks for the more frequent storms. Less erosion is also expected along the overbanks for the larger infrequent storms.

Design point 11 is located at the U.S.A.F.A. Boundary. The 100-year 24-hour flow is 800 cfs and the 10-year 24-hour flow is 237 cfs.

Reaches 5 and 6 are shallow, undefined to slightly defined channels. The reaches are primarily vegetated with native grasses and shrubs. The predominant soil type for these reaches is a Tomah-Crowfoot loamy sand which has a moderate hazard of erosion. Little to no erosion is expected along these reaches

for the major and minor storms.

Design point 10 is located at the City Boundary. The 100-year 24-hour storm is 202 cfs and the 10-year 24-hour storm is 41 cfs.

Design point 9 is located at the proposed Voyager Parkway crossing. The 100-year, 24-hour flow is 161 cfs and the 10-year, 24-hour flow is 40 cfs.

Design point 3B is located at the proposed Black Squirrel Parkway crossing. The 100-year flow is 55 cfs and the rational 10-year flow is 30 cfs.

Design point 6 is located at the proposed minor arterial crossing. The 100-year, 24-hour flow is 792 cfs and the 10-year, 24-hour flow is 234 cfs.

Reach 4 is a shallow to deep, narrow to moderately broad channel with a bare to slightly bare sandy bottom and moderately vegetated side slopes. The predominant soil type is the same as for reaches 5 and 6. A road embankment and culvert exists across the reach. Stream bed aggradation and bank sloughing has occurred downstream of the embankment. Upstream of the embankment little erosion has taken place.

Design point 5 is located at the proposed Voyager Parkway crossing. The 100-year, 24-hour flow is 546 cfs and the 10-year, 24-hour flow is 177 cfs.

Reach 3 (B & A) and reach 1 (B & A) are a shallow, narrow channels with bare sandy bottoms and moderately vegetated banks. The predominant soil type for this reach is a combination of Peyton sandy loam and Tomah-crowfoot loamy sand, each possessing a moderate hazard of erosion. Little to no erosion is expected along this reach for the major and minor storms.

Design point 3A is located at the proposed Black Squirrel Creek Parkway crossing. The 100-year flow is 179 cfs and the 10-year flow is 97 cfs.

Reaches 1 and 2 are shallow, undefined channels vegetated with native grasses and shrubs. The predominant soil type for these reaches is a Kutch clay loam which has a moderate hazard of erosion. Little to no erosion is expected along these reaches for the major and minor storms.

Design point 2 is located at the proposed Black Squirrel Creek Parkway crossing. The 100-year flow is 50 cfs and rational the 10-year flow is 28 cfs.

Design point 1 is located at the proposed Powers Boulevard crossing. The 100-year flow is 84 cfs and the 10-year flow is 158 cfs.

V. BASIN HYDROLOGY

Determining runoff for a particular drainage basin needs to consider the effects of many different variables. In the absence of a reliable historic record of rainfall, runoff, and other pertinent variables, it is usually necessary to use a synthetic unit hydrograph method to determine the runoff that will occur for a given rainfall event. The SCS method of determining peak flood flows and hydrographs was used to estimate direct runoff. For an explanation of the procedures used, see the "SCS National Engineering Handbook, Section 4". Due to the number of computations necessary to determine the hydrographs and hydrologic routing of the given storm events, the calculations for the main channel were performed with the aid of the TR-20 computer program.

For this study the City of Colorado Springs/El Paso County Drainage Criteria Manual was used. For the major facilities (basins greater than 130 acres), the design peak flow shall be the greater of the peak flows determined for the 100-year 24-hour storm and the 100-year 2-hour storm. In all cases the 24-hour event produced greater flows. Design of minor facilities (basins less than 130 acres), shall be for the 10-year and 100-year storm in both El Paso County and the City of Colorado Springs. Flows for subbasins should be calculated using the Rational Method. Minor facilities shall be designed and planned to integrate with

the major drainage system to provide overflow capability for major storms. The intent of 100-year overflow provisions is to safely and economically direct 100-year flow from points of concentration and not impact buildings or structures. The drainage basin boundaries were determined from the topography on USGS 7-1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The subbasin boundaries and design points determined for fully developed conditions are shown on Figure 3 (attached). The hydrologic soil groups were then determined for each subbasin. For historic (present) conditions, a weighted curve number was determined for each subbasin based on soil types, type of cover, and taking into account presently platted areas. For future developed conditions, a weighted curve number was determined based on soil types, type of cover, and taking into account projected development. Time of concentration for the subbasins was determined by the following equation:

$$T = (11.9 \times L^3) \left(\frac{0.385}{H} \right)$$

where T = time of concentration in hours
 L = length of longest watercourse in miles
 H = elevation difference in feet

As the calculations proceed downstream, the hydrograph was routed through each subsequent reach and combined with local inflow to produce a composite hydrograph at each design point. Hydrologic channel routing was performed by inputting flow vs. area vs.

elevation for a representative cross section for each reach. The TR-20 computer program uses the Modified Att-Kin routing method for each reach based on the cross section entered. For detention ponds, the hydrologic reservoir routing was performed by inputting outflow vs. storage vs. elevation, for an assumed reservoir and outlet size. These variables were modified by trial and error until the desired volume of the reservoir and peak outflow were obtained. See appendix A for TR-20 program input and output.

The rainfall depths of 3.0 and 4.6 inches were obtained from isopluvials for the project area for the 10-year 24-hour and 100-year 24-hour storm events, respectively. Table 2 shows the dimensionless precipitation distribution for the SCS Type IIA storm. The rainfall depths of 2.0 and 3.0 inches were obtained from the "Areawide Urban Runoff Control Manual" for the 10-year 2-hour and 100-year 2-hour storm events, respectively.

TABLE 2

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
RAINFALL DISTRIBUTION

24-Hour Storm		2-Hour Storm	
Time (hrs)	Distribution	Time (min)	Distribution
0	0.000	0	0.000
2.00	0.010	5	0.009
4.00	0.030	10	0.035
4.50	0.050	15	0.074
5.00	0.060	20	0.144
5.50	0.100	25	0.265
6.00	0.700	30	0.481
6.50	0.750	35	0.602
7.00	0.780	40	0.671
8.00	0.820	45	0.725
9.00	0.840	50	0.768
9.50	0.850	55	0.803
10.00	0.860	60	0.837
10.50	0.865	65	0.872
11.00	0.870	70	0.889
11.50	0.885	75	0.907
11.75	0.888	80	0.917
12.00	0.890	85	0.927
12.50	0.900	90	0.938
13.00	0.905	95	0.948
13.50	0.910	100	0.958
14.00	0.915	105	0.969
16.00	0.940	110	0.979
20.00	0.980	115	0.990
24.00	1.000	120	1.000

TABLE 3

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
HISTORIC SUB-BASIN HYDROLOGY

SUB-BASINS	DRAINAGE AREA (AC)	TIME OF CONC. (MIN)	10-YEAR STORM			100-YEAR STORM		
			C	INTENSITY i (in/hr)	FLOW Q (cfs)	C	INTENSITY i (in/hr)	FLOW Q (cfs)
A	54	8	0.31	5.0	84	0.39	7.5	158
B	133	17	0.32	3.7	157	0.40	5.6	298
C	14	2	0.33	6.0	28	0.40	9.0	50
D	56	6	0.31	5.6	97	0.38	8.4	179
E	82	16	0.28	3.8	87	0.34	5.7	159
F	75	25	0.28	3.0	63	0.34	5.5	140
G1	28	9	0.28	4.8	38	0.34	7.2	69
G2	22	9	0.28	4.8	30	0.34	7.2	54
H	18	3	0.28	6.0	30	0.34	9.0	55
I	38	7	0.28	5.2	55	0.34	8.0	103
J	35	10	0.28	4.7	46	0.34	7.0	83
K	52	10	0.28	4.7	68	0.34	7.0	124
L1	32	10	0.28	4.7	42	0.34	7.0	76
L2	11	16	0.28	3.8	12	0.34	5.7	21
M	37	18	0.28	3.6	37	0.34	5.4	68
N1	27	8	0.28	5.0	38	0.34	7.5	69
N2	33	9	0.28	4.8	44	0.34	7.2	81
O	100	19	0.28	3.5	98	0.34	5.3	180

NOTE: Hydrologic calculations are based on the Rational Method

TABLE 4
MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
DEVELOPED SUB-BASIN HYDROLOGY

SUB-BASINS	DRAINAGE AREA (AC)	TIME OF CONC. (MIN)	10-YEAR STORM			100-YEAR STORM		
			C	INTENSITY	FLOW	C	INTENSITY	FLOW
				i (in/hr)	Q (cfs)		i (in/hr)	Q (cfs)
A	54	3	0.32	6.0	104	0.39	9.0	190
B	133	8	0.32	5.0	213	0.40	7.5	399
C	14	1	0.33	6.0	28	0.40	9.0	50
D	56	3	0.31	6.0	104	0.39	9.0	197
E	82	7	0.52	5.2	222	0.64	8.0	420
F	75	13	0.52	4.1	160	0.64	7.0	336
G1	28	4	0.52	6.0	87	0.64	9.0	161
G2	22	3	0.52	6.0	69	0.64	9.0	127
H	18	2	0.52	6.0	56	0.64	9.0	104
I	38	3	0.52	6.0	119	0.64	9.0	219
J	35	3	0.52	6.0	109	0.64	9.0	202
K	52	4	0.52	6.0	162	0.64	9.0	300
L1	32	4	0.52	6.0	100	0.64	9.0	184
L2	11	16	0.28	3.8	12	0.64	9.0	63
M	37	6	0.52	5.6	108	0.34	5.7	72
N1	27	3	0.52	6.0	84	0.64	8.4	145
N2	33	9	0.34	4.8	54	0.64	9.0	190
O	100	13	0.28	4.1	115	0.42	7.2	302
						0.34	6.3	0
								0

NOTE: Hydrologic calculations are based on the Rational Method

VI. PLANNING STUDY RECOMMENDATIONS

The overall recommendation of this drainage planning study is the use of subregional detention facilities in conjunction with partially lined major drainage channels. The plan should be used as a layout for future drainage facilities and take a natural regime approach to drainage. Channels should be designed to be stable under design flow conditions and still retain as many natural features as possible. Elements of the recommended drainage planning study are shown on Figure 3 (attached) and described in this section. This planning study incorporates the City of Colorado Springs/El Paso County drainage criteria manual. In the study process five plan alternatives were analyzed and are as follows:

1. Subregional and onsite detention with partially lined channels.
2. Subregional and onsite detention with earth lined channels.
3. Subregional detention with partially lined channels.
4. One regional detention facility with partially lined channels.
5. One regional detention facility with fully lined channels.

The third alternative was approved by the City and County through two formal submittals of the planning study and various meetings with City and County officials. The recommended alternative provides several advantages, such as: 1) reduction

of facility costs downstream due to reduction in peak flow;

2) reduces the need to channelize the natural channels; 3) maintenance responsibilities for subregional detention facilities are well defined; 4) provides for multiple use opportunities; 5) less risk associated with overtopping, flooding, and erosion problems compared to a regional facility; 6) allow for additional groundwater recharge.

The Middle Tributary basin was analyzed assuming the types of land use development as shown on Figure 1. The land use considerations are discussed in Section II. Air Force Academy land was assumed to be undevelopable and was analyzed as rangeland.

Two basin design assumptions were incorporated into this study, 1) subregional off and on stream detention facilities are strategically placed within the basin for the purpose of reducing sub regional developed runoff, and 2) partially lined channels incorporating drop structures and trickle channels for the purpose of stabilizing and maintaining the natural character of the channel.

The use of detention for this basin is required due to the location of the U.S. Air Force Academy on the downstream part of

the basin. Subregional offstream detention facilities are located as shown on Figure 3 (attached). The facilities should be designed to detain the difference between the historic and developed peak flows for both the 10-year and the 100-year, storm events. The bottom of the emergency spillway, in all cases, was assumed to be less than 10 feet high, therefore, foregoing State Engineers jurisdiction. Inflow and outflow hydrographs for detention ponds are shown in Addendum 1. A summary of the flows for historic and developed conditions are shown on Tables 3, 4, 5, and 6.

Major channels to be improved within the basin are proposed to be partially lined. Lining materials used in this study are for cost purposes only. All lining materials are subject to jurisdictional approval. The partially lined channel section should be used where existing channel velocities exceed erosive velocities. Furthermore, drop structures and trickle channels should be extensively implemented in order to stabilize the channel. Developed velocities will range from 6 to 8 fps using the above mentioned channel characteristics. Drop structures and trickle channels are incorporated in all proposed major channels. Trickle channels should be sized to carry frequent storm events generally based on a minimum 3% of the 100-year event. Grouted sloping drops incorporated into the channels are for cost purposes only. Many other alternatives exist for drop structures and their selection will depend on site specific, jurisdictional

and economic factors.

Various assumptions were involved in proposed improvements for the basin. Partially lined channels were assumed to include bank lining, drop structures, and trickle channels. Construction would include riprap, sand filter, earthwork, revegetation by sodding, concrete, and grouting. Detention ponds were assumed to include earthwork, outlet facility, upstream riprap face, grouted riprap overflow with energy dissipator, land area, and revegetation by seeding/mulching. Box culverts were assumed to include the barrel, inlet structure, outlet structure, earthwork, and normal safety appertances.

Shown on figure 3, but not limited to, are reaches requiring an overflow capability for major storms. The purpose of these facilities is to provide additional capacity to safely manage major storm runoff from points where major storm runoff has been concentrated such as at arterial road crossings. These facilities will generally be streets, parking lots and graded landscaping. Future drainage reports shall require overflow provisions incorporated into the planning and design of all initial drainage sytems in order to route the major storm safely and economically. These facilities are not to be reimbursable since they are a part of the initial system.

All channels are to be designed and constructed according to City and County criteria and specifications and are eligible for reimbursement if they are delineated in this study. Channels should be designed by using normal depth and backwater calculations where appropriate. Box culverts should be designed with an appropriate depth ratio for subcritical channels, with appropriate reservoir routing techniques for detention ponds, or with appropriate transitions for supercritical channels.

Tables 7 and 8 include a brief description of proposed improvements for each channel reach and detention pond. Figures 4 thru 7 include the concept details used for cost estimating purposes.

All major drainage improvements located in the City of Colorado Springs and El Paso County shall be in a public right-of-way and a width acceptable to the City or County. All drainage improvements in the City/County that are in a public right-of-way will be maintained by the City/County. Funding for maintenance of detention ponds could take various forms. Government agencies could fund all of the maintenance, or a public/private split could be made based on safety features for public funding and aesthetic features for private funding.

TABLE 5

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
DESIGN PEAK FLOWS FOR
PRESENT AND RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS
2-HOUR STORM

DESIGN POINT	CONTRIBUTING BASINS	PRESENT CONDITIONS		RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS	
		10-YR (cfs)	100-YR (cfs)	10-YR (cfs)	100-YR (cfs)
1	A	84 +	158 +	n/a	n/a
2	C	28 +	50 +	"	"
3A	D	97 +	179 +	"	"
3B	H	30 +	55 +	"	"
4	A-D	48	162	"	"
5	A-E	61	208	"	"
6	A-I,K	81	307	"	"
7	G1	2	11	"	"
8	G2	2	9	"	"
9	G-I	9	43	"	"
10	G-I,K	12	62	"	"
11	A-I,K,L1	83	318	"	"
12	A-I,K,L	84	322	"	"
13	M	37 +	68 +	"	"
14	J,M,N1	8	37	"	"
15	J,M,N	10	49	"	"
16	A-N	94	371	"	"
17	A-O	99	406	"	"

+ Calculated by the Rational Method.

n/a The 24-hour storm was used as the design storm for detention routing.

Note: Present conditions include routed flows without existing "stockponds" or proposed detention facilities.

Present conditions are assumed to represent historic conditions.

TABLE 6

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
DESIGN PEAK FLOWS FOR
PRESENT AND RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS
24-HOUR STORM

DESIGN POINT	CONTRIBUTING BASINS	PRESENT CONDITIONS		RECOMMENDED CONDITIONS	
		10-YR (cfs)	100-YR (cfs)	10-YR (cfs)	100-YR (cfs)
1	A	84 +	158 +	104 +	190 +
.	C	28 +	50 +	28 +	50 +
3A	D	97 +	179 +	97 +	179 +
3B	H	30 +	55 +	56 +	104 +
4	A-D	142	441	142	445
5	A-E	177	546	177	560
6	A-I,K	234	792	234	770
7	G1	12	45	12	35
8	G2	9	39	9	28
9	G-I	40	161	40	161
10	G-I,K	41	202	41	223
11	A-I,K,L1	237	800	237	779
12	A-I,K,L	238	803	238	782
13	M	37 +	68 +	108 +	199 +
14	J,M,N1	28	129	28	123
15	J,M,N	29	141	29	167
16	A-N	254	881	254	893
17	A-O	259	905	259	904

+ Calculated by the Rational Method.

Note: 1) Present conditions include routed flows without existing "stockponds" or proposed detention facilities. Present conditions are assumed to represent historic conditons.

2) Recommended conditions include routed flows through proposed detention facilities.

TABLE 7
MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
SUMMARY OF
DETENTION FACILITIES

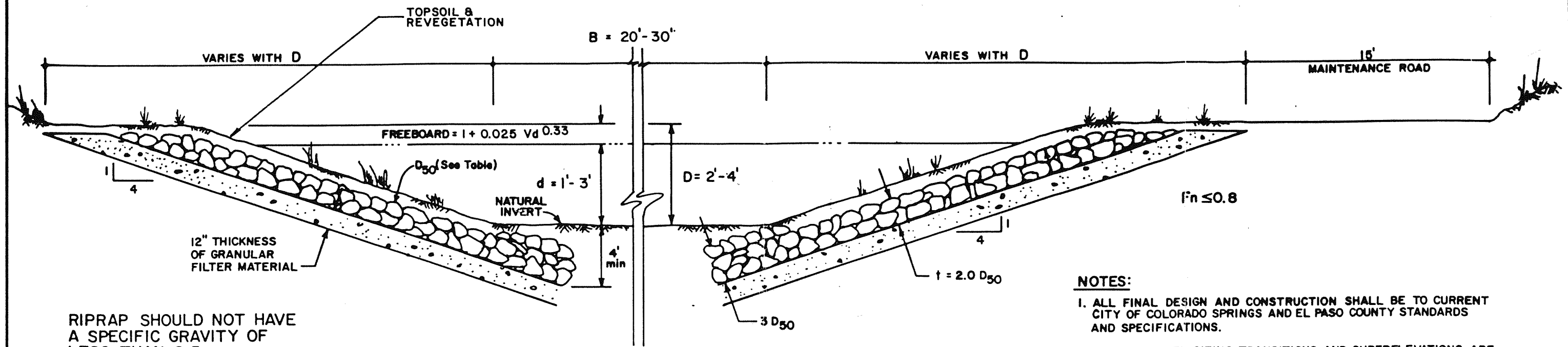
D.P.	LOCATION	TYPE	PEAK INFLOW (cfs)	PEAK OUTFLOW (cfs)	PEAK HISTORIC (cfs)	SURFACE AREA (ac)	VOLUME (ac-ft)
4	CITY/COUNTY BNDRY.	ONSTREAM	1045	445	441	3.7	22.4
5	VOYAGER PKWY.	OFFSTREAM	359	164	162	1.3	6.0
7	VOYAGER PKWY.	OFFSTREAM	139	35	45	1.0	3.0
8	BSC PKWY.	OFFSTREAM	107	27	39	0.9	2.3
9	VOYAGER PKWY.	ONSTREAM	278	106	94	1.2	5.7
10	CITY/COUNTY BNDRY.	ONSTREAM	376	223	202	1.4	6.3
14	USafa BNDRY.	ONSTREAM	461	123	129	2.2	10.3

TABLE 8

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
PROPOSED MAJOR DRAINAGE FACILITIES

DESIGN POINT	REACH	FACILITY (w x d x l)	DESIGN FLOW (cfs)
1	-	5' x 5' CBC	190
-	1A	100 YR OVERFLOW PROVISION	786
-	1B	25' x 4.0' x 1800 PLC, 8 drops	786
2	-	42" RCP	50 *
-	2	100 YR OVERFLOW PROVISION	50
3A	-	5' x 5' CBC	179 *
3B	-	54" RCP	104 *
-	3A	25' x 4.0' x 1400' PLC, 8 drops	445
-	3B	100 YR OVERFLOW PROVISION	179 *
4	-	DETENTION FACILITY	445 (out)
-	4	25' x 4.03.5' x 2600' PLC, 8 drop	572
5	-	8' x 8' CBC	560
6	-	9' x 9' CBC	770
-	5	100 YR OVERFLOW PROVISION	323 *
7	-	DETENTION FACILITY	35 (out)
-	6	100 YR OVERFLOW PROVISION	376
8	-	DETENTION FACILITY	27 (out)
-	7A	25' x 4.0' x 1400' PLC, 1 drop	779
-	7B	NATURAL CHANNEL	782
9	-	60" RCP	161
-	8A	100 YR OVERFLOW PROVISION	461
-	8B	NATURAL CHANNEL	167
10	-	DETENTION FACILITY	223 (out)
-	9	NATURAL CHANNEL	893
11	-	AFA BOUNDARY	779
-	10	NATURAL CHANNEL	904
12	-	12' x 8' CBC (EXIST.)	782
13	-	5' x 5' CBC	199 *
14	-	DETENTION FACILITY	123 (out)
15	-	48" CMP (EXIST.)	167
16	-	EXIST. HORSESHOE CULV.	893
17	-	CONFLUENCE MON. CK.	904

* Calculated by the Rational Method.



RIPRAP SHOULD NOT HAVE
A SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF
LESS THAN 2.5

TYPICAL PARTIALLY LINED RIPRAP CHANNEL SECTION

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NOTES:

1. ALL FINAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE TO CURRENT CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS AND EL PASO COUNTY STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS.
2. FINAL CHANNEL SIZING, TRANSITIONS, AND SUPERELEVATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO DETAILED DRAINAGE REPORTS OF THE SUBJECT AREA.
3. THIS DETAIL WAS USED FOR COST ESTIMATING PURPOSES FOR THIS MASTER PLAN ONLY.
4. TOPSOIL AND REVEGETATION ABOVE RIP-RAP ASSUMED TO BE NON-REIMBURSABLE.

RIPRAP REQUIREMENTS FOR CHANNEL LININGS **

$V S^{0.17} / (S_s - 1)^{0.66}$
(feet per second)

Rock Type ***

1.4 to 3.2

VL

3.3 to 3.9

L

4.0 to 4.5

M

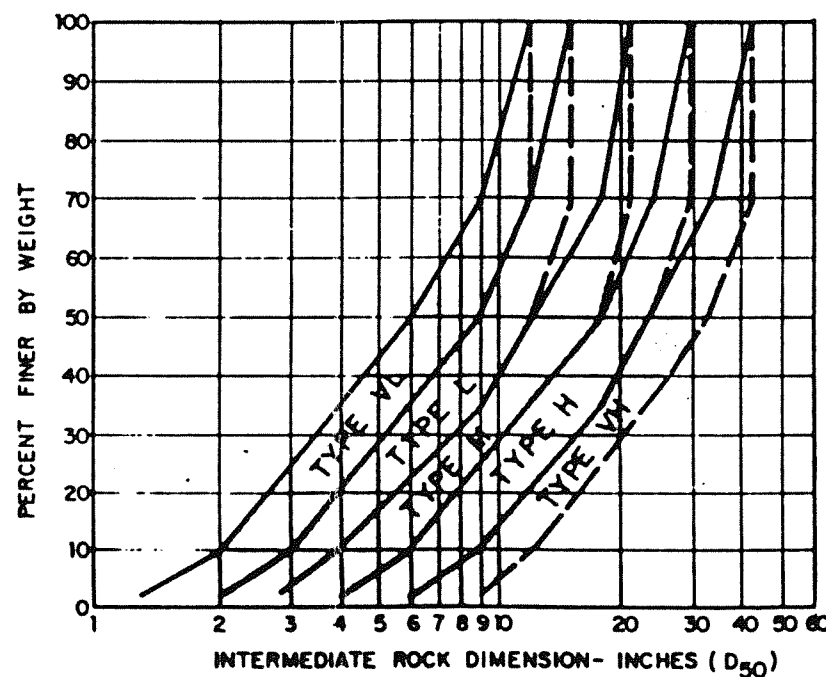
4.6 to 5.5

H

5.6 to 6.4

VH

- * Use $S_s = 2.5$ unless the source of rock and its densities are known at the time of design.
- ** Table valid only for Froude number of 0.8 or less and side slopes no steeper than 2h:1v.
- *** Type VL and L riprap shall be buried after placement to reduce vandalism.



GRADATION OF ORDINARY RIPRAP

SOURCE: URBAN DRAINAGE & FLOOD
CONTROL DISTRICT, DRAINAGE
CRITERIA MANUAL

PARTIALLY LINED CHANNEL DETAIL FIGURE 4

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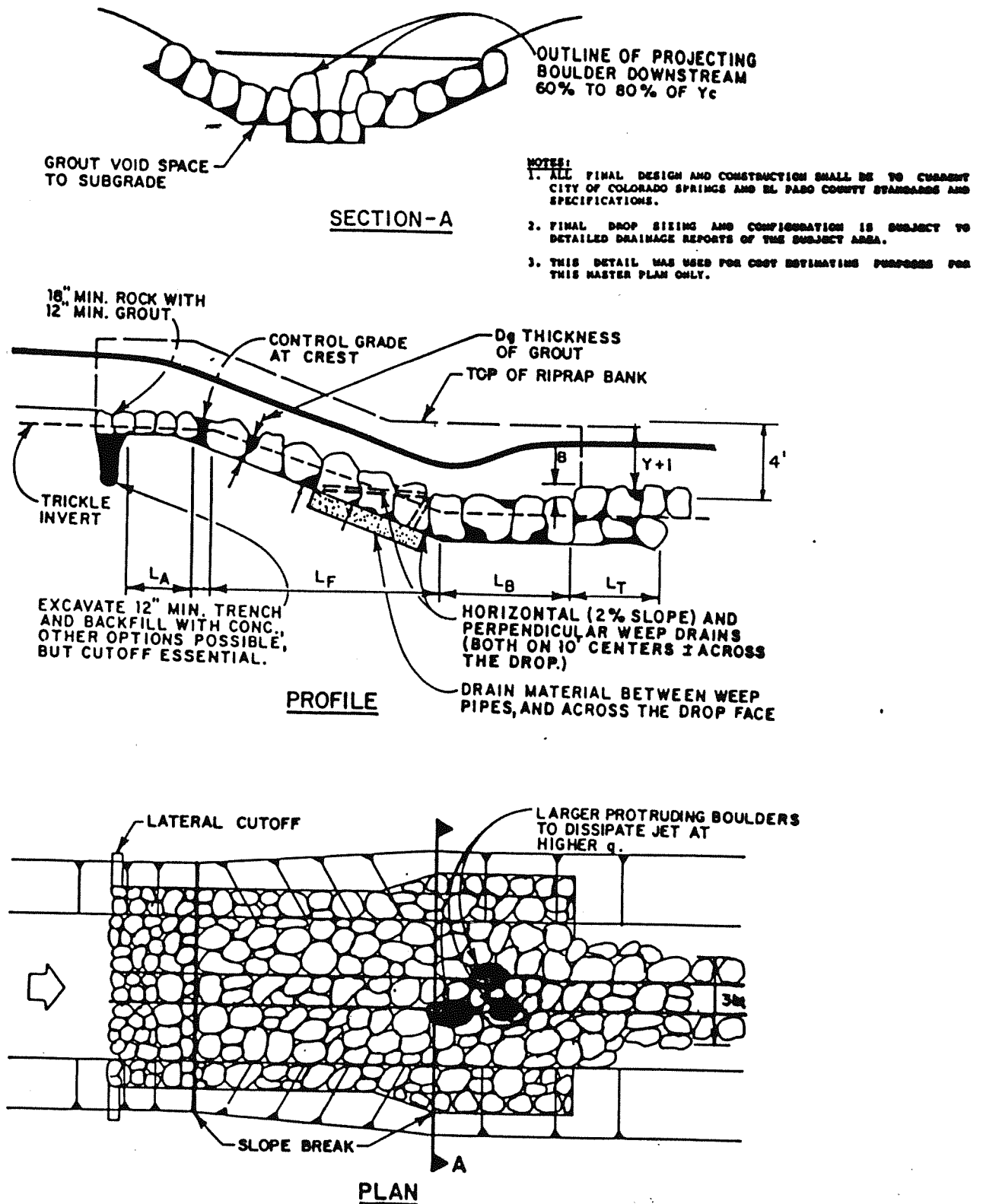


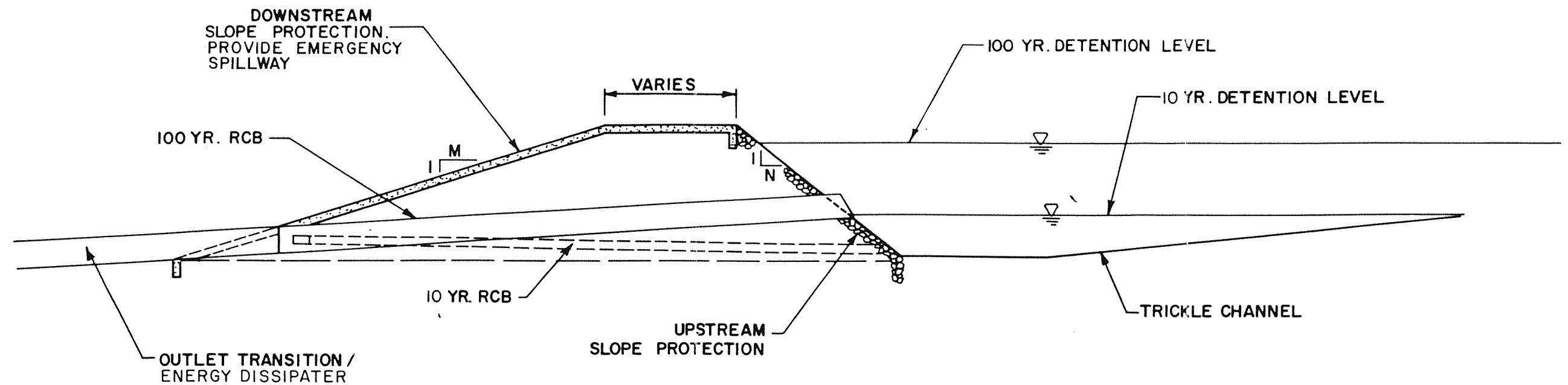
FIGURE 5

GSB—GROUTED SLOPING

BOULDER DROP

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Reference: Urban Drainage & Flood Control District,
Drop Structures in the Denver Metropolitan
Area, Dec. 1986



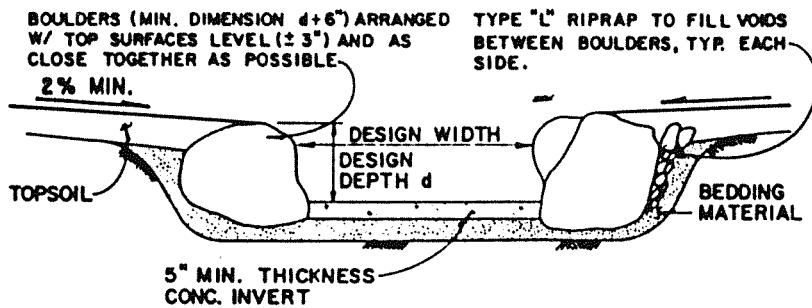
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2. M & N SUBJECT TO GEOTECHNICAL DESIGN.
3. ALL FINAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE TO CURRENT CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS, EL PASO COUNTY, AND STATE OF COLORADO SPECIFICATIONS WHERE APPLICABLE.

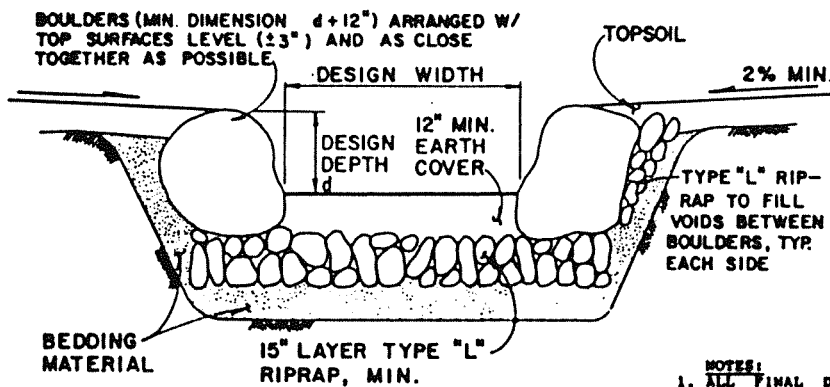
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FIGURE 6



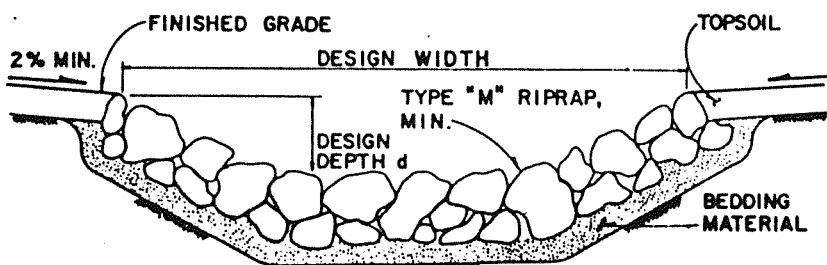
Trickle channel with boulders edge and concrete invert.



Trickle channel with boulder edge and rock/soil invert.

NOTES:

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2. FINAL TRICKLE CHANNEL SIZING IS SUBJECT TO DETAILED DRAINAGE REPORTS OF THE SUBJECT AREA.
3. THIS DETAIL WAS USED FOR COST ESTIMATING PURPOSES FOR THIS MASTER PLAN ONLY.
4. EARTH COVER AND REVEGETATION OVER RIP-RAP ASSUMED TO BE NON-REIMBURSABLE.



Rock riprap trickle channel.

FIGURE 7
TRICKLE CHANNELS

VII. ESTIMATED PLANNING STUDY COSTS

Estimated 1987 Planning Study Costs are presented in Table 9. All line item costs, correspond to an improvement shown on Figure 3 (attached). Only those items specified in Table 9 are eligible for reimbursement. Initial drainage systems are required in this basin but are not reimbursable.

Unit construction costs used in estimating major improvements are referred to in Table 10. These costs were then spread out through the entire basin to determine the overall cost to the basin for site drainage. The subtotal for drainage improvements was then multiplied by 1.05 to provide a 5 percent allowance for construction contingency. This total was then multiplied by 1.10 to provide a 10 percent allowance for engineering. Also included in the reimbursable costs is the cost of preparing this Planning Study.

Land costs for detention ponds are to be reimbursed at \$15,600 per acre in the City and in the County. This land fee corresponds to the City's current park land fee. These land costs will be adjusted in subsequent years to reflect the park land value that year. The land to be reimbursed for detention ponds will be the difference between the detention pond area and the area required for a full flow through channel.

The estimated annual maintenance costs for major channels and detention ponds include sediment and debris removal, inspections, crack sealing, mowing, and other minor repair work, and are shown in Table 11. Assuming a total developed scenario for the basin, the total estimated maintenance cost for the basin is \$30,000 per year. However, this cost will vary from initial facility construction phases through the design life of the facilities.

TABLE 9

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
ESTIMATED CONCEPTUAL DESIGN IMPROVEMENT COSTS & FEES

ESTIMATED 1987 CONSTRUCTION COST

DESIGN POINT	REACH	DESIGN FLOW (cfs)	LENGTH (ft)	COMMENTS	IMPROVEMENT	UNIT	UNIT \$	DRAINAGE CONSTRUCTION COST (\$)	DRAINAGE LAND COST (\$)	BRIDGE COST (\$)
1	-	190	240.00	POWERS BLVD	5'x 5' CBC	160.00 LF		\$38,400		\$0
-	1B	786	1400.00	PART. LINED	25'x 4.0'x 1800'	80.00 LF		112,000✓		
				DROP STRUCT.	8 DROPS	17000.00 EA		136,000✓		
2	-	50	160.00	B.S. PKWY	42" RCP	125.00 LF*		20,000✓		
3A	-	179	160.00	B.S. PKWY	5'x 5' CBC	160.00 LF		25,600✓		
3B	-	104	160.00	B.S. PKWY	54" RCP	148.00 LF*		23,680✓		
-	3A	445	1000.00	PART. LINED	25'x 4.0'x 1400'	80.00 LF		80,000		
				DROP STRUCT.	8 DROPS	12000.00 EA		96,000		
4	-	-	-	DET. POND	22.4 AC-FT STORAGE	-	-	190,000✓	51,948	
-	4	572	2100.00	PART. LINED	25'x 4.0'x 2600'	80.00 LF		168,000		
				DROP STRUCT.	8 DROPS	14000.00 EA		112,000		
5	-	560	200.00	VOYAGER PKWY	8'x 8' CBC	334.00 LF		66,800		
5	-	-	-	DET. POND	6.0 AC-FT STORAGE	-	-	54,000	18,252	
6	-	770	120.00	MINOR ARTERIAL	9'x 9' CBC	378.00 LF		45,360		
-	6B	223	700.00	MINOR ARTERIAL	48" RCP	116.00 LF		81,200		
7	-	-	-	DET. POND	3.0 AC-FT STORAGE	-	-	29,000	14,040	
8	-	-	-	DET. POND	2.3 AC-FT STORAGE	-	-	25,000	12,636	
-	7A	779	1400.00	PART. LINED	25'x 4.0'x 1400'	80.00 LF		112,000		
				DROP STRUCT.	1 DROP	17000.00 EA		17,000		
9	-	161	160.00	VOYAGER PKWY	60" RCP	157.00 LF*		25,120		
9	-	-	-	DET. POND	5.7 AC-FT STORAGE	-	-	50,000	16,848	
10	-	-	-	DET. POND	6.3 AC-FT STORAGE	-	-	58,000	19,656	
13	-	199	160.00	B.S. PKWY	5'x 5' CBC	160.00 LF		25,600		
14	-	-	-	DET. POND	10.3 AC-FT STORAGE	-	-	90,000	30,888	
SUBTOTAL								1,680,760	164,268	0
CONSTRUCTION COST								1,680,760		0
CONSTRUCTION CONTINGENCY 5%								84,038		0
ENGINEERING 10%								176,480		0
MASTER PLAN COST								50,000		0
LAND COST									164,268	0
DETENTION LAND AREA COSTS PER ACRE:										
CITY	\$15,600									
COUNTY	\$15,600									
GRAND TOTAL								\$1,991,278	\$164,268	\$0
FEE/ACRE								\$2,766	\$228	\$0

*UNIT COSTS INCREASED 20% FOR INLET & OUTLET FACILITIES

TABLE 10

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
ESTIMATED UNIT CONSTRUCTION COSTS

ITEM	UNIT	UNIT COST
=====		
CONSTRUCTION		

RIP-RAP	CUBIC YARD	\$ 25.00
RIP-RAP (GROUTED EMBANKMENT)	SQUARE YARD	30.00
DAM EMBANKMENT	CUBIC YARD	3.00
EXCAVATION & EMBANKMENT	CUBIC YARD	1.50
GRANULAR BEDDING FOR RIP-RAP	CUBIC YARD	12.00
PARTIALLY LINED CHANNEL (AVG)	LINEAR FOOT	80.00
TRICKLE CHANNEL	LINEAR FOOT	12.00
DROP STRUCTURES (AVG)	EACH	14,500.00
REVEGETATION (Non-reimbursable when placed over riprap)	ACRE	5,000.00
REINFORCED CONCRETE BOXES		
CONCRETE	CUBIC YARD	180.00
STEEL	POUNDS	0.50
TRANSITIONS	EACH	12,000.00
REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE		
15" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	40.00
18" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	48.00
24" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	61.00
30" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	76.00
36" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	87.00
42" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	104.00
48" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	116.00
54" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	124.00
60" DIA	LINEAR FOOT	131.00

TABLE 11

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN
ESTIMATED ANNUAL MAINTENANCE COSTS

ITEM	UNIT	UNIT COST
Detention Ponds		
Sediment Removal*	Cubic Yards	5.00
Annual Inspection	Each Pond	150.00
Mowing	Per Acre	240.00
Debris Removal	Each Pond	500.00
Channels		
Lined*	Per 1000 LF	780.00
Unlined*	Per 1000 LF	250.00

* Per Sand Creek Master Drainage Study, 1985

VIII. DRAINAGE BASIN FEE DETERMINATION

Middle Tributary basin encompasses a total drainage area of 847 acres. Excluding the U.S. Air Force Academy land, there is approximately 720 acres of unplatted developable acreage within the basin. Of this area, 383 acres are within the City of Colorado Springs and 337 acres lies within El Paso County.

The recommended drainage fee presented herein was computed by dividing the sum of the estimated costs to complete the planning study drainage system plus the estimated cost to prepare this planning study by the total area within the basin paying fees upon future platting.

Middle Tributary Drainage Fee:

$$\frac{\$1,991,278}{720 \text{ acres}} = \$2,766 \text{ per acre}$$

Detention Land Fee:

$$\frac{\$164,268}{720 \text{ acres}} = \$228 \text{ per acre}$$

IX. BRIDGE FEE DETERMINATION

All arterial road crossings are designated as culverts and cannot be regarded as bridges, therefore, bridge fees are not established for this basin.

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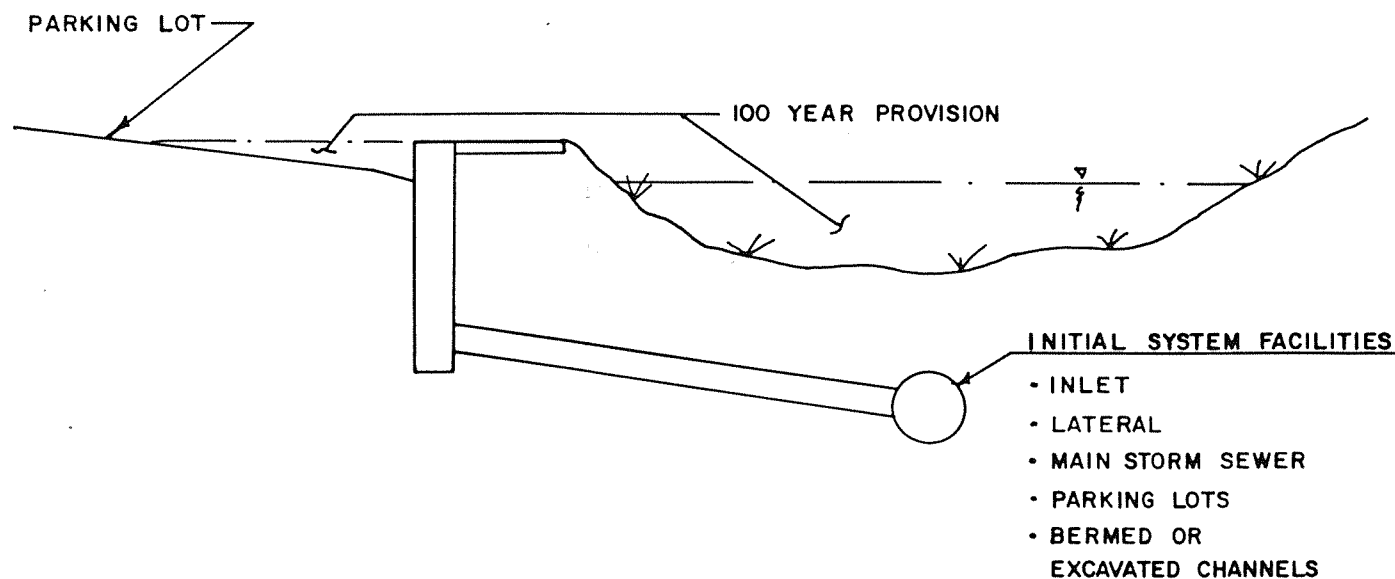
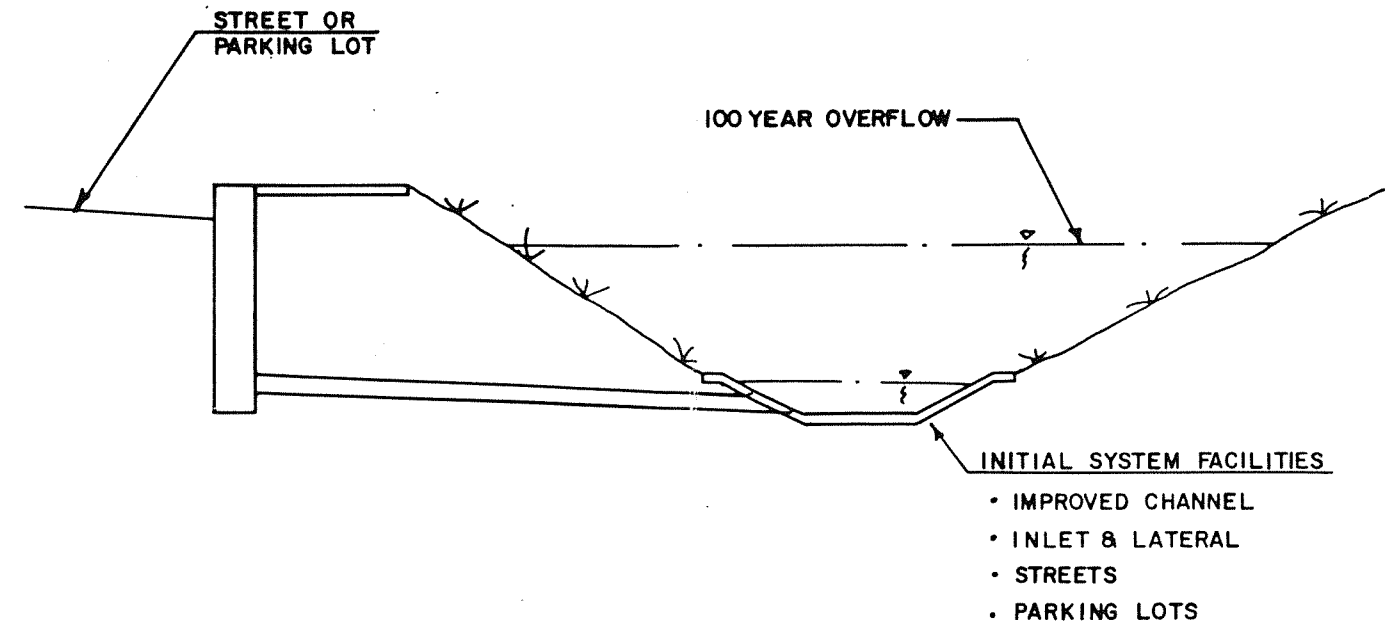
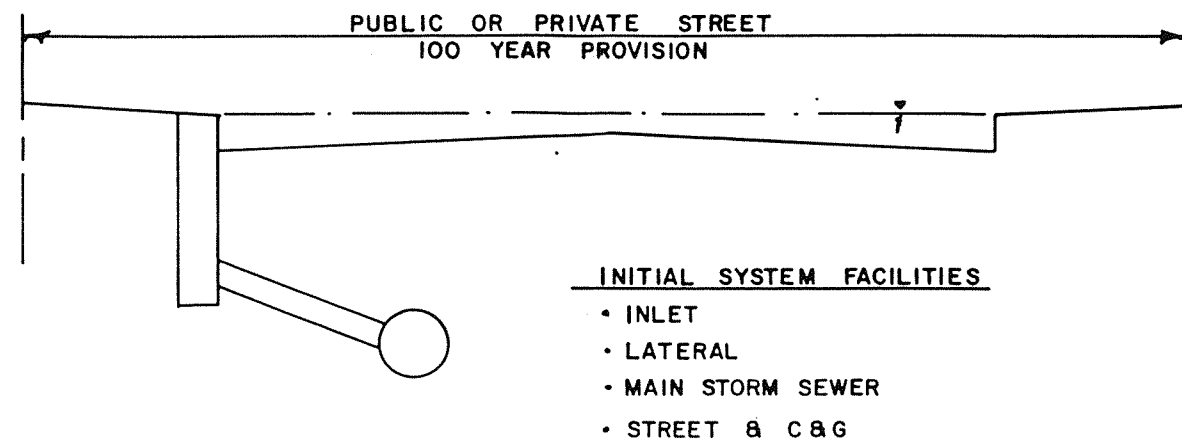
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CONCEPTUAL INITIAL SYSTEM DETAILS

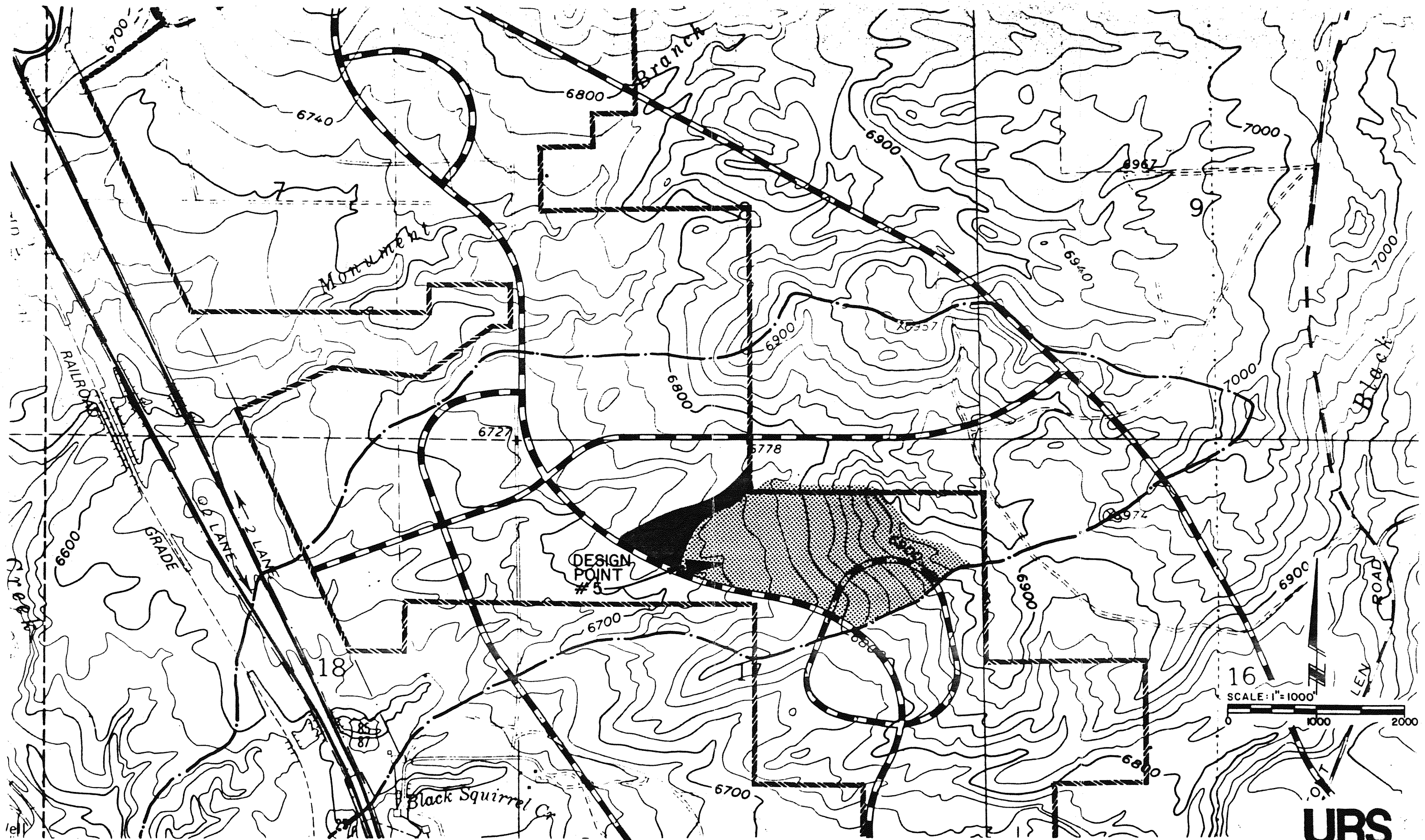
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2. ALL IMPROVEMENTS ON BASINS GREATER THAN 130 ACRES SHALL BE DESIGNED FOR THE 100-YR., 24-HR. STORM.

FIGURE 8



DESIGN POINT 5

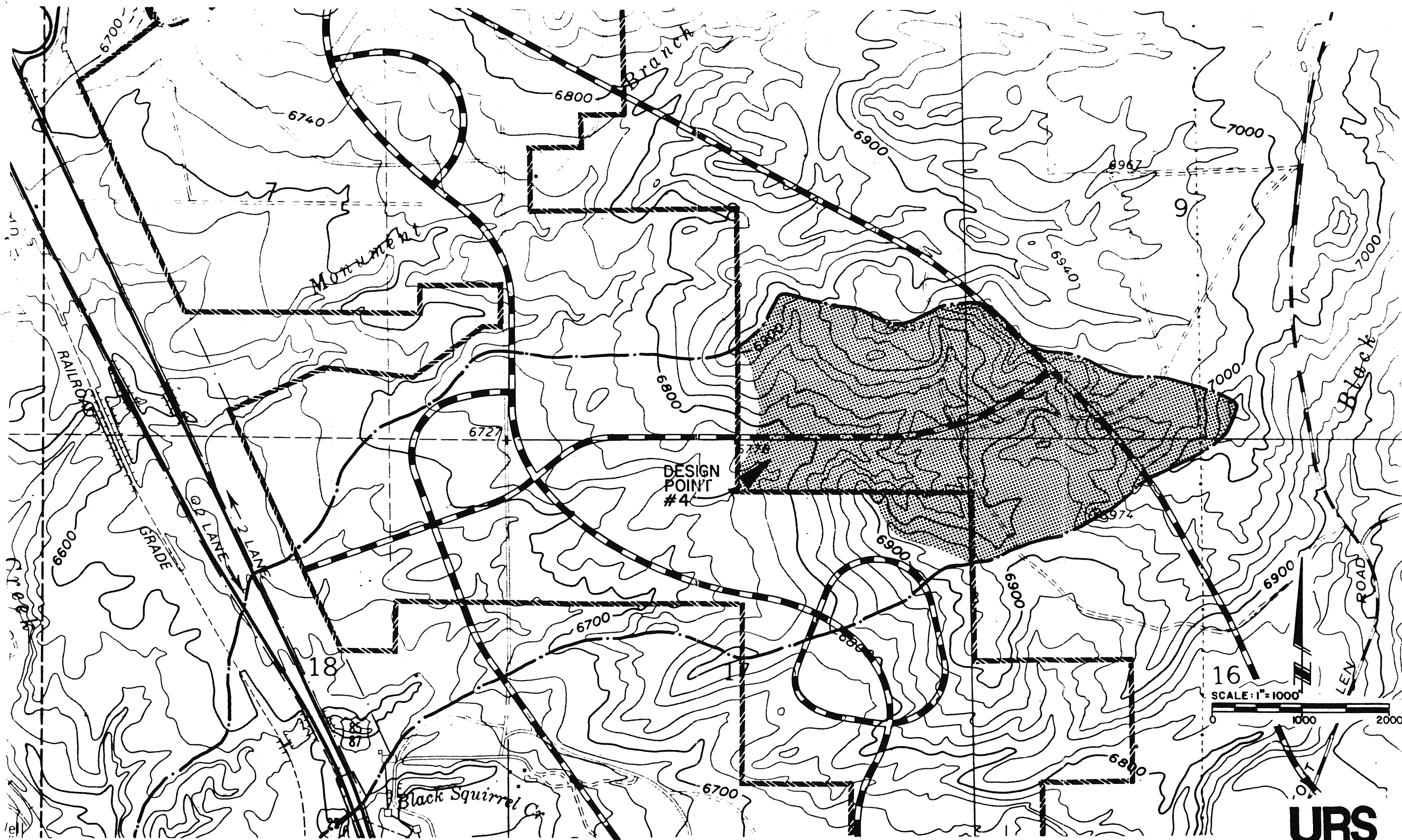
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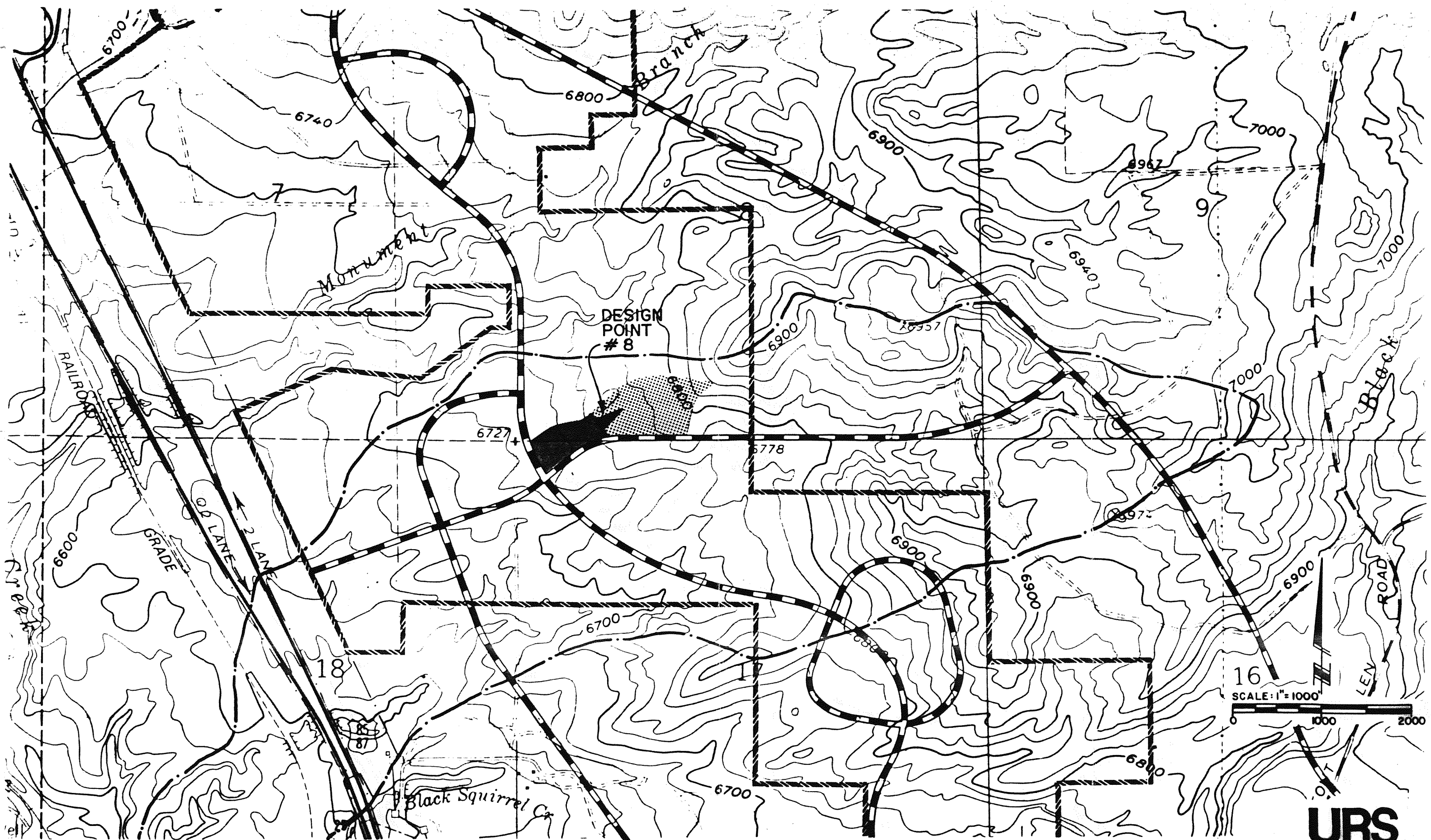
FIGURE 10



 DIRECT DETENTION
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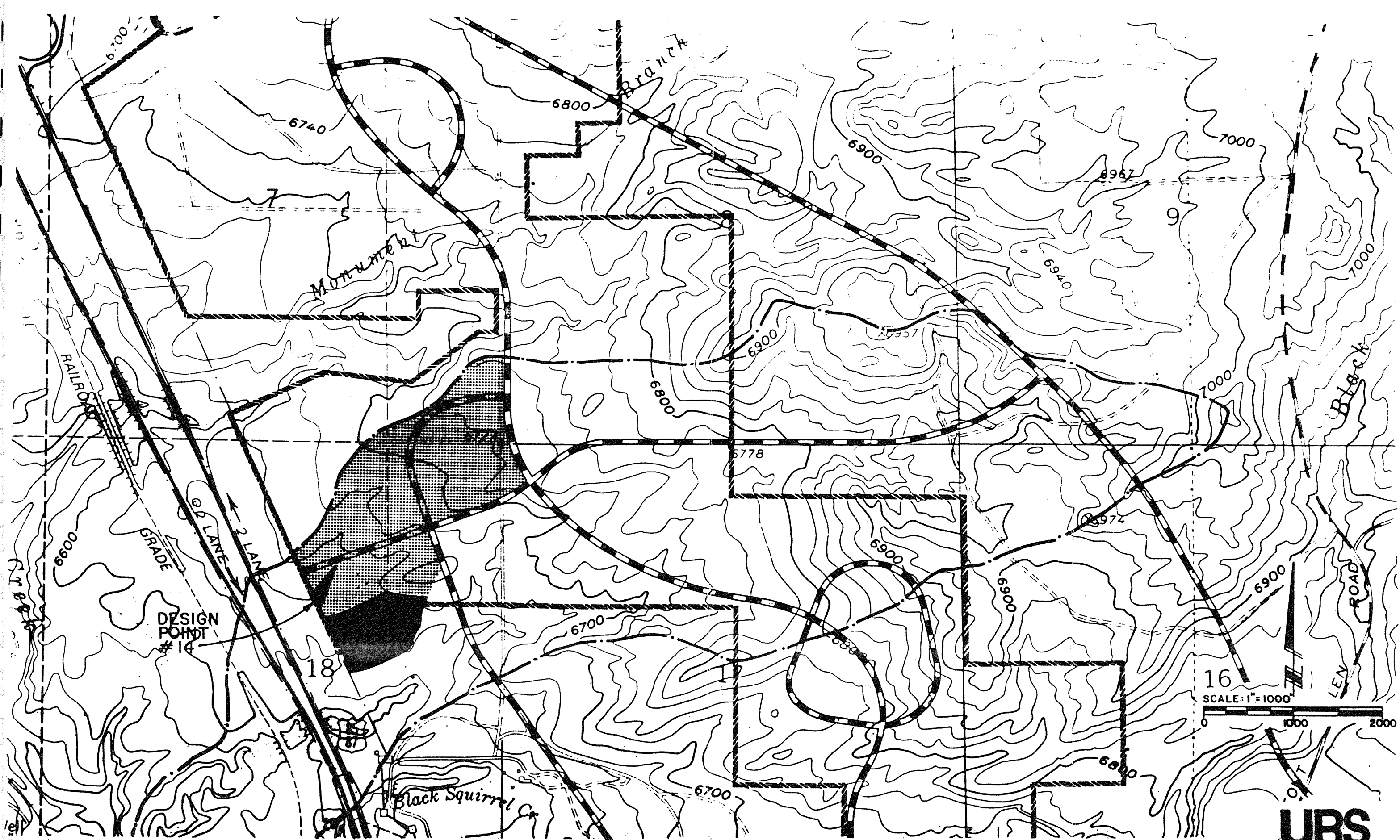


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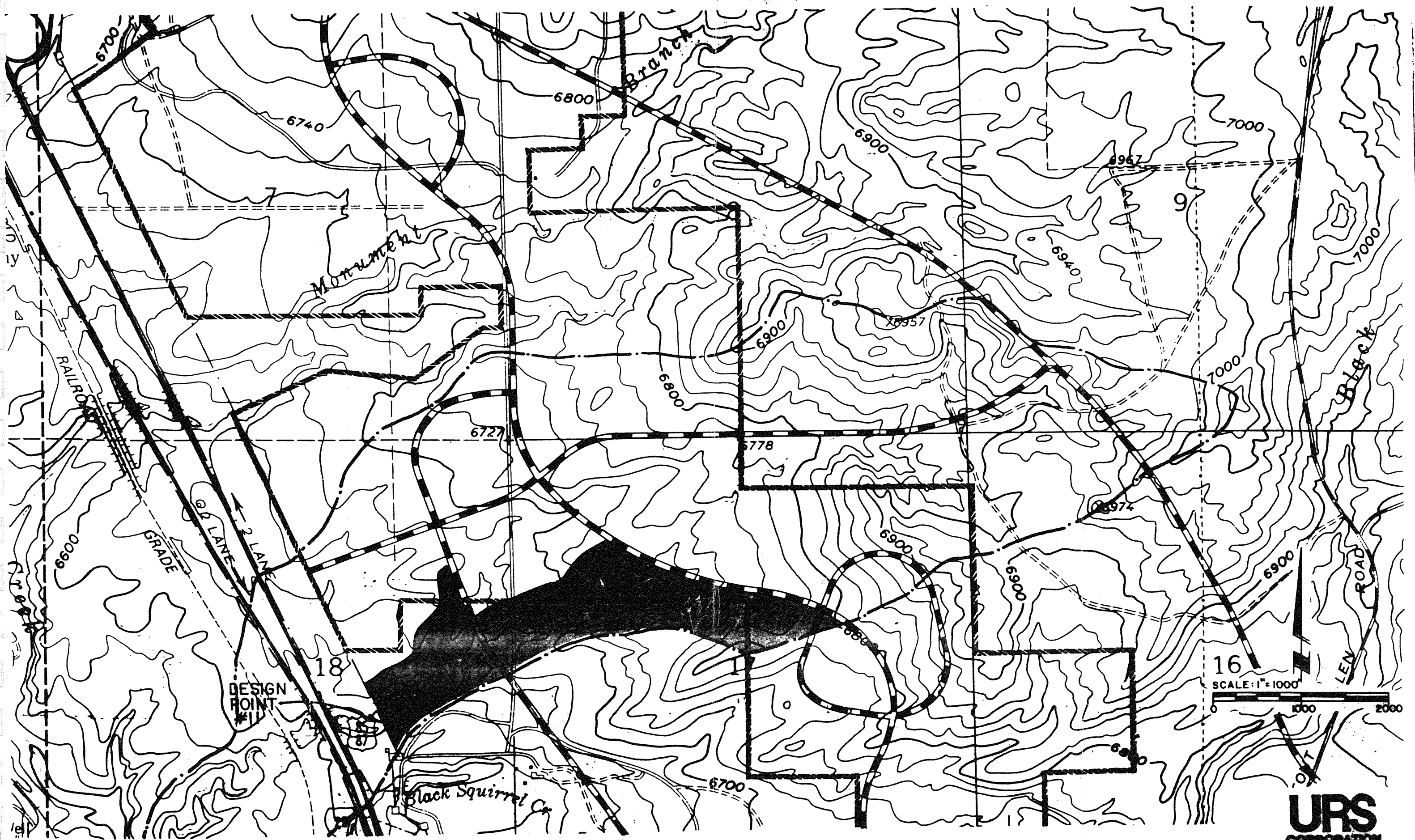
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CONCEPTUAL DETENTION POND TRIBUTARY AREA

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FIGURE 15



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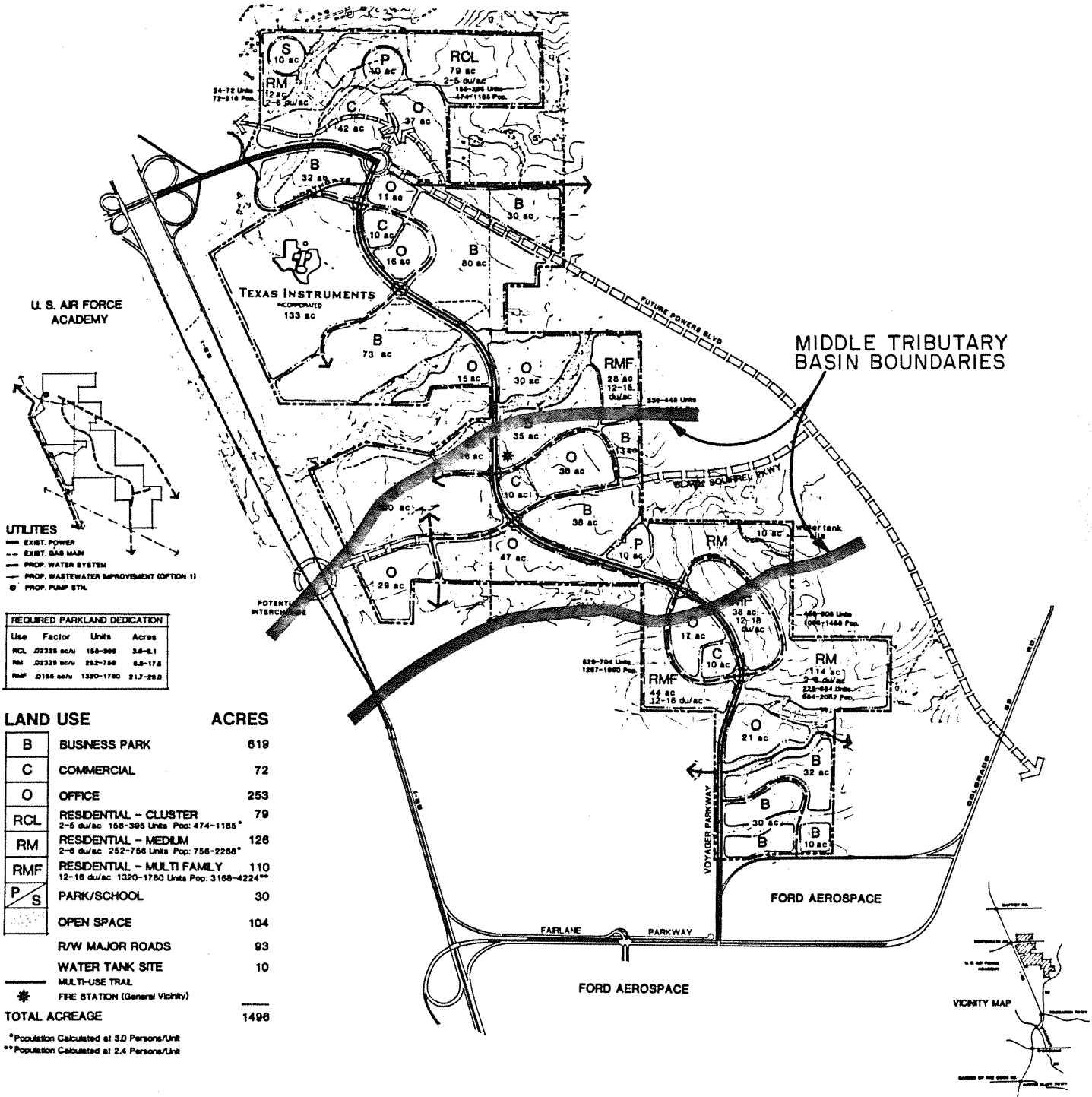
CONCEPTUAL TEMPORARY DETENTION POND TRIBUTARY AREA

URS
CORPORATION
ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE

FIGURE 16

DESIGN POINT 6.11

LAND USE PLAN



NORTHGATE

 **THE OLIVE COMPANY**

 **THE PLANNING CENTER**
 240 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 215
 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660 (714) 642-4511

Jan. 10C-01
 Date 3/87

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FIGURE 17

MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN PLANNING STUDY

APPENDIX B:



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO 80840 -5546

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REPLY TO
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SUBJECT:

Monument Branch and Middle Tributary Drainage Basins Planning Study

TO

Mr Clyde L. Pikkaraine
URS Corporation
1040 South 8th Street
Colorado Springs CO 80906

USAF Academy engineers have reviewed subject planning studies and concur with the plans as written. We reserve the right to review the drainage plans when they are submitted to the City of Colorado Springs for approval.

WILLETT R. STALLWORTH, Colonel, USAF
DCS/Civil Engineering



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STATE OF COLORADO

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

District II
905 Erie - P.O. Box 536
Pueblo, Colorado 81002
(303) 544-6286



November 12, 1987

Mr. Clyde L. Pikkaraine, PE
URS Corporation
1040 South 8th Street
Colorado Springs, CO 80906

Dear Mr. Pikkaraine:

We have reviewed the drainage report for the Middle Tributary Drainage Basin, and find it acceptable, with the exception of design point 15. The developed flow at the existing 48" CMP is higher than the historic flow. The excess flow should be diverted or detained upstream, and only historic flow should be allowed at design point 15. This was discussed between you and A. Mommandi of our Hydraulics Unit. He informed us that you were looking into it. This drainage must be resolved before we can approve the report.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "David L. Miller".

David L. Miller
District Design Engineer

DLM/lis

THE C. F. HOECKEL CO., DENVER 369164

13. M. 87-7 and AMENDMENTS TO THE COUNTY
 M. 87-8 MASTER PLAN
 MIDDLE TRIBUTARY AND
 MONUMENT BRANCH DRAINAGE BASIN PLANNING STUDIES

A request by the El Paso County Department of Public Works for approval of the Middle Tributary and Monument Branch Drainage Basin Planning Studies as amendments to the Master Plan for the Development of El Paso County.

SPEAKING FOR: Alan Morrice with the Public Works Department who said Kevin Walker (with the Olive Company) and Clyde Pickering (with U.R.S.) who had worked on the plans were present.

SPEAKING FOR: Kevin Walker who explained the location of the Basins and planned facilities (detention ponds, etc.). Design details have not been included. Public maintenance of the ponds is planned.

He said City Council will be hearing this matter next month since minor changes to the City Ordinance were required before they could approve the requests. There are no major issues remaining before they grant approval.

There was discussion regarding fee calculations.

SPEAKING AGAINST: None.

After further discussion Mr. Hyland made a motion for approval of Standard Resolution No. MP-87-7 regarding approval of the Middle Tributary Drainage Basin Planning Study as an amendment to the County's Master Plan. Mr. Breuning seconded the motion and, upon voting, it was adopted by a unanimous vote of 9-0. This Resolution is found in Book P, Page 4689 or the Resolutions of the El Paso County Planning Commission.

Mr. Hyland then made a motion for approval of Standard Resolution MP-87-8 regarding approval of the Monument Branch Drainage Basin Planning Study as an amendment to the County's Master Plan. Mr. Breuning seconded the motion and, upon voting, it was adopted by a unanimous vote of 9-0. This Resolution is found in Book P, Page 4690 or the Resolutions of the El Paso County Planning Commission.

ADDED ITEM:

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PLOT PLAN REVIEW
 PONDEROSA VILLAGE

A request by Bill Wewee/Larry Maton for review of a plot plan for Ponderosa Village, zoned PBC (Planned Business Center), located on the north side of Shoup Road and approximately 630 feet east of Black Forest Road.

LAND USE DEPARTMENT commented, pointing out it is unprecedented to bring a Plot Plan before the Planning Commission/Board of County Commissioners but the following note on the Plat requires Board of County Commissioner approval:

"Plot Plans for the development of each of these two lots must be submitted to the El Paso County Land Use Department and approved by the Board of County Commissioners prior to any building thereon."

There was discussion regarding the reason for the Plat note, access, landscaping, removal of trees, concerns of the Black Forest Land Use Committee.

SPEAKING FOR: Bill Petersilie and Larry Maton, who said a minimum number of trees will be removed and they will reseed any disturbed areas. They intend to utilize natural earth tones and blend in with the surroundings. They will cooperate with the Black Forest Land Use Committee.

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AMENDMENT TO THE COUNTY PLAN (Approved)

Commissioner Hyland moved that the following Resolution be adopted:

BEFORE THE PLANNING COMMISSION

OF THE COUNTY OF EL PASO

STATE OF COLORADO

RESOLUTION NO. MP-87-7

WHEREAS, the El Paso County Department of Public Works requests approval the Middle Tributary Drainage Basin Planning Study as an amendment to the Master Plan for the Development of El Paso County, within the designated areas of the unincorporated area of El Paso County; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held by this Commission on October 20, 1987; and

WHEREAS, based on the evidence, testimony, exhibits, study of the master plan for the unincorporated area of the county, comments of the El Paso County Land Use Department, comments of public officials and agencies, and comments from all interested parties, this Commission finds as follows:

1. That proper posting, publication and public notice was provided as required by law for the hearing of the Planning Commission.
2. That the hearing before the Planning Commission was extensive and complete, that all pertinent facts, matters and issues were submitted and that all interested parties were heard at that meeting.
3. That all data, surveys, analyses, studies, plans, and designs as are required by the State of Colorado and El Paso County have been submitted, reviewed, and found to meet all sound planning and engineering requirements of the El Paso County Subdivision Regulations.
4. That the proposal shall amend the Master Plan for El Paso County.
5. That for the above-stated and other reasons, the proposal is in the best interests of the health, safety, morals, convenience, order, prosperity and welfare of the citizens of El Paso County.

WHEREAS, Section 30-28-108, C.R.S. provides that a county planning commission may adopt, amend, extend, or add to the County Master Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the the Master Plan for the Development of El Paso County be amended by adoption of the Middle Tributary Drainage Basin Planning Study for the following described unincorporated area of El Paso County:

(See attached Map)

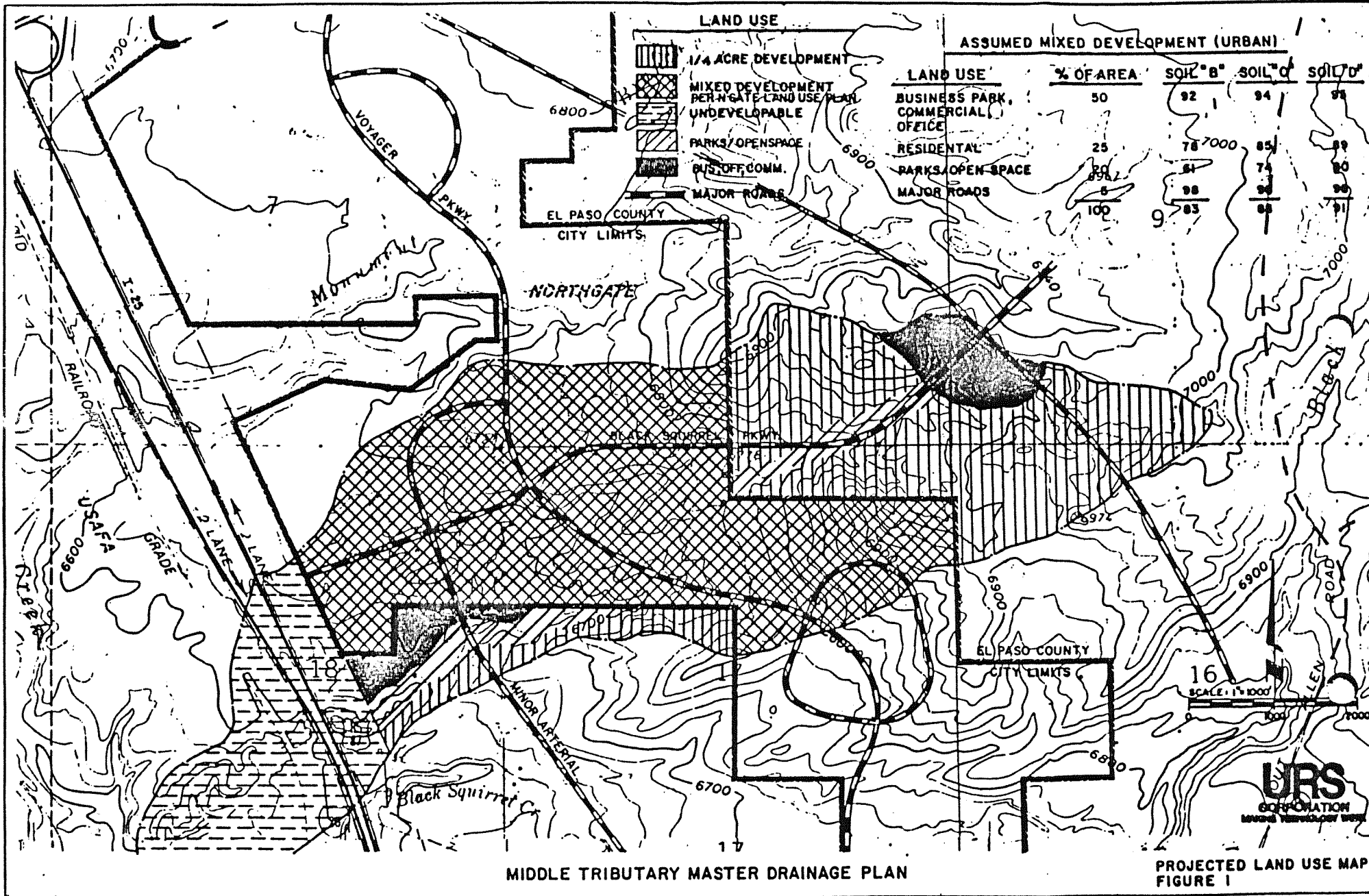
Commissioner Breuning seconded the adoption of the foregoing Resolution.

The roll having been called, the vote was as follows:

Commissioner Martin	aye
Commissioner Lipskin	aye
Commissioner Royal	aye
Commissioner Hyland	aye
Commissioner Breuning	aye
Commissioner Routh	aye
Commissioner Rixon	aye
Commissioner Hyer	aye

The Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote of 8 to 0 by the Planning Commission of the County of El Paso, State of Colorado.

DATED: October 20, 1987.



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A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN STUDY AND ESTABLISHING A MIDDLE TRIBUTARY DRAINAGE BASIN DRAINAGE FEE FOR 1987 AND 1988.

WHEREAS, the City of Colorado Springs, Department of Public Works has reviewed the hydrologic study of the Middle Tributary Drainage Basin prepared by URS Corporation and dated August 6, 1987; and

WHEREAS, the City/County Drainage Board has recommended approval of the above document;


NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:

Section 1, That the Middle Tributary Drainage Basin Master Drainage Study prepared by URS Corporation and dated August 6, 1987 be adopted for use.

Section 2, That the Middle Tributary Drainage Basin Drainage Fee as recommended by the City/County Drainage Board at their September 17, 1987 meeting be established for the remainder of 1987 and all of 1988 as follows:

Middle Tributary Basin Fee \$2,994.00 per acre
(the fee is comprised of two components; drainage construction costs of \$2,766.00 per acre and a detention pond land cost of \$228.00 per acre.)

Dated at Colorado Springs, Colorado this 8th day of December _____, 1987.


Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk

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Commissioner Meier moved adoption of the following Resolution:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF THE COUNTY OF EL PASO, STATE OF COLORADO

Resolution No. 87-388, Transportation-46

WHEREAS, section 30-28-133(11), C.R.S., as amended, authorizes counties to adopt subdivision regulations providing for the payment of a sum of money or proof of a line of credit or other fees in connection with a subdivision on a per-acre basis, to represent an equitable contribution to the total costs of the drainage facilities in the drainage basin in which the subdivision is located; and

WHEREAS, section 49.3(D) of the El Paso County Subdivision Regulations provides for the assessment of drainage basin fees and for the repayment to a subdivider, from any surplus basin funds available, of costs he incurs because of compliance with the plans for the development of drainage basins in excess of the sum of the drainage basin fees assessed against his acreage; and

WHEREAS, a plan for the development of drainage basins of mutual concern was adopted by the El Paso County Planning Commission as part of the County Master Plan on December 17, 1984; and revised August 19, 1985; and revised December 16, 1985; and revised September 10, 1986; and revised October 20, 1987; and

WHEREAS, the El Paso County Department of Public Works recommends that the County drainage fee resolution as adopted by the Board of County Commissioners, Resolution No. 87-229, Transportation-25, dated August 13, 1987, be amended; and

WHEREAS, The City of Colorado Springs ("City") and the Board of County Commissioners ("County") entered into an agreement, dated November 22, 1983, in which a joint city and county subdivision storm drainage board was established for those drainage basins of mutual concern; and

WHEREAS, the City and County have agreed to adopt subdivision regulations for drainage and control of flood and surface water as similar as practicably possible; and

WHEREAS, the County wishes to adopt, where practicable, the same drainage basin fee schedule as adopted by the City;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of El Paso County, Colorado:

1. Drainage basin fees shall consist of a drainage fee and where applicable, a bridge fee. Drainage basin fees shall be paid prior to the time of the recording of the plat. The fees to be paid shall be those in effect at the time of the final plat approval and adjusted as needed to the time of facility construction bid opening.

2. The schedule attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Exhibit "A" is hereby adopted as the drainage basin fee on a per-acre basis for residential subdivisions having lot sizes of less than 1.0 acre and for all other non-residential subdivisions regardless of the size of lots.

3. Drainage basin fees for residential subdivisions having lot sizes of 1.0 acre or greater with one dwelling unit per lot shall be assessed only for the first acre of each lot.

4. The bridge fee, to be assessed only for arterial road, freeway, or expressway bridges, shall be determined on the following basis:

$$a. \text{ Bridge Fee} = \frac{(\text{Improvement Cost} - \text{County Participation})}{(\text{County Undeveloped Basin Acreage})}$$

b. The minimum county participation, provided funds exist, for existing, inadequate bridge structures shall equal the following:

$$\left[\frac{\text{Improvement Cost}}{\text{Cost}} \right] \times \left[\frac{\text{Historic Flow} - \text{Existing Flow Capacity}}{\text{Ultimate Developed Flow}} \right]$$

c. An inadequate bridge structure shall be one in which its flow capacity is less than the historic flow.

5. For vacations and replats, drainage fees assessed shall be dependent upon whether drainage fees have been previously paid.

a. If drainage basin fees have been previously paid, the fees assessed shall equal fees in effect at the time of vacation and replat minus the previous drainage fees paid; however, drainage basin fees shall not be assessed if the number of lots and the total acreage are unchanged, and a rezoning of the property in question has not occurred since the previous plat.

b. If drainage basin fees have not been previously paid, the drainage basin fees shall be the fees in effect at the time of vacation and replat assessed to a portion of the total acreage. Such fees shall be assessed if any of the following occur: There is an increase in the number of lots replatted, additional acreage is included in the replat, or a rezoning has occurred since the previous plat. For replats of subdivisions resulting in additional lots, but no additional total acreage, the assessed acreage shall equal the acreage of those additional lots comprising the largest of all the replatted lots. For those replats including previously unplatted acreage, such acreage shall be assessed the fees in effect at the time of vacation and replat.

6. Interest earned by the investment of surplus funds that may temporarily accumulate in the storm drainage fund shall be allocated to a drainage contingency fund which may be used to make up deficits in existing sub-funds for the purposes of reimbursement or for such other drainage purposes as determined by the Drainage Board with the prior approval of the Board of County Commissioners.

DONE THIS 28th day of December, 1987, at Colorado Springs Colorado.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO

Doris Hardy
Deputy County Clerk

By: Mary Morrison
Chairman

Commissioner Shupp seconded the adoption of the foregoing Resolution. The roll having been called, all five Commissioners voted "aye," and the Resolution was unanimously adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of El Paso, State of Colorado.

EXHIBIT A

EL PASO COUNTY DRAINAGE BASIN FEES

<u>BASIN_NUMBER</u>	<u>BASIN_NAME</u>	1988 DRAINAGE FEE ---(per acre)---	1988 BRIDGE FEE ---(per acre)---
FOFO4000	Sand Creek	\$5,445.	\$620.
FOFO4200	Spring Creek	\$4,196.	-
FOM01200	Templeton Gap	\$2,767.	\$ 30.
FOM01000	Douglas Creek	\$4,883.	\$112.
FOFO5600	19th Street*	\$1,593.	-
FOM01400	Popes Bluff*	\$1,620.	\$276.
FOFO5800	Camp Creek	\$ 898.	-
FOFO3400	Peterson Field	\$4,102.	\$237.
FOM01600	South Rockrimmon*	\$1,902.	-
FOM02000	Pulpit Rock*	\$2,681.	-
FOM02400	Dry Creek	\$2,306.	-
FOM01800	North Rockrimmon*	\$2,433.	-
FOM02200	Cottonwood Creek	\$3,562.	\$163.
	Miscellaneous:		
FOFO2000	a. Jimmy Camp Creek	\$3,184.	-
FOFO2200	b. Fort Carson	\$3,184.	-
FOFO2600	c. Big Johnson	\$3,184.	-
FOFO3200	d. Little Johnson	\$3,184.	-
FOFO3600	e. Fishers Canyon	\$3,184.	-
FOFO3800	f. Stratton	\$3,184.	-
FOFO4400	g. Shook's Run	\$3,184.	-
FOFO5000	h. Midland	\$3,184.	-
FOFO6000	i. Palmer Trail	\$3,184.	-
FOFO6600	j. Balanced Rock*	\$3,184.	-
FOFO6800	k. Black Canyon	\$3,184.	-
FOM00200	l. Monument Valley	\$3,184.	-
FOM00600	m. Papeton*	\$3,184.	-
FOM00800	n. Roswell*	\$3,184.	-
FOM02800	o. Pine Creek	\$3,184.	-
FOM03000	p. Kettle Creek	\$3,184.	-
FOM03400	q. Elkhorn	\$3,184.	-
FOM03600	r. Black Squirrel Creek	\$3,184.	-
FOM04000	s. Smith Creek	\$3,184.	-
FOM00400	Mesa*	\$4,231.	-
FOFO5400	21st Street	\$2,433.	-
FOFO4800	Bear Creek	\$1,566.	\$146.
FOFO4600	Southwest Area	\$5,297.	-
FOFO3000	Windmill Gulch	\$4,843.	\$ 63.
FOM03700	Middle Tributary	\$2,994	-
FOM03800	Monument Branch	\$3,918	

* Basin in which El Paso County has no jurisdiction since the basin is entirely within City incorporated limits.

M I N U T E S

City of Colorado Springs/El Paso County

Drainage Board

for September 17, 1987

The City of Colorado Springs/El Paso County Drainage Board held its regularly scheduled meeting at 2:20 PM on September 17, 1987 in the City Council Chambers, City Administration Building, 30 South Nevada Avenue.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Richard Dailey,
Chairman
Roland Obering
Ron Waldthausen
Mike Mallon
Rick Brown
Guenther Polok

MEMBERS ABSENT

Fred Gibson

OTHERS PRESENT

Gary Haynes
Chris Smith
Tom Woodbury
Alan Morrice
Kevin Walker,
The Olive Co.
Tom Taylor,
Peregrine
JR Engineering

Mr. Dailey informed the Board that Item 8 has been withdrawn by the applicant for action at this meeting. Mr. Dailey also informed the Board that Item 10 on the agenda will be moved up and replace Item 8 as listed on the agenda. Items 9 and 11 as shown on the agenda would be heard after Item 10. Items 2 through 7 as listed on the agenda would still be heard as consent items.

Item 1

Approval of the minutes of the August 20, 1987 Board Meeting. The minutes were previously mailed out. Mr. Waldthausen stated to the Board that the minutes of the August 20, 1987 Board Meeting accurately reflected his motion on Item 5. The motion, as presented by Mr. Waldthausen, was to approve the agreement per staff recommendation.

Mr. Waldthausen made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Obering seconded the motion. The motion passed with a unanimous vote.

Items 2 through 7 were heard as consent items by the Board.

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Mr. Mallon abstained from discussion and voting on Items 3 and 7.
Mr. Obering abstained from discussion and voting on Items 5, 6
and 7.

Item 2

Request for cash reimbursement for construction of drainage facilities within Auto Center Filing No. 1, Bear Creek Basin, Langford-Delay & Associates, Inc., Developer, 5360 North Academy Boulevard, Colorado Springs, CO, 80918.

Item 3

Request for cash reimbursement for construction of drainage facilities within Mount Washington Industrial Park Filings 1 through 4, Miscellaneous Basin, Fifteen Limited, Developer, 2110 Hollowbrook Drive, Colorado Springs, CO, 80918.

Item 4

Request for cash reimbursement for construction of drainage facilities within Old Farm Center Subdivision, Templeton Gap Basin, Langford-Delay & Associates, Inc., Developer, 5360 North Academy Boulevard, Colorado Springs, CO, 80918.

Item 5

Request for cash reimbursement for construction of drainage facilities within Pinehurst Station Filings 1 through 4 and 6, Miscellaneous Basin, RMC Corporation, Developer, P. O. Box 908, Colorado Springs, CO, 80901.

Item 6

Request for cash reimbursement for construction of drainage facilities within Pinehurst Station Filings 1, 3, 4, 5, & 7, Peterson Field Basin, RMC Corporation, Developer, P. O. Box 908, Colorado Springs, CO, 80901.

Item 7

Request for cash reimbursement for construction of drainage facilities within Briargate Subdivision Filing No. 37, Cottonwood Drainage Basin, Briargate Joint Venture, 7710 North Union Boulevard, Colorado Springs, CO, 80918.

Mr. Brown made a motion to approve the staff recommendations for Items 2 through 7. Mr. Waldthausen seconded the motion. The motion passed with a unanimous vote.

Item 8 was postponed per request of the applicant.

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Item 10

Presentation to the Board for action of the Middle Tributary and Monument Branch Master Drainage Basin Reports as prepared by URS Corporation for The Olive Company.

Mr. Morrice recommended to the Board that concurrence of the Colorado State Highway Department and the adjacent landowners be obtained for both the Middle Tributary and Monument Branch Drainage Studies prior to County Board action. County staff also recommended that the City park land dedication fee be used as a basis for the detention pond land reimbursement.

City staff recommendations were the same as the County staff recommendations.

City staff recommended to the Board that the Middle Tributary Master Drainage Basin Study and Monument Branch Master Drainage Basin Study be acted upon separately.

Mr. Kevin Walker, representing The Olive Company, stated to the Board that only two remaining issues required discussion for both the Monument Branch and the Middle Tributary Basin Studies. The first issue was that of reimbursement for land used in connection with detention pond facilities. Mr. Walker stated that he has revised the land fee discussion in both the Middle Tributary and Monument Branch Drainage Studies to reflect a fee reimbursement based upon the City park land dedication fee of \$15,600 per acre. The second item remaining to be resolved was the concurrence of the major property owners adjacent to the Northgate Development in both the Middle Tributary and Monument Branch Basins. Mr. Walker presented to the Board Members a letter from Thomas W. Blake, a major landowner to the east of the Northgate Development, concurring with the two drainage reports on the agenda today (see attachments). Mr. Walker also introduced Mr. Bob Stout, private landowner in the Monument Branch Basin, who was present at the meeting to answer any questions the Board may have concerning this item. Mr. Stout owns approximately 60 acres of ground downstream of the Northgate property within the Monument Branch Basin. Mr. Walker also stated that the United States Air Force Academy is reviewing the study at present and indicated that they would accept historic flows only onto their property. Mr. Walker also informed the Board that Mr. Ray Brown of the Colorado State Highway Department indicated that they are reviewing both master drainage basin studies and that they will accept only historic flows onto the right-of-way. Both the Monument Branch and the Middle Tributary use detention to assure that no flow over historic enters the state right-of-way or the United States Air Force Academy.

Mr. Bob Stout, representative and part owner of the 60 acres of land adjacent to the Northgate Development, addressed the Board

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concerning master drainage basin studies. Mr. Stout stated that he concurred with the master drainage basin study with the stipulation that no flow over historic enters his property.

At the staff's request, Mr. Kevin Walker stated that no flow over historic would enter the 60 acres of ground presently owned by Mr. Bob Stout.

Mr. Tom Woodbury, from the City Attorney's Office, and Mr. Gary Haynes indicated to the Board that a revision to the drainage ordinance regarding reimbursement for land used for public detention ponds would have to precede both the Monument Branch and Middle Tributary Studies prior to Council action. Specifically, an ordinance amending the existing drainage ordinance approving the reimbursement for land for detention ponds must precede the Council actions on the approval of the Monument Branch and Middle Tributary Drainage Studies. All three items can be heard at the same Council meeting.

Mr. Walker agreed that the ordinance change needs to precede Council approval of both Monument Branch and Middle Tributary Drainage Basin Studies. Mr. Walker stated that he understood this may entail a time delay on the submittals of the two drainage reports to Council.

City/County Drainage Board and staff discussed the collection, accounting, and reimbursement of the proposed land fee used in connection with detention ponds. Both the Board Members and staff agreed that the fees for the detention pond land and the drainage fee would be calculated and adjusted as separate items, but would be collected and deposited as a single fee. Reimbursements for the total of land and drainage structures would be disbursed on a prorata basis dependent upon the funds available in the basin accounts.

Mr. Brown made a motion to approve the Middle Tributary Master Drainage Basin Report with the drainage basin fee comprised of two components; drainage construction costs set at \$2,766.00 per acre and drainage land costs at \$228.00 per acre, for a total of \$2,994.00 per acre. Mr. Polok seconded the motion. Mr. Brown amended the motion to include the condition that City Council and the Board of County Commissioners change their respective ordinance and resolution to include the reimbursement of land for detention facilities. Mr. Polok seconded the amended motion. The motion passed with a unanimous vote. The Board heard a motion by Mr. Brown to approve the Monument Branch Master Drainage Study with the drainage fee at \$3,737.00 per acre and a land fee set at \$181.00 per acre, resulting in a total fee of \$3,918.00 per acre conditioned on City Council and the Board of County Commissioners' approval of a new ordinance and/or resolution allowing for the reimbursement of land costs for detention facilities. Mr. Polok seconded the motion. The motion

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passed with a unanimous vote.

The Board then heard a motion by Mr. Obering that as part of the ordinance change for the City and resolution change for the County the drainage land category be established in addition to the unit drainage fee; that they be separately collected on a per acre basis, deposited in one account, and disbursed from that account on a priority, funds-available, prorated basis. Mr. Mallon seconded the motion. The motion passed with a unanimous vote.

Item 9

Mr. Mallon and Mr. Obering excused themselves from the meeting for Items 9 and 11 as shown on the agenda.

Presentation to the Board for action of the North Basin Master Drainage Plan as prepared by JR Engineering, Ltd. for Peregrine Joint Venture.

Mr. Tom Taylor, representing Vintage Properties, addressed the Board and requested that the North Basin be a closed basin. Vintage Properties proposes to use regional detention within the North Basin to insure that flows leaving the site are at or below historic. The concept of regional detention is in conformance with the KKBNA master basin drainage report and the revision to the KKBNA master drainage report as prepared by JR Engineering.

Mr. Morrice stated to the Board that he has at this time not had an opportunity to review the study. Based upon the information presented at this meeting, Mr. Morrice was in general agreement with the concept of detaining to historic levels within this basin provided County staff has an opportunity to review the study including the detailed plans for the pond and outfall structure.

After further discussion, the Board heard a motion by Mr. Waldthausen to approve the staff's recommendation for this item with the condition that the County staff has an opportunity to review and approve the construction plans for the detention pond to include the outfall rate and form. The motion was seconded by Mr. Guenther Polok. The motion passed with a unanimous vote.

Item 11

Presentation to the Board for action of the Pine Creek Master Drainage Basin Report as prepared by Obering, Wurth & Associates for Briargate Development Group.

Mr. Haynes stated to the Board that two policy issues were in contention at this time. The first issue relates to the use of 35% on-site detention and the second issue was the proposed

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Academy Boulevard box culvert crossing funding as shown in the Pine Creek Master Drainage Report. Mr. Haynes stated that, in the staff's opinion, neither of these two issues were Drainage Board responsibilities. Mr. Haynes stated that the 35% on-site detention and the Academy Boulevard box culvert crossing funding are administrative and City Council responsibilities. Mr. Haynes indicated to the Board that, if the two items in contention were removed from the Pine Creek Master Drainage Report, staff could support the technical merits of the study.

Mr. Waldthausen asked City staff if the two major issues discussed were omitted from the plan, what impact on the study would this have?

Mr. Haynes stated that the facilities as shown on the existing master plan would have to be enlarged to handle the new design flows and that the funding for the Academy Boulevard box culvert could be resolved separately. Mr. Haynes stated that the staff is in agreement with the use of the five year criteria for this master drainage study due to the fact that the study was initiated over two years ago prior to the introduction of a new ten year criteria.

Mr. Morrice addressed the Board and stated it was the County staff's opinion that the proposed 35% on-site detention should not be utilized because it is not in conformance with present policies. The County staff recommended that any ponds used be in general conformance with the new City/County Drainage Manual which proposes regional detention. Mr. Morrice also stated that the County has concerns regarding the proposed funding for the box culvert crossing under Academy Boulevard.

Mr. Dailey, Board Chairman, stated, in his opinion, he believed the issues as brought forth by both City and County staff and developer should at least be heard by the Board at this time. Mr. Dailey stated the Board may or may not take action on the item dependent upon presentation and any legal advice presented by the City Attorney's Office. All Board Members concurred with Mr. Dailey's opinion.

Mr. Lew Christiansen, President of Vintage Communities, addressed the Board and presented a brief description of the Pine Creek Master Drainage Basin and its impact on the Cottonwood Creek Master Drainage Basin as well as the United States Air Force Academy. Mr. Christiansen stated that the United States Air Force Academy has been very specific in their review of the Pine Creek Master Drainage Study to the extent that, if any flow over historic crosses their property, adequate facilities to convey this flow would have to be constructed prior to the issuance of any building permits that would increase the flow over historic.

Mr. Christiansen stated that it was Briargate's opinion that the

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Drainage Board gave concept approval of the 35% on-site detention and detention at five public ponds in the March 1986 Board Meeting. Mr. Christiansen explained to the Board that Briargate's position on this issue regarding the 35% on-site detention was that any reduction in flow saves dollars downstream throughout the basin. Mr. Christiansen stated their hydrologic studies indicate that the 100 year developed flow without any detention at all within the Pine Creek Basin would be 4,753 cfs at the Academy box culvert crossing. If only the five public detention ponds were incorporated in the master drainage study, a flow of 2,759 cfs would reach the Academy box culvert. Utilizing the five public ponds plus 35% on-site detention, the flow at the Academy box culvert would be 2,094 cfs. Per their study, this indicates that a reduction of 665 cfs, or 24%, would be detained at the Academy box culvert if the 35% on-site detention was utilized.

Mr. Haynes stated to the Board that it was his understanding that the annexation agreement for Briargate indicated that no flow over historic was to enter the Air Force property.

The Board, City staff, and Briargate representatives had a general discussion regarding the existing Birtcher-Kraus drainage system located at the Briargate Business Campus, the box culvert funding proposed by Briargate at the Academy Boulevard intersection, and the Briargate Annexation Agreement as it relates to flows entering the United States Air Force Academy.

Mr. Waldthausen stated to the Board that he felt he would be able to support the drainage plan if the 35% on-site detention was omitted.

Mr. Christiansen replied that is not what they wish to happen today but, if that were to be the case, it would allow them to move forward with that portion of the plan through the City administration and on to City Council if necessary.

Board Members, City/County staff, and a developer then held a general discussion regarding the use of the old five year criteria for the minor systems within Pine Creek versus the new ten year storm criteria for minor systems as outlined in the new City/County Drainage Criteria Manual. It was noted that the effective date for use of the new criteria manual is October 1, 1987. Mr. Haynes and Mr. Christiansen both relayed to the Board that, as the separate plats for subdivisions within the Pine Creek Drainage Basin are submitted to the City after the effective date of the new criteria manual, they will be designed in accordance with the new City/County Drainage Criteria Manual for the minor systems.

Mr. Haynes again stated to the Board that it was the staff's opinion that the Drainage Board does not have jurisdiction over

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the 35% on-site detention issue and that this matter must be forwarded through the City administration and on to City Council if necessary.

Mr. Christiansen stated to the Board that, if the Pine Creek Master Drainage Report is approved deleting the 35% on-site detention, modifications to the report would be necessary. Mr. Christiansen suggested to the Board that an action be taken on the item either approving it with on-site detention or approving it with modifications deleting it to enable them to proceed further either administratively or to Council if necessary. After further discussion, the Board heard a motion by Mr. Waldthausen to approve the Pine Creek Master Drainage plan as a closed basin subject to the deletion of the private 35% on-site detention. Mr. Brown seconded the motion. The vote was 2 to 1 in favor of the motion. Mr. Brown and Mr. Waldthausen voting for the motion; Mr. Polok voting against the motion.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:15 PM.

DeWitt Miller
Director of Public Works

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