



West Virginia Conservation Agency Watershed Division

Watershed Programs

Dams and Channels

- Operation & Maintenance
- Repair
- Rehabilitation

Streams

- Stream Restoration
- Emergency Watershed Programs
- Stream Permit Assistance

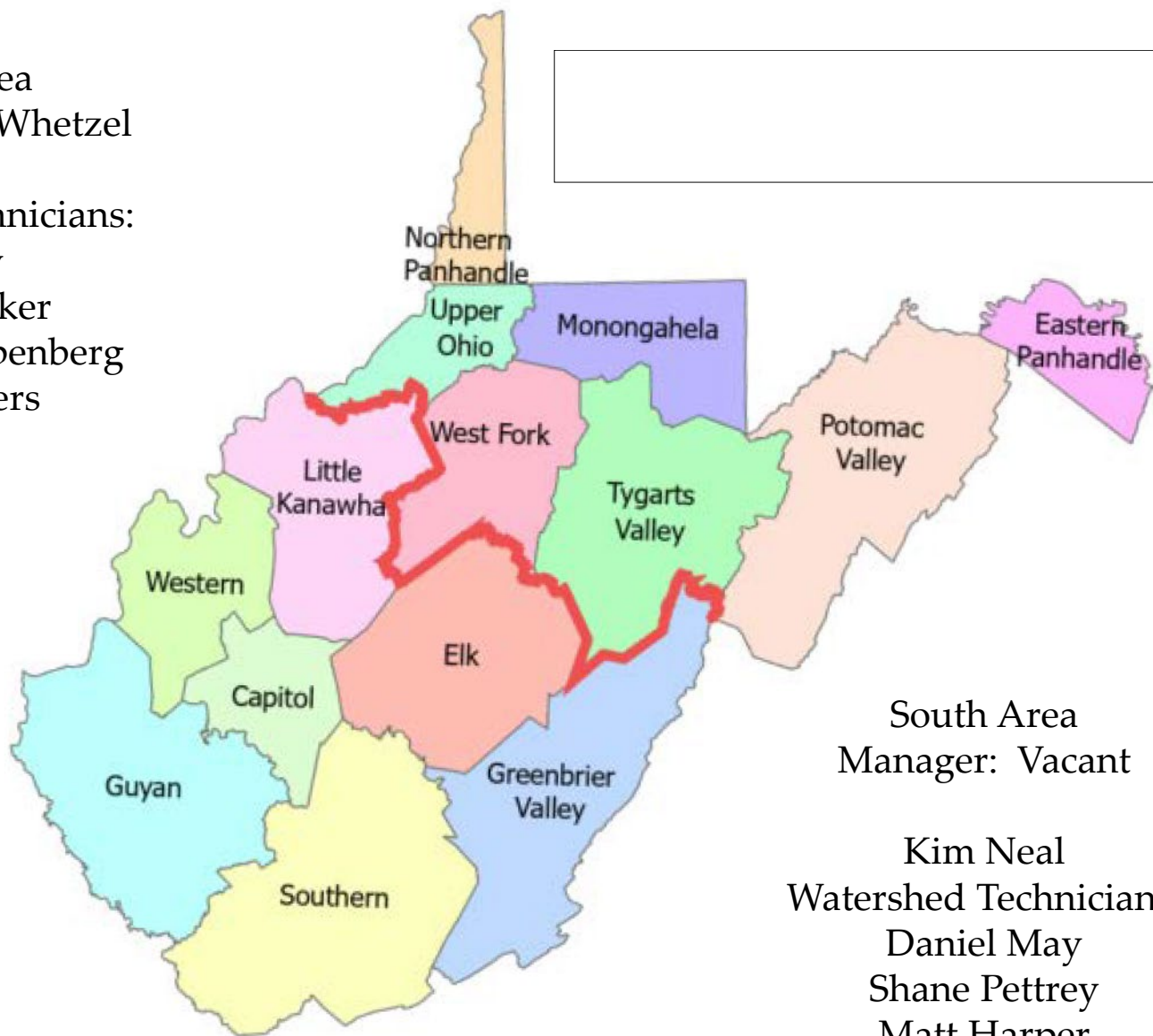


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Watershed Dam History

- Congress established the USDA Watershed Program by enacting the Flood Control Act of 1944 (Public Law 78-534) and the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act of 1954 (Public Law 83-566).
- Under these authorizations, the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has assisted watershed project sponsors in the construction of more than 11,845 flood control dams in 1,271 watersheds in 47 States since 1948.
- The primary purpose of these dams is flood control, but they often provide other benefits such as water supply, recreation, irrigation, erosion control, livestock water and wildlife habitat.



Project Sponsors

- These Programs all require a sponsor that makes a request for assistance from the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), the agency that administers the programs.
- Sponsors must be a unit of local government such as a conservation district, water improvement district, county, city, town or tribal government.
- West Virginia Conservation Agency was added to the O&M agreements in 2002 to assist with funding and provide technical assistance.



O&M Agreement

Project Saltlick Creek Watershed

State West Virginia

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into the 13th day of April, 1964, by and between the Soil Conservation Service, United States Department of Agriculture, hereinafter referred to as the "Service", and the Elk Soil Conservation District, hereinafter referred to as the "District" relates to the operation and maintenance of the following described Works of Improvement:

Five floodwater retarding structures which are to be located within the Watershed of Saltlick Creek. These improvements are described and located in the Work Plan of the Saltlick Creek Watershed and numbered as follows: 4, 6, 7, 8, and 9.

The estimated annual cost for operating and maintaining the works of improvement herein described is \$1,500.00 based on present construction costs.

I. OPERATION

The parties hereto agree as follows as to the operation of the works of improvement:

- A. The Service will provide such technical services as are available for assistance in the proper operation of the works of improvement.
- B. The District will:
 1. Be responsible for operation of the works of improvement simultaneously with the receipt of a notice from the Service that works of improvement have been accepted from the contractor.
 2. Prohibit the installation of gates or other obstructions of any kind being placed in any portion of the principal or emergency spillway(s).
 3. Prohibit any works to raise any portion of the spillways above the planned elevation or to deflect or decrease the planned flow through the spillways in any manner.
 4. Prohibit the installation of dikes or other structures which may decrease the capacity of the flood channel or deflect the flow from the constructed channel bottom.

AMENDMENT No. 1 TO THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT FOR SALTICK CREEK WATERSHED SITES 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9

Between the
ELK CONSERVATION DISTRICT,
WEST VIRGINIA STATE CONSERVATION COMMITTEE,
and the
United States Department of Agriculture
Natural Resources Conservation Service

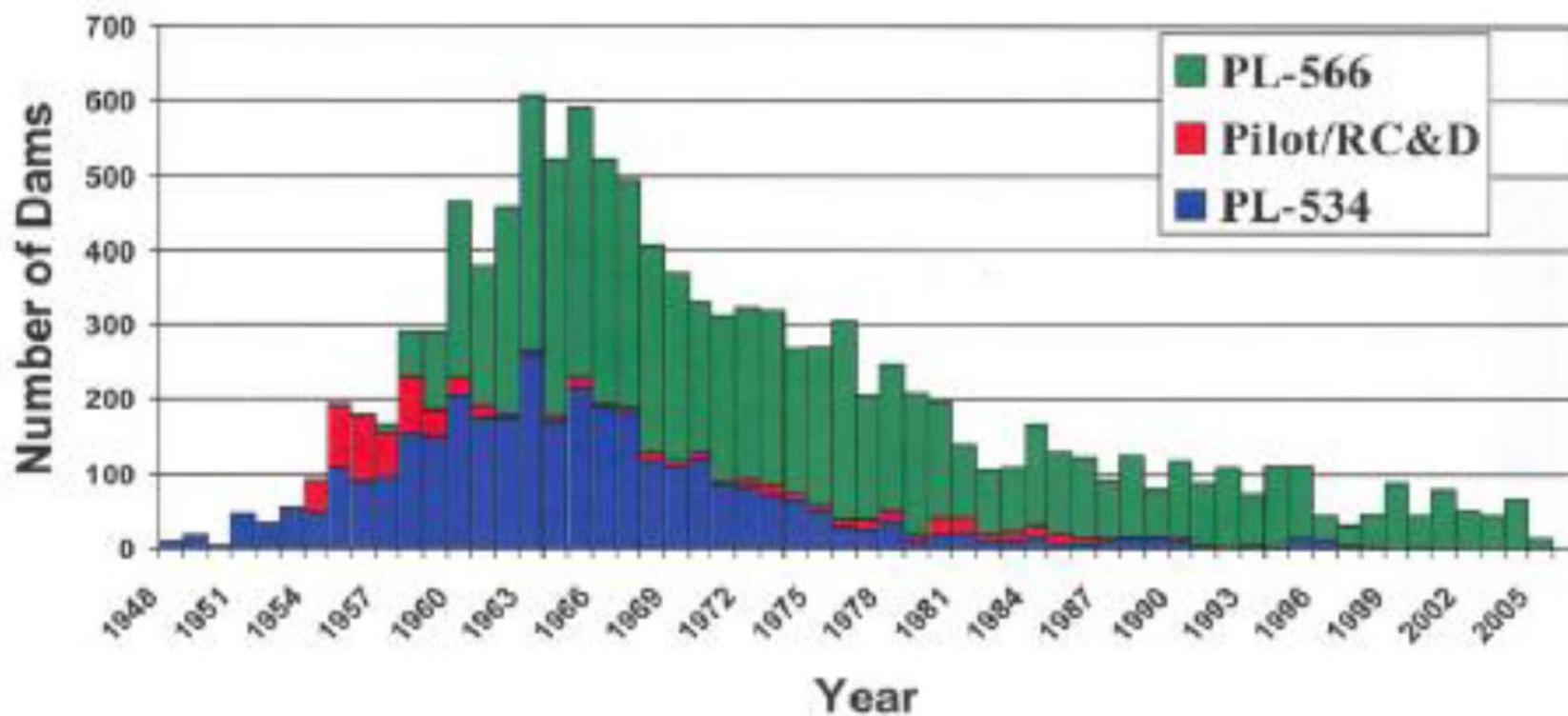
PURPOSE: To add the West Virginia State Conservation Committee as a responsible party under the terms and conditions of the Agreement.

1. All references to the Soil Conservation Service and/or SCS are hereby changed to the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS).
2. The Elk Soil Conservation District and West Virginia State Conservation Committee (WVSCC) shall be referred to as the Sponsors.
3. The Sponsors agree to the terms and conditions as contained in the original O&M Agreement signed on April 13, 1964.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.



Watershed Dams Constructed by Year



OM&R

170 Dams, 22 Channels, 13 Districts

District	# of Dams	# of Channels
Capitol	4	0
Eastern Panhandle	8	2
Elk	6	1
Greenbrier Valley	2	2
Guyan	1	0
Little Kanawha	7	2
Monongahela	14	2
Northern Panhandle	18	1
Potomac Valley	73	3
Southern	14	6
Tygarts Valley	1	2
Western	7	0
West Fork	15	1



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Upper Buffalo Creek Disaster

The Buffalo Creek Disaster, February 26, 1972



One of worst floods in US occurred here 26 February 1972, when Buffalo Mining Co. impoundment dam for mine waste broke, releasing over 130 million gallons of black waste water: killed 125; property losses over \$50 million; and thousands left homeless. Three commissions placed blame on ignored safety practices.

Led to 1973 Dam Control Act and \$13.5 million class action legal settlement in 1974.



Dam Safety Act

(State Code Chapter 22-14)

- In 1972, an unregulated and poorly designed coal refuse dam on Buffalo Creek in Logan County failed, killing 125 persons and causing major property damage. After this disaster, the West Virginia Legislature enacted the West Virginia “Dam Control Act” to regulation the design and operation of “Dams” in West Virginia.



Dam Inspections

- Dams are inspected monthly and after high rain events by WVCA Technician and/or Dam Monitors.
- Dams are inspected annually by WVCA, NRCS and local sponsors.
- O&M work plan is developed based on maintenance needs and is prioritized by funding.



Hazard Classification

Dam Safety requires that each dam be evaluated for its hazard potential downstream. Hazard potential is not related to the structural integrity of a dam, but strictly to the potential for downstream flooding. The hazard potential evaluation places the dam in one of four classifications that are defined in the Dam Safety Regulations (47CSR34-3.5.b.) as follows:

Class 1 **(High Hazard)** dams are those dams located where failure may cause loss of human life or major damage to dwellings, commercial or industrial buildings, main railroads, important public utilities, or where a high risk highway may be affected or damaged. This classification must be used if failure may result in the loss of human life.



Flood Pool

< Riser

Patterson Creek Dam 50

Embankment

Auxiliary Spillway

Impact basin>
Plunge Pool

Outlet Channel

Dam Terminology-General



Lunice Creek #11



New Creek #5



OM&R Expenses

Calendar Year	O&M Total	Repair	Engineering
2010	\$294,963.91		
2011	\$258,777.21		
2012	\$413,407.13		
2013	\$442,867.10		
2014	\$1,004,371.40		
2015	\$954,886.64		
2016	\$663,315.15		
2017	\$537,811.31		
2018	\$755,494.18		
2019	\$830,892.25		
2020	\$1,061,656.28	\$237,540.00	\$320,414.82
2021	\$791,800.74	\$68,607.31	\$377,410.41



Monitoring and Emergency Action Plans (EAP's)

- What is an EAP?
 - Prepared plan in place to monitor the dam's condition, evacuate downstream residents and schedule needed repairs after an emergency
 - Reference of important contact information (OES, Fire and Rescue Units, and Agencies)
 - Approved by WVDEP Dam Safety Section
 - Reviewed yearly, recertified every two years



Monitors

- Monitors volunteer to monitor the dam and report anything out of the normal and/or during high rain events.
- Each dam must have two monitors: Primary and Alternate.
- Monitors are provided training to complete their task.
- EAPs cannot be approved by DEP Dam Safety without having monitors listed.
- Supervisors play an important role in the EAP process.





New Creek 1 Breach Simulation



List of Channels

- Evitt's Run
- Pikeside Channel
- Big Ditch Channel
- Howard's Creek Channel
- Marlin Run Channel
- Bonds Creek Channel
- Pond Run Channel
- Upper Buffalo Channel
- Upper Deckers Channel
- Harmon Creek Channel
- Middle Grave Creek Channel
- Lunice Creek Channel
- South Fork Channel
- Moorefield Floodway
- Brush Creek Channel
- Daves/Christians Fork Channel
- Soak Creek Channel
- Glady Fork Channel
- Cranberry Creek Channel
- Little Whitestick Channel
- Shook's Run Channel
- Peck's Run Channel
- Polk Creek Channel



Cranberry Creek Channel



Cranberry Creek Channel



Dam Repair

- Dam repair typically is the responsibility of the local sponsors.
- Repair focuses on individual deficiencies identified during the inspections that are outside the normal maintenance.
- Current Actives
 - Trash Rack Replacement
 - Seep Repairs



Brush Creek 4



Brush Creek 4



Brush Creek 5



Brush Creek 5



Trash Racks



Wheeling Creek #25



Trash Racks



Patterson Creek #12



South Fork #5 Seep



Upper Buffalo #4 - Seep

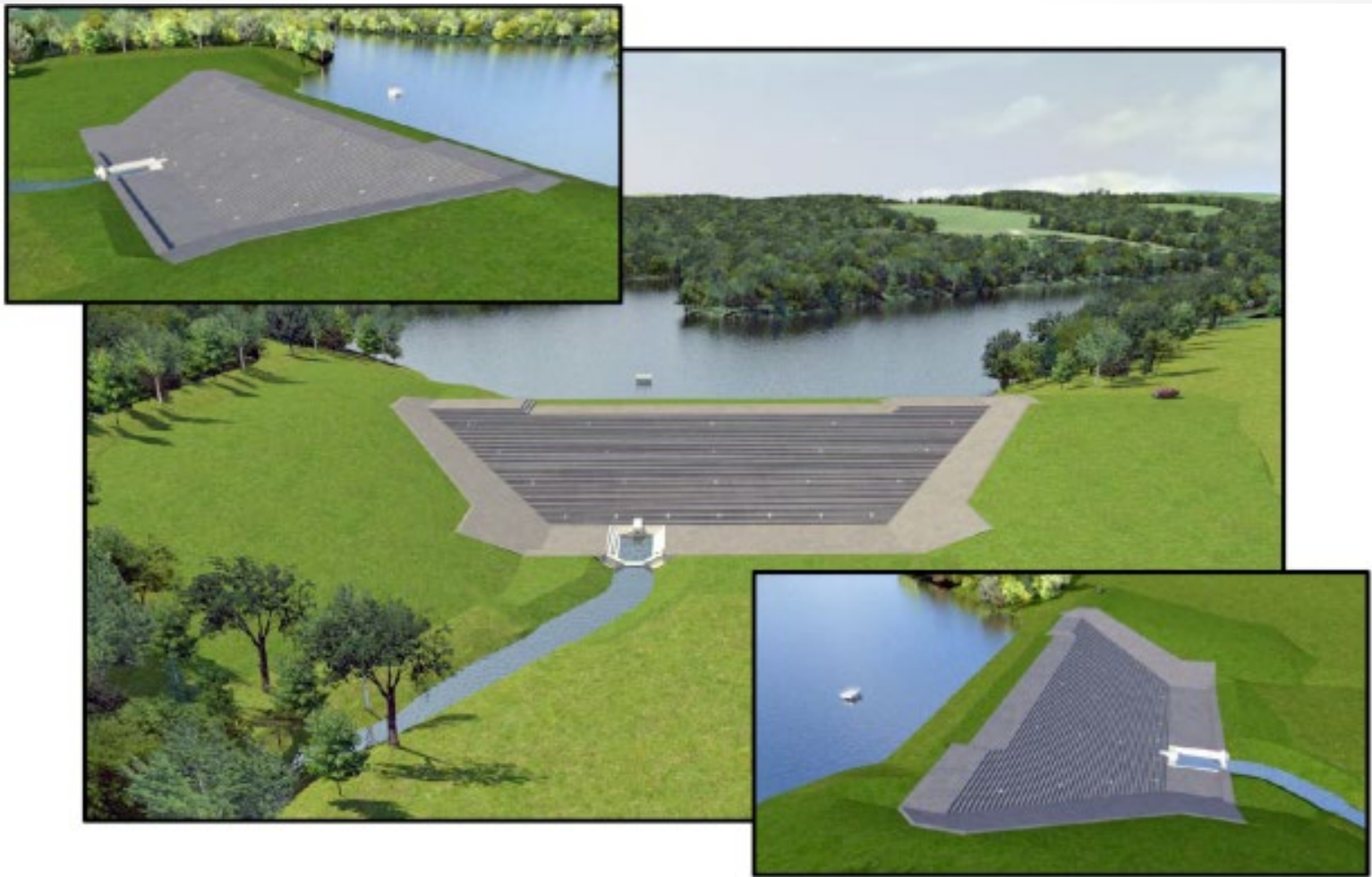


Dam Rehabilitation

- Dam Rehabilitation can be 100% state funded or cost shared with NRCS depending on the site and situation.
- Dam Rehabilitation looks at all aspects of the dam.
- Cost share with NRCS and local sponsors.



Dam Rehabilitation – Upper Deckers 1



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State Rehabilitation - Warm Springs 7

- Between 3-to-4 inches of rain fell in the area Sept. 1-2, 2021.
- Post-storm inspection noted increased flow and size of seep beneath spillway pipe on Warm Springs 7.
- Fine sands used in dam construction were seen in flow.
- DEP required draining of impoundment to aid investigation, which stopped flow underneath pipe.
- Camera investigation revealed both joints in the drainpipe were disconnected creating a potential source for water to tunnel through the dam.
- Additional investigation revealed cracks in the riser.
- Temporary measures installed in early October.



Warm Springs 7



Warm Springs 7



NRCS Rehabilitation





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NRCS

our mission

**Helping People
Help the Land**



Watershed and Flood Prevention Operations (WFPO) Program

The Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Program helps units of federal, state, local and tribal of government (project sponsors) protect and restore watersheds up to 250,000 acres.

This program provides for cooperation between the Federal government and the states and their political subdivisions to work together to prevent erosion; floodwater and sediment damage; to further the conservation development, use and disposal of water; and to further the conservation and proper use of land in authorized watersheds.

There are 1,271 active or completed watershed projects in the 50 states, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and the Pacific Basin.

NRCS Dams Provide Many Benefits



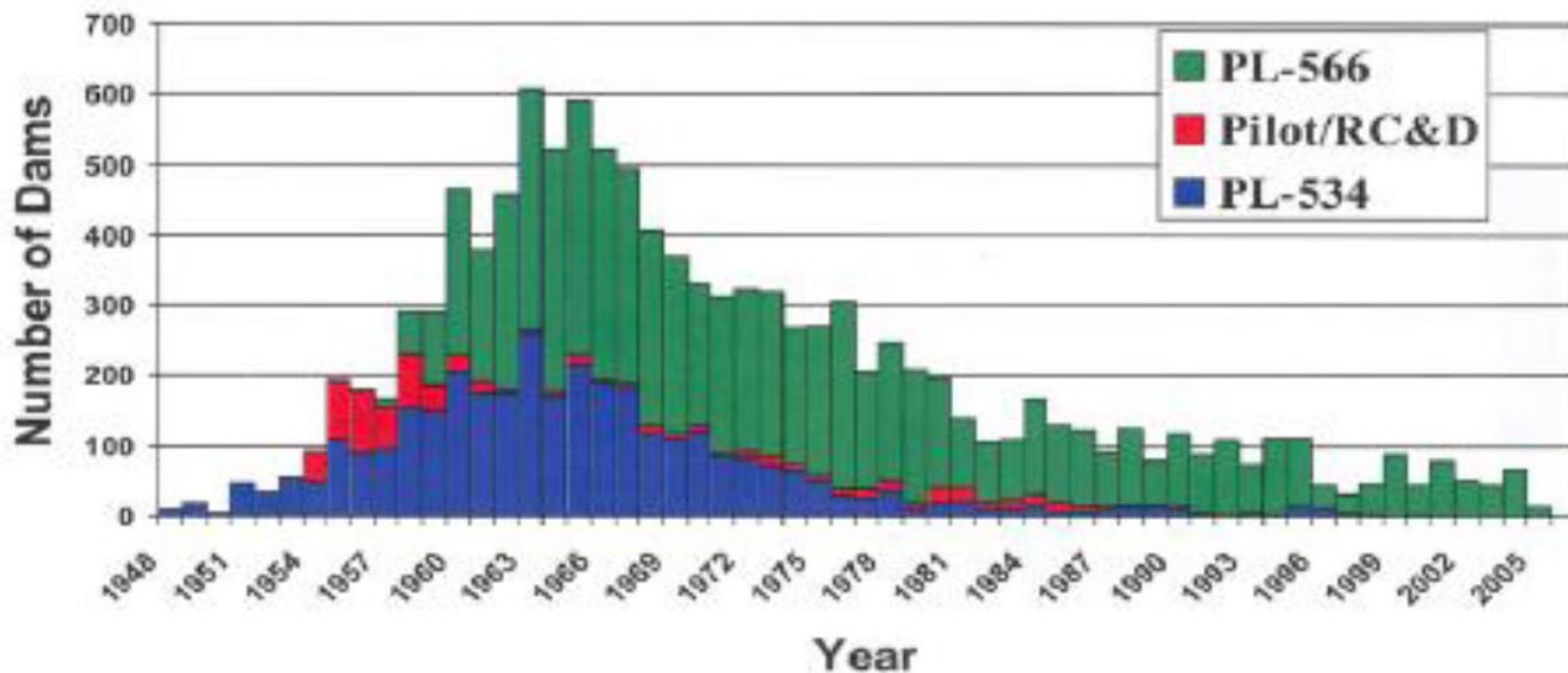
- ❖ Communities depend on dams for flood control, water supply, recreation, and other purposes.
- ❖ 11,900 dams were constructed with assistance of the NRCS Watershed Programs
- ❖ In West Virginia NRCS has assisted with 170 Watershed Dams







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Watershed Dams Constructed by Year



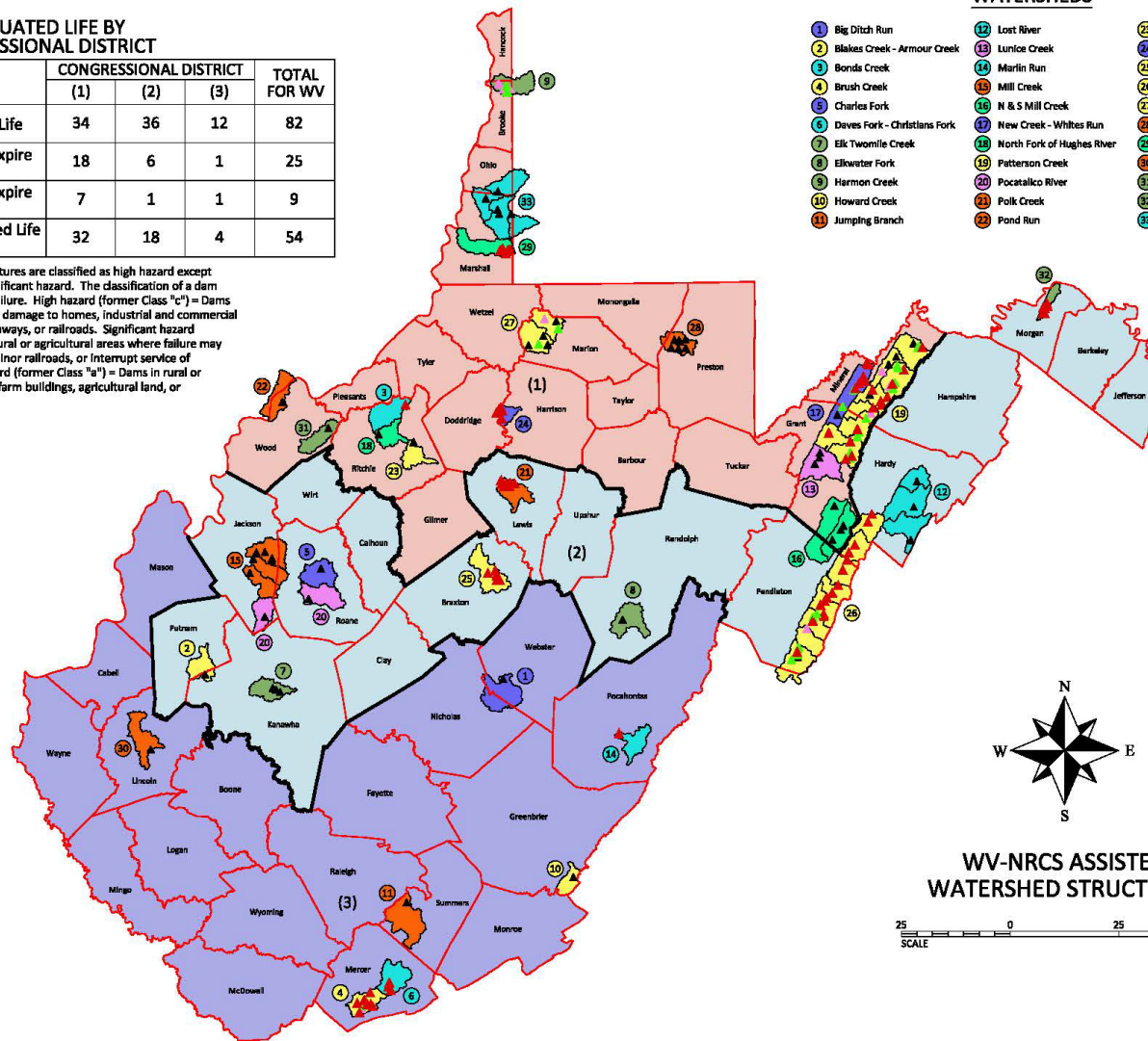
EVALUATED LIFE BY CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

DESCRIPTION		CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT			TOTAL FOR WV
		(1)	(2)	(3)	
	Dam with expired Evaluated Life	34	36	12	82
	Dam with Evaluated Life to expire within the next 5 years	18	6	1	25
	Dam with Evaluated Life to expire within the next 6 to 10 years	7	1	1	9
	Dam with remaining Evaluated Life greater than 10 years	32	18	4	54

NOTE: All WV-NRCS listed watershed structures are classified as high hazard except for North and South Mill Creek 4 which is significant hazard. The classification of a dam is determined by the potential hazard from failure. High hazard (former Class "c") = Dams where failure may cause loss of life or serious damage to homes, industrial and commercial buildings, important public utilities, main highways, or railroads. Significant hazard (former Class "b") = Dams in predominantly rural or agricultural areas where failure may damage isolated homes, main highways, or minor railroads, or interrupt service of relatively important public utilities. Low hazard (former Class "a") = Dams in rural or agricultural areas where failure may damage farm buildings, agricultural land, or township and country roads.

WATERSHEDS

- | | | | | | |
|----|------------------------------|----|----------------------------|----|---------------------|
| 1 | Big Ditch Run | 12 | Lost River | 23 | Pullman |
| 2 | Blakes Creek - Armour Creek | 13 | Lunice Creek | 24 | Salem Fork |
| 3 | Bonda Creek | 14 | Marlin Run | 25 | Saltlick Creek |
| 4 | Brush Creek | 15 | Mill Creek | 26 | South Fork |
| 5 | Charles Fork | 16 | N & S Mill Creek | 27 | Upper Buffalo Creek |
| 6 | Deves Fork - Christians Fork | 17 | New Creek - Whites Run | 28 | Upper Deckers Creek |
| 7 | Elk Townline Creek | 18 | North Fork of Hughes River | 29 | Upper Grave Creek |
| 8 | Ellenwater Fork | 19 | Patterson Creek | 30 | Upper Mud River |
| 9 | Harmon Creek | 20 | Pocatalico River | 31 | Walker Creek |
| 10 | Howard Creek | 21 | Polk Creek | 32 | Warm Springs Run |
| 11 | Jumping Branch | 22 | Pond Run | 33 | Wheeling Creek |



WV-NRCS ASSISTED WATERSHED STRUCTURES

Dam Rehabilitation under PL-566

Congress passed the Watershed Rehabilitation Amendments of 2000 which amended the PL-566 law and authorized the NRCS to provide technical and financial assistance to watershed project sponsors in rehabilitating their aging dams.

Dam Rehabilitation under PL-566

The watershed rehabilitation program:



helps project sponsors rehabilitate aging dams.



allows sponsors to create new, or add to, existing water supplies.

Dam Rehabilitation

COST SHARE



FED cost-share is 65 percent of the total eligible project cost, not exceeding 100 % of the actual construction cost.



SLO is responsible for the non-FED share of the cost of the project.

Dam Rehabilitation

FOUR PHASES

- ☒ **Assessment**
- ☒ **Planning**
- ☒ **Design**
- ☒ **Construction**



Dam Rehabilitation

FOUR PHASES



Assessment



Planning



Design



Construction

Assessment

Dam Assessment Report

- Intent is to provide local sponsors with data regarding the condition of the dam, risks to the public should a dam fail, and estimated rehabilitation alternatives costs.
- Original design summary

Dam Rehabilitation

FOUR PHASES



Assessment



Planning



Design



Construction



Dam Rehabilitation Planning

- Rehabilitation work and action require a supplemental Plan-EA or Plan-EIS to address the effects of the rehabilitation action unless all the activities proposed are categorically excluded.
- If a categorical exclusion applies to the proposed action, the supplemental plan must include the environmental evaluation (EE) documentation.
- The rehab plan will be prepared for one or more dams in a watershed. Information for installed, or remaining to be installed, works of improvement in the project area will not be updated or displayed.

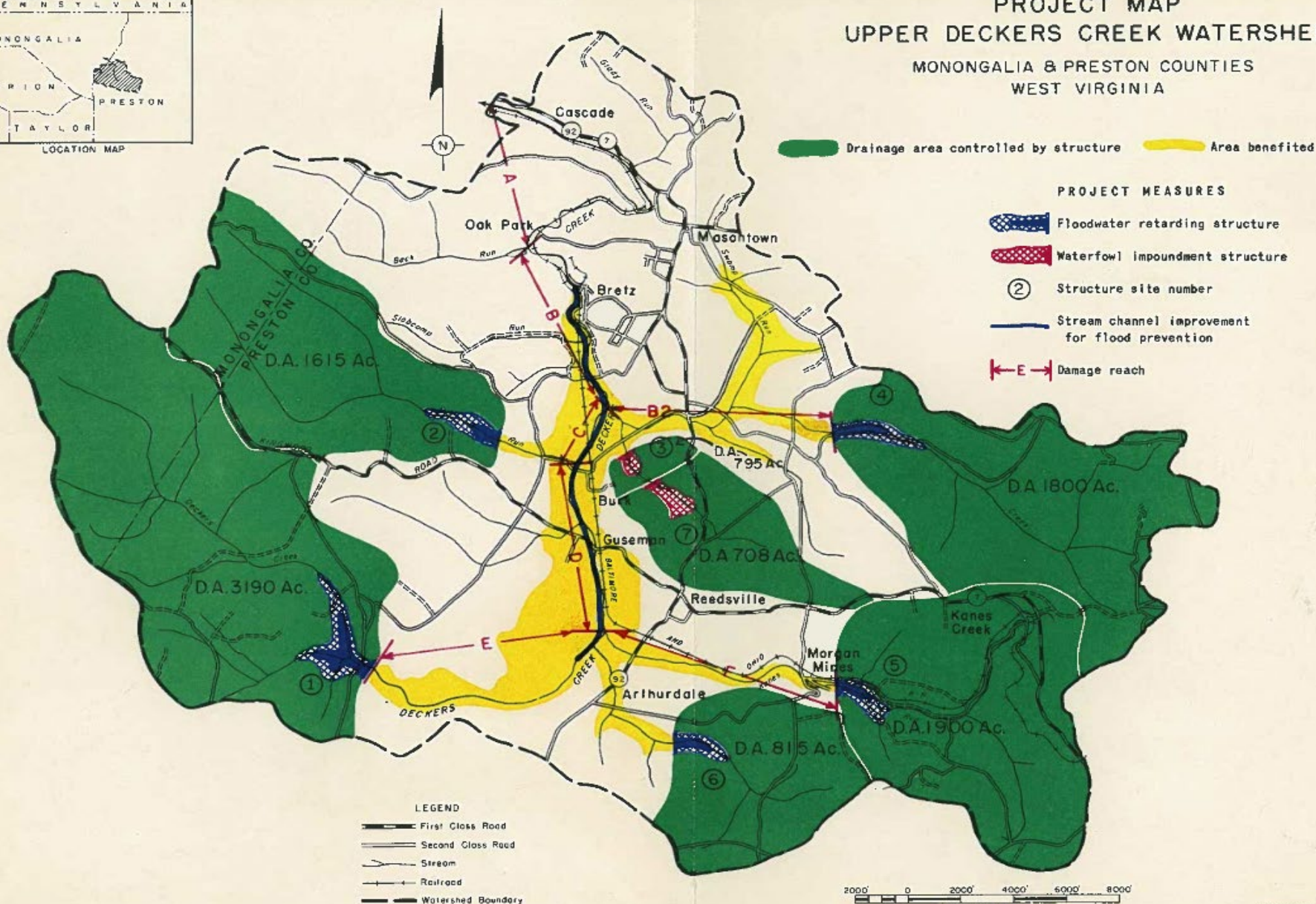
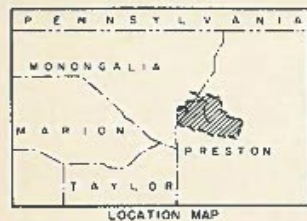


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Dam Rehabilitation Planning

PROJECT MAP UPPER DECKERS CREEK WATERSHED MONONGALIA & PRESTON COUNTIES WEST VIRGINIA



Dam Rehabilitation

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Assessment



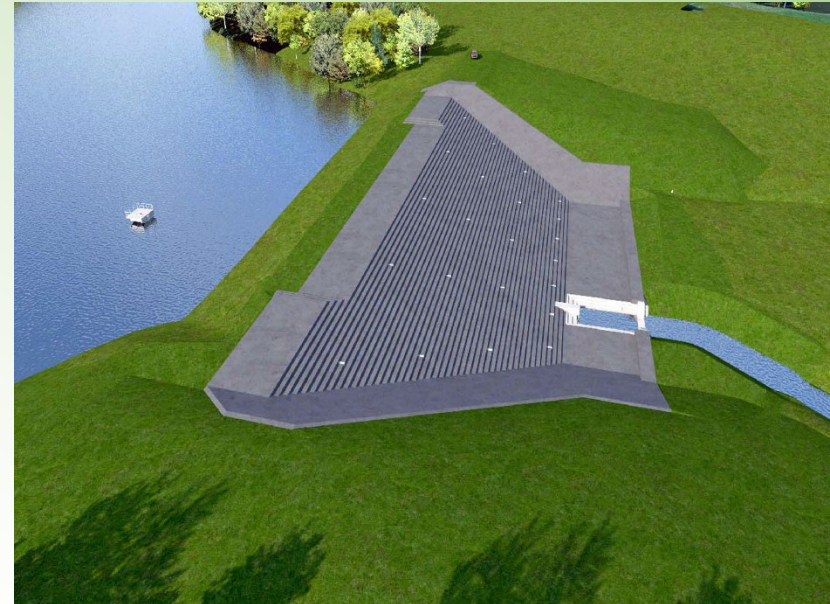
Planning



Design



Construction



Dam Rehabilitation Design

Consists of three stages:

- ❖ Data collection and evaluation for all information
- ❖ Preliminary design, developing general features of the works
- ❖ Final design, including refining preliminary design, hydraulic layout, structural, construction drawings and specifications, design report, O&M Plan, and QAP

Dam Rehabilitation Design

Can include the following:

- Final Design Summary Report
- Instruction to the Engineer during Construction
- Quality Assurance Plan
- Operation, Inspection, and Maintenance Plan
- Survey and Mapping Report
- Structural Design Report
- Erosion and Sediment Control Plan
- H&H-Hydrology
- H&H-ASW Design
- Dam Breach Analysis and Inundation Mapping
- Final Geotechnical Report with investigation and soil/rock testing
- ASW SITES Analysis Report

Dam Rehabilitation

FOUR PHASES



Assessment



Planning



Design



Construction



Dam Rehabilitation Construction

Quality Assurance Activities

- ✓ **Inspection of Materials**
- ✓ **Records and QA Testing**
 - ✓ **As-Built Drawings**



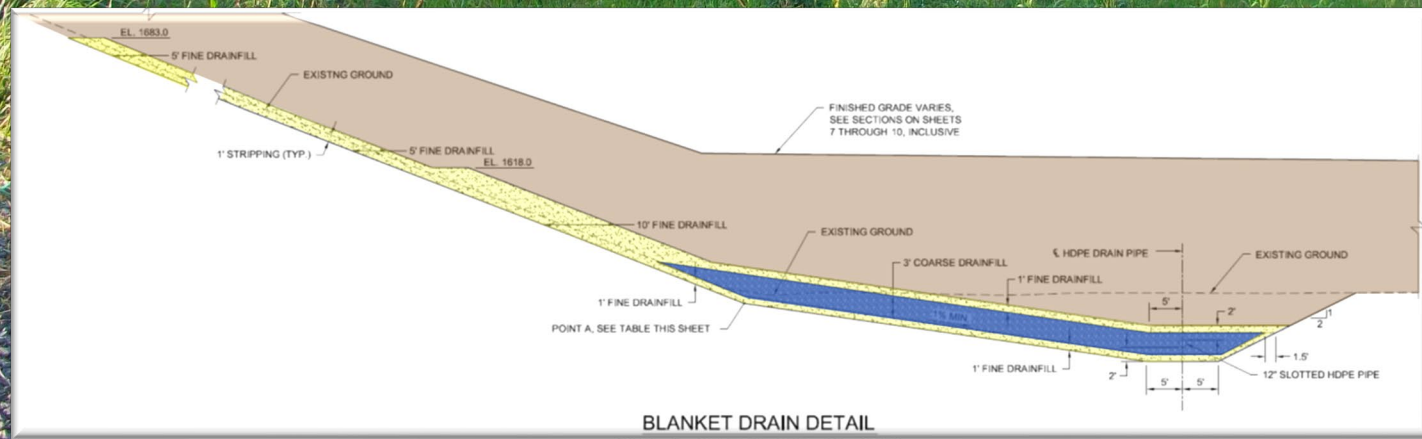
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New Creek Site 14 Dam Rehab in Grant County, WV





















Dam Rehabilitation in WV

Current Status

- ✓ Assessments-all but seven of 170 NRCS-assisted dams in WV have assessment reports. NRCS currently working on 5 of 7.
- ✓ Plans-two plans close to completion and an additional 11 dams were funded under BIL.
- ✓ Design-five designs in process and an additional six dams were funded under BIL.
- ✓ Construction-none at this time. Two dams have been rehabilitated, New Creek 14 and Upper Deckers Creek 1.



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Questions



Emergency Watershed Protection Program

- Assist communities in the event of a declared disaster.
- Remove blockages from streams that pose an immediate threat to life and property.
- Stabilization of banks that have been damaged or impaired that pose an immediate threat to improved properties after a flood event.
- Federal and local partners.



Clay County



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Thorofare Run – Kanawha County



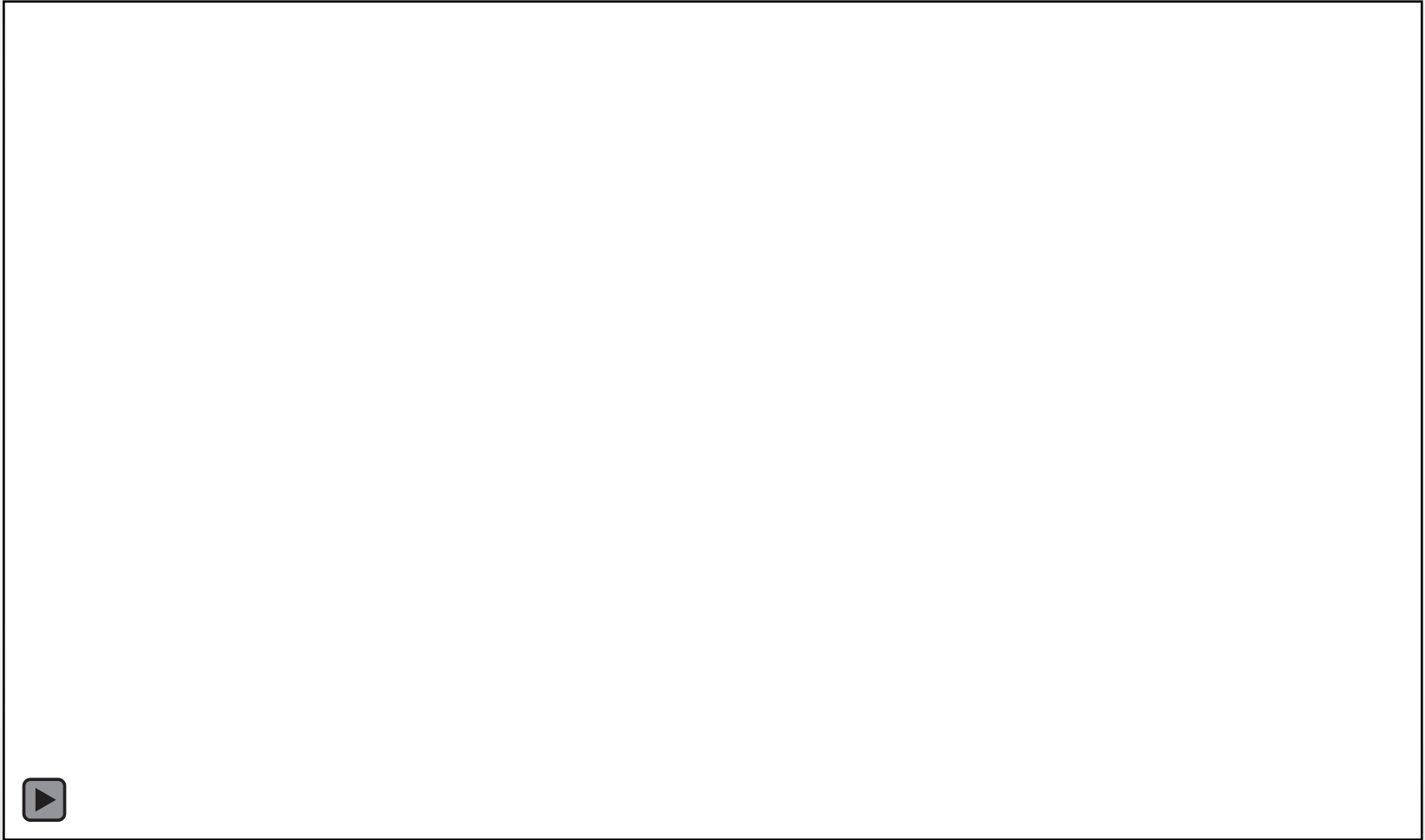
Caldwell Dump Site



Marion/Wetzel Burn Site



Burn Sites



Clay County Bank Stabilization Site



Clay County Bank Stabilization Site



Before- Wharton, Boone County



After -Wharton Site



Stream Restoration

Natural Stream Restoration

- Use of natural materials in process of restoring stream to more of former state.
- Incorporate a holistic approach by use of reference stream, identifying outlying issues.
- Long process with survey, assessments and studies.

Traditional Riprap/Gabions

- Used mainly for bank stabilization after flood damages.
- Cost prohibitive verses natural stream restoration.



South Fork Cherry River Phase 1 Greenbrier County



West Virginia Conservation Agency

Little Coal River – Boone County



Little Grave Creek - Marshall County



Little Grave Creek - Marshall County



Little Grave Creek - Marshall County



Snake Creek, Greenbrier County



Aarons Creek - Before



Aarons Creek - After



Gabions/Riprap



Funding for Streamwork

(Outside of EWP)

- State Funds
 - Line Item Funds
 - Partnering Agency Funds
- Local Funds
 - City, County, Townships
- Mix of State/Local Funds



Stream Permits

- MOU with the US Army Corp of Engineers to assist landowners in obtaining permits.
- WVCA staff conducts site visit with landowner to discuss goals for their project.
- WVCA staff develops a stream management plan.
 - Calculates measurements for cubic yards of material and length of stream bank to be worked.
 - Draws a plan with current and proposed cross section(s) of site.
 - Submits the application to the appropriate agencies for review.
 - Provides technical assistance to landowner after receipt of permit authorization from the US Army Corp of Engineers.



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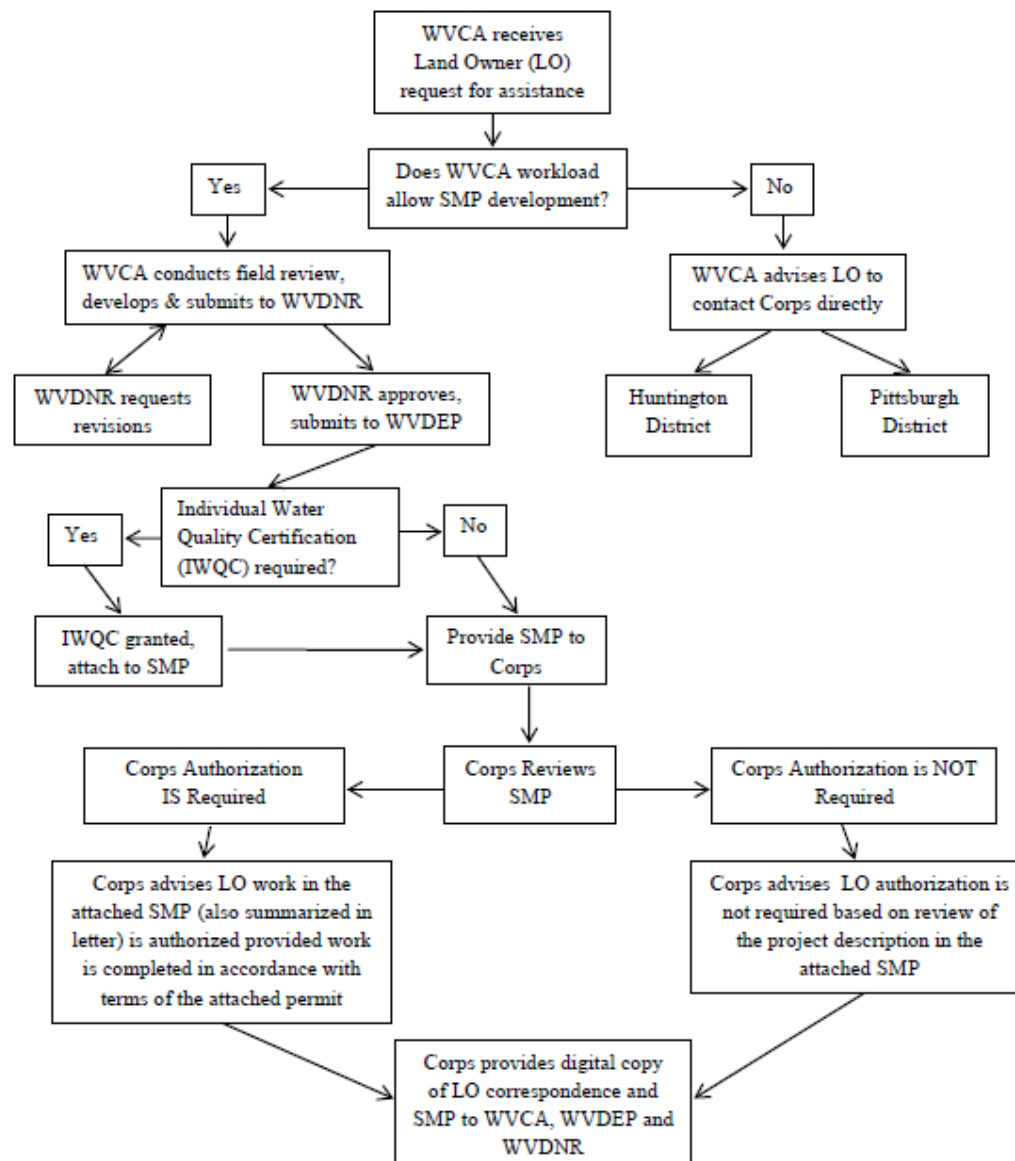
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PITTSBURGH DISTRICT, REGULATORY BRANCH
and
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and
WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
and
WEST VIRGINIA DIVISION OF NATURAL RESOURCES

I. Introduction.


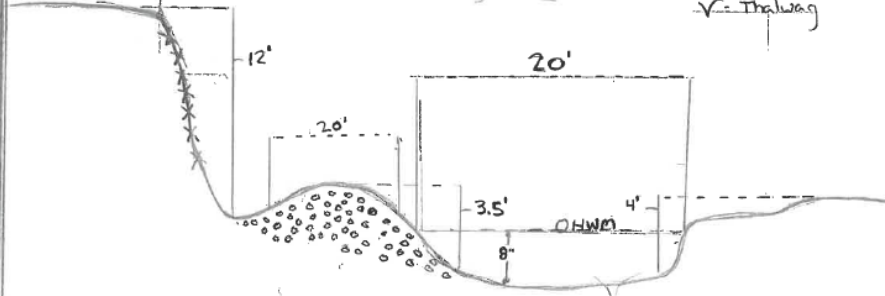
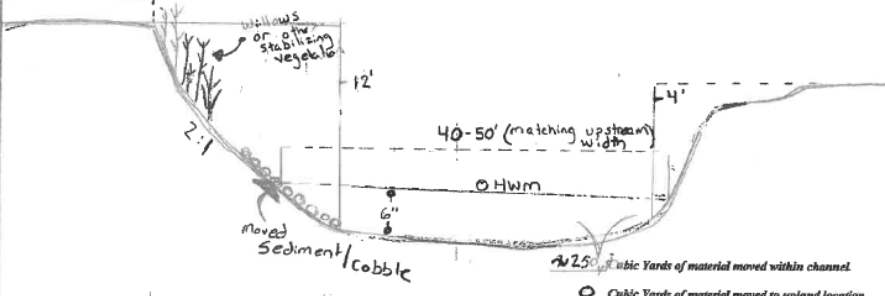
A. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) is authorized by Congress under Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 (33 USC 403) to regulate all work or structures in or affecting the course, condition or capacity of navigable waters of the United States (U.S.). Under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 USC 1344), the Corps is authorized by Congress to regulate the discharge of dredged and fill material into all waters of the U.S., including wetlands. As shown in the attached Appendix A, two Corps districts, Huntington District and



Flow Chart from MOU





Stream Management Plans

	<p>LANDOWNER NAME _____</p> <p>DATE: <u>5-6-21</u> GPS: <u>N</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">WEST VIRGINIA CONSERVATION AGENCY</p> <p>Prepared By: _____</p>
<p><i>Before</i> ~15' to house</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">CROSS SECTION DIAGRAM SHEET <small>DRAWINGS NOT TO SCALE</small></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Little Wheeling Creek</i></p> <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;"> <p>O = Sediment Deposition</p> <p>X = Erosion</p> <p>V = Thalweg</p> </div> 
<p><i>After</i> ~15' to house</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Little Wheeling Creek</i></p>  <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;"> <p>~250 Cubic Yards of material moved within channel.</p> <p>O Cubic Yards of material moved to upland location.</p> </p>

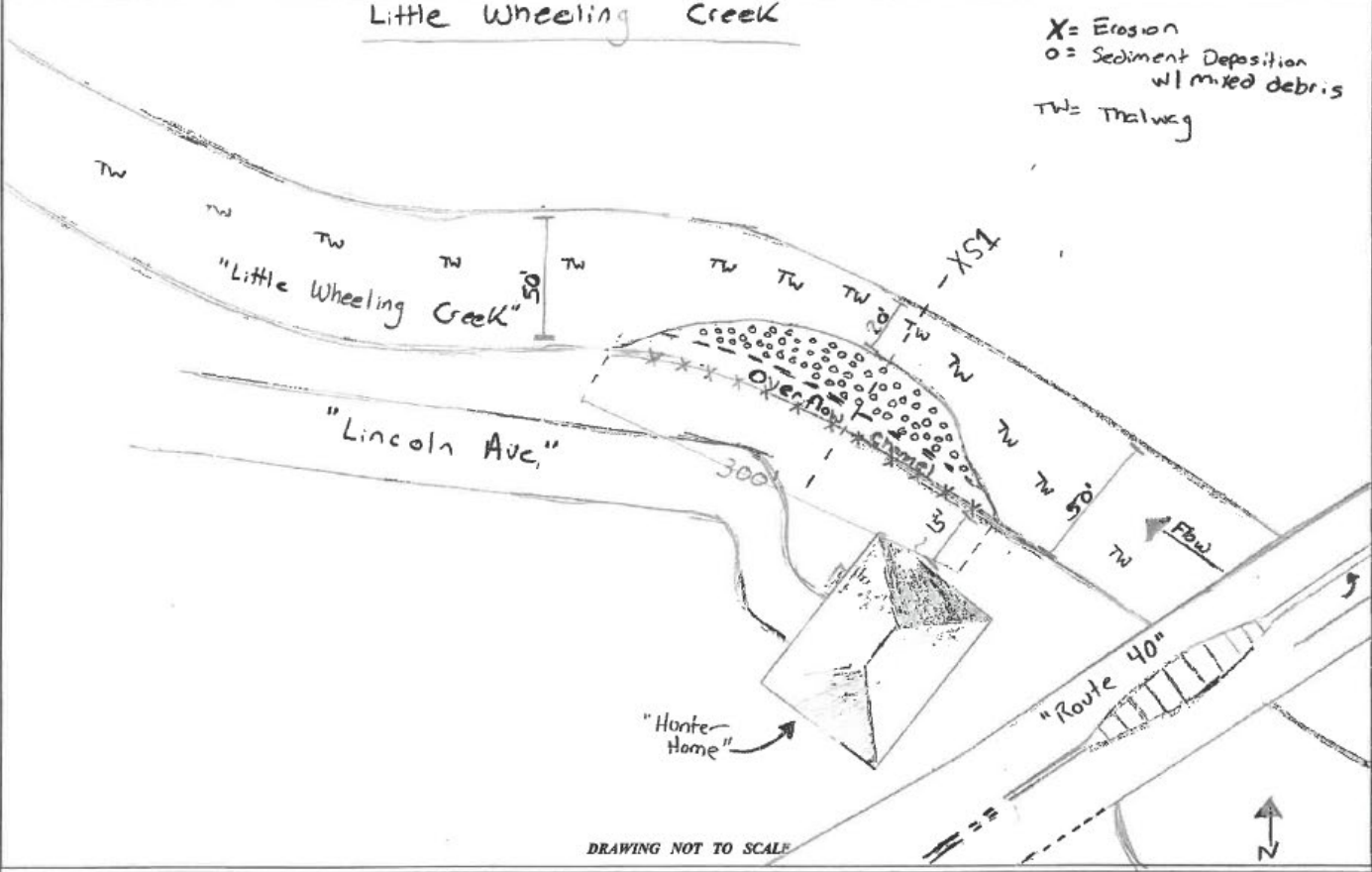


Stream Management Plans

	<p align="center">West Virginia Conservation Agency</p> <p>LANDOWNER NAME _____</p> <p>GPS: N _____</p> <p>Date: 5-4-21 Prepared By: _____</p>	
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Little Wheeling Creek

X = Erosion
O = Sediment Deposition w/ mixed debris
TW = Trailway



The map shows a stream labeled "Little Wheeling Creek" flowing from the top left towards the bottom right. Several trailways, marked "TW", are shown along the stream banks. A road labeled "Lincoln Ave." crosses the stream. Another road, "Route 40", is shown at the bottom right. A building labeled "Hunter Home" is situated near the stream. A large area of sediment deposition, marked with "O", is shown in the center of the stream. Erosion points, marked with "X", are indicated along the stream banks. A dashed line labeled "Overflow" is shown near the sediment deposition area. A north arrow is located in the bottom right corner. The text "DRAWING NOT TO SCALE" is written at the bottom center.

DRAWING NOT TO SCALE



Local Partnering

- 7-1-3u Agreements: utilizes authority of local counties and municipalities.
- Combines technical, financial and administrative resources to complete common goals.



WV Code §7-1-3u

Authority of counties and municipalities to treat streams to prevent floods

To protect people and property from floods, counties and municipalities are hereby empowered to rechannel and dredge streams; remove accumulated debris, snags, sandbars, rocks and any other kinds of obstructions from streams; straighten stream channels; and carry out erosion and sedimentation control measures and programs.



Current 7-1-3u Agreements

1. Braxton County
2. City of Princeton
3. Doddridge County
4. Fayette County
5. Greenbrier County
6. Hancock County
7. Hardy County
8. Kanawha County
9. Marshall County
10. Mason County
11. McDowell County
12. Mercer County
13. Mingo County
14. Morgan County
15. Ohio County
16. Pendleton County
17. Pocahontas County
18. Preston County
19. Putnam County
20. Randolph County
21. Summers County
22. Town of Bath
23. Wayne County
24. Wetzel County
25. Webster County
26. Wyoming County



Agreement

**7-1-3U AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE WEST VIRGINIA CONSERVATION AGENCY AND
THE ~~XXX~~ COUNTY COMMISSION
CONCERNING STREAM RESTORATION, BANK STABILIZATION AND
BLOCKAGE REMOVAL WORK**

THIS 7-1-3U Agreement (Agreement) is made this ____ day of _____, 2020 by and between the West Virginia Conservation Agency (WVCA) and the ~~XXX~~ County Commission, a political subdivision of the State of West Virginia, (XCC). Authority to enter into this Agreement is found in W.Va. Code §19-21A-4 and W.Va. Code §7-1-3u.

WHEREAS, West Virginia has experienced disastrous flood events that have devastated the state and her citizenry; and

WHEREAS, there exists a substantial need to protect people and property from floods, to respond to the effects of flooding to minimize stream bank erosion and engage in flood



Sub Agreement

**7-1-3U SUB-AGREEMENT
XXXX COUNTY EWP FLOOD EVENT
BETWEEN
THE WEST VIRGINIA CONSERVATION AGENCY, THE XXXX CONSERVATION
DISTRICT AND
THE XXXX COUNTY COMMISSION**

Agreement #

THIS SUB-AGREEMENT is by and between the West Virginia Conservation Agency, (WVCA), the **XXXX** Conservation District, (XCD) and the **XXXX** County Commission (XCC) and incorporates by reference that Agreement currently existing between the parties dated _____, 20__.

Whereas, XCC is empowered by the legislature under West Virginia Code §7-1-3u to undertake work to prevent flooding and to respond to flooding, including the removal of accumulated debris, snags, sandbars, rocks and any other kinds of obstructions from streams, and

Whereas, WVCA is empowered under West Virginia Code §19-21A-4(11) to provide assistance as a result of gubernatorial declared natural disasters, and

Whereas, XCD is empowered under West Virginia Code §19-21A-8(3) in preventative and control measures within the district, and



Little Grave Creek - Marshall County



Harman Creek



Harman Creek



Watershed Section Contact Number

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A scenic landscape photograph of a river valley. The foreground shows a grassy bank with some small plants. A calm river flows through the center, reflecting the sky and the surrounding greenery. The river is flanked by steep, forested hills. A thick layer of mist or fog hangs over the water and the lower slopes of the hills, creating a soft, ethereal atmosphere. The sky is a pale blue with some light clouds. The overall mood is peaceful and serene.

Questions?