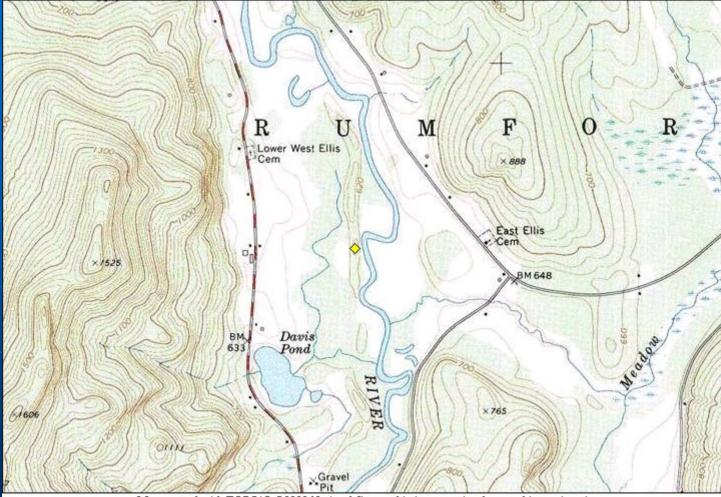
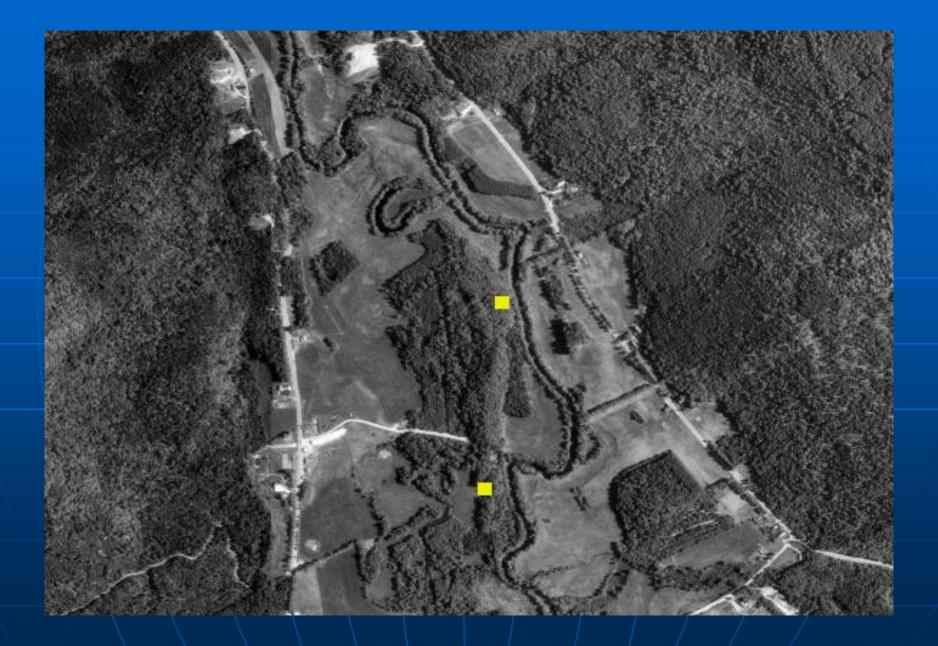
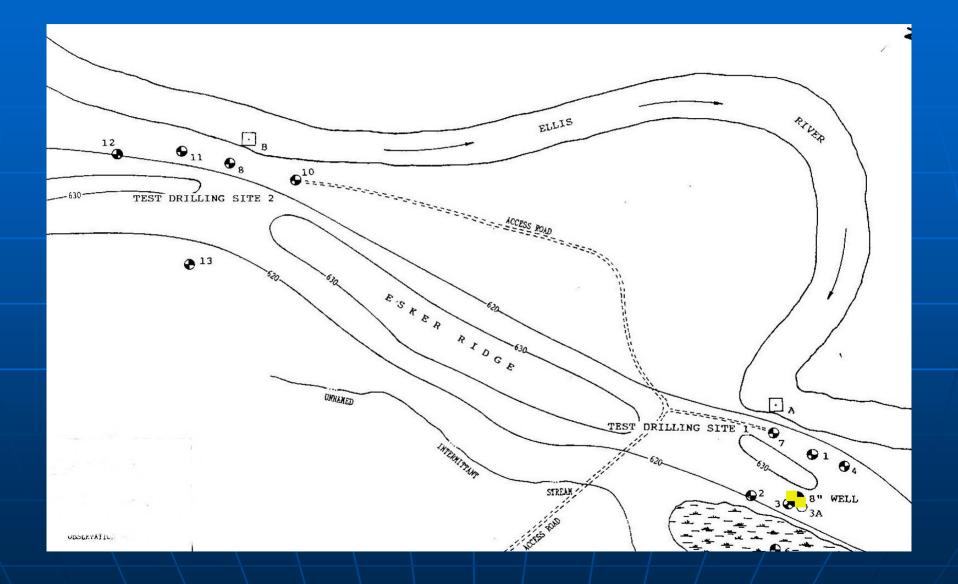


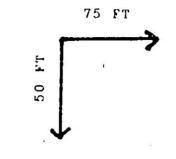
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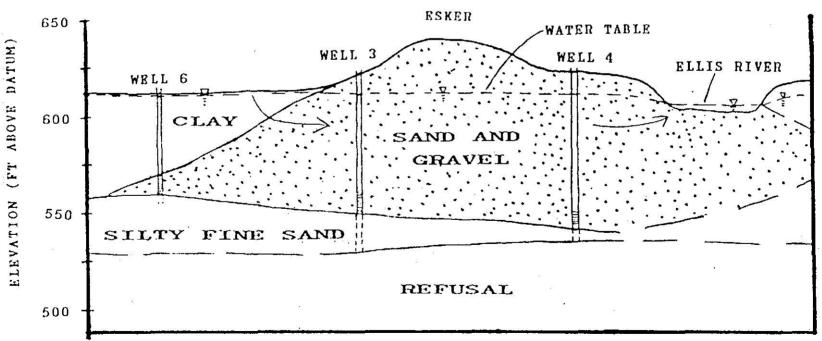




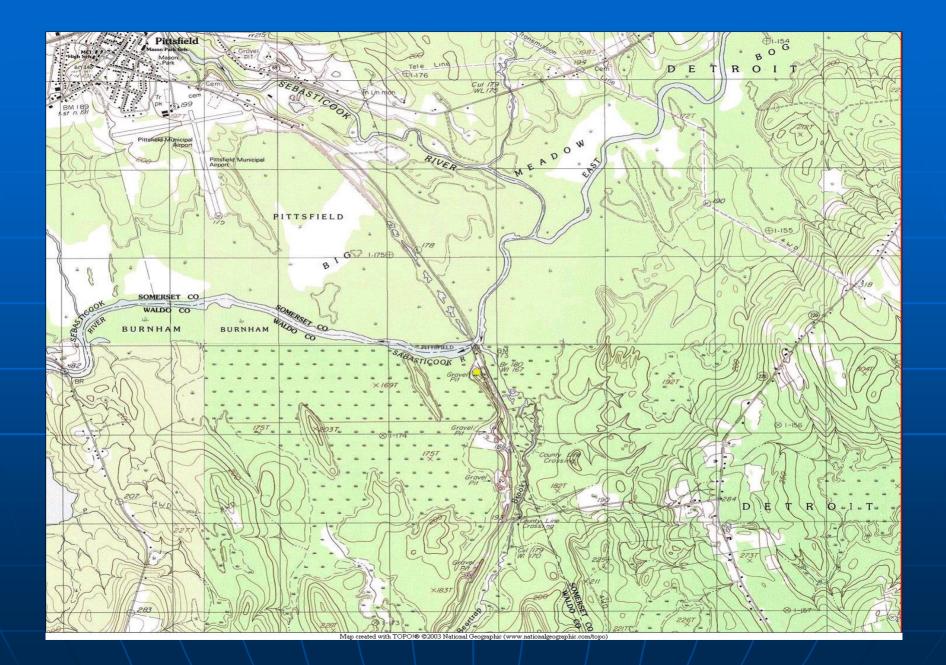




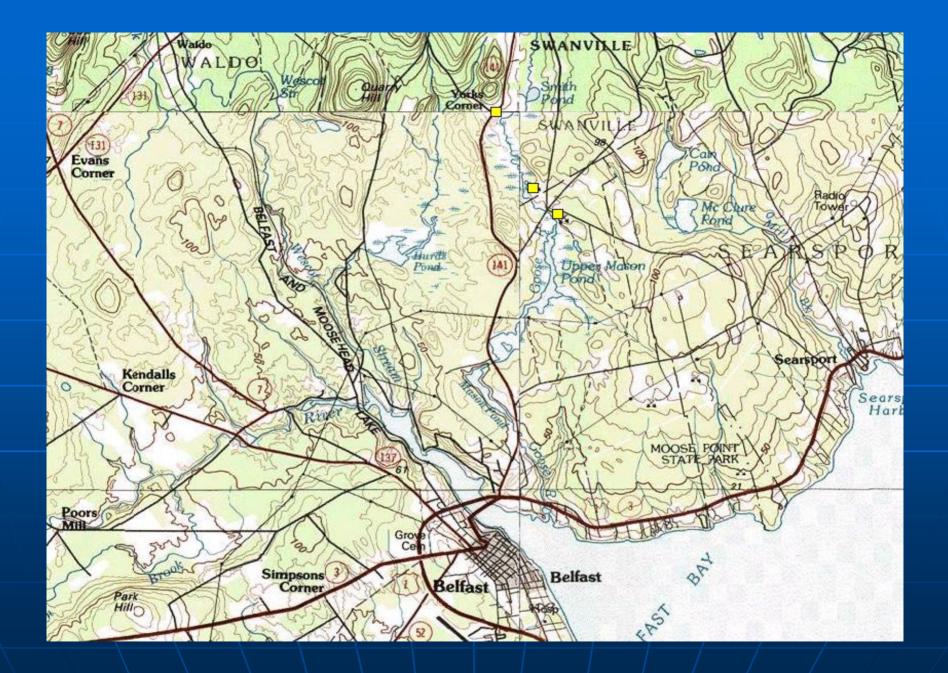


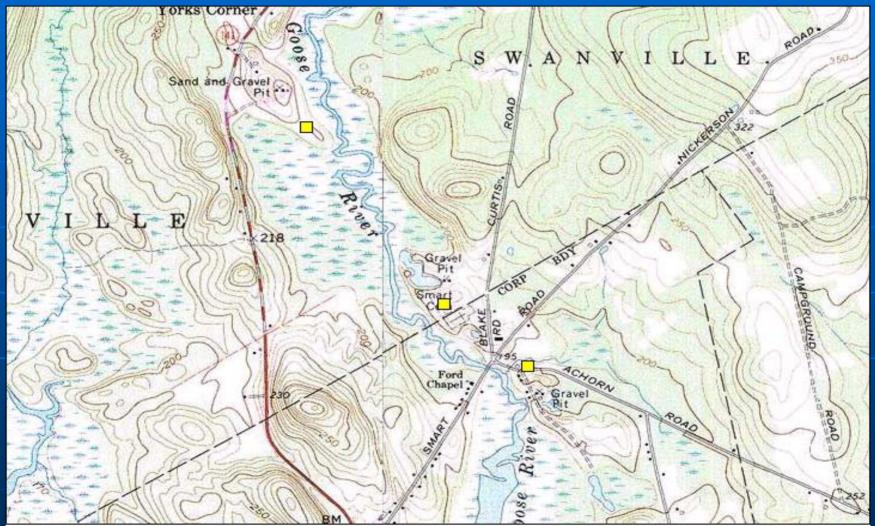


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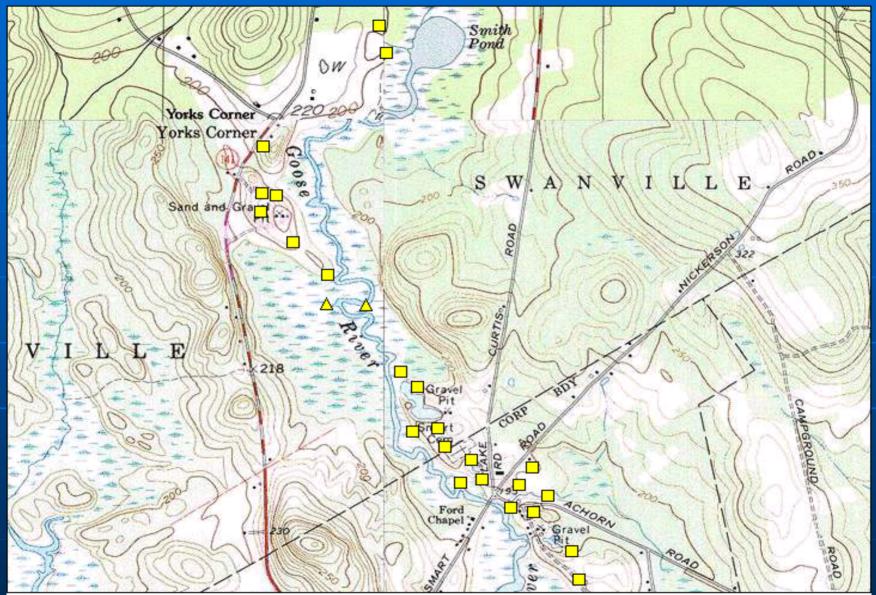






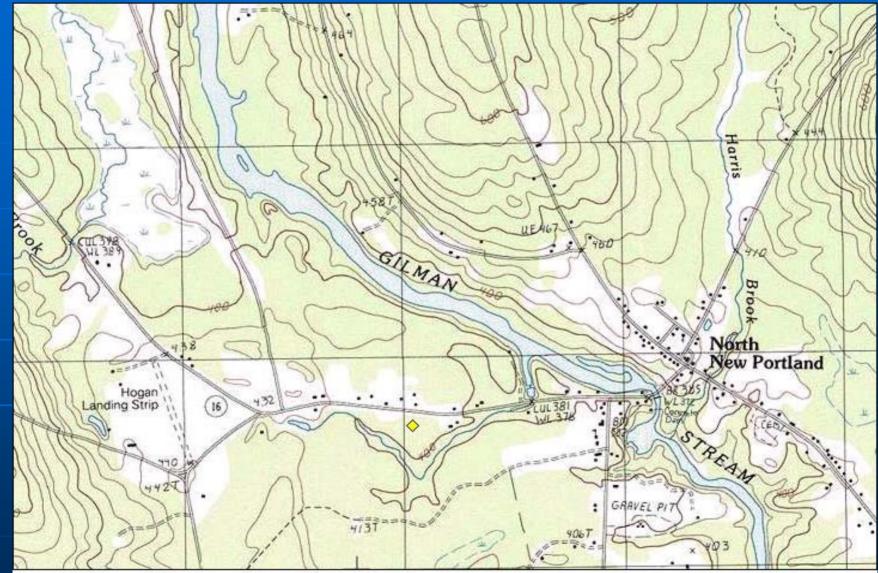


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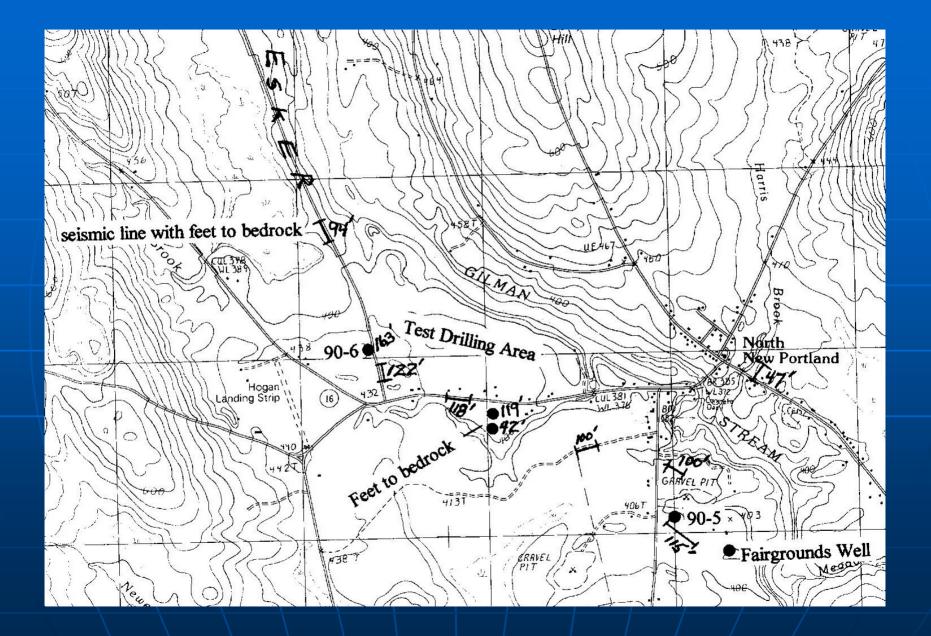


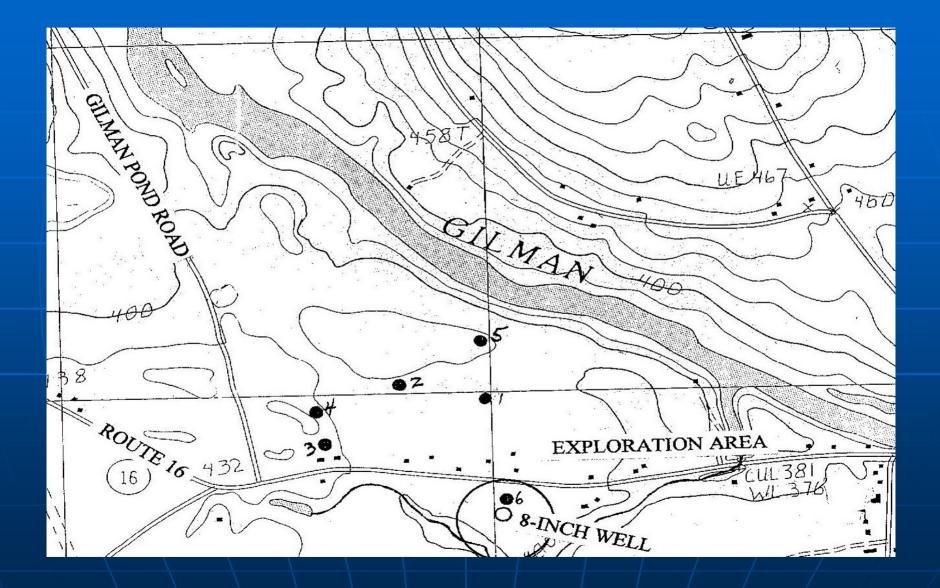
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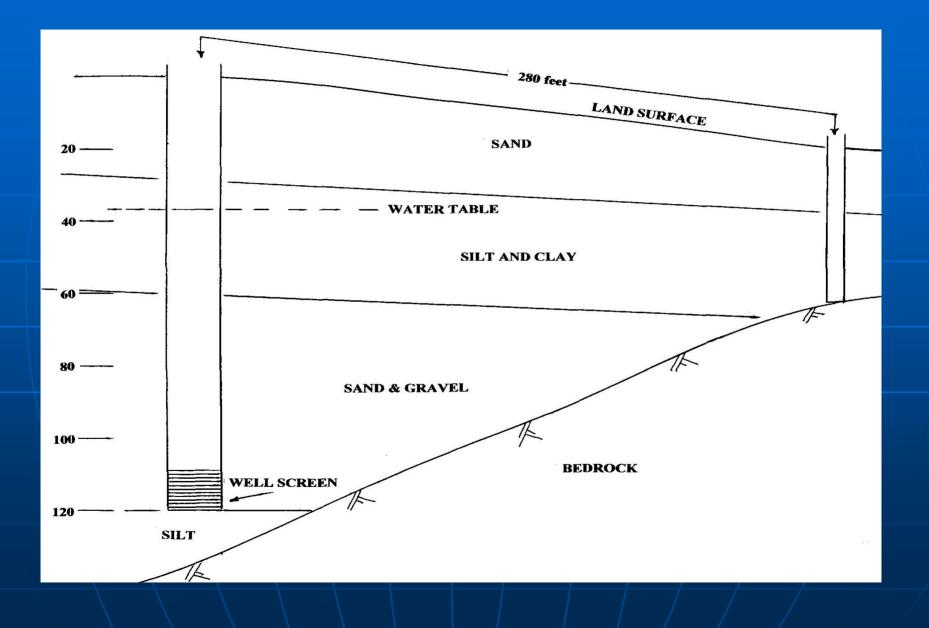


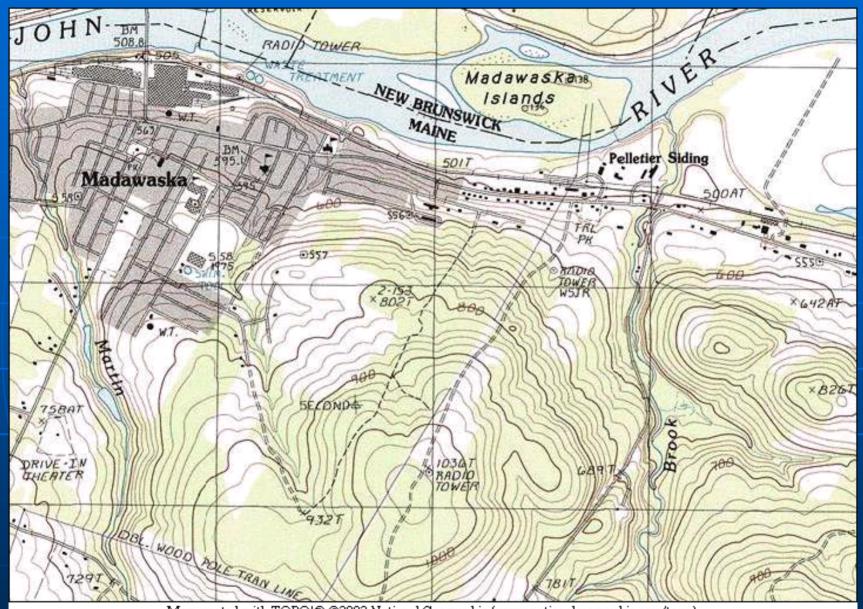


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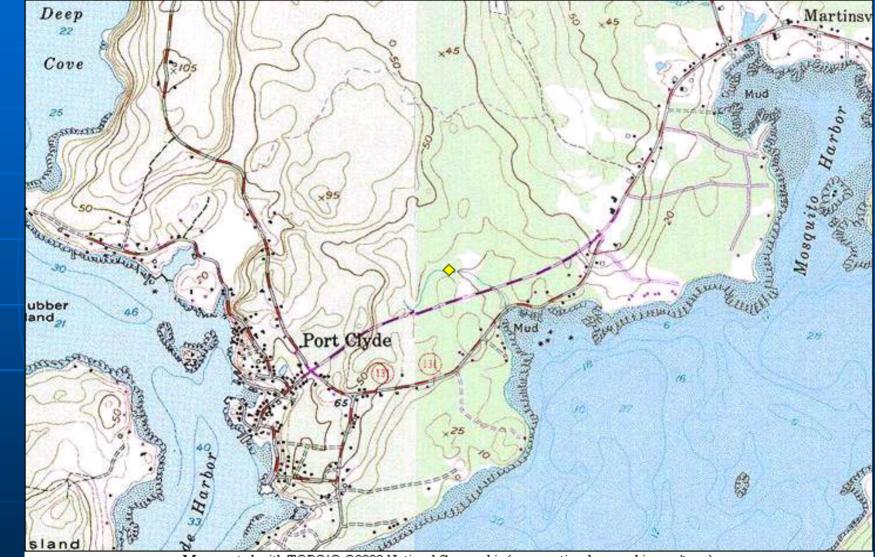




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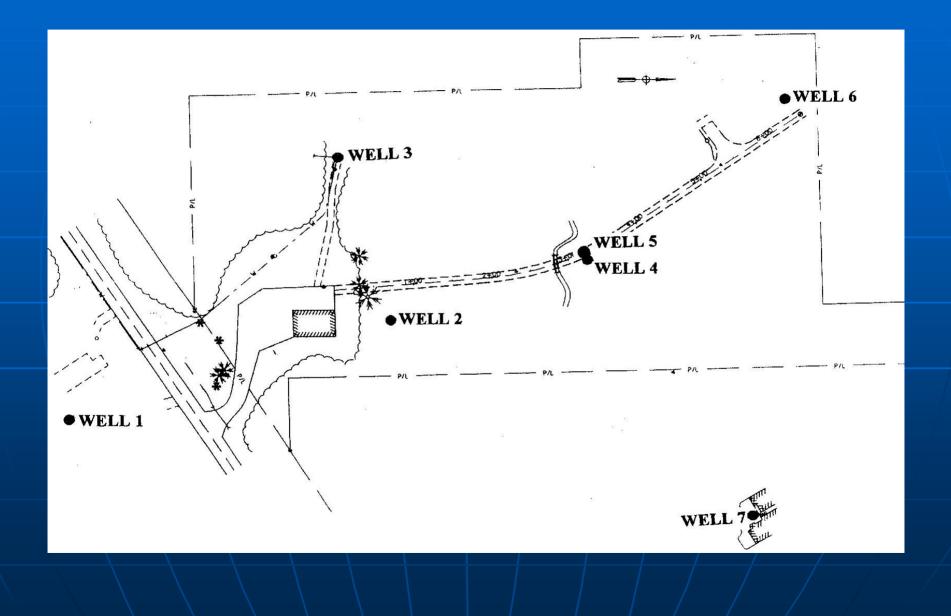


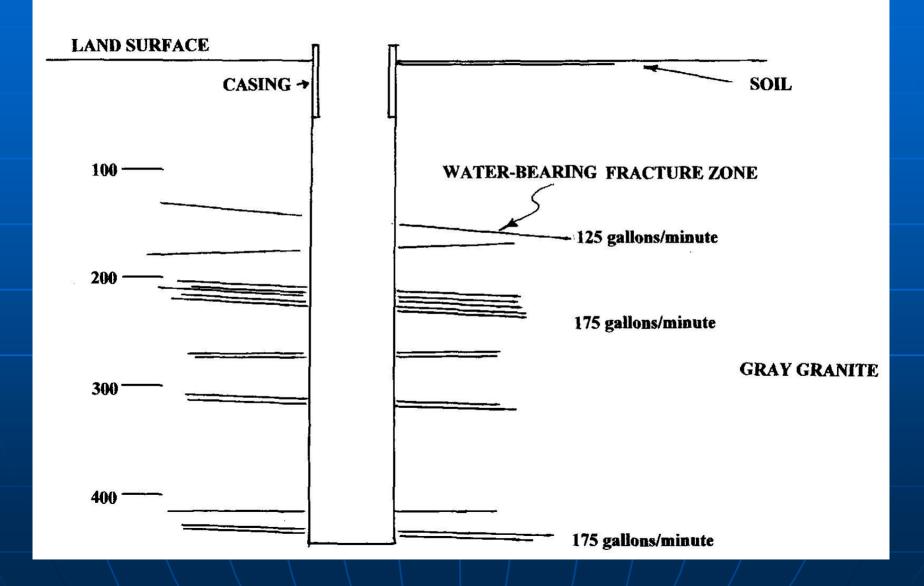




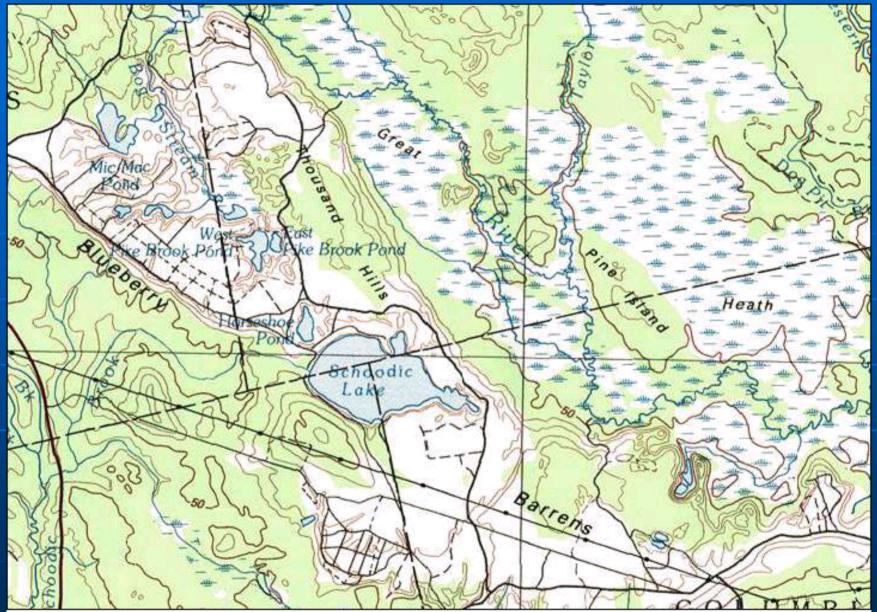
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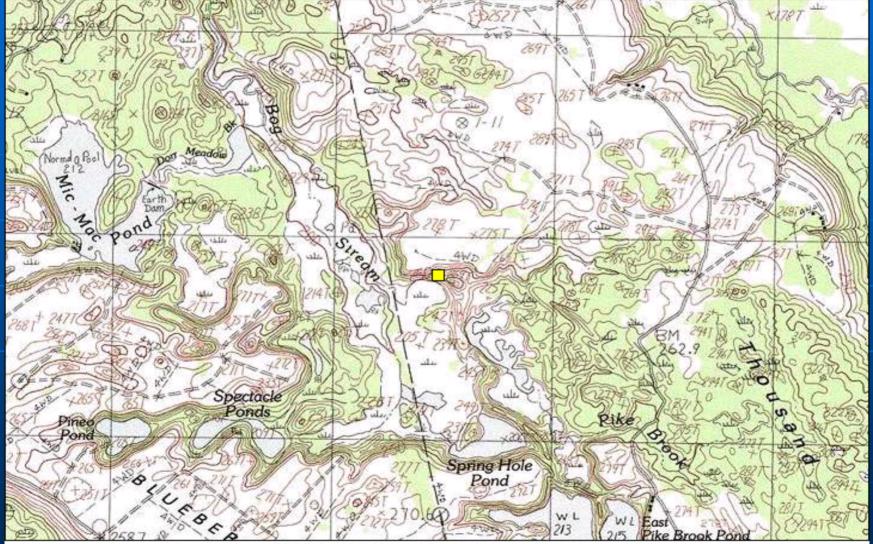




- Major sand & gravel and fractured bedrock aquifers are where you find them. They are not always conveniently located, nor are they or can they always be located where there are no environmental concerns.
- Induced recharge well sites are necessary for major municipal water supplies. Such sources are a combination of ground and surface water resources and require a watershed approach to proper long-term management.
- Major aquifers are highly variable and do not lend themselves to simple characterization or management schemes. A site-by site approach is necessary.
- There are numerous sand and gravel aquifers that are not shown on any maps and never will be until they are discovered by test wells.
- Major fractured bedrock aquifers are not mapped and likely never will be with any confidence without site-specific test drilling.



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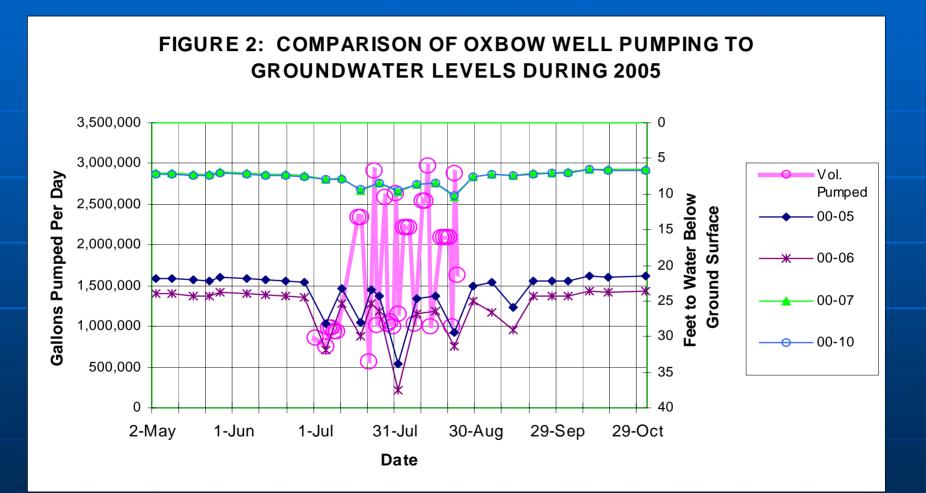


FIGURE 3: COMPARISON OF OXBOW WELL PUMPING TO THE STAGE OF THE BOG STREAM BEAVER FLOWAGE DURING 2005

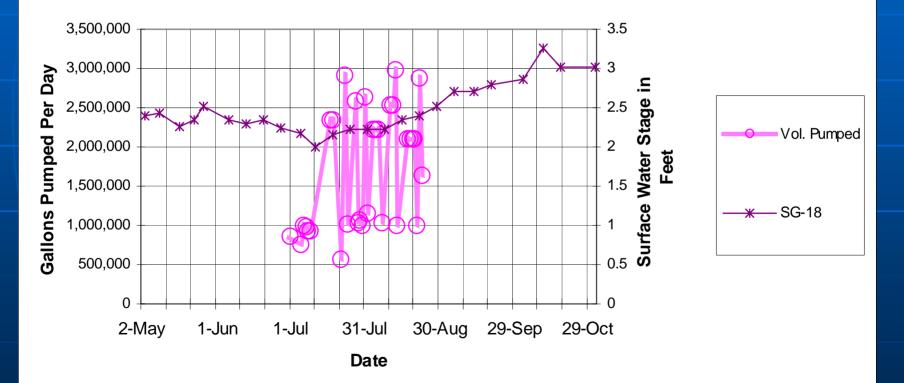
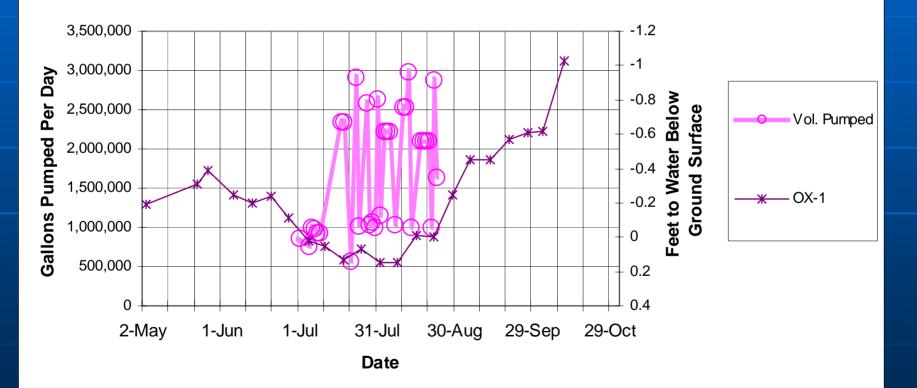
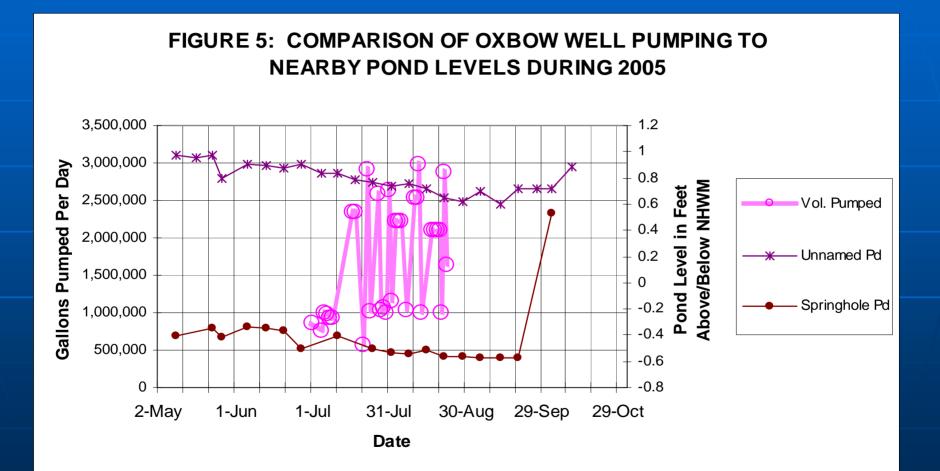
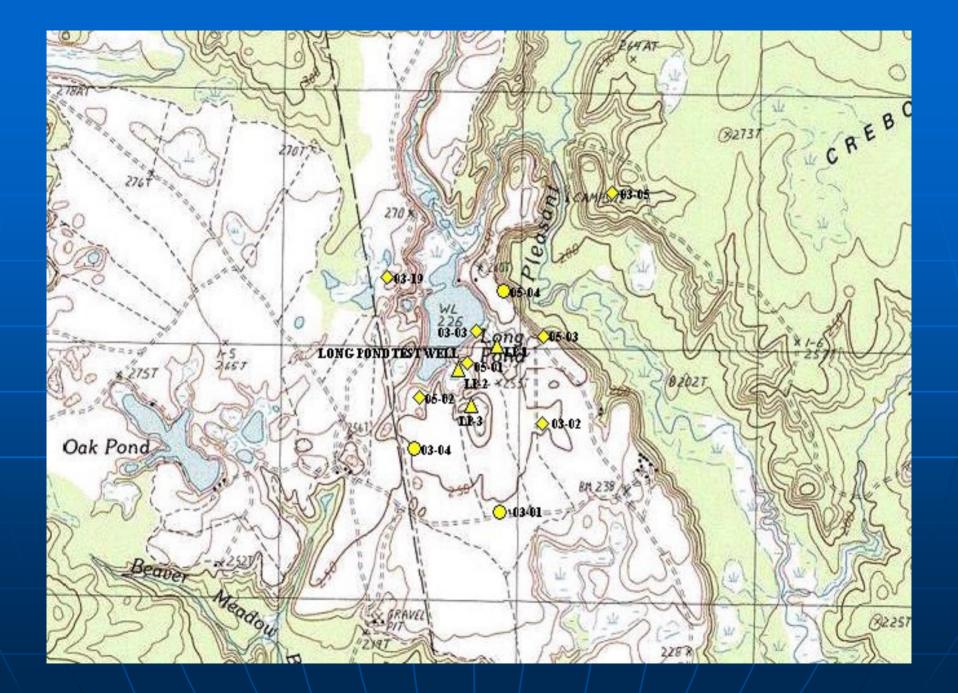


FIGURE 4: COMPARISON OF OXBOW WELL PUMPING TO THE GROUNDWATER LEVEL IN THE ADJACENT BOG DURING 2005









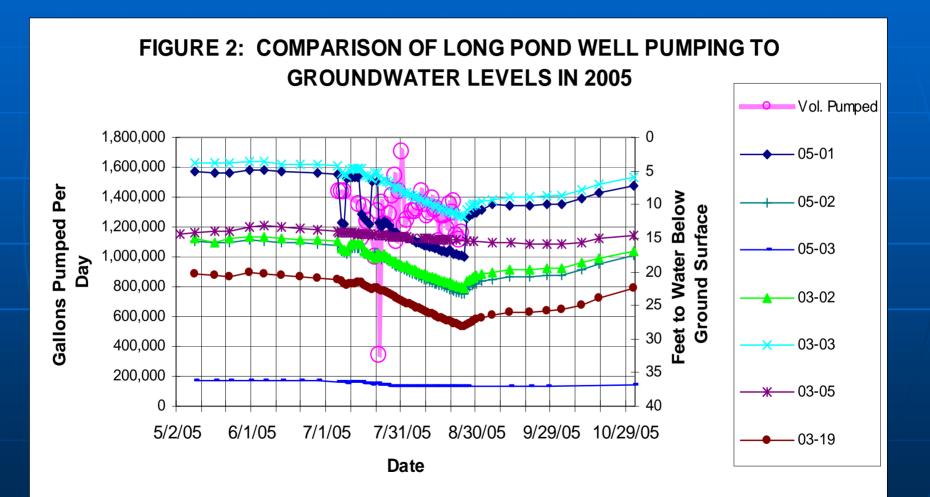
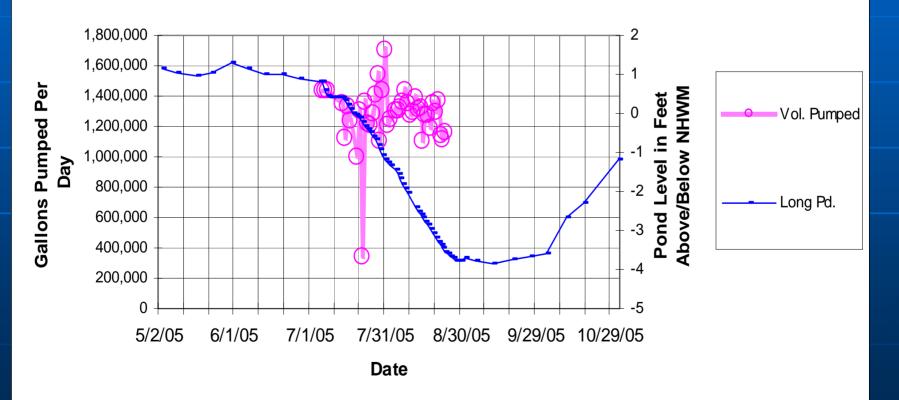
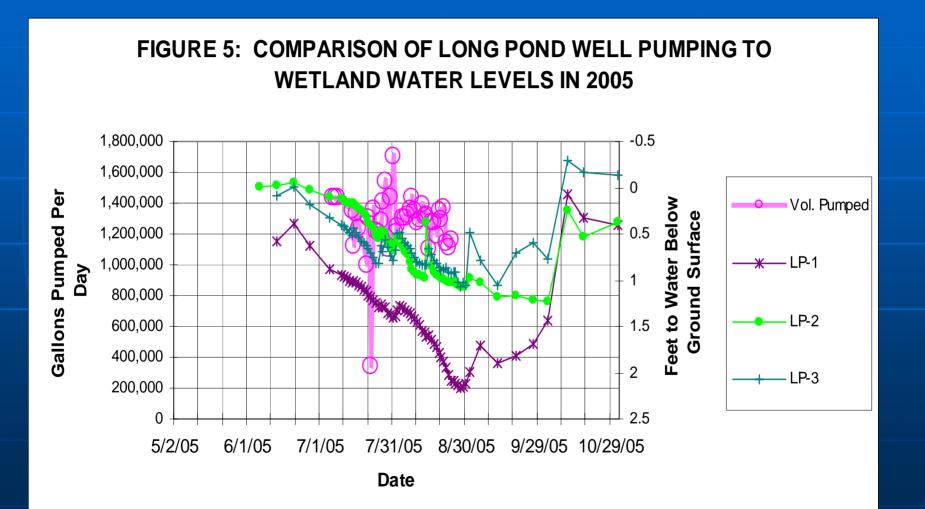
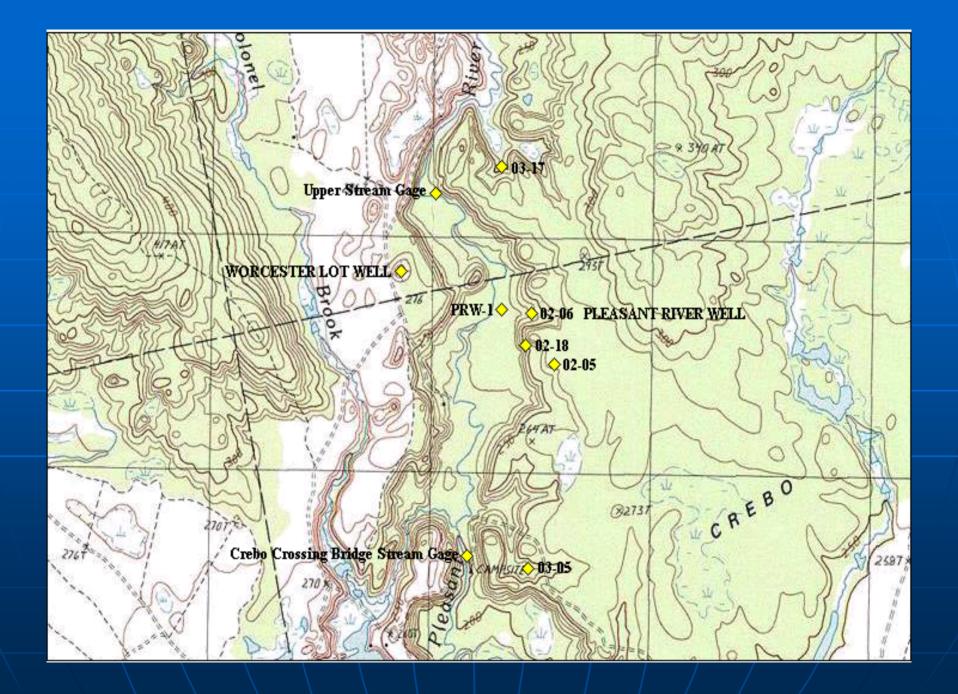
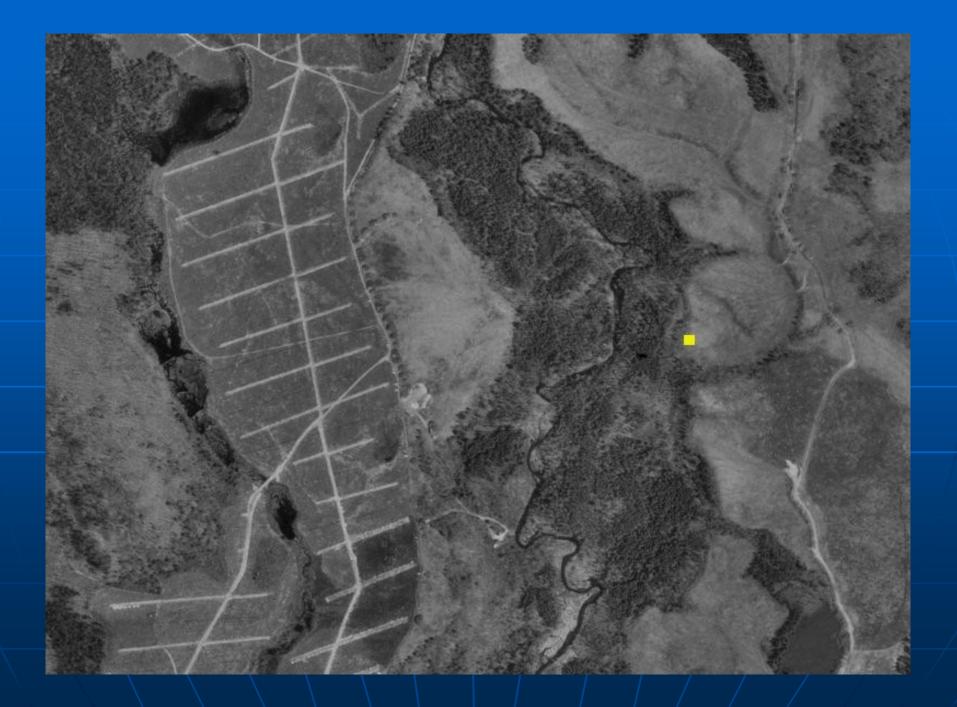


FIGURE 3A: COMPARISON OF LONG POND WELL PUMPING TO THE LEVEL OF LONG POND DURING 2005

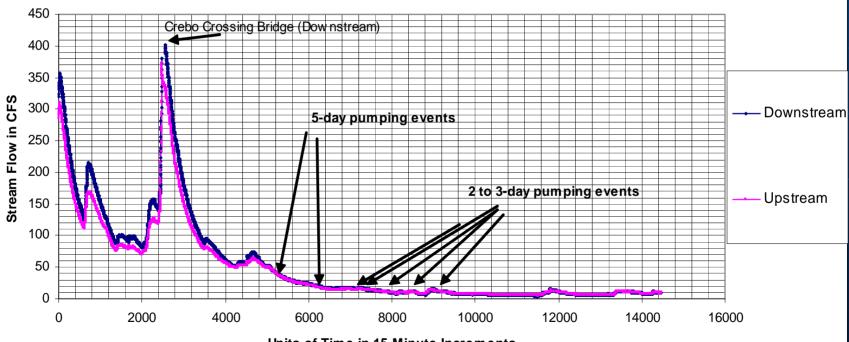




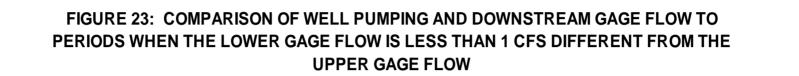


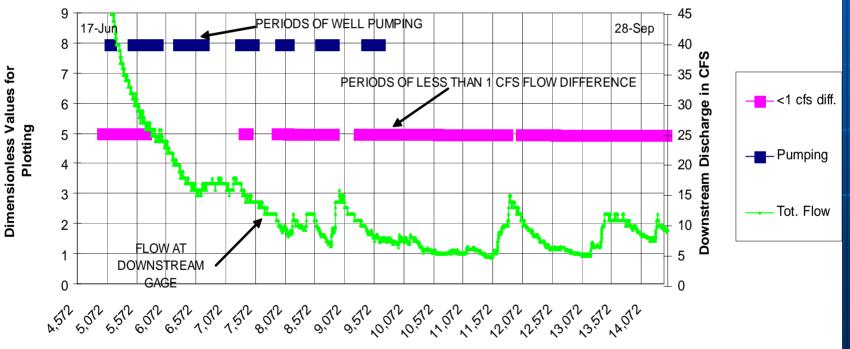




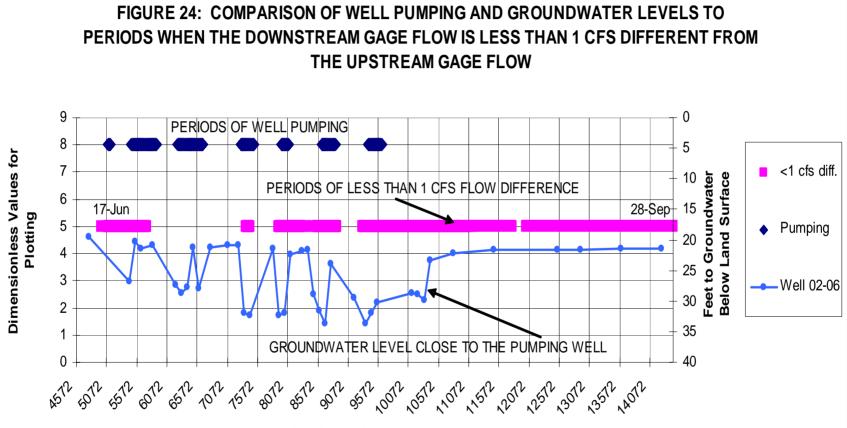


Units of Time in 15-Minute Increments





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- The Downeast sand and gravel aquifers used for irrigation purposes are unmapped and unknown until discovered and evaluated. All of these major aquifers are very different from one another. Developing each presents very different environmental concerns, but collection and analysis of detailed hydrologic data is undertaken to define the actual environmental impacts.
- LURC successfully regulates the operation of these major groundwater sources by requiring that the potential environmental impacts be evaluated on a site-by-site basis, typically requiring more than one season of irrigation pumping and data analysis to complete. LURC does not impose fixed minimum and maximum standards relative to such things as groundwater levels, pond levels, stream flows, well depths, pumping rates, or setbacks from ponds, streams, and wetlands.