

### TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION

Division of Water Resources

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Application for Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit (ARAP) & State §401 Water Quality Permit

OFFICIAL STATE USE ONLY	Site #:			Permit #: NR 1608. 2933						
Section 1. Applicant Information (individual	dual responsible for site	e, signs certific	ation below)							
Applicant Name: Tommy Whaley										
Company: Marshall County Board o	f Public Utilities		Signatory's	Title or Po	sition: Supe	rintendent				
Mailing Address: 624 West Comme	erce Street		City: Lew	isburg		State: TN	Zip: 37091			
Phone: (931) 359-6905	Fax: (931) 35	59-8876	E-mail: ma	arshallcou	unty_utiliti	es@yahoo.	com			
Section 2. Alternate Contact/Consultant Information (a consultant is not required)										
Alternate Contact Name: Bob Ramsey	/, P.E.									
Company: James C. Hailey & Company, Consulting Engineers  Title or Position: Project Engineer										
Mailing Address: 7518 Highway 70 S	South		City: Nash	rville		State: TN	Zip: 37221			
Phone: (615) 883-4933	Fax: (615) 883-	-4937	E-mail: bran	msey@jche	ngr.com	***				
Section 3. Fee (check appropriate box and submit requisite fee with application)										
■ No Fee Submitted	Fee Submitted with	n Application		Amount S	ubmitted:	500.00				
Current fee schedules for Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit processing may be found at the Division of Water Resources webpage at <a href="http://www.tn.gov/environment/permits/arap.shtml">http://www.tn.gov/environment/permits/arap.shtml</a> or by calling (615) 532-0625. Make checks payable to "Treasurer, State of Tennessee".										
Section 4. Project Details (fill in information and check appropriate boxes)										
Site or Project Name: Water Line Additions - Coosie Branch Road Nearest City, Town or Major Landmark: Cornersville										
Street Address or Location: Sheppard Branch Rd., Lewisburg, TN 37091										
County(ies): Marshall	MS4 Jurisdie	ction:	Lat	itude (dd.ddd	ld): 35.343969	9° N				
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Resource Proposed for Alteration:	Stream We	etland	Reservo	ir						
Name of Water Resource: Sheppard Br	anch and triburary	of Sheppar	d Branch							
Brief Project Description (a more detailed			•							
The water line additions project consist Sheppard Branch Road in southern Ma			et of 2" and 4	4" PVC wa	ter line insta	alled in 20 foo	t easement along			
Does the proposed activity require approva government agency? Yes No	l from the U.S. Army (	Corps of Engine	eers, the Tenr	nessee Valle	y Authority,	or any other fe	deral, state, or local			
If Yes, provide the permit reference number	ers:									
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Is the proposed activity associated with a la	•	-								
If Yes, submit site plans and identify the lo						Plans attached?				
If applicable, indicate any other federal, sta the past (i.e. construction general permit co			the overall pr	oject site (c	ommon plan	of developmen	it) has obtained in			
Section 5. Project Schedule (fill in inform	ation and check approp	oriate boxes)								
Start date: March 1, 2017	Estimated e	nd date: June	1, 2017							
Is any portion of the activity complete now	? Yes 🔳 No 1	If yes, describe	the extent of	the comple	ted portion:					

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The required information in Sections 6-11 must be submitted on a separate sheet(s) and submitted in the same numbered format as presented below. If any question in not applicable, state the reason why it is not applicable.

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Section	n 6. Project Description	Atta Yes	ched No					
6.1	A narrative description of the scope of the project		Ji					
6.2	USGS topographic map indicating the exact location of the project (can be a photographic copy)							
6.3	Photographs of the resource(s) proposed for alteration with location description (photo locations should be noted on map)	□						
A narrative description of the <b>existing</b> stream and/or wetland characteristics including, but not limited to, dimensions (e.g., depth, length, average width), substrate and riparian vegetation								
6.5	A narrative description of the <b>proposed</b> stream and/or wetland characteristics including, but not limited to, dimensions (e.g., depth, length, average width), substrate and riparian vegetation							
6.6	In the case of wetlands, include a wetland delineation with delineation forms and site map denoting location of data points	<u></u>						
6.7	A copy of all hydrologic or jurisdictional determination documents issued for water resources on the project site							
Section	n 7. Project Rationale	Attac Yes	ched No					
	be the need for the proposed activity, including, but not limited to, the purpose, alternatives considered, and what will be done to or minimize impacts to streams or wetlands.	0						
Section	n 8. Technical Information	Attac Yes	ched No					
8.1	Detailed plans, specifications, blueprints, or legible sketches of present site conditions and the proposed activity. Plans must be 8.5.x 11 inches. Additional larger plans may also be submitted to aid in application review. The detailed plans should be superimposed on existing and new conditions (e.g., stream cross sections where road crossings are proposed)							
8.2	For both the proposed activity and compensatory mitigation, provide a discussion regarding the sequencing of events and construction methods	0						
8.3	Depiction and narrative on the location and type of erosion prevention and sediment control (EPSC) measures for the proposed alterations	0						
	n 9. Water Resources Degradation (degree of proposed impact) Note that in most cases, activities that exceed the scope of the Gions are considered greater than de minimis degradation to water quality.	eneral P	ermit					
My act	ivity, as proposed:							
a.	Will not cause measurable degradation to water quality							
b.	Will only cause de minimis degradation to water quality							
c.	Will cause more than de minimis degradation to water quality (Complete additional sections 9-11)							
d.	Unsure/need more information							
Tennes.	ormation and guidance on the definition of de minimis and degradation, refer to the Antidegradation Statement in Chapter 0400-40 see Water Quality Criteria Rule: <u>https://www.tn.gov/sos/rules/0400/0400-40/0400-40-03.20131216.pdf</u> . For more information on s eneral Permits can cover, refer to the Natural Resources Unit webpage at <u>http://www.tn.gov/environment/permits/arap.shtml</u>							
If you o	checked "c." above in Section 9, complete the following 2 sections, 10-11.							
Section	10. Detailed Alternative Analysis	Attac Yes	hed No					

10.1 Analyze all reasonable alternatives and describe the level of degradation caused by each of the feasible alternatives

10.2 Discuss the social and economic consequences of each alternative

Demonstrate that the degradation associated with the preferred alternative will not violate water quality criteria for uses designated in the receiving waters, and is necessary to accommodate important economic and social development in the area

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Section	on 11. Compensatory Mitigatio	90		Att: Yes	ached No			
11.1	A detailed discussion of the p	proposed compensatory mitigation						
11.2	Describe how the compensato	ory mitigation would result in no net le		o o				
11.3	Provide a detailed monitoring	iled monitoring plan for the compensatory mitigation site						
11.4	Describe the long-term protection measures for the compensatory mitigation site te.g., deed restrictions, conservation easement)							
Certif	ication and Signature							
proprio officer "I cert inform false it declare	etor respectively; from a munici, ranking elected official, or oth ify under penalty of law that the ation is to the best of my known formation, including the possition is made under penalty of	pal, state, federal or other public agen er duly authorized employee. is document and all attachments wer ledge and belief, true, accurate, and bility of fine and imprisonment. As:	recutive officer; from a partnership or proprietorsless or facility, the application must be signed by a represented by me, or under my direction or supposed by me, or under my direction or supposed in Tennessee Code Annotated Section	either a principal executive principal executive principal executive principal execution in the submitted execution in the submitted principal execution in the submitted exe	tted ting			
Jess	ie T. Whaley	Superintendent	Janie J. Wholen Jr	12-22-2	ale			

Submitting the form and obtaining more information Note that this form must be signed by the principal executive officer, partner or proprietor, or a ranking elected official in the case of a municipality; for details see Certification and Signature statement above. For more information, contact your local EFO at the toll-free number 1-888-891-8332 (TDEC). Submit the completed ARAP Application form (keep a copy for your records) to the appropriate EFO for the county(ies) where the ARAP activity is located, addressed to Attention: ARAP Processing. You may also electronically submit the complete application and all associated attachments (e.g., maps, wetland delineations and narrative portions) to water.permits@tn.gov.

EFO	Street Address	Zip Code	EFO	Street Address	Zip Code	
Memphis	8383 Wolf Lake Drive, Bartlett	38133-4119	Cookeville	1221 South Willow Ave.	38506	
Jackson	1625 Hollywood Drive	38305-4316	Chattanooga 540 McCallie Avenue STE 550		37402-2013	
Nashville	711 R S Gass Boulevard	37243	Knoxville 3711 Middlebrook Pike		37921	
Columbia	1421 Hampshire Pike	38401	Johnson City	2305 Silverdale Road	37601	



Received Date:	Permit Number: NRI6 08, 2933	Reviewer: TEG	Field Office: Col
Fee amount paid:	T & E Aquatic Flora and Fauna:	Impaired Receiving Stream	Application Review:
Date:	No		Deficient Date:
Check #:	Exceptional TN Water		Complete Date:

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RDAs 1017, 2970, 2971



### TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION **ENVIRONMENTAL FIELD OFFICE**

### 1421 Hampshire Pike Columbia, TN 38401

### (931)380-3371 STATEWIDE 1-888-891-8332 (931)380-3397

Receipt: EAC-CL-5188

Date of Receipt: 28-Dec-2016 9:13 am

Created By: Shirley Pruitt (BG54005)

County: Marshall

EFO/Office: Columbia Field Office

Received From: James C Hailey

Company/Affiliation: James C. Hailey & CO. Consulti

Recipient Address: 7518 Highway 70S

NASHVILLE, TN-37221

**Amount Received:** 

\$500.00

Method of Payment: CHECK

Check Number: 7874

Comments: ARAP for Water Line Additions, Sheppard Branch Road, Lewisburg

Division	Description	TDEC Code	Quantity	Unit Price	Line Total
WPC	WPC-ARAP-\$500 Permit Application	43.340.F02	1	\$500.00	\$500.00

Receipt Total: \$500.00



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December 23, 2016

Ms. Sherry Glass Division of Water Resources Columbia Environmental Field Office 1421 Hampshire Pike Columbia, TN 38401

> RE: Water Line Additions Coosie Branch Road Crossings #6 - #10 Marshall County, Tennessee ARAP

Dear Ms. Glass,

On behalf of the Marshall County Board of Public Utilities (MCBPU), I am enclosing the original of the ARAP application for five (5) stream crossings included in the referenced project. The water line crossings are located on Sheppard Branch Road. There are five other crossings on two other roads in this project that will be filed with a separate application. The water lines will be installed with MCBPU crews. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$500.00 for review fees. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Please cc a copy of your response to our office.

Sincerely,

James C. Hailey & Company

Bob Ramsey

Bob Ramsey, P.E.

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cc: Marshall County Board of Public Utilities w/enclosure

ARAP Application

Marshall County Board of Public Utilities

Marshall County, Tennessee

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**Section 6: Project Description** 

Section 6.1: Narrative Description of Project Scope

The project consists of approximately 6,550 linear feet of 2" and 4" SDR 21 PVC and HDPE water line installed in a 20' water line easement along Sheppard Branch Road in southern Marshall County, Tennessee. The purpose of the project is to provide potable water to approximately 12 households in rural Marshall County. During the course of this project, there will be five (5) stream crossings including unnamed tributary to Sheppard Branch (3 locations) and Sheppard Branch. All crossings are to be done by open cut with a rock trencher. All stream crossings will be installed in PVC casing pipes for easy removal if maintenance is needed.

**Section 6.2: Topographic Map** 

See the attached topographical map. Stream crossings included in this permit application are identified on the map as location #'s 6-10.

**Section 6.3: Photos** 

See the attached photos. They include location #'s 6 - 10.

### Section 6.4: Narrative Description of Existing Stream Characteristics

All of the streams are wet-weather streams with steep banks. Stream banks are mostly covered in weeds, brush, or mowed grass and stream bottoms consist of fractured rock, gravel, and soil. Sheppard Branch is shown as a blue-line stream. See the attached "Description of Existing Stream @ Crossing" in Section 6.4 for more information regarding stream characteristics.

### Section 6.5: Narrative Description of Proposed Stream Characteristics

Dimensions of the streams will not change as a result of construction. The open cut process disturbs a portion of the underlying soil that can lead to stream bed erosion as well as siltation downstream. To mitigate the disturbance, the contractor will be required to protect the construction area in the stream with silt fence and sandbags or riprap. Stream banks will be returned immediately to near original contours and the disturbed slopes backfilled with earth and covered with rip-rap or seeded and covered with a woven straw erosion control blanket that is pinned in place.

### Section 6.6: Wetlands

There are no known wetlands in the project area. Please see the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Services' (USFWS) Wetland Mapper for more details: <a href="http://www.fws.g">http://www.fws.g</a>
<a href="http://www.fws.g">ov/wetlands/Data/Mapper.html</a>

### Section 6.7: Hydrological/ Jurisdictional Determination Documents

Not applicable. There are no known wetlands in the project area. See the attached printouts from the NRCS website for more details.

### Section 7: Project Rationale

This project provides a safe, potable supply of water for approximately 12 households in the immediate area that do not currently have a reliable source. Homes in the area currently rely on wells which are susceptible to both contamination and drought. This project represents the most feasible way to provide a safe and potable water supply to area residents.

### **Section 8: Technical Information**

### Section 8.1: Plans

See the attached construction plan sheets.

### **Section 8.2: Sequencing of Events**

The sequence of events will be as follows:

- 1. Clearing and grubbing of site.
- 2. Installation of erosion and sediment control devices.
- 3. Open cut for water line and drainage pipes.
- 4. Connect the new water line to the existing water line.
- 5. Backfill all open cuts.
- 6. Stabilization of all construction areas and project completion.

### **Section 8.3: Erosion Prevention and Sediment Control Measures**

Erosion prevention and sediment control measures shall include the construction of silt fence downhill of the natural water flow. Additionally, waddles and rock check dams at the inlet and outlets of the culverts will serve to trap sediment. Also, riprap will be used to prevent erosion at the inlets and outlets of the drainage pipes. Vegetative measures utilized will be a buffer zone of approximately 50' between the edge of the stream and construction, along with mulch/straw stabilization of disturbed soil following construction. Please see "Site Drainage and Erosion Control Plan", "Erosion Control Details", and "Typical Sections Details and General Notes" for more details.

### **Section 9: Water Resource Degradation**

It is not expected that this project will have an adverse impact on any of the streams that meander through the project. Construction plans provide details for protection of streams during construction. Disturbance of vegetation along the banks and in the streams is temporary. All streams appear to have seasonal flow. There are no known endangered species at the crossing locations. No infringement upon aquatic life is anticipated.

### Section 10: Detailed Alternatives Analysis

### Section 10.1: Description of Reasonable Alternatives

### 1.) Directional Bore Water Lines:

Water lines could be installed by directional bore under the streams. This process is expensive and usually reserved for areas that are difficult to open cut. Open cut can be completed in a few hours while directional bore may require several days to set up equipment and make the bore. This alternative would not cause degradation of the streams. This alternative was not selected due to the limited space for installation and terrain difficulty.

### 2.) Install Water Lines over Creek or Hang on Bridge or Box Culvert:

This is sometimes done if the crossing is difficult due to terrain or surroundings, water usage is high enough to keep flow in the pipe to prevent freezing, and there is a suitable place to hang the water line. Most of these crossings are at metal culverts that have little road cover and there no place to hang the water line. This alternative would not cause degradation of the streams. This alternative was not selected due to the difficulty of installation.

### Section 10.2: Social and Economic Consequences of Each Alternative

### 1.) Directional Bore Water Lines:

Socially, the proposed project would provide safe and reliable public water supply to the Coosie Branch Road area. Economically, the residents of the roads will contribute 100% of the water line materials and the construction will be done

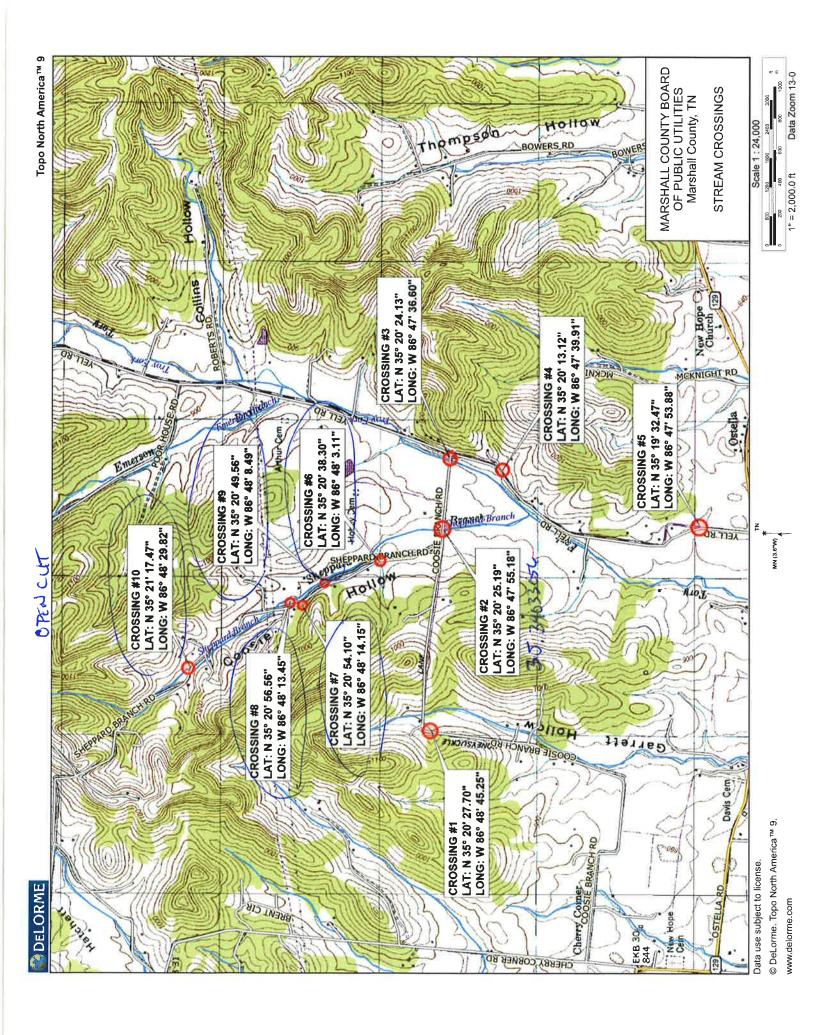
by the Marshall County Board of Public Utilities. Directional bores are expensive and require specialized equipment and construction expertise. The additional costs would put a strain on the residents to participate in funding the project.

### 2.) Install Water Lines over Creek or Hang on Bridge or Box Culvert:

Socially, the proposed project would provide safe and reliable public water supply to the Coosie Branch Road area. Economically, the residents of the roads will contribute 100% of the water line materials and the construction will be done by the Marshall County Board of Public Utilities.

### Section 10.3: Defend the Preferred Alternative

Placing the water lines in easements crossing the streams keeps them from being struck by vehicles or freezing due to low water usage. It may not require the water line to be moved if the culvert or box bridge is ever replaced. The line is readily accessible from its casing without disturbing the stream. All streams appear to be seasonal and there are no known endangered species at the crossing locations.



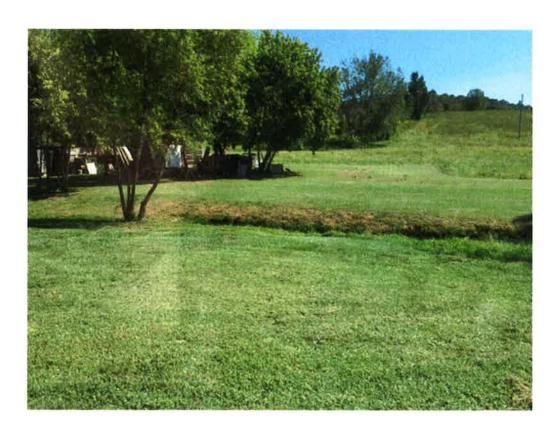
### Section 6.3 - Photos



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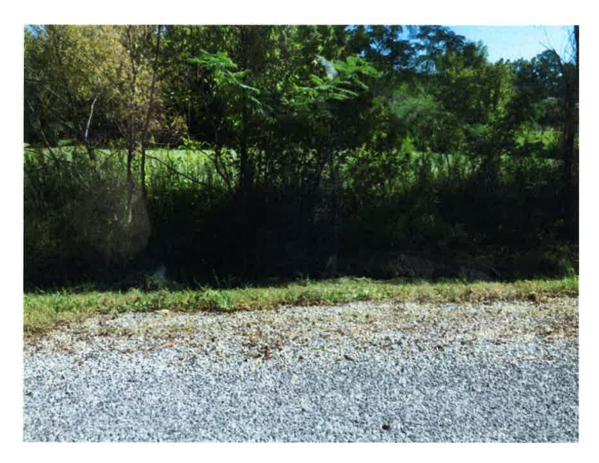
Creek Crossing #9 – trib. of Sheppard Branch



Creek Crossing #10 – Sheppard Branch



Creek Crossing #7 – trib. Sheppard Branch



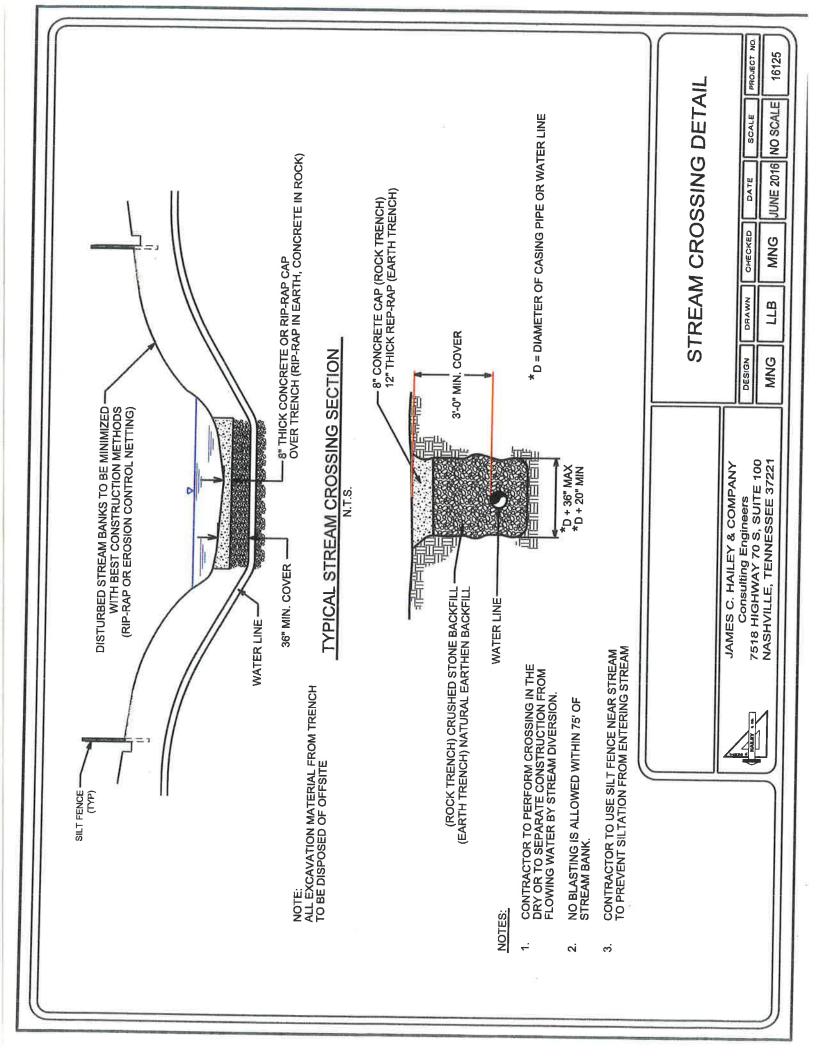
Creek Crossing #8 – Sheppard Branch

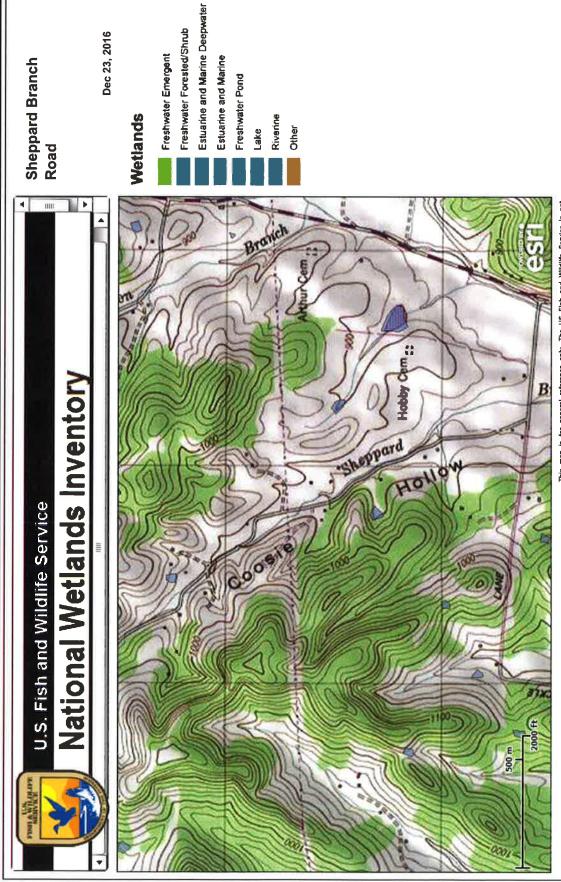
# Description of Existing Stream @ Crossings - Summary Table Marshall County Public Board of Utilities

### ARAP APPLICATION

U.S. Quad Map Name & Number	Cornersville, Tenn. (65 SE)	Cornersville, Tenn. (65 SE)	Cornersville, Tenn. (65 SE)	Cornersville, Tenn. (65 SE)	Comersville, Tenn. (65 SE)						
GPS Coordinates	N 35.343956 ° / W 86.800528 °	N 35.348411 ° / W 86.803542 °	N 35.348622 ° / W 86.803611 °	N 35.347203 ° / W 86.802358 °	N 35.354797 ° / W 86.808228 °						
racteristics <u>Depth</u>	2.5'	1.5	9	4	2.5						
Stream Characteristics <u>Width</u> <u>Depth</u>	8	5	52.	10	7						
Streamside Vegetation	weeds, brush	grass	grass, weeds, brush	weeds, brush	grass						
Bottom Material	Sand, Dirt, Gravel	Sand, Dirt, Gravel	Sand, Dirt, Gravel	Sand, Dirt, Gravel	Sand, Dirt, Gravel						
Line Size (in)	4" with 8" casing	4" with 8" casing	2" with 4" casing	4" with 8" casing	2" with 4" casing						
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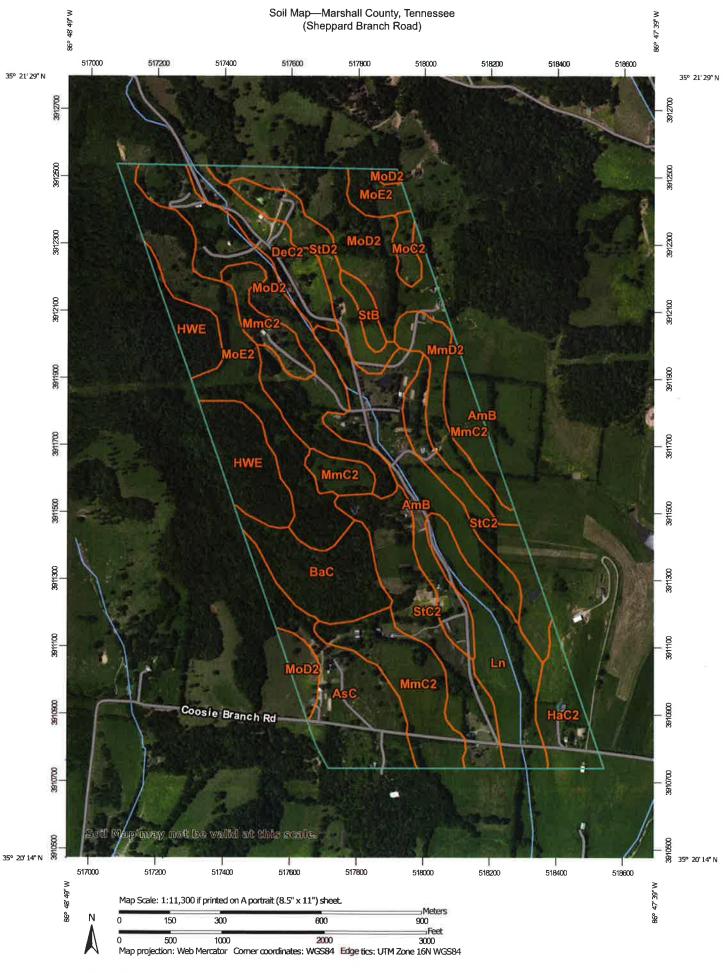
Notes:





This map is for general reference only. The US Fish and Wildlife Service is not responsible for the accuracy or currantness of the base data shown on this map. All weeltands related data should be used in accordance with the layer metadata found on the Wetlands Mappe web site.

### **User Remarks:**



### Natural Resources Conservation Service

### MAP LEGEND

Spoil Area	Stony Spot	Very Stony Spot	Wet Spot	Other	Special Line Features	atures
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Blowout	Borrow Pit	- - - -	Clay Spot	Closed Depression

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**Gravelly Spot** 

**Gravel Pit** 

 $\Diamond$ 

### **Background**

Marsh or swamp

Lava Flow

Landfill

Mine or Quarry

Miscellaneous Water

Perennial Water

Rock Outcrop

### Aerial Photography

## MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:24,000.

Warning: Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.

contrasting soils that could have been shown at a more detailed misunderstanding of the detail of mapping and accuracy of soil Enlargement of maps beyond the scale of mapping can cause line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements. Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey URL:

Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more accurate calculations of distance or area are required. This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.

Marshall County, Tennessee Version 10, Sep 12, 2015 Survey Area Data: Soil Survey Area:

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger. Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Mar 17, 2011—May

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

Severely Eroded Spot

Slide or Slip

Sinkhole

Sodic Spot

Sandy Spot

Saline Spot

### **Map Unit Legend**

Marshall County, Tennessee (TN117)									
Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres In AOI	Percent of AOI						
AmB	Armour silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes	34.4	9.3%						
AsC	Ashwood-Mimosa-Rock outcrop complex, 5 to 15 percent slopes	26.2	7.0%						
BaC	Barfield-Ashwood-Rock outcrop complex, 5 to 20 percent slopes	20.1	5.4%						
DeC2	Dellrose gravelly silt loam, 5 to 12 percent slopes, eroded	14.2	3.8%						
HaC2	Hampshire silt loam, 5 to 12 percent slopes, eroded	11.6	3.1%						
HWE	Hawthorne and dellrose association, 25 to 55 percent slopes	22.1	6.0%						
Ln	Lindell silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded	23.6	6.3%						
MmC2	Mimosa silt loam, 5 to 12 percent slopes, eroded	42.3	11.4%						
MmD2	Mimosa silt loam, 12 to 20 percent slopes, eroded	12.2	3.3%						
MoC2	Mimosa gravelly silt loam, 5 to 12 percent slopes, eroded	3.2	0.9%						
MoD2	Mimosa gravelly silt loam, 12 to 20 percent slopes, eroded	64.0	17.2%						
MoE2	Mimosa gravelly silt loam, 20 to 35 percent slopes, eroded	38.2	10.3%						
StB	Stiversville loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes	3.2	0.9%						
StC2	Stiversville loam, 5 to 12 percent slopes, eroded	43.3	11.7%						
StD2	Stiversville loam, 12 to 20 percent slopes, eroded	13.0	3.5%						
Totals for Area of Interest		371.6	100.0%						