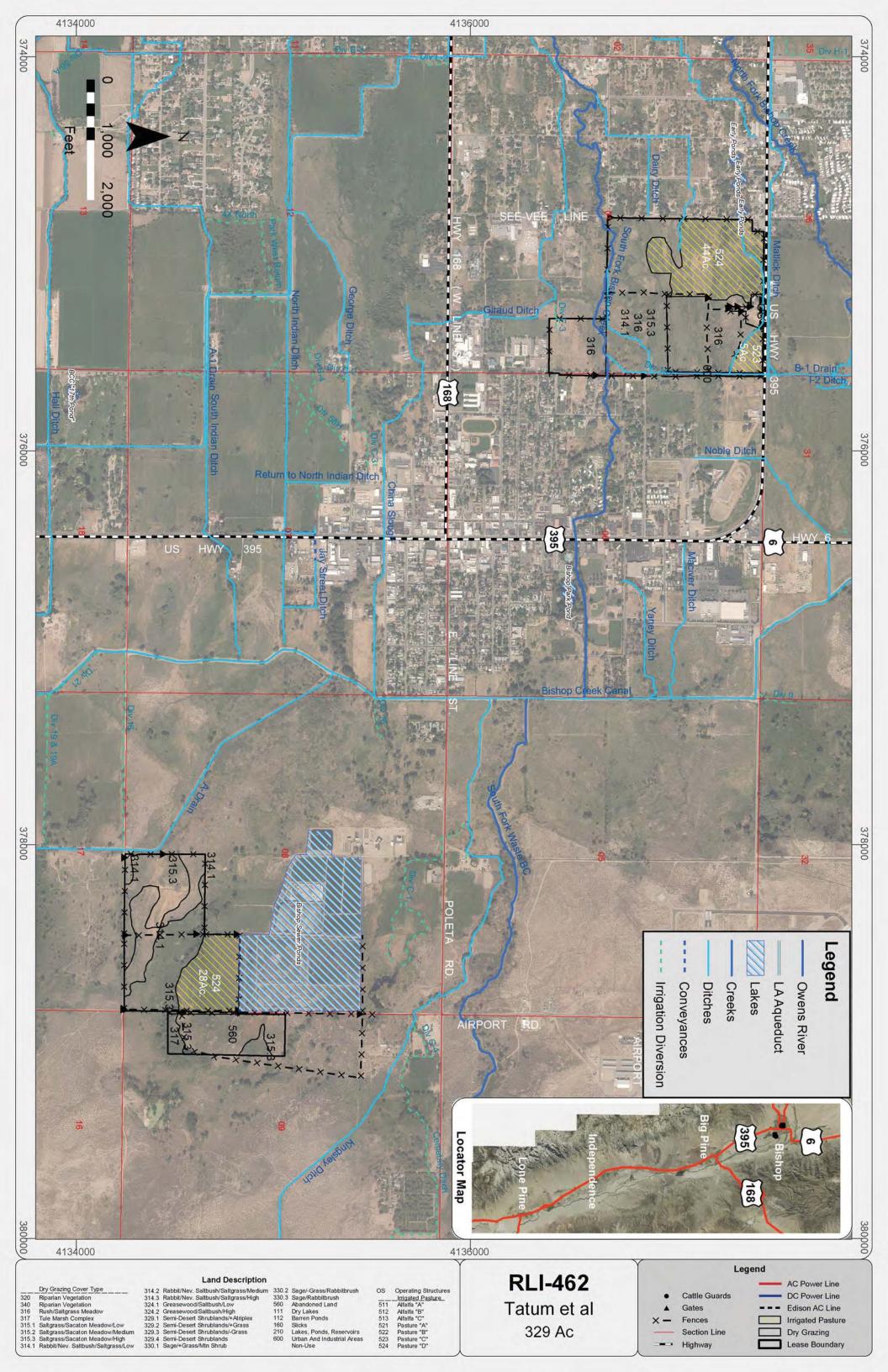
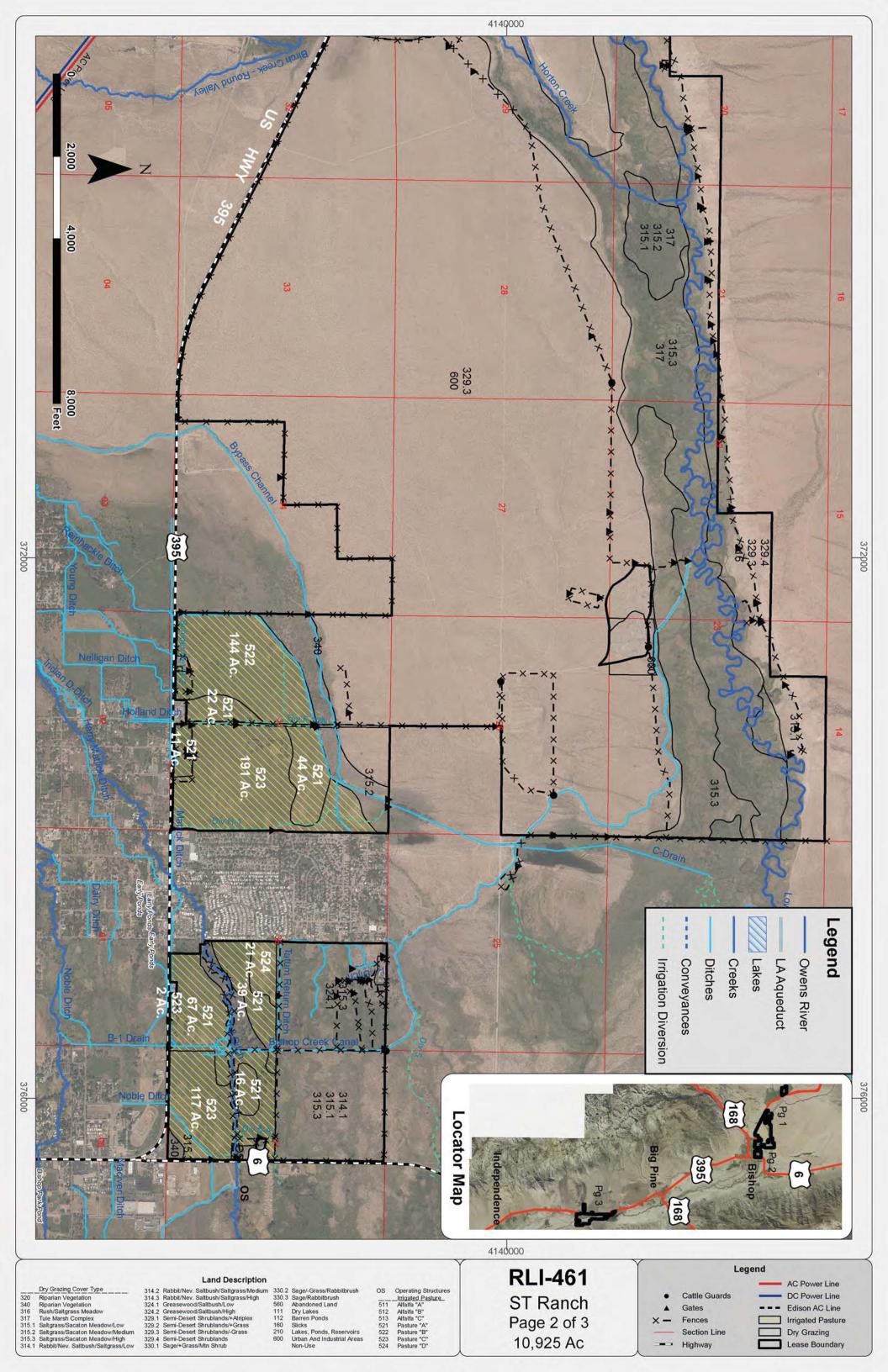
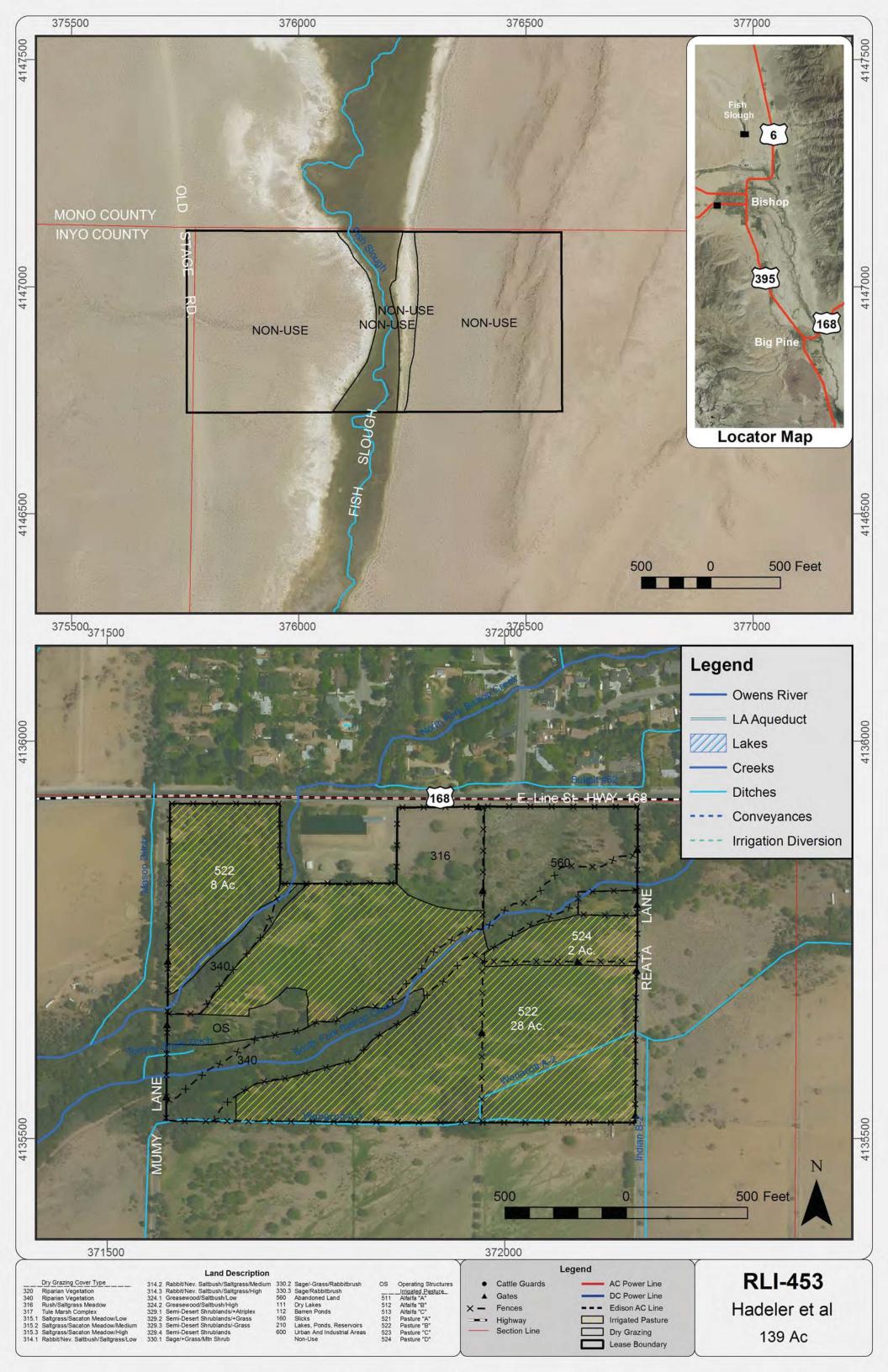
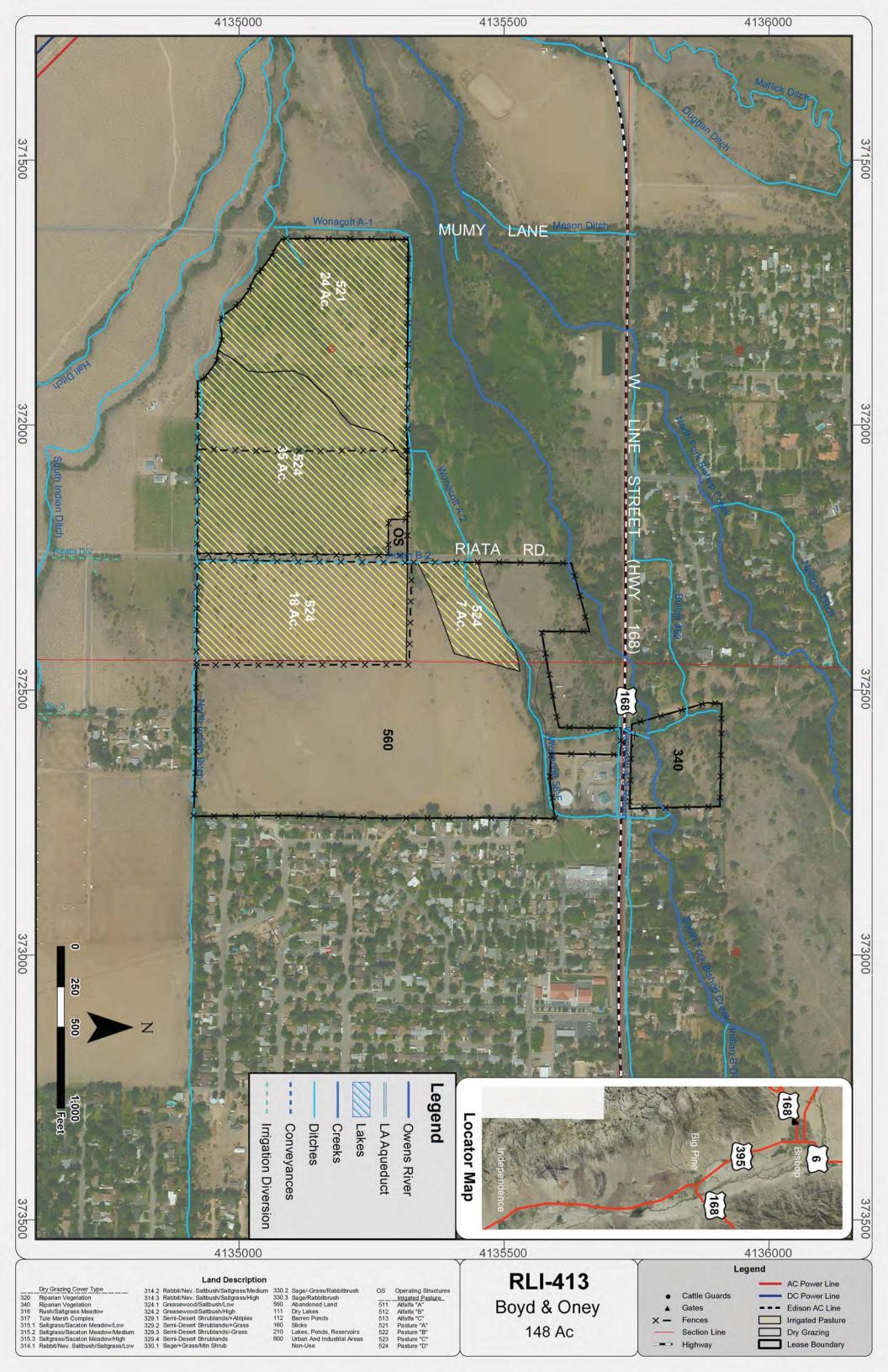
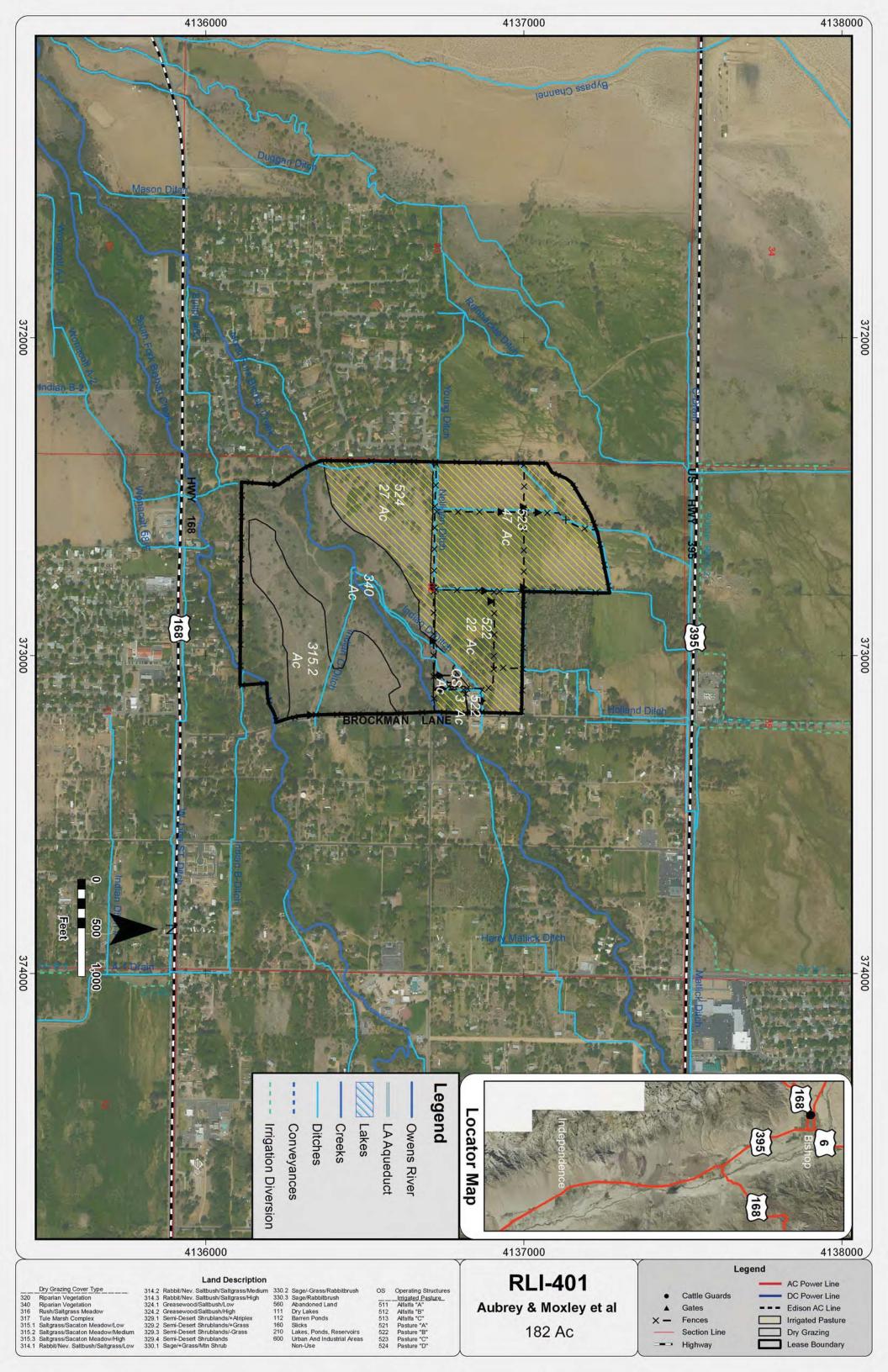
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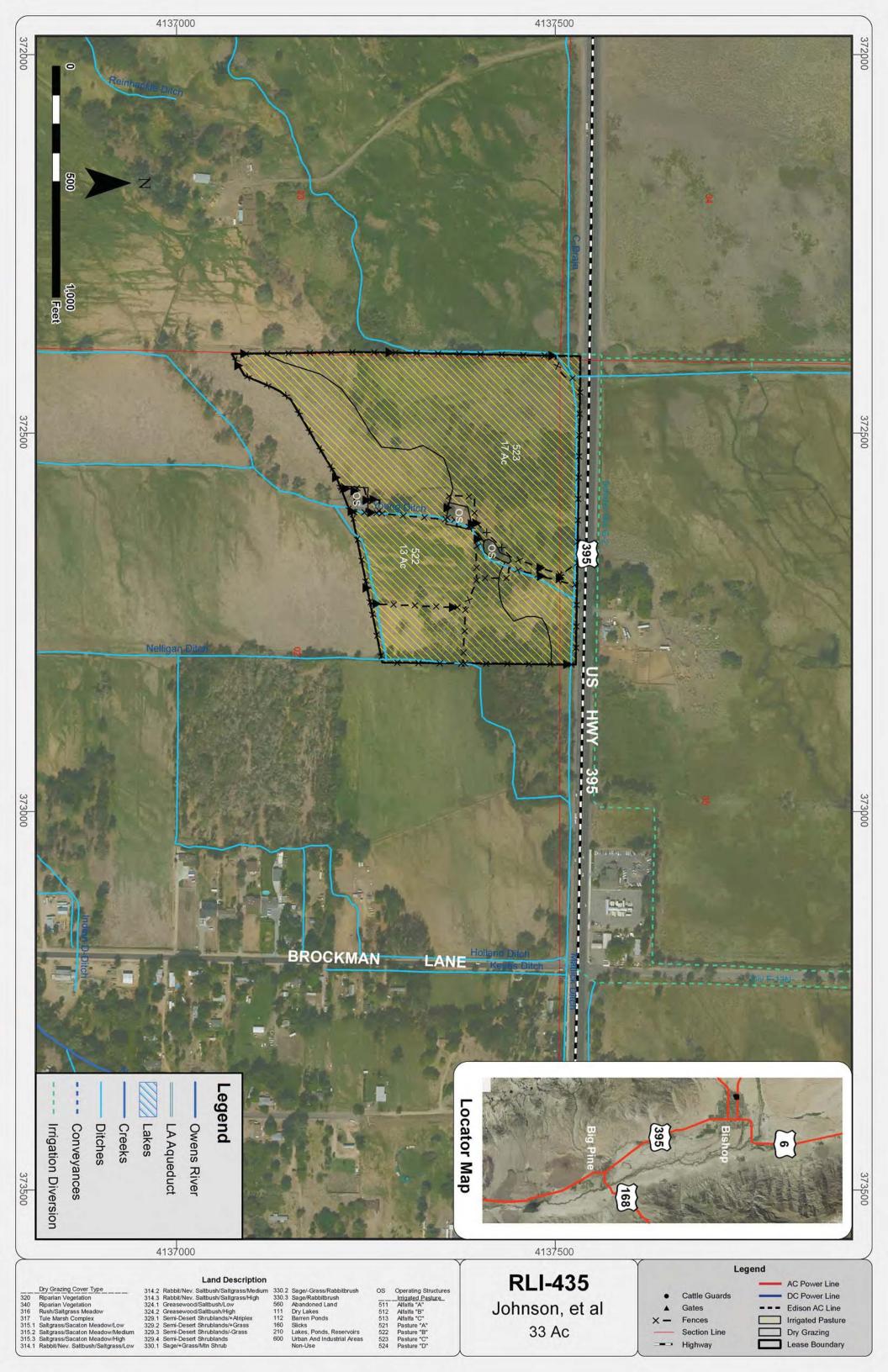


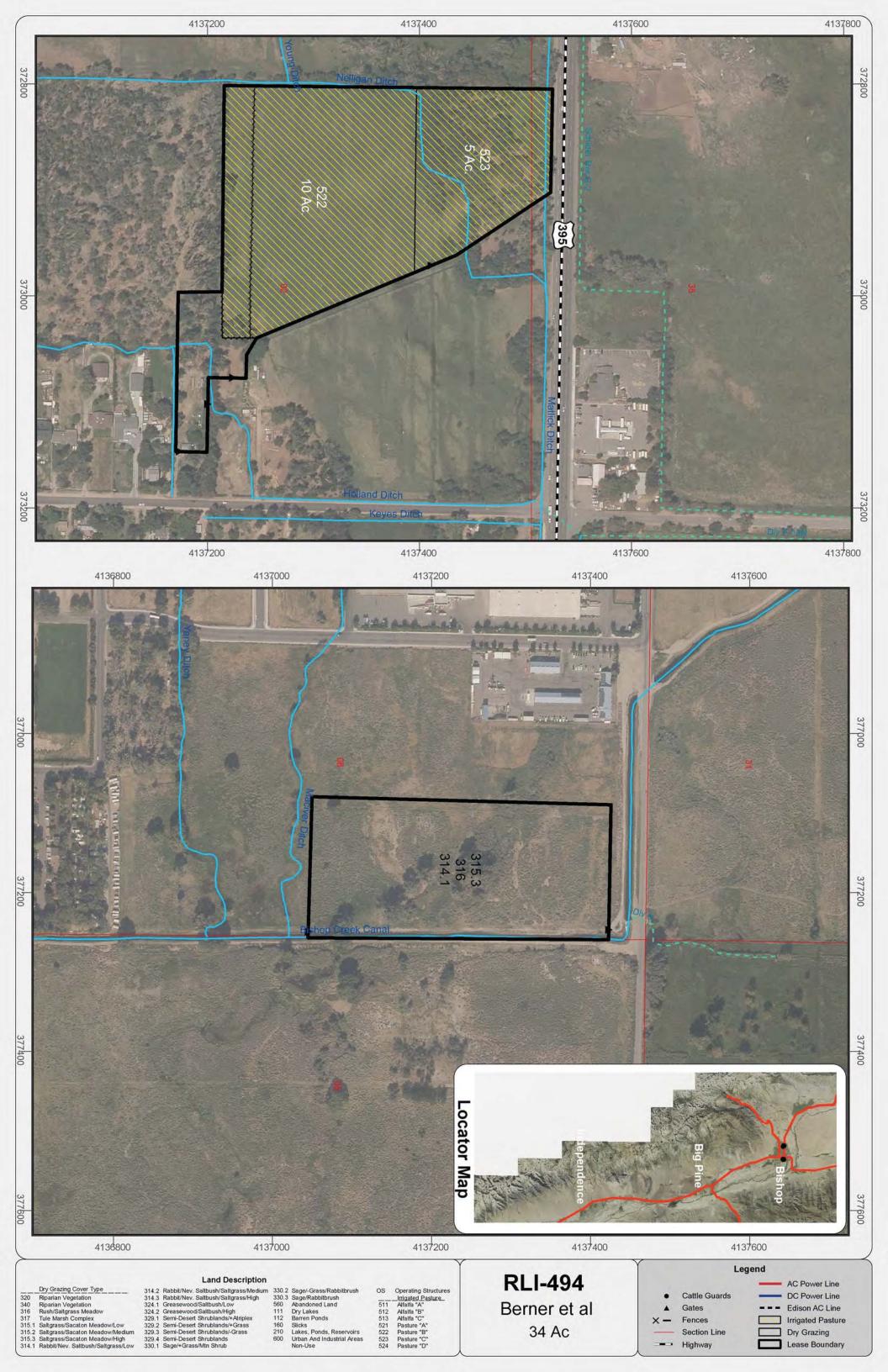


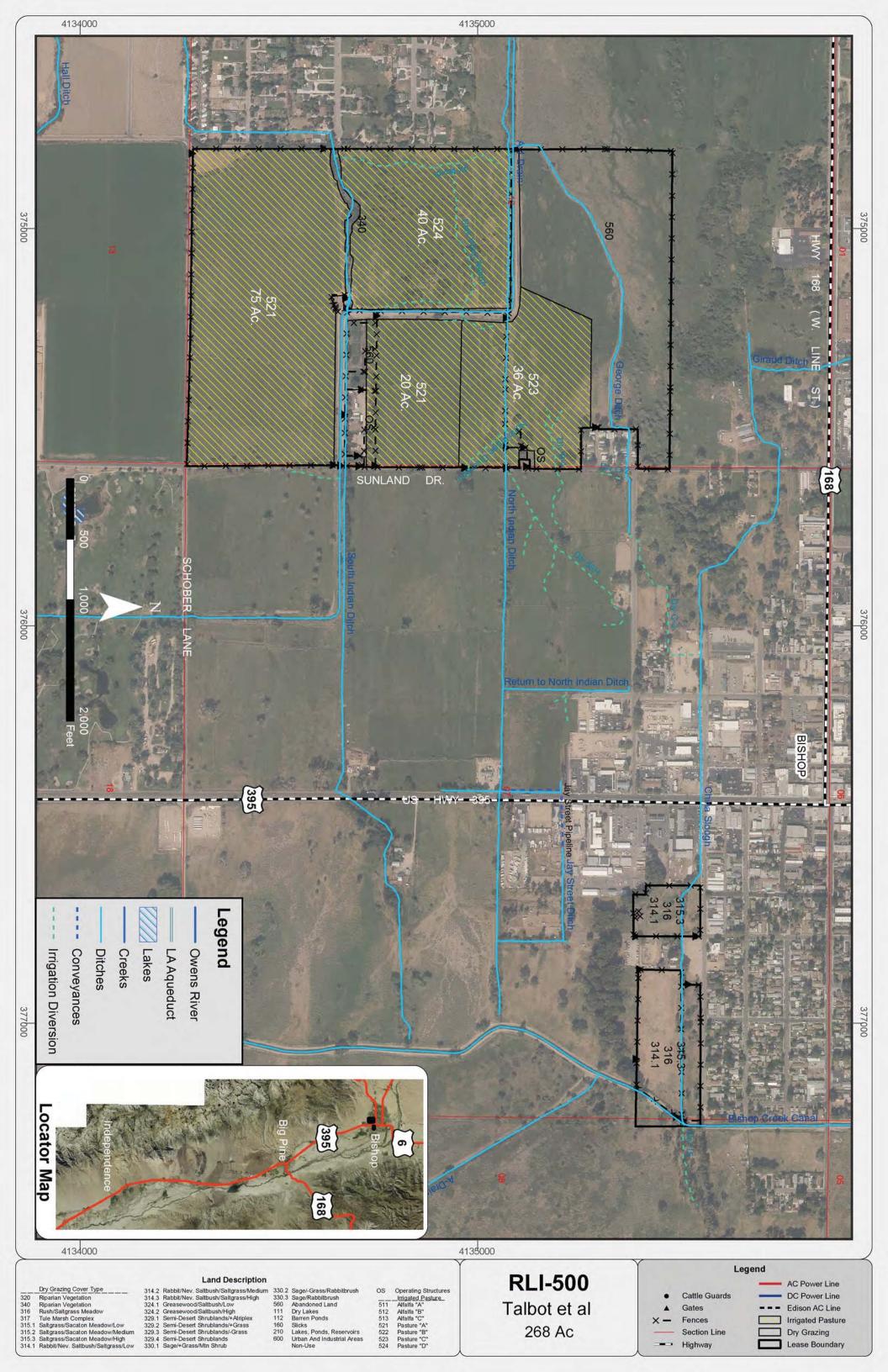


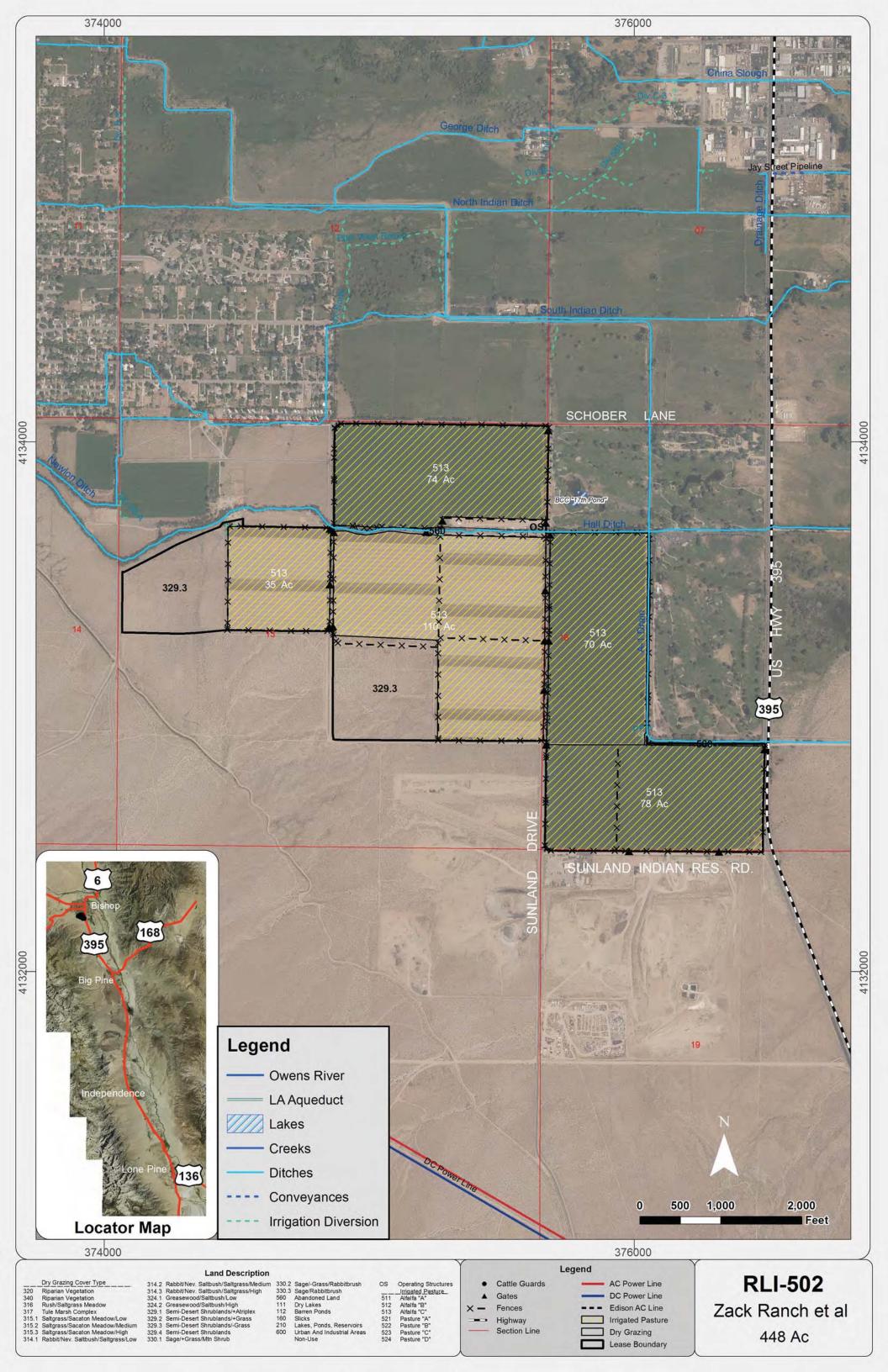


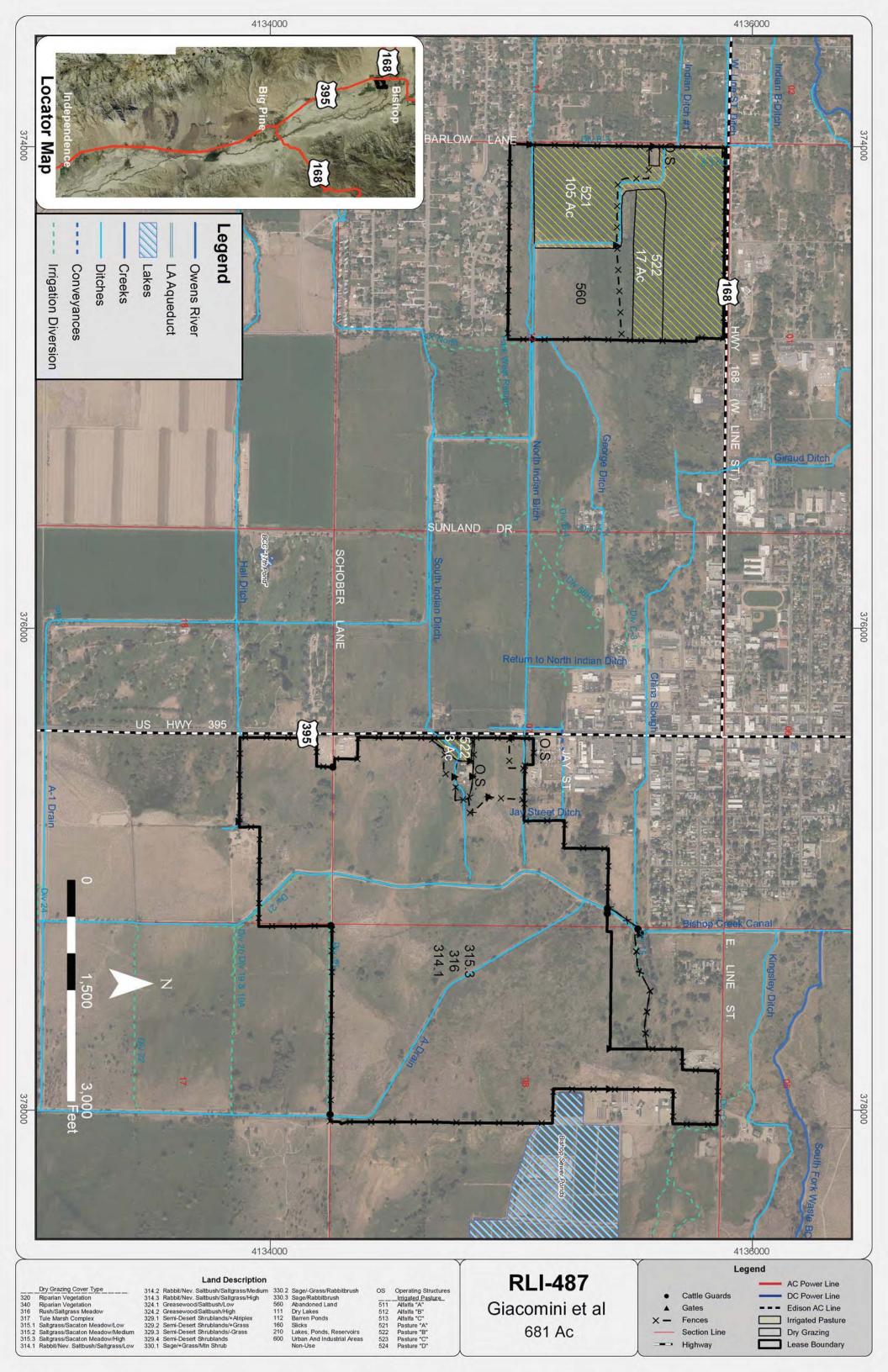
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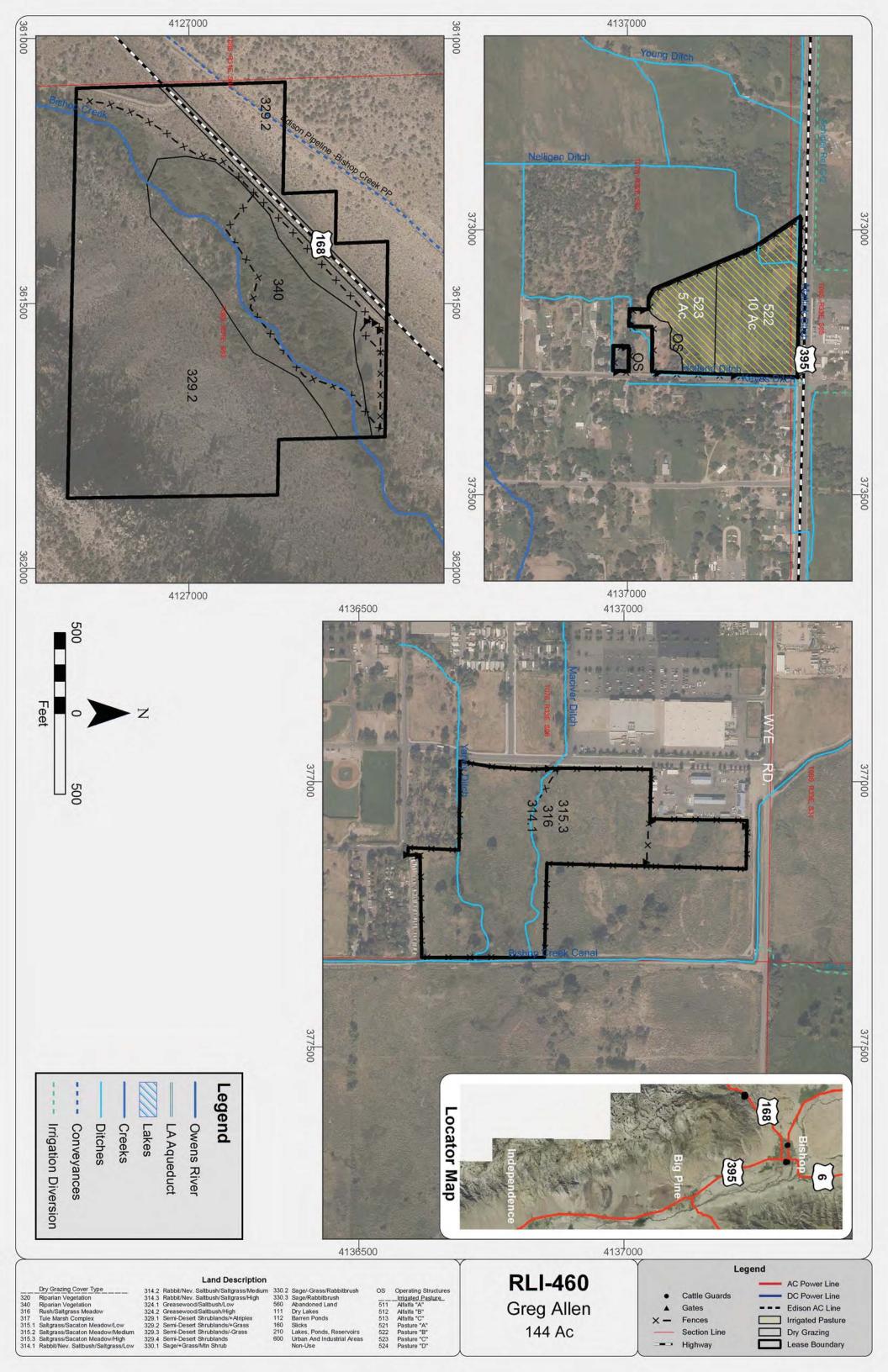


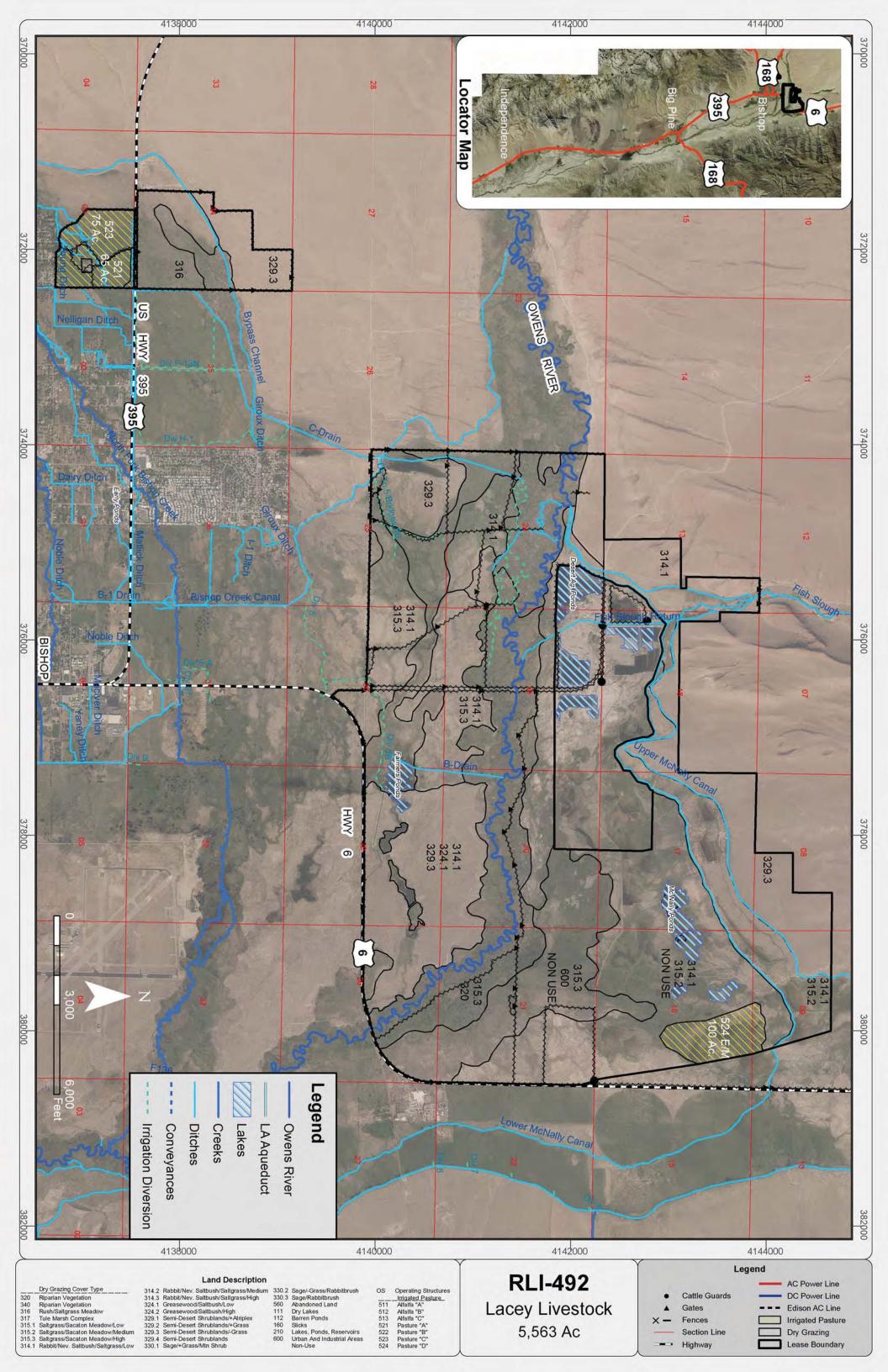












## Appendix C: Updated LADWP maps (2022)



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February 1, 2022

Daniel Sussman Senior Environmental Scientist Chief, Planning and Assessment Unit Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board 2501 Lake Tahoe Blvd., South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150

Attention: Mr. Ed Hancock

Dear Mr. Sussman:

Subject: LADWP Updated Resource Maps Indicating Mowing and Fencing

As discussed at the meeting held between LADWP and the Lahontan Regional Board on January 28, 2022, the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) respectfully submits the updated resource maps which include the various areas LADWP has implemented Best Management Practices (BMPs) such as fencing and mowing, within the Bishop Creek Watershed (see Enclosure 1). Also included on the attached maps is the linear footage of all fencing LADWP has implemented and the acreage LADWP has mowed. Further, the maps indicate all ditches and creeks in the area of BMP implementation. This submittal includes the first of two action items from the January 28th meeting, in which LADWP agreed to provide updated resource maps. LADWP has requested the information to satisfy the second action item, where LADWP agreed to provide additional information in regards to funding, man-hours, and timing of BMP implementation, and expects to receive it by no later than Friday, February 4, 2022. Once it receives this information, LADWP will compile and forward it to the Regional Board.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Mr. Victor Ventura of the Wastewater Quality and Compliance Group at (213) 367-1339 or myself at (213) 367-0436.

Sincerely,

Katherine Rubin

Manager, Air and Wastewater Quality and Compliance

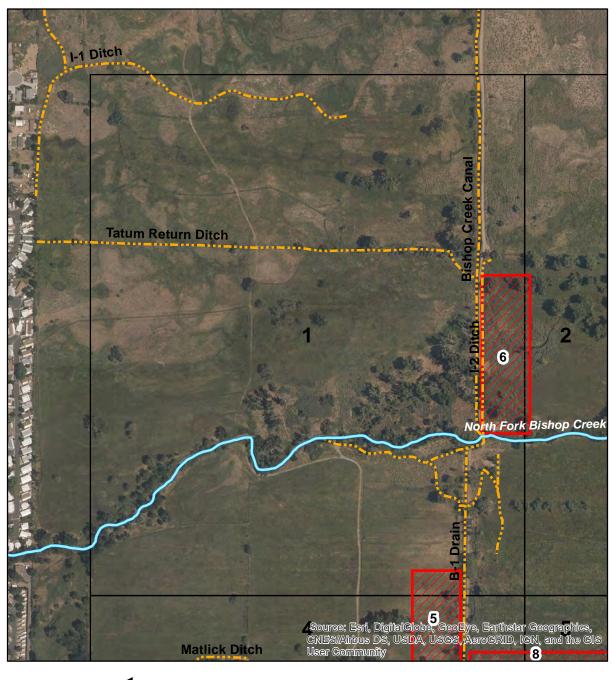
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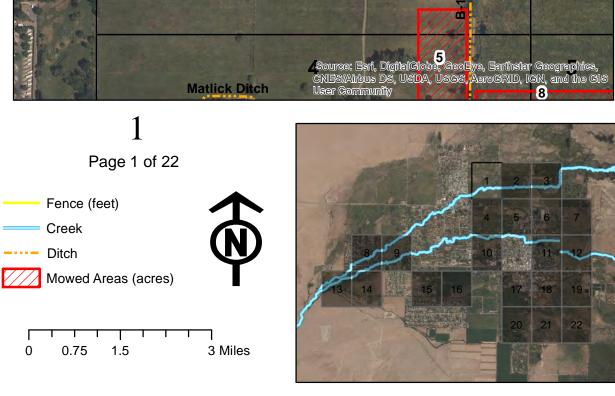
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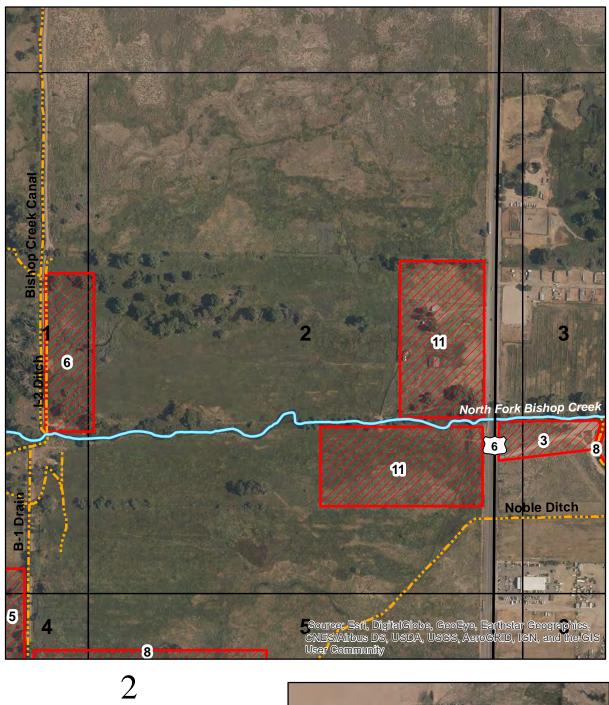
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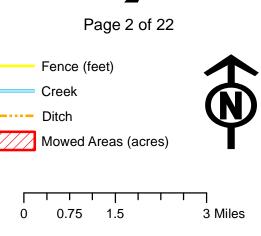
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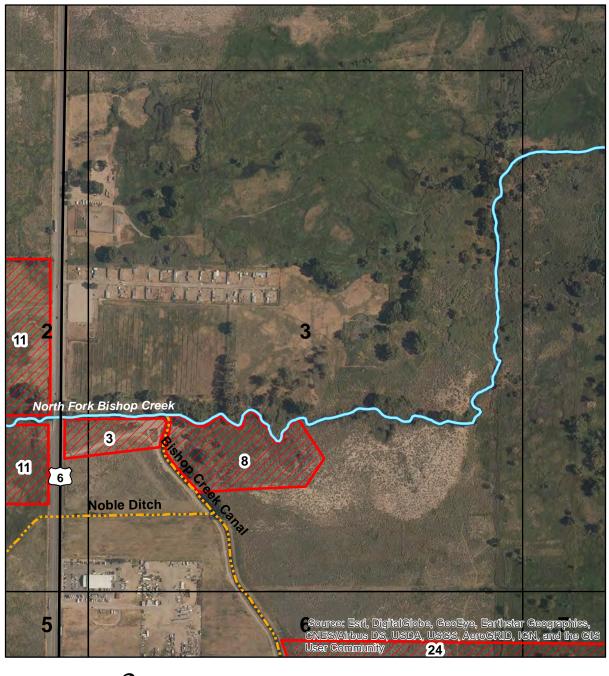


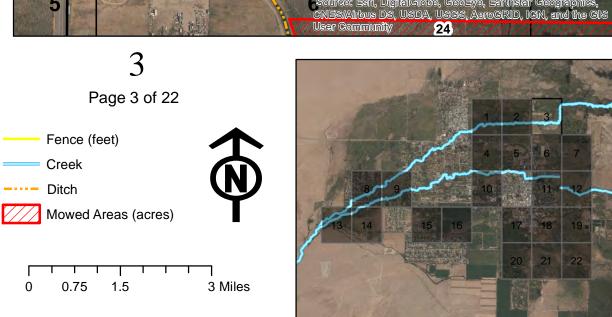


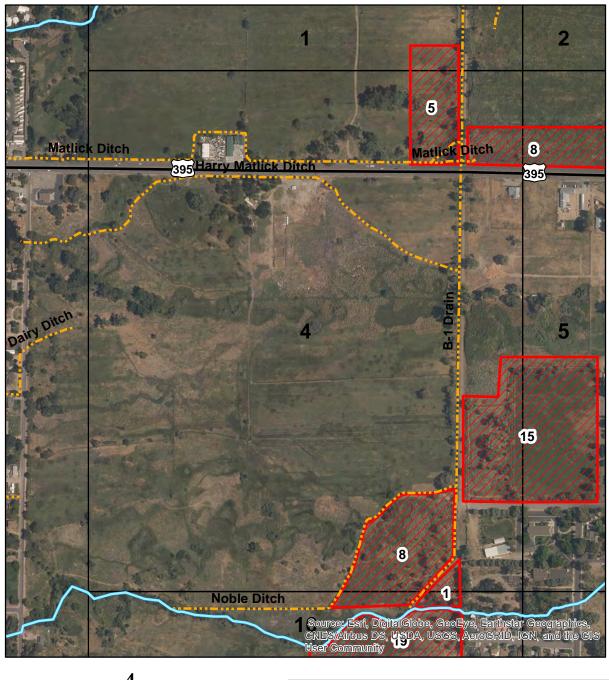


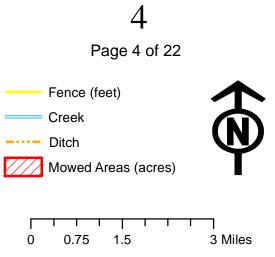




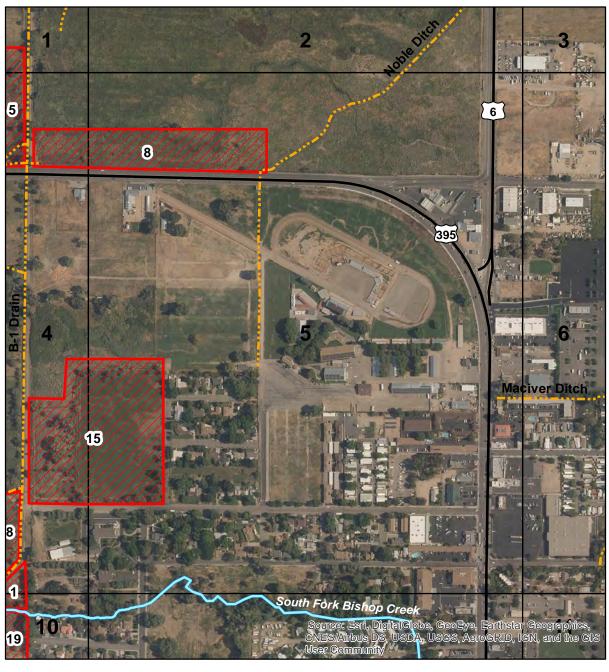


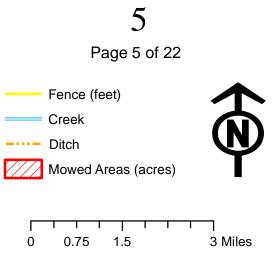




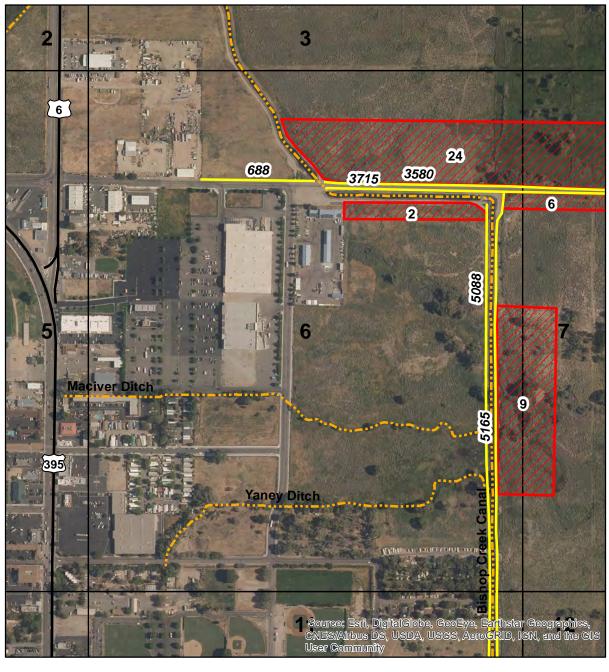


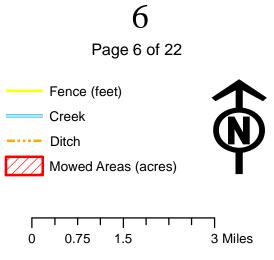




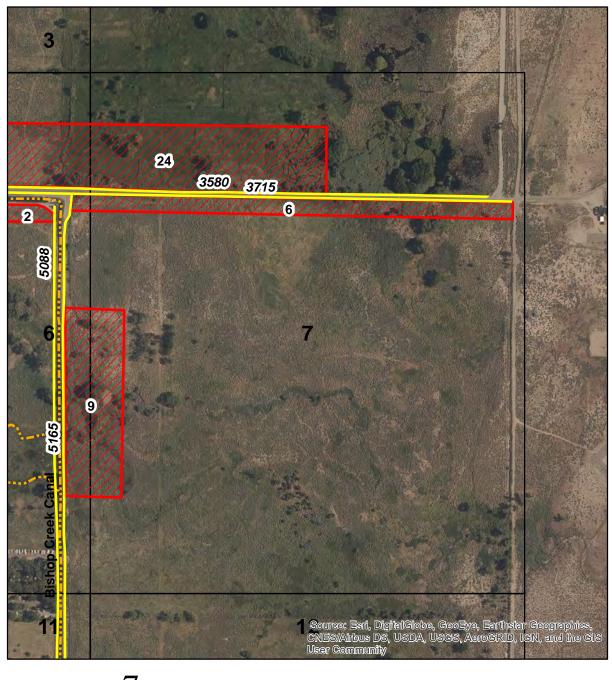


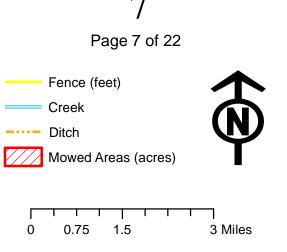




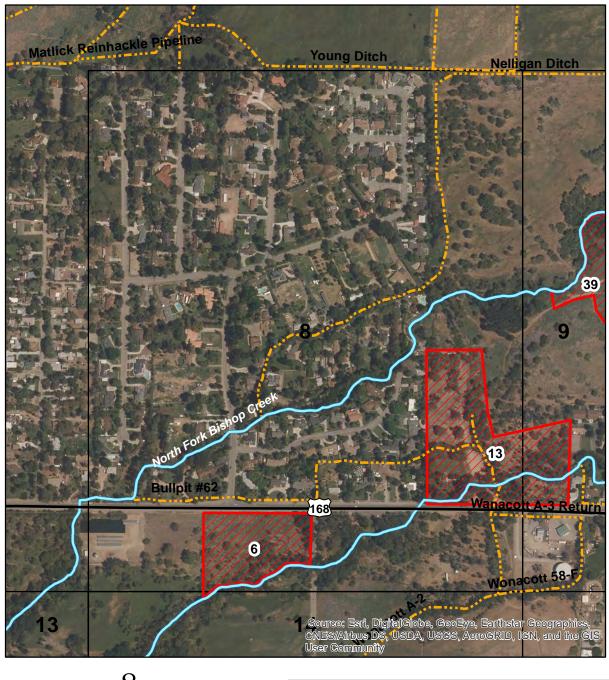


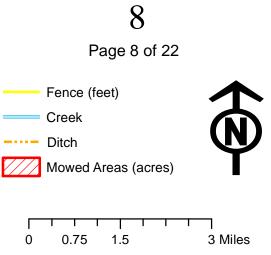




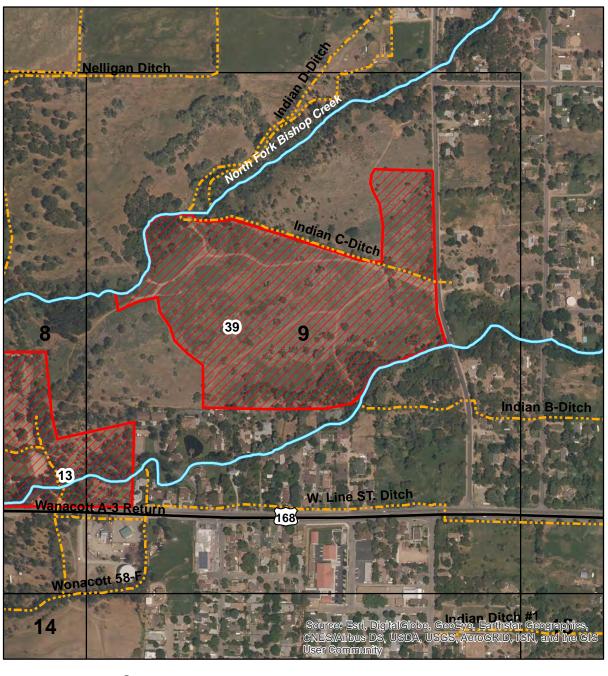


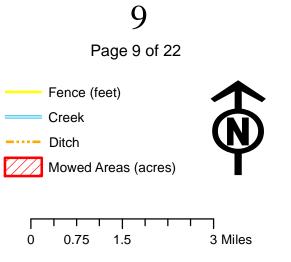




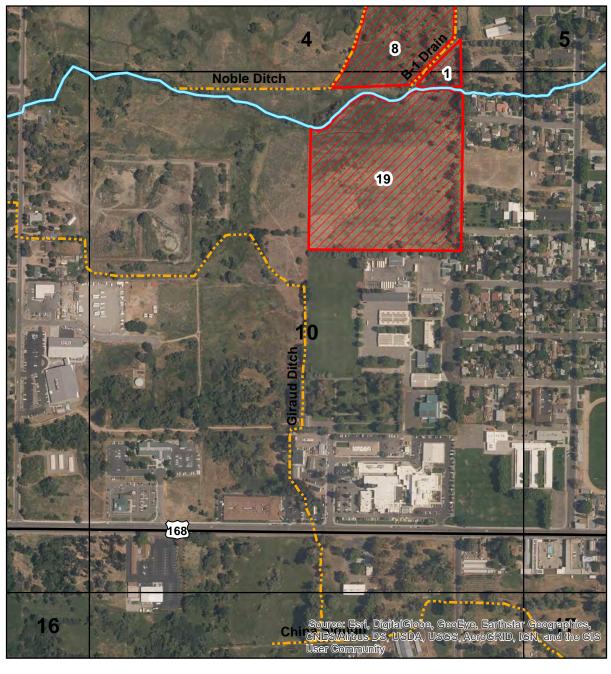


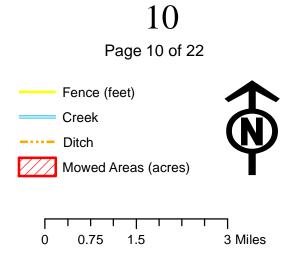




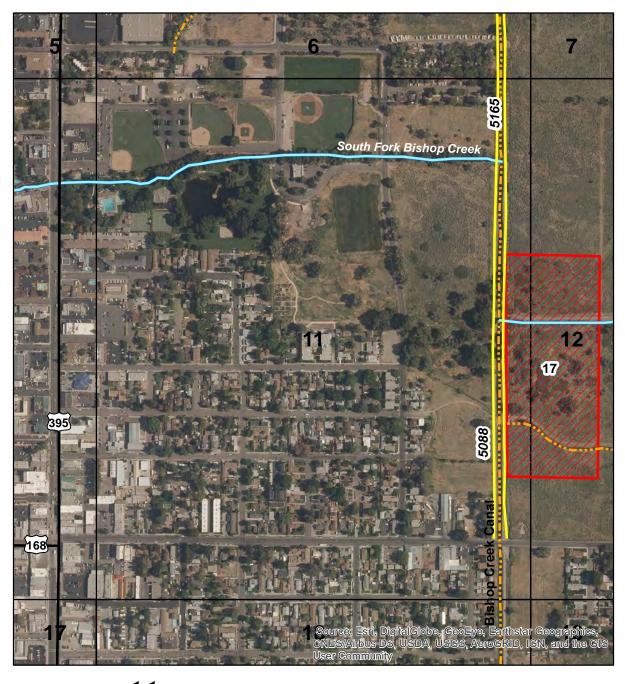


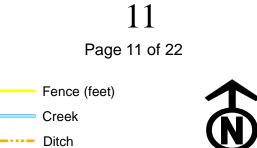


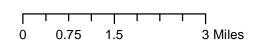






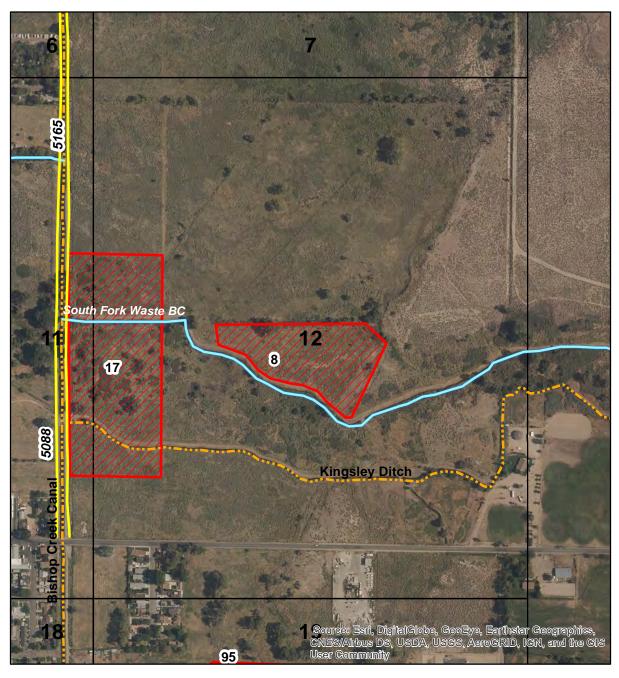


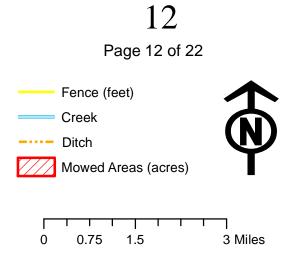




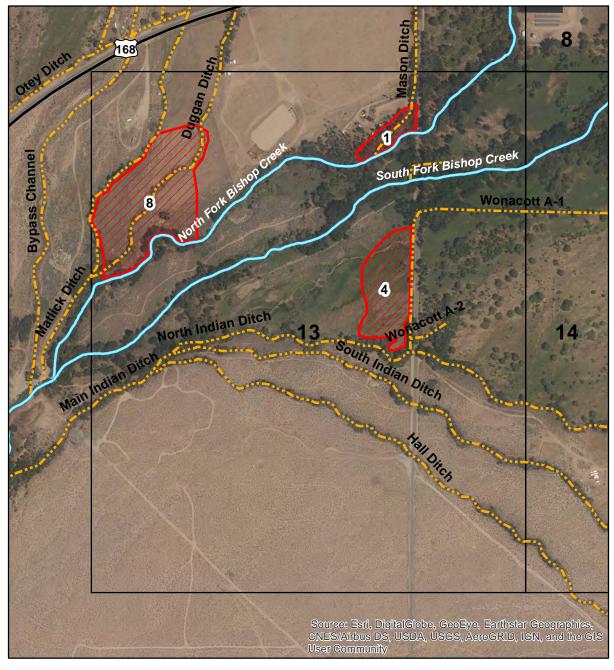
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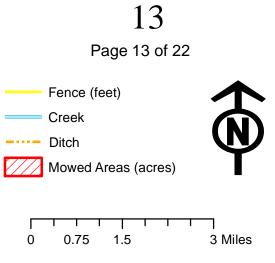




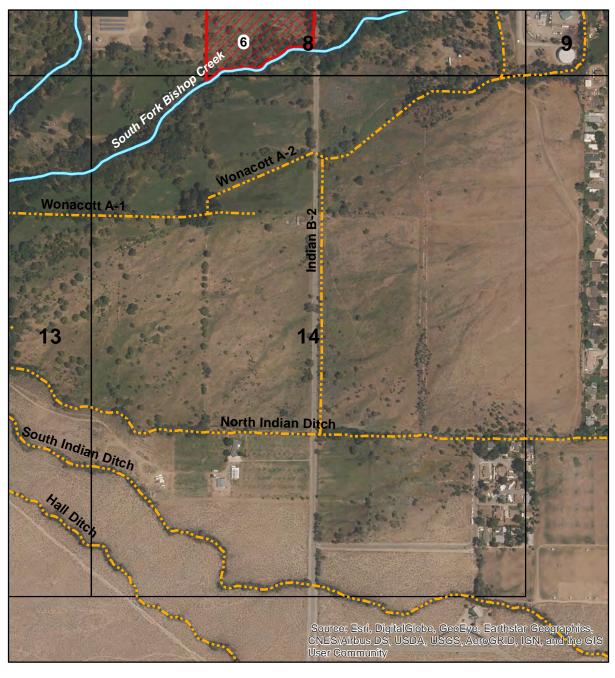


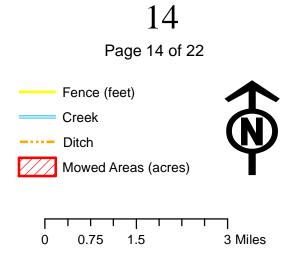




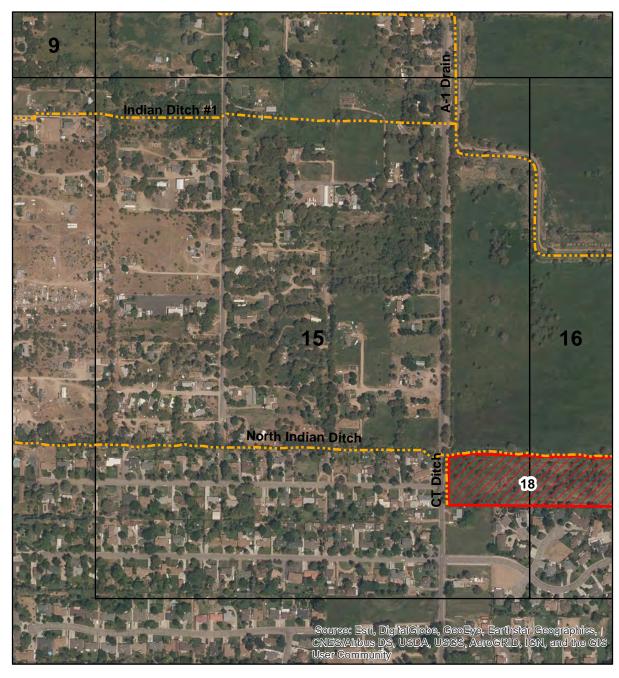


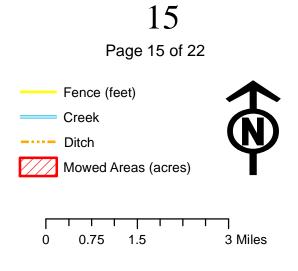




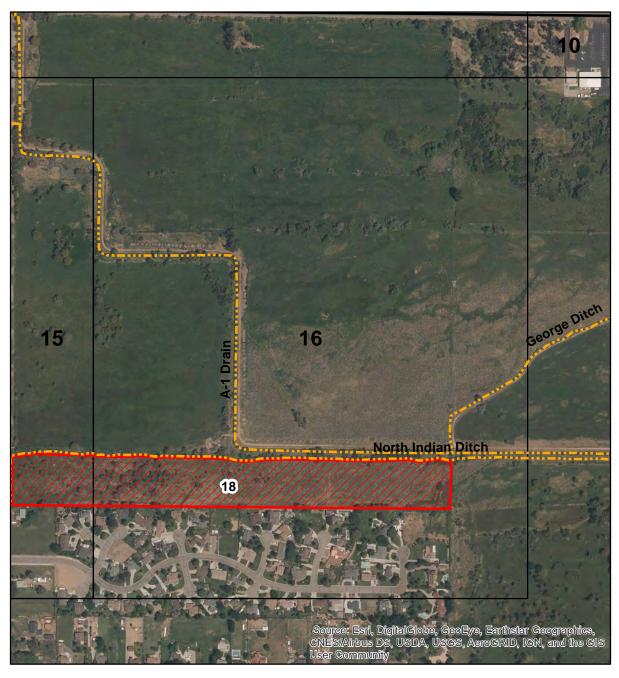


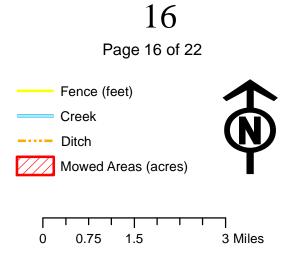






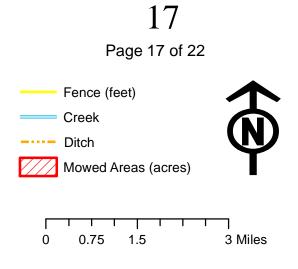




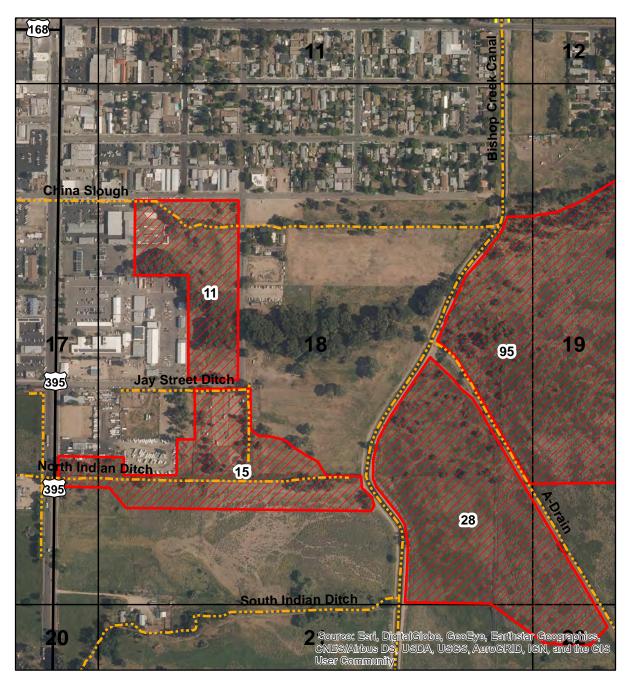


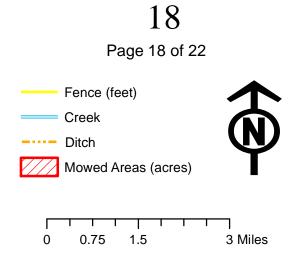




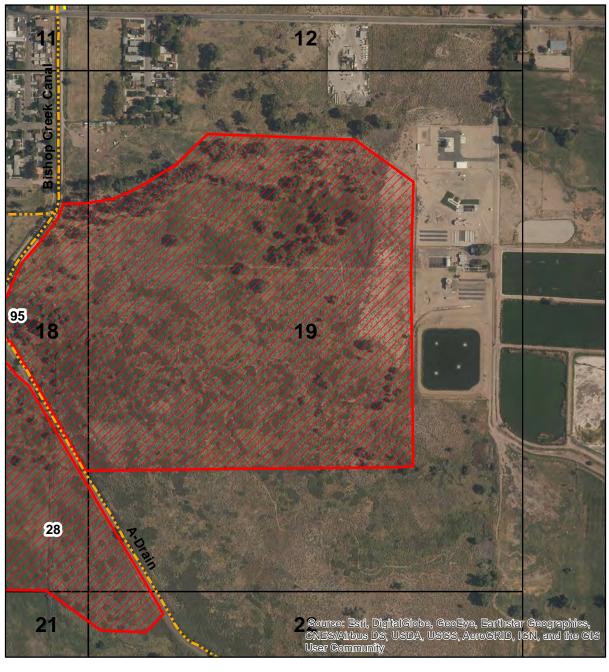


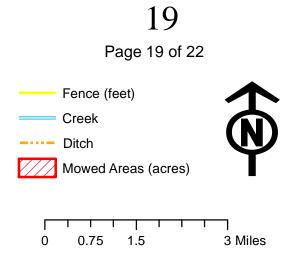






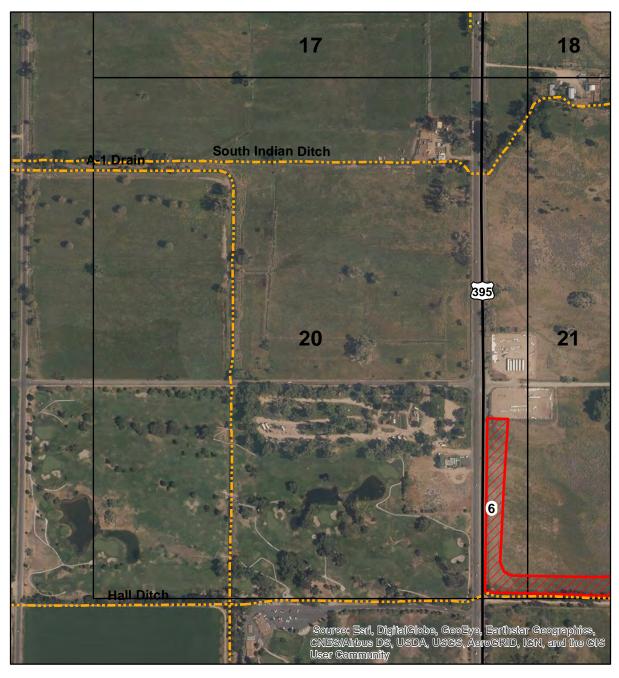


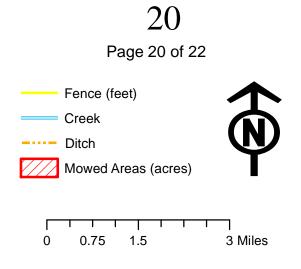






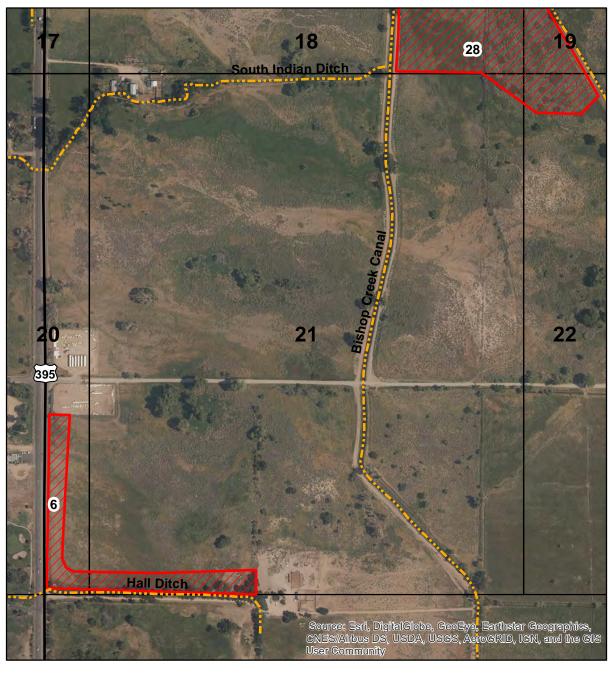
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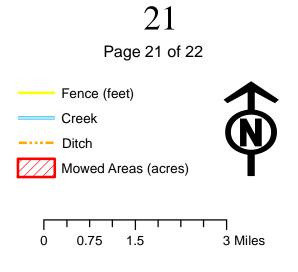






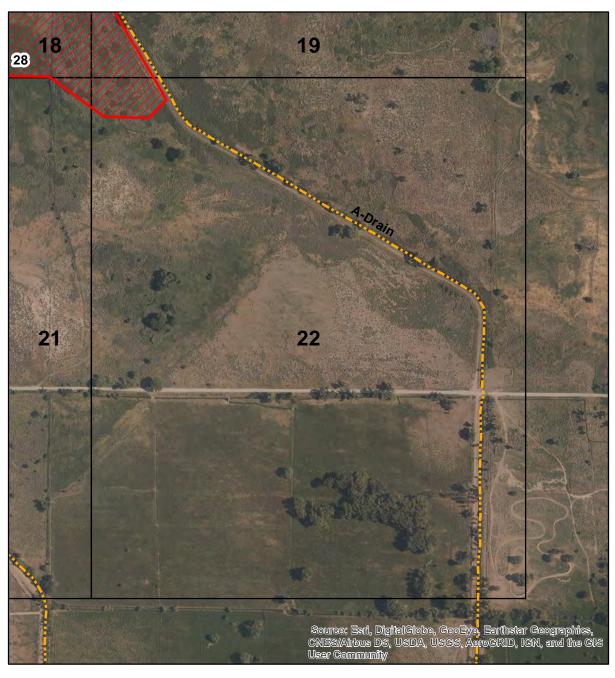
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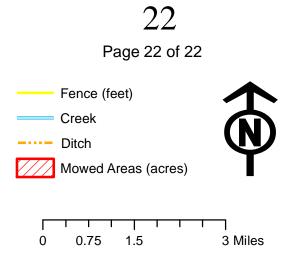






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# Appendix D: LADWP BMP information



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Attention: Mr. Ed Hancock

Dear Mr. Sussman:

Subject: LADWP Information on Best Management Practices to Protect Bishop Creek

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As discussed at the meeting held between the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) and the Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board on January 28, 2022, LADWP respectfully submits the remaining information in regards to Best Management Practices (BMP) implementation within the Bishop Creek Watershed that includes manhours and timing of implementation. In LADWP's submittal on February 1<sup>st</sup>, which included the first action item of the January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022 meeting held between the Lahontan Regional Board and LADWP, LADWP indicated that it would forward the remaining information once it was received. Please see below for the additional information.

#### Item #1: Timing of Fence Installation and Mowing

The Lahontan Regional Board requested timing of BMP implementation. LADWP began the most recent set of BMP operations in August 2021 and has continued through the beginning of 2022.

#### Item #2: Man-hours required for fence implementation and mowed areas

The Lahontan Regional Board requested the number of manhours LADWP has spent for the addition of fences throughout the Bishop Creek Watershed and mowing of areas to avoid any transients along the creek. In their most recent effort, LADWP spent approximately 200 manhours installing fencing and approximately 1,280 hours for mowing – a grand total of 1,480 manhours.

In reference to your email on January 28th, 2022, to recap:

Requested Information:	Sent to the Regional Board on:	Refer to:
Resource Maps with Mowing and Fencing	February 1, 2022	Maps in Enclosure 1 of "LADWP Updated Resource Maps"
Implementation Dates	February 2, 2022	Item #1 in this report – August 2021 through beginning of 2022
Data About Costs:		
Manhours	February 2, 2022	Item #2 in this report – Total of 1,480 manhours
Linear Feet of Fences	February 1, 2022	Maps in Enclosure 1 of "LADWP Updated Resource Maps"
Areas Mowed (including acreage)	February 1, 2022	Maps in Enclosure 1 of "LADWP Updates Resource Maps"

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to reach out to Mr. Victor Ventura of the Wastewater Quality and Compliance Group at (213) 367-1339 or myself at (213) 367-0436.

Sincerely,

Katherine Rubin

Manager, Air and Wastewater Quality and Compliance

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c/enc: Mr. Ed Hancock, Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board

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# Appendix E: Water Board 2014 Letter to Stakeholders





#### **Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board**

May 30, 2014

To: Distribution List (see below)

#### **Bishop Creek Bacteria Monitoring Results**

The Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board (Water Board) staff collected water samples for bacteria analysis in the Owens River Watershed during 2012 and 2013. I am transmitting the attached data and maps to inform you that high concentrations of bacteria were detected at some locations along Bishop Creek. These high concentrations exceed both Water Board standards and US EPA's Recreational Water Quality Criteria. Depending upon the bacteria sources, certain management actions may help to reduce the bacteria levels to acceptable concentrations. Because we are concerned about these high concentrations and risks to human health, we attended a meeting in Bishop with many interested agencies and the Bishop Paiute Tribe on April 16 to present the data and discuss next steps.

Water Board staff (along with Board Member Peter Pumphrey) attended the meeting that was hosted by Inyo County Health Department to inform community leaders about the findings of Water Board and Tribal bacteria monitoring programs in the Bishop area, and to initiate discussions about appropriate responses. The meeting attendees included representatives of Inyo County, Eastern Sierra CSD, Bishop Paiute Tribe, Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, the University of California's Sierra Nevada Aquatic Research Laboratory (SNARL), and two members of the Bishop City Council.

Water Board staff presented findings of bacteria monitoring that was conducted in the Bishop area in 2012 and 2013 by the Water Board's Surface Water Ambient Monitoring Program. After initial results documented high levels of bacteria at some locations along Bishop Creek, Water Board staff designed a monitoring project to characterize the magnitude and extent of the problem. About a dozen locations along the various forks of Bishop Creek were tested for bacteria (several times per month) during 2012-2013.

The results documented frequently high concentrations of indicator bacteria (i.e., fecal coliform bacteria and *E. coli*) in Bishop Creek during 2012-13. While the sources of indicator bacteria in Bishop Creek remain unknown, the recurring high concentrations indicate ongoing risks to human health from water contact recreation. Enclosure 1 contains maps showing the approximate locations of the sampling sites and Enclosure 2 contains the bacteria monitoring data.

Staff also informed the group that the Water Board has recently contracted SNARL to begin "microbial source tracking" (MST) at Bishop Creek and at ten other bacteriaimpaired rivers & streams throughout the Lahontan Region. The MST project will provide an initial assessment of bacteria sources at bacteria-impaired waters throughout the Region. Based on the MST results and identification of sources, management actions should be implemented to address any sources attributable to human activities. including human or animal wastes.

County health department staff expressed a desire to organize interested individuals and organizations to further discuss and deliberate a coordinated community response to the bacterial pollution of Bishop Creek. Water Board staff are happy to work collaboratively and to provide technical assistance to the group and we plan to keep this group informed of the MST results as they become available. We encourage all land use managers to consider the attached data and begin implementing measures to reduce bacteria sources within the watershed.

If you have any questions, please contact either Mike Plaziak, Division Manager in our Victorville office at MPlaziak@waterboards.ca.gov (760) 2412-7325, or Doug Smith, Division Manager in our South Lake Tahoe office at DFSmith@waterboards.ca.gov (530) 542-5453.

**Assistant Executive Officer** 

Enclosures: 1. Bishop Creek Bacteria Sampling Locations.pdf

2. Bishop Creek Bacteria data.pdf

**Distribution List:** 

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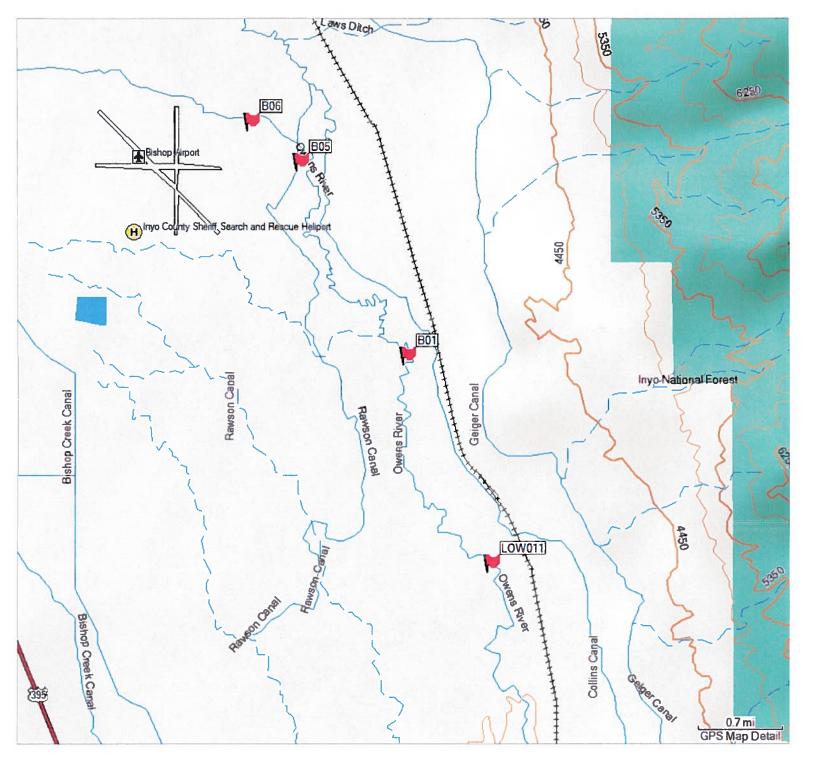
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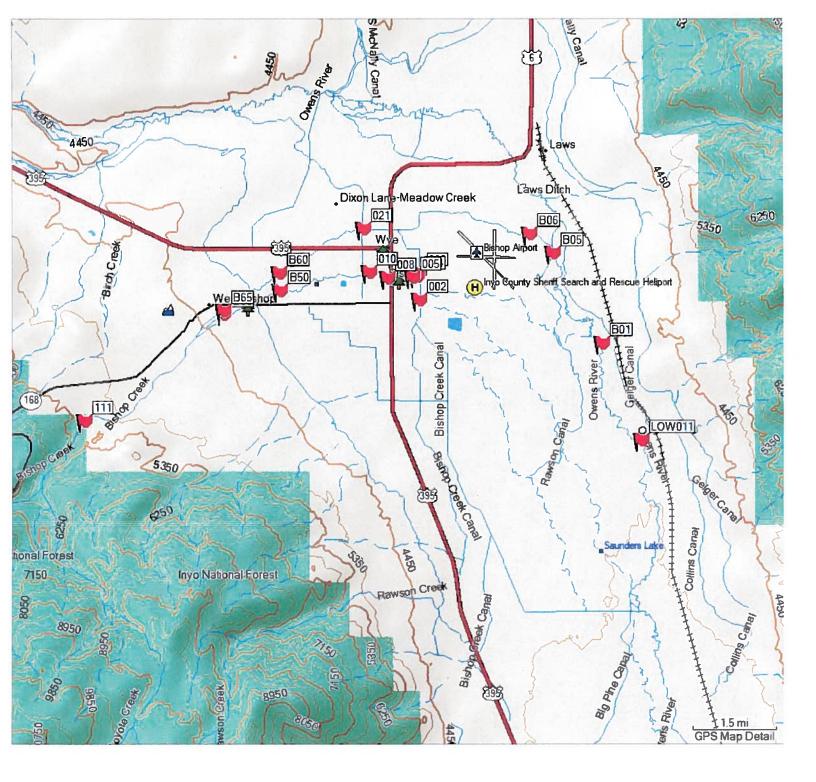
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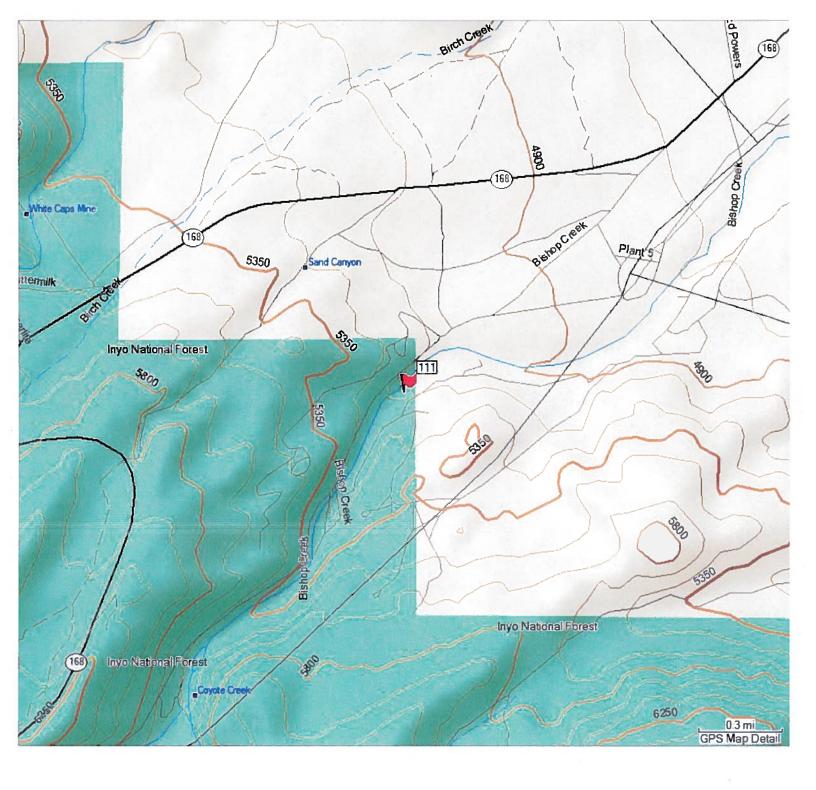
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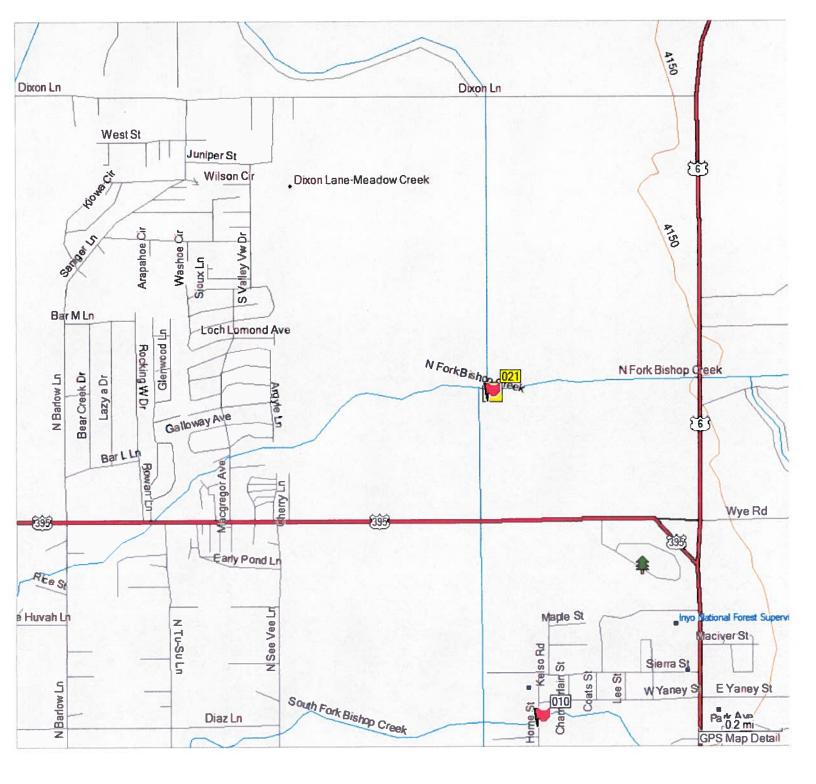
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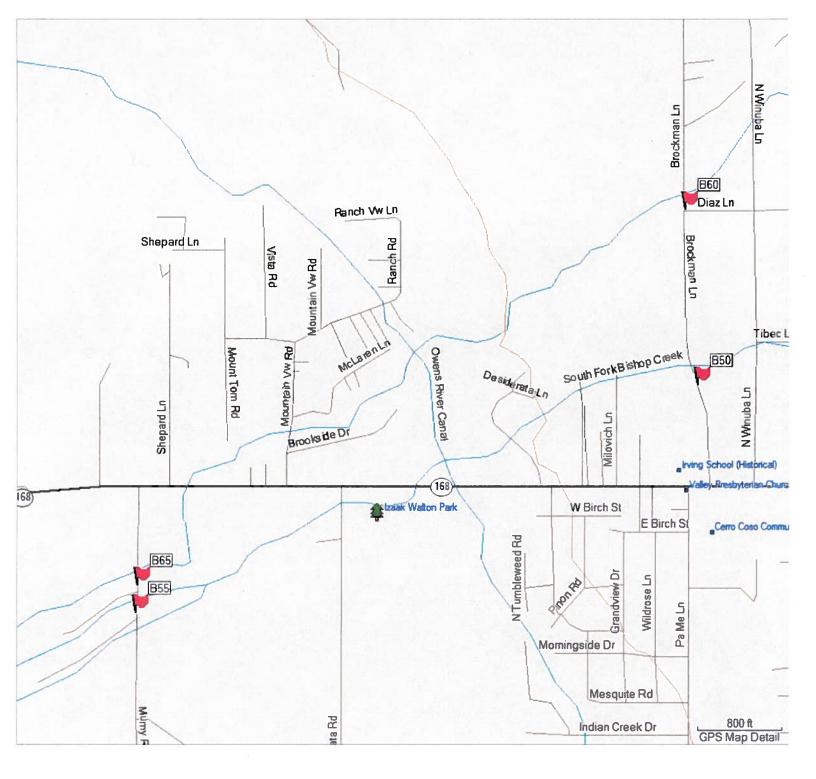












Enclosure 2: Bishop Creek Bacteria Data.pdf

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> = average value of two duplicates

<sup>e</sup> = estimated; used statistical analysis to calculate estimated result

<sup>h</sup> = hold time exceeded

Sample Date	to date (30 days)	# of samples in 30-day period	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90th percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	E. coli 30-d log mean (100/100ml)
5/30/2012	6/28/2012	4	20 <sup>a</sup>	47	114	18 <sup>a</sup>	42
5/31/2012	6/29/2012	3	145 <sup>a</sup>	62	124	145 <sup>a</sup>	57
6/5/2012	7/4/2012	3	41 <sup>a</sup>	45	52	39 <sup>a</sup>	31
6/19/2012	7/18/2012	3	40 <sup>a</sup>	43	52	32 <sup>a</sup>	30
7/3/2012	8/1/2012	6	55	27	56	23	20
7/9/2012	8/7/2012	6	36	24	46	36	20
7/19/2012	8/17/2012	6	14	27	71	14	24
7/23/2012	8/21/2012	6	15	42	133	15	35
7/24/2012	8/22/2012	5	15	52	142	13	41
8/1/2012	8/30/2012	5	56	52	142	30	43
	9/5/2012	4	28	51	152	24	46
8/7/2012		4		56	152	86	50
8/13/2012	9/11/2012	3	86	49	152	140	42
8/21/2012	9/19/2012 9/28/2012	4	180 16	24	40	140	20
8/30/2012 9/11/2012	10/10/2012	5	40	35	73	32	20
				36	75	36	21
9/20/2012	10/19/2012	5	40		75		
9/24/2012	10/23/2012	5	13	33		8	19
10/2/2012	10/31/2012	6	95	34	70	17	21
10/9/2012	11/7/2012	5	28	28	38	22	22
10/18/2012	11/16/2012	5	44	14	36	40	12
10/23/2012	11/21/2012	4	24 <sup>h</sup>	11	25	20 <sup>h</sup>	9
10/26/2012	11/24/2012	3	22	8	24	19	7
10/30/2012	11/28/2012	2	25	5	23	17	4
11/15/2012	12/14/2012	1	1	. 1	1	1	1
1/23/2013	2/21/2013	2	3	11	40	3	9
2/1/2013	3/2/2013	1	44	44	44	30	30
3/21/2013	4/19/2013	2	138 <sup>a</sup>	56	127	134 <sup>a</sup>	52
3/23/2013	4/21/2013	1	23 <sup>a</sup>	23	23	20 <sup>a</sup>	20
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	2	37	56	79	9	19
4/30/2013	5/29/2013	2	84	70	81	42	49
5/22/2013	6/20/2013	2	58	53	57	58	43
6/11/2013	7/10/2013	2	48	48	48	.32	31
7/10/2013	8/8/2013	3	48	39	50	30	22
7/19/2013	8/17/2013	3	24 <sup>a</sup>	24	46	18 <sup>a</sup>	14
7/25/2013	8/23/2013	3	51	30	50	19	17
8/11/2013	9/9/2013	3	11 <sup>a</sup>	33	65	8 <sup>a</sup>	20
8/21/2013	9/19/2013	2	46	57	68	30	31
9/4/2013	10/3/2013	2	70	35	65	32	17
9/23/2013	10/22/2013	2	18	16	18	9	11
10/22/2013	11/20/2013	2	14	11	13	14	7
10/24/2013	11/22/2013	1	8	8	8	4	4
11/25/2013	12/24/2013	2	2	3	4	1	<del>`</del>
12/2/2013	12/31/2013	1	4	4	4	2	2

<sup>a</sup> = average value of two duplicates

<sup>h</sup> = hold time exceeded

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Sample Date	to date (30 days)	# of samples in 30-day period	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90 <sup>th</sup> percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	<b>E. coli</b> 30-d log mean (100/100ml)
6/5/2012	7/4/2012	3	191	180	195	191	17:
6/19/2012	7/18/2012	3	196	194	231	192	14
7/3/2012	8/1/2012	6	156	160	238	140	12
7/9/2012	8/7/2012	6	240	148	238	108	11
7/19/2012	8/17/2012	6	92	127	200	92	11
7/23/2012	8/21/2012	6	236	110	200	216	9
7/24/2012	8/22/2012	5	128	95	150	112	8
8/1/2012	8/30/2012	5	164	86	137	108	7
8/7/2012	9/5/2012	4	95	73	96	95	7
8/13/2012	9/11/2012	4	96	93	197	96	8
8/21/2012	9/19/2012	3	40	92	208	40	8
8/30/2012	9/28/2012	3	80	302	1191	70	12
9/11/2012	10/10/2012	4	240	396	1084	220	35
9/24/2012	10/23/2012	5	1429 <sup>e</sup>	248	969	1429 <sup>e</sup>	14
10/2/2012	10/31/2012	6	256	145	272	180	12
10/9/2012	11/7/2012	5	280	129	274	280	12
10/18/2012	11/16/2012	5	35 <sup>a</sup>	94	207	35 <sup>a</sup>	8
10/23/2012	11/21/2012	4	264 <sup>h</sup>	120	221	228 <sup>h</sup>	10
10/26/2012	11/24/2012	3	122	92	120	110	. 8
10/30/2012	11/28/2012	2	114	80	108	102	7
11/15/2012	12/14/2012	1	56	56	56	56	5
1/23/2013	2/21/2013	2	13 <sup>a</sup>	4	12	13 <sup>a</sup>	
2/1/2013	3/2/2013	1	1	1	12	1	<del></del>
3/21/2013	4/19/2013	2	51	167	495	49	15
3/23/2013	4/21/2013	1	544	544	544	488	48
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	2	62	142	298	30	9
4/30/2013	5/29/2013	2	324	161	300	288	12
5/22/2013	6/20/2013	2	80 <sup>h</sup>	163	309	58 <sup>h</sup>	12
6/11/2013	7/10/2013	2	334	253	320	282	23
7/10/2013	8/8/2013	3	192	259	734	192	10
7/19/2013	8/17/2013	3	104	201	717	60	7
7/25/2013	8/23/2013	3	870	206	718	100	8
8/11/2013	9/9/2013	3	90	122	166	68	9
8/21/2013	9/19/2013	2	112	142	173	84	11
9/4/2013	10/3/2013	2	180	203	223	152	18
9/23/2013	10/22/2013	2	228	165	217	212	14
	11/20/2013	2	120	177	246	105	15
				111	240	100	10
10/22/2013				-	260	240	24
	11/22/2013 12/24/2013	1 2	260 76	260 210	260 530	240 72	24 19

a = average value of two duplicates
e = estimated; used statistical analysis to calculate estimated result
h = hold time exceeded

South For	k Bishop C	reek @	Hanby S	Street (6	03BSP	005)	
Sample Date	to date (30 days)	# of samples in 30-day period	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90° percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	<b>E. coli</b> 30-d log mean (100/100ml)
6/5/2012	7/4/2012	3	375	283	356	375	253
6/19/2012	7/18/2012	3	280	285	363	250	195
7/3/2012	8/1/2012	6	216	139	300	172	88
7/9/2012	8/7/2012	6	384	117	278	172	72
7/19/2012	8/17/2012	6	110	95	141	90	58
7/23/2012	8/21/2012	6	172	101	164	144	63
7/24/2012	8/22/2012	5	75	90	137	60	54
8/1/2012	8/30/2012	5	60	92	137	20	57
8/7/2012	9/5/2012	4	80	103	142	52	75
8/13/2012	9/11/2012	4	108	133	205	48	104
8/21/2012	9/19/2012	3	156	142	212	152	135
8/30/2012	9/28/2012	4	82 <sup>a</sup>	169	261	82 <sup>a</sup>	158
9/11/2012	10/10/2012	5	226 <sup>a</sup>	221	268	198 <sup>a</sup>	197
9/20/2012	10/19/2012	5	158 <sup>a</sup>	310	857	148 <sup>a</sup>	285
9/24/2012	10/23/2012	5	276 <sup>a</sup>	322	857	260 <sup>a</sup>	282
10/2/2012	10/31/2012	6	208 <sup>a</sup>	182	750	170 <sup>a</sup>	151
10/9/2012	11/7/2012	5	255	178	849	230	148
10/18/2012	11/16/2012	5	1245	113	823	1245	96
10/23/2012	11/21/2012	4	190 <sup>h</sup>	62	161	140 <sup>h</sup>	51
10/26/2012	11/24/2012	3	32	43	80	20	36
10/30/2012	11/28/2012	2	92	50	86	88	49
11/15/2012	12/14/2012	1	27	27	27	27	27
1/23/2013	2/21/2013	2	13	10	12	13	9
2/1/2013	3/2/2013	1	7	7	7	6	6
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	1	58	58	58	31	31
7/25/2013	8/23/2013	1	330	330	330	130	130
9/4/2013	10/3/2013	2	270	137	250	130	130
9/23/2013	10/22/2013	2	70	47	66	-	-
10/22/2013	11/20/2013	2	32 <sup>a</sup>	60	106	24 <sup>a</sup>	52
10/24/2013	11/22/2013	1	114	114 a	114	112	112

a = average value of two duplicates
h = hold time exceeded
- = no result due to laboratory error

South For	South Fork Bishop Creek @ Creekside Inn (603BSP008)											
Sample Date	to date (30 days)	# of samples in 30-day period	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90 <sup>th</sup> percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	E. coli 30-d log mean					
5/30/2012	6/28/2012	3	170	212	362	170	20					
6/5/2012	7/4/2012	3	136	228	370	124	20					
6/19/2012	7/18/2012	3	410	254	370	400	2					
7/3/2012	8/1/2012	5	212	159	202	180	12					
7/9/2012	8/7/2012	5	188	140	186	140						
7/19/2012	8/17/2012	5	88	132	173	60	Ç					
7/24/2012	8/22/2012	5	156	133	173	140	Ç					
8/1/2012	8/30/2012	5	184	110	167	140	8					
8/7/2012	9/5/2012	. 4	112	97	133	56						
8/13/2012	9/11/2012	4	142 <sup>a</sup>	96	132	90 <sup>a</sup>	•					
8/21/2012	9/19/2012	3	90 <sup>a</sup>	84	104	86 <sup>a</sup>	•					
8/30/2012	9/28/2012	4	62	108	254	62						
9/11/2012	10/10/2012	5	108	162	305	80						
9/20/2012	10/19/2012	5	64	245	636	50	14					
9/24/2012	.10/23/2012	5	316	263	636	160	18					
10/2/2012	10/31/2012	6	288	154	569	56	10					
10/9/2012	11/7/2012	5	180	136	582	155	12					
10/18/2012	11/16/2012	5	850	98	546	850	(					
10/23/2012	11/21/2012	4	90 <sup>a,h</sup>	57	83	85 <sup>a,h</sup>						
10/26/2012	11/24/2012	3	68 <sup>a</sup>	49	64	50 <sup>a</sup>	- 4					
10/30/2012	11/28/2012	2	50	41	48	50						
11/15/2012	12/14/2012	1	34	34	34	34	3					
1/23/2013	2/21/2013	2	34	18	32	34	1					
2/1/2013	3/2/2013	1	10 <sup>a</sup>	10	10	7 <sup>a</sup>						
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	1	50	50	50	40	4					

a = average value of two duplicates
h = hold time exceeded

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Sample	to date	# of samples in 30-day period	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90" percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	E. coli 30-d log mean (100/100ml)
Date	(30 days)	# .⊑ &	<b>5</b> 2 0 5 5	\$ 2 × G	\$ 2 9 4	<b>ய</b> ் ஓ ഉ	щωс
5/30/2012	6/28/2012	3	44	128	338	44	12
6/5/2012	7/4/2012	3	121	163	338	121	15
6/19/2012	7/18/2012	3	392	141	332	392	13
7/3/2012	8/1/2012	6	90 <sup>a</sup>	141	454	73 <sup>a</sup>	13
7/9/2012	8/7/2012	6	80	132	454	80	12
7/19/2012	8/17/2012	6	82	121	454	82	11
7/23/2012	8/21/2012	6	738	119	454	736	11
7/24/2012	8/22/2012	5	170	82	144	165	7
8/1/2012	8/30/2012	5	105	47	93	90	4
8/7/2012	9/5/2012	4	. 60	38	70	52	3
8/13/2012	9/11/2012	4	48	61	297	48	6
8/21/2012	9/19/2012	3	74	66	328	72	. 6
8/30/2012	9/28/2012	4	10	77	327	10	7
9/11/2012	10/10/2012	5	392	102	306	392	9
9/20/2012	10/19/2012	5	50	91	201	40	8
9/24/2012	10/23/2012	5	176	93	201	176	8
10/2/2012	10/31/2012	6	32	51	159	28	4
10/9/2012	11/7/2012	5	100	56	171	92	5
10/18/2012	11/16/2012	5	218	31	153	218	. 2
10/23/2012	11/21/2012	4	56 <sup>h</sup>	19	46	56 <sup>h</sup>	1
10/26/2012	11/24/2012	3	20	13	22	20	1
10/30/2012	11/28/2012	2	22	10	20	19	
11/15/2012	12/14/2012	1	5	5	5	4	
1/23/2013	2/21/2013	2	16	65	237	16	6
2/1/2013	3/2/2013	1	261 <sup>a</sup>	261	261	261 <sup>a</sup>	26
3/21/2013	4/19/2013	2	8	8	8	8	20
3/23/2013	4/21/2013	1	8	. 8	8	4	
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	2	14	39	100	9	3
4/30/2013	5/29/2013	2	110 <sup>a</sup>	55	102	110 <sup>a</sup>	5
5/22/2013	6/20/2013	2	28	96	296	28	7
6/11/2013	7/10/2013	2	326	298	318	192	20
7/10/2013	8/8/2013	3	272	158	318	216	5
7/19/2013	8/17/2013	3	44	96	276	31	2
7/15/2013	8/23/2013	3	330	98	276	20	2
8/11/2013	9/9/2013	3	60	98	276	15	. 5
8/21/2013	9/19/2013	2	47	125	302	39	9
9/4/2013	10/3/2013	2	330	120	301	210	4
9/23/2013	10/22/2013	2	44	44	45	10	1
10/22/2013	11/20/2013	2	45	28	42	25	<u>.</u> 1
10/24/2013	11/22/2013	1	18	18	18	12	<del></del>
11/25/2013	12/24/2013	2	30 <sup>a</sup>	16	28	30 <sup>a</sup>	1
12/2/2013	12/24/2013	1	9 <sup>a</sup>	10	9	4 <sup>a</sup>	- 1

= average value of two duplicates

h = hold time exceeded

North Fori	k Bishop C	reek abo	ove Bisl	hop Cre	ek Cana	l (603B	S <i>P</i> 021)
Sample Date	to date (30 days)	# of samples in 30-day period	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90th percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	E. coli 30-d log mean (100/100ml)
3/21/2013	4/19/2013	1	20	20	20	18	18
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	2	23 <sup>a</sup>	50	100	9 <sup>a</sup>	25
4/30/2013	5/29/2013	2	108	113	117	68	63
5/22/2013	6/20/2013	2	118	327	829	58	100
6/11/2013	7/10/2013	2	908	578	854	172	213
7/10/2013	8/8/2013	3	368	178	338	264	101
7/19/2013	8/17/2013	3	70	73	190	56	41
7/25/2013	8/23/2013	3	220	106	219	70	51
8/11/2013	9/9/2013	3	25	108	232	18	68
8/21/2013	9/19/2013	2	216 <sup>a</sup>	226	234	108 <sup>a</sup>	133
9/4/2013	10/3/2013	2	236	197	229	164	92
9/23/2013	10/22/2013	2	164	118	156	52	64
10/22/2013	11/20/2013	2	85	109	135	80	85
10/24/2013	11/22/2013	1	140	140	140	90	90
11/25/2013	12/24/2013	2	25	11	23	24	11
12/2/2013	12/31/2013	1	5	5	5	5	5
				a = ave	erage valu	e of two d	uplicates

North Fork	Bishop Cı	reek @ l	Brockm	an Lane	(603BS	PB60)	
Sample Date	to date (30 days)	# of samples in 30-day period	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90th percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	E. coli 30-d log mean (100/100ml)
10/18/2012	11/16/2012	5	28	20	30	28	19
10/23/2012	11/21/2012	4	31	19	29	21	17
10/26/2012	11/24/2012	3	23	16	22	23	16
10/30/2012	11/28/2012	2	16 <sup>a</sup>	13	16	16 <sup>a</sup>	13
11/15/2012	12/14/2012	1	11	11	11	11	11
1/23/2013	2/21/2013	2	0 <sup>a</sup>	1	3	0 <sup>a</sup>	1
2/1/2013	3/2/2013	1	3 <sup>a</sup>	3	3	3 <sup>a</sup>	3
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	2	40	88	177	18	59
4/30/2013	5/29/2013	1	192 <sup>a</sup>	192	192	192 <sup>a</sup>	192
7/10/2013	8/8/2013	3	124	194	556	124	123
7/19/2013	8/17/2013	3	88	118	549	60	68
7/25/2013	8/23/2013	3	664	104	543	248	57_
8/11/2013	9/9/2013	3	28 <sup>a</sup>	59	108	21 <sup>a</sup>	42
8/21/2013	9/19/2013	2	60	85	114	36	59
9/4/2013	10/3/2013	2	120	106	117	96	85
9/23/2013	10/22/2013	2	94	99	103	76	89
10/22/2013	11/20/2013	2	104	74	99	104	72
10/24/2013	11/22/2013	1.	52	52	52	50	50
11/25/2013	12/24/2013	2	21	16	20	20	15
12/2/2013	12/31/2013	1	12	12	12	12	12
				a = av	erage valu	e of two c	luplicates

South For	South Fork Bishop Creek @ Brockman Lane (603BSPB50)											
Sample Date	to date (30 days)	# of samples in 30-day period	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90 <sup>th</sup> percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	<b>E. coli</b> 30-d log mean (100/100ml)					
10/18/2012	11/16/2012	5	12	10	19	12	10					
10/23/2012	11/21/2012	4	23	10	19	23	10					
10/26/2012	11/24/2012	3	7	8	10	7	7					
10/30/2012	11/28/2012	2	11	8	11	9	7					
11/15/2012	12/14/2012	1	6	6	6	6	6					
1/23/2013	2/21/2013	2	3	2	3	3	2					
2/1/2013	3/2/2013	1	1	1	1	0	. 0					
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	2	19	45	97	13	37					
4/30/2013	5/29/2013	1	106	106	106	106	106					
7/10/2013	8/8/2013	3	88	66	136	88	45					
7/19/2013	8/17/2013	3	22 <sup>a</sup>	49	126	11 <sup>a</sup>	31					
7/25/2013	8/23/2013	3	148	59	126	92	42					
8/11/2013	9/9/2013	3	37	43	54	29	22					
8/21/2013	9/19/2013	2	38	47	56	28	20					
9/4/2013	10/3/2013	2	58	71	85	14	17					
9/23/2013	10/22/2013	2	88	44	81	20	18					
10/22/2013	11/20/2013	2	22	16	21	16	16					
10/24/2013	11/22/2013	1	11	11	11	-	-					
11/25/2013	12/24/2013	2	9 <sup>a</sup>	5	8	7 <sup>a</sup>	3					
12/2/2013	12/31/2013	1	3 <sup>a</sup>	3	3	2 <sup>a</sup>	2					
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Sample Date	to date (30 days)	# of samples in 30-day period.	fecal coliform (colonies per 100 ml)	fecal coliform 30-d log mean (20/100 ml)	fecal coliform 90th percentile (40/100 ml)	E. coli (colonies per 100 ml)	E. coli 30-d log mean (100/100ml)								
10/18/2012	11/16/2012	5	2	2	4	2	2								
10/23/2012	11/21/2012	4	3	2	4	3	2								
10/26/2012	11/24/2012	3	4	2	4	4	2								
10/30/2012	11/28/2012	2	2	1	2	2	•								
11/15/2012	12/14/2012	1	0	0	0	0	(								
1/23/2013	2/21/2013	2	0	1	4	0									
2/1/2013	3/2/2013	1	4	4	4	4	4								
3/21/2013	4/19/2013	2	16	3	14	16	;								
3/23/2013	4/21/2013	1	0	0	0	0	(								
4/22/2013	5/21/2013	2	0	2	5	0									
4/30/2013	5/29/2013	2	5	3	5	5									
5/22/2013	6/20/2013	2	2 <sup>a</sup>	2	2	2 <sup>a</sup>									
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Appendix F: Public meeting sign-in sheets 2014, 2015, 2016

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Appendix G: Bishop Paiute Tribe & Water Board joint presentation to U.S. EPA Tribal Conference (2020)



#### Overview of Presentation

#### The Partners

- Bishop Paiute Tribe
- CA Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board

#### The Place

Overview of the Watershed

#### The Problem

· Water Quality Impairment

#### The Process

Vision Project

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#### The Partners

California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Bishop Paiute Tribe

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#### Lahontan Region -R6

- 570 miles long
- 33,131 square miles
- 20% of the State

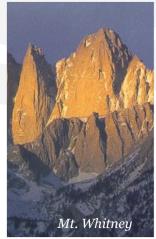
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#### Water Resources

- 700+ lakes
- 3,000+ miles of streams
- 1,500+ sq miles of groundwater basins
- 2 ONRWs
- Diverse landscapes



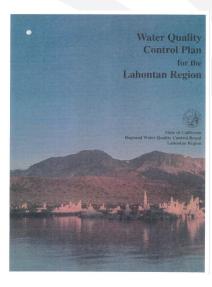




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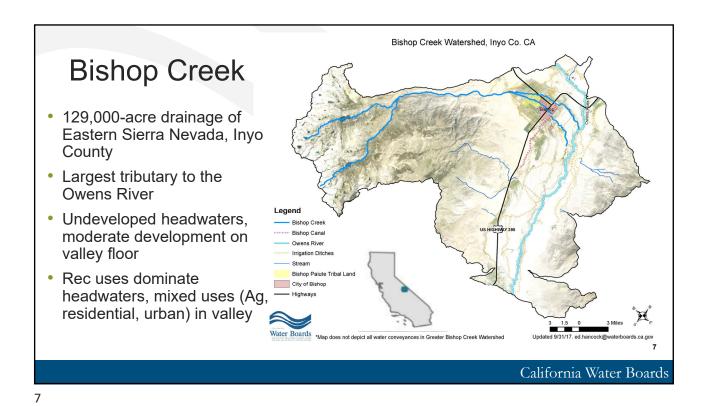
#### Lahontan Region WQOs



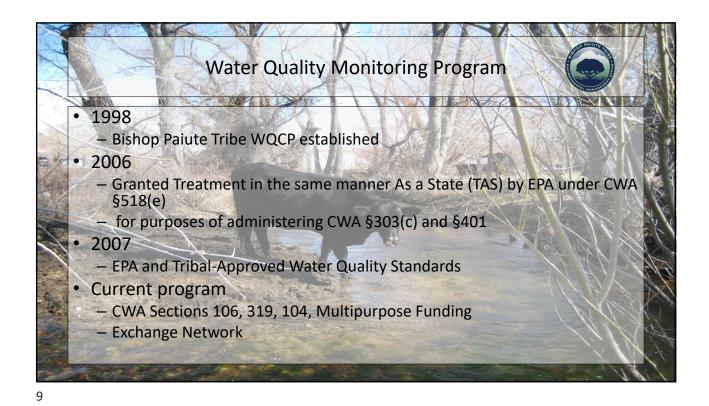
#### Basin Plan contains:

- Narrative WQOs
- Region-wide WQOs
- Site-Specific WQOs for many constituents
  - Based on historic water quality data
  - Reflects pristine condition of Lahontan waters

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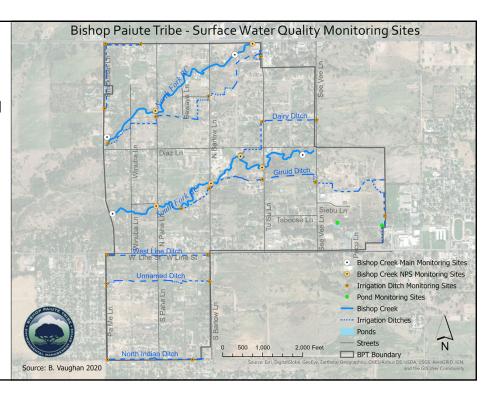


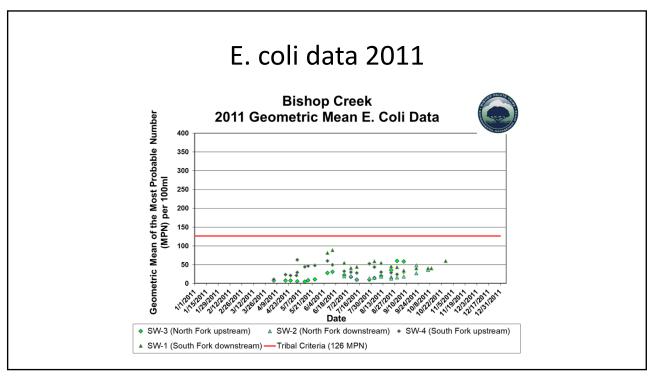
Bishop Creek Project Area ~4000-acre project Bishop Creek Vision Project Study Area area, including 875 acres of Bishop Paiute Reservation **Bishop Creek flows** Inset Map: Location of Bishop, California as two channels, north and south Both channels pass through the Reservation, and are surrounded by Legend agricultural, Bishop Paiute Tribe Lands residential and urban Bishop Creek City of Bishop uses Bishop Canal Wastewater Treatment Faciliti Ed.Hancock@waterboards.ca.gov 11-19-18 California Water Boards

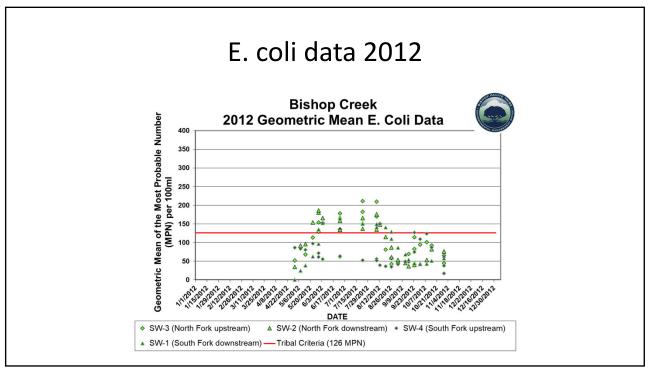


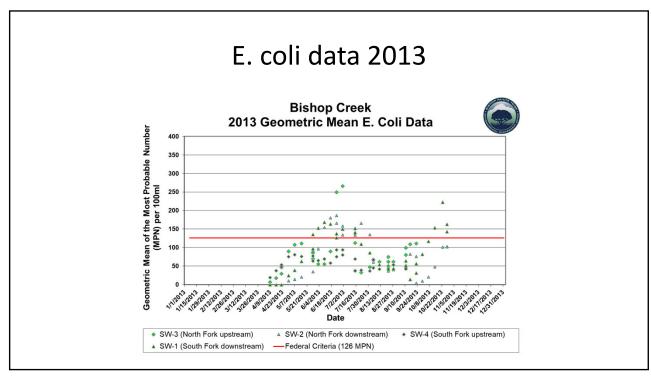
Bishop Paiute Reservation – 875 acres

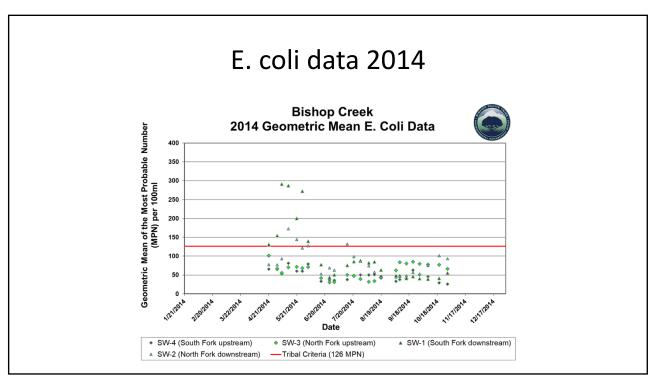
- Two forks, north and south, of Bishop Creek flow through the Reservation.
   Total linear length ~ 2 miles.
- Multiple irrigation ditches flow through the Reservation
- Two small ponds in the Conservation Open Space Area.

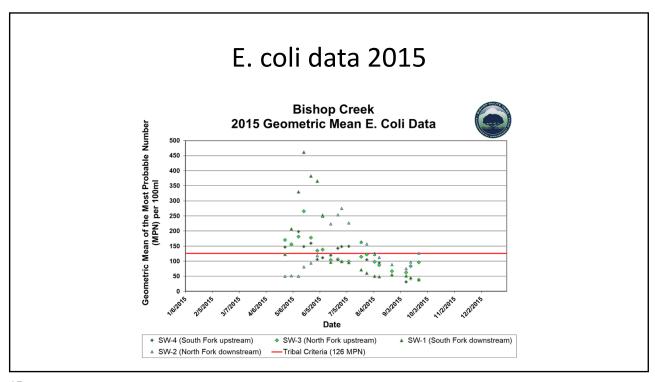


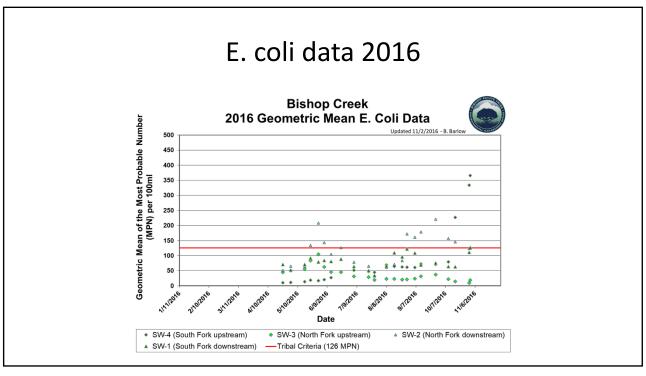


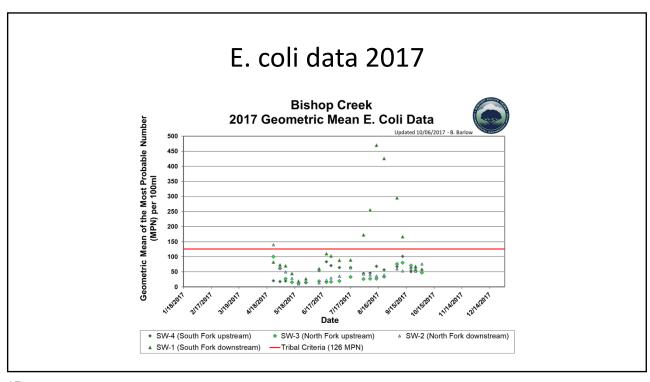


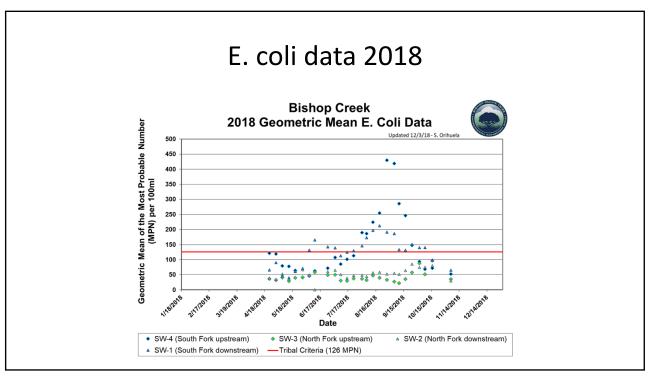


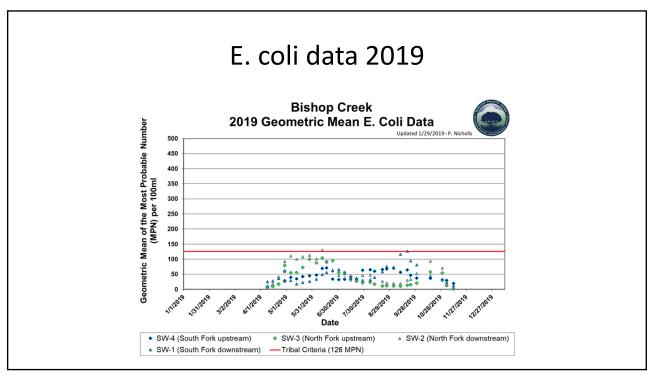


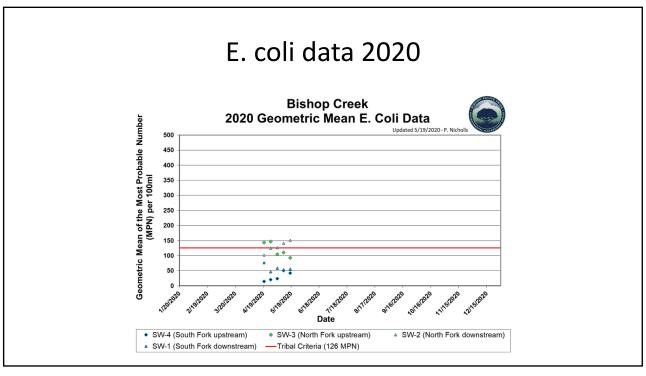




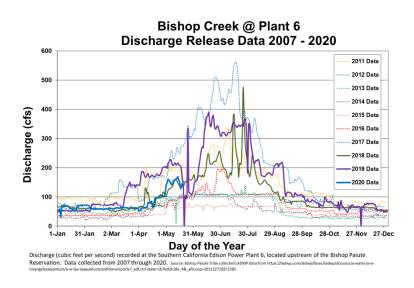












### Water Quality Problem Timeline

- 2010: Tribe alerts Water Board of elevated fecal indicator bacteria (FIB) in Bishop Creek
- 2011-2017: Water Board deploys extensive diagnostic FIB sampling 2011-2017
- 2014: Collaborative meetings amongst jurisdictional entities begin.
  - Water Board, Bishop Paiute Tribe, Inyo County, City of Bishop, Los Angeles Dept. of Water and Power
- 2017: Water Board notifies interested parties that Bishop Creek will likely be 303(d) listed because FIB are impairing beneficial uses (REC-1 & MUN)
- 2017-present: Water Board and Tribe begin collaborative address water quality problem
- 2019: Water Board recommends Bishop Creek as addition to 303(d) List (currently pending US EPA approval)

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# Bishop Creek Water Quality Objectives (WQOs) for Fecal Indicator Bacteria

- Fecal coliform WQO of the Lahontan Basin Plan applies to all California jurisdictional surface waters in the Lahontan Region
- E. coli WQO adopted by the State Water Board in 2018 protects California jurisdictional waters where the Water Contact Recreation (REC-1) beneficial use applies
- Both WQOs apply to Bishop Creek. Each WQO is the subject of a Water Board evaluation and could change in the future.

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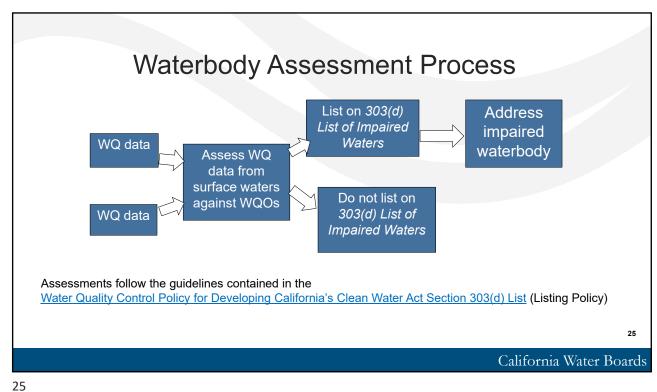
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### Fecal Indicator Bacteria (FIB) Data

- Bishop Paiute Tribe: 2000-Present
  - · Samples for E. coli and Total Coliform at various locations throughout the Reservation
- Water Board collected data: 2011-2017
  - 16 stations sampled for fecal coliform & E. coli
  - Microbial Source Tracking (MST) dataset 2013-2014
- Los Angeles Dept. of Water and Power (LADWP): 2014-Present
  - 27 stations sampled for E. coli
  - MST dataset 2014-2015

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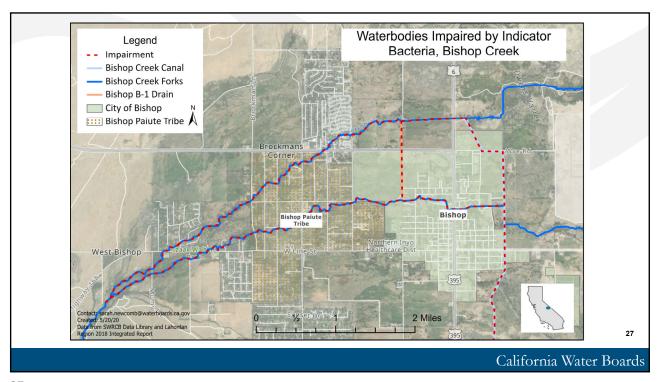


### 303(d) Listings - Indicator Bacteria

- REC-1 and MUN beneficial uses are not supported in:
  - Bishop Creek Forks (bifurcation of north and south forks to confluence with Bishop Creek Canal)
  - Bishop Creek B-1 Drain flows South=>North and joins the south fork with the north fork
  - Bishop Creek Canal

...as demonstrated by concentrations of FIB in water samples

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# Water quality impairments addressed in several ways:

- Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs): prescriptive approach to dealing with pollutant sources at a load-based level
- Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs), Waivers of discharge, or other permit tools placed on landowners and dischargers.
- Water Quality Improvement Plans (WQIPs): collaborative approach which relies on voluntary actions to improve water quality

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### What is a Vision Project?



"Long-Term Vision for Assessment, Restoration, and Protection"

- Watershed-wide, collaborative planning effort focused on improving water quality through voluntary actions
- Provides flexibility in using available tools beyond TMDLs to improve water quality

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### Bishop Creek Vision Project

- Data collected to date indicates several sources of FIB
  - Grazing
  - Human
  - Wildlife
- MST data implies that grazing sources are the largest contributor of fecal bacteria to creek waters
- The Water Board and Tribe are collaborating on a second MST study for Bishop Creek to help focus implementation

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### Bishop Creek Vision Project-Two Phases

**Phase 1:** Meeting the Statewide REC-1 WQO by addressing grazing sources

**Phase 2:** Meeting the Lahontan Basin Plan WQO by addressing human and other controllable sources of bacteria in the watershed

Vision Plan scheduled for completion in September 2022

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### **Better Together**

- Sharing data and information
- Coordination to leverage monitoring resources
- Collaborate on effective implementation measures to improve water quality
- Partnerships which inform Basin Planning project to add Tribal Beneficial Uses

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## Appendix H: IRWM Presentation (2018)



# Overview – update since January 2018 IRWM discussion

- What is a Vision Project?
- How were water quality issues identified in Bishop?
- Vision Project work completed to date
- Stakeholder engagement for data inventory
- Next steps

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#### What is a Vision Project?

- 2013: USEPA announces a new collaborative framework for implementing the CWA Section 303(d) program called the <u>Long-Term Vision for Assessment, Restoration, and Protection under the Clean Water Act Section 303(d) Program</u> (The Vision).
- Watershed-wide planning initiative focused on improving WQ
- Provides flexibility in using available tools beyond TMDLs to attain WQ restoration

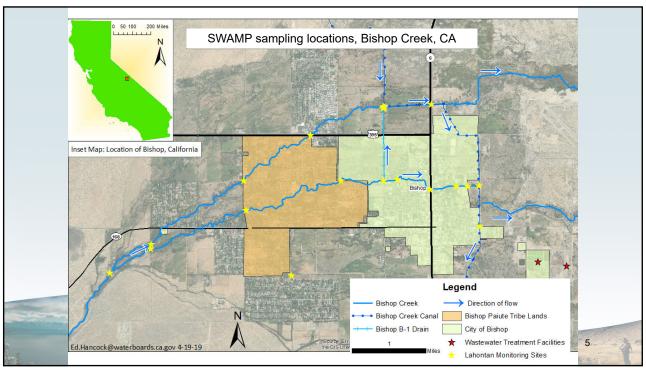
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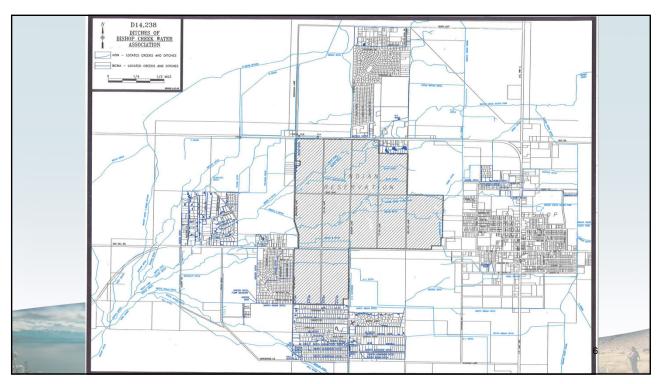
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## How were bacteria issues identified in Bishop Creek?

- 2012/2013: SWAMP screening detects unusually high bacteria concentrations
- 2013-2016: Diagnostic sampling reveals bacteria concentrations in the creek as well above WQOs
  - Sampling strategy was somewhat "shotgun"; data set is useful for identifying that there is a water quality impairment, but less useful for source analysis due to temporal variation in site visits
- 2014: Contractor working for Lahontan performs MST analysis in Bishop Creek as part of wider-focused Eastern Sierra Bacteria Study

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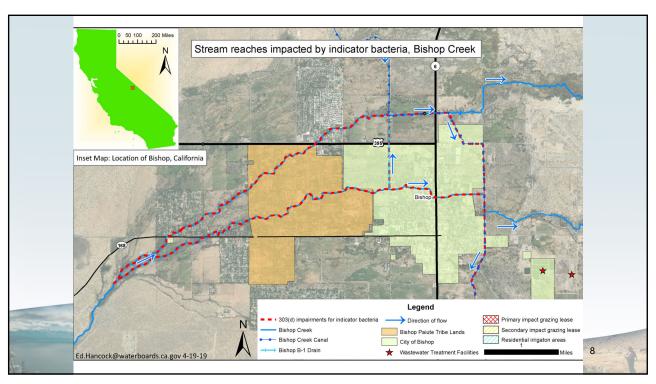


#### Vision Project Timeline of Key Events

- 2014: Inyo County Health Dept. posts warning signs in portions of creek where water contact rec is known to occur
  - 2014-present: Paiute Tribe continues to post warning signs on sections of the creek which flow through tribal lands
- 303(d) listing for Indicator Bacteria due with adoption of pending 2018 Integrated Report (likely November 2019)
- 2015: In anticipation of listing, Water Board identifies Bishop Creek as Vision Project candidate
- · 2017: Staff begin work on Vision Project Plan
- · Expected: 2022 Vision Project Plan complete

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#### Potential sources of bacteria

- Grazing related sources from numerous grazing leases
- Urban and suburban runoff (pet wastes, ornamental residential creek diversions, urban NPS)
- Wastewater exfiltration (sewer laterals, WWTP collection infrastructure)
- Natural sources

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#### **Vision Project Work Completed to Date**

- Planning and Outreach Documents (Project Charter, Problem Statement, Fact Sheet, Draft Outreach Plan)
- Initial stakeholder outreach: Paiute Tribe, LADWP, City of Bishop, Inyo County, Eastern Sierra Land Trust, Eastern Sierra CSD
- Website and listserve https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/lahontan/water\_issues/programs/t mdl/bishopcreek.html
- Sanitary Sewer Audit (April 2018) led by staff from Lahontan South Office (Victorville)
- Data analysis identified four (4) grazing leases west of the City of Bishop which are probable major contributors to bacteria in the creek

# Two Key Stakeholders Contributing to Vision Project Data Inventory

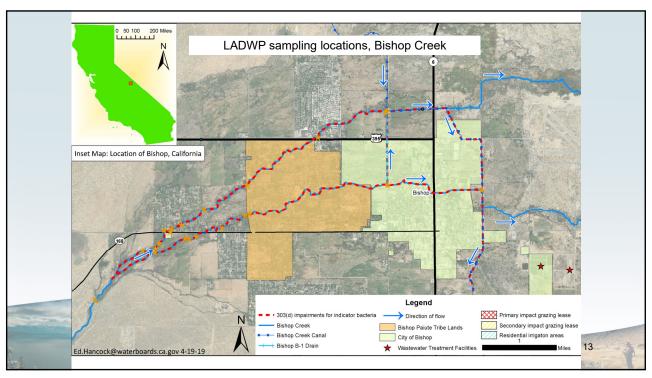
- Bishop Paiute Tribe
  - Collecting E. coli data for ~20 years above and below tribal lands (4 locations, 2 on each fork of creek)
    - Data not submitted to CEDEN. No IR assessments possible prior to 2018 cycle. Bacteria issue identified sooner if Lahontan had worked with Tribe to submit data to CEDEN/Water Board?
    - Tribe has now shared data set with the Water Board
    - Tribe dataset is useful, but sampling does not have spatial resolution to help detailed source analysis

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# Two Key Stakeholders Contributing to Vision Project Data Inventory

- Los Angeles Dept. of Water and Power (LADWP)
  - Major land owner in Owens Valley
  - Responsible
  - Collecting E. coli and MST data since 2014 (after they are alerted about potential WQ issue in surface waters adjacent to their grazing lands)
  - Weekly collections (*E. coli*) from 25 sites = >5200 data points, unrivaled temporal and spatial dataset
  - Working with us since April 2019 to enter data into CEDEN, or provide full data set to the Water Board
  - for leasing the majority of grazing leases in the lowlands areas of Owens Valley



#### **Next Steps for Vision Project**

- Detailed source analysis using Lahontan, LADWP, Tribe data, available MST data
- Stakeholder outreach and education
  - Connect ranchers with NRCS
  - Healthy watershed education program in collaboration with Paiute Tribe
- Water Board is preparing a waste discharge permit (WDR) for LADWP grazing lands (planned adoption by November 2019)
  - Vision staff expect that WDR will go a long way to attain WQOs in Bishop Creek
  - WDR will be a major implementation tool for Vision Project
- Complete Vison Project Plan document

# If Other Stakeholders have Bishop Creek Data for Us to Consider, Data Sharing Resources Are Available

- Regional Monitoring Coordinator can provide training and information to stakeholders who collect water quality data and are willing/desire to upload that data to CEDEN
- Vision Project staff can connect stakeholders with the regional data center (RDC) or to the Regional Monitoring Coordinator to assist in data upload

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