

Selection of Modeling Tools for Sustainable Stormwater Management

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Introduction –

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Reasons for BMP Modeling Tools Selection Track

- Stricter, more far reaching stormwater requirements are likely to come soon
 - EPA initiate national rulemaking ([EPA–HQ–OW–2009–0817; FRL–9095–3])
 - National Research Council released the report *Urban Stormwater Management in the United States* (The National Academies Press, 2009)



NRCS Finding

“the rapid conversion of land to urban and suburban areas has profoundly altered how water flows during and following storm events, putting higher volumes of water and more pollutants into the nation’s rivers, lakes, and estuaries. These changes have degraded water quality and habitat in virtually every urban stream system.”



Reasons for Modeling Tools – cont'd

EPA Stated Objectives for Rule Making:

- Expand the area subject to federal stormwater regulations.
- Establish specific requirements to control stormwater discharges from new development and redevelopment.

Green Infrastructure for Clean Water Act: IEPA to deliver report to IL General Assembly by June 30 2010:

“Findings and recommendations for adopting an urban storm water management regulatory program in Illinois which includes performance standards and encourages the use of green infrastructure”

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Outline for Presentation

Co Presenters – Erin Pande (ERA), Greg Kacvinsky (Foth)

1. Overview of RECARGA, WinSLAMM, SUSTAIN, and EPA SWMM.
2. Provide 6 short scenarios on considerations for program selection.
3. Provide two in-depth examples

Introduction –

Erin Pande (Engineering Resource Associates, Inc.)

- Introduction to RECARGA

- Simple tool for Hydrologic modeling of Bio/Infiltration systems
 - Quantifies Ponding
 - Infiltration
 - Overflow
 - Et
 - Recharge
- Useful tool for impact analysis
 - Flexible – user inputs
- RECARGA does not model water quality

Introduction –

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- WinSLAMM
 - (Source Loading And Management Model)
 - Ideal for watershed-wide nonpoint source pollution controls
 - Structural BMPs (Ponds, Bioswales, Filters, etc.)
 - Non-Structural BMPs (Street sweeping, impervious area disconnection, etc.)



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- WinSLAMM (KEY INPUTS)
 - Drainage area
 - Pervious/impervious surface percentages
 - Connected vs. disconnected
 - Land uses (i.e. “source areas”)
 - Existing / proposed BMPs
 - Cost data for BMPs (if available)
 - Extended period rainfall file

Introduction –

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- WinSLAMM (**KEY OUTPUTS**)
 - Pollutant concentration(s) at outfall
 - Pollutant yield(s) (lbs)
 - Runoff volume
 - Before/after comparison on impacts to receiving water
 - Removal efficiencies for individual BMPs
 - Cost efficiencies of individual BMPs

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- WinSLAMM
 - Computations based on decades of field data for pollutant buildup and BMP removal efficiencies
 - Mainly a planning tool, although it can be used for site-specific BMP selection and sizing
 - Used widely in Wisconsin



Introduction –

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- SUSTAIN (EPA)
 - System for Urban Stormwater Treatment and Analysis INtegration
 - Similar to WinSLAMM
 - Planning tool for BMP selection and placement on a watershed scale
 - Cost-effectiveness analysis
 - GIS interface

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- SUSTAIN (EPA)
 - Version 1.0 available on EPA's website
 - Includes flow routing (uses EPA SWMM engine)
 - Sediment transport
 - BMP Optimization (load reduction vs. cost)
 - Scaled use from individual sites to community-wide watersheds

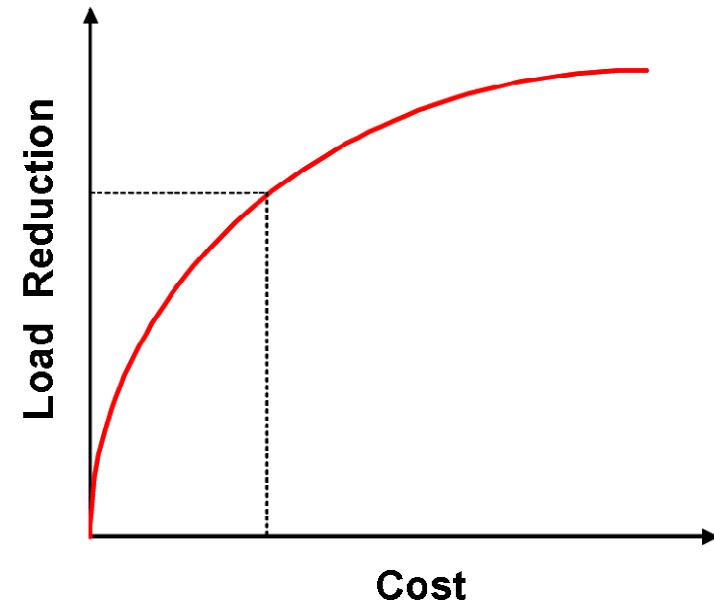
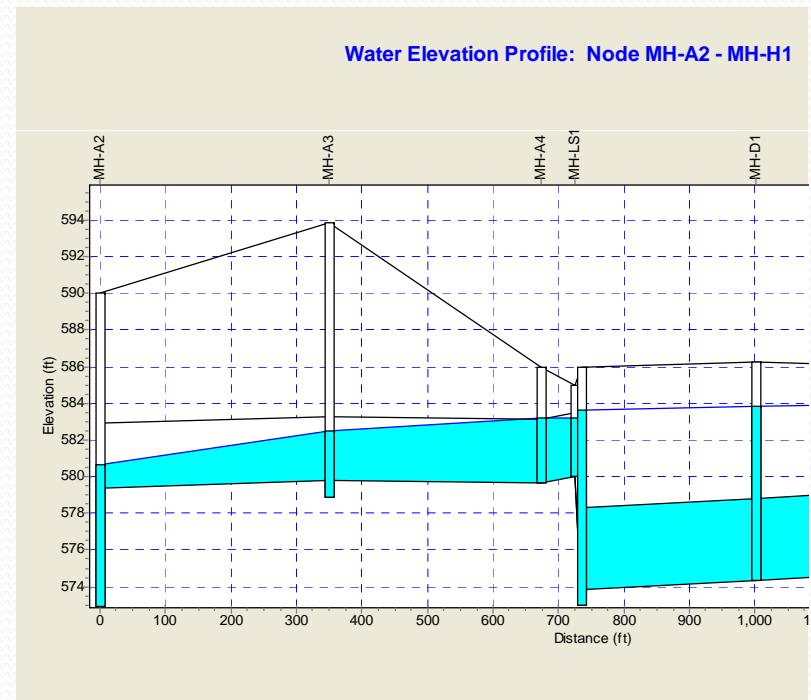


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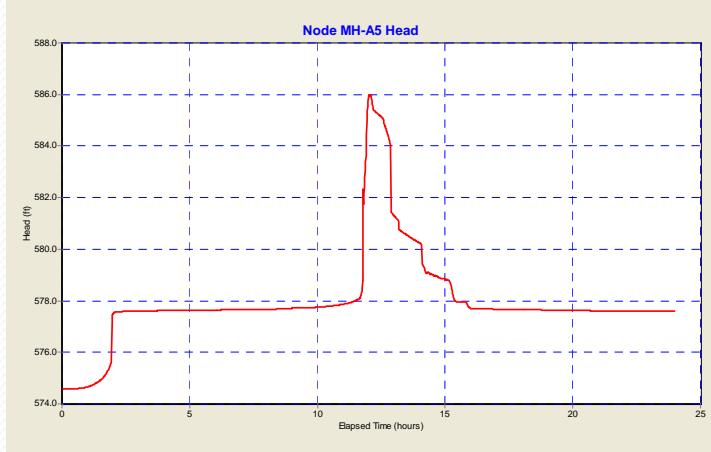
- EPA Storm Water Management Model (SWMM) Capabilities
 - Dynamic rainfall-runoff simulation model
 - Single event or long-term (continuous) simulation of runoff quantity *and* quality
 - Intended for urban areas
 - Full hydrology and hydraulics capabilities
 - Models water quality, infiltration, and snow melt.



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- EPA Storm Water Management Model (SWMM) – Uses
 - Evaluate Best Management Practices (BMPs)
 - Design and size drainage system components (including detention)
 - Analyze combined and sanitary sewer overflows (CSOs and SSOs)
 - Generate non-point source pollutant loadings for wasteload allocation studies
 - Flood plain mapping of natural channel systems



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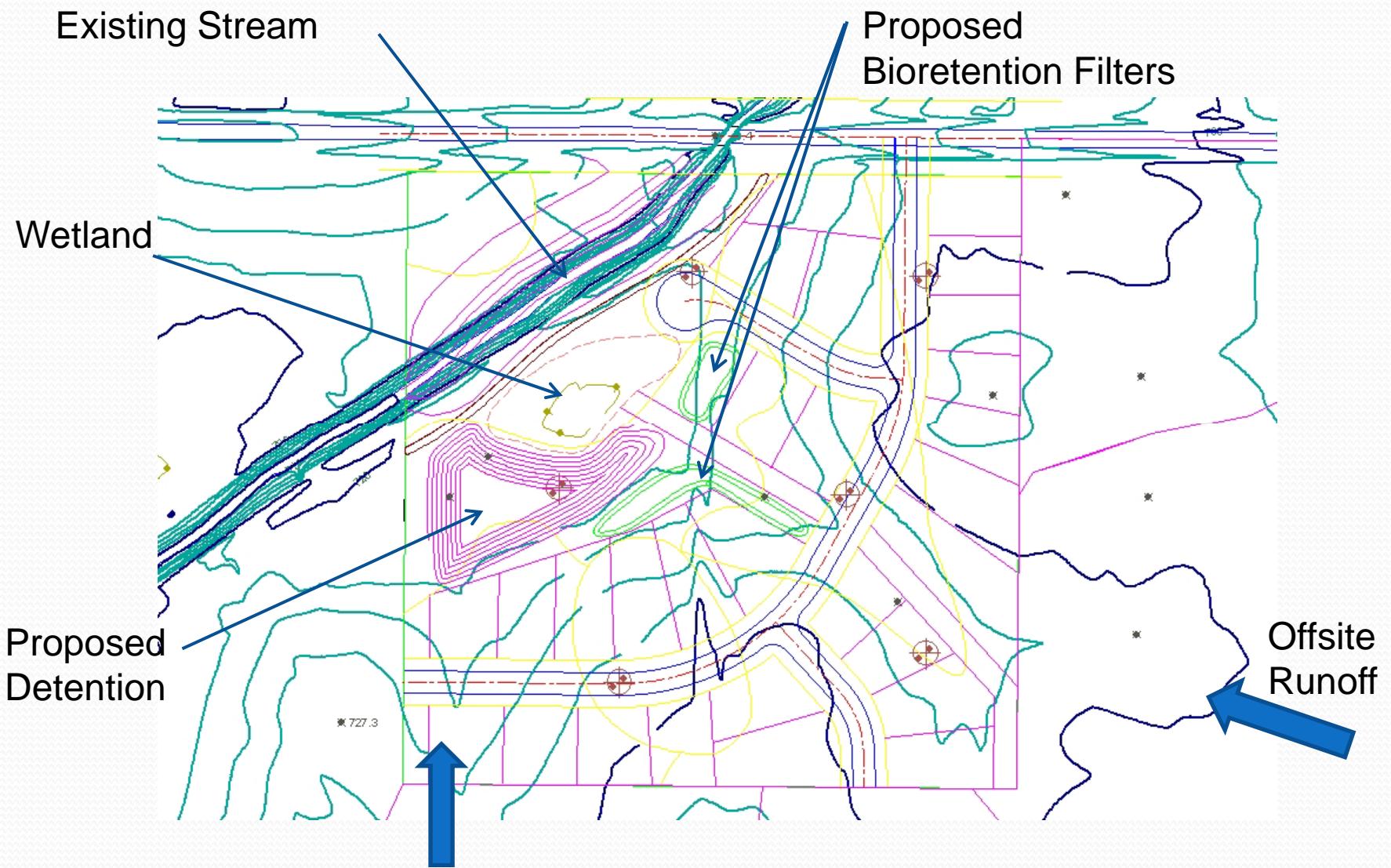
- Key differences between models
 - WinSLAMM, SUSTAIN
 - WinSLAMM is a ***proprietary model***
 - Primarily intended for watershed-wide planning
 - Decision support systems
 - RECARGA
 - Infiltration BMP sizing and design
 - Event-based and continuous simulation
 - Underdrain function
 - EPA SWMM
 - Full hydraulics and hydrology
 - Ideal for collection system design ***and*** BMP sizing/design
 - Event-based and continuous simulation
 - Primarily for urban watersheds.

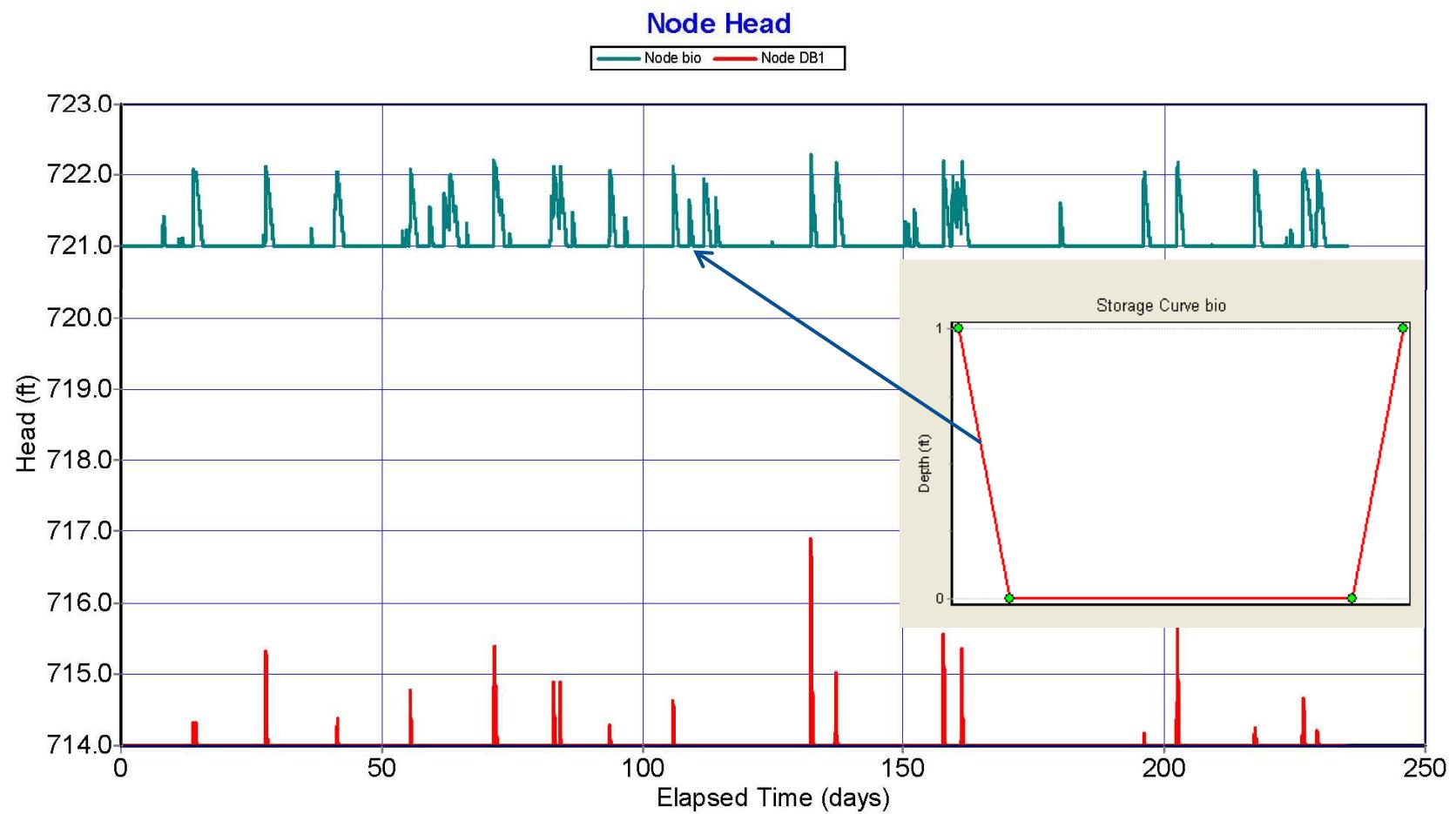


Application Examples–

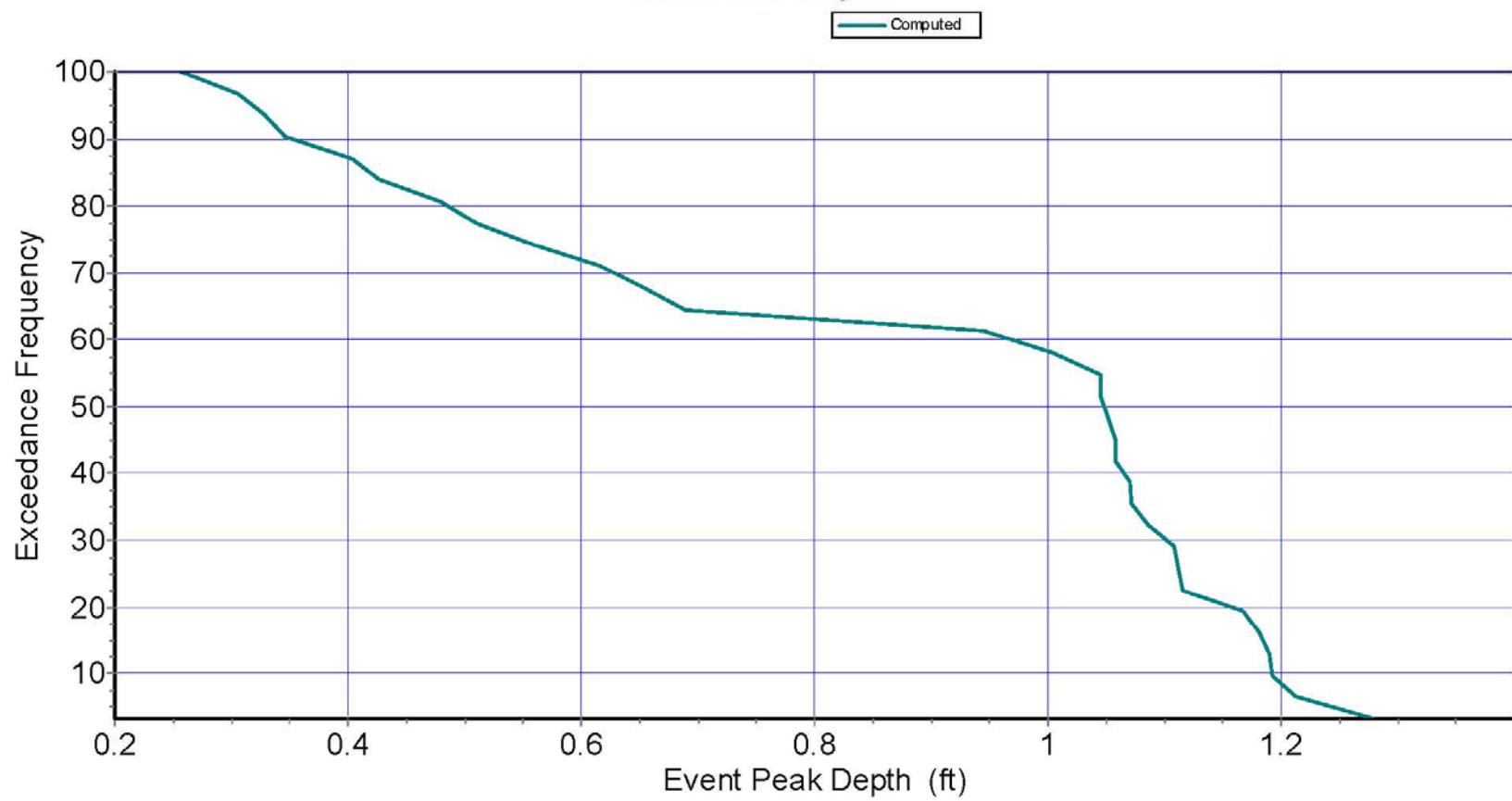
- Site #1: 28-lot single-family residential development: design for local stormwater management requirements
 - EPA SWMM
 - Why use this model ?

Factors: Detention, Wetland, Water Qual Vol Capture



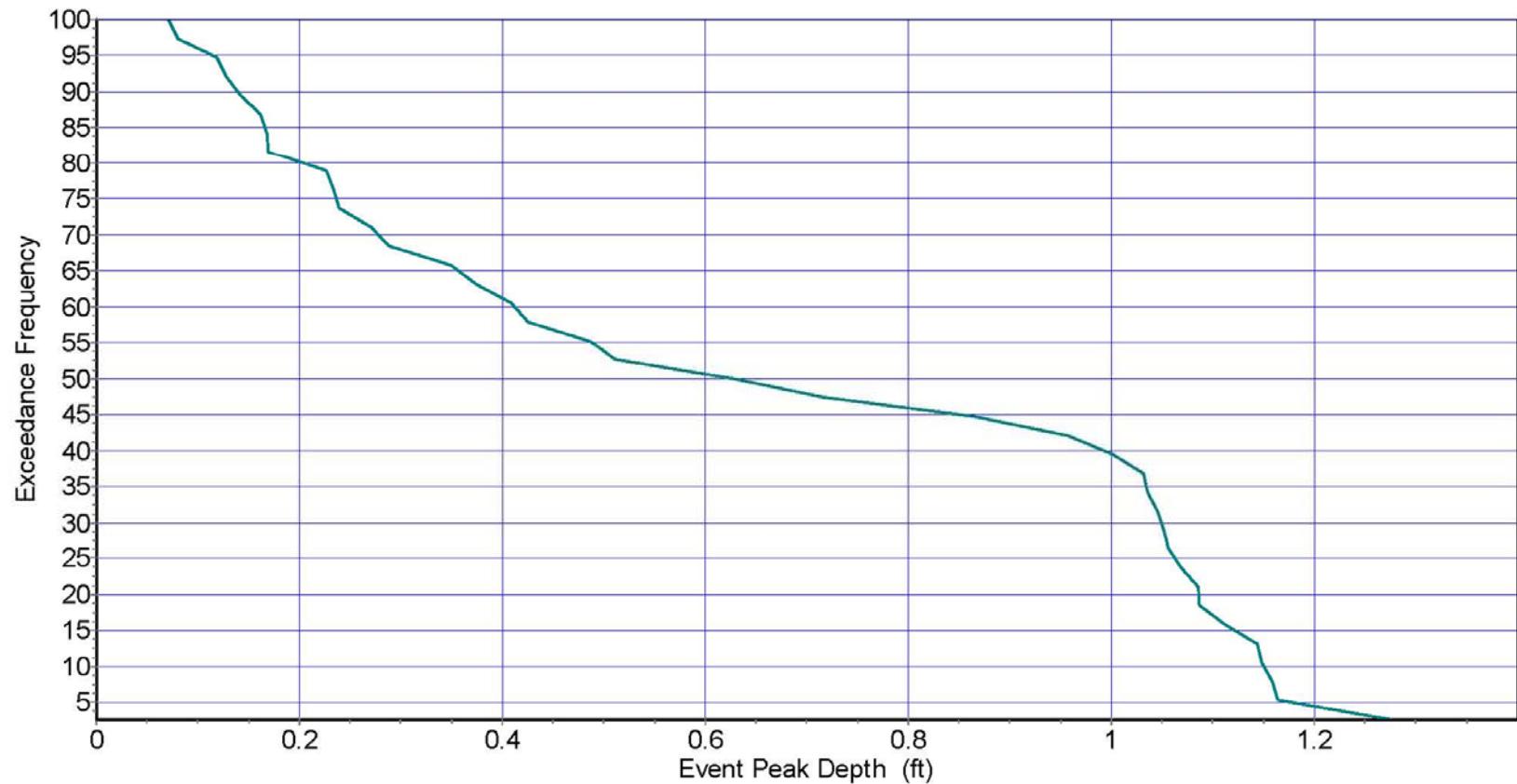


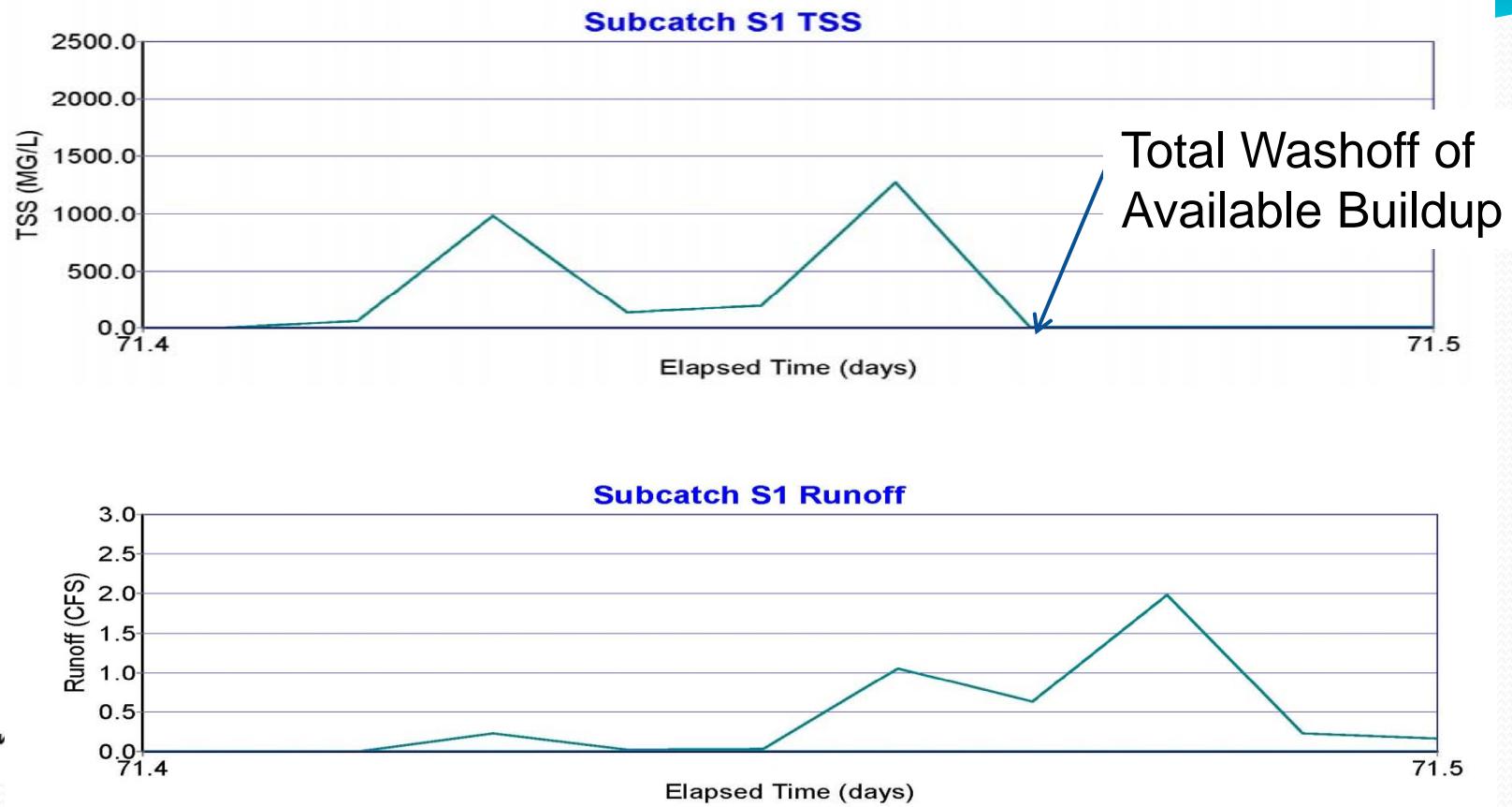
Node bio Depth



Node bio Depth Enlarged 40%

Computed





Buildup and Washoff Functions for Pollutants

Application Examples–

- Site #2: 10-acre commercial redevelopment





Application Examples–

- Site #2: 10-acre commercial redevelopment: design bioretention to meet local stormwater quality requirements
- RECARGA: Why use this model / why not use others?
 - Easy to determine required area needed for BMP
 - Local MS4 Permit requires treatment of water quality storm
 - Detention basin is pre-existing



Application Examples–

- Site #3: Urbanized watershed: develop Watershed Master Plan to satisfy MS4 Notice of Intent
- WinSLAMM
- Why use this model / why not use others?
 - Local MS4 Permit requires % reduction in TSS over next 5 yrs
 - Need to evaluate City-wide BMPs (both structural and non-structural)
 - Evaluate cost-effectiveness of BMPs
 - No design-level effort necessary at this stage (planning only)

WinSLAMM Input

- 5-year rainfall data set
- Pollutant loadings based on field research

Current File Data

SLAMM Data File Name: X:\GB\IE\2008\08B012\SLAMM Modeling\Bellevue MS4 Subbasin E2.22 Existing.dat

Site Descrip.: Bellevue MS4 Stormwater Modeling - Basin E2.22

Seed: -42

Rain File: C:\Program Files\WinSLAMM\RainFiles\WisReg - Green Bay Five Year Rainfall.ran

Start Date: 01/01/68 **End Date:** 12/30/72 **Winter Season Range**
Start of Winter (mm/dd) 11/25 **End of Winter (mm/dd)** 03/29

Pollutant Probability Distribution File: C:\Program Files\WinSLAMM\WI_GE001.ppd

Runoff Coefficient File: C:\Program Files\WinSLAMM\WI_SL06 Dec06.rsv

Particulate Solids Concentration File: C:\Program Files\WinSLAMM\WI_AVG01.psc

Particulate Residue Delivery File: C:\Program Files\WinSLAMM\WI_DLV01.prr

Street Delivery File (Select LU)
 Residential LU Industrial LU
 Institutional LU Other Urban LU
 Commercial LU Freeways
 Use Cost Estimation **Select Cost Data File**

Drainage System: Data Entered

Buttons: Cancel Continue

WinSLAMM Input

- Land uses and corresponding areas defined
 - Each Source Area has its own pollutant buildup profile
 - Each Source Area has other key characteristics:
 - Disconnected impervious areas
 - Existing BMPs

WinSLAMM Output (Existing Conditions)

- Total pollutant yields (lbs)
- Can break out data per pollutant type
- Sets benchmark for future pollutant reduction

WinSLAMM Model Output

File View Runoff Volume Particulate Solids Pollutants Output Summary

File Name: X:\GB\NE\2008\08B012\SLAMM Modeling\Bellevue MS4 Subbasin E2.22 Existing.dat

Drainage System and Outfall Output Summary

| Runoff Volume (cu. ft.) | Percent Runoff Reduction | Runoff Coefficient (Rv) | Particulate Solids Conc. (mg/L) | Particulate Solids Yield (lbs) | Percent Particulate Solids Reduction |
|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Source Area Total without Controls | 2.136E+06 | Percent Reduction Basis Value | 0.11 | 181.7 | 24227 |
| Outfall Total without Controls | | | | | Percent Reduction Basis Value |
| Current File Output: Total Before Drainage System | 2.136E+06 | 0.00 % | 0.11 | 166.7 | 22214 |
| Current File Output: Total After Drainage System | 2.028E+06 | 5.06 % | 0.10 | 161.8 | 20482 |
| Current File Output: Total After Outfall Controls | 2.028E+06 | 5.06 % | 0.10 | 161.8 | 20482 |
| Current File Output: Annualized Total After Outfall Controls | 405746 | | | | 15.46 % |
| Total Area Modeled (ac) | 38.40 | Years in Model Run: | 5.00 | | 4099 |
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Total Control Practice Costs

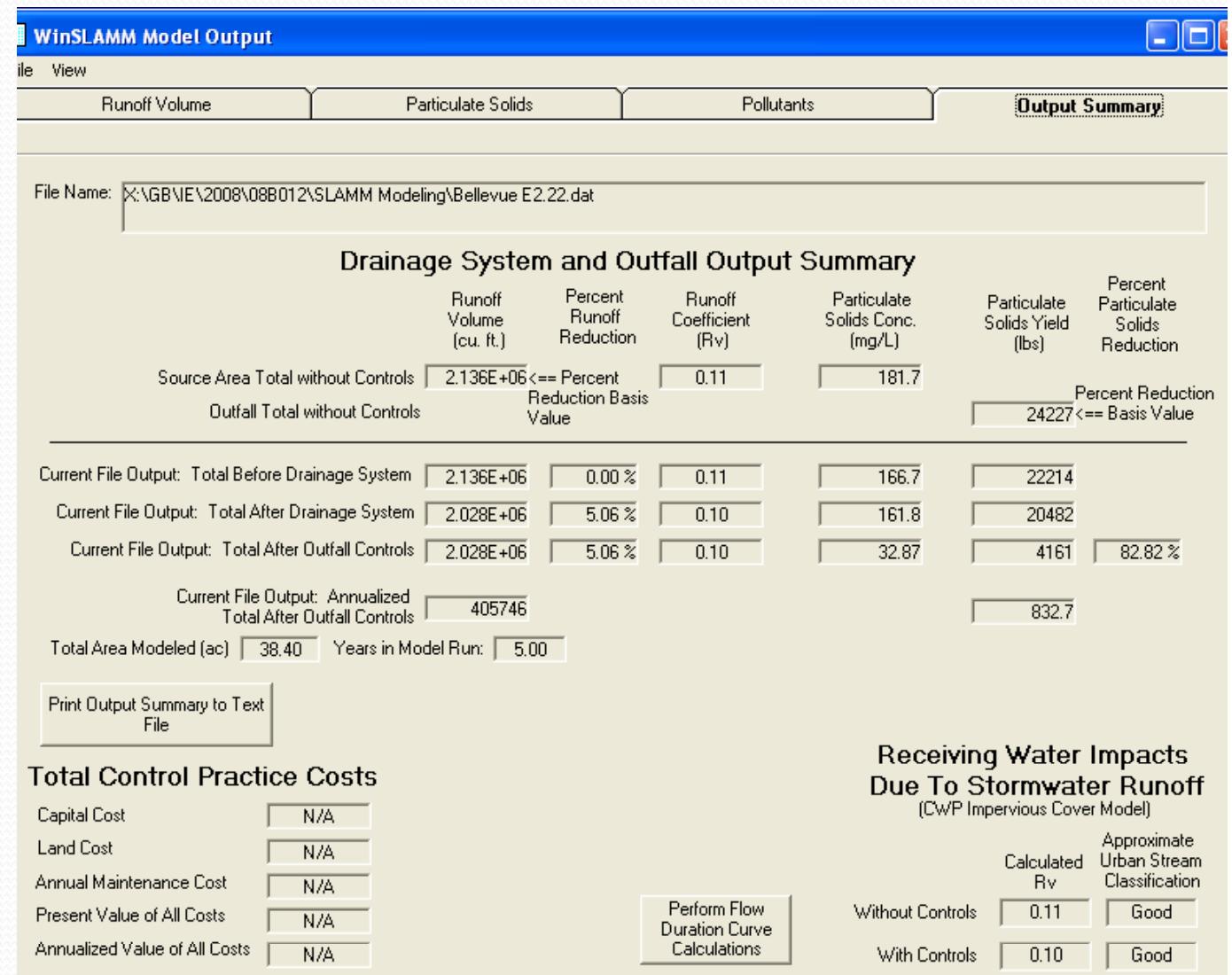
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| Capital Cost | N/A |
| Land Cost | N/A |
| Annual Maintenance Cost | N/A |
| Present Value of All Costs | N/A |
| Annualized Value of All Costs | N/A |

Receiving Water Impacts Due To Stormwater Runoff
(CWP Impervious Cover Model)

| Without Controls | Calculated Rv | Approximate Urban Stream Classification |
|------------------|---------------|---|
| 0.11 | Good | |
| With Controls | 0.10 | Good |

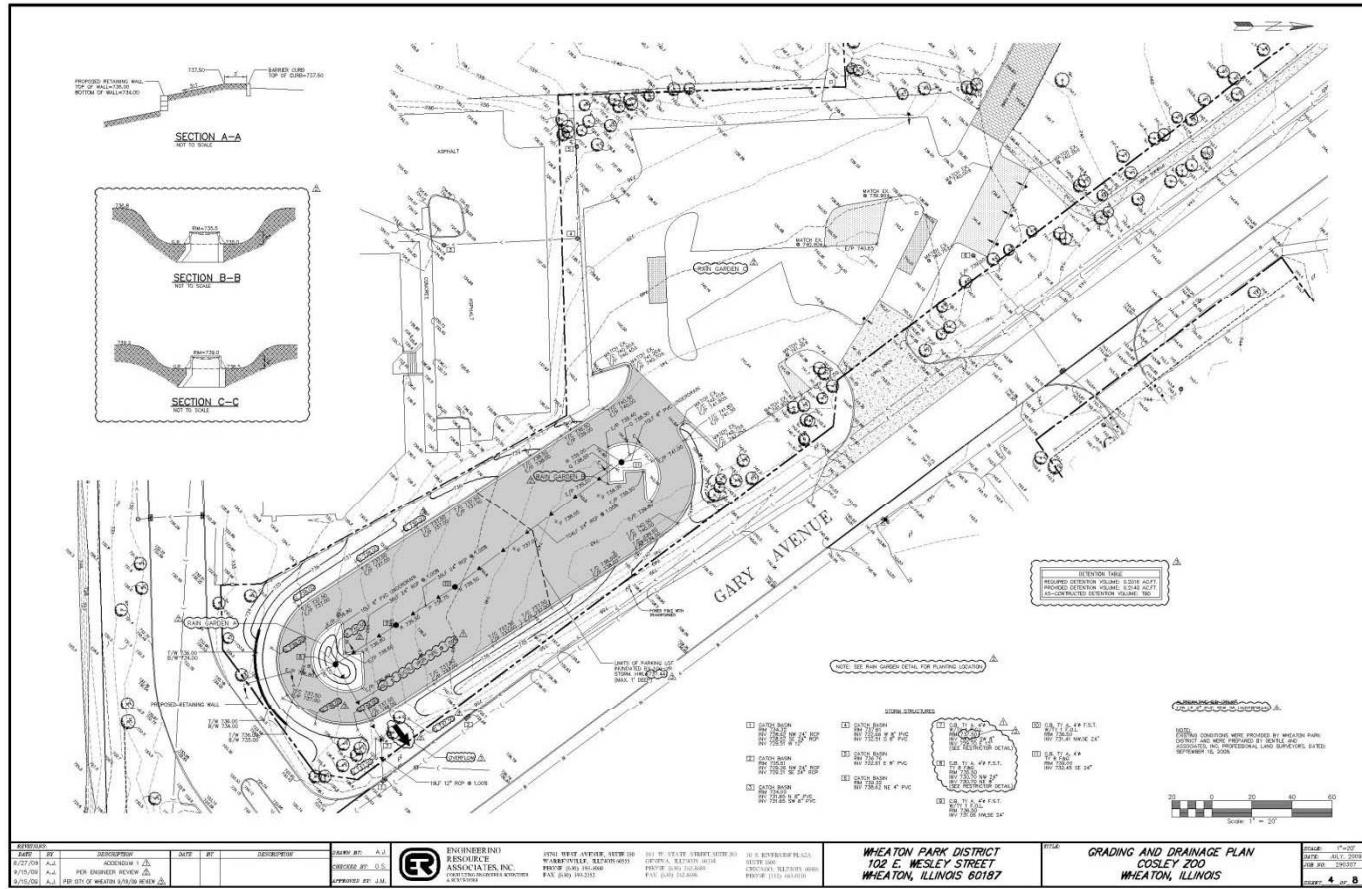
WinSLAMM Output (Future Conditions)

- 82% reduction in solids
- Controls reduce particulate concentration from 162 mg/L to 33 mg/L
- BMP cost data can be added for additional planning tool



Application Examples–

- Site #4: Small Municipal Project



Application Examples—

- Site #4: Small Municipal Project
 - RECARGA – Cosley Zoo
 - Why use this model / why not use others?

RECARGA Version 2.3
Bioretention/Raingarden Sizing Program

Planview Data

| | |
|--------------------|---------------|
| Facility Area | 2920.21 [sf] |
| Tributary Area | .13496 [acre] |
| Percent Impervious | 100 |
| Pervious CN | 87.1 |

Files

| | |
|---|---------------------------------|
| Regional Ave. ET | 0.13 [in./day] |
| Simulation Type | Single Event |
| Rainfall Distribution | Typell |
| Rainfall Depth | 3.04 [in.] |
| Output File Name | COS2 |
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Facility Inputs

| | | |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Soil Texture | Hydraulic Conductivity [in/hr] | Thickness [in.] |
| Ponding Zone | | 6 |
| Root Zone | Sandy Loam | 3.94 24 |
| Storage Zone | Sand | 5.91 6 |
| Underdrain Flowrate | 0 [in/hr] | Diam. 0 [in.] |
| Limiting Subsoil Layer | Clay | 0.07 |

Results

Plant Survivability (Less than 48 hours max. ponding is desirable)

| | | |
|---------------------|-------|----|
| max. | Total | |
| Hrs. Ponded | 60 | 60 |
| Number of overflows | 0 | |

Tributary Runoff [in.]

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| Precipitation | 3.04 |
| Impervious Runoff | 2.9022 |
| Pervious Runoff | 0 |

Raingarden Water Balance [in.] %

| | | |
|---------------|---------|---------|
| Runon | 2.9022 | 95.4673 |
| Runoff | 0 | 0 |
| Recharge | 1.6673 | 54.8441 |
| Evaporation | 0.00041 | 0.01366 |
| Underdrain | 0 | 0 |
| Soil Moisture | 0.79569 | 26.1739 |

Stay-on 3.04 100

RUN SIMULATION **CLEAR RESULTS**

Developed by the University of Wisconsin-Madison Civil & Environmental Engineering Water Resources Group (D. Atchison, A. Dussallant, L. Severson)

Application Examples—

- Site #4: Small Municipal Project





Application Examples–

- Site #5: Municipality (10,000 pop.) with 3 separate watersheds: analyze impacts of City-wide stormwater quality BMPs on receiving streams (local TMDL issues)
- WinSLAMM
- Why use this model / why not use others?
 - WinSLAMM can model removal efficiencies for multiple pollutants, especially those typically found in TMDLs

Application Examples—

- Site #5: Municipality (10,000 pop.) with 3 separate watersheds (WinSLAMM):
 - Watershed 1: Heavy industrial area developed before detention regulations (TMDLs: Lead, Zinc)
 - Watershed 2: Developing area with significant ongoing construction (Potential for innovative design by coordinating with developers)
 - Watershed 3: Commercial / Residential mix (TMDL: Total Nitrogen)



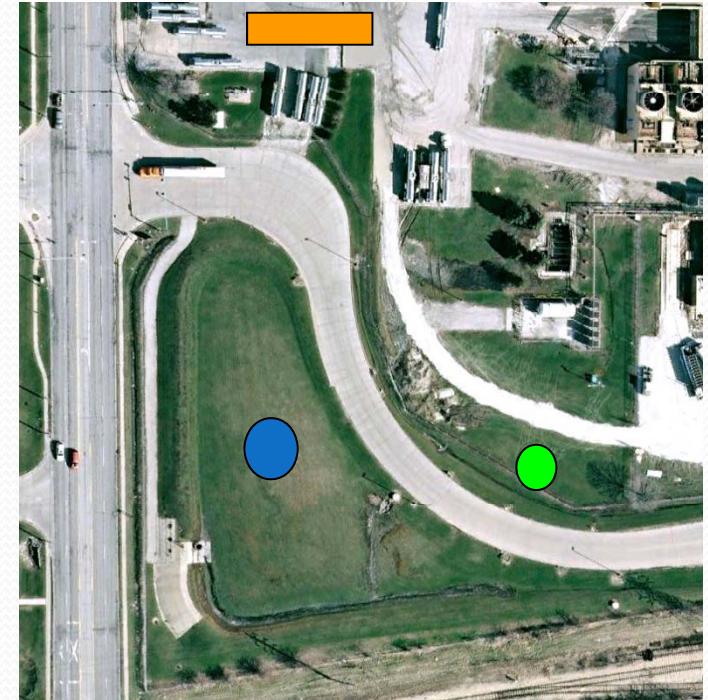


Application Examples–

- Site #5: Analyze Watershed-Specific Solutions (WinSLAMM)
 - Watershed 1: Reduce heavy metals: targeted wet detention, facility pavement sweeping, targeted mechanical separation (swirl concentrators)
 - Watershed 2: Opportunity for application of newer stormwater management techniques (i.e. bioretention)
 - Watershed 3: Reduce Total Nitrogen: street sweeping, impervious area disconnection, targeted rain gardens, detention pond retrofits

Application Examples—

- Site #5: Analyze Watershed-Specific Solutions (WinSLAMM)
 - Total cost of BMPs per watershed
 - Evaluate cost effectiveness of recommended BMPs
 - Prioritize BMPs based on cost-effectiveness
 - Locate and determine preliminary size for each BMP
 - Update land development ordinances
 - Submit materials for regulatory review



■ Pavement Sweeping

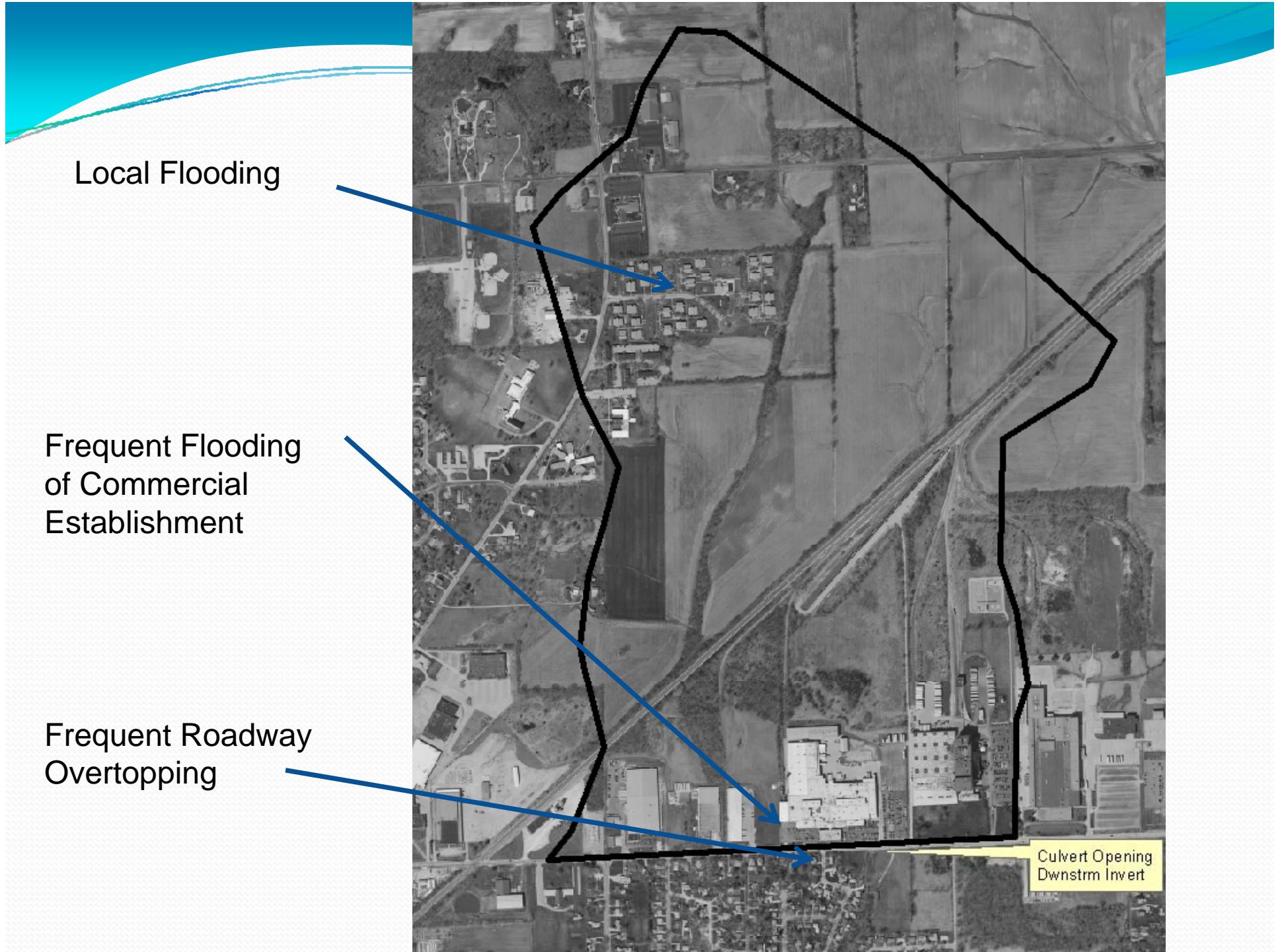
● Dry Detention Pond

● Bioretention



Application Examples–

- Site #6: 640 acre mixed use watershed
 - EPA SWMM – Show Dynamic flood modeling combined with Pollutant reduction measures





Significant Storage and Dynamic Flow Situations

Base Flow Path

Flood Path

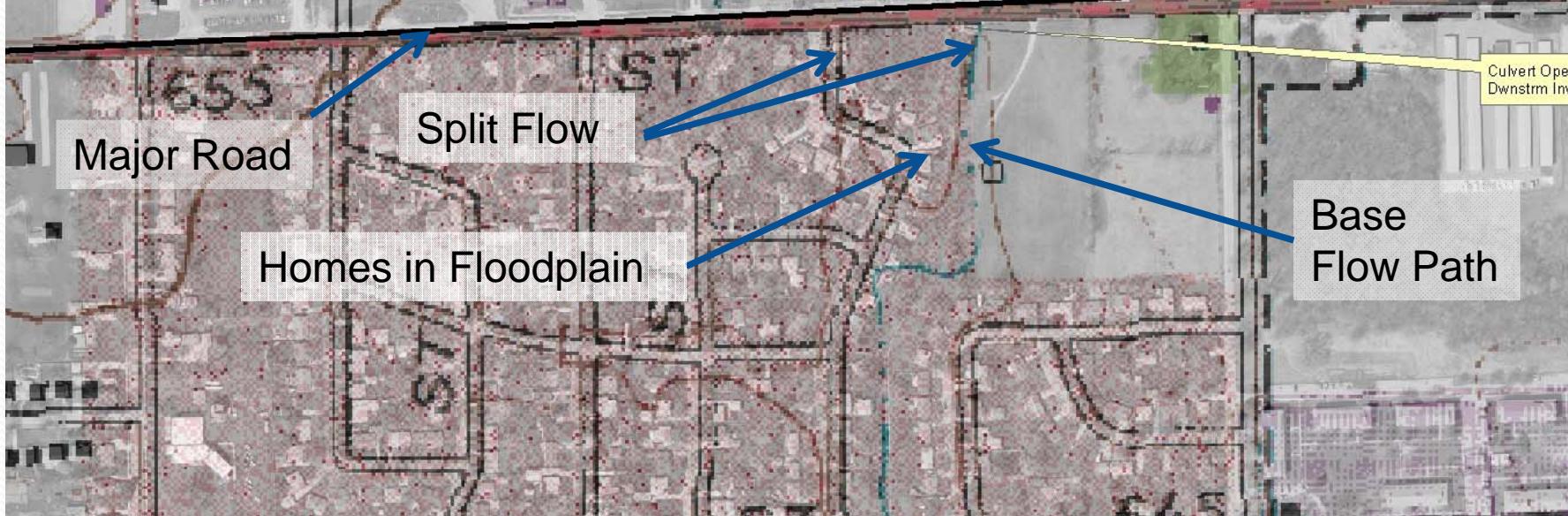


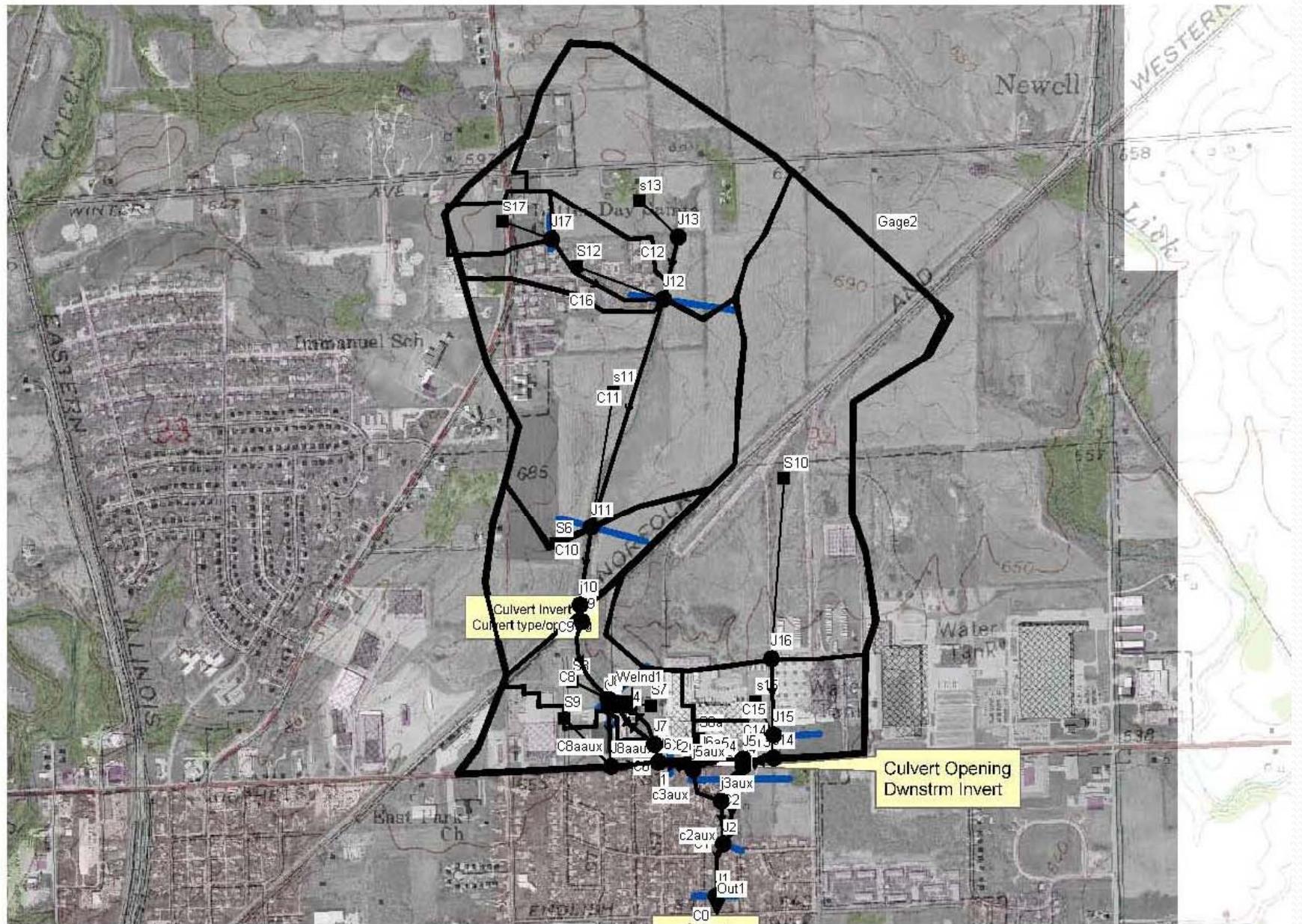
Major Road

Split Flow

Homes in Floodplain

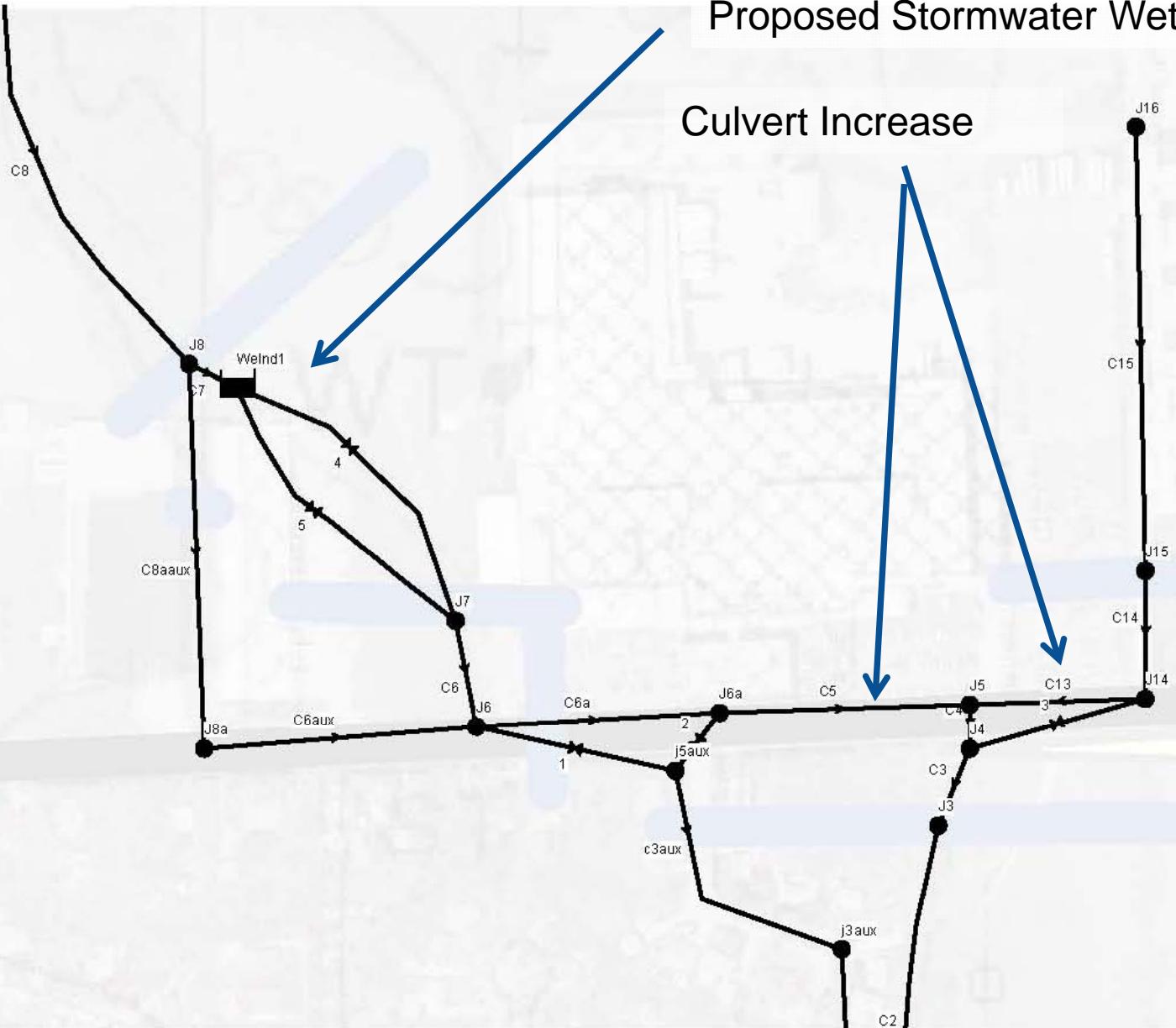
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Flow Path

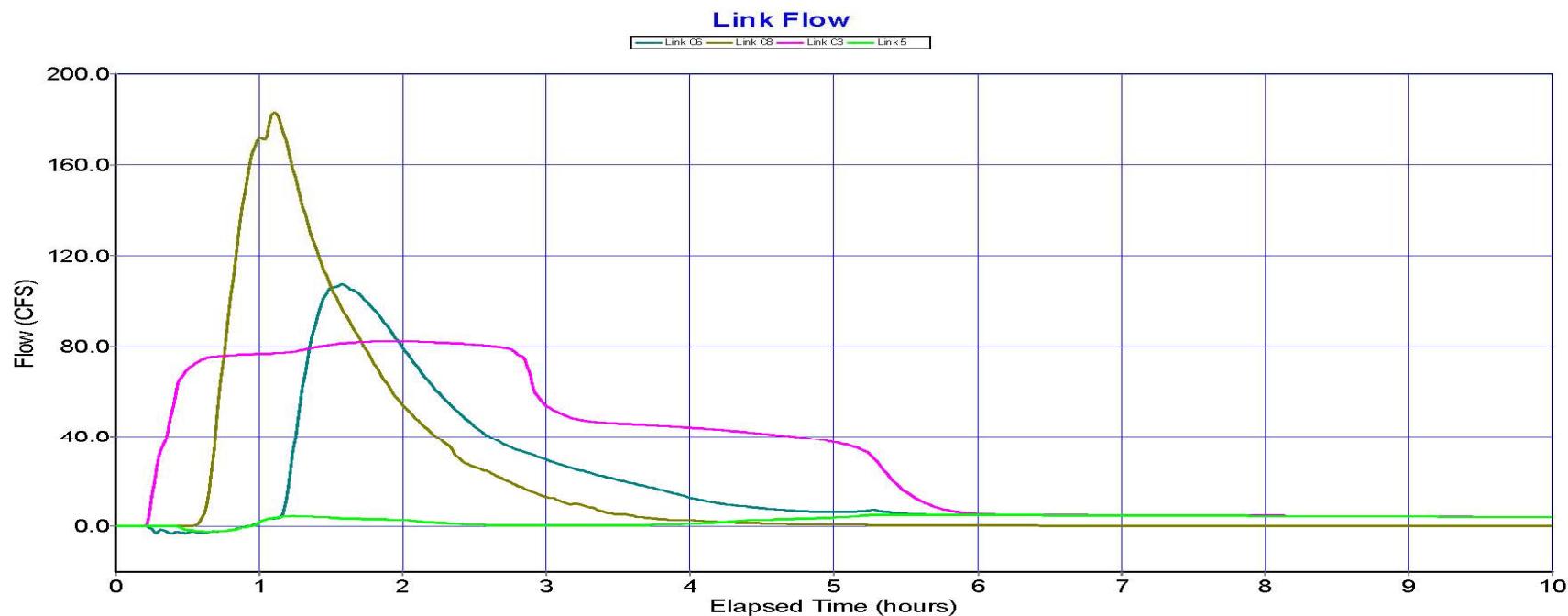
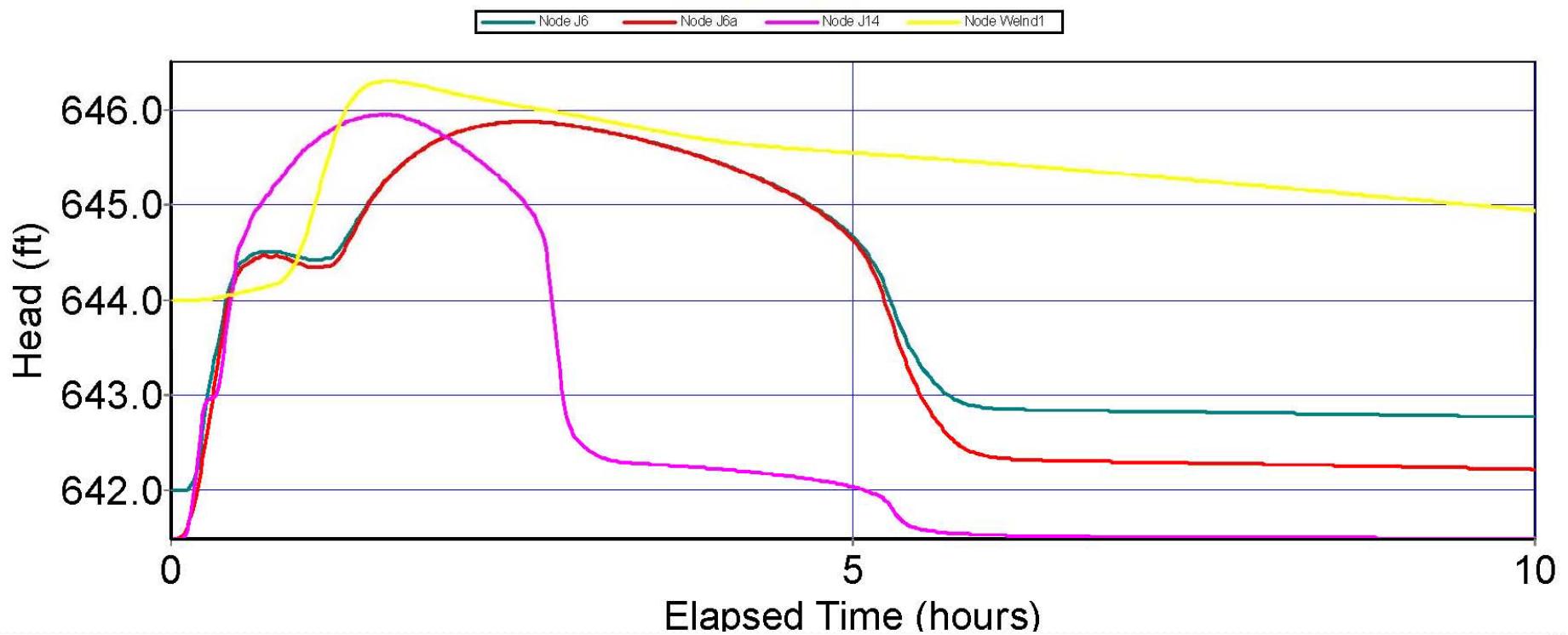




Proposed Stormwater Wetland

Culvert Increase





Modeling Examples–

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- Site #1: 40-acre single-family residential development
 - Model: EPA SWMM
 - Model demonstration
 - Key data needs
 - Model structure and input data
 - Design alternative analysis using model
 - Output data and interpretation



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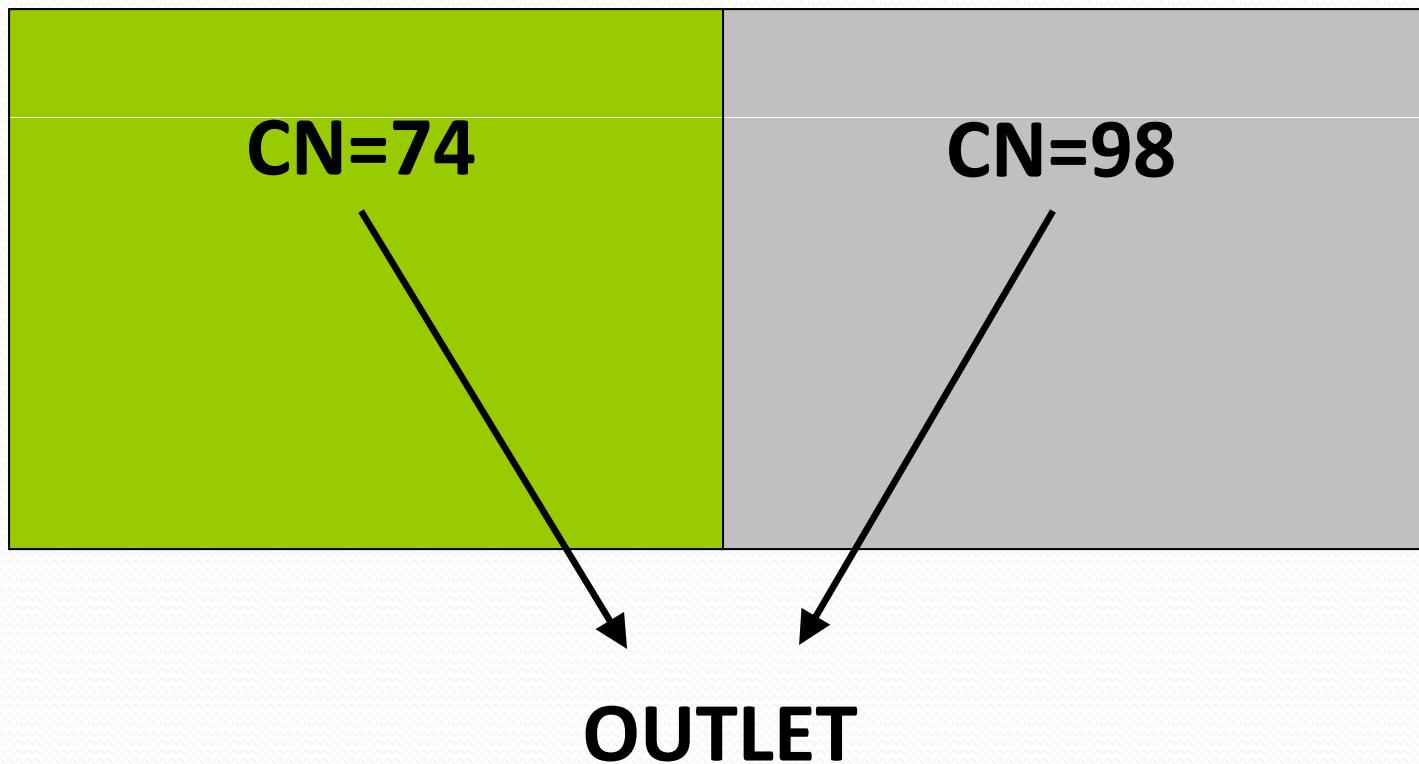
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- Site #1: 40-acre single-family residential (EPA SWMM)
 - Data Needs:
 - Basic hydrologic variables
 - Drainage areas
 - % Impervious
 - **% Disconnected Impervious**
 - Bioretention storage volume
 - Soil boring data (CRITICAL FOR BIORETENTION DESIGN)
 - K_{sat}

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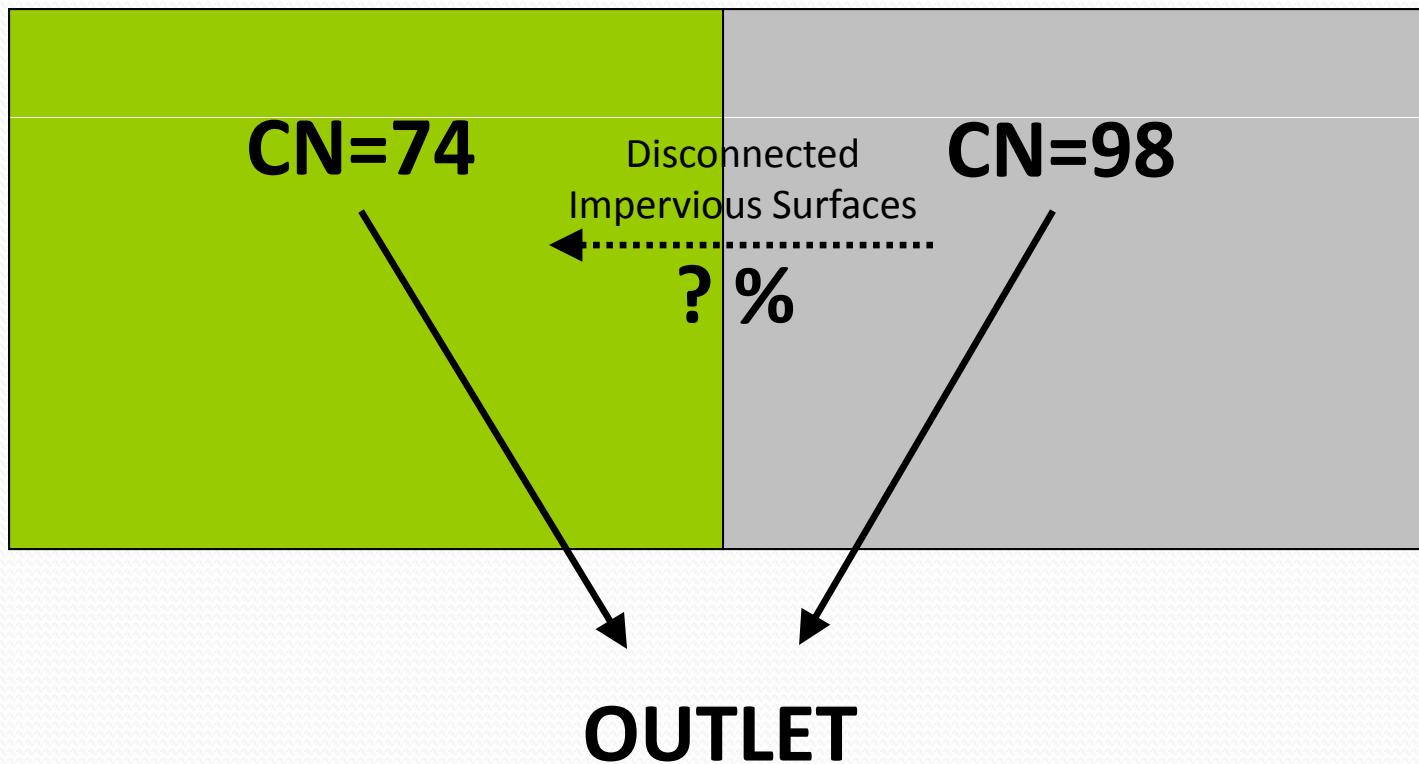
Runoff Calculations in EPA SWMM



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Modeling Examples–

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- **EPA SWMM**

- Hydrology relies on the Distributed CN Approach
- Composite CN Approach is not necessarily appropriate for small storm hydrology

| Example of Runoff Underestimation for a 1.3-inch Precipitation Event | | | | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|---|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Approach | Area (acres) | Curve Number | Description | Runoff Depth (in.) | Runoff Volume (ac-ft) |
| Composite CN | 20 | 75 | ¼ acre lots, 38% impervious, SCS Soil Type B | 0.1 | 0.17 |
| Distributed CN | 6 | 98 | Paved roads, rooftops | 1.08 | 0.54 |
| | 14 | 65 | Green spaces with disconnected impervious area interspersed | 0.01 | 0.01 |

Source: *Stormwater Magazine*, March-April 2010

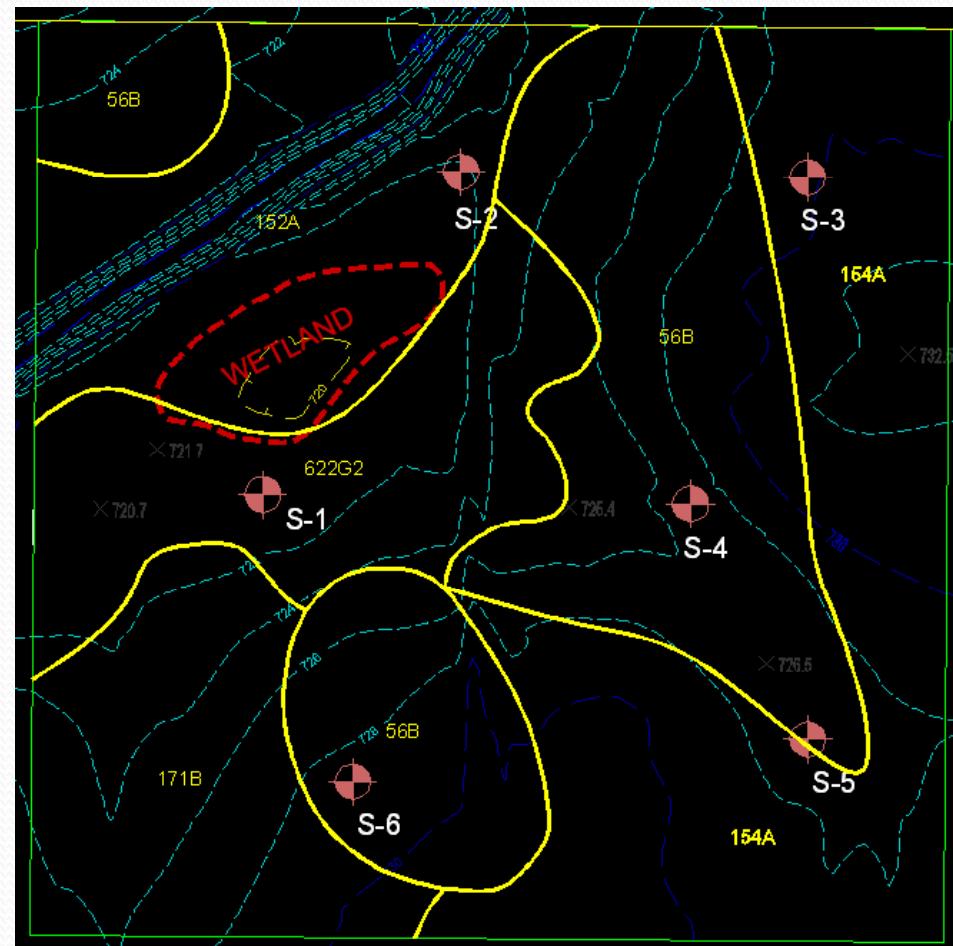
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Bioretention Modeling

Ideal location for
infiltration BMPs?

Depends on the
soil characteristics



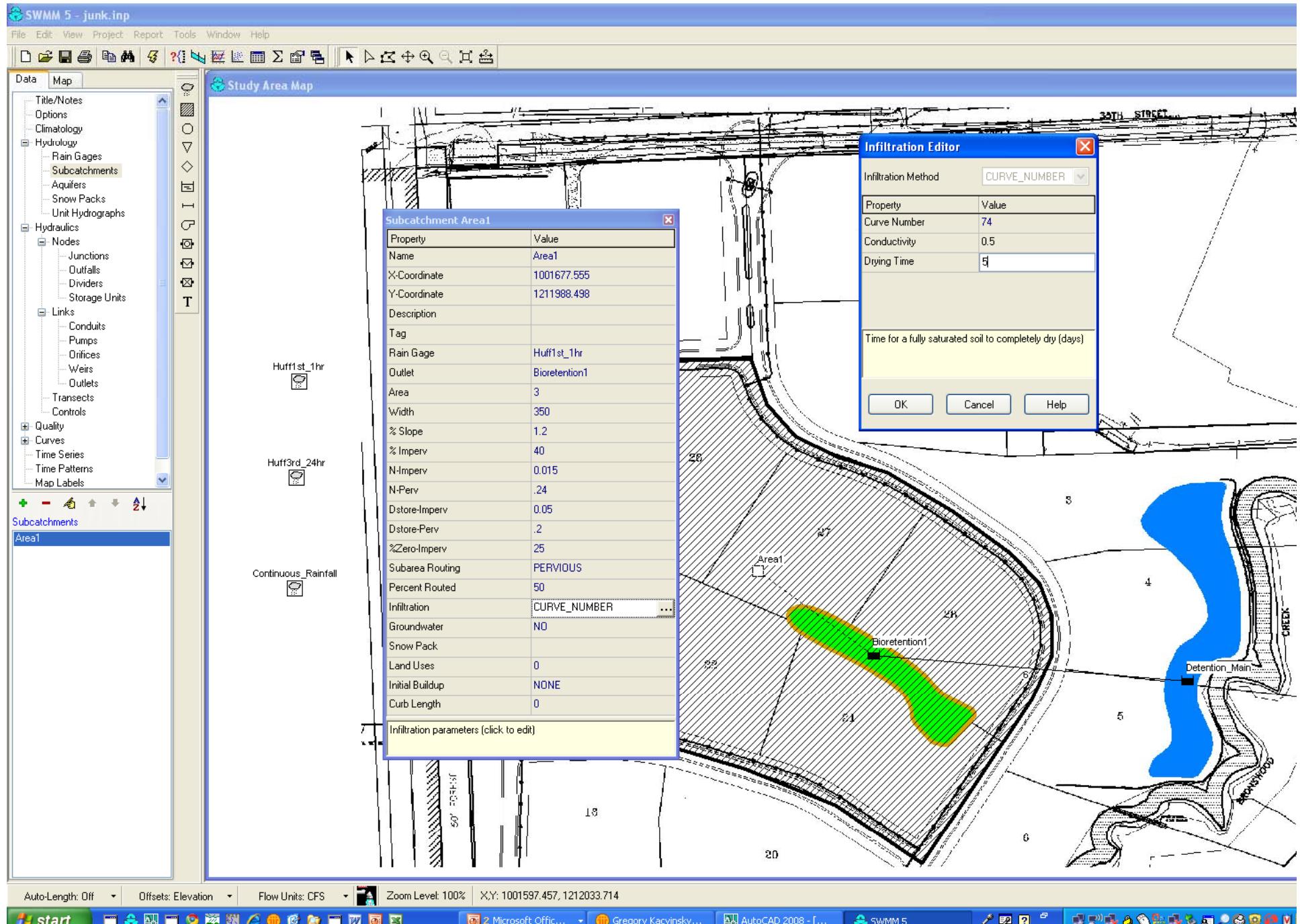
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- Geotechnical data

- S-1: Silty loam, Ksat <0.50 in/hr
- S-2: Clayey Silt, Ksat <0.10 in/hr
- S-3: Clayey Silt, Ksat <0.20 in/hr
- S-4: Silty Clay, Ksat <0.05 in/hr
- S-5: Silty Clay, Ksat <0.1 in/hr
- Water table for all samples generally between 12 -20 feet below the surface*

| VISUAL SOIL CLASSIFICATION FT | SAMPLE NO. | N | Q _p (tsf) | Q _u (tsf) | MC (%) | D _d (pcf) | REMARKS |
|--|------------|----|----------------------|----------------------|--------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 7" Topsoil | 1-AU | - | - | - | 27 | - | |
| Brown silty CLAY (CL) | 2-SS | 7 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 31 | 96 | |
| | 3-SS | 5 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 17 | 95 | |
| Brown silty CLAY with sand and small gravel (ML-CL) Till | 4-SS | 14 | 2.5 | 5.2 | 15 | 105 | |
| | 5-SS | 15 | 2.3 | 4.2 | 13 | 120 | |
| Gray silty CLAY with sand and small gravel (CL) Till | 6-SS | 18 | 4.5+ | 7.4 | 11 | 128 | ▼ Completion: 15 ft. |
| | 7-SS | 18 | 4.0 | 5.9 | 12 | 128 | ▼ Drilling: 20 ft. |
| END OF BORING AT 21.5 FEET | | | | | | | |



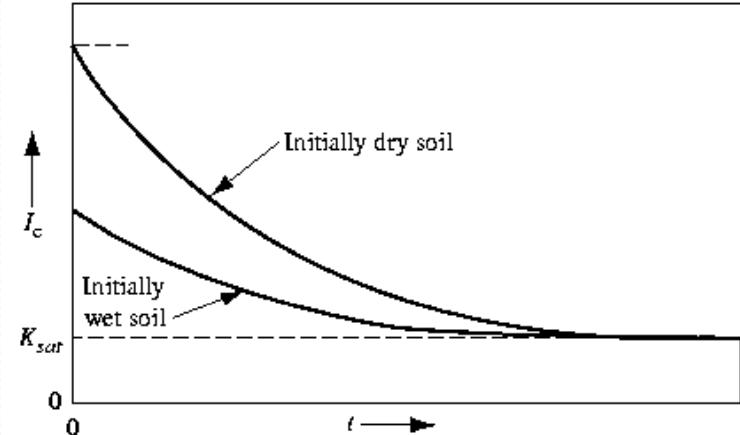
Modeling Examples–

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- Site #1: 40-acre single-family residential (EPA SWMM)
 - Model Structure / Input Data:
 - Distributed CN approach
 - Consider compacted soils (SCS Soil Type B → C ?)
 - Bioretention storage volume and infiltration rates
 - Rainfall data (Huff 1st and 3rd distributions, continuous data set)
 - Evaporation data
 - Hydraulic connections (bioretention overflow to detention pond)

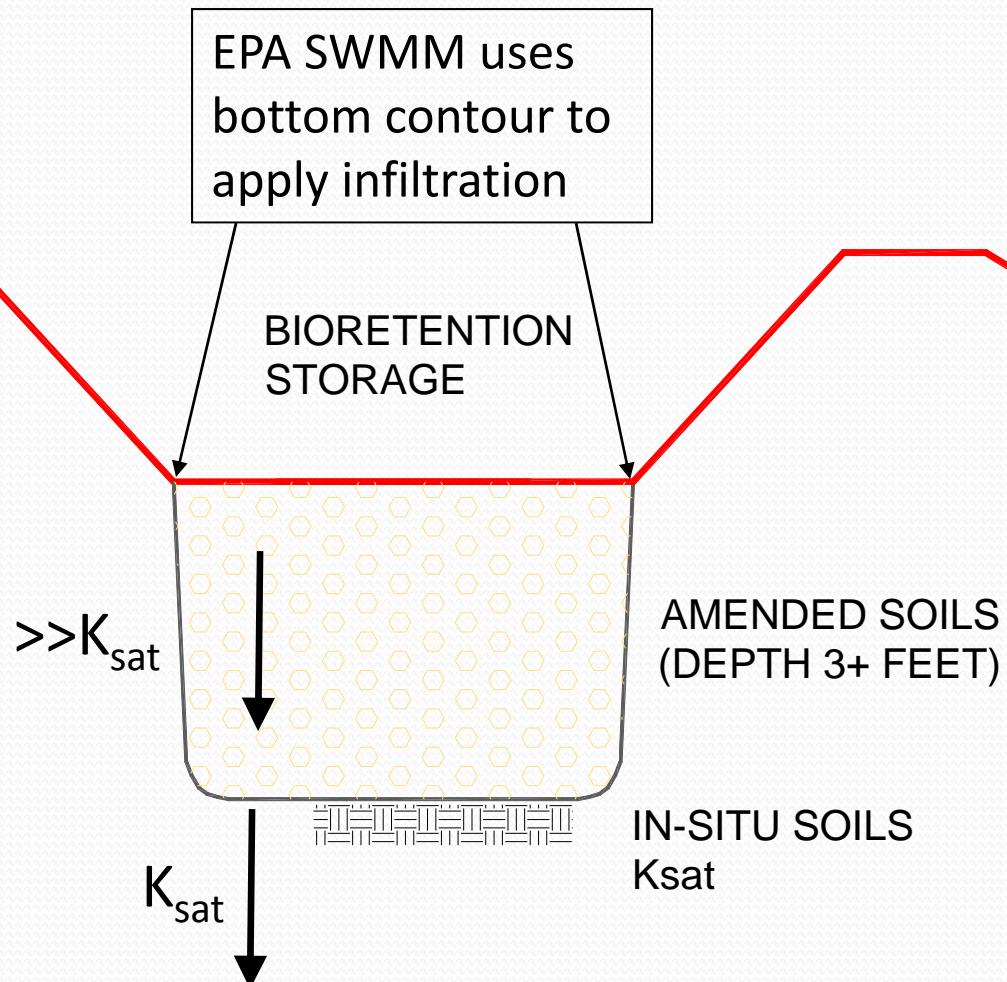
Modeling Examples–

- Bioretention modeling:
 - Establishing infiltration criteria
 - Green-Ampt method
 - **Conductivity (in/hr): K_{sat} (saturated soil conductivity)**
 - MOST IMPORTANT VARIABLE
 - Should be at least 0.3-0.4 in/hr for effective infiltration
 - Suction Head (in): capillary suction
 - Higher for fine-grained soils
 - Initial deficit (fraction): lower for saturated soils
 - Typically 0.2 – 0.5 (lower for wet soils)



Modeling Examples–

EPA SWMM uses K_{sat} for bioretention drawdown, although amended soils (and vegetation) may increase infiltration potential



Modeling Examples–

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Storage Unit Bioretention1

| Property | Value |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Name | Bioretention1 |
| X:Coordinate | 1001783.484 |
| Y:Coordinate | 1212026.550 |
| Description | |
| Tag | |
| Inflows | NO |
| Treatment | NO |
| Invert El. | 720 |
| Max. Depth | 1.3 |
| Initial Depth | 0 |
| Ponded Area | 4000 |
| Evap. Factor | 1 |
| Infiltration | YES |
| Storage Curve | TABULAR |
| Functional Curve | |
| Coefficient | 1000 |
| Exponent | 0 |
| Constant | 0 |
| Tabular Curve | |
| Curve Name | Bioretention1 |
| User-assigned name of storage unit | |

Infiltration Editor

| Infiltration Method | GREEN_AMPT |
|---------------------|------------|
| Property | Value |
| Suction Head | .6 |
| Conductivity | .4 |
| Initial Deficit | .3 |

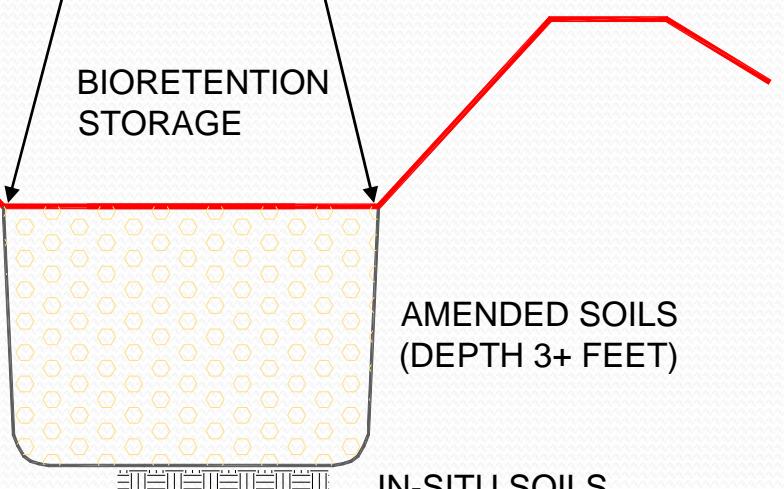
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EPA SWMM uses
bottom contour to
apply infiltration

BIORETENTION
STORAGE

AMENDED SOILS
(DEPTH 3+ FEET)

IN-SITU SOILS
Ksat



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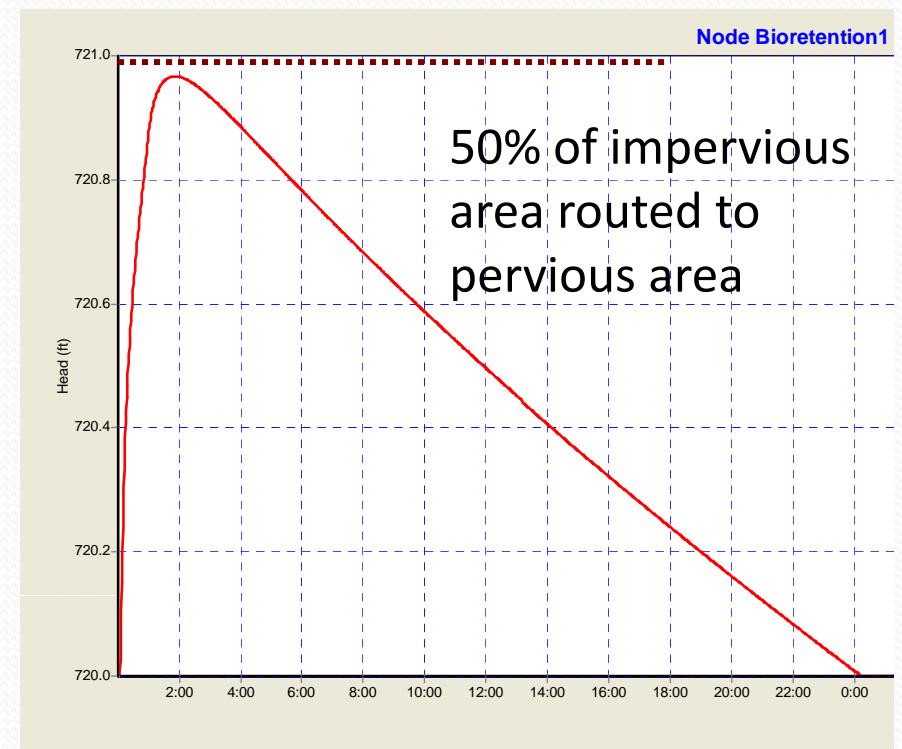
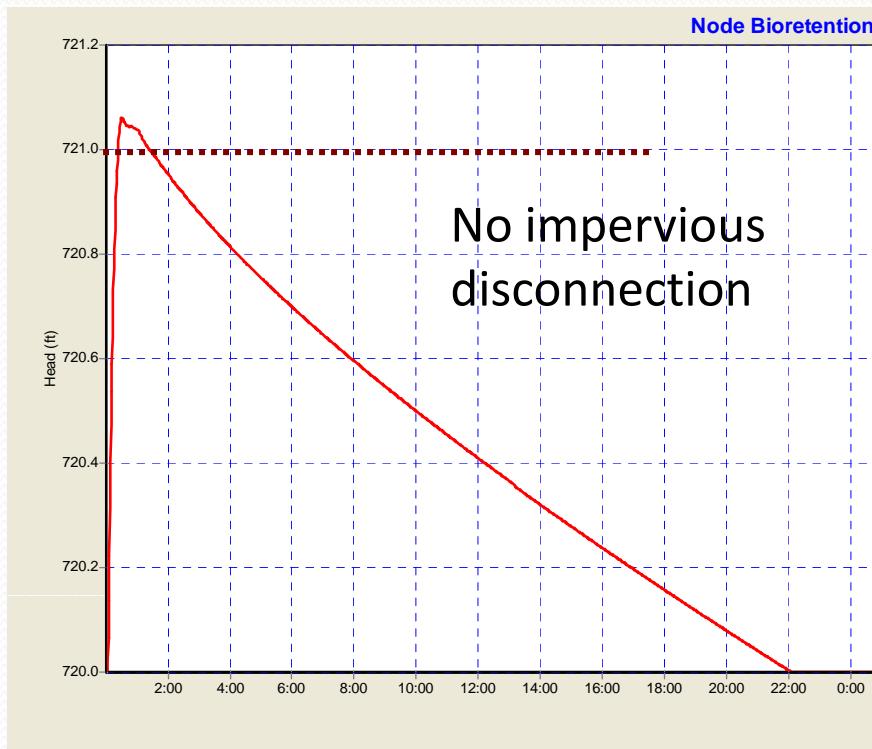
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 - BMP performance measures:
 - Water quality event (i.e. 1-yr, 2-yr)
 - Example: 1-inch, 1-hour storm (zero runoff)
 - Continuous Simulation (1 year of rainfall data)
 - Maintain % of pre-development runoff (i.e. 90%)
 - Design Alternative Analysis:
 - Vary bioretention footprint size
 - Adjust % disconnected impervious area
 - Wet / dry detention pond (infiltration / evaporation)

Modeling Examples–

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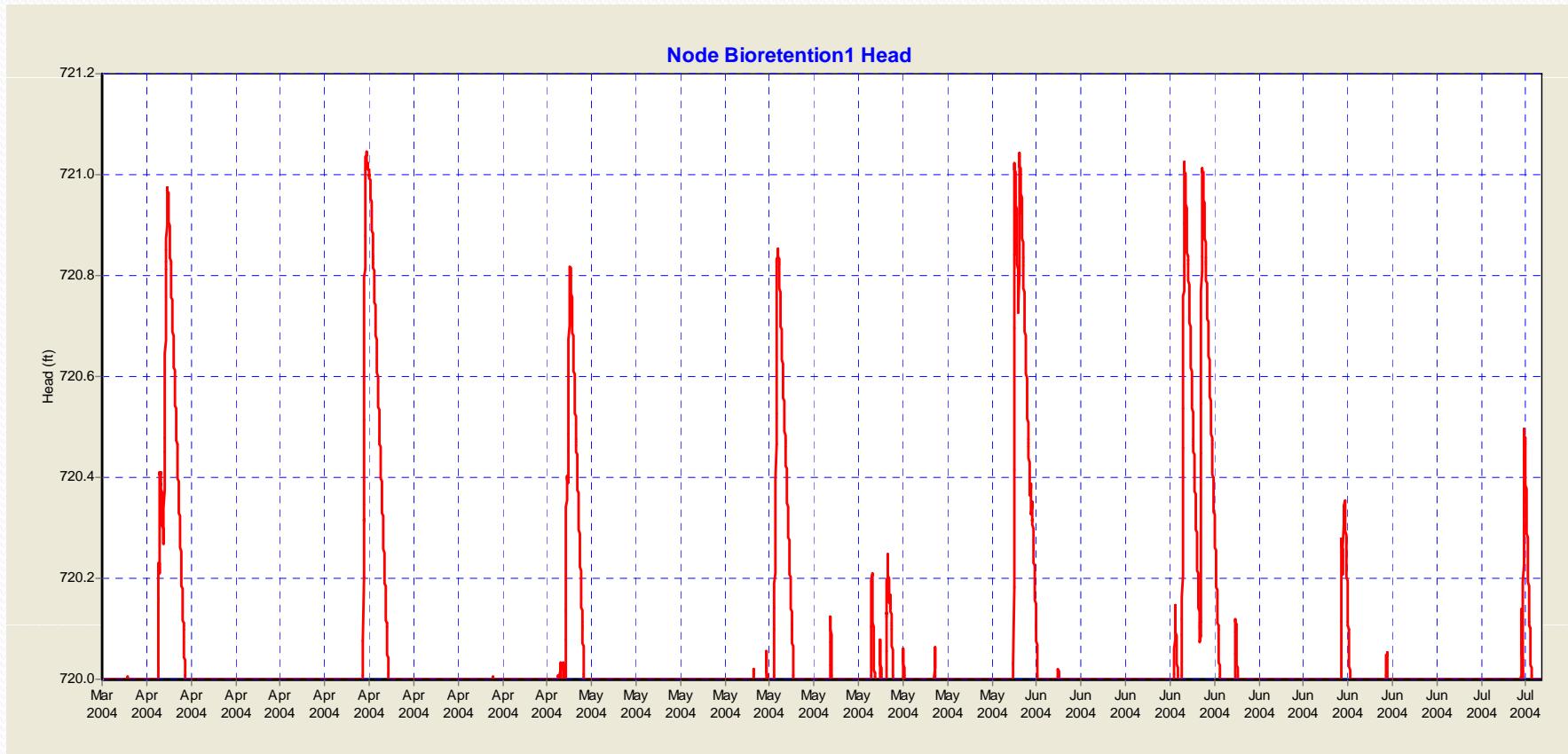
- Site #1: 40-acre single-family residential (EPA SWMM)
 - Output data interpretation:



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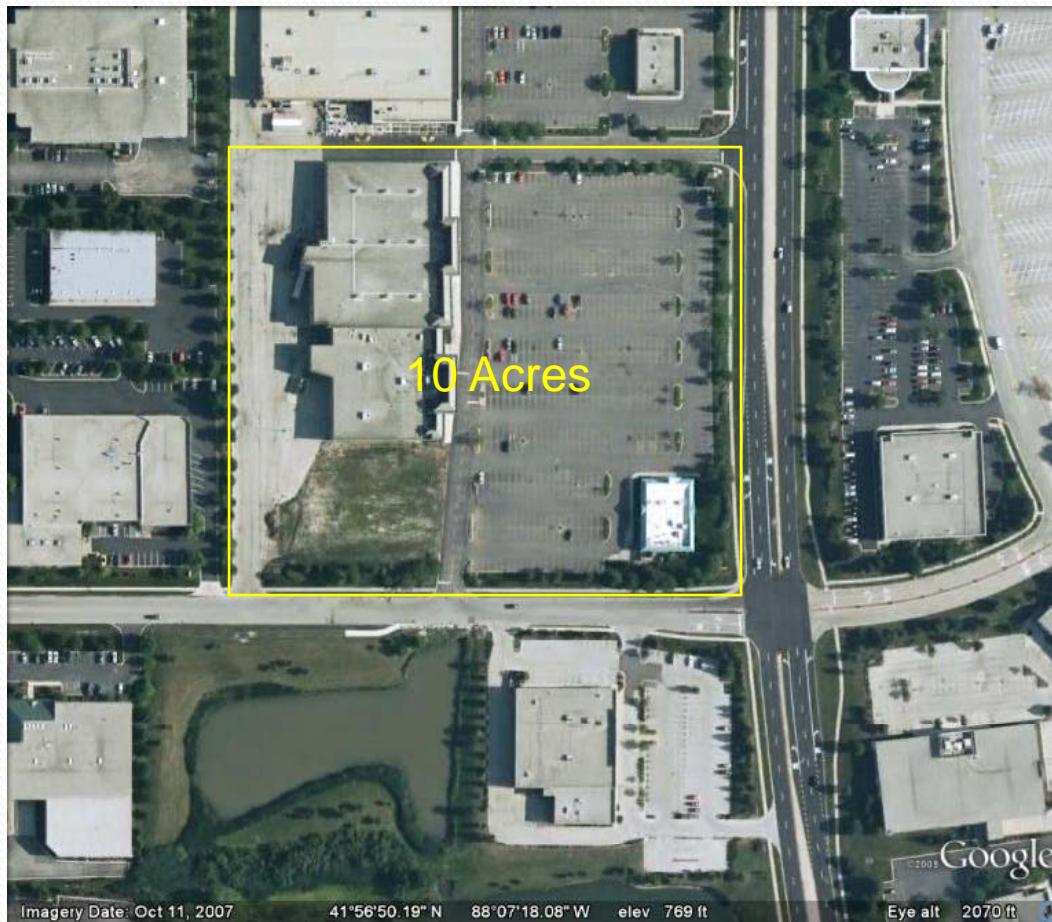
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Modeling Examples–

Erin Pande (Engineering Resource Associates, Inc.)

- Site #2: 10-acre commercial re-development



Modeling Examples–

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- Site #2: 10-acre commercial re-development
 - Key data needs
 - What are you designing the bio-infiltration for?
 - Specific storm event (e.g. in DuPage 2yr 24 hr, 3.04in)
 - Reduced percentage of runoff from impervious area (e.g. in Wisconsin post-development infiltration volume shall be at least 90% of the pre-development infiltration volume, based on an average annual rainfall)

Modeling Examples–

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- Site #2: 10-acre commercial re-development

- Model structure
 - Continuous Simulation– Model-generated runoff
 - Design-Storm–SCS Type I, IA, II, III
 - Green-Ampt infiltration model for initial infiltration into the soil surface
 - Van Genuchten relationship for drainage between soil layers

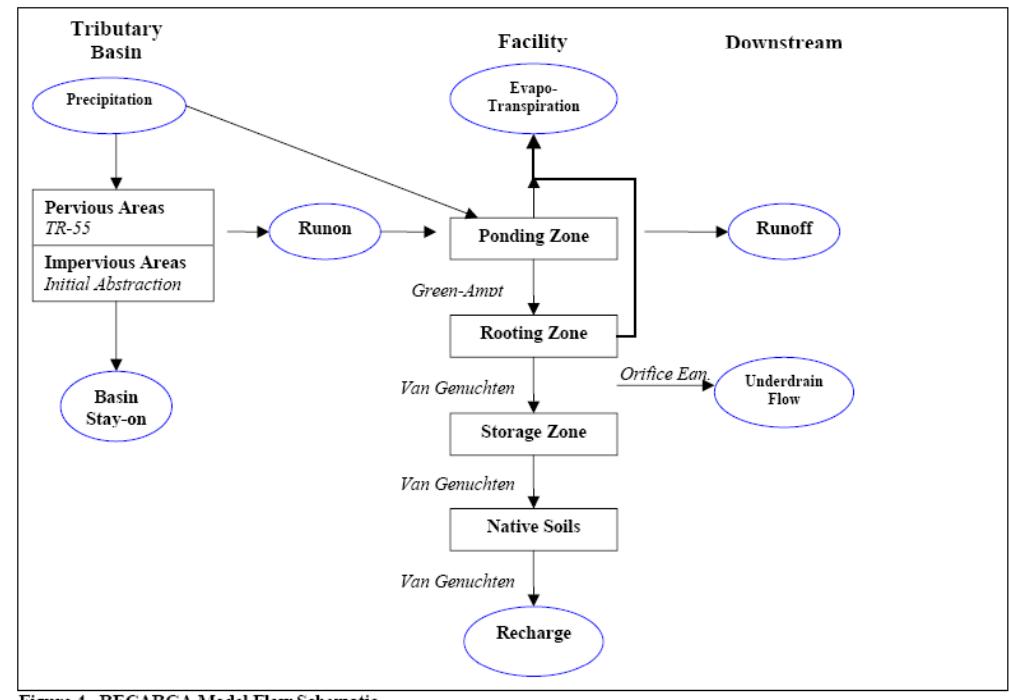


Figure 4. RECARGA Model Flow Schematic



Modeling Examples–

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- Site #2: 10-acre commercial development
- Input Data
 - Tributary Area
 - Percent Impervious
 - Pervious CN (not composite CN)
 - Precipitation Input Files (if using user specified data)
 - Saturated Hydraulic Conductivity of underlying soils

Modeling Examples–

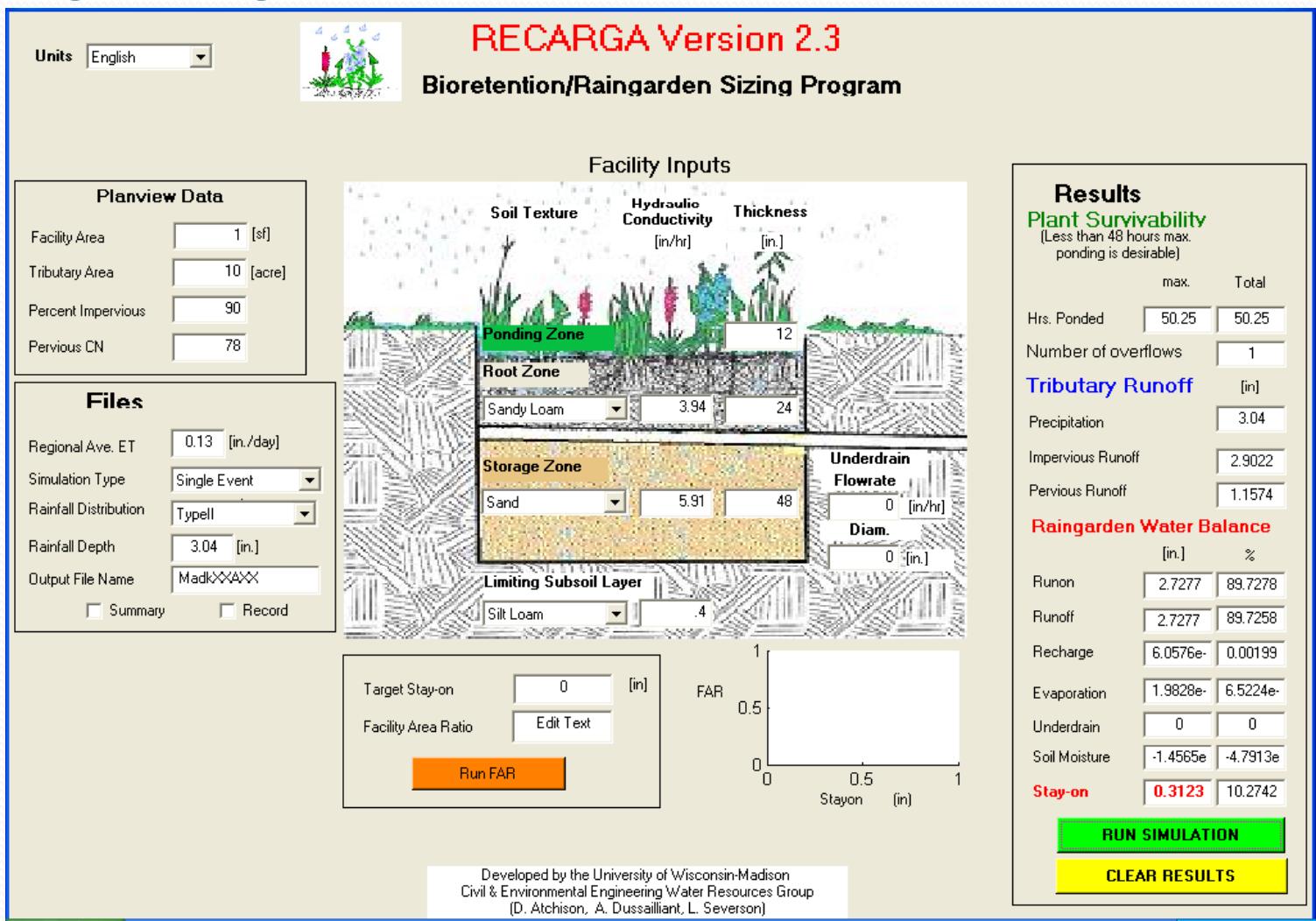
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- Site #2: 10-acre commercial development
- Determine area needed for bio-infiltration facility
 - Assumes event based (2yr 24hr event)
 - Tributary area = 10 acres
 - Percent Impervious = 98%
 - Pervious CN = 78
 - Approximate depths and materials to be used in facility
 - K_{sat} of underlying soils = 0.4 in/hr

Modeling Examples–

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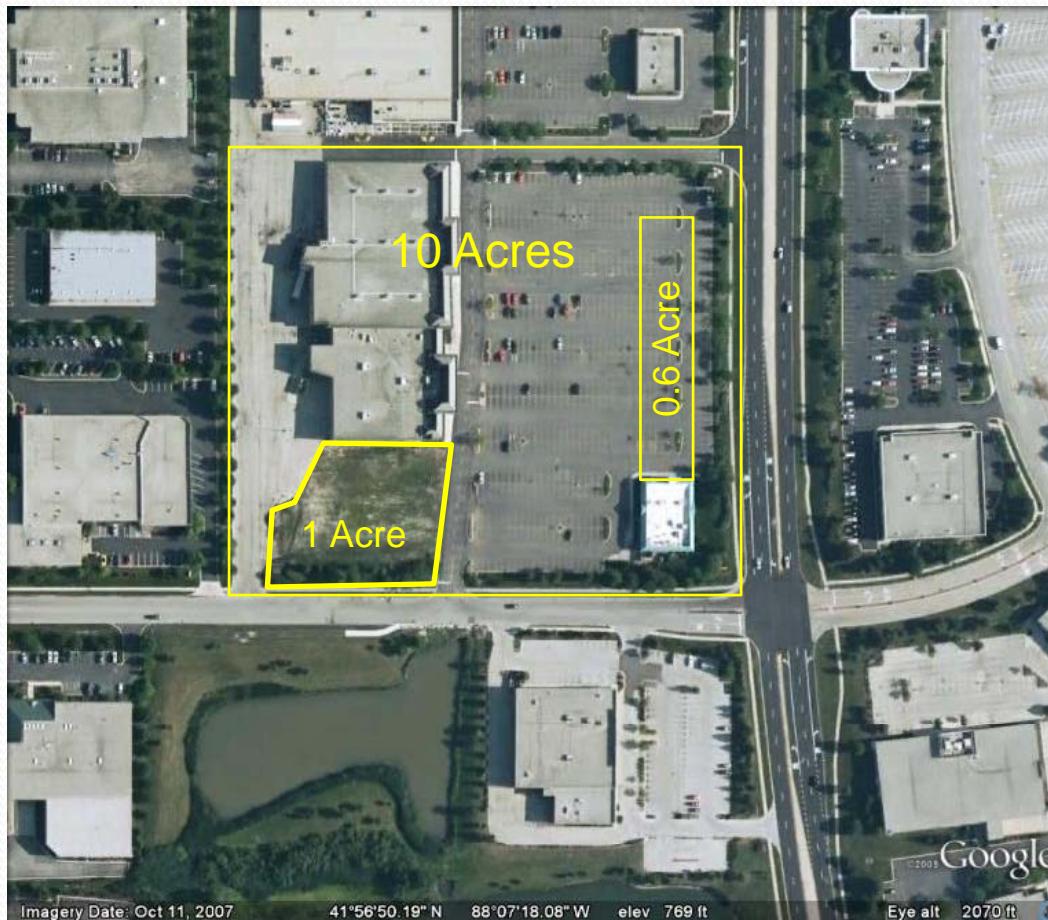
- Existing
 - 2yr 24 hr storm (3.04 in) Design-Storm-SCS Type II
 - Must input 1 ft for facility or you will get an error
 - Tributary area = 10acres
 - Percent impervious 90%
 - Pervious CN = 78
 - Existing Infiltration = 0.3123



Modeling Examples–

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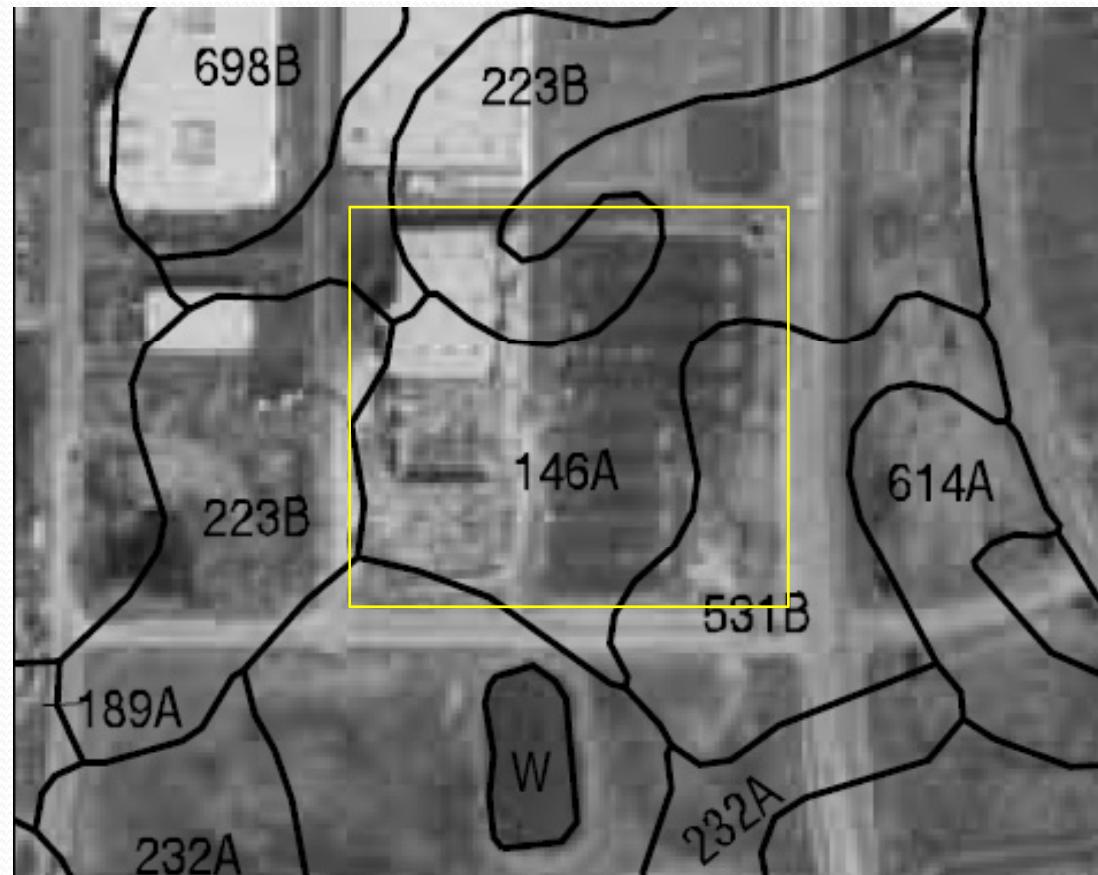
- Site #2: 10-acre commercial re-development



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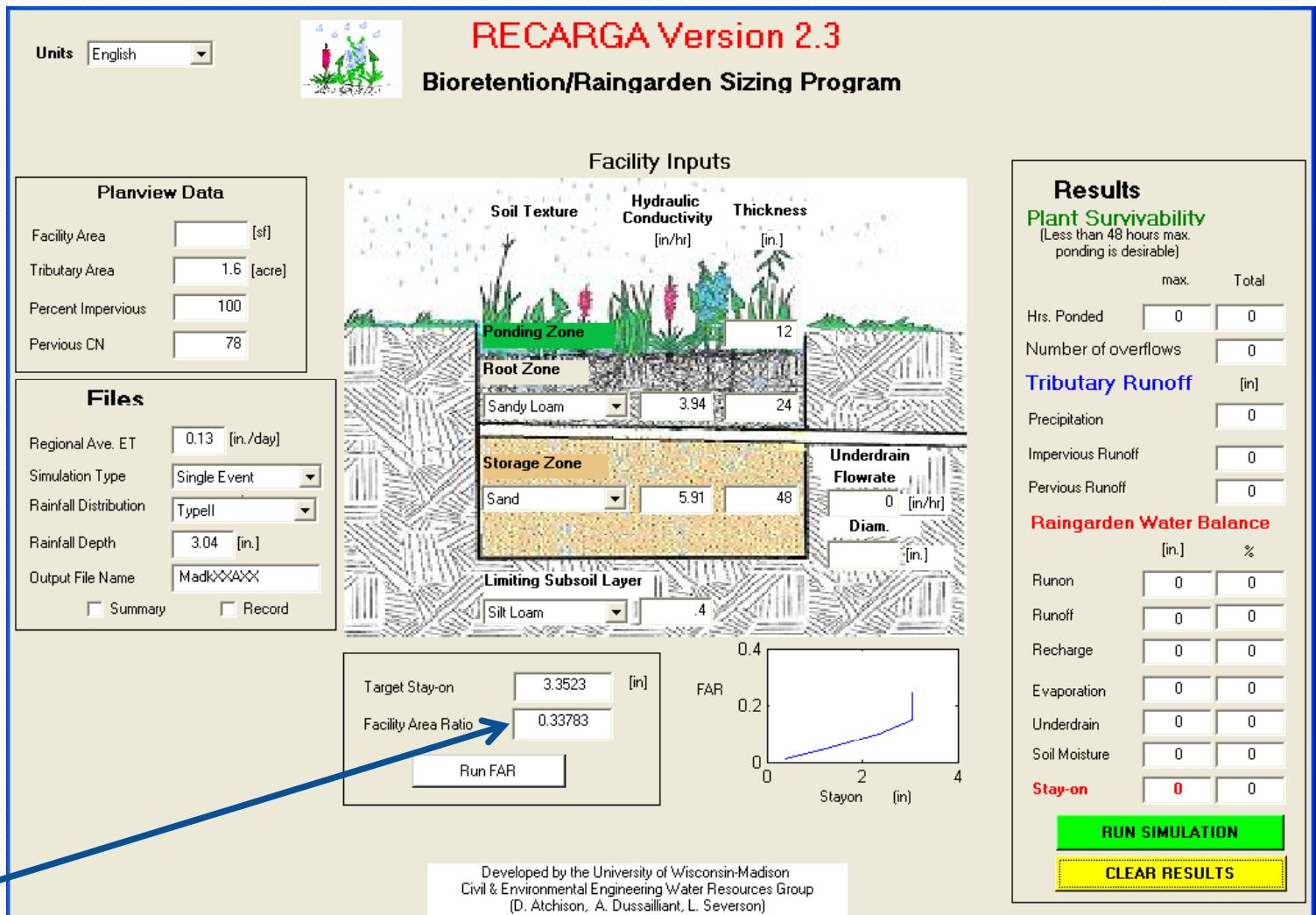
- Existing
 - Eliot Silt Loam
 - $K_{sat} = 0.2-0.6$



Modeling Examples–

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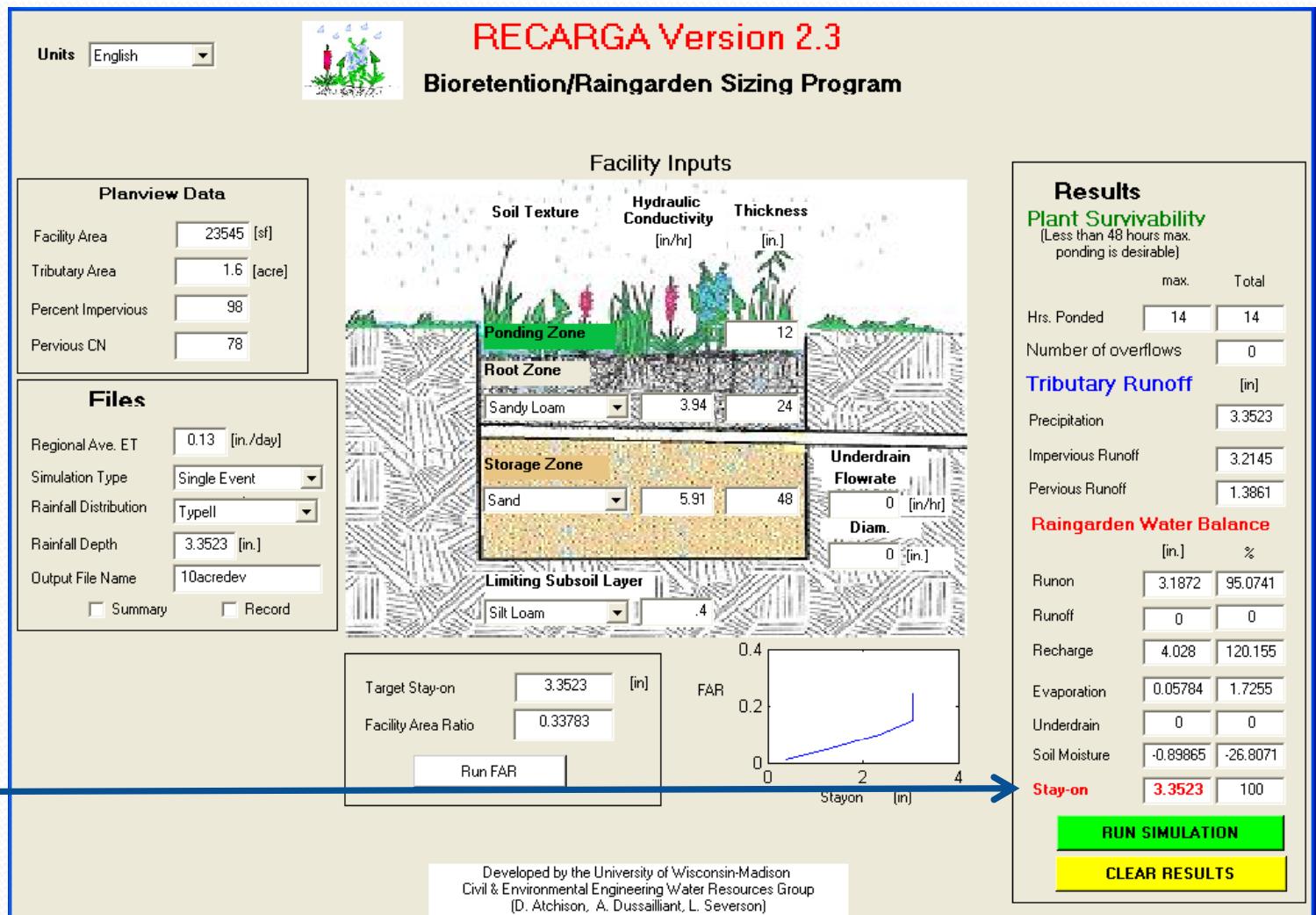
- Determine Facility Area Ratio for new developed area
 - 2yr 24 hr storm (3.04 in) Type II
 - Redevelopment area = 1.6 acres
 - Percent impervious 100%
 - $K_{sat} = 0.4 \text{ in/hr}$
 - Target infiltration ($3.04 \text{ in} + 0.3123 \text{ in} = 3.3523 \text{ in}$)
 - **FAR = 0.3123**



Modeling Examples–

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- Proposed Facility
 - 3.35 in Type II
 - Redevelopment area = 1.6 acres
 - Percent impervious 100%
 - $K_{sat} = 0.4 \text{ in/hr}$
 - Infiltration = 3.35 in



Modeling Examples–

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- Site #2: 10-acre commercial re-development



Modeling Examples–

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| | [in.] | % |
|----------------|---------------|----------|
| Runon | 2.7277 | 89.7278 |
| Runoff | 2.7277 | 89.7258 |
| Recharge | 6.0576e- | 0.00199 |
| Evaporation | 1.9828e- | 6.5224e- |
| Underdrain | 0 | 0 |
| Soil Moisture | -1.4565e | -4.7913e |
| Stay-on | 0.3123 | 10.2742 |

Existing = 740,700 gallons

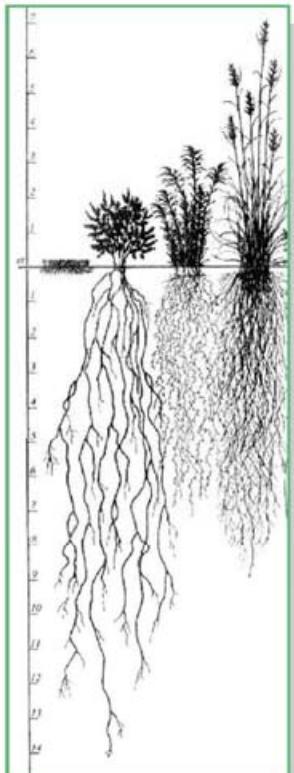
| | [in.] | % |
|----------------|---------------|---------|
| Runon | 2.8691 | 94.3782 |
| Runoff | 1.5875 | 52.2213 |
| Recharge | 1.3096 | 43.079 |
| Evaporation | 0.00442 | 0.1457 |
| Underdrain | 0 | 0 |
| Soil Moisture | -0.03246 | -1.0678 |
| Stay-on | 1.4525 | 47.7787 |

Proposed = 430,100 gallons

- Comparison of results of existing 10 acre development vs. proposed 1.6 acre re-development with full 10 acres tributary to bio-infiltration practices

Modeling Examples–

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Root length of conventional turf grass
(left) as compared to native plant roots
(right).

- Choose vegetation that will withstand depth and duration of proposed ponding

Plant Survivability
(Less than 48 hours max.
ponding is desirable)

max. Total

Hrs. Ponded

44.5

44.5

Number of overflows

1

| Time(hr) | Runon(in) | Ponding(in) | Infil(in) | Runoff(in) | drain(in) |
|----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.421 |
| 1.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.450 |
| 2.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.435 |
| 3.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.443 |
| 4.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.001 | 0.434 |
| 5.000 | 0.726 | 0.726 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.434 |
| 6.000 | 0.931 | 0.931 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.434 |
| 7.000 | 1.051 | 1.051 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.446 |
| 8.000 | 1.214 | 1.214 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.443 |
| 9.000 | 1.453 | 1.453 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.450 |
| 10.000 | 1.846 | 1.846 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.450 |
| 11.000 | 2.666 | 2.666 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 0.450 |
| 12.000 | 10.822 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 13.000 | 15.551 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 14.000 | 7.777 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 15.000 | 2.437 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 16.000 | 1.752 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 17.000 | 1.402 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 18.000 | 1.183 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 19.000 | 1.031 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 20.000 | 0.918 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 21.000 | 0.831 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 22.000 | 0.761 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 23.000 | 0.703 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 24.000 | 0.655 | 12.000 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 25.000 | 0.239 | 11.820 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| 26.000 | 0.000 | 11.420 | 0.400 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 11.020 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 10.620 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 10.220 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 9.820 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 9.420 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 9.020 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 8.620 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 8.220 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 7.820 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 7.420 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
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| | 5.420 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 5.020 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 4.620 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 4.220 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
| | 3.820 | 0.400 | 0.000 | 0.400 | 0.450 |
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