

Big Creek Flood Mitigation

A PATH TOWARD FLOOD RESILIENCE



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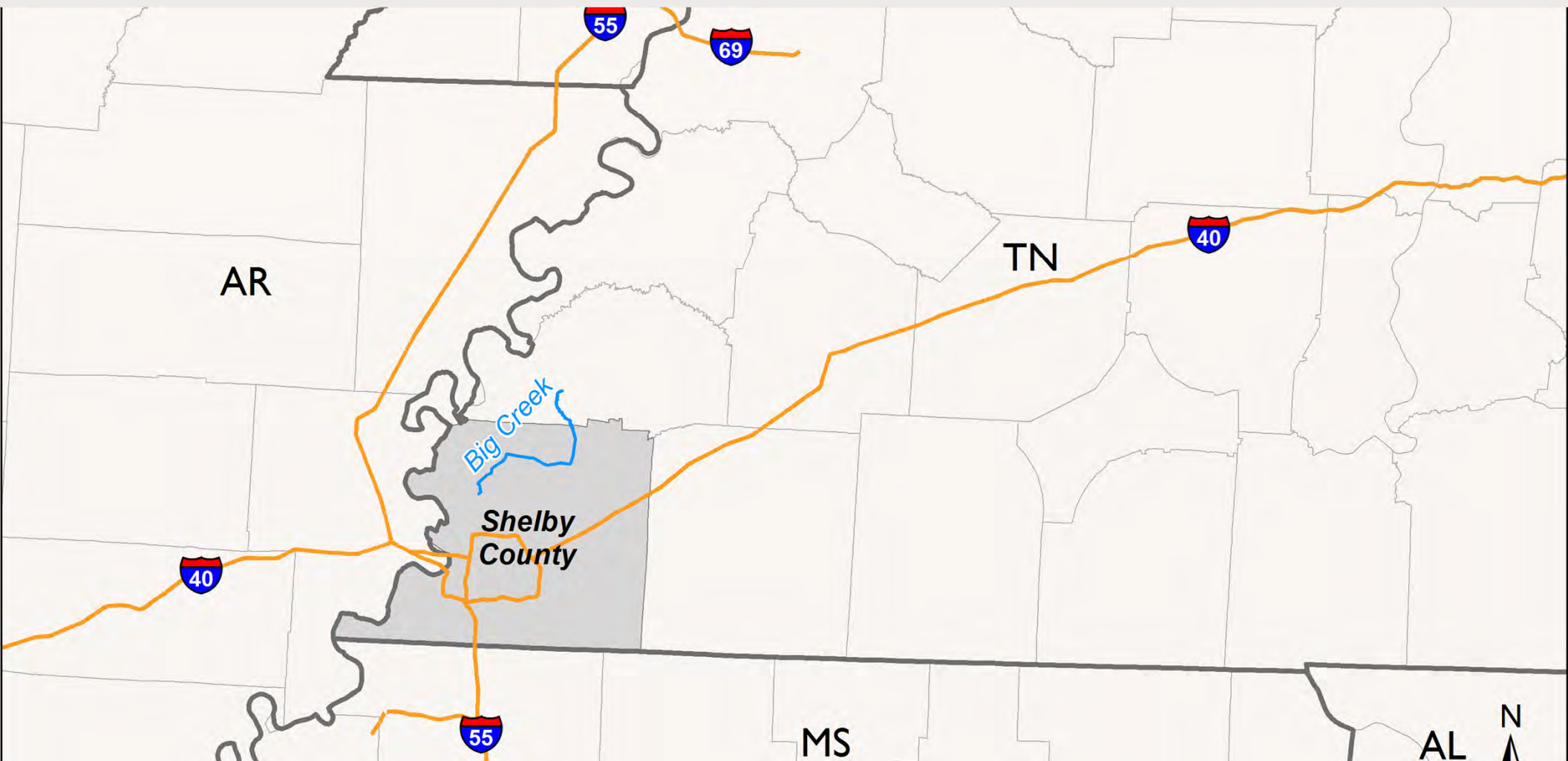
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- **Watershed Background**
- **Flooding History**
- **Watershed Study**
- **NDRC Grant Opportunity**
- **Implementation**

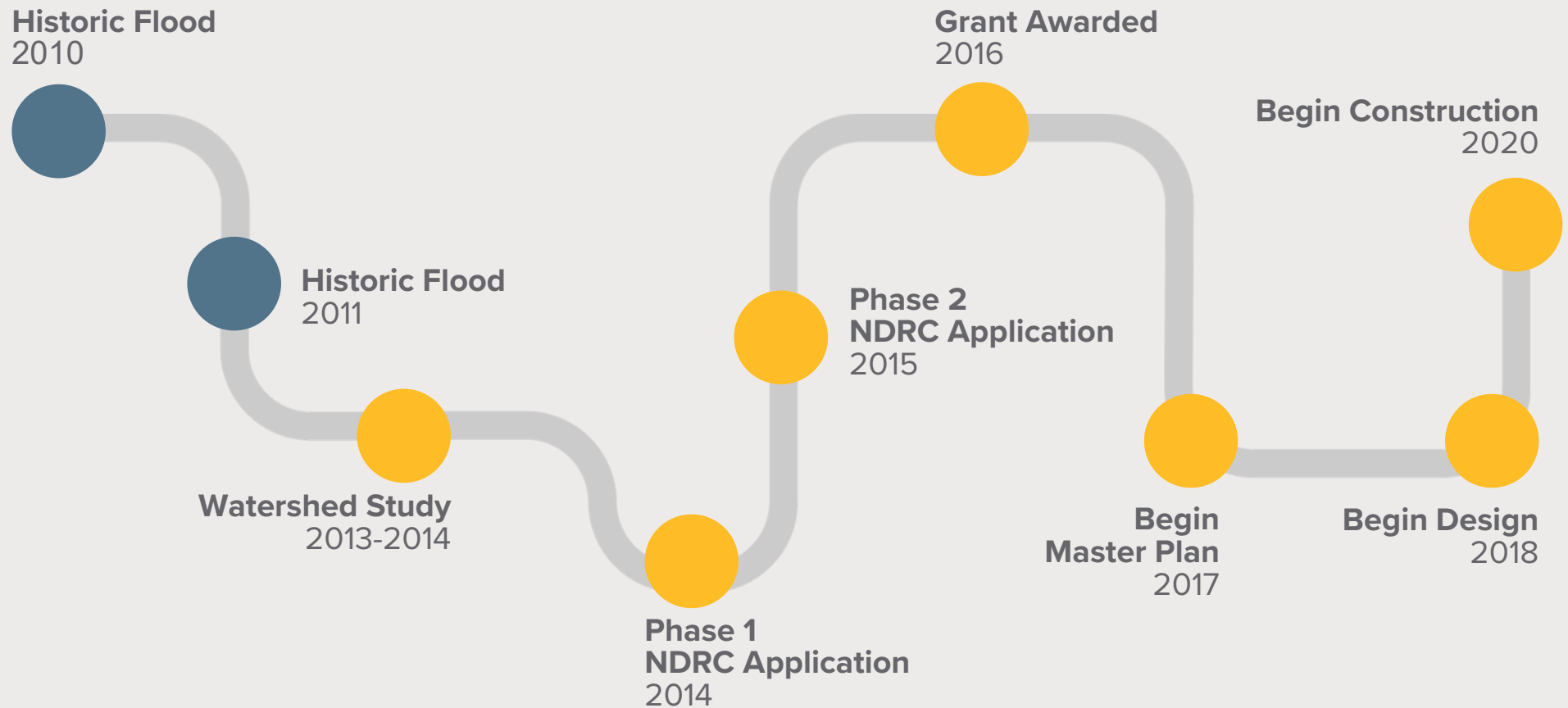


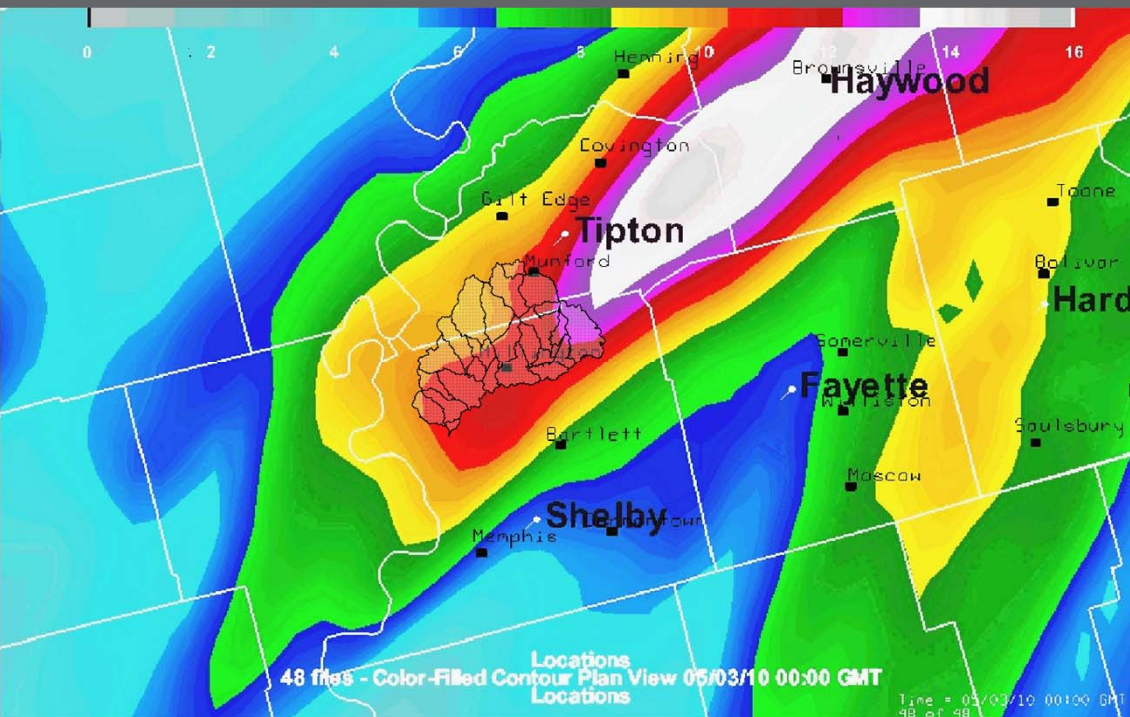






Project Path





City of Millington Flooding



Over 13 inches of rain in two days

 2010

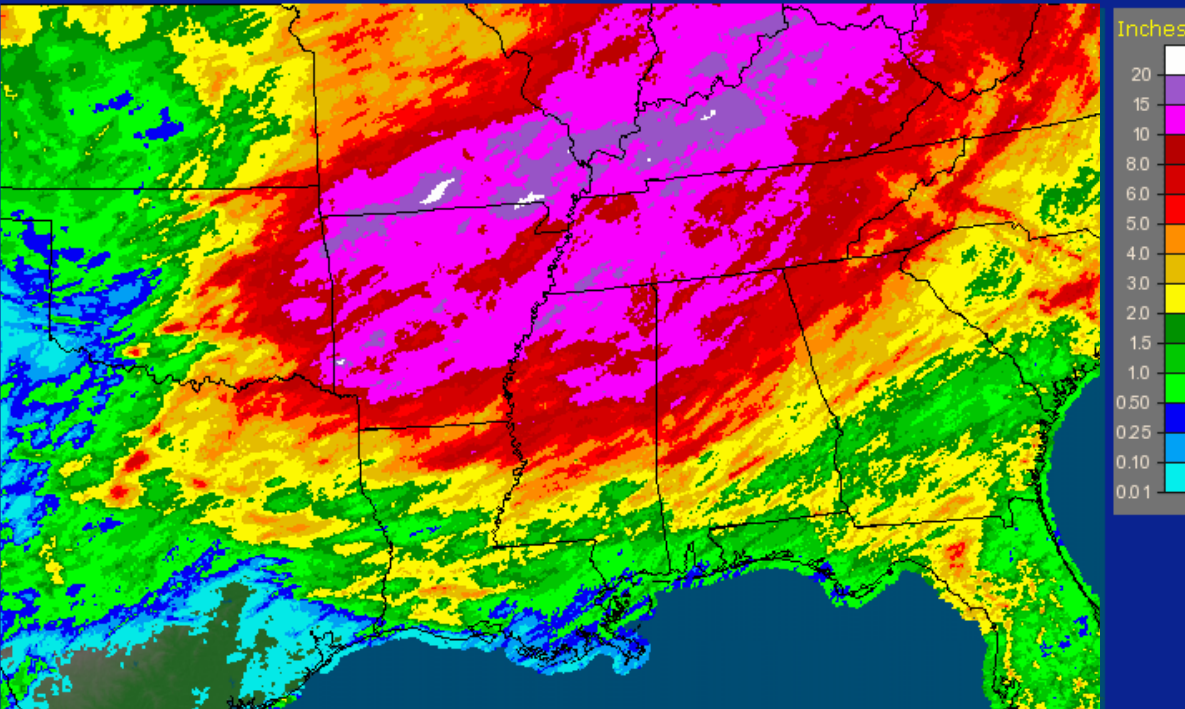
Historic Flood Event





2011

Lower Mississippi RFC Slidell, LA: April, 2011 Monthly Observed Precipitation
Valid at 5/1/2011 1200 UTC - Created 7/6/11 15:23 UTC



Mississippi River reaching historic stage

Historic Flooding Event



Over 11 inches of rain in one day





Project Path

Historic Flood
2010

Historic Flood
2011

Watershed Study
2013-2014

**Phase 1
NDRC Application**
2014

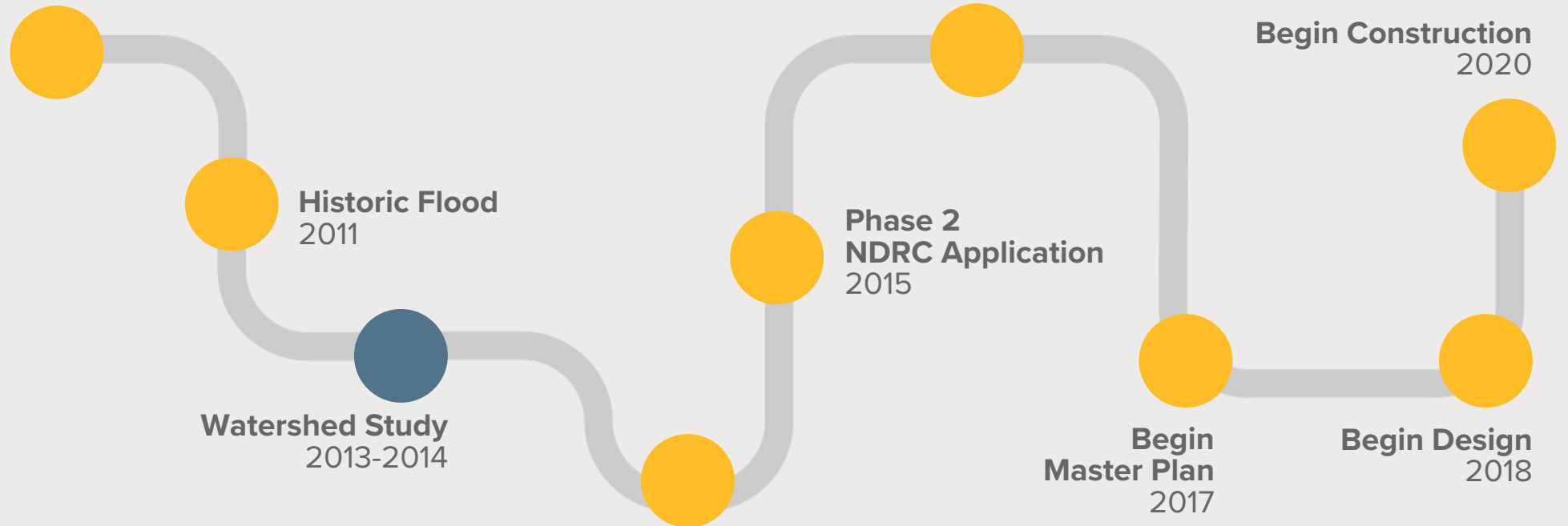
**Phase 2
NDRC Application**
2015

Grant Awarded
2016

**Begin
Master Plan**
2017

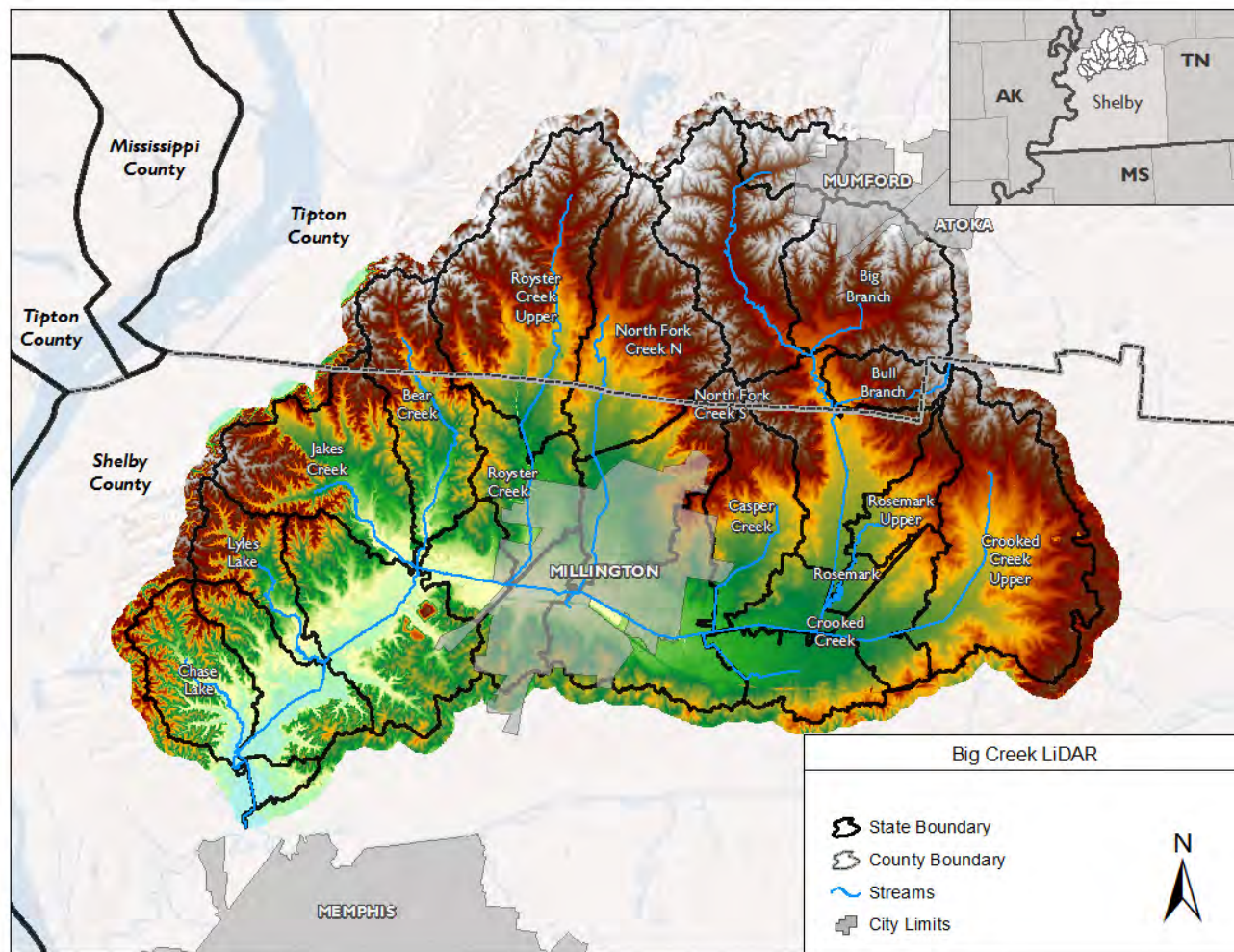
Begin Design
2018

Begin Construction
2020



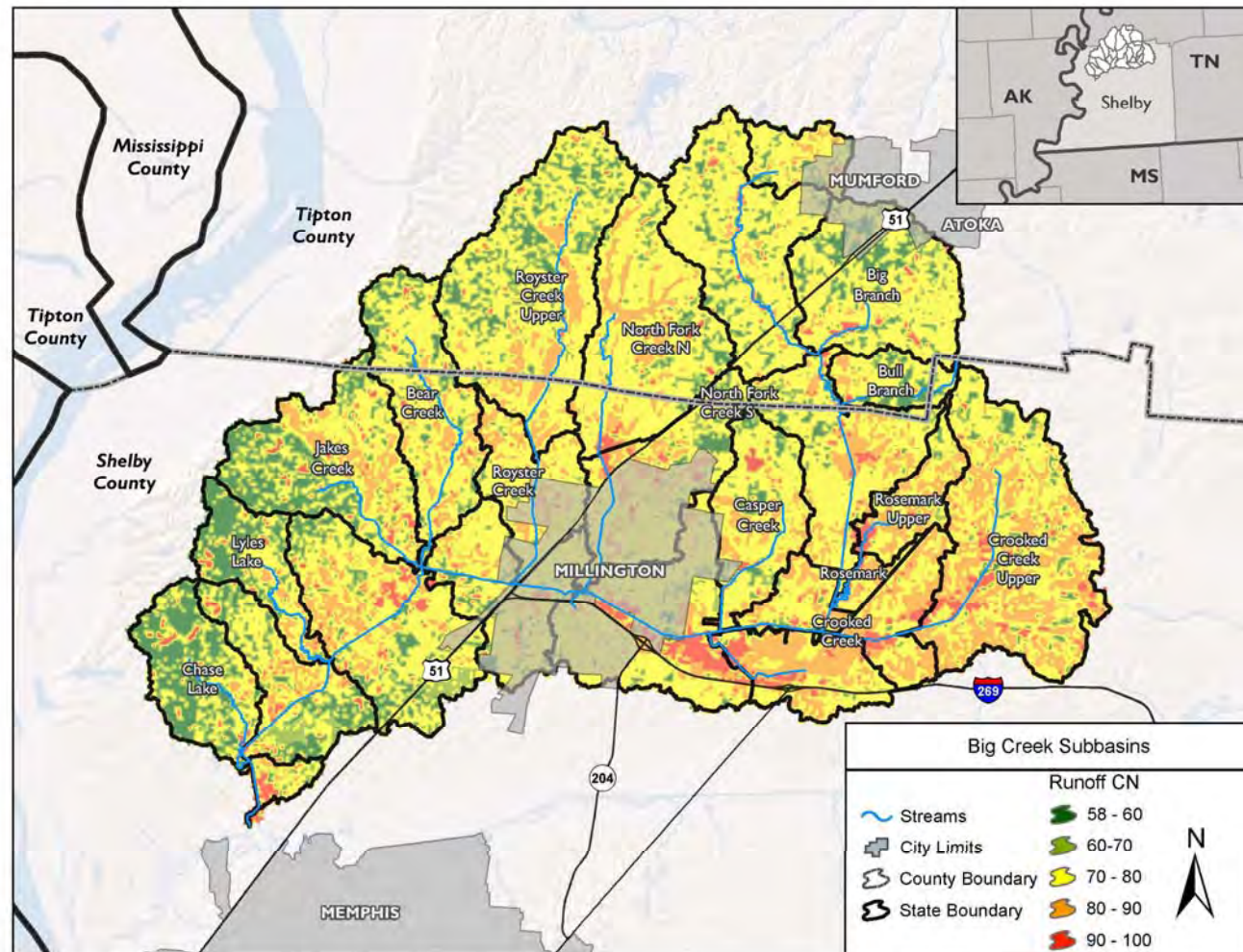


Big Creek Watershed



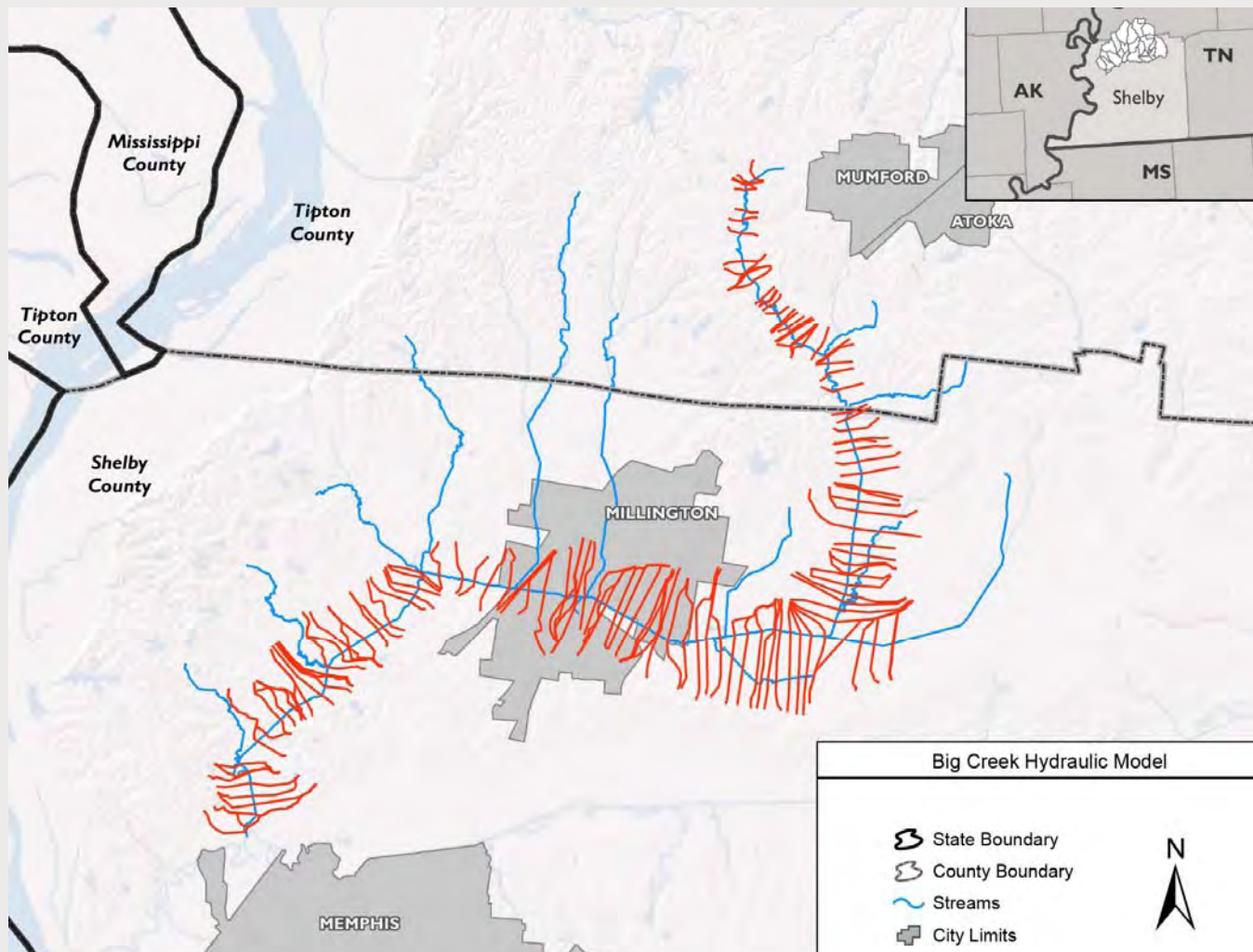


Curve Number Exhibit





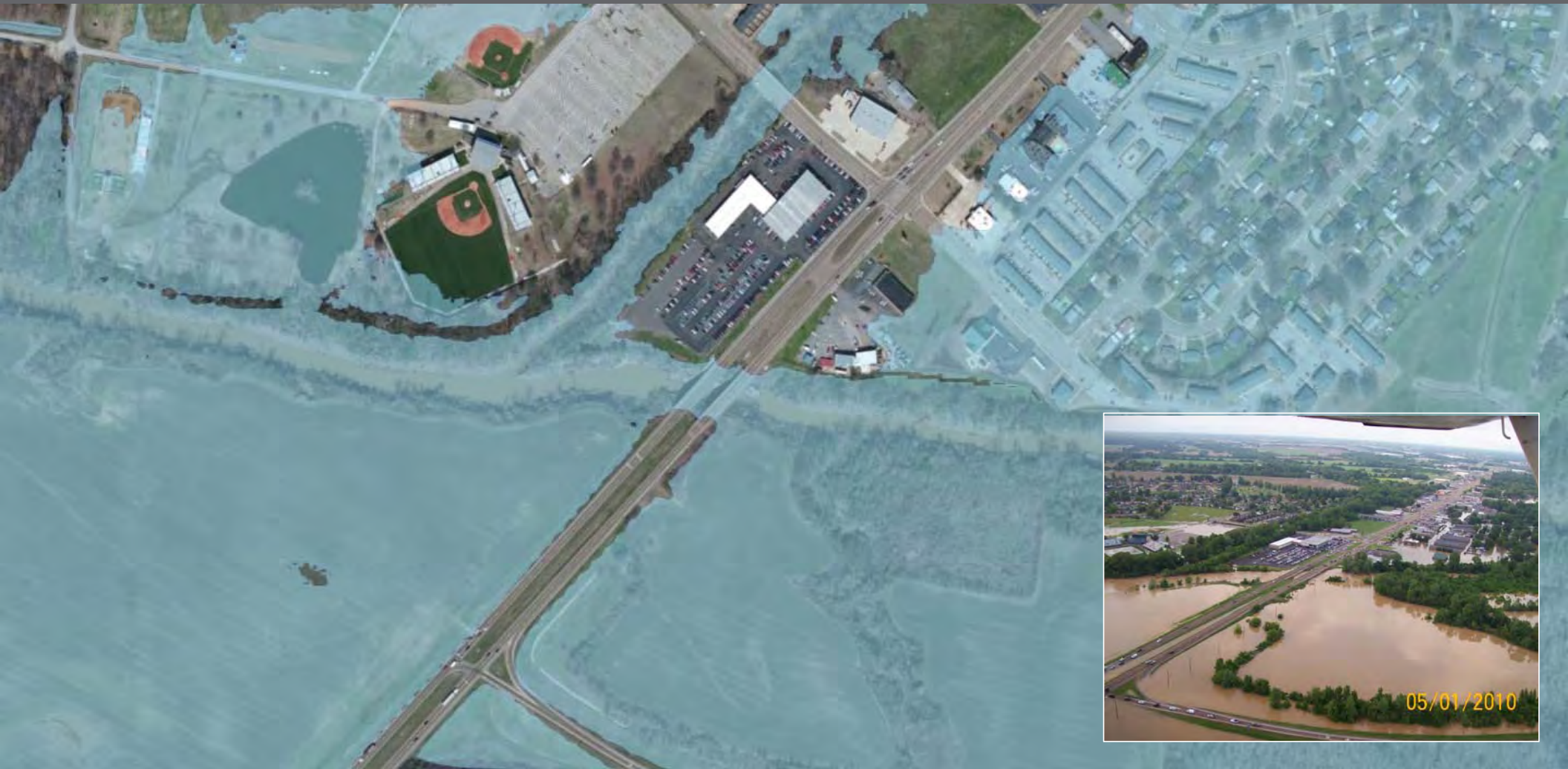
Hydraulic Model Schematic





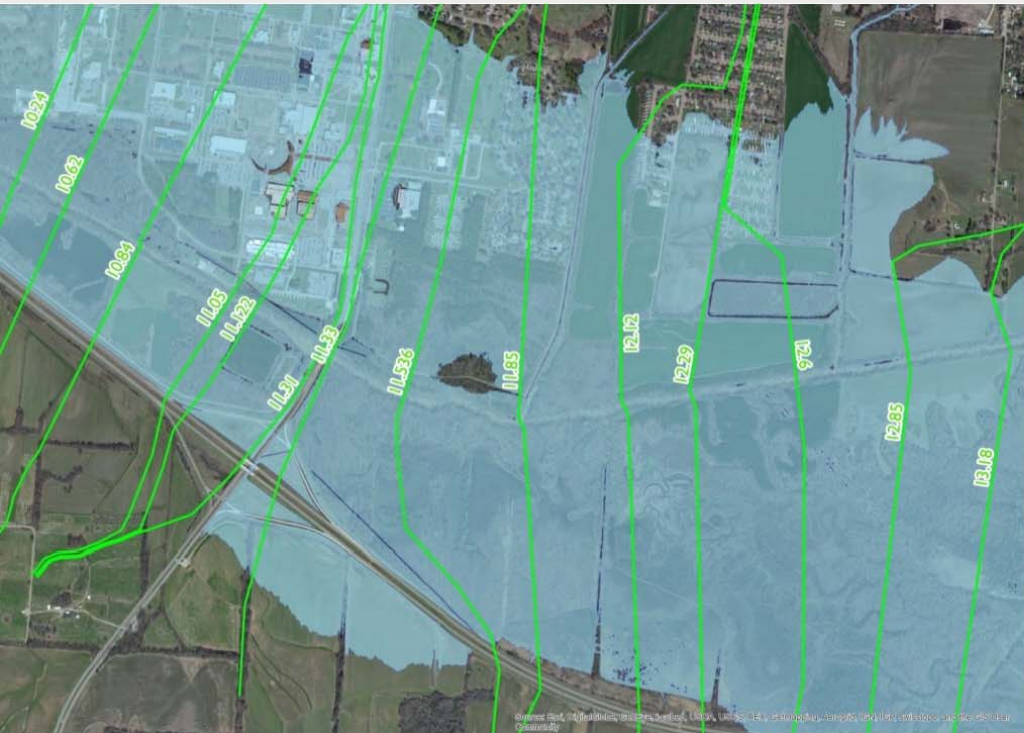
MAY 2010

Highway 51 Flood Inundation





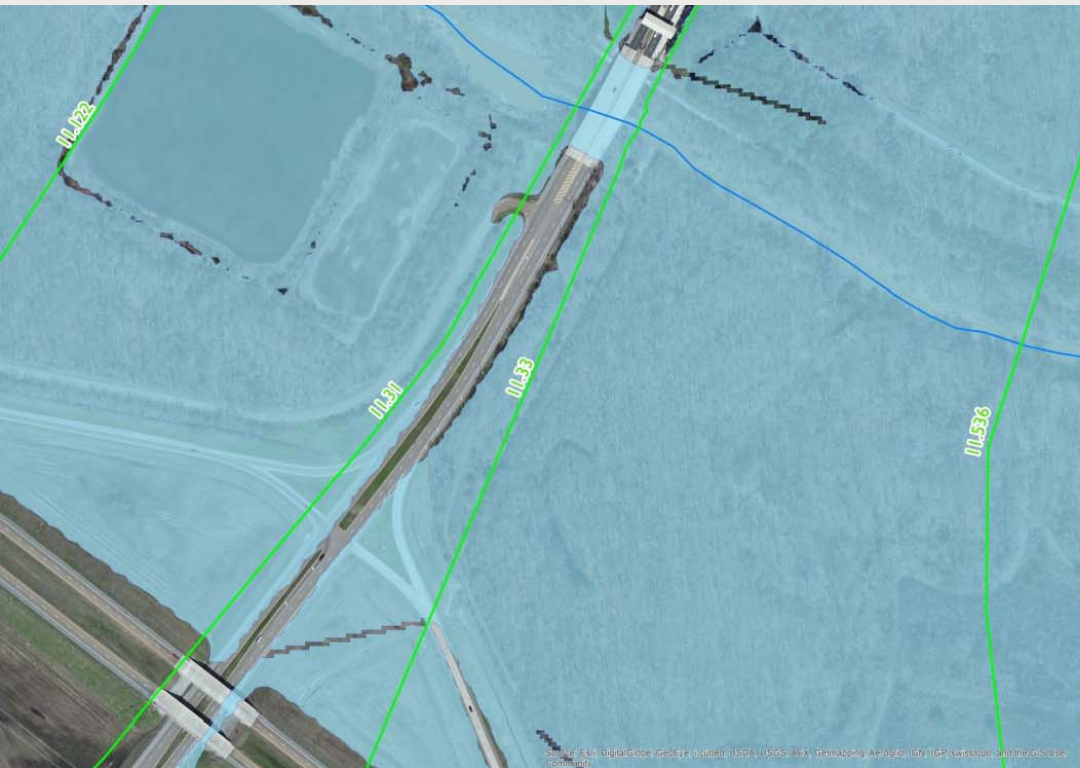
Navy Base Inundation





MAY 2010

Singleton Parkway Inundation

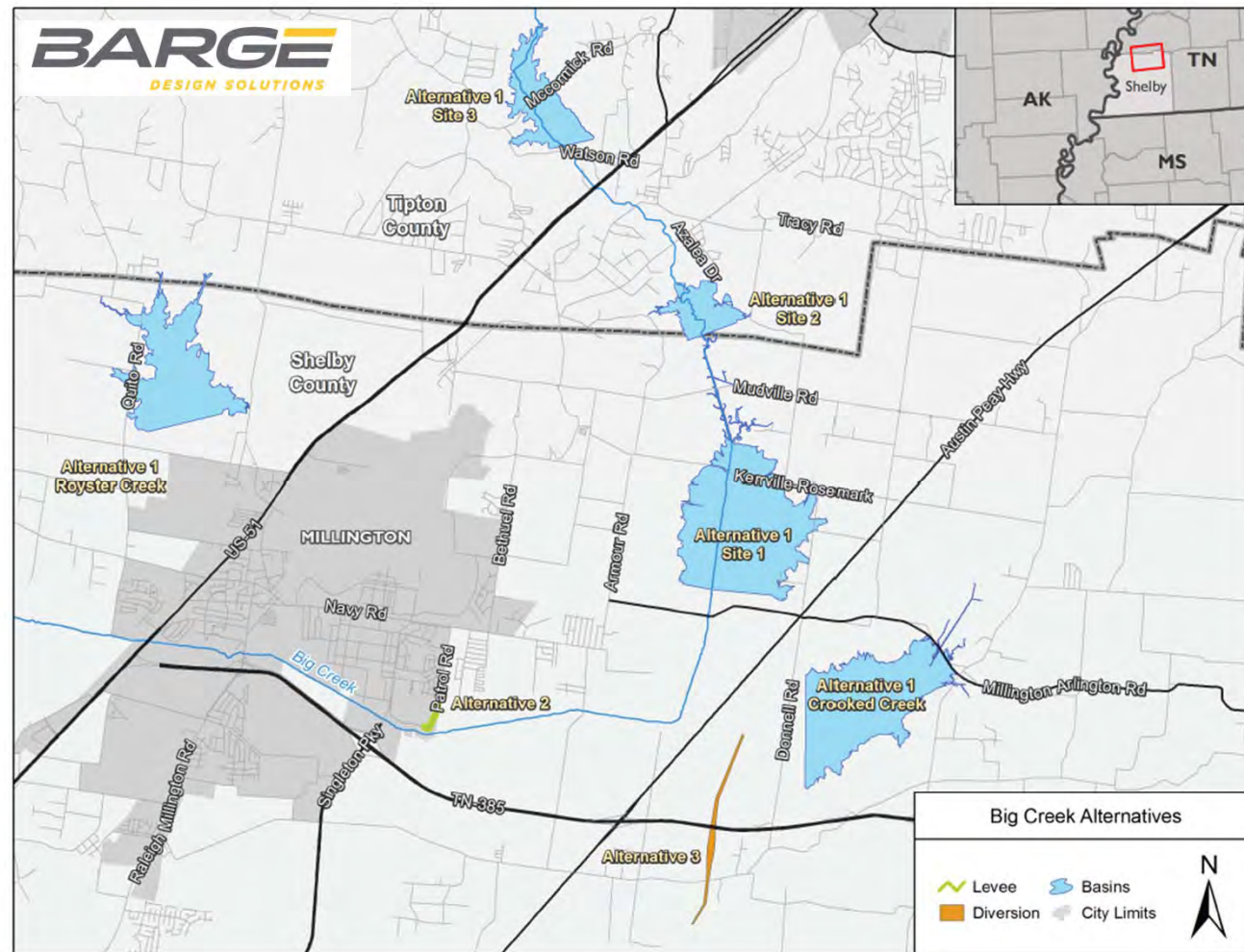




Alternative Evaluation

Alternatives

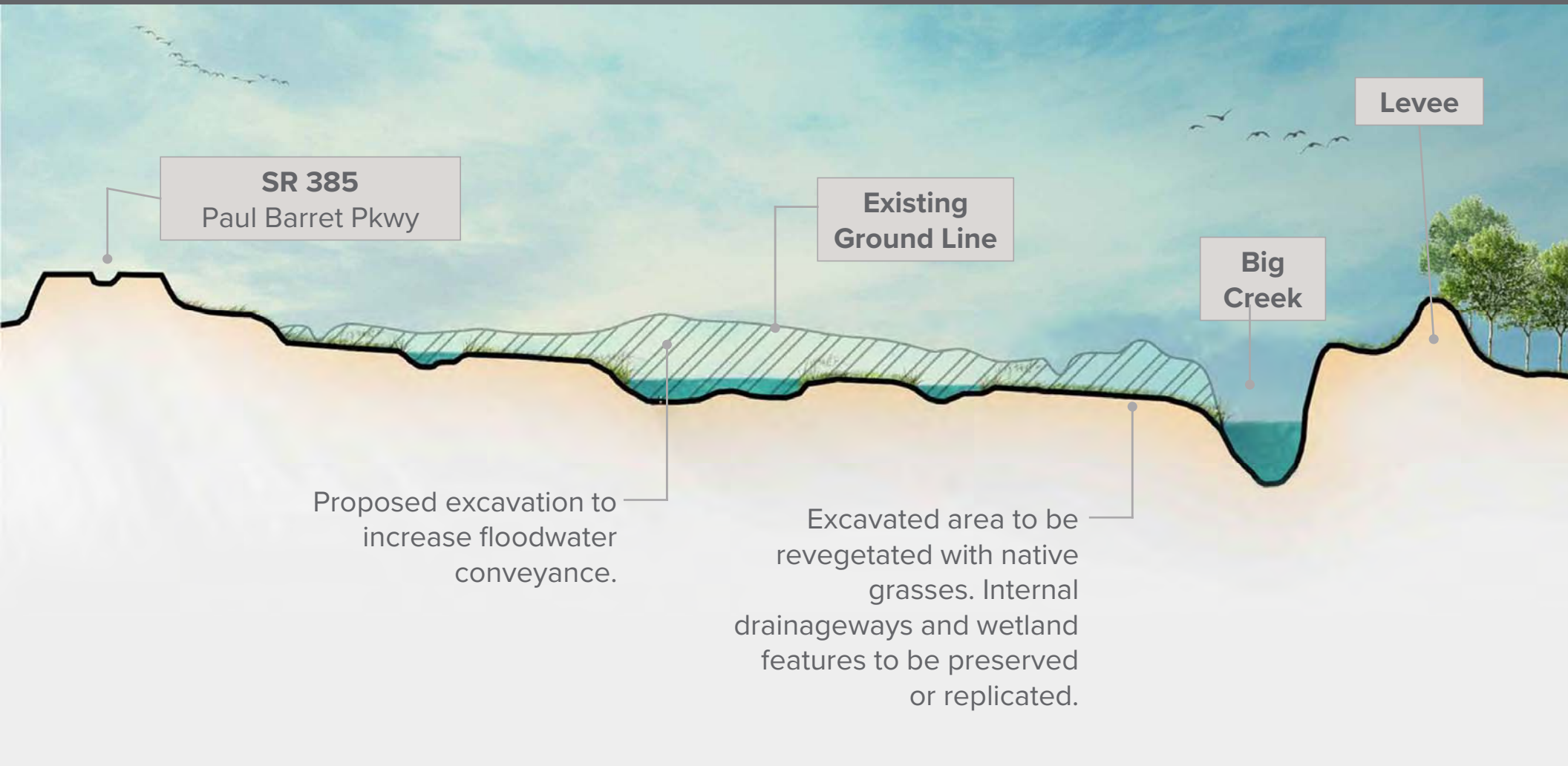
1. Regional Detention Facilities
2. Levee
3. High Flow Diversion
4. Combinations of Alternatives 1-3





ALTERNATIVE 4

Additional Storage





Evaluation Summary

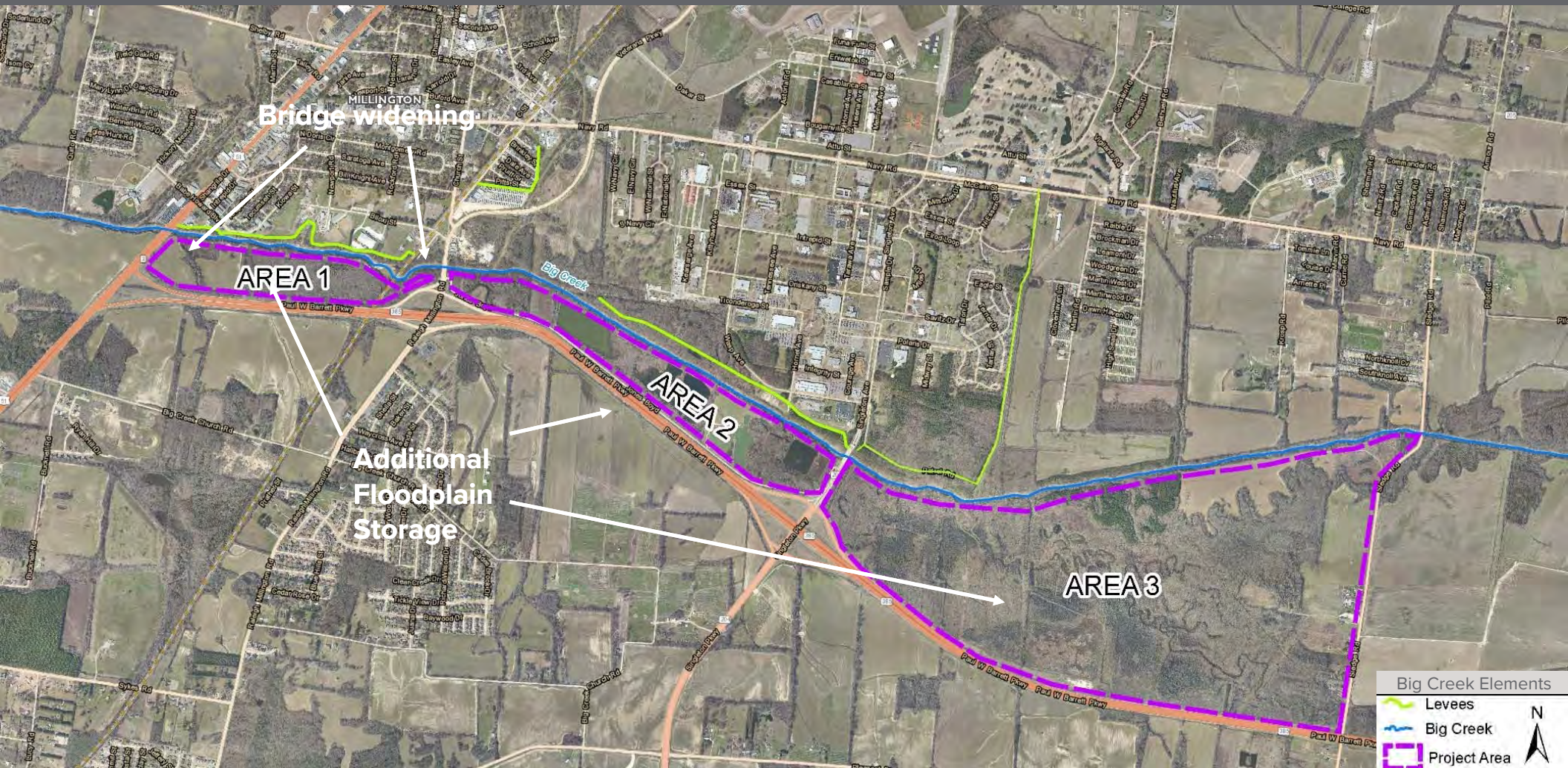
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Big Crk. #1 & Crooked Crk. Dams	\$5,350,000	\$21,000,000	\$26,350,000	0.27	2.15	1.26	2.69

ALTERNATE #2-ENHANCE	CHOSEN ALTERNATIVE						
Raise East Navy Base Lev	Alt. F-Excvtm., Rec. Impts., Imp. Hwy 51 & Ra-Mill						
	\$36,900,000	\$2,300,000	\$39,200,000	0.40	2.90	0.33	1.89

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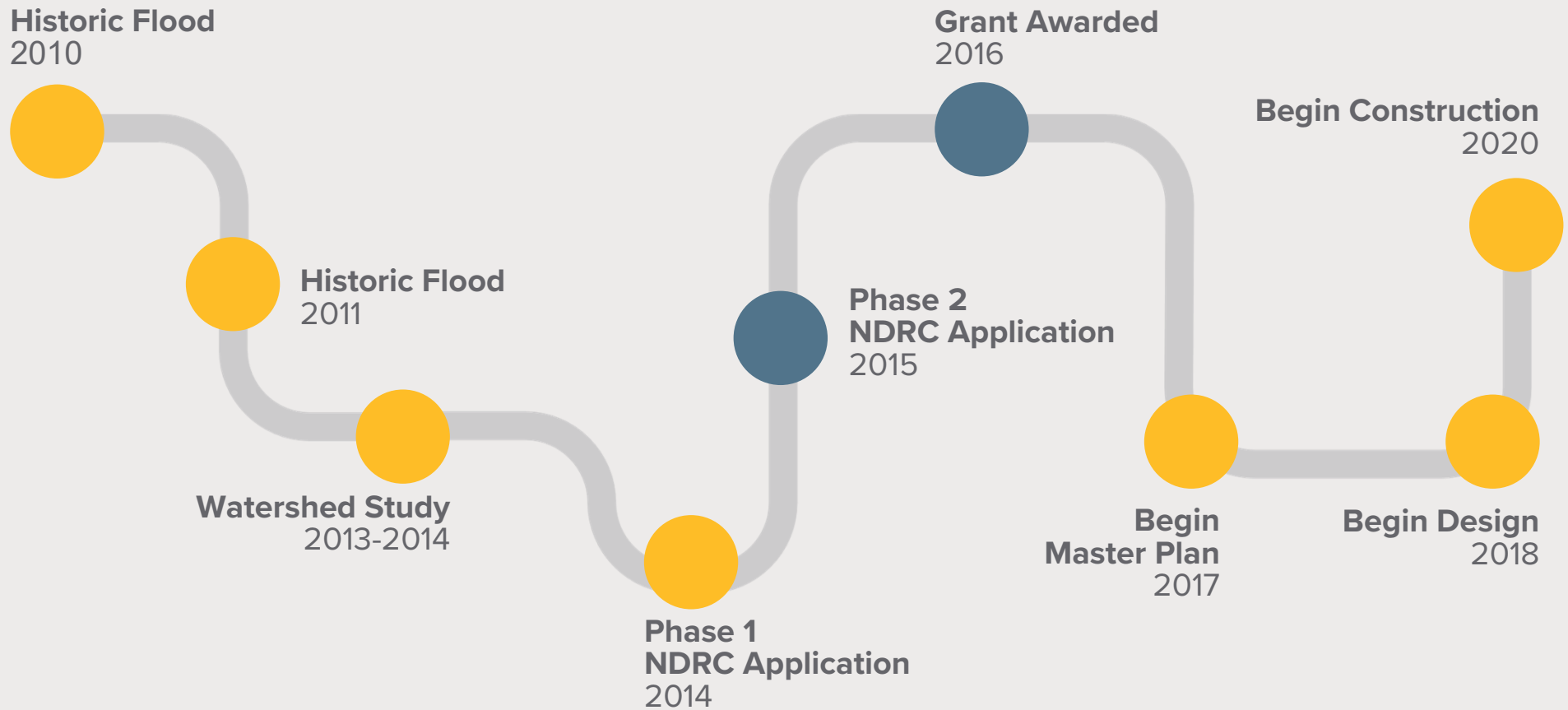


Project Area





Project Path





National Disaster Resiliency Competition

- \$1 billion program administered by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
- Provides grants for communities to rebuild in a more meaningful way

Focuses on:

- Increased need for infrastructure resiliency
- The social and economic characteristics that allow communities to bounce back more quickly



Project Metrics



SOCIAL
Parks and Trails



ECONOMIC
Increase in
Building
Permits



ENVIRONMENTAL
Tree Mitigation

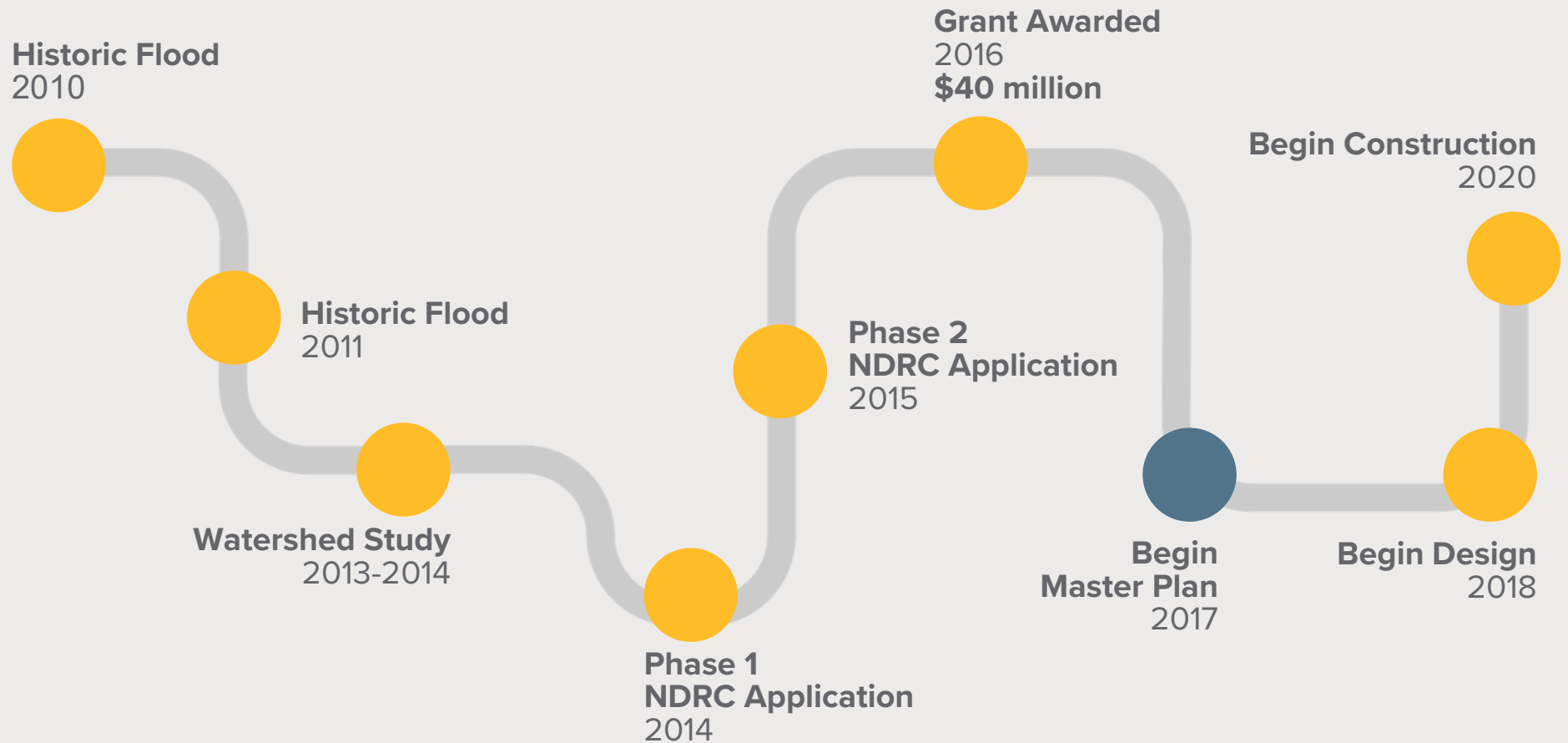


RESILIENCE
Flood Reduction



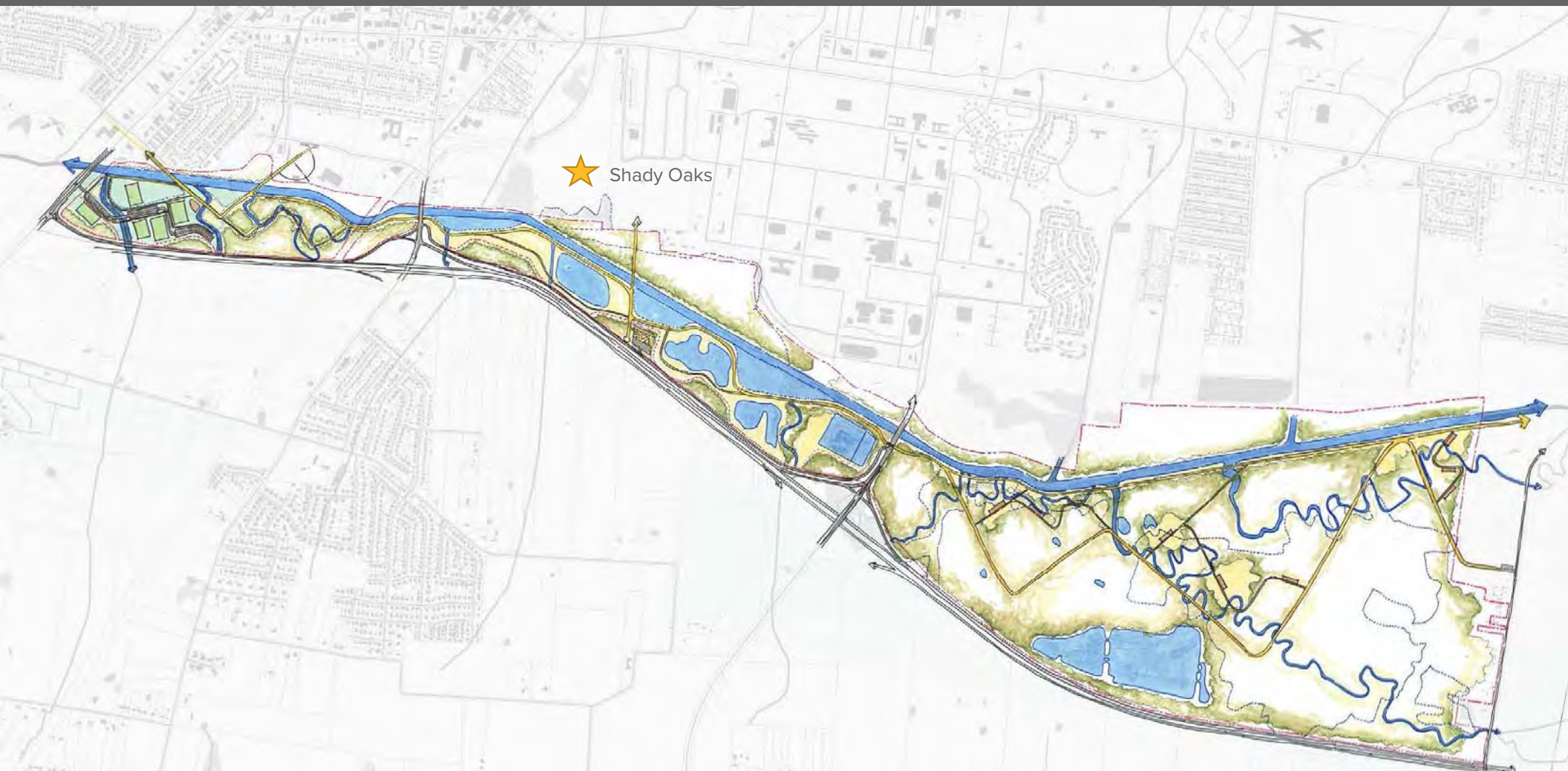


Project Path





Master Plan





Master Plan – Area #1

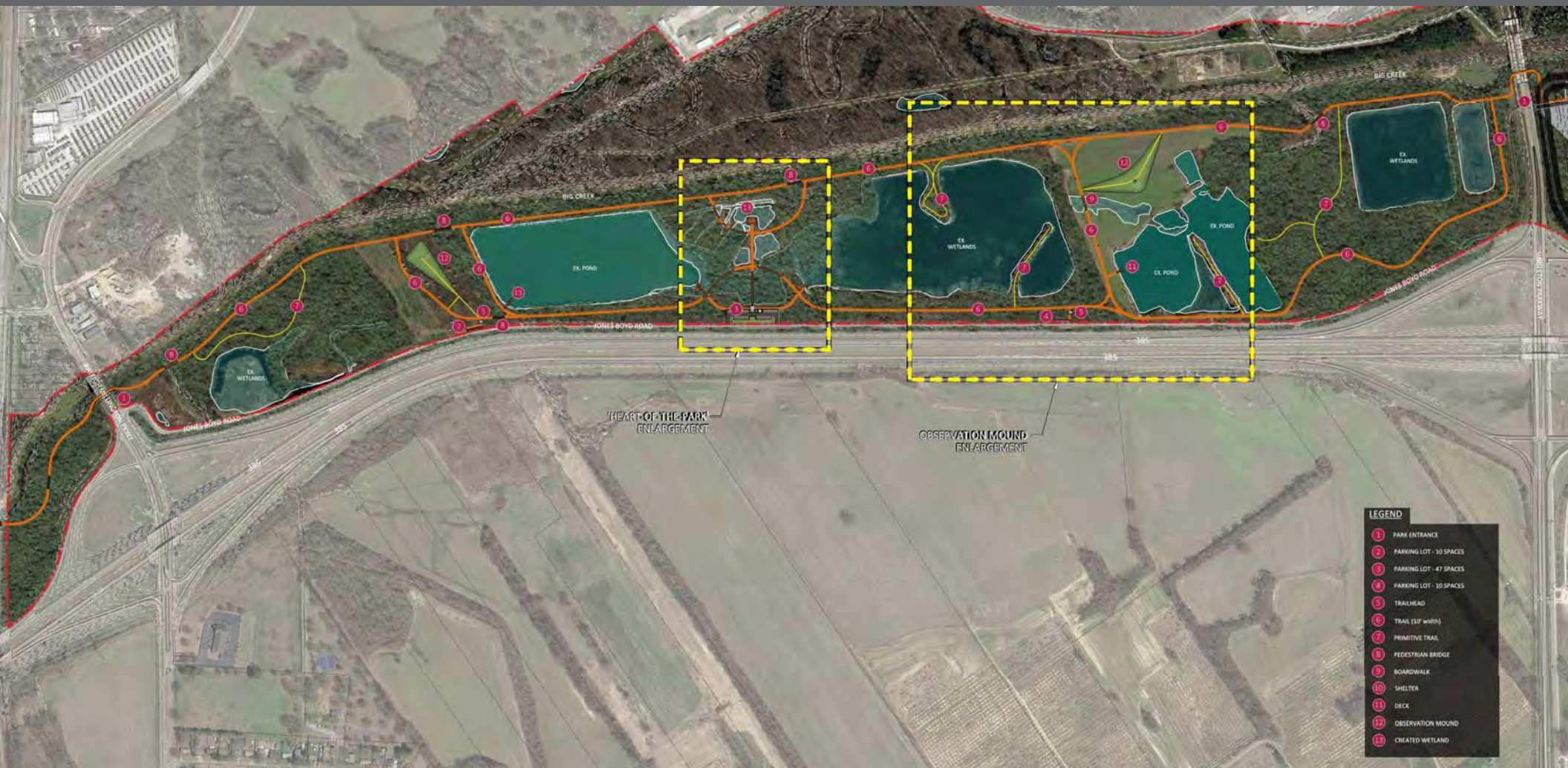


BIG CREEK - AREA 01 MILLINGTON, TN MASTER PLAN





Master Plan – Area #2



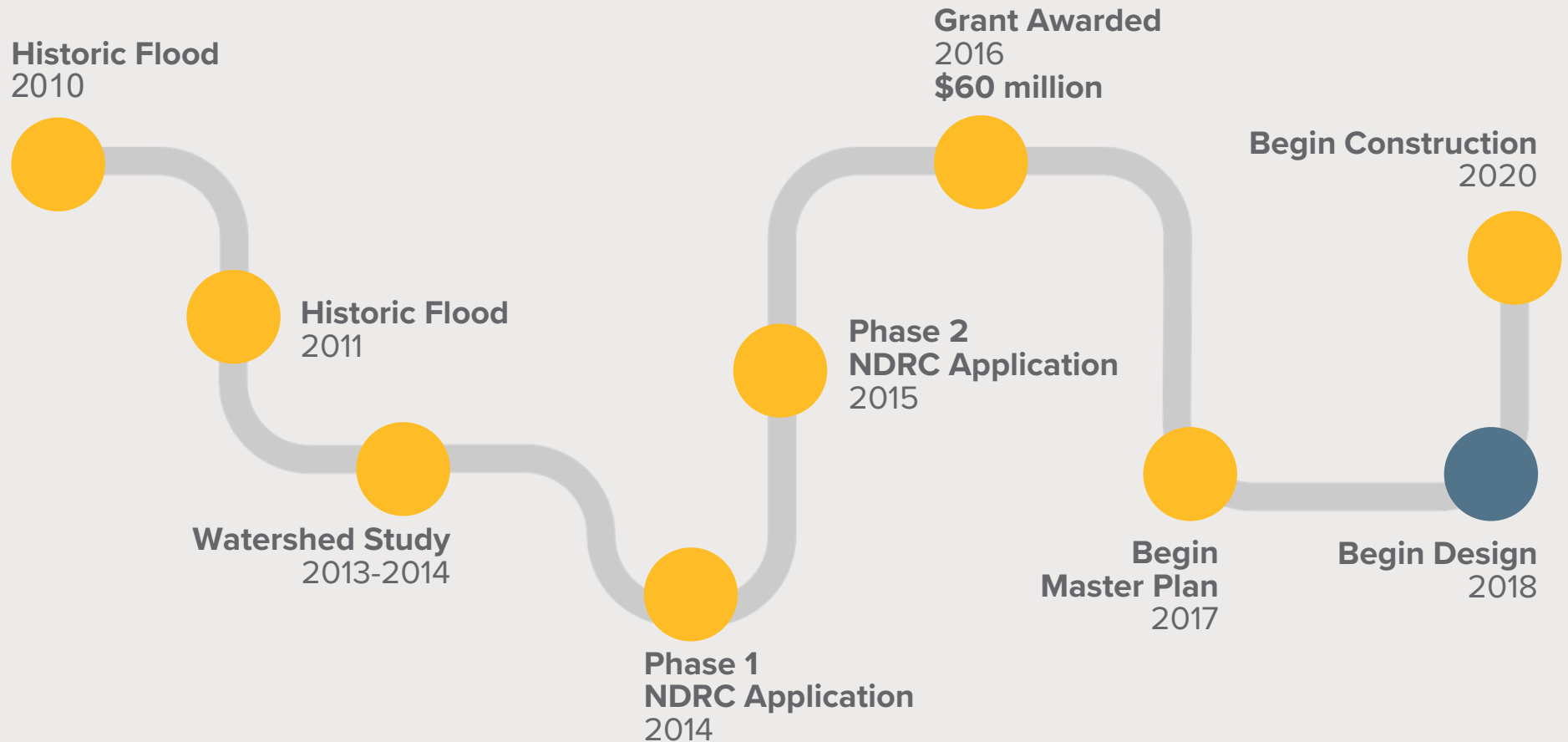


Master Plan – Area #3





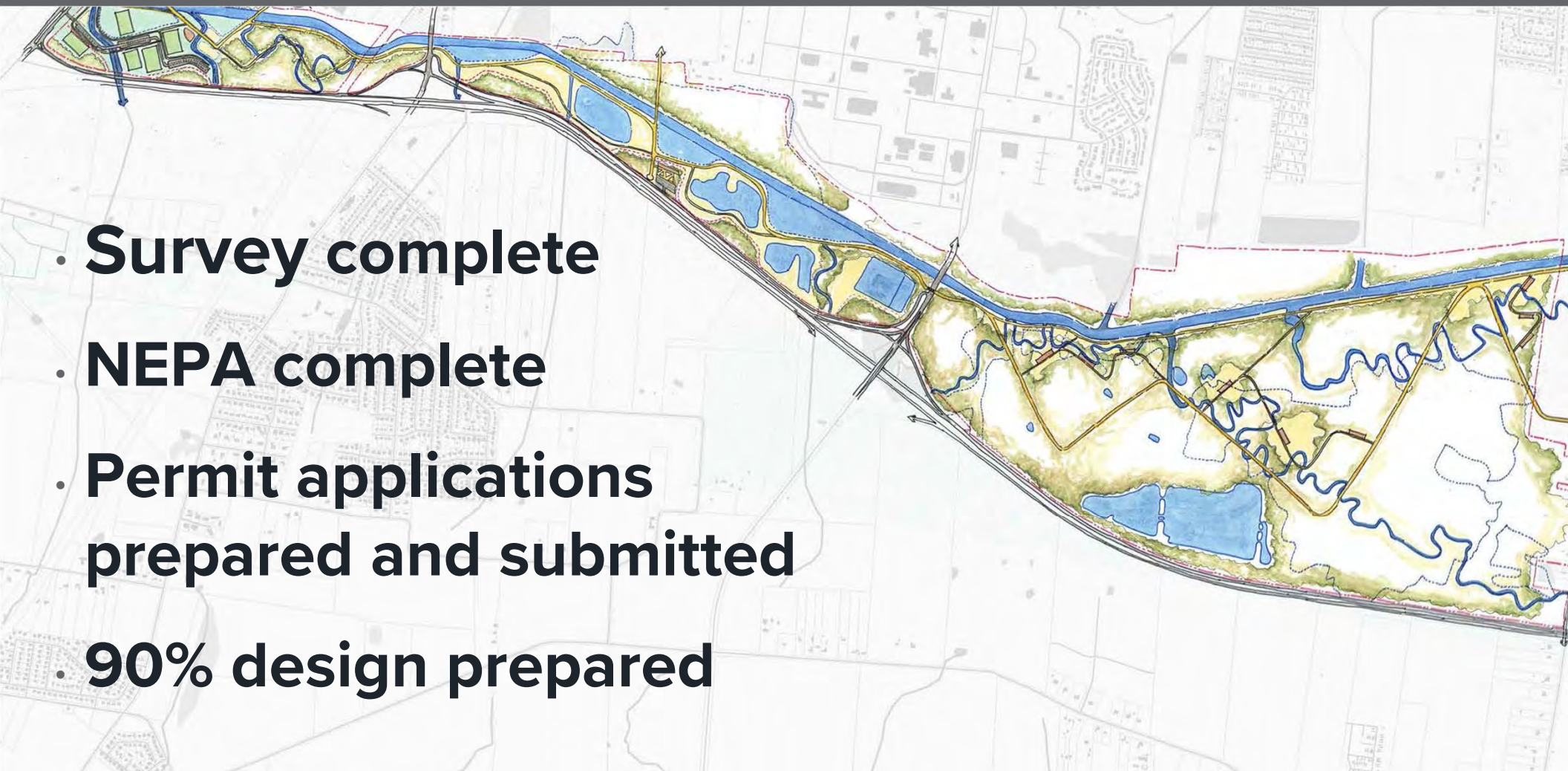
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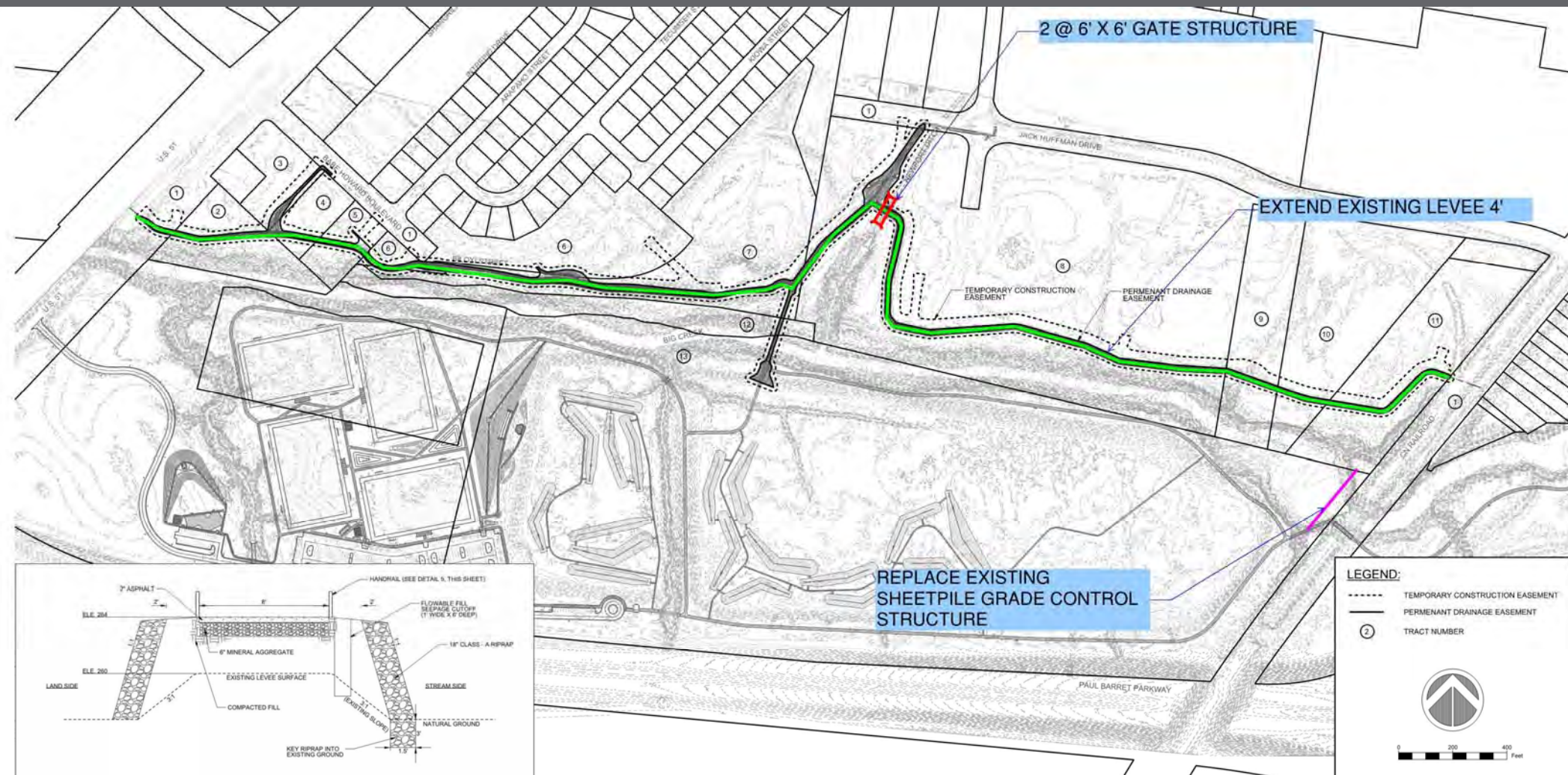
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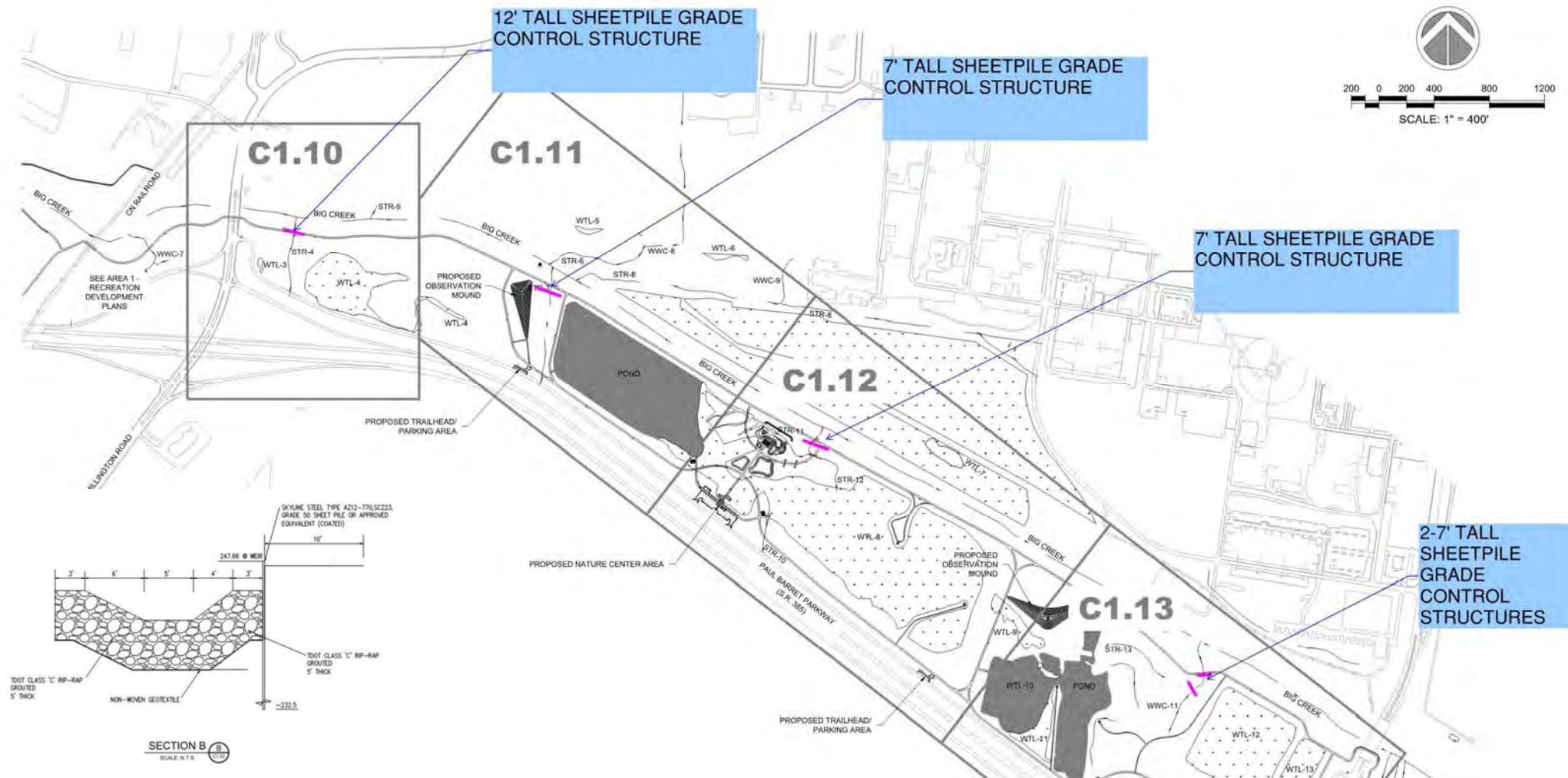
- **Survey complete**
- **NEPA complete**
- **Permit applications prepared and submitted**
- **90% design prepared**





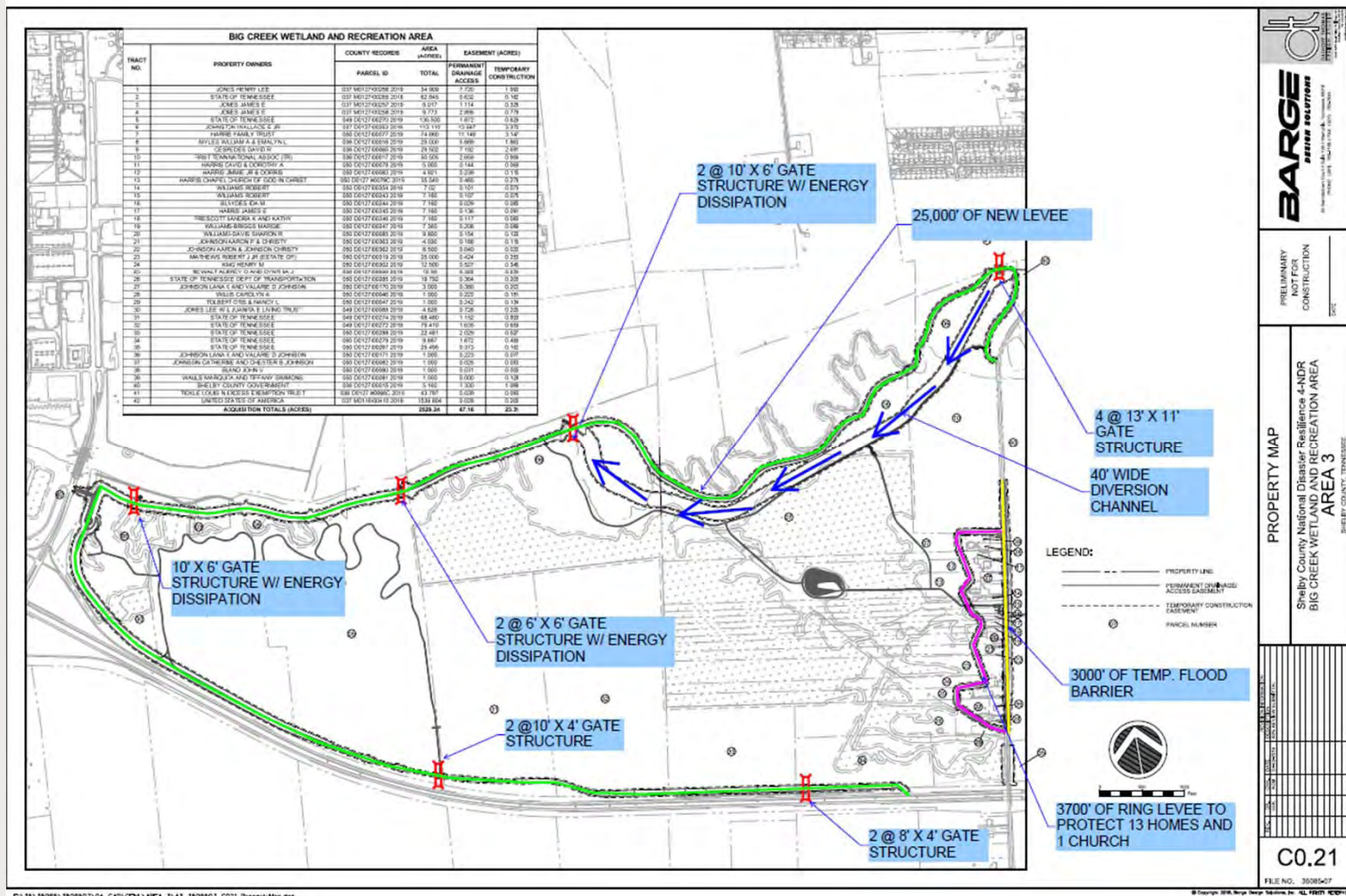
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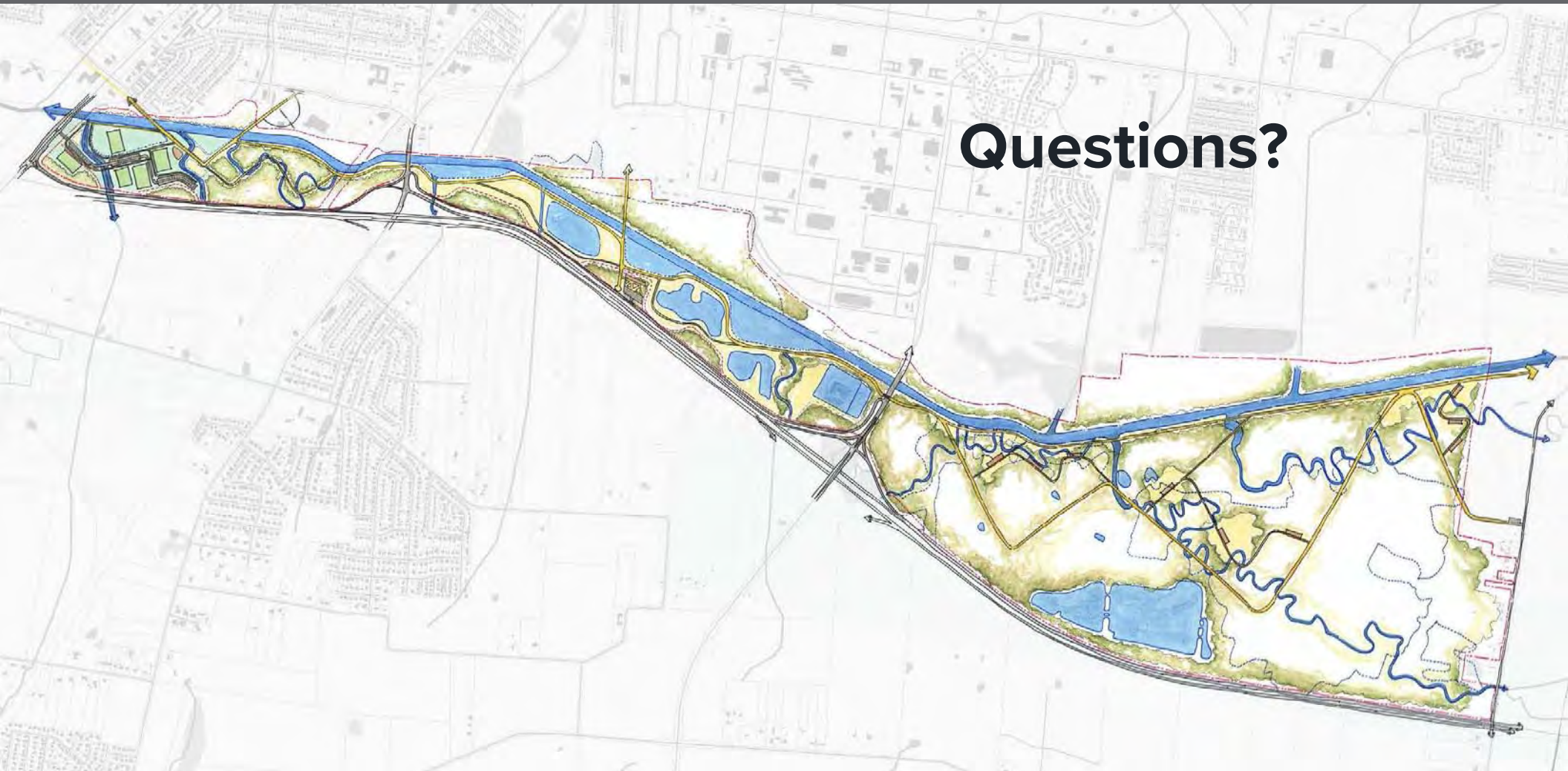




Area #3



Questions?



Thank you.



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ALTERNATE #2-ENHANCED LEVEE PROTECTION							
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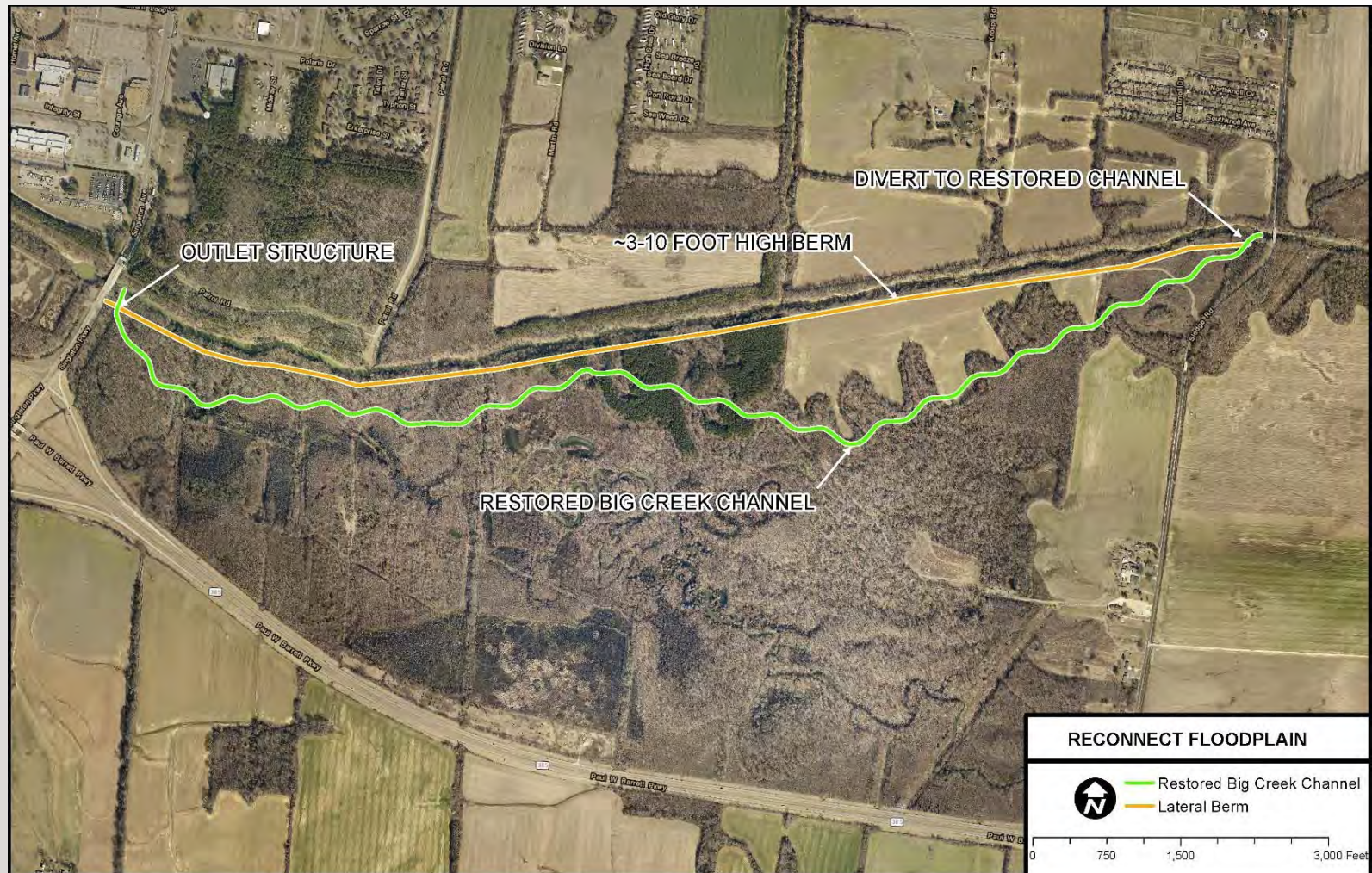
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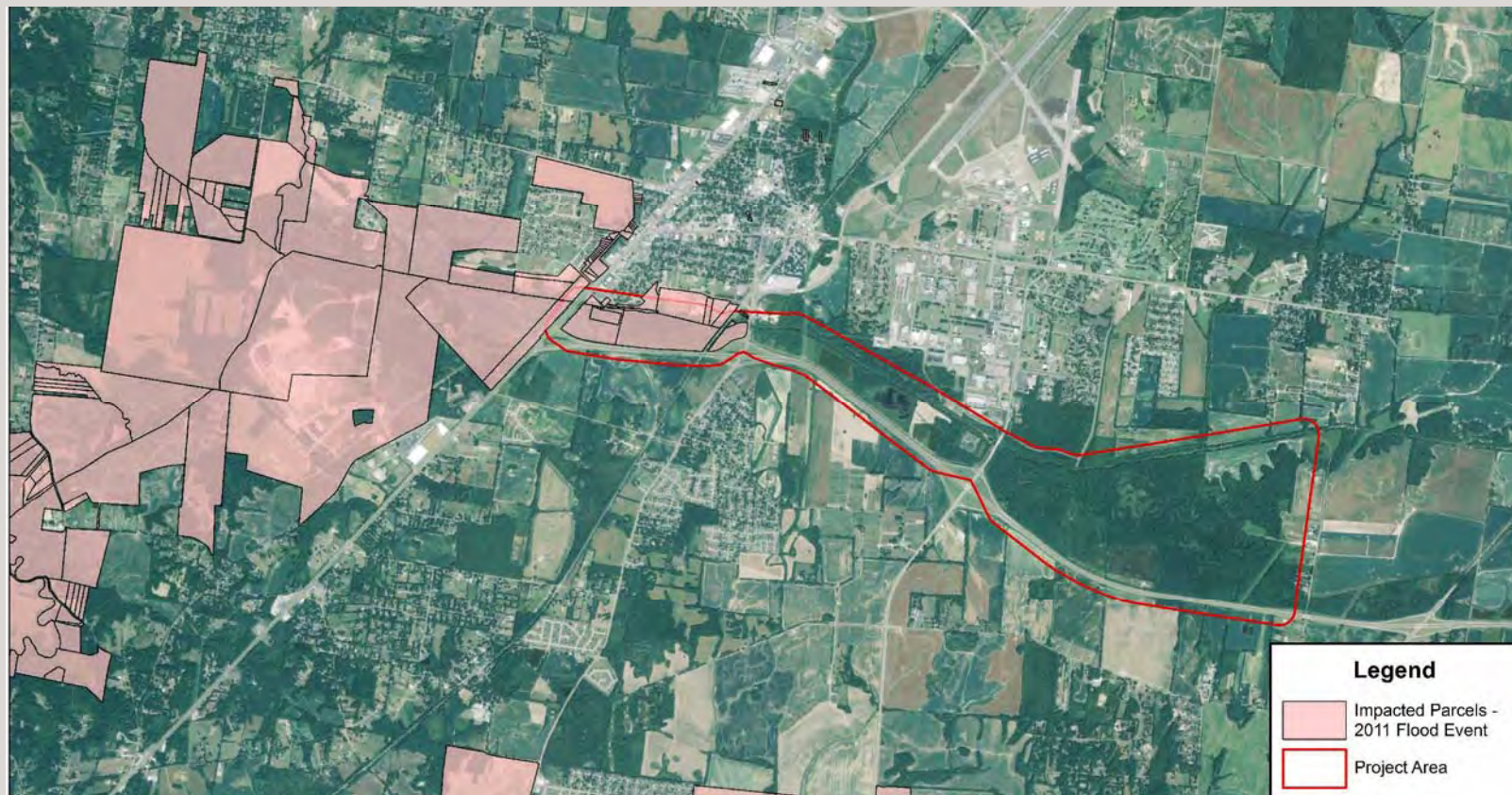
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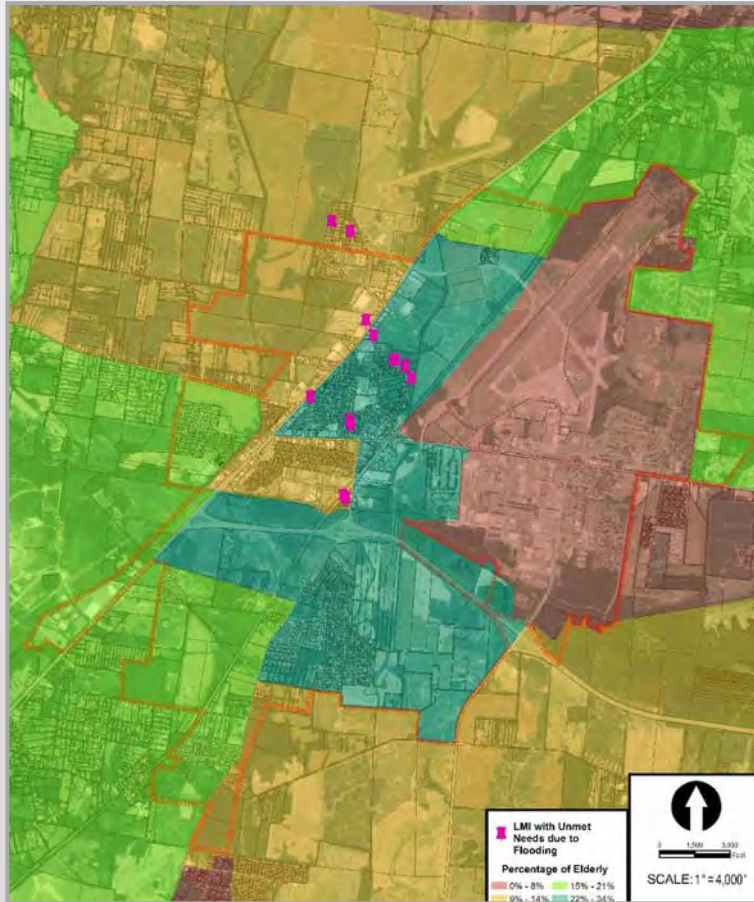


Area 3 - Reconnect Floodplain



2011 Flooding in the Millington Area



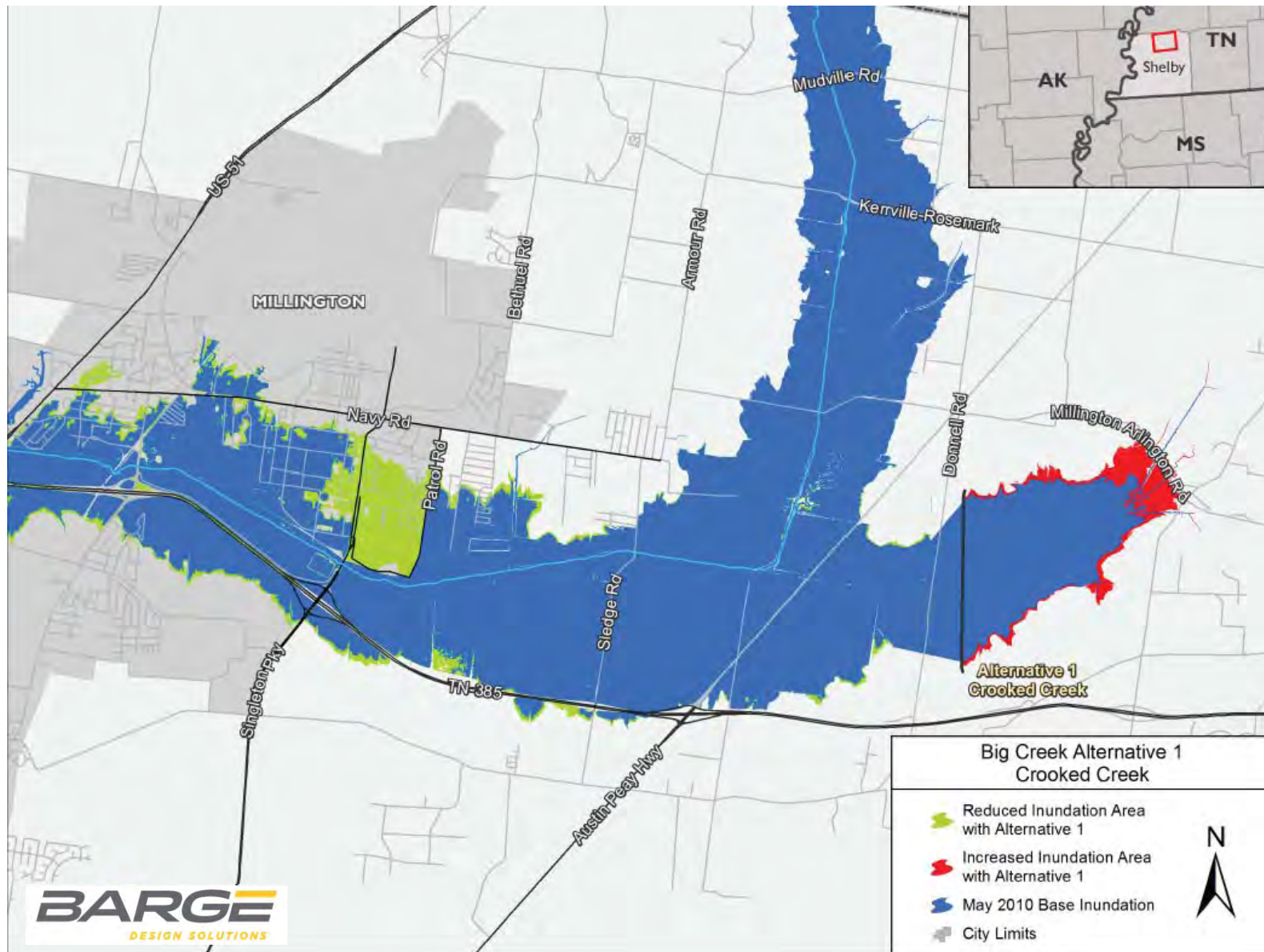


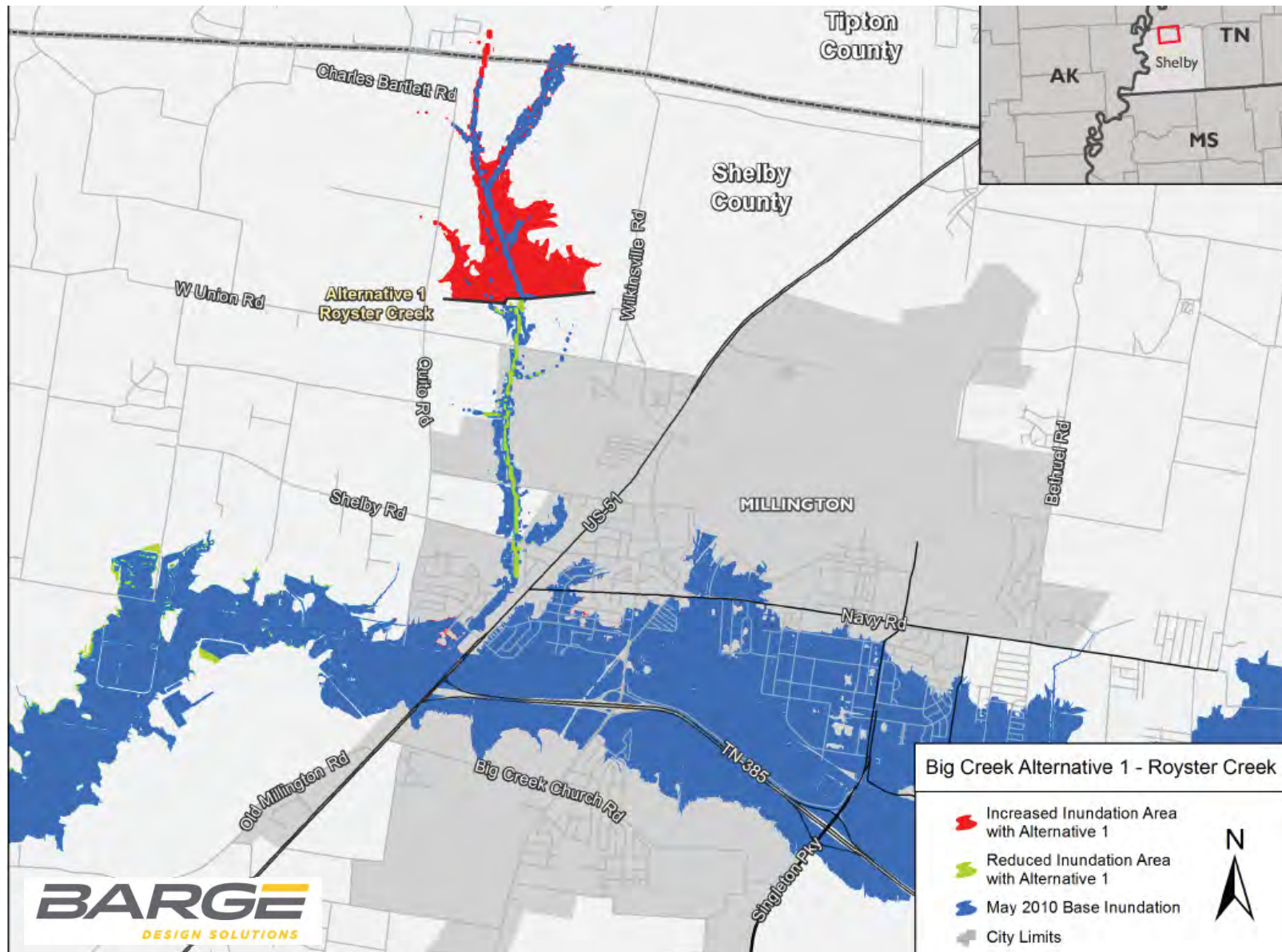
Big Creek

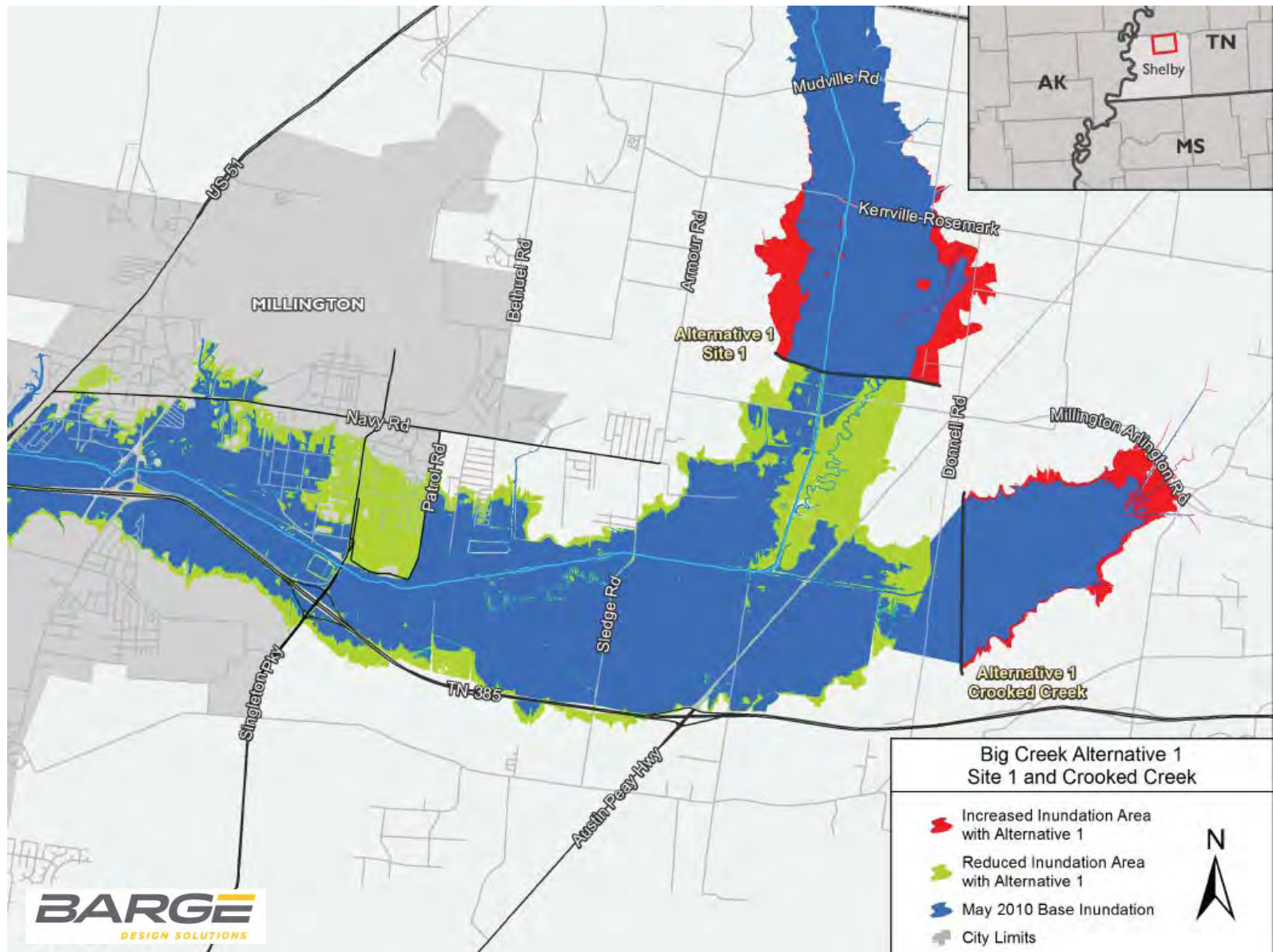
May 2011

Flood

The flood of 2011 left numerous unmet needs in the Millington Area where the majority of the community is comprised of LMI households





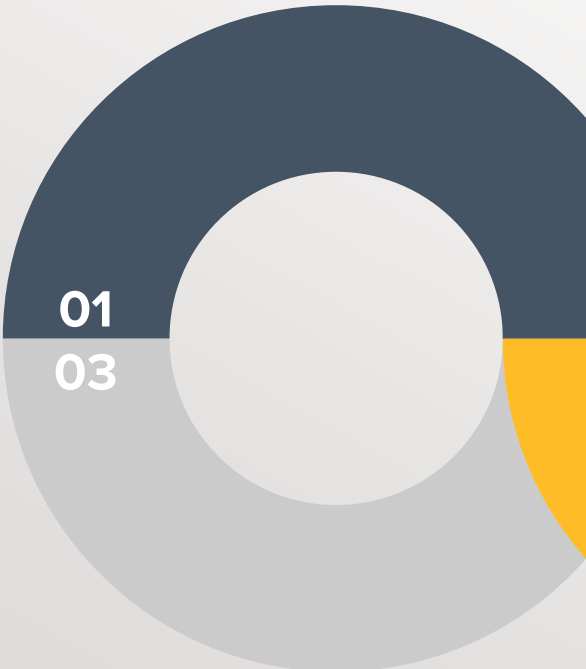


Project Metrics



SOCIAL

Parks and Trails



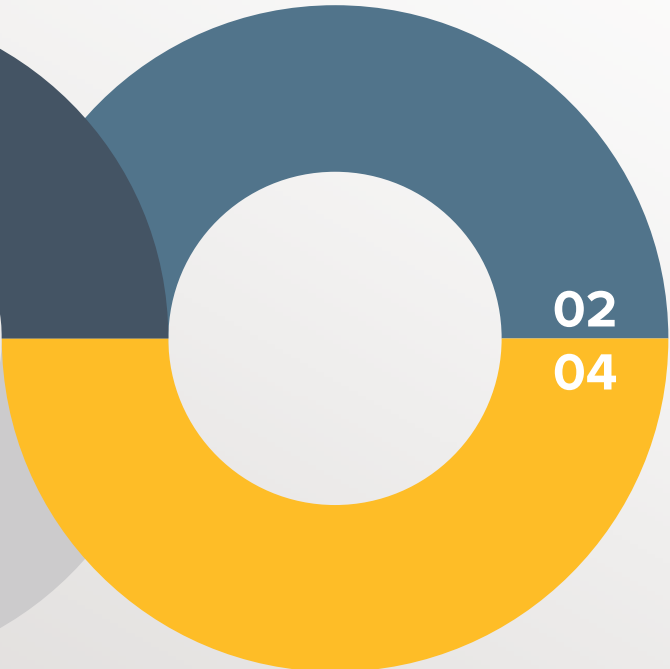
ENVIRONMENTAL

Tree Mitigation



ECONOMIC

Increase in Building Permits

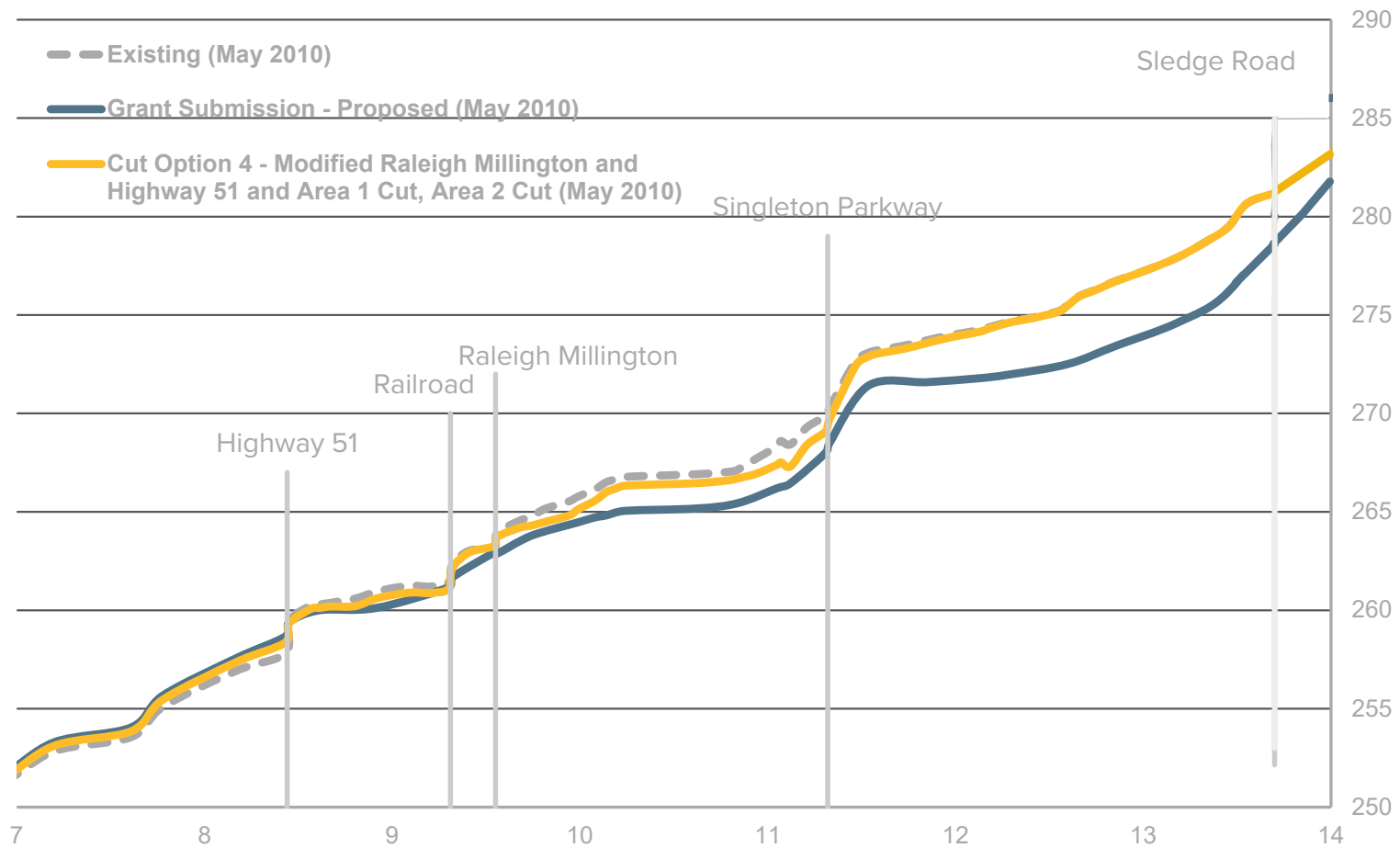


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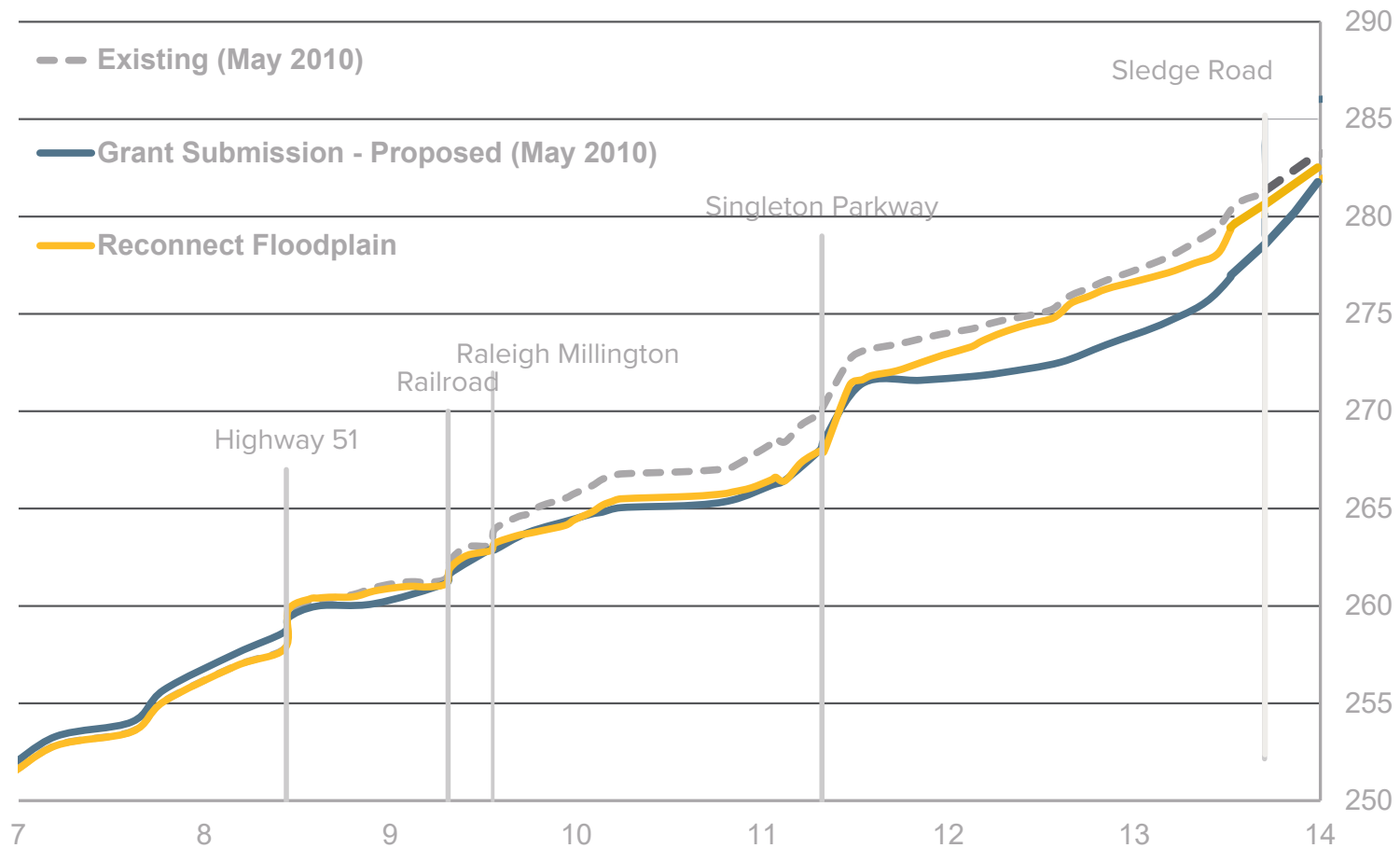
Flood Reduction



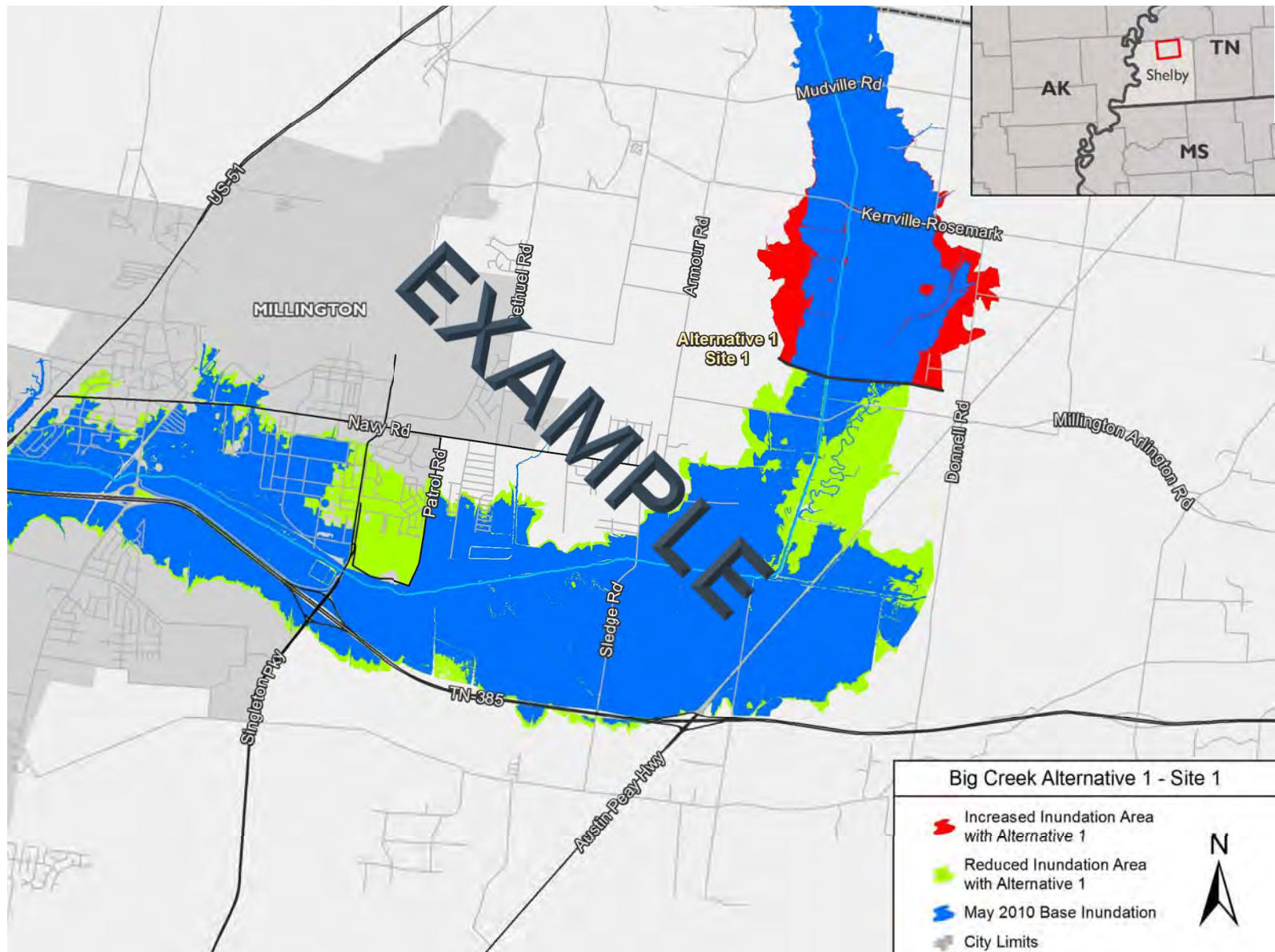
Exclusion of Area 3



Area 3 - Reconnect Floodplain



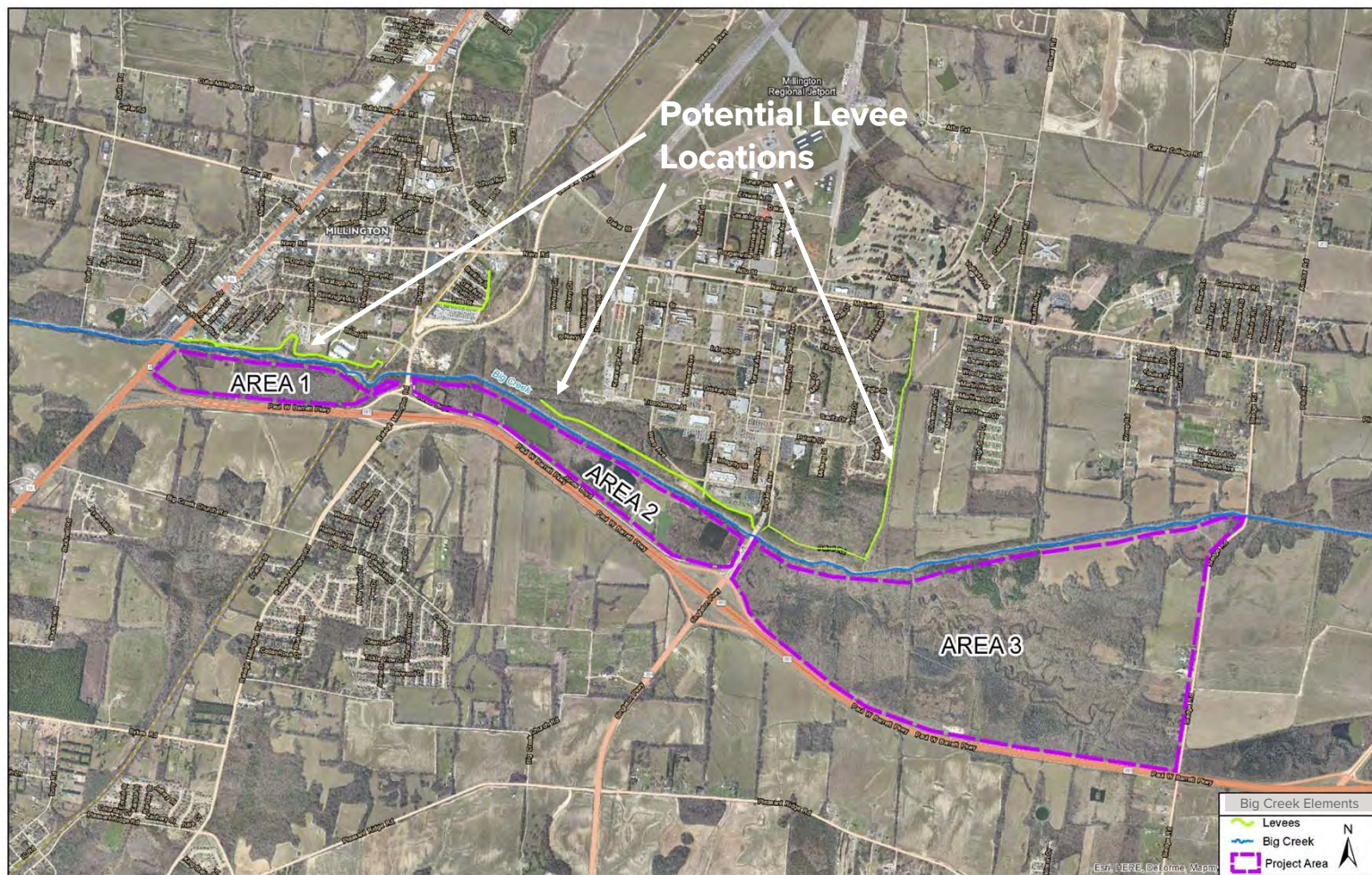


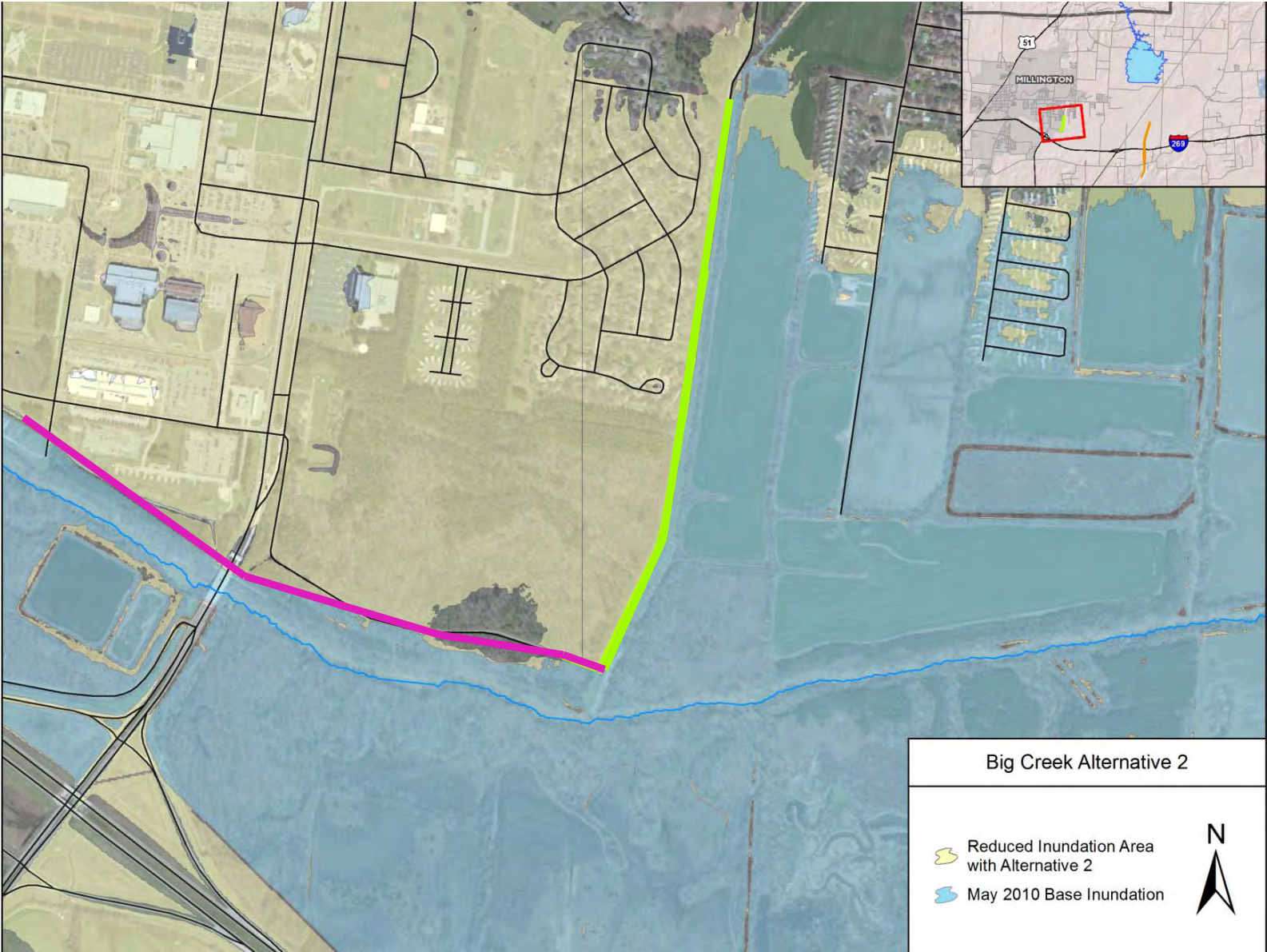


Upstream Detention Findings

- **BIG CREEK
ALTERNATIVE 1**

- Effective at reducing water surface elevations
- Significant land acquisition
- Moderate to high total project cost depending on site or combination of sites selected
- Permitting Issues

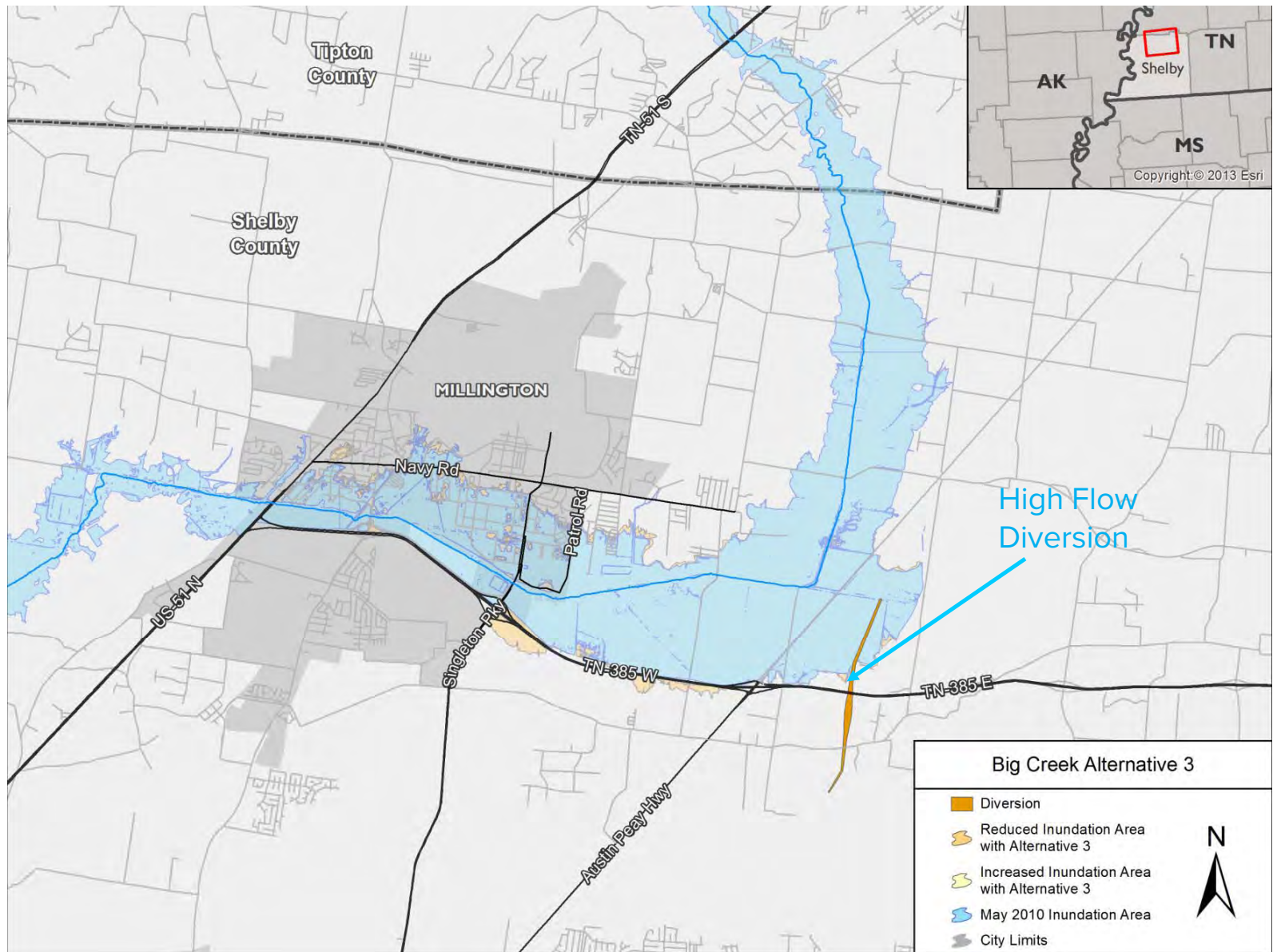




Increase Levee Protection Findings

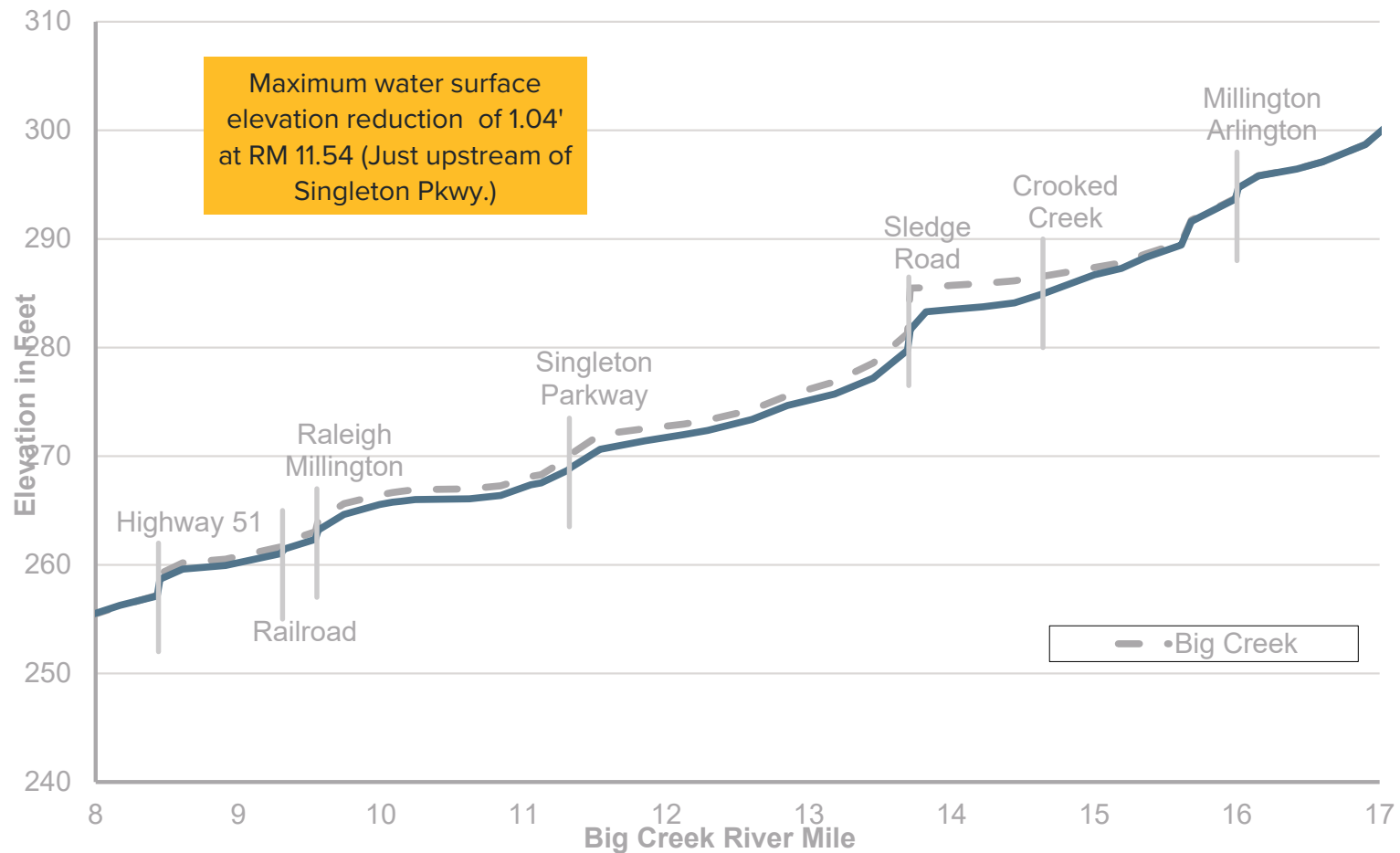
• **BIG CREEK
ALTERNATIVE 2**

- Reduces flood risk at Navy base due to levee overtopping
- No significant effect on water surface elevations
- No land acquisition
- Lower project cost



Big Creek Maximum Water Shed Profile

- *Alternative 3: Diversion Installed on Crooked Creek May 2010 Flood Event*

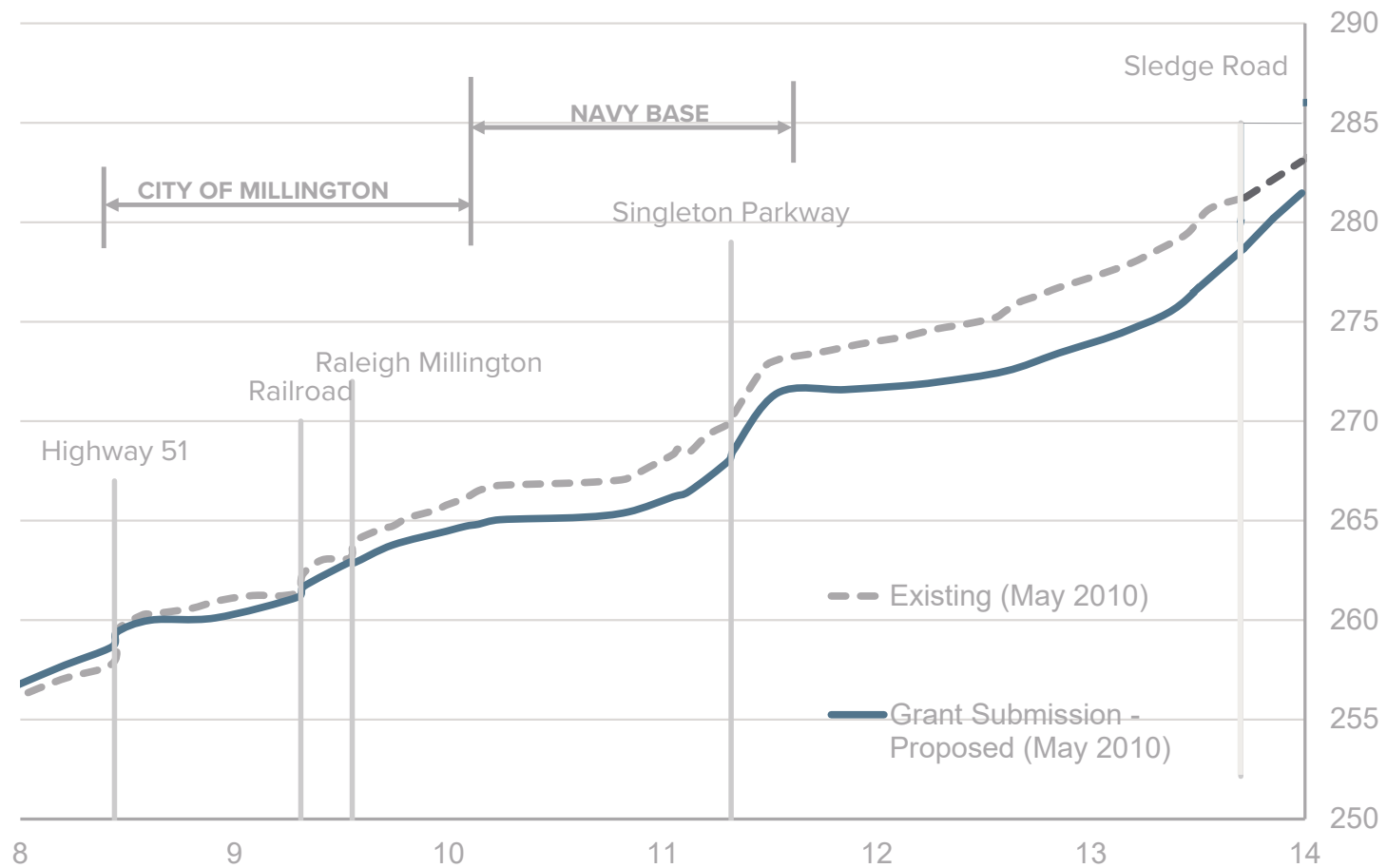


High Flow Diversion Findings

- **BIG CREEK
ALTERNATIVE 3**

- Effective in reducing water surface elevations
- Minimal land acquisition
- High construction cost (two new bridges)

Flood Reduction



Increased Floodplain Storage Findings

- **BIG CREEK
ALTERNATIVE 4**

- Effective in reducing water surface elevations
- Provided benefits to LMI households such as parks and trails
- Large land acquisition
- Expensive