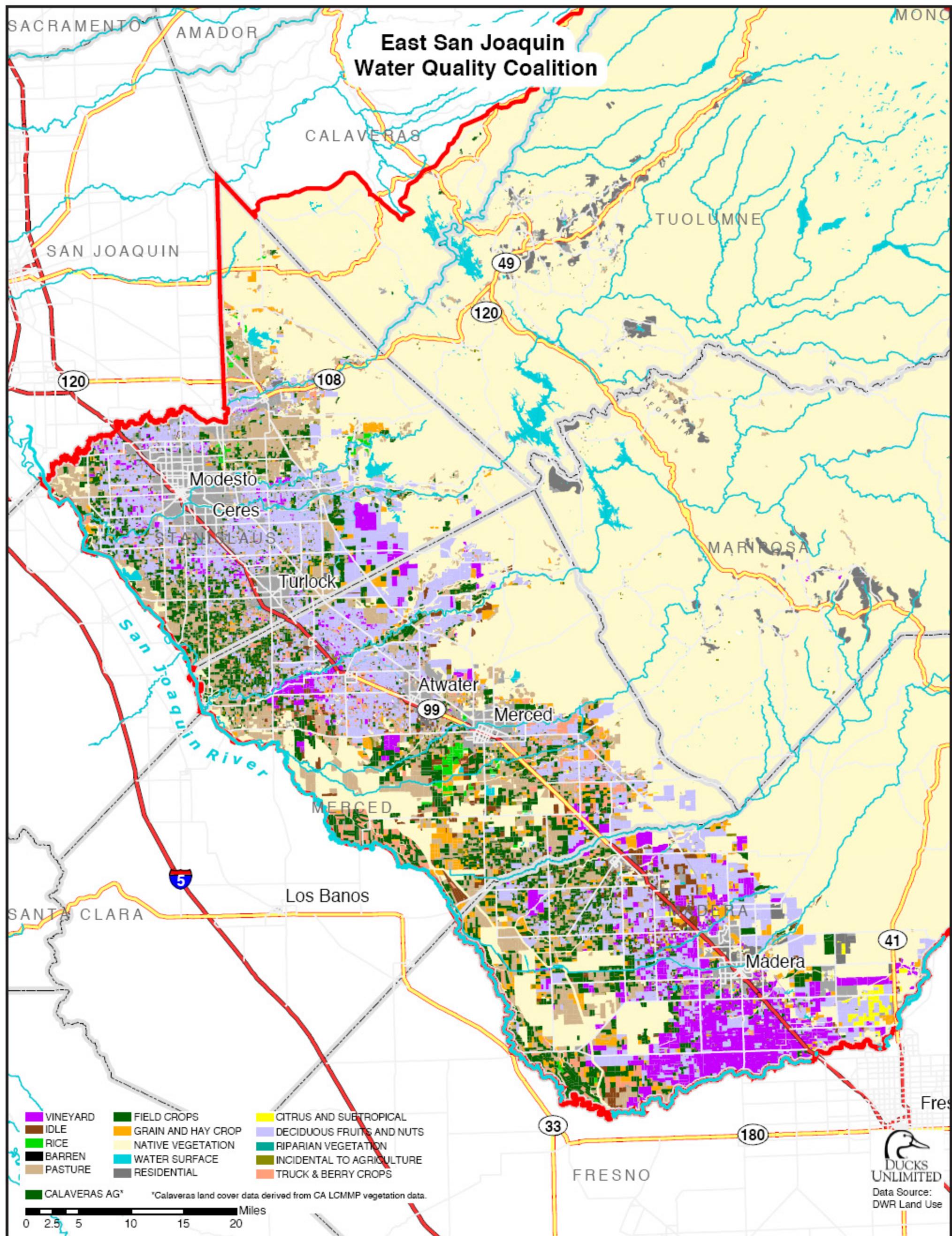




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## 2007 Year in Review

2007 marks year four of water and sediment monitoring by the East San Joaquin Water Quality Coalition (Coalition) as part of compliance for the Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program (ILRP). In those four years, the Coalition has found farm inputs at levels exceeding state standards in nearly all the waterways tested. Most significant is the repeated exceedances of State standards for *E. coli*, chlorpyrifos insecticide and sediment toxicity. Currently the Coalition collects samples from 22 monitoring sites in Merced, Madera, and Stanislaus counties.

In an effort to better understand the sources of *E. coli* exceedances in Coalition waterways, the Coalition funded a study that suggested human DNA to be the most common source of contamination. The Water Board is currently reviewing the study report. Other Central Valley Coalitions performed the same study with similar results. Plans are for all the Coalitions to meet collectively with the Water Board in early 2008 to plan an effective approach to better define *E. coli* sources and develop solutions.

The Central Valley Water Board passed a requirement in August 2006 that a Coalition must develop a Management Plan for a waterway when water sampling indicates two or more exceedances of State water standards for any constituent. Eighteen waterways were included in draft Management Plans submitted to the Water Board in the Spring of 2007. These Plans, plus plans for four additional sites, are expected to be finalized in the Spring of 2008 (see summary of exceedances page 6).

These mandatory Management Plans hold significant responsibilities for the Coalition and its members. Initially, members are required to fill out Management Practice Surveys that will help develop information to better understand potential sources of the problem. Ultimately, landowners will be required to adopt management practices to mitigate the problem should their farm drainage be contributing to a problem.

Requirements of the ILRP dictate that new waterways be sampled throughout the Coalition region in 2007. Subsequently, the Coalition added four sites and because of Management Plan sampling requirements, we must continue sampling in sites where those plans are in place.

This additional water sampling has put a severe strain on our budget. There is also a new Monitoring and Reporting Plan being considered by the Water Board in January 2008 that increases sampling frequency to monthly versus irrigation and storm season only. The potential impact of that change plus the addition of four more Management Plans is being assessed by the Board. Our hope is to keep membership dues at \$1.50 per acre for 2008 (plus \$50 per landowner). However, an increase in dues may be possible should anticipated membership revenues not cover our projected costs for 2008. See page 5 for a review of our 2007-2008 budget.

See page 7 for a current list of sampling site locations. Maps starting on page 8 show shaded lands that likely drain into the sampled waterway during heavy storm events, have potential for irrigation discharges or the possibility of spray drift reaching the waterway. Maps with no corresponding data page are sites where no water quality standards were exceeded or pesticides were detected.

The Coalition Board of Directors thanks you for your participation in this program.

# Coalition Overview

## **Membership**

As of February 1, 2007, the Coalition membership stood at 2486 landowner/operators and 612,490 irrigated acres.

## **Boundaries**

The Coalition includes Madera County and portions of Stanislaus, Merced, Tuolumne, Mariposa and Calaveras counties. Coalition borders are the crest of the Sierra Nevada on the east and the San Joaquin River on the west and south, and the Stanislaus River on the north. There are four major tributaries in the watershed: Chowchilla River, Merced River, Tuolumne River and Stanislaus River. (Note: a limited number of landowners have opted to join adjacent water quality coalitions to obtain ILRP coverage.)

## **Structure**

The Coalition was formed in 2003 in compliance with the ILRP implemented by the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board. A volunteer Board of Directors agreed to structure the organization as a public benefit, non profit entity to perform tasks required under the ILRP. In November 2005, the Coalition was granted non-profit status as a 501 c5 organization by the Internal Revenue Service. The Coalition is managed by a Board of Directors.

## **Board Officers**

- \* Parry Klassen, (**Board Chairman, Executive Director**); Executive Director of Coalition for Urban/Rural Environmental Stewardship (CURES); fruit grower
- \* Wayne Zipser, Stanislaus County Farm Bureau (**vice-chairman**); almond grower
- \* Bill McKinney, (**secretary/treasurer**), almond grower

## **Board Members**

- \* Julia Berry, Madera County Farm Bureau
- \* Brian Franzia, West Coast Grape Farming, Ceres; grapes
- \* Richard Gemperle, Gemperle Enterprises, Turlock; almonds
- \* Kevin Olsen, S&J Ranch, Pinedale; citrus
- \* Bruce Pace, A.L. Gilbert Co.; corn, row crops
- \* Diana Westmoreland Pedrozo, Merced County Farm Bureau
- \* Alan Reynolds, Gallo Vineyards, Inc.; grapes
- \* Jim Wagner, Hughson Chemical Co., Hughson

## **Ex-officio Board Members**

- \* Dennis Gudgel, Stanislaus County Agricultural Commissioner
- \* David Robinson, Merced County Agricultural Commissioner
- \* Bob Rolan, Madera County Agricultural Commissioner

## Coalition Overview

### Goals

- ★ To operate an efficient, economical program that enables members to comply with the Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program (ILRP).
- ★ File required reports with the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board to maintain ILRP coverage for Coalition members.
- ★ Implement an economical and scientifically valid water monitoring program for area rivers and agricultural drains (as required by the ILRP).
- ★ Spread costs equitably among owners/operators who are Coalition members.
- ★ Communicate to landowners where water monitoring indicates problems and work to solve those problems.

### Fees Assessed by the State Water Resources Control Board

In 2007, the Coalition paid the 12 cent per acre fee for its members to cover State Water Resources Control Board cost for implementing the ILRP. The State established the following three-tiered annual fee structure for landowners seeking coverage by ILRP:

- ★ Member of water coalition *with* fee collected by coalition = \$100 per coalition + 12 cents per irrigated acre
- ★ Member of water coalition *but* coalition does not collect fee = \$100 per landowner + 20 cents per irrigated acre
- ★ Not member of coalition = \$100 per farm + 30 cents per irrigated acre

The 12 cent per acre fee is included as part of Coalition membership dues. By paying the state fee for members, the Coalition collectively saved member growers more than \$250,000.

### Member Outreach and Best Management Practices

The Coalition is continuing its efforts to work with landowners in watersheds where monitoring indicates problems. Central to this effort will be promoting Best Management Practices (BMPs) with the best potential for solving the problem. When a problem is identified, the Coalition will:

- ★ Contact landowners upstream of the monitoring site and inform them of the constituent(s) identified.
- ★ Distribute BMP information through mailings and individual visits and local grower and crop advisor meetings.
- ★ Give educational presentations on monitoring results and potential BMPs at commodity and farm group meetings in the coalition region.

# Water Monitoring Program Overview

## ***Monitoring Program Objectives***

- ★ Characterize discharge from irrigated agriculture in the Coalition region
  - ★ Identify locations where water quality objectives are violated
  - ★ Identify potential source(s) of the exceedances
  - ★ Promote to landowners the implementation of management practices to eliminate water quality problems.

## ***Monitoring Program Management***

- \* Michael L. Johnson LLC, Davis, CA  
*Staff:* Mike Johnson – President  
Francisca Johnson – Vice President  
Melissa Turner – Vice President

Krista Callinan – Environmental Scientist  
Jon Katz – Environmental Scientist  
Frank Wulff – Environmental Scientist

## *Analytical Laboratories*

- \* AQUA-Science, Davis, CA. (water toxicity)
  - \* APPL Inc., Fresno, CA (pesticide analysis)
  - \* North Coast Laboratories Ltd., Arcata, CA (glyphosate and paraquat analysis)
  - \* Caltest Analytical Laboratory, Napa, CA (water analysis; metals, bacteria, nutrients and physical parameters)
  - \* Nautilus Environmental, San Diego, CA (sediment toxicity)

## *Monitoring Site Selection Criteria*

- \* Characterizes agricultural drainage of the area
  - \* Drains irrigated lands
  - \* Minimal or no urban influence on flows

### *Sampling Frequency*

#### *Water column*

- ★ Monthly during irrigation season (May through October)
  - ★ Twice during winter rainy season (January, February or March)

## Questions, Comments, Changes in Membership

Members are welcome to contact the coalition Board of Directors or management with questions or to update membership information. The most efficient way to contact us is through the Coalition's website [www.esicoalition.org](http://www.esicoalition.org). Go to "Contact Us."

Outreach meeting dates and locations will be posted on the Coalition website and periodic announcements mailed to members.

Changes in membership information can be submitted to: ESJWQC  
1201 L Street  
Modesto, CA 95354

Or call: 209-522-7278

Be sure to use your membership number in any correspondence.

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES**  
**EAST SAN JOAQUIN WATER QUALITY COALITION (ESJWQC)**  
**January - December 2007 VS 2007 Budget**

	<b>ACTUAL*</b> <b>2007</b>	<b>BUDGET</b> <b>2007</b>	
	\$ K, (Thousands)	\$ K, (Thousands)	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
<b>INCOME</b>			
Dues & Interest (TOTAL INCOME)	1,088	1,122.4	Membership dues and interest on bank accounts.
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
Organizational	145	118.5	Executive director, legal, accounting, management of membership records & related communications, and miscellaneous business costs.
Program	1,084	1,494.1	Program manager, site monitoring/ special studies, quality control/ assurance, data management, communications with Coalition members regarding monitoring results, and reports to RWQCB.
Travel and Meeting	22	7.5	Expenses for executive director and program manager, contractors and employees of the Coalition.
TOTAL EXPENSES	1,327	1,620.1	
<b>UNEXPENDED FUNDS</b>			
Net Income	(244)	(497.7)	Difference between TOTAL INCOME (including retained income from previous year) and TOTAL EXPENSES.
Retained	956	877.2	Funds carried in from previous year.
Total	712	379.5	Total funds in (or projected to be in) bank accounts at end of fiscal year.

\* Expenses for the month of December are estimated.

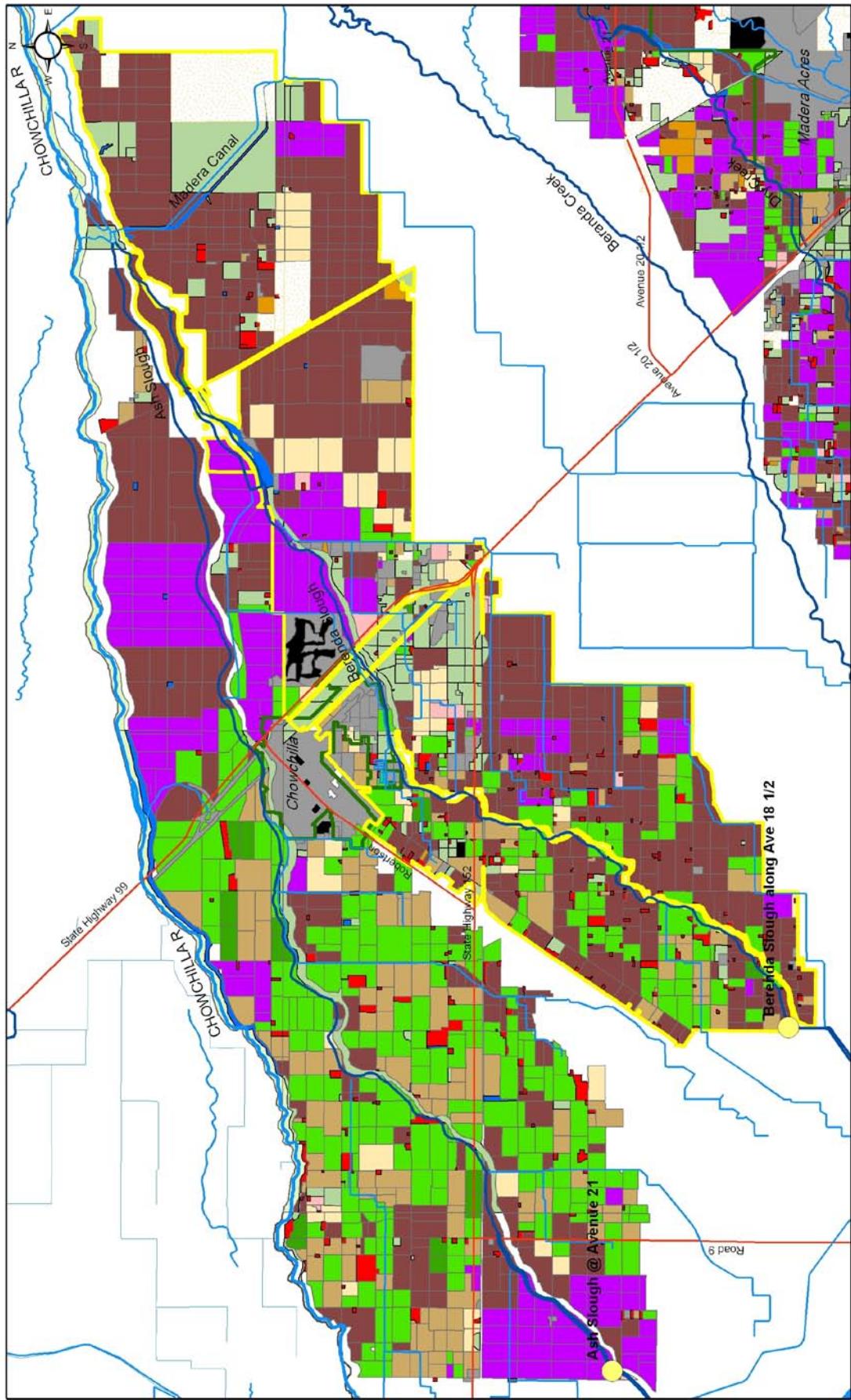
## Summary of Exceedances

Sample Site	Oxygen, Dissolved	pH	EC	Color	E. coli	Nitrate as N	Nitrite as N	Arsenic	Zinc	Lead	Chlorpyrifos	DDT(p,p')	DEE(p,p')	DDD(p,p')	Diazinon	Dieldrin	Dimethoate	Malathion	Methoxychlor	Permethrin, total	Ceriodaphnia dubia	Pimephales promelas	Selenastrum capricornutum	Hyalella azteca	
Ash Slough @ Ave 21				9	3				5	2		4													1
Aug Rd Drn upstream of Crows Landing Br				3	3	3		3				1													
Bear Creek @ Kirby Rd	2	2	14	5				1		2		1													3
Berenda Slough along Ave 18 1/2	8		9	2								3													3
Black Rascal Creek @ Yosemite Rd	9		13	6								4													5
Cottonwood Creek @ Rd 20	12	1	18	5								8	1												
Deadman Creek (Dutchman) @ Gurr Rd	9		16	13					2	3			1												1
Deadman Creek @ Hwy 59	9		12	6								2	1	1											1
Dry Creek @ Rd 18	1	2	11	3					14	4	1	2													1
Dry Creek @ Wellsford Rd	11	3	22	12					2			5													2
Duck Slough @ Gurr Rd	3	2	1	25	14			1		5	2													3	
Hatch Drain @ Hwy 99	1	2	21	9					9	9		3													3
Hatch Drain @ Tuolumne Rd	7		6	5	5			1	4	4															1
Highline Canal @ Hwy 99	1	4	11	4						5	7		2												2
Highline Canal @ Lombardy Rd	2		12	2						2	7	1		3											3
Hilmar Drain @ Central Ave	3	3	22	22	16				18	2			1	1										1	
Jones Drain @ Oakdale Rd	11	1	22	18						13	6		4												1
Livingston Drain @ Robin Ave		3		2						4			1												1
Merced River @ Santa Fe	1	1		16	1					1			1												1
Miles Creek @ Reilly/Rd					5	3				3	1	1	1												1
Mustang Creek @ East Ave	5		1	7	5							1	22	1											3
Prairie Flower Drain @ Crows Landing Rd	11	4	32	22	16								3	1	1	1								1	
Silva Drain @ Meadow Dr	7			13	9								3												2
South Slough @ Quinley Rd	3	2		6																					1
Westport Drain @ Vivian Rd				7	4	2	1						5												1

## Coalition Sponsored Water Monitoring Sites

<i><b>Site Location</b></i>	<i><b>County</b></i>	<i><b>Page</b></i>
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4. Black Rascal Creek @ Yosemite Rd.....	Merced.....	14
5. Cottonwood Creek @ Rd 20 .....	Madera.....	16
6. Deadman Creek and Duck Slough .....	Merced.....	18
7. Dry Creek @ Rd 18.....	Madera.....	22
8. Dry Creek @ Wellsford Rd.....	Stanislaus.....	24
9. Hatch Drain @ Tuolumne Rd.....	Stanislaus.....	26
10. Highline Canal .....	Merced.....	28
11. Hilmar Drain @ Central Ave .....	Merced.....	30
12. Livingston Drain @ Robin Ave.....	Merced.....	32
13. Merced River @ Santa Fe.....	Merced.....	34
14. Miles Creek @ Reilly Rd .....	Merced.....	36
15. Mustang Creek @ East Ave.....	Merced.....	38
16. Prairie Flower Drain @ Crows Landing Rd.....	Stanislaus.....	40
17. Silva Drain @ Meadow Dr.....	Merced.....	42
18. South Slough @ Quinley Rd.....	Merced.....	44
19. Westport Drain @ Vivian Rd.....	Stanislaus.....	46

## Ash Slough at Avenue 21



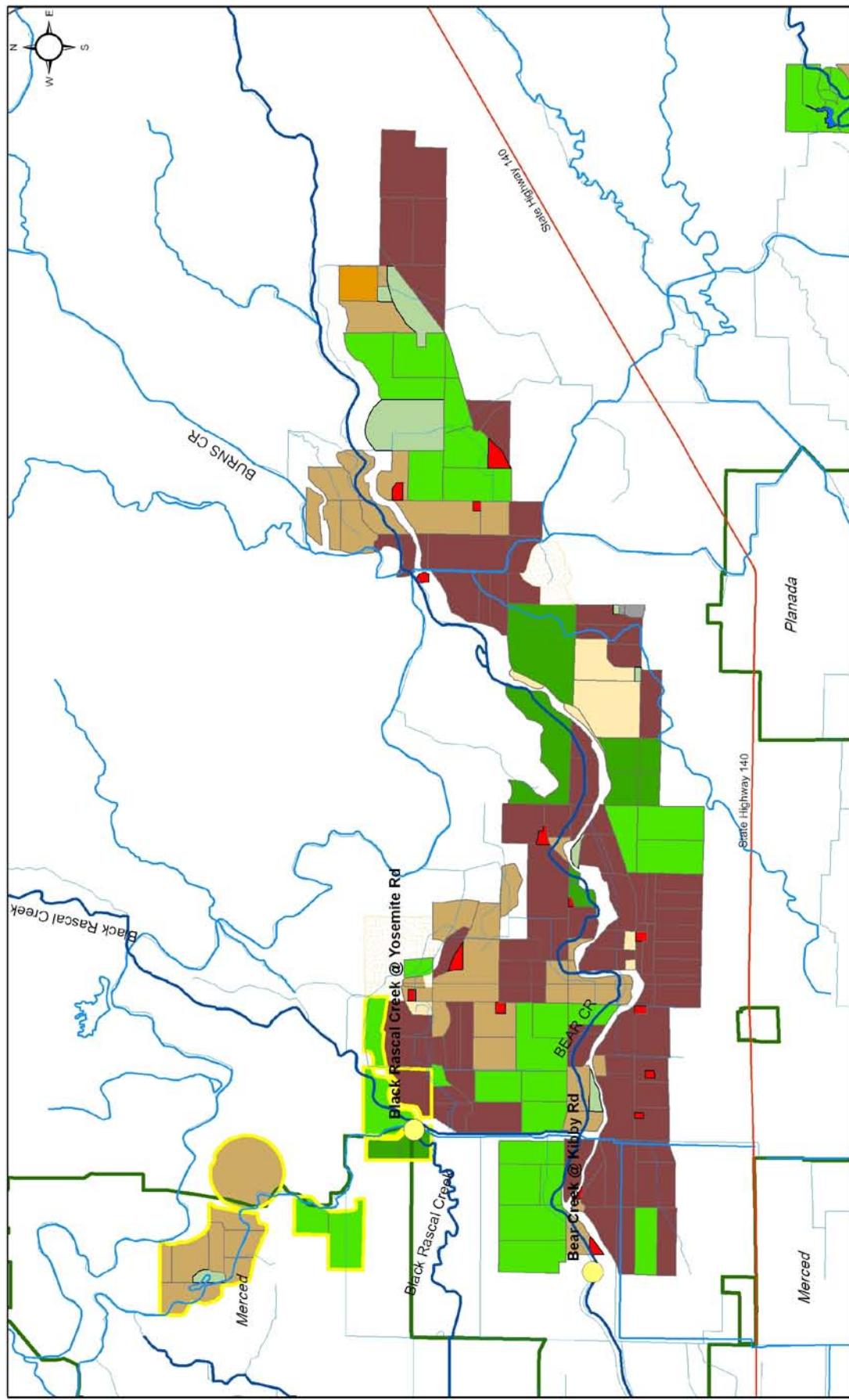
## Ash Slough at Avenue 21

Date Sampled	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	<i>E. coli</i>	Selenium	Algae toxicity	Copper <sup>1</sup>	Lead <sup>2</sup>
	<b>0.015 µg/L</b>	<b>235 MPN/ 100mL</b>	<b>5 µg/L</b>	<b>Based on growth</b>	<b>µg/L Based on hardness</b>	<b>µg/L Based on hardness</b>
12-Jul-05	0.018	500				
16-Aug-05	0.046					
28-Feb-06	0.016	500		toxic		
15-Mar-06	0.029					
16-May-06					9.4 (5.2)	1.34 (1.32)
13-Jun-06		770			17.0 (3.3)	1.6 (0.7)
11-Jul-06					6.7 (4.1)	
8-Aug-06					6.3 (3.1)	
12-Sep-06			5.0		9.3 (3.3)	

\*Exceedance triggers or objectives are indicated below the column headers. Triggers and objectives for all constituents sampled can be found on the ESWQC website; [www.esjcoalition.org](http://www.esjcoalition.org).

<sup>1</sup>Limit is based on hardness measured in each water sample and is indicated in parenthesis.  
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## Bear Creek at Kibby Road

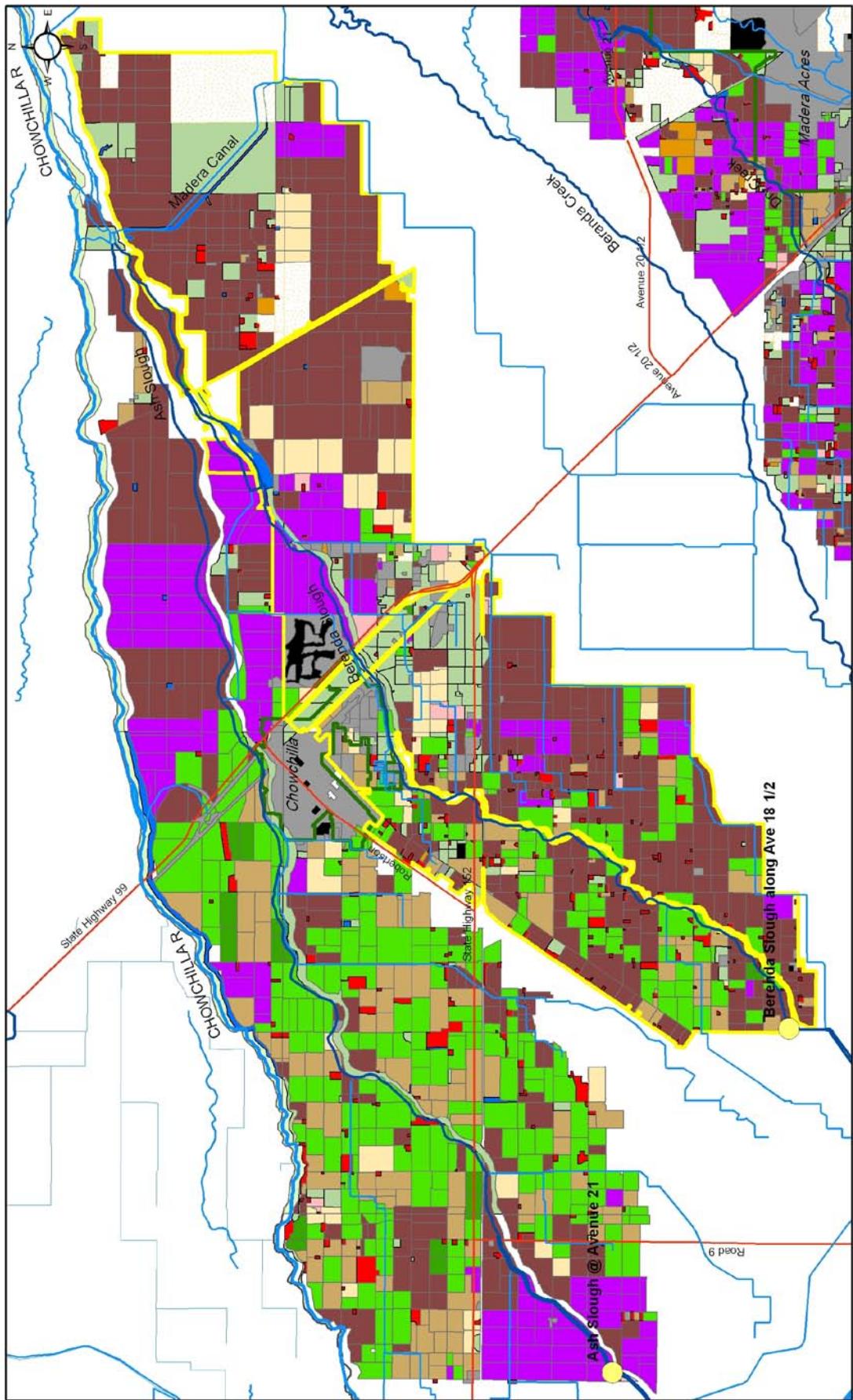


Bear Creek at Kibby Road							
Date Sampled	Color 15 color units	Oxygen, Dissolved 7 mg/L	pH 6.5 - 8.5 pH units	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban) 0.015 µg/L	DDT 0.00059 ug/L	E. coli 235 MPN/ 100mL	Water flea toxicity Based on survival
21-Mar-05		4.40				1600	
10-May-05					280	toxic	
15-Mar-06					1600		
17-May-06				0.520		toxic	
13-Jun-06		6.99	8.69				
12-Sep-06					0.0091	>2400	12 (9.3)
12-Feb-07		180				1300	
1-Mar-07		100					
24-Jul-07				0.049		toxic	
21-Aug-07				8.69			
18-Sep-07		17					

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## Berenda Slough along Avenue 18 1/2

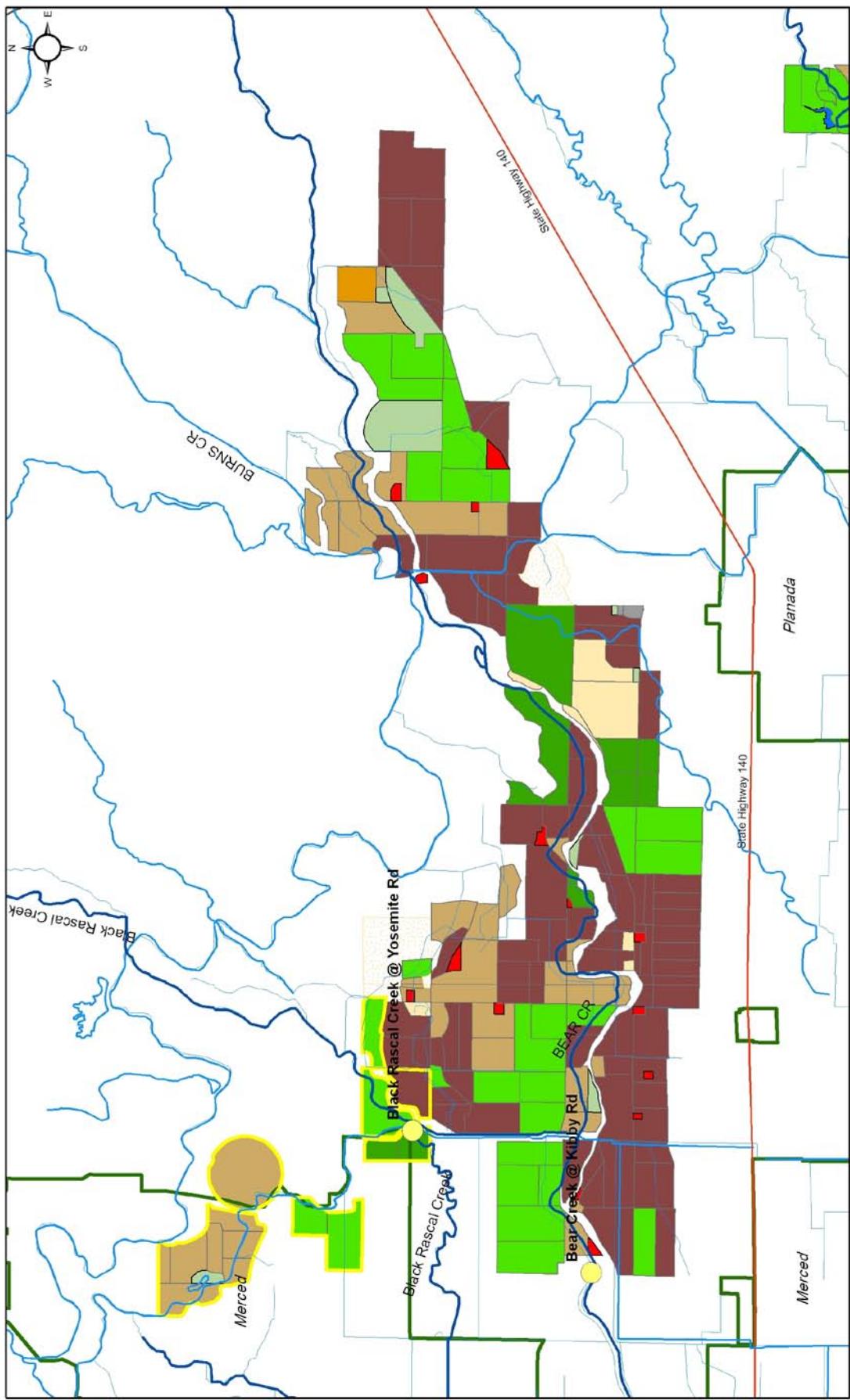


## Berenda Slough along Avenue 18 1/2

Date Sampled	Color 15 color units	Oxygen, Dissolved 7 mg/L	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban) 0.015 µg/L	Diuron 2 µg/L	<i>E. coli</i> 235 MPN/ 100mL	Water flea toxicity Based on survival	Algae toxicity Based on growth
13-Jun-06		5.49			460		
11-Jul-06		6.54	0.043				
8-Aug-06							
12-Sep-06			0.140			toxic	
29-May-07	56	1.75		3.4			toxic
5-Jun-07		3.07					
26-Jun-07	38	5.20			390		
24-Jul-07	28	6.37	0.028				toxic
31-Jul-07		4.72					toxic
21-Aug-07	18	6.13					

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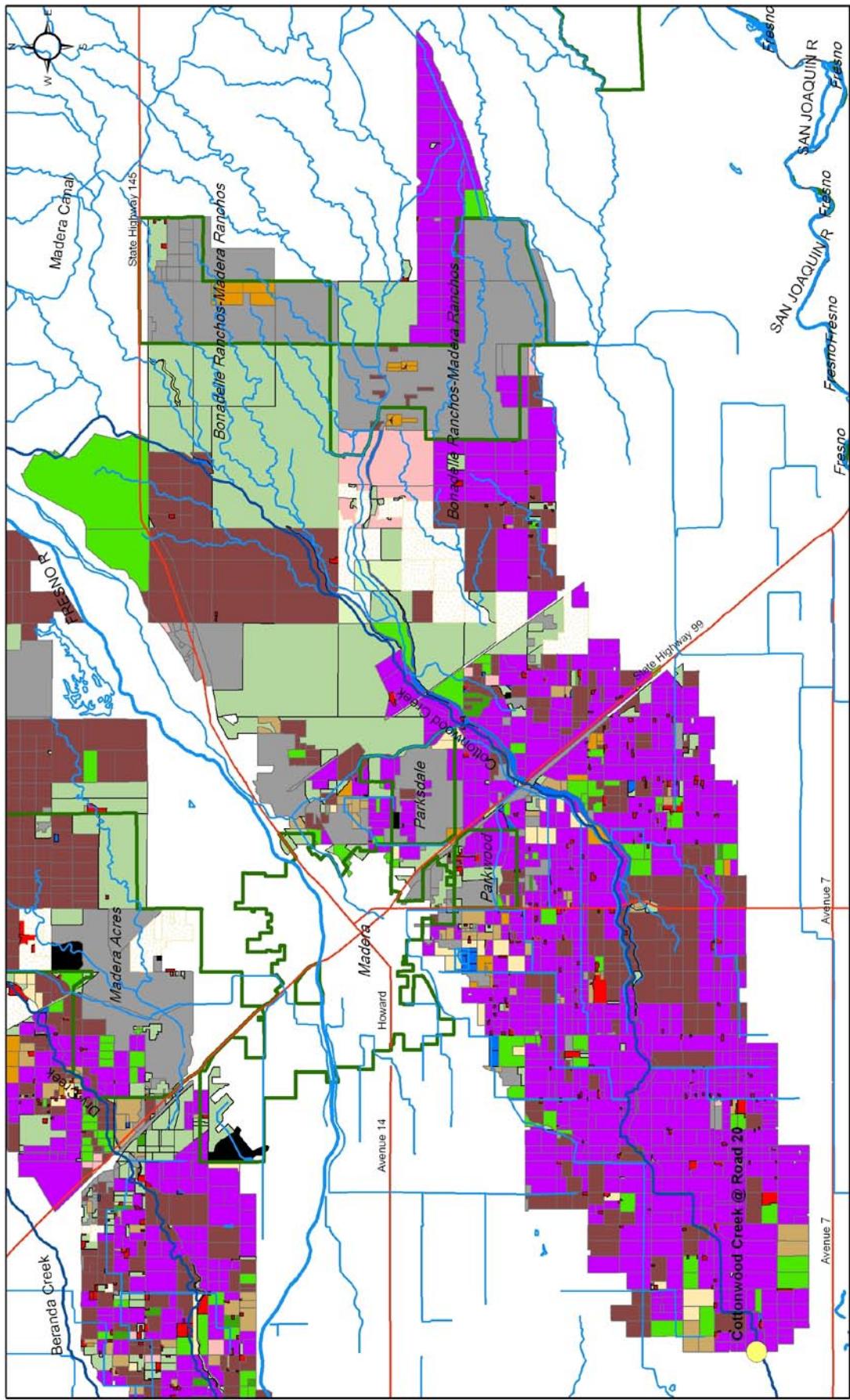
## Black Rascal Creek at Yosemite Road



Black Rascal Creek at Yosemite Road						
Date Sampled	Color units	Oxygen, Dissolved	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	E. coli	235 MPN/ 100mL	Water flea toxicity Based on survival
18-May-06		7 mg/L	0.015 µg/L			
14-Jun-06	5.41	0.033		2400		
12-Jul-06		5.53			490	
9-Aug-06		5.65				
12-Sep-06		5.56				
12-Feb-07	110					
01-Mar_07	180					
17-Apr-07	22					
29-May-07	65	3.93		770		toxic
26-Jun-07	120	6.95				
24-Jul-07	56		3.70	580		toxic
31-Jul-07						toxic
21-Aug-07	65	6.42	0.12			toxic
23-Aug-07		5.69				
28-Aug-07		6.18				toxic
18-Sep-07	140		0.031			

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## Cottonwood Creek at Road 20



## Cottonwood Creek at Road 20

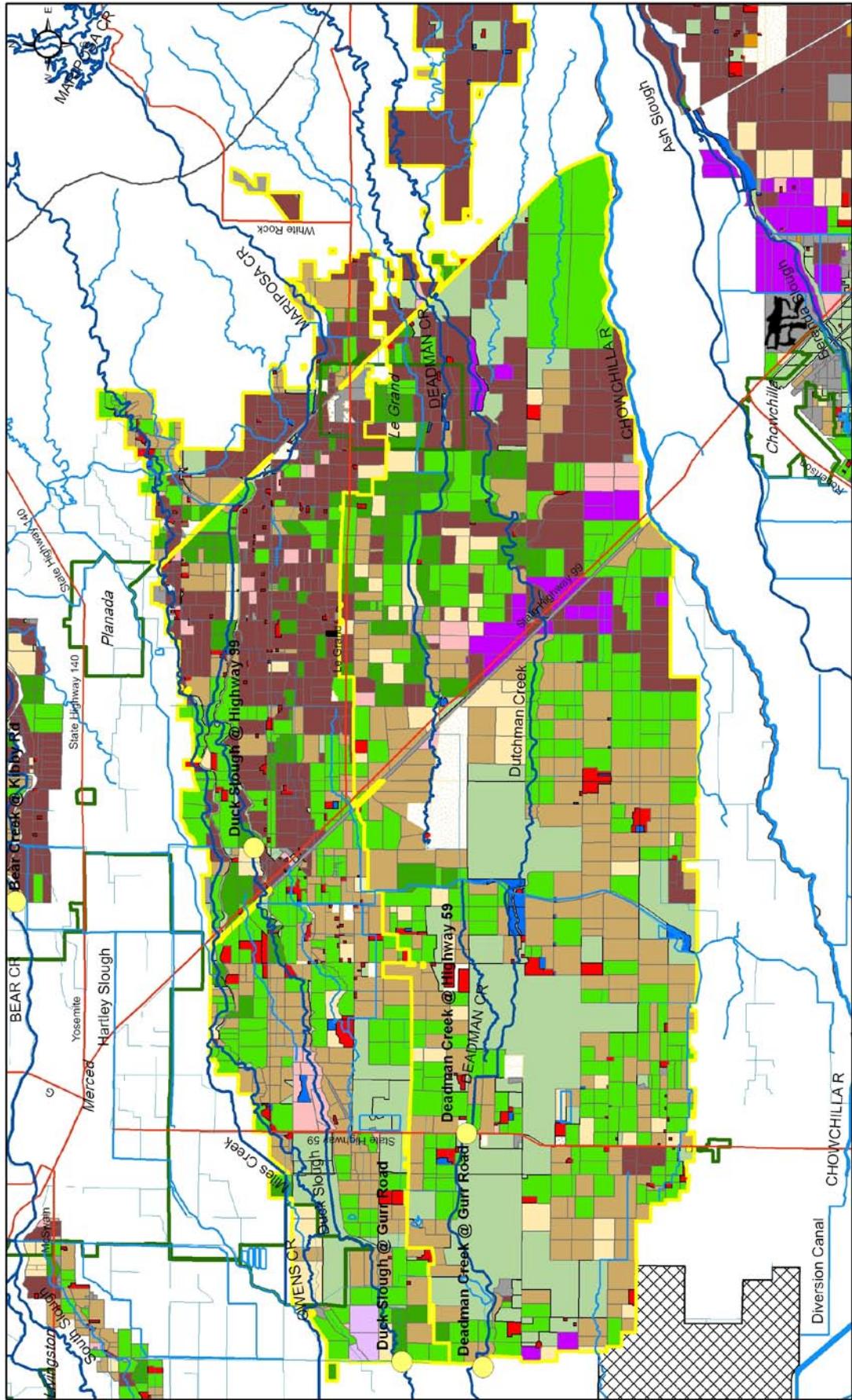
Date Sampled	Color 15 color units	Oxygen, Dissolved 7 mg/L	pH 6.5 – 8.5 pH units	E. coli 235 MPN/ 100mL	Sediment toxicity Based on survival	Copper <sup>1</sup> µg/L Based on hardness	Lead <sup>2</sup> µg/L Based on hardness
16-Feb-05				1600			
21-Mar-05		5.60		1600			
10-May-05				540	toxic		
14-Jun-05		5.70					
12-Jul-05		5.17					
16-Aug-05				300			
20-Sep-05		6.50					
28-Feb-06				300			
15-Mar-06				1600			
16-May-06		5.71				4.4 (3.5)	
13-Jun-06		6.90				8.0 (3.1)	0.73 (0.63)
11-Jul-06		6.51					
8-Aug-06		6.95					
12-Sep-06		6.11				5.5 (4.4)	
24-Apr-07		17					
29-May-07		24	6.55			6.7 (5.5)	
19-Jun-07						6.7 (4.4)	
26-Jun-07		17				4.3 (4.1)	
24-Jul-07		24		9.04		5.4 (4.6)	
21-Aug-07				6.81			
23-Aug-07				3.95			

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## Deadman Creek and Duck Slough



Deadman Creek										
Site Name	Date Sampled	Color	Oxygen, Dissolved	Bifenthrin	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	DDD	DDT	Malathion	E. coli	Fathead minnow toxicity
		15 color units	7 mg/L	0.0004 µg/L	0.015 µg/L	0.00083 µg/L	0.00059 µg/L	Prohibited discharge	235 MPN/ 100mL	Based on survival
Highway 59	17-May-06									
Highway 59	13-Jun-06	5.65				0.0053	0.05			
Highway 59	11-Jul-06									
Highway 59	8-Aug-06	6.55	0.011							
Highway 59	12-Sep-06	6.53		0.059						
Highway 59	11-Feb-07	110					400			
Highway 59	28-Feb-07	120					490			
Highway 59	24-Apr-07	35						310		
Highway 59	29-May-07	40	6.13					490		
Highway 59	26-Jun-07	30	6.78					610		
Highway 59	24-Jul-07	34	4.31							
Highway 59	21-Aug-07	24	4.47		0.038					
Highway 59	23-Aug-07		2.65							
Highway 59	18-Sep-07							330		
Gurr Rd	31-Jul-04	6.85						1600		
Gurr Rd	31-Aug-04							1600		
Gurr Rd	29-Sep-04		6.70					500		
Gurr Rd	17-May-06							1200		
Gurr Rd	13-Jun-06		5.01					310	toxic	
Gurr Rd	11-Jul-06		6.50					490		
Gurr Rd	8-Aug-06		6.96					0.19	390	
Gurr Rd	12-Sep-06		6.08		0.027			2400		
Gurr Rd	11-Feb-07	200								14
Gurr Rd	28-Feb-07	60								14
Gurr Rd	24-Apr-07	40								9.2 (7.7)
Gurr Rd	29-May-07	40	5.11					1400	toxic	
Gurr Rd	19-Jun-07									8.8 (7.5)
Gurr Rd	26-Jun-07	50						460		
Gurr Rd	24-Jul-07	70	5.38							toxic
Gurr Rd	21-Aug-07	25								
Gurr Rd	18-Sep-07	30	5.88						820	

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Duck Slough									
Site Name	Date Sampled	Color	Oxygen, Dissolved	pH	Specific Conductance	Bifenthrin	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	Cyhalothrin, lambda	Esfenvalerate/ Fenvalerate
Gurr Road	31-Jul-04	15 color units	7 mg/L	6.5 - 8.5 pH units	700 $\mu$ mhos/cm	0.0004 $\mu$ g/L	0.015 $\mu$ g/L	0.00041 $\mu$ g/L	0.007 $\mu$ g/L
Gurr Road	29-Sep-04				701		0.045		0.05
Gurr Road	17-May-06			8.6					
Gurr Road	14-Jun-06					0.025			5.8
Gurr Road	12-Jul-06			6.18		0.0088			0.29
Gurr Road	13-Sep-06			5.53					
Gurr Road	12-Feb-07			550					
Gurr Road	28-Feb-07			170					
Gurr Road	07-Mar-07				9.17				
Gurr Road	24-Apr-07			35					
Gurr Road	29-May-07			35					
Gurr Road	19-Jun-07				5.85				
Gurr Road	26-Jun-07			30					
Gurr Road	24-Jul-07			30					
Gurr Road	21-Aug-07			30					
Gurr Road	18-Sep-07			40					
Highway 99	12-Jul-05						0.026		
Highway 99	17-May-06					8.57		0.27	
Highway 99	13-Sep-06				6.72				
Highway 99	12-Feb-07				450				
Highway 99	28-Feb-07				120				
Highway 99	24-Apr-07				30				
Highway 99	26-Jun-07				25				
Highway 99	24-Jul-07				25				
Highway 99	31-Jul-07				8.8		0.042		
Highway 99	21-Aug-07				24				
Highway 99	18-Sep-07				22				

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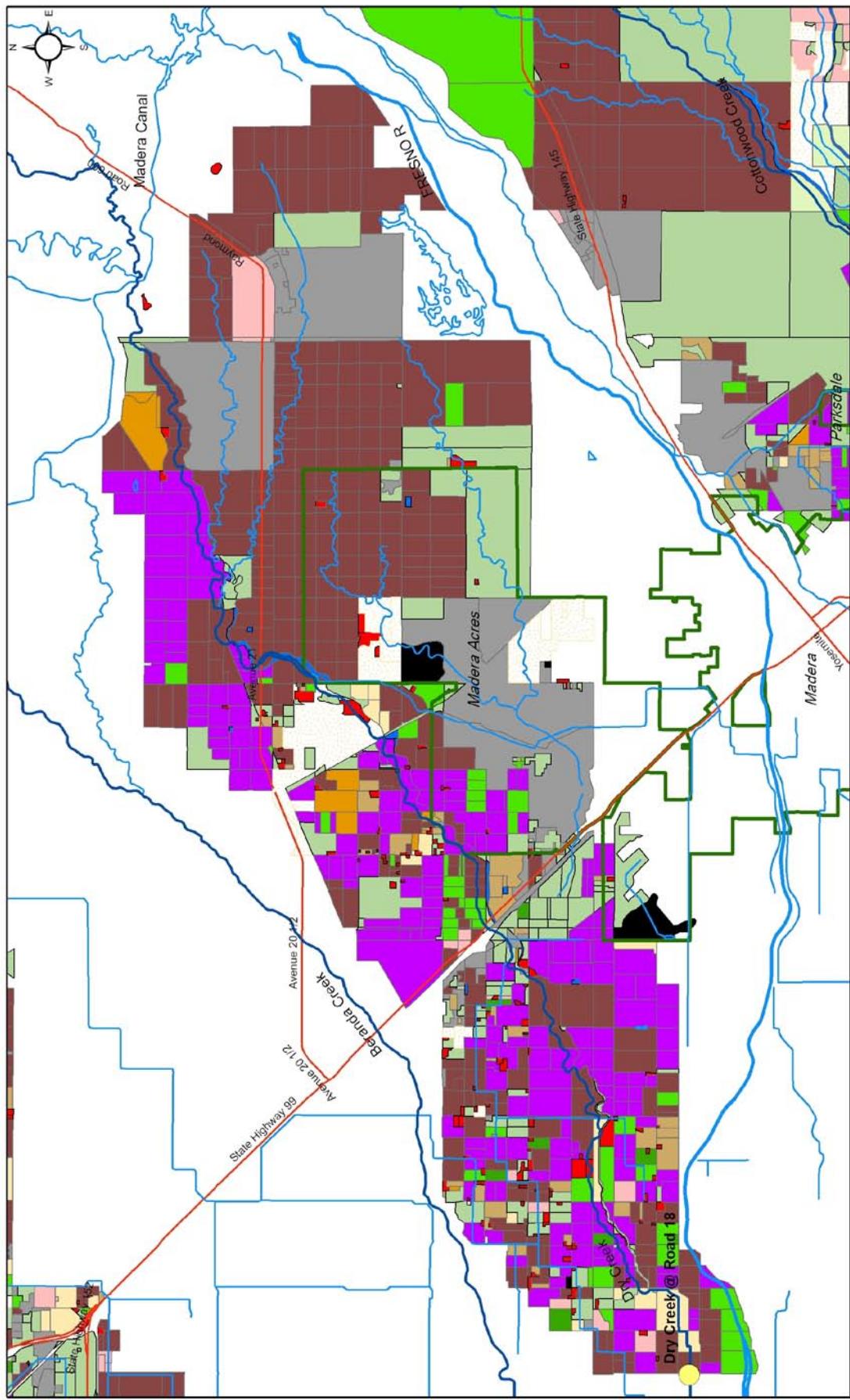
Duck Slough							
Site Name	Date Sampled	E. coli	Total Dissolved Solids	Water flea toxicity	Algae toxicity	Sediment toxicity	Copper <sup>1</sup>
		235 MPN/100mL	450 mg/L	Based on survival	Based on growth	Based on survival	µg/L Based on hardness
Gurr Road	31-Aug-04					toxic	
Gurr Road	29-Sep-04		540		toxic		
Gurr Road	10-May-05					toxic	
Gurr Road	12-Jul-05					toxic	
Gurr Road	20-Sep-05					toxic	
Gurr Road	28-Feb-06				toxic		
Gurr Road	10-Mar-06				toxic		
Gurr Road	15-Mar-06			toxic			120 (10.9)
Gurr Road	14-Jun-06						14.0 (9.3)
Gurr Road	12-Jul-06						
Gurr Road	12-Feb-07	>2400					93 (23.9)
Gurr Road	28-Feb-07	2000					11 (8.8)
Gurr Road	29-May-07	820					
Gurr Road	26-Jun-07						
Gurr Road	24-Jul-07						
Gurr Road	18-Sep-07	370			toxic		
Highway 99	12-Jul-05						
Highway 99	17-May-06						
Highway 99	8-Aug-06						
Highway 99	13-Sep-06						
Highway 99	12-Feb-07	>2400					
Highway 99	28-Feb-07	>2400					
Highway 99	24-Apr-07						
Highway 99	26-Jun-07						
Highway 99	24-Jul-07						
Highway 99	21-Aug-07						
Highway 99	28-Aug-07						
Highway 99	18-Sep-07	610					

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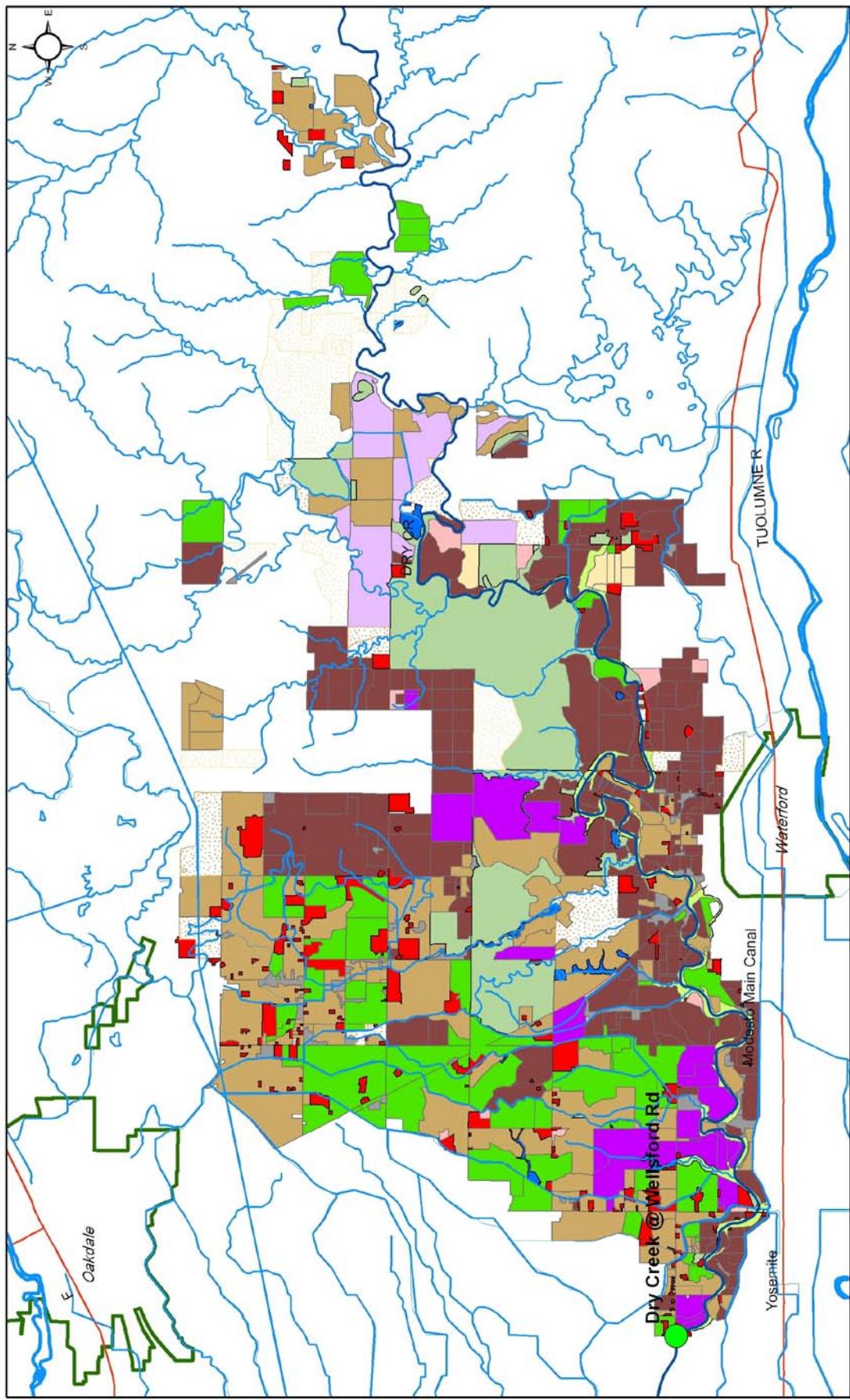
## Dry Creek at Road 18



Dry Creek at Road 18											
Date Sampled	Color	Oxygen, Dissolved	pH	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	Diuron	E. coli	Water flea toxicity	Sediment toxicity	Copper <sup>1</sup>	Lead <sup>2</sup>	Zinc <sup>1</sup>
	15 color units	7 mg/L	6.5 - 8.5 pH units	0.015 µg/L	2 ug/L	235 MPN/ 100mL	Based on survival	Based on survival	µg/L Based on hardness	µg/L Based on hardness	µg/L Based on hardness
16-Aug-05		648									
20-Sep-05					500						
3-May-06							toxic		4.3 (1.9)	0.36 (0.31)	
16-May-06						1600			6.3 (1.5)	0.27 (0.21)	
13-Jun-06							toxic				
11-Jul-06				0.077					4.1 (2.4)		
8-Aug-06									4.6 (2.2)		
12-Sep-06		5.61							6.1 (1.1)	0.31 (0.13)	18 (14)
11-Feb-07		35							14 (3.9)		
24-Apr-07		76		0.017		1400			17 (15)		
29-May-07		17					toxic		4.7 (2.4)		
19-Jun-07									4.9 (1.5)		
26-Jun-07									3.6 (1.9)		
24-Jul-07									5.6 (2.2)		
31-Jul-07									4.5 (1.5)		
21-Aug-07		16							5.5 (2.0)	0.34 (0.31)	
28-Aug-07		8.53							4.3 (2.0)		

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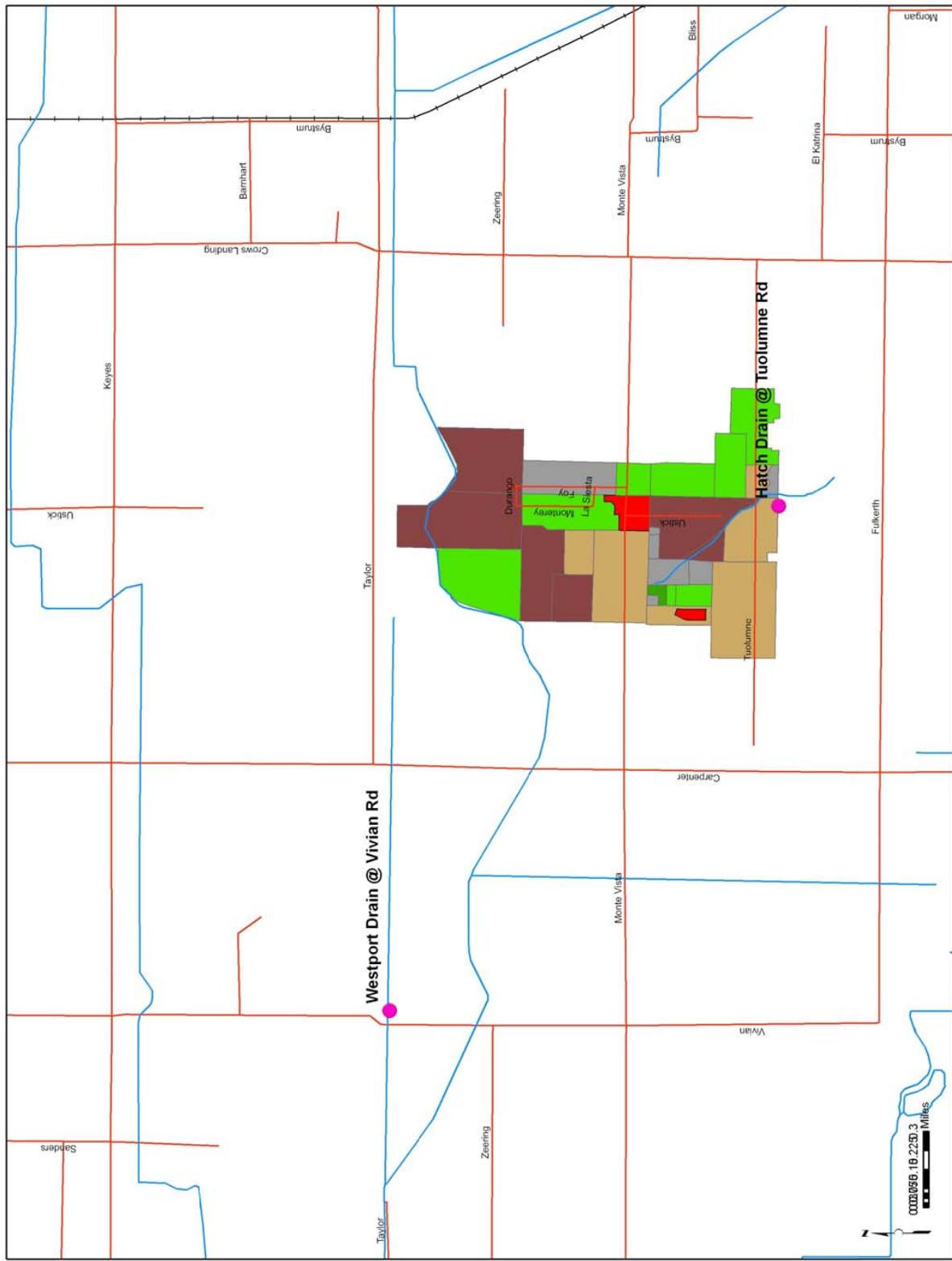
## Dry Creek at Wellsford Road



Dry Creek at Wellsford Road										
Date Sampled	Color	Oxygen, Dissolved	pH	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	Diuron	Thiobencarb	E. coli	Water flea toxicity	Sediment toxicity	Copper <sup>1</sup>
15 color units	15 color units	7 mg/L	6.5 - 8.5 pH units	0.015 µg/L	2 µg/L	Prohibited discharge	235 MPN/ 100mL	Based on survival	Based on survival	µg/L Based on hardness
15-Feb-05										
22-Mar-05			8.96				900	toxic		
11-May-05			6.26				240			
15-Jun-05			5.90							
13-Jul-05			5.70							
17-Aug-05			9.18	0.024			900			
21-Sep-05			6.98				500			
1-Mar-06							300			
16-Mar-06							1600			
18-May-06							280			
15-Jun-06			6.08							
13-Jul-06			6.69	0.026						
10-Aug-06				0.024						
14-Sep-06							0.1	310 toxic		
11-Feb-07			50				37	290	toxic	
22-Feb-07							4	>2400	toxic	
28-Feb-07			250							8.4 (7.2) toxic
07-Mar-07										5.1 (5.0)
17-Apr-07			90							
15-May-07			60							
19-Jun-07			120	5.77						
17-Jul-07			75	6.64		0.021				
31-Jul-07				6.91						
14-Aug-07			85	6.58				440		
11-Sep-07			74			0.043		420		

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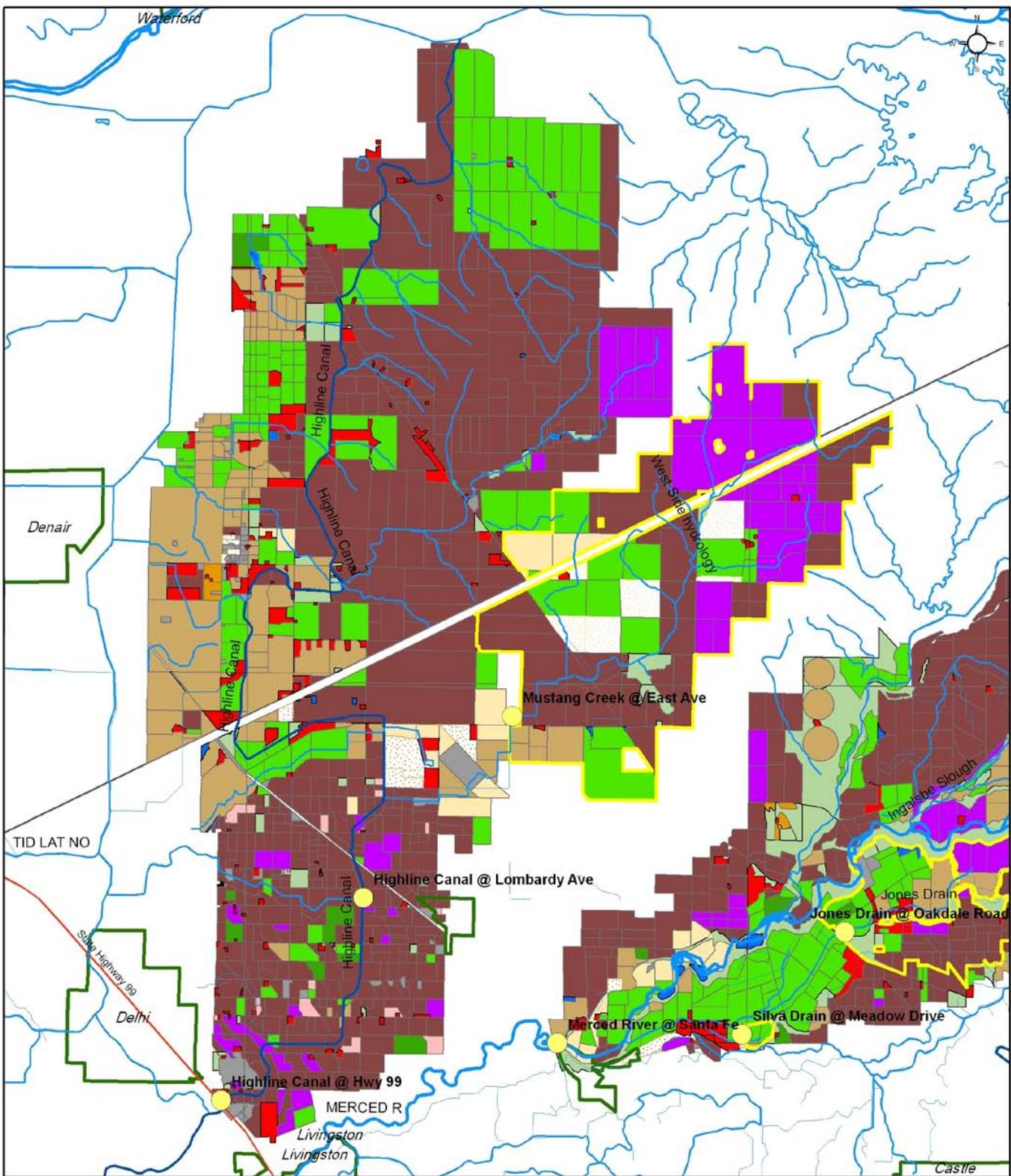
## Hatch Drain at Toultumne Road



Hatch Drain at Tuolumne Road							
Date Sampled	Color 15 color units	Oxygen, Dissolved 7 mg/L	Specific Conductance 700 $\mu$ mhos/cm	Dimethoate 1.0 $\mu$ g/L	Methoxychlor 0.03 $\mu$ g/L	E. coli 235 MPN/ 100mL	Total Dissolved Solids 450 $\mu$ g/L Based on survival 1.0 mg/L 10 $\mu$ g/L Arsenic
15-May-07	70	6.46	1105			>2400	700
19-Jun-07	40	5.54	1014			770	800
17-Jul-07	76	3.05	1111			260	720
14-Aug-07	64	4.22		2.1		>2400	
16-Aug-07		5.85	1280				toxic
11-Sep-07		3.53	1817		0.035	1600	1300
							toxic
							18

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## Highline Canal



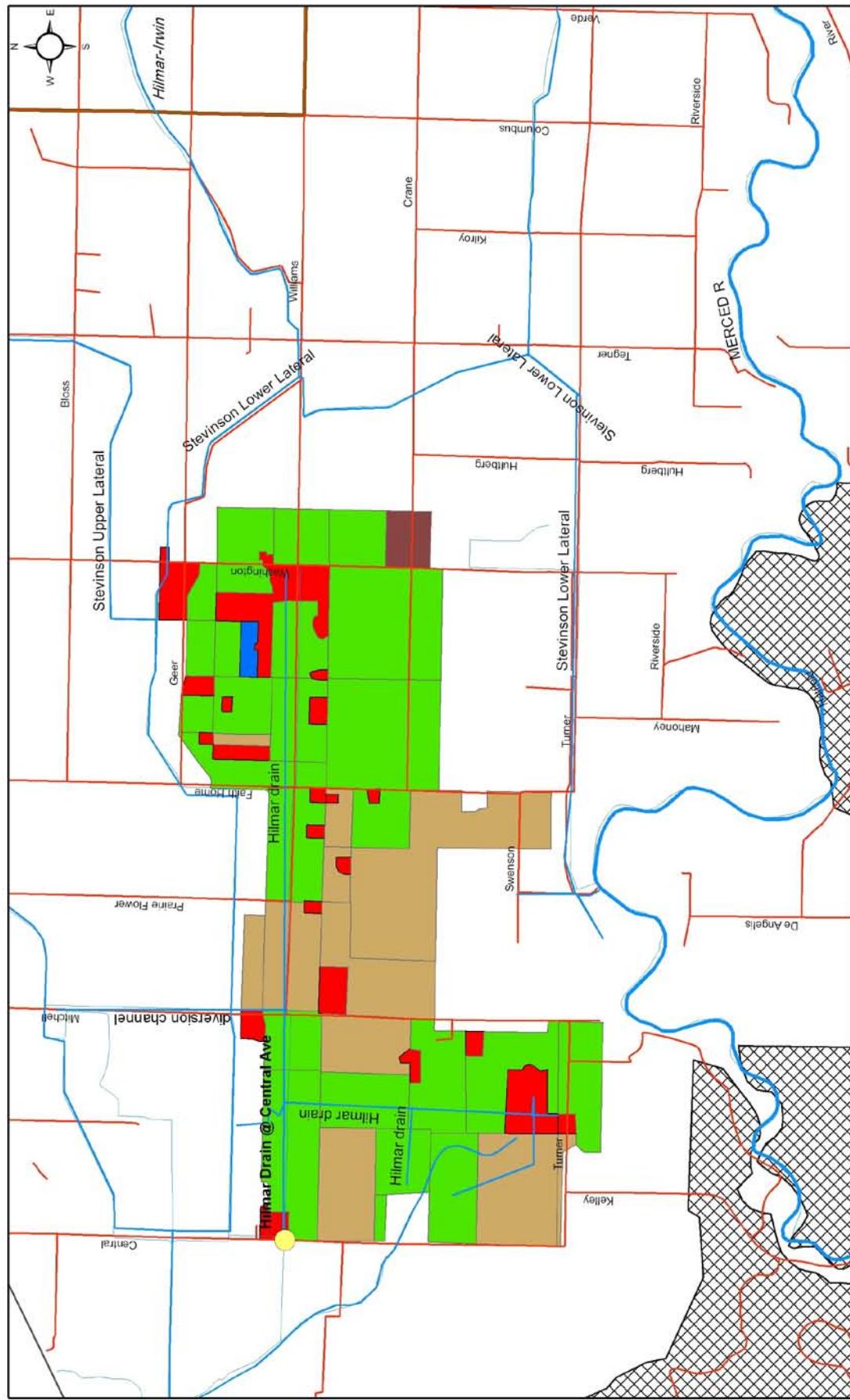
Highline Canal										
Site Name	Date Sampled	Color	Oxygen, Dissolved	pH	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	Diuron	E. coli	Water flea toxicity	Algae toxicity	Sediment toxicity
		15 color units	7 mg/L	6.5-8.5 pH units	0.015 µg/L	2 ug/L	235 MPN/100mL	Based on survival	Based on growth	Based on survival
Highway 99	10-May-05									
Highway 99	19-May-05									
Highway 99	13-Jul-05									
Highway 99	17-Aug-05									
Highway 99	20-Sep-05									
Highway 99	1-Mar-06									
Highway 99	16-Mar-06									
Highway 99	2-May-06									
Highway 99	17-May-06									
Highway 99	9-Aug-06									
Highway 99	13-Sep-06									
Highway 99	11-Feb-07									
Highway 99	17-Apr-07									
Highway 99	15-May-07									
Highway 99	19-Jun-07									
Highway 99	17-Jul-07									
Highway 99	14-Aug-07									
Highway 99	25-Sep-07									
Lombardy Road	21-Mar-05									
Lombardy Road	10-May-05									
Lombardy Road	13-Jul-05									
Lombardy Road	17-Aug-05									
Lombardy Road	1-Mar-06									
Lombardy Road	16-Mar-06									
Lombardy Road	2-May-06									
Lombardy Road	17-May-06									
Lombardy Road	14-Jun-06									
Lombardy Road	9-Aug-06									
Lombardy Road	13-Sep-06									
Lombardy Road	11-Feb-07									
Lombardy Road	25									
Lombardy Road	28-Feb-07									
Lombardy Road	07-Mar-07									
Lombardy Road	15-May-07									
Lombardy Road	19-Jun-07									
Lombardy Road	17-Jul-07									
Lombardy Road	16-Aug-07									
Lombardy Road	11-Sep-07									

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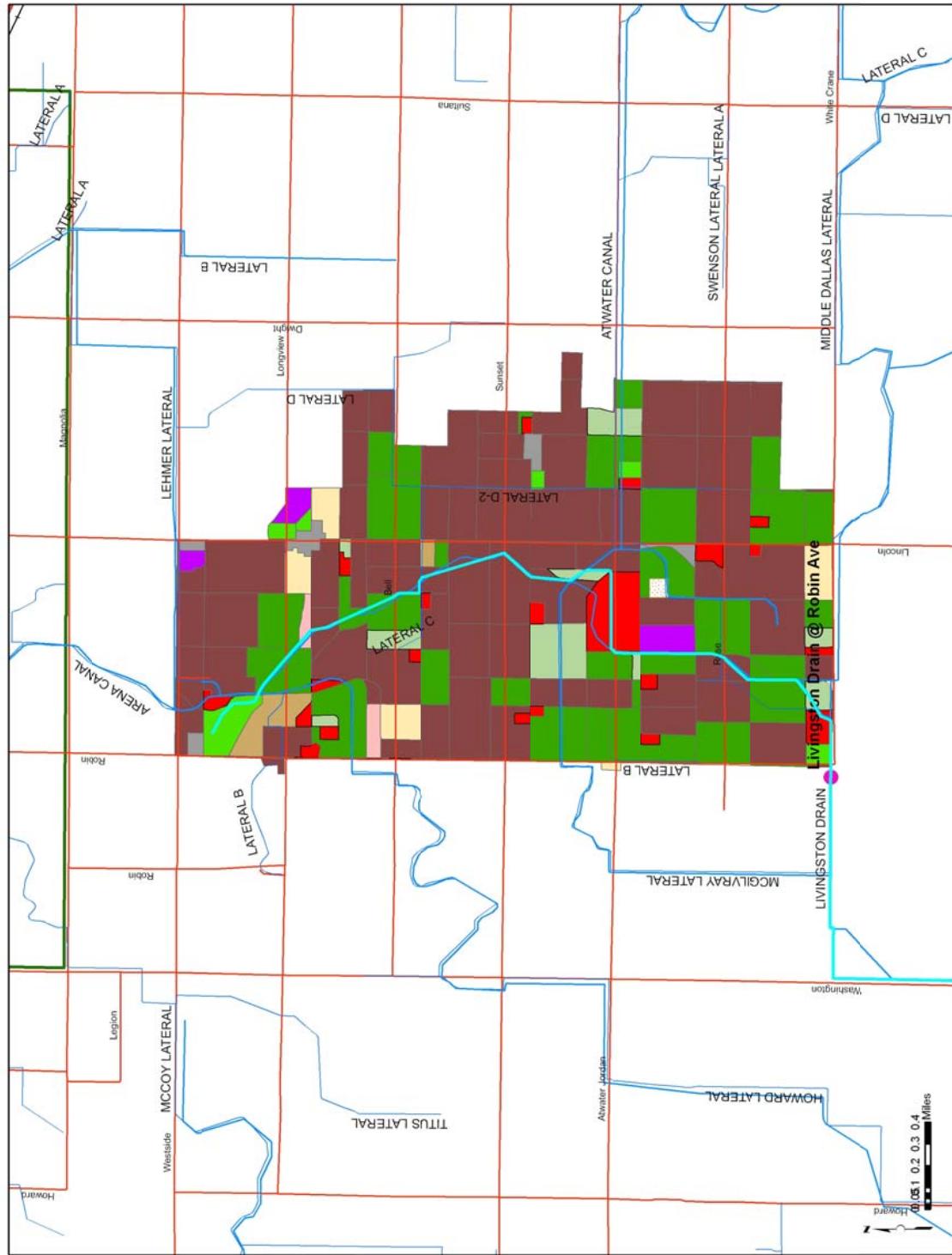
## Hilmar Drain at Central Avenue



Hilmar Drain at Central Avenue													
Date Sampled	Color	Oxygen, Dissolved	pH	Specific Conductance	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	DDD	Diuron	E. coli	Total Dissolved Solids	Water flea toxicity	Algae toxicity	Sediment toxicity	Copper <sup>1</sup>
15-color units	15 color units	7 mg/L	6.5 - 8.5 pH units	700 $\mu\text{mhos}/\text{cm}$	0.015 $\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	0.00083 $\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	2 $\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	235 MPN/ 100mL	500 $\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	Based on survival	Based on growth	Based on survival	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$ Based on hardness
15-Feb-05					1102				240	740			
22-Mar-05					1157				900	760			
11-May-05					1354				1600	740	toxic		
19-May-05					1214								
15-Jun-05					855				500	720			
13-Jul-05					826				1600	600			
16-Aug-05					788				1600	500			
21-Sep-05									430	690	toxic		
1-Mar-06					9.55	1058				670			
16-Mar-06					1215					710			
24-Mar-06					1400								
2-May-06					8.58	794							
18-May-06					6.28				>2400				
15-Jun-06					6.80								
13-Jul-06						1096	0.016		>2400	610	toxic		
10-Aug-06								0.003	1000				
14-Sep-06						773				510			
11-Feb-07					250				>2400				84 (10)
01-Mar-07	35					1396				790			
07-Mar-07					8.79	1633							
17-Apr-07	100					1106							
15-May-07	17							3.3	1100	700			
19-Jun-07	60								440	640			
17-Jul-07	75								6.6	1700	600		
21-Aug-07	54									340	460		
11-Sep-07	56										520		
												>2400	460

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## Livingston Drain at Robin Avenue

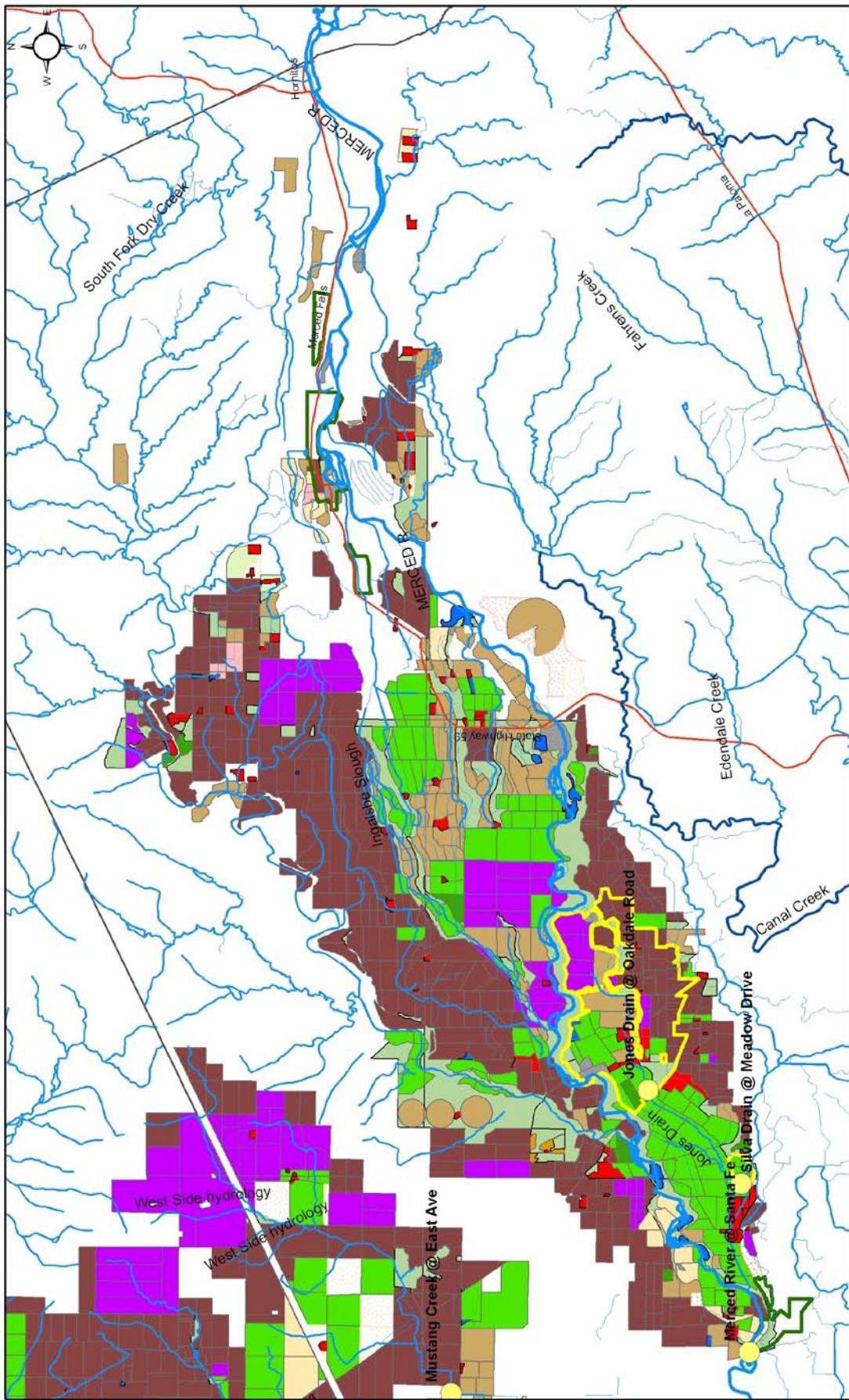


Livingston Drain at Robin Avenue					
Date Sampled	Color units	pH units	Chlorpyrifos µg/L	Copper <sup>1</sup> µg/L Based on hardness	
15-May-07	16	8.95		18.0 (13)	
19-Jun-07	16			16.0 (4.5)	
17-Jul-07		8.82		7.8 (5.3)	
14-Aug-07			0.016		
11-Sep-07		8.57		14.0 (6.4)	

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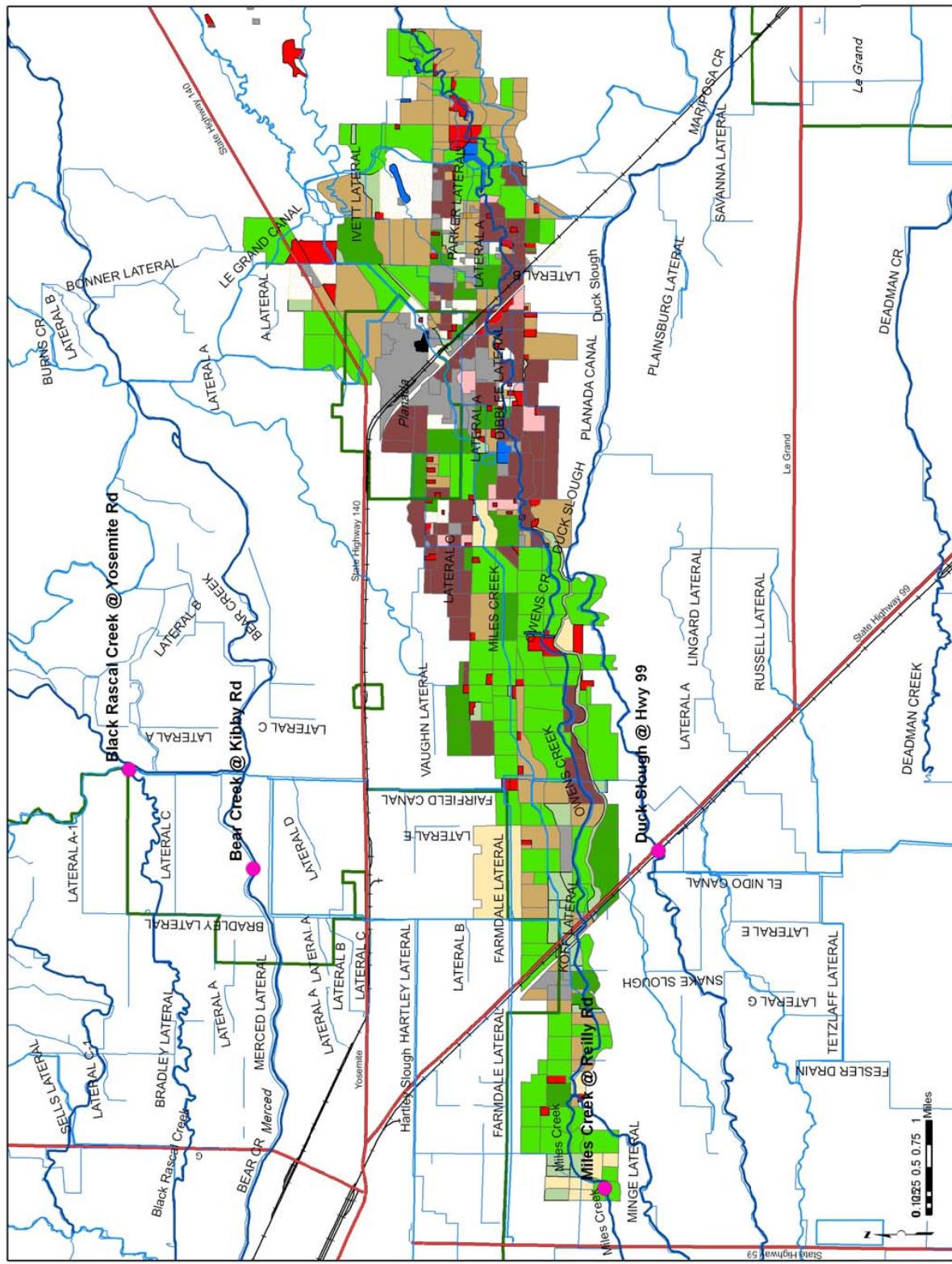
## Merced River at Santa Fe



Merced River at Santa Fe								
Date Sampled	Color color units	Oxygen, Dissolved 7 mg/L	pH 6.5 - 8.5 pH units	E. coli 235 MPN/ 100mL	Chlorpyrifos 0.015 µg/L	Water flea toxicity Based on survival	Algae toxicity Based on growth	Lead <sup>1</sup> µg/L Based on hardness
31-Jul-04						toxic		
31-Aug-04						toxic		
21-Mar-05							toxic	
17-Aug-05			6.38					
1-Mar-06				1600				
16-Mar-06						toxic		
14-Jun-06			6.4					
12-Feb-07		45						0.82 (0.63)
28-Feb-07		60						
17-Jul-07						0.018		

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## Miles Creek at Reilly Road



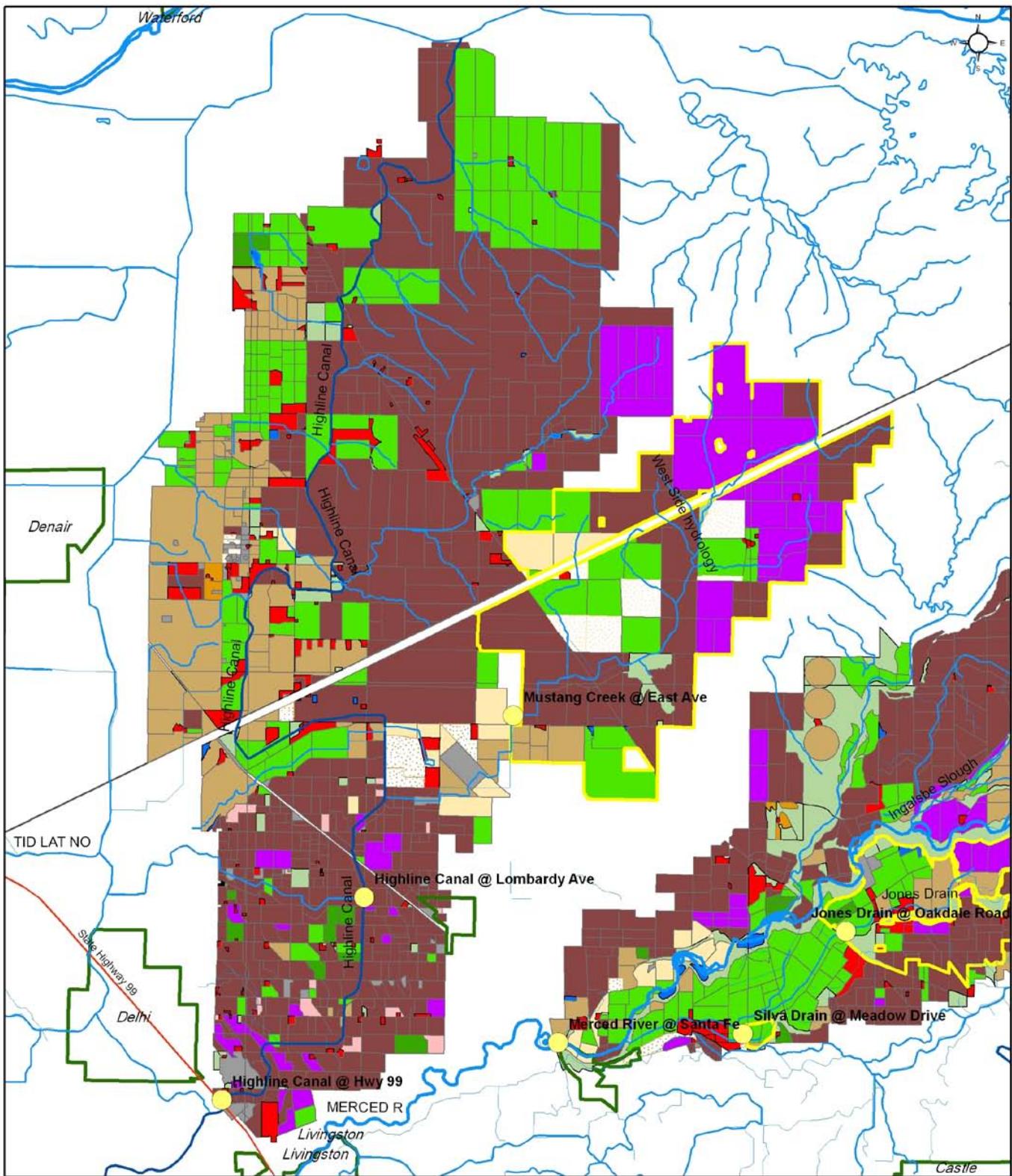
Miles Creek at Reilly Road								
Date Sampled	Color	E. coli	Aldicarb	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	Water flea toxicity	Algae toxicity	Sediment toxicity	Copper <sup>1</sup>
	15 color units	235 MPN/100mL	3.0 µg/L	0.015 µg/L	Based on survival	Based on growth	Based on survival	µg/L Based on hardness
29-May-07	30	290						4.3 (3.5)
26-Jun-07	35	310	5.4			toxic		5.8 (4.3) 1 (0.99)
24-Jul-07	35	340						
21-Aug-07	35							5.2 (4.5)
23-Aug-07							toxic	
18-Sep-07	25			0.03	toxic			

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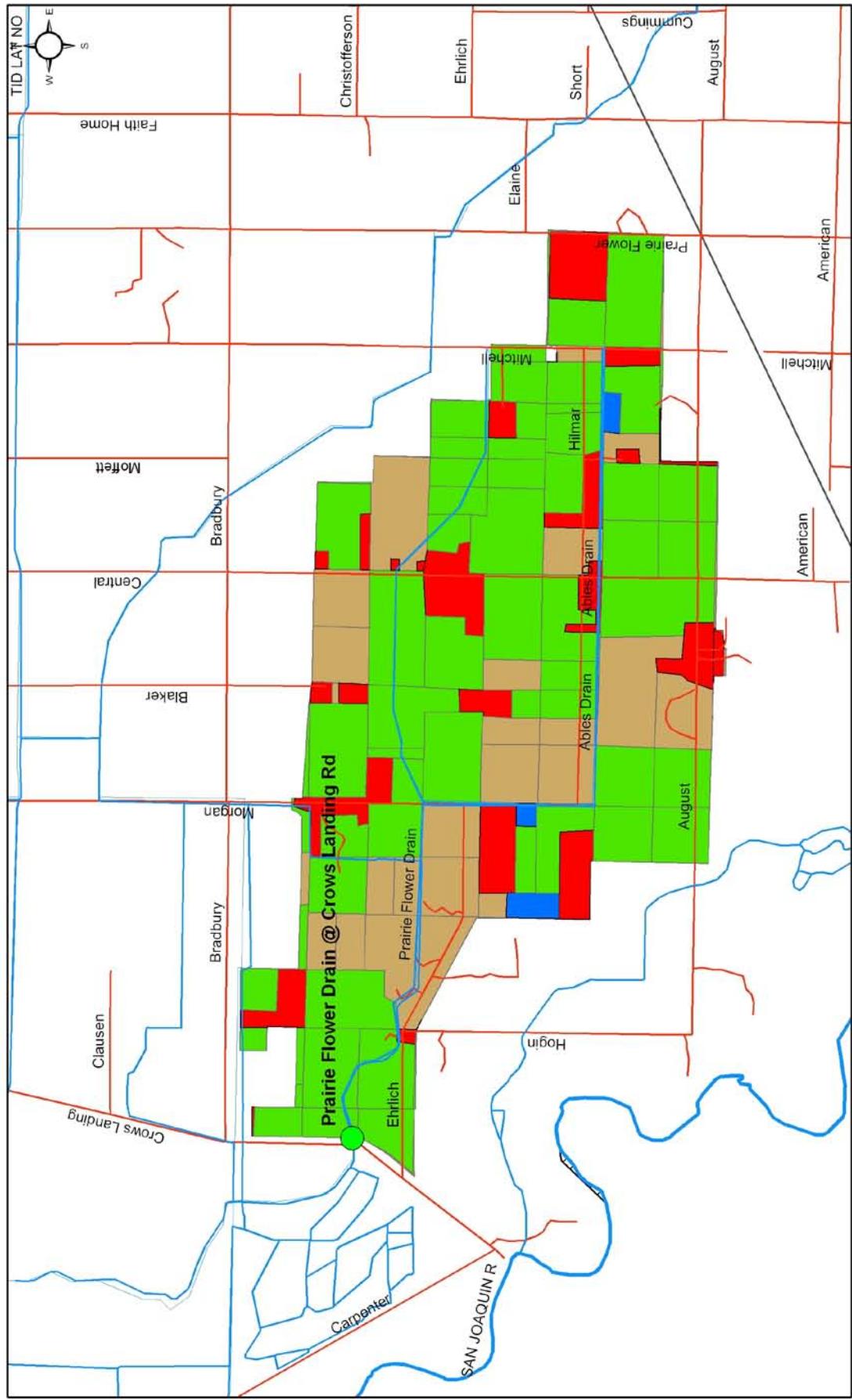


### Mustang Creek at East Avenue

Date Sampled	Color color units	Oxygen, Dissolved 7 mg/L	Specific Conductance 700 $\mu\text{mhos}/\text{cm}$	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban) 0.015 $\mu\text{g/L}$	DDE 0.00059 $\mu\text{g/L}$	<i>E. coli</i> 235 MPN/ 100mL	Total Dissolved Solids 450 $\mu\text{g/L}$
18-May-06		5.82				2400	
15-Jun-06		5.00				2400	
10-Aug-06		2.61		0.015		980	
12-Feb-07	140						
28-Feb-07	70		760		0.0064		460
15-May-07	120	1.16				1600	
19-Jun-07	190	4.30			0.0073		410

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## Prairie Flower Drain at Crows Landing Road

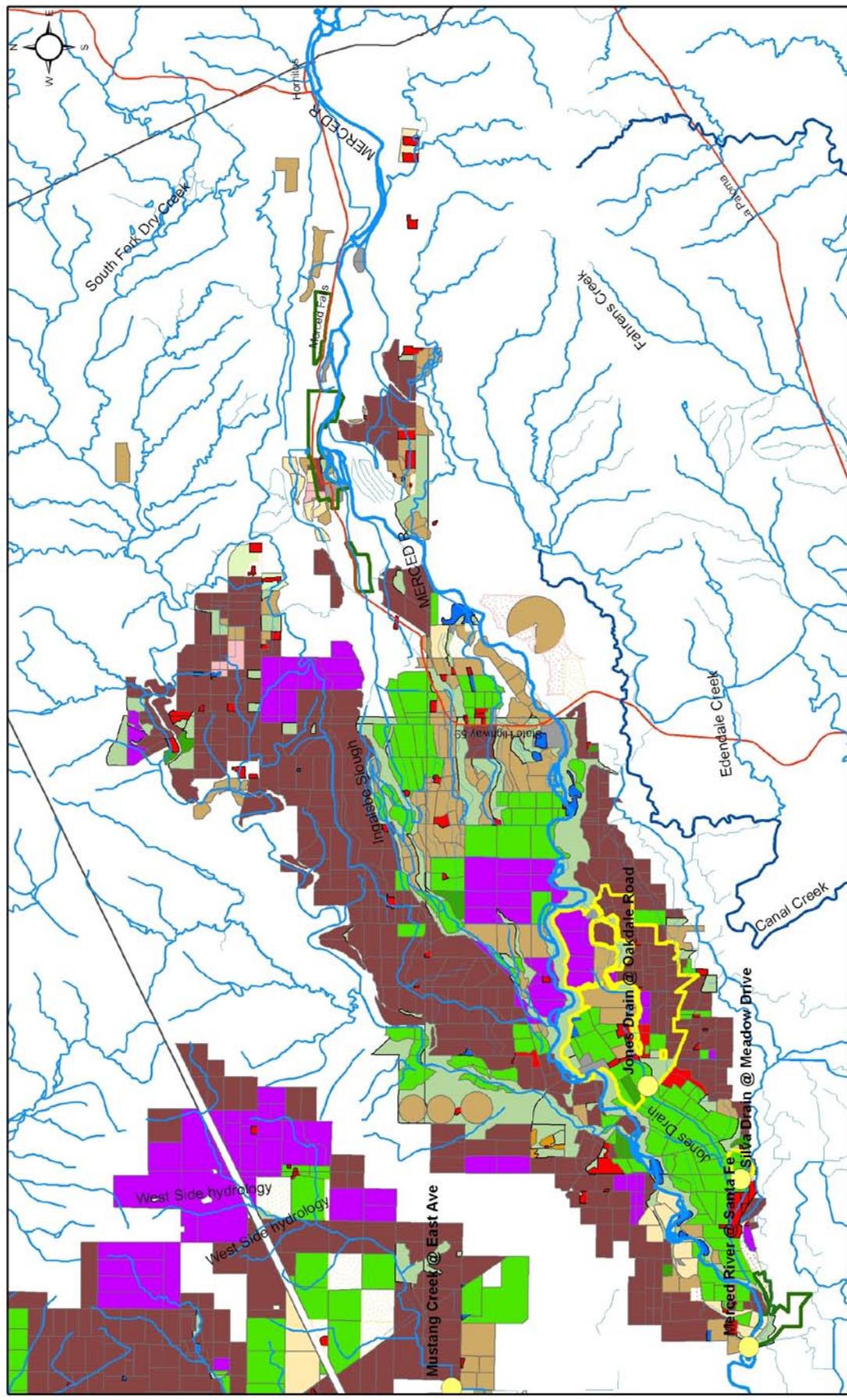


## Prairie Flower Drain at Crows Landing Road

Date Sampled	Color	Oxygen, Dissolved	pH	Specific Conductance	Arsenic	Bifenthrin	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban)	E. coli	Nitrite as Nitrogen	Total Dissolved Solids	Water flea toxicity	Fathead minnow toxicity	Algae toxicity	Sediment toxicity
	15 color units	7 mg/L	6.5 -8.5 pH units	700 µmhos/cm	10.0 µg/L	0.0004 µg/L	0.015 µg/L	235 MPN/100mL	1.0 mg/L	450 mg/L	Based on survival	Based on survival	Based on growth	Based on survival
15-Feb-05				2561						1600				
22-Mar-05	6.50		2568					1600		1600				
11-May-05			3168					500		1600				
15-Jun-05			1705					300		1300				
13-Jul-05	3.20		1723					1600		1100				toxic
17-Aug-05			1779				0.029	1600		990				toxic
21-Sep-05	5.22		791				0.018	500						toxic
1-Mar-06			2419					900		1600				
16-Mar-06		8.77	2728					300		1600				
24-Mar-06			2782											
2-May-06			2724											toxic
18-May-06			2958					550		1700				
15-Jun-06			2660					1300		1700				
13-Jul-06	5.45	8.85	1560					790		720				toxic
20-Jul-06	6.41		1950											
10-Aug-06			2302		0.037			820	1.1	1800				
14-Sep-06	6.01		1276					>2400		760				
11-Feb-07	20		6.12	2659				>2400		1600				
01-Mar-07	56		8.57	2592				920		1500				
07-Mar-07				4798										
17-Apr-07	54			2127						1700				
15-May-07	56	5.59		2473					920	1500				toxic
23-May-07				2390										
19-Jun-07	80		8.54	2304	12.0					1500				
17-Jul-07	90	4.30		1067						730				
14-Aug-07	44			1126					260	700				
16-Aug-07				2562										toxic
28-Aug-07		3.64		1015				0.094						
11-Sep-07	160	3.93		1097				>2400		540				
18-Sep-07				2262										
25-Sep-07				2489										

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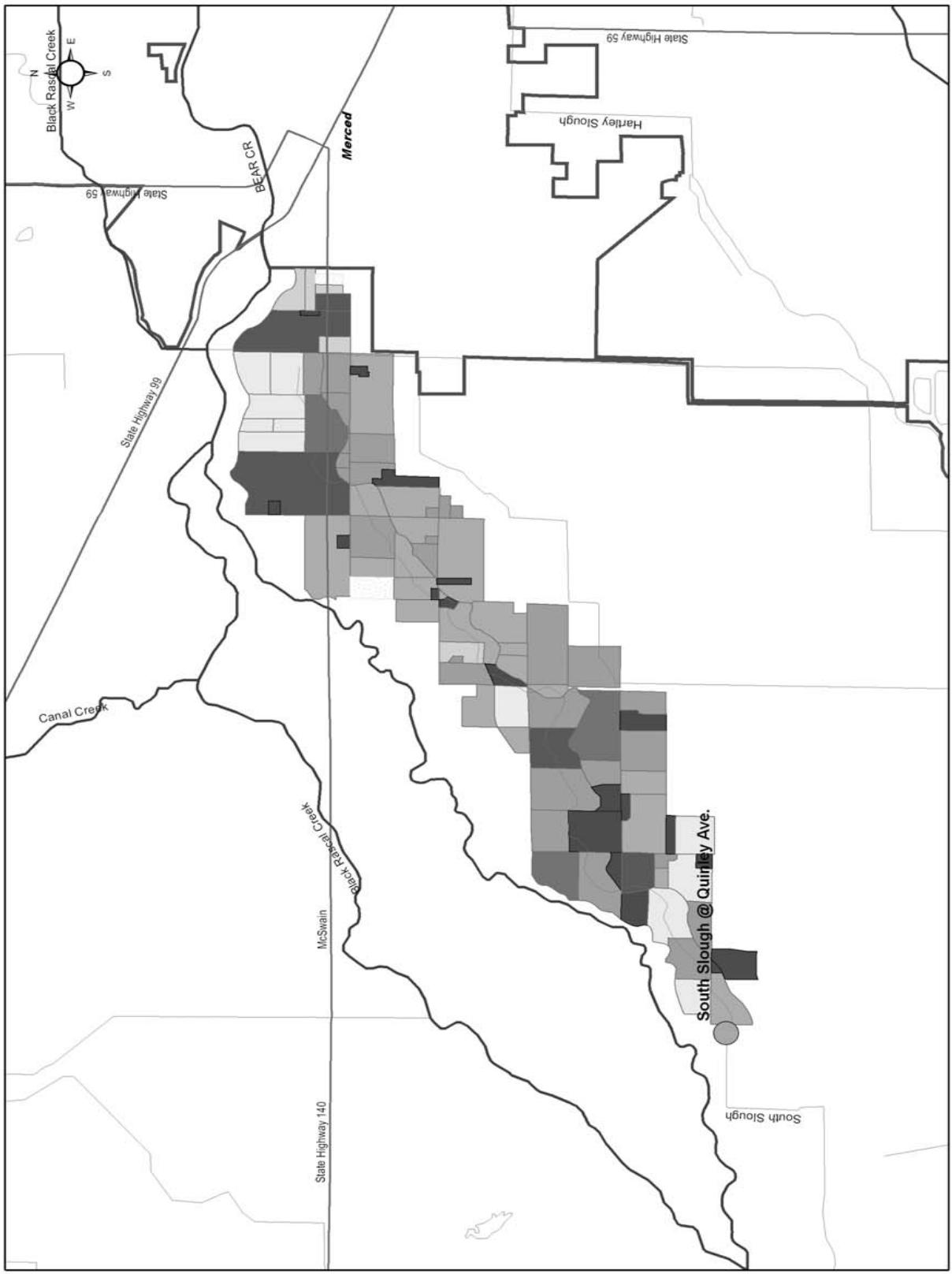
## Silva Drain at Meadow Drive



Silva Drain at Meadow Drive						
Date Sampled	Color 15 color units	Oxygen, Dissolved 7 mg/L	Chlorpyrifos (Lorsban) 0.015 µg/L	<i>E. coli</i> 235 MPN/ 100mL	Water flea toxicity Based on survival	Sediment toxicity Based on survival
18-May-06				1300		
13-Jul-06	5.75	0.015	690			
9-Aug-06		0.140	460	toxic	toxic	
13-Sep-06	5.99		320			
12-Feb-07	65					
28-Feb-07	70					
17-Apr-07	40			420		
15-May-07	65			1400		
19-Jun-07	75	4.20		1000		
17-Jul-07	55	4.71	0.031	520		
31-Jul-07		6.10				
14-Aug-07	85			410		
16-Aug-07		6.43				
28-Aug-07			0.055			
11-Sep-07	140	6.12				

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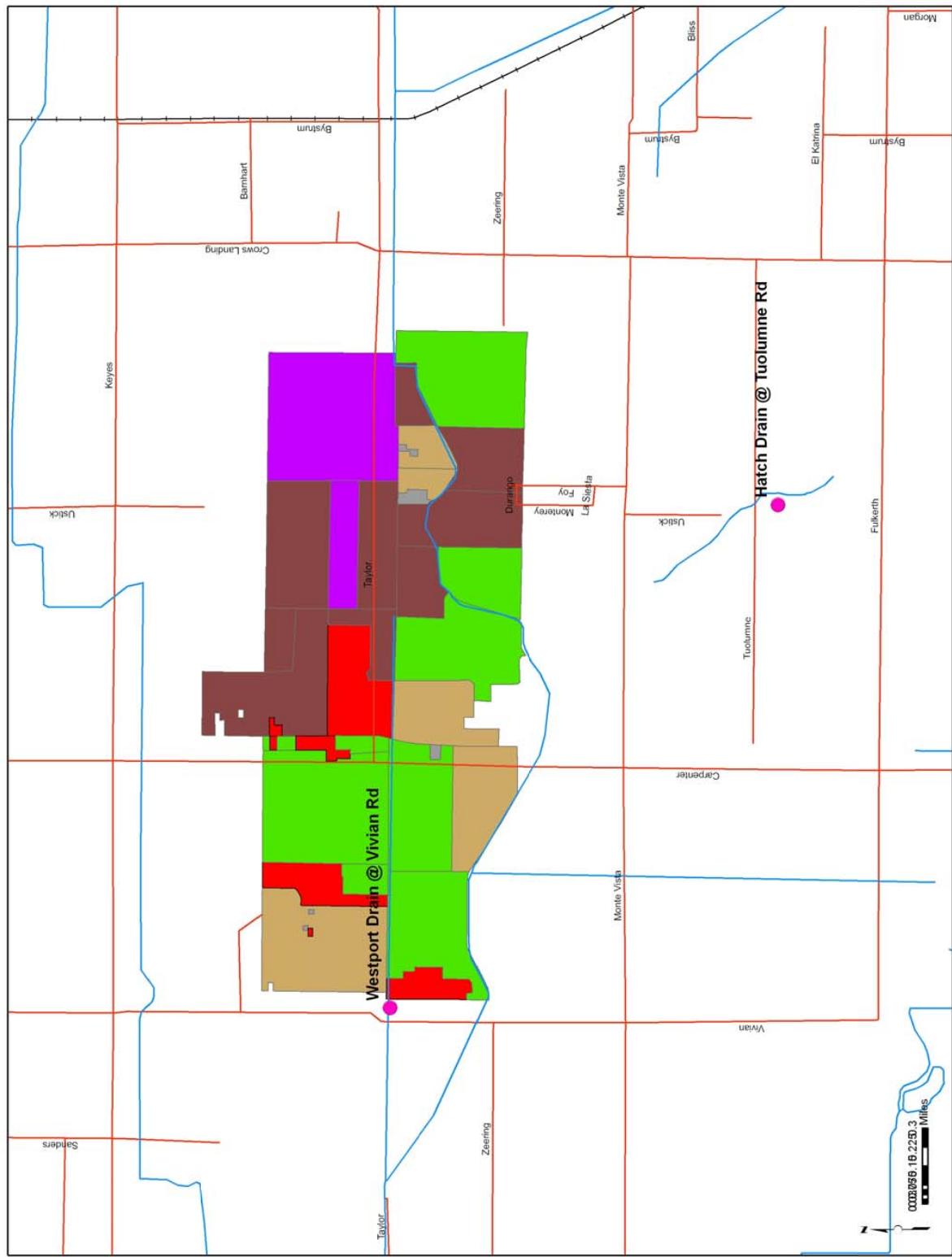
## South Slough at Quinley Avenue



<b>South Slough at Quinley Avenue</b>					
Date Sampled	Color units	Oxygen, Dissolved	pH	<i>E. coli</i>	
11-Jul-06	15 color units	7 mg/L	6.5 – 8.5 pH units	235 MPN/ 100mL	
9-Aug-06				1200	
29-May-07	60	2.51		580	
26-Jun-07	30				
24-Jul-07	35	6.39			
21-Aug-07	25		9.29		
23-Aug-07		5.30	8.87		

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## Westport Drain at Vivian Road



Westport Drain at Vivian Road							
Date Sampled	Color units	Specific Conductance cm	E. coli MPN/ 100mL	Nitrate as N mg/L	Total Dissolved Solids mg/L	Chlorpyrifos µg/L	Algal toxicity Based on growth
15-May-07	15 color units	700 µmhos/ cm	235 MPN/ 100mL	10 mg/L	450 mg/L	0.015 µg/L	
23-May-07		1054			660		
19-Jun-07		1081					
	25	991			660		
17-Jul-07	17	1025	330	68	680	0.018	
14-Aug-07	30	1129			760		
16-Aug-07		1147					
11-Sep-07	17	1106	330		740		

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