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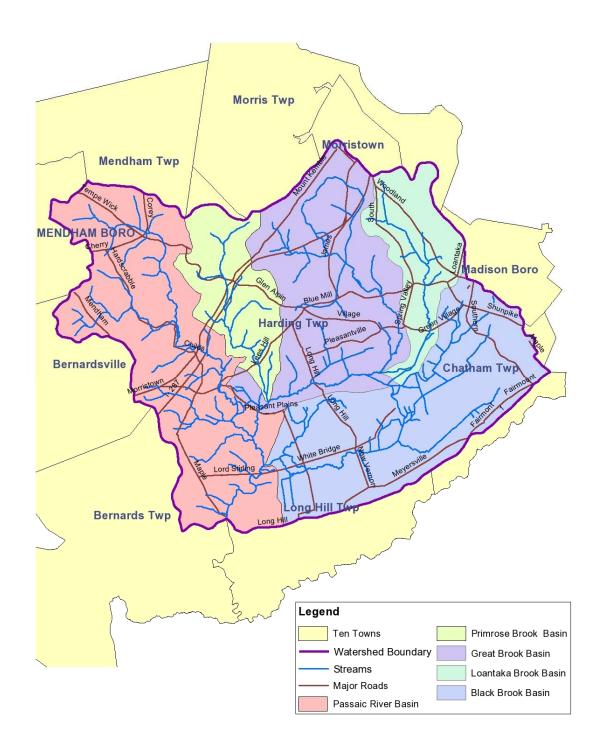
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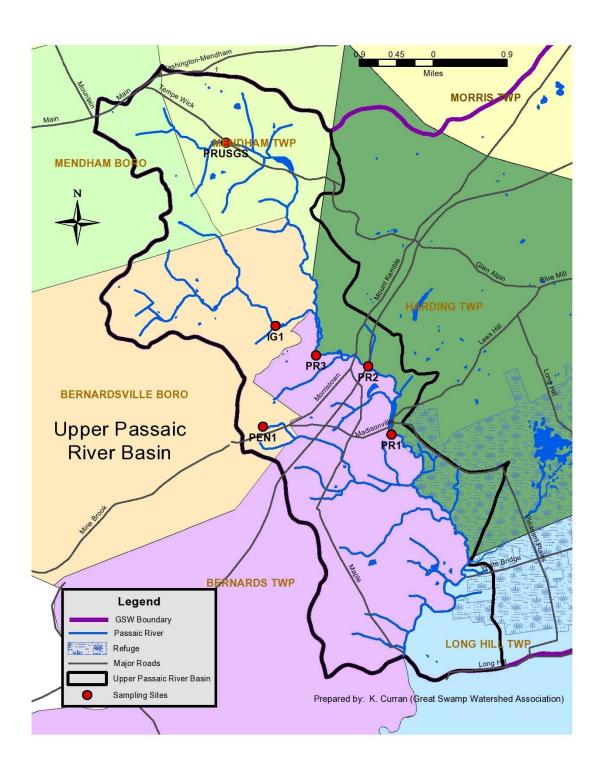
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PEN1 (Penn's Brook)

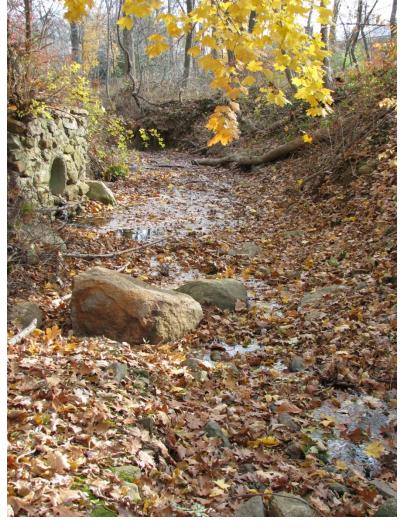




PEN1 (Penn's Brook)



Upstream



Downstream



PEN1 (Penn's Brook)



Upstream Culvert



Erosion



PR1 (Passaic River)



Downstream





PR2A (Passaic River)



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PR3 (Passaic River)



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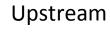




IG1 (Indian Grave Brook)



Downstream





PR4 (Passaic River)



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Sampling

- Soluble Reactive Phosphate
- Total Phosphorus
- Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen
- Nitrate
- Nitrite
- Total Suspended Solids
- Total Dissolved Solids
- Sodium
- Chloride

- pH
- Temperature
- Dissolved Oxygen
- Turbidity
- Conductivity
- Total Dissolved Solids





Results

Sampling	Sampling	TDS	TDS	Major TDS Components		Na+ + Cl-
Site	Date	(meter)	(lab)			Percent
		mg/l	mg/l	Sodium	Chloride	of TDS
PR4	02/15/11		349	73.2	141	61.4%
	05/11/11	231	241	22.3	60.7	34.4%
	08/04/11	271	284	20.2	68.7	31.3%
	11/14/11	295				
IG1	02/15/11		206	36.1	70.2	51.6%
	05/11/11	145	146	16.2	37.5	36.8%
	08/04/11	182	191	15.9	47.1	33.0%
	11/14/11	189				
PR3	02/15/11		240	40.0	80.8	50.3%
	05/11/11	142	153	15.3	36.6	33.9%
	08/04/11	168	169	14.3	40.8	32.6%
	11/14/11	180				
PR2A	02/15/11		246	42.7	86.5	52.5%
	05/11/11	149	167	16.3	38.4	32.8%
	08/04/11	172	190	14.6	40.8	29.2%
	11/14/11	190				
PR1	02/15/11		458	117	202	69.7%
	05/11/11	162	172	20.3	43.7	37.2%
	08/04/11	191	188	17.7	48.6	35.3%
	11/14/11	210				
PEN1	02/15/11		789	217	370	74.4%
	05/11/11	452	497	82.1	156.0	47.9%
	08/04/11	516	528	80.9	188	50.9%
	11/14/11	579				



Next Steps

- Winter Roads Maintenance Workshop
- Brine trial at GSWA
- Continue 3-year study
- Further data analysis including visual and biological data



Thank You!

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