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1.0 INTRODUCTION

In 1989, Nimbus Engineers was authorized by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) under Contract No. EMW-89-C-2841 to conduct a flood insurance restudy for Thomas and Dry Creeks in Washoe County and the City of Reno (see figure 1 for vicinity map). As specified in the scope of work, Nimbus evaluated other hydrology studies completed for the Dry and Thomas Creek watersheds. Rainfall-runoff models using the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (COE) HEC-1 computer program were also developed for these watersheds. The purpose of these models was to provide a comparative analysis to better evaluate the current FEMA discharges and the COE's 1980 discharges. In 1990, FEMA authorized Nimbus to develop a hydrologic model for Evans Creek and combine it with the Dry Creek model. This model of Evans Creek was necessary to determine the 100-year discharge of Dry Creek at its confluence with Evans Creek.

This report will include the following:

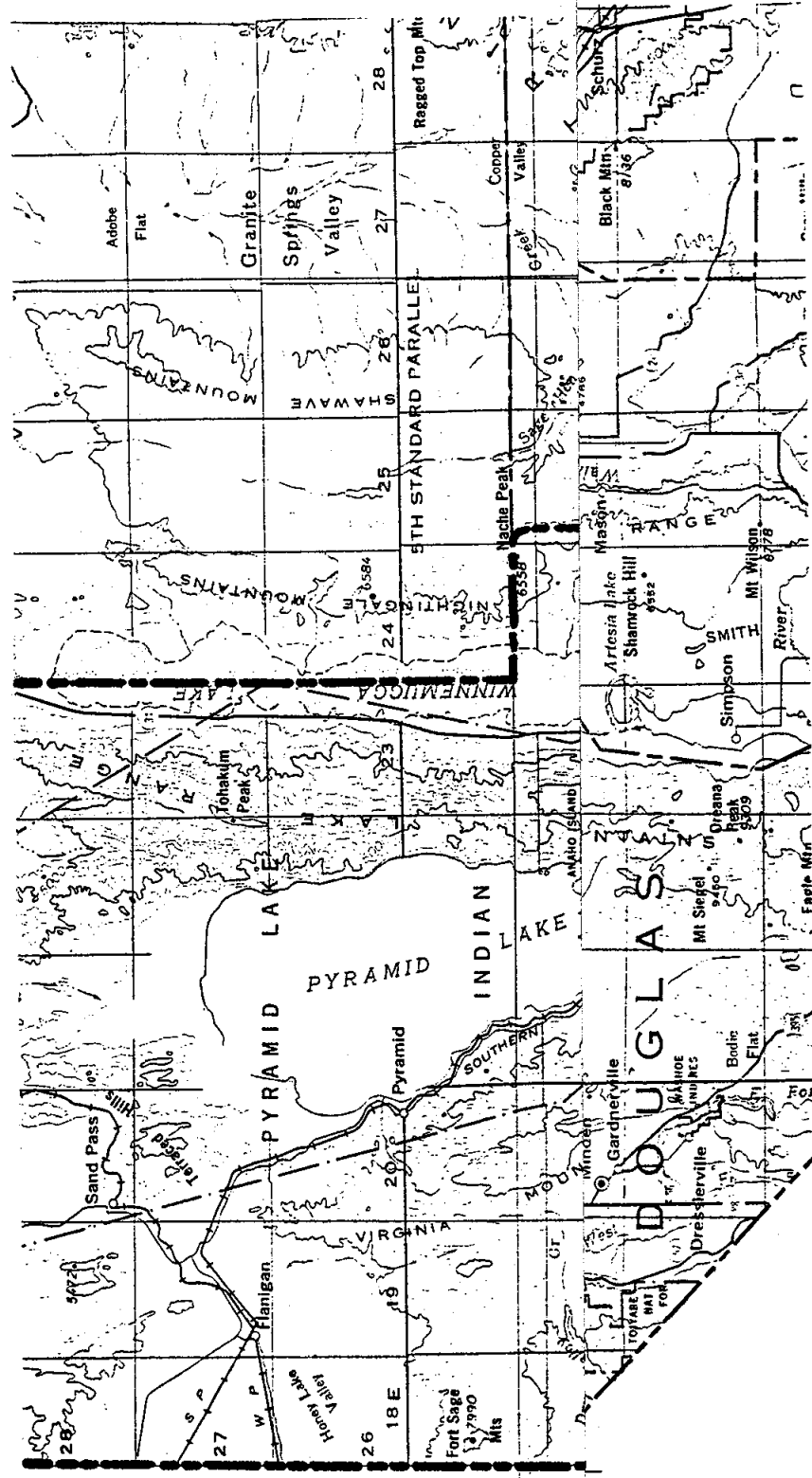
- The methodology used to develop rainfall-runoff models for Thomas, Dry, and Evans Creek.
- A physical description of the watersheds.
- The results of evaluating existing hydrology studies for Thomas, Dry, and Evans Creeks (FEMA's and the COE's studies).
- The assumptions used to determine the 100-year peak discharge of Dry Creek at its confluence with Evans Creek.
- The results of the rainfall-runoff models with an explanation of why these results will be used in the restudy instead of the discharges from FEMA's and the COE's studies.

2.0 METHODOLOGY FOR THE RAINFALL-RUNOFF MODELS

To assess the COE's and the original Flood Insurance Study's (FIS) hydrology, Nimbus conducted a hydrologic analysis using the SCS methods option in the COE's HEC-1 computer model (Reference 1). The discharges from this analysis are in Table 7. One model was developed for the Dry Creek watershed and one model for the Thomas Creek watershed. A third model was developed which combines the Evans Creek watershed with the Dry Creek watershed.

The models used the following parameters to calculate runoff:

- 1) Basin area in square miles.



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FIGURE 1

Vicinity Map

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- 2) Runoff curve number, which estimates how much rainfall will become runoff for a given basin. This number is selected based upon soil type, relative soil moisture content, vegetation type, and vegetation cover density.
- 3) Percentage of the drainage area that is impervious.
- 4) Basin lag time, which is defined as the time from the center of mass of rainfall excess to the peak discharge, expressed in hours.
- 5) Rainfall depth, duration, and distribution.

The watershed boundaries were identified using USGS 7.5 minute quadrangle maps (Reference 2) and field inspection. The area of each contributing drainage area was measured from the USGS quad maps.

The first step to estimating runoff curve number is identification of soil types for each individual drainage area. In the cases where the soil type had more than one possible hydrologic soil group, the soil group was selected based upon field inspection or use of the more conservative possibility. Soils are classified by the SCS into four hydrologic soil groups, type A, B, C and D. Type A soils have a rapid infiltration rate and include very porous soils such as sandy soils. Type D soils have a very slow infiltration rate which results in a larger percentage of the rainfall expressed as runoff. Soil types and hydrologic soil groups were identified using the SCS Soil Survey for Washoe County (Reference 3).

Relative soil moisture content is described in the SCS methodology by a term identified as "antecedent moisture condition" (AMC). Three different relative conditions are described by the SCS: AMC I, II and III. AMC I is an extremely dry condition where soil moisture has been depleted and infiltration rates for the soil are near their maximum. AMC II is an average condition. AMC II is the standard condition used for hydrologic analysis in the western states. AMC III is a saturated condition which represents the condition where the soils infiltration rate is near its lowest level. ~~The AMC II~~ soil moisture condition was used in selecting the appropriate table of curve numbers.

Vegetation and cover density for the drainage areas were determined from field inspection and aerial photos. Using the identified hydrologic soil groups and vegetation information, curve numbers used in the HEC-1 models were selected using the SCS TR-55 handbook and SCS NEH-4 as a guide (References 4 and 5).

The Upland Method in NEH-4 was used for subbasins less than 2000 acres (3.12 square miles). All the subbasins in the models with exception of the upper basin of Evans Creek were less than 2000 acres. The Upland Method estimates flow velocity based on channel slope and ground cover. Due to the variability of the channel slope within these basins, a reach by reach analysis was performed. The resulting travel time is multiplied by the empirical factor of 0.6 (NEH-4) to obtain the watershed lag time estimate.

In the method described in TR-55, the travel time is determined by dividing the hydraulic length into three reaches: one reach for sheet, one reach for shallow concentrated, and one reach for channel flow. The hydraulic length is the length from the hydraulic most distant point in the basin to its outlet. For a more detailed explanation on how the travel times for the reaches are calculated see Chapter 3 in the TR-55 manual. For the upper basin of Evans Creek, the lag time was developed using the procedure described in TR-55. Travel time through the channel reaches were estimated from hydraulic calculations of cross sections taken from the USGS 7.5 minute quadrangles and field notes.

Channel routing was performed with the Muskingum method of channel routing. The parameters for the reaches modeled with the Muskingum method were estimated using channel and overbank characteristics, lengths, slopes and typical roughness. The guidelines set forth in the HEC-1 manual were used to estimate values for k , t , and x (Reference 1).

The Modified Puls routing method was used to route the flow under I-580 at two locations: a reinforced concrete box (RCB) for Evans Creek, and a 66 inch culvert located between the Evans Creek RCB and the Dry Creek RCB. No storage routing was required for the Dry Creek crossing under the interstate because the flow is confined in the channel. The stage-discharge relationships at the culverts were calculated using the methods and equations in the Federal Highway Administration report "Hydraulic Design of Highway Culverts" (Reference 12). The stage-storage relationship for each culvert was developed using a 1 inch = 400 feet scale topographic map (4 foot contour interval) developed by Kenney Aerial Mapping, Inc. (Reference 13). A topographic map, 1" = 100' scale (2 foot contour interval), from the Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT) was used to supplement the Kenney map (Reference 14).

The rainfall distribution used in this model is a hypothetical distribution similar to the SCS Type I and II but uses data specific to the watershed. The depths for 5 and 15 minute, 1, 2, 3, 6, 12, and 24-hour values are entered into the HEC-1 model using the PH record. A rainfall mass curve is generated by HEC-1 by rearrangement of the depths for each duration so that the central 5 minute period of the 24-hour distribution contains the 5 minute depth specified and the central 15 minute period contains the 15 minute depth, etc. This same procedure was used by the SCS in generating the Type 1, 1A, II, and III dimensionless temporal distributions. The SCS distributions are based on regional averages. The use of a PH record produces a hypothetical pattern based upon site specific data.

Rainfall depths to be used in the HEC-1 model for each drainage area were derived according to NOAA Atlas 2, Volume VII, Nevada (Reference 6). Rainfall depths for each duration and return period were developed for the centroid of each subbasin. A considerable amount of uncertainty exists regarding the nature of extreme storm events for the study area. Due to lack of recorded data on depths and temporal distributions, a technically superior method was not available.

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3.0 PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION OF AREA

The Thomas, Dry, and Evans Creek watersheds are located in Washoe County and the City of Reno. These watersheds originate in the Carson Range of the Sierra Nevada and drain through a combination of rural, residential and commercial areas. Dry Creek empties into the Boynton Slough, a man-made channel that conveys flow from South McCarran Boulevard to Steamboat Creek. The majority of the flow from Evans Creek combines with Dry Creek 3600 feet upstream of South McCarran Boulevard. Some flow will leave the Evans Creek watershed and drain north along Lakeside Drive. The majority of the flow from the Thomas Creek watershed empties into the upper Truckee Meadows above Huffaker Narrows. The remaining flow drains into Alexander Ditch.

Thomas Creek

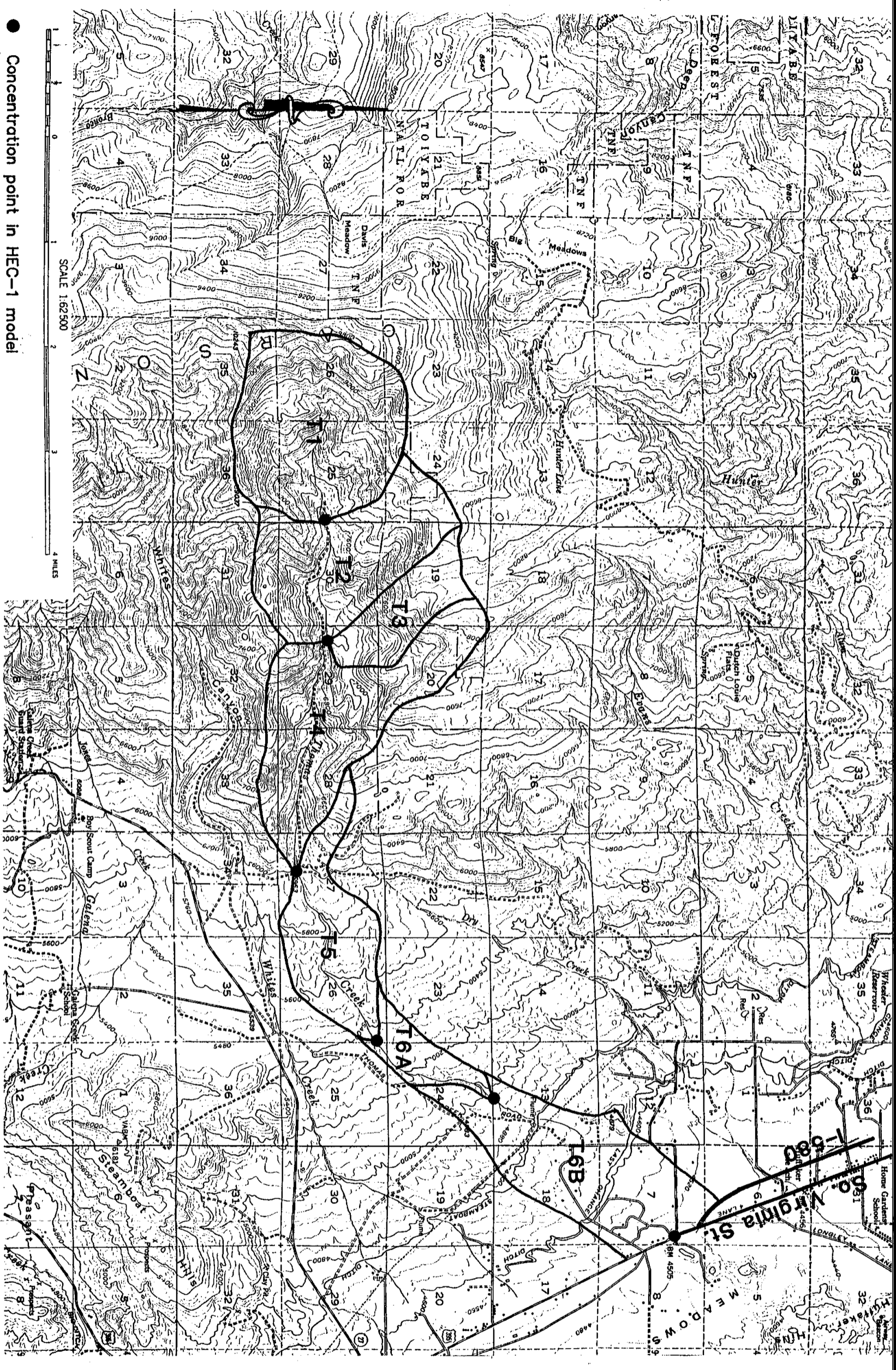
→ The drainage area of Thomas Creek above the apex of its fan is 8.5 square miles (Figure 2). The total drainage area of Thomas Creek above Virginia Street is 11.6 square miles. The watershed ranges in elevation from 4500 feet to 9800 feet yielding an average slope of 9.5%. The Thomas Creek watershed was divided into subbasins according to differences in rainfall depths, soil types, and vegetation types. Vegetation in the subbasins above 6000 feet (T1-T4) is comprised mainly of pine trees with a very thick understory. The percent ground cover for these upper areas is close to 90%. The soils are a mixture of type C and D. Due to the change in elevation, the 100-year 24 hour rainfall varies from 5.5 inches in the highest subbasin to 2.8 inches in the lowest subbasin.

The vegetation type for subbasins T5 and T6A is mainly a mixture of sagebrush and mahogany with some pine and aspens scattered throughout the watershed. The average ground cover for this portion of the watershed is approximately 25%. Over 80% of the soil in these basins is a type C. ~~The subbasin below the apex of Thomas Creeks fan (T6B) is a mixture of irrigated pastures and low density residential areas.~~ This area has a fairly even distribution of type B, C, and D soils.

Flow from the Thomas Creek watershed will be contained in the channel from the headwaters of the watershed to the apex of its fan. The velocities in the channel, as reflected in the Muskingum routing parameters, are high. The velocities range from 10 to over 15 ft/sec for some reaches. ~~Below the apex the 100 year flows will not be contained in a well-defined channel. The average velocities for this reach range between 3 and 6 ft/sec.~~ Table 1 lists parameters used in the Thomas Creek HEC-1 model.

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FIGURE 2
Thomas Creek
Watershed Map

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TABLE 1
WATERSHED PARAMETERS FOR THOMAS CREEK

SUBBASIN	BASIN AREA sq. mi.	CURVE NUMBER	HYDRAULIC LENGTH ft.	LAG TIME hr.	100 Yr., 24 Hr. RAINFALL in.	AVERAGE VELOCITY for entire hydraulic length ft/sec
T1	2.50	69	12,200	0.35	5.44	5.8
T2	1.82	58	11,400	0.29	4.92	6.6
T3	0.82	59	8,000	0.30	4.73	4.4
T4	2.16	58	18,450	0.54	4.20	5.7
T5	1.19	71	16,000	0.49	3.40	5.4
T6A	0.65	75	8,700	0.21	2.80	6.9
T6B	2.50	75	16,400	0.66	2.80	4.1

Dry Creek

The drainage area of Dry Creek above I-580 is 13 square miles (Figure 3). This watershed ranges in elevation from 4460 feet to 7800 feet (an average slope of approximately 9%). The watershed was divided into 14 basins. These subdivisions were made for two reasons: 1) to account for the differences in rainfall depths, soil types, and vegetation types within the watershed and 2) to provide concentration points at key locations in the watershed for the hydraulic analysis, such as confluences of tributaries.

The 100-year 24-hour precipitation ranges from 4.0 inches for the upper subbasins of the watershed to 2.8 inches for the lower subbasins. The predominant vegetation type for the entire watershed is sagebrush. The watershed above Steamboat Ditch (approximately 10 square miles) contains mainly a mixture of mahogany and sagebrush with a percent ground cover between 30 and 50. The soil types for the watershed above Steamboat Ditch are mainly type D soils with small areas of type C soils. The area below Steamboat Ditch is rural with few impervious areas, and a majority of this area is developed for pasture. The soil survey maps also indicate that this area is primarily a type D soil.

Channel velocities for the routing reaches for the entire watershed range between 6 and 10 ft/sec. Table 2 lists input parameters used in the Dry Creek model.

Evans Creek

The watershed of Evans Creek above its confluence with Dry Creek is approximately 10 square miles (Figure 4). The watershed was divided into three subbasins. The upper subbasin is the area above Lakeside Drive, the middle subbasin is between Lakeside Drive and I-580 and the lower subbasin is between I-580 and the confluence of Evans and Dry Creeks.

The drainage area above Lakeside Drive, the upper subbasin, is approximately 8.5 square miles. The watershed ranges in elevation from 4600 to 9100 feet. The average slope of this basin is 10%. Vegetation for the area above 6000 feet consists of pine and aspen trees on the north-facing slopes and along the creek. The south-facing slope consists of Mountain Mahogany, sagebrush, and some pine trees. The ground cover for the area above 6000 feet averages 50%. The drainage area below 6000 feet and above Lakeside Drive is comprised mainly of sage brush with an average ground cover of 50%. The soils for the entire subbasin are a mixture of type C and D soils. The 100-year 24-hour rainfall averages 4.2 inches for this subbasin.

As stated in Section 2.0 of this report, the lag time for the upper subbasin was calculated by the procedures described in TR-55. The channel reach portion of the hydraulic length has an average slope of 10% but is choked with vegetation. The flow velocities for the channel reach range between 8 and 11 feet/second. The average velocity for the entire hydraulic length is 6.9 feet/second.

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T1	2.50	69	12,200	0.35	5.44	5.8
T2	1.82	58	11,400	0.29	4.92	6.6
T3	0.82	59	8,000	0.30	4.73	4.4
T4	2.16	58	18,450	0.54	4.20	5.7
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The 100-year 24-hour precipitation ranges from 4.0 inches for the upper subbasins of the watershed to 2.8 inches for the lower subbasins. The predominant vegetation type for the entire watershed is sagebrush. The watershed above Steamboat Ditch (approximately 10 square miles) contains mainly a mixture of mahogany and sagebrush with a percent ground cover between 30 and 50. The soil types for the watershed above Steamboat Ditch are mainly type D soils with small areas of type C soils. The area below Steamboat Ditch is rural with few impervious areas, and a majority of this area is developed for pasture. The soil survey maps also indicate that this area is primarily a type D soil.

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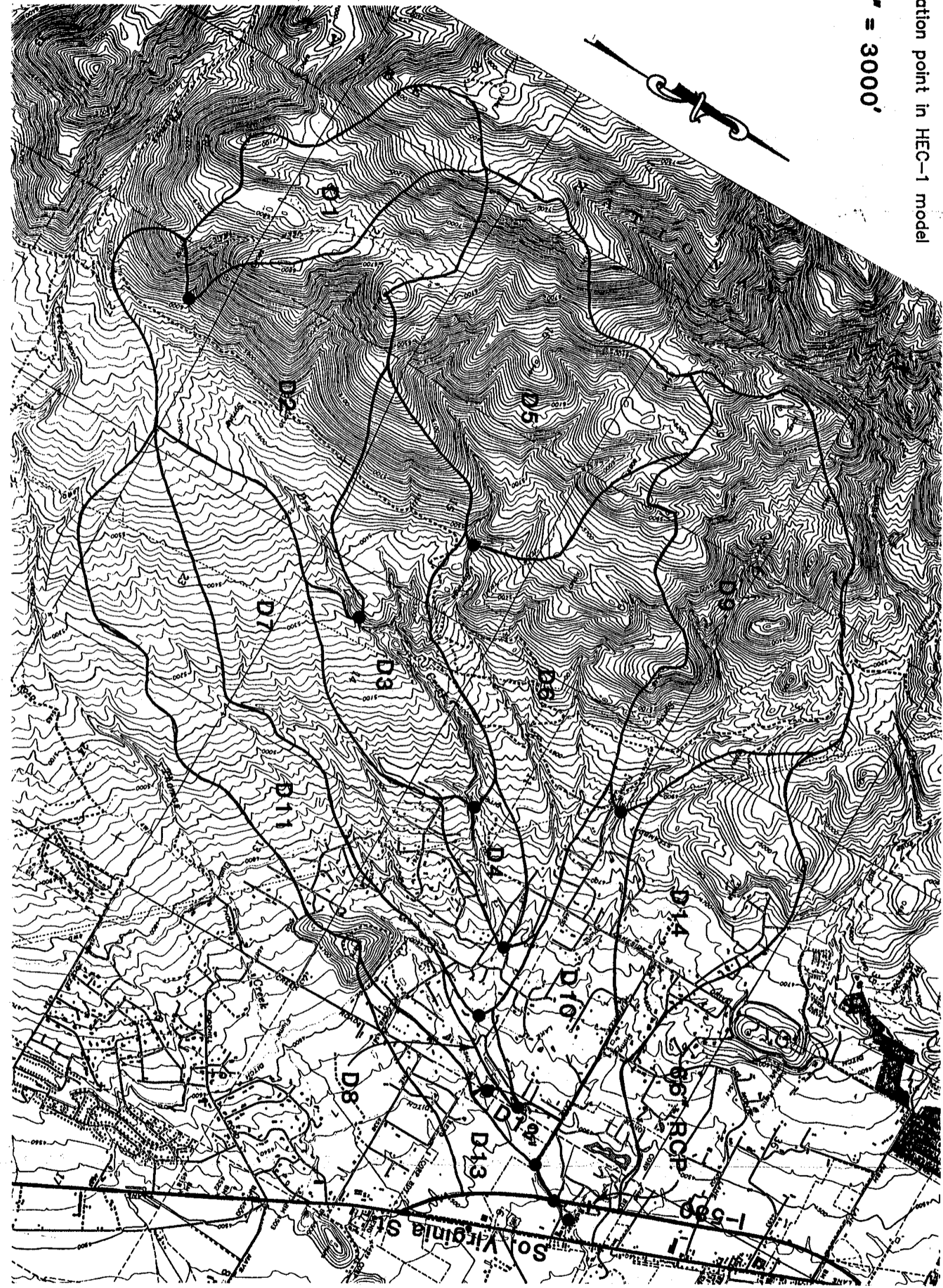
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FIGURE 3

Dry Creek Watershed Map

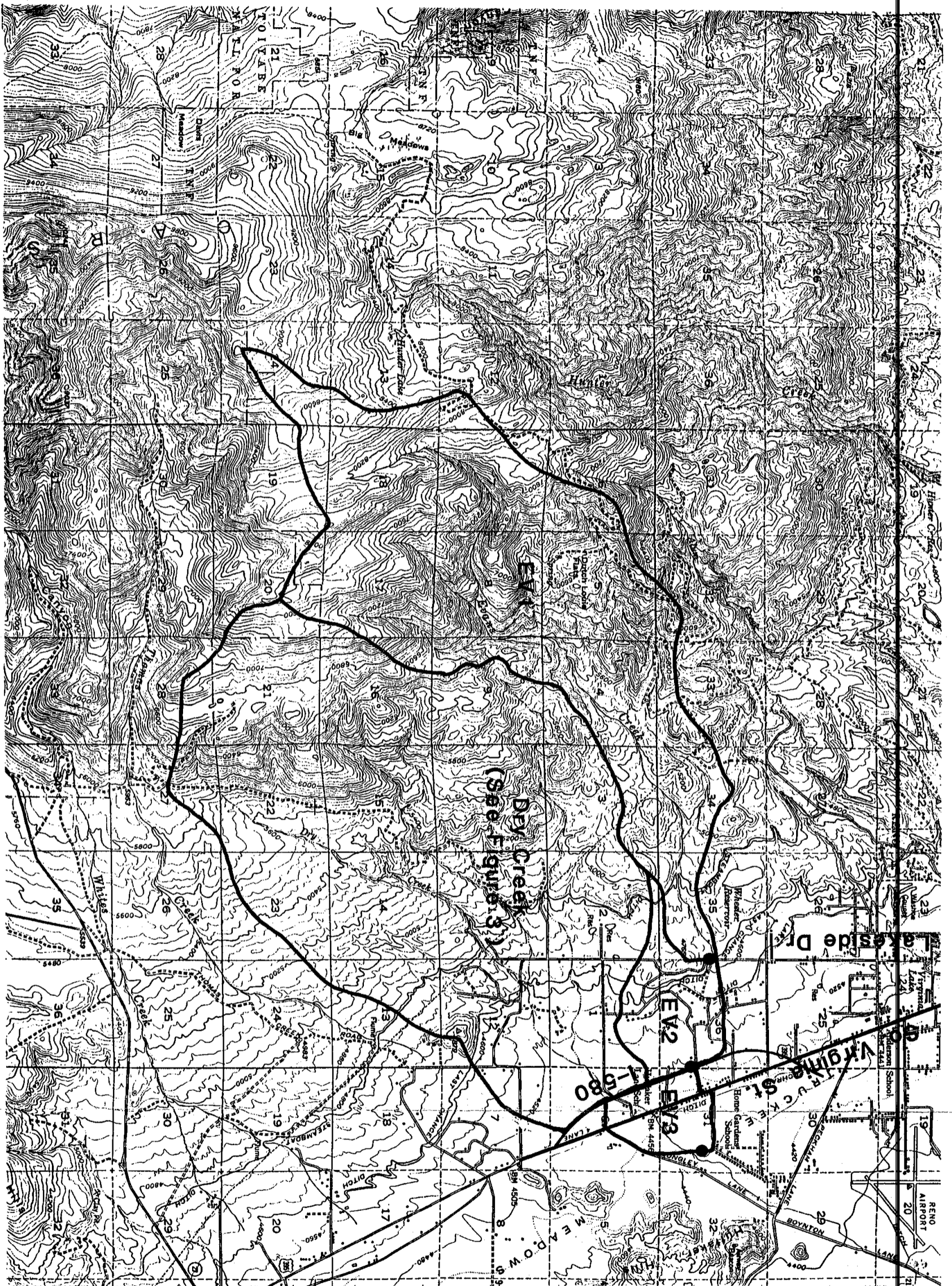
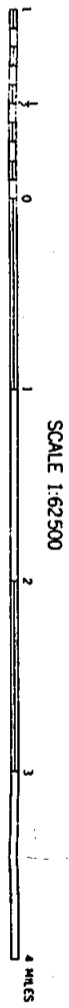
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TABLE 2
WATERSHED PARAMETERS FOR DRY CREEK

SUBBASIN	BASIN AREA sq. mi.	CURVE NUMBER	HYDRAULIC LENGTH ft.	LAG TIME hr.	100 Yr., 24 Hr. RAINFALL in.	AVERAGE VELOCITY for entire hydraulic length ft/sec
D1	0.78	65	9,900	0.29	4.0	5.7
D2	1.66	77	16,400	0.43	3.7	6.4
D3	1.10	79	12,400	0.38	3.2	5.4
D4	0.19	76	4,900	0.25	2.9	3.3
D5	1.70	75	11,300	0.31	3.7	6.1
D6	1.60	80	17,200	0.57	3.1	5.0
D7	1.20	80	19,800	0.85	3.1	3.9
D8	0.07	80	4,000	.33	2.8	2.0
D9	1.53	77	15,200	.45	3.1	5.6
D10	0.63	78	9,000	.45	2.8	3.3
D11	1.40	80	20,800	.85	3.0	4.1
D12	0.08	80	2,800	.23	2.8	2.0
D13	0.03	80	7,700	.78	2.8	1.7
D14	1.20	80	13,400	.74	2.8	3.0

Concentration Point in HEC-1 model



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FIGURE 4
Dry and Evans Creek
Watershed Map

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The middle subbasin is mainly pastures and rural dwellings with some residential developments within the basin. The average curve number determined for this basin is 78. The hydraulic length of this subbasin does not contain a defined channel; therefore, the Upland Method was used to calculate the lag time. The lag time for this subbasin is .74 hours. The average velocity for the hydraulic length is 2.5 feet/second. The 100-year 24-hour rainfall for this basin averages 2.8 inches.

The lower subbasin is a mixture of pastures, residential and commercial developments. The average curve number for this subbasin is 76. As in the middle basin, the Upland Method was used to calculate the lag time (.74 hours). The 100-year 24-hour rainfall for this subbasin is the same as the middle basin (2.8 inches). Table 3 lists input parameters for Evans Creek in the Evans/Dry Creek model.

4.0 ASSUMPTIONS USED TO DETERMINE DRY CREEK'S DISCHARGE BELOW EVANS CREEK IN THE RAINFALL RUNOFF MODELS

In the rainfall-runoff model of Evans Creek that was developed by Nimbus, the 100-year discharge for Evans Creek at Lakeside Drive is 1988 cfs. The flow is not contained in the channel. Approximately 470 cfs will overtop the north bank and drain down Lakeside Drive. An existing hydraulic model (HEC-2) was used to estimate how much flow would be lost down Lakeside Drive at this location (Reference 15). The remaining flow in Evans Creek, 1521 cfs, was routed down to I-580. The capacity of the culvert under the interstate is approximately 1000 cfs. ~~Any flow over 1000 cfs was assumed to flow under the interstate on Del Monte Lane and return to Evans Creek.~~

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The Evans Creek hydrologic model was combined with the Dry Creek model to determine the 100-year discharge at the confluence of Evans and Dry Creek. The aerial reduction factor for rainfall (the variable found in the second field of the PH record in the HEC-1 model) was adjusted to match the combined drainage area of both watersheds, 24 square miles. The 100-year discharge at the confluence of Dry and Evans Creek was calculated at 4891 cfs.

5.0 OTHER STUDIES

Tudor Study for FEMA

The original flood insurance study for Washoe County and the City of Reno was completed by Tudor Engineering in July 1979 (Reference 16 and 17). Part of that study developed hydrology for Evans, Dry, and Thomas Creeks. Discharges of Evans, Dry, and Thomas Creek from this study are in Table 4. To develop the hydrology for these creeks, Tudor Engineering used a regional analysis based on 306 flood peaks in 18 moderate sized, natural drainage basins in the Truckee and Carson River Watersheds. The equation is a function of mean annual precipitation and drainage area.

**TABLE 3
WATERSHED PARAMETERS FOR EVANS CREEK**

SUBBASIN	BASIN AREA sq. mi.	CURVE NUMBER	HYDRAULIC LENGTH ft.	LAG TIME hr.	100 Yr., 24 Hr. RAINFALL in.	AVERAGE VELOCITY for entire hydraulic length ft/sec
EV1	8.60	72	43,300	1.04	4.2	6.9
EV2	1.10	78	5,800	0.74	2.8	3.6
EV3	0.52	76	5,600	0.70	2.8	3.7

TABLE 4
 100-YEAR DISCHARGES (cfs)
 from the rainfall runoff model and previous studies

MAJOR CONCENTRATION POINTS	CURRENT FEMA VALUES (Ref. 16 and 17)	COE 1974 STUDY (Ref. 10)	COE 1980 STUDY (Ref. 8)	SCS 1980 STUDY (Ref. 11)	NIMBUS VALUES 1990 STUDY
Dry Creek	-----	-----	1180	-----	1348
@ Steamboat Ditch	1000	4300	4900	6550	4018
@ I-580	1880	-----	-----	-----	4894
below confluence w/Evans					
Evans Creek	-----	2600	2200	-----	-----
@ Steamboat Ditch	-----	-----	-----	-----	4898
@ Lakeside Drive	980	2600	-----	1666	-----
@ I-580					
Thomas Creek	1500	-----	-----	-----	2638
@ Apex of its fan	-----	3500	2500	-----	-----
@ Steamboat Ditch	-----	3900	-----	3400	2554
@ HWY 395					

In their analysis (Reference 7), Tudor indicated that the regional equation approach was the most appropriate "because it is based on frequency of actual observed floods and all the diverse characteristics of rainfall-runoff and snowmelt relations are included in this methodology." Tudor indicated that the hydrologic computer models (such as HEC-1), on the other hand, are based on methods that must assume or ignore many hydrologic characteristics. The discharges developed by the Tudor study, however, were much lower than the COE's 1980 report and previous studies completed by the COE and the SCS. The COE and local officials had objections to the lower discharges developed in the Tudor study.

The COE 1980 Report

In 1980, the Sacramento District of the Corps of Engineers published a report titled, Truckee River, California and Nevada, Hydrology (Reference 8). In this report, 100-year discharges were determined for Dry, Thomas, and Evans Creeks using a hydrologic model (HEC-1) combined with the results of a statistical analysis. A more detailed explanation regarding how this hydrology is developed can be found in the COE's report. Discharges for Dry, Thomas, and Evans Creeks from this study are presented in Table 4. These discharges are significantly higher than the corresponding discharges in the original FEMA study.

The COE addresses the difference between the Tudor study and their study in a January 28, 1980 letter to FEMA (Reference 9). In this letter the COE expressed concern in Tudor's regional equation that was developed for estimating floodflows on Steamboat, Thomas, Evans, and Dry Creeks. Their major concerns were that only three of the 18 stream gages used to develop the regional relationship were representative of the study area and that this method does not recognize cloudburst potential because the mean annual precipitation is used instead of a short duration precipitation parameter. Specifically, this letter expressed concern regarding the low values of Dry Creek in comparison to the COE report. The COE stated that the flood potential estimated using the regional equation is understated, and they would not revise their discharges for Dry Creek.

Other Studies By Agencies

In 1974, the COE published a floodplain information study that included discharges for Evans, Dry and Thomas Creeks (Reference 10). These discharges were higher than the discharges in the COE's 1980 report. The 1980 report superceded the previous COE's studies for these watersheds. In 1980, the SCS conducted a study on Dry and Thomas Creeks (Reference 11). Their discharges were up to 33% higher than the COE's values.

6.0 RATIONALE FOR USING THE RAINFALL-RUNOFF MODEL DEVELOPED BY NIMBUS IN THE RESTUDY

The 100-year discharges developed by Nimbus Engineers for the restudy are within 20% of the COE's values for Dry Creek and within 6% for Thomas Creek, and 10% for Evans Creek. The hydrology by Nimbus Engineers provides more concentration points than the COE study. For example, between Panorama Drive and Holcomb Lane, two major branches of Dry Creek join. The COE hydrology does not have concentration points at this and other confluences within the watershed. Because the 100-year discharges from the Nimbus model and the COE hydrology are close and the Nimbus model provides more concentration points within the watersheds, the discharges from the Nimbus model are used for the hydraulic analyses of Dry and Thomas Creeks. See Table 7 for discharges at key concentration points from the Nimbus Models.

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APPENDIX



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- THOM02.901 - Thomas Creek 2-year, 24-hour
- THOM10.901 - Thomas Creek 10-year, 24-hour
- THOM100.901 - Thomas Creek 100-year, 24-hour
- DRYCR.901 - Dry Creek 100-year, 24 hour
- DREV.901 - Evans Creek combined with Dry Creek 100-year, 24-hour

Thomas Creek 2-Year

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74	KK	T6A&B	COMBINE ALL FLOWS								
75	HC	2									
76	ZZ										

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SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF STREAM NETWORK

INPUT LINE	(V) ROUTING	(--->) DIVERSION OR PUMP FLOW
NO.	(.) CONNECTOR	(<---) RETURN OF DIVERTED OR PUMPED FLOW
19	T1 V	
	V	
24	RT1-B	
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26	.	T2
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31	.	T3
	.	.
36	CP-B.....	
	V	
	V	
38	RCP-C	
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40	.	T4
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45	CP-C.....	
	V	
	V	
47	RCP-D	
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49	.	T5
	.	.
54	CP-D.....	
	V	
	V	
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59	.	T6A
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64	APEX1.....	
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 IPRNT 5 PRINT CONTROL
 IPLOT 1 PLOT CONTROL
 QSCAL 0. HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE

IT HYDROGRAPH TIME DATA
 NMIN 5 MINUTES IN COMPUTATION INTERVAL
 IDATE 1 0 STARTING DATE
 ITIME 0000 STARTING TIME
 NQ 289 NUMBER OF HYDROGRAPH ORDINATES
 NDDATE 2 0 ENDING DATE
 NDTIME 0000 ENDING TIME
 ICENT 19 CENTURY MARK

COMPUTATION INTERVAL .08 HOURS
 TOTAL TIME BASE 24.00 HOURS

ENGLISH UNITS
 DRAINAGE AREA SQUARE MILES
 PRECIPITATION DEPTH INCHES
 LENGTH, ELEVATION FEET
 FLOW CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
 STORAGE VOLUME ACRE-Feet
 SURFACE AREA ACRES
 TEMPERATURE DEGREES FAHRENHEIT

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 54 KK * CP-D * COMBINE ROUTED T1-T4 W/ T5
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56 KO

OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES

IPRNT 1 PRINT CONTROL
 IPLOT 1 PLOT CONTROL
 QSSAL 0. HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE

55 KC

HYDROGRAPH COMBINATION

ICOMP 2 NUMBER OF HYDROGRAPHS TO COMBINE

HYDROGRAPH AT STATION CP-D
 SUM OF 2 HYDROGRAPHS

DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW
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PEAK FLOW + (CFS)	TIME (HR)	MAXIMUM AVERAGE FLOW			
		6-HR	24-HR	72-HR	24.00-HR
+ 101.	13.42	70.	28.	28.	28.
	(INCHES)	.077	.121	.121	.121
	(AC-FT)	35.	55.	55.	55.

CUMULATIVE AREA = 8.49 SQ MI

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84 KK * APEX1 * COMBINE FLOWS AT APEX
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      IPBNT      5 PRINT CONTROL
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      QSCAL      0 HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE
      IPNCH      0 PUNCH COMPUTED HYDROGRAPH
      IOUT       22 SAVE HYDROGRAPH ON THIS UNIT
      ISAV1      1 FIRST ORDINATE PUNCHED OR SAVED
      ISAV2     289 LAST ORDINATE PUNCHED OR SAVED
      TIMINT     .083 TIME INTERVAL IN HOURS

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RUNOFF SUMMARY
FLOW IN CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
TIME IN HOURS, AREA IN SQUARE MILES

OPERATION	STATION	PEAK FLOW	TIME OF PEAK	AVERAGE FLOW FOR MAXIMUM PERIOD			BASIN AREA	MAXIMUM STAGE	TIME OF MAX STAGE
				6-HOUR	24-HOUR	72-HOUR			
+									
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	T1	107.	12.50	59.	22.	22.	2.50		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RT1-B	101.	12.67	59.	22.	22.	2.50		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	T2	7.	18.08	6.	2.	2.	1.82		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	T3	2.	18.38	2.	1.	1.	.82		
	3 COMBINED AT								
+	CP-B	101.	12.67	63.	25.	25.	5.14		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RCP-C	98.	13.00	63.	25.	25.	5.14		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	T4	3.	24.00	3.	1.	1.	2.16		
	2 COMBINED AT								
+	CP-C	98.	13.00	64.	25.	25.	7.30		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RCP-D	95.	13.42	64.	25.	25.	7.30		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	T5	8.	15.08	7.	3.	3.	1.19		
	2 COMBINED AT								
+	CP-D	101.	13.42	70.	28.	28.	8.49		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RAPEX	98.	13.75	70.	27.	27.	8.49		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	T6A	3.	14.25	3.	1.	1.	.65		
	2 COMBINED AT								
+	APEX1	102.	13.75	73.	28.	28.	9.14		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RT-395	83.	15.00	71.	26.	26.	9.14		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	T6B	13.	15.08	10.	4.	4.	2.50		
	2 COMBINED AT								
+	T6A&B	96.	15.00	80.	30.	30.	11.64		

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18	IO	5	1									
19	KK	T1	THOMAS CREEK WATERSHED T1									
20	BA	2.5										
21	PH	10	11.64	.26	.51	.90	1.23	1.50	2.12	2.73	3.35	
22	LS		69									
23	UD	.35										

71	PH	10	11.64	.26	.51	.30	1.00	1.10	1.25	1.6	1.9
72	LC		75								
73	UD	.66									
74	KK	TGA&B	COMBINE ALL FLOWS								
75	KC	2									
76	ZZ										

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SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF STREAM NETWORK

INPUT LINE	(V) ROUTING	(--->) DIVERSION OR PUMP FLOW
NO.	(.) CONNECTOR	(<---) RETURN OF DIVERTED OR PUMPED FLOW
19	T1	
	V	
	V	
24	RT1-B	
	.	
26	.	T2
	.	.
31	.	T3
	.	.
36	CP-B.....	
	V	
	V	
38	RCP-C	
	.	
40	.	T4
	.	.
45	CP-C.....	
	V	
	V	
47	RCP-D	
	.	
49	.	T5
	.	.
54	CP-D.....	
	V	
	V	
57	RAPEX	
	.	
59	.	T6A
	.	.
64	APEX1.....	
	V	
	V	
67	RT-395	
	.	
69	.	T6B
	.	.
74	TGA&B	

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FEMA FLOOD INSURANCE STUDY THOMAS CREEK, WASHOE COUNTY, NV
 FINAL RUN AUGUST 1990 BY: NIMBUS ENGINEERS CONTRACT NO. EMW-89-C-2841
 NIMBUS JOB NUMBER 8901

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OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES

IPRNT 5 PRINT CONTROL
 IPLOT 1 PLOT CONTROL
 QSCAL 0. HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE

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HYDROGRAPH TIME DATA

NMIN 5 MINUTES IN COMPUTATION INTERVAL
 IDATE 1 0 STARTING DATE
 ITIME 0000 STARTING TIME
 NQ 289 NUMBER OF HYDROGRAPH ORDINATES
 NDDATE 2 0 ENDING DATE
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54 KK * CP-D * COMBINE ROUTED T1-T4 W/ T5
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56 KO OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES
 IPRNT 1 PRINT CONTROL
 IPLOT 1 PLOT CONTROL
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55 HC HYDROGRAPH COMBINATION
 ICOMP 2 NUMBER OF HYDROGRAPHS TO COMBINE

HYDROGRAPH AT STATION CP-D
 SUM OF 2 HYDROGRAPHS

DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW
1	0000	1	0.	*	1	0605	74	0.	*	1	1210	147	64.	*	1	1815	220	184.				
1	0005	2	0.	*	1	0610	75	0.	*	1	1215	148	88.	*	1	1820	221	182.				
1	0010	3	0.	*	1	0615	76	0.	*	1	1220	149	118.	*	1	1825	222	180.				
1	0015	4	0.	*	1	0620	77	0.	*	1	1225	150	158.	*	1	1830	223	178.				
1	0020	5	0.	*	1	0625	78	0.	*	1	1230	151	220.	*	1	1835	224	174.				
1	0025	6	0.	*	1	0630	79	0.	*	1	1235	152	315.	*	1	1840	225	169.				
1	0030	7	0.	*	1	0635	80	0.	*	1	1240	153	434.	*	1	1845	226	163.				
1	0035	8	0.	*	1	0640	81	0.	*	1	1245	154	554.	*	1	1850	227	157.				
1	0040	9	0.	*	1	0645	82	0.	*	1	1250	155	642.	*	1	1855	228	152.				
1	0045	10	0.	*	1	0650	83	0.	*	1	1255	156	684.	*	1	1900	229	147.				
1	0050	11	0.	*	1	0655	84	0.	*	1	1300	157	682.	*	1	1905	230	143.				
1	0055	12	0.	*	1	0700	85	0.	*	1	1305	158	647.	*	1	1910	231	140.				
1	0100	13	0.	*	1	0705	86	0.	*	1	1310	159	597.	*	1	1915	232	138.				
1	0105	14	0.	*	1	0710	87	0.	*	1	1315	160	545.	*	1	1920	233	136.				
1	0110	15	0.	*	1	0715	88	0.	*	1	1320	161	500.	*	1	1925	234	134.				
1	0115	16	0.	*	1	0720	89	0.	*	1	1325	162	462.	*	1	1930	235	133.				
1	0120	17	0.	*	1	0725	90	0.	*	1	1330	163	433.	*	1	1935	236	131.				
1	0125	18	0.	*	1	0730	91	0.	*	1	1335	164	410.	*	1	1940	237	130.				
1	0130	19	0.	*	1	0735	92	0.	*	1	1340	165	393.	*	1	1945	238	129.				
1	0135	20	0.	*	1	0740	93	0.	*	1	1345	166	379.	*	1	1950	239	128.				
1	0140	21	0.	*	1	0745	94	0.	*	1	1350	167	367.	*	1	1955	240	127.				
1	0145	22	0.	*	1	0750	95	0.	*	1	1355	168	357.	*	1	2000	241	127.				
1	0150	23	0.	*	1	0755	96	0.	*	1	1400	169	348.	*	1	2005	242	126.				
1	0155	24	0.	*	1	0800	97	0.	*	1	1405	170	339.	*	1	2010	243	125.				
1	0200	25	0.	*	1	0805	98	0.	*	1	1410	171	332.	*	1	2015	244	124.				
1	0205	26	0.	*	1	0810	99	0.	*	1	1415	172	325.	*	1	2020	245	123.				
1	0210	27	0.	*	1	0815	100	0.	*	1	1420	173	319.	*	1	2025	246	123.				
1	0215	28	0.	*	1	0820	101	0.	*	1	1425	174	313.	*	1	2030	247	122.				
1	0220	29	0.	*	1	0825	102	0.	*	1	1430	175	307.	*	1	2035	248	121.				
1	0225	30	0.	*	1	0830	103	0.	*	1	1435	176	303.	*	1	2040	249	121.				
1	0230	31	0.	*	1	0835	104	0.	*	1	1440	177	298.	*	1	2045	250	120.				
1	0235	32	0.	*	1	0840	105	0.	*	1	1445	178	294.	*	1	2050	251	119.				
1	0240	33	0.	*	1	0845	106	0.	*	1	1450	179	290.	*	1	2055	252	119.				
1	0245	34	0.	*	1	0850	107	0.	*	1	1455	180	286.	*	1	2100	253	118.				
1	0250	35	0.	*	1	0855	108	0.	*	1	1500	181	283.	*	1	2105	254	118.				
1	0255	36	0.	*	1	0900	109	0.	*	1	1505	182	279.	*	1	2110	255	117.				
1	0300	37	0.	*	1	0905	110	0.	*	1	1510	183	276.	*	1	2115	256	116.				
1	0305	38	0.	*	1	0910	111	0.	*	1	1515	184	274.	*	1	2120	257	116.				
1	0310	39	0.	*	1	0915	112	0.	*	1	1520	185	272.	*	1	2125	258	115.				
1	0315	40	0.	*	1	0920	113	0.	*	1	1525	186	270.	*	1	2130	259	115.				
1	0320	41	0.	*	1	0925	114	0.	*	1	1530	187	268.	*	1	2135	260	114.				
1	0325	42	0.	*	1	0930	115	0.	*	1	1535	188	266.	*	1	2140	261	114.				
1	0330	43	0.	*	1	0935	116	0.	*	1	1540	189	263.	*	1	2145	262	113.				
1	0335	44	0.	*	1	0940	117	0.	*	1	1545	190	258.	*	1	2150	263	113.				
1	0340	45	0.	*	1	0945	118	0.	*	1	1550	191	251.	*	1	2155	264	112.				
1	0345	46	0.	*	1	0950	119	0.	*	1	1555	192	244.	*	1	2200	265	112.				

1	0330	47	0.	*	1	0355	120	0.	*	1	1800	193	238.	*	1	2205	266	111.
1	0355	48	0.	*	1	1000	121	0.	*	1	1605	194	232.	*	1	2210	267	111.
1	0400	49	0.	*	1	1005	122	0.	*	1	1610	195	227.	*	1	2215	268	110.
1	0405	50	0.	*	1	1010	123	0.	*	1	1615	196	223.	*	1	2220	269	110.
1	0410	51	0.	*	1	1015	124	0.	*	1	1620	197	219.	*	1	2225	270	109.
1	0415	52	0.	*	1	1020	125	0.	*	1	1625	198	216.	*	1	2230	271	109.
1	0420	53	0.	*	1	1025	126	0.	*	1	1630	199	214.	*	1	2235	272	108.
1	0425	54	0.	*	1	1030	127	0.	*	1	1635	200	211.	*	1	2240	273	108.
1	0430	55	0.	*	1	1035	128	0.	*	1	1640	201	209.	*	1	2245	274	107.
1	0435	56	0.	*	1	1040	129	0.	*	1	1645	202	207.	*	1	2250	275	107.
1	0440	57	0.	*	1	1045	130	0.	*	1	1650	203	206.	*	1	2255	276	106.
1	0445	58	0.	*	1	1050	131	0.	*	1	1655	204	204.	*	1	2300	277	106.
1	0450	59	0.	*	1	1055	132	0.	*	1	1700	205	202.	*	1	2305	278	105.
1	0455	60	0.	*	1	1100	133	0.	*	1	1705	206	201.	*	1	2310	279	105.
1	0500	61	0.	*	1	1105	134	0.	*	1	1710	207	199.	*	1	2315	280	105.
1	0505	62	0.	*	1	1110	135	1.	*	1	1715	208	198.	*	1	2320	281	104.
1	0510	63	0.	*	1	1115	136	1.	*	1	1720	209	197.	*	1	2325	282	104.
1	0515	64	0.	*	1	1120	137	3.	*	1	1725	210	195.	*	1	2330	283	103.
1	0520	65	0.	*	1	1125	138	5.	*	1	1730	211	194.	*	1	2335	284	103.
1	0525	66	0.	*	1	1130	139	7.	*	1	1735	212	193.	*	1	2340	285	103.
1	0530	67	0.	*	1	1135	140	10.	*	1	1740	213	192.	*	1	2345	286	102.
1	0535	68	0.	*	1	1140	141	13.	*	1	1745	214	191.	*	1	2350	287	102.
1	0540	69	0.	*	1	1145	142	17.	*	1	1750	215	189.	*	1	2355	288	101.
1	0545	70	0.	*	1	1150	143	22.	*	1	1755	216	188.	*	2	0000	289	101.
1	0550	71	0.	*	1	1155	144	28.	*	1	1800	217	187.	*				
1	0555	72	0.	*	1	1200	145	35.	*	1	1805	218	186.	*				
1	0600	73	0.	*	1	1205	146	47.	*	1	1810	219	185.	*				

PEAK FLOW (CFS)	TIME (HR)	MAXIMUM AVERAGE FLOW			
		6-HR	24-HR	72-HR	24.00-HR
684.	12.92	300.	105.	105.	105.
		(INCHES)	.329	.461	.461
		(AC-FT)	149.	209.	209.

CUMULATIVE AREA = 8.49 SQ MI

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64 KK * APEX1 * COMBINE FLOWS AT APEX
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66 KC OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES
IPRNT 5 PRINT CONTROL
IPLST 1 PLOT CONTROL
QSCAL 0. HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE
IPNCH 0 PUNCH COMPUTED HYDROGRAPH
IOUT 22 SAVE HYDROGRAPH ON THIS UNIT
ISAV1 1 FIRST ORDINATE PUNCHED OR SAVED
ISAV2 289 LAST ORDINATE PUNCHED OR SAVED
TIMINT .083 TIME INTERVAL IN HOURS

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RUNOFF SUMMARY
FLOW IN CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
TIME IN HOURS, AREA IN SQUARE MILES

OPERATION	STATION	PEAK FLOW	TIME OF PEAK	AVERAGE FLOW FOR MAXIMUM PERIOD			BASIN AREA	MAXIMUM STAGE	TIME OF MAX STAGE
				6-HOUR	24-HOUR	72-HOUR			
HYDROGRAPH AT	T1	480.	12.42	162.	54.	54.	2.50		
ROUTED TO	RT1-B	469.	12.58	162.	54.	54.	2.50		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T2	103.	12.50	50.	19.	19.	1.82		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T3	40.	12.50	21.	8.	8.	.82		
3 COMBINED AT	CP-B	602.	12.58	233.	81.	81.	5.14		
ROUTED TO	RCP-C	591.	12.75	232.	80.	80.	5.14		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T4	39.	13.00	34.	13.	13.	2.16		
2 COMBINED AT	CP-C	626.	12.75	266.	93.	93.	7.30		
ROUTED TO	RCP-D	611.	13.00	265.	92.	92.	7.30		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T5	94.	12.67	37.	13.	13.	1.19		
2 COMBINED AT	CP-D	684.	12.92	300.	105.	105.	8.49		
ROUTED TO	RAPEX	677.	13.17	300.	104.	104.	8.49		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T6A	96.	12.33	17.	6.	6.	.65		
2 COMBINED AT	APEX1	693.	13.17	311.	110.	110.	9.14		
ROUTED TO	RT-395	559.	14.08	309.	106.	106.	9.14		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T6B	186.	12.92	62.	20.	20.	2.50		
2 COMBINED AT	T6A&B	620.	14.08	355.	126.	126.	11.64		

*** NORMAL END OF HEC-1 ***

23	KK	RT1-B	ROUTE T1 TO CONCENTRATION POINT B									
24	RM	1	.09568	.4								
25	KK	T2	THOMAS CREEK WATERSHED T2									
26	BA	1.82										
27	PH	1	11.64	.4	.79	1.39	1.75	2.1	2.9	3.91	4.92	
28	LS		58									
29	UD	.29										
30	KK	T3	THOMAS CREEK WATERSHED T3									
31	BA	.82										
32	PH	1	11.64	.41	.8	1.4	1.73	2.04	2.76	3.75	4.73	
33	LS		59									
34	UD	.3										
35	KK	CP-B	COMBINE ROUTED WATERSHED T1 W/ T2 AND T3 AT CONCENTRATION PT B									
36	HC	3										
37	KK	RCP-C	ROUTE COMBINED T1-T3 TO CONCENTRATION PT C									
38	RM	2	.14576	.4								
39	KK	T4	THOMAS CREEK WATERSHED T4									
40	BA	2.16										
41	PH	1	11.64	.39	.77	1.35	1.64	1.91	2.55	3.38	4.2	
42	LS		58									
43	UD	.54										

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HEC-1 INPUT

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LINE	ID	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
44	KK	CP-C	COMBINE ROUTED T1-T3 W/ T4								
45	HC	2									
46	KK	RCP-D	ROUTE COMBINED T1-T4 TO CONCENTRATION PT D								
47	RM	2	.1408	.4							
48	KK	T5	THOMAS CREEK WATERSHED T5								
49	BA	1.19									
50	PH	1	11.64	.35	.66	1.2	1.4	1.59	2.04	2.75	3.4
51	LS		71	0							
52	UD	.49									
53	KK	CP-D	COMBINE ROUTED T1-T4 W/ T5								
54	HC	2									
55	KO	1									
56	KK	RAPEX	ROUTE COMBINED T1-T5 TO APEX								
57	RM	2	.18	.4							
58	KK	T6A	THOMAS CREEK WATERSHED T6 @ fan APEX								
59	BA	.65									
60	PH	1	11.64	.35	.69	1.21	1.34	1.48	1.8	2.3	2.8
61	LS		75								
62	UD	.21									
63	KK	APEX1	COMBINE FLOWS AT APEX								
64	HC	2									
65	KO					22					
66	KK	RT-395	ROUTE FLOWS FROM APEX TO 395								
67	RM	3	.462	.2							
68	KK	T6B	THOMAS CREEK WATERSHED T6 FROM APEX TO 395								
69	BA	2.5									
70	PH	1	11.64	.35	.69	1.21	1.34	1.48	1.8	2.3	2.8

71	LS	75
72	JD	.66
73	KK T6A&B	COMBINE ALL FLOWS
74	RC	2
75	ZZ	

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18	T1	
	V	
	V	
23	RT1-B	
	.	
25	.	T2
	.	
30	.	T3
	.	
35	CP-B.....	
	V	
	V	
37	RCP-C	
	.	
39	.	T4
	.	
44	CP-C.....	
	V	
	V	
46	RCP-D	
	.	
48	.	T5
	.	
53	CP-D.....	
	V	
	V	
56	RAPEX	
	.	
58	.	T6A
	.	
63	APEX1.....	
	V	
	V	
66	RT-395	
	.	
68	.	T6B
	.	
73	T6A&B.....	

(***) RUNOFF ALSO COMPUTED AT THIS LOCATION

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 * FEBRUARY 1981 *
 * REVISED 01 JUN 88 *
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 * RUN DATE 08/20/1990 TIME 12:18:01 *
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 FLOW CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
 STORAGE VOLUME ACRE-Feet
 SURFACE AREA ACRES
 TEMPERATURE DEGREES FAHRENHEIT

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 53 KK * CP-D * COMBINE ROUTED 71-74 W/ 75
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55 KG OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES

1. PLANT CONTROL
 2. PLOT CONTROL
 3. HYDROGRAPH PLOT BOARD

54 HC HYDROGRAPH COMBINATION
 ICCXP 2 NUMBER OF HYDROGRAPHS TO COMBINE

HYDROGRAPH AT STATION CP-D
 SUM OF 2 HYDROGRAPHS

DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*	DA	MON	HRMN	ORD	FLOW	*
1		0000	1	0.	*	1		0605	74	0.	*	1		1210	147	463.	*	1		1815	229	427.	*
1		0005	2	0.	*	1		0610	75	0.	*	1		1215	148	617.	*	1		1820	221	422.	*
1		0010	3	0.	*	1		0615	76	0.	*	1		1220	149	863.	*	1		1825	222	415.	*
1		0015	4	0.	*	1		0620	77	0.	*	1		1225	150	1228.	*	1		1830	223	405.	*
1		0020	5	0.	*	1		0625	78	0.	*	1		1230	151	1696.	*	1		1835	224	391.	*
1		0025	6	0.	*	1		0630	79	0.	*	1		1235	152	2169.	*	1		1840	225	376.	*
1		0030	7	0.	*	1		0635	80	0.	*	1		1240	153	2512.	*	1		1845	226	360.	*
1		0035	8	0.	*	1		0640	81	0.	*	1		1245	154	2644.	*	1		1850	227	346.	*
1		0040	9	0.	*	1		0645	82	0.	*	1		1250	155	2568.	*	1		1855	228	335.	*
1		0045	10	0.	*	1		0650	83	0.	*	1		1255	156	2356.	*	1		1900	229	325.	*
1		0050	11	0.	*	1		0655	84	0.	*	1		1300	157	2086.	*	1		1905	230	318.	*
1		0055	12	0.	*	1		0700	85	0.	*	1		1305	158	1814.	*	1		1910	231	312.	*
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1		0105	14	0.	*	1		0710	87	0.	*	1		1315	160	1389.	*	1		1920	233	303.	*
1		0110	15	0.	*	1		0715	88	0.	*	1		1320	161	1236.	*	1		1925	234	300.	*
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1		0125	18	0.	*	1		0730	91	0.	*	1		1335	164	964.	*	1		1940	237	291.	*
1		0130	19	0.	*	1		0735	92	0.	*	1		1340	165	919.	*	1		1945	238	289.	*
1		0135	20	0.	*	1		0740	93	0.	*	1		1345	166	886.	*	1		1950	239	287.	*
1		0140	21	0.	*	1		0745	94	0.	*	1		1350	167	860.	*	1		1955	240	285.	*
1		0145	22	0.	*	1		0750	95	0.	*	1		1355	168	838.	*	1		2000	241	283.	*
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1		0155	24	0.	*	1		0800	97	0.	*	1		1405	170	800.	*	1		2010	243	279.	*
1		0200	25	0.	*	1		0805	98	0.	*	1		1410	171	784.	*	1		2015	244	277.	*
1		0205	26	0.	*	1		0810	99	0.	*	1		1415	172	770.	*	1		2020	245	275.	*
1		0210	27	0.	*	1		0815	100	0.	*	1		1420	173	756.	*	1		2025	246	274.	*
1		0215	28	0.	*	1		0820	101	0.	*	1		1425	174	742.	*	1		2030	247	272.	*
1		0220	29	0.	*	1		0825	102	0.	*	1		1430	175	730.	*	1		2035	248	270.	*
1		0225	30	0.	*	1		0830	103	0.	*	1		1435	176	717.	*	1		2040	249	269.	*
1		0230	31	0.	*	1		0835	104	1.	*	1		1440	177	705.	*	1		2045	250	267.	*
1		0235	32	0.	*	1		0840	105	2.	*	1		1445	178	693.	*	1		2050	251	266.	*
1		0240	33	0.	*	1		0845	106	3.	*	1		1450	179	682.	*	1		2055	252	264.	*
1		0245	34	0.	*	1		0850	107	5.	*	1		1455	180	672.	*	1		2100	253	262.	*
1		0250	35	0.	*	1		0855	108	6.	*	1		1500	181	661.	*	1		2105	254	261.	*
1		0255	36	0.	*	1		0900	109	8.	*	1		1505	182	652.	*	1		2110	255	260.	*
1		0300	37	0.	*	1		0905	110	11.	*	1		1510	183	643.	*	1		2115	256	258.	*
1		0305	38	0.	*	1		0910	111	13.	*	1		1515	184	634.	*	1		2120	257	257.	*
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1		0315	40	0.	*	1		0920	113	18.	*	1		1525	186	618.	*	1		2130	259	254.	*
1		0320	41	0.	*	1		0925	114	21.	*	1		1530	187	610.	*	1		2135	260	253.	*
1		0325	42	0.	*	1		0930	115	24.	*	1		1535	188	599.	*	1		2140	261	251.	*
1		0330	43	0.	*	1		0935	116	27.	*	1		1540	189	588.	*	1		2145	262	250.	*
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1		0345	46	0.	*	1		0950	119	39.	*	1		1555	192	554.	*	1		2200	265	246.	*
1		0350	47	0.	*	1		0955	120	44.	*	1		1600	193	545.	*	1		2205	266	245.	*
1		0355	48	0.	*	1		1000	121	48.	*	1		1605	194	537.	*	1		2210	267	244.	*

1	0400	49	0.	*	1	1000	122	32.	*	1	1610	183	350.	*	1	2210	200	242.
1	0405	50	0.	*	1	1010	123	57.	*	1	1615	186	523.	*	1	2220	209	241.
1	0410	51	0.	*	1	1015	124	62.	*	1	1620	197	517.	*	1	2225	270	240.
1	0415	52	0.	*	1	1020	125	67.	*	1	1625	198	511.	*	1	2230	271	239.
1	0420	53	0.	*	1	1025	126	72.	*	1	1630	199	506.	*	1	2235	272	238.
1	0425	54	0.	*	1	1030	127	78.	*	1	1635	200	501.	*	1	2240	273	237.
1	0430	55	0.	*	1	1035	128	84.	*	1	1640	201	496.	*	1	2245	274	236.
1	0435	56	0.	*	1	1040	129	90.	*	1	1645	202	492.	*	1	2250	275	234.
1	0440	57	0.	*	1	1045	130	97.	*	1	1650	203	487.	*	1	2255	276	233.
1	0445	58	0.	*	1	1050	131	104.	*	1	1655	204	483.	*	1	2300	277	232.
1	0450	59	0.	*	1	1055	132	111.	*	1	1700	205	479.	*	1	2305	278	231.
1	0455	60	0.	*	1	1100	133	119.	*	1	1705	206	475.	*	1	2310	279	230.
1	0500	61	0.	*	1	1105	134	127.	*	1	1710	207	471.	*	1	2315	280	229.
1	0505	62	0.	*	1	1110	135	136.	*	1	1715	208	467.	*	1	2320	281	228.
1	0510	63	0.	*	1	1115	136	146.	*	1	1720	209	463.	*	1	2325	282	227.
1	0515	64	0.	*	1	1120	137	157.	*	1	1725	210	460.	*	1	2330	283	226.
1	0520	65	0.	*	1	1125	138	169.	*	1	1730	211	456.	*	1	2335	284	225.
1	0525	66	0.	*	1	1130	139	182.	*	1	1735	212	453.	*	1	2340	285	224.
1	0530	67	0.	*	1	1135	140	194.	*	1	1740	213	450.	*	1	2345	286	223.
1	0535	68	0.	*	1	1140	141	206.	*	1	1745	214	446.	*	1	2350	287	222.
1	0540	69	0.	*	1	1145	142	221.	*	1	1750	215	443.	*	1	2355	288	221.
1	0545	70	0.	*	1	1150	143	239.	*	1	1755	216	440.	*	2	0000	289	220.
1	0550	71	0.	*	1	1155	144	265.	*	1	1800	217	437.	*				
1	0555	72	0.	*	1	1200	145	304.	*	1	1805	218	434.	*				
1	0600	73	0.	*	1	1205	146	366.	*	1	1810	219	431.	*				

PEAK FLOW (CFS)	TIME (HR)	MAXIMUM AVERAGE FLOW			
		6-HR	24-HR	72-HR	24.00-HR
2644.	12.75	340.	292.	292.	292.
		(INCHES) .920	1.280	1.280	1.280
		(AC-FT) 417.	579.	579.	579.

CUMULATIVE AREA = 8.49 SQ MI

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 * *
 63 KK * APEX1 * COMBINE FLOWS AT APEX
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65 KO OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES

IPRNT	5	PRINT CONTROL
IPLCT	1	PLOT CONTROL
QSCAL	0.	HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE
IPNCH	0	PUNCH COMPUTED HYDROGRAPH
IOUT	22	SAVE HYDROGRAPH ON THIS UNIT
ISAV1	1	FIRST ORDINATE PUNCHED OR SAVED
ISAV2	289	LAST ORDINATE PUNCHED OR SAVED
TIMINT	.083	TIME INTERVAL IN HOURS

RUNOFF SUMMARY
 FLOW IN CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
 TIME IN HOURS, AREA IN SQUARE MILES

PEAK FLOW	TIME OF PEAK	AVERAGE FLOW FOR MAXIMUM PERIOD	BASIN AREA	MAXIMUM STAGE	TIME OF MAX STAGE
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DESCRIPTION	SIGNATURE	FOOT	FEET	6-HOUR	24-HOUR	72-HOUR	AREA	CLASS	UND CLASS
HYDROGRAPH AT	T1	1471.	12.42	415.	148.	148.	2.50		
ROUTED TO	RT1-B	1451.	12.50	415.	147.	147.	2.50		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T2	507.	12.42	152.	52.	52.	1.82		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T3	229.	12.42	66.	23.	23.	.82		
3 COMBINED AT	CP-B	2121.	12.50	631.	223.	223.	5.14		
ROUTED TO	RCP-C	2091.	12.58	631.	222.	222.	5.14		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T4	290.	12.75	113.	41.	41.	2.16		
2 COMBINED AT	CP-C	2365.	12.67	750.	263.	263.	7.30		
ROUTED TO	RCP-D	2359.	12.75	750.	262.	262.	7.30		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T5	309.	12.58	92.	30.	30.	1.19		
2 COMBINED AT	CP-D	2644.	12.75	840.	292.	292.	8.49		
ROUTED TO	RAPEX	2589.	12.92	840.	290.	290.	8.49		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T6A	263.	12.25	44.	14.	14.	.65		
2 COMBINED AT	APEX1	2638.	12.92	879.	304.	304.	9.14		
ROUTED TO	RT-395	2267.	13.42	875.	300.	300.	9.14		
HYDROGRAPH AT	T6B	541.	12.83	165.	53.	53.	2.50		
2 COMBINED AT	T6A&B	2554.	13.33	1033.	353.	353.	11.64		

*** NORMAL END OF HEC-1 ***

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THIS PROGRAM REPLACES ALL PREVIOUS VERSIONS OF HEC-1 KNOWN AS HEC1 (JAN 73), HEC1GS, HEC1DB, AND HEC1KN.

THE DEFINITIONS OF VARIABLES -RTIMP- AND -RTIOR- HAVE CHANGED FROM THOSE USED WITH THE 1973-STYLE INPUT STRUCTURE.
 THE DEFINITION OF -AMSK- ON RM-CARD WAS CHANGED WITH REVISIONS DATED 28 SEP 81. THIS IS THE FORTRAN77 VERSION
 NEW OPTIONS: DAMBREAK OUTFLOW SUBMERGENCE, SINGLE EVENT DAMAGE CALCULATION, DSS-WRITE STAGE FREQUENCY,
 DSS-READ TIME SERIES AT DESIRED CALCULATION INTERVAL LOSS RATE:GREEN AND AMPT INFILTRATION
 KINEMATIC WAVE: NEW FINITE DIFFERENCE ALGORITHM

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7 ID NIMBUS JOB NO. 8901 WASHOE CO & CITY OF RENO CONTRACT NO. EMW-89-2841
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24	KX	D1	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D1									
25	BA		.78									
26	PH	1	13.44	.27	.53	1.27	1.55	1.82	2.45	3.23	4.00	
27	LS	0	65	0								
28	UD		.29									

29	KK	RT PTA	ROUTE FLOW FROM DRAINAGE AREA D1 TO OUTLET OF DRAINAGE AREA D2									
30	RM	3	.26	.40								

31	KK	D2	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D2									
32	BA		1.66									
33	PH	1	13.44	.36	.70	1.23	1.46	1.68	2.19	2.83	3.70	
34	LS	0	77	0								
35	UD		.43									

36	KK	PTA	COMBINE RUNOFF FROM D1 & D2 AT OUTLET OF D2									
37	HC	2										

38	KK	RT PTB	ROUTE COMBINED FLOW FROM DRAINAGE AREAS D1 AND D2 TO OUTLET OF D3									
39	RM	1	.10	.40								

40	KK	D3	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D3									
41	BA		1.10									
42	PH	1	13.44	.35	.70	1.20	1.37	1.56	2.00	2.65	3.20	
43	LS	0	79	0								
44	UD		.38									

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45	KK	D	PTB	COMBINE FLOWS FROM DRAINAGE AREAS D1, D2 & D3 AT STEAMBOAT DITCH									
46	HC		2										

47	KK	RT	PTC	ROUTE FLOWS FROM STEAMBOAT DITCH TO POINT C									
48	RM		1	.11	.40								

49	KK	D4	DRAINAGE AREA D4									
50	BA		.19									
51	PH	1	13.44	.35	.70	1.20	1.36	1.50	1.8	2.35	2.9	
52	LS	0	76	0								
53	UD		.25									

54	KK	PTC	COMBINE D4 AND ROUTED FLOWS FROM D3									
55	HC		2									

56	KK	D5	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D5									
57	BA		1.7									
58	PH	1	13.44	.35	.70	1.22	1.47	1.70	2.25	2.90	3.70	
59	LS	0	75	0								
60	UD		.31									

61	KK	RTPT	C	ROUTE COMBINED FLOWS FROM D5 TO OUTLET OF D6 (STEAMBOAT DITCH)									
62	RM		3	.25	.40								

63	KK	D6	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D6									
64	BA		1.60									
65	PH	1	13.44	.34	.67	1.17	1.37	1.56	2.00	2.55	3.10	
66	LS	0	80	0								
67	UD		.57									

68	KK	PT	C	COMBINE ROUTED D5 AND D6									
69	HC		2										

70	KK	PTC	COMBINE ALL FLOWS ABOVE THIS CONCENTRATION POINT									
71	HC		2									

119 HC 3

120 KK RT PTG ROUTE FLOW TO POINT G

121 RM 1 .03 .4

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122 KK D13 DRAINAGE AREA 13

123 BA .3

124 PH 1 13.44 .32 .7 1.10 1.30 1.43 1.8 2.30 2.8

125 LS 80

126 UD .73

127 KK PTG COMBINE HYDROGRAPHS AT FREEWAY

128 HC 2

129 KK RT PTH ROUTE FLOW TO INTERSECTION WITH PIPE

130 RM 1 .03 .4

131 KK D14 RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D14 (DRAINS THROUGH 66" PIPE UNDER I-580

132 KM PIPE LOCATED NORTH OF DRY CREEK CROSSING @ FREEWAY

133 BA 1.20

134 PH 1 13.44 .32 .7 1.10 1.30 1.43 1.8 2.30 2.8

135 LS 80

136 UD .740

137 KK RES2 ROUTE FLOWS THROUGH 60 INCH CULVERT UNDER FREEWAY

138 RS 1 STOR -1

139 SV 0 1.4 4.4 23 55 170 389

140 SX 4462.5 4466 4468 4470 4472 4476 4480

141 SQ 0 50 80 100 200 300 380

142 KK PTH COMBINE FLOWS AT POINT H, JUST BELOW THE FREEWAY

143 HC 2

144 ZZ

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SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF STREAM NETWORK

INPUT
LINE

(V) ROUTING (--->) DIVERSION OR PUMP FLOW

NO. (.) CONNECTOR (<---) RETURN OF DIVERTED OR PUMPED FLOW

24 D1

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29 RT PTA

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31 . D2

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36 PTA.....

V

V

38 RT PTB

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40 . D3

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45 D PTB.....

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47 RT PTC

49	.	D4	.
54	PTC.....	.	.
56	.	D5	.
	.	V	.
	.	V	.
61	RTPT C	.	.
63	.	.	D6
68	PT C.....	.	.
70	PTC.....	.	.
	V	.	.
	V	.	.
72	RT PTD	.	.
74	.	D7	.
79	PTD.....	.	.
	V	.	.
	V	.	.
81	RT PTE	.	.
83	.	D8	.
88	.	.	D9
	.	.	V
	.	.	V
93	.	RTB	.
95	.	.	D10
100	.	PTB.....	.
102	PTB.....	.	.
	V	.	.
	V	.	.
104	RT PTF	.	.
106	.	D11	.
	.	V	.
	.	V	.
111	RT PTF	.	.
113	.	.	D12
118	PTF.....	.	.

120 RT PTG
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 122 . D13
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 127 PTG.....
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 129 RT PTH
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 131 . D14
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 137 . RES2
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 142 PTH.....

(***) RUNOFF ALSO COMPUTED AT THIS LOCATION

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23 IO OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES
 IPRT 5 PRINT CONTROL
 IPLOT 0 PLOT CONTROL
 QSCAL 0. HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE

 IT HYDROGRAPH TIME DATA
 NMIN 5 MINUTES IN COMPUTATION INTERVAL

IDATE 1 0 STARTING DATE
 ITIME 0000 STARTING TIME
 NQ 300 NUMBER OF HYDROGRAPH ORDINATES
 NDATE 2 0 ENDING DATE
 NDTIME 0055 ENDING TIME
 ICENT 13 CENTURY MARK

COMPUTATION INTERVAL .08 HOURS
 TOTAL TIME BASE 24.92 HOURS

ENGLISH UNITS
 DRAINAGE AREA SQUARE MILES
 PRECIPITATION DEPTH INCHES
 LENGTH, ELEVATION FEET
 FLOW CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
 STORAGE VOLUME ACRE-Feet
 SURFACE AREA ACRES
 TEMPERATURE DEGREES FAHRENHEIT

RUNOFF SUMMARY
 FLOW IN CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
 TIME IN HOURS, AREA IN SQUARE MILES

OPERATION	STATION	PEAK FLOW	TIME OF PEAK	AVERAGE FLOW FOR MAXIMUM PERIOD			BASIN AREA	MAXIMUM STAGE	TIME OF MAX STAGE
				6-HOUR	24-HOUR	72-HOUR			
+									
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	D1	205.	12.42	61.	21.	20.	.78		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RT PTA	200.	12.67	61.	21.	20.	.78		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	D2	740.	12.50	191.	68.	66.	1.66		
	2 COMBINED AT								
+	PTA	911.	12.58	251.	89.	86.	2.44		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RT PTB	906.	12.67	251.	89.	86.	2.44		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	D3	496.	12.42	116.	38.	37.	1.10		
	2 COMBINED AT								
+	D PTB	1348.	12.58	367.	128.	123.	3.54		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RT PTC	1329.	12.67	367.	127.	123.	3.54		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	D4	80.	12.33	14.	5.	5.	.19		
	2 COMBINED AT								
+	PTC	1369.	12.67	381.	132.	127.	3.73		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	D5	800.	12.42	183.	64.	62.	1.70		
	ROUTED TO								
+	RTPT C	777.	12.67	183.	64.	62.	1.70		
	HYDROGRAPH AT								
+	D6	575.	12.67	167.	55.	53.	1.60		

+	2 COMBINED AT	PT C	1351.	12.67	351.	119.	115.	3.30
+	2 COMBINED AT	FTC	2721.	12.67	732.	251.	242.	7.03
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTD	2667.	12.75	731.	251.	242.	7.03
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	D7	333.	13.00	125.	41.	40.	1.20
+	2 COMBINED AT	PTD	2973.	12.75	856.	292.	282.	8.23
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTE	2910.	12.92	856.	292.	281.	8.23
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	D8	30.	12.42	6.	2.	2.	.07
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	D9	526.	12.53	139.	45.	44.	1.53
+	ROUTED TO	RTE	483.	12.83	138.	45.	44.	1.53
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	D10	199.	12.50	50.	16.	16.	.63
+	2 COMBINED AT	PTK	626.	12.83	188.	62.	59.	2.16
+	3 COMBINED AT	PTK	3548.	12.83	1050.	356.	343.	10.46
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTF	3495.	13.00	1049.	355.	342.	10.46
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	D11	387.	13.00	139.	45.	44.	1.40
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTF	386.	13.08	139.	45.	44.	1.40
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	D12	41.	12.33	7.	2.	2.	.08
+	3 COMBINED AT	PTF	3887.	13.00	1194.	403.	388.	11.94
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTG	3869.	13.08	1194.	402.	387.	11.94
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	D13	76.	12.92	26.	9.	8.	.30
+	2 COMBINED AT	PTG	3941.	13.08	1220.	411.	396.	12.24
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTH	3923.	13.17	1220.	410.	395.	12.24
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	D14	315.	12.83	105.	34.	33.	1.20

ROUTED TO	RES2	97.	14.17	91.	34.	33.	1.20	4469.68	14.17
2 COMBINED AT	PTH	4014.	13.17	1310.	444.	428.	13.44		

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Dry and Evans Creek

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THIS PROGRAM REPLACES ALL PREVIOUS VERSIONS OF HEC-1 KNOWN AS HEC1 (JAN 73), HEC1GS, HEC1DB, AND HEC1KH.

THE DEFINITIONS OF VARIABLES -RTIMP- AND -RTIOR- HAVE CHANGED FROM THOSE USED WITH THE 1973-STYLE INPUT STRUCTURE.
 THE DEFINITION OF -AMSK- ON RM-CARD WAS CHANGED WITH REVISIONS DATED 28 SEP 81. THIS IS THE FORTRAN77 VERSION
 NEW OPTIONS: DAMEBREAK OUTFLOW SUBMERGENCE, SINGLE EVENT DAMAGE CALCULATION, DSS-WRITE STAGE FREQUENCY,
 DSS-READ TIME SERIES AT DESIRED CALCULATION INTERVAL LOSS RATE:GREEN AND AMPT INFILTRATION
 KINEMATIC WAVE: NEW FINITE DIFFERENCE ALGORITHM

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*DIAGRAM
1 ID *****
2 ID
3 ID FEMA FLOOD INSURANCE STUDY - DRY AND EVANS CREEKS, WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA
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20 ID 1989 MODEL REVISED TO REFLECT KEY CONCENTRATION POINTS
21 ID (APRIL AND JULY 1990)
22 ID *****
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25	KK	EV 1	EVANS CREEK WATERSHED NO.1									
26	EA		8.60									
27	PH	1	24	.4	.7	1.3	1.6	1.9	2.6	3.4	4.2	
28	LS		72									
29	UD		1.04									
30	KK	EVOUT										
31	DT	OUT										
32	DI	0	1521	1988	2200							
33	DQ	0	00	467	475							
34	KK	PTB1	ROUTE FLOWS FROM LAKESIDE ROAD TO I-395									
35	RM	5	.43	.20								
36	KK	EV 2	EVANS CREEK WATERSHED NO.2									
37	EA		1.10									
38	PH	1	24	.32	.7	1.10	1.30	1.43	1.8	2.30	2.8	
39	LS		78									
40	UD		.74									
41	KK	PTB2	COMBINE WATERSHEDS AT FREEWAY									
42	HC		2									
43	KK	RESK2	STORAGE AT I-395									
44	KM	FLOWS THAT DO NOT GO UNDER THE FREEWAY WILL ASSUME GO UNDER FREEWAY										
45	KM	AT DEL MONTE										
46	RS	1	STOR	-1								
47	SV	0	.01	.02	3	11	16	21.	27			
48	SE	4467	4468	4474	4476	4478	4479	4480.	4481.			

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LINK	ID	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
49	SQ	0	80	700	900	950	975	1000	2000.		
50	KK	RTPT1	ROUTE FLOWS IN CULVERT THRU CONCRETE CHANNEL TO DRY CREEK CONFLUENCE								
51	RM	1	.1	.4							
52	KK	D14	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D14 (DRAINS THROUGH 66" PIPE UNDER I-580								
53	KM	PIPE LOCATED NORTH OF DRY CREEK CROSSING @ FREEWAY									
54	BA		1.20								
55	PH	1	24	.32	.7	1.10	1.30	1.43	1.8	2.30	2.8
56	LS		80								
57	UD		.740								
58	KO					30					
59	KK	RES2	ROUTE FLOWS THROUGH 60 INCH CULVERT UNDER FREEWAY								
60	RS	1	STOR	-1							
61	SV	0	1.4	4.4	23	55	170	389			
62	SE	4462.5	4466	4468	4470	4472	4476	4480			
63	SQ	0	50	80	100	200	300	380			
64	KO					31					
65	KK	D1	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D1								
66	BA		.78								
67	PH	1	24	.27	.53	1.27	1.55	1.82	2.45	3.23	4.00
68	LS	0	65	0							
69	UD		.29								
70	KK	RT PTA	ROUTE FLOW FROM DRAINAGE AREA D1 TO OUTLET OF DRAINAGE AREA D2								
71	RM	3	.26	.40							
72	KK	D2	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D2								
73	BA		1.66								
74	PH	1	24	.36	.70	1.23	1.46	1.68	2.19	2.83	3.70

122	KK	RT	PTE	ROUTE FLOW TO PANORMA DRIVE (POINT E)								
123	RM		1	.1	.3							
124	KK		D8	DRAINAGE AREA D8								
125	BA		.07									
126	PH		1	24	.32	.70	1.10	1.30	1.43	1.80	2.30	2.8
127	LS			80								
128	UD		.33									

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129	KK		D9	DRAINAGE AREA 9								
130	BA		1.53									
131	PH		1	24	.34	.67	1.17	1.37	1.56	2.0	2.55	3.1
132	LS			77								
133	UD		.45									
134	KK		RTE	ROUTE FLOWS TO PANORAMA DRIVE (POINT E)								
135	RM		3	.32	.2							
136	KK		D10	DRAINAGE AREA 10								
137	BA		.63									
138	PH		1	24	.32	.70	1.10	1.30	1.43	1.80	2.30	2.8
139	LS			78								
140	UD		.45									
141	KK		PTE	COMBINE D9 AND D10								
142	HC		2									
143	KK		PTE	COMBINE HYDROGRAPHS JUST BELOW PANORAMA DRIVE								
144	HC		3									
145	KK	RT	PTF	ROUTE FLOW TO F								
146	RM		1	.1	.3							
147	KK		D11	RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D11								
148	BA		1.40									
149	PH		1	24	.35	.70	1.22	1.38	1.54	1.90	2.50	3.00
150	LS		0	80	0							
151	UD		.85									
152	KK	RT	PTF	ROUTE FLOW TO POINT F								
153	RM		1	.1	.4							
154	KK		D12	DRAINAGE AREA D12								
155	BA		.08									
156	PH		1	24	.32	.7	1.10	1.30	1.43	1.8	2.30	2.8
157	LS			80								
158	UD		.23									
159	KK		PTF	COMBINE HYDROGRAPHS AT POINT F								
160	HC		3									
161	KK	RT	PTG	ROUTE FLOW TO POINT G								
162	RM		1	.08	.4							
163	KK		D13	DRAINAGE AREA 13								
164	BA		.3									
165	PH		1	24	.32	.7	1.10	1.30	1.43	1.8	2.30	2.8
166	LS			80								
167	UD		.73									

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LINE ID.....1.....2.....3.....4.....5.....6.....7.....8.....9.....10

168	KK	PTG	COMBINE HYDROGRAPHS AT FREEWAY								
169	HC	2									
170	KK	RT PTH	ROUTE FLOW TO INTERSECTION WITH PIPE								
171	RM	1	.08	.4							
172	KK	PTH	COMBINE FLOWS AT POINT H, JUST BELOW FREEWAY								
173	HC	2									
174	KO		32.								
175	KK	RTPTI	ROUTE FLOWS TO CONFLUENCE WITH EVANS CREEK								
176	RM	1	.15	.2							
177	KK	EV3	EVANS CREEK WATERSHED NO. 3								
178	BA	.52									
179	PH	1	24.	.32	.7	1.1	1.3	1.43	1.8	2.3	2.8
180	LS		76.	8.							
181	UD	.7									
182	KK	PTI	CONFLUENCE OF EVANS CREEK AND DRY CREEK								
183	HC	3									
184	ZZ										

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SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM OF STREAM NETWORK

INPUT LINE (V) ROUTING (--->) DIVERSION OR PUMP FLOW

NO. (.) CONNECTOR (<---) RETURN OF DIVERTED OR PUMPED FLOW

25 EV 1

31 .-----> OUT

30 EVOUT

V

V

34 PTE1

35 . EV 2

41 PTE2.....

V

V

43 RES2

V

V

50 RTPTI

52 . D14

V

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59 . RES2

65 . D1

V

V

70 . RT PTA

72	.	.	.	D2	
	
77	.	.	PTA.....		
	.	.	V		
	.	.	V		
79	.	.	RT PTB		
	.	.	.		
81	.	.	.	D3	
	
86	.	.	D PTB.....		
	.	.	V		
	.	.	V		
88	.	.	RT PTC		
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90	.	.	.	D4	
	
95	.	.	PTC.....		
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97	.	.	.	D5	
	.	.	.	V	
	.	.	.	V	
102	.	.	RTPT C		
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104	.	.	.	D6	
	
109	.	.	PT C.....		
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111	.	.	PTC.....		
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113	.	.	RT PTD		
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115	.	.	.	D7	
	
120	.	.	PTD.....		
	.	.	V		
	.	.	V		
122	.	.	RT PTE		
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124	.	.	.	D8	
	
129	.	.	.	D9	
	.	.	.	V	
	.	.	.	V	
134	.	.	RT E		
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136	.	.	.	D10	
	
141	.	.	PTE.....		
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143 PTE
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145 RT PTF
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147 D11
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152 RT PTF
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161 RT PTF
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168 PTF
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170 RT PTH
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182 PTI

(**) RINFLOW ALSO COMPUTED AT THIS LOCATION

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FEMA FLOOD INSURANCE STUDY - DRY AND EVANS CREEKS, WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA
JULY 1990

BY: NIMBUS ENGINEERS, RENO, NEVADA FILE NAME: DREV.901
NIMBUS JOB NO. 8901 WASHOE CO & CITY OF RENO CONTRACT NO. ENW-89-2841

RAINFALL DATA FROM NOAA ATLAS 2, VOLUME VII
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WAS ESTIMATED FOR 100-YEAR STORM OCCURRING OVER THE EVANS AND DRY CREEKS
WATERSHEDS AT THE SAME TIME (24 SQ. MILES)

LAG TIME COMPUTED WITH UPLAND METHOD AND THE PROCEDURES DESCRIBED IN TR-55
CURVE NUMBER FROM TR-55 AND NEN-4
ROUTING PERFORMED WITH MUSKINGUM METHOD AND MODIFIED PULS

----- 100 YEAR, 24 HOUR EVENT -----

1989 MODEL REVISED TO REFLECT KEY CONCENTRATION POINTS
(APRIL AND JULY 1990)

24 IO OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES
IPRNT 5 PRINT CONTROL
IPLOT 0 PLOT CONTROL
QSCAL 0. HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE

IT HYDROGRAPH TIME DATA
NMIN 5 MINUTES IN COMPUTATION INTERVAL
IDATE 1 0 STARTING DATE
ITIME 0000 STARTING TIME
NQ 300 NUMBER OF HYDROGRAPH ORDINATES
NDATE 2 0 ENDING DATE
NDTIME 0055 ENDING TIME
ICENT 19 CENTURY MARK

COMPUTATION INTERVAL .08 HOURS
TOTAL TIME BASE 24.92 HOURS

ENGLISH UNITS
DRAINAGE AREA SQUARE MILES
PRECIPITATION DEPTH INCHES
LENGTH, ELEVATION FEET
FLOW CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
STORAGE VOLUME ACRE-FeET
SURFACE AREA ACRES
TEMPERATURE DEGREES FAHRENHEIT

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52 KK * D14 * RUNOFF FROM DRAINAGE AREA D14 (DRAINS THROUGH 66" PIPE UNDER I-580)
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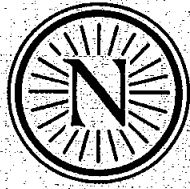
58 KO OUTPUT CONTROL VARIABLES
IPRNT 5 PRINT CONTROL
IPLOT 0 PLOT CONTROL
QSCAL 0. HYDROGRAPH PLOT SCALE
IPKCH 0 PUNCH COMPUTED HYDROGRAPH
IOUT 30 SAVE HYDROGRAPH ON THIS UNIT
ISAV1 1 FIRST ORDINATE PUNCHED OR SAVED
ISAV2 300 LAST ORDINATE PUNCHED OR SAVED
TIMINT .033 TIME INTERVAL IN HOURS

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+		RES2	1649.	13.58	1021.	357.	344.	9.70		
+									4480.65	13.58
		ROUTED TO								
+		RTPTI	1645.	13.75	1021.	356.	343.	9.70		
		HYDROGRAPH AT								
+		D14	298.	12.83	102.	34.	32.	1.20		
		ROUTED TO								
+		RES2	95.	14.17	90.	33.	32.	1.20		
+									4469.55	14.17
		HYDROGRAPH AT								
+		D1	189.	12.42	59.	20.	20.	.78		
		ROUTED TO								
+		RT PTA	185.	12.67	59.	20.	20.	.78		
		HYDROGRAPH AT								
+		D2	693.	12.50	185.	67.	65.	1.66		
		2 COMBINED AT								
+		PTA	852.	12.58	243.	87.	84.	2.44		
		ROUTED TO								
+		RT PTB	848.	12.67	243.	87.	84.	2.44		
		HYDROGRAPH AT								
+		D3	464.	12.50	113.	38.	36.	1.10		
		2 COMBINED AT								
+		D PTB	1263.	12.58	356.	125.	120.	3.54		
		ROUTED TO								
+		RT PTC	1245.	12.67	356.	125.	120.	3.54		
		HYDROGRAPH AT								
+		D4	74.	12.33	14.	5.	4.	.19		
		2 COMBINED AT								
+		PTC	1284.	12.67	370.	129.	125.	3.73		
		HYDROGRAPE AT								
+		D5	745.	12.42	178.	63.	60.	1.70		
		ROUTED TO								
+		RTPT C	724.	12.67	178.	63.	60.	1.70		
		HYDROGRAPH AT								
+		D6	541.	12.67	163.	54.	52.	1.60		
		2 COMBINED AT								
+		PT C	1265.	12.67	341.	117.	113.	3.30		
		2 COMBINED AT								
+		PTC	2549.	12.67	710.	246.	237.	7.03		
		ROUTED TO								
+		RT PTD	2500.	12.75	710.	246.	237.	7.03		
		HYDROGRAPH AT								
+		D7	316.	13.00	121.	40.	39.	1.20		
		2 COMBINED AT								
+		PTD	2790.	12.75	651.	266.	276.	8.23		

+	ROUTED TO	RT PTE	2736.	12.92	331.	236.	276.	8.23
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	08	23.	12.42	6.	2.	2.	.07
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	09	492.	12.58	134.	44.	43.	1.53
+	ROUTED TO	RTE	453.	12.92	134.	44.	43.	1.53
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	010	186.	12.58	48.	16.	15.	.63
+	2 COMBINED AT	PTE	589.	12.83	182.	60.	58.	2.16
+	3 COMBINED AT	PTE	3333.	12.83	1019.	348.	336.	10.46
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTF	3239.	13.00	1019.	348.	335.	10.46
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	011	367.	13.00	135.	44.	43.	1.40
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTF	366.	13.08	135.	44.	43.	1.40
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	012	38.	12.33	7.	2.	2.	.08
+	3 COMBINED AT	PTF	3660.	13.00	1160.	394.	380.	11.94
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTG	3644.	13.08	1160.	394.	379.	11.94
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	013	72.	12.92	25.	3.	6.	.30
+	2 COMBINED AT	PTG	3712.	13.08	1185.	402.	388.	12.24
+	ROUTED TO	RT PTH	3696.	13.17	1185.	402.	387.	12.24
+	2 COMBINED AT	PTH	3736.	13.17	1274.	435.	419.	13.44
+	ROUTED TO	RTPTI	3638.	13.25	1273.	434.	418.	13.44
+	HYDROGRAPH AT	013	118.	12.83	39.	14.	13.	.52
+	3 COMBINED AT	PTI	4831.	13.50	2330.	604.	774.	23.66

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August 22, 1990

Mr. Steve Varela
City of Reno, City Engineer
City Hall Annex
P.O. Box 1900
Reno, Nevada 89502

RE: Hydrologic Analyses for Thomas, Dry, and Evans Creek
(Nimbus Job #8901)

Dear Mr. Varela:

Presently, Nimbus Engineers is performing a flood insurance study for portions of Washoe County and the City of Reno under FEMA Contract #EMW-89-C-2841. Enclosed is a copy of a hydrology report prepared by Nimbus Engineers for this study. The results of this report will be used in the hydraulic analyses to delineate flood hazards within the watersheds that were studied. This report is submitted to you for review and comments at the request of Les Sakumoto of FEMA Region IX.

We respectfully request that this report be reviewed by your office and comments be provided by September 7, 1990. Should you have any questions during your review, please do not hesitate to call John Schmeltzer or me.

Sincerely,
Nimbus Engineers

Margaret (Peggy) Bowker, P.E.
Principal

Encl.

xc: Les Sakumoto, FEMA Region IX

City of Reno
Inter-Office Memo

Date: September 10, 1990
To: Steve Varela, City Engineer
From: Glen Daily, Associate Civil Engineer *GD*
Re: FEMA Hydrologic Analysis for Thomas Creek, Dry Creek, and
Evans Creek

Regarding the attached Hydrologic Analysis prepared by Nimbus Engineers, I offer the following comments:

1. The routing of the 100-year Thomas Creek flows below the fan apex and existing channel capacity will have to be carefully evaluated in regard to considerations for future detention facilities. The effectiveness of such detention would obviously be severely limited in the event flows split between more than one channel above the detention facility.
2. The confluence of Thomas Creek flows resulting from a 100-year storm event at the Interstate 580/So. Virginia St. Interchange will far exceed the capacity of the existing drainage improvements and detention facility which are designed for a 10-year event. This dictates the effectiveness of planned improvements within the Huffaker Subdivision area to that which is effectively piped or channelized from the detention outlet with added local flow accumulations. The excess flows during a 100-year storm event will sheet overland with a significant portion flowing down Virginia St.
3. As a general comment the usefulness of this flood study would be enhanced by providing more detailed information regarding the adequacy of existing drainage improvements through developed areas to the eventual terminus of the various watersheds.

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cc: Bob Gottsacker

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MEMORANDUM

To: File

From: Mark Forest

Subject: Washoe County Flood Control Master Plan
FEMA Flood Insurance Study for Thomas and Dry Creeks
K/J/C Job No.: 897043.01

Kennedy/Jenks/Chilton has received a copy of a report prepared by Nimbus Engineers titled "Hydrologic Analysis, Thomas Creek, Dry Creek and Evans Creek, Washoe County, Nevada" dated August 1990. This report was prepared by Nimbus as partial satisfaction of their contract with FEMA to prepare a Flood Insurance Re-Study (FIS) of Thomas Creek and Dry Creek within Washoe County and the City of Reno. This study has been in progress for the last two years. According to the cover letter that transmitted the report to the City of Reno, FEMA has requested Nimbus to send the hydrology report for the FIS to the communities for review.

Kennedy/Jenks/Chilton has reviewed the report as a technical document that is important to the Washoe County Flood Control Master Plan. Flood Insurance Studies result in a set of Flood Insurance Rate Maps that FEMA will require the communities to use for flood plain management and regulatory purposes.

The following items are the most critical concerns with the conclusions identified in the report.

- 1) On page 4 the report indicates that the Dry Creek channel and box culvert under Interstate 580, have sufficient capacity to convey the discharges estimated by Nimbus (4018 cfs). Based upon field surveys conducted by Kennedy/Jenks/Chilton and the plans for I-580, under optimal conditions (inlet control governing) the culvert would not be able to achieve the needed headwater depth at the inlet of the culvert without overtopping the north bank of the Dry Creek channel. In addition, the culvert and channel conditions downstream of the box culvert will likely cause significant backwater influences that will further reduce the capacity of the I-580 culvert.

Flow which overtops the north bank of the channel will interact with the overflow from Evans Creek. The interaction of Evans Creek and Dry Creek upstream of I-580 is a very dynamic process that will require careful analysis to properly identify the extent of the flooding hazard in this area.

- 2) In the discussion of the Evans Creek contribution to the Dry Creek peak flows, the report indicates (page 12 and Dry and Evans Creek HEC-1 model element RESE2) that Evans Creek flows are impounded by I-580 and the overflow will exit the pool through the Del Monte underpass. The model indicates that the maximum pool elevation resulting in this overflow is 4480.65. This elevation will result in a pool that interacts with Dry Creek and also spills through the Longley Lane underpass. This elevation is also well above the low point in I-580 at the north end of the sound wall just south of Del Monte Lane.

The computed pool elevation also exceeds the computed pool elevation at model element D14 and RES2 by over 10 feet. The flow from D14 also interacts with the overflow from Evans Creek. As mentioned in item 1, the Dry Creek interaction with this overflow from Evans Creek is neglected in the report discussion and hydrologic analysis.

- 3) The estimated discharges for Dry Creek computed by Nimbus differ considerably with the Corps of Engineers estimate. The difference between the two studies is not specifically addressed.
- 4) Previous studies have indicated that a portion of flows from extreme events on Thomas Creek proceed north and interact with Dry Creek. The Nimbus report neglects any Thomas Creek contribution to the peak flows in Dry Creek.
- 5) In the report discussion Thomas Creek (pg. 5) is referred to as an alluvial fan. The appendix also contains a 2 and 10 year hydrologic model for Thomas Creek that would be needed to prepare an alluvial fan model. Although the report does not directly state that the alluvial fan model will be applied to Thomas Creek, it is very strongly implied. As stated by Kennedy/Jenks/Chilton in the Thomas Creek detention basin study, Kennedy/Jenks/Chilton has taken the position ^{That} (the) Thomas Creek does not exhibit the characteristics of an active alluvial fan and therefore, the assumptions inherent to the FEMA alluvial fan model would not be valid for Thomas Creek. The result would be a floodplain delineation that would underpredict the flooding hazards in several critical areas and overpredict flooding hazards in other areas.

These items will be significant to the flood plain mapping effort that Nimbus is in the process of preparing. If these issues are not properly addressed before the completion of the study, it may be necessary for the community to prepare an appeal during the formal appeals period.

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cc: Shelly Gordon