

Smokerise/Penstock Wash Stream Capacity and Stabilization

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Project Background

Reduce flooding in
Smokerise
Neighborhood by
improving Penstock
Wash stormwater
capacity.

Client: Chase McLeod
City of Flagstaff Stormwater Engineer

Technical Advisor: Owen Allen
Remal Consulting

Location: East Trails End Drive
Flagstaff, AZ

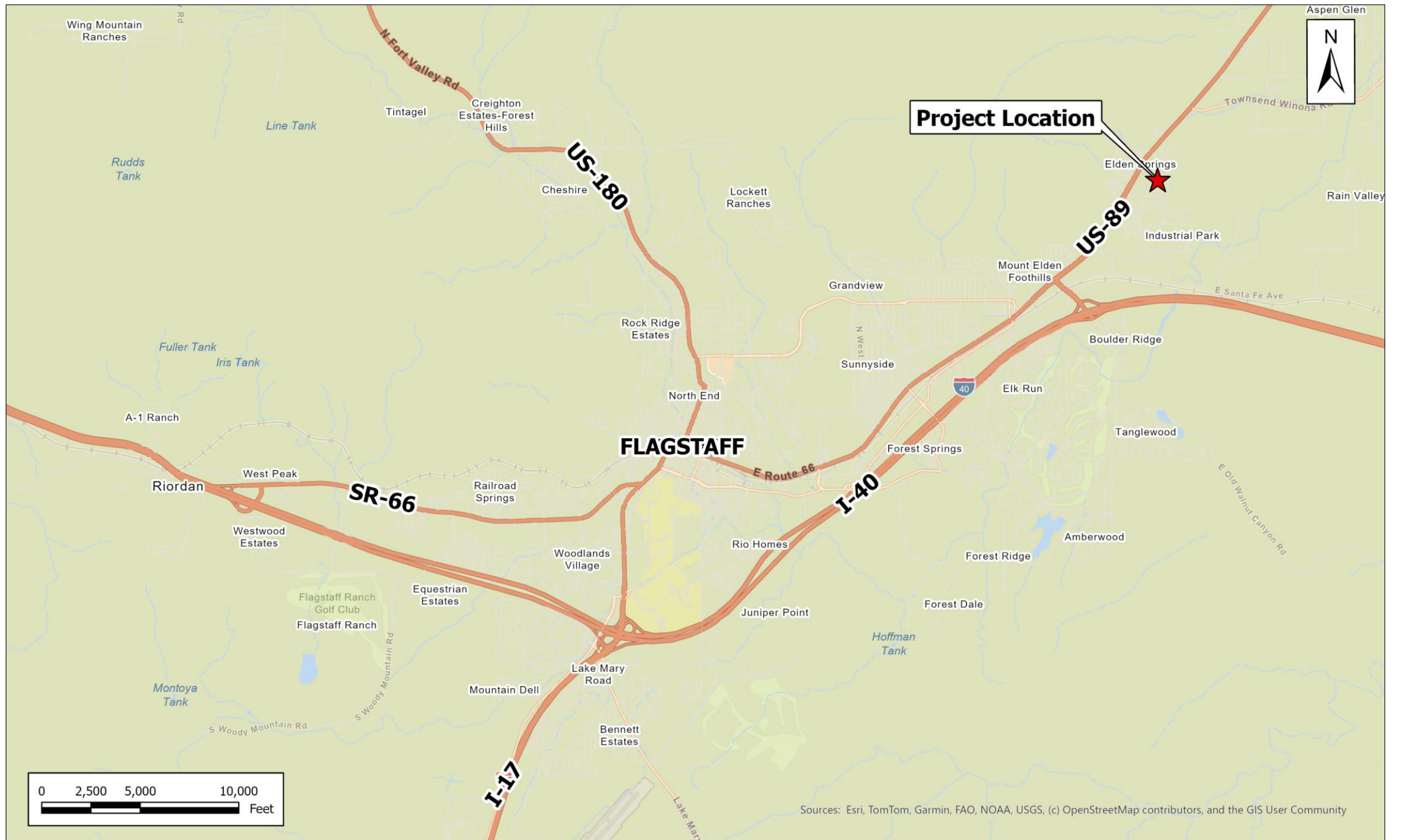


Figure 1: Project Vicinity Map



Figure 2: Project Location Map



Figure 3: Project Outfall

Project Scope – Tasks 1 & 2

Task 1: Due Diligence

- 1.1 Identify Existing Issues
- 1.2 Records Review
- 1.3 Research Existing Topo Data

Task 2: Site Investigation

- 2.1 Document Existing Conditions
- 2.2 Surveying
- 2.3 Data Analysis



Figure 4: Surveying Equipment

Project Scope – Tasks 3 & 4

Task 3: Hydrologic Analysis

- 3.1 Watershed Delineation
- 3.2 Time of Concentration
- 3.3 Design Storm Modeling

Task 4: Hydraulic Analysis – Existing

- 4.1 Culvert Analysis
- 4.2 Channel Analysis
- 4.3 Deficiency Identification

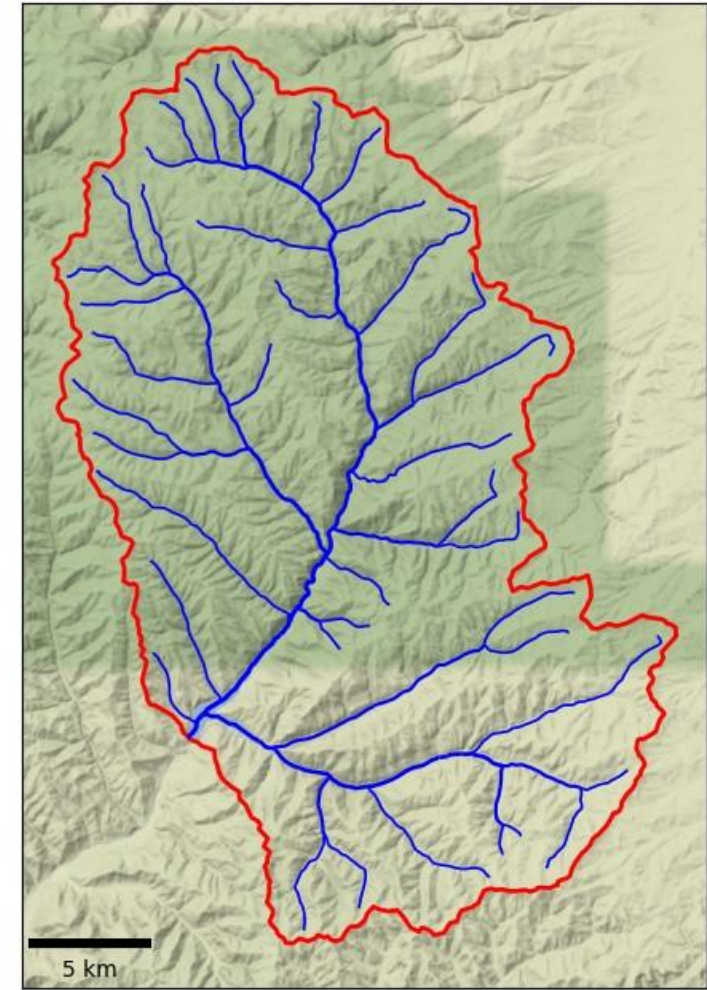


Figure 5: Example Delineated Watershed

Project Scope – Tasks 5 - 7

Task 5: Alternatives Developments & Screening

- 5.1 Identify Constraints and Criteria
- 5.2 Develop Alternatives
- 5.3 Select Best Alternative

Task 6: Final Design

- 6.1 Final Hydraulic Design
- 6.2 Plan Set Creation
 - Task 6.2.1 Cover Sheet/Existing Site Plan
 - Task 6.2.2 Proposed Site Plan
 - Task 6.2.3 Detailed Design Drawings
- 6.3 Construction Cost Estimate

Task 7: Impacts Analysis



Figure 6: Culverts at Site

Project Scope – Tasks 8 & 9

Task 8: Deliverables

- **8.1 – 30% Deliverables**
 - Tasks 1 & 2
- **8.2 – 60% Deliverables**
 - Tasks 4.1-4.3, 5.2, & 5.3
- **8.3 – 90% Deliverables**
 - Tasks 3-6 & 7
- **8.4 – Final Deliverables**
 - All Tasks

Task 9: Project Management

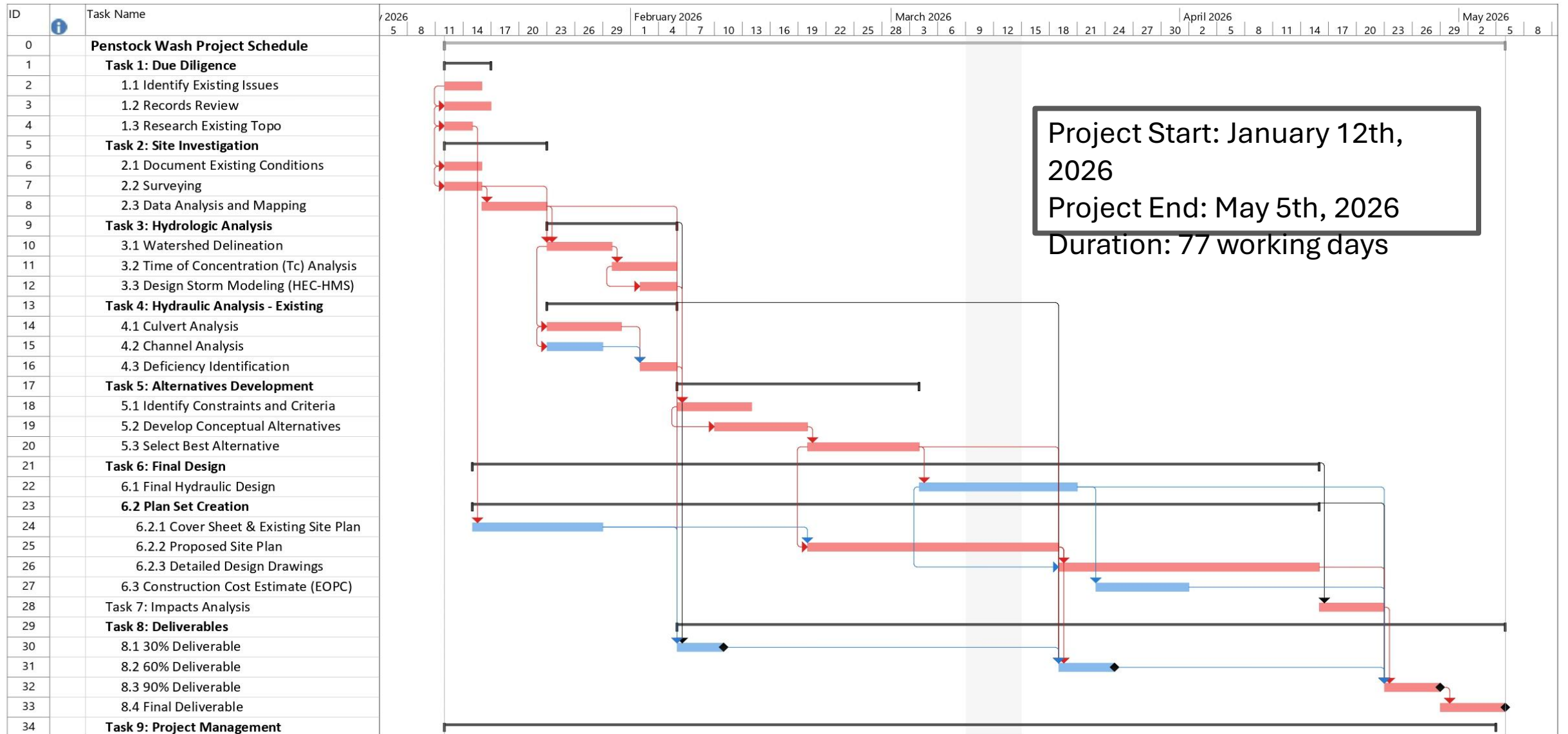
- **9.1 – Schedule Management**
- **9.2 – Resource & Budget Management**
- **9.3 – Meetings & Quality Assurance**



Figure 7: Site Image

Exclusions

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- Geotechnical Investigation
 - No drilling, subsurface sampling, laboratory soil testing
 - Land or Right-of-Way Acquisition
 - No property acquisition or easements.
 - Community Outreach
 - No public engagement and community meetings
 - Environmental Permitting
 - No preparation of NEPA documentation or Section 404 permit applications
 - Construction-Ready review
 - No PE-stamped, construction-ready documents will be produced, student-design level.
 - Construction Phase
 - No bidding, contractor coordination, and construction oversight
 - FEMA paperwork
 - No preparation or submission of FEMA compliance paperwork



Staffing Plan

Task	PE	PrE	EIT	INT	Task Total
Task 1: Due Diligence (Total hrs)	0	9	18	30	57
Task 2: Site Investigation (Total hrs)	0	12	24	13	49
Task 3: Hydrologic Analysis (Total hrs)	7	17	25	9	58
Task 4: Hydraulic Analysis - Existing (Total hrs)	7	21	35	12	75
Task 5: Alternatives Development (Total hrs)	6	6	6	6	6
Task 6: Final Design (Total hrs)	15	28	45	15	103
Task 7: Impacts Analysis (Total hrs)	0	7	4	4	15
Task 8: Deliverables (Total hrs)	8	32	40	20	100
Task 9: Project Management (Total hrs)	20	44	20	20	104
Total hours	63	185	231	132	611

Table 1: Staffing Plan

Qualifications

- Principal Engineer: Civil/Environmental PE, 5-10 years
- Project Engineer: Civil/Environmental PE, 2-5 years
- Engineer-in-Training: Passed Civil/Environmental FE, 0-2 years
- Intern: Pursuing Civil/Environmental BS Degree

Cost of Engineering Services

Personnel	Hours	Billing Rate (\$/hr)	Total
Principal Engineer (PE)	63	270	\$17,010
Project Engineer (PrE)	185	186	\$34,410
Engineer-in-Training (EIT)	231	138	\$31,878
Intern (INT)	132	42	\$5,544
Personnel Subtotal			\$88,842
Equipment	Days	\$/day	Total
Surveying	2	100	\$200
Computer Lab	10	100	\$1,000
Equipment Subtotal			\$1,200
Project Total			\$90,042

Table 2: Cost of Engineering Services by Category

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