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September 18, 1999

Ms. Vicki Huang, P.E.  
City Engineer's Office  
City Hall - 7th Floor  
455 North Main Street  
Wichita, Kansas 67201

Re: Drainage Calculations for Smithmoor Commercial Addition

Dear Mr. Huang:

It is my understanding that the Storm Water Utility Engineer has expressed concerns regarding pre and post-development flows from the referenced Addition towards north across Harry Street. I have prepared additional calculations which show minimal impact of this development on flows towards north across Harry Street.

Please review this and call me if you have additional comments.

Sinceely,  
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## SMITHMOOR COMMERCIAL ADDITION

### DRAINAGE CALCULATIONS

OBJECTIVE: COMPARE PRE AND POST-DEVELOPMENT FLOWS FROM THIS ADDITION, GOING NORTH ACROSS HARRY STREET.

#### PRE - DEVELOPMENT FLOWS:

(SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT 'A')

#### a) DRAINAGE BASIN 'DAI':

$$A = 12.4 \text{ Ac}$$

$$L = 850' \pm$$

$$F = 7.5' \pm$$

$$S = \frac{7.5}{850} = 0.9 \%$$

FROM EXHIBIT 'B'

$$V = 0.45' / \text{SEC}$$

$$T_c = \frac{850}{0.45 \times 60} = 31 \text{ MIN.}$$

FROM EXHIBIT 'C':

$$U_{100} = 5.32'' / \text{HR}$$

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SOIL HYDRO GROUP = D

FROM EXHIBIT 'D':

$$C_{100} = 0.61$$

$$Q_{100} = 12.4 \times 0.61 \times 5.32$$

$$= 40.2 \text{ cfs} \leftarrow$$

b) DRAINAGE BASIN 'DA2':

$$A = 9.1$$

$$L = 1200' \pm$$

$$F = 6' \pm$$

$$S = 0.5\%$$

$$V = 0.34 \quad (\text{FROM EXHIBIT 'B'})$$

$$T_c = \frac{1200}{0.34 \times 60} = 59 \text{ MIN}$$

$$L_{100} = 3.77 \text{ "/hr}$$

$$C_{100} = 0.61$$

$$Q_{100} = 9.1 \times 3.77 \times 0.61$$

$$= 20.9 \text{ cfs} \leftarrow$$

POST DEVELOPMENT FLOWS:

(SEE EXHIBIT 'E')

a) DRAINAGE BASIN 'DAI':

$$A = 8.5 \text{ AC}$$

(4 AC GO, 4.5 AC LC.)

$$C_{100} \text{ (COMPOSITE)} = 0.71$$

$$T_c = 15 \text{ MIN.}$$

$$Q_{100} = 8.5 \times 7.37 \times 0.71 \\ = 44 \text{ CFS} \leftarrow$$

b) DRAINAGE BASIN 'DAZA':

$$A = 2.5 \text{ AC}$$

$$C_{100} = 0.8$$

$$T_c = 15 \text{ MIN.}$$

$$Q_{100} = 0.8 \times 7.37 \times 2.5 \\ = 14.7 \text{ CFS} \leftarrow$$

## CONCLUSION:

FROM DRAINAGE BASIN 'DA1'

PRE-DEV. FLOWS = 40.2 CFS

POST-DEV. FLOWS = 44.0 CFS

INCREASE IS MINIMAL.

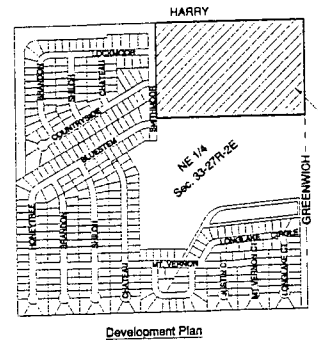
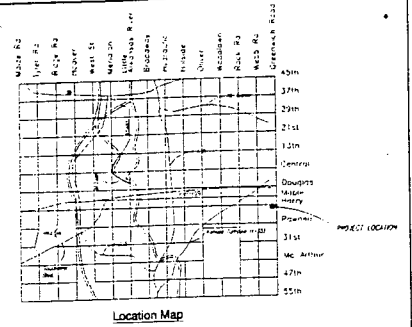
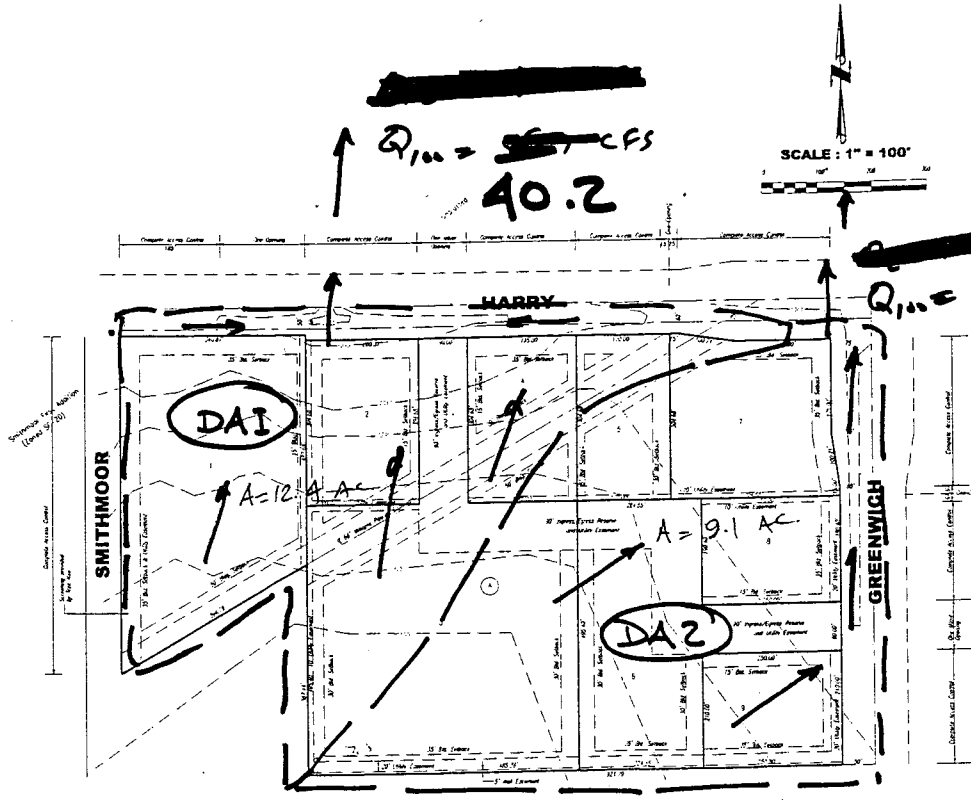
FROM DRAINAGE BASIN 'DA2' & 'DA2A'

PRE-DEV. FLOWS = 20.9 CFS

POST-DEV. FLOWS = 14.7 CFS.

FLOW IS REDUCED.

\* OVER ALL IMPACT ON FLOWS TOWARDS NORTH, ACROSS HARVEY STREET IS MINIMAL.



**Legal Description**

A tract of land located in the Northwest Quarter of Section 33, Township 27 South, Range 2 East of the 6th Principal Meridian, in Sedgewick County, Kansas, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 33, Township 27 South, Range 2 East of the 6th Principal Meridian in Sedgewick County, Kansas; Thence bearing S 89 degrees 41' 29" W along the North line of said Northwest Quarter, a distance of 1262.53 feet to a point which is the Northwest corner of Smithmoor First Addition in Sedgewick County, Kansas; Thence bearing S 00 degrees 00' 00" E, using the East line of said Smithmoor First Addition, a distance of 519.25 feet; Thence bearing W 52 degrees 42' 00" E, a distance of 324.78 feet; Thence bearing S 20 degrees 00' 00" E, a distance of 327.44 feet; Thence bearing W 53 degrees 41' 23" E, a distance of 327.78 feet to a point on the East line of said Northwest Quarter; Thence bearing N 00 degrees 00' 00" E, a distance of 551.78 feet to the 2000' of boundary except 1000' right of way for Harry and Greenwiche.

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**Total Area**  
 23.8 ± Acres (Net)

**Zoning**  
 UO-2 & UO

**Min. Lot Size**  
 42,000 S.F.

**Total Number of Lots**  
 9

**PRE-DEVELOPED CONDITION  
 DRAINAGE PLAN**

SMITHMOOR COMMERCIAL ADDITION  
 TO  
 WICHITA, SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS

**EXHIBIT 'A'**

**Benchmarks**  
 1. City Dike on Signal Slope of the Northeast corner of Harry and Greenwiche Absees.  
 Elev. = 1243.83

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then computed by dividing the total overland flow length by the average velocity.

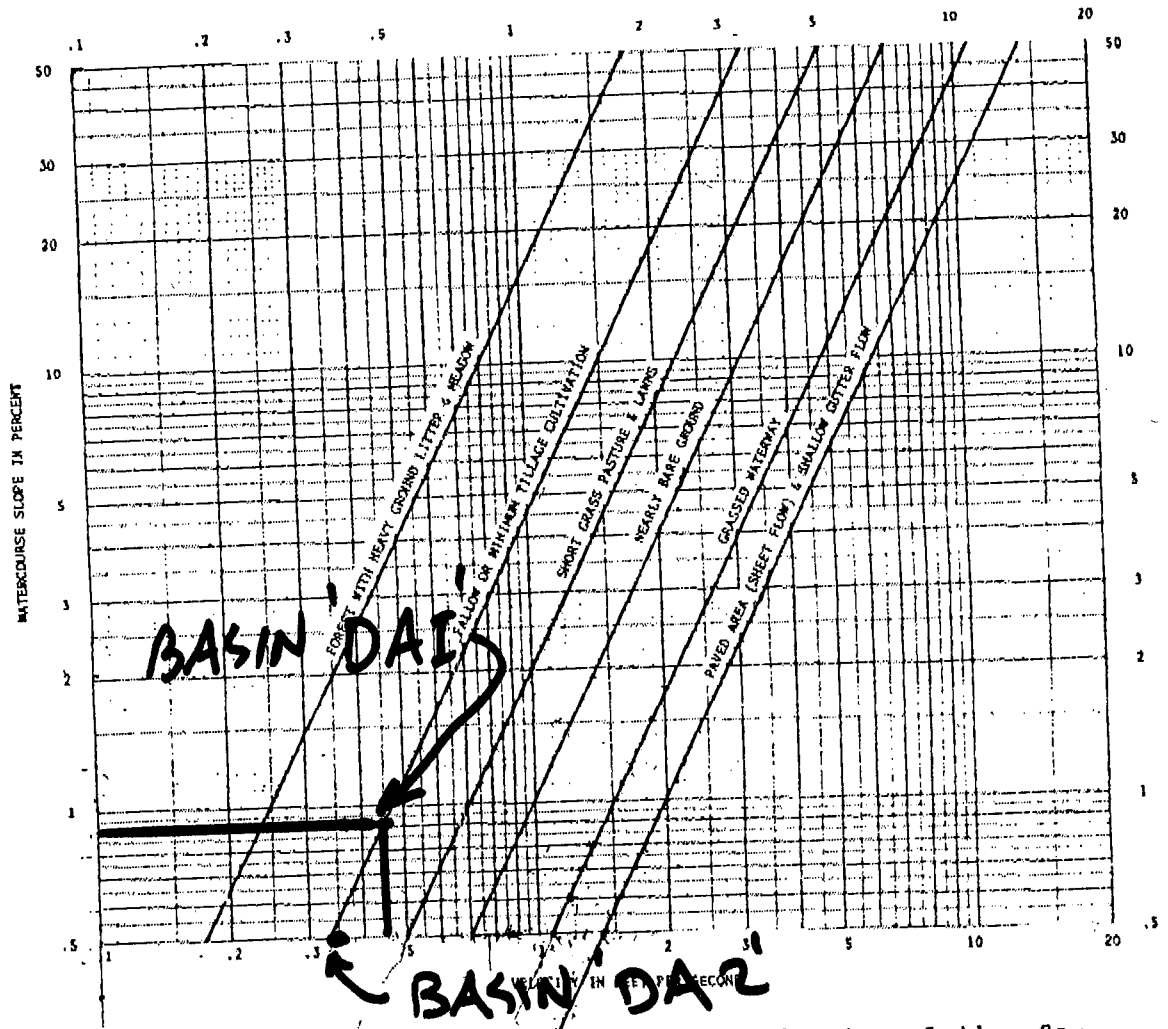


Figure 3-1.--Average velocities for estimating travel time for overland flow.

Storm sewer or road gutter flow

Travel time through the storm sewer or road gutter system to the main open channel is the sum of travel times in each individual component of the system between the uppermost inlet and the outlet. In most cases average velocities can be used without a significant loss of accuracy. During major storm events, the sewer system may be fully taxed and additional overland flow may occur, generally at a significantly lower velocity than the flow in the storm sewers. By using average conduit sizes and an average slope (excluding any vertical drops in the system), the average velocity can be estimated using Manning's formula.

Since the hydraulic radius of a pipe flowing half full is the same as when flowing full, the respective velocities are equal. Travel time may

EXHIBIT 'B'

- ATTACHMENT A  
DRAINAGE CRITERIA MANUAL

CITY OF WICHITA, KANSAS

RAINFALL INTENSITY TABLE FOR SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS

The following tabulation contains rainfall intensity in inches per hour as derived from ESSA Weather Bureau Technical Paper 40 Modified to NWS Hydro-35, 1977 During First Hour

DURATION IN MINUTES	RETURN PERIODS OF						
	1-YR	2-YR	5-YR	10-YR	25-YR	50-YR	100-YR
5	4.18	5.57	6.53	7.41	8.52	9.48	10.32
6	3.99	5.32	6.25	7.09	8.16	9.09	9.89
7	3.81	5.09	5.99	6.81	7.84	8.74	9.50
8	3.66	4.89	5.75	6.55	7.55	8.42	9.15
9	3.52	4.70	5.54	6.31	7.28	8.13	8.83
10	3.39	4.52	5.34	6.09	7.04	7.86	8.54
11	3.27	4.36	5.16	5.89	6.81	7.61	8.27
12	3.18	4.21	4.99	5.71	6.60	7.38	8.02
13	3.05	4.08	4.84	5.53	6.41	7.17	7.79
14	2.96	3.95	4.69	5.37	6.23	6.97	7.57
15	2.87	3.83	4.56	5.22	6.06	6.78	7.37
16	2.78	3.72	4.43	5.08	5.90	6.60	7.18
17	2.71	3.61	4.31	4.95	5.75	6.44	7.00
18	2.63	3.51	4.20	4.83	5.61	6.29	6.84
19	2.56	3.42	4.10	4.71	5.47	6.14	6.68
20	2.50	3.33	4.00	4.60	5.35	6.00	6.53
21	2.44	3.25	3.90	4.50	5.23	5.87	6.39
22	2.38	3.17	3.81	4.40	5.12	5.75	6.26
23	2.32	3.10	3.73	4.31	5.01	5.63	6.13
24	2.27	3.03	3.65	4.22	4.91	5.52	6.01
25	2.22	2.96	3.57	4.13	4.81	5.41	5.90
26	2.20	2.90	3.50	4.05	4.72	5.31	5.79
27	2.16	2.84	3.43	3.98	4.63	5.21	5.69
28	2.14	2.78	3.37	3.90	4.55	5.12	5.59
29	2.11	2.72	3.30	3.83	4.47	5.03	5.49
30	2.08	2.67	3.24	3.76	4.39	4.94	5.40
31	2.05	2.62	3.19	3.70	4.32	4.86	5.32
32	2.02	2.57	3.10	3.63	4.25	4.79	5.22
33	1.99	2.52	3.05	3.57	4.18	4.71	5.14
34	1.96	2.48	3.01	3.51	4.11	4.63	5.07
35	1.93	2.44	2.98	3.46	4.05	4.56	5.00
36	1.91	2.39	2.93	3.41	3.99	4.50	4.93
37	1.89	2.35	2.88	3.36	3.93	4.43	4.86
38	1.87	2.32	2.84	3.31	3.87	4.37	4.79
39	1.85	2.28	2.80	3.26	3.82	4.31	4.73
40	1.83	2.24	2.76	3.22	3.76	4.25	4.66
41	1.81	2.21	2.72	3.17	3.71	4.19	4.60
42	1.79	2.18	2.68	3.13	3.66	4.13	4.54
43	1.77	2.14	2.64	3.09	3.61	4.08	4.49
44	1.75	2.11	2.61	3.05	3.57	4.03	4.43
45	1.73	2.08	2.57	3.01	3.52	3.98	4.38

EXHIBIT 'C'

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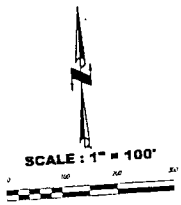
Land Use or Surface Characteristics	Percent Impervious	Frequency			
		2	5	10	100
Soil Group D					
Slope less than 1%	00	0.28	0.33	0.43	0.63
Slope 1% to 4%	00	0.30	0.35	0.45	0.65
Slope more than 4%	00	0.32	0.37	0.47	0.67

Note No. 1: Coefficients shown in the above table are for pervious open space areas with thick turf which includes pervious areas in parks and cemeteries. Coefficients shown above must be increased 0.02 for use with agricultural pasture areas. ~~Coefficients shown above must be reduced by 0.04 for use with agricultural cultivated areas.~~ Group A soils are well-drained, coarse textured sands with high infiltration rates. Group B soils are moderately well-drained, moderately coarse textured soils with moderate infiltration rates. Group C soils are moderately poor-drained, moderately fine textured soils with slow infiltration rates. Group D soils are poor-drained, fine textured soils with very slow infiltration rates.

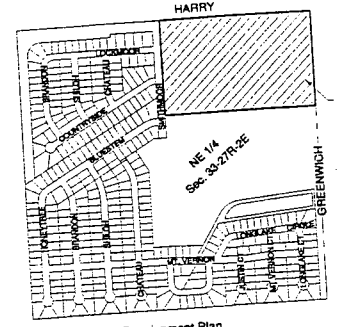
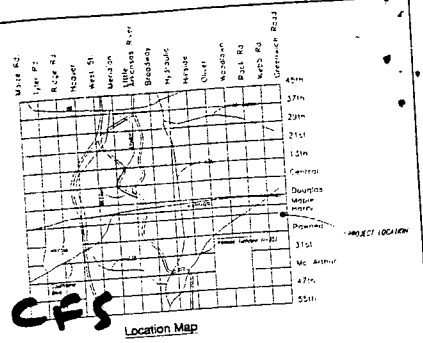
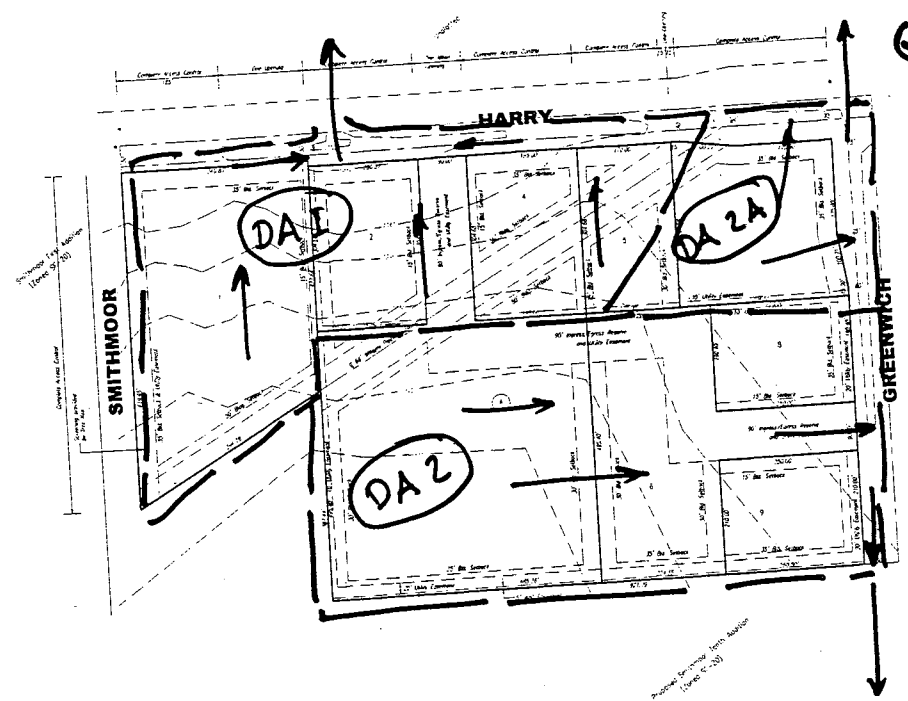
GENERAL NOTE: These Rational Formula Coefficients may not be valid for basins 320 acres or larger.

EXHIBIT 'D'

$Q_{100} = 44 \text{ CFS}$



$Q_{100} = 14.7 \text{ CFS}$



**POST-DEVELOPMENT CONDITIONS  
DRAINAGE PLAN**

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**Total Area**  
23.8 ± Acres (Net)

**Zoning**  
GD & LC

**Min. Lot Size**  
40,000 S.F.

**Total Number of Lots**  
0

**Benchmarks**  
1. City Oak on Signal Base at the Northwest corner of Harry and Greenwood Roads.  
(Inv. = 7343.8)

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