

WATERSHED ASSESSMENT MACROINVERTEBRATE STREAM RECONNAISSANCE FORM (FRONT)											
STREAM NAME:					LOCATION DESCRIPTION:						
WA SITE ID:			COUNTY:			SUBECOREGION:			NEAREST CITY:		
LATITUDE (DD):			LONGITUDE (DD):				GPS ERROR (+/-) ft:				
DATE:		START TIME:			END TIME:			TIME ZONE:		EST	EDT
INVESTIGATORS:											
PROJECT: Watershed Assessment			SAMPLING DESIGN: Targeted			ACTIVITY TYPE: Field Measurement/Observation					
WATER APPEARANCE:		Blackwater		Clearwater		Unsure		Unsure/Black		Unsure/Clear	
TIDAL CYCLE:		1/4 ebb		1/2 ebb		3/4 ebb		Low Tide		1/4 flood	
								1/2 flood		3/4 flood	
								High Tide		N/A	
FORM COMPLETED BY:				PROJECT/REASON FOR SURVEY:							
STREAM INFORMATION: (Circle Items from List)											
STREAM CONDITION:		Impacted		Least Impacted		Not Yet Determined		Possibly Impacted		Potential Least Impacted	
STREAM ANALYSIS:		Nutrients		319 Projects		Metric Refinement		Continual Monitoring/ Trend			
		Routine		QA/QC Monitoring		Other: _____					
STREAM ACCESSIBILITY/STREAM RECONNAISSANCE RESULTS: (Circle Items from List)											
ASSESSMENT TYPE:		Looking Over Bridge		Standing By Creek		Standing In Creek		Other: _____			
NEAREST ROAD CROSSING:											
ENTER STREAM AT:		Road/Bridge Crossings				Through Woods		Other : _____			
CAN YOU DRIVE TO BRIDGE CROSSING?:		Yes		No		IF NO, ESTIMATE DISTANCE TO BRIDGE TO CROSSING: ____ ft					
CAN YOU DRIVE UP TO THE STREAM?:		Yes		No		IF NO, ESTIMATE DISTANCE TO STREAM: _____ ft					
IMPASSABLE BOUNDARIES TO CROSS?:		Yes		No		USABLE TRAIL TO ACCESS STREAM?: Yes No					
TRAIL HACKED TO STREAM SITE?:		Yes		No		PROPERTY BOUNDARIES OR FENCES TO CROSS?: Yes No					
TYPE OF BOUNDARIES TO CROSS (if applicable):				Barbed Wire Fence		Chain Link Fence		Gate			
				Livestock Fence		Property Line		Wooden Fence			
HAS STREAM REACH BEEN FLAGGED:		Yes		No		PERMISSION TO ACCESS PRIVATE LAND?:				Yes	No
IS ACCESS ON PRIVATE PROPERTY OR PUBLIC PROPERTY?:						Private		Public			
If <b>private property</b> please give names, numbers, and logistics. If public, indicate public property type; <i>i.e.</i> state park, sewer line right away, wildlife management area, etc.											
Point of Assessment/Access Comments:											
CONDITION OF THE NEAREST ROAD TO STREAM SITE?:				Dirt Road		Gravel Road		Paved Road		Rough/ Unmaintained	
IS 4-WD REQUIRED?:		Yes		No		STREAM WADEABLE? (For Biological Sampling):		Yes		No	
Driving Directions:											
Directions to Sample Reach:											
HABITAT TYPE: (Should add up to 100 %)											
BANKS/ROOT MATS:			_____%			LEAF PACKS:			_____%		
SNAGS:			_____%			SOFT/SANDY SEDIMENT:			_____%		
OTHER (_____):			_____%			OTHER (_____):			_____%		
PHOTOS TAKEN?:				Yes		No		Camera:			
Photo Descriptions (US, LB, RB, DS, other):											

