



PUBLIC NOTICE

US Army Corps
of Engineers •
New England District
Maine Project Office
675 Western Avenue #3
Manchester, Maine 04351

Date: JAN 22 2013
Comment Period Ends: FEB 21 2013
File Number: NAE-2013-00113
In Reply Refer To: Jay L. Clement
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The District Engineer has received a permit application from the applicant below to **conduct work in waters of the United States** as described below. The Corps is soliciting comments on both the project itself and the range of issues to be addressed in the environmental documentation.

APPLICANT: MAINE DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION, 16 STATE HOUSE STATION, AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333

ACTIVITY: Place permanent and temporary fill below the ordinary high water line of numerous waterways and in their adjacent freshwater wetlands at ten locations throughout the State of Maine in order to repair, rehabilitate, or replace existing deteriorated bridges or culverts. This work is designed to address critical bridges and other structures that need immediate attention to insure public safety and protect the economic vitality of Maine's transportation network. Refer to attached table(s) for a list of locations, scope of work, and anticipated impacts.

ESSENTIAL FISH HABITAT (EFH): This work may impact Essential Fish Habitat ("EFH") for Atlantic salmon. This habitat consists of stream and river bottom composed of silt, sand, and gravel mixed with stones. Impact to this species is expected to be minimal with appropriate erosion control measures, in stream work windows, and other best management practices. Therefore, the District Engineer has made a preliminary determination that the site-specific adverse effect will be minimal. Further consultation with the National Marine Fisheries Service regarding EFH conservation recommendations is being conducted and will be concluded prior to the final decision. Similarly, consultation will be initiated regarding the presence of salmon as they are a federally listed endangered species.

WATERWAY AND LOCATION OF THE PROPOSED WORK: This work is proposed in numerous wetlands and waterways throughout Maine. Refer to attached table(s) for projects' location.

AUTHORITY

Permits are required pursuant to:

- ☐ Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899
☒ Section 404 of the Clean Water Act
☐ Section 103 of the Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act).

The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impact of the proposed activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefit which may reasonably accrue from the proposal must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered,

including the cumulative effects thereof; among those are: conservation, economics, aesthetics, general environmental concerns, wetlands, cultural value, fish and wildlife values, flood hazards, flood plain value, land use, navigation, shoreline erosion and accretion, recreation, water supply and conservation, water quality, energy needs, safety, food production and, in general, the needs and welfare of the people.

The Corps of Engineers is soliciting comments from the public; Federal, state, and local agencies and officials; Indian Tribes; and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate the impacts of this proposed activity. Any comments received will be considered by the Corps of Engineers to determine whether to issue, modify, condition or deny a permit for this proposal. To make this decision, comments are used to assess impacts on endangered species, historic properties, water quality, general environmental effects, and the other public interest factors listed above. Comments are used in the preparation of an Environmental Assessment and/or an Environmental Impact Statement pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act. Comments are also used to determine the need for a public hearing and to determine the overall public interest of the proposed activity.

Where the activity involves the discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States or the transportation of dredged material for the purpose of disposing it in ocean waters, the evaluation of the impact of the activity in the public interest will also include application of the guidelines promulgated by the Administrator, U.S Environmental Protection Agency, under authority of Section 404(b) of the Clean Water Act, and/or Section 103 of the Marine Protection Research and Sanctuaries Act of 1972 as amended.

SECTION 106 COORDINATION

Based on his initial review, the District Engineer has determined that little likelihood exists for the proposed work to impinge upon properties with cultural or Native American significance, or listed in, or eligible for listing in, the National Register of Historic Places. Therefore, no further consideration of the requirements of Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, is necessary. This determination is based upon one or more of the following:

- a. The permit area has been extensively modified by previous work.
- b. The permit area has been recently created.
- c. The proposed activity is of limited nature and scope.
- d. Review of the latest published version of the National Register shows that no presence of registered properties listed as being eligible for inclusion therein are in the permit area or general vicinity.
- e. Coordination with the State Historic Preservation Officer and/or Tribal Historic Preservation Officer(s)

ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT CONSULTATION

On November 13, 2000, the National Marine Fisheries Service and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service listed a distinct population segment ("DPS") of Atlantic salmon (*Salmo salar*) in the Gulf of Maine as an endangered species under the Endangered Species Act ("ESA"). More recently, the Services listed Atlantic salmon critical habitat and expanded the current Gulf of Maine DPS. The projects listed on the attached table(s) fall within the listing area. The Corps has made the preliminary determination that these projects are unlikely to jeopardize the continued existence of the DPS or result in the destruction or adverse modification of critical habitat. Consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is on-going. By this public notice, the District Engineer is also requesting that the appropriate federal agency provide comments regarding the presence of and potential impacts to other listed species or its critical habitat not already identified.

The following authorizations have been applied for, or have been, or will be obtained:

- (X) Permit, License or Assent from State.
- (X) Permit from Local Wetland Agency or Conservation Commission.
- (X) Water Quality Certification in accordance with Section 401 of the Clean Water Act.


In order to properly evaluate the proposal, we are seeking public comment. Anyone wishing to comment is encouraged to do so. **Comments should be submitted in writing by the above date.** If you have any questions, please contact Jay Clement at 207-623-8367 at our Manchester, Maine Project Office.

Any person may request, in writing, within the comment period specified in this notice, that a public hearing be held to consider the application. Requests for a public hearing shall specifically state the reasons for holding a public hearing. The Corps holds public hearings for the purpose of obtaining public comments when that is the best means for understanding a wide variety of concerns from a diverse segment of the public.

The initial determinations made herein will be reviewed in light of facts submitted in response to this notice. All comments will be considered a matter of public record. Copies of letters of objection will be forwarded to the applicant who will normally be requested to contact objectors directly in an effort to reach an understanding.

For more information on the New England District Corps of Engineers programs, visit our website at <http://www.nae.usace.army.mil>.

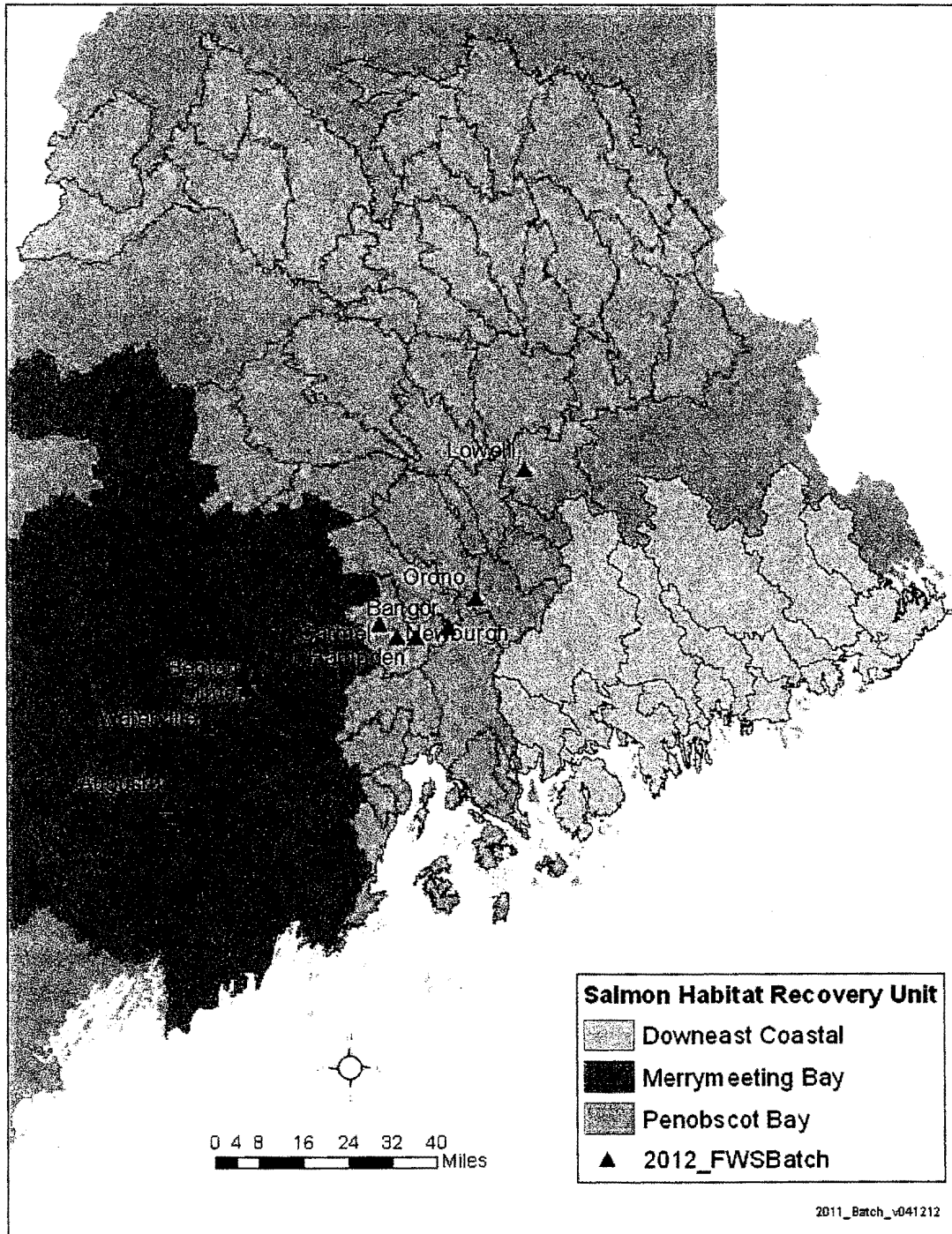
THIS NOTICE IS NOT AN AUTHORIZATION TO DO ANY WORK.


Frank J. Del Giudice
Chief, Permits and Enforcement Branch
Regulatory Division

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NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____

United States Army Corp of Engineers
Application for Individual Permit
MaineDOT Project: MaineDOT Batch August 2012
(Hampden I95, Carmel I95, Waterville I95, Clinton I95, Benton I95, Bangor I95, Orono
I95, Augusta 4270.10, Carmel Route 2, Lowell Route 188)



MaineDOT Batch August 2012				
<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Scope</u>	<u>Name of Resource</u>	<u>Impacts</u>
Hampden	I 95	The project will involve the culvert end reset/replacement of a 36-inch x 116-foot corrugated metal pipe. Sixteen feet of both the inlet and outlet ends will be replaced and reset.	unnamed trib to Souadabscook Stream	Stream: 40 SF Direct 704 SF temp
Carmel	I 95	The existing structure is a 24-inch x 142-foot reinforced concrete pipe with corrugated metal ends which is scoped to have the ends replaced. On the inlet end, 12-feet will be replaced with 16-feet of reinforced concrete pipe, while at the outlet end 18-feet will be replaced with 16-feet of reinforced concrete pipe	Unnamed Stream	Stream: 70 SF Direct 707 SF temp
Waterville	I 95	The existing structure is a 60-inch diameter x 142-foot long corrugated metal pipe which is scoped to have the ends replaced. On both the inlet and outlet ends, 18-feet will be removed and replaced with 24-foot reinforced concrete pipes	Unnamed Trib	Stream: 120 SF Direct 1152 SF temp
Clinton	I 95	The existing structure is a 48-inch diameter x 132-foot long corrugated metal pipe which is scoped to have the 32 feet of the inlet end replaced with 32 feet of reinforced concrete pipe	Unnamed Trib	Stream: 60 SF Direct 1152 SF temp
Benton	I 95	The existing structures are twin 42-inch diameter x 106 foot long corrugated metal pipes which are scoped to have the ends replaced: the inlet of the left pipe will have 22 feet replaced with 24 feet reinforced concrete pipe, while the inlet of the right pipe will have 32 feet replaced with 32 feet of reinforced concrete pipe.	Unnamed Stream	Stream: 80 SF Direct 664 SF temp
Bangor	I 95	The existing structure is a 48-inch x 276-foot corrugated metal pipe which will have approximately 20-feet of the inlet end reset.	Unnamed Stream	Stream: 50 SF Direct 1680 SF temp
Orono	I 95	The existing structure is a 5-foot x 116-foot corrugated metal pipe which is scoped to have the ends replaced. On both the inlet and outlet ends, 16-feet will be replaced	Johnny Mac Stream	Stream: 100 SF Direct 880 SF temp

Augusta 4270.10	Route 202	The existing structure is a 3-ft. span x 4-ft. rise x 55-ft-foot long concrete box which will be extended with similarly-sized concrete extensions.	Rockwood Brook	Stream: 674 SF Direct 765 SF temp
Carmel	Route 2	The existing structure is a 48-inch corrugated metal pipe as an outlet and a 30" by 36' concrete box at the inlet. The structures total length is 50 feet. The rehabilitation will include resetting the upstream headwall and the outlet section of the culvert.	Unnamed	Stream: 100 SF Direct 550 SF temp
Lowell	Route 188	The existing structure is a 48-inch x 50-foot corrugated metal pipe which will be replaced in kind.	Unnamed Trib	Stream: 100 SF Direct 550 SF temp

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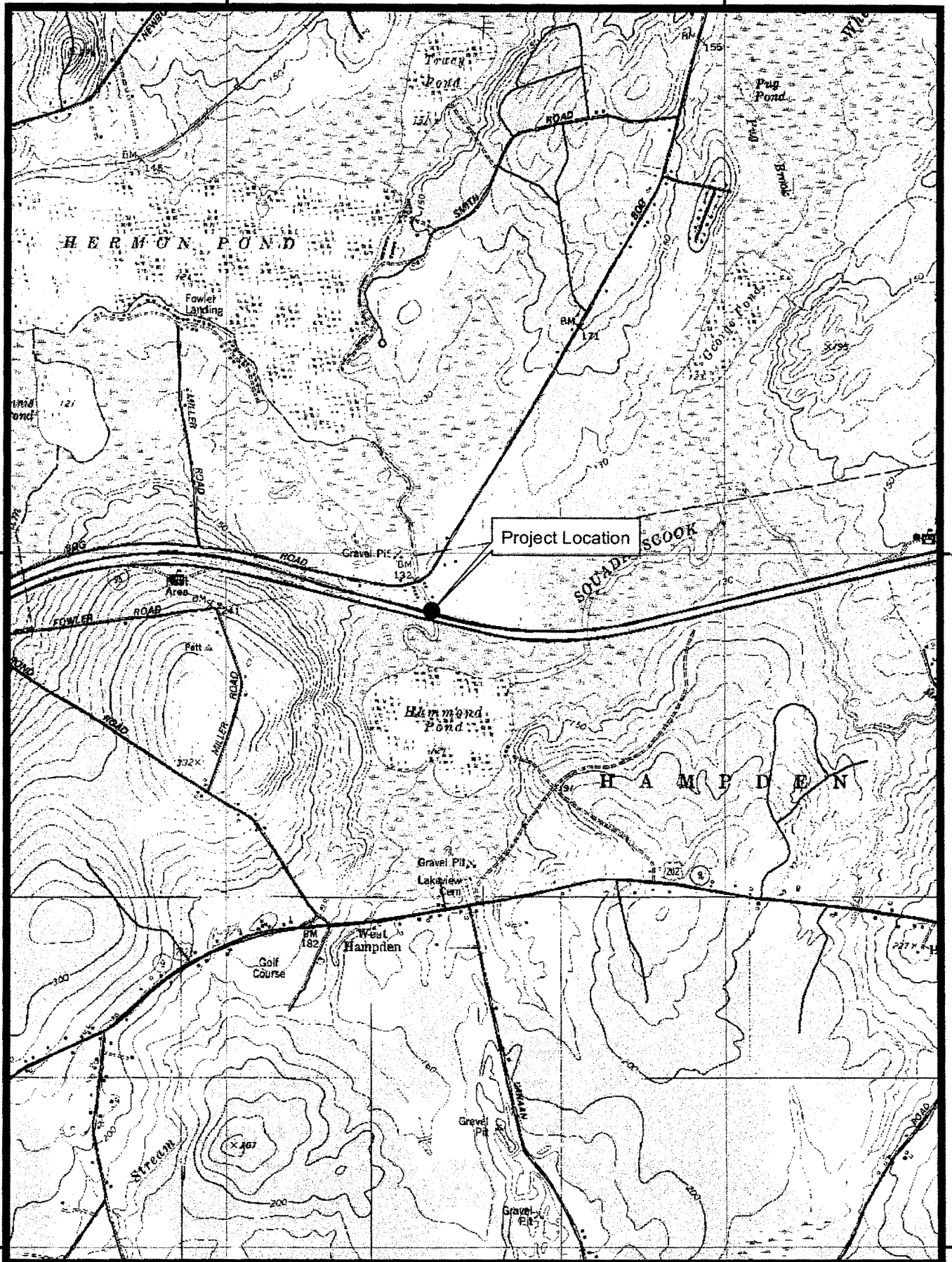
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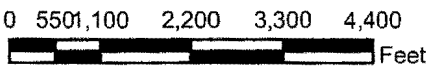
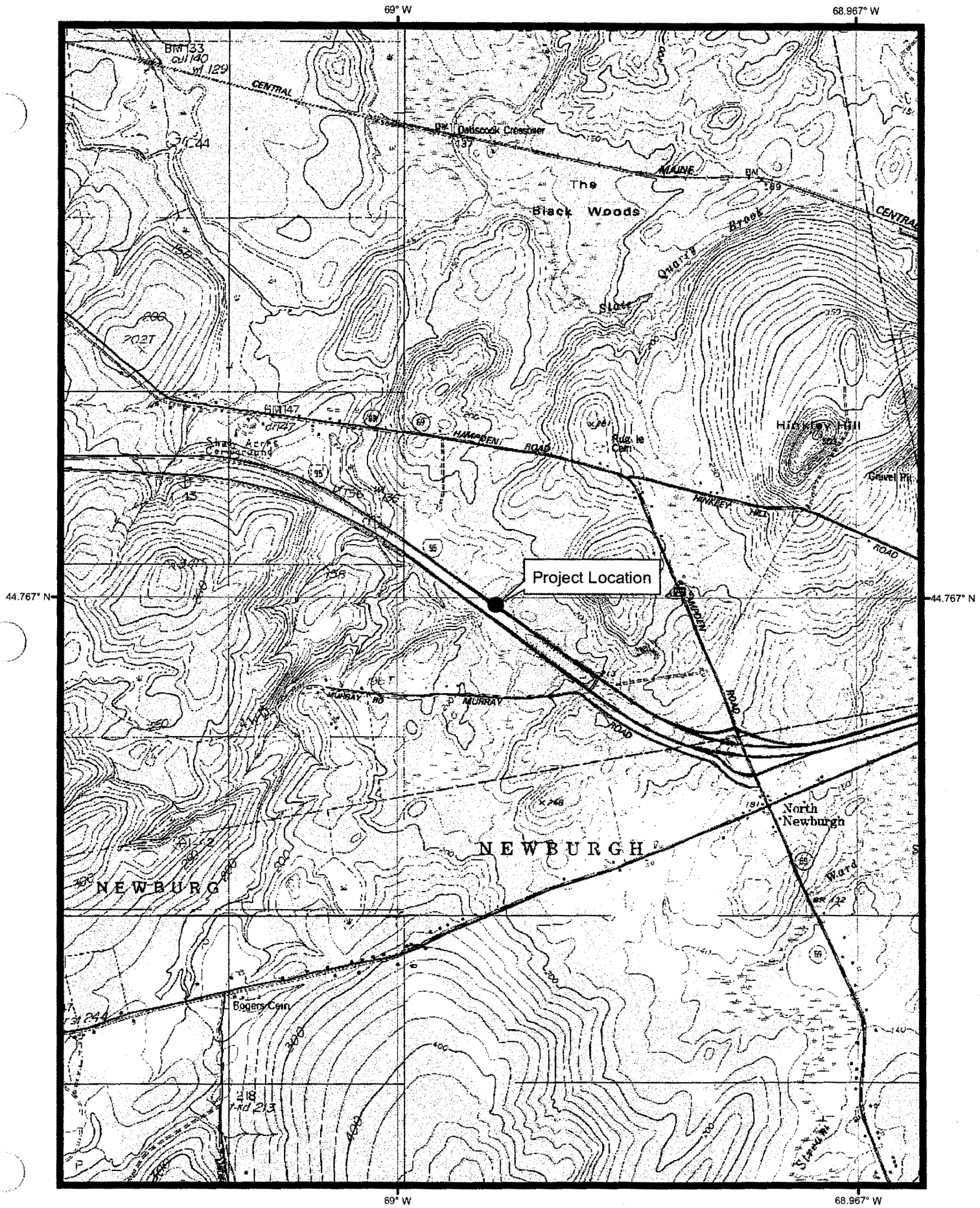
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Hampden No PIN

I-95 S.B.
culvert rehabilitation

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**Carmel
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Culvert Rehabilitation



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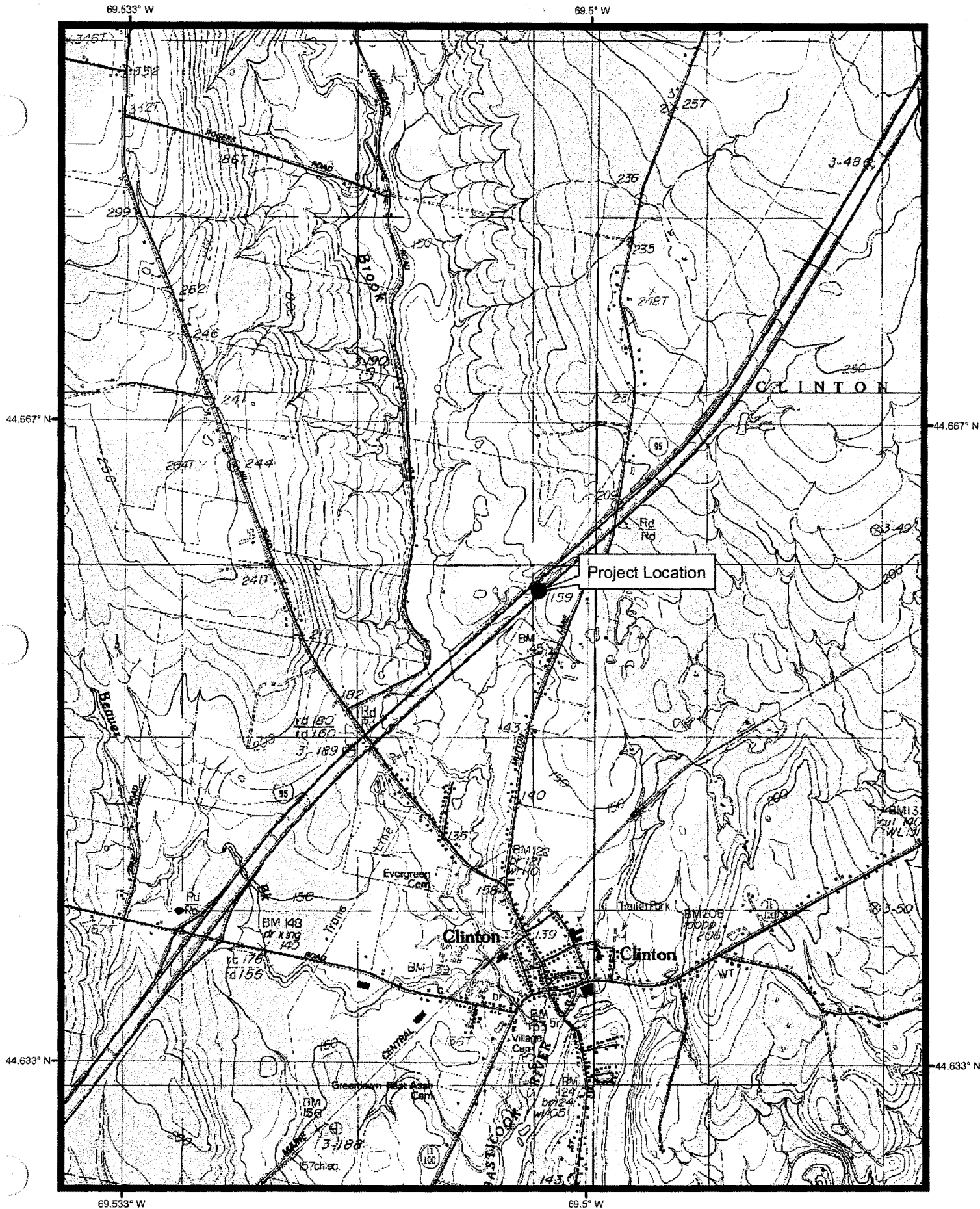
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Clinton No PIN

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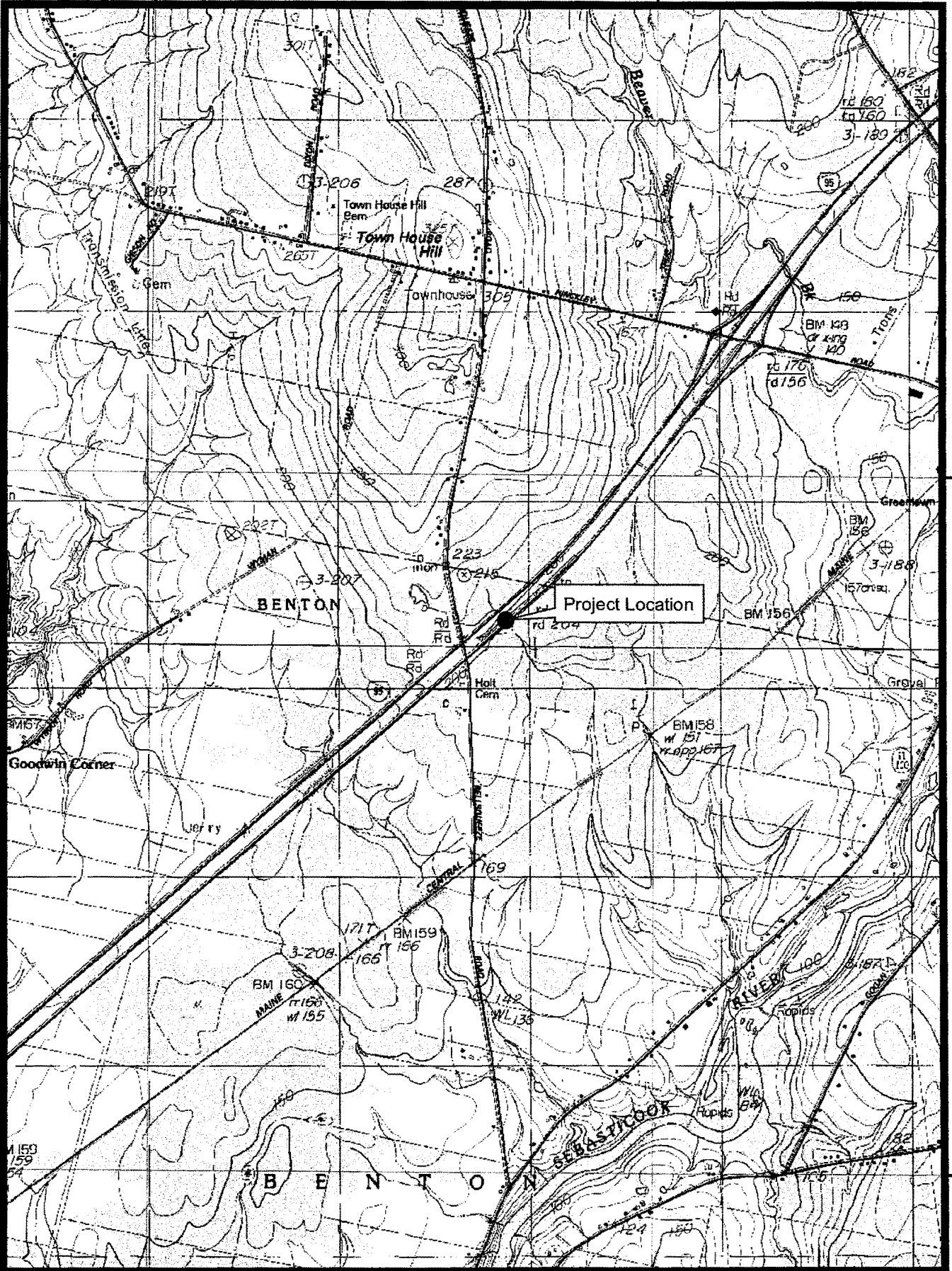
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**Benton
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Culvert Rehabilitation

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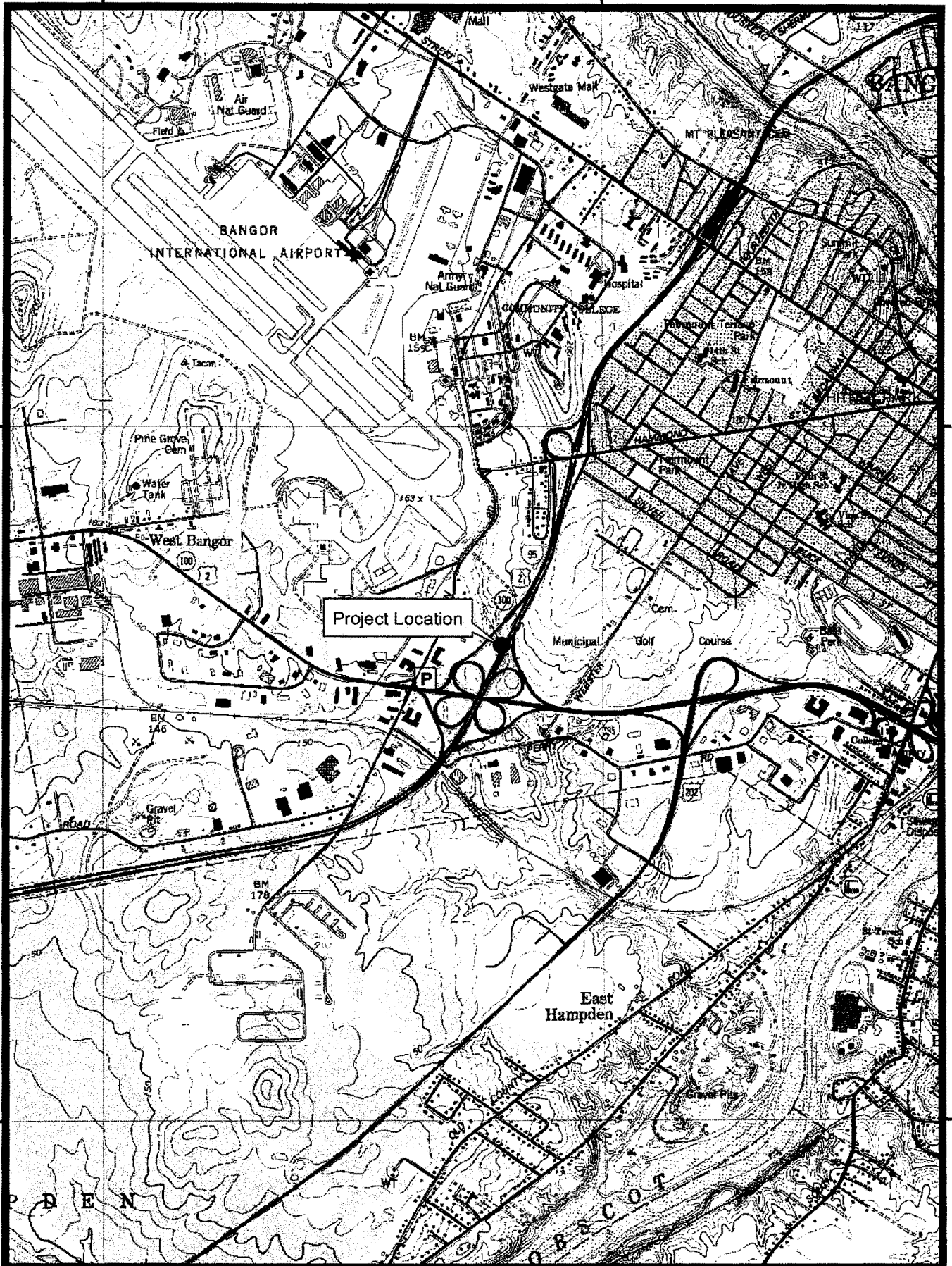
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Culvert Rehabilitation

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Project Location

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Feet

Orono
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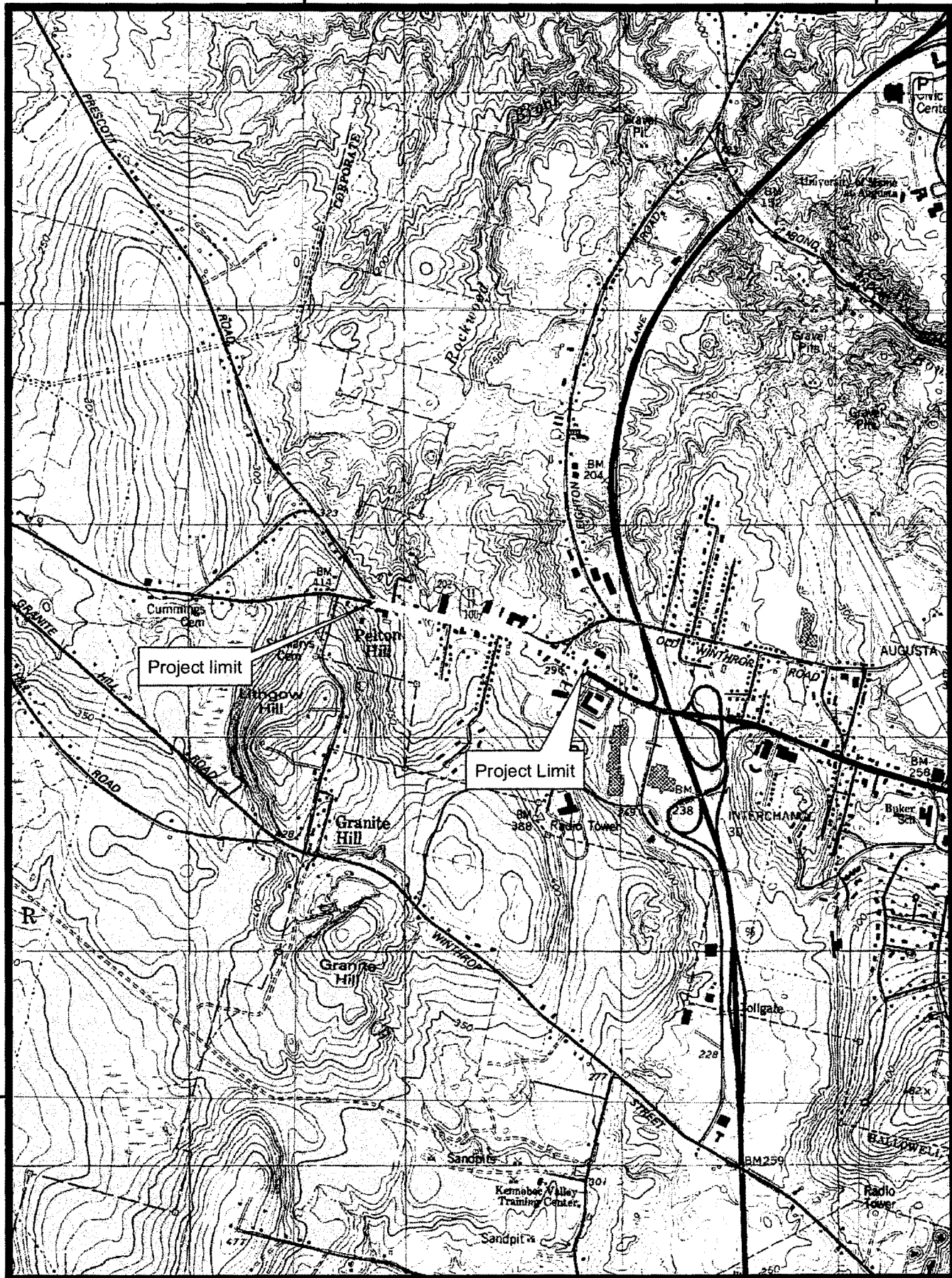
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Augusta 4270.10

Route 202-Western Ave

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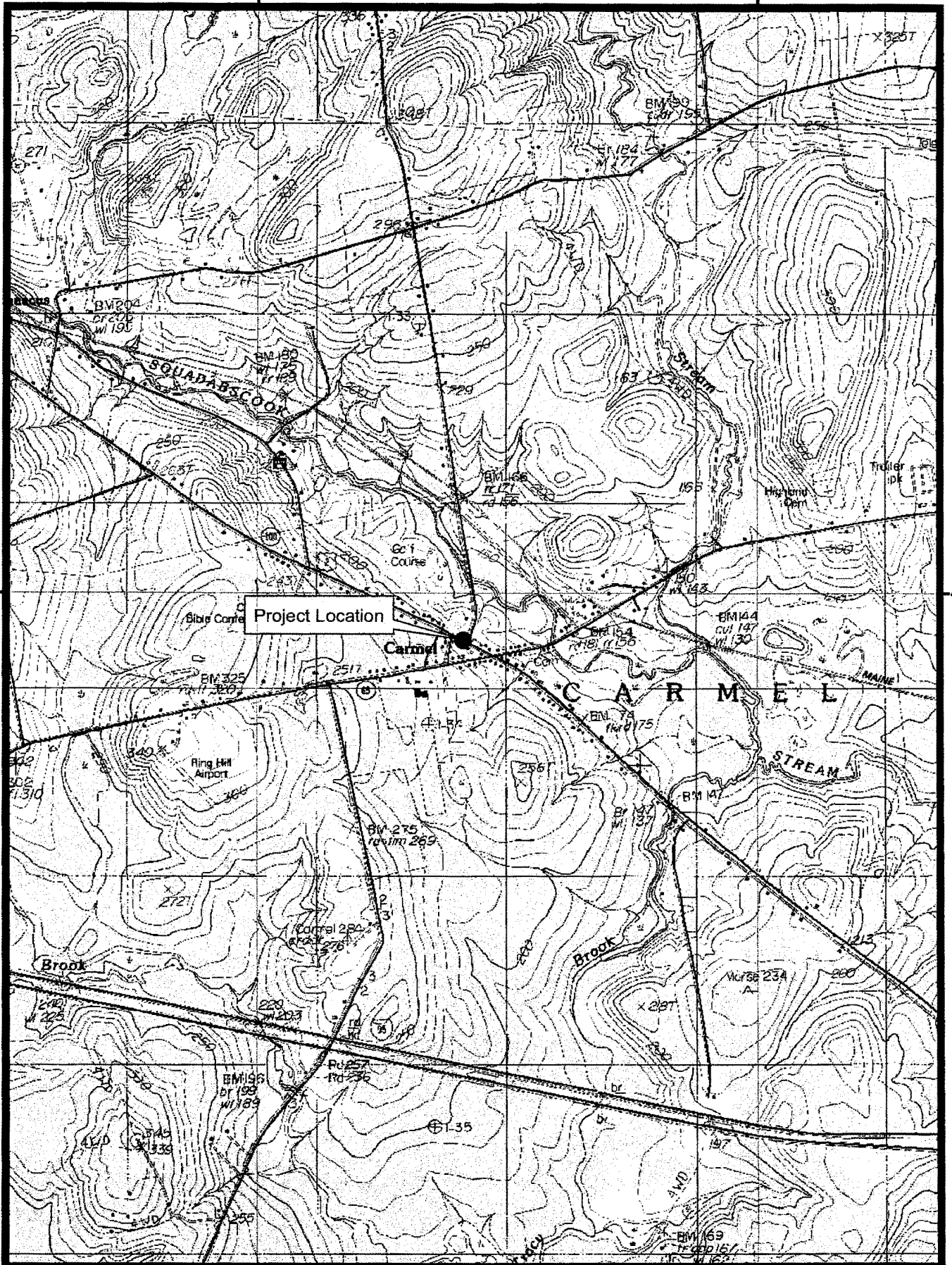


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Route 2/100
Culvert Rehabilitation

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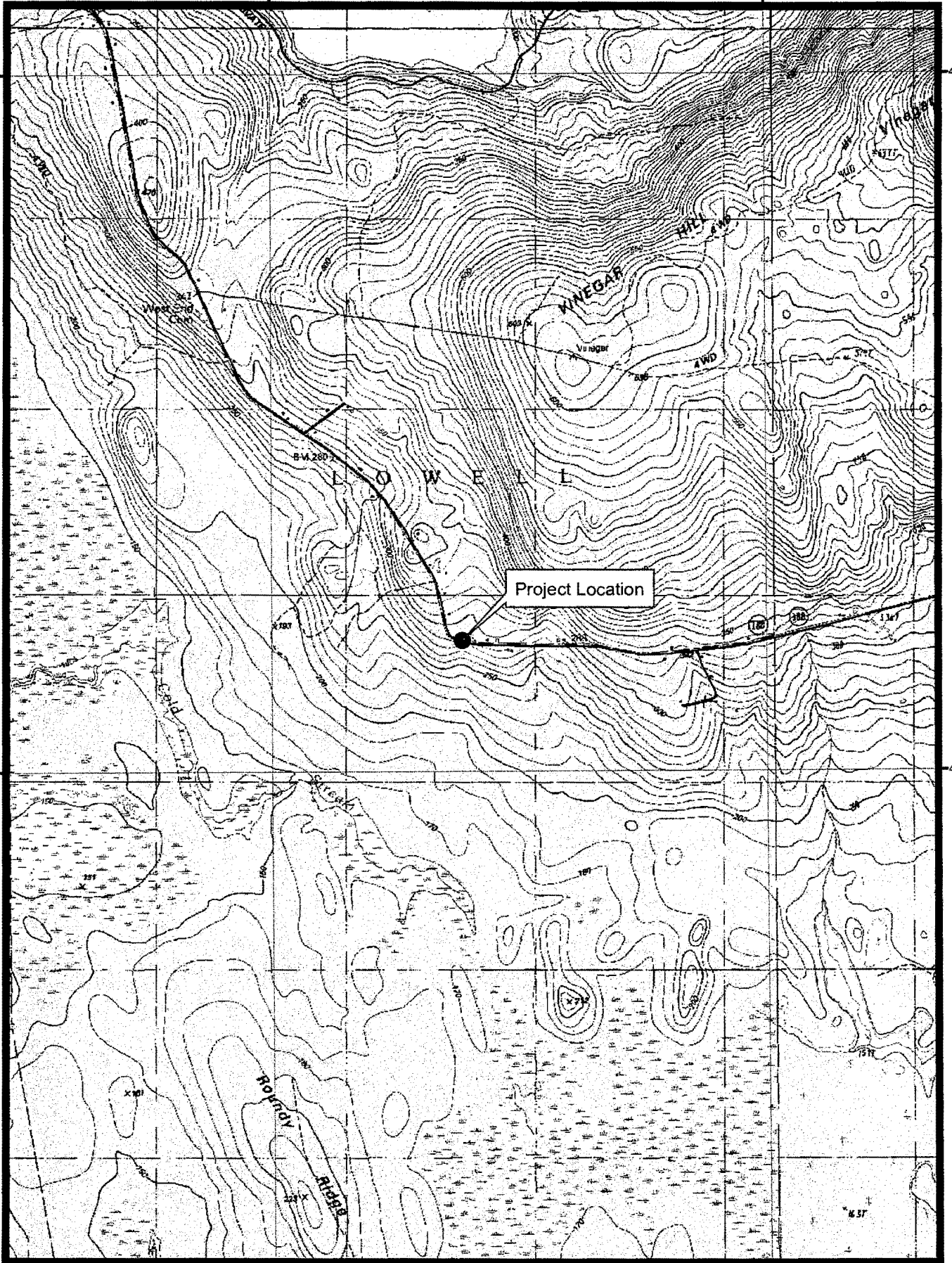
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**Lowell
No PIN**

Route 188
Culvert Replacement

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MAINE PUBLIC NOTICE WORKSHEET		Deadline: 30-day <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> or 20-day	
Project Name: Maine Dept. of Transportation		File Number: NAE-2013-00113	Project Manager: Clement
(If applicable) Date of 401 WQC application: 8/31/12	(If applicable) Date CZM Consistency Statement sent to State: NA	(If applicable) Date Suitability Determination completed for open water disposal: NA	
<u>Senator Olympia Snowe</u> United States Senate 154 Russell Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510-1903		<u>Senator Angus King</u> United States Senate 188 Russell Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510-1904	
US Congress – For ME Congressional Districts (CD) see Maine.gov : Government: Local** or Map- (Select one)			
1 st CD <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 48%;"> <u>Representative Mike Michaud</u> The Honorable Mike Michaud United States House of Representatives 437 Cannon House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515-1902 </div> <div style="width: 48%;"> <u>Representative Chellie Pingree</u> The Honorable Chellie Pingree United States House of Representatives 1037 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515 </div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="width: 48%;"> <u>Mayor/Selectman/Town Manager</u> <u>Maine Municipal Association</u> 60 Community Drive Augusta, Maine 04330 </div> <div style="width: 48%;"> <u>Conservation Commission**</u> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 48%;"> <u>LURC</u> 22 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333 </div> <div style="width: 48%;"> <u>Maine Land Trust Network</u> c/o Maine Coast Heritage Trust 1 Main Street, Suite 201 Topsham, Maine 04086 </div> </div> </div> </div>			
<u>Other Town Officials</u>		<u>POSTMASTER</u>	
Maine Historic Preservation Commission, 55 Capital Street, 65 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333 Aroostook Band of Micmacs, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, 7 Northern Road, Presque Isle, Maine 04769 Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians, Pleasant Point Reservation, P.O. Box 343, Perry, Maine 04667 Houlton Band of Maliseet Indians, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, 88 Bell Road, Littleton, Maine 04730 Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians, Indian Township Reservation, P.O. Box 301, Princeton, Maine 04668 Penobscot Indian Nation, 12 Webanaki Way, Indian Island, Maine 04468			
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Cassandra Chase, Federal Highway Administration, 40 Western Avenue Room 614, Augusta, Maine 04330

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