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NATIONAL PROGRAM OF INSPECTION OF DAMS

Name of Dam: PINEWOOD LAKE DAM 00080 Inventory Number: CONNECTICUT State Located: FAIRFIELD County Located: BOOTH HILL BROOK Stream: Owner: PINEWOOD LAKE ASSOCIATION Date of Inspection: SEPTEMBER 17, 1979 PETER M. HEYNEN, P.E. Inspection Team: MIRON PETROVSKY HECTOR MORENO, P.E. GEORGE BASSILAKIS, P.E. JAY COSTELLO

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The outlet facilities are a gated 20 inch ductile iron pipe and a stone masonry gatehouse located at the downstream face of the dam.

Based upon the visual inspection at the site and past performance of the dam, the project is judged to be generally in good condition. No evidence of instability in the dam embankment or spillway was observed. There are areas requiring maintenance and monitoring such as seepage at the downstream toe of the dam, erosion of the upstream slope of the dam, spalling of the mortar joints at the spillway and the lack of a low-level outlet pipe at the dam.

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In accordance with Corps of Engineers Guidelines for size (Small) and hazard (High) classification, the test flood will be equivalent to the Probable Maximum Flood. Peak inflow to the lake is 9600 cubic feet per second (cfs); peak outflow is 9100 cfs with the dam overtopped 0.1 feet. The spillway capacity with the lake level to the top of dam is 7000 cfs, which includes overflow at the dike, and is equivalent to 77% of the routed test flood outflow.

The above recommendations and any further remedial measures which are discussed in Section 7, should be instituted within 1 year of the owner's receipt of this report.

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This Phase I Inspection Report on Pinewood Lake Dam has been reviewed by the undersigned Review Board members. In our opinion, the reported findings, conclusions, and recommendations are consistent with the Recommended Guidelines for Safety Inspection of Dams, and with good engineering judgment and practice, and are hereby submitted for approval.

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PREFACE

This report is prepared under guidance contained in the Recommended Guidelines for Safety Inspection of Dams, for Phase I Investigations. Copies of these guidelines may be obtained from the Office of Chief of Engineers, Washington, D.C. 20314. The purpose of a Phase I Investigation is to identify expeditiously those dams which may pose hazards to human life or property. The assessment of the general condition of the dam is based upon available data and visual inspection. Detailed investigation, and analyses involving topographic mapping, subsurface investigations, testing, and detailed computational evaluations are beyond the scope of a Phase I Investigation; however, the investigation is intended to identify any need for such studies.

In reviewing this report, it should be realized that the reported condition of the dam is based on observations of field conditions at the time of inspection along with data available to the inspection team. In cases where the reservoir was lowered or drained prior to inspection, such action, while improving the stability and safety of the dam, removes the normal load on the structure and may obscure certain conditions which might otherwise be detectable if inspected under the normal operating environment of the structure.

It is important to note that the condition of a dam depends on numerous and constantly changing internal and external conditions, and is evolutionary in nature. It would be incorrect to assume that the present condition of the dam would necessarily represent the condition of the dam at some point in the future. Only through continued care and inspection can there be any chance that unsafe conditions will be detected.

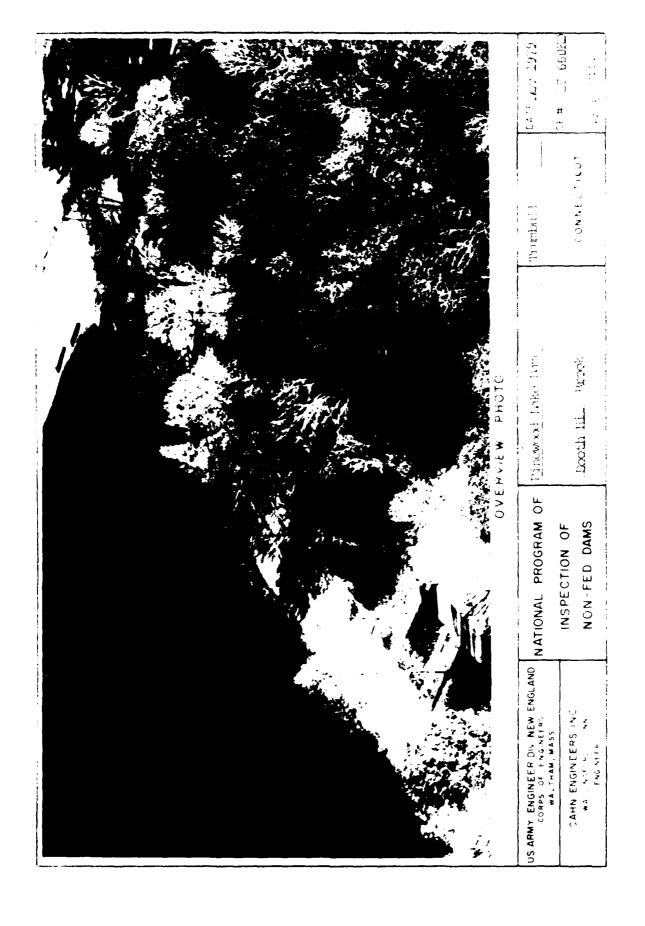
Phase I inspections are not intended to provide detailed hydrologic and hydraulic analyses. In accordance with the established Guidelines, the Spillway Test Flood is based on the estimated "Probable Maximum Flood" for the region (greatest reasonably possible storm runoff), or fractions there of. Because of the magnitude and rarity of such a storm event, a finding that a spillway will not pass the test flood should not be interpreted as neccessarily posing a highly inadequate condition. The test flood provides a measure of relative spillway capacity and serves as an aid in determining the need for more detailed hydrologic and hydraulic studies, considering the size of the dam, its general condition and the downstream damage potential.

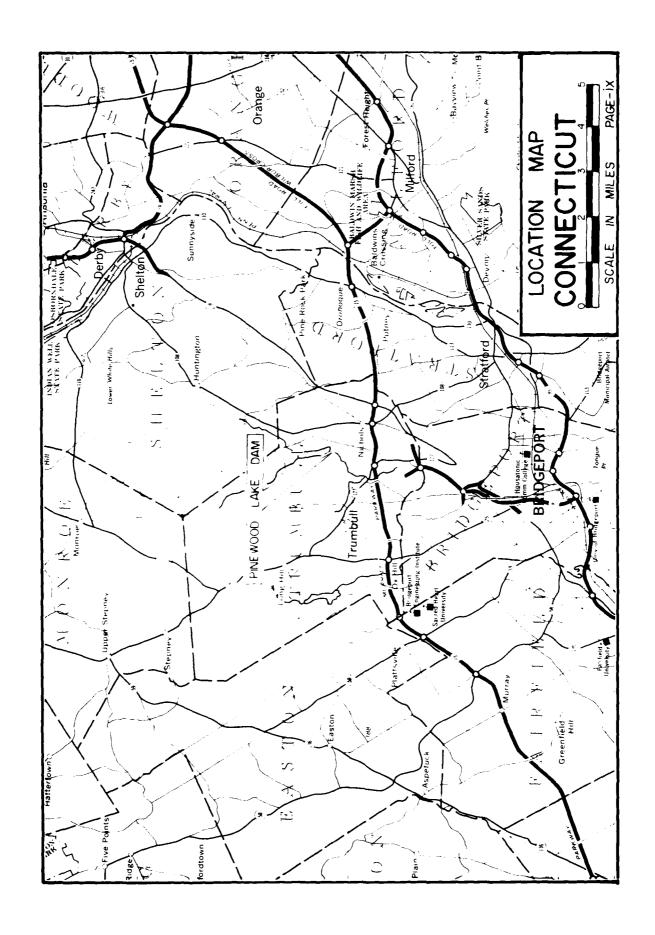
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PHASE I INSPECTION REPORT

PINEWOOD LAKE DAM

SECTION I - PROJECT INFORMATION

1.1 GENERAL

- a. Authority Public Law 92-367, August 8, 1972, authorized the Secretary of the Army, through the Corps of Engineers, to initiate a National Program of Dam Inspection throughout the United States. The New England Division of the Corps of Engineers has been assigned the responsibility of supervising the inspection of dams within the New England Region. Cahn Engineers, Inc. has been retained by the New England Division to inspect and report on selected dams in the State of Connecticut. Authorization and notice to proceed were issued to Cahn Engineers, Inc. under a letter of March 30, 1979 from John P. Chandler Colonel, Corps of Engineers. Contract No. DACW 33-79-C-0059 has been assigned by the Corps of Engineers for this work.
- b. <u>Purpose of Inspection Program</u> The purposes of the program are to:
 - Perform technical inspection and evaluation of nonfederal dams to identify conditions requiring correction in a timely manner by non-federal interests.
 - 2. Encourage and prepare the States to guickly initiate effective dam inspection programs for non-federal dam.
 - To update, verify and complete the National Inventory of Dams.
- c. Scope of Inspection Program The scope of this Phase I inspection report includes:
 - 1. Gathering, reviewing and presenting all available data as can be obtained from the owners, previous owners, the state and other associated parties.
 - A field inspection of the facility detailing the visual condition of the dam, embankments and appurtenant structures.
 - 3. Computations concerning the hydraulics and hydrology of the facility and its relationship to the calculated flood through the existing spillway.

4. An assessment of the condition of the facility and corrective measures required.

It should be noted that this report does not pass judgement on the safety or stability of the dam other than on a visual basis. The inspection is to identify those features of the dam which need corrective action and/or further study.

1.2 DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT

- a. <u>Location</u> The dam is located on Booth Hill Brook in a rural area of the town of Trumbull, County of Fairfield, State of Connecticut. The dam is shown on the Long Hill USGS Quadrangle Map having coordinates latitude N 41 15.1' and longitude W 73 10.4.
- b. Description of Project and Appurtenances The project consists of an earthfill and stone masonry dam, a stone and mortar masonry spillway and an earthfill dike. The spillway and dike are located approximately 900 feet northwest of the dam.

The dam, which is a stone masonry retaining wall with an earthfill embankment placed on the upstream side, is approximately 450 feet long, 22 feet above the streambed of Booth Hill Brook and 42 feet wide at the crest. The crest is irregular and is formed by the 3tone masonry retaining wall, a sidewalk, West Lake Road, and a strip of grassed fill (See Sheet B-1). The upstream slope is inclined at 2 horizontal to 1 vertical and the downstream face consists of two vertical masonry retaining The upper retaining wall supports the main part of the embankment, is the highest part of the dam at elevation 173.3 and ranges in height from 22 feet at the gatehouse to 3 feet at the left side of the dam. The lower retaining wall is 3 to 5 feet high and forms a walkway to the gatehouse and also forms the outlet structure for a catch basin drain pipe (See Sheet B-1). There are two residential structures just downstream and at approximately the same elevation as the dam crest. One house is at the right end of the dam and one is at the left end.

The spillway is a 185 foot long and 10 foot high stone and mortar masonry weir. The crest elevation is 168.9+ and water flowing over the spillway goes into a wide natural channel filled with large boulders. The dike extends approximately 90 feet across a small swale just to the left of the spillway. The dike is approximately 3.5 feet in height with a top elevation of 171.6 and 6+ feet wide at the crest. There is a concrete retaining wall 2.5 feet in width forming the downstream face and hand placed riprap on the upstream slope.

The outlet is a 20 inch ductile iron pipe located at the central part of the dam. The outlet control valve is operated from the stone masonry gate house at the downstream face of the dam.

- c. Size Classification: SMALL The dam impounds 630 acre-feet of water with the lake level to the top of the dam which at elevation 173.3, is 22 feet above the old streambed. According to the Recommended Guidelines, a dam with this height and storage capacity is classified as small in size.
- d. <u>Hazard Classification</u> HIGH If the dam were breached, there is potential for loss of life and extensive property damage to at least 6 structures in a residential area approximately 2300 feet downstream and including Lincoln Street, Washington Street, Franklin Street and Larkspur Drive. The water level in this area would rise from a depth of 9.1 feet before the breach to a depth of 11.1 feet just after the breach.
 - e. Ownership Pinewood Lake Association
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 Trumbull, Conn.
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 (203) 368 3441 (Work)

The dam was originaly owned and built by the Bridgeport Hydraulic Company. The Pinewood Lake Association acquired the dam and the lake in the middle 1940's.

- f. Operator None
- g. Purpose Recreation
- h. Design and Construction History The following information is believed to be accurate based on the plans and correspondence available. The dam was built in 1890 and reconstructed in 1900 by the original owners, Bridgeport Hydraulic Company. In the early 1960's, the Hydro Construction Company was contracted to reconstruct West Lake Road. At this time the dam was widened on the upstream side and the outlet pipe was accidently crushed. This outlet was plugged with concrete and a new 20 inch pipe was placed 8-9 feet above the old outlet pipe. In the mid-1970's, the masonry gate house was refurbished and a new gate valve installed.
- i. Normal Operational Procedures The 20 inch outlet valve at the dam is operated every two or three years for lowering the lake level 7-8 feet to allow maintenance on the waterfront by lake property owners. The lake level is normally maintained at the spillway crest or elevation 168.9.

1.3 PERTINENT DATA

- a. <u>Drainage Area</u> 5.2 square miles of largely developed, rolling terrain.
- b. <u>Discharge at Damsite</u> Discharge is over the spillway and through the 20 inch outlet pipe at the central part of the dam.

1. Outlet Works (Conduits): 20 inch pipe at invert el. 161.4 60 cfs (12+ feet of head) 2. Maximum known flood at damsite: Unknown 3. Ungated spillway capacity @ top of dam el. 173.3 **d**pillway: 6300 cfs dike overflow: 700 cfs 4. Ungated spillway capacity @ test flood el. 173.4 6500 cfs spillway: dike overflow: 800 cfs 5. Gated spillway capacity @ normal pool: N/A 6. Gated spillway capacity @ test flood: N/A 7. Total spillway capacity @ top of dam el. 173.3: 7000 cfs 8. Total spillway capacity @ test flood el. 173.4: 7300 cfs 9. Total project discharge @ test flood el. 173.4: 9100 cfs Elevations (National Geodetic Vertical Datum) 1. Streambed at centerline of dam: 152.1 2. Maximum tailwater N/A 3. Upstream portal invert diversion tunnel: N/A 4. Recreation pool: 168.9 5. Full flood control pool: N/A 6. Spillway crest (ungated): 168.9 7. Design surcharge (original design): Unknown 8. Top of dam: 173.3 9. Test flood surcharge: 173.4

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1. Length of maximum pool: 4300 ft.

2. Length of recreation pool: 4100 ft.

3. Length of flood control pool: N/A

e. Storage

1. Recreation pool: 630 acre-ft.

2. Flood control pool: N/A

3. Spillway crest pool: 630 acre-ft.

4. Top of dam: 920 acre-ft.

5. Test flood Pool: 920 acre-ft.

f. Reservoir Surface

1. Recreation pool: 60 acres

2. Flood control pool: N/A

3. Spillway crest: 60 acres

4. Top of dam: 70 acres

5. Test flood pool:
70 acres

g. Dam

1. Type: Earth Embankment

2. Length: 450 ft.

3. Height: 22 ft.

4. Top width: 42 ft.

5. Side slopes: 2H to ly (Upstream)

Vertical (Downstream)

6. Zoning: N/A

7. Impervious Core: N/A

8. Cutoff: N/A

9. Grout curtain: N/A

10. Other: Masonry wall on down-

stream face

Spillway Dike

1. Type: Earth Embankment

2. Length: 90 ft.

3. Height: 3.5 ft.

4. Top Width: 6 ft.

5. Other: 2.5 ft. wide concrete retaining wall on

downstream face.

h. Diversion and Regulating Tunnel-N/A

i. Spillway

1. Type: Stone masonry weir

2. Length of weir: 185 ft.

3. Crest elevation: 168.9

4. Gates: N/A

5. Upstream Channel: Natural lake bottom

6. Downstream Channel: Large boulders in

streambed

7. General: N/A

j. Regulating Outlets - The only regulating outlet is the 20 inch pipe located at the central part of the dam and operated at the gate house.

1. Invert: 161.4

2. Size: 20"

3. Description: Hand operated floor

stand at gate house

5. Other: N/A

SECTION 2: ENGINEERING DATA

2.1 DESIGN

- a. Available Data The available data consists of a plan and a section of the dam drawn by the Town of Trumbull, November 1976, and a topographic map by Abrams Aerial Survey Corporation, October 1964, obtained from the Town of Trumbull. Also available is correspondence from the State of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection.
- b. <u>Design Features</u> The drawings and correspondence indicate the design features stated previously.
- c. <u>Design Data</u> There were no engineering values, assumptions, test results or calculations available for the original construction or subsequent widening of the dam.

2.2 CONSTRUCTION

- a. Available Data There was no data available for the original construction of the dam. Drawings are available as listed above in section 2.1a.
- b. <u>Construction Considerations</u> No information is available.

2.3 OPERATIONS

It is reported by the Pinewood Lake association that the spillway capacity has not been exceeded since acquisition of the property in the middle 1940's. No lake level readings are taken and no formal operation records are known to exist.

2.4 EVALUATION

- a. Availability Existing data was provided by the Town of Trumbull and the State of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection. The owner made the project available for visual inspection.
- b. Adequacy The limited amount of detailed engineering data available was generally inadequate to perform an in-depth assessment of the dam, therefore, the assessment of this dam must be based on visual inspection, performance history, hydraulic computations of spillway capacity and approximate hydrologic judgements.
- c. Validity A comparison of record data and visual observations reveals no significant discrepancies in the record data.

SECTION 3: VISUAL INSPECTION

3.1 Findings

a. General - The general condition of the dam is good. Inspection did reveal areas requiring maintenance and monitoring. The reservoir level was at elevation 168.9 with a small amount of water flowing over the spillway at the time of the inspection.

b. Dam

Crest - No misalignment of the crest was observed. Lateral and longitudinal cracks in the road pavement of 0.5 to 1 inch in width were noted at the central portion of the dam. The grassed strip at the upstream edge of the crest had some eroded areas (Photo 1).

Upstream Slope - The upstream slope is protected by large boulders scattered along the dam at the water level. Several eroded areas were observed on the slope, especially on the left end of the dam. The slope was covered by grass, brush and a few small trees (Photo 1).

Downstream Slope - The downstream slope is the vertical face of the two masonry retaining walls (Photos 2 thru 5). No visible seepage through the face of the walls, misalignment or displacement of the masonry was observed. A wet area with a seepage discharge of 1+ gallons per minute and some brown silt deposits was noted at the right side of the toe of the dam (Sheet B-1, Photo 6). Brush and several trees of 10 to 12 inches in diameter were noted at the toe just behind the downstream face of the dam (Photos 2 thru 5). Brush, logs and other material, which is being dumped on the downstream side of the right abutment, was observed during the inspection.

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<u>Crest</u> - The crest is overgrown with trees and brush. There was no noticeable cracks or misalignment in the concrete retaining wall (Photo 9).

<u>Upstream Slope</u> - The upstream slope, protected by hand-placed riprap, was very overgrown with brush and trees. Some displacement of the riprap stones was observed (Photo 10).

Downstream Slope - The downstream slope of the dike is a concrete retaining wall which extends across a small swale to the natural slope at each end of the dike. All of this area was covered by grass, brush and trees (Photo 9).

Spillway - Only the crest and the vertical downstream face were visible for inspection. Both were in good condition except for some spalling of the mortar joints from water flowing between the stone blocks. Some small trees were noted at the crest. No misalignment or seepage through the spillway and abutments was observed. The spillway discharge channel consisted of large boulders overgrown with brush (Photos 7 and 8).

- c. Appurtenant Structures The stone masonry of the gate house was in good condition. No efflorescence, cracks or seepage at the gate house walls was observed (Photo 5). At the time of our inspection, the upper level outlet pipe was dry and the low-level outlet had a small amount of seepage flowing from the pipe.
- d. Reservoir Area The area surrounding the reservoir is substantially developed and wooded.
- e. <u>Downstream Channel</u> The downstream channel runs in the natural bed of the old Booth Hill Brook. It is mostly undeveloped, steep-sided and wooded to the initial impact area.

3.2 EVALUATION

Based upon the visual inspection, the project is assessed as being generally in good condition. The following features which could influence the future condition and/or stability of the dam were identified.

- Relatively sparse riprap and eroded areas on the upstream slope of the dam.
- Cracks in the road pavement on the dam crest could lead to additional saturation of the dam and possible settlement.
- Seepage through the right portion of the dam can potentially increase in flow, leading to instability of the downstream masonry wall.
- 4. Spalling of the mortar joints on the crest of the masonry spillway could lead to penetration of water into the body of the spillway and subsequent deterioration of the masonry.
- 5. Brush and trees on the crest, upstream and downstream slopes and toe of the dam, dike and spillway impede efficient monitoring and could increase seepage along the tree roots.
- The lack of a low-level outlet could present problems if a situation should arise which would require draining the reservoir.

SECTION 4: OPERATIONAL PROCEDURES

4.1 REGULATING PROCEDURES

There is no formal operation procedure known to exist. The outlet at the dam is opened every 2-3 years for lowering the lake level, allowing maintenance to waterfront property.

4.2 MAINTENANCE OF DAM

There is no formal program of maintenance for the project.

4.3 MAINTENANCE OF OPERATING FACILITIES

No regular maintenance is performed for the 20 inch outlet and gate valve.

4.4 DESCRIPTION OF ANY FORMAL WARNING SYSTEM IN EFFECT

No formal warning system is in effect.

4.5 EVALUATION

A formal program of operation and maintenance should be implemented, including documentation of lake level readings and operation maintenance to provide complete records for future reference. Also, a formal warning system should be developed and implemented within the time frame indicated in Section 7.1c. Remedial operation and maintenance recommendations are presented in Section 7.

SECTION 5: HYDRAULIC/HYDROLOGIC

5.1 EVALUATION OF FEATURES

- a. General The watershed is 5.2 square miles of largely developed rolling terrain. The dam is located on Booth Hill Brook and is basically a low surcharge storage high spillage stone masonry and earth embankment structure. The dike will be considered as an auxiliary spillway for the hydraulic computations and included in the spillway capacity. A swale in West Lake Road, which passes over the dam, allows spillage to occur to the right of the dam before the dam itself is overtopped. The capacity of the swale is not included in the spillway capacity.
- b. <u>Design Data</u> No computations could be found for the original construction or subsequent installation of a new outlet pipe at a higher elevation.
- c. Experience Data No information was found to indicate that there has been any problems (including overtopping) arising at the dam.
- d. <u>Visual Observations</u> The spillway is founded on rock and the area at the dike is overgrown with brush and trees.
- e. Test Flood Analysis Based upon "Preliminary Guidance for Estimating Maximum Probable Discharge", dated March 1978, the watershed classification (rolling) and hydraulic/hydrologic computations, the test flood will be considered equivalent to the Probable Maximum Flood (PMF) of 9600 cfs. The one-half PMF is considered to be equivalent to 4800 cfs. Peak outflow is 9100 cfs with the dam overtopped by 0.1+ (Appendix D-8) and with the swale in the road just to the right of the dam overtopped by 1.4 feet (Appendix D-3 and D-8). A lake elevation equal to the top of the dam will generate flows of 7,000 cfs over the spillway and 1,400 cfs over the road swale. The capacity of the spillway is approximately 77% of the routed test flood outflow.
- f. Dam Failure Analysis Utilizing the April, 1978, "Rule of Thumb Guidance for Estimating Downstream Dam Failure Hydrographs", the peak failure outflow from the dam breaching would be 15,300 cfs. A breach of the dam would result in a rise of 2.0 feet in the water level of the stream at the initial impact area, which corresponds to an increase in the water level from a depth of 9.1 feet just before the breach, to a depth of 11.1 feet just after the breach. The 9.1 foot depth generated prior to dam failure by the spillway discharge and spillage over the road swale would inundate 6 or more houses by some 3 feet. The rapid 2.0 foot increase in the water level generated by dam failure would increase the inundation of these houses to a depth of some 5 feet.

SECTION 6: STRUCTURAL STABILITY

6.1 EVALUATION OF STRUCTURAL STABILITY

- a. <u>Visual Observations</u> The visual inspection did not reveal any indications of stability problems. There are areas of seepage, deterioration and erosion, as described in Section 3, however they are not considered stability concerns at the present time.
- b. Design and Construction Data The drawings and data available and listed in Appendix B were not sufficient to perform an in-depth stability analysis of the dam. No engineering assumptions, data or calculations could be found for the original design of the dam.
- c. Operating Records The operating records available do not include any indications of dam instability since its construction in 1890.
- d. <u>Post Construction Changes</u> The post-construction changes of the project include the following data:
 - (1) Dam reconstruction in 1900; however there is no information available for the work done on the dam.
 - (2) Widening of the upstream side of the dam and installation of a new 20 inch outlet pipe in the early 1960's. This pipe was placed 8 to 9 feet above the old outlet pipe, which was damaged during construction and plugged with concrete.
 - (3) Refurbishing of the gate house and installation of a new gate valve for the 20 inch outlet pipe in the mid 1970's.
- e. <u>Seismic Stability</u> The project is in Seismic Zone l and according to the Recommended Guidelines, need not to be evaluated for seismic stability.

SECTION 7: ASSESSMENT, RECOMMENDATIONS AND REMEDIAL MEASURES

7.1 PROJECT ASSESSMENT

a. <u>Condition</u> - Based upon the visual inspection of the site and past performance, the project appears to be in good condition. No evidence of structural instability was observed in the dam, dike or appurtenant structures. The dam embankment is generally in good condition with areas of minor concern which require maintenance and monitoring.

Based upon "Preliminary Guidance for Estimating Maximum Probable Discharge" dated March, 1978, the watershed classification and hydraulic/hydrologic computations, peak inflow to the lake is 9,600 cubic feet per second (cfs); peak outflow is 9,100 cfs with the dam overtopped 0.1 feet. Based upon our hydraulic computations, the spillway capacity to the top of dam is 7000 cfs, which is equivalent to approximately 77% of the routed Test Flood outflow.

- b. Adequacy of Information The information available is such that an assessment of the condition and stability of the project must be based solely on visual inspection, past performance and sound engineering judgement.
- c. <u>Urgency</u> It is recommended that the measures presented in Section 7.2 and 7.3 be implemented within 1 year of the owner's receipt of this report.
- d. Need for Additional Information There is a need for additional information as recommended in Section 7.2.

7.2 RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that further studies be made by a registered professional engineer qualified in dam design and inspection pertaining to the following:

- 1. The affect of the present elevation of the outlet pipe on drawdown capabilities of the project. Recommendations for a means of lowering the lake level to the elevation of the original low-level outlet should be made by the engineer and implemented by the owner.
- Installation of the outlet valve on the upstream side of the dam, so as to eliminate pressures in the outlet pipe when the valve is in a closed position.

7.3 REMEDIAL MEASURES

a. Operation and Maintenance Procedure - The following measures should be undertaken within the time period indicated in Section 7.1.c, and continued on a regular basis.

- Round-the-clock surveillance should be provided by the owner during periods of unusually heavy precipitation or high project discharge. The owner should develop and implement a downstream warning system in case of emergencies at the dam.
- 2. A formal program of operation and maintenance procedures should be instituted and fully documented to provide accurate records for future reference.
- A comprehensive program of inspection by a registered, professional engineer qualified in dam inspection should be instituted on a biennial basis.
- 4. Erosion on the upstream slope and crest of the dam should be filled, compacted and riprap protection placed. Riprap should also be placed along the entire upstream slope to protect against future erosion.
- Cracks in the paved road on the dam crest and damaged joints on the spillway crest should be sealed.
- 6. The source of the seepage at the right side of the downstream toe of the dam should be identified and monitored periodically.
- 7. Trees and brush on the crest, upstream and downstream slopes and toe of the dam, dike and spillway should be removed. The cutting of grass and brush on these areas of the dam and dike should be continued as part of the routine maintenance.
- 8. The abandoned low-level outlet should be sealed to prevent further leakage from the pipe.
- Remove brush, logs and other material dumped on the downstream side of the right abutment.

7.4 ALTERNATIVES

This study has identified no practical alternatives to the above recommendations.

APPENDIX A INSPECTION CHECKLIST

VISUAL INSPECTION CHECK LIST PARTY ORGANIZATION

PROJECT Pinewood Lake	Dam	DATE: September 17, 1979	
		TIME: 9:30am - 0:30pm	-
		WEATHER: Synny, 70°F	
		W.S. ELEV. 168.9 U.S DN.	s
PARTY:	INITIALS:	DISCIPLINE:	
1. PETER M HEYMEN	PMH	Geotechnical	
2. MIRON PETROVSKY	<u>MP</u>	Geotechnical	.
3. HECTOR MORENO	<u>НМ</u>	Hydraulic	
4. GEORGE BASSILAKIS	GB	Hydraulic	_
5. JAY COSTELLO		Geo technical.	
6. Frank Segaline	FS	Survey	
PROJECT FEATURE		INSPECTED BY REMARKS	
1. <u>Dam</u>	·	PMH, MP, FS, JC	
2. DIKE		PMH, MP, FS, JC	
3. MASONTY Spillway		GB, HM,MP,FS	
		PMH, MP, JC	
5. LOW-LEVEL OUTLE	,	PMH, MP, JC, HM	
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PROJECT Pinewood Lake Dam DATE Sept. 17, 1979

PROJECT FEATURE Dam BY PHH. MP. FS, JC

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CONDITION
/73,3
168.9
Unknown
None observed
Cracks on central portion of crest
) No a deamand
None observed
Appears good
Good
None observed
Some
Erosion on U/S SLOPE
Sparse boulders
None observed
Seep & wet area at d/s toe
None observed
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Unknown
N/A

PROJECT DIE AND LOKE AIM DATE Sept 17 1970

PROJECT FEATURE DIKE BY FINN, MP, FS, JC

AREA EVALUATED	CONDITION
	- CONDITION
DIKE EMBANKMENT	171.6
Crest Elevation	171.6
Current Pool Elevation	168.9
Maximum Impoundment to Date	Unknown
Surface Cracks	None observed
Pavement Condition	N/A
Movement or Settlement of Crest	None observed
Lateral Movement	γ
Vertical Alignment	Appears good
Horizontal Alignment	
Condition at Abutment and at Concrete Structures	Good
Indications of Movement of Structural Items on Slopes	N/A
Sloughing or Erosion of Slopes or Abutments	None observed
Rock Slope Protection-Riprap Failures	Heavy regetation
Unusual Movement or Cracking at or Near Toes	
Unusual Embankment or Downstream Seepage	None observed
Piping or Boils	Y
Foundation Drainage Features]
Toe Drains	\ N/A
Instrumentation System	Some
Trespassing on Slopes	Some

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PROJECT Pinewood Lake Dam DATE Sept. 17, 1979

PROJECT FEATURE Gatehouse BY PMH, MP, JC

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CONDITION

OUTLET WORKS-CONTROL TOWER

a) Concrete and Structura:

General Condition

Condition of Joints

Spalling

Visible Reinforcing

Rusting or Staining of Concrete

Any Seepage or Efflorescence

Joint Alignment

Unusual Seepage or Leak.: in Gate Chamber

Cracks

Rusting or Corrosion of Steel

b) Mechanical and Electrical

Air Vents

Float Wells

Crane Hoist

Elevator

Hydraulic System

Service Gates

Emergency Gates

Lightning Protection Descem

Emergency Power System

Wiring and Lighting System

Stone masonry structure

Good

Not observed

None observed

N/A

N/A

None observed

Not observed

None observed

N/A

N/A

20" gate valve, operable

N/A

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PROJECT Pinewood Lake Dam DATE Sept. 17, 1979

PROJECT FEATURE LOW-LEVEL OUTLET BY PMH, MP, JC, HM

AREA EVALUATED	CONDITION
OUTLET WORKS-OUTLET STRUCTURE AND OUTLET CHANNEL	Downstream Masonry Wall of Garehouse
General Condition of Concrete	Good
Rust or Staining	N/A
Spalling	} None observed
Erosion or Cavitation	
Visible Reinforcing	N/A
Any Seepage or Efflorescence	None observed
Condition at Joints	Good
Drain Holes	N/A
Channel	
Loose Rock or Trees Overhanging Channel	Some trees
Condition of Discharge Channel	Boulders, logs and brush in channel

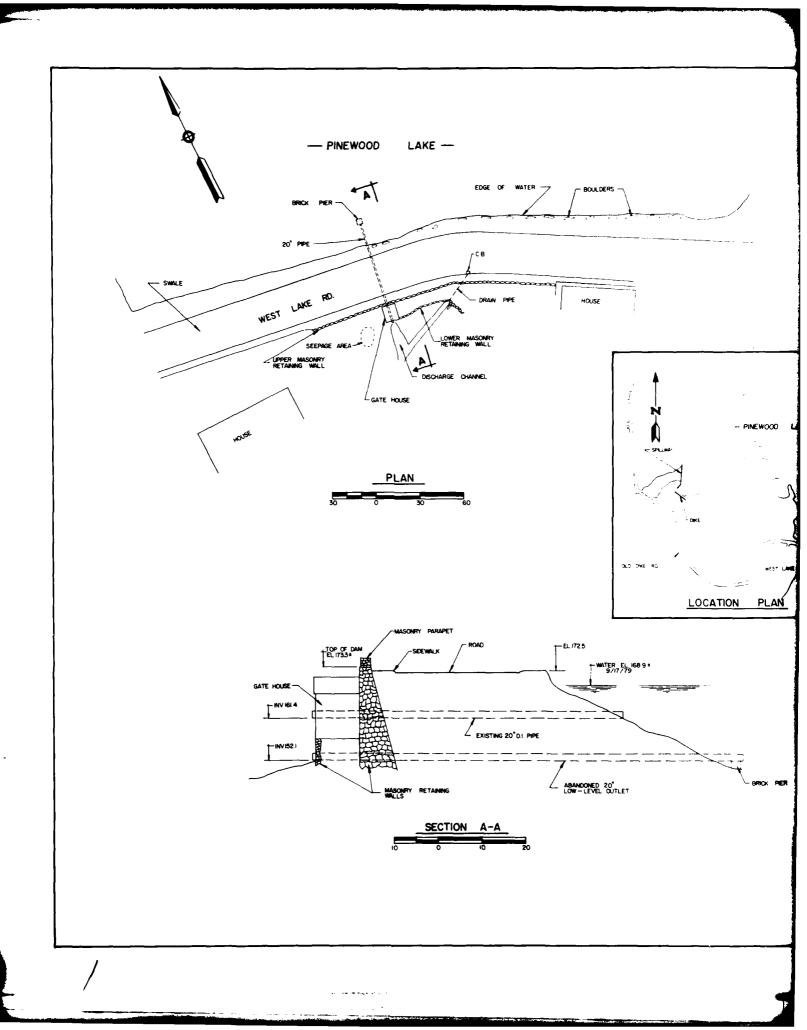
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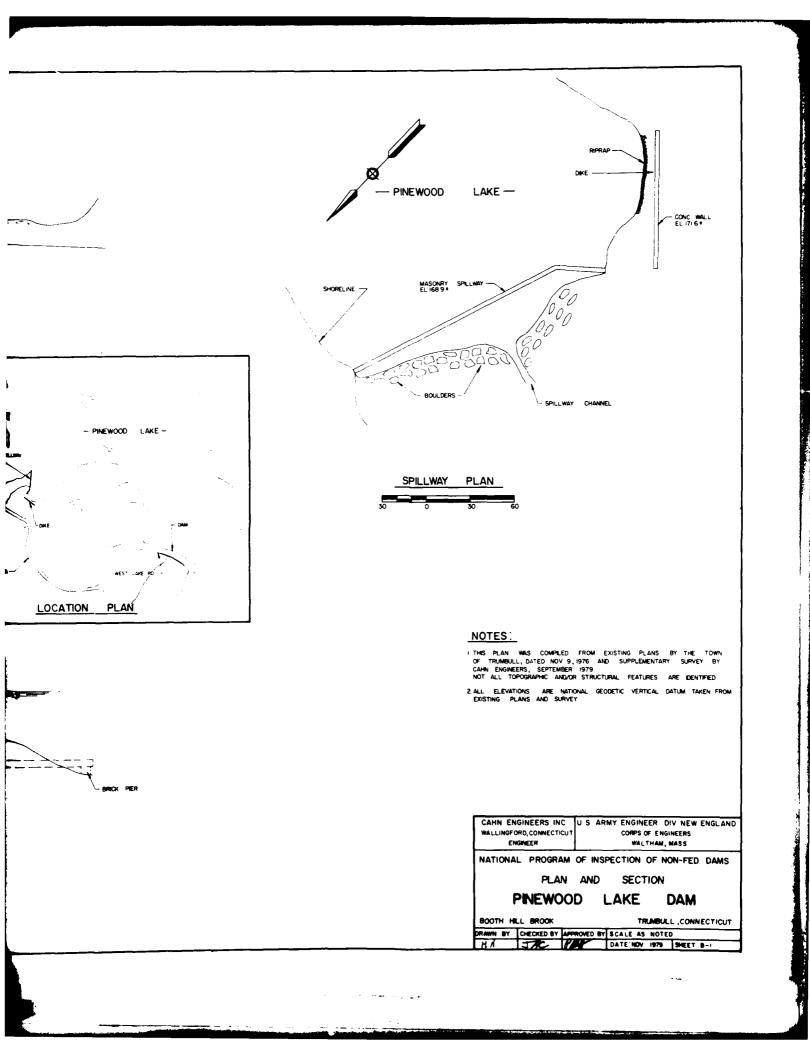
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PROJECT FEATURE Masonry Spillway BY PMH, MP, TC

	AREA EVALUATED	CONDITION
OUT	PLET WORKS-SPILLWAY WEIR, APPROACH AND DISCHARGE CHANNELS	Stone Masonry Structure
a)	Approach Channel General Condition Loose Rock Overhanging Channel	Good None observed
L	Trees Overhanging Channel Floor of Approach Channel	Not observed
b)	Weir and Training Walls General Condition of Concrete Rust or Staining	Good N/A Damage mortar joints on crest
	Any Visible Reinforcing Any Seepage or Efflorescence Drain Holes	N/A None observed N/A
c)	Discharge Channel General Condition Loose Rock Overhanging Channel Trees Overhanging Channel Floor of Channel Other Obstructions	Fair None observed Some Bedrock Boulders, trees & brush in spillway channel

APPENDIX B ENGINEERING DATA AND CORRESPONDENCE





PINEWOOD LAKE DAM

EXISTING DATA

"Gatehouse and Pipe for Pinewood Lake" November 9, 1976 Town Engineering Office Trumbull, Conn. 2 sheets

"Topographic Map of Town of Trumbull, Connecticut" July, 1964
Abrams Aerial Survey Corp.
Lansing, Michigan
Sheets I-7, I-8, H-8

SUMMARY OF DATA AND CORRESPONDENCE

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July 24, 1964	Files	Water Resources Commission State of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection	Inventory Data	B-2
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Oct. 31, 1977	Robert Somichsen	Glenn G. Wright Pinewood Lake Association	Installation of new pipe and valve at dam.	B-5
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Nov. 4, 1977	Edward Curtiss, Chairman, Pinewood Lake Association	Inland Wetlands and Water Courses Commission, Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection	Permit for installation of pipe	B-7
A ug. 30, 1978	File	<pre>Paul A. Kallmeyer, P.E./ L.S. Town Engineer, Trumbull, Conn.</pre>	Notes from meeting concerning pipe installation	B-8

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te_	24 DLY 1964	Ln+41-15.1	
	Name of Dan or Pond	DINEWOOD LAKE	
	Code No.	PQ 5.7 BH 11	
•	Nearest Street Loca	ation BIRCHWOOD ROAD	
	Town	TRUMBULL	
	U.S.G.S. Quad	LONG HILL	
	Name of Stream	BUETH HILL BILDON	•
	Owner	in yourd lake liss. Inc.	11
	Address	_ · · - · - · - · · · · · · · · · · ·	1/2-
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Lt. Col. John Reid 236 Pinewood Trail Trumbull, Connecticut

Dear Colonel Reid:

Reference is made to your letter asking for an investigation of the lack of flow in a brook that leads into Pinewood Lake. A field inspection was made on September 14, 1965 just after a rain, on September 30, 1965 after a period of no rain, and again on October 1, 1965 during a heavy rainfall.

The State laws concerning dams place under the jurisdiction of this Commission any dams, "which, by breaking away or otherwise, might endanger life or property" (Section 25-110). As a result of the inspection it is our opinion that the dam which Mr. Fenyes built would not endanger life or property if it failed and therefore is not under State jurisdiction. It was noted that water was flowing over a low spot in the dam and was also flowing in the brook tributary to Pinewood Lake. There was no sign that Mr. Fenyes was using the water on the dates of the inspections.

The drainage area above the location where the dam has been constructed is so small that it is not surprising that the stream flow would be negligible during the recent dry spell. It was also observed that other similar or slightly larger drainage areas in your immediate vicinity are not producing any significant stream flow. These observations apply to the other tributaries to Pinewood Lake as well as the one about which you complain.

The investigation also brought out the fact that there was no significant flow from the impoundment immediately upstream of where the dam you mentioned has recently been constructed. We would not expect that the new construction would be responsible for reducing the stream flow when none is being received from the upstream impoundment.

Lt. Col. John Reid - 2 - October 4, 1965

If the use of water for irrigation represents a difficulty to you, this is a matter of your property rights against that of the upstream user and no statutory control of such matters is assigned to this agency.

Very truly yours,

Thomas H. Nash Field Inspector

THN:dlp

October 28, 1977

State Office Bldg. Room 215 165 Capital Avenue Hartford, CT 06115

ATTN: Robert Somichsen

WATER RESOURCES
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Gentlemen:

The following is what and how we will install new pipe and valve at Pinewood Lake.

1. Pipe- 20" Ductile Iron approx. 80' long.

2. Steel collars welded to pipe (4) more if required.

3. All unsuitable material taken out of trench to be replaced with bankrun gravel.

- 4. All materials will be mechanically compacted at various levels when returing material to trench.
- 5. Up stream end of pipe will be placed on a sturdy foundation.
- 6. Up stream trash rack to be installed per your specifications or recomendations.
- 7. Down stream catch dam made of straw and wire fence to be installed to catch silt.
- 8. Pipe will be welded together with steel rod.

All the above has been incorporated into our contract with our contractor. Also the Town of Trumbull will be suprised to see that all your requirements are followed as well as theirs.

Thank you for your cooperation and if at all possible give the deliverer of this letter some letter of approval as we have our hearing with the Inland-Wetland Commission Monday night, October 31, 1977.

Yours truly,

Glenn G. Wright

Pinewood Lake Association

136 Old Dyke Road Trumbull, CT 06611

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JOHN K. DONNELLY
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

PAUL A. KALLMEYER TOWN ENGINEER



TOWN HALL PHONE 261-3631

November 1, 1977

NOTES: reference Pinewood Lake, Trumbull, Conn.

- 1. Dam was constructed in 1890 Re-constructed in 1900
- The statistics of the dam are:
 a. Thirty (30') feet high
 b. 3.3' to the spillway

Implying that there is 26.7' of water impounded behind the spillway.

- 3. The elevation of the dam is 168.8 feet, and therefore, the elevation of the spillway is 165.6 feet.
- 4. The dam is 350 feet long, and the spillway is 185 feet wide.
- 5. The surface of the lake is 63.8 acres, and impounds 205 million gallons of water.

The above information obtained from "one of a kind" text on file in the office of Mr. D. Loiselle, Bridgeport Hydraulic Company, and submitted to the Town of Trumbull Engineering Department by Mr. John DeCelle, Engineering Department of the Bridgeport Hydraulic Company.

Paul A. Kallmeyer, PE/LS Town Engineer

Town of Trumbull

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TOWN HALL
TRUMBULL, CONNECTICUT

November 4, 1977

CERTIFIED

Mr. Edward Curtis, Chairman Pinewood Lake Association P.O. Box 118 Pinewood Lake Trumbull, Connecticut 06611

Re: Application #77-27

Dear Mr. Curtis:

The subject application was received on October 20, 1977 and was reviewed by the Inland Wetlands and Water Courses Commission for permission to excavate and install a new pipe for the purpose of providing means of lowering Pinewood Lake.

On November 1, 1977 the Inland Wetlands and Water Courses Commission of the Town of Trumbull voted as follows:

That the proposed activity is not a significant activity under the regulations and is approved to proceed without a public hearing of the Inland Wetlands and Water Courses Commission subject to the following condition:

1. A formal note must be added to the plans stating, "the new pipe shown hereon is not the design of the Town Engineer".

Work shall proceed according to the plans presented, subject to the attached general conditions.

Said action has been fixed to become effective on November 7, 1977 and a copy thereof has been filed and recorded in the office of the Town Clerk

INLAND WETLANDS AND WATER COURSES COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF TRUMBULL

BWM:kb

Enc.

cc: Town Clerk
Town Engineer
Commissioner D.E.P.
Mr. James Boyhen
Mr. Glenn Wright
File

Barbara W. Maslen, Secretary



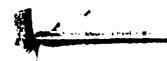
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT (INLAND WETLANDS AND WATER COURSES)

General information to be supplied by all applicants for a permit.

1.	Name of Applicant Pinewood Lake Association
	Address P.O. Box 118, Pinewood Lake, Trumbull, Conn. Telephone
	Chairman Lake Preservation - Edward Curtis Business Address President - James Boyhen Telephone 375-5507 Telephone 377-4778
2.	Name of property owner of record Town of Trumbull, Pinewood Lake Association
	AddressTelephone
	Business Address Telephone
3.	The undersigned hereby authorizes
	(Applicant) to act as Agent in my behalf as related to this application.
	WATER RESOURCES
	(Owner) RECEIVED
	Indicate if other than property owner 4 SEP 1 1 1978
	Applicant's interest in property (lessee, licensee, etc.)
	Lake Pipe & Valve under West Lake Road REFERRED
4.	Location of property as identified in the Land Records of Trumbull, Connecticut on file in the office of the Town Clerk
	Dam at South End of Pinewood Lake (West Lake Road)
5.	Names and addresses of adjacent property owners
	Donegan, John 62 West Lake Road
	Zitnay, Andrew Lot (West of Pipe on West Lake Road)

6. Description of proposed activity and location of property: Include listing of all proposed regulated activities.

Excavation, installation of new pipe and value at a depth of 14' to 17' below main water level, and repair of road. Purpose is to provide means of lowering Pinewood Lake farther than is now possible, thereby, permitting dredging of the lake bottom and aiding in improving quality of lake water.



15. Physical Data

- a. Material to be deposited and/or excavated
 - 1. Area. 10,000 CO MANDS, OUR AREA IS BOD SE PET.
 - 2. Volume.
 - 3. Physical composition (texture, components) of material to be deposited. re: deposition of existing materials
 - Chemical composition of all toxic materials, whether such materials are enclosed in containers or deposited openly.
 - 5. Potential chemical reactions of deposited materials yielding toxic products or concentrations of products hazardous to the ecosystem.
 - 6. Final height of filled area above seasonal high water table. N/A
 - 7. Texture and composition of soil left after excavation. as existing
 - 8. Slope of excavation. OPEN TREACH R° 16 FT DEEP
 - 9. Depth to water table or water level if inundated after excavation. N/A

16. Water Course Data

- a. Open water characteristics
 - 1. Size of ponds or lakes. 72 ACRES
 - 2. Maximum depth and if possible volume of water. 17 = \(\text{13800C}_{\text{GALS}}
- b. Stream characteristics
 - 1. Intermittent or permanent. permanent
 - 2. Minimum and maximum seasonal flows. varies, this area is an auxilliary spillway
- c. Known flood levels to be indicated on map (25-year flood)

none

- d. Discharges if any
 - 1. Type N/A
 - 2. Frequency and volume N/A
 - 3. Chemical composition N/A
- e. Creation of new water bodies Detailed information will be required.

N/A

Town of Trumbull

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JOHN K. DONNELLY
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TOWN HALL PHONE 261-3631

August 30, 1978

Notes with reference to a Pre-construction meeting, concerning the Pinewood Lake Pipe Project, held as of this date, in the conference room of the Town Hall, Trumbull, Conn.

Present: Paul A. Kallmeyer, PE/LS, Town Engineer
Capt. Jon Ebling, Police Department
Joseph Adzima, Fire Marshal
Chief Douglas Doyle, Nichols Fire Dept.'
Frederick Bietsch, Liasion Officer, Pinewood Lake Assn.
Glen Wright, President, Pinewood Lake Assn.
Richard Stinchcomb, Secretary, Pinewood Lake Assn.
Edward Curtis, Representative, Pinewood Lake Assn.
Shelley Ralston, Emergency Medical Services
Larry Burns, Bridgeport Hydraulic Company
Mr. Domonic DiCamillo, Contractor

- * (Mr. Wm. Stevenson, Board of Education, did not attend the meeting).
- 1. Seventeen (17') to eighteen (18') feet of excavation depth.
- 2. To start the last week in September; waiting for pipe delivery-twenty (20") inch; ordered one week ago; four to five week delivery.
- 3. Boulders from the excavation shall not be used for backfill.
- 4. <u>Larry Burns</u>, Bridgeport Hydraulic Co.: Do we have Corps of Engineers permit? <u>Glen Wright</u> advised by the State not to go for it.
- 5. Road closed ten (10) to fourteen (14) days.
- 6. Mr. DiCamillo says five (5) days, if all goes well.

Pro-Construction Meeting, August 30, 1978 Pinewood Lake Pipe Project

- 7. Barricades to be placed by Town at the following four (4) locations:
 - a. West Lake Road at Old Dike Road (with an opening for local traffic only).
 - East Lake Road at Southgate Road (with an opening for local traffic only).
 - c. One at each side of proposed construction.
- ** 8. To recheck with Southern Conn. Gas Co. again.
 - 9. Need a week's notice from Pinewood Lake Assn. for newspapers, schools and Emergency Medical Service. Town will then contact all parties.
 - 10. Town will notify Board of Education re school busses. (under same arrangement as Item #9).
 - Contractor must leave intersection of Old Saw Mill Road and West Lake Road open from any vehicular parking.
 - 12. Pinewood Lake Assn. will have a night watchman; no public knowledge is to be made of this fact.
 - Coordinate with Police Dept. on scuba divers for Sept. 11, 1978 - start of lowering of lake.
 - 14. Suggest permanent buoys or markers on the cages.
 - * Spoke with Mr. Wm. Stevenson, Board of Education, at 11:00 a.m. and informed him of the meeting.
 - ** Spoke with Mr. Ken Ryan, Southern Conn. Gas Co. at 11:00 a.m., and he said "no gas".

Respectfully submitted,

Paul A. Kallmeyer, PE/LS

Town Engineer

K:aod cc: To all present file

APPENDIX C
DETAIL PHOTOGRAPHS

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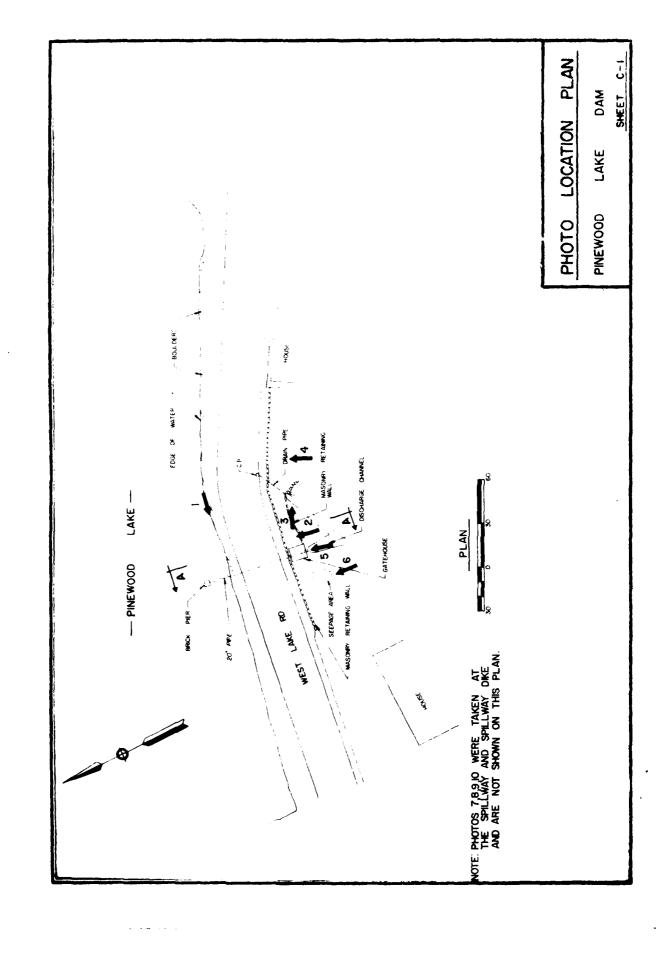




Photo 1 - Upstream slope and crest of dam (Sept. 1979)



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Photo 3 - Downstream toe of dam left of gatehouse (Sept 1979)



Photo 4 - Downstream face and toe of dam (Sept 1979)

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Photo 5 - Gatehouse and outlet discharge channel (Sept 1979)



Photo 6 - Seep at right side of toe of dam (Sept 1979)

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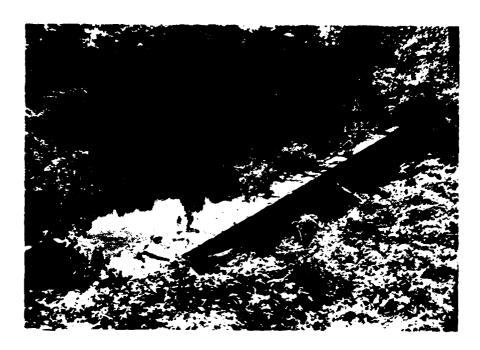


Photo 7 - Masonry spillway (Sept. 1979)



Photo 8 - Spillway discharge channel (Sept 1979)

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Photo 9 - Crest and concrete retaining wall of dike 'sett.1979'



Photo 10 - Upstream riprap of dike (Sept. 1979)

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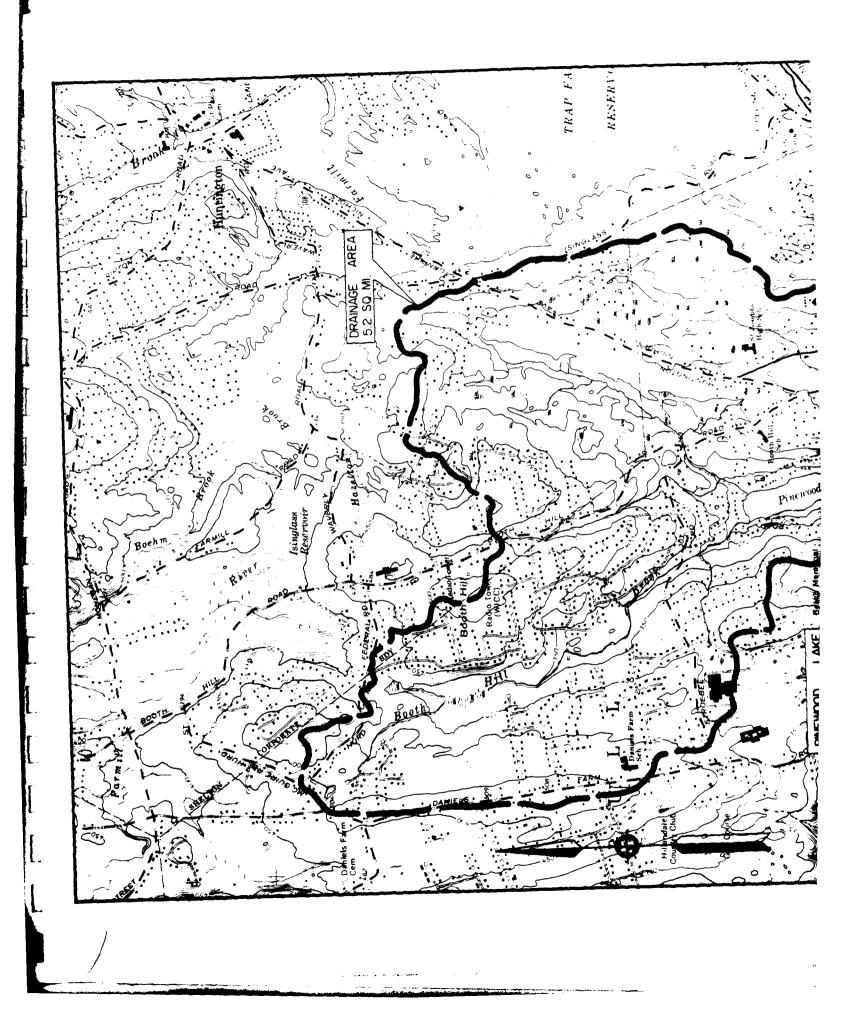
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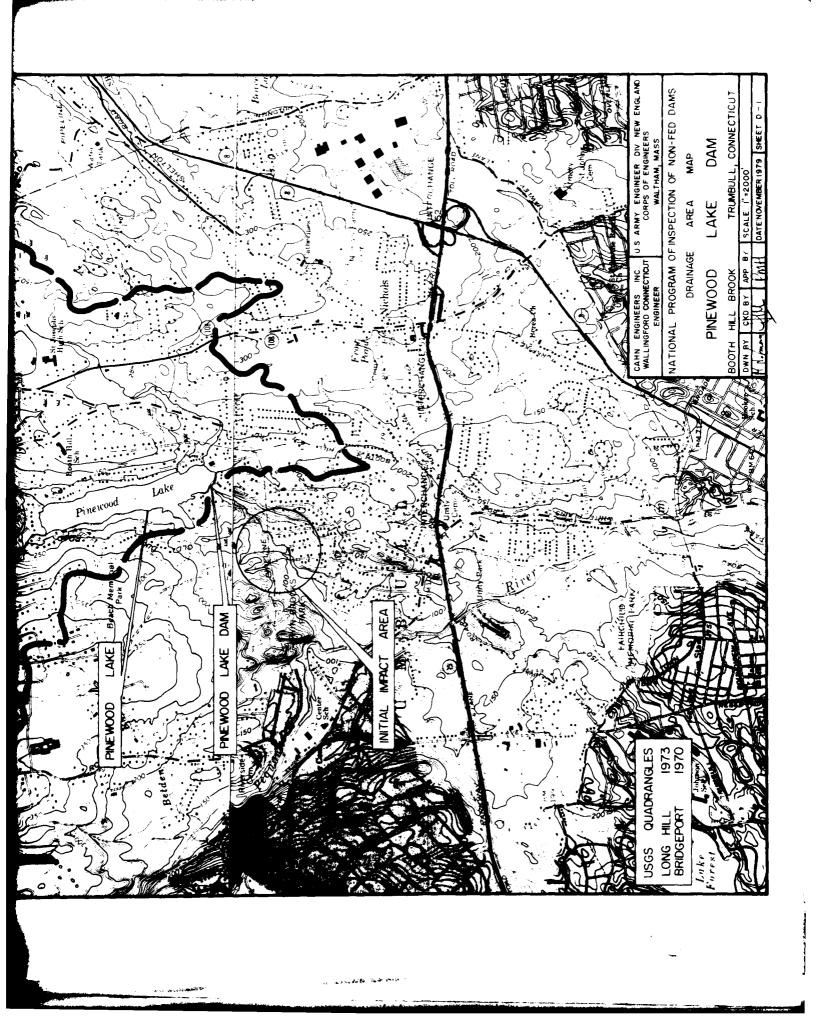
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PRELIMINARY GUIDANCE

FOR ESTIMATING

MAXIMUM PROBABLE DISCHARGES

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New England Division Corps of Engineers

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MAXIMJM PROBABLE FLOOD INFLOWS NED RESERVOIRS

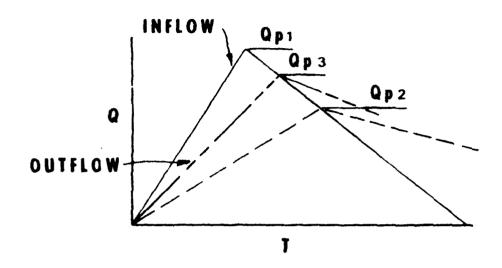
	Project	<u>Q</u> (cfs)	(sq. mi.)	cfs/sq. mi.
1.	Hall Meadow Brook	26,600	17.2	1,546
2.	East Branch	15,500	9.25	1,675
3.	Thomaston	158,000	97.2	1,625
4.	Northfield Brook	9,000	5.7	1,580
5.	Black Rock	35,000	20.4	1,715
6.	Hancock Brook	20,700	12.0	1,725
7.	Hop Brook	26,400	16.4	1,610
8.	Tully	47,000	50.0	940
9.	Barre Falls	61,000	55.0	1,109
10.	Conant Brook	11,900	7.8	1,525
11.	Knightville	160,000	162.0	987
12.	Littleville	98,000	52.3	1,870
13.	Colebrook River	165,000	118.0	1,400
14.	Mad River	30,000	18.2	1,650
15.	Sucker Brook	6,500	3.43	1,895
16.	Union Village	110,000	126.0	873
17.	North Hartland	199,000	220.0	904
18.	North Springfield	157,000	158.0	994
19.		190,000	172.0	1,105
20.	Townshend	228,000	106.0(278 tot	al) 820
21.	Surry Mountain	63,000	100.0	630
22.		45,000	47.0	957 505
23.		88,500	175.0	
24.	East Brimfield	73,900	67.5	1,095
25.	Westville	38,400	99.5 (32 net)	1,200
26.	West Thompson	85,000	173.5(74 net)	1,150
27.	Hodges Village	35,600	31.1	1,145
28.		36,500	26.5	1,377
29.	Mansfield Hollow	125,000	159.0	786
30.	West Hill	26,000	28.0	928
31.	Franklin Falls	210,000	1000.0	210
3.1.	Blackwater	66,500	128.0	520
11.		135,000	426.0	316
34.	Everett	68,000	64.0	1,062
35.	MacDowell 1	36,300	44.0	825

MAXIMUM PROBABLE FLOWS BASED ON TWICE THE STANDARD PROJECT FLOOD (Flat and Coastal Areas)

River	$\frac{SPF}{(cfs)}$	(sq. mi.)	(cfs/sq. mi.)
1. Pawtuxet River	19,000	200	190
2. Mill River (R.I.)	8,500	34	500
3. Peters River (R.I.)	3,200	13	490
4. Kettle Brook	8,000	30	530
5. Sudbury River.	11,700	86	270
6. Indian Brook (Hopk.)	1,000	5.9	340
7. Charles River.	6,000	184	65
8. Blackstone River.	43,000	416	200
9. Quinebaug River	55,000	331	330

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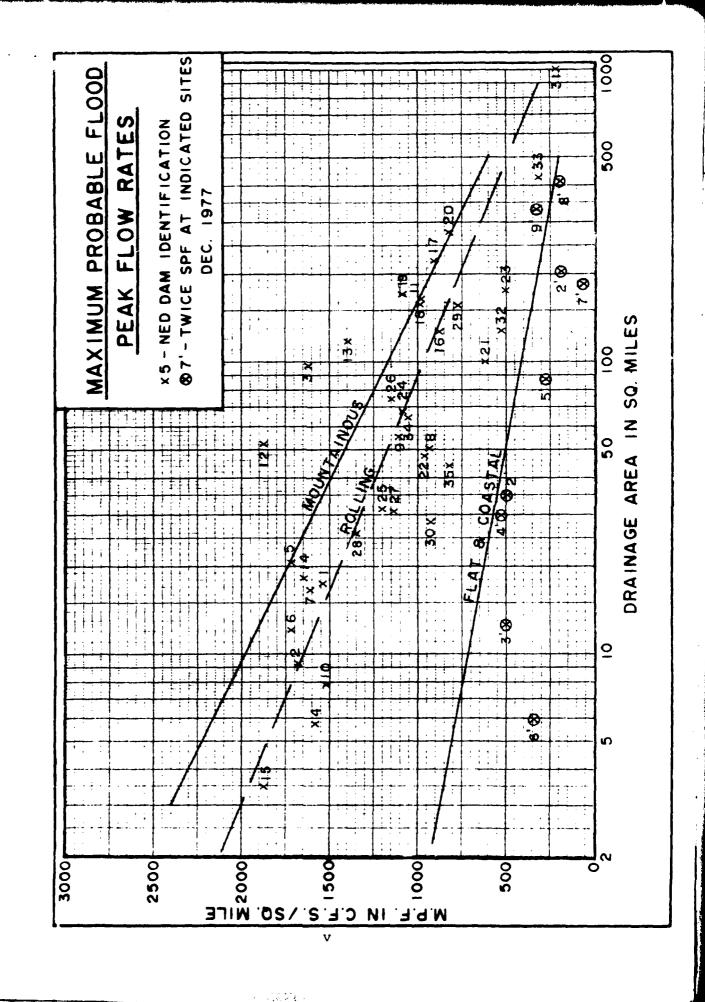
ESTIMATING EFFECT OF SURCHARGE STORAGE ON MAXIMUM PROBABLE DISCHARGES



- STEP 1: Determine Peak Inflow (Qp1) from Guide Curves.
- STEP 2: a. Determine Surcharge Height To Pass ''Qp1''.
 - b. Determine Volume of Surcharge (STOR1) In Inches of Runoff.
 - c. Maximum Probable Flood Runoff In New England equals Approx. 19'', Therefore:

$$Qp2 = Qp1 \times (1 - \frac{STOR1}{19})$$

- STEP 3: a. Determine Surcharge Height and "STOR2" To Pass "Qp2"
 - b. Average "STOR1" and "STOR2" and Determine Average Surcharge and Resulting Peak Outflow "Qp3".



SURCHARGE STORAGE ROUTING SUPPLEMENT

- STEP 3: a. Determine Surcharge Height and "STOR2" To Pass "Qp2"
 - b. Avg ''STOR1'' and ''STOR2'' and Compute ''Qp3''.
 - c. If Surcharge Height for Qp3 and "STORAVG" agree O.K. If Not:
- STEP 4: a. Determine Surcharge Height and ''STOR3'' To Pass ''Qp3''
 - b. Avg. "Old STORAVG" and "STOR₃" and Compute "Qp4"
 - c. Surcharge Height for Qp4 and "New STOR Avg" should Agree closely

SURCHARGE STORAGE ROUTING ALTERNATE

$$Q_{p2} = Q_{p1} \times \left(1 - \frac{STOR}{19}\right)$$

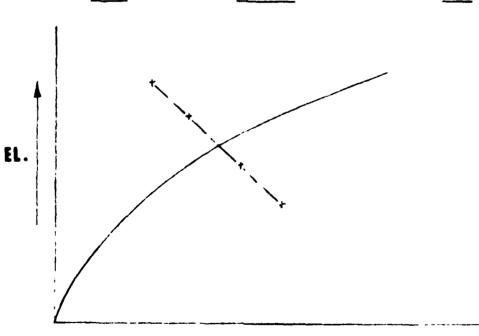
$$Q_{p2} = Q_{p1} - Q_{p1} \left(\frac{STOR}{19} \right)$$

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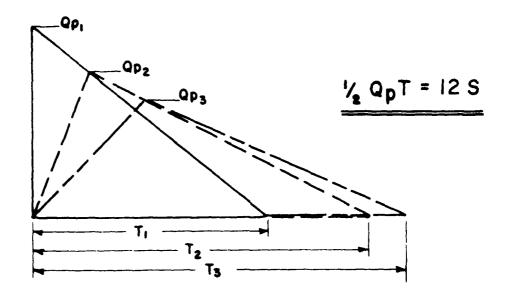
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"RULE OF THUMB" GUIDANCE FOR ESTIMATING DOWNSTREAM DAM FAILURE HYDROGRAPHS



STEP 1: DETERMINE OR ESTIMATE RESERVOIR STORAGE (S) IN AC-FT AT TIME OF FAILURE.

STEP 2: DETERMINE PEAK FAILURE OUTFLOW (Q_{p1}) .

W_b= BREACH WIDTH - SUGGEST VALUE NOT GREATER THAN 40° OF DAM LENGTH ACROSS RIVER AT MID HEIGHT.

Yo = TOTAL HEIGHT FROM RIVER BED TO POOL LEVEL AT FAILURE.

STEP 3: USING USGS TOPO OR OTHER DATA, DEVELOP REPRESENTATIVE STAGE-DISCHARGE RATING FOR SELECTED DOWNSTREAM RIVER REACH.

STEP 4: ESTIMATE REACH OUTFLOW (Q_{p2}) USING FOLLOWING ITERATION.

- A. APPLY Q_{p1} TO STAGE RATING, DETERMINE STAGE AND ACCOPMANYING VOLUME (V_1) IN REACH IN AC-FT. (NOTE: IF V_1 EXCEEDS 1/2 OF S, SELECT SHORTER REACH.)
- B. DETERMINE TRIAL Q_{p2} .

 $Qp_2(TR;AL) = Qp_1(1-\frac{V_1}{S})$

- C. COMPUTE V_2 USING Q_{p2} (TRIAL).
- D. AVERAGE V_1 AND V_2 AND COMPUTE Q_{p2} .

 $Qp_2 = Qp_1 \left(1 - \frac{V_{\text{max}}}{S}\right)$

STEP 5: FOR SUCCEEDING REACHES REPEAT STEPS 3 AND 4.

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APPENDIX E

INFORMATION AS CONTAINED IN THE NATIONAL INVENTORY OF DAMS

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