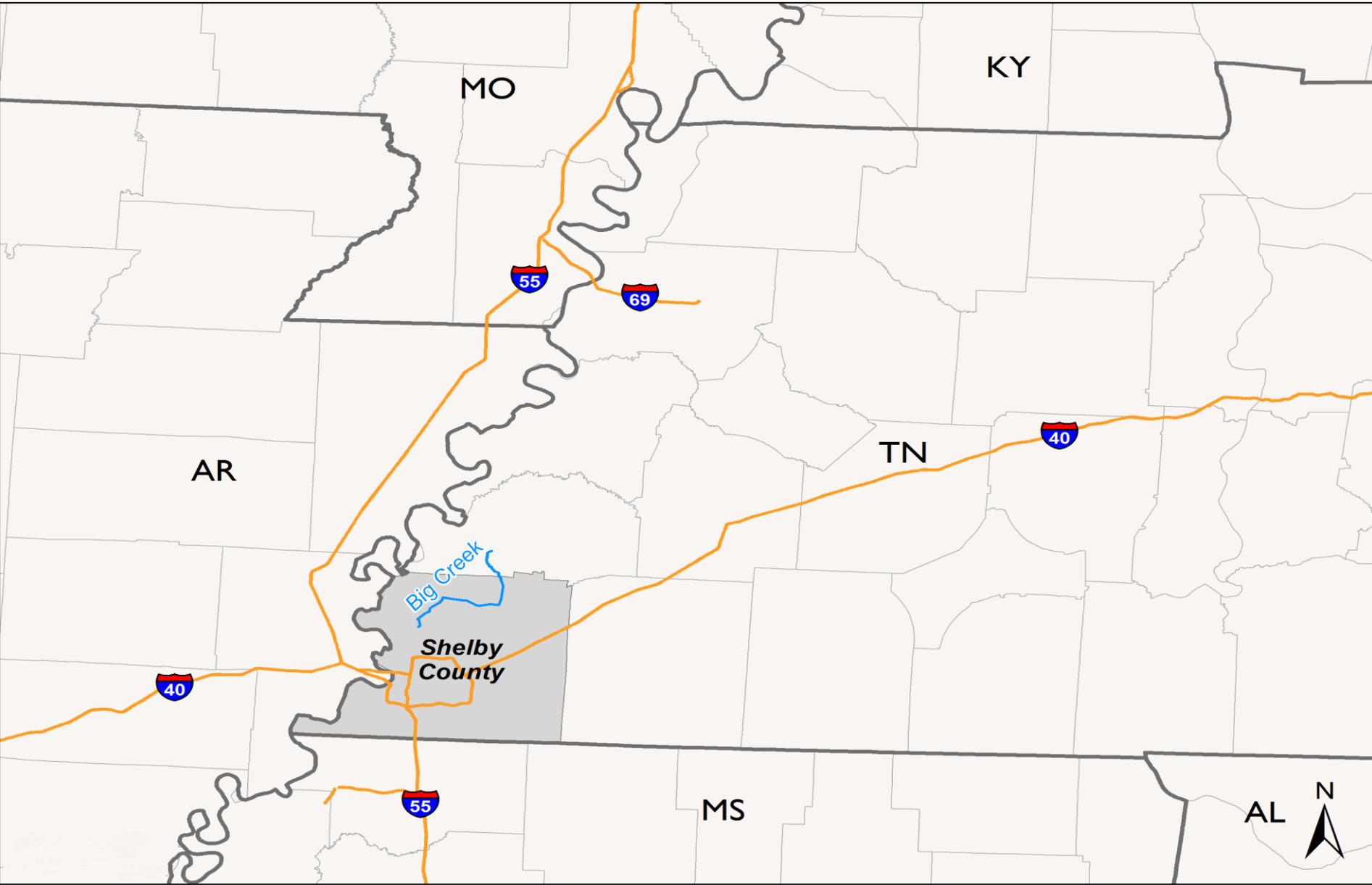


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# BIG CREEK DRAINAGE STUDY

October 2014





# STUDY ELEMENTS

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Big Creek basin data collection

Hydrologic modeling

Hydraulic modeling

Flood mitigation projects

# DATA COLLECTION

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Data collected consisted of the following:

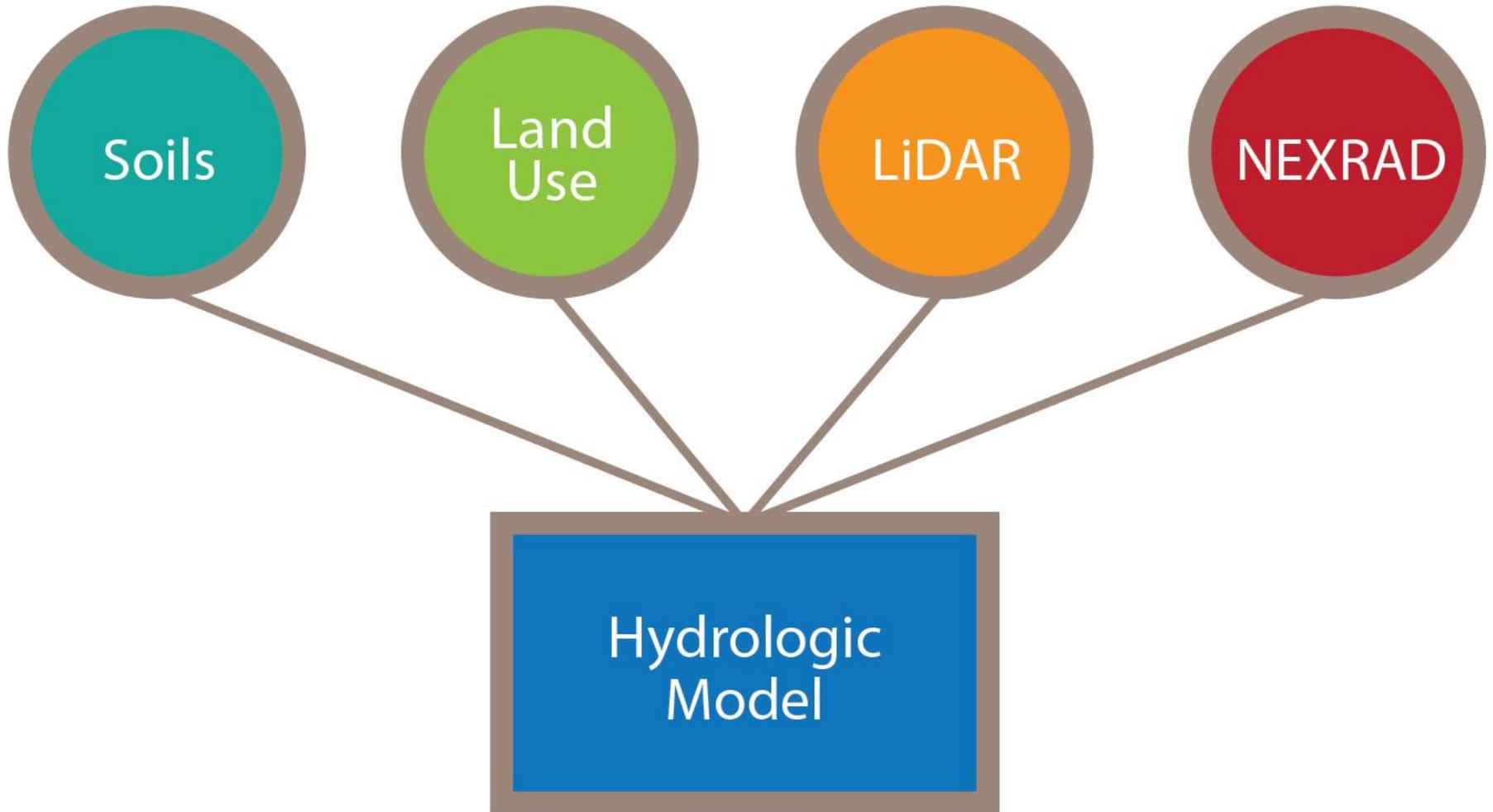
- GIS data for Shelby and Tipton counties
  - Lidar Data
  - Soils/Land Use Data
  - Nexrad Data
- Field survey channel cross-sections and bridge data
  - 75 additional cross-sections
- Drainage studies
  - Previous Corps studies

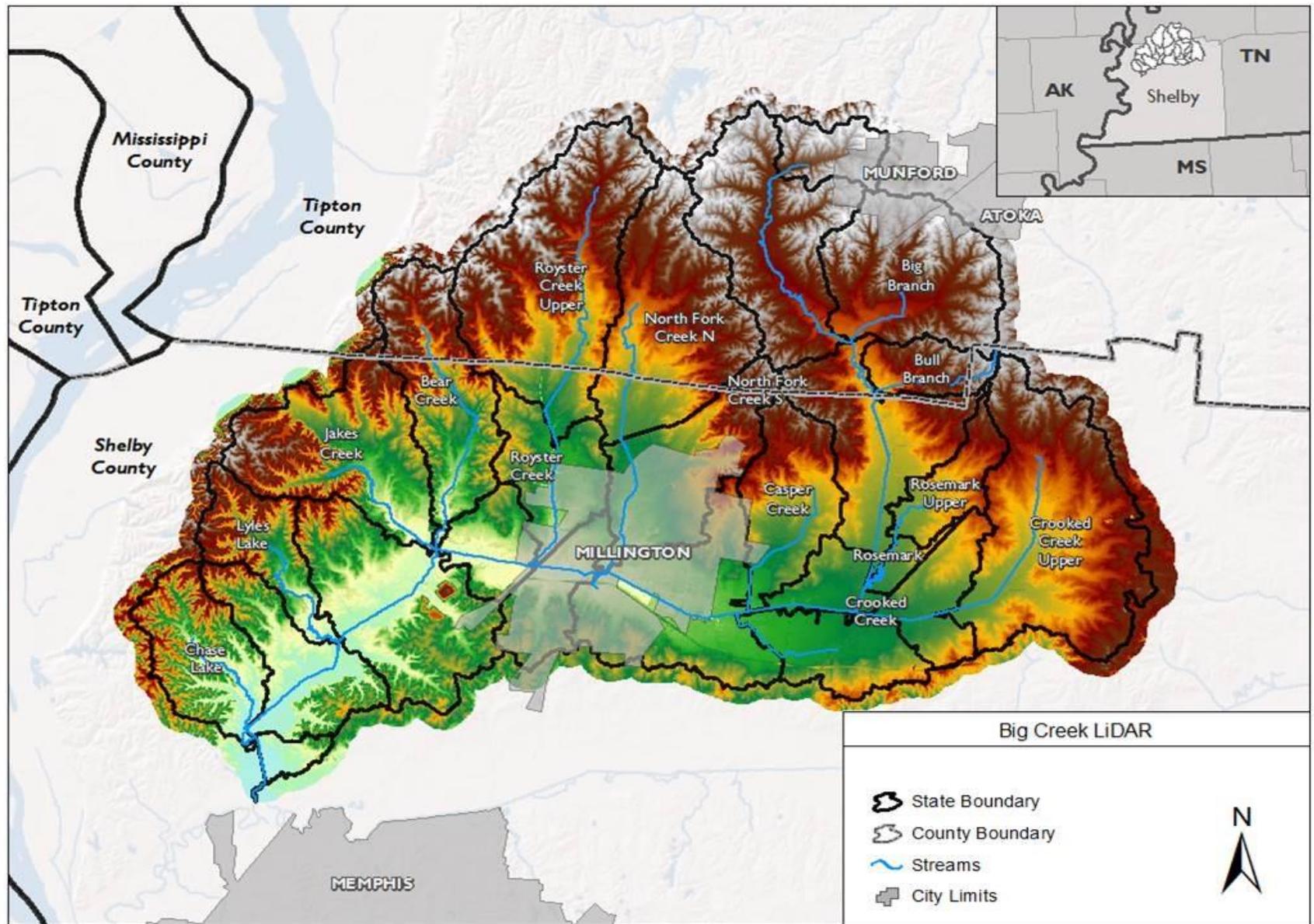
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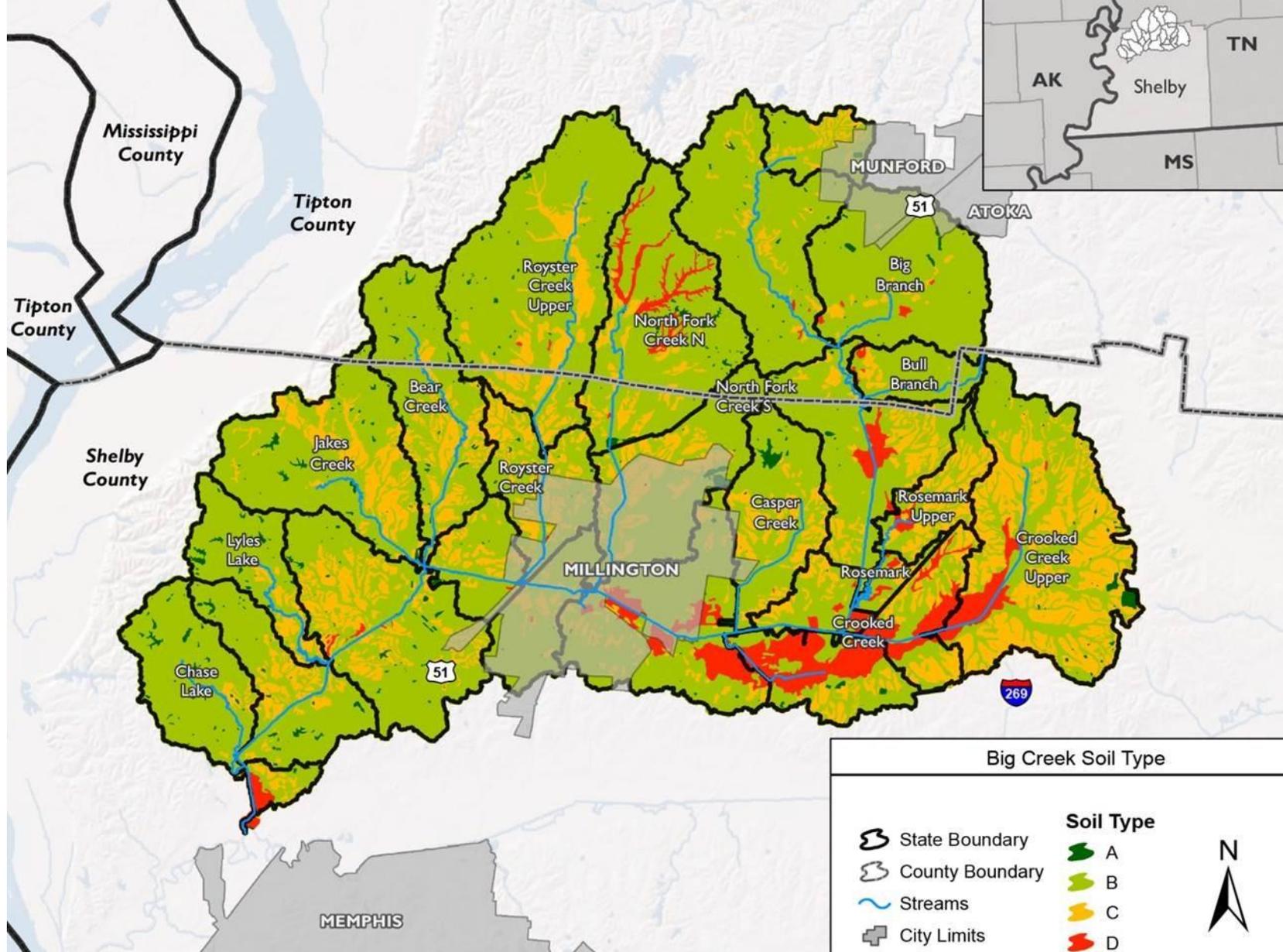
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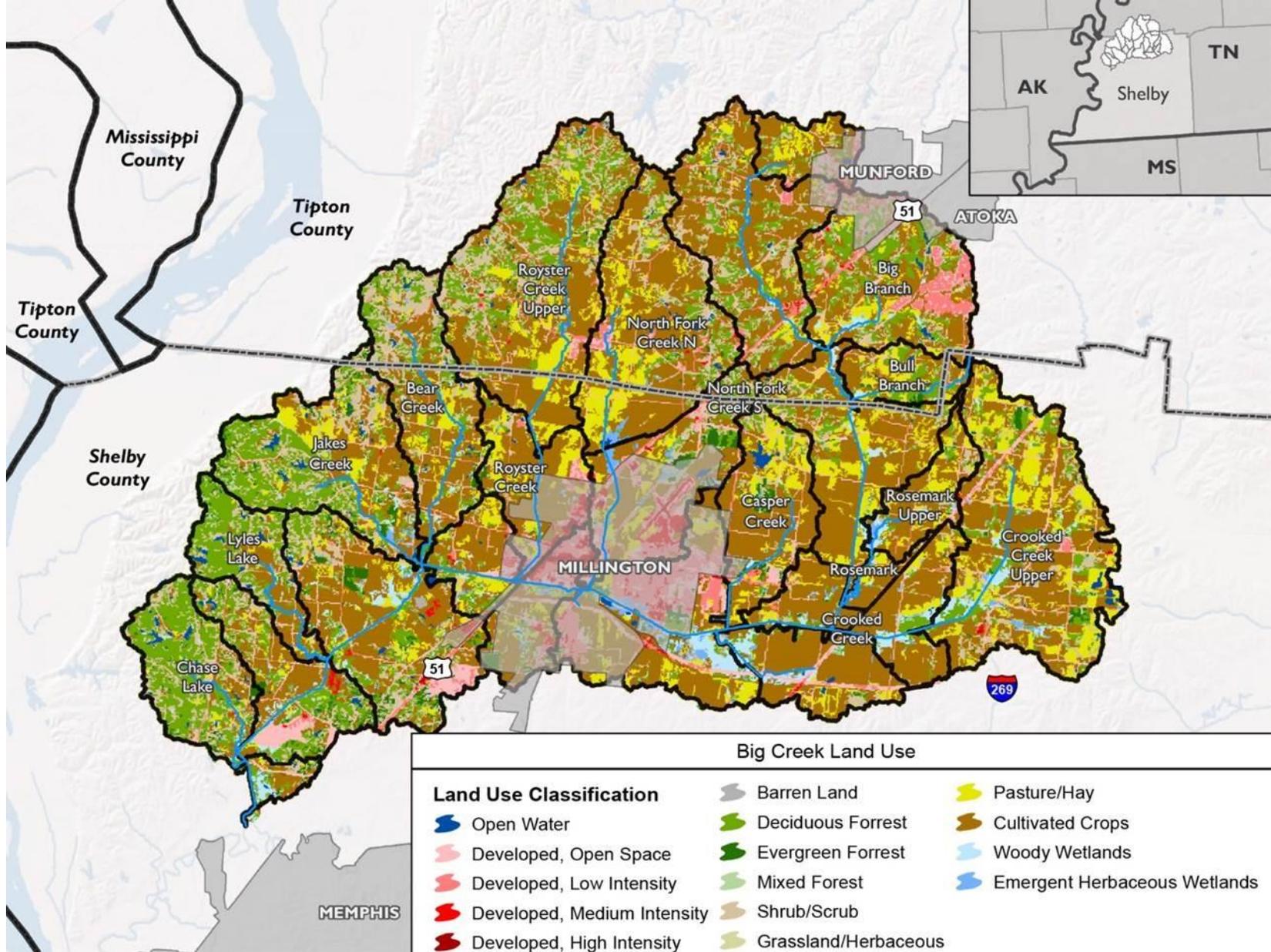
HEC-HMS & HEC-GeoHMS Model used  
100-year and 500-year design flows

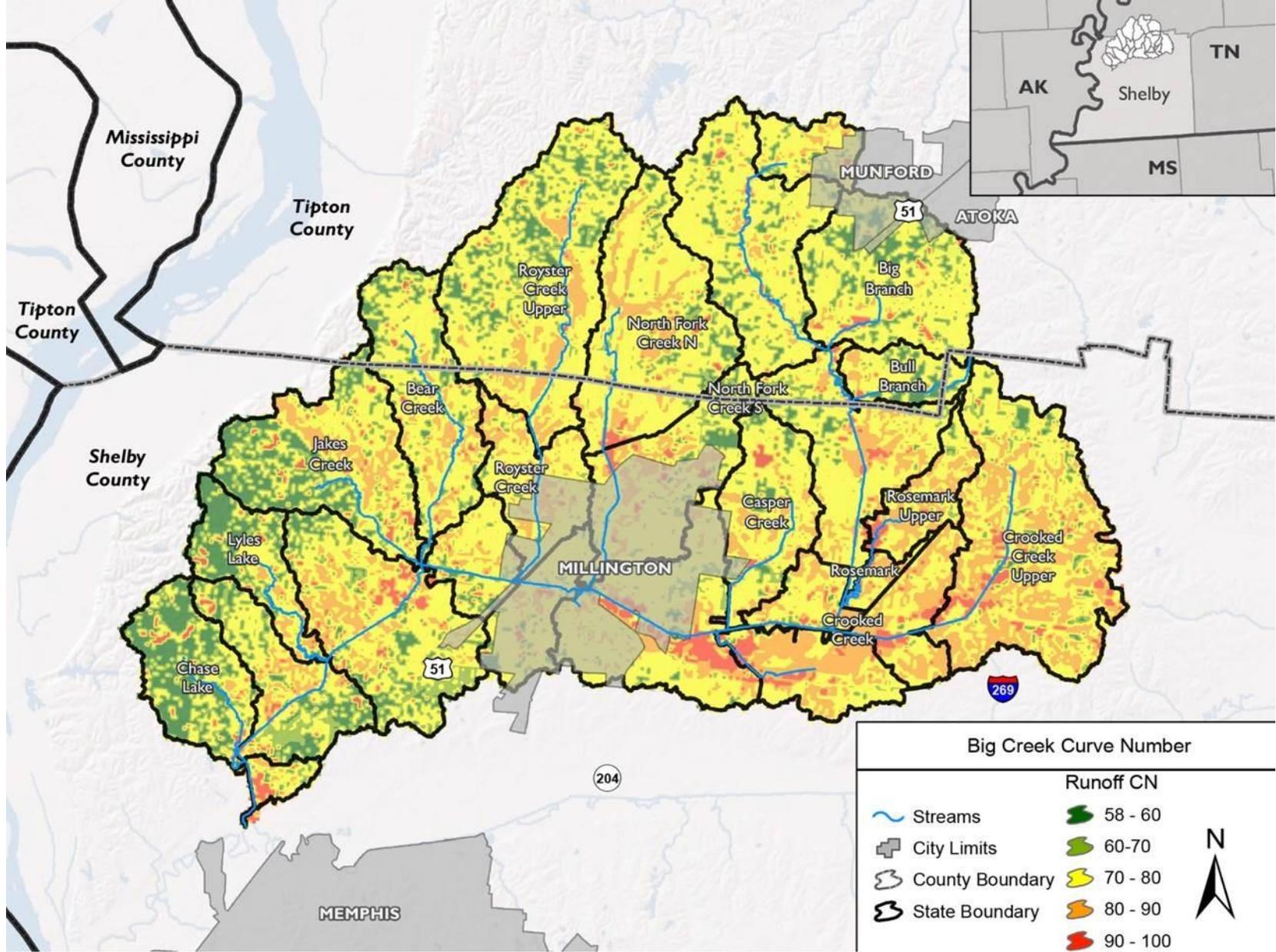
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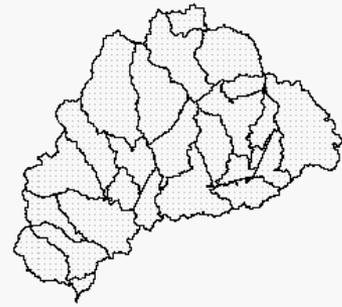












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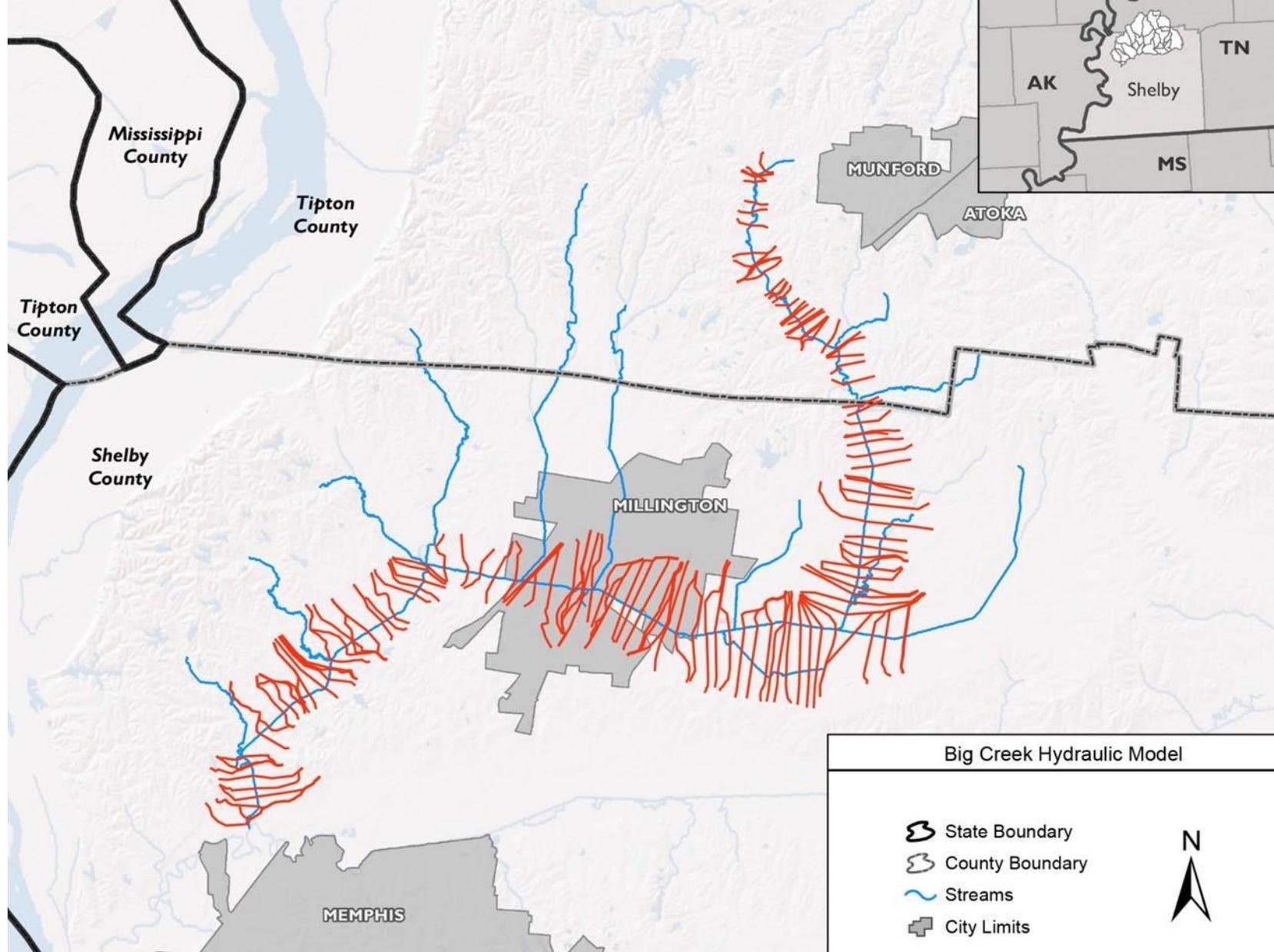
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HEC-RAS & HEC-GeoRAS models for water surface elevations

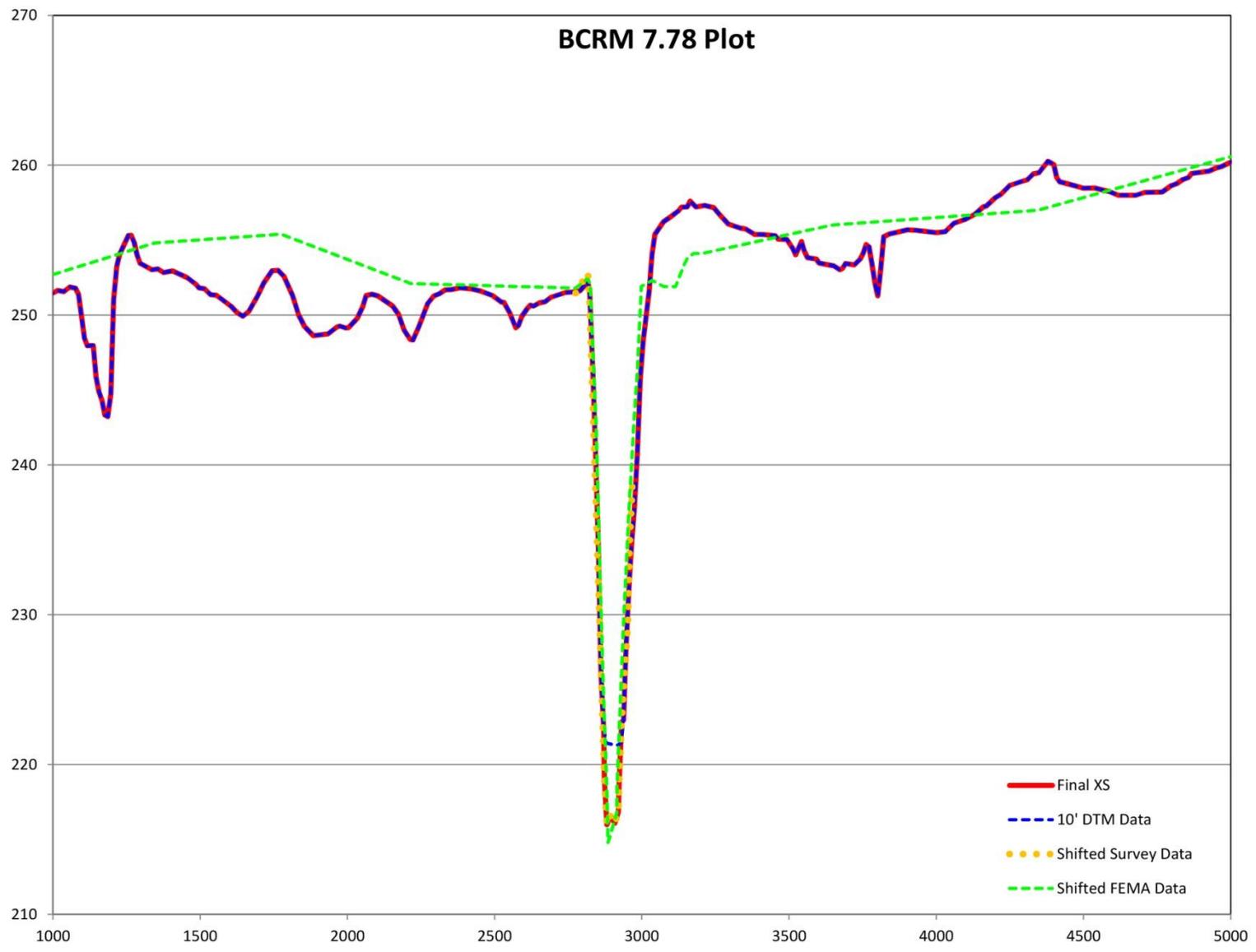
Extended model upstream into Tipton County

100-year and 500-year water surface elevations

May, 2010 water surface elevations for model validation

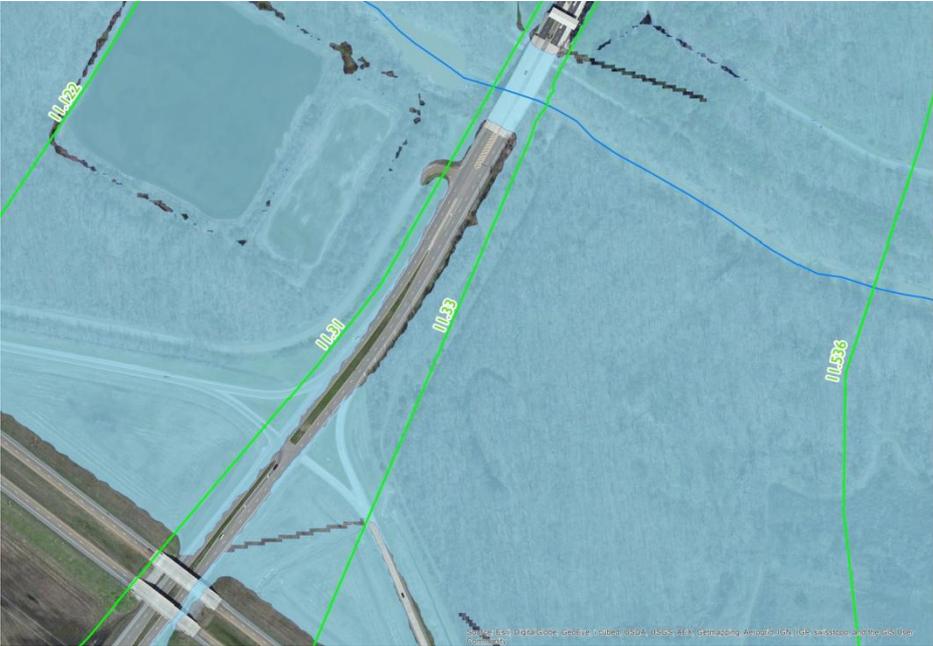


# BCRM 7.78 Plot





# MAY 2010 SINGLETON PARKWAY



# FLOODING MITIGATION

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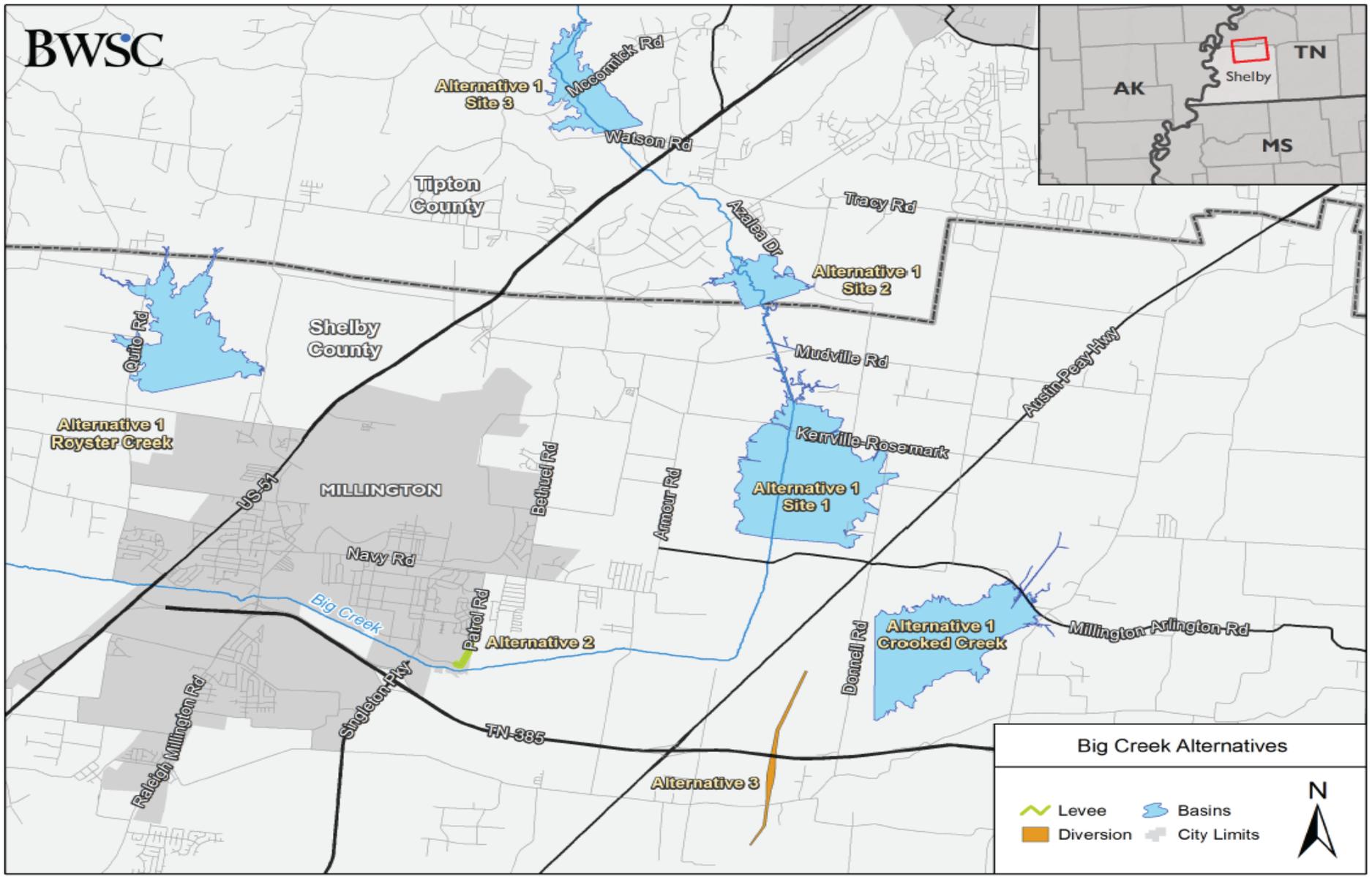
Identify flooding locations and conceptual projects to mitigate flooding

Mitigation alternatives

Alternative 1 - Temporary detention upstream

Alternative 2 - Enhanced protection

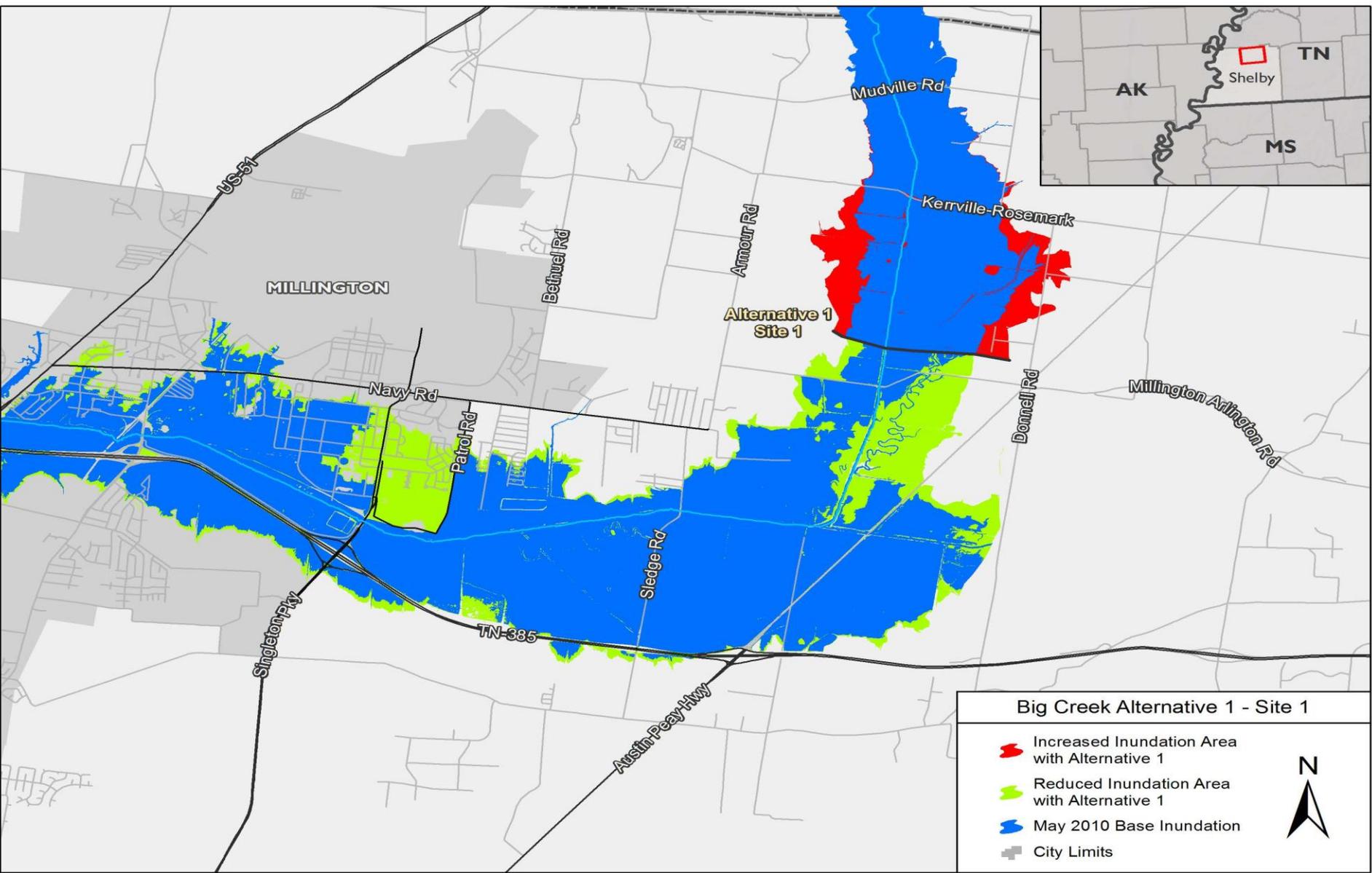
Alternative 3 - Diversion of high flows

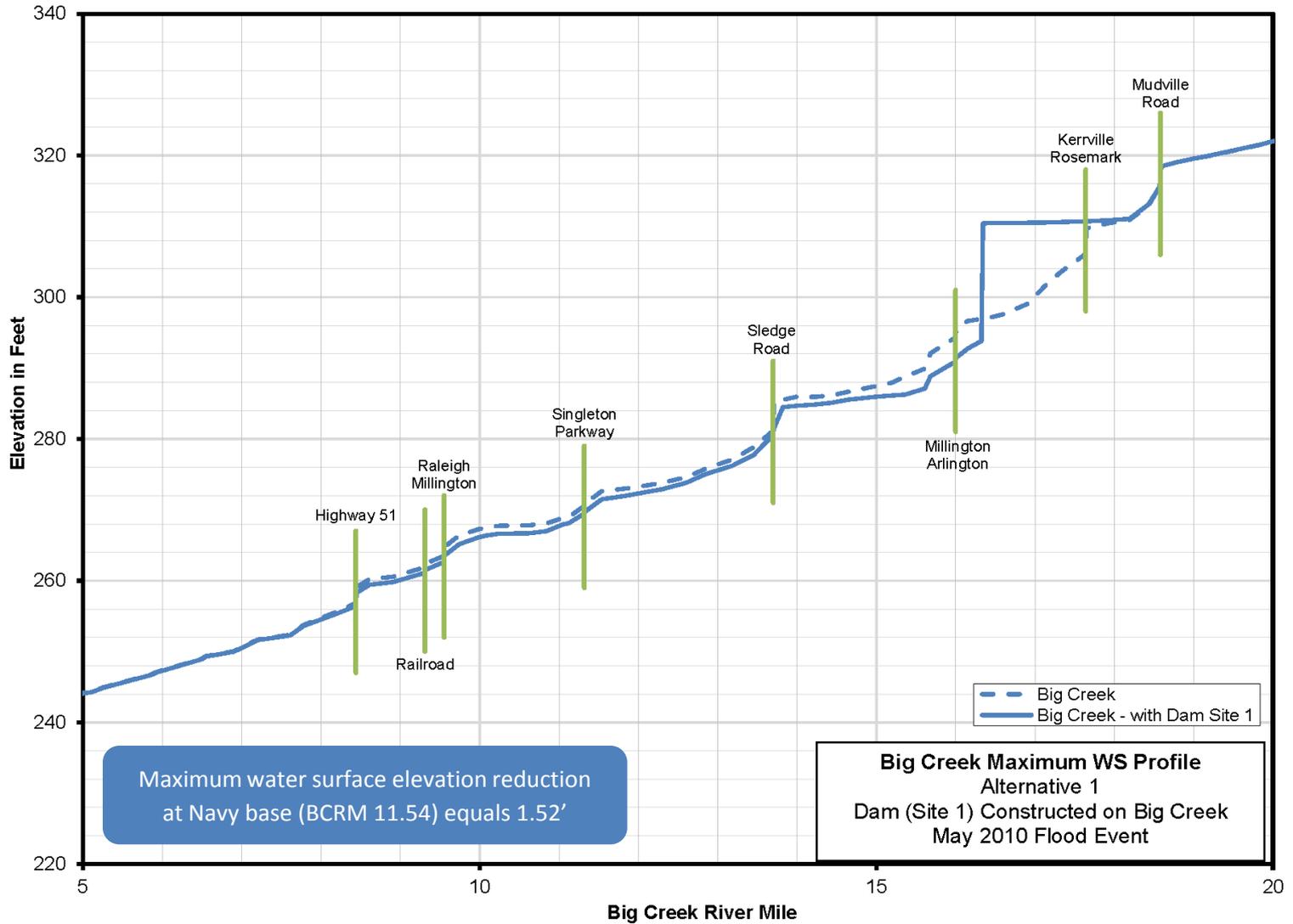


**Big Creek Alternatives**

 Levee	 Basins
 Diversion	 City Limits







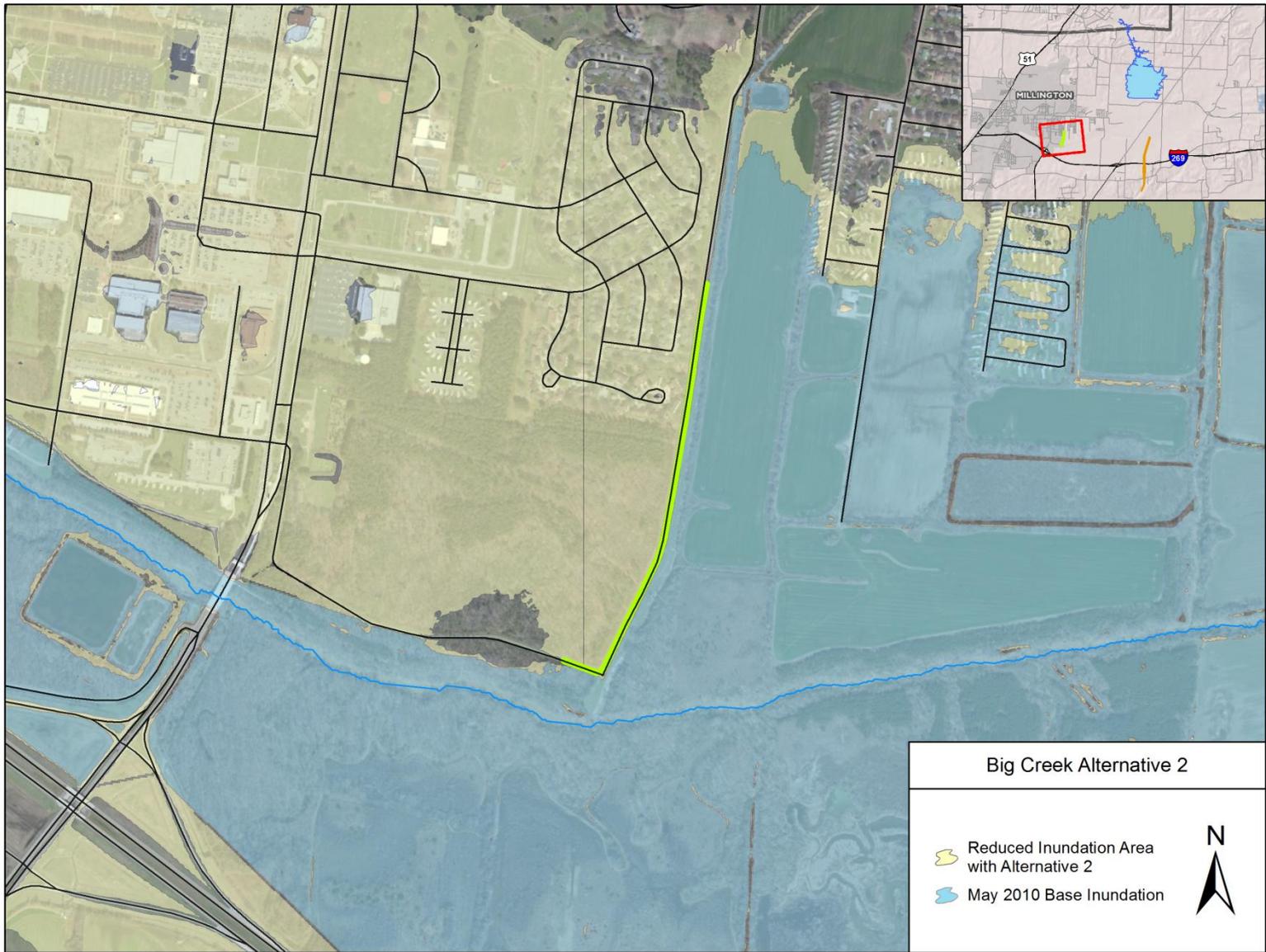
# BIG CREEK ALTERNATIVE 1 – FINDINGS

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Effective at reducing water surface elevations

Significant land acquisition

Moderate to high total project cost depending on site or combination of sites selected



# BIG CREEK ALTERNATIVE 2 – RAISE EAST LEVEE FINDINGS

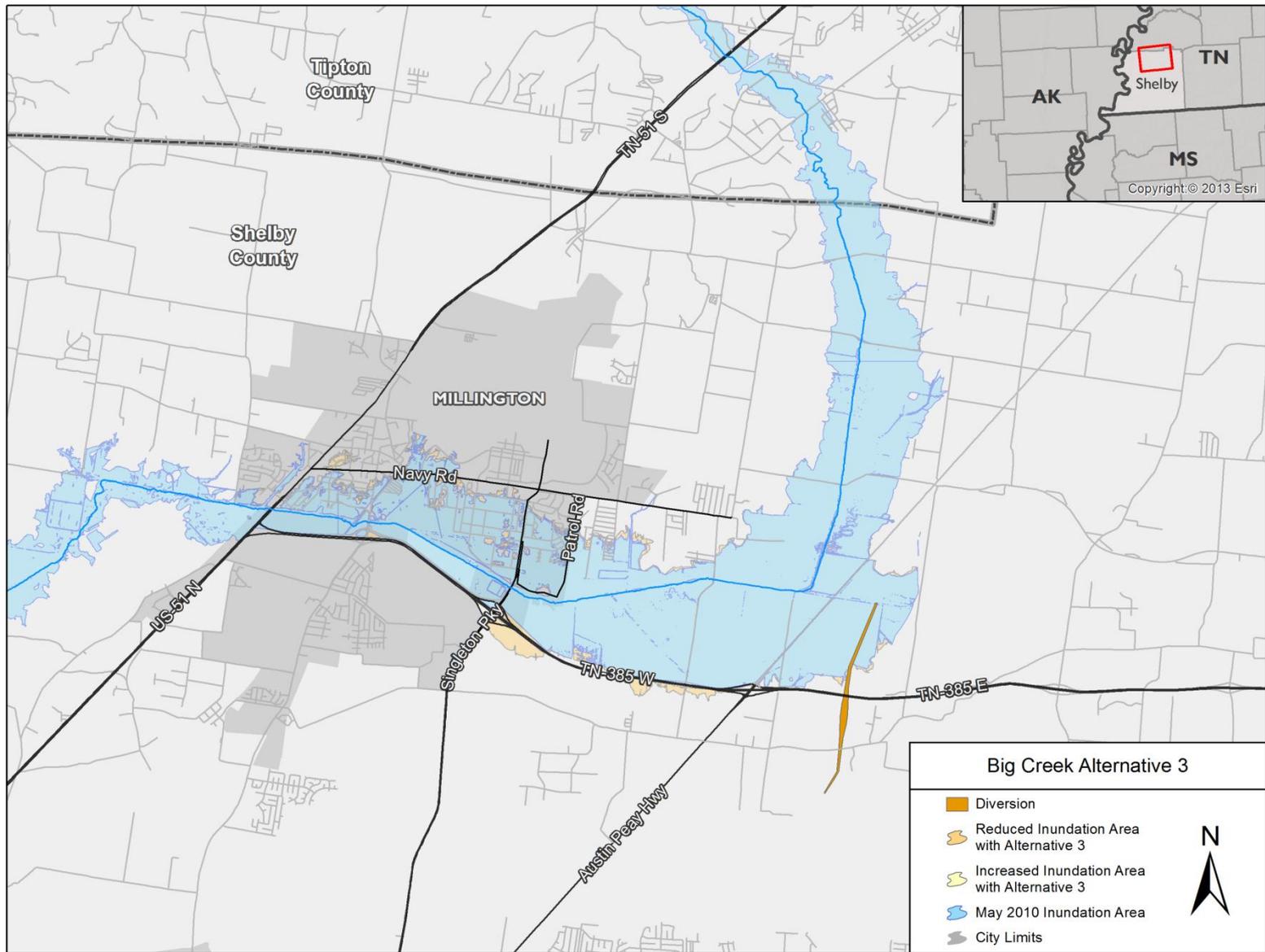
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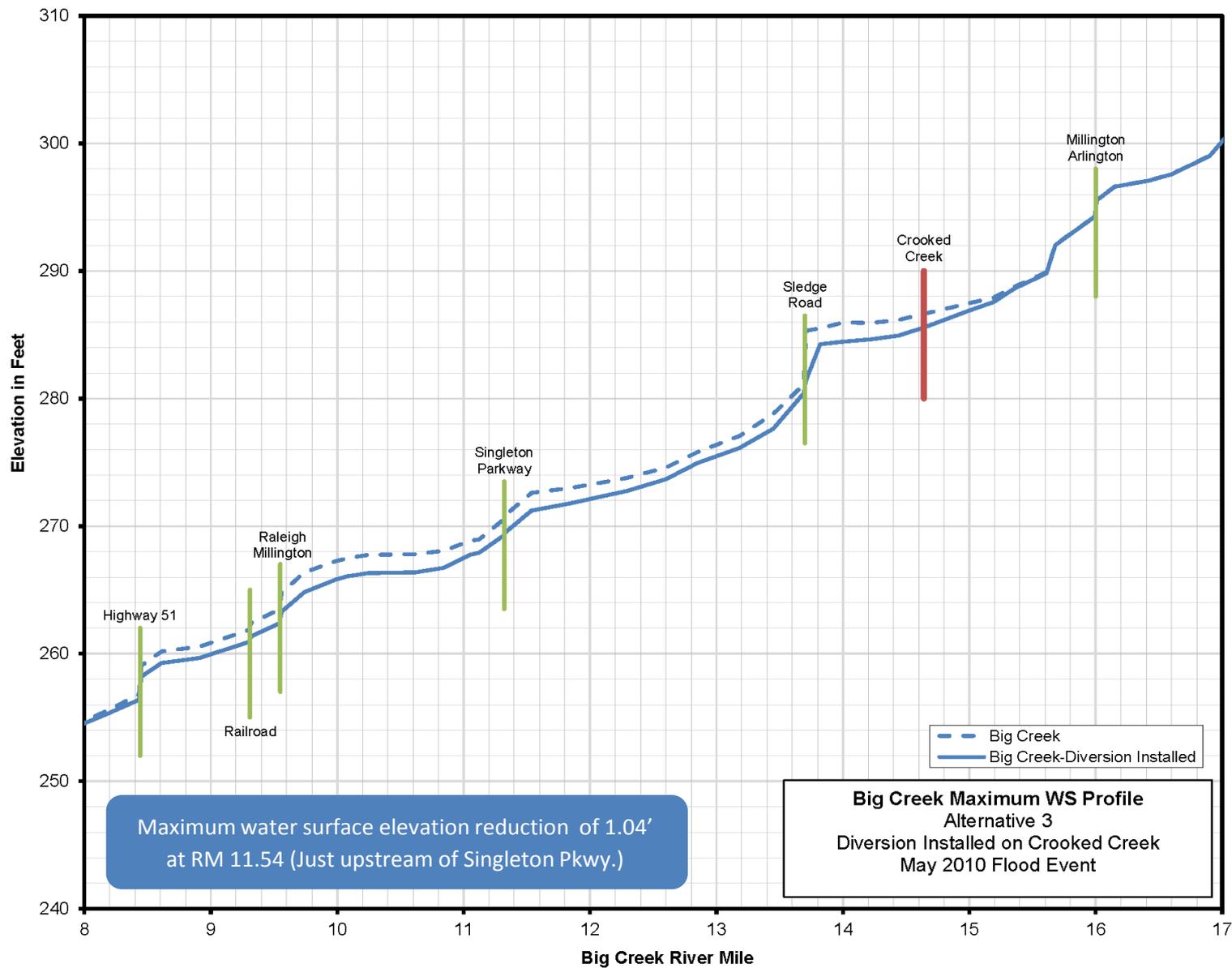
Prevents flooding of Navy base due to levee overtopping

No significant effect on water surface elevations

No land acquisition

Lower project cost





# BIG CREEK ALTERNATIVE 3 – HIGH FLOW DIVERSION FINDINGS

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Effective in reducing water surface elevations

Minimal land acquisition

High construction cost (two new bridges)

**COMPARISON OF VARIOUS STUDY ALTERNATIVES**

**BIG CREEK DRAINAGE STUDY**

**SHELBY COUNTY TN GOVERNMENT**

ALTERNATIVES	DECREASE IN WATER SURFACE ELEV. FOR 500-YR. STORM AT:		DECREASE IN WATER SURFACE ELEV. FOR MAY, 2010 STORM AT:	
	U.S. HWY 51	SINGLETON PKWY.	U.S. HWY 51	SINGLETON PKWY.
<b>ALTERNATE #1-TEMPORARY DETENTION UPSTREAM</b>				
Big Creek Dam #1	0.08	1.07	0.96	1.52
Crooked Creek Dam	0.12	1.36	0.00	0.89
Royster Creek Dam	0.32	0.03	0.00	0.00
Big Crk. #1 & Crooked Crk. Dams	0.27	2.15	1.26	2.69
Crooked Crk. & Royster Crk. Dams	0.54	1.39	0.98	1.19
<b>ALTERNATE #2-ENHANCED LEVEE PROTECTION</b>				
Raise East Navy Base Levee	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>ALTERNATE #3-HIGH FLOW DIVERSION</b>				
Crooked Creek Diversion	0.12	1.36	1.25	1.04

# WORK GOING FORWARD

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Develop and evaluate additional potential projects

Evaluate combinations of projects

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# Questions!

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