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# 1. Introduction

## 1.1 General Introduction

The Ventura County Transportation Commission (VCTC) is planning to reconstruct a portion of the existing railroad bridge over the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel in Fillmore, California. During high flows on January 10, 2023, the west end of the bridge was damaged, including washing out 2 bents and severe damage to the abutment, resulting in the loss of three bridge deck spans, as shown in Figure 1. The repair includes replacing the two washed out bents and one of the remaining bents with two new concrete bents, as well as replacing the existing west abutment with a new concrete abutment, resulting in two new bridge deck spans.

The design is currently at the 90% design level and this report and associated analysis is based on the information included in those design drawings.



Figure 1 Damaged Portion of Railroad Bridge (looking upstream)

## 1.2 Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is to present the methods and outcomes of a hydraulic analysis of Sespe Creek that was conducted to assist in the design of the repair of the damaged railroad bridge in Fillmore, California. The key objectives of the analysis are:

- Provide a hydraulic assessment to estimate the water surface profile, flow depth, and flow velocity in Sespe Creek in the vicinity of the Project for the pre-project and post-project conditions
- Provide an evaluation of bridge scour for the proposed improvements in the post-project conditions

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## 1.4 Assumptions

It is assumed that the data provided for using in this study, including the hydraulic, topographic survey, and drawings represent the creek, hydraulic structures, and flows to a level of accuracy that is appropriate for this study.

# 2. Background

## 2.1 Study Area Description

The study area includes Sespe Creek in the vicinity of the railroad bridge. The land adjacent to the creek along the left bank (looking downstream) is developed with mostly single-family residences and the land adjacent to the creek along the right bank (looking downstream) consists of mostly agricultural land use. Sespe Creek flows from north to south within this reach and consists of a natural channel with a levee along the left bank (looking downstream).

Approximately 2,500 feet upstream of the rail bridge, the creek splits into two channels, with the main channel to the west and the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel to the east. As a result, there are two rail bridges over Sespe Creek at this location, one over the main channel to the west and the other over the overflow channel to the east. The bridge over the overflow channel is the focus of this study.



## 2.2 Vertical Datum

The Project references the North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD88) in units of feet and all elevations presented herein are based on that datum.

## 2.3 Existing Conditions

The existing Sespe Creek Overflow Channel bridge was constructed in 1969 as a fifteen-span bridge and is approximately 450 feet long and 17 feet wide. The bridge superstructure consists of concrete box girders with ballast curbs and sidewalks that have a combined deck thickness of approximately 4 feet and 1 inch. Prior to the damage, the superstructure was supported on 14 bents (constructed of concrete bent caps with steel piles and concrete infill walls) and two abutments, as shown in Figure 2. The bridge deck slopes at approximately 1% from the west to the east from approximately elevation 451.0 feet to 447.0 feet. Adjacent to the railroad bridge and approximately 45 feet downstream is the Old Telegraph Road bridge.

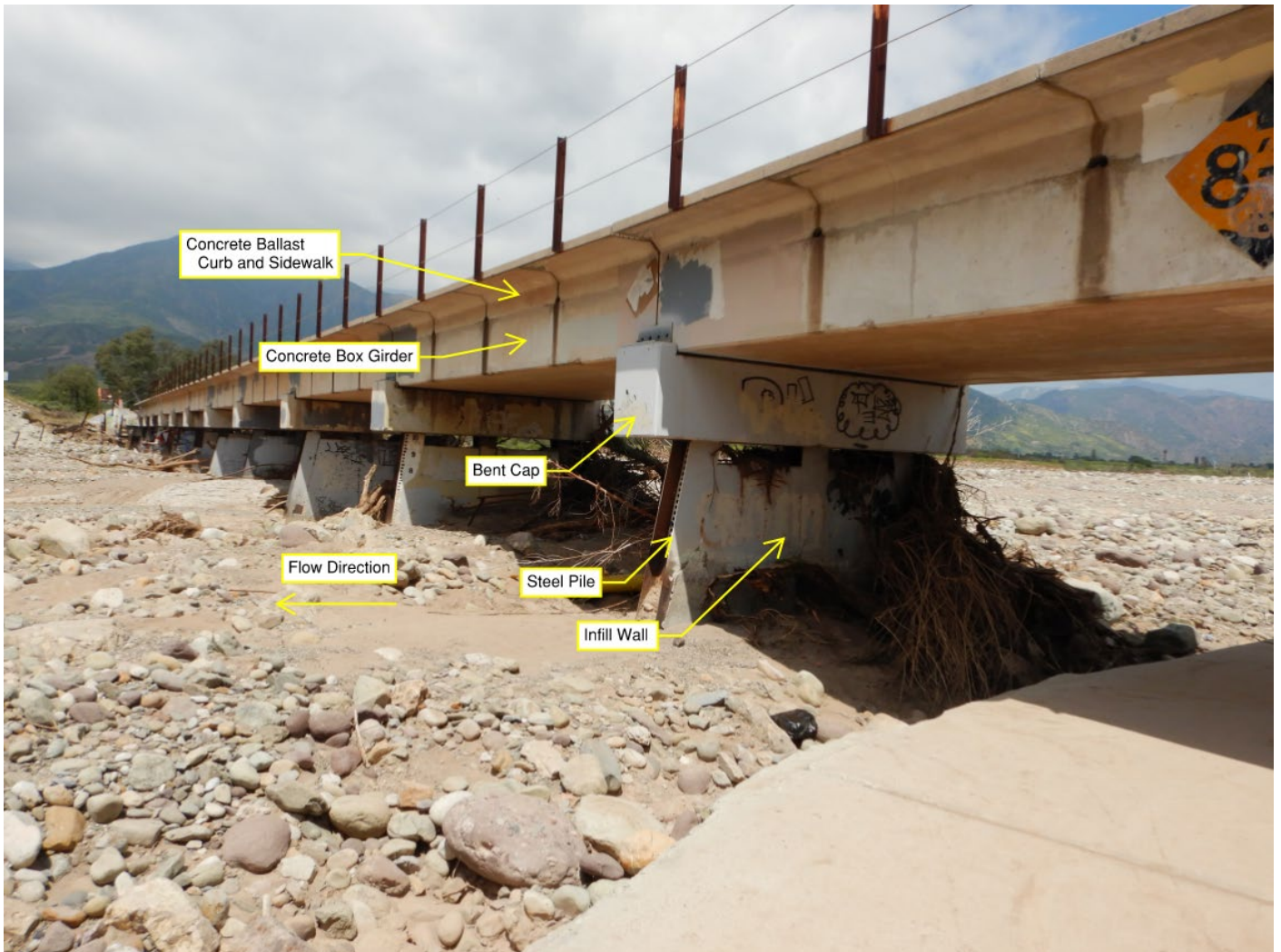


Figure 2 Downstream Side of Railroad bridge (East Side of Bridge)

## 2.4 Proposed Improvements

The proposed improvements at the bridge include replacing the two washed out bents and one of the remaining bents with two new concrete bents, as well as replacing the existing west abutment with a new concrete abutment, resulting



in two new bridge deck spans of 48 feet and 10 inches each and an overall bridge length that is approximately 6 feet and 9 inches longer than the existing bridge. The proposed bridge is 19 feet wide, so approximately 2 feet wider than the existing bridge. The proposed bridge superstructure is a concrete box girder with ballast curbs and sidewalks, like the existing bridge, however, the proposed bridge soffit will extend approximately 12 inches below the existing bridge soffit due to the increased thickness of the structure.

The two proposed bents consist of a 4-foot-thick bent cap on two 4-foot-diameter columns with a concrete infill wall between the columns. The two columns will each be supported by a 6-foot-diameter CIDH concrete pile. The proposed concrete abutment will be supported by a concrete pile cap and four 6-foot-diameter piles.

## **3. Hydraulic Design Standards and Criteria**

### **3.1 Overview**

This section summarizes the design standards and criteria that were considered for the hydraulic analysis, which include requirements from the Federal Emergency Management Association (FEMA) and the Southern California Regional Rail Authority (SCRRA).

### **3.2 FEMA**

Sespe Creek at the project location is located within a FEMA Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA) Zone A, as shown on Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) panel numbers 06111C0641E and 06111C0643E, last revised on January 20, 2010 (Attachment 1). Zone A represents areas which are subject to inundation by the 1-percent-annual flood (100-yr flood), also known as the Base Flood. Detailed hydraulic analyses have not been conducted for these areas, and consequently Base Flood Elevations (BFEs) have not been determined. The areas of inundation in Zone A are generally determined using approximate methods.

The planned bridge repairs are proposed within a FEMA SFHA, and as such are subject to FEMA requirements which are intended to reduce flood loss and to protect resources. Typically, encroachments into a SFHA outside of a regulated floodway (which does not exist at the Project site), should not cause an increase in the BFE by more than one foot.

### **3.3 SCRRA**

SCRRA criteria for the hydraulic design of bridges is specified in the SCRRA Design Criteria Manual (SCRRA, 2021) and includes the following for bridges conveying cross-track flood flows:

- the opening will be sized so that the water surface for a 50-year event will rise no higher than the lowest low chord of the bridge
- the opening will be sized so that the energy grade line for a 100-year event will not rise above the adjacent subgrade elevation (defined as 2.81 feet below top of rail elevation)

The existing (pre-disaster) condition of the bridge did not meet these criteria. A bridge design repair to meet these criteria would require the bridge and adjacent tracks to be raised substantially, thus a relocation of the railroad tracks would likely be more practical. Regardless, either of these efforts require design that exceeds the limitations of the rehabilitation which is to repair the bridge to its pre-disaster design, capacity, and function. As such, the proposed design will not meet the SCRRA criteria presented above.

## 4. Hydrologic Assessment

FEMA is currently in the process of updating the Flood Insurance Study (FIS) for Ventura County and the preliminary FIS (FEMA, 2022) that was developed as part of that effort includes the 50 and 100-year peak discharges for Sespe Creek that were used for this study and are shown in Table 1. These flows are at the confluence with the Santa Clara River and are based on a drainage area of 263 square miles. They were estimated by FEMA using the Hydrologic Simulation Program-FORTRAN (HSPF) model as described in the preliminary FIS (FEMA, 2022).

The peak discharge in the FIS is for the entire Sespe Creek, which includes the main channel and the overflow channel where the railroad bridge is located. As discussed in more detail in Section 5.2.3, the hydraulic model had to be truncated for the scour analysis to include only the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel, so the 100-year peak discharge within that section of the channel had to be estimated as part of this study. This was accomplished by using the data from the Preliminary FEMA Model described in Section 5.1. The model provides the flow through each of the two railroad bridges, which are shown in Table 1, and the flow at the bridge in the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel was used in the truncated hydraulic model for the scour analysis.

Table 1 Peak Discharge Rates

Annual Chance Exceedance	Sespe Creek (Entire Channel)	Sespe Creek Overflow Channel	Sespe Creek Main Channel
2% (50-year)	102,604 cfs	N/A	N/A
1% (100-year)	135,789 cfs	96,955 cfs	38,834 cfs

## 5. Hydraulic Assessment

### 5.1 Hydraulic Modeling Overview

Hydraulic modeling of Sespe Creek was conducted as part of this study to assess the effect of the proposed bridge repairs on the water surface profile, flow depth, and flow velocity in the channel. The modeling was performed using the USACE Hydrologic Engineering Center River Analysis System (HEC-RAS) version 6.3 software. The base model for this study was provided by Ventura County and is the model developed by FEMA as part of the recent FIS and FIRM updates that are currently preliminary FEMA products, referred to herein as the Preliminary FEMA Model. Although the model is preliminary in status, it is considered the best available model for this study area as it was recently developed and there are no previous FEMA models for this location. The model is a one-dimensional (1D) steady-flow model of Sespe Creek and extends from the confluence with the Santa Clara River to approximately 6 miles upstream.

### 5.2 Hydraulic Model Setup

#### 5.2.1 Pre-Project Conditions

The Preliminary FEMA Model was assumed to represent the pre-project conditions, which, for purposes of this study, refers to the railroad bridge and channel prior to the damage that occurred in January of 2023. Accordingly, no updates were made to the model for the pre-project conditions.

## 5.2.2 Post-Project Conditions

The post-project conditions geometry within the HEC-RAS model was developed by modifying the railroad bridge at the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel to reflect the proposed bridge repairs based on the 30% design, including the new bents, new bridge deck, new abutment, and rock slope protection at the abutment. In addition, the topography at the bridge crossing was updated based on the topography obtained for the design of the bridge repair.

## 5.3 Results

The following four scenarios were evaluated with the hydraulic model to assess the effect of the proposed bridge repairs on the water surface elevation in the channel:

1. Pre-project Conditions with 50-year peak discharge
2. Pre-project Conditions with 100-year peak discharge
3. Post-project Conditions with 50-year peak discharge
4. Post-project Conditions with 100-year peak discharge

Detailed model output for the entire model domains for the scenarios evaluated is included in Attachment 3. A comparison of the pre-project and post-project water surface elevations for both flow scenarios within the vicinity of the railroad bridge is shown in Table 2 and Table 3 and the water surface profiles are shown in Figure 3. For both flow rates, the modeling is showing minor decreases in water surface elevation for the post-project condition extending approximately 1,500 ft upstream of the bridge. The decreases in water surface elevation are less than 0.3 feet and 0.1 feet for the 50-year and 100-year peak discharges, respectively. The decreases are likely due to the removal of one bent and changes in topography at the bridge. In all other locations, there is no change in water surface elevation (WSE). The decreases in water surface elevations are in accordance with the FEMA requirements discussed in Section 3.

**Table 2** Water Surface Elevation Summary for 50-Year Peak Discharge

Channel Station	Pre-Project Water Surface Elev. (ft)	Post-Project Water Surface Elev. (ft)	Change in Water Surface Elev. (ft)
15728	469.67	469.67	0.00
15144	462.80	462.80	0.00
14340	456.56	456.56	0.00
13782	452.15	451.97	-0.18
13104	451.79	451.59	-0.20
12892	451.62	451.39	-0.23
12852	Railroad Bridge		
12827	448.45	448.45	0.00
12807	448.44	448.44	0.00
12780	Old Telegraph Road Bridge		
12712	442.80	442.80	0.00
12238	437.85	437.85	0.00
11854	434.18	434.18	0.00
10652	427.37	427.37	0.00
10111	422.25	422.25	0.00

**Table 3**      **Water Surface Elevation Summary for 100-Year Peak Discharge**

Channel Station	Pre-Project Water Surface Elev. (ft)	Post-Project Water Surface Elev. (ft)	Change in Water Surface Elev. (ft)
15728	471.46	471.46	0.00
15144	464.53	464.53	0.00
14340	457.85	457.85	0.00
13782	455.46	455.41	-0.05
13104	455.23	455.18	-0.05
12892	455.13	455.07	-0.06
12852	Railroad Bridge		
12827	452.18	452.18	0.00
12807	451.45	451.45	0.00
12780	Old Telegraph Road Bridge		
12712	444.76	444.76	0.00
12238	439.53	439.53	0.00
11854	435.65	435.65	0.00
10652	428.75	428.75	0.00
10111	423.40	423.40	0.00



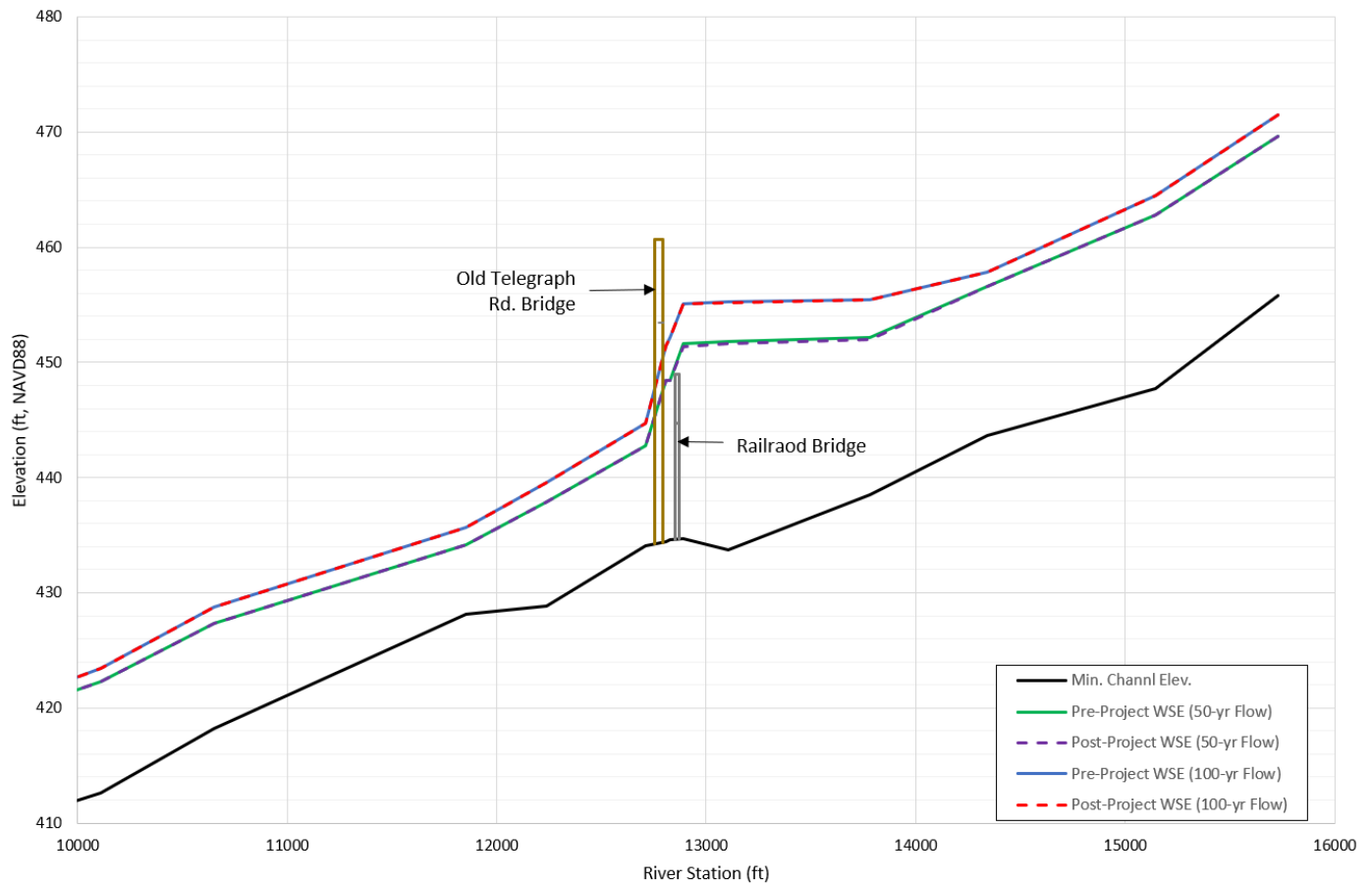


Figure 3 Water Surface Profiles for Sespe Creek in Project Vicinity

## 6. Bridge Scour Analysis

Scour analyses were conducted as part of this study to evaluate bridge scour for the post-project conditions. The scour analysis included four primary components: long-term degradation of the riverbed, contraction scour at the bridge, local scour at the proposed piers, and local scour at the proposed abutment. The sum of these components represents the total scour at the bridge.

### 6.1 Basis of Scour Analysis

The bridge scour analysis was conducted for the post-project condition based on the methods presented in the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Hydraulic Engineering Circular No. 18 *Evaluating Scour at Bridges* (FHWA, 2012), commonly referred to as HEC-18. The methods that are presented in HEC-18 are applicable to railroad structures, per the SCRRRA Design Criteria Manual (SCRRRA, 2021).

As discussed previously in this report, Sespe Creek is divided into two channels at the railroad crossing, the main channel and the overflow channel, and there are bridges at each channel. The Preliminary FEMA Model discussed in Section 5 represents the two bridges by using the Multiple Opening Bridge option, which allows the model to split flow between multiple openings within a crossing. While the Multiple Opening option is appropriate for predicting the hydraulic grade line through a structure, it prevents the use of the bridge scour tool within HEC-RAS. To use the

bridge scour tool within HEC-RAS, GHD truncated the Preliminary FEMA model into a single channel with a single bridge over the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel only. The model truncation included the following process:

- created a new river reach for the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel from the split of Sespe Creek and extending downstream of the crossing (approximately 5,000 linear feet in total length)
- cross-section geometry and physical representation from the post-project conditions model were copied over to the new river reach (including bank stations, roughness coefficients, reach lengths, etc.)
- cross-section geometries were truncated at the right bank of the overflow channel to isolate it from the Sespe Creek main channel
- the railroad bridge and Old Telegraph Road bridge geometries were added to the model and truncated to the overflow channel, including overbank areas
- the upstream boundary condition was set to estimated 100-year peak discharge for the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel
- the downstream boundary condition was set to a water surface elevation from the post-project conditions model output for the 100-year peak discharge
- the resulting model output was compared to the post-project conditions model to ensure acceptable agreement between the two models.

The scour analysis was performed using the results of the truncated hydraulic model discussed above and the 100-yr peak discharge for the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel discussed in Section 4.

## 6.2 Geotechnical Data

The project geotechnical engineering consultant, Diaz Yourman & Associates, provided a particle size analysis from a soil sample taken from a boring at the project site which is included in Attachment 5. The soil sample was from a depth of 0 to 5 feet and had a median grain size diameter of approximately 5.1 mm, which was used for the scour analysis for this study.

## 6.3 Long-Term Bed Elevation Change

Long-term bed elevation change, as it relates to scour, is due to degradation of the channel bed as it tends toward an equilibrium slope. Historical channel elevation data at the project site could inform the potential for long-term degradation in the area, however, historical channel elevation data, including record drawings for the bridge were not available for this study. The only data provided for this study that relates to long-term bed elevation change were two bridge inspection reports, one from 11/30/2022 (Koppers Railroad Structures Inc., 2022) and one after the damage from 5/8/2023 (Wilson & Company, 2023). Both reports noted local scour at some of the bents and west abutment, neither indicated elevation change across the entire channel.

Most of the 263-square mile watershed for Sespe Creek is undeveloped so it is expected that the sediment supply and runoff from the watershed have historically remained consistent. Based on this, it was assumed that the lower reach of Sespe Creek was in equilibrium with respect to long-term bed elevation change and that estimating an equilibrium slope for the channel would provide an indication whether localized long-term bed elevation change may be expected. Using this approach, a channel profile was developed that extended from the Hwy. 126 bridge upstream through the Sespe Creek Overflow Channel and a “best-fit” equilibrium slope was drawn on the channel profile. This profile is included in Attachment 4. This approach indicated the potential for the channel to degrade at the railroad bridge by approximately 4 feet, so this is what was assumed for the long-term degradation at the bridge.

## 6.4 Clear-Water versus Live-Bed Scour

Clear-water scour and live-bed scour are two methods by which contraction and pier scour occur. Clear-water scour occurs where there is no transport of bed material from upstream of the bridge while live-bed scour occurs where there is transport of bed material from upstream. The type of scour which occurs is dependent on the bed material grain size, upstream average velocity, and upstream average depth of flow. The critical velocity,  $V_c$ , necessary for transport of the bed material median diameter,  $D_{50}$ , is used as an indicator for clear-water or live-bed scour conditions. Clear-water scour is assumed to occur when the average velocity,  $V$ , upstream of the bridge is less than or equal to  $V_c$  for the  $D_{50}$  of the bed material. Live-bed scour is assumed to occur if  $V$  is greater than  $V_c$ . The critical velocity was calculated using equation 6.1 from HEC-18:

$$V_c = K_u y^{1/6} D^{1/3}$$

Where:

$V_c$  = Critical velocity above which bed material of size  $D$  and smaller will be transported  $\left(\frac{ft}{s}\right)$

$y$  = Average depth of flow upstream of the bridge (ft)

$D$  = Particle size for  $V_c$  (ft)

$D_{50}$  = Particle size in a mixture of which 50 percent are smaller (ft)

$K_u$  = 11.17 English units

The critical velocity was calculated for the bed material ( $D_{50}=5.1$  mm) at the bridge, and it was found that the channel velocity exceeded the critical velocity for particles of that size, so live-bed scour was used for the scour analysis. The calculation is included in Attachment 4.

## 6.5 Contraction Scour

Contraction scour occurs when the flow area of a stream is reduced due by either a bridge structure or a natural contraction of the channel. The reduction of flow area causes a corresponding increase in average velocity of the flow, resulting in increased erosion. The scour will reach maximum depth once the flow area is increased to the point at which there is no net sediment loss from the area.

Contraction scour calculations were performed as part of this study using the Hydraulic Design Function in the HEC-RAS model used for the hydraulic analysis. The Hydraulic Design Function uses the equation presented below to calculate live-bed contraction scour. The output from the calculations is included in Attachment 4 and the calculated scour depths are shown in Table 4.

Live-bed contraction scour was calculated using equation 6.2 from HEC-18, which is a modified version of Laursen's equation:

$$\frac{y_2}{y_1} = \left(\frac{Q_2}{Q_1}\right)^{6/7} \left(\frac{W_1}{W_2}\right)^{k_1}$$

Where:

$y_s = y_2 - y_0$  = Average contraction scour depth

$y_1$  = Average depth in the upstream main channel (ft)

$y_2$  = Average depth in the contracted section (ft)

$y_0$  = Existing depth in the contracted section before scour (ft)

$Q_1$  = Flow in the upstream channel transporting sediment ( $ft^3/s$ )

$Q_2$  = Flow in the contracted channel ( $ft^3/s$ )

$W_1$  = Bottom width of the upstream main channel that is transporting bed material (ft)

$W_2$  = Bottom width of main channel in contracted section less pier widths (ft)

$k_1$  = Mode of bed material transport exponent

Table 4 Contraction Scour Depths

Location	Scour Depth (ft)
Left Overbank (looking downstream)	N/A
Channel	4.6
Right Overbank (looking downstream)	2.1

## 6.6 Pier Scour

Local scour at bridge piers occurs due to the formation of vortices at the base of the piers which causes the flow to accelerate in that area, resulting in increased sediment transport. The magnitude of pier scour is dependent on the flow velocity, flow depth, pier width, size and gradation of bed material, pier shape, and other factors. Pier scour increases with increased flow velocity, flow depth, and pier width.

Maximum pier scour depth can be predicted using the HEC-18 Pier Scour Equation, which is based on the Colorado State University (CSU) equation, for both clear-water and live-bed scour. The equation is based on the Colorado State University equation and was calculated as follows:

$$\frac{y_s}{y_1} = 2 K_1 K_2 K_3 \left( \frac{a}{y_1} \right)^{0.65} Fr_1^{0.43}$$

Where:

$y_s$  = Scour depth (ft)

$y_1$  = Flow depth directly upstream of the pier (ft)

$K_1$  = Correlation factor of pier nose shape

$K_2$  = Correlation factor of angle of attack of flow

$K_3$  = Correlation factor for bed condition

$a$  = Pier width (ft)

$Fr_1$  = Froude Number directly upstream of the pier =  $V_1 / (gy_1)^{1/2}$

$V_1$  = Mean velocity of flow directly upstream of the pier (ft/s)

$g$  = Acceleration due to gravity = 32.2 (ft/s<sup>2</sup>)

A Rule of Thumb for maximum scour depth for round nose piers aligned with flow is given in HEC-18 as:

$$y_s \leq 2.4a \text{ for } Fr \leq 0.8$$

$$y_s \leq 3.0a \text{ for } Fr > 0.8$$

Pier scour calculations were performed as part of this study for the two proposed bents using the Hydraulic Design Function in the HEC-RAS model used for the hydraulic analysis. The Hydraulic Design Function uses the equation presented above to calculate pier scour. The calculations were performed using a 5-foot diameter pier to represent an average of the 4-foot diameter of the columns and the 6-foot-diameter piles that would be exposed due to long term-degradation and contraction scour in the channel. The output from the calculations is included in Attachment 4.

The pier scour calculations performed in HEC-RAS do not account for debris loading on the piers which can increase scour at the piers. After the January 10, 2023 flow event that damaged the bridge, significant debris was observed on the upstream side of the bridge piers. To account for debris accumulation on the piers when considering scour, pier scour calculations were also performed as part of this study outside of HEC-RAS. Those calculations used the same method from HEC-18 described above but use an effective pier width that is calculated based on an assumed debris accumulation of 12 feet wide and 6 feet high. Those calculations were used as the basis for the design and are included in Attachment 4 and the calculated scour depths are shown in Table 5.



Table 5 Pier Scour Depths

Support Location	Scour Depth (ft)
Pier 2	15.8
Pier 3	15.8

## 6.7 Abutment Scour

Abutment scour occurs when the abutment and roadway embankment obstruct flow and cause contraction and turbulence of the flow at the abutment. Abutment scour was calculated using Equation 8.1 from HEC-18, which is known as the Froelich equation:

$$\frac{y_s}{y_a} = 2.27 K_1 K_2 \left( \frac{L'}{y_a} \right)^{0.43} Fr^{0.61} + 1$$

Where:

$y_s$  = Scour depth (ft)

$K_1$  = Coefficient for abutment shape

$K_2$  = Coefficient for angle of embankment to flow

$L'$  = Length of active flow obstructed by the embankment (ft)

$A_e$  = Flow area of the approach cross section obstructed by the embankment (ft<sup>2</sup>)

$Fr$  = Froude Number directly upstream of the pier =  $V_e / (gy_a)^{1/2}$

$V_e$  =  $Q_e / A_e$  (ft/s)

$Q_e$  = Flow obstructed by the abutment and approach embankment (ft<sup>3</sup>/s)

$y_a$  = Average depth of flow on the floodplain ( $A_e / L$ ) (ft)

$L$  = Length of embankment projected normal to the flow (ft)

$g$  = Acceleration due to gravity = 32.2 (ft/s<sup>2</sup>)

Abutment scour calculations were performed as part of this study for the proposed abutment using the Hydraulic Design Function in the HEC-RAS models used for the hydraulic analyses. The Hydraulic Design Function uses the equation presented above to calculate abutment scour and the output from the calculations is included in Attachment 4 and the calculated scour depths are shown in Table 6.

Table 6 Abutment Scour Depth

Support Location	Scour Depth (ft)
Abutment 1	23.5

## 6.8 Total Scour

Total scour was calculated as part of this study as the sum of the estimated long-term degradation, contraction, abutment, and pier scour. The results are shown in Table 7.

Table 7 Total Estimated Scour Depths

Support Location	Long-Term Scour Depth (ft)		Local Scour Depth (ft)		Total Scour Depth (ft)
	Long-Term Degradation	Contraction	Pier	Abutment	
Abutment 1	4.0	4.6	N/A	23.5	32.1
Pier 2	4.0	4.6	15.8	N/A	24.4
Pier 3	4.0	4.6	15.8	N/A	24.4

Table 8 Total Estimated Scour Elevation

Support Location	Approx. Existing Ground Elev. at Upstream Side of Pier or Face of Abutment (ft)	Total Scour Depth (ft)	Total Scour Elev. (ft)
Abutment 1	444.0	32.1	411.9
Pier 2	430.7	24.4	406.3
Pier 3	431.0	24.4	406.6

## 7. Scour Countermeasures

The scour analysis presented in Section 6 assumes that no scour countermeasures are in place. At a minimum, scour countermeasures should be installed at the railroad embankment to protect the embankment from scouring and/or breaching behind the abutment. In addition, scour countermeasures could be installed at the bents and abutment to protect against local (pier and abutment) scour. If used, these scour countermeasures should be designed in accordance with allowable methods, such as those presented in FHWA HEC No. 23 (FHWA, 2009). If scour countermeasures are incorporated into the design to protect against local scour, the design of the bridge and scour countermeasures should take into account the long-term and contraction scour of the channel.

Evaluation of the scour potential at the Old Telegraph Road bridge immediately downstream of the railroad bridge was outside of the scope of this study. Based on photographs provided, it appears that scour has damaged the grouted rock slope protection (RSP) at the western abutment of that bridge. The design of the railroad bridge and any associated scour countermeasures should be coordinated with any planned repairs at the Old Telegraph Road bridge.

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# Attachments

# Attachment 1

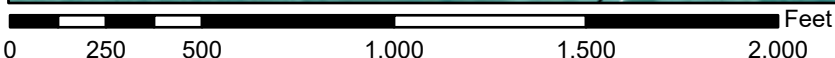
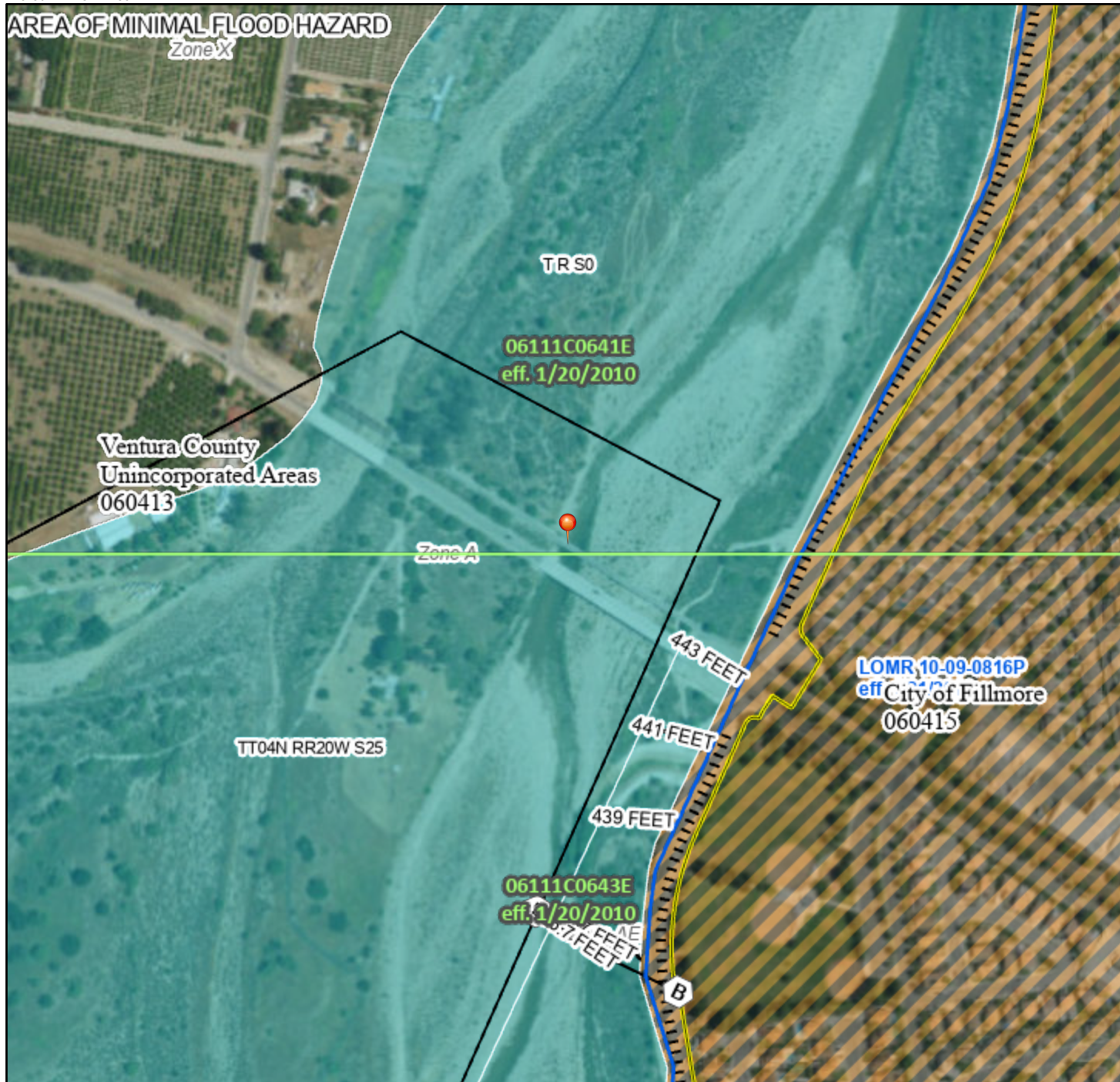
**FEMA FIRMette**



# National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMMette



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Basemap Imagery Source: USGS National Map 2023

## Legend

SEE FIS REPORT FOR DETAILED LEGEND AND INDEX MAP FOR FIRM PANEL LAYOUT

<b>SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS</b>		Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) Zone A, V, A99
		With BFE or Depth Zone AE, AO, AH, VE, AR
		Regulatory Floodway
<b>OTHER AREAS OF FLOOD HAZARD</b>		0.2% Annual Chance Flood Hazard, Areas of 1% annual chance flood with average depth less than one foot or with drainage areas of less than one square mile Zone X
		Future Conditions 1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard Zone X
		Area with Reduced Flood Risk due to Levee. See Notes. Zone X
		Area with Flood Risk due to Levee Zone D
<b>OTHER AREAS</b>		NO SCREEN Area of Minimal Flood Hazard Zone X
		Effective LOMRs
		Area of Undetermined Flood Hazard Zone D
<b>GENERAL STRUCTURES</b>		Channel, Culvert, or Storm Sewer
		Levee, Dike, or Floodwall
<b>OTHER FEATURES</b>		20.2 Cross Sections with 1% Annual Chance Water Surface Elevation
		17.5
		Coastal Transect
		Base Flood Elevation Line (BFE)
		Limit of Study
		Jurisdiction Boundary
		Coastal Transect Baseline
		Profile Baseline
		Hydrographic Feature
<b>MAP PANELS</b>		Digital Data Available
		No Digital Data Available
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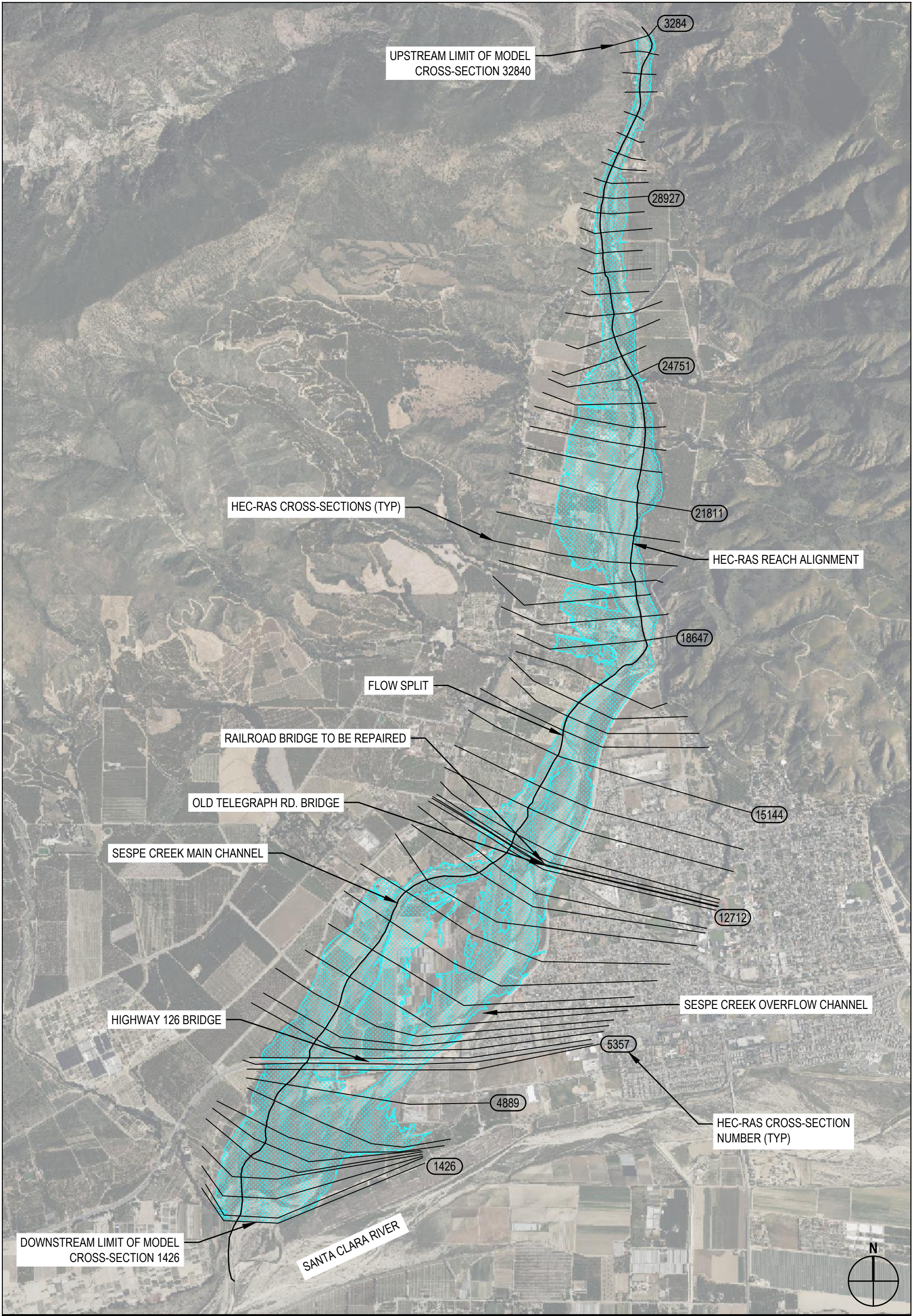
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# Attachment 2

## Hydraulic Workmap





 APPROXIMATE LIMIT OF 100-YEAR FLOOD INUNDATION

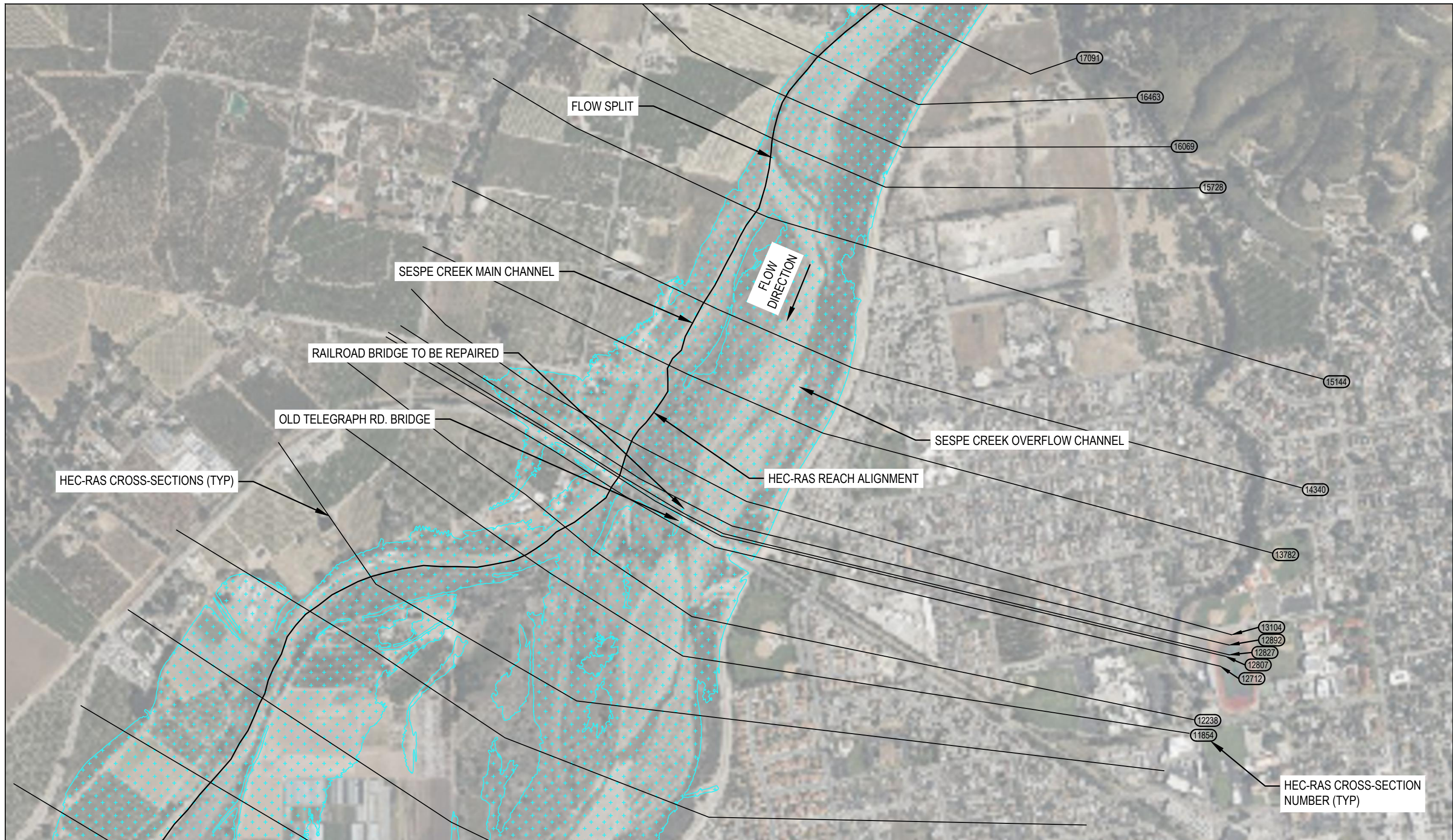


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 RAILROAD BRIDGE  
 HYDRAULIC WORKMAP  
 OVERVIEW

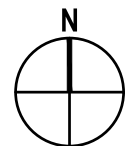
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**ATTACHMENT 2-A**





APPROXIMATE LIMIT OF  
100-YEAR FLOOD INUNDATION



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SESPE CREEK OVERFLOW RAILROAD BRIDGE

HYDRAULIC WORKMAP  
PROJECT AREA

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HEC-RAS CROSS-SECTION  
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**ATTACHMENT 2B**



# Attachment 3

## Hydraulic Model Results

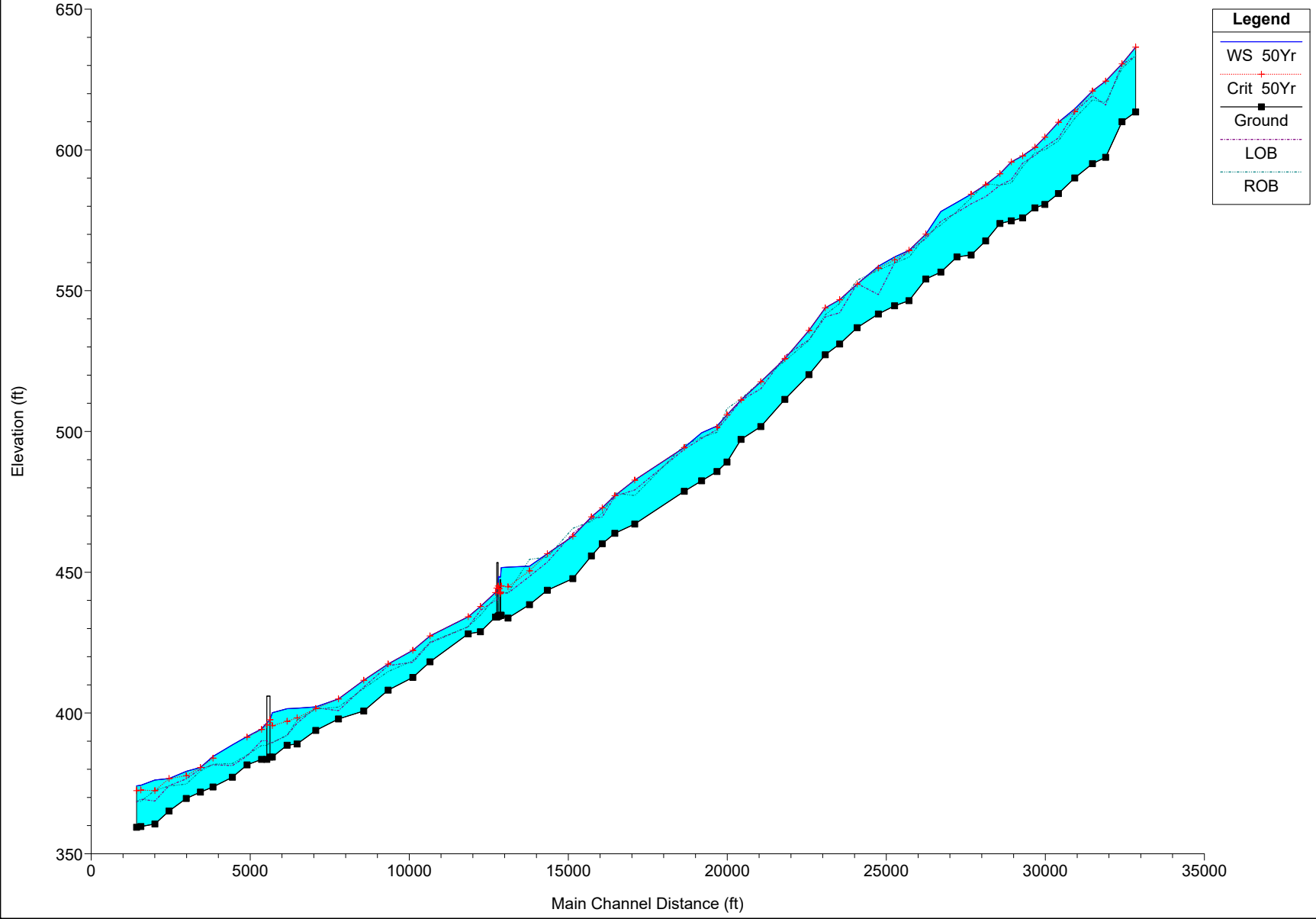
# Hydraulic Model Output

## Pre-project Conditions with 50-year Peak Discharge

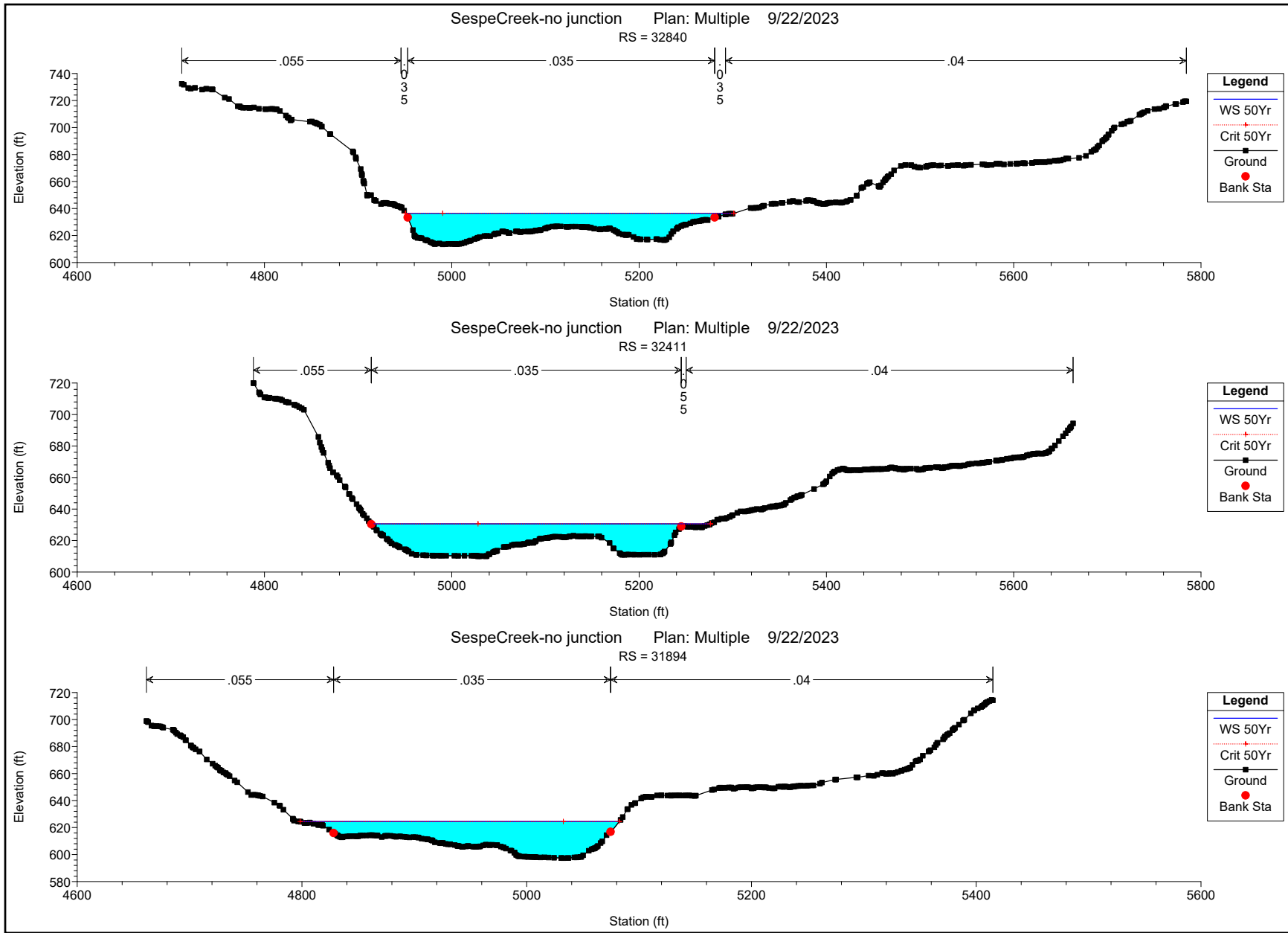
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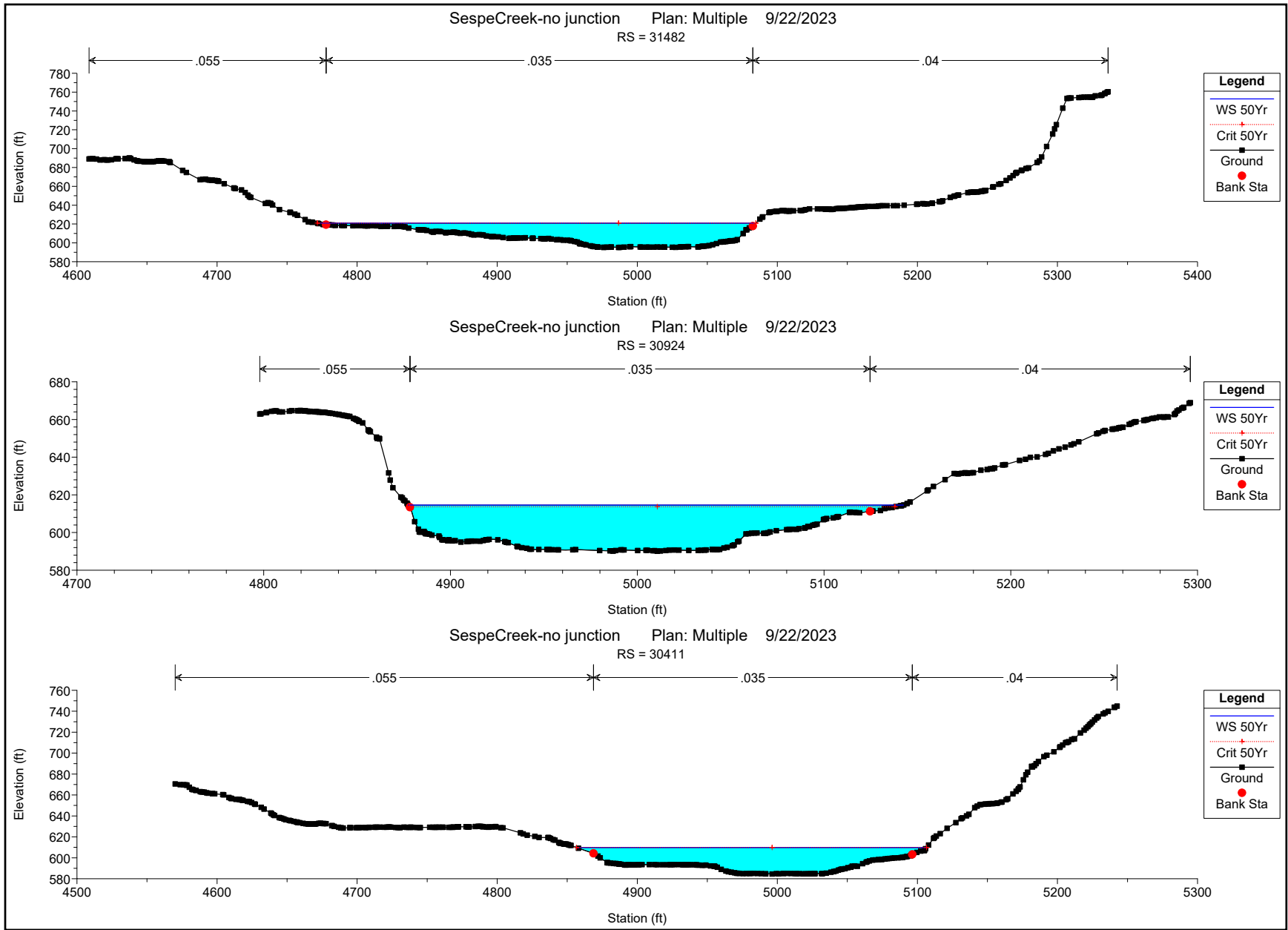
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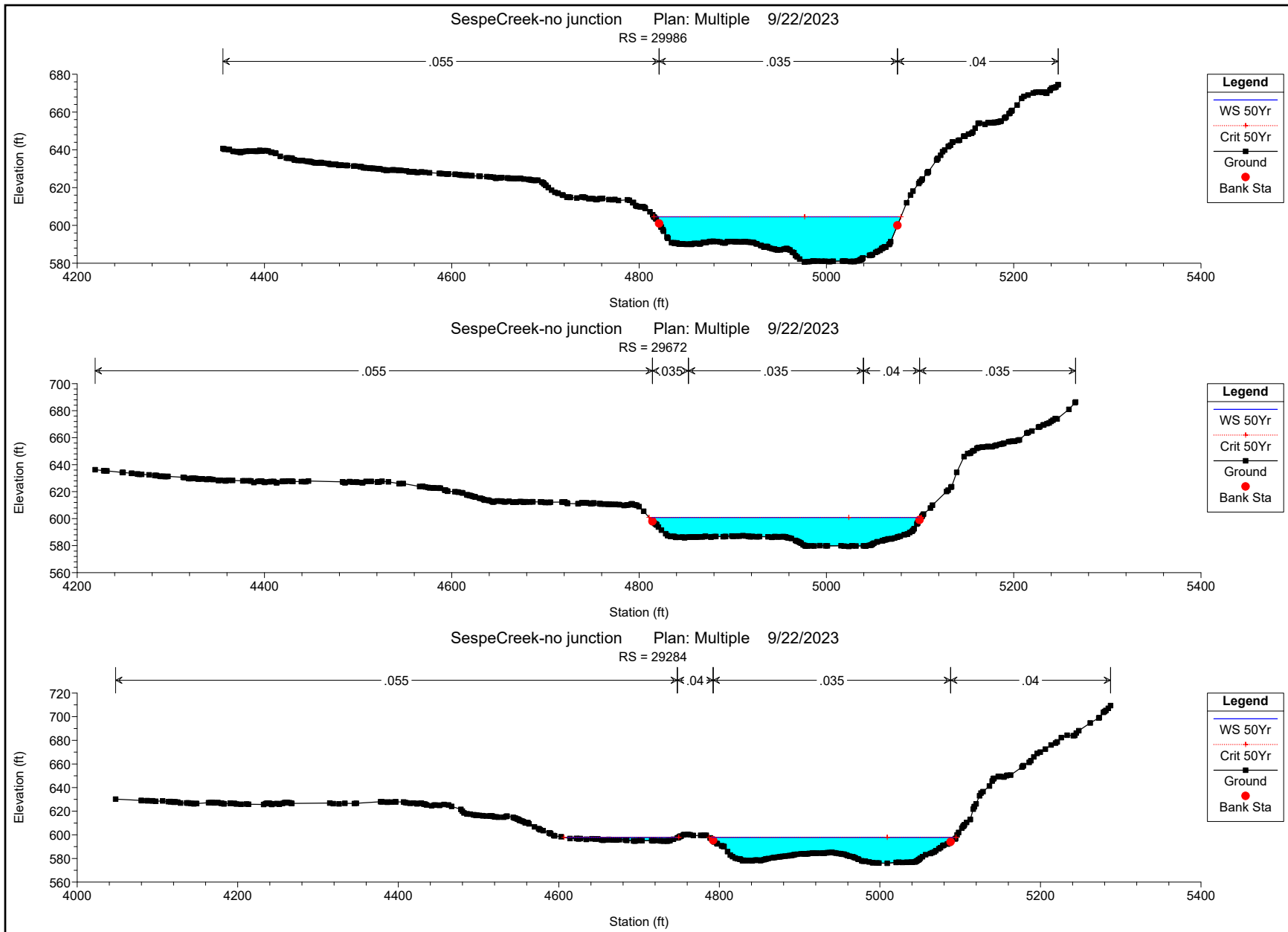
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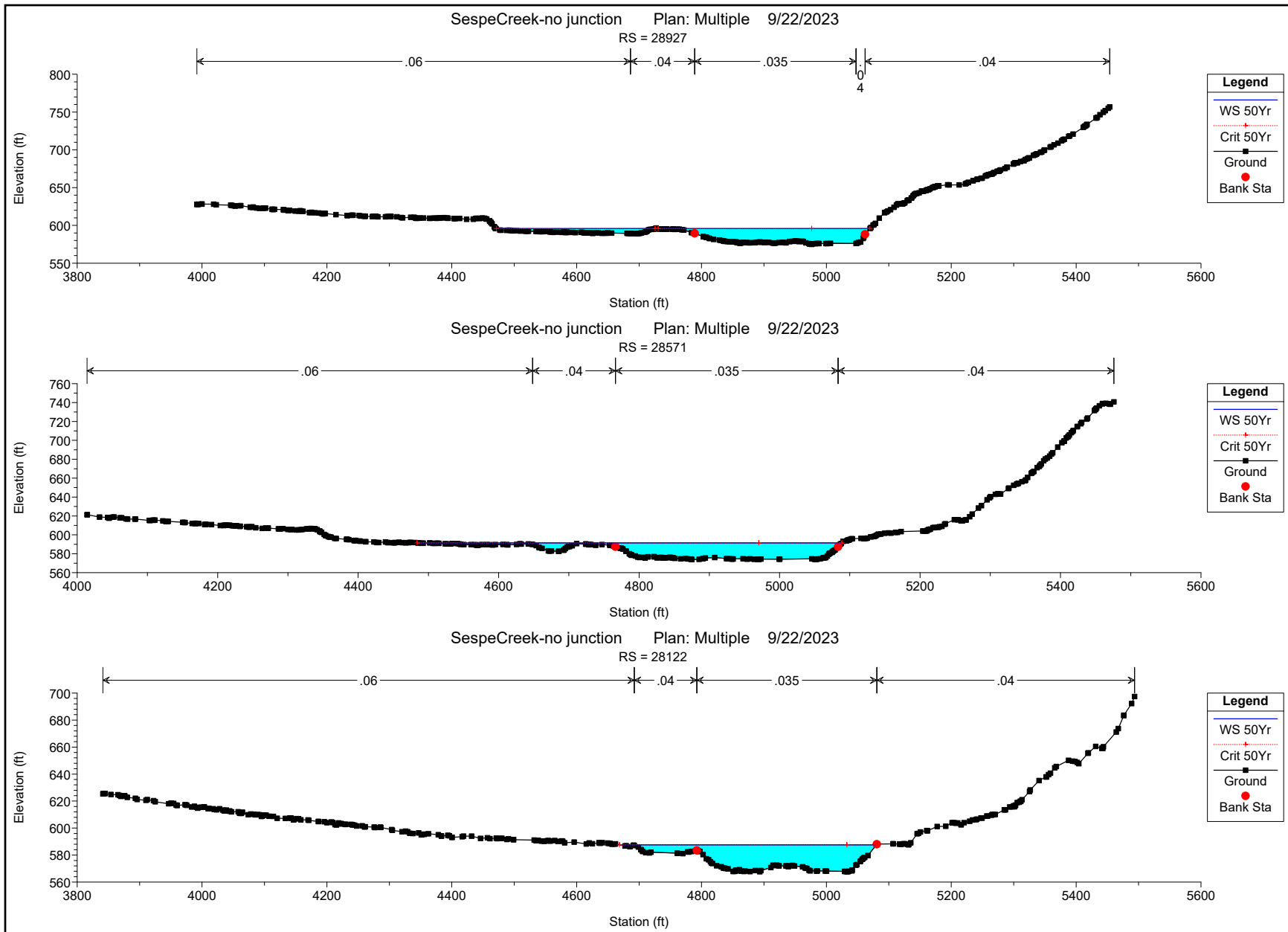


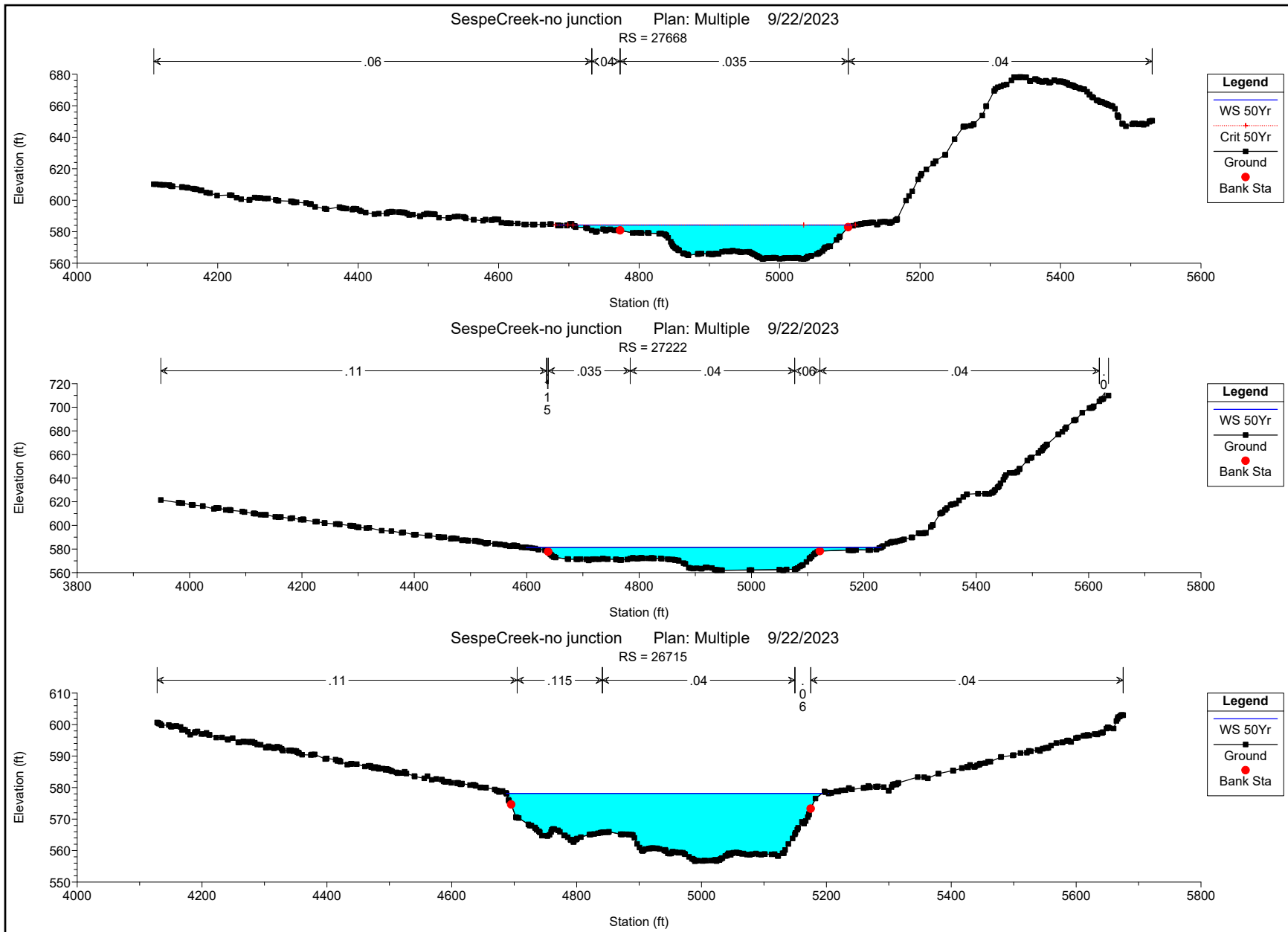


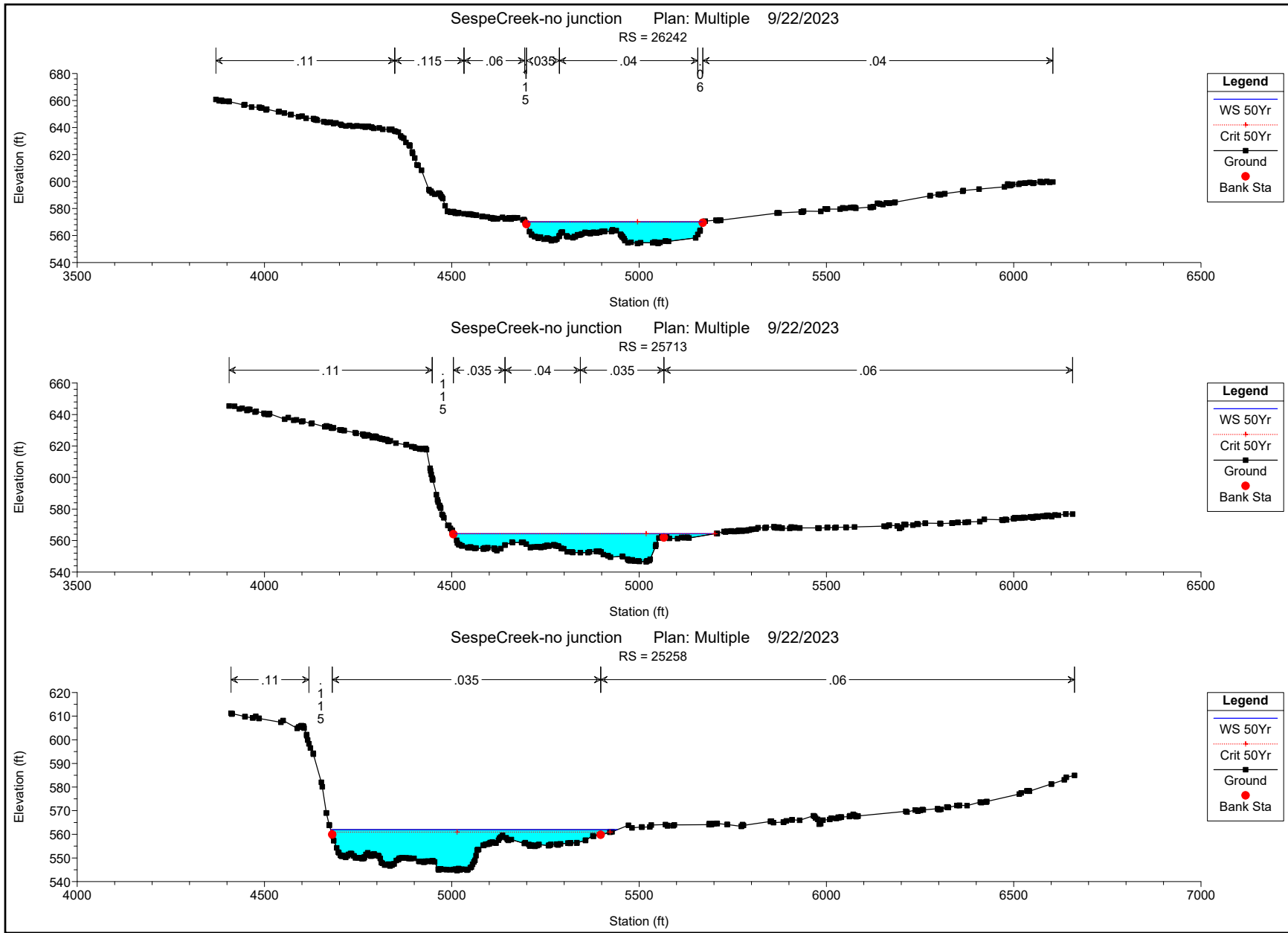


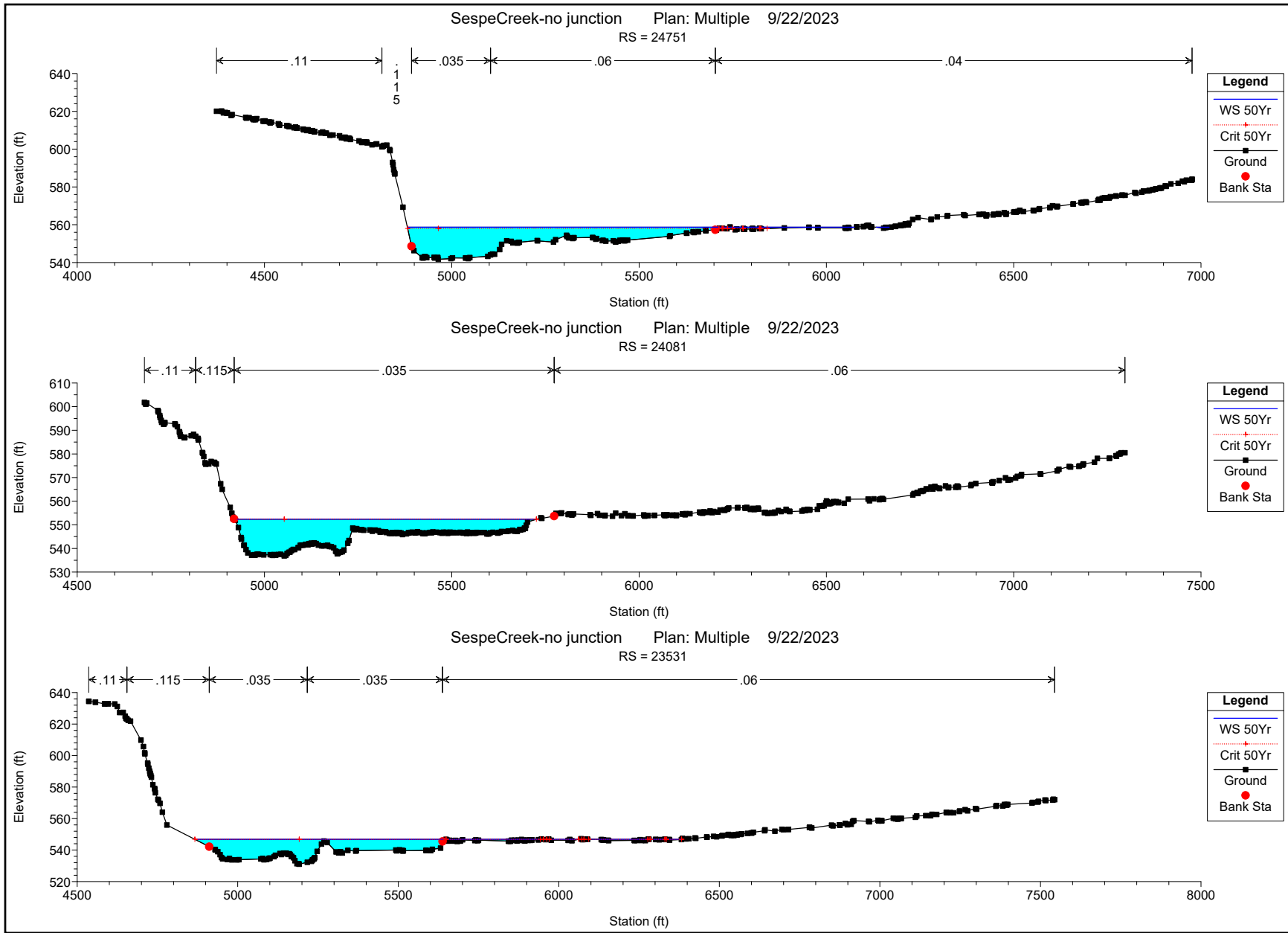


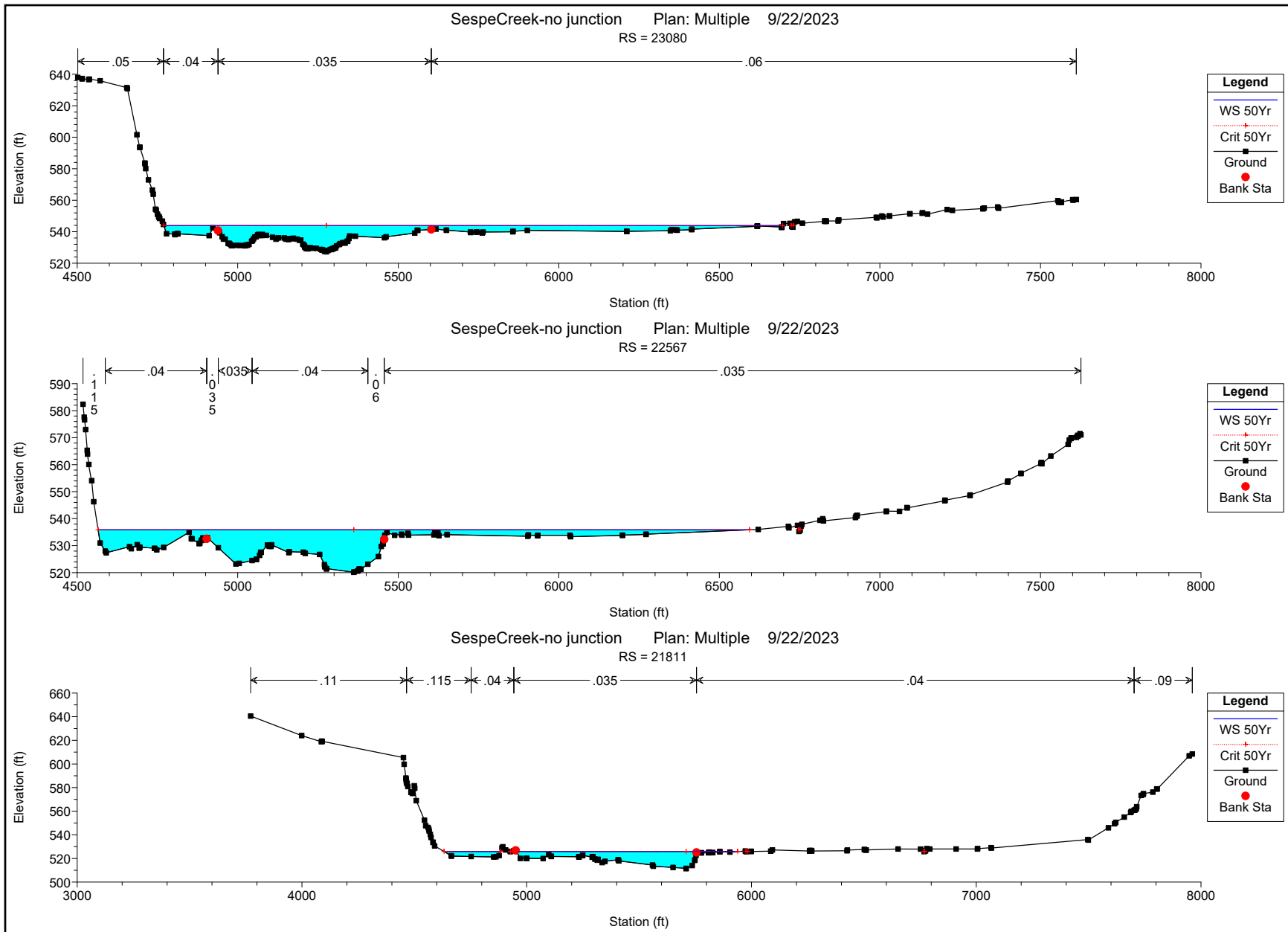




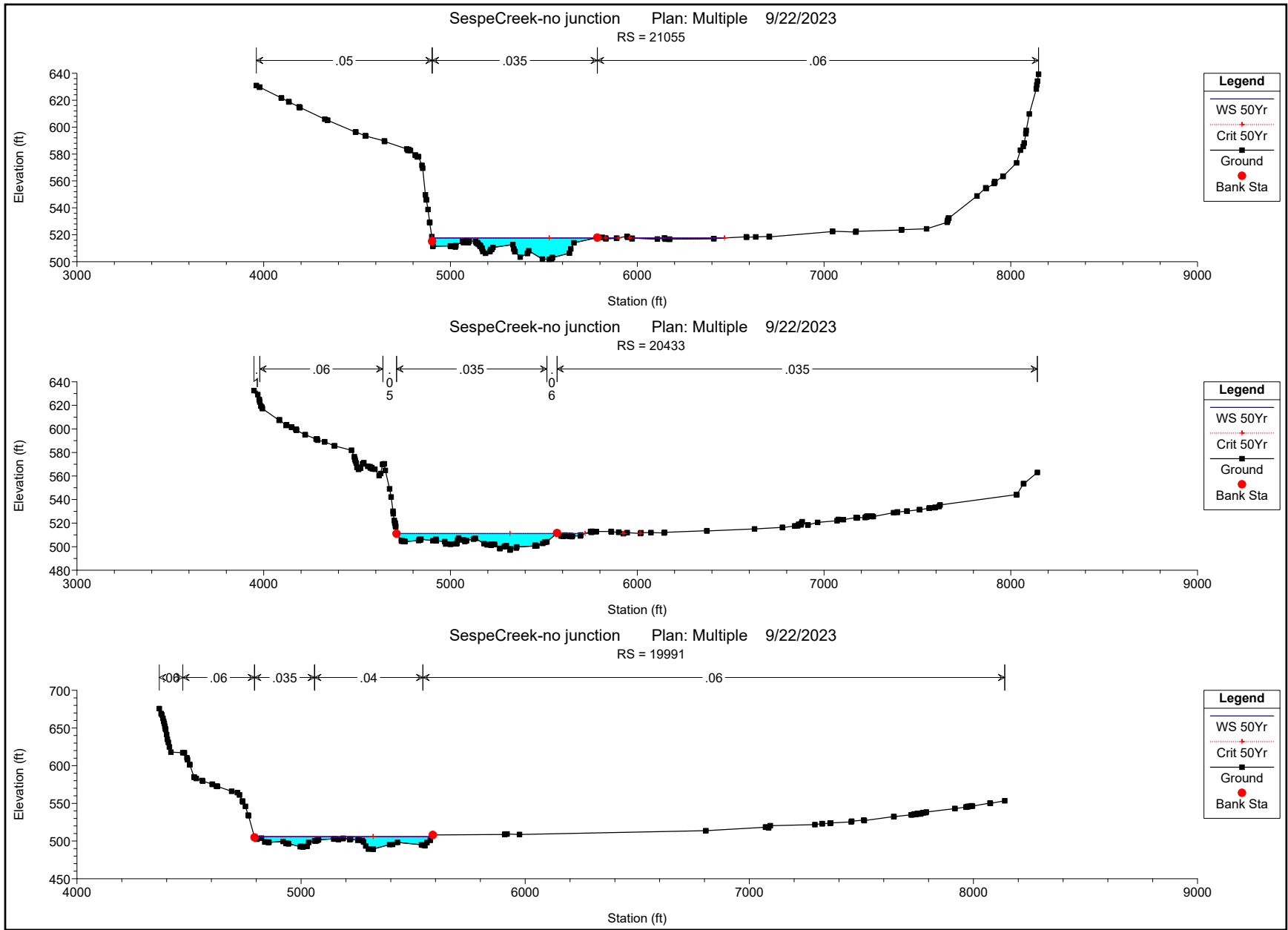


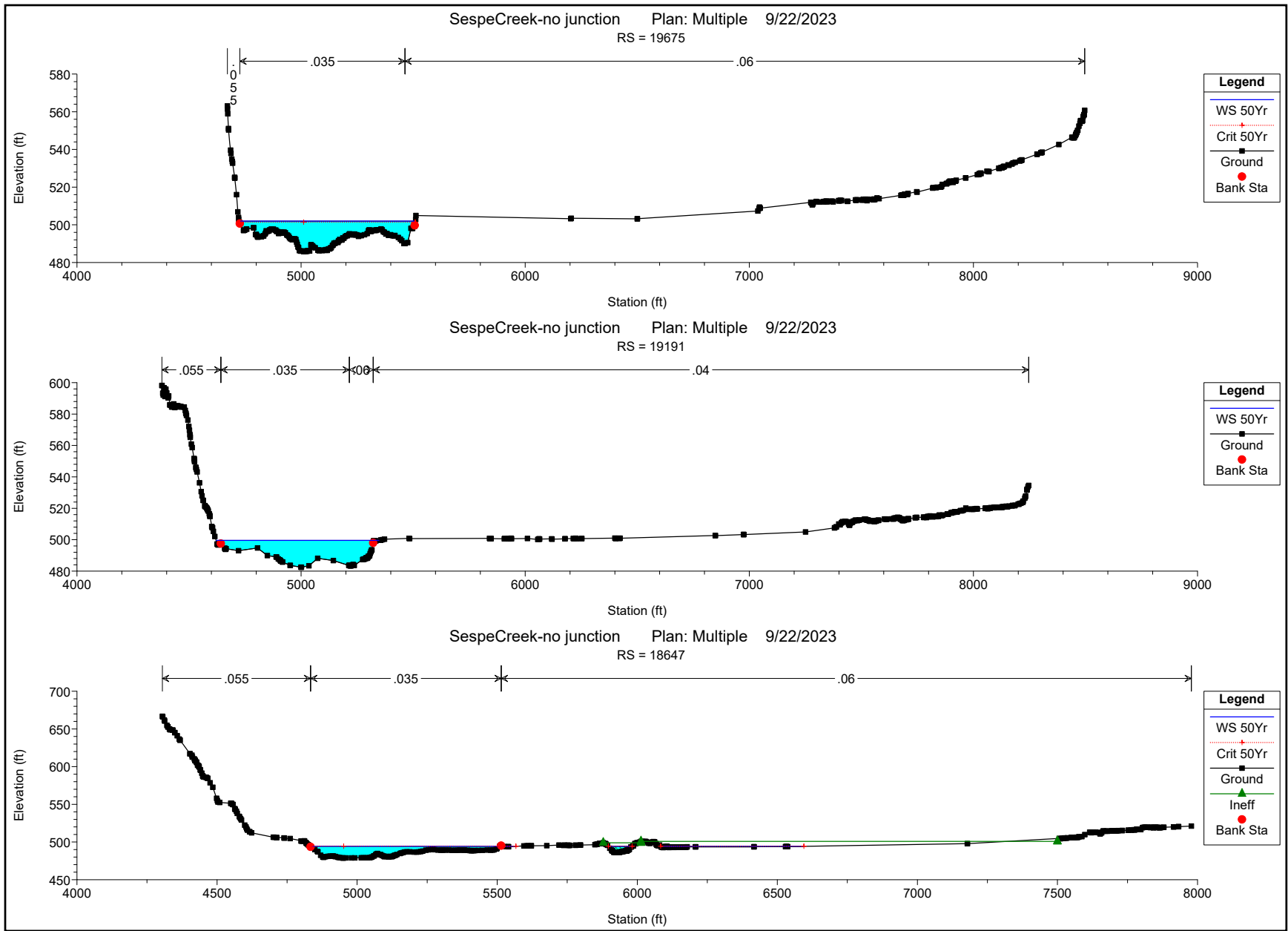


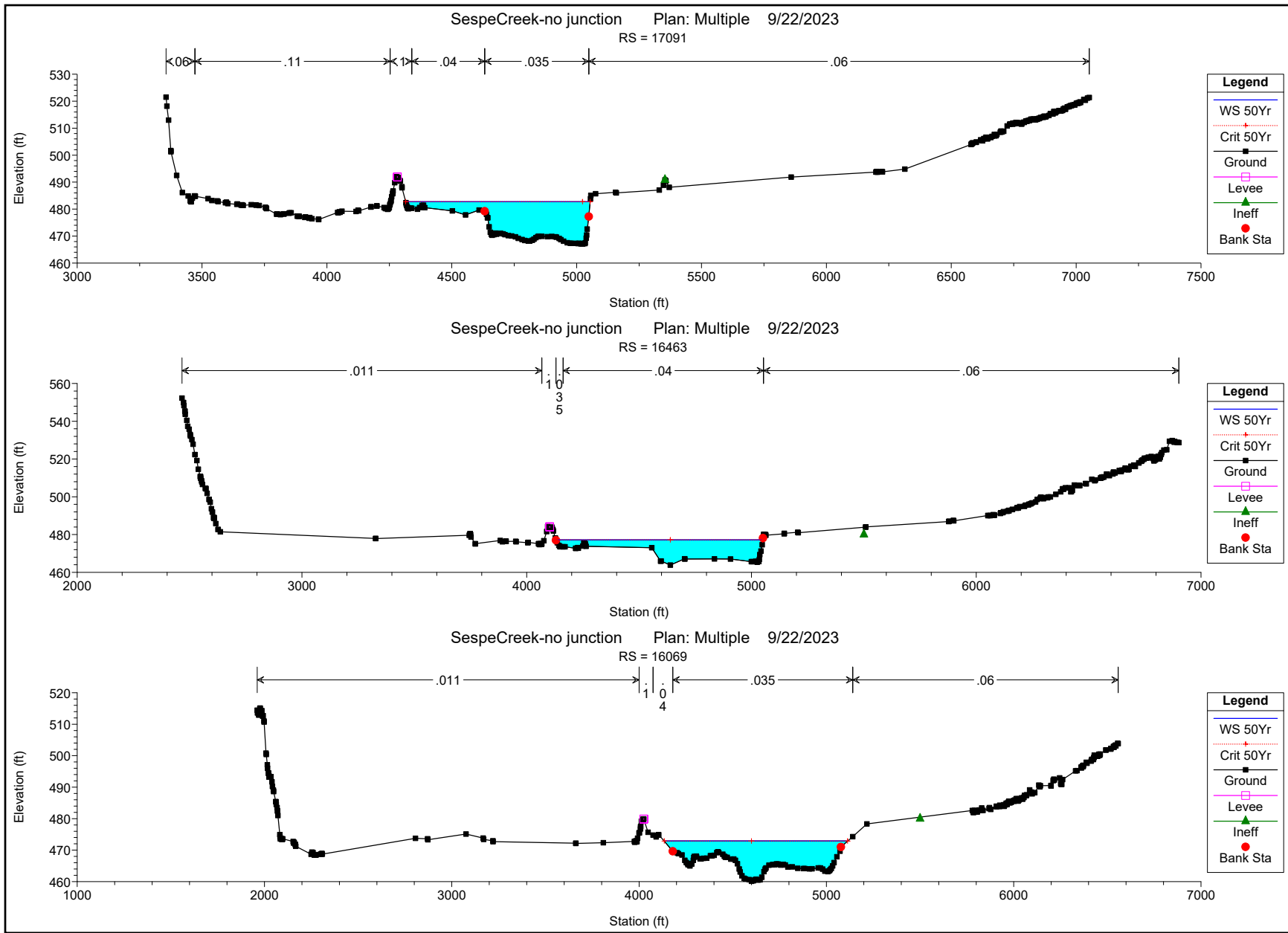


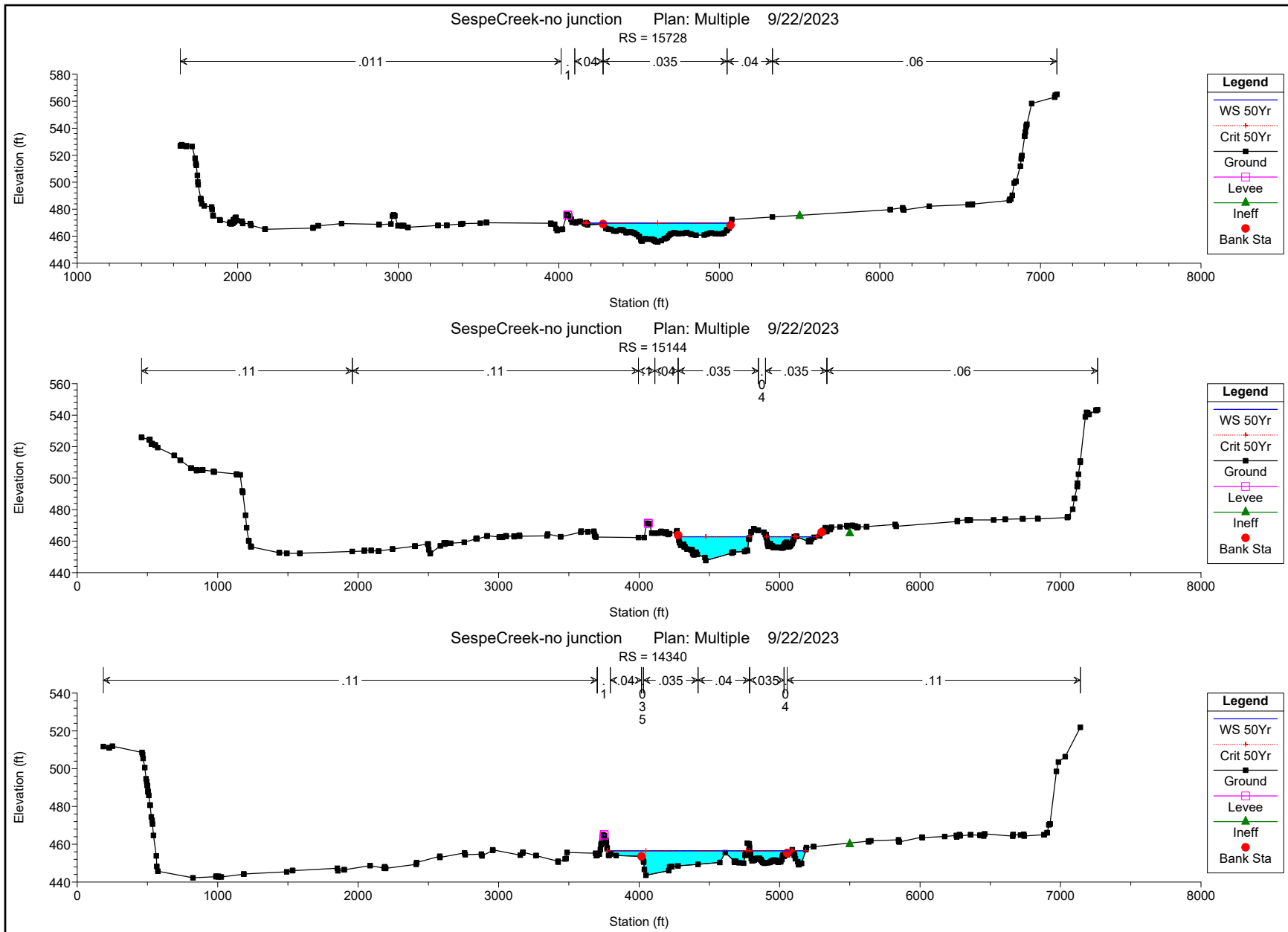


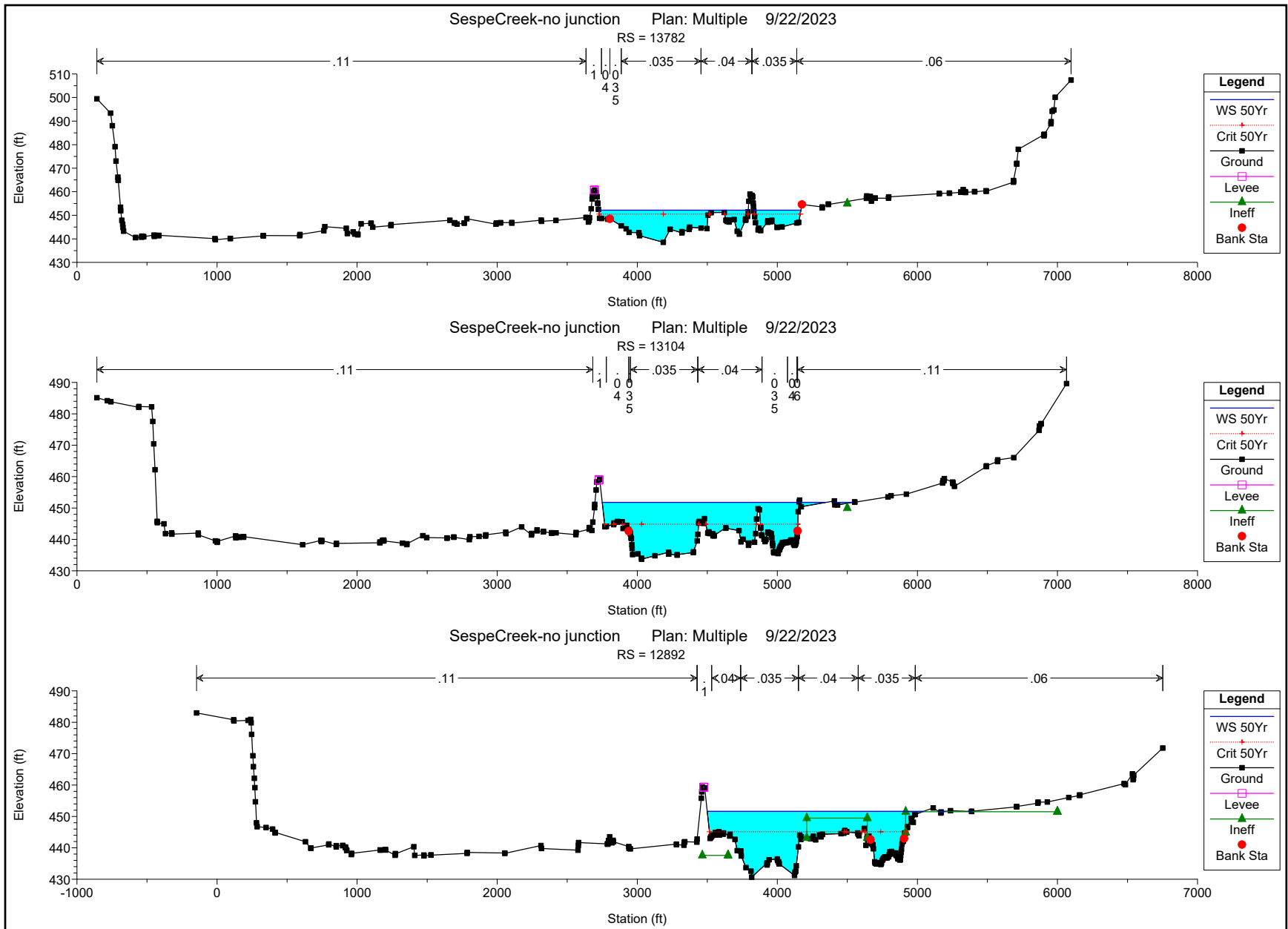


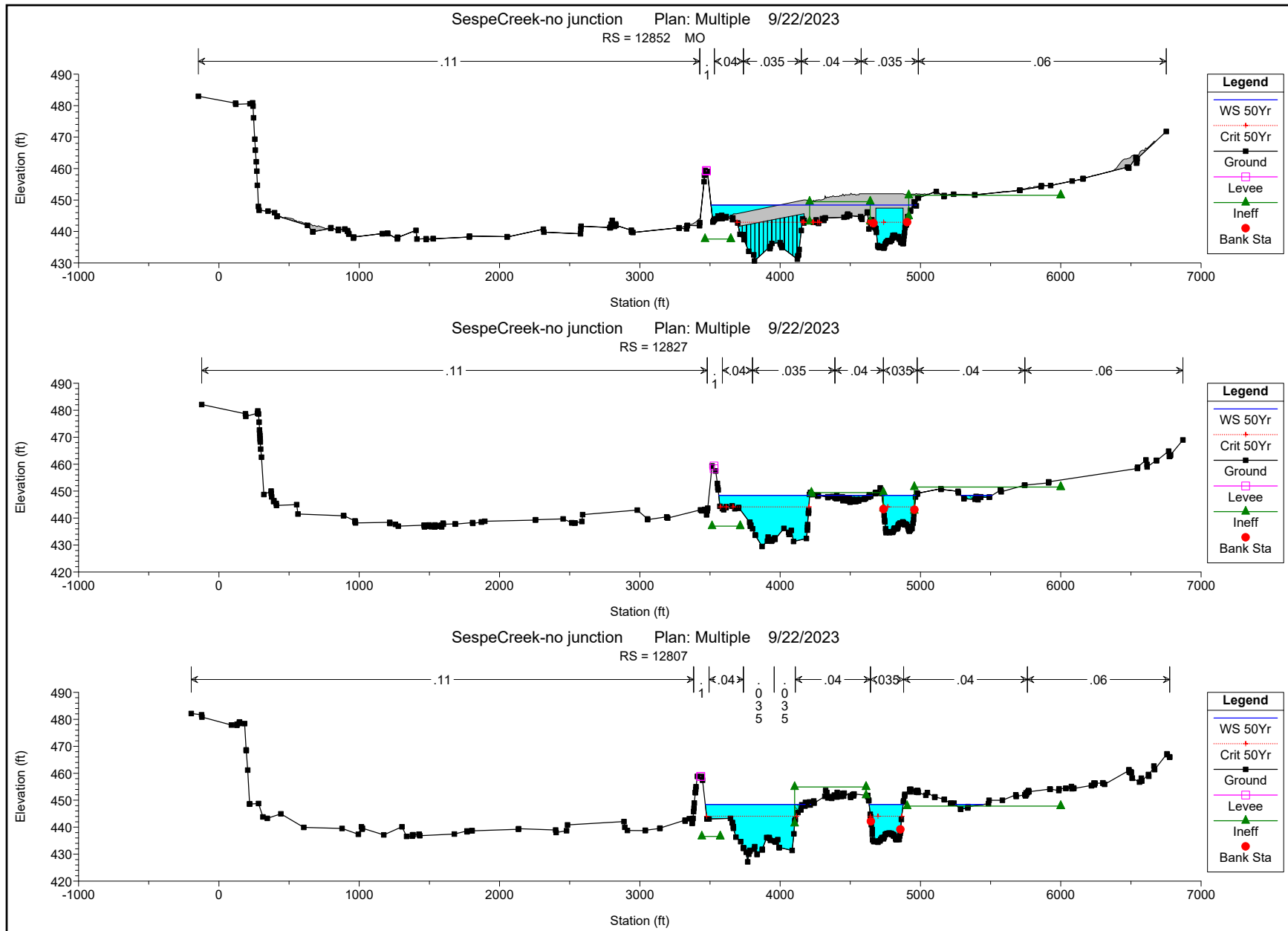


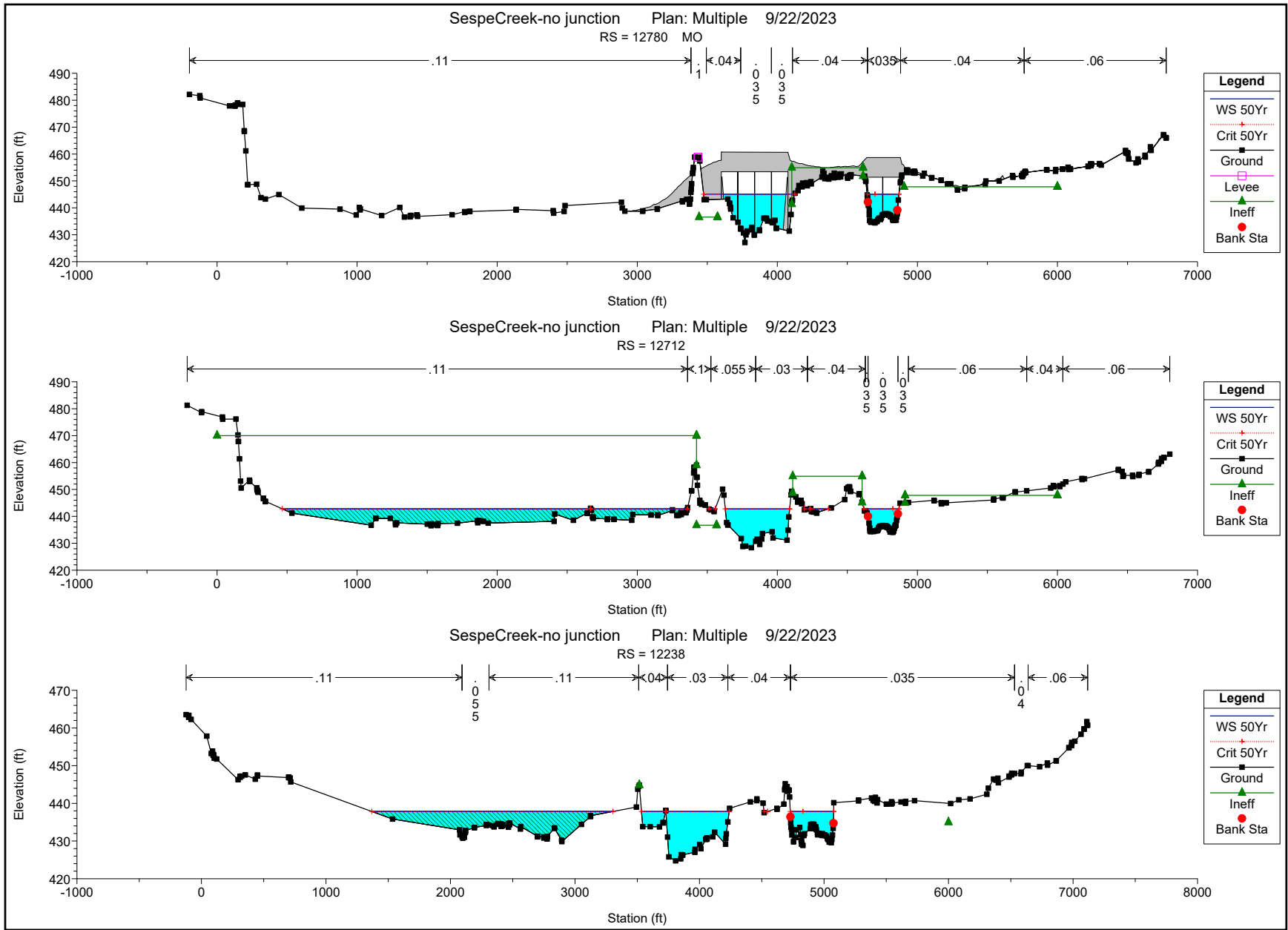


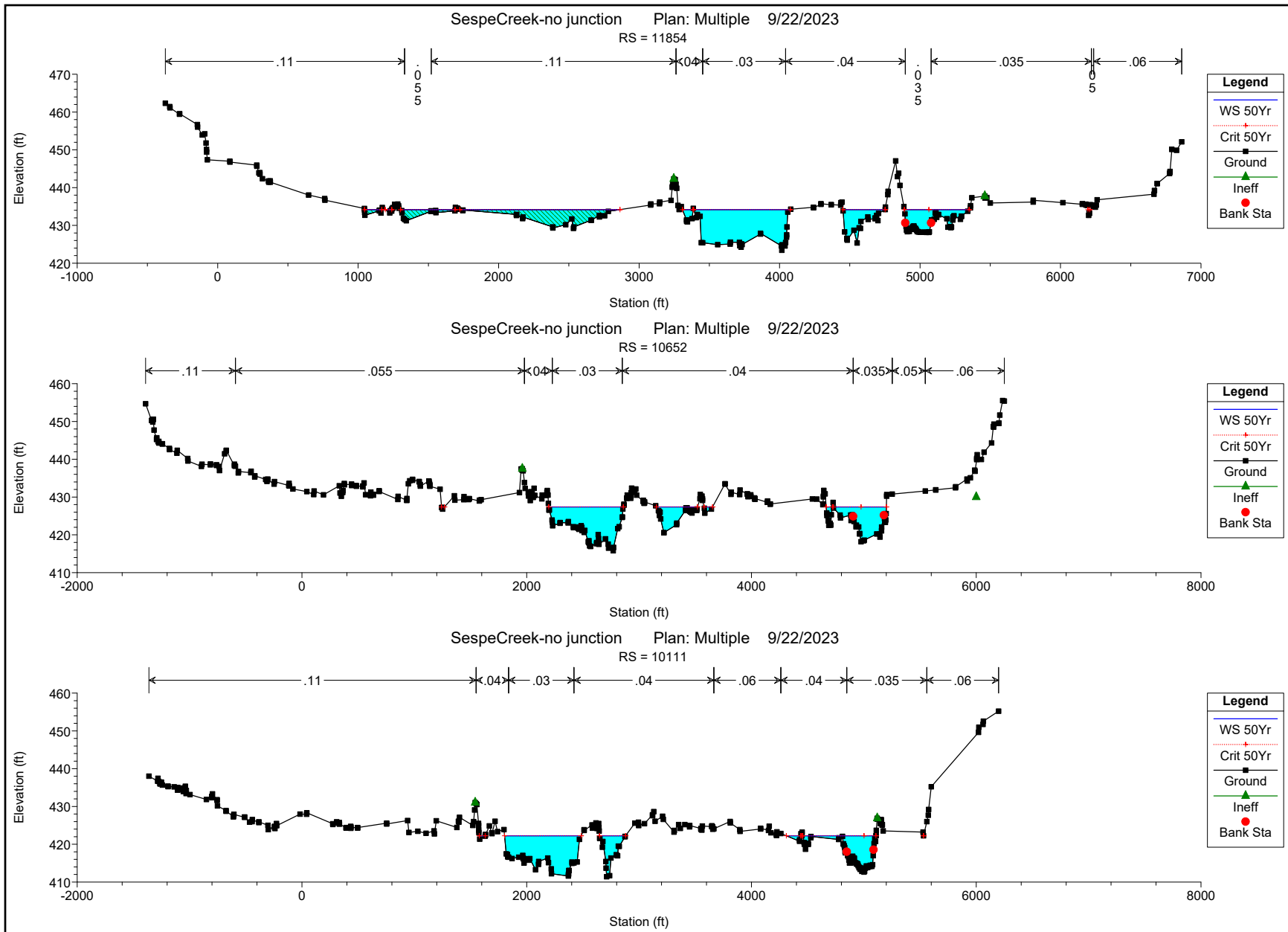




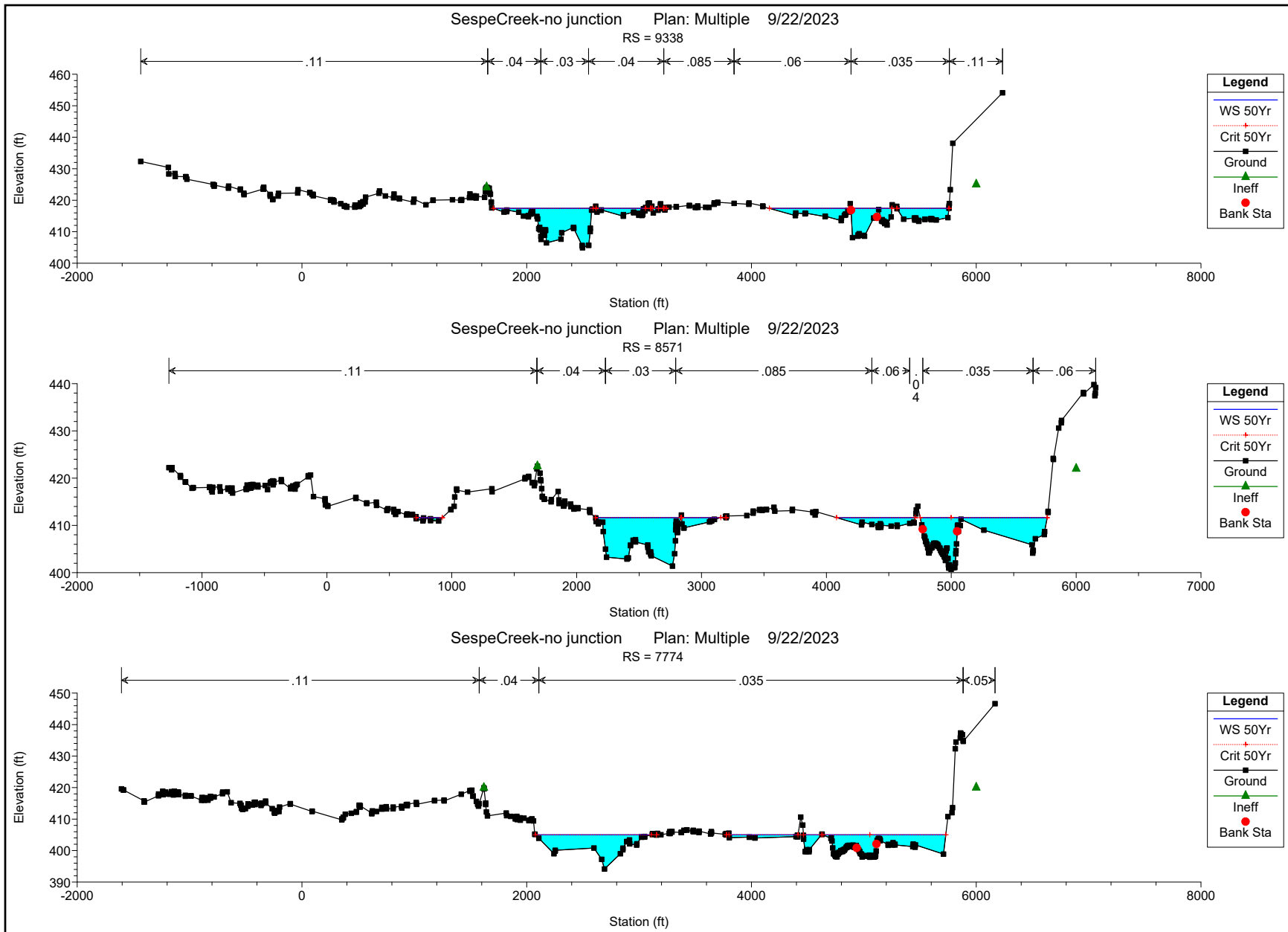


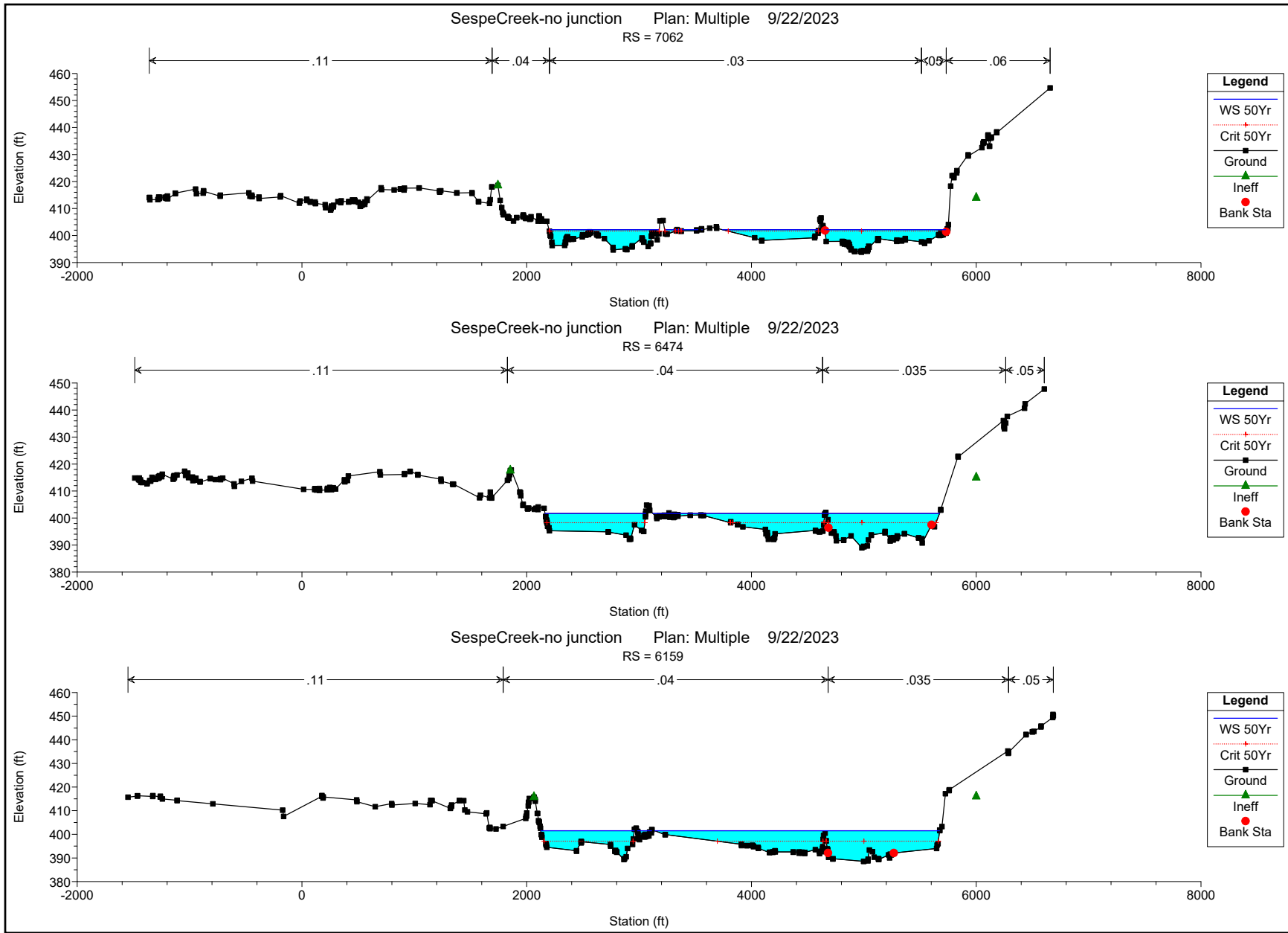


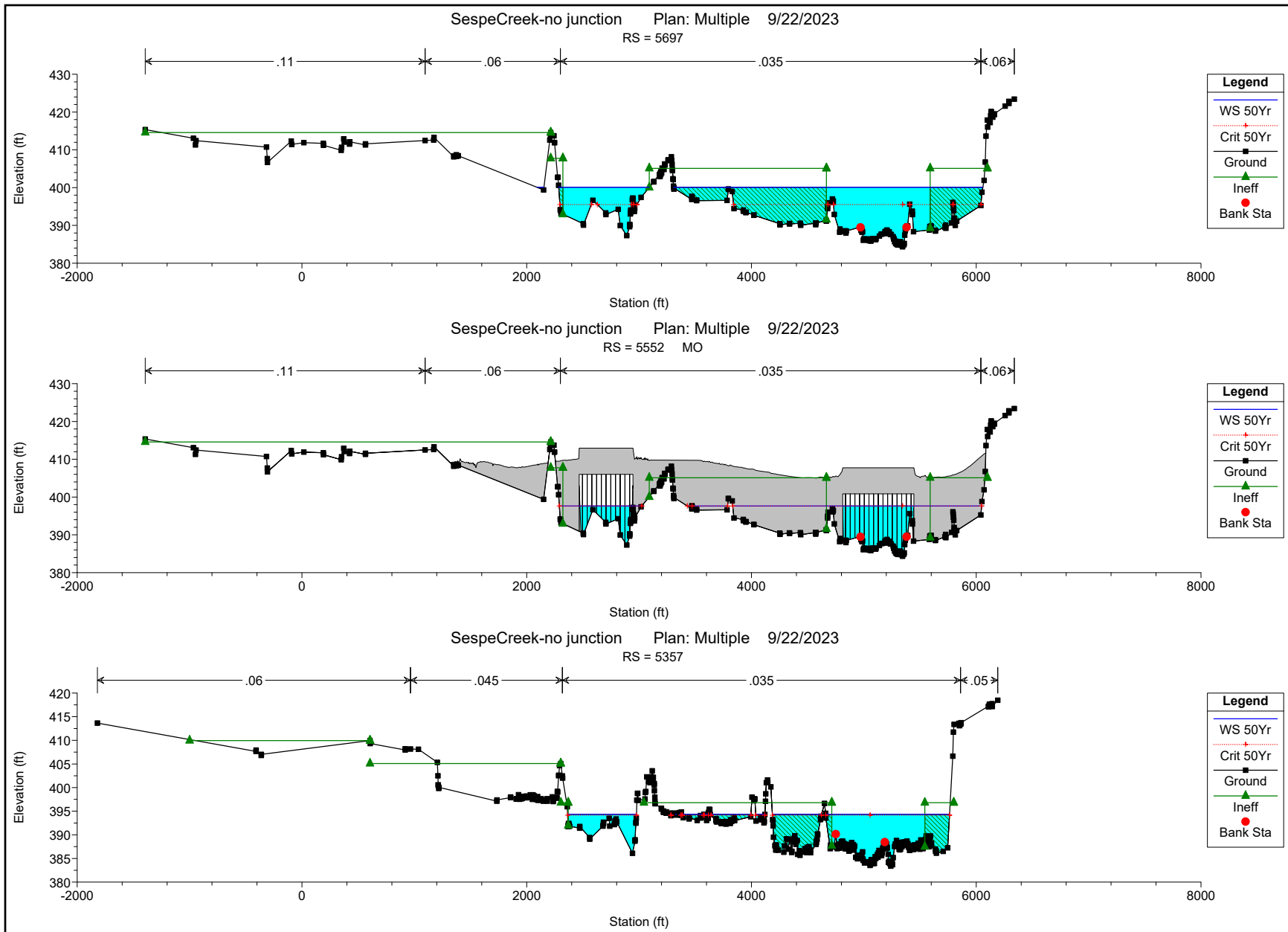


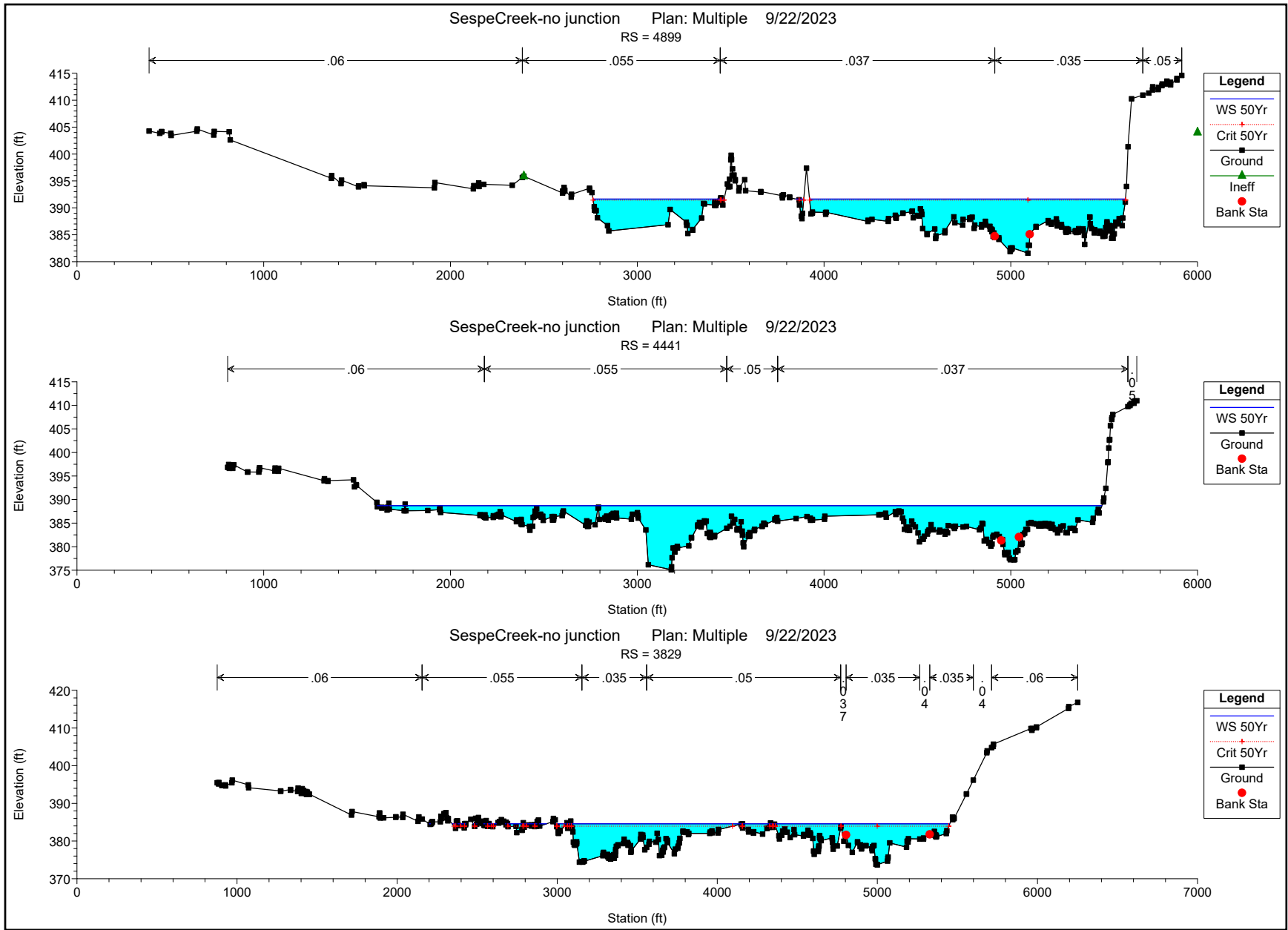


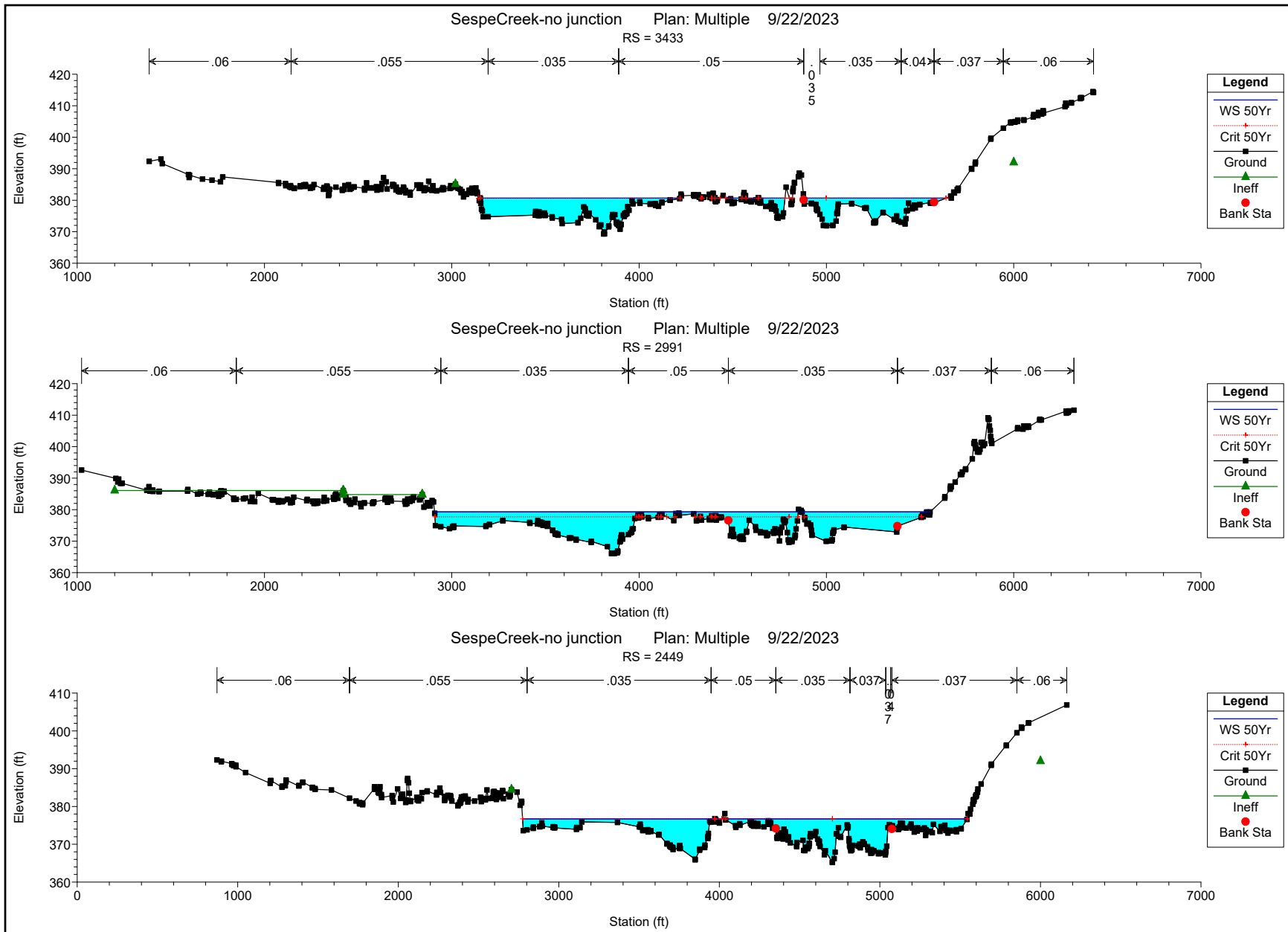


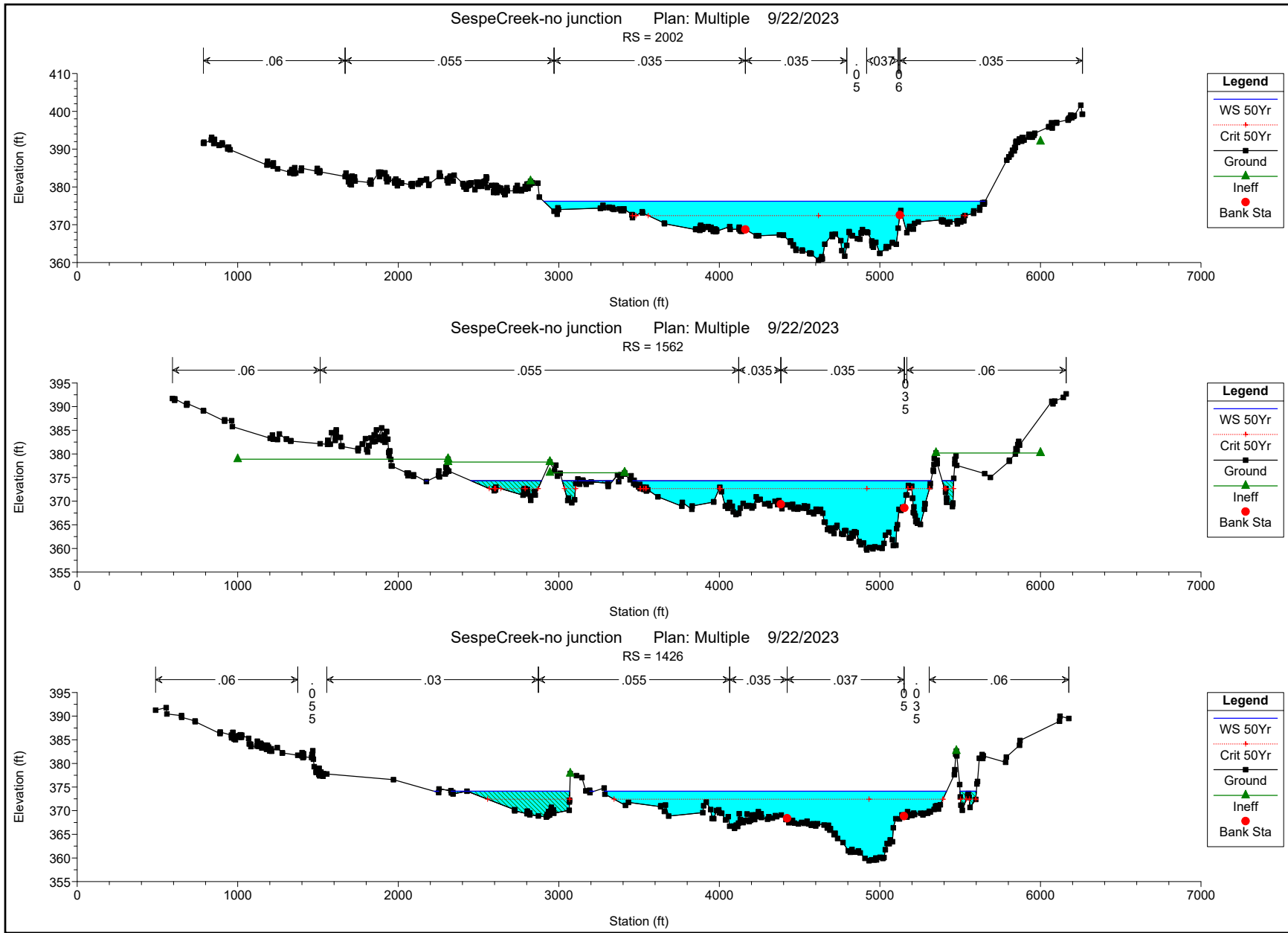












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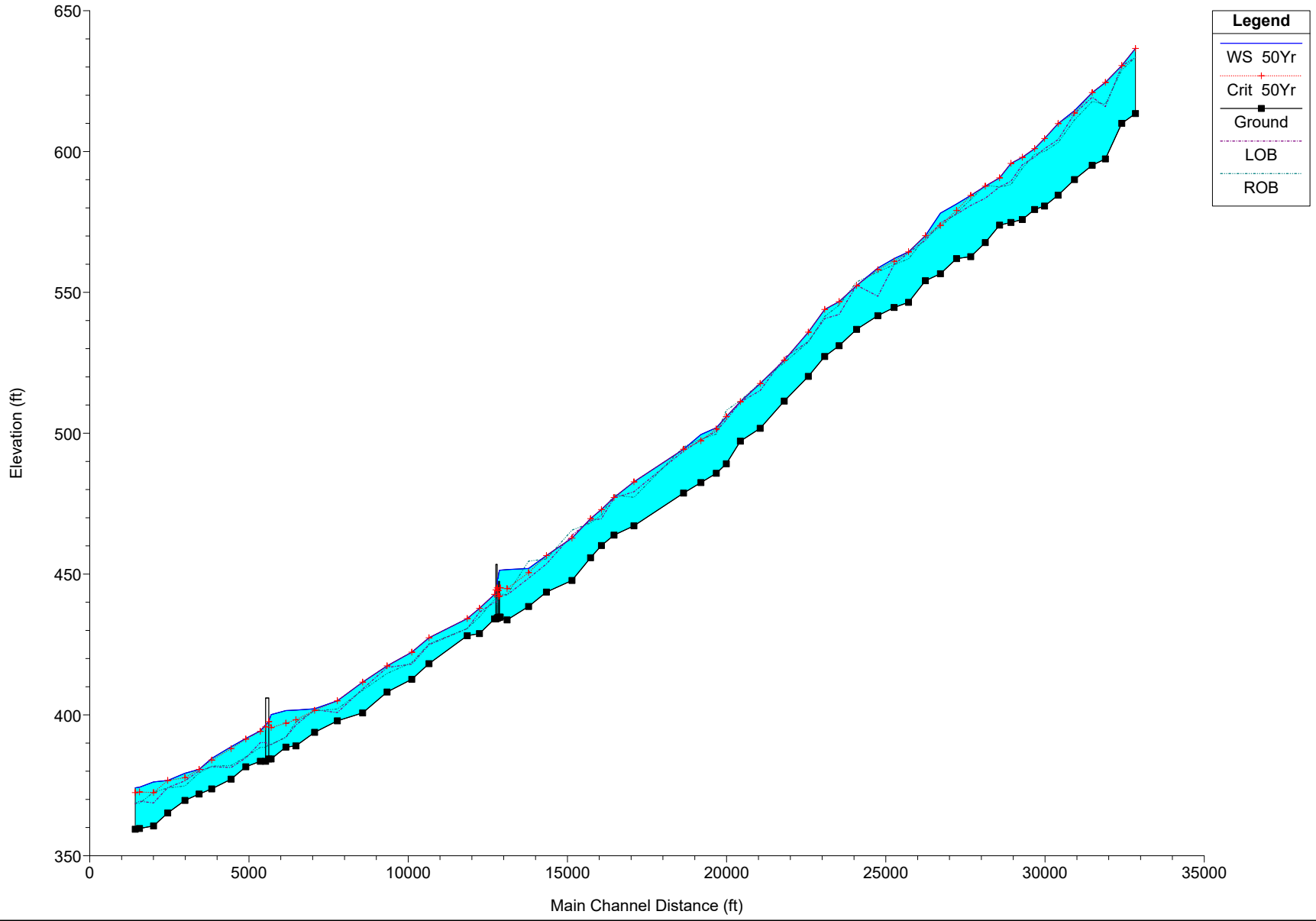
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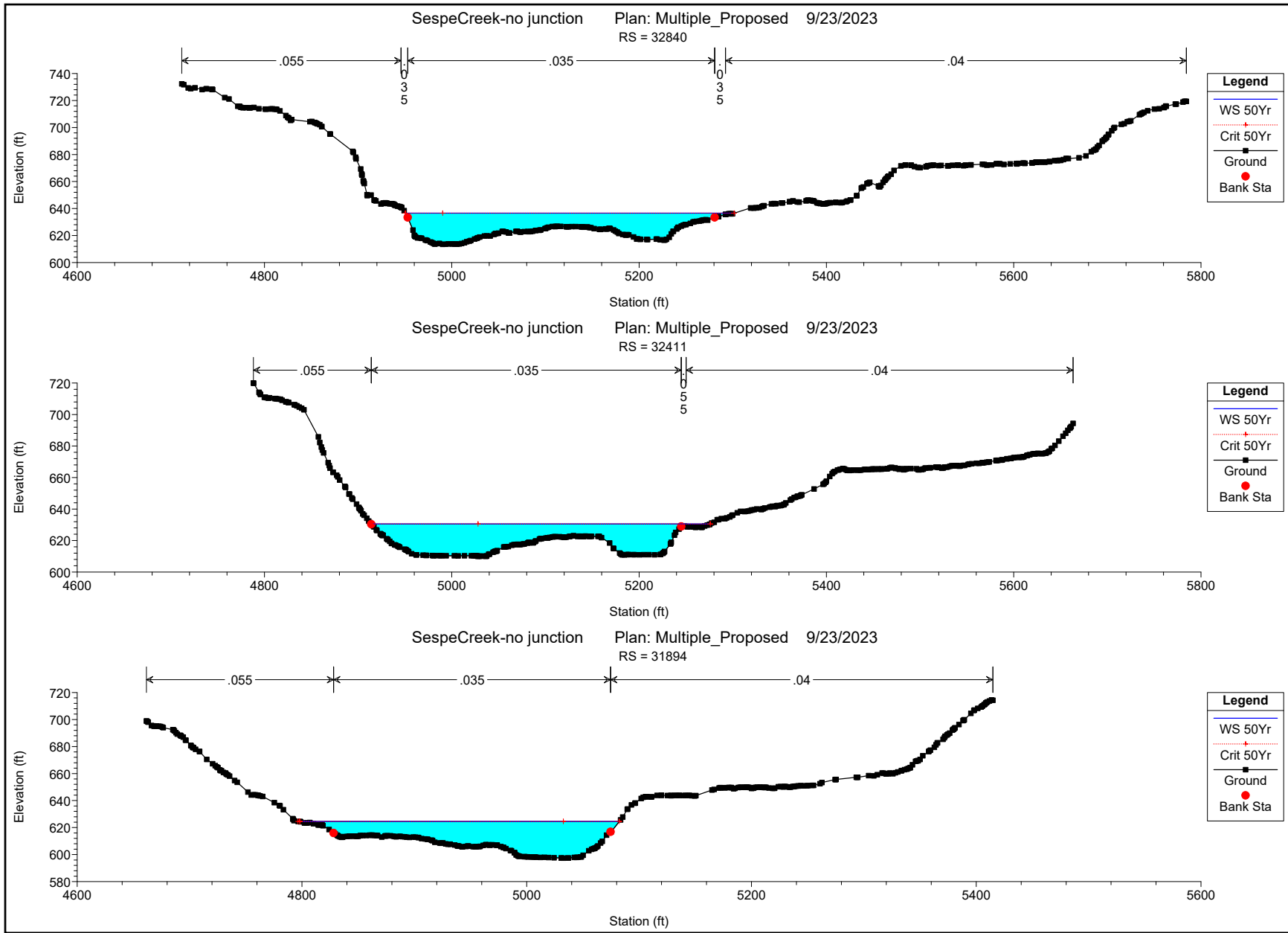
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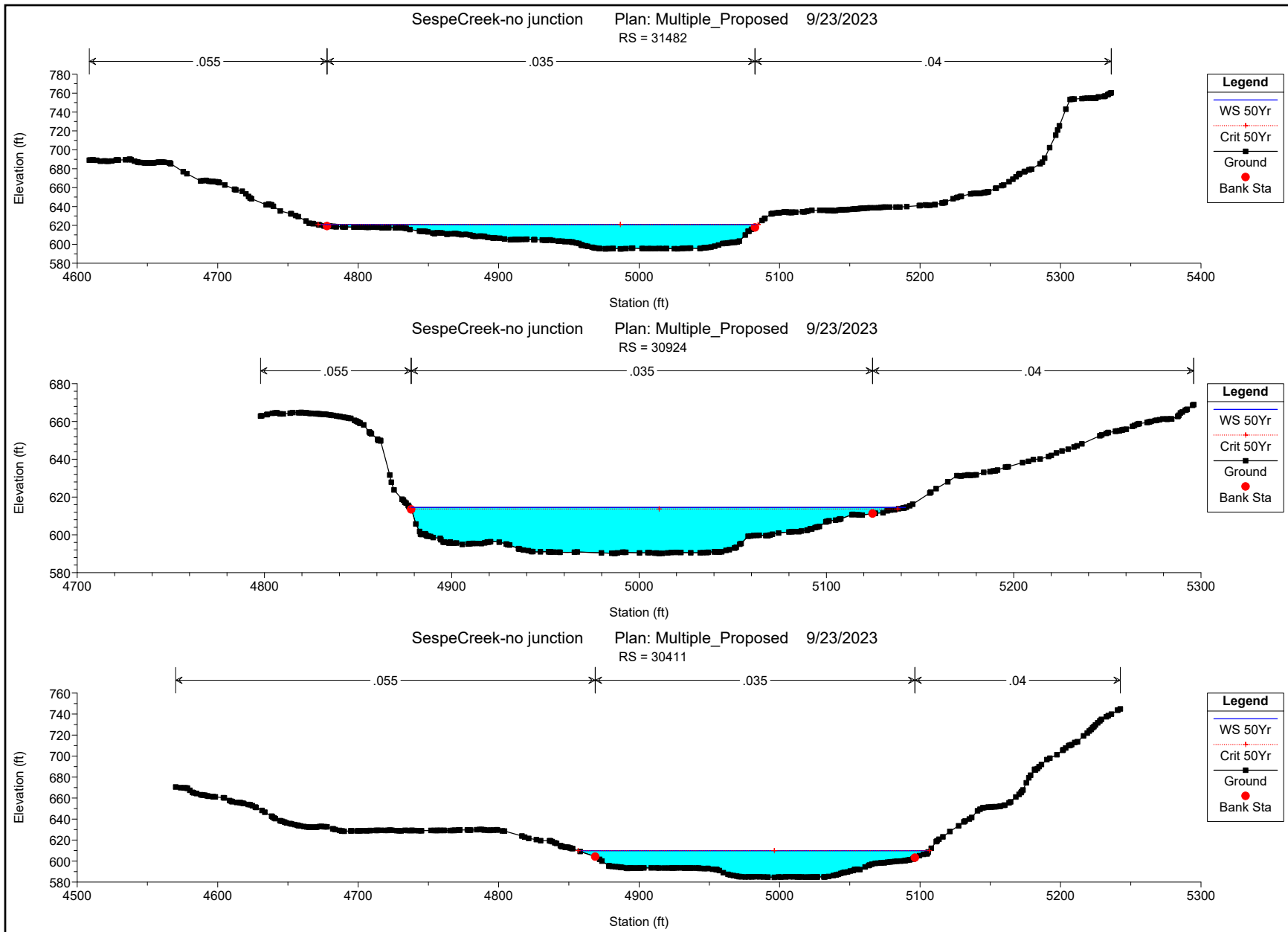
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Reach1	32411	50Yr	102000.00	609.99	630.54	630.54	637.58	0.007647	21.31	4826.10	362.22	0.99
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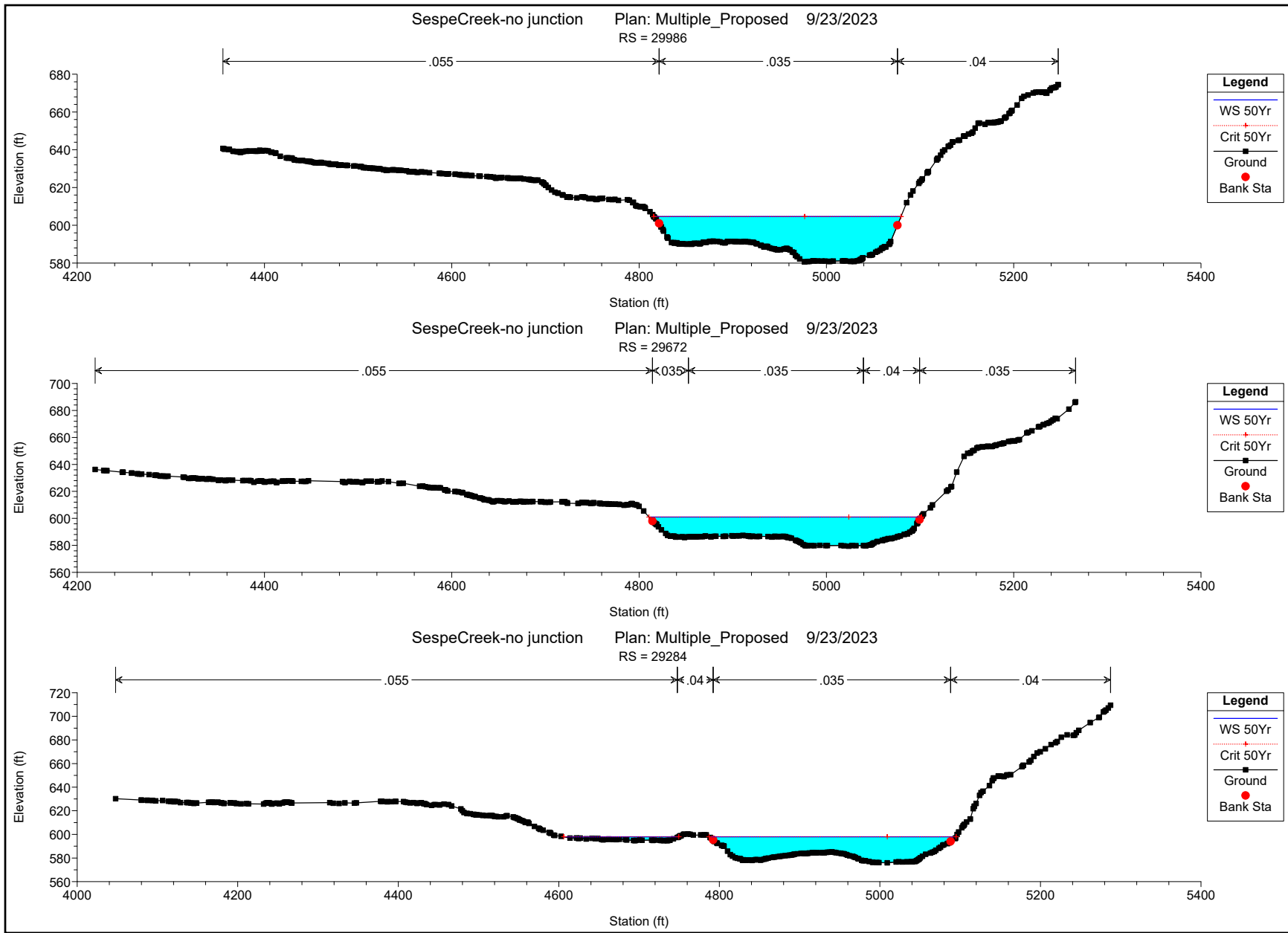


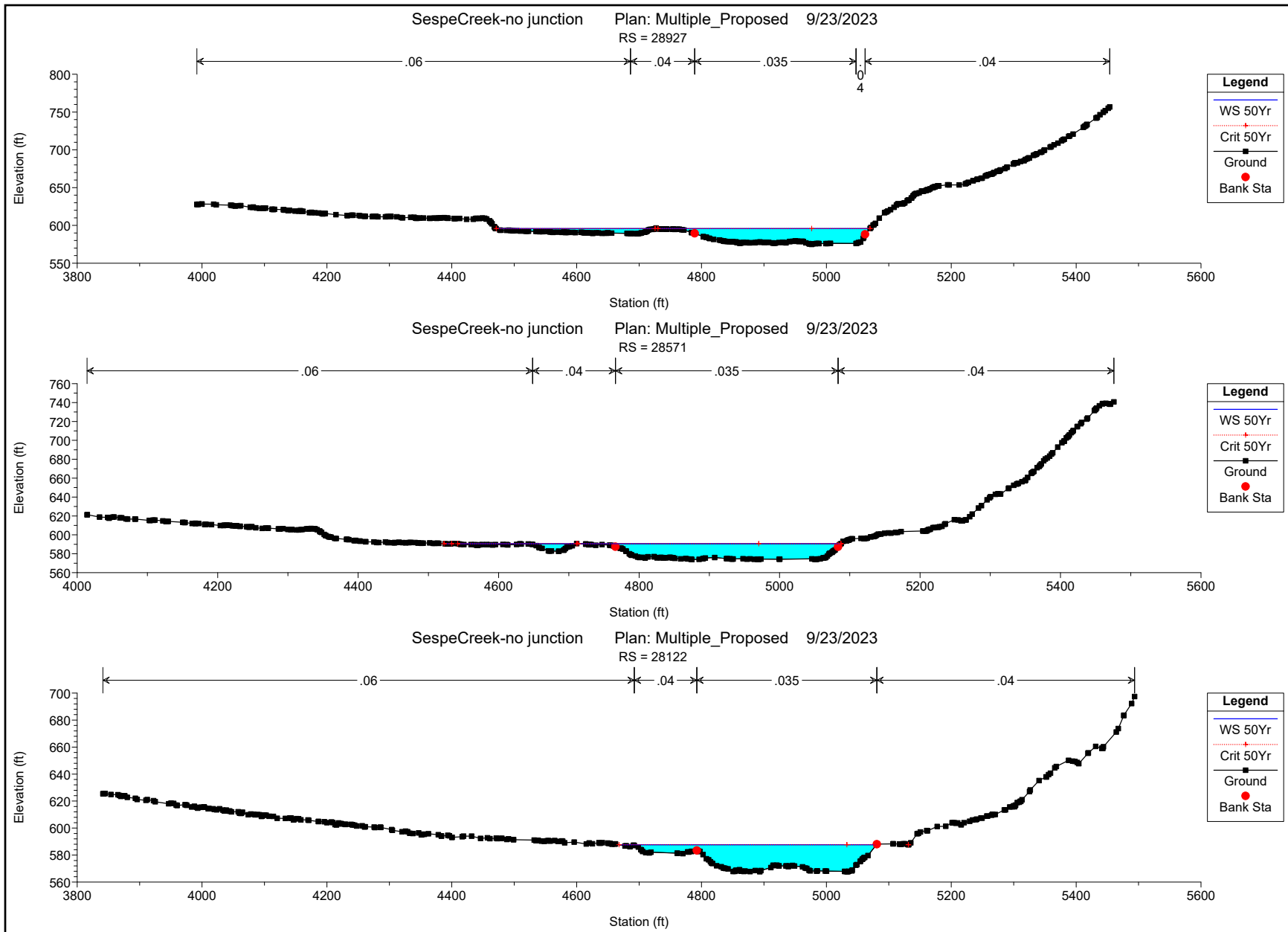
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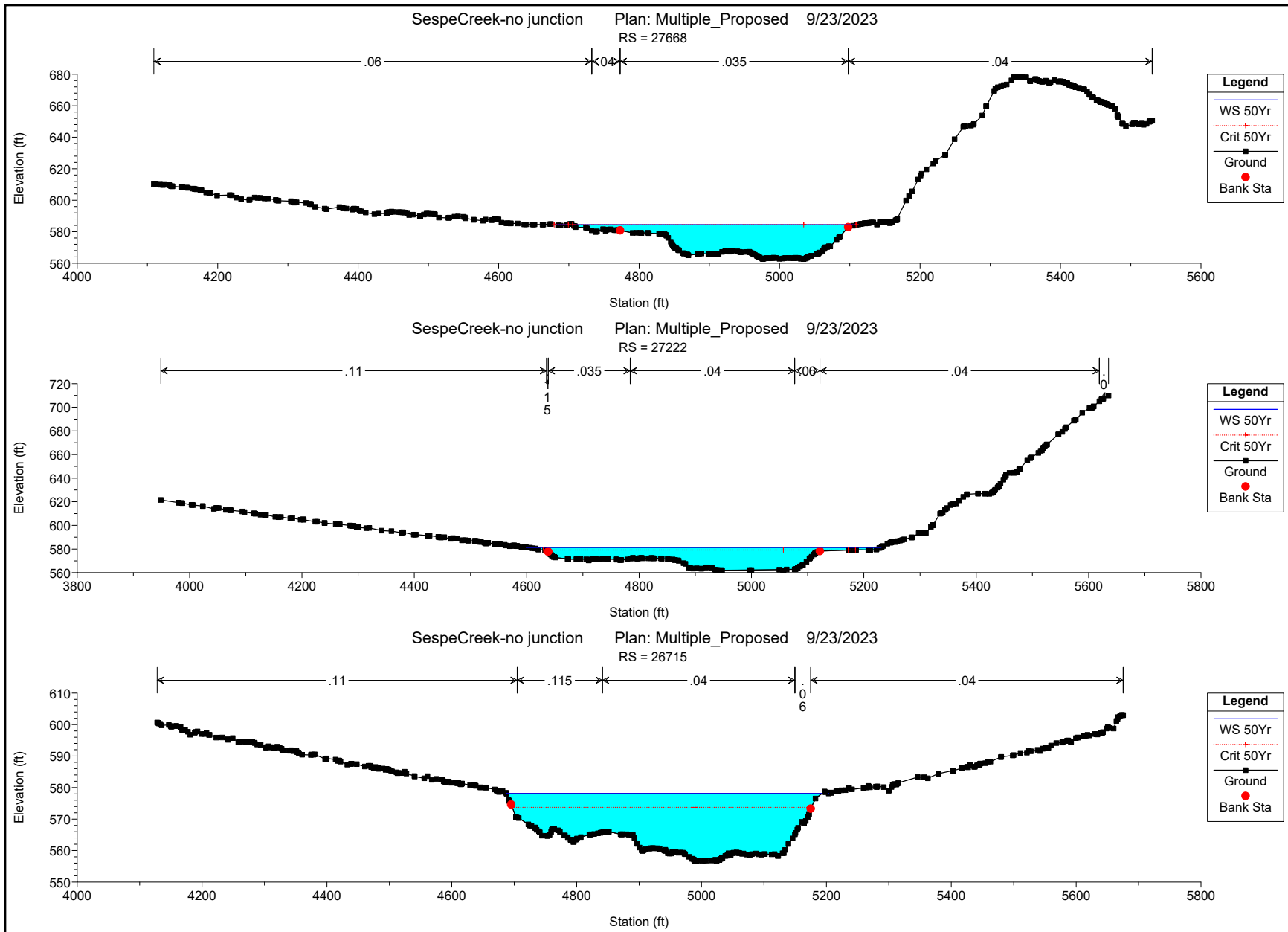


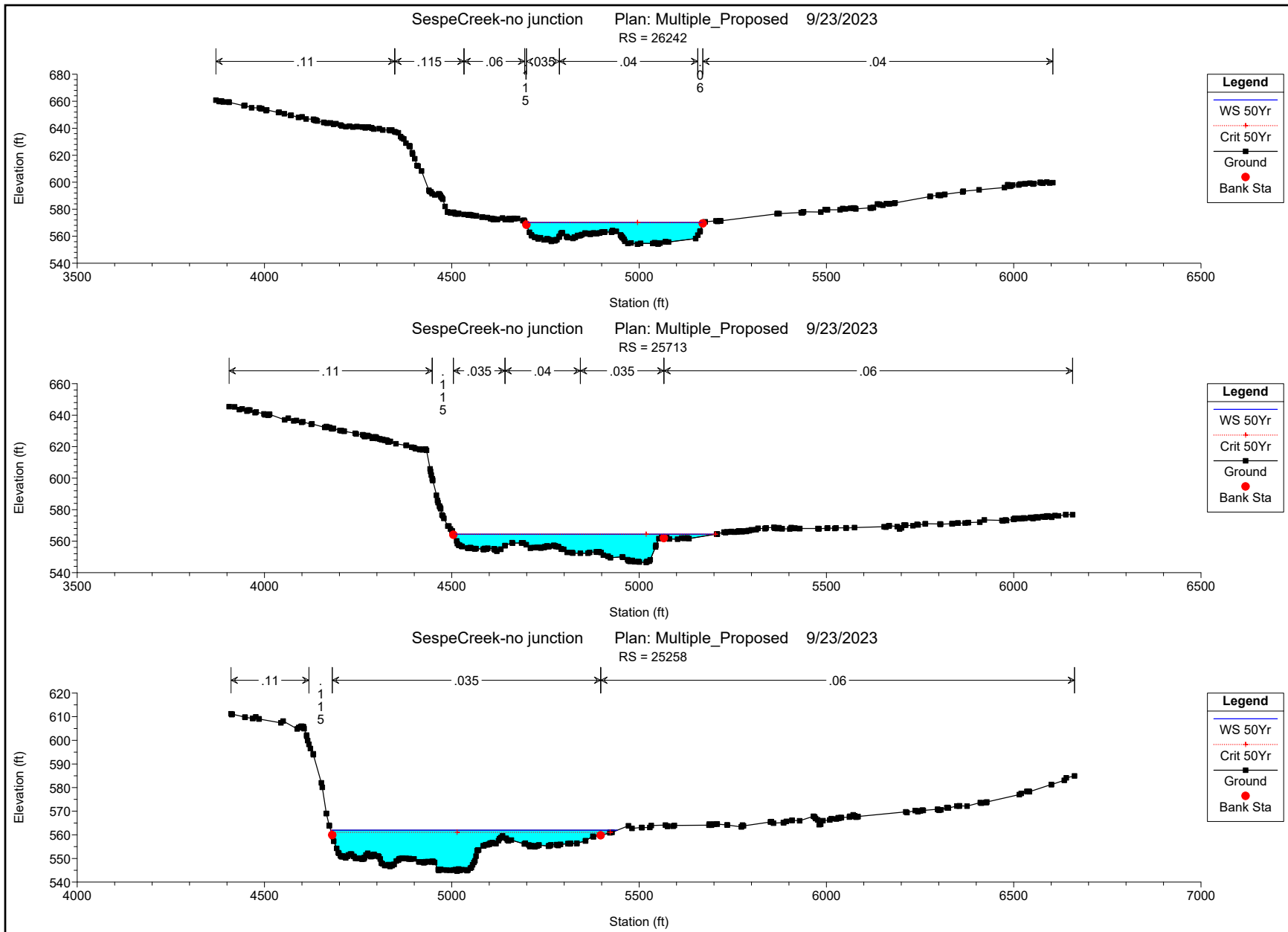


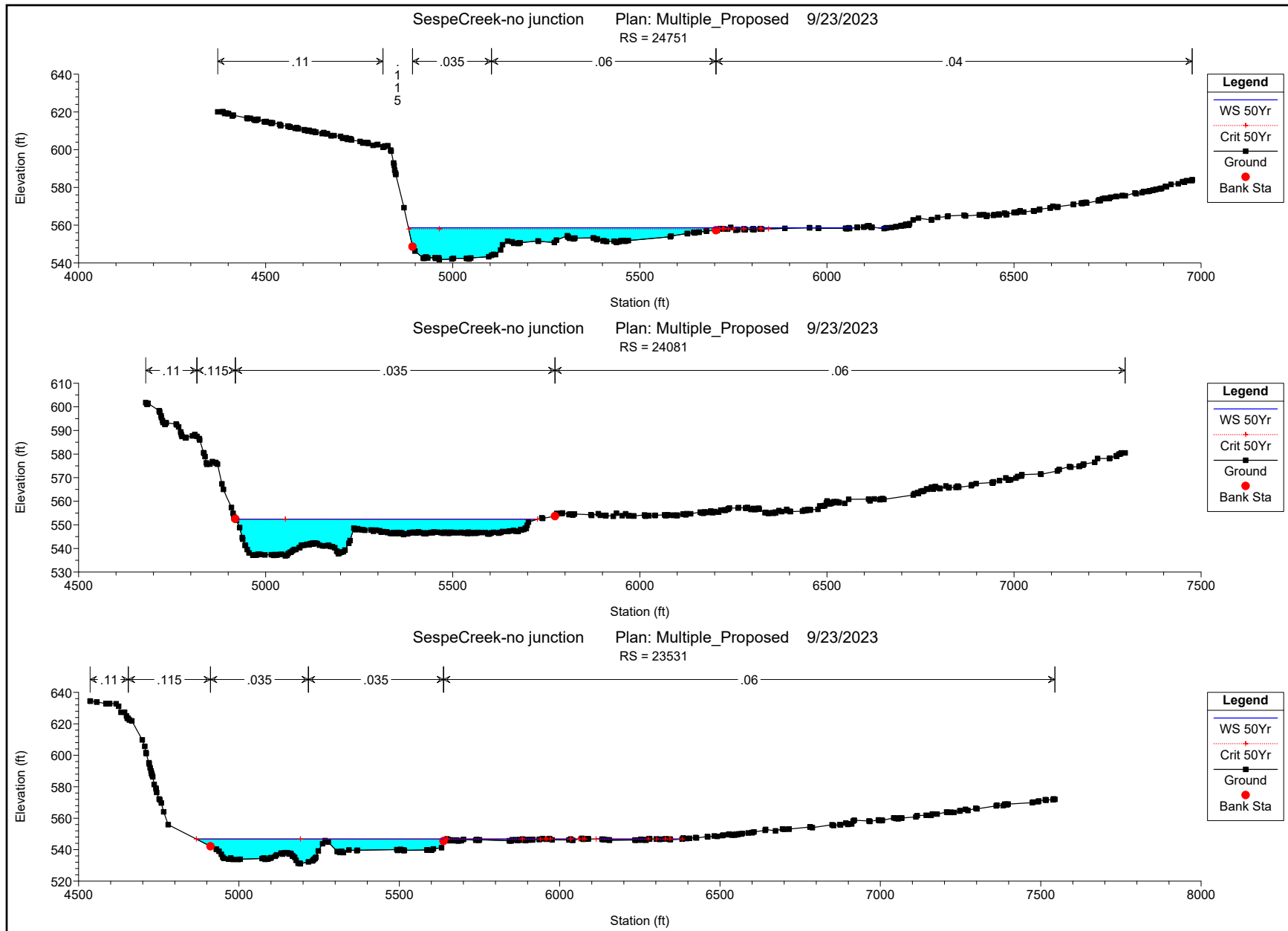




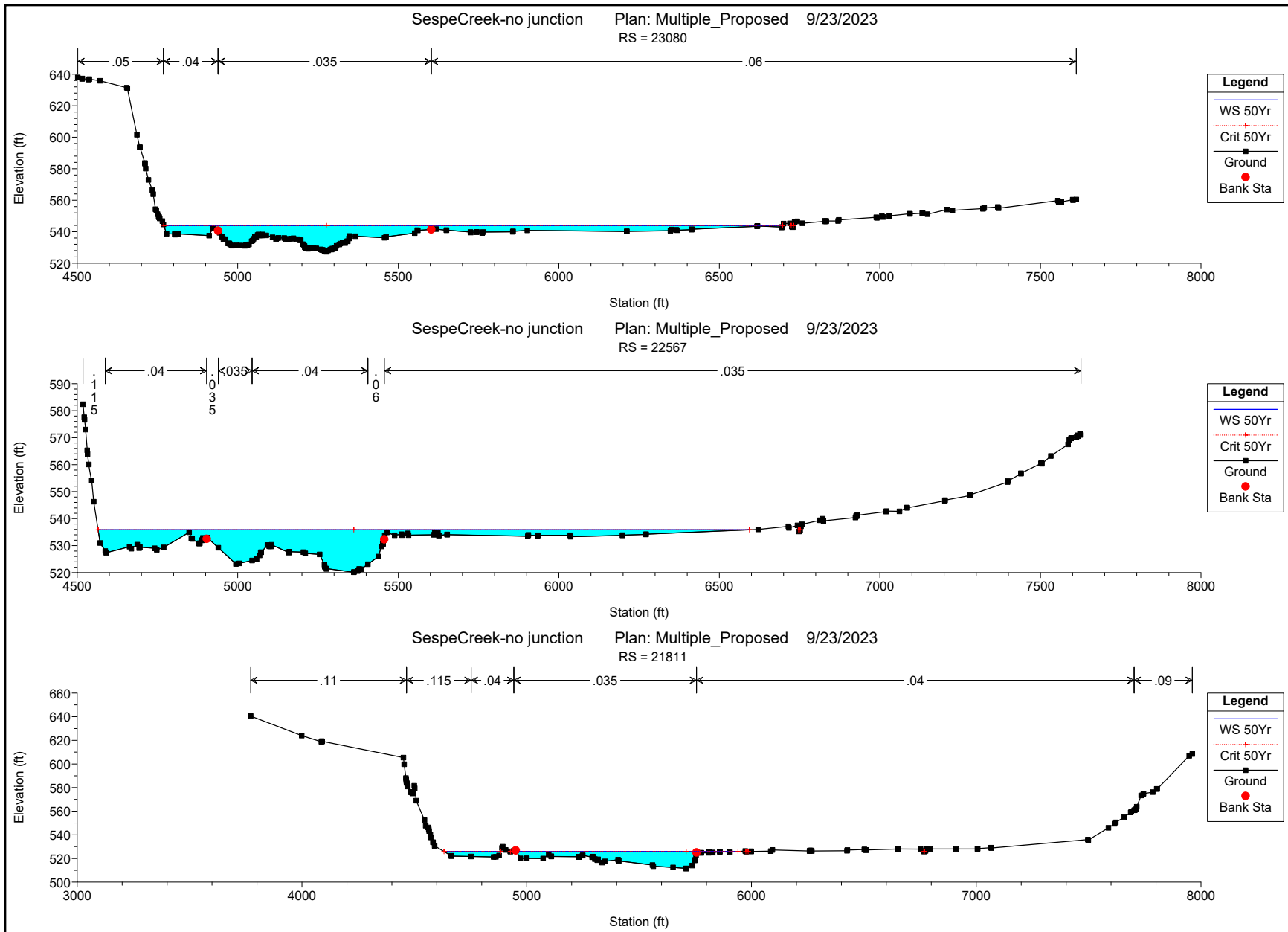


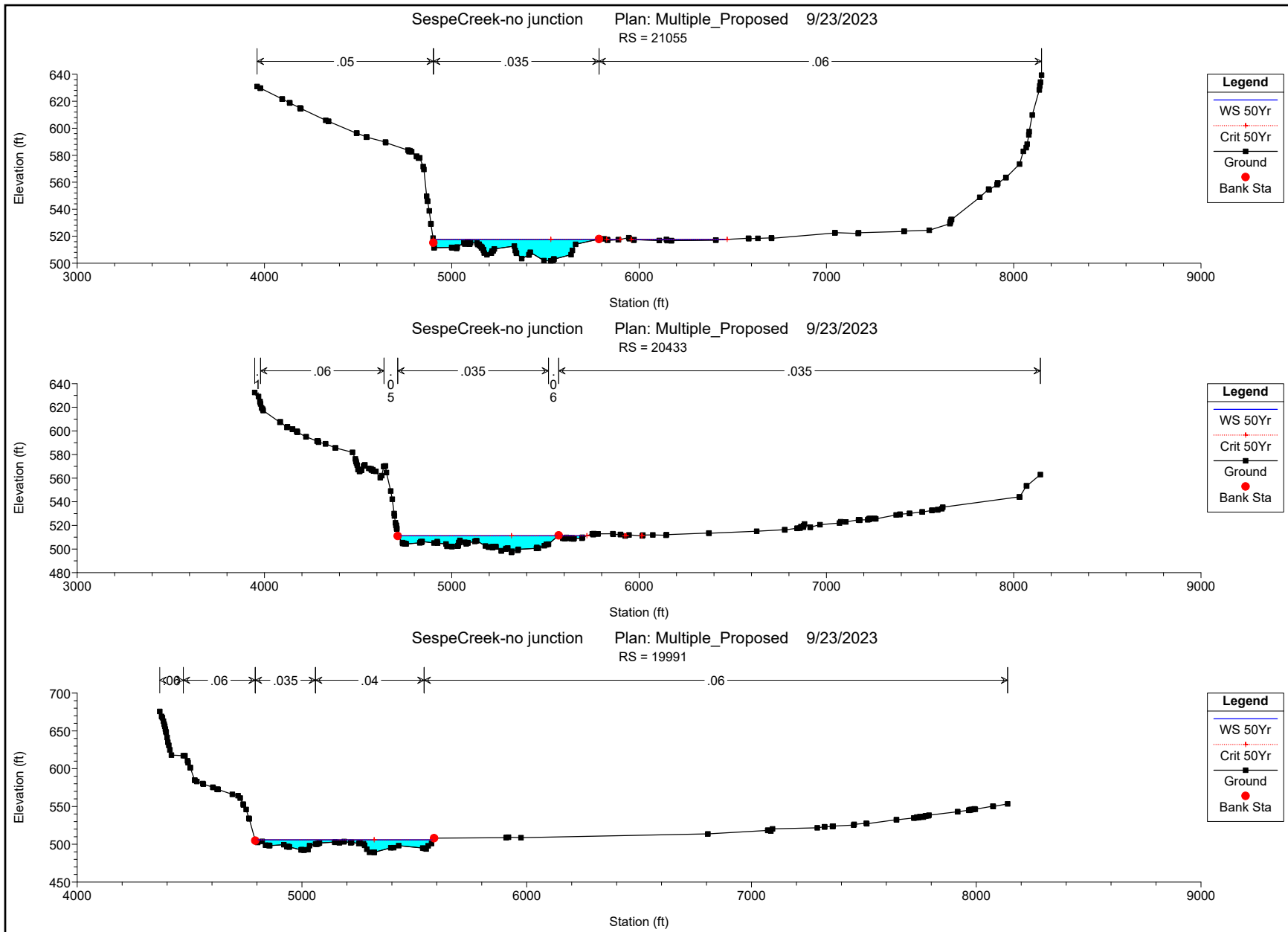


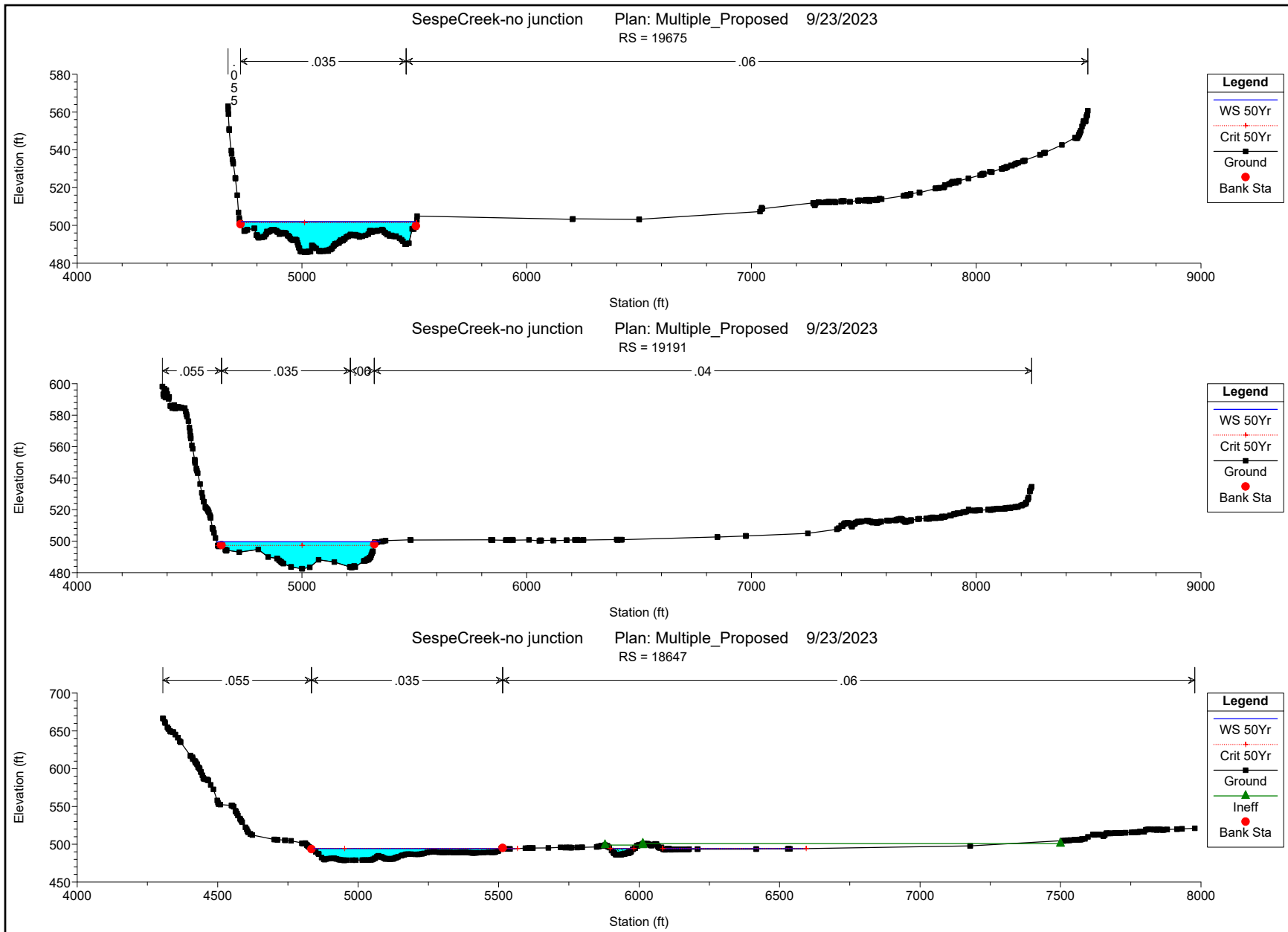


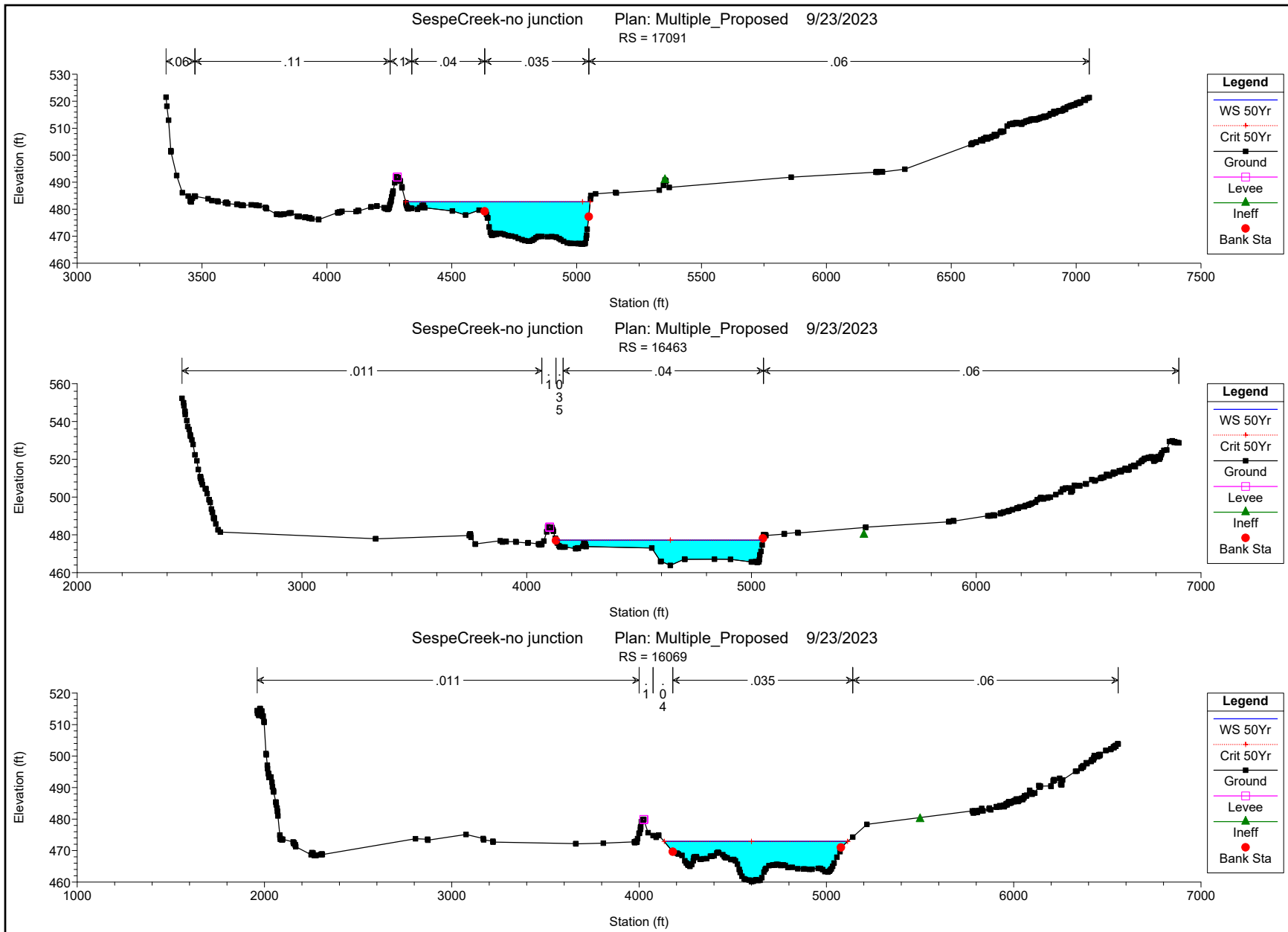


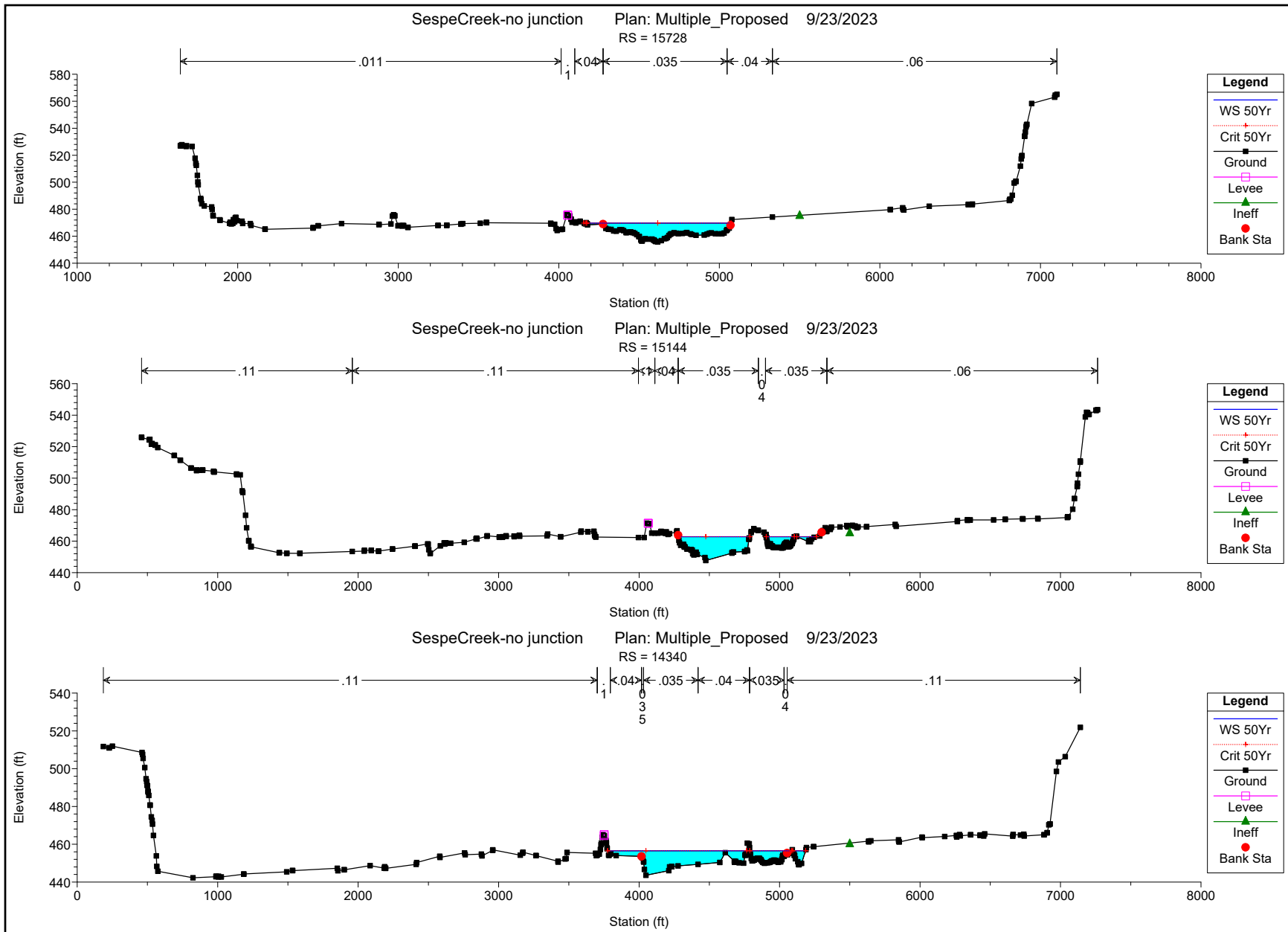


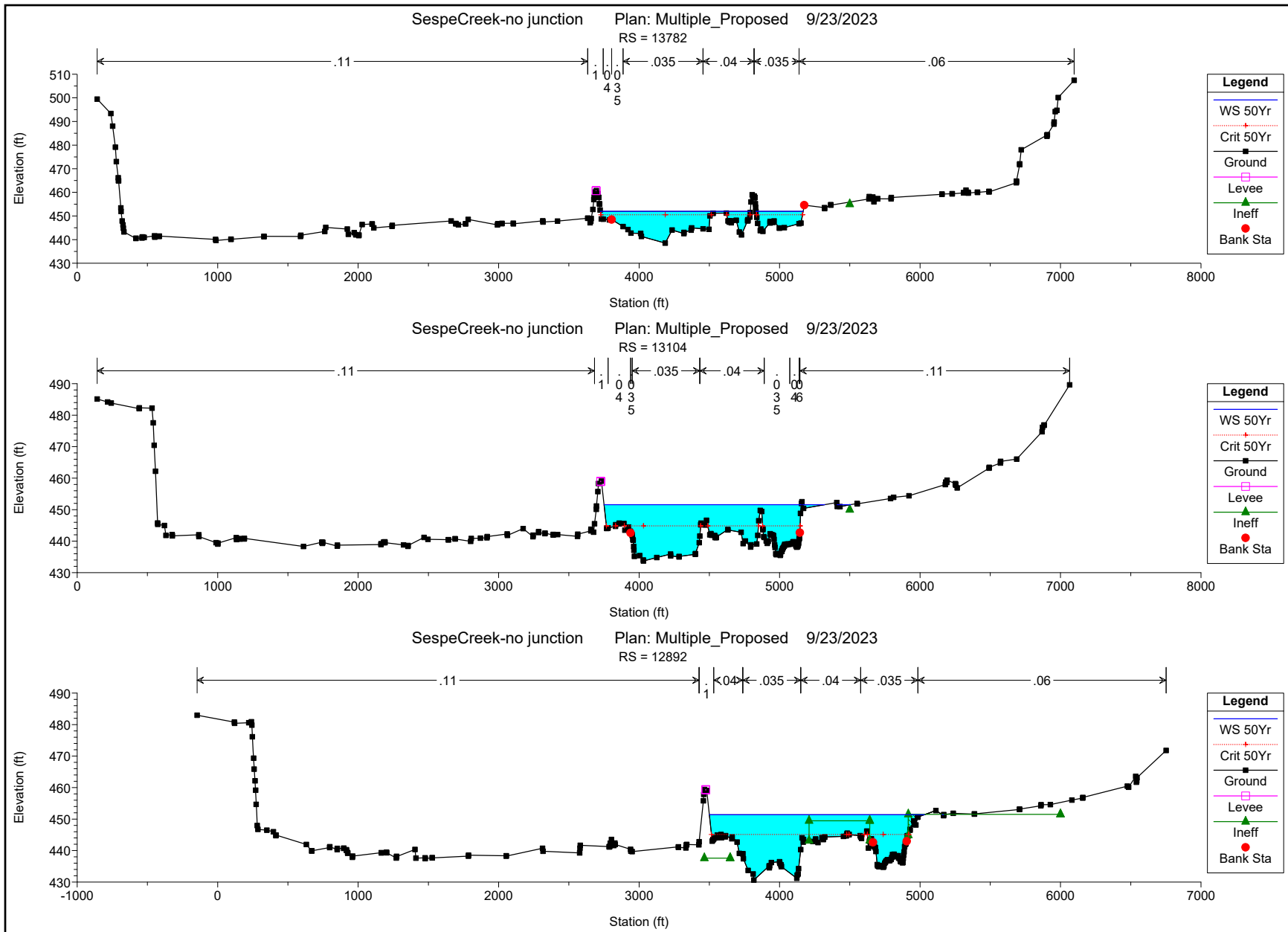


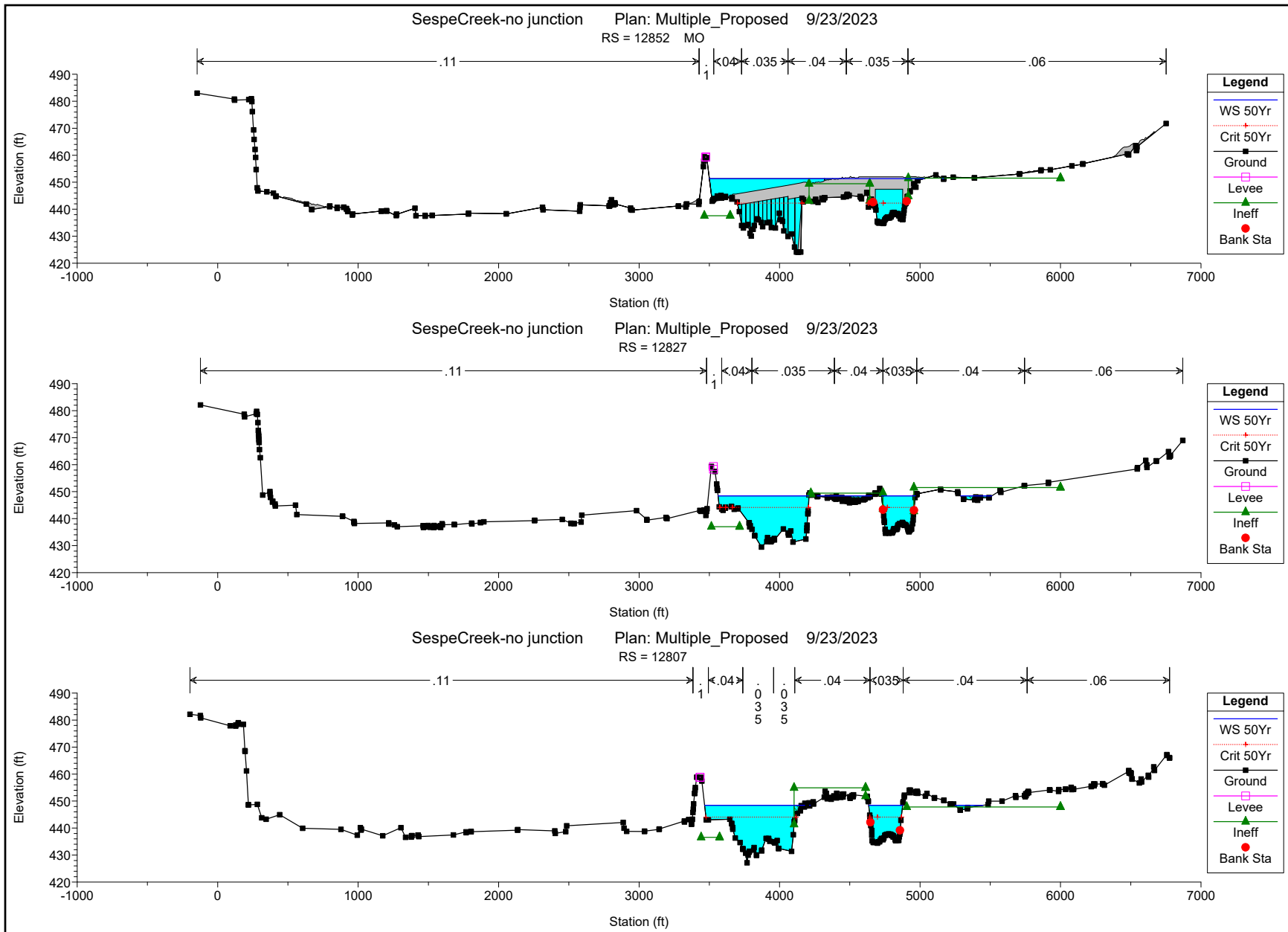


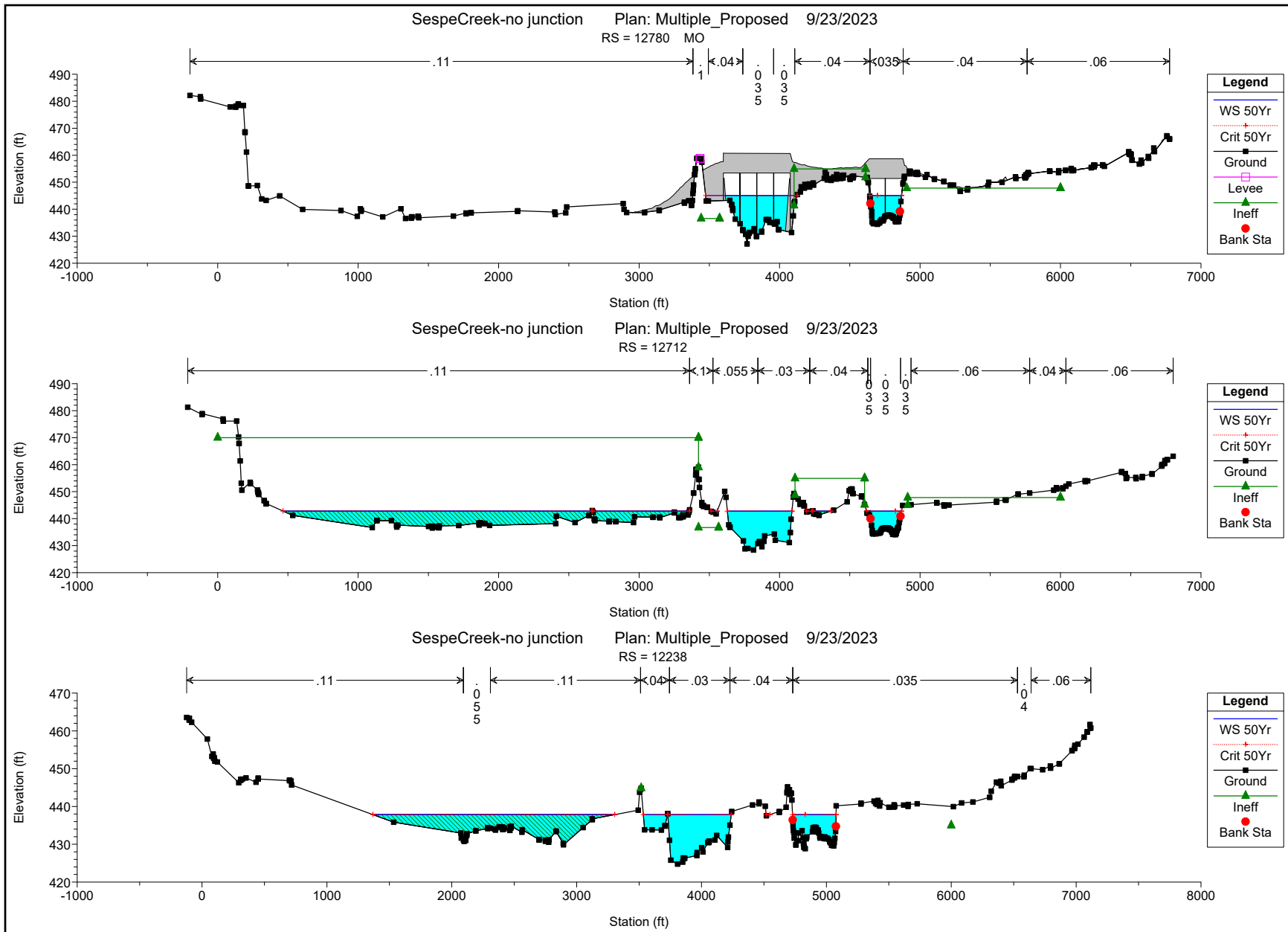




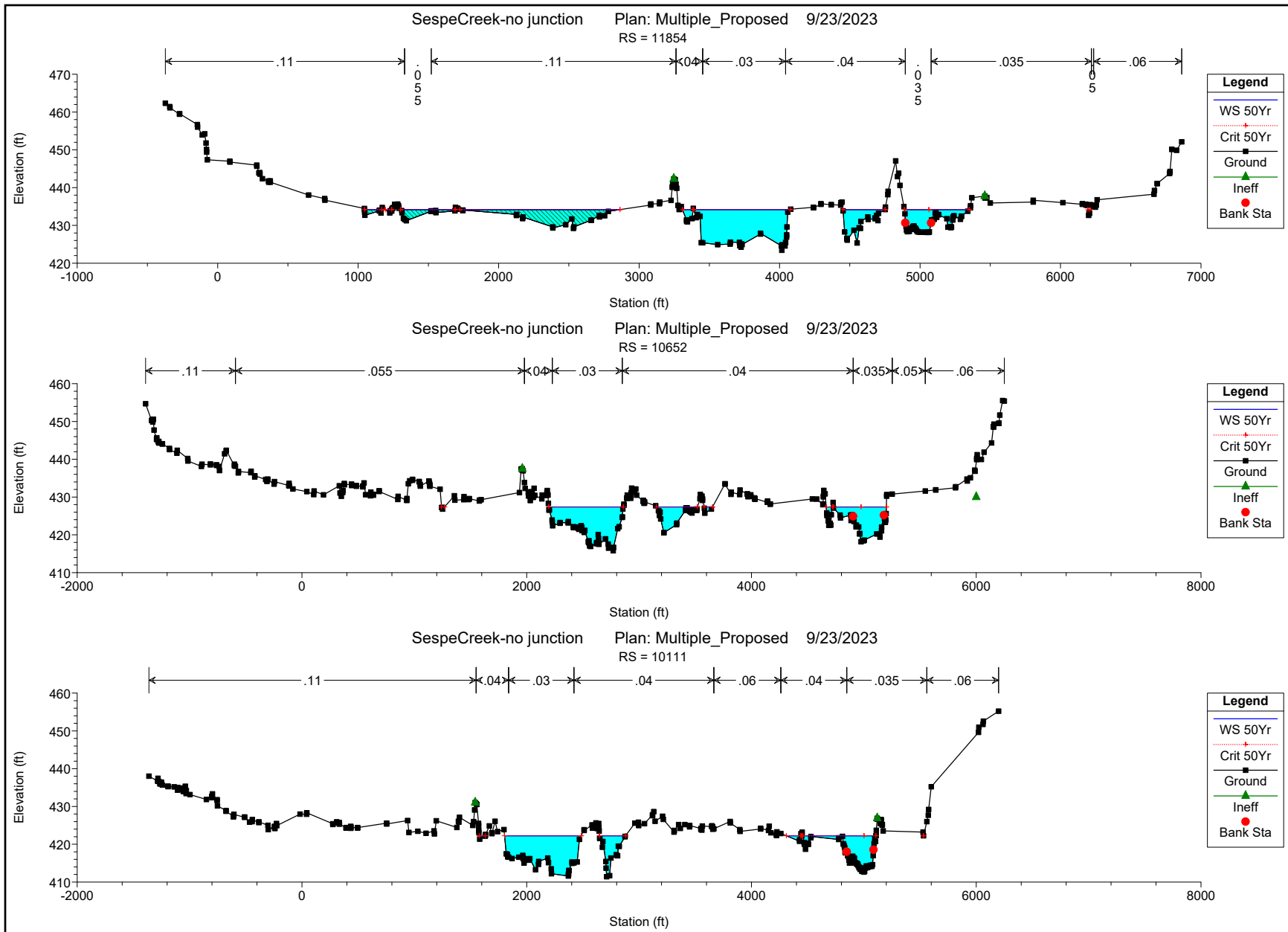


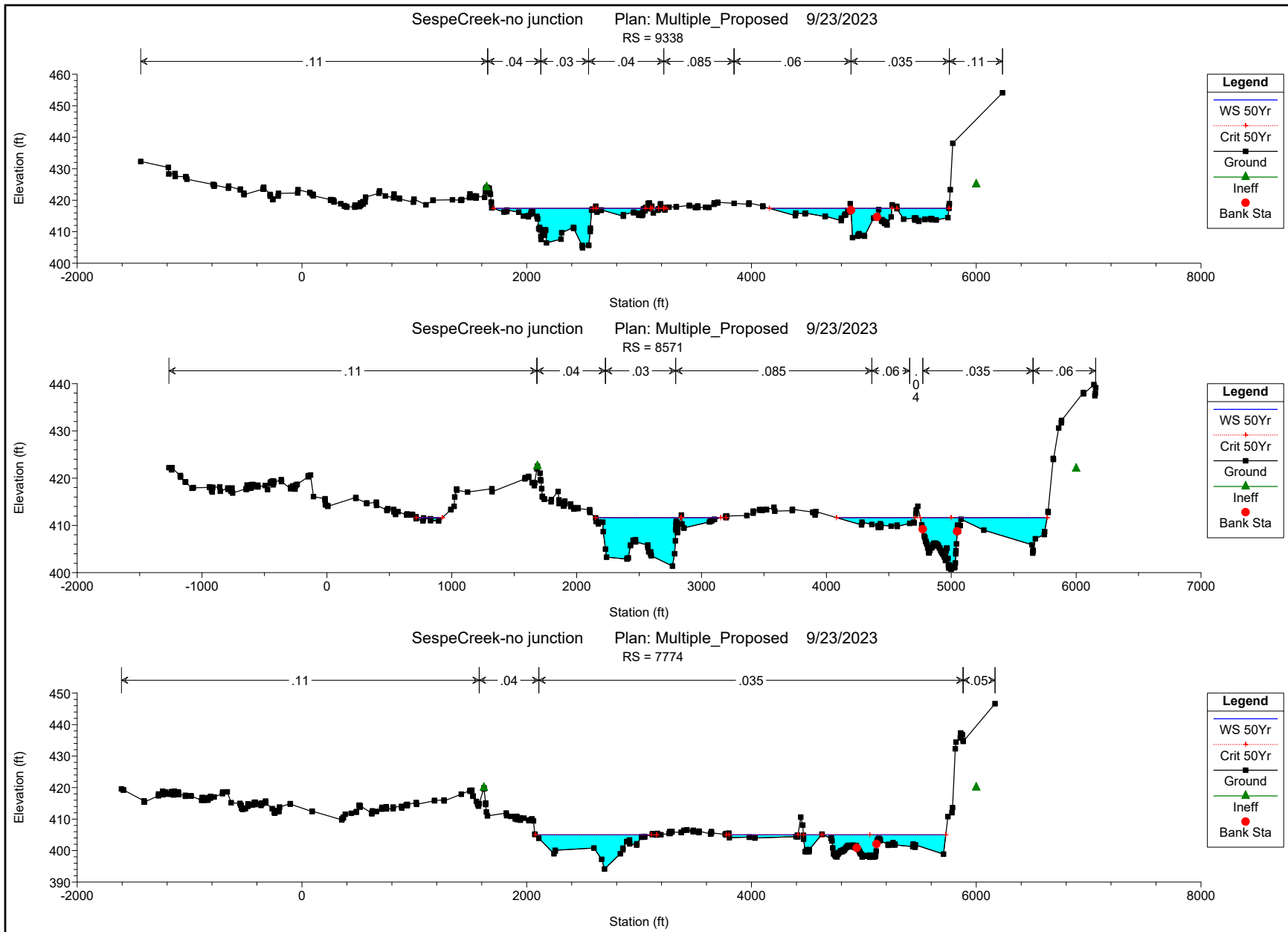


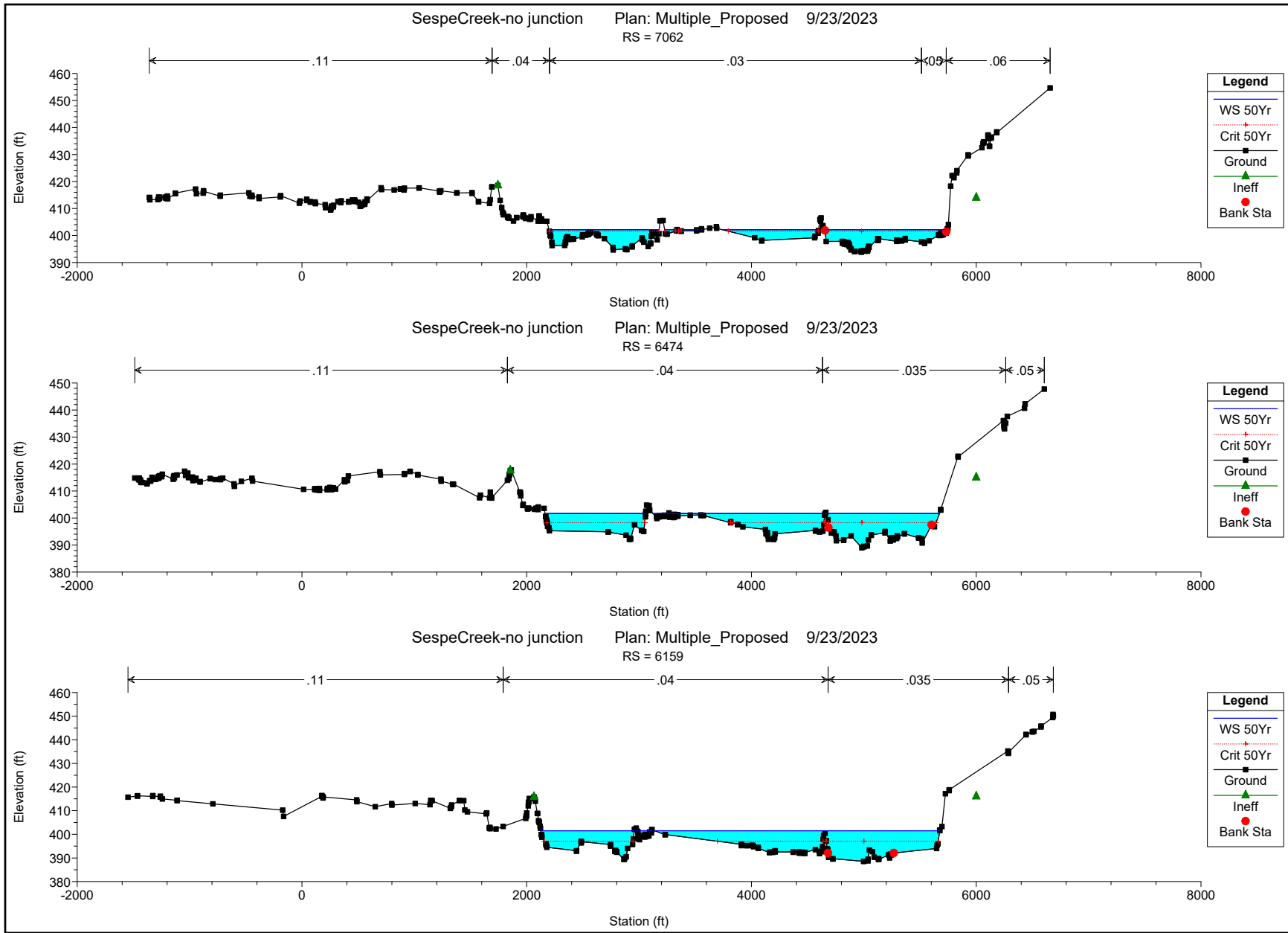


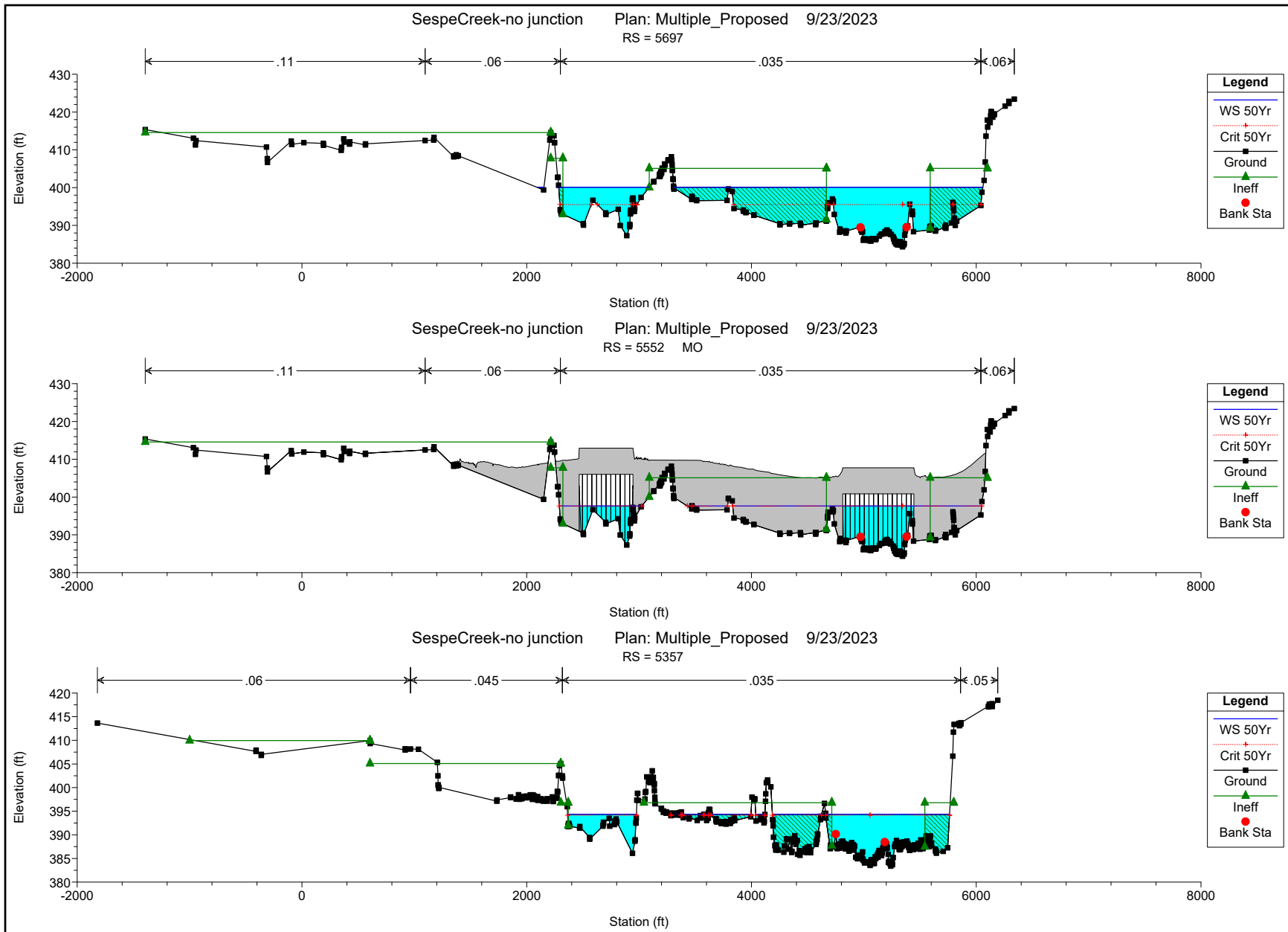


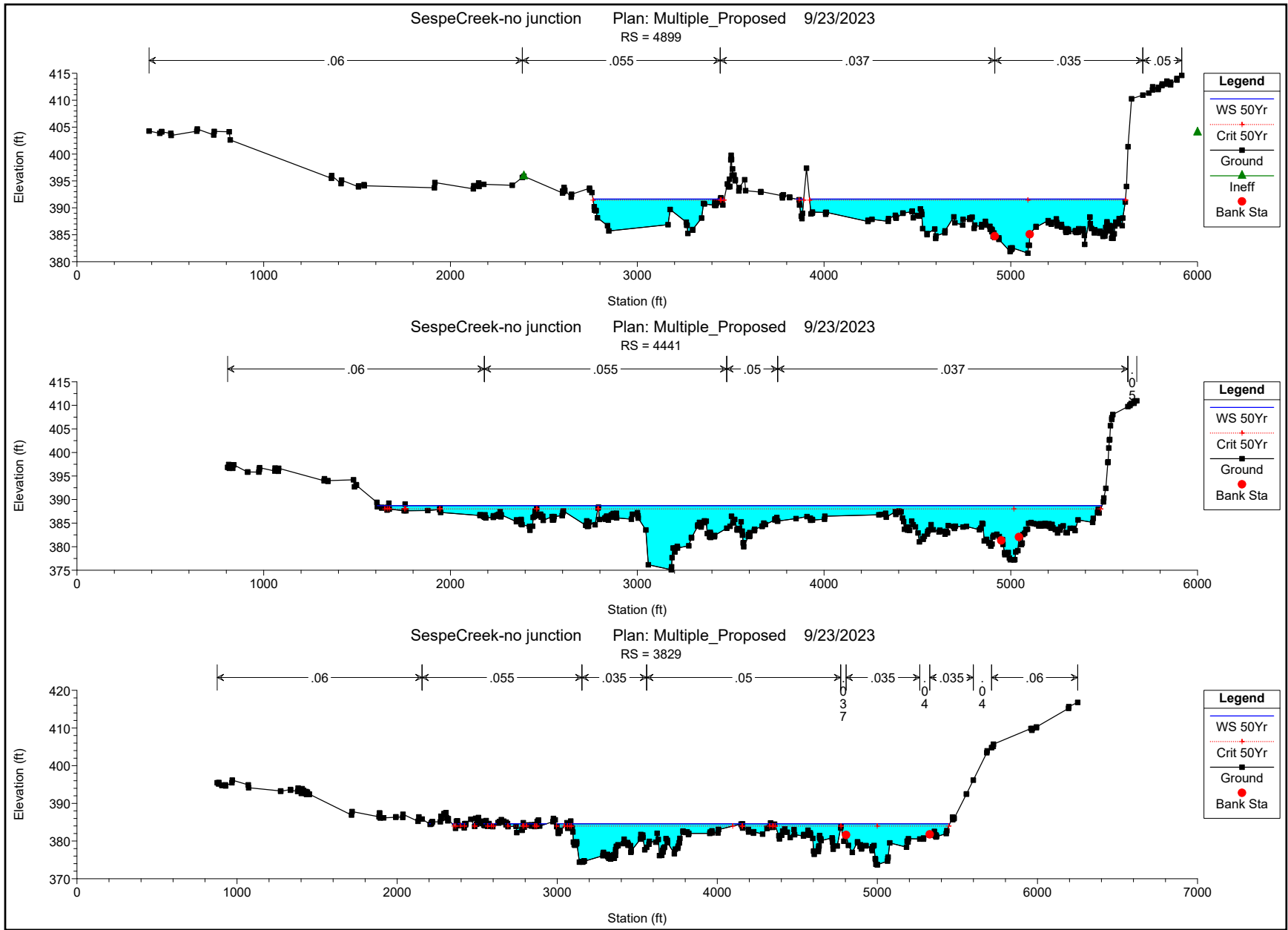


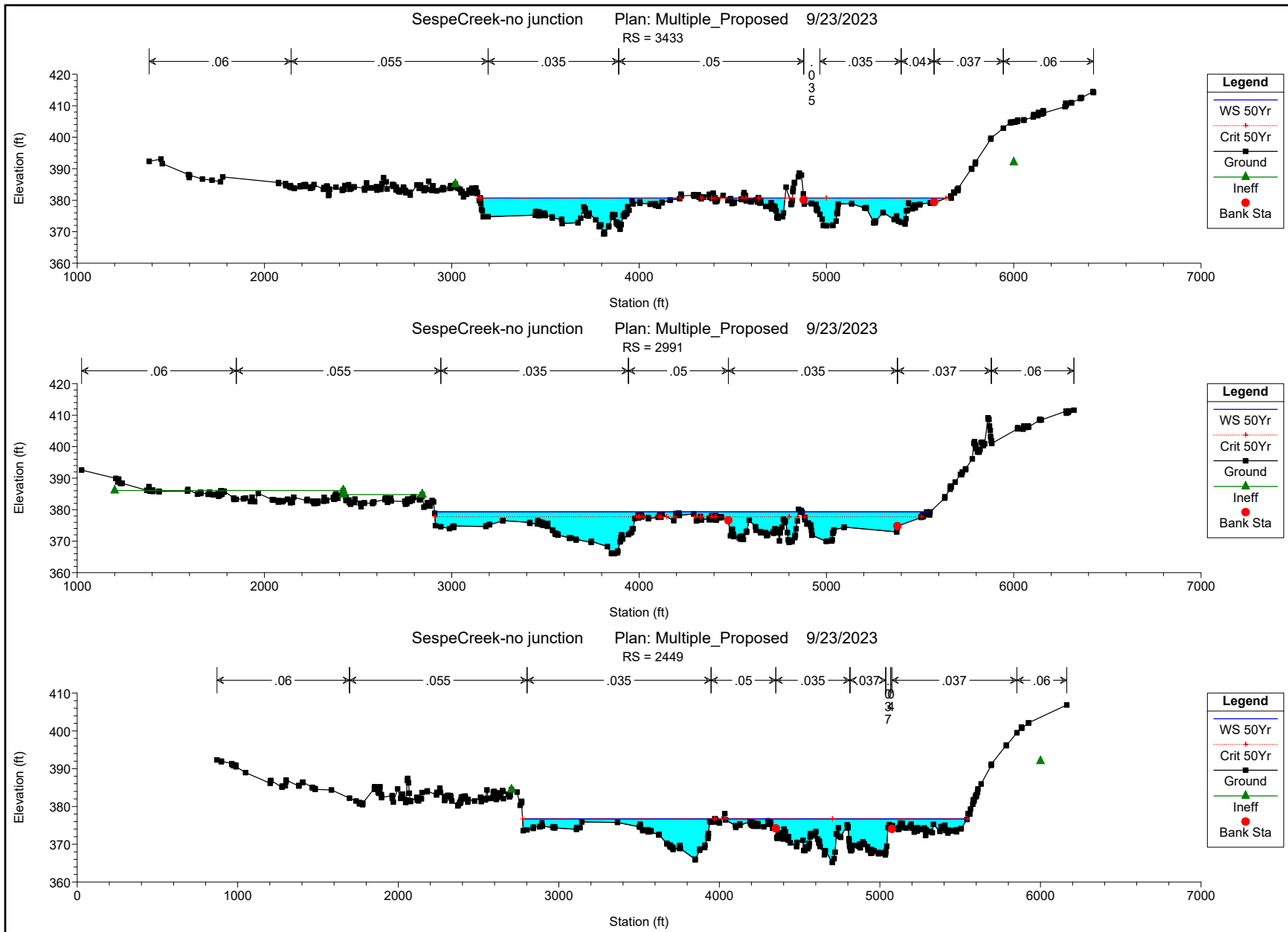


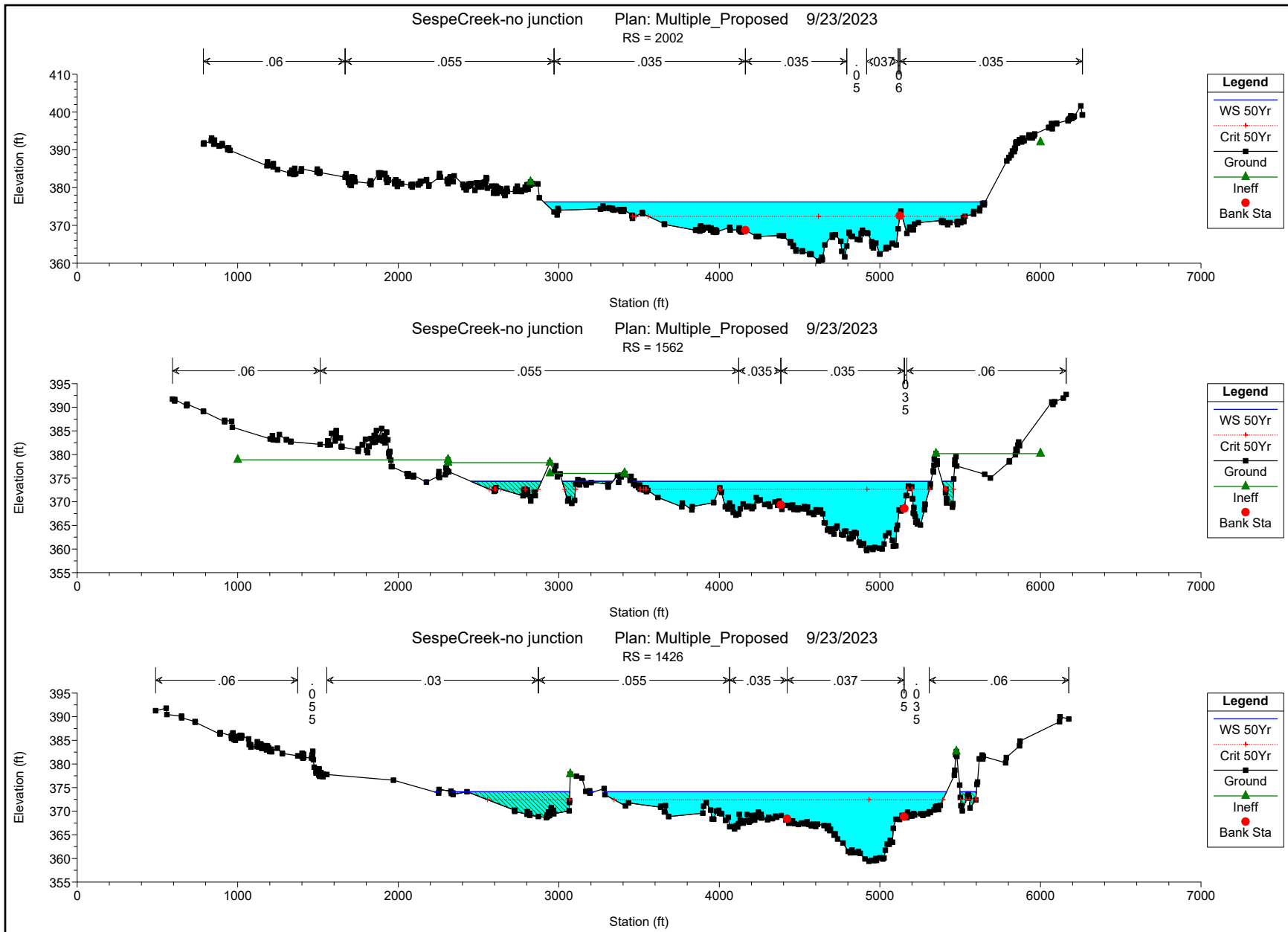












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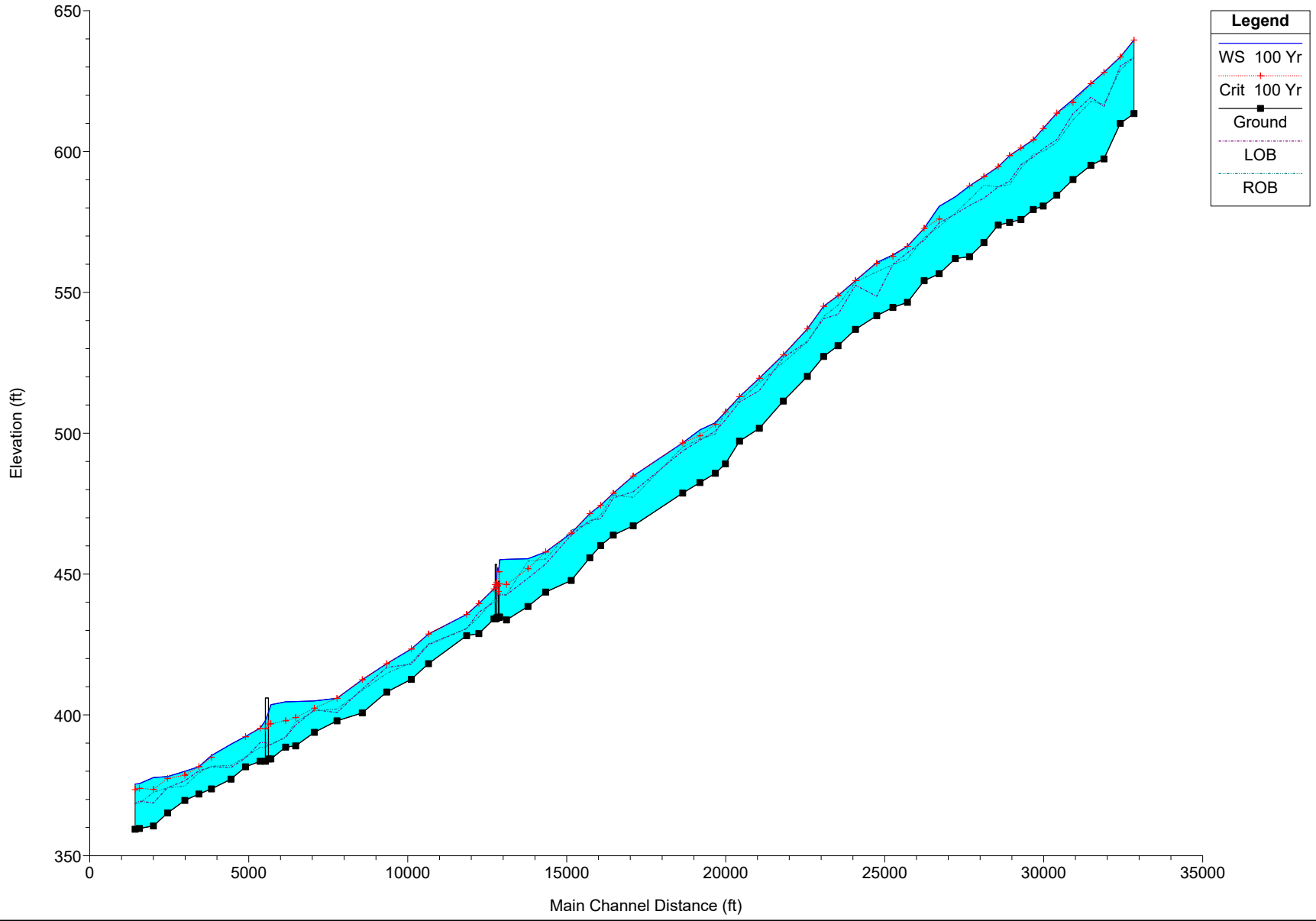
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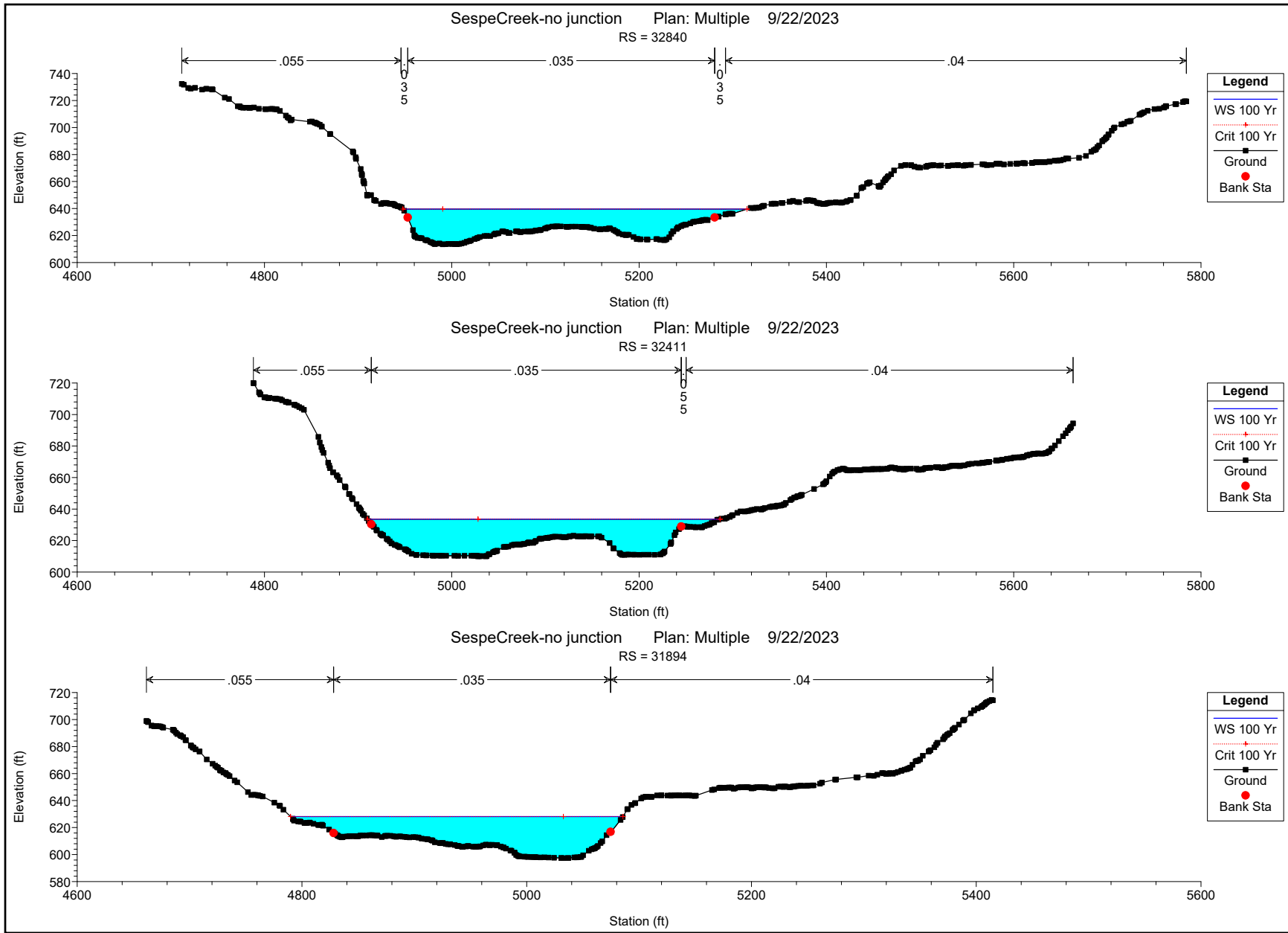


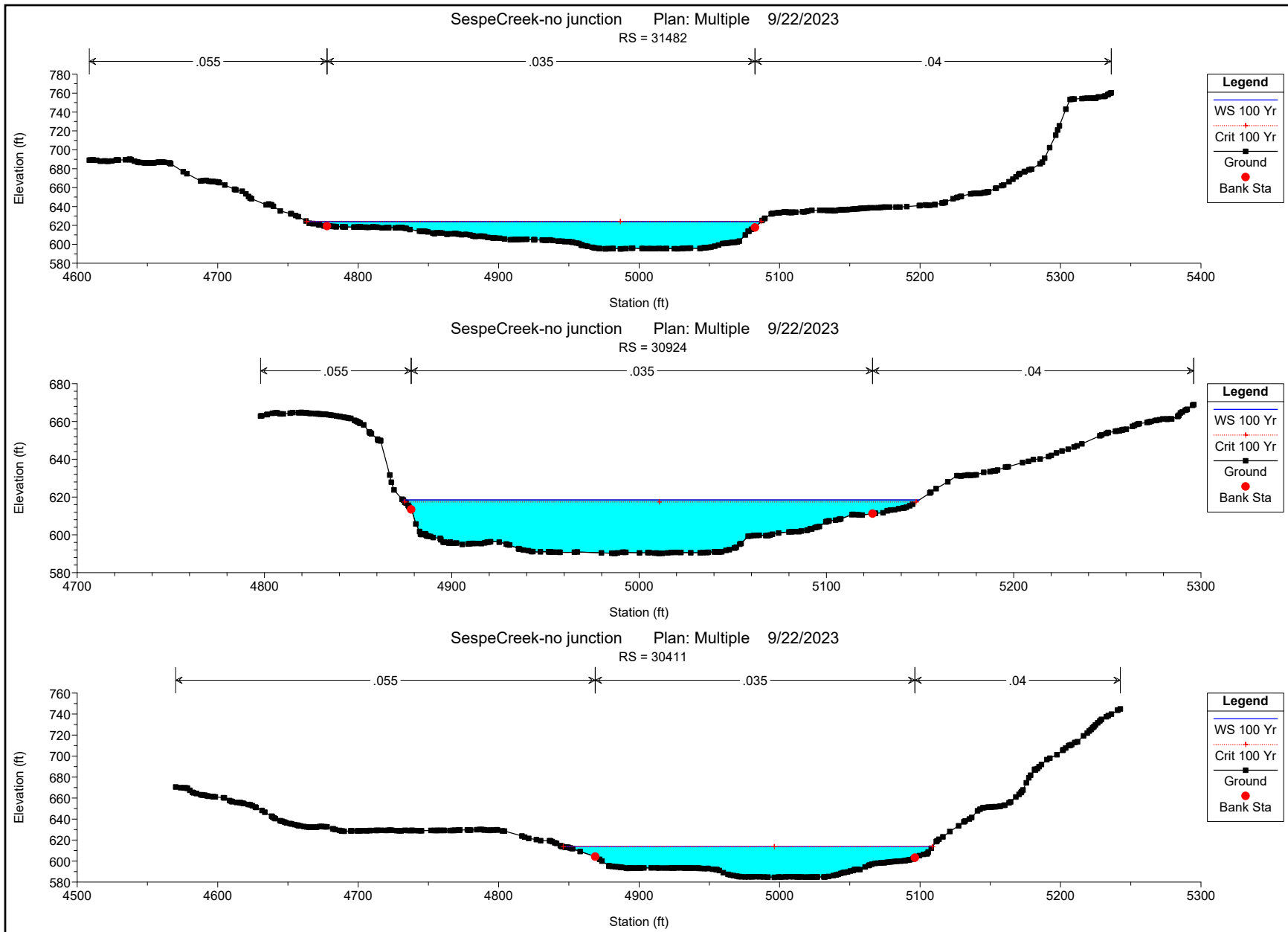
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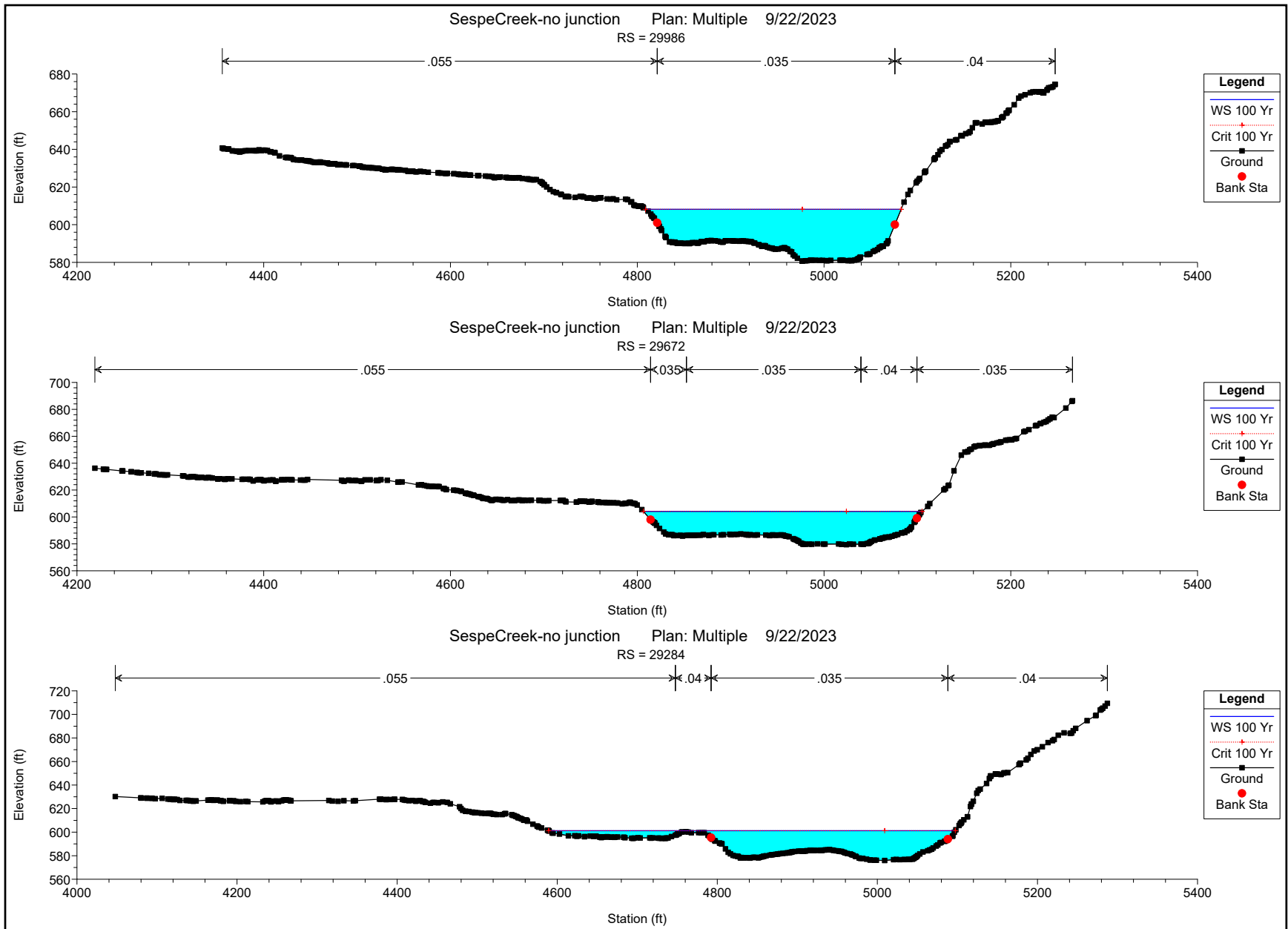
Reach	River Sta	Profile	Q Total (cfs)	Min Ch El (ft)	W.S. Elev (ft)	Crit W.S. (ft)	E.G. Elev (ft)	E.G. Slope (ft/ft)	Vel Chnl (ft/s)	Flow Area (sq ft)	Top Width (ft)	Froude # Chl
Reach1	32840	100 Yr	135000.00	613.47	639.60	639.60	647.95	0.007023	23.24	5892.99	367.31	0.98
Reach1	32411	100 Yr	135000.00	609.99	633.58	633.58	641.84	0.006990	23.15	5948.00	376.51	0.98
Reach1	31894	100 Yr	135000.00	597.39	628.14	628.14	638.06	0.006475	25.43	5515.27	295.85	0.97
Reach1	31482	100 Yr	135000.00	595.13	624.09	624.09	633.12	0.007077	24.12	5643.18	323.24	0.99
Reach1	30924	100 Yr	135000.00	590.05	618.48	617.39	627.64	0.005735	24.36	5632.61	275.50	0.91
Reach1	30411	100 Yr	135000.00	584.48	613.64	613.64	624.36	0.006493	26.37	5252.95	262.78	0.98
Reach1	29986	100 Yr	135000.00	580.62	608.18	608.18	618.32	0.006809	25.58	5331.90	273.70	0.99
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Reach1	27668	100 Yr	135000.00	562.66	587.80	587.80	594.91	0.005678	21.81	6851.65	599.68	0.90
Reach1	27222	100 Yr	135000.00	561.98	583.92		588.23	0.005409	16.89	8488.00	686.54	0.74
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Reach1	25713	100 Yr	135789.00	546.47	566.36	566.36	572.04	0.007645	19.29	7504.66	778.31	0.97
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Reach1	19191	100 Yr	135789.00	482.46	501.16	499.08	504.85	0.005246	15.48	9352.43	1863.79	0.76
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Reach1	17091	100 Yr	135789.00	467.11	484.80	484.80	490.16	0.005629	19.37	7994.23	746.91	0.88
Reach1	16463	100 Yr	135789.00	463.81	478.69	478.69	483.07	0.011188	16.78	8097.44	926.53	1.00
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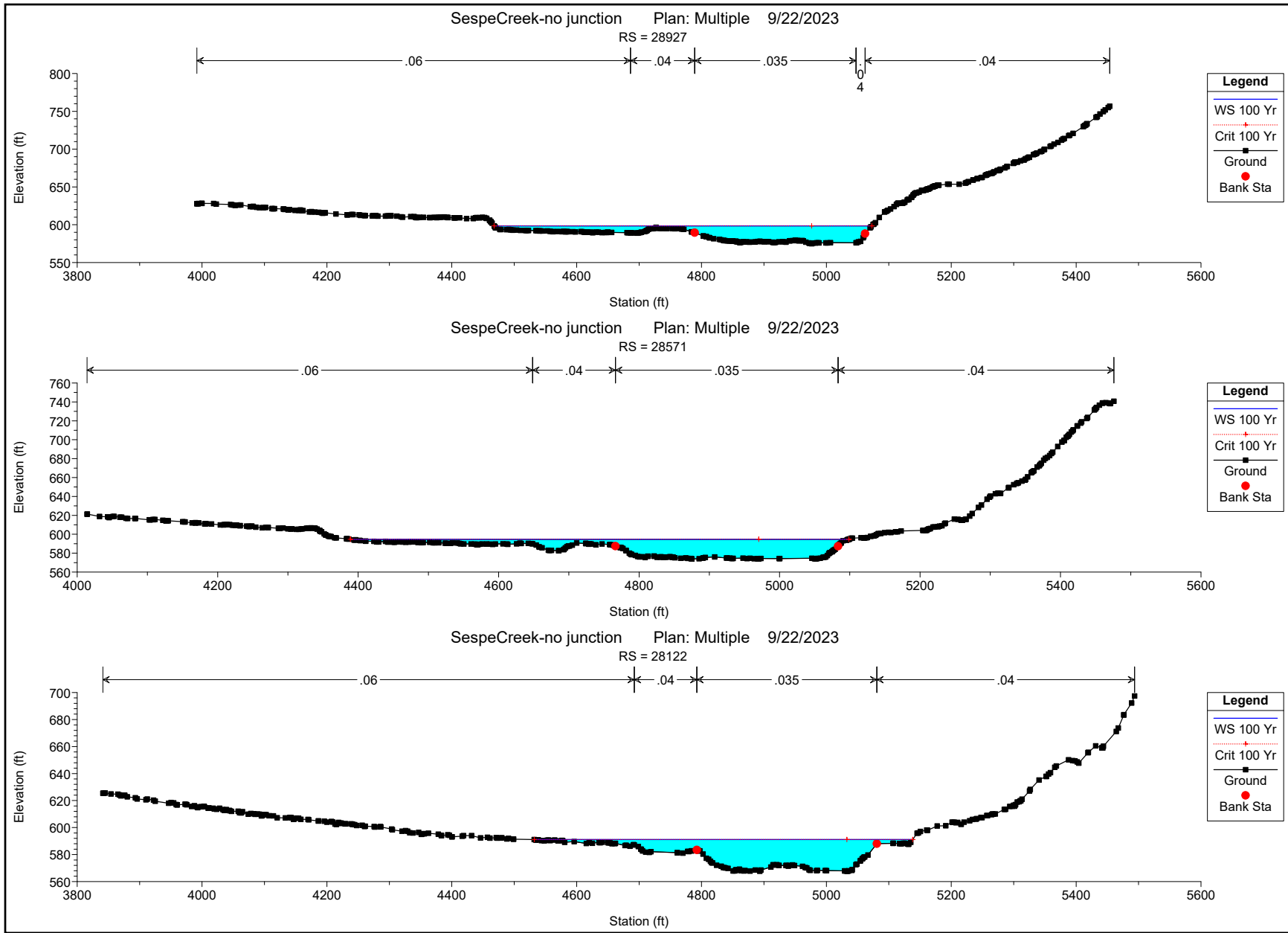
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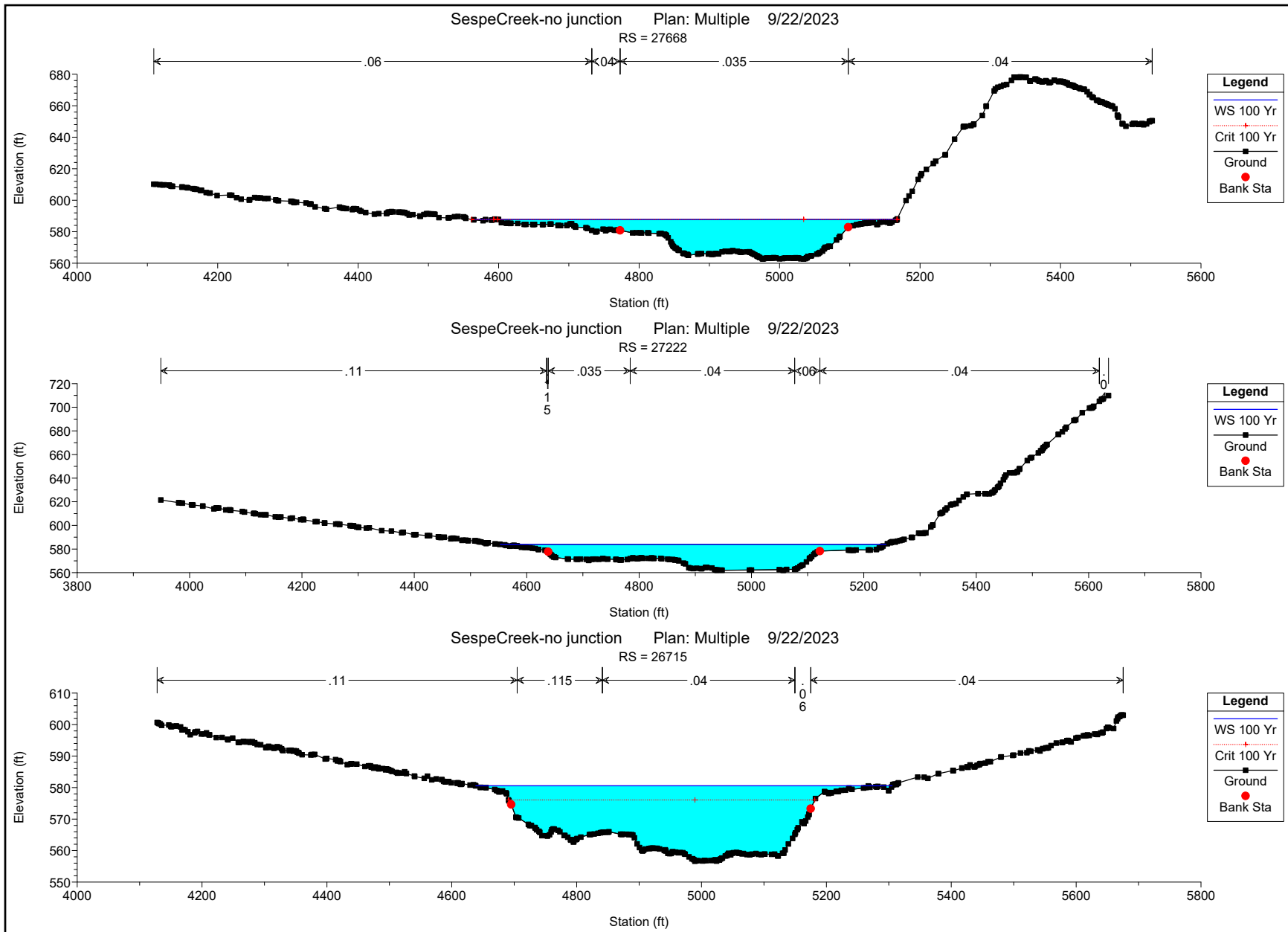


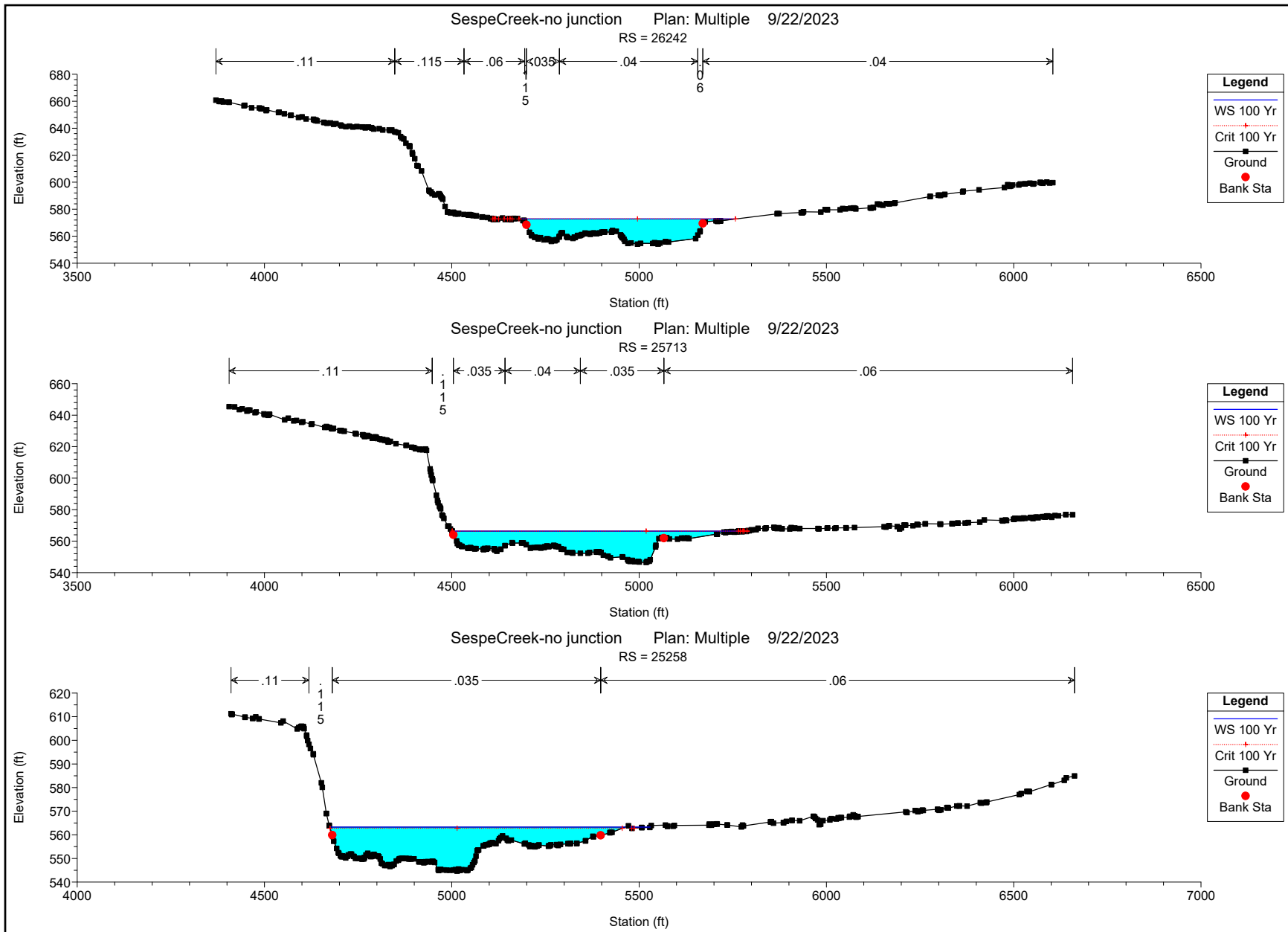




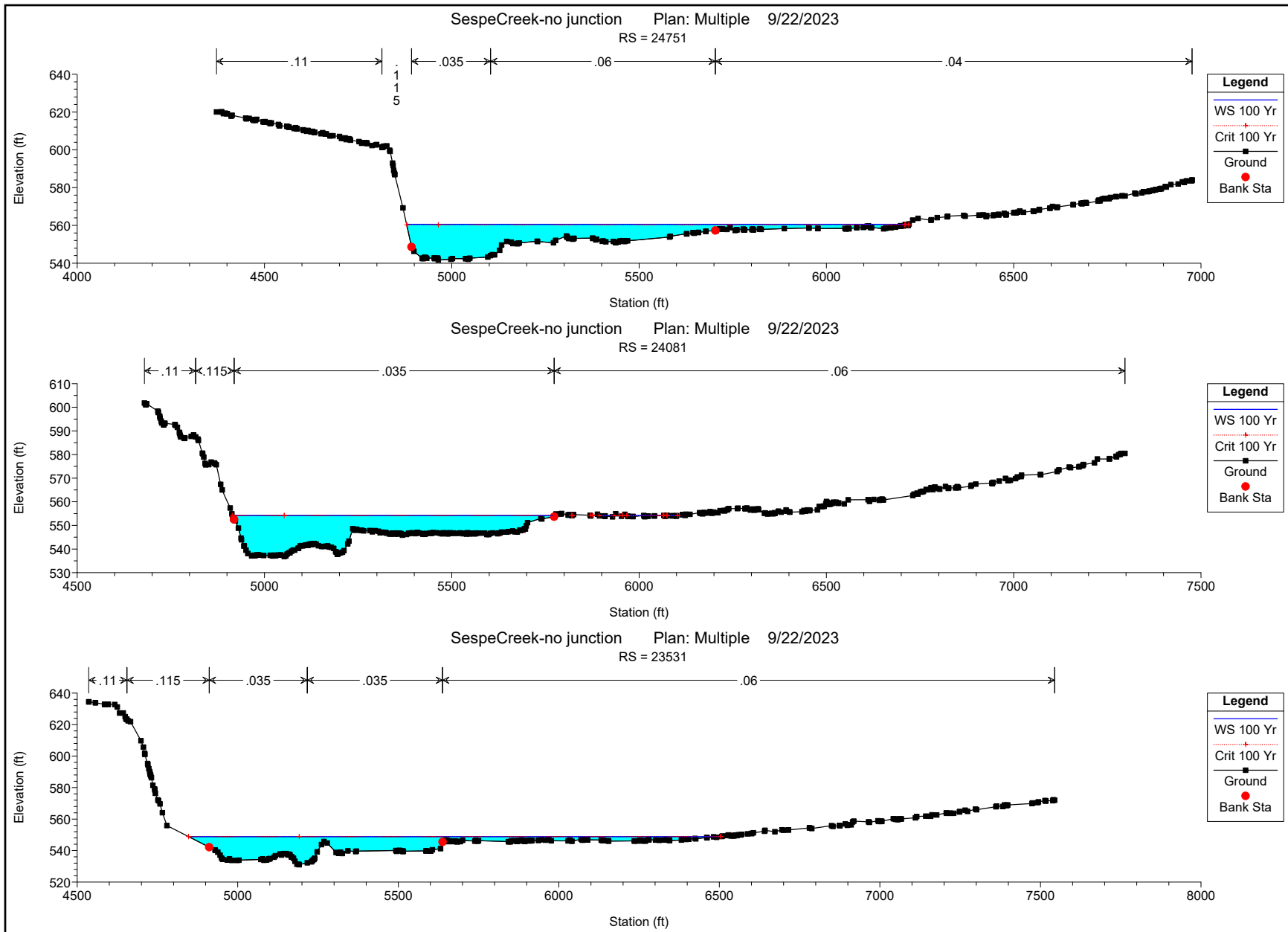


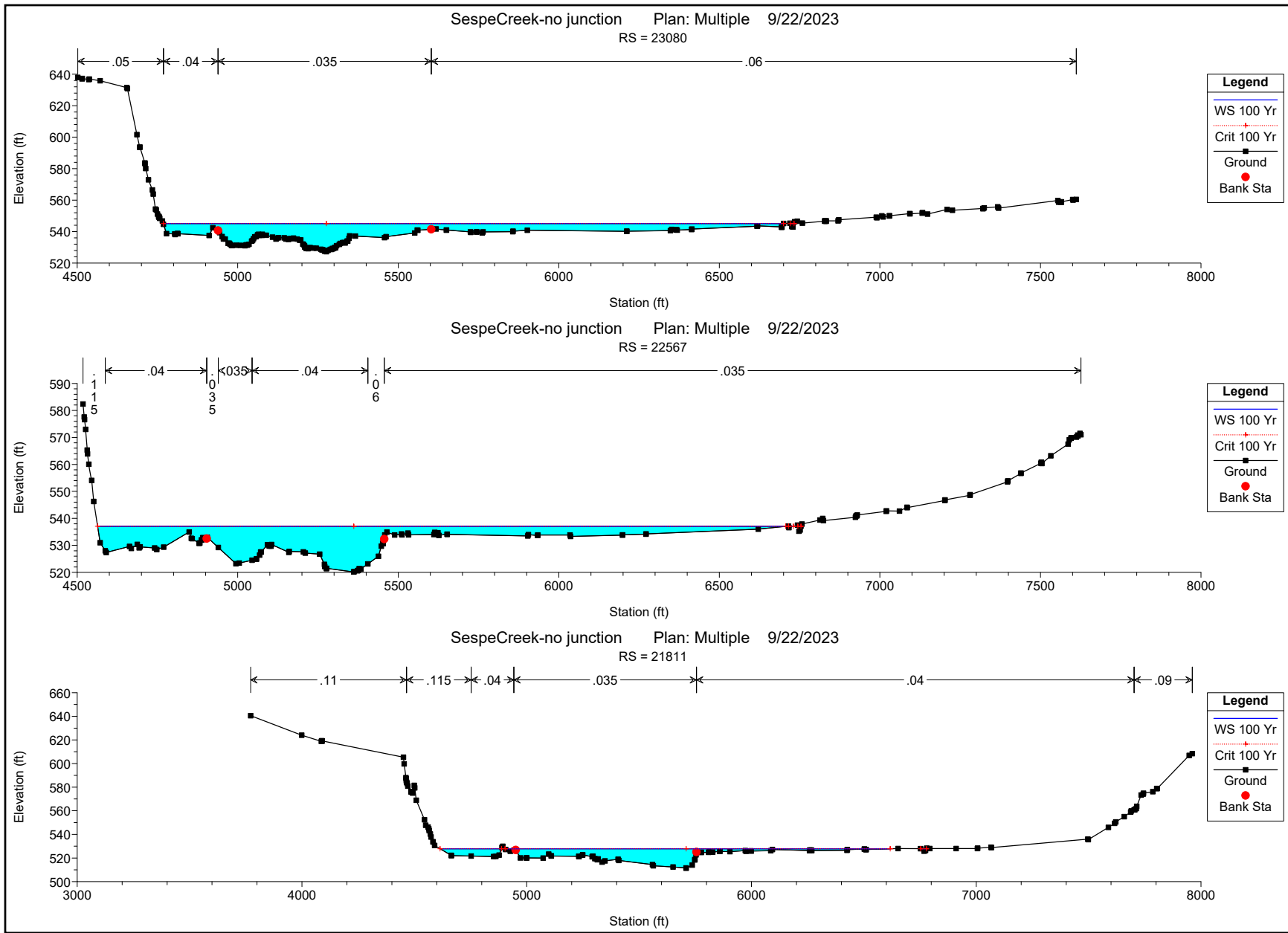


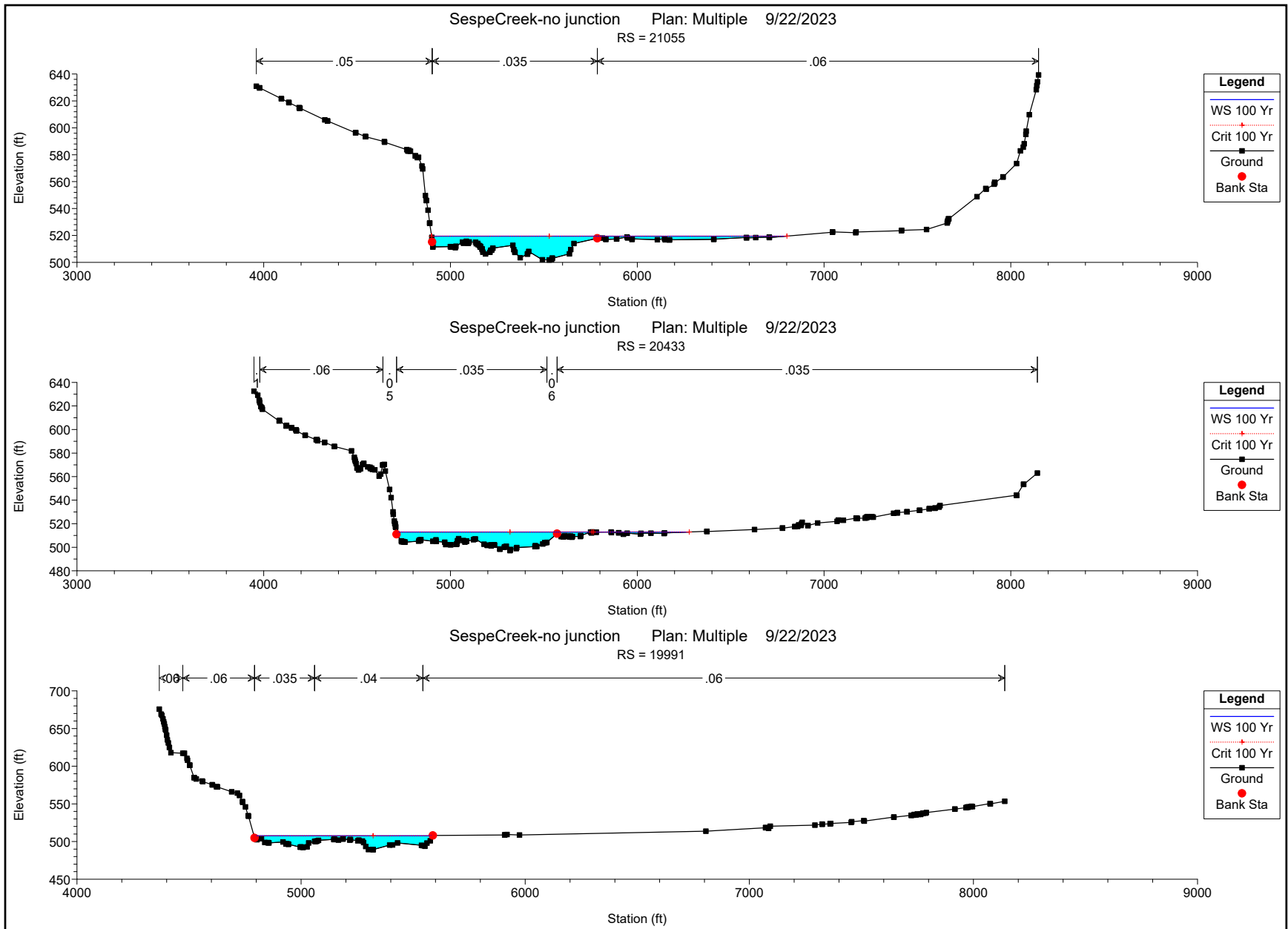


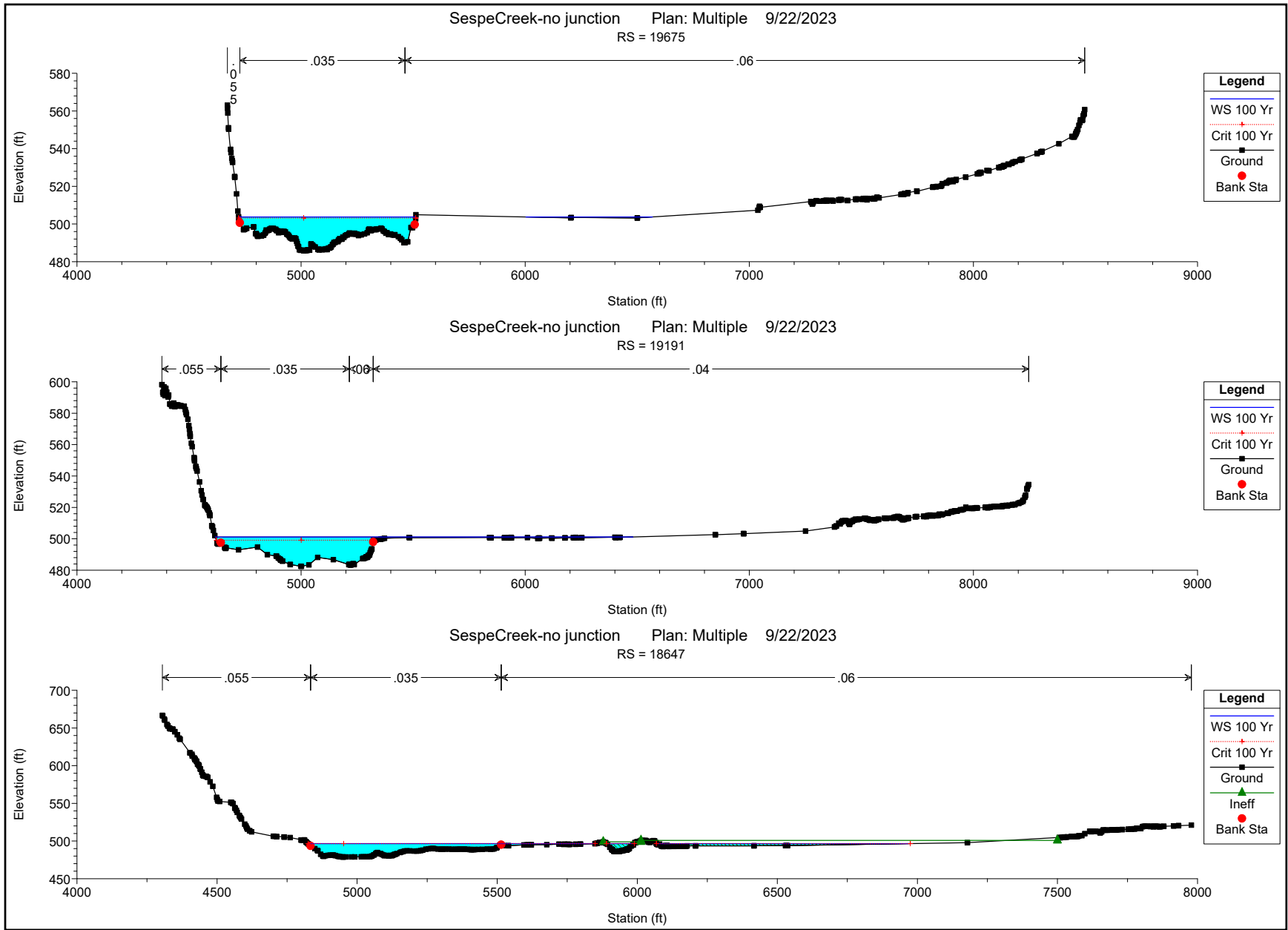


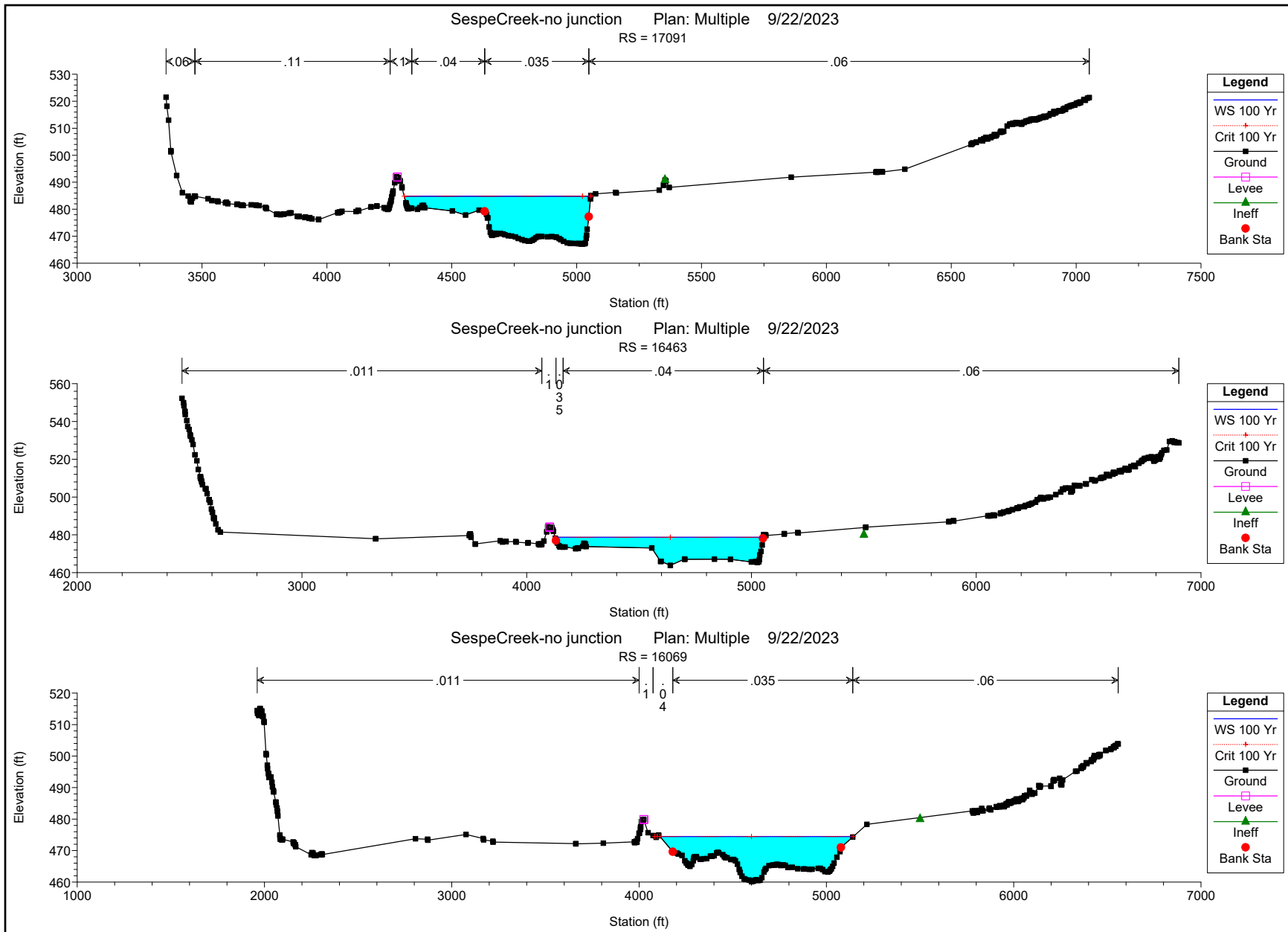


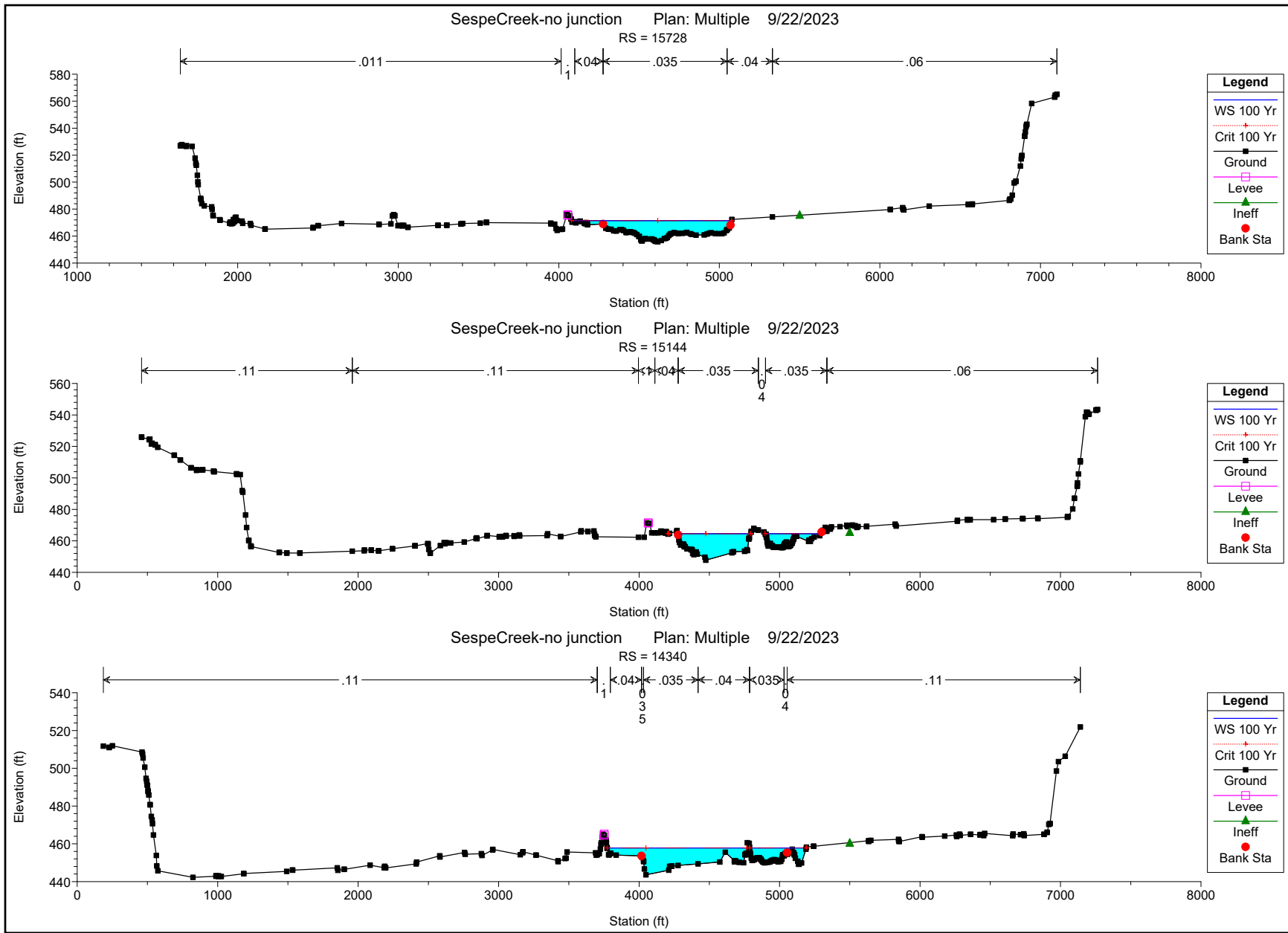


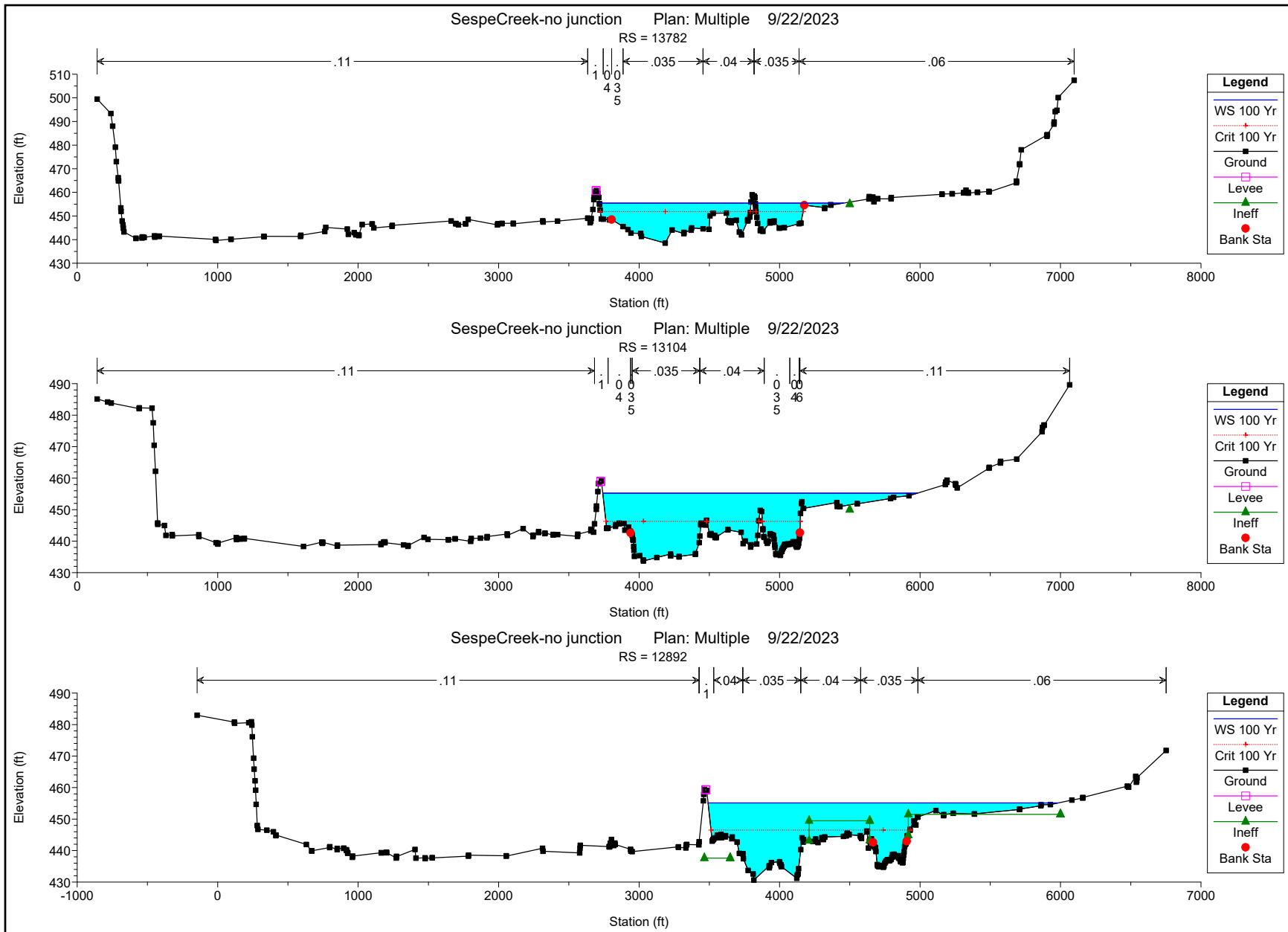


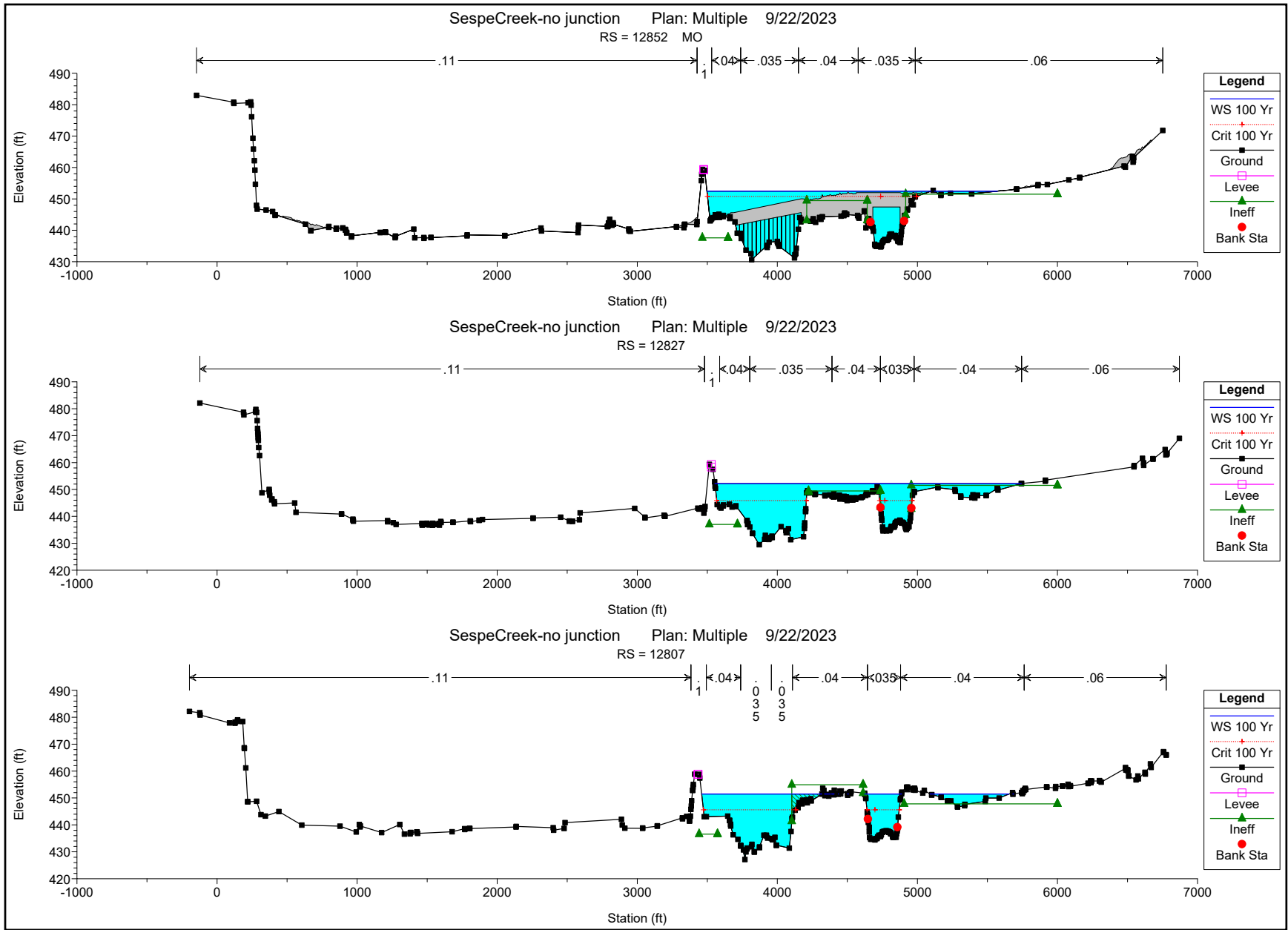




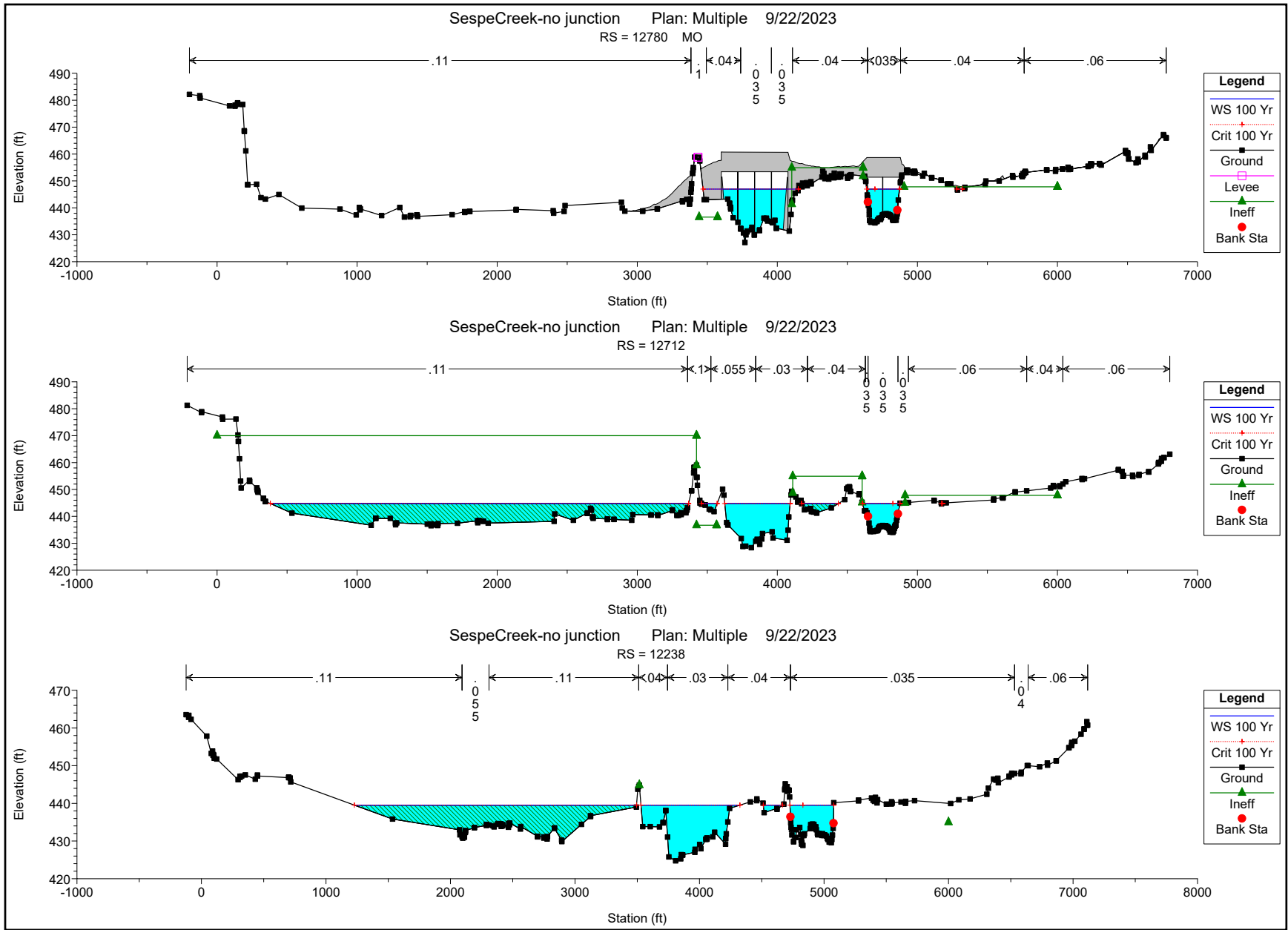


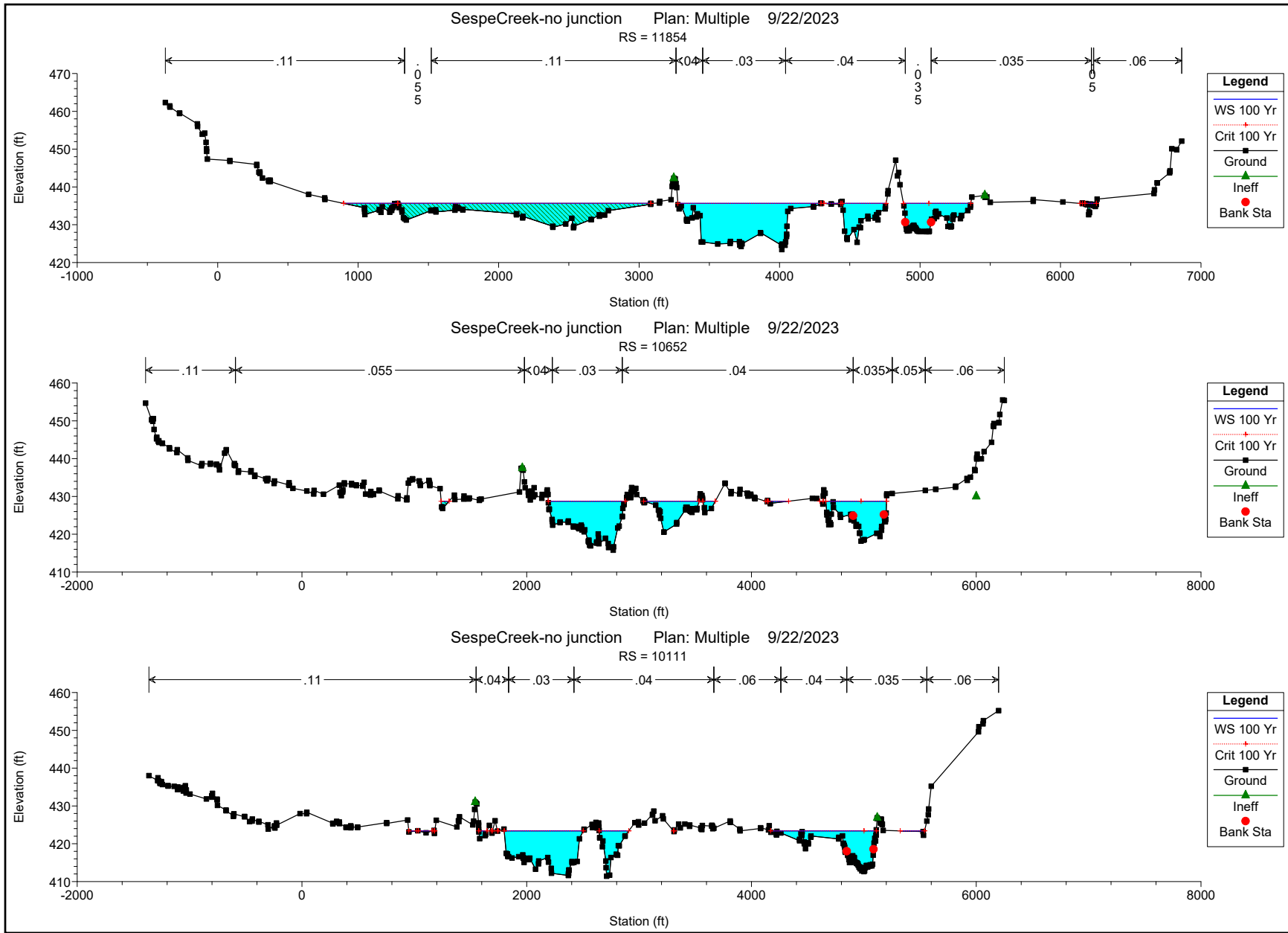


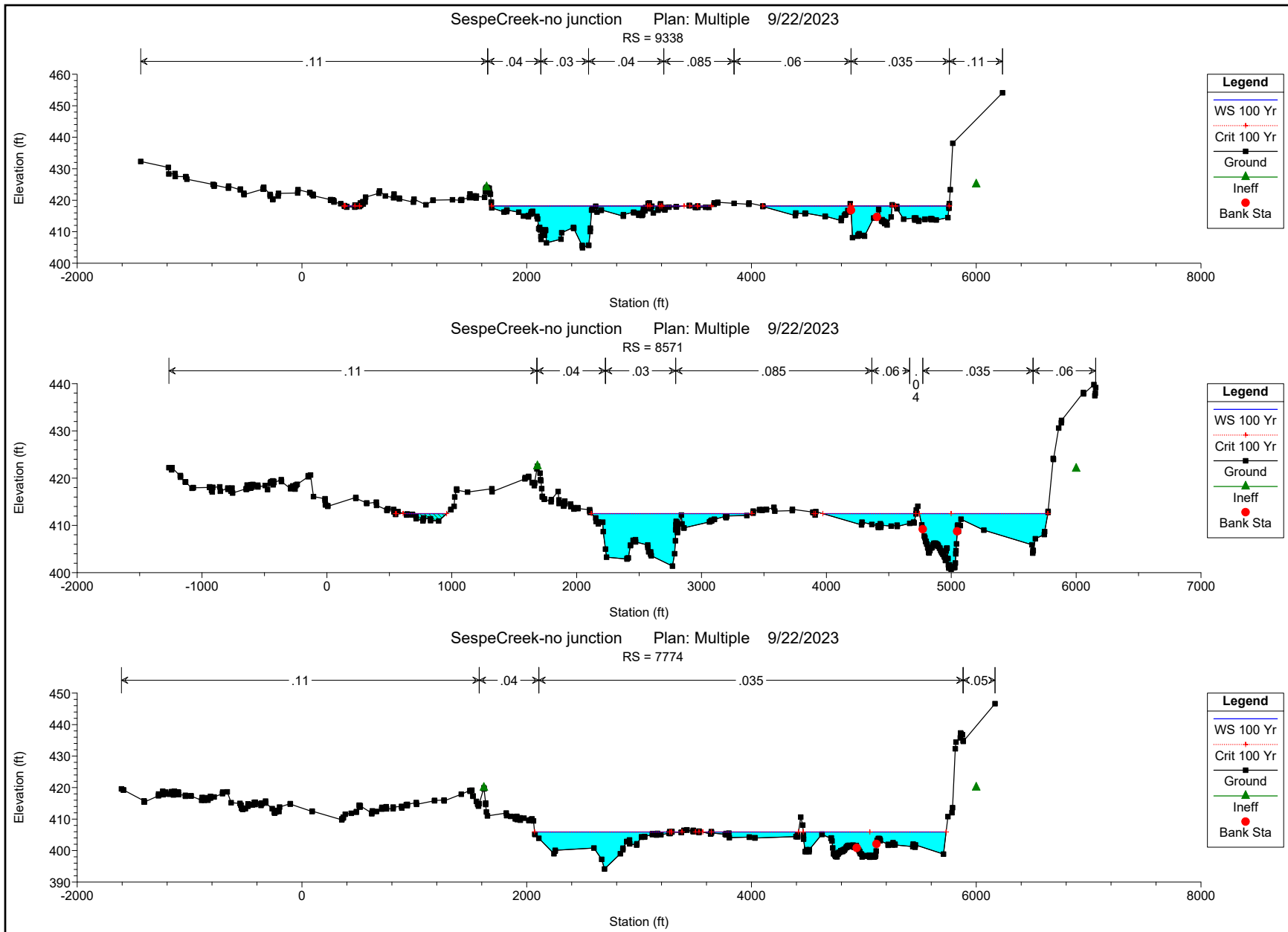


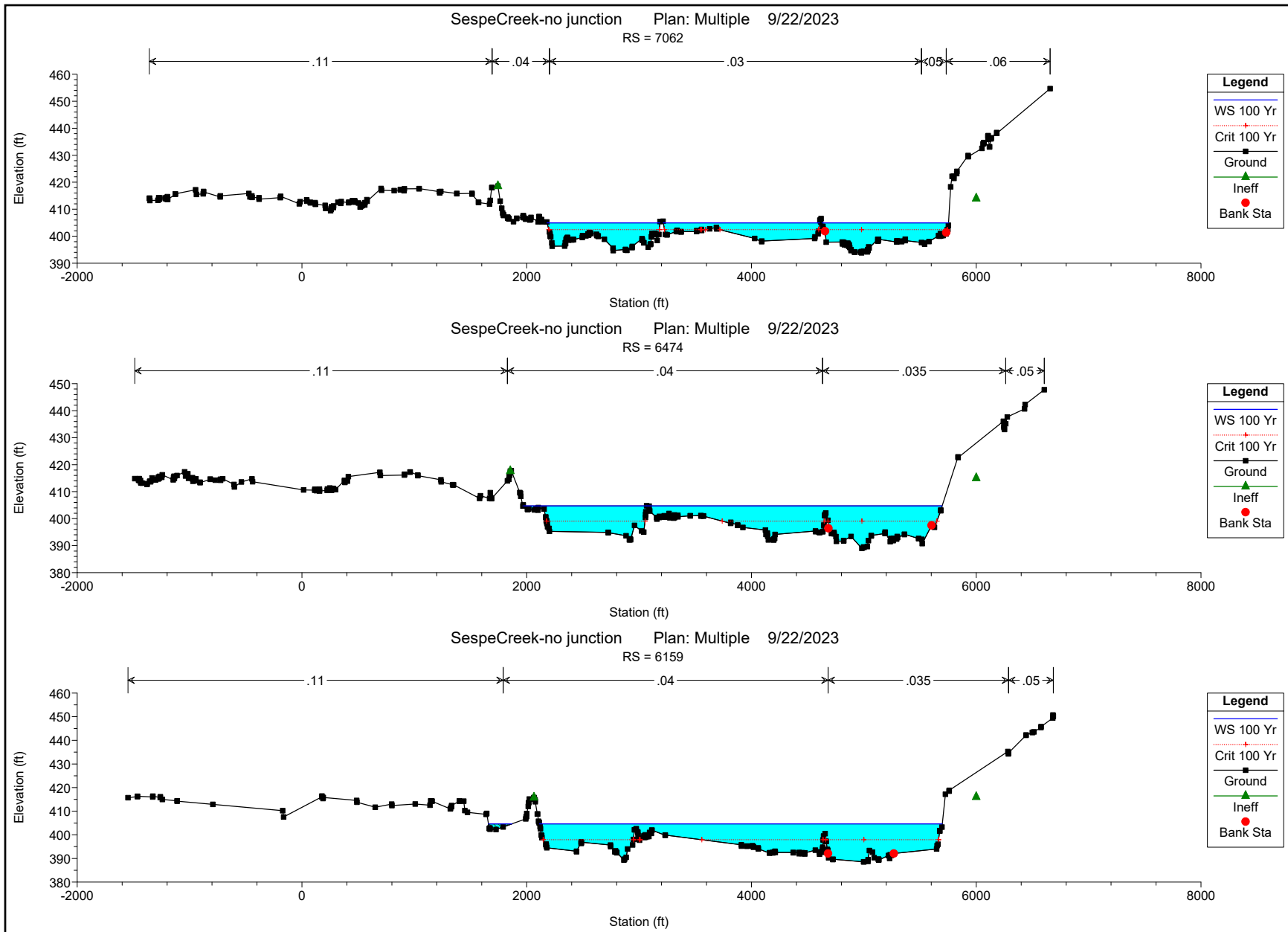


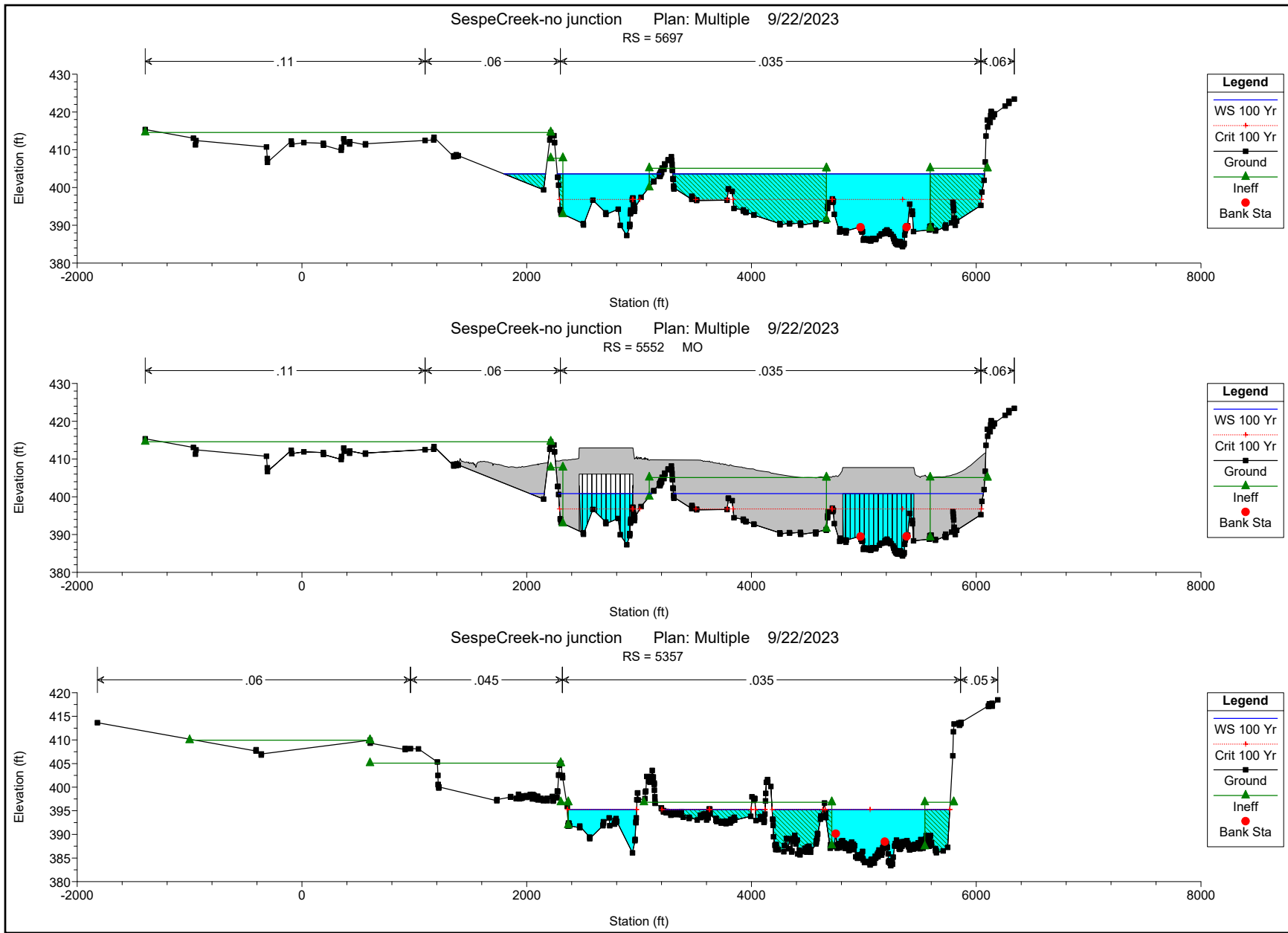


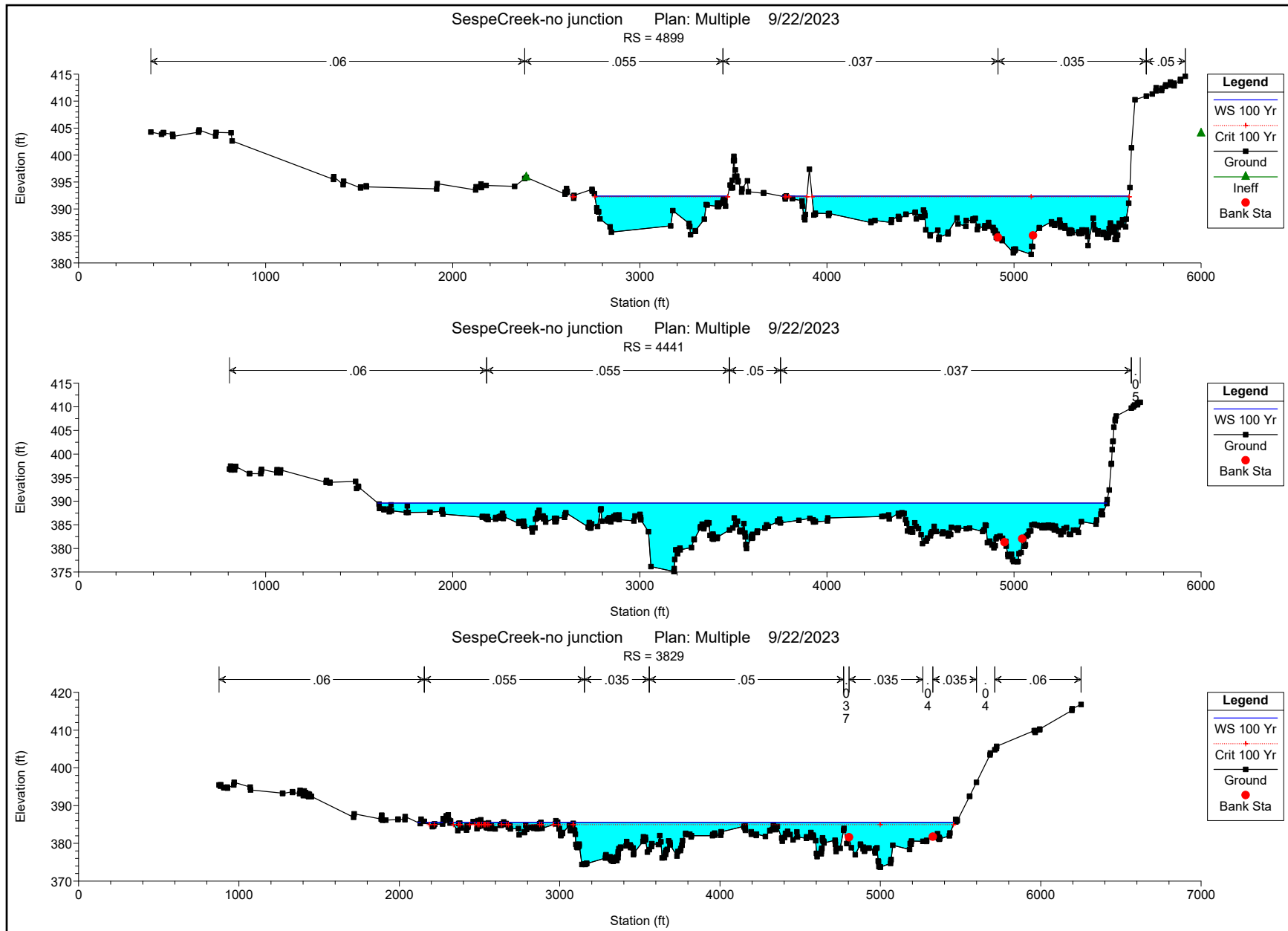


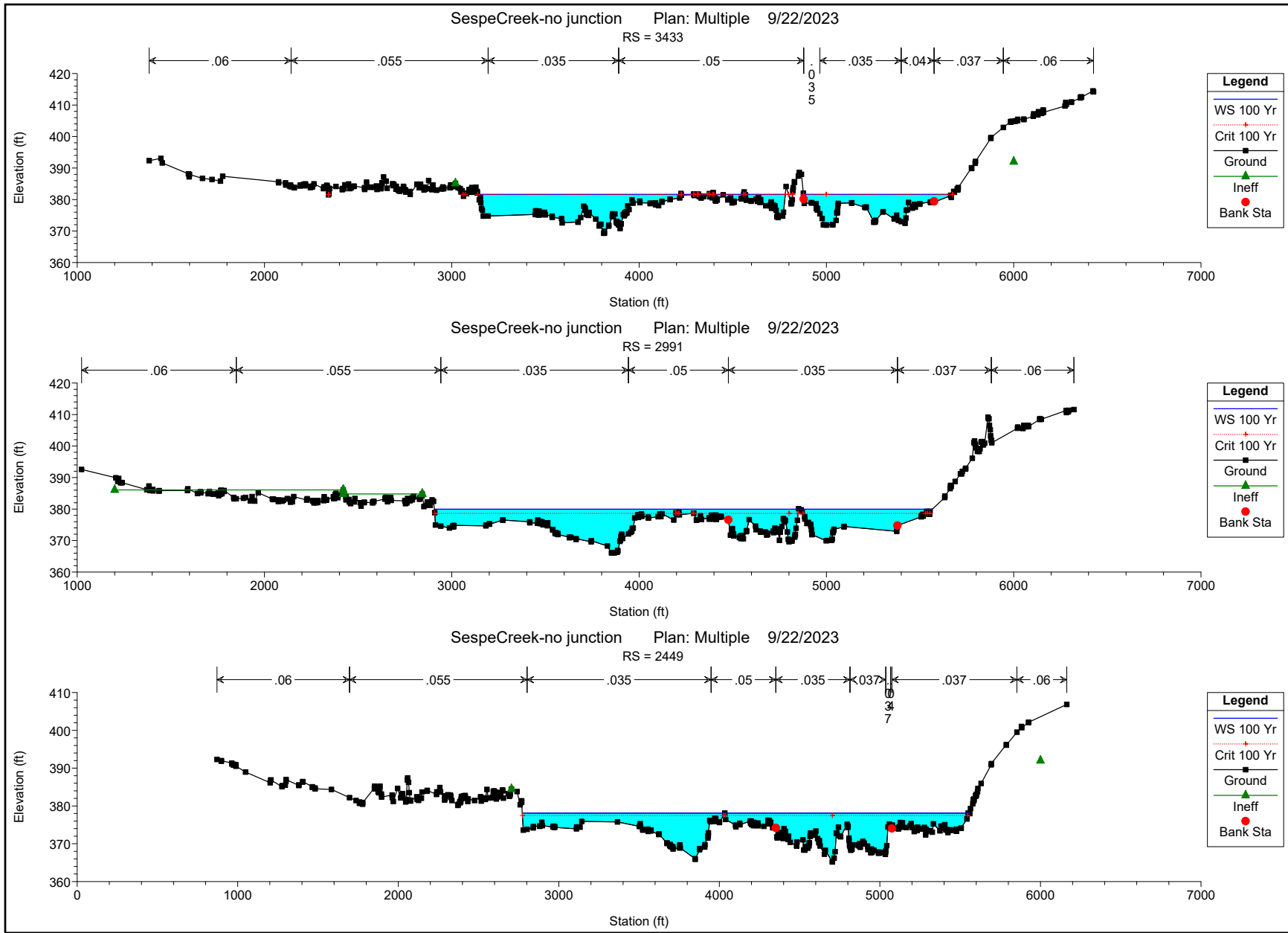












# Hydraulic Model Output

## Post-project Conditions with 100-year Peak Discharge



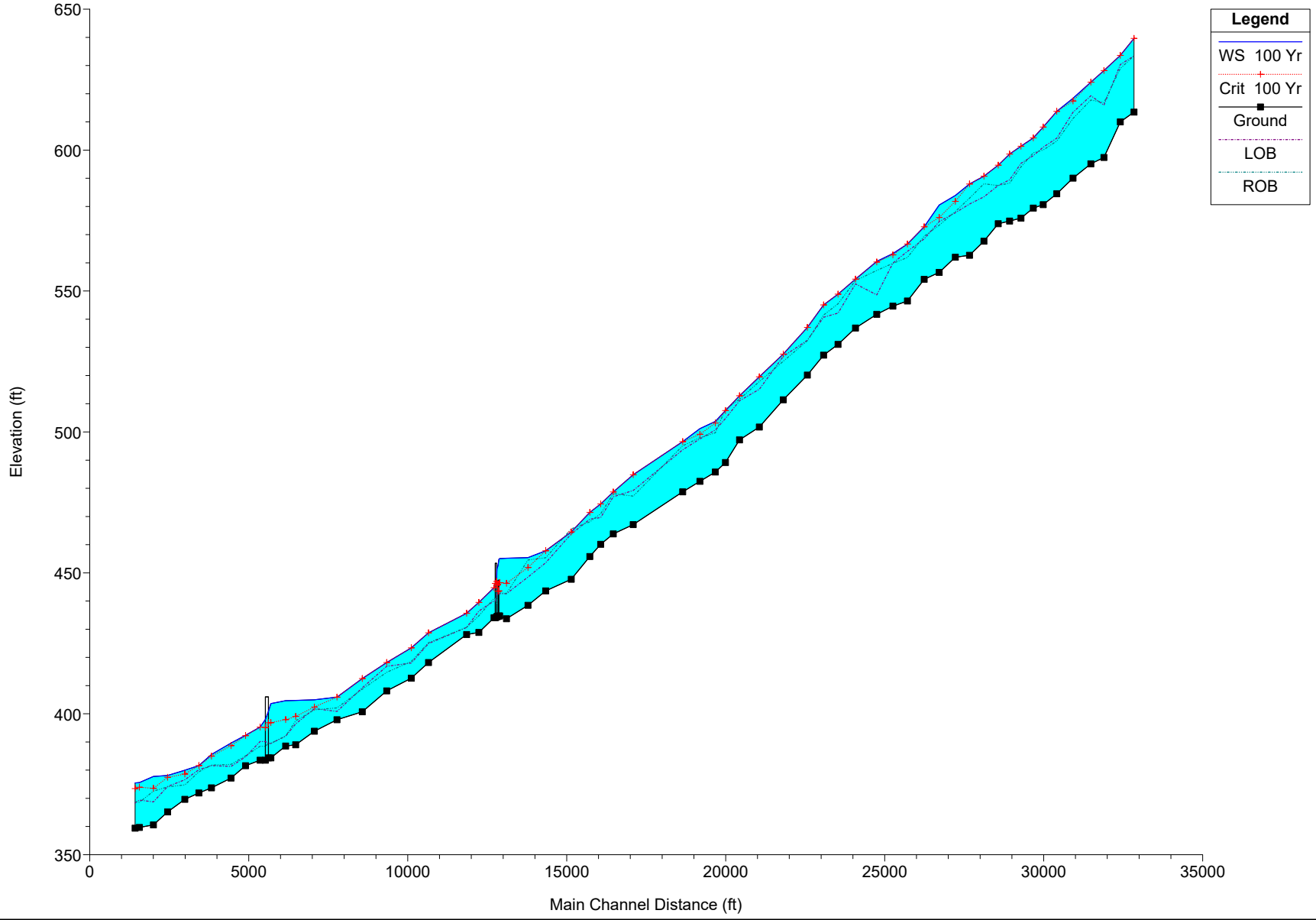
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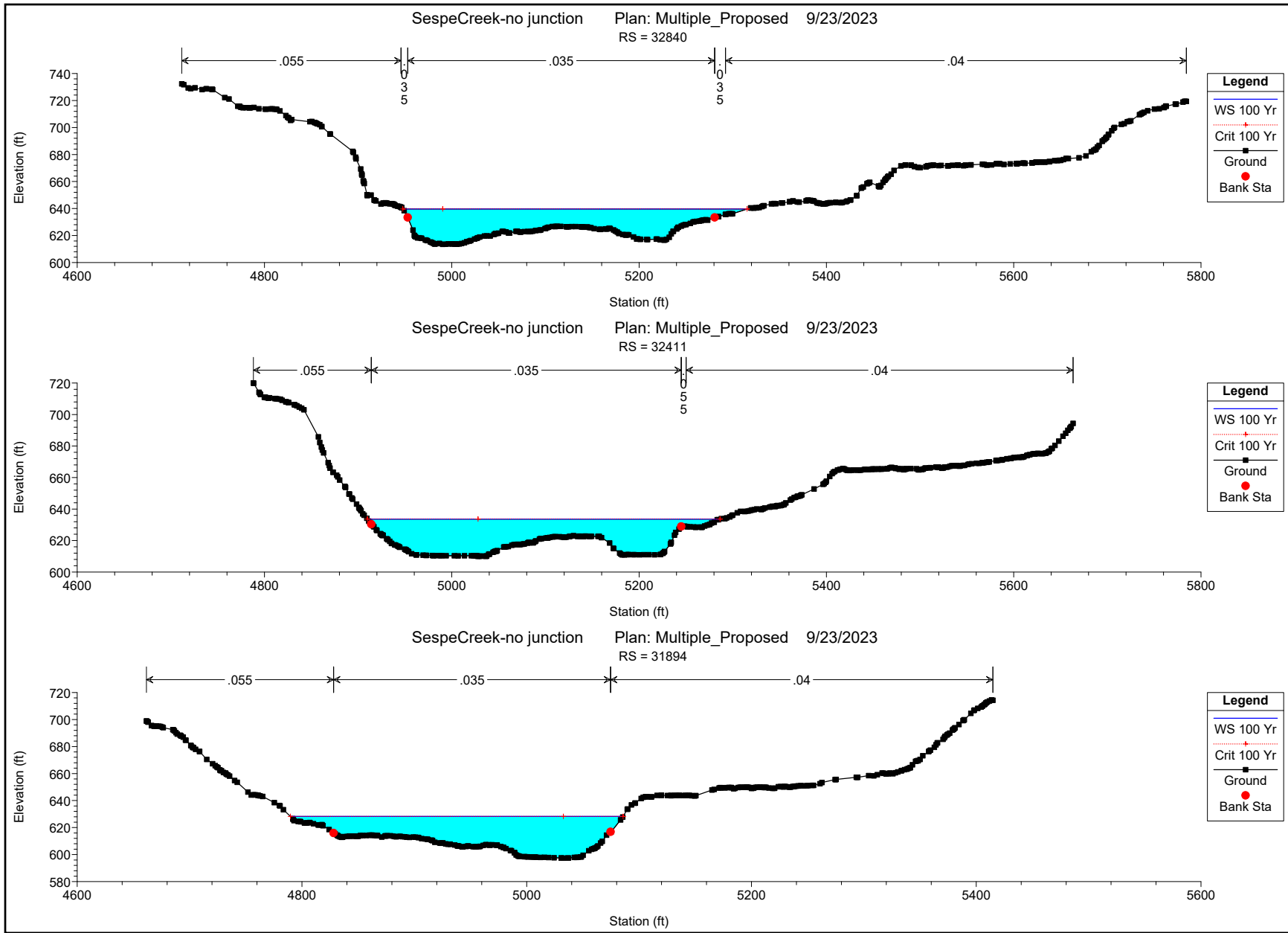
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Reach1	31482	100 Yr	135000.00	595.13	624.11	624.11	633.12	0.007062	24.10	5647.00	323.26	0.99
Reach1	30924	100 Yr	135000.00	590.05	618.36	617.43	627.62	0.005840	24.49	5599.96	275.18	0.92
Reach1	30411	100 Yr	135000.00	584.48	613.75	613.75	624.36	0.006390	26.24	5280.75	263.15	0.98
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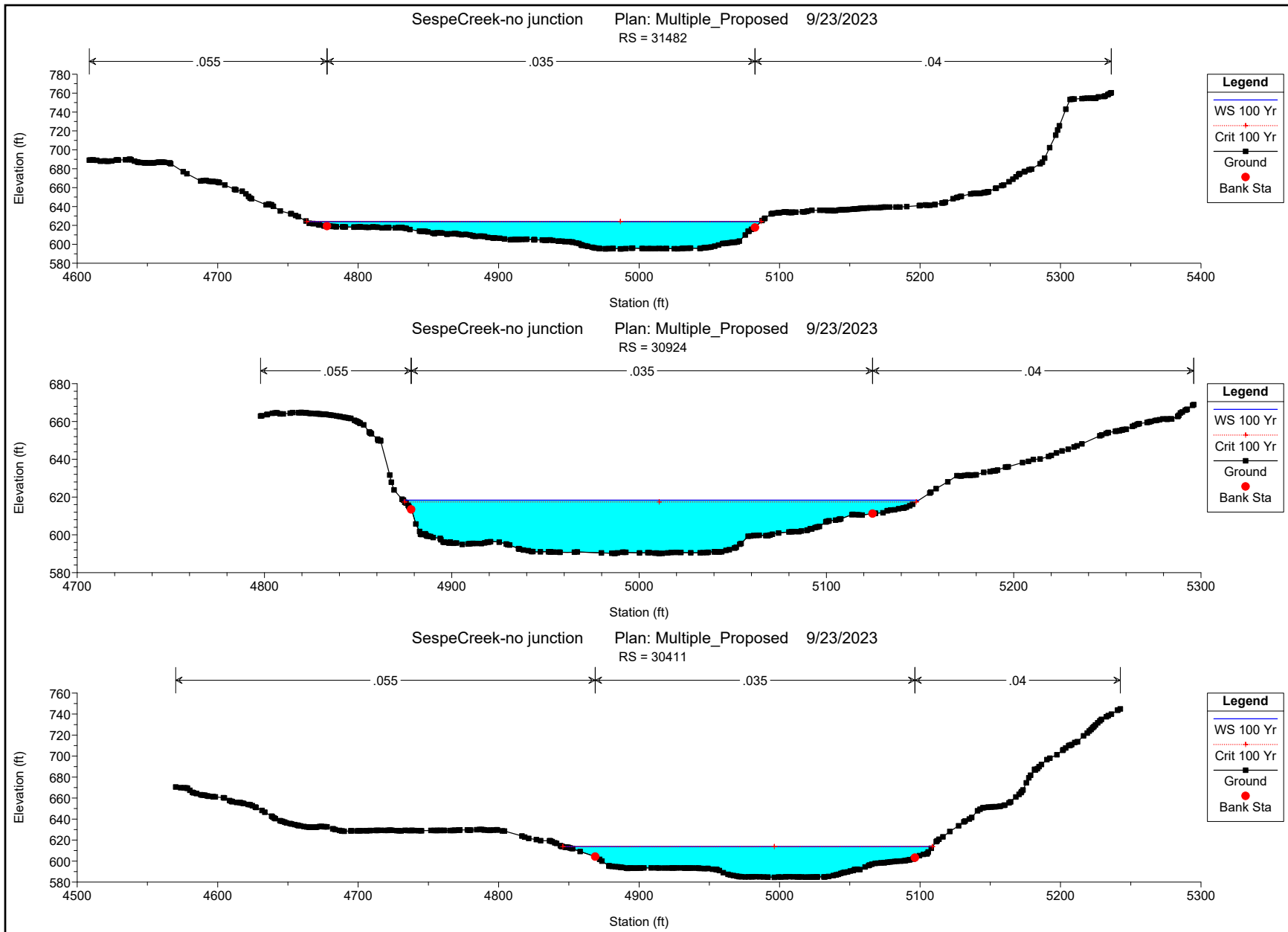
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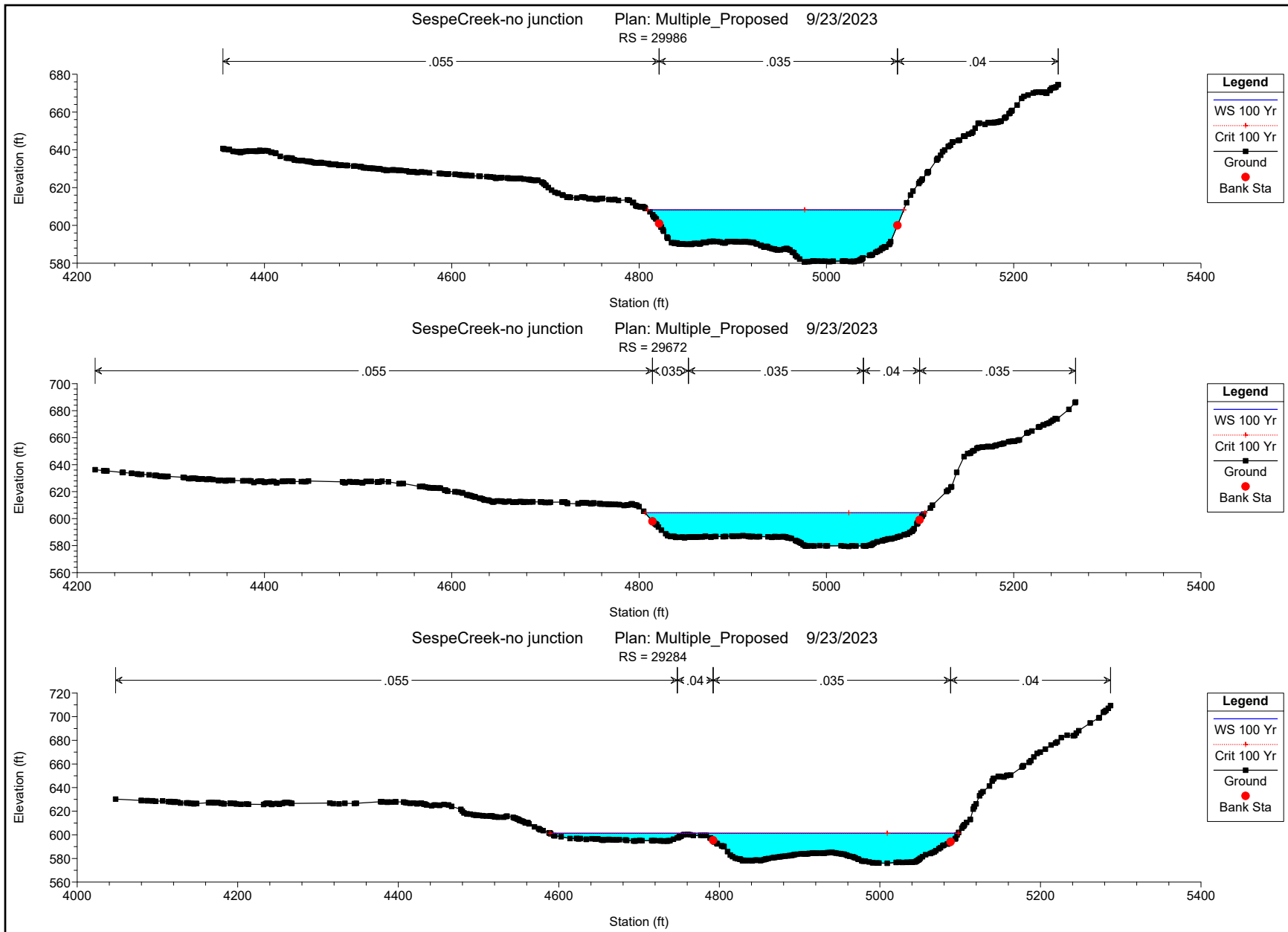
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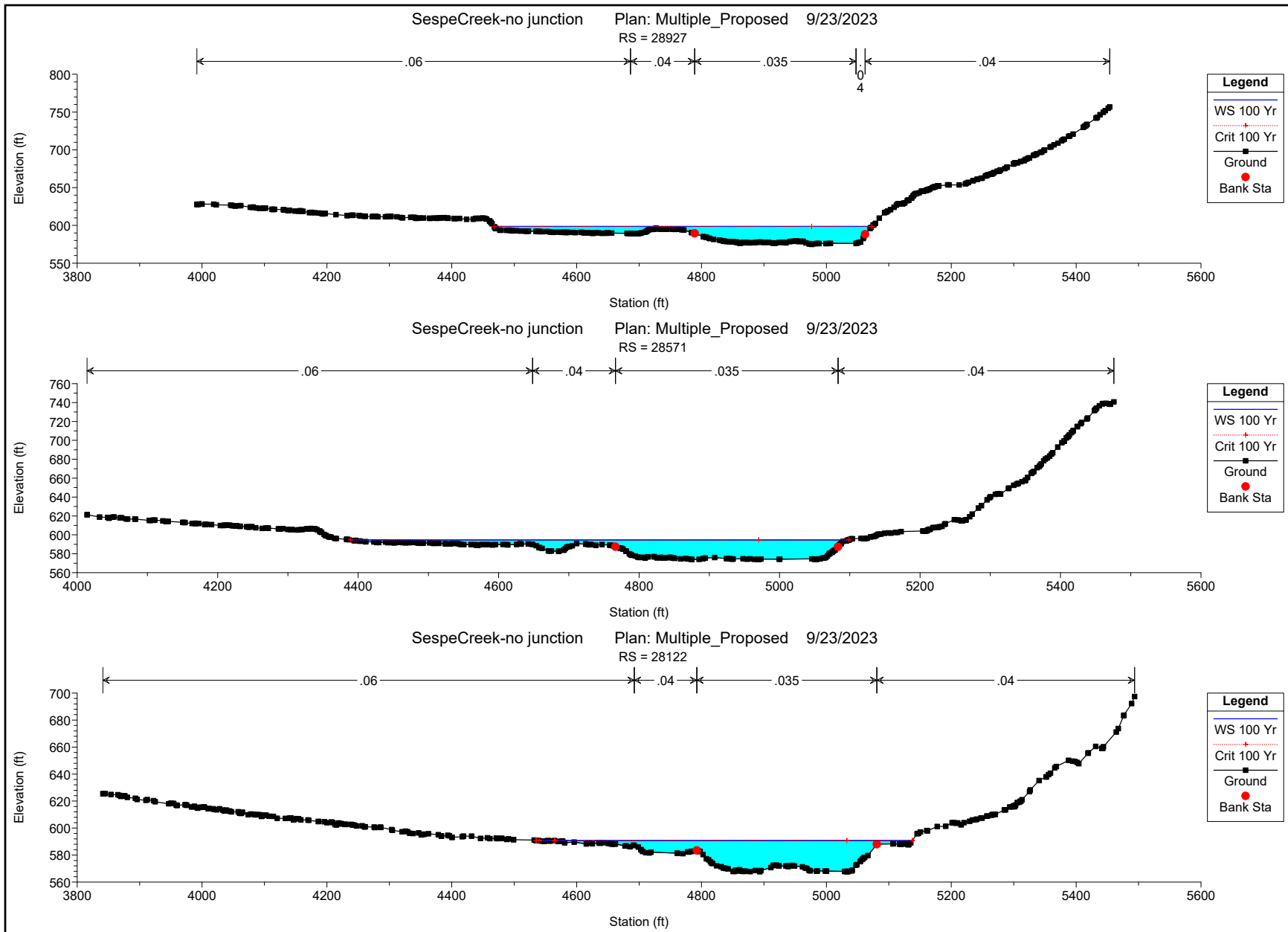
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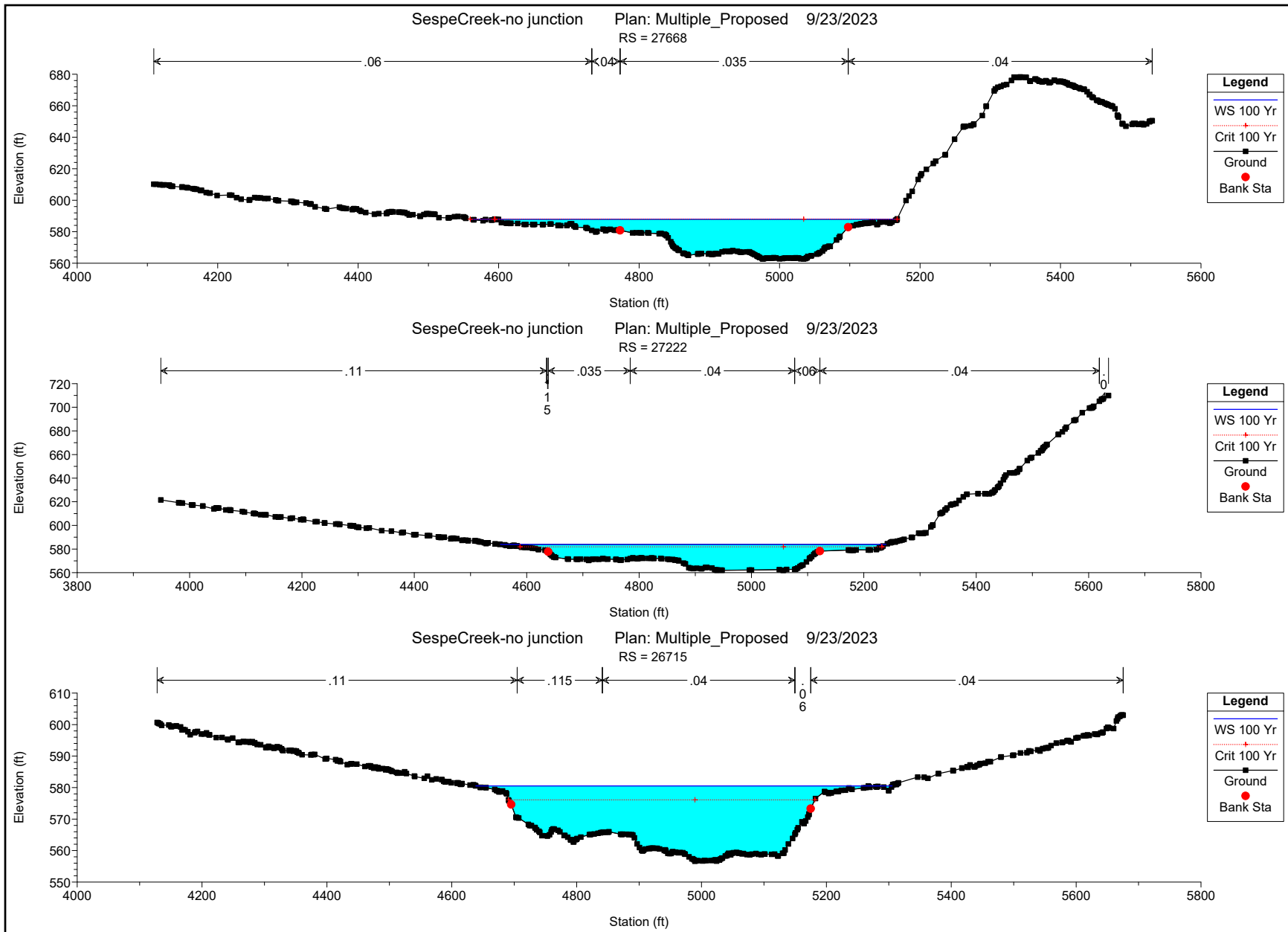




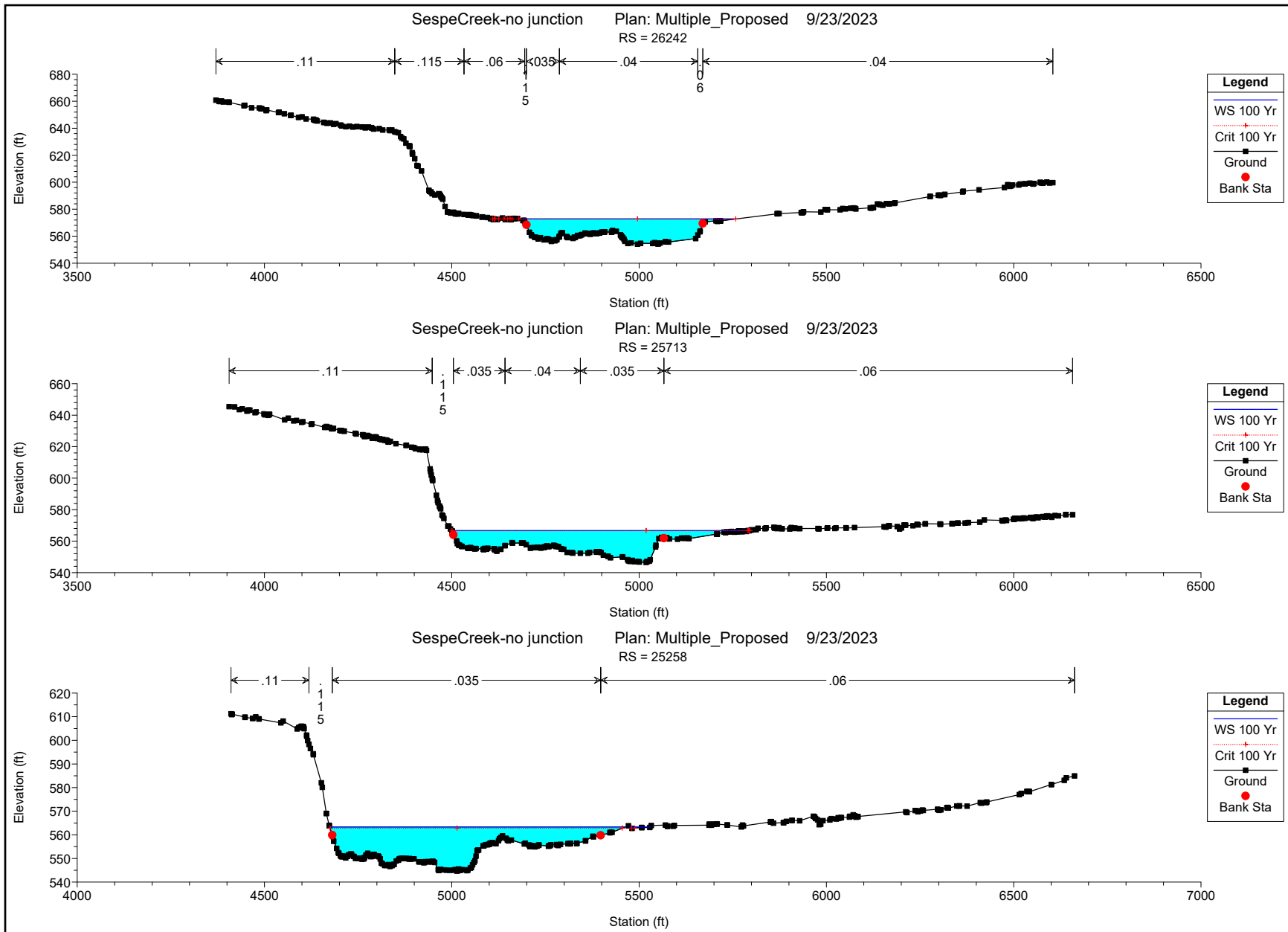


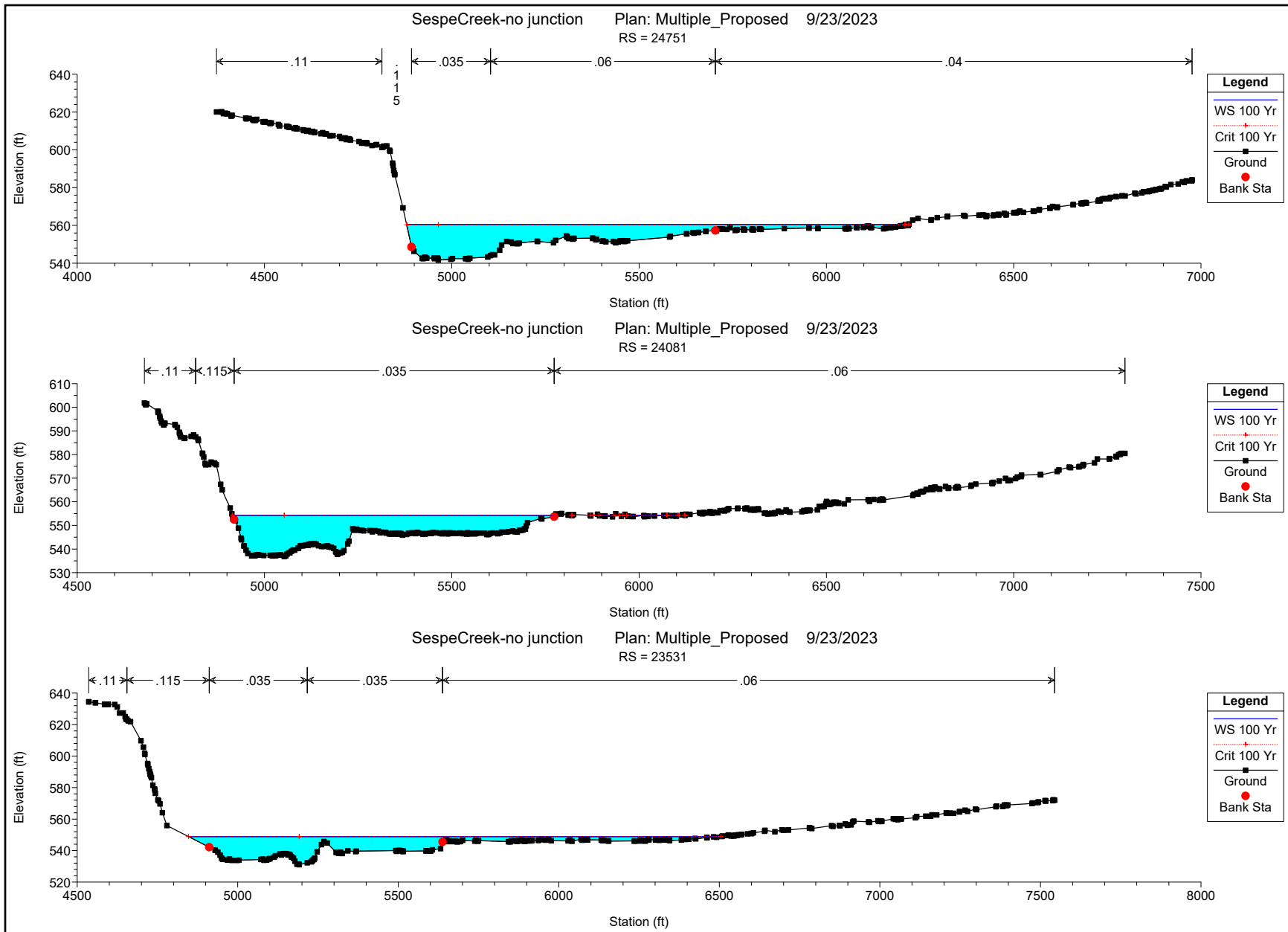


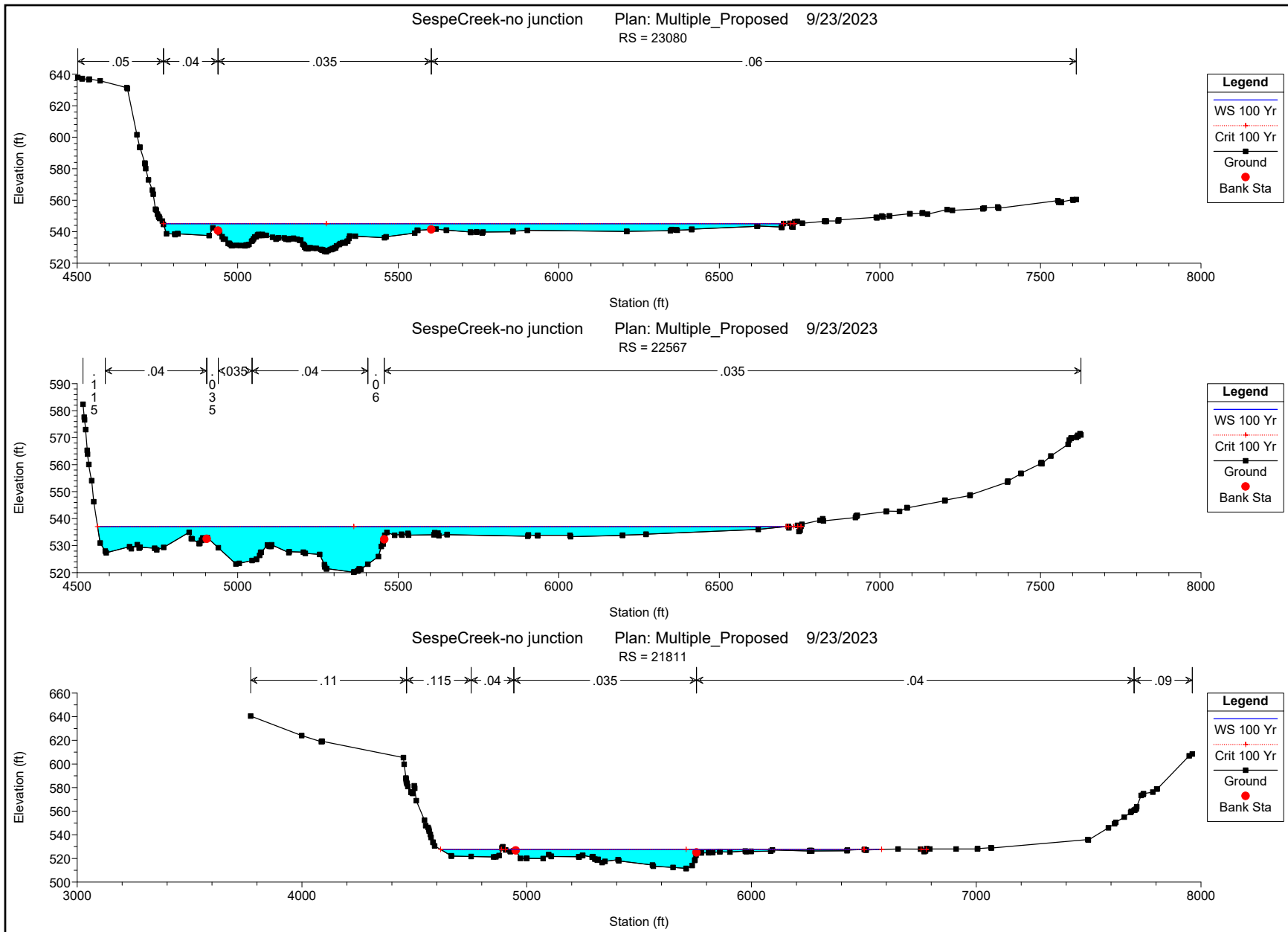


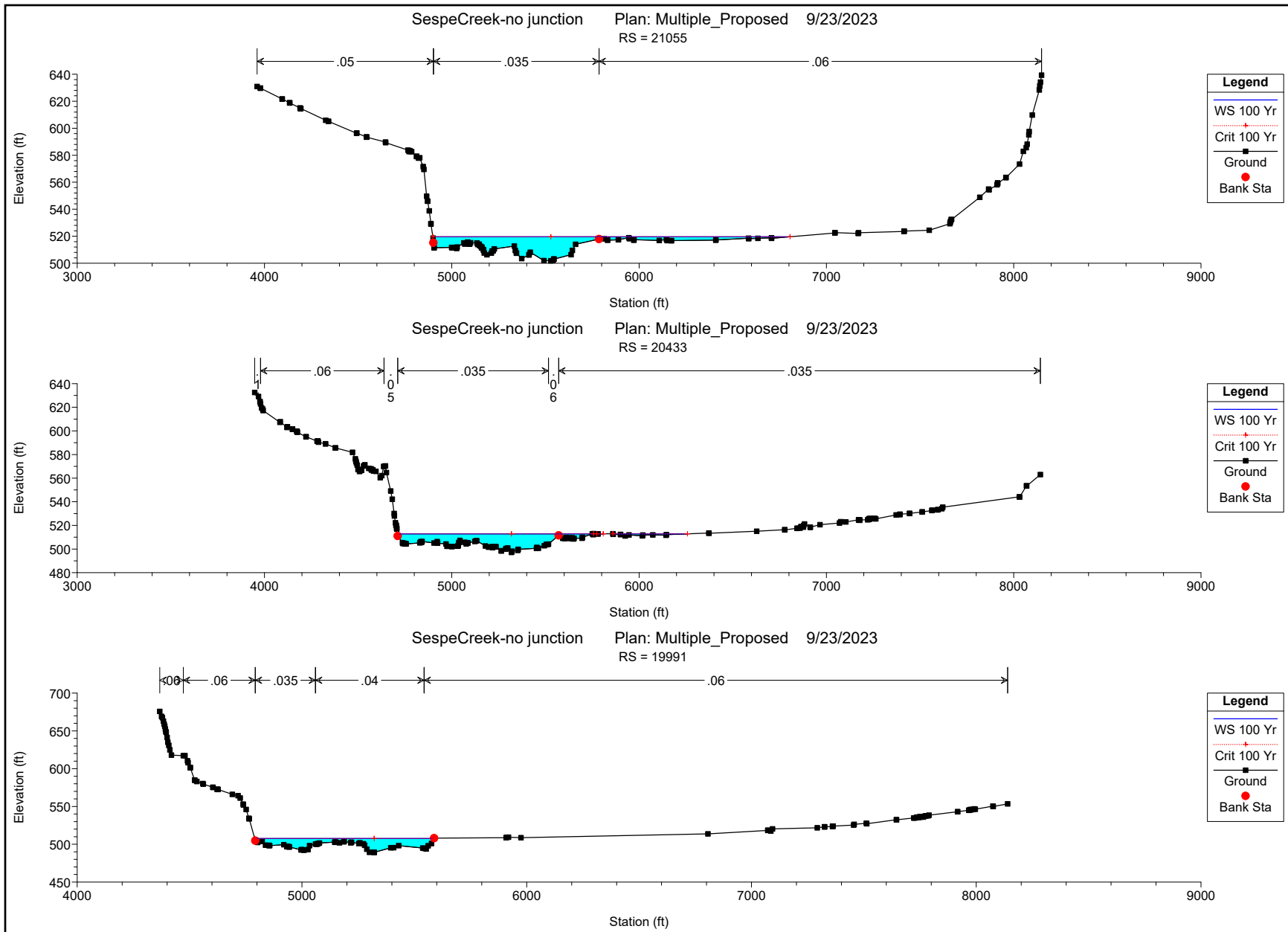


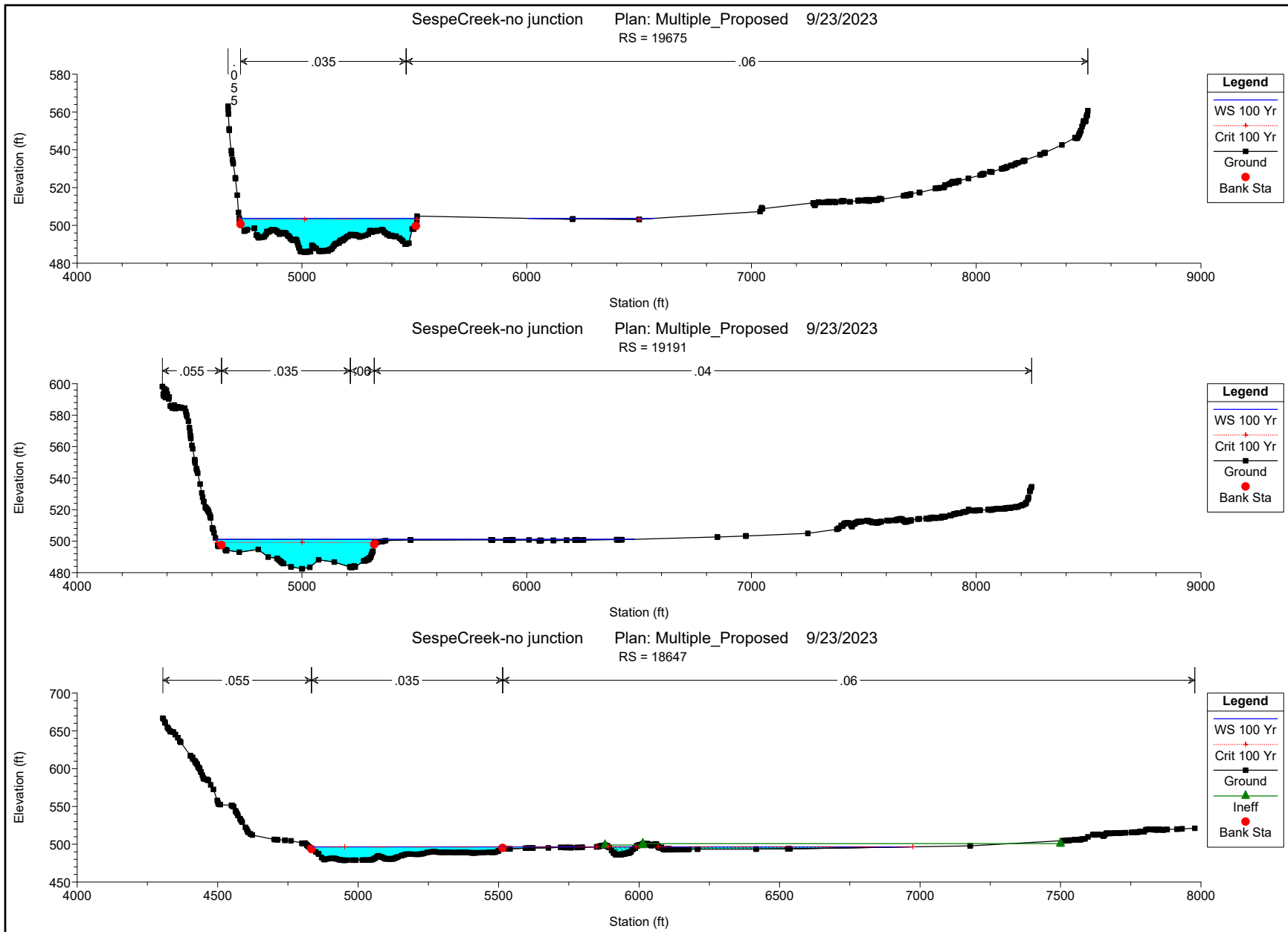


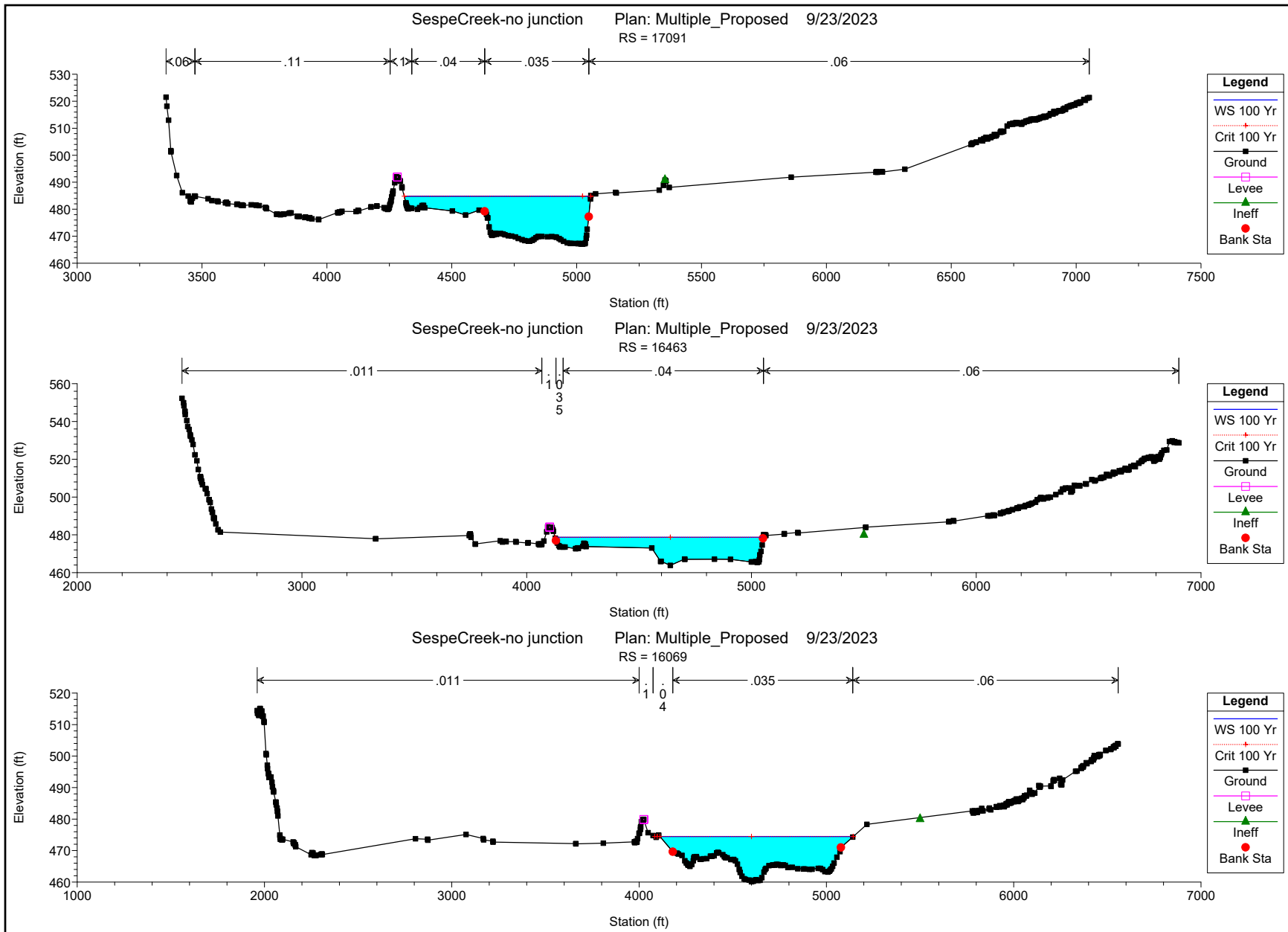








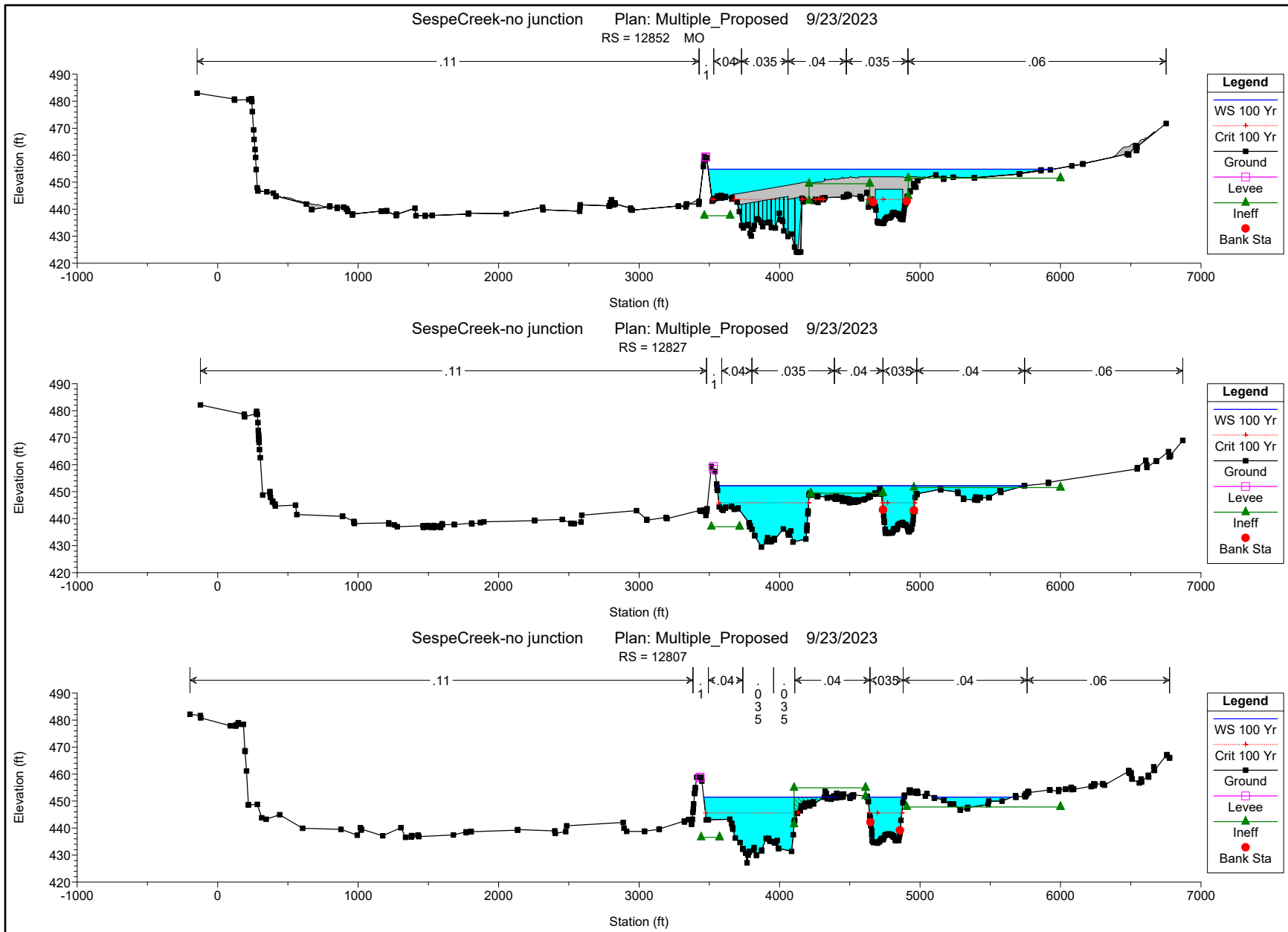


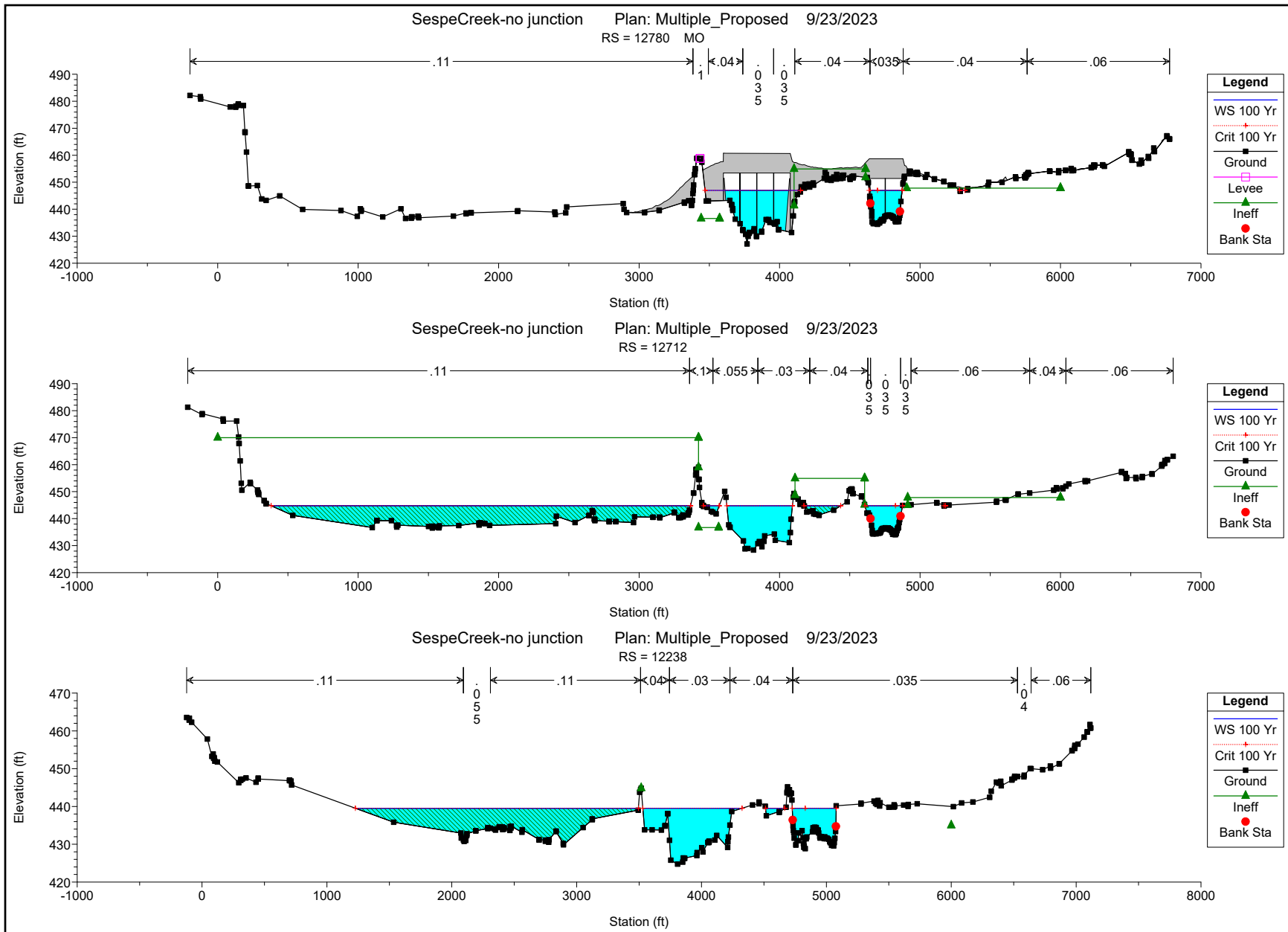


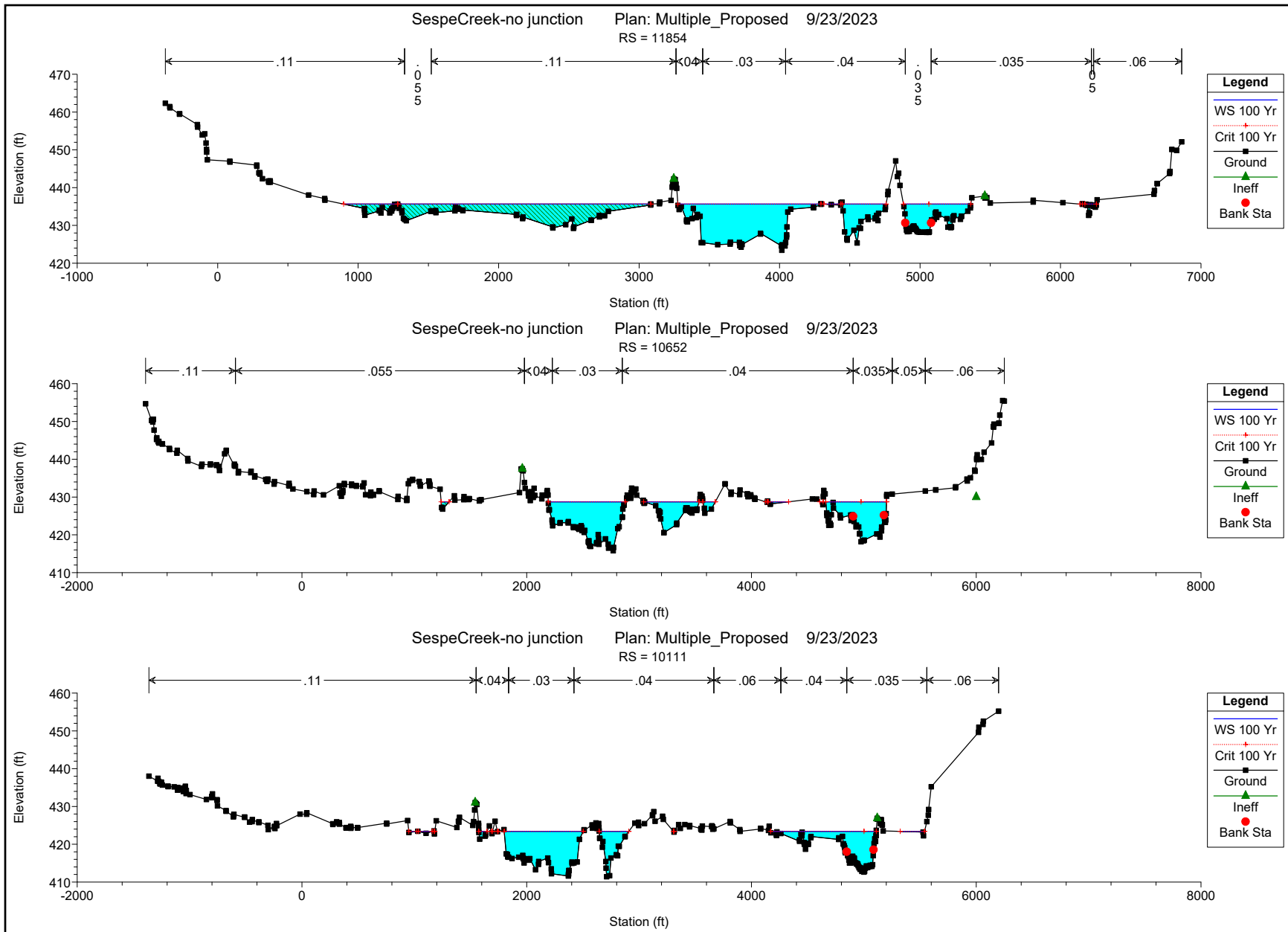


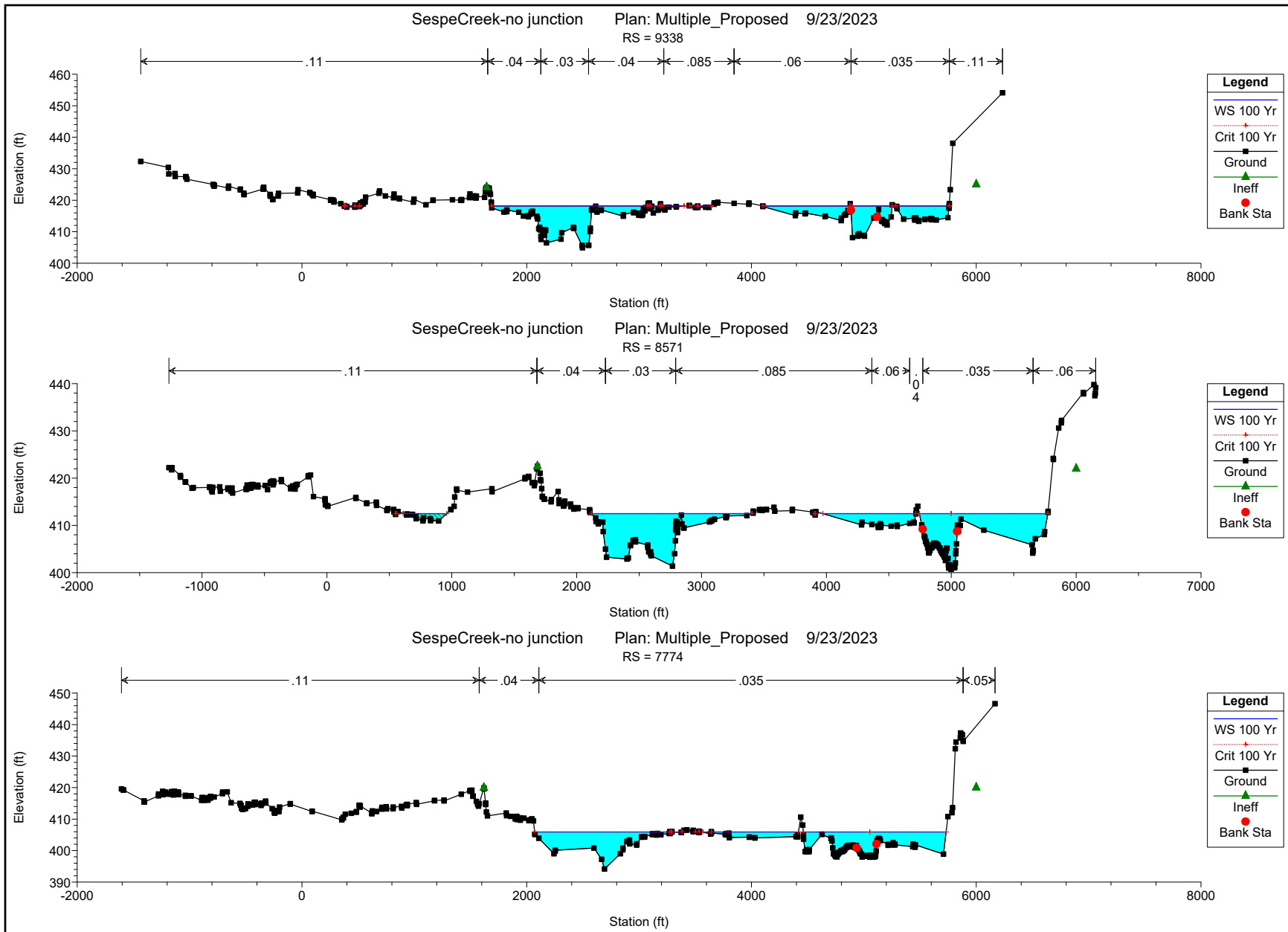


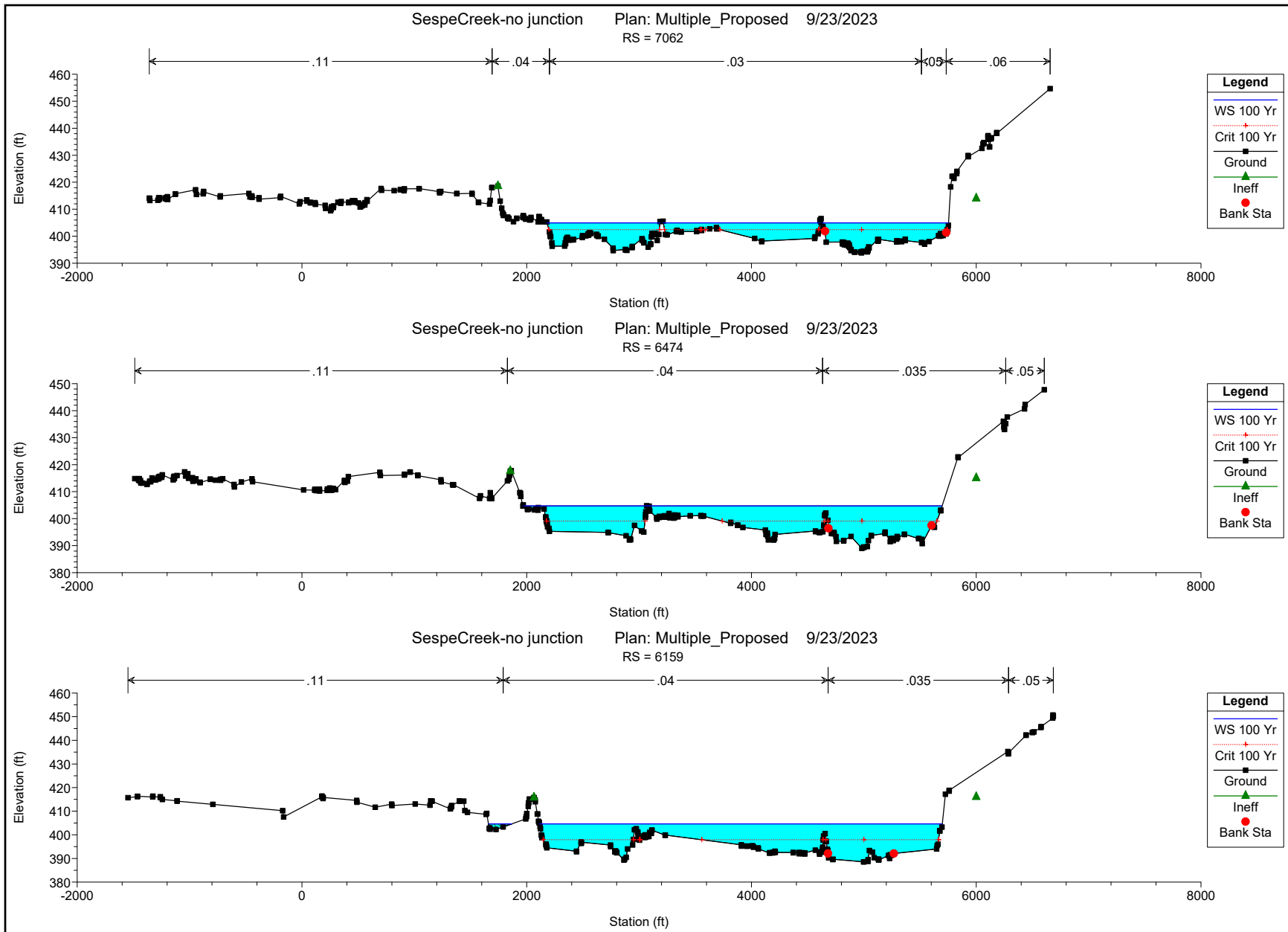


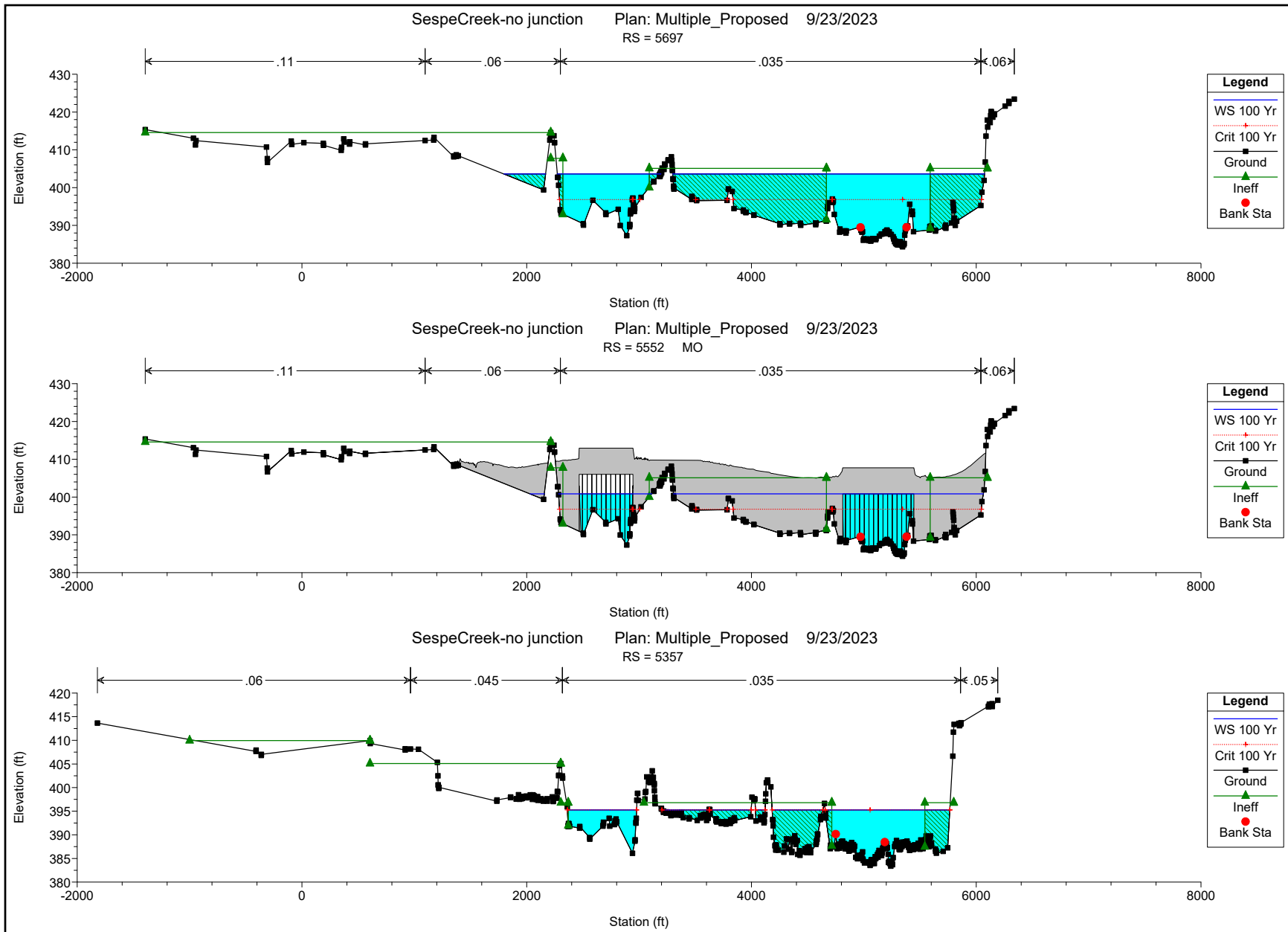


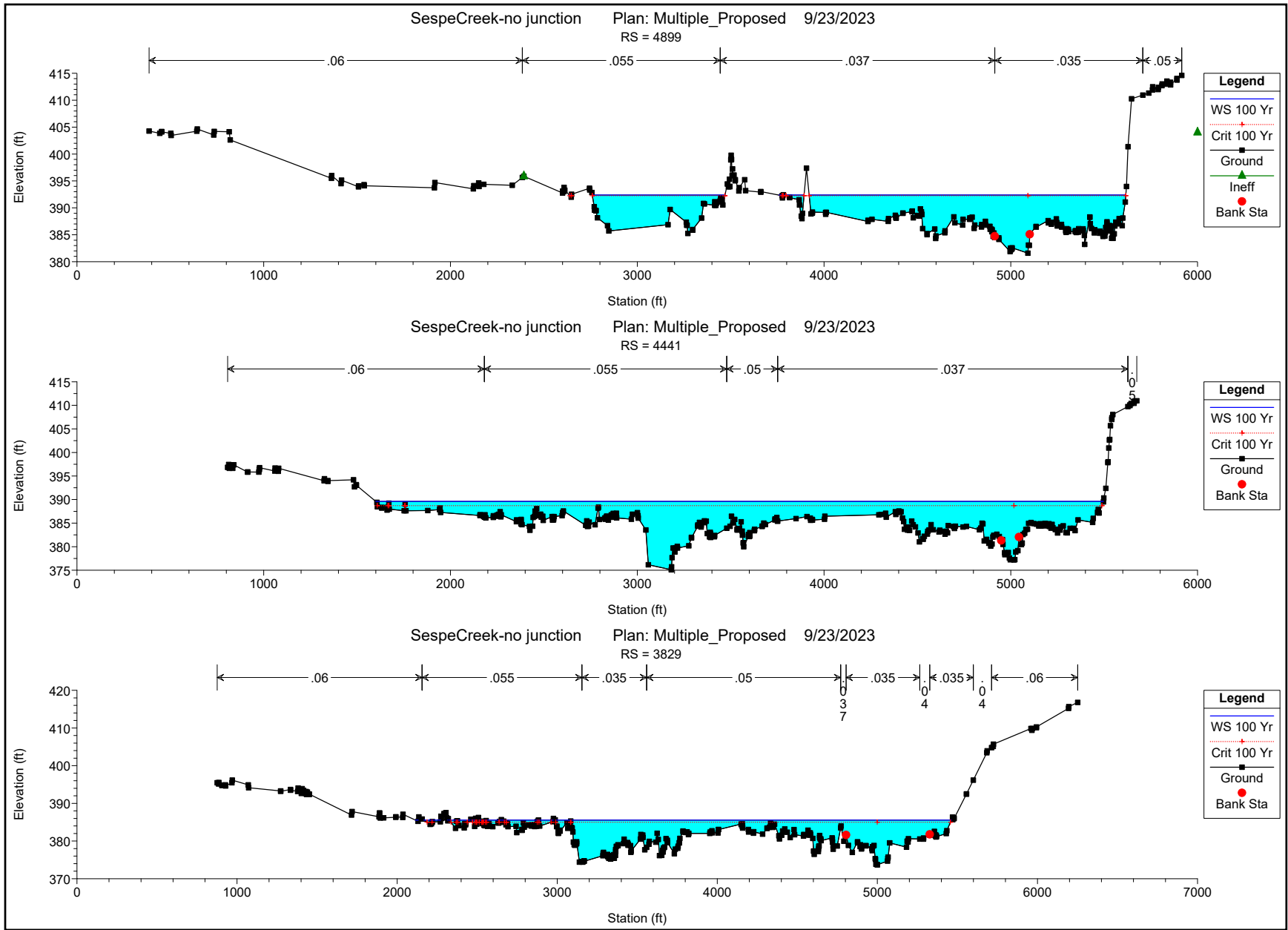


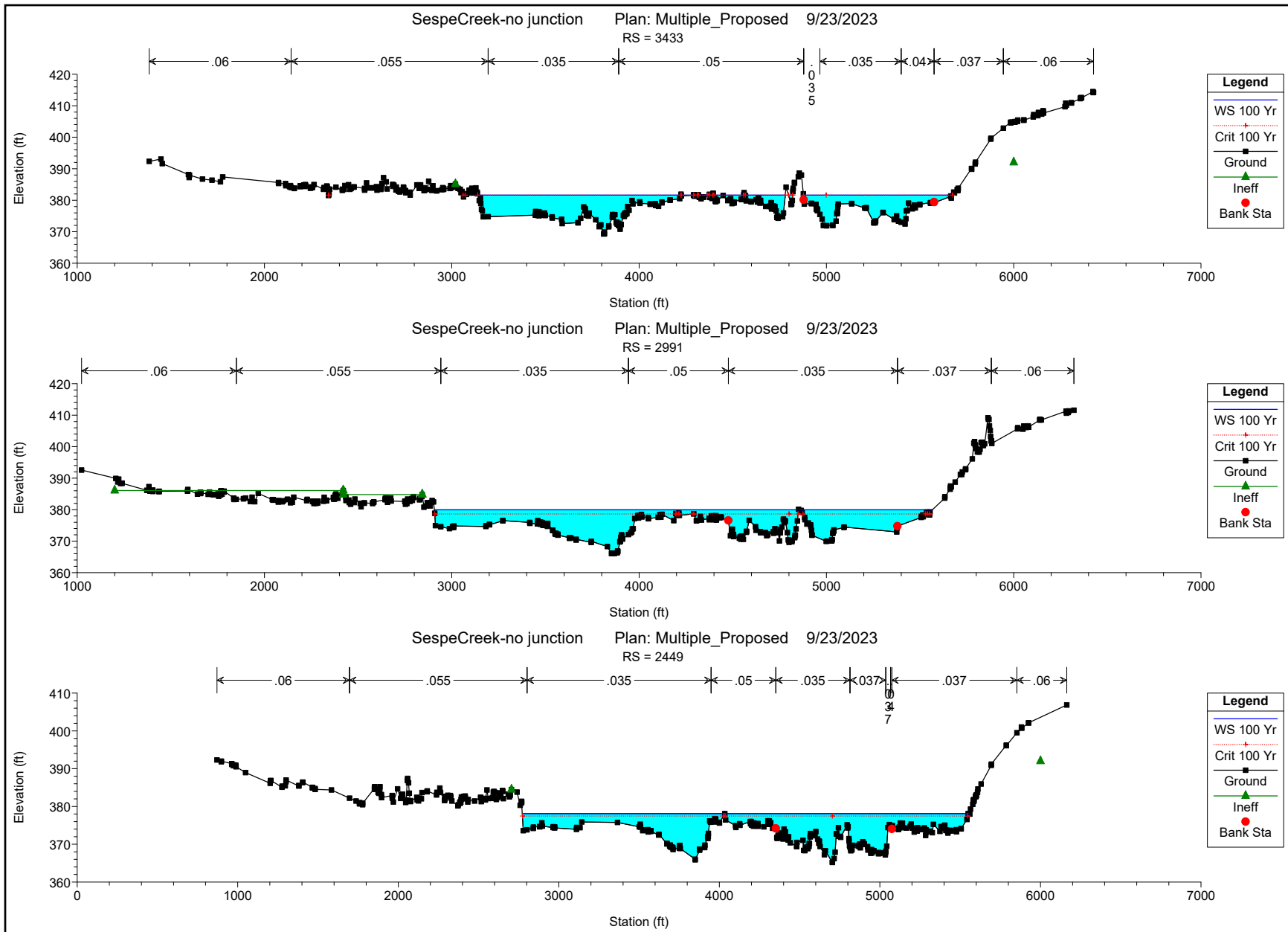




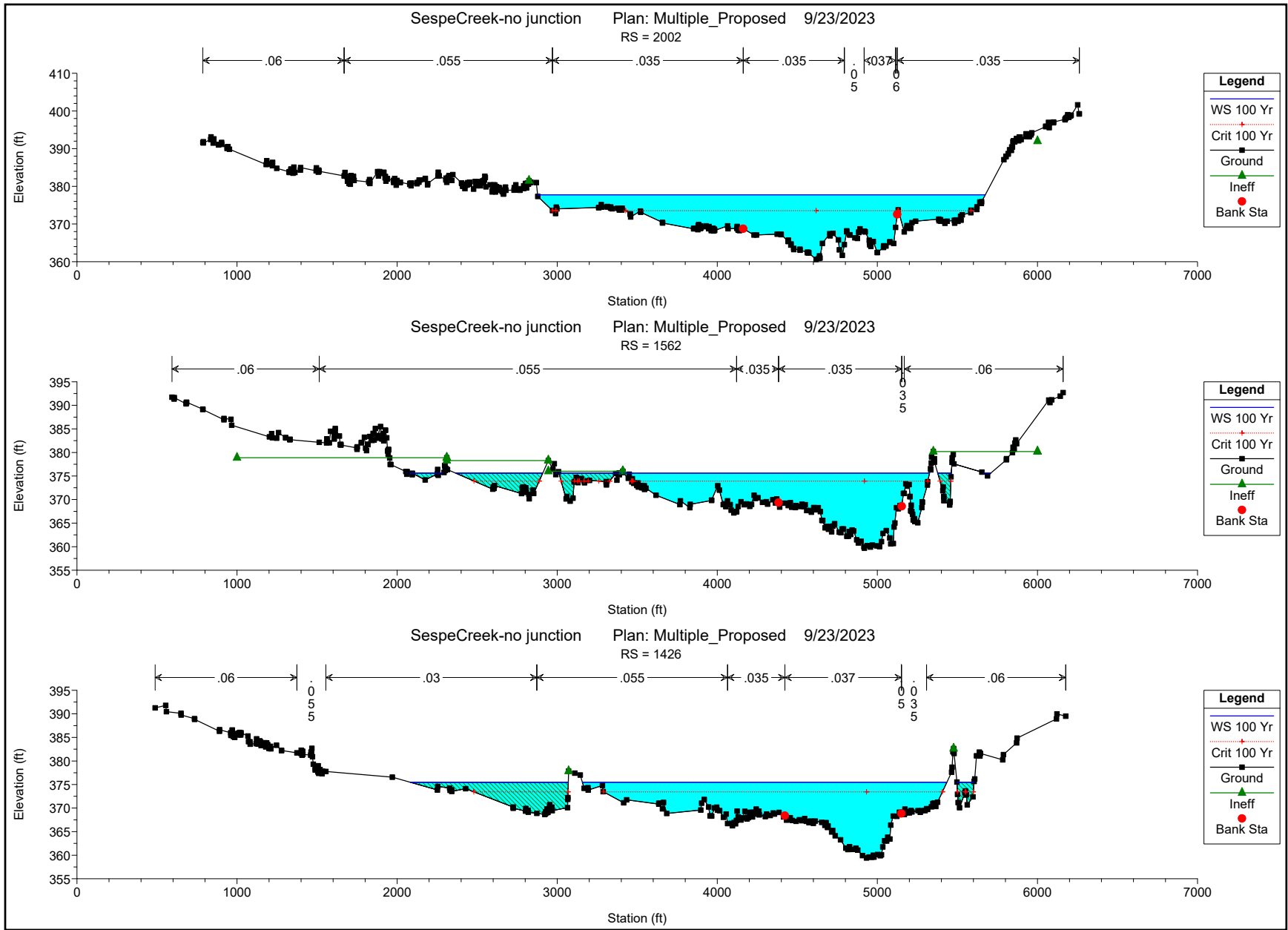


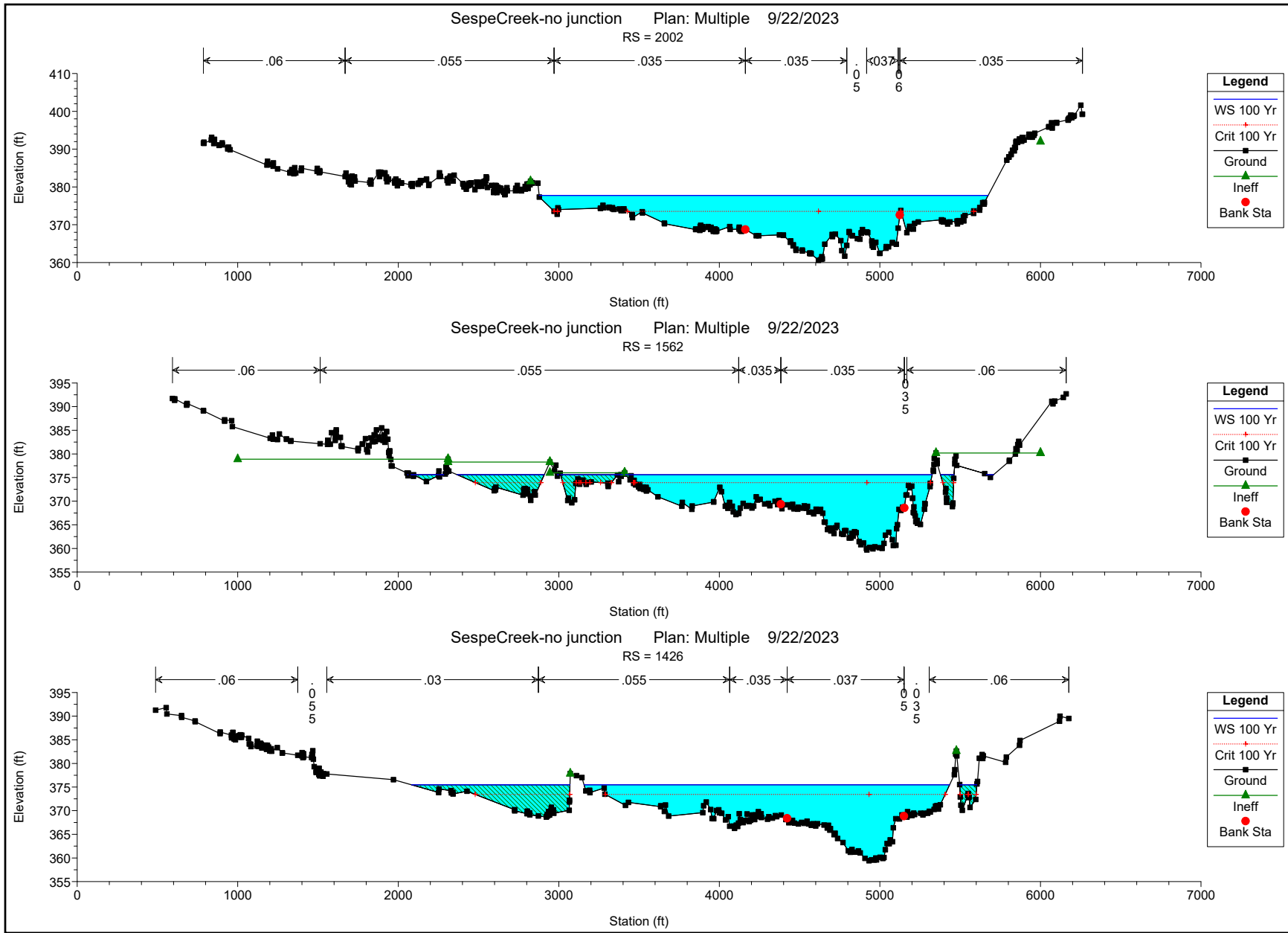






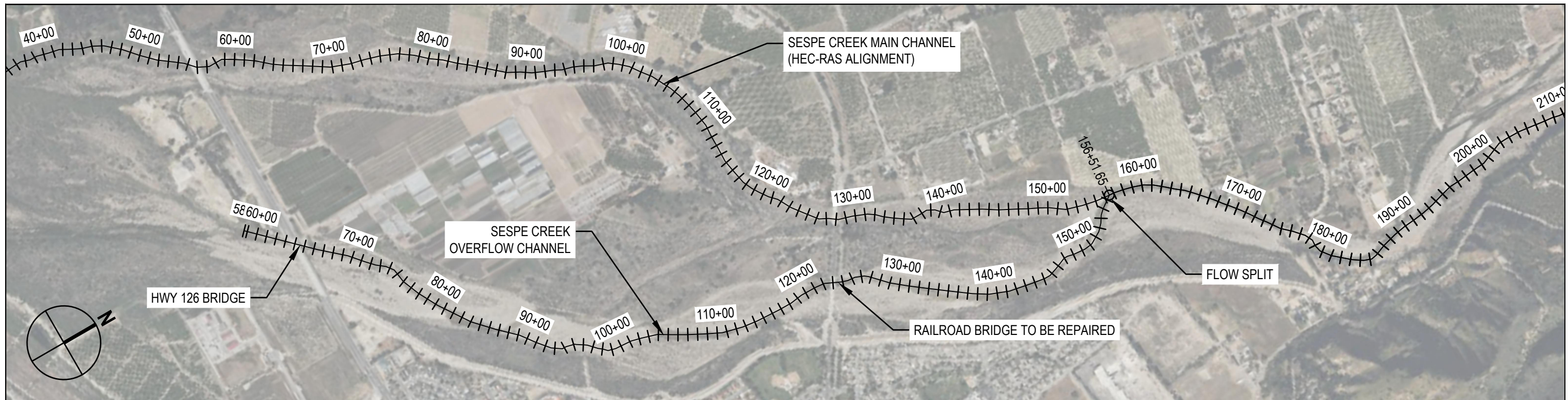




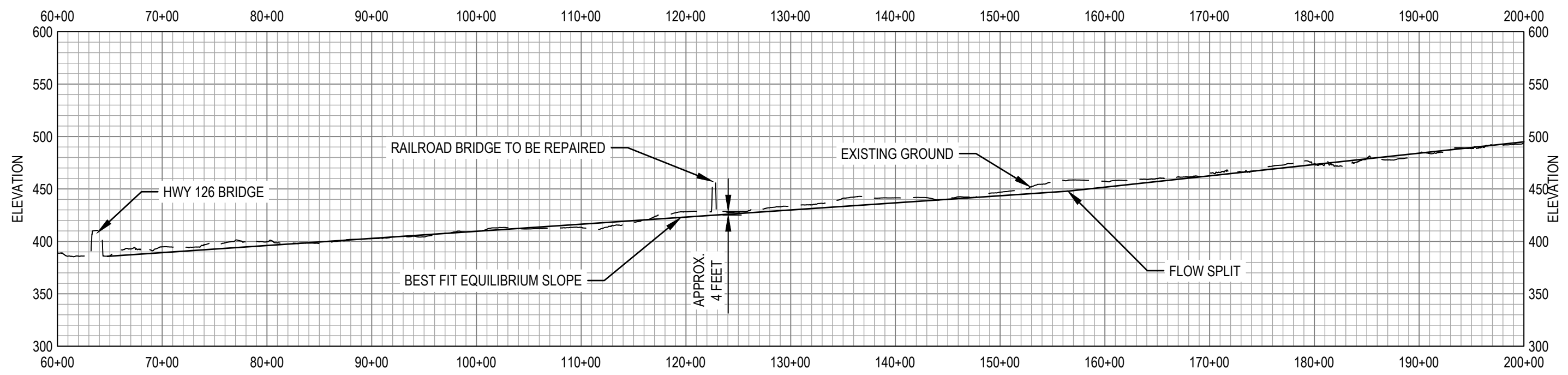


# Attachment 4

## Bridge Scour Calculations

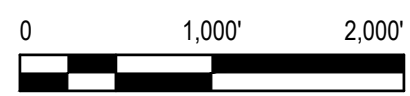


**1 PLAN VIEW**  
1" = 1,000'



**2 PROFILE VIEW**  
H: 1" = 1,000'; V: 1" = 100'

NOTE: THE EXISTING GROUND PROFILE WAS DEVELOPED USING A SURFACE CREATED FROM THE 2018 USGS LIDAR: SOUTHERN CA WILDFIRES DATA SET.



**RAILPROS**  
SESPE CREEK OVERFLOW RAILROAD BRIDGE

**CHANNEL PROFILE FOR  
LONG-TERM DEGRADATION ESTIMATION**

Project No. 12611830  
Date 10/16/23

**ATTACHMENT 4A**

## Live-Bed vs Clear-Water Scour Determination

**Project Name:** Sespe Creek Bridge

**Project No.:** 12611830

**Updated:** 9/25/2023

**Calc By:** STS

The following calculations are based on the methods presented in FHWA HEC No. 18, Fifth Edition for calculating critical velocity.

To determine if the flow upstream of the bridge is transporting bed material, calculate the critical velocity for beginning of motion  $V_c$  of the  $D_{50}$  size of the bed material being considered for movement and compare it with the mean velocity  $V$  of the flow in the main channel or overbank area upstream of the bridge opening. If the critical velocity of the bed material is larger than the mean velocity ( $V_c > V$ ), then clear-water contraction scour will exist. If the critical velocity is less than the mean velocity ( $V_c < V$ ), then live-bed contraction scour will exist. To calculate the critical velocity use the equation derived in the Appendix C. This equation is:

$$V_c = K_u y^{1/6} D^{1/3} \quad (6.1)$$

where:

- $V_c$  = Critical velocity above which bed material of size  $D$  and smaller will be transported, ft/s (m/s)
- $y$  = Average depth of flow upstream of the bridge, ft (m)
- $D$  = Particle size for  $V_c$ , ft (m)
- $D_{50}$  = Particle size in a mixture of which 50 percent are smaller, ft (m)
- $K_u$  = 6.19 SI units
- $K_u$  = 11.17 English units

### Critical Velocity Calculation

#### Input Parameters

$K_u$ : 11.17  
 $D_{50}$ : 0.0167 ft (5.1 mm)

Flow Scenario	Flow* (cfs)	Avg. Flow Depth*, $y$ (ft)	Critical Velocity, $V_c$ (ft/s)	Channel Velocity*, $V$ (ft/s)	Contraction Scour Type
100-yr Sespe Creek Overflow	88,957	16.25	4.55	8.81	Live-Bed

\*Channel Flow, Velocity and Avg. Flow Depth are from HEC-RAS output.

# HEC-RAS Hydraulic Design Function Scour Calculations

## Contraction Scour

	Left	Channel	Right
<u>Input Data</u>			
Average Depth (ft):	8.16	16.25	11.09
Approach Velocity (ft/s):	4.27	8.81	5.23
Br Average Depth (ft):	8.44	15.04	0.99
BR Opening Flow (cfs):		93840.61	3171.73
BR Top WD (ft):	167.73	497.10	422.78
Grain Size D50 (mm):	5.10	5.10	5.10
Approach Flow (cfs):	3954.72	88957.41	4043.09
Approach Top WD (ft):	113.59	620.90	69.70
K1 Coefficient:	0.590	0.640	0.590

## Results

Scour Depth Ys (ft):		4.57	2.12
Critical Velocity (ft/s):	8.79	4.56	4.28
Equation:		Live	Live

## Pier: #2 (CL = 4109)

### Input Data

Pier Shape:	Round nose
Pier Width (ft):	5.00
Grain Size D50 (mm):	5.10000
Depth Upstream (ft):	24.52
Velocity Upstream (ft/s):	9.24
K1 Nose Shape:	1.00
Pier Angle:	0.00
Pier Length (ft):	19.50
K2 Angle Coef:	1.00
K3 Bed Cond Coef:	1.10
Grain Size D90 (mm):	
K4 Armouring Coef:	1.00

### Results

Scour Depth Ys (ft):	11.89 (without debris)
Froude #:	0.33
Equation:	CSU equation

## Pier: #3 (CL = 4060)

### Input Data

Pier Shape:	Round nose
Pier Width (ft):	5.00
Grain Size D50 (mm):	5.10000
Depth Upstream (ft):	24.52
Velocity Upstream (ft/s):	9.24
K1 Nose Shape:	1.00
Pier Angle:	0.00
Pier Length (ft):	19.50
K2 Angle Coef:	1.00
K3 Bed Cond Coef:	1.10
Grain Size D90 (mm):	
K4 Armouring Coef:	1.00

### Results

Scour Depth Ys (ft):	11.89 (without debris)
Froude #:	0.33
Equation:	CSU equation

### **Abutment #1 Scour**

#### **Input Data**

Station at Toe (ft):	4158.00
Toe Sta at appr (ft):	4477.90
Abutment Length (ft):	52.95
Depth at Toe (ft):	13.00
K1 Shape Coef:	0.82 - Vert. with wing walls
Degree of Skew (degrees):	90.00
K2 Skew Coef:	1.00
Projected Length L' (ft):	52.95
Avg Depth Obstructed Ya (ft):	7.00
Flow Obstructed Qe (cfs):	4217.99
Area Obstructed Ae (sq ft):	795.29

#### **Results**

Scour Depth Ys (ft):	23.49
Qe/Ae = Ve:	5.30
Froude #:	0.35
Equation:	Froehlich

## Pier Scour - Effective Pier Width with Debris

Project Name: Sespe Creek Bridge

Project No.: 12611830

Updated: 10/17/2023

Calc By: STS

The following calculations are based on the methods presented in FHWA HEC No. 18, Fifth Edition for calculating the effective pier width with debris.

Equation 7.32 (HEC-18 Equation):

$$a^*_d = \frac{K_1(HW) + (y - K_1H)a}{y} \quad (7.32)$$

where:

- $a^*_d$  = Effective width of pier when debris is present, ft (m)
- $a$  = Width of pier perpendicular to flow, ft (m)
- $K_1$  = 0.79 for rectangular debris, 0.21 for triangular debris
- $H$  = Height (thickness) of the debris, ft (m)
- $W$  = Width of debris perpendicular to the flow direction, ft (m)
- $y$  = Depth of approach flow, ft (m)

- a: 5.00 ft
- $K_1$ : 0.79
- H: 6.00 ft (assumed from 5/8/23 Bridge Inspection Report)
- W: 12.00 ft (assumed from 5/8/23 Bridge Inspection Report)
- y: 12.22 ft (from HEC-RAS model)
  
- $a^*_d$ : 7.72 ft



## Pier Scour - Pier 2

Project Name: Sespe Creek Bridge  
 Project No.: 12611830  
 Updated: 10/17/2023  
 Calc By: STS

The following calculations are based on the methods presented in FHWA HEC No. 18, Fifth Edition for calculating pier scour.

Location: Pier 2

Equation 7.1 (HEC-18 Equation):

$$\frac{y_s}{y_1} = 2.0 K_1 K_2 K_3 \left( \frac{a}{y_1} \right)^{0.65} Fr_1^{0.43}$$

As a Rule of Thumb, the maximum scour depth for round nose piers aligned with the flow is:

$$y_s \leq 2.4 \text{ times the pier width (a) for } Fr \leq 0.8 \quad (7.2)$$

$$y_s \leq 3.0 \text{ times the pier width (a) for } Fr > 0.8$$

where:

- $y_s$  = Scour depth, ft (m)
- $y_1$  = Flow depth directly upstream of the pier, ft (m)
- $K_1$  = Correction factor for pier nose shape from Figure 7.3 and Table 7.1
- $K_2$  = Correction factor for angle of attack of flow from Table 7.2 or Equation 7.4
- $K_3$  = Correction factor for bed condition from Table 7.3
- $a$  = Pier width, ft (m)
- $L$  = Length of pier, ft (m)
- $Fr_1$  = Froude Number directly upstream of the pier =  $V_1/(gy_1)^{1/2}$
- $V_1$  = Mean velocity of flow directly upstream of the pier, ft/s (m/s)
- $g$  = Acceleration of gravity (32.2 ft/s<sup>2</sup>) (9.81 m/s<sup>2</sup>)

Shape: Round Nose

- $y_1$ : 24.52 ft
- $K_1$ : 1.0
- $K_2$ : 1.0
- $K_3$ : 1.1
- $a$ : 7.72 ft (using effective pier width with debris accumulation)
- $L$ : 19.5 ft
- $Fr_1$ : 0.33
- $V_1$ : 9.2 ft/s
- $g$ : 32.2 ft/s<sup>2</sup>
- $\theta$ : 0 degrees

Scour Depth  $y_s$ : 15.8 ft

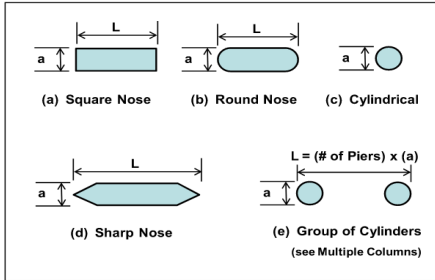


Figure 7.3. Common pier shapes.

Equation 7.4:

$$K_2 = \left( \cos \theta + \frac{L}{a} \sin \theta \right)^{0.65}$$

If  $L/a$  is larger than 12, use  $L/a = 12$  as a maximum in Equation 7.4 and Table 7.2. Table 7.2 illustrates the magnitude of the effect of the angle of attack on local pier scour.

Shape of Pier Nose	$K_1$
(a) Square nose	1.1
(b) Round nose	1.0
(c) Circular cylinder	1.0
(d) Group of cylinders	1.0
(e) Sharp nose	0.9

Angle	$L/a=4$	$L/a=8$	$L/a=12$
0	1.0	1.0	1.0
15	1.5	2.0	2.5
30	2.0	2.75	3.5
45	2.3	3.3	4.3
90	2.5	3.9	5.0

Angle = skew angle of flow  
 L = length of pier

Bed Condition	Dune Height ft	$K_3$
Clear-Water Scour	N/A	1.1
Plane bed and Antidune flow	N/A	1.1
Small Dunes	$10 > H \geq 2$	1.1
Medium Dunes	$30 > H \geq 10$	1.2 to 1.1
Large Dunes	$H \geq 30$	1.3

**Pier Scour - Pier 3**

Project Name: Sespe Creek Bridge  
 Project No.: 12611830  
 Updated: 10/17/2023  
 Calc By: STS

The following calculations are based on the methods presented in FHWA HEC No. 18, Fifth Edition for calculating pier scour.

Location: Pier 3

Equation 7.1 (HEC-18 Equation):

$$\frac{y_s}{y_1} = 2.0 K_1 K_2 K_3 \left(\frac{a}{y_1}\right)^{0.65} Fr_1^{0.43}$$

As a Rule of Thumb, the maximum scour depth for round nose piers aligned with the flow is:

$$y_s \leq 2.4 \text{ times the pier width (a) for } Fr \leq 0.8 \quad (7.2)$$

$$y_s \leq 3.0 \text{ times the pier width (a) for } Fr > 0.8$$

where:

- $y_s$  = Scour depth, ft (m)
- $y_1$  = Flow depth directly upstream of the pier, ft (m)
- $K_1$  = Correction factor for pier nose shape from Figure 7.3 and Table 7.1
- $K_2$  = Correction factor for angle of attack of flow from Table 7.2 or Equation 7.4
- $K_3$  = Correction factor for bed condition from Table 7.3
- $a$  = Pier width, ft (m)
- $L$  = Length of pier, ft (m)
- $Fr_1$  = Froude Number directly upstream of the pier =  $V_1/(gy_1)^{1/2}$
- $V_1$  = Mean velocity of flow directly upstream of the pier, ft/s (m/s)
- $g$  = Acceleration of gravity (32.2 ft/s<sup>2</sup>) (9.81 m/s<sup>2</sup>)

Shape: Round Nose

- $y_1$ : 24.52 ft
- $K_1$ : 1.0
- $K_2$ : 1.0
- $K_3$ : 1.1
- $a$ : 7.72 ft (using effective pier width with debris accumulation)
- $L$ : 19.5 ft
- $Fr_1$ : 0.33
- $V_1$ : 9.2 ft/s
- $g$ : 32.2 ft/s<sup>2</sup>
- $\theta$ : 0 degrees

**Scour Depth  $y_s$ : 15.8 ft**

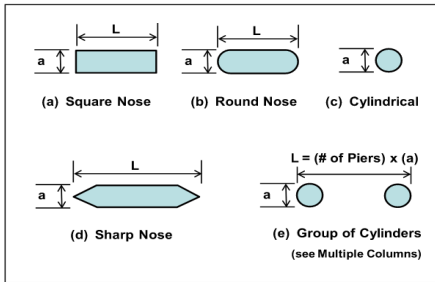


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(a) Square nose	1.1
(b) Round nose	1.0
(c) Circular cylinder	1.0
(d) Group of cylinders	1.0
(e) Sharp nose	0.9

Angle	$L/a=4$	$L/a=8$	$L/a=12$
0	1.0	1.0	1.0
15	1.5	2.0	2.5
30	2.0	2.75	3.5
45	2.3	3.3	4.3
90	2.5	3.9	5.0

Angle = skew angle of flow  
 L = length of pier

Bed Condition	Dune Height ft	$K_3$
Clear-Water Scour	N/A	1.1
Plane bed and Antidune flow	N/A	1.1
Small Dunes	$10 > H \geq 2$	1.1
Medium Dunes	$30 > H \geq 10$	1.2 to 1.1
Large Dunes	$H \geq 30$	1.3

# Attachment 5

## Geotechnical Data



# PARTICLE-SIZE ANALYSIS OF SOILS

## ASTM D6913

**Client:** Diaz Yourman  
**Project Name:** VCTC Sespe Creek Bridge  
**Project No.:** 2023-010  
**Boring No.:** DYB23-01  
**Sample No.:** 0  
**Depth (ft):** 0-5  
**Sample Description:** Light Brown, Poorly Graded Gravel with Silt and Sand (GP-GM)

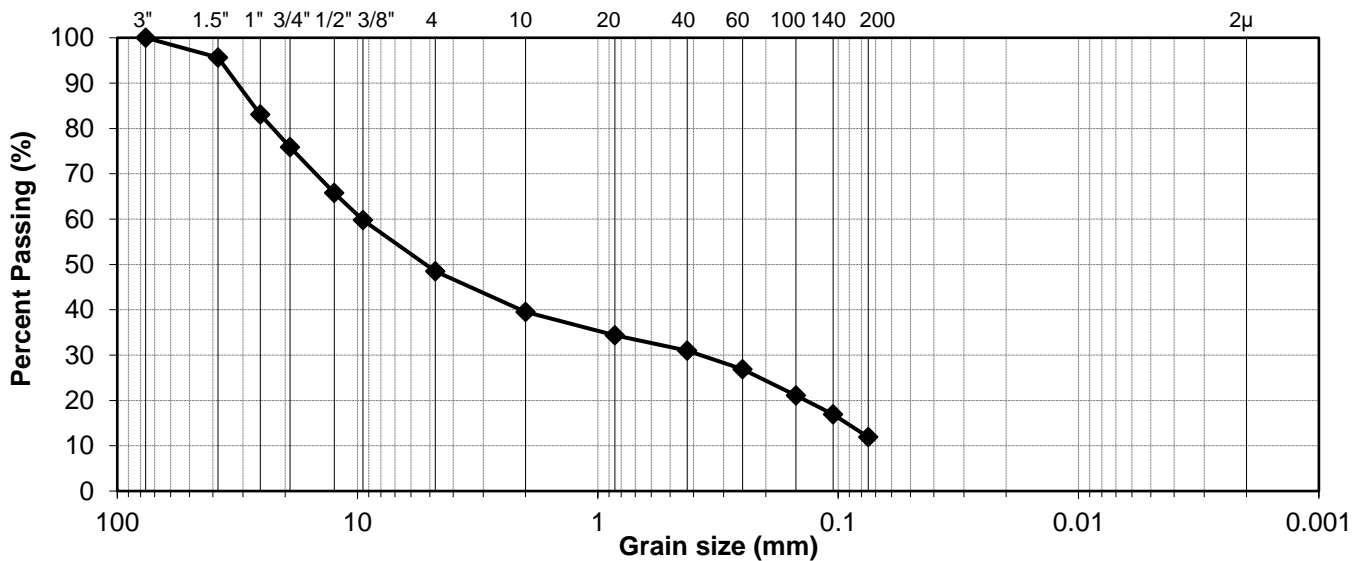
**HAI Project No.:** DYAL-23-008-2  
**Tested by:** GA  
**Checked by:** KL  
**Date:** 08/01/23

**Dry Weight (g) 16097.7**

Sieve Size	Aperture	Weight Retained	% Retained	(Accumulative) % Passing	Project Specification
	mm	g	%	%	%
3"	76.2	0.00	0.0	100.0	-
1.5"	38.1	700.01	4.3	95.7	-
1"	25.4	2018.62	12.5	83.1	-
3/4 "	19.1	1166.06	7.2	75.9	-
1/2 "	12.5	1619.76	10.1	65.8	-
3/8 "	9.5	972.52	6.0	59.8	-
# 4	4.75	1817.43	11.3	48.5	-

**Dry Weight (g) 680.2**

# 10	2.00	125.72	18.5	39.5	-
# 20	0.85	71.79	10.6	34.4	-
# 40	0.425	48.28	7.1	31.0	-
# 60	0.250	57.25	8.4	26.9	-
# 100	0.150	81.18	11.9	21.1	-
# 140	0.105	58.54	8.6	16.9	-
# 200	0.075	70.41	10.4	11.9	-
<b>Pan</b>		167.06	24.6	0.0	-



Particle-Size Analysis	D <sub>10</sub>	0.07	% Gravel	% Sand	% Fines
	D <sub>30</sub>	0.38	51.5	36.6	11.9
	D <sub>60</sub>	9.62	Sample Description / USCS Classification		
	C <sub>u</sub>	137.38	Light Brown, Poorly Graded Gravel with Silt and Sand (GP-GM)		
	C <sub>c</sub>	0.22			



# PARTICLE-SIZE ANALYSIS OF SOILS

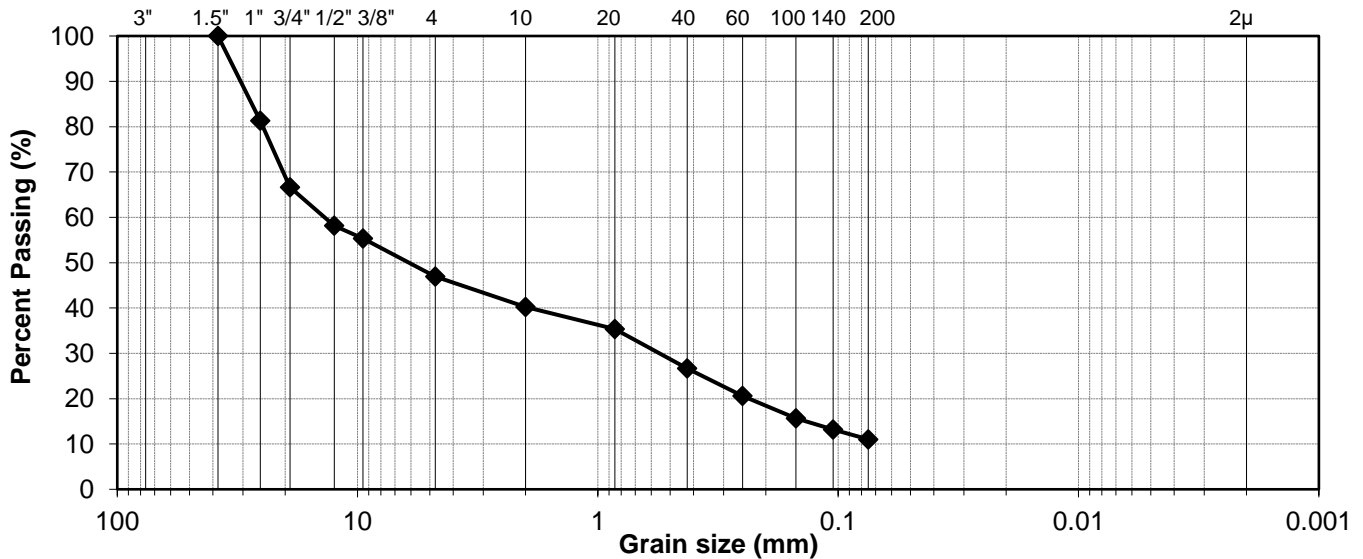
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**Client:** Diaz Yourman  
**Project Name:** VCTC Sespe Creek Bridge  
**Project No.:** 2023-010  
**Boring No.:** DYB23-01  
**Sample No.:** 2  
**Depth (ft):** 10  
**Sample Description:** Olive Brown, Poorly Graded Gravel with Silt and Sand (GP-GM)

**HAI Project No.:** DYAL-23-008-2  
**Tested by:** GA  
**Checked by:** KL  
**Date:** 08/01/23

**Dry Weight (g) 824.4**

Sieve Size	Aperture	Weight Retained	% Retained	% Passing	Project Specification
	mm	g	%	%	%
3"	76.2	0.00	0.0	<b>100.0</b>	-
1.5"	38.1	0.00	0.0	<b>100.0</b>	-
1"	25.4	154.16	18.7	<b>81.3</b>	-
3/4 "	19.1	121.21	14.7	<b>66.6</b>	-
1/2 "	12.5	69.63	8.4	<b>58.2</b>	-
3/8 "	9.5	23.15	2.8	<b>55.3</b>	-
# 4	4.75	69.19	8.4	<b>47.0</b>	-
# 10	2.00	55.27	6.7	<b>40.2</b>	-
# 20	0.85	40.54	4.9	<b>35.3</b>	-
# 40	0.425	71.48	8.7	<b>26.7</b>	-
# 60	0.250	49.80	6.0	<b>20.6</b>	-
# 100	0.150	40.92	5.0	<b>15.7</b>	-
# 140	0.105	20.46	2.5	<b>13.2</b>	-
# 200	0.075	17.70	2.1	<b>11.0</b>	-
<b>Pan</b>		90.91	11.0	<b>0.0</b>	-



Particle-Size Analysis	D <sub>10</sub>	0.07	% Gravel	% Sand	% Fines
	D <sub>30</sub>	0.59	53.0	35.9	11.0
	D <sub>60</sub>	13.94	Sample Description / USCS Classification		
	C <sub>u</sub>	199.20	Olive Brown, Poorly Graded Gravel with Silt and Sand (GP-GM)		
	C <sub>c</sub>	0.36			

