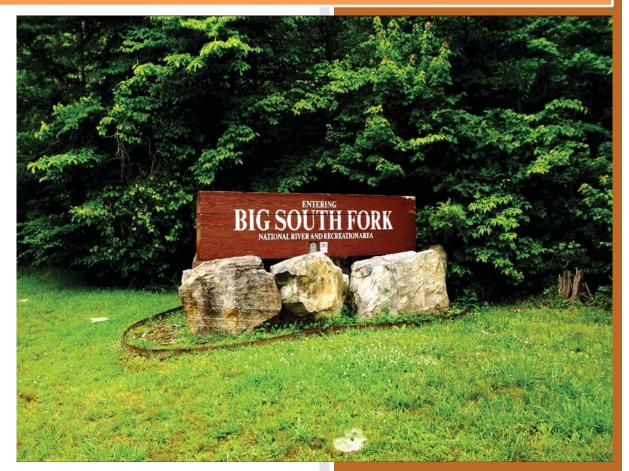
# **BISO** WIP Report

## NPS Retaining Wall Inventory Program Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area





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## Introduction



## **Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area**



#### **Introduction**

The Federal Lands Highway Division (FLH) of the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), in partnership with the National Park Service (NPS), has conducted a retaining wall inventory and condition assessment as part of the NPS Retaining Wall Inventory Program (WIP). This inventory provides information to the NPS Facility Management Software System (FMSS) regarding such things as type, size and location of retaining structures, as well as the condition of these facilities and consequences of failure. In addition, when wall and/or adjacent element deficiencies are identified, repair recommendations and estimated costs are also provided, suitable for use as FMSS work orders.

The main intent of this effort is to determine the backlog of needs associated with retaining wall assets – equipment features ascribed to the "parent" roadway asset. Inventory and condition assessments (pavement only) for the roads themselves are conducted under the NPS Road Inventory Program (RIP). Prior to development of the WIP, the vast majority of retaining walls were not accounted for in FMSS. Based on WIP inventory work to date, NPS wall assets are valued at well over \$400M. A second and equally important intent of this effort is to inform and improve project selection, prioritization, and development activities and processes at NPS regions/parks, FLH Division offices and the NPS Denver Service Center.

In support of WIP, a comprehensive procedures manual (available at the following link: <u>http://www.cflhd.gov/programs/techDevelopment/geotech/WIP/</u>) was developed to document the data collection and management process, wall attribute and element definitions, and team member responsibilities for conducting retaining wall inventories and condition assessments. This manual was used for nearly 3,500 wall assessments initially conducted between 2007 and 2008 within 34 national parks. WIP is supported by several key components described in the procedures manual, including a comprehensive training program for field inspectors, an Oracle-based database for long-term data management, unique data collection forms, a supporting field guide, and a wall repair/replace cost estimate guide.

Ultimately, condition assessments for retaining wall structures are expressed as deferred maintenance costs, which are then divided by current year replacement costs to arrive at a "Facility Condition Index" (FCI). Coupling this condition prioritization index with an "Asset Priority Index" (API), which measures the feature's importance to the mission of the park, capital asset investments are made more efficiently. This approach appropriately focuses maintenance and construction priorities on value, rather than solely on cost. Wall inventory condition and cost data are transferred from the WIP database to FMSS, the primary asset documentation, management and planning platform maintained at each park. In addition, wall data are also provided to the Road Inventory Program to update equipment assets associated with the parent roadway asset.

Initial inventories were conducted based on RIP Cycle 3 data, but future planning has ensured updates to WIP will occur simultaneously with RIP. For long-term data management purposes, the WIP database will be linked to the larger, parent RIP database and be updated under the responsibility of the RIP Database Administrator.

This report is organized in a tiered approach from the broad park overview perspective (Tier 1) to a route overview perspective (Tier 2), then down to the details of each wall (Tier 3). Tier 1 presents park wall location maps and an overall park-specific summary narrative of the results of the wall inventory program. Tier 2 presents route overview maps with associated wall summary information. Tier 3 presents individual wall information in a three-page detailed format, including a photograph of each wall. Appendix A provides a condensed summary of wall inventory definitions and assessment categories to assist in reading this report.

# **Park Retaining Wall Location Maps**

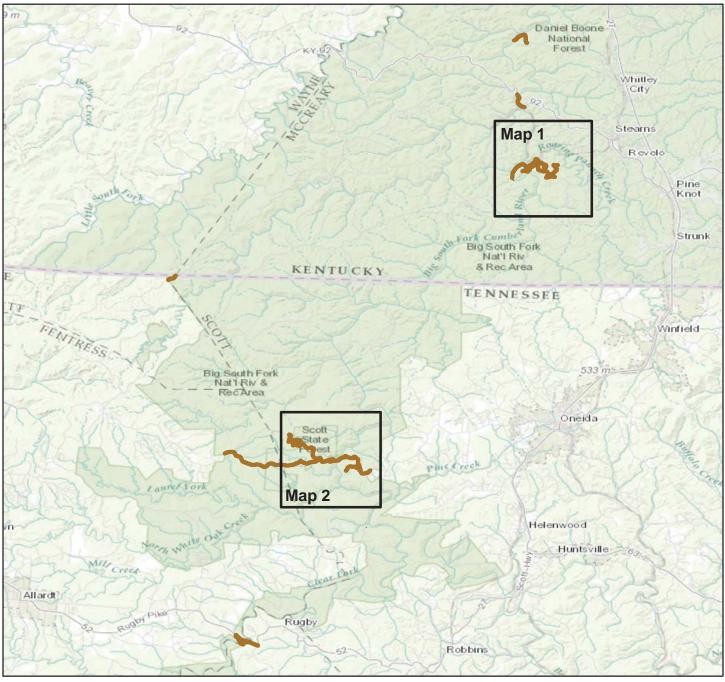


## **Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area**



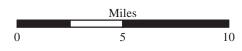
WALL LOCATION MAP

Key Map



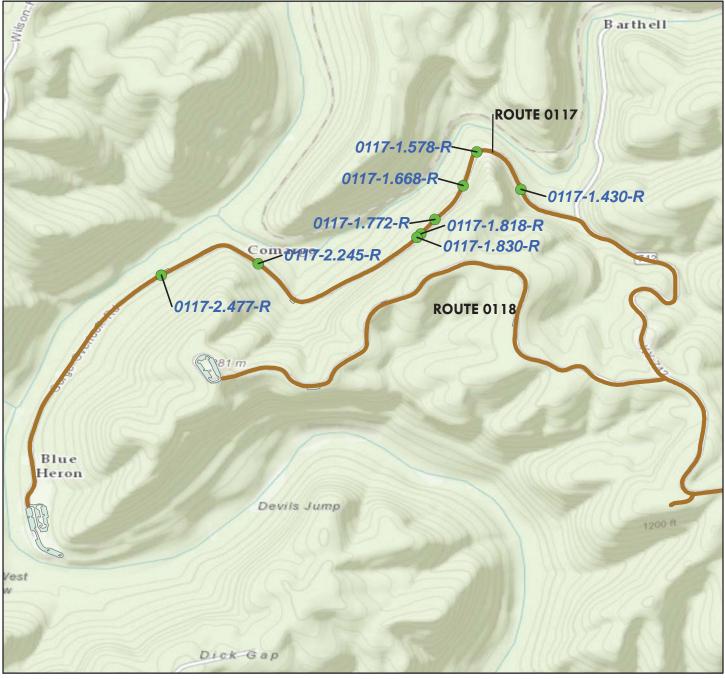
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WALL LOCATION MAP

Map 1



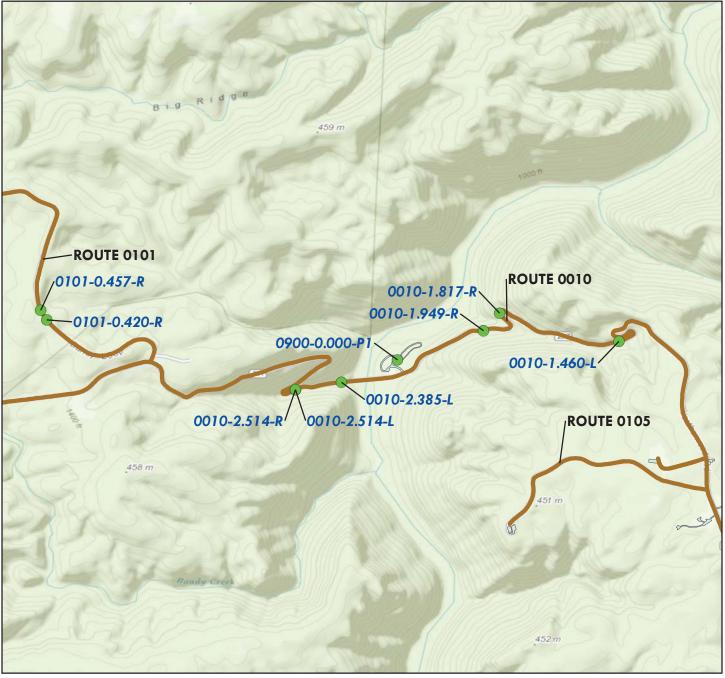
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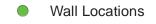


WALL LOCATION MAP

Map 2



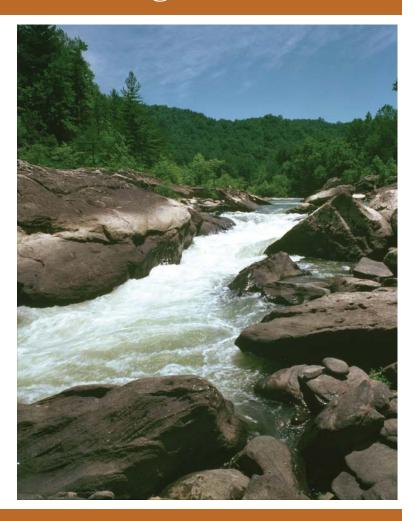
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**RIP Collected Routes** 



# **Tier 1 Park Retaining Wall Overview**



## **Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area**



### Parkwide Summary: Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area

Initial retaining wall inspections were conducted at Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area in 2007, and encompassed all known retaining wall structures associated with Park roadways - including structure's retaining cuts and fills, as well as qualifying headwalls at culverts. For the purposes of the assessment, walls must be a minimum of 4 feet in maximum height of retained earth and greater than 6 feet in maximum height for culvert headwalls. This does not include the height of parapet or guardwall above a retaining wall. In general, guardwall or parapets are not included in this assessment, but were inspected for Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area in 2010 under a separate effort as part of the Guardwall/Rail Inventory Program (GIP). A report for GIP is available under separate cover.

All paved roadways and parking areas listed in the RIP Route Identification Report were inspected for walls. Occasionally, unpaved routes not in RIP were inventoried due to their future programmatic addition at the park, which was a decision made on site specific to each park.

The following tables provide an overview of the findings of this inspection and assessment effort. In all, 18 walls were inventoried on the routes listed below.

Route Number	Route Name	No. of Walls
0010	LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)	6
0101	BANDY CREEK ROAD	2
0117	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)	8
0122	YAMACRAW WEST ACCESS ROAD	1
0900	LEATHERWOOD DAY USE PARKING	1

#### Table 1: Number of Walls by Route

The following table shows the number of walls broken out by seven possible categories of basic wall function.

Table 2: Number of Walls by Wall Function

Wall Function	No. of Walls
CW - Cut Wall	2
FW - Fill Wall	16

The following table shows the primary wall types that were inventoried and assessed. There are 24 possible primary wall types, which are summarized in Appendix A.

Primary Wall Type	No. of Walls
AH, Anchor - Tieback H-Pile	2
GD, Gravity - Dry Stone	1
GG, Gravity - Gabion	1
MG, MSE - Geosynthetic Wrapped Face	1
MP, MSE - Precast Panel	12
RT, Other - Railroad Tie Wall	1

Table 3: Number of Walls by Primary Wall Type

The following table shows the number of walls by one of six categories of recommended action along with associated 2007 costs and the number of walls that are in each recommended action category. The majority of walls have a recommendation of *No Action* or *Monitor*; work orders were created for all other recommended actions.

<b>Recommended Action</b>	2007 Repair Costs*	No. of Walls
No Action	\$0	15
Monitor	\$0	0
Maintenance	\$6,380	2
Repair Elements	\$0	0
Replace Elements	\$0	0
Replace Wall	\$112,500	1
Totals	\$118,880	18

 Table 4: Number of Walls by Recommended Action and Associated 2007 Cost

\*2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.

The following table categorizes the number of walls that fall into one of ten cost ranges, based on the prepared work orders. The locations, work descriptions, and cost of the recommended repairs for these walls are listed by individual wall in Tier 3 of this report.

Cost Range*	No. of Walls
\$0	15
\$1 - \$25,000	2
\$25,001 - \$50,000	0
\$50,001 - \$100,000	0
\$100,001 - \$250,000	1
\$250,001 - \$500,000	0
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	0
\$1,000,001 - \$2,000,000	0
\$2,000,001 - \$3,000,000	0
\$3,000,001 - \$4,000,000	0
Total Number of Walls	18

 Table 5: Number of Walls Grouped by Associated 2007 Cost

\*2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.

Routine inspection and performing the noted maintenance will greatly aid in the continued performance of all walls at Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area. Work orders for walls needing maintenance generally included items such as replacing missing stones, replacing mortar, filling voids at the top or bottom of fill walls, and clearing vegetation.

Work orders for walls needing localized element repairs generally included items such as adding riprap protection to the wall foundation, replacing missing sections of dry stone walls, replacing culverts, grouting voids in walls, and patching/restoring roadway pavement. While decaying mortor generally does not threaten wall stability in the near term, grout repair will extend the life of these walls significantly.

Work orders for walls needing major repairs (replace elements or replace wall) generally include items such as foundation repair or replacement, fill voids, repair roadway shoulder, replace or extend retaining wall in either height or length, rebuild failed segments of walls, repair elements across 50% or more of the wall, remove and recompact backfill material, add scour protection (typically with riprap, concrete, or rock fill), and remove/reset culvert headwalls. Due to the large unit items associated with major repairs, recommendations vary by specific wall and are presented in Tier 3 of this report.

WIP identified 55 critically deficient walls nationally based on wall ratings less than 49 (poor/critical overall condition). The following table presents the walls in Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area that are on this list and have been elevated to the Park Regional Coordinators in a Regional Park Summary Memorandum. Generally, these are walls with major repair element recommendations that may be a priority for repair work in your park.

Wall			Recommended	2007
Identification			Action(3)	Repair Costs(4)
BISO-0122-0.028-R	HIGH	49	REPLACE WALL	\$112,500

Table 6: Number of Walls by Route

Notes: 1) Low consequence of failure and/or no recommended action may indicate repairs are not needed.

2) Wall ratings listed range from 0-49 (Poor/Critical).

3) Information was prepared for project planning purposes only. Actual repair work order scopes and actual costs will need to be evaluated based on current pay item unit prices for specific locations.

4) 2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.

# Tier 2 Route Retaining Wall Overview



**Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area** 



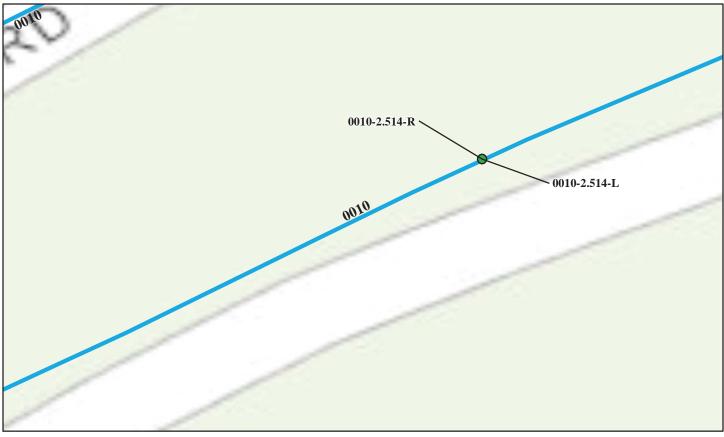
ROUTE 0010: LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)



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Retaining Wall Condition Legend – Wall Condition Rating							
Critical / Poor (0 - 49)		Fair (50 - 69)	Good to Excellent (70 -	• <b>100</b> )	No Data		
Wall ID Inspection Date:	Wall Area (Sq. Ft.)	Wall Length (Ft.)	Wall Type	Wall Function	Overall Rating	Repair Cost	
BISO-0010-1.460-L	1,370	272	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
9/13/2007							
BISO-0010-1.817-R	3,175	259	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
9/13/2007							
BISO-0010-1.949-R	856	166	Anchor - Tieback H-Pile	Fill Wall	74	\$6,160.00	
9/13/2007							
BISO-0010-2.385-L	1,900	140	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	89	\$0.00	
9/13/2007							
BISO-0010-2.514-L	245	49	Gravity - Dry Stone	Cut Wall	86	\$0.00	
9/13/2007							
*2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.							

ROUTE 0010: LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)



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Retaining Wall Condition Legend – Wall Condition Rating							
Critical / Poor (0 - 49)         Fair (50 - 69)         Good to Excellent (70 - 100)         No Data							
Wall ID Inspection Date:	Wall Area (Sq. Ft.)	Wall Length (Ft.)	Wall Type	Wall Function	Overall Rating	Repair Cost	
BISO-0010-2.514-R	1,700	210	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
9/13/2007							
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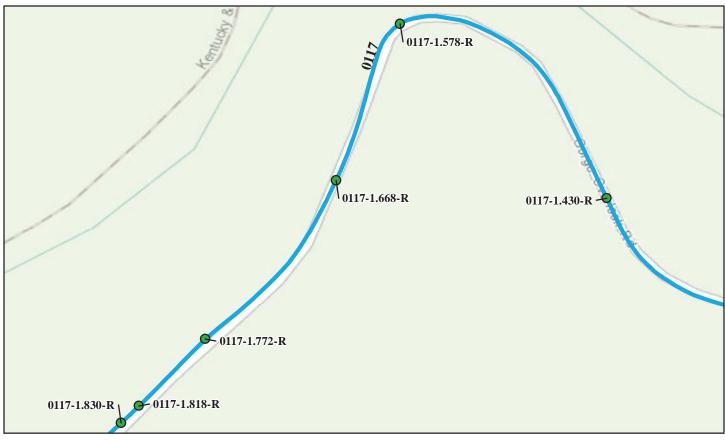
ROUTE 0101: BANDY CREEK ROAD



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Retaining Wall Condition Legend – Wall Condition Rating							
Critical / Poor (0 - 49)		Fair (50 - 69)         Good to Excellent (70 - 100)         No Data			No Data	a	
Wall ID Inspection Date:	Wall Area (Sq. Ft.)	Wall Length (Ft.)	Wall Type	Wall Function	Overall Rating	Repair Cost	
BISO-0101-0.420-R	284	96	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
9/13/2007							
BISO-0101-0.457-R	702	177	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
9/13/2007							
,	*2007 cost estima	ate (ASTM Class D)	, preliminary for comparison to other re	pair costs only.			
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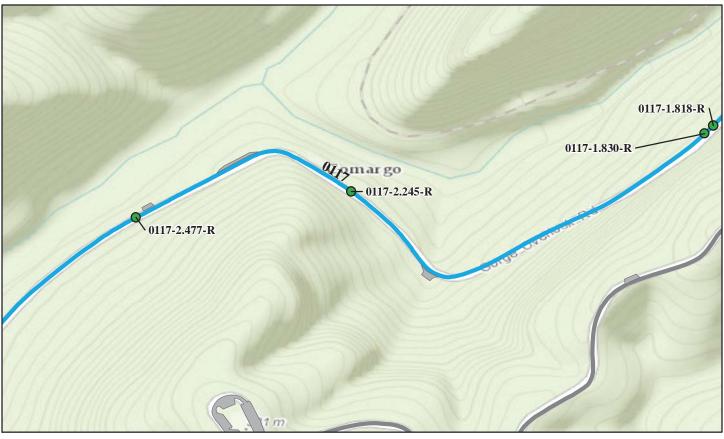
ROUTE 0117: BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)



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Retaining Wall Condition Legend – Wall Condition Rating							
Critical / Poor (0 - 49)		Fair (50 - 69)	Good to Excellent (70 -	100)	No Data		
Wall ID Inspection Date:	Wall Area (Sq. Ft.)	Wall Length (Ft.)	Wall Type	Wall Function	Overall Rating	Repair Cost	
BISO-0117-1.430-R	5,246	628	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$220.00	
9/12/2007							
BISO-0117-1.578-R	175	50	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
9/12/2007							
BISO-0117-1.668-R	8,000	575	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
9/12/2007							
BISO-0117-1.772-R	5,160	215	Anchor - Tieback H-Pile	Fill Wall	82	\$0.00	
9/12/2007							
BISO-0117-1.818-R	1,342	61	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
9/12/2007							
*2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.							

ROUTE 0117: BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)



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<b>Retaining Wall Condition Legend – Wall Condition Rating</b>							
Critical / Poor (0 - 49)		Fair (50 - 69)	Good to Excellent (70 - 3	100)	No Data		
Wall ID Inspection Date:	Wall Area (Sq. Ft.)	Wall Length (Ft.)	Wall Type	Wall Function	Overall Rating	Repair Cost	
BISO-0117-1.830-R 9/12/2007	8,100	848	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
BISO-0117-2.245-R 9/12/2007	3,700	374	MSE - Geosynthetic Wrapped Face	Fill Wall	76	\$0.00	
BISO-0117-2.477-R 9/12/2007	4,500	759	MSE - Precast Panel	Fill Wall	90	\$0.00	
*2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.							

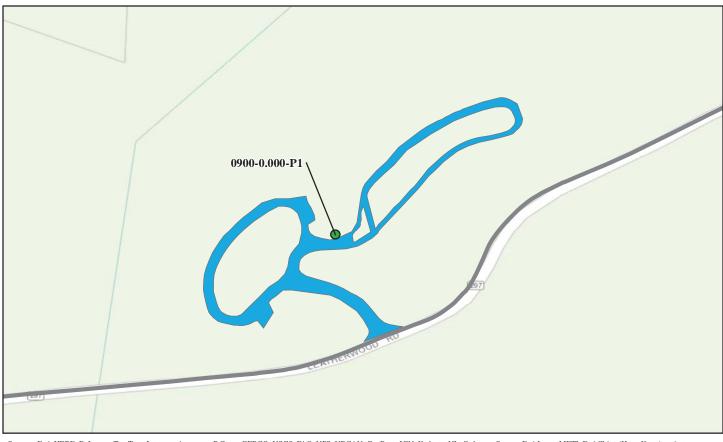
ROUTE 0122: YAMACRAW WEST ACCESS ROAD



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Critical / Poor (0 - 49)		Fair (50 - 69)	Good to Excellent (70 -	100)	No Data	
Wall ID Inspection Date:	Wall Area (Sq. Ft.)	Wall Length (Ft.)	Wall Type	Wall Function	Overall Rating	Repair Cost
BISO-0122-0.028-R 9/12/2007	1,500	136	Gravity - Gabion	Fill Wall	49	\$112,500.00
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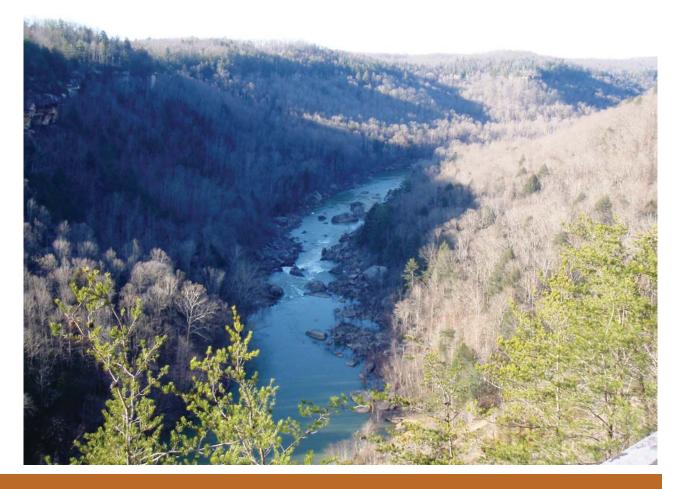
**ROUTE 0900: LEATHERWOOD DAY USE PARKING** 



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Retaining Wall Condition Legend – Wall Condition Rating						
Critical / Poor (0 - 49)		Fair (50 - 69)	Good to Excellent (70 -	100)	No Data	
Wall ID Inspection Date:	Wall Area (Sq. Ft.)	Wall Length (Ft.)	Wall Type	Wall Function	Overall Rating	Repair Cost
BISO-0900-0.000-P1 9/13/2007	890	143	Other - Railroad Tie Wall	Cut Wall	85	\$0.00
*2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.						

# Tier 3 Retaining Wall Details



## **Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area**



Wall ID:	BISO-0010-1.46-L					
Route Name:	LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)					
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007 Approximate Year Built: Unknown					
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action			
Wall Description						
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precast Panel			
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:				
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:				
General Description:	MSE wall (Reinforced Earth Company) wit	h concrete plus shaped panels.				
Wall Measurements						
Wall Length (ft.):	272	Face Area (sq.):	1370			
Average Wall Height (ft.):	5	Face Angle (deg.):	90			
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	8	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-2			
Assessed Elements						
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)		
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed.			9		
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Leaf litter covered firm soil.	Leaf litter covered firm soil. 9				
CONCRETE 8.00	Panel concrete appears as new - no distress.	Panel concrete appears as new - no distress. 9				
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	No distress observed.			9		
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Forested slope - starting as a shallow bench	grading to a steep drainage.		8		
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Rock outcrop at start. Embankment fill at e	nd.		8		
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.			9		
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.			9		
Repair Recommendations						
Failure Consequence:	HIGH					
Recommendation Narrative:	None					
Repair Cost:	\$0					
	2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.					



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Wall ID:	BISO-0010-1.817-R					
Route Name:	LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)					
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007 Approximate Year Built: Unknown					
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action			
Wall Description						
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	MSE - Precast Panel		
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:				
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:				
General Description:	MSE Wall (Reinforced Earth Company) plu	us shape concrete panel.				
Wall Measurements						
Wall Length (ft.):	259	Face Area (sq.):	3175			
Average Wall Height (ft.):	12	Face Angle (deg.):	90			
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	20	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-2			
Assessed Elements						
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)		
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed.			9		
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Leaf covered firm soil.			9		
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress.			9		
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	No visible distress. Plus shape panels appea	IT as new.		9		
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Forested - moderate slope.			9		
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Forested - shallow slope.			9		
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.			9		
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.			9		
Repair Recommendations						
Failure Consequence:	HIGH					
Recommendation Narrative:	None					
Repair Cost:	\$0					
		nary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.			



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Wall ID:	BISO-0010-1.949-R				
Route Name:	LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)				
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007 Approximate Year Built: Unknown				
*Wall Rating:	74	Maintenance Action:	Maintenance		
Wall Description					
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	Anchor - Tie	back H-Pile	
Surface Treatment:	Painted	Secondary Wall Type:			
Secondary Surface Treatment:	Preservative	Architectural Facing:			
General Description:	Soldier pile and tieback wall with wood lag	ging.			
Wall Measurements					
Wall Length (ft.):	166	Face Area (sq.):	856		
Average Wall Height (ft.):	5	Face Angle (deg.):	90		
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	9	Vertical Offset (ft.):	0		
Assessed Elements					
Element (Weighting Factor)	Narrative			Condition Rating (0 - 10)	
PERFORMANCE 8.00	Wall is currently performing, however need	s maintenance.		7	
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm soil			9	
ANCHOR HEADS 8.00	Paint is peeling from anchor head. Exposed steel is mildly to moderately pitted.			6	
PILES AND SHAFTS 8.00	Painted steel H pile section. Paint is peeling	Painted steel H pile section. Paint is peeling, exposed steel has minor surface rust.			
LAGGING 8.00	Pressure treated wood lagging is in good cor	ndition. Minor surface weathering.		8	
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Steep forested slope and embankment fill.			8	
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	Slight cracking in roadway - probably not re	lated to wall movement.		8	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.			9	
DOWNSLOPE 1.00	Terraced forested slope, possible movement.			7	
Repair Recommendations				· 	
Failure Consequence:	HIGH				
Recommendation Narrative:	Remove vegetation from in front of wall. 2 laborers x 8 hours x $55$ /hour = $880$ . Remove paint and prepare surface for repainting - 27 piles x 6 ft tall x 1.2 ft wide = $200$ ft <sup>2</sup> + 19 anchor heads x 2 ft <sup>2</sup> = 38 ft <sup>2</sup> + 140 feet of waler x [Front of waler				
Repair Cost:	Repair Cost: \$6,160				
20	07 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), prelimin	ary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.		



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Wall ID:	BISO-0010-2.385-L					
Route Name:	LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)					
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007 Approximate Year Built: Unknown					
*Wall Rating:	89 Maintenance Action: No Action					
Wall Description						
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel		
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:				
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:				
General Description:	Reinforced Earth Company wall serving as	approach fill to bridge.				
Wall Measurements						
Wall Length (ft.):	140	Face Area (sq.):	1900			
Average Wall Height (ft.):	13	Face Angle (deg.):	90			
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	23	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-2			
Assessed Elements						
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)		
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed			9		
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm soil.			9		
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress.			9		
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	No distress observed.	No distress observed. 9				
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.			9		
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.			9		
DOWNSLOPE 1.00	Forested steep slope, some pistoled trees, po	Forested steep slope, some pistoled trees, possible slope creep. 7				
LATERAL SLOPE 1.00	Bridge abutment at start, very steep forested slope.			7		
Repair Recommendations						
Failure Consequence:	HIGH					
Recommendation Narrative:	None					
Repair Cost:	\$0					
	2007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), preliminary for comparison to other repair costs only.					



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Wall ID:	BISO-0010-2.514-L				
Route Name:	LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)				
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown		
*Wall Rating:	86 Maintenance Action: No Action				
Wall Description					
Wall Function:	Cut Wall	Primary Wall Type:	Gravity - Dry	/ Stone	
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:			
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:			
General Description:	Crudely stacked rockery wall consisting of	large plate like rocks.			
Wall Measurements					
Wall Length (ft.):	49	Face Area (sq.):	245		
Average Wall Height (ft.):	5	Face Angle (deg.): 75			
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	5	Vertical Offset (ft.):			
Assessed Elements					
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)	
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As required.			9	
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Roadway embankment fill.			9	
PLACED STONE 8.00	Competent and intact, mild lichen growth of Plate shape.	n surface. 3 plus foot in the long dimension.		8	
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Steep soil and rock slope - no raveling, vege	etated.		8	
UPSLOPE 0.50	Rock fill and some vegetation, moderately s	teep.		8	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.			9	
Repair Recommendations				·	
Failure Consequence:	HIGH				
Recommendation Narrative:	None				
Repair Cost:	\$0				
		nary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.		



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Wall ID:	BISO-0010-2.514-R					
Route Name:	LEATHERWOOD FORD ROAD (STATE HIGHWAY 297)					
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007 Approximate Year Built: Unknown					
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action			
Wall Description						
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel		
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:				
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:				
General Description:	MSE Wall (Reinforced Earth Company) wi	th plus sign shape concrete panels.				
Wall Measurements						
Wall Length (ft.):	210	Face Area (sq.):	1700			
Average Wall Height (ft.):	8	Face Angle (deg.):	90			
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	15	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-2			
Assessed Elements						
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)		
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed.			9		
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm soil.			9		
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress.			9		
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	No distress.	No distress. 9				
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Forested slope. Drainage at end possibility	for erosion.		8		
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Basically flat forested area.			9		
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.			9		
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.			9		
Repair Recommendations						
Failure Consequence:	HIGH					
Recommendation Narrative:	None					
Repair Cost:	\$0					
		ary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.			



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Wall ID:	BISO-010142-R			
Route Name:	BANDY CREEK ROAD			
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	90 Maintenance Action: No Action			
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	Reinforced Earth Company Wall with plus	sign shaped concrete panels.	1	
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	96	Face Area (sq.):	284	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	2	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	4	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-1	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed.			9
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Forest duff over firm soil.			9
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress.			9
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	No distress.			9
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Heavily forested/vegetated shallow slope.			9
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Forested shallow slope.			9
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.			9
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.			9
Repair Recommendations	· 			
Failure Consequence:	MODERATE			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs or	ıly.	

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Wall ID:	BISO-0101457-R			
Route Name:	BANDY CREEK ROAD			
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	Reinforced Earth company wall with plus s	ign shaped concrete panels.		
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	177	Face Area (sq.):	702	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	3	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	7	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-1	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed.			9
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm soil under forest duff.			9
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress.			9
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	No distress.			9
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Gentle heavily forested slope.			9
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Grassy embankment fill.			9
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.			9
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.			9
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	MODERATE			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs or	ılv.	

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Wall ID:	BISO-0117-1.43-R			
Route Name:	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	Maintenance	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:	Cantilever - 0	Concrete
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	MSE wall (Reinforced Earth Company) wit	h 40 foot section of concrete cantilever.		
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	628	Face Area (sq.):	5246	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	8	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	14	Vertical Offset (ft.):	0	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed			9
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm gravel		9	
CONCRETE 8.00	As new - except may be slightly over hanging 95 degrees			9
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	As new except for vines growing between p	As new except for vines growing between panels		
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Mix of forested slope and cliff outcrops, no	creep observed		8
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Well vegetated. slope at start - rock slope at end			8
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	Road is in good condition - As new, no cracks observed		9	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress		9	
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	HIGH			
Recommendation Narrative:	Use herbicide to remove vines and vegetation from between the panels on the wall face. Labor (4 hours) @ $$55 hr = $220$			
Repair Cost:	\$220			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.	



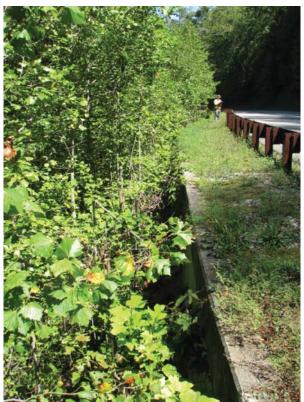
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Wall ID:	BISO-0117-1.578-R			
Route Name:	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	MSE wall (Reinforced Earth Company)			
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	50	Face Area (sq.):	175	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	3	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	7	Vertical Offset (ft.):	0	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed			9
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm Gravel			9
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress			9
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	As new			9
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Forested slope - no distress			9
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Rock slope start - Forested slope end		9	
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress - grass covered shoulder		9	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress			9
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	LOW			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs on	lly.	
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Wall ID:	BISO-0117-1.668-R			
Route Name:	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	MSE Wall (Retained Earth Company)		1	
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	575	Face Area (sq.):	8000	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	13	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	22	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-1	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed			9
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm, gravel soil			9
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress			9
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	As new (plus sign) shape panels			9
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Forest - no distress			9
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Steep forested at start - wall at end		9	
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress		9	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress			9
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	HIGH			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.	



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Wall ID:	BISO-0117-1.772-R			
Route Name:	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	82	Maintenance Action:	No Action	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	Anchor - Tie	back H-Pile
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	Soldier pile and tie back wall with two row	s of tie back and board lagging		
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	215	Face Area (sq.):	5160	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	24	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	24	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-3	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed			8
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm soil			9
ANCHOR HEADS 8.00	Surface rust, good condition			8
LAGGING 8.00	Weathered surface, good condition		8	
PILES AND SHAFTS 8.00	Surface pitting, good condition			8
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Forested moderately steep	Forested moderately steep		8
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Walls MSE at start , MSE with anchors at end		9	
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress			9
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress		9	
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	HIGH			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
20	007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), prelimin	ary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.	



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Wall ID:	BISO-0117-1.818-R			
Route Name:	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:	Anchor - Tie	back H-Pile
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	MSE (Reinforced Earth Company) wall wit	h soldier pile and tieback wall in front		
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	61	Face Area (sq.):	1342	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	22	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	22	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-2	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed			9
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm soil			9
ANCHOR HEADS 8.00	Slight surface rust			9
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress			9
LAGGING 8.00	MSE wall is serving as lagging			9
PILES AND SHAFTS 8.00	As new - encased in concrete			9
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	Face panels appear as new			9
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Moderate forested slope			8
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Walls AH at start, MP at end			9
Repair Recommendations	· 			
Failure Consequence:	HIGH			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
20	007 cost estimate (ASTM Class D), prelimin	ary for comparison to other repair costs or	nly.	



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Wall ID:	BISO-0117-1.83-R			
Route Name:	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	Mechanically stabilized earth wall (Reinfor	ce Earth Company) with plus shape panels.		
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	848	Face Area (sq.):	8100	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	9	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	22	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-2	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed.		9	
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm soil		9	
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress			9
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	No distress - concrete panel facing. Panels a	are plus shaped and look new		9
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Forested slope - appears stable.			9
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Wall at start. Vegetated slope at end.		9	
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.		9	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.		9	
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	HIGH			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.	

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Wall ID:	BISO-0117-2.245-R			
Route Name:	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	76	76 Maintenance Action: No Action		
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Geosy	nthetic Wrapped Face
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:	Shotcrete (no	ozzle finish)
General Description:	Possible wrapped face mechanically stabiliz	zed earth wall with shotcrete applied to face.		
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	374	Face Area (sq.):	3700	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	9	Face Angle (deg.):	75	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	15	Vertical Offset (ft.):	0	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)	Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)	
PERFORMANCE 8.00	MSE is probably performance acceptably. Shotcrete facing is less than perfect but performing adequately.		8	
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Difficult to access due to heavy vegetation. No observed signs of foundation problems.		8	
SHOTCRETE 8.00	Shotcrete surface treatment has minor cracking and minor efflorescence.		7	
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	Not visible due to shotcrete surface treatmer	it.		7
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Heavily vegetated shallow slope.			9
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Vegetated slope at start of wall. Rock fill sl	ope at end. No distress.		9
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.		9	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	Pipe protruding from face - no distress.			9
ARCHITECTURAL FACING 1.00	Shotcrete - minor cracking.		7	
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	HIGH			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.	



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Wall ID:	BISO-0117-2.477-R			
Route Name:	BLUE HERON ROAD (HWY 742)			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	90	Maintenance Action:	No Action	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	MSE - Precas	st Panel
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	Mechanically stabilized earth wall (Reinfor	ced Earth Company) with concrete plus shape	ed panels.	
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	759	Face Area (sq.):	4500	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	5	Face Angle (deg.):	90	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	9	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-1	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As designed.		9	
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Soil and Rock Outcrops (or possible boulders)		9	
CONCRETE 8.00	No distress.			9
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	Facing panels appears as new - no distress.			9
DOWNSLOPE 0.50	Gentle forested slope			9
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Grass covered embankment fill - appears stable.		9	
ROAD/SIDEWALK/SHOULDER 0.50	No distress.		9	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.		9	
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	HIGH			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.	

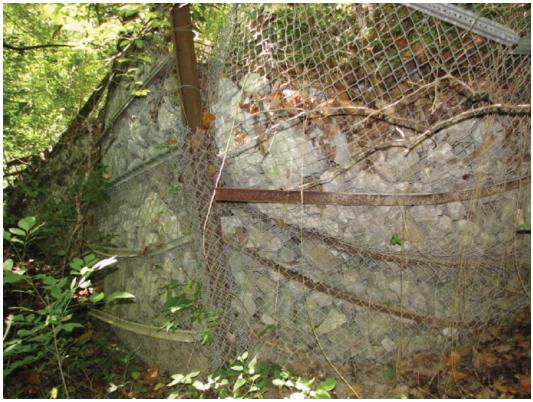
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Wall ID:	BISO-0122028-R			
Route Name:	YAMACRAW WEST ACCESS ROAD			
Inspection Date:	September 12, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	49	Maintenance Action:	Replace Wal	1
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Fill Wall	Primary Wall Type:	Gravity - Ga	bion
Surface Treatment:		Secondary Wall Type:	Other - Chai	n link fence held up wi
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	Gabion wall with a chain link fence contain (vertical) and fence post horizontal.	ed rock fill in front. Chain link fence is held	in place with rai	l road rail
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	136	Face Area (sq.):	1500	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	11	Face Angle (deg.):	80	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	14	Vertical Offset (ft.):	-1	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)	Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)	
PERFORMANCE 8.00	Wall is failing		4	
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Soft soil potential settlement			6
WIRE/GEOSYNTHETIC FACING 8.00	Bulging, distorted, separating baskets. Railroad rails are yielding, rock fill is over hanging		g	4
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress	No distress		9
DOWNSLOPE 1.00	Terraced, slope creeping, trees leaning		6	
LATERAL SLOPE 1.00	Forested slope, possible creep		7	
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	HIGH			
Recommendation Narrative:	Replace with 1500 square feet of gabion wall after investigation. Average replacement costs for Gravity, Gabion wall @ \$75.00 sq. ft. = \$112,500.			
Repair Cost:	\$112,500			
-		nary for comparison to other repair costs on	ıly.	

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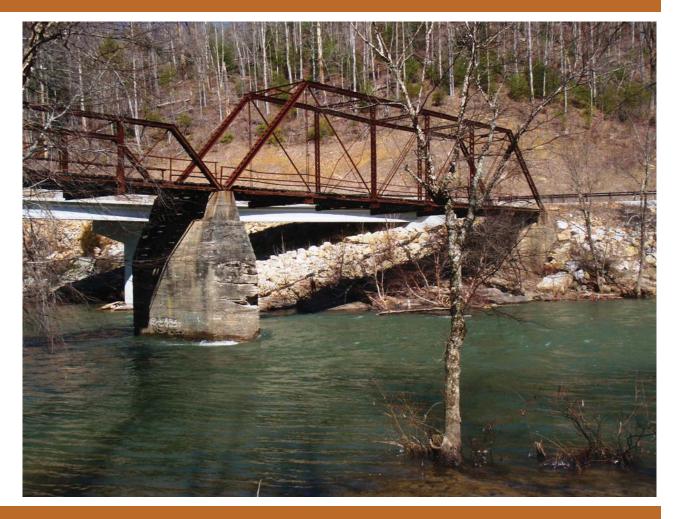
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Route Name:	LEATHERWOOD DAY USE PARKING	}		
Inspection Date:	September 13, 2007	Approximate Year Built:	Unknown	
*Wall Rating:	85	Maintenance Action:	No Action	
Wall Description				
Wall Function:	Cut Wall	Primary Wall Type:	Other - Railro	oad Tie Wall
Surface Treatment:	Preservative	Secondary Wall Type:		
Secondary Surface Treatment:		Architectural Facing:		
General Description:	Leatherwood Ford Day Use Angel Falls Tra of horizontal lagging ties and vertical ties sp	hilhead. Timber Railroad Tie Wall consisting baced 4 ft on center embedded into ground.	g of two tiers. W	all consists
Wall Measurements				
Wall Length (ft.):	143	Face Area (sq.):	890	
Average Wall Height (ft.):	6	Face Angle (deg.):	80	
Maximum Wall Height (ft.):	9	Vertical Offset (ft.):	0	
Assessed Elements				
Element (Weighting Factor)		Narrative		Condition Rating (0 - 10)
PERFORMANCE 8.00	As intended.		9	
WALL FOUNDATION MATERIAL 8.00	Firm soil.		9	
LAGGING 8.00	Wood lagging is in good condition, mild weathering of surface.		8	
PILES AND SHAFTS 8.00	Wood shafts are in good condition, mild we	Wood shafts are in good condition, mild weathering of surface		8
LATERAL SLOPE 0.50	Gentle vegetated/forested slope appears stable, no raveling.		9	
UPSLOPE 0.50	Shallow forested slope. Appears stable. No raveling.		9	
WALL DRAINS 0.50	No distress.		9	
Repair Recommendations				
Failure Consequence:	LOW			
Recommendation Narrative:	None			
Repair Cost:	\$0			
		ary for comparison to other repair costs or	ıly.	

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# Appendix A Summary of WIP Definitions



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## Appendix A

Summary of WIP Definitions and Assessment Categories

#### Wall Naming Convention

Unique "Wall Identification" names were assigned to the retaining walls that were inventoried. The Wall Identification includes the Park Name, the RIP Route Number (e.g., **0013**), the beginning milepoint of a wall (e.g., **0.622**) and the side of the road the wall is located on (e.g., **L**.) relative to the primary direction of travel (direction of increasing mileposts). Thus, a typical wall identified would have the following format: **YOSE-0013-0.622-L**.

For roadways not in RIP, park-supplied route numbers were used or the convention RRR#. Similarly, for parking areas not in RIP, the park-supplied parking area number or the convention PPP# was used. Also for parking areas, walls are numbered in ascending order as they are encountered when traveling counterclockwise around the parking area (most common direction of traffic flow). Parking area walls are designated P1, P2, P3, etc. as new walls are encountered.

	- NPS Retainin	g Wall Inventory Program	m Field Guide (WIFG)-
		Retaining Wall Acceptance (	
*Walls must r	reside within the constructed	l roadway/parking area prism.	igation Report and/or identified by park staff. k, must be ≥ 4 ft. (>6ft for culvert headwalls).
*Walls have a	an internal wall face angle $\geq$	$45^{\circ} (\geq 1$ H:1V face slope ratio).	height. Include fully buried retaining structures.
*Include all w	alls where the intent is to su	Definitions	illure would require replacement with a retaining wall.
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Design Criteria	None - Does not meet any I Non-AASHTO - Does not i		er structures of its type/period with good performance. Materials, and Construction Standards.
Consequence of Failure	Moderate- Hourly to short-	no to low public risk, no impact to traffic c term closure of roadway, low-to-moderate m loss of roadway, substantial loss-of-life	e public risk, multiple alternate routes available
Action	Select from: No Action, Mo	onitor, Maintenance, Repair Elements, Re	place Elements, and Replace Wall
Weighting Factor	Weighting Factor to be applied to the Condition Rating (CR). When indicated on the Condition Assessment Input Form: WF=0.5 for CR=8-10; WF=1.0 for CR=4-7; and WF=5 for CR=1-3.		
Data Reliability	<b>1-Poor</b> Conditions cannot element performance and/o <b>2-Good</b> Observed conditio would be useful to better u	be sufficiently observed to rate element(s r to determine the cause(s) or poor perfor- ns are sufficient to rate the conditions of nderstand element performance.	e, and if additional investigations may be warranted. ), warranting additional investigations to better define mance. wall element(s); however, additional investigations e. Additional investigations are not needed.
		Wall Function Codes	
[ <b>FW</b> ] Fill Wall	1	[ <b>BW</b> ] Bridge Wall	[SW] Switchback Wall
[CW] Cut Wa	.11	[HW] Head Wall	[SP] Slope Protection [FL] Flood Wall
		Wall Type Codes	
	, Tieback H-Pile	[CC] Crib, Concrete	[MG] MSE, Geosynthetic Wrapped Face
[AM] Anchor,	-	[CM] Crib, Metal	[MP] MSE, Precast Panel
	Tieback Sheet Pile	[CT] Crib, Timber	[MS] MSE, Segmental Block
[BC] Bin, Con		[GB] Gravity, Concrete Block/ Brick	[MW] MSE, Welded Wire Face
[ <b>BM</b> ] Bin, Me [ <b>CL</b> ] Cantilev		[GC] Gravity, Mass Concrete	[SN] Soil Nail
	er, Soldier Pile	[GD] Gravity, Dry Stone [GG] Gravity, Gabion	[TP] Tangent/ Secant Pile [OT] Other, User Defined
[CS] Cantilev	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	[GM] Gravity, Mortared Stone	[NO] None
		Architectural Facing Type (	
[BV] Brick Ve	neer	[ <b>PF</b> ] Planted Face	[SS] Simulated Stone
[CO] Cementi		[SC] Sculpted Shotcrete	[SV] Stone Veneer
[FF] Fractured	1 Fin Concrete	[SH] Shotcrete (nozzle finish)	[TI] Timber
[FL] Formline	d Concrete	[SM] Steel/Metal	[ <b>OT</b> ] Other, User Defined
[ <b>PC</b> ] Plain Contexture)	ncrete (float finish or light	[SO] Stone	[NO] None
)		Surface Treatment Code	es
[BC] Bush Gu		[ <b>PS</b> ] Preservative	$[\mathbf{W}(\mathbf{S})]$ $\mathbf{W}_{a-4}$ $\mathbf{S}_{a-1}$
[BG] Bush Gun (tool-textured concrete)		[rs] rieservative	[WS] Weathering Steel
[CA] Color Ad	· /	[SE] Silane Sealer	[WS] weathening Steel [OT] Other, User Defined
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			Condition Ratings								
Condition F	Ratings	apply to all Primary and Second		ed to assis	st in consistently defining element severity						
		extent, and r	epair/replace urgency of wall eler	nent distra	esses.						
9-10			normal range for newly constructe		cated elements.						
(Excellent)	-Defects may include those typically caused from fabrication or construction.										
7-8	-Low-to-moderate extent of low severity distress. -Distress present does not significantly compromise the element function, nor is there significantly severe distress to major										
(Good)	structural components of an element.										
5-6	-High extent of low severity distress and/or low-to-medium extent of medium to high severity distress.										
(Fair)	-Distress present does not compromise element function, but lack of treatment may lead to impaired function/elevated risk of										
3-4 (Poor) 1-2		element failure in the near term. -Medium-to-high extent of medium-to-high severity distress.									
	-Distress present threatens element function, and strength is obviously compromised and/or structural analysis is warranted.										
	-The element condition does not pose an immediate threat to wall stability and road closure is not necessary.										
	-Medium-to-high extent of high severity distress.										
(Critical)	-Element is no longer serving intended function. Element performance threatening overall stability of the wall at the time of										
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Wall Performance Condition Ratings											
		Evaluation of overall wall performance as indicated by									
		performance as indicated by	unseen problems or creating significant performance problems. No history of remediation or repair to wall or adjacent elements. Fair - Some observed global distress is not associated with specific elements. Some observation of element distress combinations that indicate wall component problems. Minor work on primary elements or major work on secondary elements has occurred improving overall wall function.								
		observations not necessarily captured by observed									
		distresses for specific									
Performa	anco	elements, including global wall									
1 01 101 112	ance	distresses (rotation,									
		settlement, translation,									
		displacement, etc.) and/or evidence of prior repairs that apparent. Combined element distresses clearly indicate serious stability problems									
		may further indicate	ate with components or global wall stability. Major repairs have occurred to wall								
		component problems.									
				H <sub>max</sub>	Maximum exposed wall height, ft						
		⊨ <sup>H</sup> orr			Average vertical distance from pavement to cut wall toe or groundline at top of fill wall						
						V <sub>or</sub> ‡			(+ above/- below roadway), ft		
		Îâ∉		Hom	Horizontal distance to wall face						
		H <sub>max</sub>			from edge of roadway, ft						
					Wall face angle measured from the horizontal, degrees						
							Maximum earth retaining length				
					of the wall (excluding						
/		<del>≪ ~~→</del>   H <sub>on</sub>		L	guardwalls). Wall length is the actual length of the structure, not						
					simply the projected length						
Wall Start Wall End Milepoint Guardwall Guardwall											
						Only consider walls with H <sub>max</sub> ≥ 4 ft					
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Actual Wall Embedment Depth											
			A-3								