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I AM REQUESTING A PUBLIC HEARING (MEETING)
Name: Rosalia Aldape Date: 7-2-07

Address: 3706 Anacanda

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SA TX 78228

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

BY [Handwritten Initials]

I wish to make other personal comments that describe how this application affects my legal rights and economic interests:

[Lined area for personal comments]

Signature: _____

June 30, 2007

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Address: 8222 OLD PEARSALL RD.

STAN ANTONIO, TX. 78227

Signature: Brenda Brown

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Thursday, November 29, 2007

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PLEASE PRINT:

Name: Roberto Consuelo Chapa
Address: 244 CR 579 #20
City/State: La Coste TX Zip: 78039
Phone: (210) 762-3430

Please add me to the mailing list.

Are you here today representing a municipality, legislator, agency, or group?

Yes No

If yes, which one? _____

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Re. Castrovilla permit # WQ0010952001

I live by the river I love it.
I know that when a river is
contaminated that it affects everyone
and everything. I have grand kids
that love to come & swim & fish in the
Medina River. I want to ask if this
waste is put in the River, will it
still be safe for them to go in the
River?

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AT PUBLIC MEETING

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The T.C.E.Q. "commission is authorized to protect human health and safety and natural resources".

Question: How can the T.C.E.Q. allow the discharge of high volumes of the lowest quality of sewage effluent into and through a city park, that hosts thousands of children, and maintain their mandate that the T.C.E.Q. is trying to protect human health and safety.

Question: Exactly where does the point of discharge occur from the sewage treatment plant? It appears that it was calculated from the edge of the treatment plant instead of at the end of the retention pond where the pipe will end? The application for the proposed permit clearly states "The treated effluent will be discharged into the "natural drainage swale". With the discharge point being into the "natural drainage swale" the one mile buffer zone on the WWTP MAP, FIGURE 002 clearly shows that additional land owners are in the BUFFER ZONE and have been excluded as interested parties.

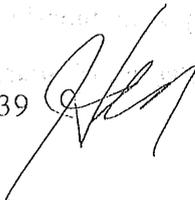
Question: Why would the T.C.E.Q. allow Castroville, who is currently using one of the lowest allowable quality standards for effluent (20mg/l BOD and 20mg/l TSS), to dispose of their waste water with out raising the quality standard to the highest levels possible? See: Water quality standards for the cities of New Braunfels and Kerrville Texas. I am of the understanding that their permits are 5mg/l BOD, 5mg/l TSS, 2mg/l Nitrogen and 1mg/l Phosphorus.

Question: Does the T.C.E.Q. base its criteria for the quality of effluent that is put into a river on the quality of the water in that river?

Question: Does the T.E.C.Q. differentiate between the rivers of the state of Texas as to which ones should have a higher quality of water in them and a higher quality of effluent pumped into them so that the citizens of the state will have a tier system of higher and lower stream qualities?

Question: Is the T.E.C.Q. going to strive for the highest quality of water for all streams in the state of Texas, including the Medina, with out regard to the streams location, the privileged cities and towns that are near its banks or the money necessary for those cities and towns to bring the stream and rivers up to the highest state standard due to their discharge of waste effluents into them?

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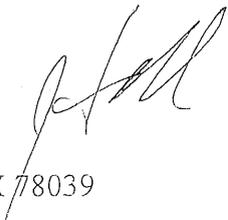
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Question: What are the safe guards by the T.C.E.Q and the city of Castroville for non compliance if Castroville is allowed to discharge into the Medina River? The City of Castroville has exceeded the limit of the existing permit for BOD by 8% of the time in the last 24 months and the TSS limit by 21% of the time in the last 24 months. While they are currently disposing of their effluent by irrigation where minimal damage can occur the possibilities of a catastrophe is imminent if their permit allows them to discharge into the Medina River with their current plant and their current permit of 20 mg/l BOD and 20 mg/l TSS and they exceed their effluent limitations by neglect of mechanical failure.

Question: What considerations has the T.C.E.Q made for the next sever draught where the Medina River dries up so that there is no flow?

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Please add my name to the mailing list for this application and to any mailings regarding applications affecting water quality in Medina County.

Name: Russell + Jennifer Date 7/3/07
Hinson

Address: 1639 CR 4713
Lagoste TX 78039

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

I wish to make other personal comments that describe how this application affects my legal rights and economic interests:

My Family + I live 3/4 mile from
Castroville, we live right on the Medina
River + we fish + swim in the river.

I have a 3 month old child and I
don't want her to get sick as a
result of them dumping sewage into
the water.

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

TCEQ Public Meeting Form

Thursday, November 29, 2007

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Please add me to the mailing list.

Are you here today representing a municipality, legislator, agency, or group? Yes No

If yes, which one? _____

IF YOU WANT TO GIVE FORMAL COMMENT PLEASE ✓ BELOW

I wish to provide formal oral comments.

I wish to provide formal written comments at tonight's public meeting.
(Written comments may be submitted at any time during the meeting)

Please give this to the person at the information table. Thank you.

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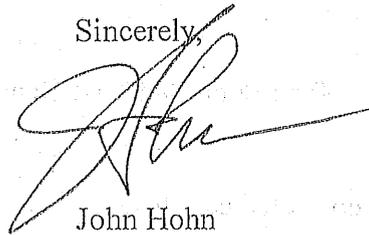
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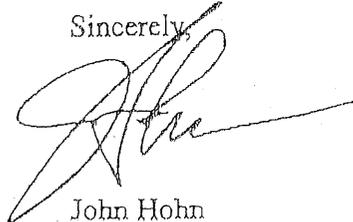
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I am authorizing the Texas Rivers Protection Association to request a contested case hearing on my behalf.

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Jim Hunt

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PO Box 1096 Castroville TX

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Signature:  ENV, R.P.E., R.P.L.S.

Name: HARVEY LEE KUNZE

Address: P.O. BOX 357, LA COSTE, TEXAS 78039

Phone: (830) 762-3415

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Address: 1315 FIORELLA P.O. Box 1649

Phone: 830-931-3607 CASTROVILLE TX
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Signature: Loretta Moczygamba

Name: LORETTA MOCZYGEMBA

Address: 211 CR 579 La Coste, Texas 78039

Phone: 830-762-9433

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I AM REQUESTING A PUBLIC HEARING (MEETING)
Name: Rosalia S. NAVARRE Date: 7/2/07

Address: 19354 FM 471
Natalie Tx 78089

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Signature: Rosalia S. Navarre

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I wish to make other personal comments that describe how this application affects my legal rights and economic interests:

Multiple horizontal lines for providing additional comments.

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Name: John H. Emery

Date _____

Address: 1934 FM 471 South

NATANA, TX 78655

OFAPM

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Signature: [Signature]

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Name: Rodney Reus Date 7-1-07

Address: 908 CR 5711
LACOSTA, TEXAS 78039
~~LACOSTA, TEXAS~~

Signature: Rodney I. Reus

I wish to make other personal comments that describe how this application affects my legal rights and economic interests:

I got drinking water
which is the same dept. as
the river AND the well is only
about a 100 yards from the river.

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Name: Stanley Birkens Date 7/2/07

Address: 279 ER 579

La Poste Tex 78039

Signature: Stanley Birkens

I wish to make other personal comments that describe how this application affects my legal rights and economic interests:

I live three miles down
river from proposed discharge
I own 121 acres property, that
goes to river. I would like to
know the quality of water
after all that is put into
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Signature: Stanley Birkens

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Signature: Craig Tingey

Name: CRAIG TINGEY

Address: P.O. Box. 1539 Castroville TX 78009

Phone: 830-931-9323. sel 210 289-3009

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Name: R.L. Wagner

Address: 479 CR 5711 La Costa TX 78039

Phone: 830 985 3377

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Thursday, November 29, 2007

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PLEASE PRINT:

Name: R.L. (Byrdy) Wagner

Address: 479 CR 5711

City/State: LACOSTE Zip: 78039

Phone: (210) 655-8534

Please add me to the mailing list.

Are you here today representing a municipality, legislator, agency, or group? Yes No

If yes, which one? _____

IF YOU WANT TO GIVE FORMAL COMMENT PLEASE ✓ BELOW

I wish to provide formal oral comments.

I wish to provide formal written comments at tonight's public meeting. 27 ~~20~~ pictures

(Written comments may be submitted at any time during the meeting)

Please give this to the person at the information table. Thank you.

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RL WAGNER

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MY OBJECTIONS TO THIS PERMIT INCLUDE DISCHARGE THROUGH A "DRAINAGE SWALE" THROUGH A PUBLIC PARK WHICH IS USED BY HUNDREDS OF CHILDREN WITH POTENTIAL OF HIGH CONTACT. I PERSONALLY HAVE THE EXPERIENCES OF HIGH CONTACT SWIMMING, FISHING, BOATING IN THE MEDINA RIVER. THE STRICTER EFFLUENT REQUIREMENTS ARE MANDATORY FOR THIS HIGH CONTACT RIVER.

MY OBJECTION IS ALSO THAT THE DISCHARGE POINT HAS BEEN MEASURED-CALCULATED TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF AFFECTED PARTIES WHO CAN CALL FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING. THE CALCULATION FOR THE MILE LIMIT SHOULD ONLY INCLUDE THE DISTANCE AFTER THE REGIONAL PARK INCLUDED IN THE CITY OF CASTROVILLE'S CONTROL.

I DEMAND THE INCREASED WATER QUALITY STANDARDS ABOVE THE MINIMUM OFFERED OF 30/20. I REQUIRE THE HIGHER STANDARDS SUCH AS KERRVILLE & SAN MARCOS WHICH IS A HIGH CONTACT RIVERS.

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I REQUEST ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES REGARDING FLOOD SITUATIONS AND AFFECTS OF TCEQ FINES AFTER THE FACT, ESPECIALLY SINCE THE HEADLINES OF CASTROVILLE ADUI 10-18-07, CLAIM "CITY ASSURES THAT WATER IS SAFE, DESPITE NOTICES FROM TCEQ."

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I AM ADMITTING 24 photos to illustrate that a "NATURAL DRAINAGE SWALE" DOES NOT HAVE THE CAPACITY TO CARRY THE PROPOSED 900,000 GALLONS PER DAY. TCEQ MUST LIMIT



21 South Edge = CORNER of Regional Park
Illustrates Scout Bridge.

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22. South Corner of Regional Park
" Natural Drainage Swale "
Flowing to Medina River

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23 FACING North
TOWARDS 'southern' EDGE OF Park
DRAINAGE / Creek flowing to Medina

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24 MEDINA RIVER
AT FINAL DISCHARGE POINT OF 900,00 GALLONS
FACING SOUR

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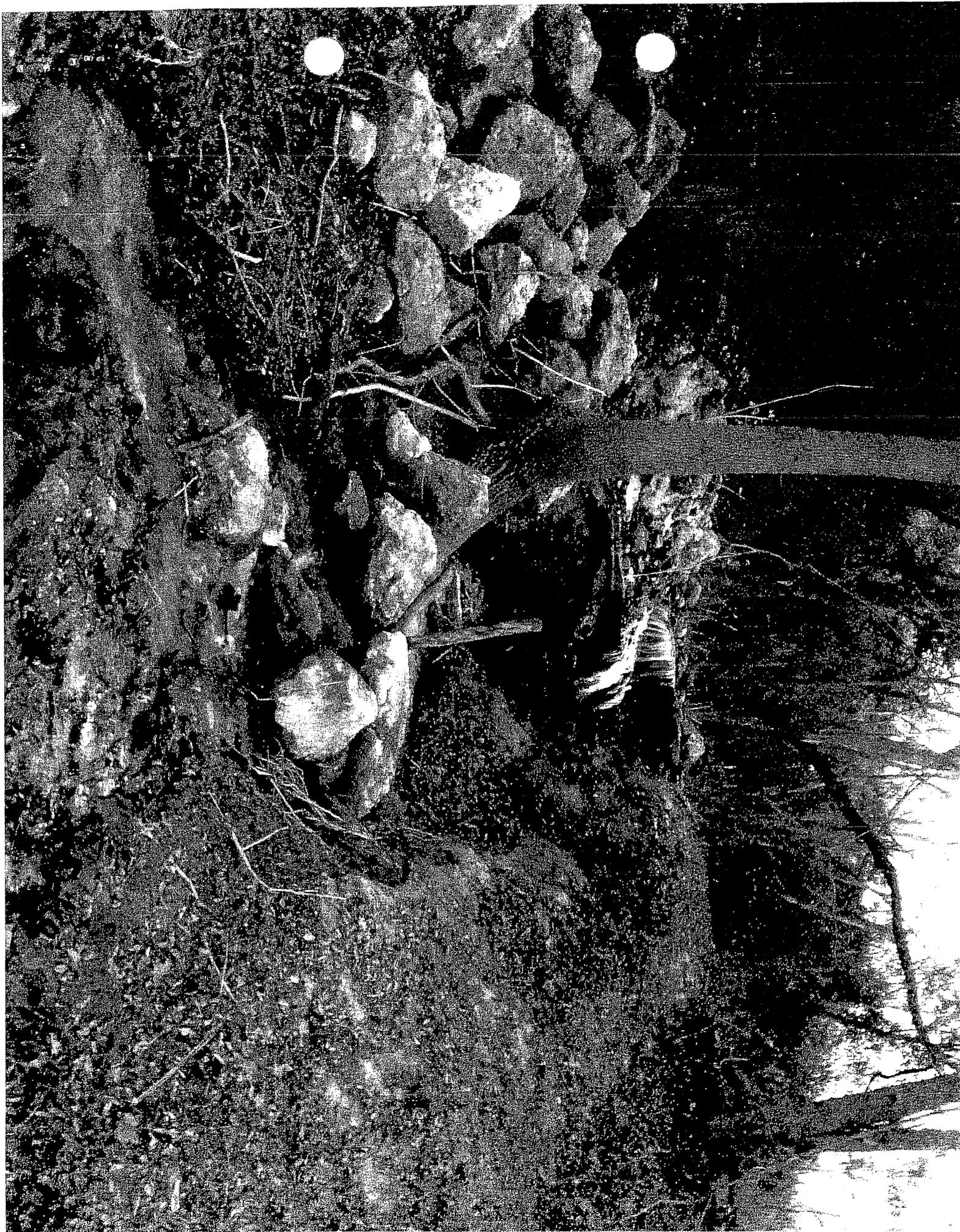
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25 FACING NORTH TO EDGE OF PARK
CREEK/STREAM

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23 FACING NE

DRAINAGE TO Medina

indicates depth/volume of current
water flows

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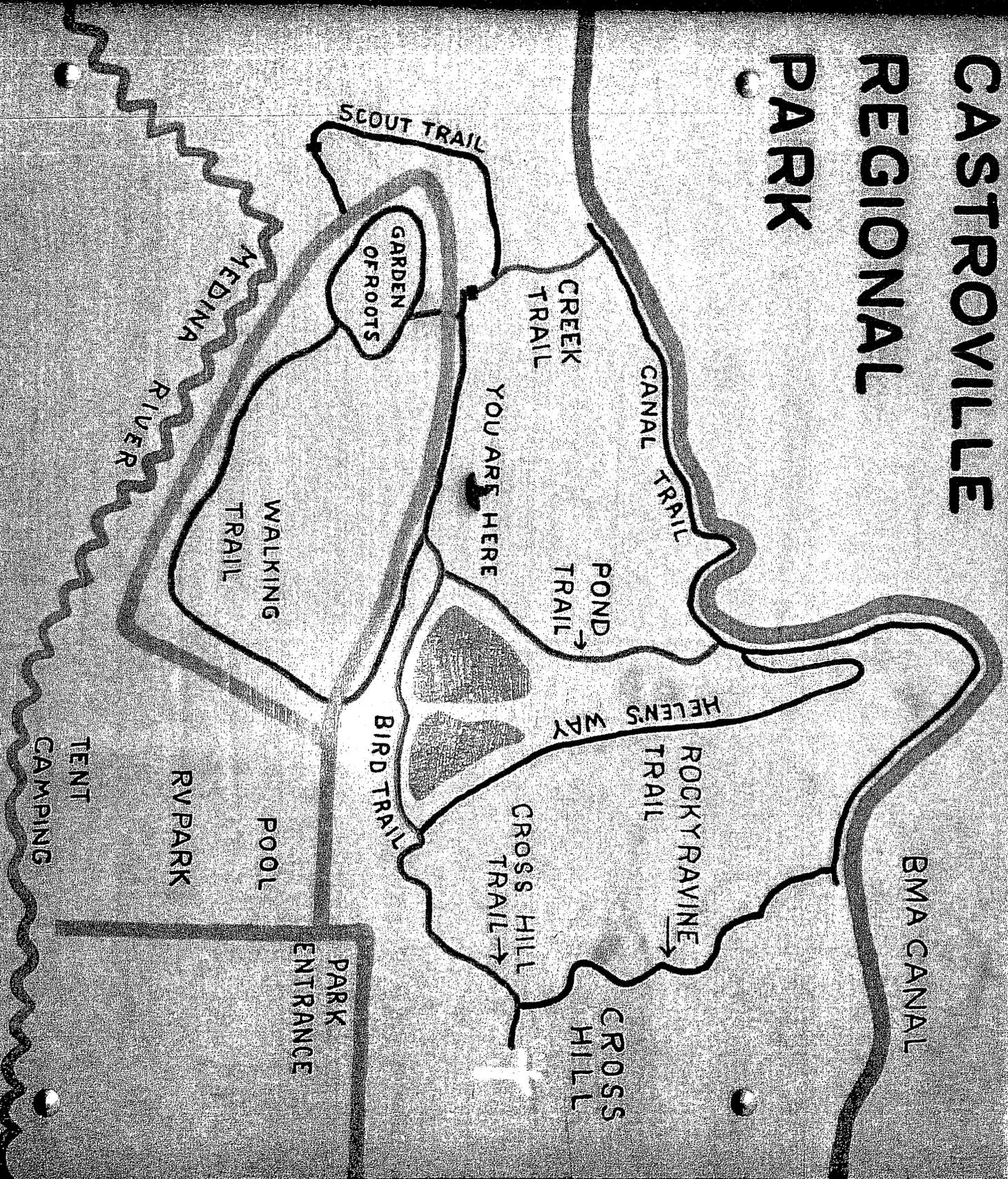
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BIRDING TRAIL ↗

POND TRAIL ↗



Regional Park - Tacing North towards Wastewater Plant

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3) Bind TRAIL to Discharge Point

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5) Bird Trail Discharge ravine close up

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8. BIRD TRAIL FACING REGIONAL PARK (S01SW)
Discharge point Ravine & Erosion

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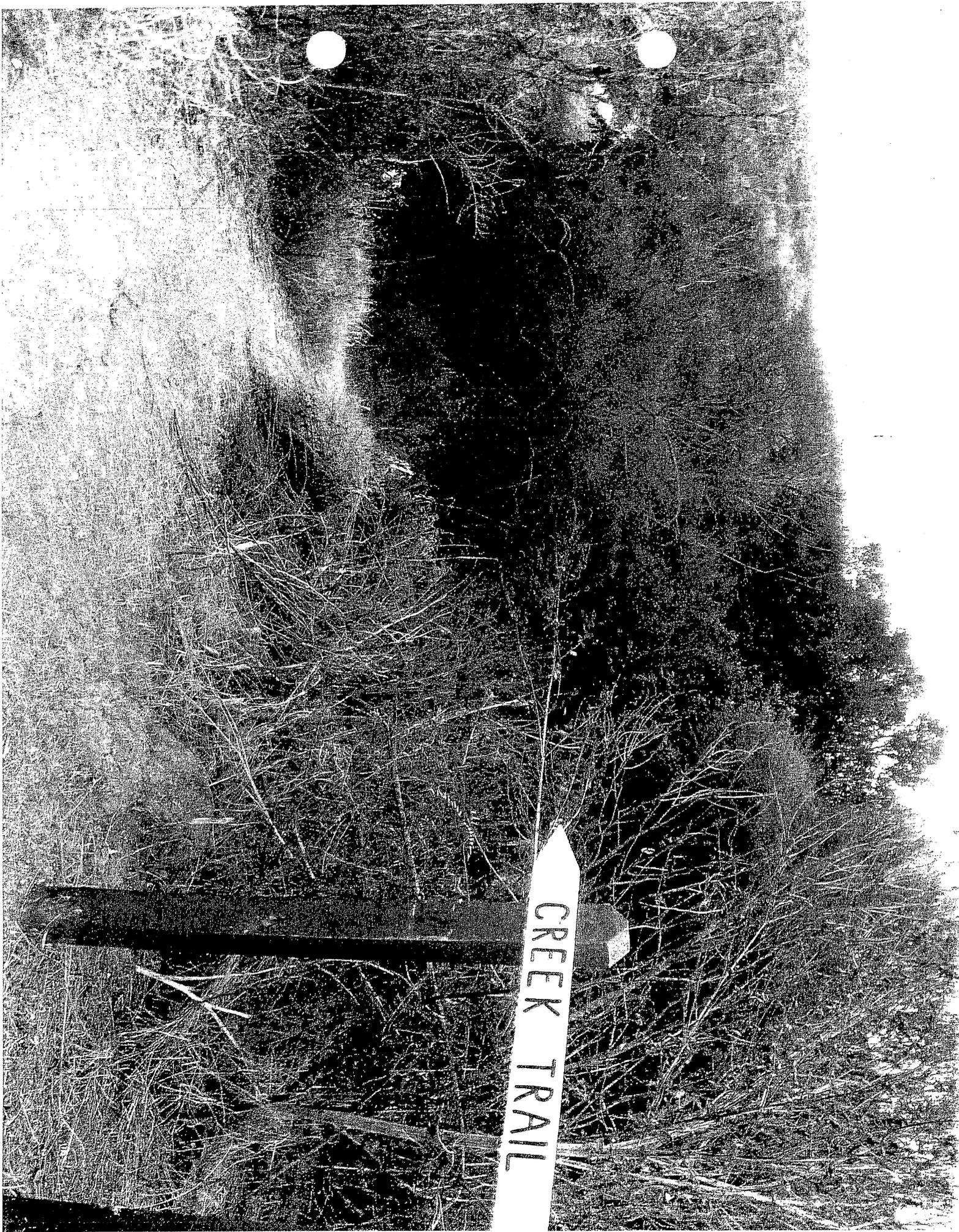
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9. Bird TRAIL FACING S0/SW towards Regional
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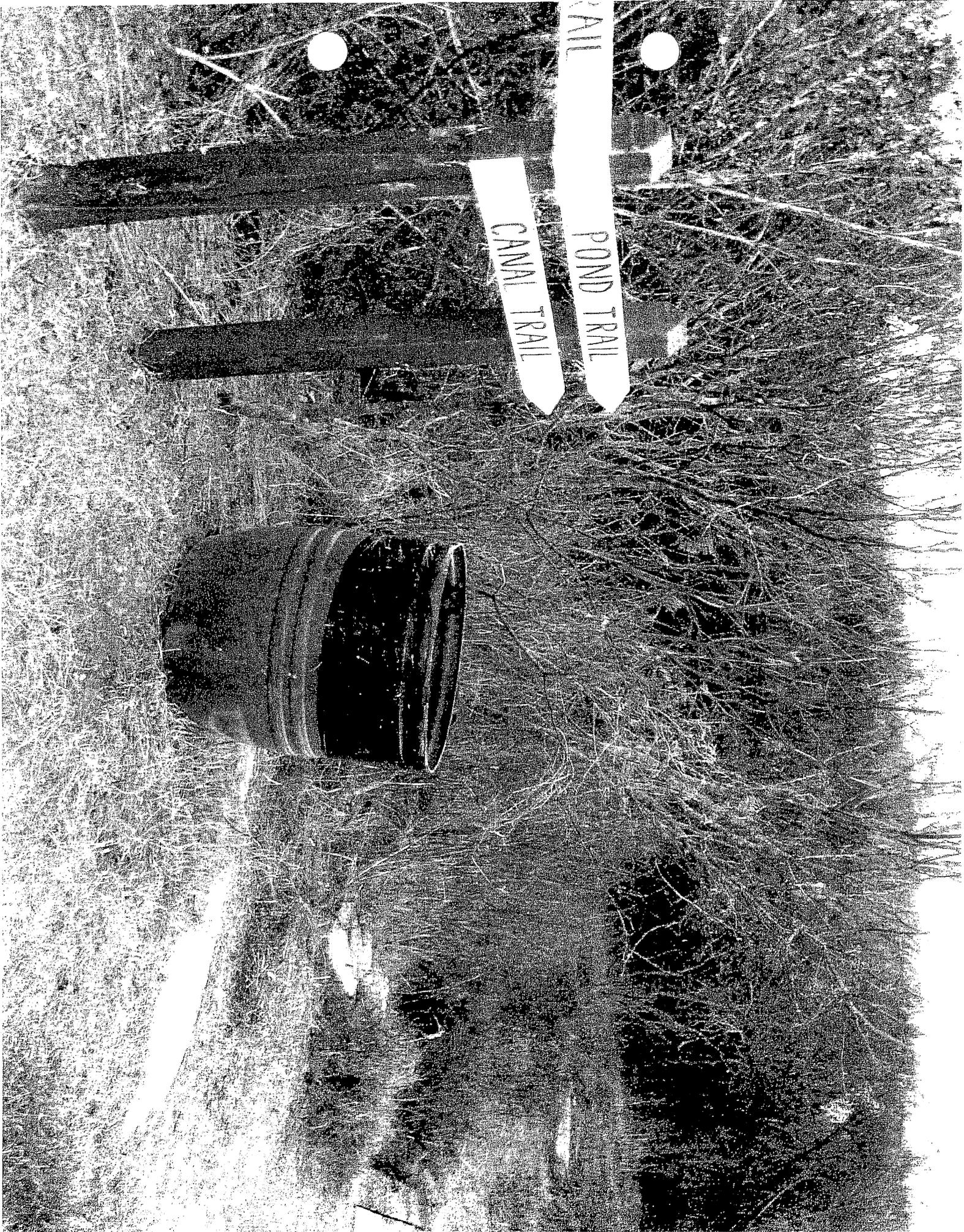
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POND TRAIL

10. POND RAIL FACING WEST
LEFT - DOWN RAIL TO PARK
Right - PONDS

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⑪ POND TRAIL FACING WEST
LEFT - Ravine at Discharge Point
Right - Ponds

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12. WASTEWATER PONDS FACING NORTH

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13 KAVINE / Seepage from ponds TO Eroded Ravine
FACING south to Park

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14 Bird TRAIL FACING South to Park

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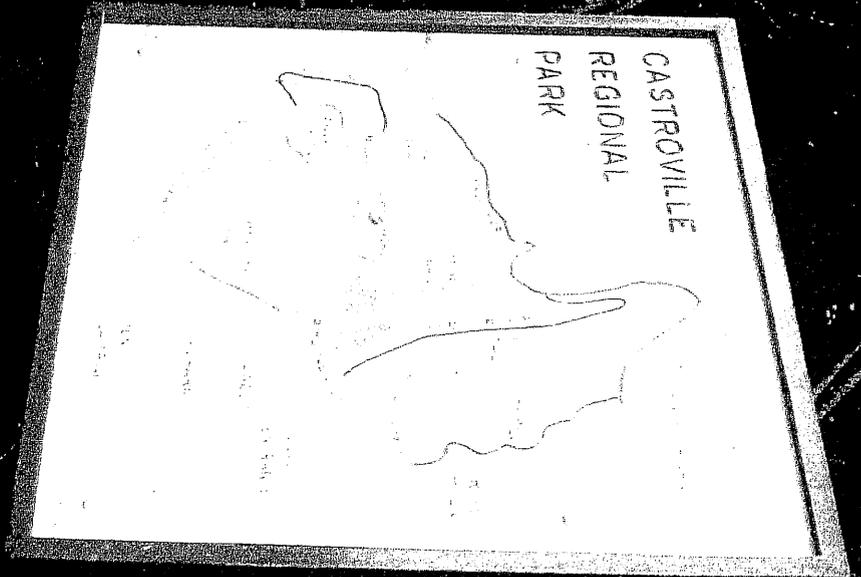
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15 "NATURAL DRAINAGE SWALE"

LEFT TO RIVER + PARK

RIGHT TO BIRD TRAIL up to POND S

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FACING NINE; DRAINING FROM PONDS

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17. FACING WEST / NW - WALKING TRAIL
between B of TRAIL & Creek TRAIL

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18. Barrow's Bridge
FACING WEST, ILLUSTRATES CONSTRUCTION OF
bridge

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Barrows Bridge to Creek TRAIL
Facing West

ILLUSTRATES BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION
by volunteers

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20 South EDGE of Park
Adjacent to Medina River
Illustrates Scout TRAIL & Bridge

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