

# OLVER ASSOCIATES INC.

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ENVIRONMENTAL  
290 MAIN STREET

ENGINEERS  
WINTERPORT, MAINE

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## PROJECT PLANNING MEETING

### OVERVIEW OF WISCASSET'S WASTEWATER INFRASTRUCTURE CHALLENGES

DECEMBER 5, 2022

## **OVERVIEW OF WISCASSET'S WASTEWATER INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEMS**

- Contains 15 miles of sewer pipe
- Includes 18 wastewater pump stations
- Ties into activated sludge secondary wastewater treatment plant
- Treatment plant was first built in 1964 (58 years ago)
- Plant was upgraded in 1982 with new aeration and sludge storage (40 years ago)
- Plant was upgraded again in 1992 with new Operations Building, final clarifiers, disinfection contact tank, and sludge dewatering press (30 years ago)
- Present system serves about 810 connected customers
- Represents about 2800 population equivalent (about 75% of Town)

### **WASTEWATER INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEM ISSUES OF CONCERN**

- Sewer system is subject to high peak hourly flows during wet weather events
- Sewer system projects may be needed to reduce peak flows
- Age of pump stations varies from 20 to 58 years
- Some pump stations are in poor condition and undersized with obsolete equipment
- Some pump stations may need upgrade or replacement
- Age of treatment plant equipment varies from 30 to 58 years
- Some treatment equipment is in poor condition, inoperable or obsolete
- Treatment plant equipment is at age where upgrade may be needed
- Typical useful life of pumping and treatment plant equipment is 20 years
- Climate change concerns of rising sea levels and storm surges at plant and PS locations
- Long term resiliency measures versus relocation of treatment plant

**TOWN COMMISSIONED FOUR WASTEWATER INFRASTRUCTURE STUDIES**

1. Sewer System Excess Flow Evaluation
2. Wastewater Pumping Stations Evaluation
3. Wastewater Treatment Plant Process Evaluation
4. Wastewater Infrastructure Climate Adaptation Plan

**Purpose of today's meeting is to discuss:**

- Conclusions of each study
  - Best path forward to implement study recommendations
  - Estimated costs of recommended infrastructure improvements
  - Impact of climate change resiliency on various options
  - Potential funding sources to assist Town in making improvements
  - Priorities and phasing of improvements
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OBSERVED PLANT FLOWS AS COMPARED TO STATED CAPACITY

<u>PARAMETER</u>	<u>STATED DESIGN FLOW</u>	<u>OBSERVED FLOW</u>	<u>MODIFIED* FLOW</u>
Average daily flow	0.62 MGD	0.21 MGD	0.30 MGD
Maximum monthly flow	0.62 MGD	0.36 MGD	0.51 MGD
Maximum daily flow	0.62 MGD	1.09 MGD	-
Peak hourly flow (dry weather)	2.18 MGD	0.43 MGD	0.61 MGD
Observed wet weather peaks	2.18 MGD	0.44 MGD/inch of rainfall	-

\*NOTE: Flow meter's primary device was a 6' long rectangular weir which had limited accuracy at low flows, but reasonable accuracy at high flows. The weir was replaced by a V-notch during the study. Historical low flow data was calibrated to correlate with predicted readings from the new V-notch.

AREAS OF MEASURED SEWER SYSTEM INFLOW

LOCATION	MEASURED INFLOW (GPD/inch of rain)	TARGET AREA (ft)
Federal Street	110,000	3,800
Water/Fore Streets	110,000	2,400
Danforth Street	63,000	1,100
Lee Street	38,000	1,500
Ward Brook Area near PS 3	37,000	3,400
Union/Warren Streets	30,000	800
Bath Road/US 1 near PS 2	30,000	3,000
Bath Road/US 1 near PS 1	20,000	2,100
Birch Point Road/PS 7/PS 8	16,000	6,500
Hodge Street	15,000	950
Gardner Road/PS 4	8,000	4,800
Main Street Downtown (2 lines)	7,000	2,000
Churchill Street	6,000	1,350
Beechnut Hill Road	3,000	2,000
Summer Street (near Lee)	3,000	500
Old Bath Road (near Route One)	2,000	2,800
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.50 MGD/inch of rain*</b>	<b>39,000 LF</b>

*\*Inflow data for two measured events are reasonably close to historical average of 0.44/inch*

### **GENERAL CONCLUSIONS OF SEWER STUDY**

- Majority of Wiscasset sewer system is relatively new in terms of expected 100 year useful life of sewers
- Sewer system has had ongoing excess flow issues since its initial implementation
- Some manholes required rehabilitation when only 25 years old
- Previous sections of sewer lines have been relined
- Private excess flow sources are present but difficult to remove
- Significant defects are still present in public sections of sewer and allow excess flow entry
- Leaking manhole brick risers and joints are major source of excess flows
- Some targeted areas of sewer system contribute excess flows and may need rehabilitation

PROPOSED PRIORITIES FOR SEWER REMEDIATION PROJECT

<u>PRIORITY</u>	<u>PROJECT</u>
1	Conduct television inspection of high flow areas
2	Address deficiencies in waterfront interceptor sewers to treatment plant site
3	Address Downtown Area sewer problems
4	Address Bath Road/Route One/Ward Brook Road sewer problem areas
5	Address Birch Point Road sewer problem areas
6	Address Gardner Road sewer problem areas
7	Address remaining miscellaneous sewer problem areas

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PLANNING LEVEL COST ESTIMATES FOR SEWER REMEDIATION WORK

<u>PRIORITY</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ESTIMATE</u>
1	Sewer television inspection	\$ 160,000
2	Interceptor sewer remediation	\$ 805,000
3	Downtown area manhole rehabilitation	\$ 765,000
4	Bath Road/Ward Brook manhole remediation	\$ 65,000
5	Birch Point Road manhole remediation	\$ 290,000
6	Gardner Road manhole remediation	\$ 195,000
7	Miscellaneous manhole remediation	\$ 365,000
	Estimate	\$ 2,645,000

WISCASSET'S WASTEWATER PUMPING STATIONS

PS NO.	LOCATION	STYLE	CAPACITY	AVG. RUN TIME (hrs/day)	FLOW (GPD)
1	Bath Rd/US 1	S&L Wet/Dry Well	480 GPM/EA	4.4	127,000
2	Bath Rd/US 1	S&L Wet/Dry Well	390 GPM/EA	4.3	101,000
3	Bath Rd/US 1	GR Wet Well Mount	250 GPM/EA	4.8	72,000
4	Gardiner Road	S&L Wet/Dry Well	90 GPM/EA	1.9	11,000
5	Old Bath Road	GR Wet Well Mount	125 GPM/EA	1.2	9,000
6	Waterfront Park	Flygt Submersible	140 GPM/EA	0.06 (seasonal)	500
7	Birch Point Rd	Flygt Submersible	200 GPM/EA	4.7	56,000
8	Birch Point Rd	Flygt Submersible	300 GPM/EA	2.2	40,000
9	Birch Point Rd	S&L Wet Well Mount	190 GPM/EA	1.9	22,000
10	Federal Street	Flygt Wet/Dry Well	120 GPM/EA	1.3	10,000
11	Old Bath Road	Flygt Wet/Dry Well	185 GPM/EA	0.6	7,000
12	Willow Lane	Flygt Wet/Dry Well	200 GPM/EA	0.09	1,100
13	Bradford Road	S&L Wet/Dry Well	245 GPM/EA	0.2	3,000
14	Birch Point Rd	S&L Wet/Dry Well	240 GPM/EA	1.1	16,000
15	Birch Point Rd	Flygt Submersible	145 GPM/EA	0.7	6,000
16	Bath Rd/US 1	S&L Wet/Dry Well	140 GPM/EA	4.2	36,000
17	Bath Rd/US 1	Flygt Submersible	200 GPM/EA	1.2	14,000
18	Point East	Flygt Submersible	120 GPM/EA	0.04	300

### **GENERAL CONCLUSIONS FROM PUMP STATION EVALUATION**

- Eighteen pump stations are critical infrastructure component to convey sewage to treatment plant
- Age and condition of pump stations is major concern
- Typical useful life of pump station equipment and electronics is twenty years
- Wiscasset pump stations have been in place for 20 to 50 years
- Some stations are undersized for current flows
- Some stations lack emergency power generators
- Town is currently implementing program of generator installation at most critical stations
- Pump stations will need to be upgraded over next 20 year study period

### **Three priorities of pump station upgrade were suggested**

1. High Priority – next five years
2. Medium Priority – next five to ten years
3. Low Priority – next ten to fifteen years

RECOMMENDED PUMP STATION UPGRADE PRIORITIES

<u>PRIORITY</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ESTIMATE (\$)</u>
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HIGH PRIORITY

Upgrade Pump Station No. 1	740,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 2	740,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 3	945,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 4	740,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 7	625,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 9	1,110,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 10	940,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 11	940,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 16	645,000
Subtotal High Priority Projects	\$ 7,425,000

MEDIUM PRIORITY

Upgrade Pump Station No. 6	50,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 13	365,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 14	365,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 17	140,000
Subtotal Medium Priority Projects	\$ 920,000

LOW PRIORITY

Upgrade Pump Station No. 5	865,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 8	4,000
Upgrade Pump Station No. 12	365,000
Subtotal Low Priority Projects	\$ 1,235,000

<u>Total Estimate</u>	<u>\$ 9,580,000*</u>
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*\*Note: Cost estimates presented in 2022 dollars*

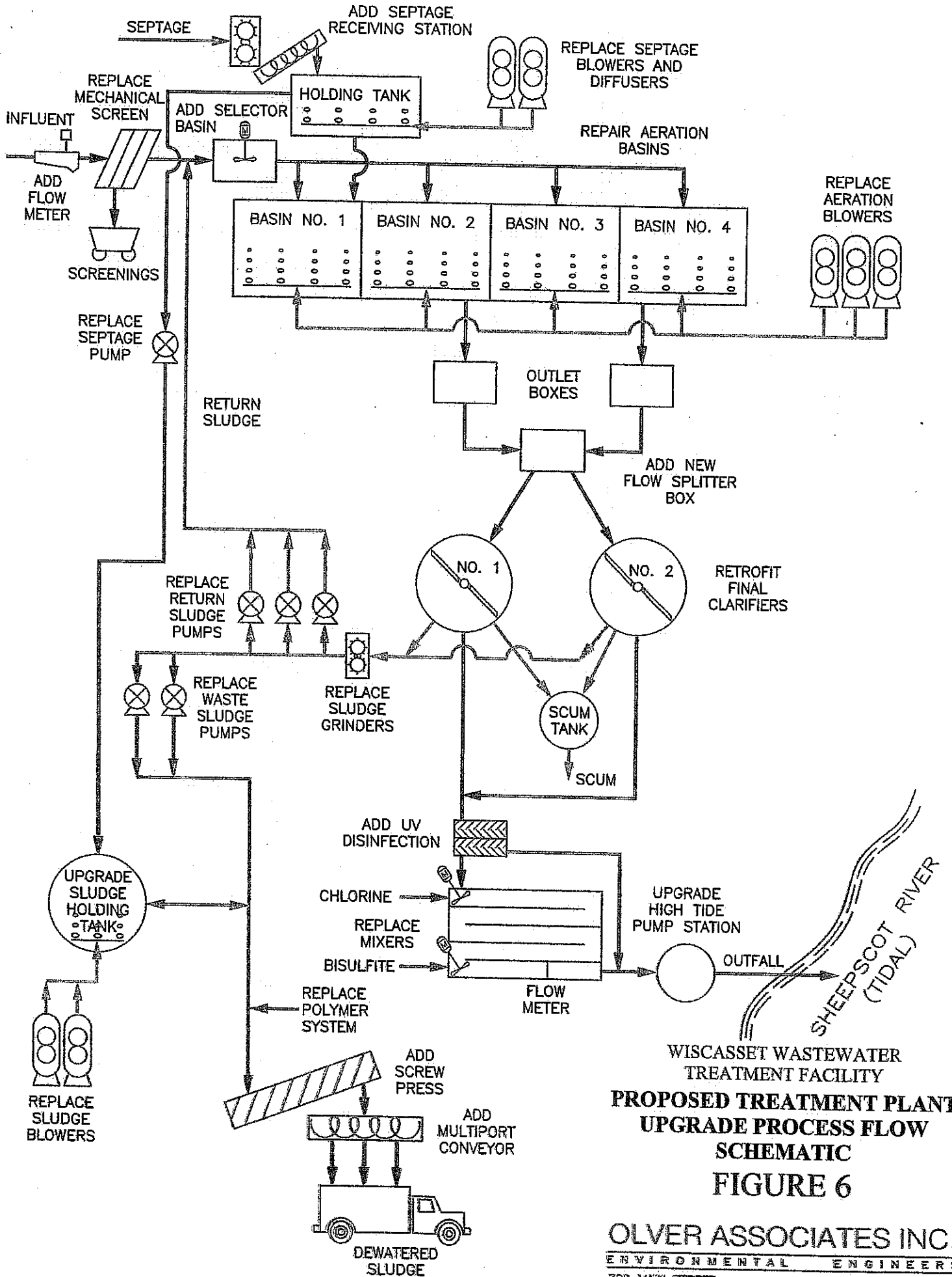
### **GENERAL OBSERVATIONS OF WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT EVALUATION**

- Overall, existing treatment plant is generally sound and in good condition for its age
- Some equipment is obsolete, inoperable or well beyond its useful life
- Treatment plant equipment typically needs upgrade every 20 years
- Plant is at an age where it would benefit of upgrade to continue reliable service
- Specific systems and equipment should be upgraded

TABLE 10: PRELIMINARY ORDER-OF-MAGNITUDE PLANNING LEVEL  
COMPARATIVE COST ESTIMATE FOR WISCASSET WASTEWATER  
TREATMENT PLANT UPGRADE AT PRESENT LOCATION

<u>COST CATEGORY</u>	<u>ESTIMATE</u>
Headworks screen	\$ 195,000
Refrigerated influent composite sampler	8,000
Influent flow meter/recorder	5,000
Septage receiving station equipment	150,000
Septage tank blower equipment	30,000
Septage transfer pump	45,000
Selector basin mixers	60,000
Aeration basin blowers/VFD's	80,000
Aeration basin diffuser improvements	15,000
Dissolved oxygen feedback system	20,000
Final clarifier sludge/scum rakes	370,000
Return sludge pumps/VFDs	105,000
UV disinfection equipment	285,000
Effluent flow meter/recorder	5,000
Refrigerated effluent composite sampler	8,000
Contact tank mixer replacement	20,000
Effluent high tide pumps	160,000
Waste activated sludge pumps/VFDs	60,000
Inline sludge grinders	60,000
Aerobic sludge storage blowers/VFD	180,000
Aerobic sludge storage coarse bubble diffusers	30,000
Aerobic sludge storage level control	15,000
Sludge dewatering screw press	350,000
Polymer feed system	30,000
Dewatered sludge distribution conveyor	60,000
Process water pumps	20,000
Yard hydrants	10,000
MCC/control upgrades	150,000
SCADA system	150,000
Equipment installation	2,140,000
Headworks building modifications	50,000
Anoxic selector basin	200,000
Aeration basins concrete repairs	100,000
Clarifier flow splitter box	100,000
Disinfection tank UV modifications	50,000
Door/window replacements	50,000
Operations Building roof replacement	50,000
Operations Building brick repointing	10,000

Operations Building interior/exterior painting	100,000
Plant lighting fixture modification allowance	25,000
Emergency generator	100,000
Site pavement overlay	90,000
Outfall pipe repair	100,000
Demolition	200,000
Sitework	700,000
Piping	920,000
Valves/gates	520,000
Electrical	1,300,000
Plumbing	20,000
HVAC	575,000
<u>General conditions</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
Subtotal	\$ 11,076,000
Geotechnical exploration allowance	5,000
Design allowance	750,000
Contract administration allowance	150,000
Construction inspection allowance	725,000
Ledge removal allowance	14,000
Laboratory fixtures allowance	50,000
<u>Contingency allowance</u>	<u>1,100,000</u>
<u>Estimate</u>	<u>\$ 13,870,000</u>



**PROPOSED TREATMENT PLANT  
UPGRADE PROCESS FLOW  
SCHEMATIC  
FIGURE 6**



## IMPACT OF INCREASED RIVER WATER ELEVATIONS ON PLANT

PLANT COMPONENT	ELEVATION (FT)	100-YR FLOOD ELEVATIONS (FT)			STORM SURGE ELEVATIONS (FT)		
		2022	2045	2070	2022	2045	2070
Headworks Floor	9.71	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Garage Slab Floor	9.42	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Top Aeration Basins	9.31	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Blower Building Floor	9.31	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Top of Sludge Tank Wall	21.18	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Ops Building Floor	13.20	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Top of Clarifier Walls	11.19	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Top of Chlorine Tank	11.05	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Storage Shed Floor	9.57	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Top of Splitter Box	11.76	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36
Top of Scum Tank	11.44	10.17	11.02	12.38	14.15	15.00	16.36

NOTES: Areas shaded blue were determined to be vulnerable to inundation.

MODELED LEVELS OF PLANT INUNDATION BY 2070

<u>PLANT COMPONENT</u>	<u>KEY ELEVATION</u>	<u>WITH RESPECT TO 100 YR FLOOD</u>
Storage garage floor slab	9.42	-2.96 feet submerged
Storage shed floor slab	9.57	-2.81 feet submerged
Headworks building floor slab	9.71	-2.67 feet submerged
Top of aeration basin walls	9.31	-3.07 feet submerged
Blower room floor slab	9.31	-3.07 feet submerged
Top of splitter box slab	11.76	-0.62 feet submerged
Top of final clarifier walls	11.19	-1.19 feet submerged
Top of chlorine tank walls	11.05	-1.33 feet submerged
Top of scum tank	11.44	-0.94 feet submerged
Operations Building garage slab	13.20	+0.82 feet above flooding
Top of sludge storage tank	21.18	+8.80 feet above flooding
Plant yard and access road	Varies 13.00 to 9.50 +/-	Varies +0.62 above to -2.88 below

ADDITIONAL RESILIENCY MEASURES AT EXISTING PLANT

<u>COST COMPONENT</u>	<u>ESTIMATE</u>
New Headworks Building	\$ 350,000
Modified selector basin	50,000
Modified aeration basins	175,000
Modified flow splitter box	20,000
Modified final clarifiers	120,000
Modified scum tank	10,000
Modified chlorine contact tank	60,000
New Blower Building	500,000
Modified RAS/WAS pump room	300,000
New storage sheds	150,000
Storm surge retaining wall	1,700,000
Demolition	150,000
Sitework	850,000
Piping	200,000
Electrical	250,000
HVAC	250,000
General conditions	500,000
Subtotal	5,635,000
Geotechnical allowance	15,000
Design allowance	400,000
Contract administration allowance	100,000
Inspection allowance	350,000
Ledge removal allowance	10,000
Contingency allowance	565,000
Estimate	\$ 7,075,000

PLANNING LEVEL PRELIMINARY ORDER-OF-MAGNITUDE COST  
ESTIMATE OF NEW CENTRAL PUMP STATION

<u>COST CATEGORY</u>	<u>ESTIMATE</u>
Raw wastewater pumps	\$ 225,000
Control panel	50,000
Grinder	50,000
Flow meter	5,000
Generator	100,000
Hoist/trolley	35,000
Equipment installation	375,000
Concrete wet well/dry well	400,000
Pump station building	200,000
Aluminum wet well stairs	45,000
Sitework	285,000
Piping	240,000
Valves	100,000
Electrical	340,000
HVAC	120,000
<u>General conditions</u>	<u>250,000</u>
Subtotal	2,820,000
Geotechnical allowance	15,000
Design allowance	195,000
Construction administration allowance	50,000
Inspection allowance	225,000
Land acquisition allowance	100,000
Ledge removal allowance	100,000
<u>Contingency allowance</u>	<u>280,000</u>
<u>Preliminary planning level estimate</u>	<u>\$ 3,785,000</u>

PRELIMINARY PLANNING LEVEL ORDER-OF-MAGNITUDE COST  
ESTIMATE FOR FORCE MAIN TO A FEDERAL STREET SITE

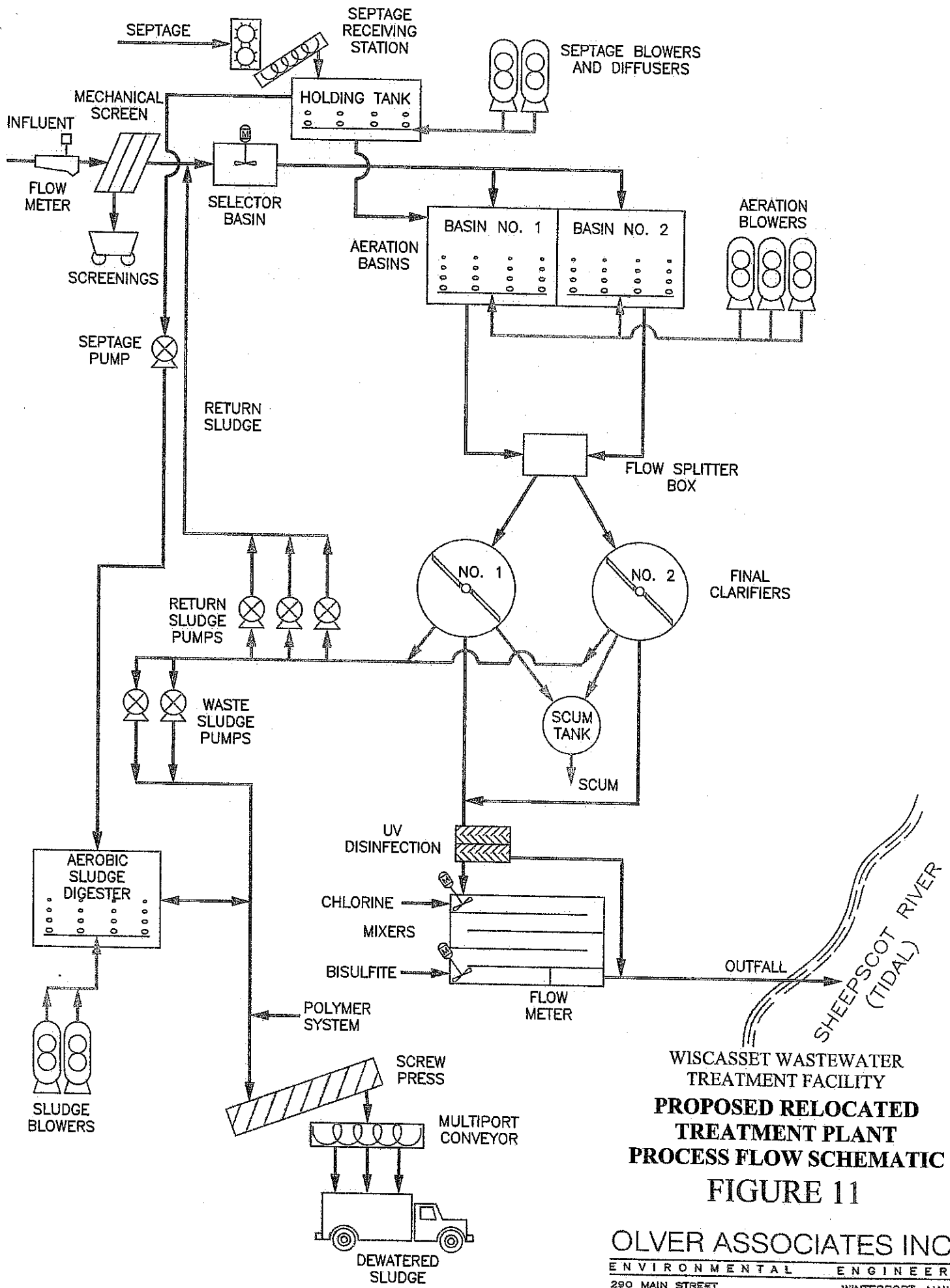
<u>COST CATEGORY</u>	<u>ESTIMATE</u>
Underwater force main section	\$ 550,000
Concrete pipe collars	115,000
Rip-rap stabilization	125,000
Land force main section	70,000
Manholes	40,000
Loam & seed	10,000
Owners testing allowance	10,000
General conditions	90,000
Subtotal	1,010,000
Geotechnical allowance/barge mobilization	50,000
Design allowance	70,000
Contract administration allowance	10,000
Inspection allowance	80,000
Permitting allowance	20,000
Ledge removal allowance	20,000
Contingency allowance	100,000
<u>Preliminary planning level estimate</u>	<u>\$ 1,360,000</u>

PRELIMINARY PLANNING LEVEL ORDER-OF-MAGNITUDE COST  
ESTIMATE FOR UNDERWATER FORCE MAIN TO MASON STATION SITE

<u>COST CATEGORY</u>	<u>ESTIMATE</u>
Underwater force main section	\$ 3,800,000
Concrete pipe collars	750,000
Rip-rap stabilization	925,000
Land force main section	110,000
Manholes	40,000
Loam & seed	10,000
Owners testing allowance	50,000
General conditions	550,000
Subtotal	6,235,000
Geotechnical allowance/barge mobilization	200,000
Design allowance	430,000
Contract administration allowance	50,000
Inspection allowance	495,000
Permitting allowance	30,000
Ledge removal allowance	50,000
Contingency allowance	625,000
<u>Preliminary planning level estimate</u>	<u>\$ 8,115,000</u>

**TABLE 17: PRELIMINARY PLANNING LEVEL ORDER-OF-MAGNITUDE  
COST ESTIMATE FOR FORCE MAIN TO MASON STATION USING LAND  
ROUTE**

<b>COST CATEGORY</b>	<b>ESTIMATE</b>
First force main section	\$ 985,000
Intermediate gravity sewer section	335,000
Manholes	48,000
Second force main section	1,600,000
Trench pavement	1,350,000
Traffic control	250,000
Erosion control	100,000
Loam & seed	100,000
Owners testing allowance	50,000
General conditions	480,000
Subtotal	5,298,000
Geotechnical allowance	20,000
Design allowance	370,000
Construction administration allowance	100,000
Inspection allowance	425,000
Ledge removal allowance	102,000
Contingency allowance	530,000
<b>Preliminary planning level estimate</b>	<b>\$ 6,845,000</b>



WISCASSET WASTEWATER  
TREATMENT FACILITY  
**PROPOSED RELOCATED  
TREATMENT PLANT  
PROCESS FLOW SCHEMATIC**  
FIGURE 11



PRELIMINARY PLANNING LEVEL COST ESTIMATE FOR NEW  
TREATMENT PLANT AT DIFFERENT SITE

<u>COMPONENT</u>	<u>ESTIMATE</u>
Influent mechanical screen	\$ 195,000
Influent refrigerated composite sampler	8,000
Influent flow meter	5,000
Septage receiving station	150,000
Septage tank blowers	30,000
Septage tank diffusers	10,000
Septage transfer pump	45,000
Selector basin mixers	60,000
Aeration basin blowers	80,000
Aeration basin diffusers	60,000
Dissolved oxygen feedback system	20,000
Final clarifier drives/rakes	370,000
RAS pumps	105,000
WAS pumps	60,000
Sludge flow meters	20,000
Disinfection tank mixers	20,000
UV disinfection equipment	285,000
Effluent flow meter	5,000
Effluent refrigerated composite sampler	8,000
Sludge digester blowers	80,000
Sludge digester diffusers	50,000
Sludge digester level control	15,000
Sludge dewatering press	350,000
Polymer makedown system	30,000
Sludge multiport conveyor	60,000
Process water pumps	20,000
Yard hydrants	10,000
Equipment installation	1,720,000
Headworks building	250,000
Septage holding tank	105,000
Selector basin	215,000
Aeration basins	700,000
Secondary splitter box	100,000
Final clarifiers	1,400,000
Disinfection reactor	575,000
Sludge processing/blower building/digester	1,935,000
Maintenance garage	680,000
Operations Building/Lab/Office	710,000
Effluent outfall	1,000,000

Lab equipment	50,000
SCADA system	150,000
MCC equipment	250,000
Demolition	360,000
Sitework	2,280,000
Piping	1,920,000
Valves	600,000
Electrical	2,750,000
HVAC	960,000
General conditions	2,100,000
Subtotal	\$ 22,961,000
Geotechnical exploration	100,000
Design allowance	1,600,000
Construction administration allowance	250,000
Inspection allowance	1,600,000
Ledge removal allowance	100,000
Contingency allowance	3,000,000
Estimate	\$ 29,611,000

SUMMARY OF COMPARATIVE CAPITAL COST ESTIMATES FOR DIFFERENT  
WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT UPGRADE OPTIONS

<u>OPTION</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>COMPONENTS</u>	<u>ESTIMATE</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>Upgrade Existing Treatment Plant at Present Site</u>		
		Upgrade/modernize existing treatment plant	\$ 13,870,000
		Modify plant elevations for resiliency	7,075,000
	Option One Planning Level Estimate		\$ 20,945,000
	Rounded Option One		(\$21,000,000)
<u>2</u>	<u>Relocate Treatment Plant to Federal Street Site</u>		
		Central Pump Station	\$ 3,785,000
		Force Main to new site	1,360,000
		New wastewater treatment plant	29,611,000
	Option Two Planning Level Estimate		\$ 34,756,000
	Rounded Option Two		(\$35,000,000)
<u>3</u>	<u>Relocate Treatment Plant to Mason Station with river route</u>		
		Central Pump Station	\$ 3,785,000
		Force Main to new site	8,115,000
		New wastewater treatment plant	29,611,000
	Option Three Planning Level Estimate		\$ 41,511,000
	Rounded Option Three		(\$43,000,000)
<u>4</u>	<u>Relocate Treatment Plant to Mason Station with land route</u>		
		Central Pump Stations (2)	\$ 7,570,000
		Force Main/Sewer route to new site	6,845,000
		New wastewater treatment plant	29,611,000
	Option Four Planning Level Estimate		\$ 44,026,000
	Rounded Option Four		(\$44,000,000)

SUMMARY OF CAPITAL COST CHALLENGES FACING WISCASSET

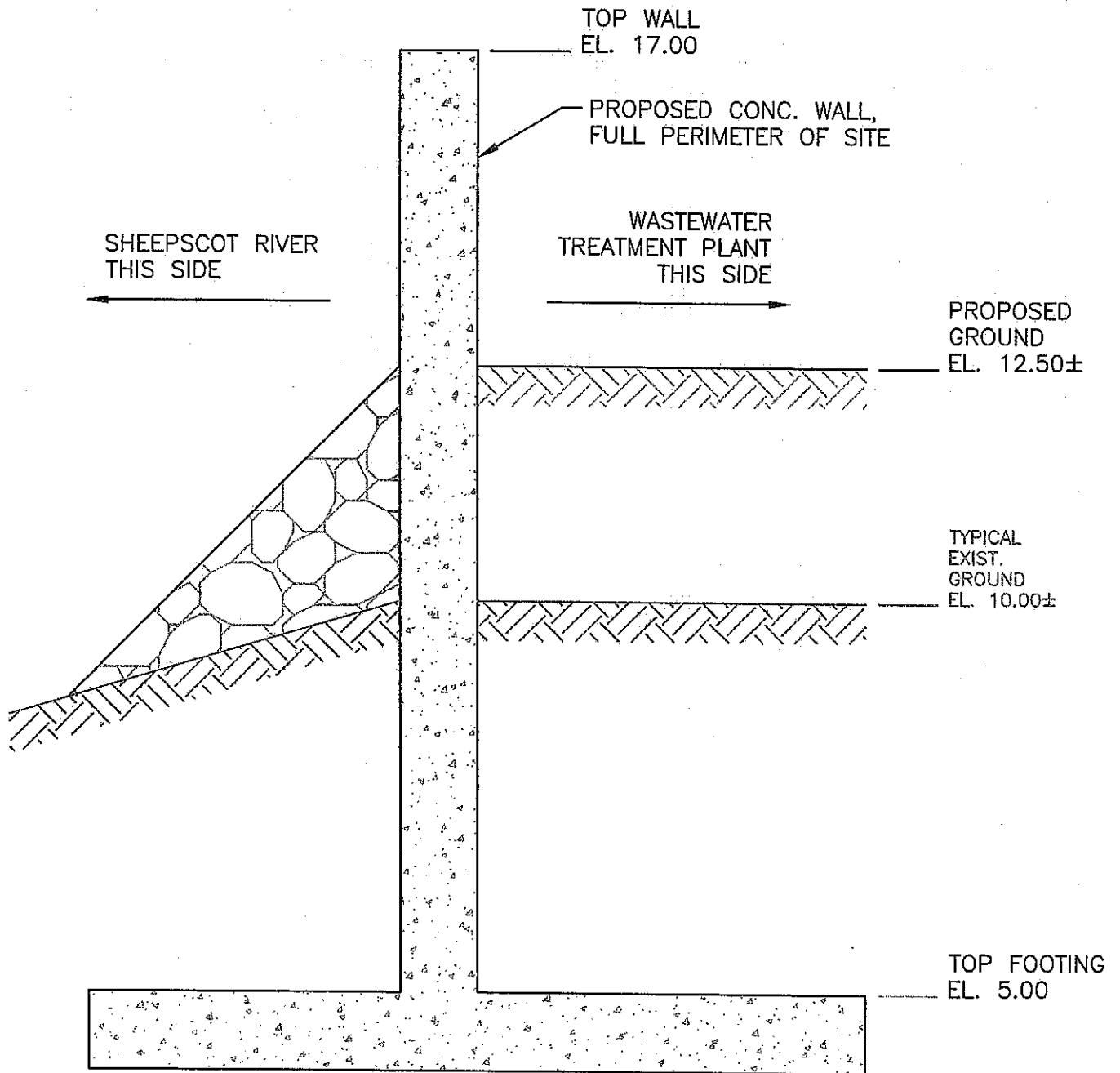
<u>COST CATEGORY</u>	<u>UPGRADE EXISTING PLANT</u>	<u>RELOCATE PLANT TO FEDERAL STREET</u>	<u>RELOCATE PLANT TO MASON STATION</u>
Sewer system remediation	\$3,645,000	\$3,645,000	\$3,645,000
Pump station remediation	\$7,425,000	\$7,425,000	\$7,425,000
Treatment plant improvements	\$21,000,000	\$35,000,000	\$44,000,000
Estimates	\$32,070,000	\$46,070,000	\$55,070,000

### **FINANCIAL CAPACITY CONSIDERATIONS**

- Wiscasset has 810 connected sewer users
- MHI of community at-large is \$ 55,131
- Income survey of sewerred area may be beneficial

## NEXT STEPS FORWARD

- The Town must work with all regulatory agencies to determine if upgrading the present plant with added resiliency will be allowed, or if the plant must be relocated. This will help to place the project within the required category for funding.
- The Town must work with the funding agencies to determine the maximum sewer user rate that will be expected in Wiscasset in order to qualify for grant funding.
- The Town must decide through public hearings the extent to which it will contribute to debt service in the future in a manner similar to what it has done in the past.
- The Town must work with Congressional resources, and Federal and State funding agencies to determine the availability of special climate change/resiliency funding sources that may be available to Wiscasset given its unique challenges.
- The Town must work with all traditional funding agencies such as DEP, RD, and CDBG to determine its eligibility for traditional funding sources.
- Given past enforcement concerns, the Town must work with DEP to develop an agreeable schedule upon which past or current issues at the Town's wastewater treatment facilities are addressed.



WISCASSET WASTEWATER  
TREATMENT FACILITY

**PROPOSED CONCRETE  
FLOOD WALL**

**FIGURE 8**

**OLVER ASSOCIATES INC.**

ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERS

290 MAIN STREET

WINTERPORT, MAINE