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FERC Project No. 2525, No. 2595, No. 2522, No. 2546, No. 2580, and No. 2581

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Documentation of submittel of these results to the Agencies can be found in Appendix C.

If you should have any questions, please do not healtate to contact James Nuthals at (920) 433-1460.

Sincerely.

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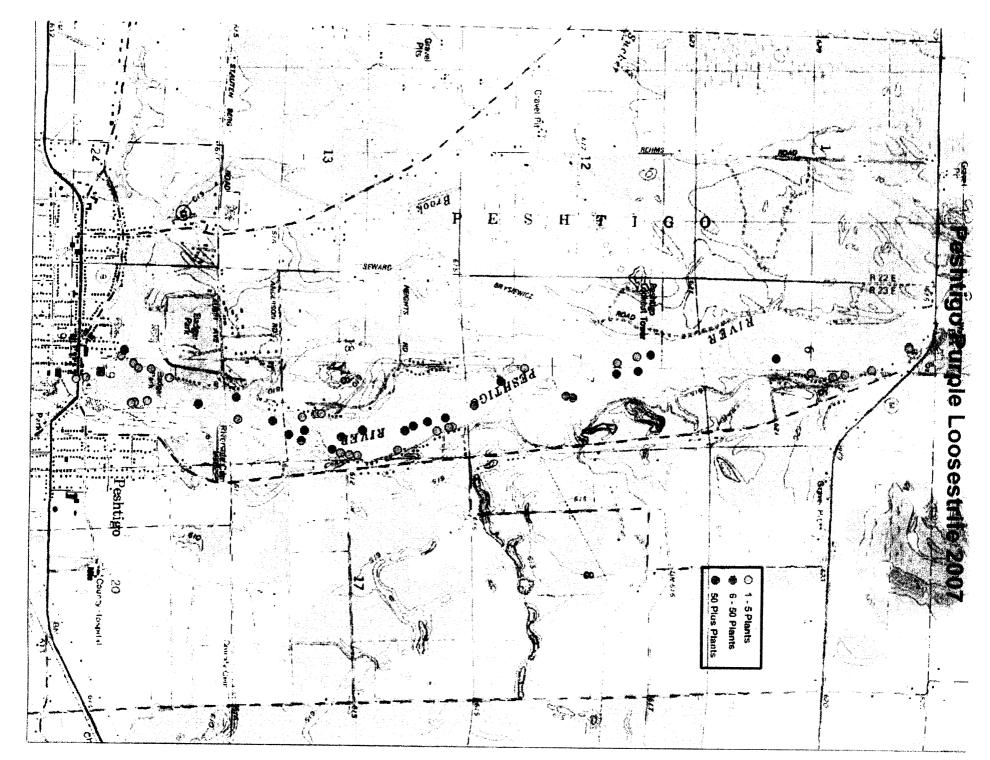
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APPENDIX A PURPLE LOOSESTRIFE SURVEY - 2007

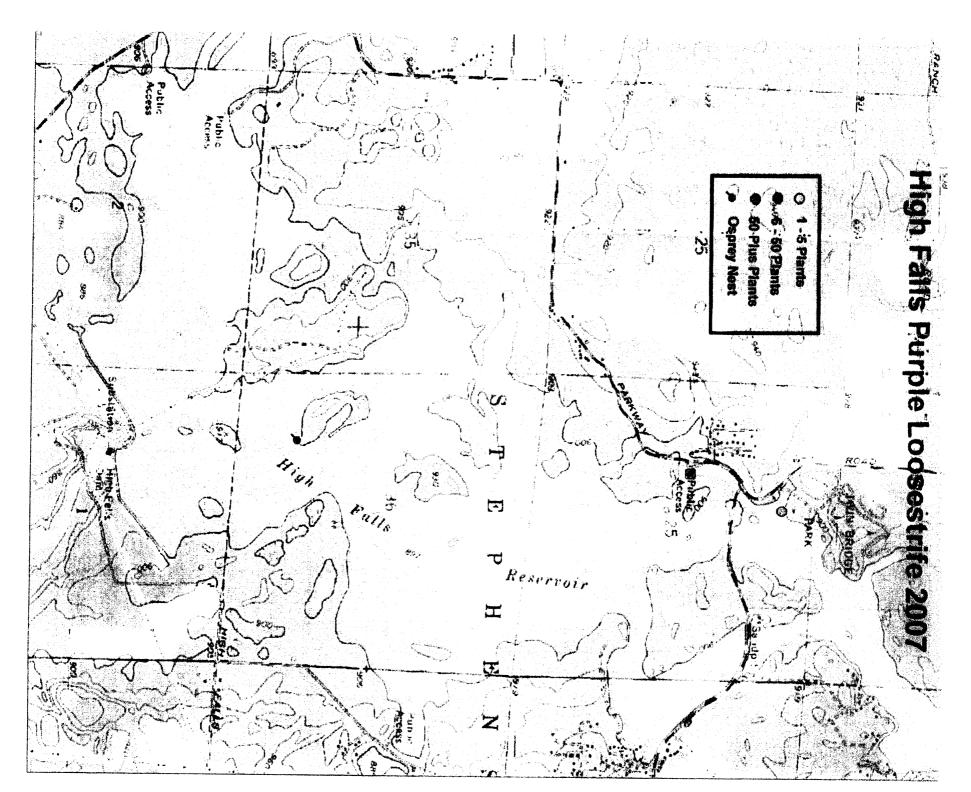


Purple	Loosestrife Survey - 2007	

Peshtigo					
Number	Latit	ude	Long	itude	Amount
1	45	3.25747	87	44.90001	1-5 Plants
2	45	3.29351	87	44.90693	1-5 Plants
3	45	3.42394	87	45.01986	1-5 Plants
• 4	45	3.43455	87	45.04834	6-50 Plants
5	45	3.46885	87	44.98352	1-5 Plants
6	45	3.48881	87	44.96034	1-5 Plants
7	45	3.53695	87	44.95860	1-5 Plants
8	45	3.60273	87	44.91507	1-5 Plants
9	45	3.60294	87	44.91392	1-5 Plants
10	45	3.84914	87	44.81660	50+.Plants
11	45	3.98559	87	44.69952	6-50 Plants
12	45	4.04484	87	44.63380	50+ Plants
13	45	4.09365	87	44.72285	1-5 Plants
14	45	4.13963	87	44.73954	1-5 Plants
15	45	4.14698	87	44.74258	1-5 Plants
16	45	4.16119	87	44.74211	1-5 Plants
17	45	4.23624	87	44.62816	6-50 Plants
18	45	4.31158	87	44.66202	6-50 Plants
19	45	4.46649	87	44.66529	50+ Plants
20	45	4.49600	87	44.68785	50+ Plants
21	45	4.54767	. 87	44.71150	50+ Plants
22	45	4.61387	87	44.73376	50+ Plants
23	45	4.71652	87	44.79906	50+ Plants
24	45	4.81056	87	44.92538	50+ Plants
25	45	4.89726	87	44.99257	1-5 Plants
26	45	5.23248	87	45.02781	1-5 Plants
27	45	5.30187	87	45.06108	1-5 Plants
28	45	5.35226	87	45.06890	6-50 Plants
29	45	6.28738	87	45.13286	1-5 Plants
30	45	6.28750	87	45.12375	1-5 Plants
31	45	6.15271	87	45.01430	1-5 Plants
32	45	6.05629	87	44.98740	1-5 Plants
33	45	6.01294	87	44.97480	1-5 Plants
34	45	5.93606	87	44.99523	1-5 Plants
35	45	5.80798	87	45.06291	50+ Plants
36	45	5.30840	87	44.98759	6-50 Plants
37	45	5.22930	87	44.97332	50+ Plants
38	45	5.07200	87	44.84479	50+ Plants
39	45	5.05004	87	44.85471	50+ Plants
40	45	4.63998	87	44.68841	1-5 Plants
41	45	4.62650	87	44.68408	1-5 Plants
42	45	4.58458	87	44.66480	1-5 Plants
43	45	4.44115	87	44.56734	1-5 Plants
44	45	4.29534	87	44.53412	1-5 Plants
45	45	4.26673	87	44.53777	1-5 Plants
46	45	4.23451	87	44.54428	1-5 Plants
47	45	4.20393	87	44.56277	6-50 Plants
48	45	4.10205	87	44.65562	50+ Plants
. 49	45	4.09217	87	44.60543	50+ Plants

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51	45	3.71209	87	44.78002	6-50 Plants
52	45	3.52409	87	44.79353	1-5 Plants
53	45	3.47584	87	44.78242	1-5 Plants
54	45	3.46310	87	44 77043	1.5 Plants



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Peshtigo Purple Loosestrife Survey 2007

Size	Locations identified in 2006	Locations Identified in 2007 Control Method
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50+	13	14
Total	34	54

High Falls Purple Loosestrife Survey 2007

Size	Locations identified in 2006 L	ocations identified in 2007	Control Method
1 to 5	0		cut/spray
6 to 50	0	0	
50+	0	0	
Total	0	1	

APPENDIX B ZEBRA MUSSEL SURVEY - 2007

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ZEBRA MUSSEL INSPECTION RESULTS PESHTIGO RIVER HYDROELECTRIC PROJECTS

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If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (920) 433-1460.

Sincerely.

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