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## CENTRAL REGION GRMP SITE INSPECTION FORM



SITE NUMBER AND NAME:		AY & KM:	PREVIOUS	INSPECTION DATE:	
C072 North of Rocky Mountain House 22:24, 9.8			INSPECTION DATE:	June 11, 2018	
(RMH)		June 12, 2017	<i>calle i i</i> , <i>zeie</i>		
LEGAL DESCRIPTION:	NAD 83 COORDINA	TES:	RISK ASSESSMENT:		
09-33-040-07 W5M	UTM Northing	Easting	PF: 6 CF: 4 TO	TAL: 24	
12-34-040-07 W5M	11 5817436	640058			
AVERAGE ANNUAL DAILY TRAFFIC (AADT):			CONTRACT MAINTENANCE AREA (CMA):		
2,540 (north) (Ref No. 990020)			17		

## SUMMARY OF SITE INSTRUMENTATION:

Three slope inclinometers (SIs) installed on the east slope in 1990 – status unknown.

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## LAST READING DATE:

PRIMARY SITE ISSUE: An upper slope failure along the west slope (southbound lane) of the highway embankment. At the location of the slide, Hwy 22 crosses a tributary creek of Canyon Creek, which is a tributary of the North Saskatchewan River. The original slide on the east embankment slope was repaired in 1990.

APPROXIMATE DIMENSIONS: The upper west slope is approximately 6 m high sloped at approximately 3H:1V. The east slope is approximately 13 m high sloped at approximately 4H:1V.

DATE OF ANY REMEDIAL ACTION: 1990: site investigation and repair work conducted/completed at the location of the original slide on the east slope; October 2016 – southbound lane patched.

ITEM	COND EXIST		DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION	NOTICABLE CHANGE FROM LAST INSPECTION	
	YES	NO	1		NO
Pavement Distress	Х		Old pavement cracks reflected in new asphalt patch. New cracking at south end of patch.	х	
Slope Movement	Х		Guardrail subsided and deflected; fence deflected within slide area, no evidence of ground cracking		Х
Erosion		Х	None observed		Х
Seepage		Х	None observed		Х
Culvert Distress		Х	1300 mm diameter CSP culvert (BF13457)		Х
			0 m long) has been placed since the 2017 inspection. The o he new patch and new cracks have appeared at the south e		
•			t is deflected slightly to the west. Standing water was observer rainfall in the area.	ved at the	e toe
Cracking in the southbound lane could indicate potential retrogression of the backscarp onto the highway.					
Southbound vehicles w and cracked.	vere obse	rved to	drive into the northbound lane around the patched area that	is subsi	ded
The presence of wet a	reas on th	ne benc	h, near the deflected section of fence, indicate the bench is	poorly dr	ained.

During the previous inspection, debris (e.g., branches, and small logs-flotsam) was observed at or just above the



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crown elevation of the culvert inlet indicating that the water level at some point was at or just above the crown elevation of the culvert. This may indicate that the culvert has insufficient capacity to handle flow volumes.

The bridge file number of the culvert is BF13457. The culvert consists of a 1300-mm-diameter CSP culvert sleeved into an original 1800-mm-diameter multi-plate CSP culvert. Previous inspection observations have included flotsam from highwater events above the crown of the culvert, indicating the culvert could be undersized.

A geotechnical site investigation (e.g., drilling, laboratory testing, and instrumentation installation and monitoring program) should be conducted on the west slope to assess subsurface conditions; and to monitor depth of movement, and groundwater conditions.

Discussed remedial actions: Repair of the upper slide area could include excavating the slide area and reconstructing the upper portion of the slope with geosynthetic reinforced fill, with a shear key and subsurface drainage. The bridge culvert should be inspected with a remotely operated video camera, and a hydrologic assessment should be conducted to assess the discharge capacity of the culvert. If needed, a new culvert could be drilled through the base of the embankment.

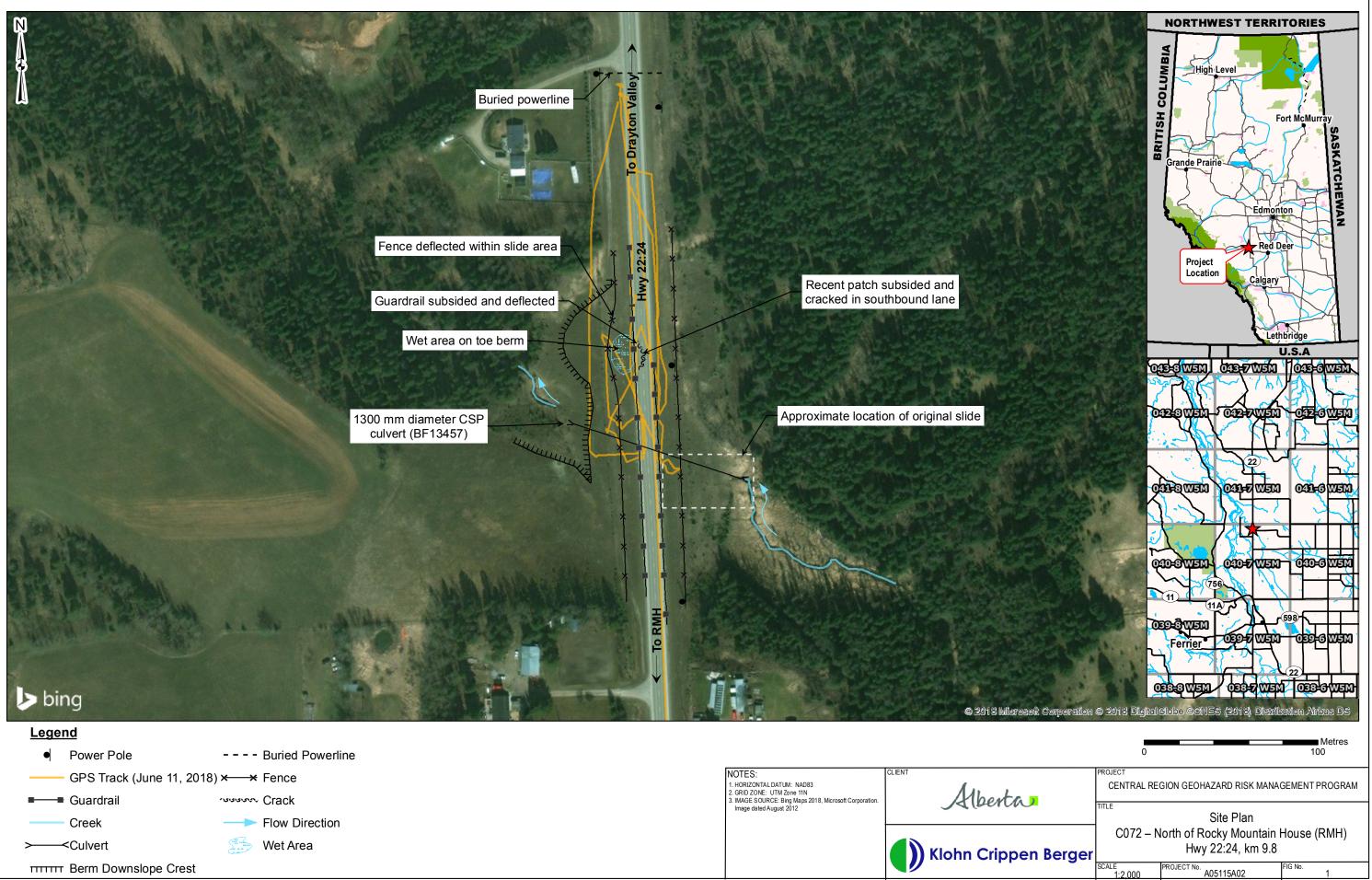


Photo 1 Old pavement cracks are being reflected through the recent asphalt patch. Photo taken June 11, 2018 looking south.



Photo 2 New pavement cracking (approximately 8 m in length) at the south end of the asphalt patch. Photo taken June 11, 2018 looking north.





Photo 3 The fence line at the toe of the slide showing a slight deflection towards the west. Photo taken June 11, 2018 looking south.



Photo 4 Condition of the slope below the asphalt patch. Photo taken June 11, 2018 looking southeast.



