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## PERAZZO MEADOWS RESTORATION PROJECT REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS: VEGETATION MONITORING

### ADDENDUM 1

The original Request for Proposals document dated May 8, 2019 is amended to include the following responses to questions received by potential bidders:

Question: In the excel file of the past quadrat data the value system for cover is not actual cover but cover classes. These do not correspond to the Daubenmire six cover classes. I did not see these cover classes defined. Do we know what these cover classes are? They go from 1 to 10 and there is a T, which might mean trace and a P, which might mean present but those too need to be defined?

Response: The numbers in the excel file for past quadrat data (Attachment 2 of the RFP) are cover classes defined as:

Cover class	Percentage range
T (trace)	0-1
P (present)	1-5
1	5-15
2	15-25
3	25-35
4	35-45
5	45-55
6	55-65
7	65-75
8	75-85
9	85-95
10	95-100

Question: I did not see that there is a summary of the vegetation types per transect is that data available?

Response: We have an example from the 2008 monitoring of the Upper Meadow. Please see the following pages.

Transect	Dominant Plant Community	Distance covered (ft.)	Rooting depth	Willow cover (%)	Condition class
1	Pinus contorta/Lupinus caudata	11.2	5.00	0.00	High
1	Salix lemmonii/Carex integra	81.2	25.00	0.09	High
1	Pinus contorta/Carex integra	22.4	15.00	0.00	High
1	Poa pratensis	81.2	5.00	0.00	Low
1	Elymus trachycalus	112	5.00	0.00	High
1	Salix lemmonii/Elymus elymoides	78.4	15.00	0.09	Moderate
1	Agrostis stolonifera	11.2	5.00	0.00	Low
1	Carex nebrascensis	277.2	25.00	0.00	High
1	Salix lemmonii/Poa pratensis	28	15.00	0.03	Moderate
1	Carex nebrascensis-Carex vesicaria	168	25.00	0.00	High
1	Artemisia cana/Phleum pratense	42	5.00	0.00	Moderate
	Totals	912.8	weighted avg. = 17.9 cm	Total willow cover = 21%	

Transect	Dominant Plant Community	Distance covered (ft.)	Rooting depth	Willow cover (%)	Condition class
2	Pinus contorta/Artemisia cana	5.6	5.00	0.00	High
2	Artemisia cana/Carex integra	11.2	15.00	0.00	High
2	Deschampsia cespitosa	498.4	15.00	0.00	High
2	Carex nebrascensis	246	25.00	0.00	High
2	Salix lemmonii/Poa pratensis	688.8	15.00	0.38	Moderate
2	Salix lemmonii/Carex nebrascensis	140	25.00	0.08	High
2	Elymus trachycaulus	84	5.00	0.00	Moderate
2	Pinus contorta/Elymus trachycaulus	22.4	5.00	0.00	High
2	Poa pratensis	42	5.00	0.00	Low
2	Hordeum brachyantherum	53.2	5.00	0.00	Low
2	Pinus contorta/Elymus trachycaulus	5.6	5.00	0.00	High
	Totals	1797.2	weighted avg. = 15.9 cm	Total willow cover = 46%	

Transect	Dominant Plant Community	Distance covered (ft.)	Rooting depth	Willow cover (%)	Condition class
3	Pinus contorta/Artemisia cana	11.2	5.00	0.00	High
3	Salix lemmonii/Elymus trachycaulus	42	15.00	0.02	High
3	Carex nebrascensis	660.8	25.00	0.00	High
3	Hordeum brachyantherum	117.6	5.00	0.00	Low
3	Polygonum douglasii/gravel	47.6	5.00	0.00	Low
3	Carex vesicaria	168	25.00	0.00	High
3	Poa pratensis	58.8	5.00	0.00	Low
3	Deschampsia cespitosa	105	15.00	0.00	High

Transect	Dominant Plant Community	Distance covered (ft.)	Rooting depth	Willow cover (%)	Condition class
3	Salix lemmonii/Carex nebrascensis	425.6	25.00	0.23	High
3	Artemisia cana/Poa pratensis	98	5.00	0.00	Low
3	Elymus trachycalus	70	5.00	0.00	High
3	Carex simulata	84	25.00	0.00	High
		1888.6	weighted avg. = 19.9 cm	0.25	

Transect	Dominant Plant Community	Distance covered (ft.)	Rooting depth	Willow cover (%)	Condition class
4	Pinus contorta/Lupinus caudata	11.2	5.00	0.00	Moderate
4	Salix lemmonii/Carex vesicaria	16.8	25.00	0.02	High
4	Deschampsia cespitosa	159.6	15.00	0.00	High
4	Poa pratensis	100.8	5.00	0.00	Low
4	Salix lemmonii/Carex nebrascensis	11.2	25.00	0.02	High
4	Artemisia cana/Achnatherum sp.	169	5.00	0.00	High
4	Carex nebrascensis	257.6	25.00	0.00	High
		726.2	weighted avg. = 15.0 cm	Willow cover = 4%	

Transect	Dominant Plant Community	Distance covered (ft.)	Rooting depth	Willow cover (%)	Condition class
5	Pinus contorta/Elymus trachycaulus	5.6	5.00	0.00	High
5	Elymus trachycalus	42	15.00	0.00	Moderate
5	Artemisia cana/Deschampsia cespitosa	235.2	15.00	0.00	High
5	Deschampsia cespitosa	249.2	15.00	0.00	High
5	Salix lemmonii/Carex nebrascensis	100.8	25.00	0.09	High
5	Carex nebrascensis	366.8	25.00	0.00	High
5	Polygonum douglasii/gravel	61.6	5.00	0.00	Low
5	Poa pratensis	42	5.00	0.00	Low
		1103.2	weighted avg. = 18.3 cm	Total willow cover = 9%	