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Dear Tom:

Attached is our report on ground-water conditions and availability in the vicinity of the City of Plainview. The results of the study show that there is a large amount of ground water in storage beneath the City and that the City should begin acquiring additional water in storage to increase its supply for the long-term future.

We have enjoyed working on this project and want to thank you and Mr. Bill Hogge and members of his staff with the City of Plainview for your cooperation and assistance.

If you have any questions concerning our report, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM F. GUYTON ASSOCIATES, INC.

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#### CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. The City of Plainview obtains water from wells that screen the Ogallala aquifer. Plainview has 15 wells that currently provide water to its system. The depths of the wells range from 280 to 367 feet. Pumping rates of the wells range from about 340 to 1,100 gallons per minute (gpm), and average about 600 to 650 gpm.
- 2. Pumpage of ground water by Plainview has averaged about 2,600 acre-feet per year during the past 10 years. For the period from 1989 through 1991, average pumpage by Plainview was about 3,000 acre-feet per year. In comparison, estimated pumpage for irrigation in the study area was about 210,000 acre-feet in 1989. Thus, withdrawals by Plainview are a very small percentage of the amount of water that is withdrawn for irrigation in the study area.
- 3. Plainview uses ground water in combination with surface water from the Canadian River. Water from Wells 13 and 14 is blended with surface water at a water-treatment plant located near the wells. It is estimated that at least 50 to 60 percent of the ground water that is pumped by Plainview comes from these two wells. The other Plainview wells are used principally to provide water during periods of high demand.

- 4. Water levels in wells screening the Ogallala aquifer in the study area have declined about 120 to 150 feet since about 1945. From January 1968 through December 1991 or February 1992, the average water-level decline in available observation wells located outside the City has been about 67 feet. The average water-level decline in the Plainview wells was about 42 feet during essentially this same time period. The smaller amount of decline in the Plainview wells is believed to result primarily from lower overall pumpage per square mile in and near Plainview.
- 5. The City of Plainview's wells produce water having a total dissolved solids content that generally is below 500 milligrams per liter (mg/l). Chemical analyses of water samples from Wells 5 and 12 show total dissolved solids of 798 and 763 mg/l, respectively. While these concentrations are above 500 mg/l, they are still below the 1,000-mg/l maximum recommended limit for water to be used for public supply.
- 6. Some local ground-water contamination has occurred in the vicinity of two commercial facilities located northwest and north of Plainview. This contamination appears to be local and thus does not pose an immediate threat to the water supply for the City. However, the water-quality monitoring that is occurring at these facilities should

be reviewed by the City periodically so that it will be aware of any changes that take place.

- 7. Plainview's wells are equipped to provide water at a combined peak rate of about 9,000 to 10,000 gpm at the present time. Checks of the performances of the City's wells and pumps show that there has been a decrease in specific capacity and/or pump performance for a few of the wells. These decreases can contribute to the reductions in pumping rates that are shown for some of the wells. Details of the results of these checks are given in the report.
- 8. It is estimated that 190,000 acre-feet of water in storage in the Ogallala under Plainview is available for development by the City. It probably is practicable to withdraw only about two-thirds to three-quarters of this water, however. Thus, about 127,000 to 143,000 acre-feet of water is available from the Ogallala within the City for its future use. If the City continues to use ground water at a rate of about 3,000 acre-feet per year, the recoverable water in storage will supply its needs for about 42 to 48 years.
- 9. It is recommended that Plainview begin acquiring land with water rights or just the water in storage to help increase its supply. The estimated saturated thickness of the

Ogallala aquifer within Plainview ranges from about 110 to 170 feet; in the area to the east of Plainview, it ranges from about 100 to 170 feet; and in the area to the northwest of Plainview, it ranges from about 80 to 140 feet. It is estimated that, with an average saturated thickness of 120 feet, about 10 square miles would provide a water supply that could last about 30 to 35 years, assuming that the pumpage was about 3,000 acre-feet per year.

- 10. The cost of purchasing the water in storage, exclusive of the surface rights, is estimated to be in the range from about \$200.00 to \$450.00 per acre based on current sales prices in the area. The cost of the land itself could vary depending on its proximity to Plainview, the character of the soil, and on land improvements.
- 11. Site-specific information for determining the amount and quality of the water in storage should be collected and analyzed for any area that is considered for acquisition of water rights or water in storage. Any existing irrigation wells on the land should be pumped and sampled for water quality. Test hole drilling may be required to further assess the amount and quality of the water in storage beneath a given tract of land.

## INTRODUCTION

This report presents the results of a study of ground-water conditions and availability in the vicinity of the City of Plain-view, Texas. This study is part of a larger water-supply and treatment study for the City of Plainview being performed by Freese and Nichols, Inc. Work began on the water-supply and treatment study in April 1992.

The City of Plainview (Plainview) has obtained ground water from the Ogallala aquifer since near the time of its founding in 1887. Up until 1968, the Ogallala aquifer was the sole source of water for Plainview. In 1968, Plainview began obtaining some surface water from the Canadian River. Since that time, Plainview has had a combined supply of surface water and ground water.

An objective of this study is to estimate, insofar as practical using existing data, the amount of ground water that is available in Plainview and in the general areas around the city to supply part of Plainview's future water needs. Another objective is to provide Plainview some general guidelines regarding wellhead protection.

The area of study is shown on Figure 1. It extends about 10 miles west, 12 miles east, and 9 miles north and south from near the center of Plainview. The study has included the compilation and evaluation of information available for existing wells, other existing ground-water data, and the collection and

evaluation of new data. The following work tasks were accomplished during the study:

- Review of reports and information on geology and ground-water availability in the area that were obtained from the City of Plainview, Texas Water Development Board, Texas Water Commission, U. S. Geological Survey, and William F. Guyton Associates.
- 2. Compilation and evaluation of drillers'-log and general well-construction information on Plainview's large-capacity wells and on other selected large-capacity wells in the study area surrounding Plainview that were obtained from the files of the City of Plainview, Texas Water Development Board, Texas Water Commission, U. S. Geological Survey, local water-well contractors, private entities, and William F. Guyton Associates.
- 3. Compilation and evaluation of published and unpublished data on ground-water pumpage, water levels in wells, and chemical quality of ground water that were obtained from the files of the City of Plainview, Texas Water Development Board, Texas Water Commission, U. S. Geological Survey, and some private entities.

- 4. Performance of specific-capacity and pumpperformance checks on Plainview's production
  wells that could be tested.
- 5. Performance of a field inventory to measure static water levels and pumping rates of selected wells and to obtain water samples for chemical analysis.
- 6. Review of recharge information utilized in the ground-water flow model for the Ogallala aquifer that was prepared by the Texas Water Development Board.
- 7. Collection of data on the cost of land and water in the Plainview area.
- 8. Collection of information on the cost of test hole drilling, water sampling, well pumping, and well construction.
- 9. Participation in meetings with the staff of the City of Plainview and Freese and Nichols, Inc. and the preparation of this report.

#### **GEOLOGY**

The principal fresh water-bearing formation that provides water to almost all of the wells in the study area is the Ogallala Formation, better known as the Ogallala aquifer. Lower Cretaceous

strata, which lie below the Ogallala Formation in a very small part of the study area located about 8 to 10 miles south of Plain-view, represent a minor water-bearing formation. The Lower Cretaceous strata extend further to the south outside the southern boundary of the study area.

## Ogallala Aquifer

The Ogallala crops out at the land surface along the banks of Running Water Draw, which passes through the study area. It is Tertiary in geologic age and is comprised of layers and lenses of silt, sand, clay, gravel, rock, and caliche. The sands and gravels exhibit varying degrees of cementation. A review of drillers'-log data indicates there is not a large degree of cementation of the sands and gravels in the aquifer in the study area, and local drillers report that in the area around Plainview cementation of the sands and gravels is generally only noticed while drilling through the very bottom part of the aquifer.

Although individual layers cannot be traced or correlated over long distances, caliche beds appear to be most predominant at or just a few feet below land surface near the top of the Ogallala aquifer. Windblown sand or playa deposits are at land surface in the study area except along Running Water Draw and Callahan Draw where alluvium or the Ogallala outcrops. The total thickness of the Ogallala aquifer ranges from about 250 feet north of Plainview at the Hale County line to about 400 feet in the very southeast part of the study area. In the very southern part of the study

area, where the Lower Cretaceous strata occur, the thickness of the Ogallala decreases rapidly to only about 100 feet.

The Ogallala was deposited on the eroded surface of the underlying Chinle Formation, except where the elevated plateau of Lower Cretaceous strata is present about 5 to 10 miles east of the town of Hale Center. The erosional surface of the Chinle and the elevated plateau of Lower Cretaceous strata are reflected in the contours of the base of the Ogallala aquifer shown on Figure 2. The subsurface valleys and ridges help produce the range in the thickness of the Ogallala both areally and locally. Deposition of the Ogallala, which was by streams into isolated channels and as sheetwash over broad areas, resulted in the variable composition of the material, both areally and with depth.

The Chinle is Triassic in geologic age and is referred to locally as the "Red Bed." It consists primarily of shale and clay with scattered lenses of sand and silt. Drillers use the Red Bed as a marker for determining when a test hole or well has been drilled completely through the Ogallala aquifer. The Chinle is not a source of ground water in the study area.

#### Lower Cretaceous Strata

As shown on Figure 2, a structural high in the base of the Ogallala is present in the area about 8 to 10 miles south of Plainview. The Ogallala in this area is underlain by Lower Cretaceous strata composed of beds of limestone and dolomite that exhibit sporadic fracturing of Cretaceous age. These sediments

extend several miles further south of the study area in Hale County. They were originally deposited on top of the Chinle in shallow seas over a much greater area, but erosion prior to the deposition of the Ogallala reduced their areal extent and thickness.

Records of wells that penetrate the Lower Cretaceous strata in the southern portion of the study area indicate that the depth to the base of these strata ranges from about 120 to possibly 160 feet below land surface. Based on the review of drillers' logs in the area, the thickness of the Cretaceous ranges from about 50 to 90 feet. Yields of wells screening the Cretaceous sediments range greatly, and the general lack of water from the formation limits its use for irrigation supplies in this part of the area. The Cretaceous is not considered a source of any substantial amount of ground water for Plainview.

#### RECORDS OF WELLS

Hundreds of water wells and test holes have been drilled in the study area. A large majority of the wells were drilled to provide water for irrigation. Records of 384 of the wells and test holes are given in Table 1. More wells than this have been drilled in the area of study, but the wells in Table 1 were selected because they provide information on the composition and base of the Ogallala aquifer, depth to water, pumping rate, specific capacity, or quality of water. The locations of the wells and test holes in Table 1 are shown on Figure 1.

The well-numbering system used in this report is that used by the Texas Water Development Board, Texas Water Commission, and U. S. Geological Survey. Under this system, each one-degree quadrangle in the state is given a number consisting of two digits. These are the first two digits in the well number. Each one-degree quadrangle is divided into 7-1/2-minute quadrangles which are given two-digit numbers from 01 to 64. These are the third and fourth digits of the well number. Each 7-1/2-minute quadrangle is subdivided into 2-1/2-minute quadrangles, which are given a single-digit number from 1 to 9. This is the fifth digit of the well number. Each well within a 2-1/2-minute quadrangle is given a two-digit number in the order in which it is inventoried, and these are the last two digits of the well number. Thus, an example of an inventoried well number is 11-51-104.

Wells which have not been inventoried in the field, as is required in order to assign them a permanent well number, are given temporary numbers by the Texas Water Development Board, such as 11-51-2D. A few wells listed in this report did not have permanent or temporary State numbers assigned to them. For purposes of this report, these wells were assigned the same number as a nearby well having a permanent number, with the addition of an uppercase letter, such as 11-50-605A.

The irrigation wells in the study area normally are constructed with 12- to 16-inch diameter screen or slotted pipe and blank casing. Many of the irrigation wells have a gravel pack in the annulus between the wall of the hole and the screen or slotted

pipe. However, some irrigation wells are reported to be constructed without any gravel-pack material outside the casing and screen or slotted pipe.

The irrigation wells range in depth from about 125 to 414 feet, based on the data given in Table 1. The few wells that are about 125 feet deep are located in Grids 11-59 and 11-60, near the structural high associated with the Lower Cretaceous strata. In general, the irrigation wells are about 275 to 350 feet deep in the northwest part of the study area and gradually increase in depth to about 325 to 414 feet in the southeast part of the study area. The depths of the City of Plainview's wells range from 280 to 367 feet.

The pumping rates of the large-capacity irrigation wells range from about 150 to 1,000 gallons per minute (gpm). Many of the irrigation wells with higher pumping rates are located in the areas generally northwest and east of Plainview, where the saturated thickness of the aquifer is greater than in other areas. The pumping rates of the City of Plainview's wells range from about 340 to 1,100 gpm.

The limited pumping-rate and drawdown data that are available for irrigation wells in the study area are given in the remarks column of Table 1. Specific capacities in gallons per minute per foot of drawdown (gpm/ft) computed from these data range from about 6 to 45 gpm/ft. Most of the irrigation wells have specific capacities of from 10 to 25 gpm/ft.

By comparison, the specific capacities of the City of Plain-view's wells, which are given in Table 2, range from about 4.1 to 36.9 gpm/ft and average about 18.7 gpm/ft. The wells with higher specific capacities are generally located in the central and northern parts of Plainview. This indicates that the Ogallala aquifer in these parts of the city probably is composed of sands and gravels having a greater permeability than those in the southern part of Plainview. Specific capacities of the City's wells are discussed further in the following section of this report.

#### WELL AND PUMP PERFORMANCES

Plainview has 15 wells that can provide water to the distribution system. The pumping rates of some of the wells have decreased over the past several years based on the data that were collected and reviewed during the study. Therefore, well- and pump-performance checks were made to try to determine why the pumping rates had changed with time and how the pumps installed in the wells are performing. The pumping rate of a well can decrease because of a reduction in the performance of the pump, a decline in the well's specific capacity, a lowering of the static water level in the area around the well, a leak in the pump column, a restriction in the pump column, or a combination of two or more of these reasons.

Pump-performance and specific-capacity checks were made at 12 of the City of Plainview's wells to collect information for identifying changes in the pumping rates with time and their possible

causes. The wells tested were Wells 11-51-508 (Well 4), -507 (Well 5), -405 (Well 8), -410 (Well 9), -412 (Well 11), -413 (Well 12), -414 (Well 13), -415 (Well 14), -510 (Well 15), -416 (Well 16), -417 (Well 17), and -105 (Well 19). Well-performance and specific-capacity checks were not carried out for Wells 11-51-404 (Well 7) and -418 (Well 18) because it was not possible to measure their pumping levels. Well 11-51-411 (Well 10) was not checked because the ground storage tank that receives water from the well was not operational.

The well- and pump-performance checks involved determining, when possible, the one-half-hour specific capacities of the wells, the head-capacity characteristics of the pumps, and the suspended solids (sand) content of the water produced by each well. The checks were made during June and July 1992, with assistance from personnel with the City of Plainview's Water Production Department. General construction and pumping-equipment data, and results of the specific-capacity checks are given in Table 2.

Measurements made during the check of each well included static water level, pumping water level, discharge rate, discharge pressure, and where possible, suspended solids produced with the discharging water. Water levels were measured with a steel tape, air line, or electric line, and discharge pressures were measured with a pressure gauge. The discharge rates were measured with the existing in-line propeller flow meters installed at the wells. Suspended solids were measured with a one-liter Imhoff cone.

Copies of the pump- and well-performance checks have been provided to Plainview's Water Production staff.

## Well Performances

The specific capacity of a well is a measure of the well's performance in terms of its efficiency in transmitting the water from the aquifer to the inside of the well screen. For wells that are thoroughly developed, the specific capacity of a well is indicative of the transmissivity of the portion of the aquifer screened by the well. Specific capacities in this report are expressed in gallons per minute per foot of drawdown (gpm/ft) and are obtained by dividing the pumping rate by the amount the water level in the well is lowered as a result of pumping from it. Normally the values are for one-half hour of pumping.

The results of the specific-capacity checks that were made of the City's wells are given in Table 2. As shown by data in the table, the specific capacities of Plainview's Wells 13, 14, and 19 have not changed appreciably since the time of the last check. In other words, the wells are producing the same amount of water now with the same amount of water-level drawdown as measured at the time of the last checks. The specific-capacity checks for Plainview's Wells 5, 8, 9, 11, 12, 15, 16, and 17, show that the performances of these wells have decreased since the time of the last checks. The lower specific capacities contribute to the lower pumping rates of the wells because they result in deeper pumping

levels. Prior specific-capacity data are not available for determining whether changes have occurred at Well 4.

Plainview installed 12-inch diameter internal liners, with screens, in Wells 5 and 8 a few years ago and placed a finegrained, high-quality Texas Mining Company gravel between the new 12-inch liner and the existing 16-inch liner. However, some if not all of the reduction in the specific capacities of the wells is believed to have happened prior to setting the internal liner and probably was caused by plugging of the old slotted pipe. In the case of Well 5, installation of the internal screen might possibly have caused some reduction in specific capacity because setting just 60 feet of screen may limit the area through which flow through the old slotted pipe can enter the well. installing the internal liners, the wells were producing water with large amounts of sand. The water from the two wells now contains very small amounts of sand, and it can be pumped directly into the system without creating any problems. This is a great asset to the overall water-supply system for Plainview.

The reduction in the specific capacities of Plainview's Wells 9, 11, and 16 may partially be due to the lowering of the static water levels in the area. However, it also is possible that the static water-level decline has not been great enough to cause all of the decline in specific capacity that has occurred at these three wells. A more likely cause for the reduction in specific capacity of these three wells, as well as the reductions that are shown for Plainview's Wells 12, 15, and 17, is partial clogging of

the screen or slotted pipe and the gravel pack. If there is partial clogging of the screens or slotted pipe in these six wells, it may be possible to restore part of the lost specific capacity by using mechanical swabbing, chemical treatment, including the use of acids, small explosive charges in the screen section, cleaning detergents, or a combination of these methods. A decision on whether an attempt should be made to restore lost specific capacity should be made if the City determines that the well is not providing water at an acceptable rate and after a camera survey is made of the well bore to help assess the condition of the screen and blank casing. Recovering part or all of the lost specific capacity in a well should result in some increase in its pumping rate, even if the same pump is reinstalled in the well.

## Pump Performances

Measurements used for determining pump performance are pumping water level, discharge rate, and discharge pressure. These measurements were made essentially simultaneously during the pumpperformance checks. The resultant field head-capacity data for one or more pumping rates were then compared with head-capacity data presented by laboratory performance curves which show how the pump should generally perform if there is no wear and the impellers are properly set in the bowls. Of the 12 pumps that were checked, field performance curves were not available for the pumps in Wells 9 and 12. Thus changes in the performance of the pumps in these two wells could not be determined.

The results of the pump-performance checks for Plainview's Wells 4, 5, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 19 are shown graphically in the appendix. Checks were not made at Wells 7 and 18 because it was not possible to measure the pumping levels. Well 10 could not be pumped because there was no place to dispose of the water. However, performance curves for these three pumps also are included in the appendix. We were unable to find performance curves for the pumps installed in Plainview's Wells 9 and 12. The following general comments about the performance of each pump are based on a comparison of the field test-data points with the laboratory-performance curves given in the appendix.

- Well 4. The data point from the 1992 check is slightly below the head-capacity curve. Thus, the pump may be performing about as when it was installed in 1983.
- Well 5. The field-data points fall below the head-capacity curve, and this could indicate there has been some wear to the pump. There are no records as to whether the pump performed in accordance with the curve when it was installed.
- Well 8. The field-data points fall below the head-capacity curve. This indicates there has been some wear to the pump since it was installed in 1989 provided it operated in accordance with the manufacturer's curve at that time.
- Well 11. The field-data point matches the head-capacity curve. This indicates there has been no wear to the pump.
- Well 13. It appears that the field-data points could match the head-capacity curve. However, sufficiently complete data are not available for the pump for making such a determination with certainty.
- Well 14. The field-data points fall below what appears to be the original head-capacity curve for the pump. Thus there probably has been some wear to the pump if

the pump operated in accordance with the manufacturer's curve when it was installed.

Well 15. Data points from the 1992 check are lower than those measured in 1969. This indicates some wear to the pump could have occurred.

Well 16. The field-data points fall below the head-capacity curve. This indicates there has been some wear if the pump was performing in accordance with the curve when it was installed.

Well 17. The field-data points indicate the pump is performing below the manufacturer's head-capacity curve. However, there is reason to question whether this is the correct curve because the field-data points are so far below the curve. The field data indicate the 40-horsepower motor installed on the pump is too small for the head-capacity curve shown and the pump should be equipped with at least a 50-horsepower motor. The electrical load on the motor should be monitored in an attempt to resolve this question.

Well 19. The field-data point measured in 1992 is significantly below the head-capacity curve. Thus there has been some wear to the pump since it was installed in 1984.

In summary, the data collected as part of the present checks show that the pumps in Plainview's Wells 4 and 11 are generally performing as they should. The performances of the pumps installed in Plainview Wells 13, 15, 17, and 19 are poorer than is indicated by their laboratory performance curves, although there is some question as to whether the pump curve for Well 17 is the correct one. The reduction in the performance of the pumps, which probably is due to general wear, contributes to the lower pumping rates of the wells. Almost all wells produce at least a small amount of sand and this can cause wear to the pumps.

The performance of the pumps in Wells 15 and 17 might be improved a small amount by adjusting the setting of the impellers in

the bowl assemblies. Submersible pumps are installed in wells 13 and 19 and the position of the impellers in the bowls was set at the factory, thus precluding the practicality of adjusting them now. Another method of improving the performance of a pump would be to either rebuild the pump bowl assembly, if practical, or replace the bowl assembly with a new one. The cost to remove a pump from a well, rebuild or replace the pump bowls, and reinstall the pump would be at least \$4,000.00 to \$5,000.00.

## Suspended Solids (Sand) Checks

The suspended solids (sand) content of the water from Plain-view's Wells 4, 5, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 17, and 19 was measured while performing the specific-capacity and pump-performance checks. A sand check also was made at Well 18. Suspended solids were not measured for Wells 7, 13, and 16 because there were no sampling ports available to collect water, and it was not possible to pump Well 10. Results of the measurements that were taken show that the wells produced a very small amount of sand after pumping for 5 to 10 minutes. The recorded measurements show only a trace or a few grains of sand per liter of water. The wells were pumped for relatively short times of from about an hour to a few hours during the course of the checks.

#### PUMPAGE OF GROUND WATER

Pumpage of ground water in the study area is for municipal, domestic and stock, industrial, and irrigation uses. Based on

the last Texas Water Development Board crop survey, an estimated 210,000 acre-feet of ground water was pumped for irrigation in 1989 in the study area as shown on Figure 1. This is equivalent to an average continuous pumping rate of 187.5 million gallons per day (mgd). In 1989, the combined municipal pumpage by the City of Plainview, Hale Center, and Kress was about 3,322 acre-feet (equivalent to an average of about 3.0 mgd), and pumpage for industrial use was estimated at about 1,360 acre-feet (1.2 mgd). Pumpage for domestic and stock use was estimated at possibly 2,000 acre-feet (1.8 mgd). Pumpage by the City of Plainview alone was about 2,880 acre-feet (2.6 mgd). Thus, pumpage by the City of Plainview was about 1.3 percent of the 216,682 acre-feet of water pumped in the study area in 1989, and about 1.4 percent of the amount of water pumped for irrigation.

## Municipal Withdrawals

Records of ground-water pumpage were obtained from the Texas Water Development Board for the City of Plainview, Hale Center, Kress, Westridge Water Company, the Ebeling Water Supply Corporation, and the Pleasant Hills #2 water system. The town of Kress is located on Highway 27 about 3.5 miles north of the Hale-Swisher County line, but it produces some of its water from Well 11-43-704 located near Finney in Hale County. Pumpage records for Plainview and Hale Center begin in 1955, for the Westridge Water Company in 1979, for the Ebeling and Pleasant Hills #2 water systems in 1983; and for Kress in 1984.

The lower graph on Figure 3 shows total annual pumpage for municipal supply in Hale County beginning in 1955 for Plainview and the combined pumpage by Hale Center, Westridge Water Company, and the Ebeling and Pleasant Hills #2 water systems. As shown on Figure 3, Plainview's pumpage averaged about 2.8 mgd in 1955, and its average annual pumpage reached a maximum of about 4.3 mgd in 1965. In late 1968 or early 1969, Plainview began obtaining and treating water from the Canadian River to provide part of its overall supply. As a result, Plainview's average annual pumpage was reduced. From 1969 through 1991, it has ranged from about 1.5 to 2.9 mgd. In 1990 and 1991, Plainview's pumpage averaged 2.9 and 2.5 mgd, respectively.

Water from Wells 11-51-414 (Plainview's Well 13) and -415 (Plainview's Well 14) is blended with water treated at the surface-water plant. Available records of pumpage for individual wells show that Wells 13 and 14 produced about 66 and 75 percent of the total amount of ground water pumped by Plainview in 1986 and 1991, respectively. While records are not available to show pumpage for individual wells by years for the entire period of record, the records for 1986 and 1991 and conversations with the Plainview staff indicate that probably at least 50 to 60 percent of the ground water that has been pumped each year since 1968 has come from Wells 13 and 14. Wells 13 and 14, plus any other wells that are drilled to provide water to the surface-water treatment plant, probably will continue to provide a large percentage of the ground water used in the system. Water pumped from the other 13 Plainview

wells mainly is used to provide water for peaking during the months with higher water demand and also to provide water to the parts of Plainview that are farther from the surface-water treatment plant.

Pumpage data for Kress do not show how much water was pumped from Well 11-43-704 nor how much was pumped from its wells in Swisher County, but it appears from available information that about 66 percent of the town's total pumpage was from the well in Hale County. The Westridge Water Company, which included Well 11-50-608, was acquired by Plainview in 1992. The Pleasant Hills #2 water system pumps water from Wells 11-50-605A and -605B, and the Ebeling Water Supply Corporation pumps water from Well 11-50-605C.

Pumpage data for the Westridge Water Company, Pleasant Hills #2 water system, and Ebeling Water Supply Corporation are available for recent years. Pumpage by the Westridge Water Company was about 0.023 mgd in 1979, peaked at about 0.045 mgd in 1980, and was about 0.04 mgd in 1990. Pumpage data for the Ebeling and Pleasant Hills #2 water systems are available beginning in 1988. The combined pumpage of both of these systems in 1990 was about 0.025 mgd.

Hale Center, in the very southwest part of the study area, also pumps ground water for municipal use. Its pumpage in 1955, 1960, 1970, 1980, and 1990 was 0.25, 0.35, 0.30, 0.37, and 0.37 mgd, respectively.

The town of Kress in Swisher County has used a well located at Finney in Hale County for the past 5 to 7 years. If the well provides about 66 percent of the water used by Kress, as might be inferred from data obtained from the Texas Water Development Board, average annual pumpage from the well probably has ranged from about 0.049 to 0.081 mgd during the past 5 to 7 years.

## Industrial Withdrawals

Three industrial water users were identified in the area surrounding Plainview during the field inventory. Zipp Industries, which produces fertilizer, is located just northwest of Plainview. Its reported use of about 0.014 mgd is pumped from Well 11-50-3A. Water pumped at the plant is recycled, which helps reduce consumption.

The Excel meat-packing plant, located north of Plainview, reported that its long-term average water usage can vary from about 0.4 to 1.3 mgd, but that it averages about 1.0 mgd. Water usage at the plant from July 1991 through June 1992 was about 1.2 mgd. Personnel with Excel did not indicate that they plan to increase their use of ground water. Excel obtains its water from Wells 11-51-204A and -204B and three other wells located near the plant.

The Azteca Milling Company, located south of Plainview, obtains water from Wells 11-50-905A and 11-59-101B. These two wells were completed in 1990 and 1991, and the reported average pumping rate from mid-1991 to mid-1992 was about 0.25 mgd.

## Irrigation Withdrawals

A vast majority of the ground water that is pumped in the study area is used for the irrigation of crops. Most of the irrigated acreage is planted to cotton, grain sorghum, or corn, with some planted to soybeans, other row crops, and wheat. the results of surveys of irrigation in Texas published by the Texas Water Development Board, the irrigated acreage in Hale and Floyd Counties has gradually decreased since 1958. It is assumed that the irrigated acreage in the study area also has changed to the same extent as the total irrigated acreage in the two coun-The amount of water applied per acre per year also has gradually decreased. The crop surveys performed in Hale County in 1969 and 1989 showed duties of about 1.93 and 1.30 acre-feet of water per acre of irrigated land, respectively. The crop surveys performed in 1969 and 1989 in Floyd County show duties of 1.00 and 0.58 acre-feet of water applied per acre of irrigated land, respectively. The irrigation duty in Floyd County is less than in Hale County, probably because a larger percentage of the irrigated acres is planted to crops that require less water than is the case in Hale County.

The latest published irrigation inventory by the Texas Water Development Board was performed in 1989. Based on the 1989 survey, it is estimated that about 210,000 acre-feet of water was pumped for irrigation in the study area, which is located in both Hale and Floyd Counties. Irrigation pumpage in 1958, 1969,

1979, and 1984 is estimated to have been about 264,000, 332,000, 176,000, and 249,000 acre-feet, respectively. In arriving at these pumpage estimates, the percentage of the total land area for a given county that was irrigated was multiplied by the land area of that county located within the study area to arrive at the irrigated acreage within that portion of the study area. This irrigated acreage then was multiplied by the applicable irrigation duty for that county to arrive at irrigation pumpage within that portion of the study area. The calculated irrigation pumpage for the two parts of the study area then were added together to provide an estimate of total irrigation pumpage for the study area.

Water is pumped for irrigation of the golf course of the Plainview Country Club and for greenscape irrigation at Wayland Baptist University. It is estimated that about 225 acre-feet per year is pumped to irrigate about 120 acres at the golf course and about 55 acre-feet per year is pumped to irrigate about 30 acres of greenscape, including athletic fields, at the university. The pumpage varies from year to year depending on climatic factors, including the amount and timing of precipitation and the length of the growing season.

There is adequate saturation of the Ogallala aquifer in almost all of the study area to continue to support irrigated agriculture and other related uses. It is expected that irrigation and other large-scale pumpage will continue in the study area for many years.

#### WATER LEVELS

Static water levels have been measured in at least a few wells in the study area since the early part of the 1900's. In general, the data show that the static water levels in wells screening the Ogallala aquifer have declined more than 100 feet since the mid-1940's when large-scale irrigation started. Declines have been gradual, with the rate of water-level decline being somewhat reduced since about the mid-1980's.

The long-term decline in the static water levels in selected Plainview wells is shown on Figure 3. As shown by Figure 3, water levels in Well 11-51-403 (Well 2) declined about 59 feet from 1955 to 1992. Although not shown on Figure 3, a similar amount of water-level decline occurred over this same time period in Well 11-51-508 (Well 4), and water levels declined about 69 feet in Wells 11-51-405 (Well 8) and -507 (Well 5). Data for these wells are given in Tables 1 and 2. Water-level data for Well 11-51-105 (Well 19) show a static water-level decline of about 7 feet from 1983 to June 1992. Data for Well 11-51-403 (Well 2) show that the rate of water-level decline from about 1988 through 1992 was less than it was for the period from 1967 to 1988.

Static water levels were measured in a number of Plainview's wells in June 1968 and June 1992. Measured depths to the water and the amounts and rates of water-level declines between the two dates are given in Table 3. Static water-level data for other wells located in parts of the study area outside Plainview also

are given in the table and the well locations are shown on Figure 1. The data show that the average rates of water-level decline in Wells 11-51-414 (Well 13) and -415 (Well 14) were greater than they were in the other City of Plainview wells, and this is believed to be due to the higher average rate of withdrawal from these two wells.

As shown by the data in Table 3, the amounts of water-level decline that occurred in the nine wells located outside Plainview ranged from about 46 to 85 feet and averaged about 67 feet for the period between January 1968 and December 1991 or February 1992. The rate of decline for these nine wells over this period of time averaged about 2.79 feet per year. The average amount of water-level decline that occurred in the Plainview wells from 1968 to 1992 was only about 42 feet or an average of 1.75 feet per year. The lower amount of decline in the Plainview wells is believed to be primarily due to the lower overall pumpage per square mile in and near Plainview.

Long-term water-level hydrographs for wells that are located to the northwest, east, and southwest of Plainview are shown on Figure 4. They show that water levels have declined about 150 feet since about 1945 when large-scale irrigation started in the study area. Declines have been gradual, with the rate of water-level decline decreasing since about 1985. The decreased rate of decline is believed to be due to generally higher than normal amounts of precipitation during the 1980's and the resultant reduction in the amount of water pumped for irrigation. Depths

to static water levels in the irrigation wells in December 1991 ranged from about 195 to 235 feet below ground level. By comparison, depths to static water levels in the Plainview wells ranged from about 141 to 192 feet below ground level when measured in June 1992.

The estimated altitudes of water levels in wells screened in the Ogallala aquifer in the winter of 1991 and the spring of 1992 are shown on Figure 5. The water-level data show that the general direction of ground-water movement through most of the study area is to the east and southeast. As discussed in a previous section of the report, there is a thinning of the Ogallala south of Plain-view because of the presence of the structural high that is associated with the Lower Cretaceous strata. As a result, the ground-water movement in this area is to the north and east as water moves downgradient from the Lower Cretaceous high.

The hydraulic gradient in the aquifer in the study area is generally downward to the east-southeast. It ranges from about 7 to 14 feet per mile. The water-level contours show that there is a flattening of the hydraulic gradient in the area of Plainview, indicating a small mounding of ground water in storage in the aquifer below Plainview.

#### WATER QUALITY

Water-quality data are available for Plainview's wells, wells owned by Hale Center, and for other wells located in the study area. The results of chemical analyses are given in Table 4, and

selected water-quality data are shown on Figure 6. In general, the data show that water from the wells that were sampled is of good quality. It contained total dissolved solids (TDS) of less than about 500 milligrams per liter (mg/l). The recommended upper limit for water to be used for public supply is 1,000 mg/l. Total dissolved solids values for wells in the study area are included with the water-quality data shown on Figure 6.

Chemical-analysis results show that Plainview's wells have TDS that range from about 357 to 798 mg/l. Analyses of samples collected from Wells 11-51-414 (Well 13) and -415 (Well 14) in April 1987 had TDS concentrations of 419 and 440 mg/l, respectively. These two wells have provided a majority of the ground water used by Plainview since about 1969.

Total dissolved solids in samples collected from Wells 11-51-413 (Well 12) in June 1992 and 11-51-507 (Well 5) in April 1987 were 763 and 798 mg/l, respectively. There does not appear to be anything unusual about the location or the construction of these two wells that would cause them to produce water with higher TDS values than other Plainview wells located nearby. The constituents that are at higher concentrations in the water from these wells are sodium, sulfate, and chloride. It is recommended that as the wells are used water samples should be collected periodically and analyzed for the general mineral constituents that constitute TDS.

Well 11-51-404 (Well 7) was sampled in April 1987 and had a TDS content of 798 mg/l. The well was sampled again in June 1992

and had a TDS content of 535 mg/l. The reason for the fluctuation in the TDS in this well has not been identified, but it is suggested that water samples be collected from it about every 6 months and analyzed for the general mineral constituents that make up the TDS value to see if there is a progressive change in water quality.

Results of analysis of water samples collected from Well 11-50-301A, owned by Zipp Industries, show an elevated concentration of TDS of 5,200 mg/l beginning in 1972. Well 11-50-301A is an irrigation well that is located within an area of old evaporation ponds just east of the Zipp Industries plant. Prior to about 1981, the well was used to supply water for process cooling in the ammonia plant, and the water was eventually discharged into the evaporation ponds. Local contamination of the ground water at the facility apparently occurred in the 1960's and part of the 1970's, and the plant has been conducting remedial pumping over the past 10 years or so to remove the contaminated water from the aquifer.

The chemical-analysis data show that the TDS content of the water from Well 11-50-301A has been gradually decreasing over the past several years, and in June 1991 it was down to a level of about 2,641 mg/l. The analyses for water from Well 11-50-3A, located near Well 11-50-301A, show a recent TDS value of 745 mg/l. The chemical-analysis data indicate that the increase in TDS in the water from Well 11-50-3A since early 1982 of 231 mg/l has been gradual, possibly as the result of the aquifer contamination that

occurred in the vicinity of the old evaporation ponds. Waterquality data for water from other wells located near the Zipp
Industries wells show that the aquifer contains concentrations of
TDS that do not appear to be elevated. The water quality for this
facility is continuing to be reviewed as part of an ongoing Zipp
Industries and Texas Water Commission monitoring program.

The City of Plainview's Well 11-51-105 (Well 19) is located about 0.7 mile southeast of Well 11-50-301A. Plainview should stay abreast of the continuing water-quality monitoring program at Zipp Industries and be ready to respond if there is an indication that there are increases in TDS in any wells located between Zipp Industries and the location of Well 11-51-105 (Well 19).

A total dissolved solids content of 1,598 mg/l was measured in a water sample collected in May 1992 from Well 11-43-8A. This well, located north of Plainview, is owned by Excel. The water sample was collected from the well as part of an ongoing water-quality investigation by Excel. The elevated concentrations of TDS, sodium, and chloride in the sample show that there has been some local contamination of the aquifer. Water samples have been collected from Wells 11-51-204A and -204B that are also located on the Excel plant property. The TDS in Well 11-51-204A does not appear to be elevated, but the TDS in Well 11-51-204B appears to be somewhat elevated compared to the values shown on Figure 6 for other wells in the area that screen the Ogallala aquifer. The data collected to date do not indicate that the ground-water contamination that has occurred at the Excel plant poses a threat to

the water supply for Plainview. However, Plainview should stay informed of the results of the ongoing investigation of water quality at the plant.

The total hardness content in water samples collected from most of the wells screening the Ogallala aquifer in the study area ranged from 131 to 385 mg/l as calcium carbonate. Water with these concentrations is classified as moderate to very hard in total hardness. In the area within about 3 miles to the east-northeast of Plainview, the limited data show a total hardness ranging from about 231 to 265 mg/l.

The recommended primary drinking-water standards limit for fluoride in water to be used for public supply is 4.0 mg/l and the recommended secondary limit is 2.0 mg/l. Results of analyses of samples collected from wells in the study area show that the recommended limit of 4.0 mg/l of fluoride was not exceeded except for a sample collected from Well 11-58-401 in 1945. The data show that water samples obtained from some of the wells, including some of the wells owned by Plainview, did contain concentrations of fluoride which exceeded 2.0 mg/l. As shown by the data on Figure 6, the higher concentrations of fluoride generally occur in wells that are located in the eastern and southern parts of the study area.

Water samples from a few of the wells providing water to Plainview have been analyzed for arsenic, barium, cadmium, chromium, lead, mercury, selenium, and silver. For the most part, these samples were collected and analyzed in 1987. The results

of the analyses show that the concentrations of these eight constituents were below detection limits, and thus it is reasonable to believe they have always been below the maximum levels allowed for water to be used for public supply.

A few of the wells providing water to Plainview have been sampled and analyzed for radionuclides. Results of the analyses show that radionuclides in the water are below the limits allowed for public supply.

Water samples normally are not collected from individual wells for analysis of herbicides, pesticides, trihalomethanes, volatile organic compounds, and radionuclides unless the Texas Water Commission determines that samples should be collected and analyzed for these constituents. A search of the files at the Texas Water Commission failed to locate any analyses for these constituents, except for a few analyses for radionuclide constituents as discussed above. According to the records of the Texas Water Commission in Austin, water provided by Plainview's wells is not listed as being in violation of any of the Primary Drinking Water Standards. In the future, water samples will need to be collected where water enters the distribution system in order to be in compliance with Phase II of the Safe Drinking Water This means that water samples will need to be collected from any of the City's wells that pump directly into the distribution Samples also will need to be collected at the discharge from pump stations that obtain water from one or more wells or that distribute water from the surface-water treatment plant.

### SATURATED THICKNESS

The saturated thickness of the Ogallala aquifer is the difference in the depth or elevation between the static water level and the base of the aquifer. Drillers' logs were used to pick the base of the aquifer, and water-level measurements made in wells or test holes were used to determine the position of the water level. As noted in an earlier section of this report, the aquifer is composed principally of interbedded sands, gravels, and clays.

Information for the base of Ogallala aquifer as shown on Figure 2 was used with the water-level measurements and contours shown on Figure 5 to estimate the saturated thickness of the aqui-The elevation control used for the wells on both maps was from U. S. Geological Survey topographic maps having contour intervals of 5 feet and a scale of 1 inch equals 2,000 feet. saturated thickness in the immediate area of Plainview ranges from about 110 to 170 feet as shown on Figure 7. This area has one of the greater overall saturated thicknesses for the study area. the east of Plainview, the saturated thickness ranges from about 100 to 170 feet. The saturated thickness decreases significantly north and northeastward from Plainview, and at the intersection of Highway 27 and the Swisher County line, the estimated saturated thickness is less than 50 feet. To the west and northwest of Plainview, the saturated thickness ranges from about 70 to 140 feet. In the vicinity of the Lower Cretaceous high south of Plainview, there are small areas where the saturated thickness

of the Ogallala is estimated to be as little as 10 feet. However, there are areas just east of the Lower Cretaceous high where the saturated thickness is estimated to be as great as 180 feet.

As discussed earlier, the water-level hydrographs on Figures 3 and 4 show that the water levels in the Ogallala aquifer have declined over the past approximately 50 years about 120 to 150 feet. Therefore, the saturated thickness of the aquifer has decreased accordingly over this time period, because each foot of water-level decline represents one foot less saturated thickness.

#### WATER IN STORAGE

The Ogallala aquifer receives very little recharge due to the relatively modest amount of precipitation and the high rate of evaporation in the area. In a regional model report prepared by the U. S. Geological Survey entitled "Digital Simulation of Ground-water Flow in the High Plains Aquifer in Parts of Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas, and Wyoming," it is estimated that recharge in the Hale County area was only about 0.1 inch per year. This is a very small amount of recharge per year, particularly when compared to the amount of pumpage that occurs in the area. Because of the small amount of recharge, almost all of the water pumped from the aquifer is from water in storage. Withdrawing water from storage results in a lowering of the water table. The amount of water available from storage is dependent on the saturated thickness and the

water-bearing and water-yielding characteristics of the permeable sediments.

Based on a review of the drillers' logs and a few electric logs for wells and test holes within the study area, it is estimated that, in general, about 75 percent of the saturated thickness of the aquifer is permeable material. The permeable sediments are principally recorded as sand and gravel on drillers' logs. Essentially all of the water that can be obtained from the aquifer comes from water stored in the pore space of these sediments. For purposes of estimating the amount of water in storage, it was assumed that the drainable porosity (specific yield or storage coefficient) of the permeable materials was 25 percent. That is, 25 percent of the volume of these water-bearing materials is water which will be released or drained from storage as the sediments are unwatered due to water-level declines.

The amount of water in storage was estimated for the approximate 13 square miles of area that is inside the city limits of Plainview. Based on a review of drillers' logs and electric logs for wells and test holes drilled in Plainview, it is estimated that about 80 percent of the total saturated thickness is permeable material and that the porosity of the material is 25 percent. The estimated saturated thickness within the city limits ranges from a high of about 170 feet to a low of about 110 feet. Using the data and assumptions given above, it is calculated that about 240,000 acre-feet of water is in storage in the Ogallala aquifer beneath Plainview. Of the 240,000 acre-feet, it is estimated that

about 40,000 acre-feet is in storage in the area south of Southwest Third Street.

Irrigation wells are located very near Plainview, and in fact, some are inside the city limits as shown on Figure 1. Pumping from these irrigation wells withdraws some of the water that is in storage beneath Plainview. Therefore, Plainview cannot count on all this water being available for its future water supply. If it is assumed that 20 percent of the water in storage beneath Plainview will be withdrawn by others in the future, about 190,000 acre-feet of water still will be available beneath Plainview. About 150,000 acre-feet of this amount is located north of Southwest Third Street.

There is a large amount of water in storage in the area surrounding Plainview. If the saturated thickness in an area is 100 feet and 75 percent of that thickness is permeable material with a specific yield (storage coefficient) of 25 percent, there is about 12,000 acre-feet of water in storage under each square mile. In areas where the saturated thickness is as much as 150 feet, there would be about 18,000 acre-feet of water in storage under each square mile.

### GROUND-WATER AVAILABILITY

### City of Plainview Area

Information presented in the previous two sections of this report shows that 190,000 acre-feet of water is estimated to be in

storage in the aquifer beneath Plainview and available for development by the City. An important qualification of this storage estimate is that this volume of water can be withdrawn only if the Ogallala is completely drained to its base. Since it usually is not possible to lower the water level on an areal basis to the base of the aquifer by pumping, a volume somewhat smaller than that given above would actually be recoverable. It is estimated that about two-thirds to three-fourths of the estimated 190,000 acre-feet that is in storage for City use can be withdrawn by wells. Thus, about 127,000 to 143,000 acre-feet of water is available from the Ogallala within the City for its future use. If the City continues to use water in the aquifer at the rate of about 3,000 acre-feet per year, the recoverable water in storage would provide a supply for about 42 to 48 years. If Plainview was to use water at a greater rate, the supply would last for a shorter period of time.

As the saturated thickness of the Ogallala beneath Plainview decreases with the continued withdrawal of water, the specific capacities and yields of wells will decrease. When the saturated thickness decreases to an estimated 50 feet or so, the yields could be a few hundred gpm for properly constructed and thoroughly developed wells. Plainview has 15 operating wells with a combined pumping rate of about 9,000 to 10,000 gpm or an average rate per well of about 600 to 660 gpm. If the yield per well at some time in the future is 300 to 400 gpm, 23 to 33 wells would be required for Plainview to maintain a combined pumping rate of 9,000 to

10,000 gpm. Presently, the saturated thickness in the wells operated by Plainview ranges from about 130 to 170 feet. Thus, it will take many years for the saturated thickness of the Ogallala beneath Plainview to reach 50 feet, assuming the present rates of water-level decline continue in the Plainview wells.

If market conditions for agriculture were to improve and more acres were irrigated, pumpage for irrigation would increase in proximity to Plainview and additional water would be withdrawn from the aquifer. Additional irrigation pumpage also would reduce the overall amount of water that remains in storage, in particular under the peripheral areas of Plainview.

# Area Surrounding Plainview

As stated earlier, there is a large amount of ground water in storage in areas surrounding Plainview. The areas of greater saturated thickness are located to the east and northwest of the City. To the east of Plainview, the saturated thickness ranges from about 100 to 170 feet. Northwest of Plainview it ranges from about 70 to 140 feet. If the average saturated thickness in both areas is 120 feet and 75 percent of the thickness is permeable material with a specific yield of 25 percent, there is about 14,400 acre feet of water stored under each square mile. If two-thirds to three-fourths of the water could be recovered by wells, there would be about 9,500 to 10,800 acre feet of water available under each square mile. This quantity of water under one square mile of area would satisfy the ground-water usage in the City of Plainview

for a period of about 3 to 3-1/2 years at its present rate of water use. From these estimates, one can see that Plainview would need to acquire about 10 sections (square miles) of land to have a 30- to 35-year supply of water from storage.

It is recommended that Plainview start acquiring water rights in the areas just west or east of the City and/or start investigating the acquisition of water rights in areas farther removed from Plainview either to the northwest or east of the City. Purchasing water rights now and eliminating pumpage from the acquired area will help reduce the rate of static water-level decline due to pumpage for irrigation and thus help to preserve the water that is in storage under the property.

# Water Rights Costs

Information on the cost of water rights in the area of study was obtained from Jones Appraisal - Farm & Ranch, a firm that appraises the value of water rights for income tax depletion purposes. The information is based on land sales that were recorded in 1990 and 1991. The land-sales data show that the cost of land sold with the water in storage below it can vary from about \$500.00 to \$1,200.00 per acre within 5 miles of Plainview. The average cost of the water rights and land was about \$750.00 per acre. At greater distances to the east and the northwest of Plainview, the water rights and land costs ranged from about \$550.00 to \$800.00 per acre. The average cost of land with no water rights was about \$350.00 per acre. Based on the land prices

just given, the cost of buying water in storage without purchasing the surface rights could range from about \$150.00 to \$850.00 per acre and could average closer to \$200.00 to \$450.00 per acre. The land-sales data show that the cost of land has not been increasing over the past few years. They also show that the sizes of the tracts that were sold ranged from about 70 to 318 acres with the average size being about 160 acres. Thus, it appears that acquiring a large block of water rights could require about four land purchases per section of land.

### GROUND-WATER DEVELOPMENT

Drilling of new wells in Plainview or the purchase of water rights and subsequent drilling of wells outside the City should be preceded by acquisition and evaluation of site-specific data to determine whether a site is favorable for constructing a well. Prior to constructing a new well in Plainview, a test hole should be drilled at the site to obtain specific information on the composition and thickness of the Ogallala aquifer and the quality of the water in the aquifer. In addition, the site and the surrounding area should be checked with regard to its compliance with rules and regulations on wellhead protection, including the delineation of an estimated wellhead-protection area.

Potential areas inside or near Plainview that appear favorable for constructing additional wells when needed are shown on Figure 7. The area on the west side of Plainview provides a location or locations for wells to pump some of the water that now is

supplied by Wells 11-51-414 (Well 13) and -415 (Well 14). The area just to the east of Plainview provides potential sites for construction of a well or wells that could provide additional water and/or a backup supply for the Texas Department of Corrections facility that is going to be constructed about 2 miles east of Plainview. Wells constructed in these areas should be spaced about one-half mile apart.

Plainview has four production wells that are 30 or more years old. If a well develops a problem that cannot be economically repaired, the City should consider constructing a replacement well near the site of the existing well if there is enough space for another well.

Prior to acquiring water rights for any tract of land outside of Plainview, it is recommended that all available drillers'-log and water-quality data be obtained for the wells that are located on or near the prospective tract. Water samples should be obtained from wells on or bordering the tract. The samples should be analyzed for the constituents that are included in the complete primary and secondary drinking-water standards for water to be used for public supply. We estimate that the cost to set a large-capacity pump in an existing unequipped irrigation well, pump a sample, and analyze it for the complete primary and secondary drinking-water standard constituents to be about \$5,000.00. The cost of the analysis is about \$1,200.00 to \$1,500.00 of the total cost just given. We also recommend that about three properly spaced test holes be drilled on each square mile of water-rights

area that is to be acquired, if existing well data for the tract is not sufficient to define the thickness, character, and water quality of the aquifer.

# Test Hole Drilling

Each test hole should be drilled to obtain the best samples possible of the water-bearing formation. Circulated drill-cutting samples should be collected from the test hole from just below land surface to its total depth. The test hole should be drilled completely through the Ogallala and into the top of the Red Bed. The collected drill-cutting samples should be saved and sieve analyses run to determine the size and distribution of the sand and gravel grains in the sample. After the test hole has been drilled to its total depth, an electric log should be run in the test hole. The electric log should include at least two resistivity curves, a gamma ray curve, and a spontaneous potential curve. The electric log will provide additional information on the thickness and position of the various strata encountered and some information on the general quality of the water.

After examination of the drill-cutting samples and the electric log, at least one depth interval in the test hole should be selected for water sampling. A water sample can be collected from the test hole by setting temporary mill-slotted pipe and casing at least 4 inches in diameter in the hole. A water sample then can be pumped from the sampling interval by using a submersible or high-lift type pump set inside the mill-slotted pipe and casing.

The water sample should be collected after the temporary well has been pumped long enough to provide water that is completely clear. The water sample that is obtained from the test hole should be analyzed for the constituents included in the complete primary and secondary drinking-water standards for water to be used for public supply. The water-quality data obtained from the test hole will help assess the quality of the water in the Ogallala at the site, but the final quality of the water produced by a production well will only be known after the production well is pumped and tested.

The cost of a test hole drilled to 350 feet, including an electric log and sieve analysis of the drill-cutting samples, is estimated to be about \$7,000.00 to \$8,000.00. A water-sampling operation complete with associated chemical analysis is estimated to cost about \$7,000.00 to \$9,000.00 per water sample. Thus, the complete drilling, logging, and water-sampling operation is estimated to cost approximately \$14,000.00 to \$17,000.00 per test hole. Better estimates of the cost of test hole drilling and water sampling can be obtained after it is known where and how many test holes are to be drilled. The above estimates do not include the cost of site easements and engineering which could add about 25 to 30 percent to the overall drilling and water-sampling costs.

# Production Well

If the results of test-hole drilling and sampling are encouraging, the next step would be to drill a production well. It

would be desirable to have a test hole at the site where the City would like the production well.

At present, it is estimated that the production well would be constructed with 30-inch diameter casing set and pressure cemented to a depth of at least 100 feet. The screen and blank liner for the well would be 16 inches in diameter. It would be set in a 28inch diameter hole drilled below the surface casing. It is recommended that the screen for the well either be a louvered screen made of stainless steel or stainless-steel wire-wrapped screen on mild-steel pipe. It is estimated that the well would be about 310 feet deep and that it would have approximately 120 feet of screen set opposite the water-bearing sands and gravels of the Ogallala The gravel pack for the well should be of good quality, such as a Texas Mining Company gravel or Colorado silica sand. The well should be thoroughly developed by agitation and pumping to obtain the highest specific capacity possible, and also to orient and stabilize the gravel pack so that the well produces little if any sand with the water. We estimate that the pumping rate of a production well could range from 700 to possibly 1,000 gpm.

It is estimated that the cost of a well constructed in this manner would be about \$70,000.00 to \$90,000.00. This estimate does not include the cost of land or right-of-way, engineering, surveying, or a pump and motor for the well. The costs for two different sizes of pumping units for production wells have been estimated based on the information that is now available. A

water-lubricated pump capable of producing about 700 gpm and equipped with a 100-horsepower 1,770 rpm electric motor, switch-gear, and starter is estimated to cost about \$27,000.00. An alternate water-lubricated pump, rated to provide 1,000 gpm at a total head of about 350 feet, and equipped with a 125-horsepower 1,770 rpm electric motor, complete with switchgear and starter, is estimated to cost about \$30,000.00. The cost of engineering and field inspection associated with the construction and equipping of a well is estimated to be about 20 percent of the construction costs.

### WELLHEAD PROTECTION

One of the objectives of the study was to provide general guidelines for wellhead protection for the City. Wellhead protection involves the protection of the land area around a well from activities that could lead to contamination of water in the aquifer. The Safe Drinking Water Act defines a wellhead-protection area as the surface and subsurface area through which contaminants are likely to pass before reaching a well or group of wells used for public water supplies.

A wellhead-protection area can be divided into zones to allow for varying degrees of management relative to the sensitivity of each zone to ground-water contamination. For example, the outer boundary might be drawn to protect all recharge water to a particular well, based on the zone of contribution. Within this outer boundary, inner zones could be delineated using a variety of methods for wellhead protection. The zone requiring the most restrictive management, for example, could be designated as the area immediately surrounding the well or the area from which ground water is expected to reach the well within a relatively short time.

### Wellhead-Protection Survey

Prior to the final selection of a site for a production well, a wellhead-protection survey should be conducted at the site. Such a survey should include an inventory of all potential sources of contamination within the wellhead-protection area. At a minimum, the survey should cover an area within one-quarter (1/4) of a mile of the proposed well site. The survey should seek to identify, and where possible, eliminate, any sources which may contaminate water produced from the new well. Remediation of contamination after a well is in service can be costly and often prohibitive.

Potential sources of contamination to look for include the following: (a) land disposal of either solid or liquid wastes; (b) abandoned wells, test holes, etc.; (c) animal feedlots; (d) fertilizer and pesticide use; (e) accidental spills of chemicals or other contaminants; (f) septic tanks, cesspools, privies, etc.; (g) underground and aboveground storage tanks; (h) underground pipelines and sewer lines; (i) waste ponds and lagoons; and (j) graveyards.

Resources which can be used in these surveys include historical and recent aerial photographs, zoning and deed records,

state and federal agency files, interviews with residents and senior citizens, newspaper files, and old business or telephone directories.

## Well Construction

In general, new public water-supply wells should not be located near waste-storage or mixing areas for pesticides, motor fuels, or other contaminants. Wells should be located a minimum horizontal distance of 50 feet from any watertight sewage and/or liquid-waste collection facility. Also, wells should be located a minimum horizontal distance of 150 feet from any concentrated sources of contamination such as septic system absorption fields, privies, and existing or proposed livestock or poultry yards.

Plastic casing should be avoided if wells are to be located near chemical plants, industries using solvents, underground petroleum storage tanks and pipelines, or near rail lines or highways where organic solvents are frequently transported.

Texas Water Commission Rules specify that most wells should have the casing-borehole annular space filled with cement from the ground level to a depth of not less than 10 feet. However, with regard to new wells, the City of Plainview should consider filling the surface casing-borehole annular space with cement from the ground level to a depth of at least 100 feet and possibly 150 feet. This will provide added protection from concentrated pollution sources, and infiltration of surface water.

Installation of a concrete slab or sealing block around the surface casing and over the surface casing-borehole annular seal is important to protecting the well from contamination. The slab surface and land surface surrounding the slab should slope away from the well in all directions so that surface runoff drains away from the well. Care should also be taken to seal around the casing and pump base.

## Protection Techniques

A variety of factors, including dependence on ground water, local commitment to a ground-water protection program, and other factors will help to determine Plainview's local objectives in wellhead-protection management. The community may wish to provide protection against contamination of their new wells through the adoption of land-use regulations and ordinances. On the other hand, the City may wish to give highest priority to current or future problems stemming from particular sources, such as abandoned wells, underground storage tanks, industrial waste disposal, or agricultural practices.

Land-use regulations and ordinances can be tailored to meet Plainview's needs with regard to wellhead protection. Zoning ordinances, for example, can be used to prevent new potential sources of contamination from being located within the wellhead-protection boundaries. Other types of ordinances can require the proper closure of abandoned water wells and storage tanks.

Another means of limiting potential sources of contamination near wells is through the restriction of major capital improvements such as roads, sewers, and water mains, which are essential for intensive development.

Educational programs and community involvement are important in establishing a local ground-water management and protection plan. A local ground-water protection committee should be formed to work with the City to insure that best-management practices, ordinances, and regulations exist at the local level to control potential sources of contamination. This committee, in addition to other topics, should address the proper handling and disposal of hazardous materials by homeowners.

### FUTURE OBSERVATION DATA COLLECTION

Water levels, specific capacities, and pump performances for Plainview's wells have been measured on a rather infrequent basis in the past. It is recommended that in the future the static water level should be measured in each Plainview well at least once a month during the summer and about once every 3 months during the fall, winter, and spring. The specific capacity of each well should be determined at least once a year, and pump performance should be checked each time specific-capacity measurements are made. The specific-capacity and pump-performance checks require measuring the static water level, pumping water level, discharge rate, and discharge pressure at the well. A form, that can

be used for recording this type of information, is given in the appendix of this report.

The suspended solids (sand content) of the water produced by the wells also should be measured periodically. The sand content of the water can be measured with a 1-liter Imhoff cone. The tip of the cone should be graduated to provide measurements down to tenths of a milliliter.

The amount of water pumped from each well is currently measured, but it should be tabulated on a monthly basis to provide more detailed information on the temporal and areal distribution of pumpage.

After the data are collected, we recommend that Plainview develop and maintain charts which show how the water level in each well is varying with time and pumpage, and how the specific capacity and sand content of the produced water for each well is changing through the years.

TABLE 1. RECORDS OF WATER WELLS

Remarks		Observation well.				Observation well.					Deepened from 220 to 285 feet. Deepened from 215 to 285 feet.	Reported pumping rate 800 gpm in 1968.	מנוסו שפווי	ed from 245 to 305 feet. ed from 770 to 300 feet	ed pumping rate 700 gpm in 1969.	Depomed from 240 to 290 feet	ייים דומון דומים מייים וומפניי	Observation well.		Observation well.	Reported pumping rate 600 gpm in 1985.	ed from 220 to 335 feet.	Reported pumping rate 800 gpm in 1968.				Deepened from 220 to 295 feet,			Deepened from 200 to 285 feet.		Deepened from 195 to 275 feet.	
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Estimated Elevation	or base or Ogallala (feet)		3,118	3,088	3,103	3,100	3,133	3,135	•	3,118 3,128	1	3,124 3,115	3,066 3,115	3,105 3,063	3,065			ı	, ,	3,041	3,070	3,065	3,027	3,068	1	, ;	3,169	3,162	3, Ib/	3,231	
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Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

1	SY TRUBA	Observation well.  Deepened from 240 to 285 feet. Deepened from 200 to 280 feet. Located near evaporation ponds.	Drawdown 60 feet pumping 400 gpm in 6-74. Deepened from 185 to 305 feet. Deepened from 240 to 323 feet.	Drawdown 20 feet.  Deepened from 220 to 320 feet.  Observation well.	Pumping 100 gpm. Pumping 175 gpm in 12-91. Deepened from 210-342 feet.	Observation well.  Deepened from 185 to 298 feet.  Observation well.
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Screened Interval or Total Depth (feet)	700	204-322 211-275 324 211-275 225-285 200-260	185-305 253-313 240-280 238-323 267-330 250-352 286-366 250-360	220-320 222-322 244-335 187-220 114-334 197-297	260-320 321 274 299 193-317 238-308 182-342 213-325	195-355 236-342 332 231-327 215-315 302 200 315-355 318 202-302 205-265 202-315
Estimated Elevation of Base of Ogallala (feet)		3,121 3,110 3,110 3,158 3,169	3,113 3,100 3,000 3,000 3,100 3,115 3,115 3,115	3,117 3,110 3,080 3,094 3,126 3,126 3,099	3,090 3,001 3,001 3,002 3,065	3,118 3,091 3,140 3,140 3,138 3,145 3,102 3,102 3,112 3,112
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)	44.0	3,447 3,447 3,444 3,444 3,404 3,404	3,424 13,410 13,424 13,424 13,458 13,458 13,458 13,458 14,458	3,435 3,435 3,427 3,420 3,396	3 410 3 413 3 413 3 413 3 385 3 3 385 3 3 3 401 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	3,468 3,468 3,470 3,464 3,448 3,448 3,430 3,430 3,443 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,430 3,443
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Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

Remarks	Deepened from 250 to 294 feet.	Observation well.	Deepened from 160 to 276 feet. Observation well.	Drawdown 60 feet pumping 1,016 gpm in 7-83. Pump setting = 310 feet.	Deepened from 210 to 290 feet.	Deepened from 195 to 285 feet. Deepened from 200 to 319 feet. Deepened from 212 to 295 feet. Observation well. Deepened from 240 to 323 feet. Deepened from 240 to 312 feet. Hell abandoned. Well abandoned.	
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Screened Interval or Total Depth (feet)	288 292 288-294	1	156-276	263~360	203-299 190-290 -	200-260 200-268 200-285 205-285 218-285 218-302 174-319 206-295 266-294 201-291 201-312 185-305 185-30	
Estimated Elevation of Base of Ogallala (feet)	3,120 3,114 3,107	ı	3,131	3,028	3,105	3,078 3,008 3,008 3,009 3,008 3,008 3,008 3,008 3,009 1,008	
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)	3,405 3,401 3,397	3,395	3,403	3,407	3,399 3,402 3,365	3, 385 1885 1885 1885 1885 1885 1885 1885	
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Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

r Remarks	Pump setting = 230 feet.	Pump setting = 265 feet.		Pump setting = 298 feet.	Pump setting = 270 feet.	Pump setting = 240 feet.	Pump setting = 270 feet.	Pump setting = 290 feet.	Drawdown 85 feet pumping 1,001 gpm in 7-68. Pump setting = 230 feet,	Drawdown 166 feet pumping 757 gpm in 7-68. Pump setting = 280 feet,	New 7-stage pump bowls.  Drawdown 165 feet pumping 899 gpm in 7-68. Pump setting = 270 feet.	Reported yield of 750 gpm with 88 feet	용	Pump setting = 270 feet,	Pump setting = 270 feet.	Well abandoned.	Drawdown 46 feet pumping 1,104 gpm in 6-68. Pump setting = 290 feet.
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Stati Leve Depth to Water (feet)	112.00	95.00 95.00 123.00	165.80 164.00 124.00	169.60 113.00 121.00	162.00 114.00 132.00	162.50 124.00 122.00	44.85.85 86.888	136.00 136.00	95.00 139.00	141.20 114.00 154.90	108.00	154.20	41.90 98.18	123.87 90.00 110.00	159.00 131.00 157.30	158.90 121.00 114.00	164.00 110.00 155.00 165.40
Screened Interval or Total Depth (feet)	100-323	223-283	120-320	169-312	189-298	200-330	240-330	238-336	128-271	189-289	138-288	314	218-308 158	230-290	229-309	102-303	229-329
Estimated Elevation of Base of Ogallala (feet)	3,065	3,056	3,059	3,058	ı	3,062	3,078	3,075	3,080	3,081	3,087	•	3,080	3,072	3,056	3,061	3,050
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)	3,370	3,378	3,377	3,383	3,375	3,380	3,402	3,400	3,355	3,366	3,370	3,387	3,370	3,364	3,365	3,360	3,360
Year Com- pleted	1982 1953	1953	1957	1958	1959	1963	1964	1965	1968	1968	1968	1985	1978	1949	1963	1952	1968
Driller	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Robertson Drilling Co.	Robertson Drilling Co.	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Glbbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc.	H1 Plains Drilling, Inc.	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc.	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc.	Green Machinery Co.	L. A. Peeples	Western Well & Pump	Green Machinery Co.	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc.
Owner and Owner's Well Number	(Continued) City of Plainview City of Plainview - Well #7	City of Plainview - Well #8	City of Plainview - Well #9	City of Plainview - Well #10	City of Plainview - Well #11	City of Plainview - Well #12	City of Plainview - Well #13	City of Plainview - Well #14	City of Plainview - Well #16	City of Plainview - Well #17	City of Plainview - Well #18	Wayland Baptist University	Plainview Country Club City of Plainview	City of Plainview - Well #5	City of Plainview - Well #4	City of Plainview - Well #6	City of Plainview - Well #15
Well Number	Hale County 11-51-403A 404	405	410	411	412	413	414	415	416	417	418	420	4E 503	507	508	809	510

Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

r Remarks	Deepened from 198 to 333 feet.	Observation well.  Deepened from 160 to 288 feet.  Deepened from 200 to 300 feet.  Deepened from 210 to 310 feet.  Deepened from 178 to 320 feet.  Observation well.	Deepened from 220 to 325 feet.  Deepened from 240 to 340 feet.	Despende from 260 to 357 faet. Observation well.	Drawdown in feet pumping 250 gpm in 12-73. Observation well. Deepened from 250 to 362 feet. Deepened from 240 to 363 feet.
Use of Water 1/					
Static Water- Level Data th to ter eet) Date	6- 5-92	12-12-91 12-12-91 	12-12-91	12-15-54 1-11-80	12-73 1-12-80 12-12-91 6-5-92 6-5-92
Static Level Depth to Water (feet)	186.20	161.85	186.20	79.97	63.41 182.66 212.20 39.73 188.41 188.40
Screened Interval or Total Depth (feet)	235-345 264-365 237-330 227-334 257-335 257-335	295 295 192-312 150-290 148-288 148-288 190-330 298 190-330 190-310 318 194-314 196-325	- 334 336 344 340 320-340 237-317	340 238-319 348 240-357 236-348 237	202-322 303 225 60 60 237-381 257-325 257-325 304-384 222-362
Estimated Elevation of Base of Ogallala (feet)	3,024 3,025 3,025 3,023 2,988 2,988 3,015	3,098 3,098 3,093 3,067 3,067 3,048 3,041 3,041	3,008 3,008 3,000 3,000 2,997 3,027	2,000 2,9018 2,994 2,994 1,990	3,030 - 2,951 2,973 2,973 2,973 2,973 2,973 2,973 2,974 2,974
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)	3,388 3,388 3,388 3,388 3,388 3,388 3,388 3,388	2,33,33,33,33,33,33,33,33,33,33,33,33,33	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	3337 3337 3330 3330 330 330 330 330	3,323 3,324 3,324 3,334 3,334 3,338 3,338
Year Com- pleted	- 1968 1975 1974 1976 1976 1976	1974 1968 1974 1969 1969 1970 1971 1971	1966 1977 1970 1971 1975 1975	1970 1975 1974 1978 1954	1972 - 1974 1976 1976 1976 1974 1974
Driller	Bud Gibbons Drilling Green Machinery Co. J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. Green Machinery Co. Green Machinery Co. Crosby County Pump Co. Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Hale Center Drilling, Inc.	Bud Gibbons Drilling K & F Drilling Co. Langston Drilling Russell Drilling Jack Seay Drilling Co. Bud Gibbons Drilling J. B. Thrush Drilling J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. J. B. Thrush Drilling Langston Drilling Langston Drilling Langston Prilling Langston Prilling Langston Prilling Langston Drilling Langston Drilling Langston Drilling Langston Drilling Drilling Drilling Drilling Drilling Drilling Drilling Drilling	J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. O. R. C. Drilling Bud dibbons Drilling Bud dibbons Drilling J. B. Thrush Drilling O. R. C. Drilling Walker Drilling Co.	Bud Gibbons Drilling Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Bud Gibbons Drilling J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. Green Machinery Co.	
Owner and Owner's Well Number	(Continued) Alvin Noels City of Plainview Douglas Graham J. L. Francis Mrrs. L. B. Rankin Martin Schur L. O. McClusky Estate Raymond Akin Farmers National Chemical Transco Corp.	Jack Roberson T. C. Clanton A. W. Howerton Marshall Kemp J. R. Mallow Haynes Machinery Co. Allen Angel Vinson Dixon Daugherry Bros. Elton Wilson Southwestern Grain Inc. G. D. Ellis	Clayton Terrell W. S. Noel Bolin & Stalcup E. W. Crisp Jack Ellis Elmo Stephens	C & S Pump & Machine Co. Glenn Terrell Ms. C. Shelton Harvey Hayes Jack Stephens Herbert King, Jr.	Melvin Kelm Carl Jackson Carl Jackson  - Maurice Hastey Billy Young Ida Seman Ida Seman Billy Young Elmer Lee Hattie Scrivner
Well Number	Hale County 11-51-511B 511C 518 6A 6A 6C 6C 6C 6C 6C	703 77 77 88 88 88 86 88 901	\$ # & & & # \$	11-52-1A 1B 1C 1D 1E 202 202	2A 404 404 4068 4068 408 408 40 40

Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

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Remarks		Deepened from 225 to 373 feet.	Observation well.			Observation well.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	respended from 350 to 3/8 feet,	Observation well,	Observation well.				Measured yield 330 gpm in 1955 Observation well.			Deepened from 268 to 296 feet.	Drawdown 40 feet pumping 500 gpm in	1-36. Pumping level 187 feet at 630 gpm. Drawdown 67 feet pumping 115 gpm in	6-76. Drawdown 58 feet pumping 140 qpm in	5-79. Reported yield 560 gpm.
Use of Water I/		HHH	Irr		ii j	ij	1 1 1 1 1	ij	Irr	Irr	Ir.	ı,	Iri	i.	Ir.	ijij,	i i	ri Sa	88	æ	Irr PS
Static Water- Level Data th to ter eet) Date		1-13-55	1-12-74 1-20-17 1-8-68	1-17-80 12-12-91 - - - 6- 5-92		12-16-80	16-01-21	1	3- 7-49 1- 5-68 1-17-80	1-10-91	16-01-21	1 1		3-14-47 1- 5-68	12-10-91		, ,	1-36	- 92-9	5-79	
Static Water Level Data Depth to Water (feet) Data		- 106.34	106.96 46.00 147.70	180.00	- 47.1	21.0.20	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	,	65.64 155.56 188.33	176.56 183.49	C7:CD2			57.39 152.80	225.28		, ,	51.00	142.00	126.00	
Screened Interval or Total Depth (feet)		213-373 229-334 292	292	168-318 343 260-342 195-340 231-359 243-383	336	920	240-320 349 229-344 176-318	254-365	1	345	222-318	244-344	225-333 337	1	223-319	183-307	224-296	215-348 123	117-317 206-307	195-295	220-340
Estimated Elevation of Base of Ogallala (feet)		2,944 2,999		2, 988 2, 982 2, 964 2, 964 2, 938	3.105	7	3,117	3,096	•	3,067	3,119	3,096	3,092 3,069	. •	3,082	3,088	3,114	500,2	3,103		3,129
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)		3,314 3,323 3,336	3,331	3,317 3,317 3,313 3,313 3,313 3,314	3,438		3,428	3,456	3,424	3,407	3,431	3,435	3,415 3,408	3,387	3,399	3,385	3,404	3,422	3,425	3,429	3,439 3,443 3,429
Year Com- pleted		1976 1977	1917	1963 1970 1975 1978 1972 1974	1972		1973 1976 1985 1965	1975	0761	1973	1973	1976	1978 1955	1944	1974	1971	1974	1936	1953 1976	1979	1968 1969 -
Driller		J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. Green Machinery Co.	•	Bogle & Flake Drilling Co. Bud Gibbons Drilling Walker Drilling Co. Green Machinery Co. Green Machinery Co. Langstron Drilling Green Machinery Co.	Bud Gibbons Drilling		Hi Plains Drilling Co. Hi Plains Drilling Co. Wall & Sons Drilling Bogle Drilling Co. J. B. Thrush Drilling Co.	Green Machinery Co.	,	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. O. R. C. Drilling	Hale Center Drilling	Green Machinery Co. B & F Drilling Co.	•	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Hale Center Drilling	Langston Drilling Co. Hi Plains Drilling Inc.	J. B. Thrush Drilling Co.	Grams and Mount	Peerless Pump Co. Hi Plains Drilling, Inc.	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc.	Green Machinery Co. Hí Plains Drilling, Inc.
Owner and Owner's Well Number	(Continued)	M. C. Nance L. L. Sililey	Wayne Rankin	Clyde Young C. Castleberry Thomas Browning Melvin Young Ann Thomas Hulan Hamlin Thunmas Thomas Hollis Sweart	Edwin Gloyna	•	G. C. Johnson John Bowling Gary Helbert J. L. Hobbs Benny James	Joe Webb		Joe Turner	Troy Brown U. V. Helbert	W. L. Reese	E. W. Smith	M. C. Johnson	Glen Day Ed Well	R. G. Russ Robert Johnson	Clyde Byrd O. F. Mason	City of Hale Center	City of Hale Center City of Hale Center	City of Hale Center	W. C. Burden Carter Caldwell City of Hale Center
Well Number	Hale County	11-52-5A 5B 702	703	47 72 78 88 80 7 78 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 88 8	11-58-103		106 106 17 17	95	i	205	<b>5</b> 53	ង្គ	3 H S	301	33 30	គ្គអ	# £	401	402 404	405	406 407 409

Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

Remarks	Deepened from 210 to 330 feet.	Observation well.  Well #2. Deepened from 245 to 340 feet. Deepened from 250 to 340 feet. Observation well.  Deepened from 205 to 310 feet.  Deepened from 200 to 305 feet.
Use of Water	88. 11111111111111111111111111111111111	
Static Water- Level Data th to ter bet) Date	5-11-36 	3- 4-49 1- 5-68 1-16-80 3-91 1-17-77 1-17-80 12-12-91 1-14-47 7- 6-92 7- 6-92
Static Level Depth to Water (feet)	51.92 51.92 7.7 91.25 1152.90 1189.18	64.63 149.09 191.00 191.00 177.26 207.25 207.25 207.25 204.59
Screened Interval or Total Depth (feet)	212-330 222-328 166-330 241-361 231-331 - - - - - - - - - - - - -	236-296 195-315 340 340 340 340 340 340 340 340 340 340
Estimated Elevation of Base of Ogallala (feet)	3,118 3,118 3,117 3,084 3,085 3,085 3,085 3,085 3,085 3,085 3,085 3,085 3,085 3,085	, 200 13 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)	3,425 3,423 3,445 3,445 3,445 3,408 3,408 3,395 3,390 3,390 3,390 3,390 3,390	3,387 3,387
Year Com- pleted	1963 - 1973 1978 1978 1975 1975 1973 1973 1973 1970 1978	1991 1965 1965 1965 1975 1970 1970 1970 1971 1971 1971 1971 1971
Driller	Bud Gibbons Drilling  HI Plains Drilling, Inc. J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. Bud Gibbons Drilling Green Machinery Co. Hale Center Drilling Walker Drilling Walker Drilling Walker Drilling Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Bud Gibbons Drilling Walker Drilling Walker Drilling Walker Drilling Walker Drilling Walker Drilling Walker Drilling	Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. Hi Plains Drilling, Inc. J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. Green Machinery Co. Hale Center Drilling Jack Seay Drilling Jack Seay Drilling J. B. Thrush Drilling J. B. Thrush Drilling J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. Green Machinery Co. Langston Drilling Green Machinery Co. Green Machining Green Machining O. R. C. Drilling Hale Genter Drilling Hale Center Drilling O. R. C. Drilling J. B. Thrush Drilling O. R. C. Drilling
Owner and Owner's Well Number	City of Hale Center City of Hale Center City of Hale Center Carter Caldwell Aubrey Terrell Rex Harrison U. V. Helbert J. C. Logan Estate Melvin Mahagan W. Rody Ben Romey John Lyles H. S. Dunaway Grady Sheperd Ms. O. Stout Ber Jacobs Fred Autry J. R. Caldwell	O. C. McClain  Azteca Milling Co. Woody Harper James Cannon George Benefield Riley True Jason Gordan Raymond Miller Lautz Simms Hershel Blankenship R. C. Yarbrough Curtis Groff C. C. Castleberry Ms. Moody McCullock Charles Clements T. I. Loter Haynes Machinery Co. Gaylan Schumacher Jack Phipps Jimmy Cornellus Wesley Schumacher Jack Roberson Charles Octumacher Jack Roberson Charles Schumacher Gaylan Schumacher Wesley Schumacher Wesley Schumacher Wesley Schumacher
Well Number	Hale County 11-58-410 411 412 40 40 40 55 55 56 56 68 66	11-59-101 1018 1018 115 116 117 117 118 118 118 118 118 118 118 118

Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

Remarks		Observation well.	Obcarvation sall		Observation well.		Deepened from 230 to 340 feet. Observation well.	Deepened from 210 to 348 feet. Observation weil.			Reported pumping rate 1,000 gpm in	1965. Drawdown 40 feet pumping 800 gpm in	ed pumping rate 1,000 gpm in			«n 70 feet pumping 850 gpm in	ed pumping rate 800 gpm in 1956. ad pumping rate 700 gpm in 1969. nn 45 feet pumping 560 gpm in	17 feet	30 feet pumping 800 gpm	40 feet pumping 600
		Observ	open do		Observ		Deepen	Deepen			Reporte	1965. Drawdov	5-67. Reported	1970		Drawdown	1965. Reported Reported Drawdown	12-73. Drawdown	1971. Drawdown	2-69. Drawdown 11-70.
Use of Water		Irr	į		Irr	Irr	ir Irr Irr	Irr Irr U	Irr Irr		ii.	Irr	Irr	•	•	Irr		Irr	Irr	Irr
Static Water- Level Data th to ter eet) Date		1-20-55	1- 2-80 1- 6-92 1- 2-80	1- 6-92 2- 8-90	1- 6-92	1- 6-92	6-27-14 1-8-68	1-18-80 12-12-91 - - 9-10-37 1- 2-68	1- 6-92		1-65	2-67		4-28-36	2-14-83	7-65 7-65	1-56 - 12-73	1971	5-69	11-70
Static Level Depth to Water (feet)		60.55	85.75 203.60 179.69	203.60	78.95 86.50	85.28 -	47.60	34.11 34.11 34.11 89.09	102.20		115.00	140.00	,	48.00	177.65	110.00	101.00	143.00	145.00	160.00
Screened Interval or Total Depth (feet)		ı	•	•	150	125	200-340 225-361 185-305 276	188-348 359 135	208-305 203-323		80-244 118-238 180-232 1 <b>66-266</b>	128-270	198-272	213	213	124-242	130-230 111-161 190-210	146-219	94-222	128-224
Estimated Elevation of Base of Ogallala (feet)		•	3,060	·	•		2,969 2,953 3,006	2,948 2,944	2,987 2,978		3,086 3,087 3,065 3,066	3,060	3,057			3,102	3,093 3,109 3,100	3,110	3,108	3.099
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)		3,341	3,375	3,339	3,327	3,321	3,304 3,314 3,306 3,310	3,293 3,294 3,303	3,287		3,338 3,322 3,328 3,328	3,321	3,325	3,322	3.321	3,322	3,320 3,314 3,317	3,318	3,325	3,311
Year Com- pleted		1954	1978	•	•	1978	1966 1978 1968	1967 1972 1937	1971 1968		1953 1964 1974 <b>1965</b>	1961	1970	1936		1965	1956 1969 1973	1971	1969	1970
Driller		•	Green Machinery Co., Inc.	,	1	J. B. Thrush Drilling	J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. Walker Drilling Co. K & F Drilling Co.	J. B. Thrush Drilling Co. Bud Gibbons Drilling M. E. Courtney	Green Machinery Co. K & F Drilling Co.		Green Machinery Co., Inc. Green Machinery Co., Inc. Frank Stark A. W. Fish	Green Machinery Co., Inc.	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Green Machinery Co., Inc.	•	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Green Machinery Co., Inc. Bud Gibbons Drilling Curtis Sanders	Curtis Sanders	Green Machinery Co., Inc.	Green Machinery Co., Inc.
Owner and Owner's Well Number	(Continued)	A. L. Higgans	Boyce A. Bryan	,	C. E. Crooks	Daniel Crooks	Jack Robertson Floyd Terrell Robert Kincaid R. L. Powell	Dale Lacewell Warren Mathis Wilkin Farms	John Ross Robert Kincaid		Luther B. Brandes L. B. Brandes Mrs. A. M. Dietrich R. K. Coley et al	W. Stoerner	L. Moore	M. C. Scheele	Mike & Warren Mathis	K. C. Pritchard	W. McLaughlin Clyde Gallagher M. C. Scheele	Jean Holeman	W. A. Boedeker	O. D. Torpley
Well Number	Hale County	11-59-402	404	405	503	504	11-60-1B 1C 1D 201	2A 2B 401	4A 4B	Floyd County	11-44-5A 6A 6B 6B 8A	88	90	901	903	<b>4</b> 6	୫% ጽ	36	3E	8

Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

	Kemarks	Reported pumping rate 700 gpm in 1971. Drawdown 72 fast numming 520 cmm in		1 2	3 8	i i	Reported pumping 1,000 gpm. Drawdown 30 feet pumping 650 grm in	3-70. Drawdown 50 ft numeing 1 000 mm in	maf 000/1 6a.a.a.a		Observation well.		Reported numbing rate 1.000 mm in	1967,		Observation well.		Observation well.			iset pumping 850 gpm	4-64.	Pumping 700 gpm.
Use of Water	ন	ir.	<u> </u>	1	111	Irr	ii i	ir.	i,		Iri	•	11 11	Irr	ijij,	Irr	Irr	Ind			; ;	: H	Irr
Static Water- Level Data th to ter her		2-71 12-73	9-63	3-54	1-69	1-26-66	1- 8-80 2-12-92 3-62 3-70	2-59		. , ,	1- 3-14	1- 8-80 4-10-67	2-12-92 - 4-67	ī i	. 1	1914	2-12-92 2-12-92 2-29-16	1- 9-68 - 1-26-66	1- 9-68 1- 4-80 2-12-92	4-73	4-64	; , ,	,
Static Level Depth to Water (feet)		150.00	98.00	80.00	120.00	139.00	194.90 93.00 140.00	90.00	• 1		49.50	160.00	221.38		1 1	51.20	233.94	157.90	201.65 241.21	1/3.00	150.00		•
Screened Interval or Total Depth (feet)		150-222	100-233	59-269	156~306	252	120-235 199-229	140-290	1 1	٠	298	223-373	223-373			274	286	290-390 248-401		108-3/8	186-376	ı	220-360
Estimated Elevation of Base of Ogallala (feet)		3,103	3,089	3,048	3,007	3,067	3,089 3,105	3,062	3,013	2,947	•	•	2,964	2,926	2,918	<u>.</u>	ı	1 1	,	2,911 2,911 2,905	2,919	2,899	2,941
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)		3,323	3,319	3,317	3,317 3,310	3,313	3,322	3,308	3.312	3,307	3,310	3,314	3,304	3,306	3,304	3,302	3,304	3,302 3,299	202	3,302	3,295	3,299	3,293
Year Com-		1971 1973	1963	1954	1965 1969	1964	1962 1970	1957 1959	1973 1968	1968 1964	,	1961	1967 1967	1966 1960	1972	1913	1916	1972 1965	1973	1960 1966	1964	1963	1971
Driller		W. L. Langston Curtis Sanders	Geo. H. Robertson	Geo. H. Robertson	H. O. Bogle, Jr. Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Henry Robertson Bud Gibbons Drilling	Green Machinery Co., Inc. Haynes Machinery Co.	Bud Gibbons Drilling W. G. Goyne	Bud Gibbons Drilling Haynes Machinery Co.	,	A. W. Fish	Jack Seay Drilling A. W. Fish	H. A. Walker Bogle & Flake Drilling Co.	Green Machinery Co., Inc. Bud Gibbons Drilling	TC & D Co.	Т. Г. & D. Со.	Bud Gibbons Drilling H. O. Bogle, Jr.	W. L. Lancston	Geo. H. Robertson Green Machinery Co., Inc.	H. A. Walker	Jack Seay Drilling Co.	Bud Gibbons Drilling
Owner and Owner's Well Number	Y (Continued)	Dollie Street Albert Schelle	B. H. Quebe	Floyd Tomlinson	C. B. Moore Floyd Tomlinson	Ewald Quebe	Lucy Clements Helmuth Quebe	D & B Rathman Oscar Golden	Ewald Quebe C. C. Huddleston	Lewis Cox Douglas Cox	Ivan J. Thompson	Henry C. Ford	L. L. Rhodes H. C. Ford	G. V. Jackson Tri C Corporation	W. J. Lee Hardy Fugate	Martin Bradley	Ivan Green	Acco Seed Co. J. R. Belt, Jr.	W. L. Bradley	C. A. Lucas Oscar Golden	Oscar Golden	Clyde Lucas	Clayton Terrell
Well Number	Floyd County	11-52-2A 2B	3C	S	2E 2F	305	3A 3B	ង្គ	35.5	ន្ទស	509	609	<b>6</b> 9	& <del>@</del> !	# & &	106	902	904	<b>A</b> 6	88	8	9E	11-60-2A

Table 1. Records of Water Wells (Continued)

	Remarks		Observation well.	Reported pumping rate 600 mm in 1963.	pumping level 190 feet. Reported pumping rate 700 gpm. Observation well.	Drawdown 50 feet pumping 560 cmm in	3-74.	Observation well.	
Use	of Water 1/		Irr	Irr	ri ri	Irr	ı	Irr	Iri
Static Water- Level Data	Date	-	4- 2-14 1- 9-68 1- 4-80	2-12-92	7-72 8- 7-75 1- 4-80	2-18-92 3-74	3-18-47	1- 8-68 1- 6-56 1- 6-56	1- 4-80 2-18-92
Static	Water Water (feet)		44.50 160.94 209.40	241.51	150.00 197.39 209.44	233.76	57.50	165.30 110.65 165.00	221.37
Screened Interval	Depth (feet)		278	214-364	242-398 270-350	171-371	192	154-414	140-394
Estimated Elevation	Ogallala (feet)		•	2,913	2,892 2,951	2,912	•	2,865	2,876
Ground- Level			3,292	3,280	3,280	3,277	3,265	3,265	3,265
Vear	Com- pleted		,	1963	1972 1964	1974	1937	1954	1963
	Driller		•	Bogle & Flake Drilling Co.	Bud Gibbons Drilling Bud Gibbons Drilling	J. D. Fox	Peerless Pump Co.	H. O. Bogle, Jr.	•
	Owner and Owner's Well Number	Floyd County (Continued)	Walter Taack	A. D. Morris	L. E. Graham Clyde Applewhite	Donald G. Akin	D. V. Probasco	D. V. Probasco	K. E. Probasco
	Well Number	Floyd County	11-60-302	3.8	38 502	S,A	602	909	6A

FOOTNOTE:

1/ D = Domestic well
Ind = Industrial well
Irr = Irrigation well
FS = Fublic supply well
TH = Test hole
U = Unused well

TABLE 2. WATER-LEVEL AND PERFORMANCE DATA FOR CITY OF PLAINVIEW WELLS

Remarks	Pump setting = 310 feet,	Well unused.	nunsed.	Well unused.	Pump setting = 230 feet.	setting = 265 feet.	setting = ?	setting = 298 feet.	setting = 270 feet.	setting = 240 feet.	setting = 270 feet.	Pump setting = 290 feet.	Pump setting = 230 feet.	Pump setting = 280 feet. New 7-stage pump bowls.
	Pump	We11	Well	Well	$\mathbf{P}^{ump}$	Pump	Pump	Pump	Pump	Pump	Pump	Pump :	Pump	Pump a
<u>Pump Information</u> Manu- Pump acturer Bowl	11M2-9	ı	ı	,	12MA-4	8MQ-3	ı	BMQ-3	8MQ-3	1	11MQH	12MB-5	10H75-5	10GH2M5-7
Pump In Manu- facturer	Byron Jackson	•		1	Peerless	Byron Jackson	Ромопа	Byron Jackson	Byron Jackson	Byron Jackson	Byron Jackson	Peerless	Worthing- ton	Byron Jackson
Motor Horse- power RPM	150 1,770	,	,	1	- 1,770	75 3,600	- 1,770	75 3,600	75 3,600	50 1,700	100 1,760	75 1,760	50 1,760	40 1,760
pacity c Y Date	4-83 10-89 6- 3-92 7- 8-92	968	89-9	6-68	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 2-92	6-68 11-89 6- 4-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 2-92	6-68 10- 4-89	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 2-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 4-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 1-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 1-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 3-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 4-92 7- 8-92
Specific Capacity Pump- ing Specific Rate Capacity (gpm) (gpm/ft) Dat	14.3	35.3	35.3	60.0	45.0	76.9 5.6 6.6	57.1	37.5	46.9 40.0 34.7	28.8	36.1 36.9	21.3		30.0 7.1 7.3
Spec Pump- ing S Rate (	1,000 1,140 1,000 1,033	909	009	009	900 400 343	1,000 510 505	800 450 512	750 850	750 800 703	750 400 428	1,300 1,200 1,113	1,150 860 800	750 525 660	900 600 497 487
tic Level Date	4-83 11- 3-83 10- 4-89 6- 3-92 7- 8-92	6-22-55 6-68 1976	6-22-55 6-68 1976	6-22-55 6-68 1976 2- 6-92	6-68 10- 4-89	6-68 11-20-90 6- 4-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 2-92	6-68 10- 4-89	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 2-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 1-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 1-92	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 1-92	7-29-68 10- 4-89 6- 3-92	7-16-68 4-24-92 6- 4-92 7- 8-92
Static Water Level Depth (feet) Date	178 174 185 185.2	104.8 121 135	104 120 135	104.7 123 134.5 164.8	120 159	123 165 164	124 162.2 169.6	121 162	132 154 162.5	122 164 191.4	139 172 191.4		95 139 141.2	114 154.9 160 153
Casing and Screen Diameter (inches)	C=16 S=16	C=18,12 S=12	C=18,12 S=12	C=18,12 S-12	C=16 S=16	C=16 S=12	C=16 S=16	C=16 S=16	C=16,12 S=16	C=16 S=16	C=16 S=16	C=16 S=16	C=24,16 S=16	C=24,16 S=16
Screened Interval (feet)	263-360	100-247	153-298	132-298	100-323	223-283	120-320	169-312	189-298	200-330	240-330	238-336	128-271	189-289
Depth of Well (feet)	367	254	298	298	323	322	334	312	293	330	330	336	280	299
Ground- Level Eleva- tion (feet)	3,407	3,385	3,385	3,387	3,372	3,378	3,377	3,383	3,375	3,380	3,402	3,400	3,355	3,366
Year Com- pleted	1983	1937	1937	1937	1953	1953	1957	1958	1959	1963	1964	1965	1968	1968
Driller	Western Well & Pump	L. A. Peeples	L. A. Peeples	L. A. Peeples	Robertson Drilling Co.	Robertson Drilling Co.	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Glbbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Bud Gibbons Drilling	Hi Plains Drilling & Supply	HI Plains Orilling & Supply
City Num- ber	19	m	-	7	7	<b>0</b> 0	Q.	10	#	12	E1	14	16	11
State Well Number	11-51-105	11-51-401	11-51-402	11-51-403	11-51-404	11-51-405	11-51-410	11-51-411	11-51-412	11-51-413	11-51-414	11-51-415	11-51-416	11-51-417

Table 2. Water-Level and Performance Data for City of Plainview Wells (Continued)

Pama Le	Pump setting = 230 feet.	Pump setting = 270 feet.	Pump setting = 270 feet.	Well unused.	Pump setting = 290 feet.
Pump Information Manu-Pump facturer Bowl	10H61-5	8MQ-3	11MQ-10	ı	10H75-5
Pump Inf Manu- facturer	Worthing- 10H61-5 ton	Byron Jackson	Byron Jackson	•	Worthing- ton
Motor Horse- power RPM	40 1,760	75 3,600	125 1,760	1	50 1,760
Specific Capacity— ing Specific Rate Capacity (gpm) (gpm/ft) Date	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 5-92	6-68 6- 4-92	10- 4-89 6- 5-92 7- 8-92	89-9	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 2-92
Ific Ca Specifi Sapacit (gpm/ft	25.8	50.0	13.2	17.6	57.5
Speci Fump- Ing S Rate (	850 450 390	850 403	980 1,002 1,000	909	1,150 700 623
Static Water Level Pepth eet) Date	8- 5-68 10- 4-89 6- 5-92	6-68 6- 4-92	6-68 10-21-89 6- 5-92 7- 8-92	6-68 6-24-91	6-68 10- 4-89 6- 2-92
Sta Water Depth (feet)	108 160 154.2	110 159	131 157.3 158.9 158.5	114 164	110 155 165.4
Casing and Screen Diameter (inches)	C=24,16 S=16	C=16 S=12	C=20,16 S=16	C=16 S=16	C=24,16 S=16
Screened Interval (feet)	138-288	230-290	229-309	102-303	229-329
Depth of Well (feet)	298	305	314	303	339
Ground- Level Depth Year Elevel of Com- tion Well pleted (feet) (feet)	3,370	3,364	3,365	3,360	3,360
Year Com- pleted	1968	1949	1983	1952	1968
Driller	11-51-418 18 Hi Plains Drilling & Supply	5 L. A. Peeples	Western Well & Pump	6 Green Machinery Co.	15 Hi Plains Drilling & Supply
City Num- ber	18	ĸ		9	15
State Well Number	11-51-418	11-51-507	11-51-508 4	11-51-509	11-51-510

FOOTNOTE:  $\frac{1}{2}/C = Casing$ S  $\approx Screen$ 

TABLE 3. WATER LEVELS AND WATER-LEVEL DECLINE IN WELLS LOCATED IN AND NEAR PLAINVIEW

Well Numbers	Date of Meas	=	Water- Level Decline (feet)	Average Rate of Decline (feet/year)				
Wells Located in Plainview								
11-51-405, City Well 8	123	164	41	1.70				
-410, City Well 9	124	169.6	45.6	1.90				
-412, City Well 11	132	162.5	30.5	1.27				
-413, City Well 12	122	164.2	42.2	1.76				
-414, City Well 13	139	191.4	52.4	2.18				
-415, City Well 14	136	191.6	55.6	2.32				
-416, City Well 16	95	141.2	46.2	1.92				
-417, City Well 17	114	160	46	1.92				
-418, City Well 18	108	154.2	46.2	1.93				
-507, City Well 5	110	159	49.0	2.04				
-508, City Well 4	131	158.9	27.9	1.16				
Wells Located Outside Plainview								
11-42-603	166.40	235.38	68.98	2.87				
-704	132.98	194.90	61.72	2.57				
-901	143.26	222.85	79.59	3.32				
11-51-102	141.34	186.88	45.54	1.90				
-201	124.50	209.85	85.35	3.56				
11-52-703	147.70	203.75	56.05	2.34				
-908	164.18	241.21	77.03	3.21				

Table 3. (Continued)

	Date1/ of Measurement		Water- Level	Average Rate of					
Well Numbers	1968	1991- 1992	Decline (feet)	Decline (feet/year)					
Wells Located Outside Plainview (Continued)									
11-58-204	155.56	221.25	65.69	2.74					
11-60-201	155.90	217.40	61.50	2.56					

Water levels in City wells were measured in June or July of 1968 and in June of 1992. Water levels in wells outside the City were measured in January 1968 and in December 1991 or February 1992.

TABLE 4. CHEMICAL ANALYSES OF WATER FROM WELLS (Results in milligrams per liter except specific conductance and pH)

<b>전</b>		7.7	7.4	7.4	7.7	8.0 8.4	7.2	7.6	7.05	7.6	7.7	7.9	8.1	8.1	,	7. g	7.7	7.11 8.18 7.30	7.6 7.0 7.1 7.8 6.87 7.79	7.9
Specific Conductance (µmhos/cm @ 25°C)		565 569	570 781?	586	562	597 640	792	572	2,640	610	691	509	296	447	•	580 787 787	598 749	910	4,730 3,790 5,400	
Total Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>		243 245	258 331	274	253	227 288	326	240	,	301	320	219	240	199	131	247 252	273		254 1,812 3,480 3,162	314 352
Dis- solved Solids		365 365	372 465	388	370	396 452	451	372	1,598	404	447	305	362	274	443	377	393 54	514 665 601 745	5,200 5,402 3,290 3,290 6,41	401 470
N1- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )		1.0	0.4	ı	0.4	0.4	10.3	1.0	ı	5.0	0.4	0.6	0.4	6.0	•	4.0	0.10		368 1,024	13.0 23.9
Fluo- ride (F)		1.6	2.3	1.9	2.3	2.6	1.9	2.1	•	2.7	2.5	2.1	2.7	1.6	2.4	1.93	2.4		1:91	2.9
Chlo- ride (Cl)		19 20	12 39	16	15	28 25	28	20	621	20	42	13	23	12	,	18 26	20 48	110 125 143	24 102 87 108 114 102	28 88
Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )		24 25	36 28	28	æ	33	89	56	10	27	51	24	31	16	•	33	8,83	41 44.1 37	31 1,530 3,210 2,772 3,436 2,977 1,996 1,339	63
Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )		323 322	346 372	351	340	326 317	323	326	445	354	337	281	333	253		336 348	350 340	237	530 488 - 408	338 338
Potas- sium (K)		• •	١6	٠	,	4 w	σ	,		•	,	δ	6	•	•	ιœ	. 0	11.0	72 72 56.9 76	ισ
Sodium (Na)		30 33	33	31	32	38 8	42	8	186	25	31	27	44	19	ı	04 04	34 46	57.4	260 482 331	38
Magme- sium (Mg)		27	31	53	27	26 33	38	56	,	33	41	23	62	17	•	88	37	59.9 73.	144 1,052 510 410 399 470 228	35
Cal- cium (Ca)		53	66.23	61	56	49 61	89	53	•	22	61	49	49	25	1	49 51	583	66 74.4 59	110 760 550 577 522 321	88 69
Manga- nese (Mn)			0.48	,	•		0.07			ı	1	ı	ı	ı			0.02	0.04	11.08	0.02
Iron (Fe)			0.02		1	t 1	0.02			1	•	,	ı		,	1 1	0.02	0.08	0.17	<0.02
S111ca (S10 <sub>2</sub> )		84 8 8	46 51	47	48	83	ı	48	t	55	53	11	11	32	•	41 44	48 48	54.6	80 74 73.0	1 1
Labo- ratory 1/		HQT HQT	HOT H	E HOL	TOH	19 19 19 19	HOT	TOH	EXC	ı	,	ı	•	•	•	· E	33	ddIZ 2 ZIPP	TWOB TWOB TWOB ZIPP ZIPP ZIPP	тон Тон
Date Sampled		7-17-70 7- 2-76	7-29-71 7-12-91	7-29-71	7-29-71	7-17-70 6-25-86	6-14-91	7-29-71	5- 5-92	7-29-71	7-17-70	2-14-74	2-14-74	4-10-75	ı	7-29-71 6-23-86	7-29-71 5-31-91	3-24-82 5-11-82 3-24-86 3-26-92	2-26-64 4- 1-68 5-18-72 7-20-79 3-24-82 8-11-82 3-25-86 6-27-91	8-10-76 12-14-83
Screened Interval or Depth (feet)		•	1	252	•	ı		280	146-272	200	224	300	300	300	300	200	208 208	197-277	•	299 299
Well	Hale County	11-42-603	901	902	11-43-407	504	704	803	88	903	11-44-702	706	708	407	712	11-50-102	201	¥E	301A	909

Table 4. Chemical Analyses of Water from Wells (Continued)

# <u>#</u>		•	· · ·	7.9	,	· «	7.7	7.68	7.53	7.6	7.8	6.7	7.7	7	8,2	8.1	7.2	4.7.	7 -	, «	7.6	7 .	, ,	8.2 8.2	
Specific Conductance (umhos/cm @ 25° C)	1	ı		940	c t a	7 79	580 544	610 620	980 970	576	1,520 920	620	1,149	670	580	1,164	595	5.7	219	682	- 62	, P	S E	655	
Total Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>		743	747	320	797	286	285	1 1	• •	265	260 256 288	238	259 258	319	261 244	258 278	250	262	333	307	363	3	256	244	
Dis- solved Solids		391	395	456	478	454	385 391	328 512	54 <b>6</b> 704	376	510 798 535	357	819 587	482	417	833 763	499 419	510	505	476	25 g	} '	798	363	
Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )		,		14.0	9.7	1.5	2.0		1.1	4.0	2.1	0.8	1.7	4.6	6.2	1.6	3.0	4.00	5.4	3,9	4.5	0.4	1.7	1.2	
Fluc- ride (F)		2.7	2.7	1.9	2.5	2.4	3.3	1 1	1.1	3.1	3.0	2.9	1.7	2.7	3.2	1.7	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	6.0	1.7	2.5	
Chlo- ride (Cl)		24	33	9	65	40	333	31.9	117	15	27 208 105	21	214 106	31	36 24	233 181	322	36 43	2	53	3 <i>L</i>		208	2,05	
Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )		32	45	53	25	37	\$2 \$	34.	46 42	27	31 149	27	153	30	32	159 145	34	31	63	83	27.	1	149	32 38	
Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )		344	346	295	311	337	326 314	283 281	283 280	342	321 267	319	279	399	309	2 <b>65</b> 280	329 335	318 329	326	312	340 353	•	267	338 331	
Potas- sium (K)		1		ı	10	σ	100				r	•	۲.	80	<b>6</b> 0 1	۲.	- 1	1 00	σ	<b>0</b> 0	<b>ი</b> ი		7	<b>ω</b> σ	
Sodium (Na)		150	33	<b>78</b>	44	43	34	33	36	31	34 185	37	189	40	34	196 165	388	36 42	40	42	36 41	,	185	46 36	
Magne- sium (Mg)		7	31	8	39	33	38	• •		35	33	30	31	45	37	31	33	35	40	37	43 46	•	31	23	
Cal- cium (Ca)		9	99	95	55	20	52 50		1.1	49	49 52 -	46	52	53	£4.	52 61	46 47	50	29	19	74	•	52	<b>3</b> 8	
Manga- nese (Mn)		<0.02	<0.02	<0.01	<0.02		• •	, ,		ı	<0.05	0.01			1.1	- <0.0>	<0.0>	<0.05			<0.0>	,		<0.02	
Iron (Fe)		<0.02	<0.02	<0.01	0.03	•		• •		1	<0.02	0.18	1-1	•	1 1	0.12	<0.02	0.13			0.30	ı	•	0.08	
Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )		•	•	40	48	49	55 51	1 1	1 1	48	32	43	32	99	9,	31 29	ا کو	. 9g	53	21	54.		32	54	
Labo- ratory		TOH	HOL	EWL	TOH	HOT	10 10 11	1 1	1.1	HQI	TOH EWE	EME	TOH EWE	101	TOH EWE	TDH EWL	TOH TOT	19 19 19	HQ1	TOH	HQT HQT	,	HOT	10H 10H	
Date Sampled		7-27-89	6- 8-88	7- 8-92	7-12-91	4-26-87	7-29-71 6-26-86	5- 5-92 6- 2-92	5- 5-92 6- 2-92	7-29-71	3-31-76 4-26-87 6- 2-92	6- 4-92	4-26-87 6- 3-92	4-26-87	4-26-87 6- 2-92	4-26-87 6- 3-92	1-10-74	12-15-69 4-26-87	4-26-87	4-26-87	3-31-76 4-26-87	9-22-75	4-26-87	7-23-83 4-26-87	
Screened Interval or Depth (feet)	Continued)	260-320	277 <b>.</b>	1	156-276	263-360	• 1	200-260	198-258	ı	100-323 100-323 100-323	100-302	120-320 120-320	169-342	293	200-330 200-330	240-330 240-330	238-336 238-336	128-271	189-289	138-288 138-288	158	96-305	229-309 229-309	
Well Number	Hale County (Continued)	11-50-605A	2509	AT.	11-51-104	105	201	204A	2048	301	404	405	410	411	412	413	414	415	416	417	418	503	507	508	

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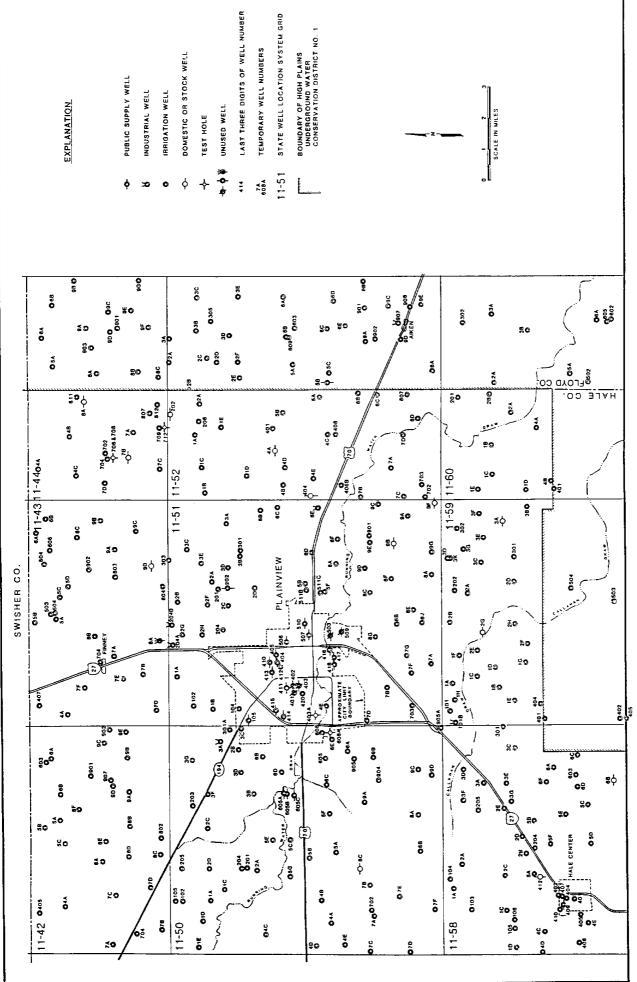
Hd.		7.8	7.8	7.6	7.8	8.4	7.6	8.3	8.1	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.2	7.8	7.9	7.7	7.6	8.7	8.1	7.7		7.6	8.3	7.7	8.3
Specific Conductance (µmhos/cm @ 25° C)		587	780	585	601	632	,	522	546	592 624	200	556	545	589 527	740	573	923	798 703	066	586 674		575	869	009	720
Total Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>		221	256	267	250	242	339	218	228	255 229	215	221	227	238 228	202	232	447	389 376	443	28 <del>9</del> 223		270	355	305	271
Dis- solved Solids		510 416	376	386	387	356	445	370	380	396 366	358	398	360	389 366	378	363	672	510 498	672	379 417		372	503	430	408
Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )		6.2	0.2	4.0	4.0	1.6	5.2	2.0	3.7	7.0	2.9	4.2	3.4	3.5	3.8	1.0	11.7	4.7	7.2	1.0		<0.4	<0.0>	1.1	2.2
Fluo- ride (F)		2.6	3.0	3.1	2.5	3.1	4.4	3.1	2.7	3.3	2.9	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.6	3.0	3.5	3.6	2.7		3.1	3.1	3.9	3.4
Chlo- ride (Cl)		30,0	24	56	22	14	35	13	13	34 15	14	25	21	2 <b>4</b> 21	14	15	109	52 46	119	23 26		17	4	42	21
Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )		24 31	32	30	28	24	43	23	23	38 24	17	31	25	25 26	24	23	111	53 45	78	32		27	25	39	33
Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )		336 331	339	326	338	325	349	344	343	338 344	329	337	343	322	346	332	329	390 387	362	332 343		333	391	311	348
Potas- sium (K)		7 8	ı	•	•	œ	6	σ	σ,	e 01	60	œ	60	98	•			11	9	• 6		•	60	•	æ
Sodium (Na)		ខ្លួន	41	35	40	35	17	46	46	44	41	ß	48	8888	88	33	S	3 23	49	23 57		26	33	25	33
Magme- sium (Mg)		30.23	60	37	34	28	25	53	27	32 31	56	36	27	8,8	14	36	89	22	99	33		36	45	44	38
Cal- cium (Ca)		47 43	8	45	44	8	20	33	47	50 41	43	45	46	63 44	28	51	77	88	8	48 35		20	89	49	46
Manga- nese (Mn)		<0.05	<0.01			•	•			0.12		1	•	1 1	<0.01	•	1	1 1	•	<0.02		ι	1	,	•
Iron (Fe)		0.04	<0.01		,	•	0.02	ı	1	<0.02	ŧ	٠	1		0.02	•	•	1 1	•	<0.02		1	1	•	1
Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )		53.	36	20	20	45	32	37	40	39	38	37	38	48 46	33	43	99	48 54	55	50 48		49	28	89	53
Labo- ratory		10H	EML	•	•	HOT	HOT	HQL	Ē	HOT HOT	E H	HQL.	HOT	F 10	EMI	,	Ē	HGT HGT	HQL	<b>3</b> 9		HQL	HQ1	HCL	TOH
Date Sampled		3-31-76 4-26-87	7- 8-92	7-30-71	7-17-70	6-24-86	3- 3-45	6-26-86	6-26-86	6-28-85 7-12-91	6-26-86	98-52-9	6-26-86	7-17-70 6-26-86	7- 6-92	7-17-70	6-25-80	7-15-75 8- 6-87	5-31-83	7-30-71 6- 1-91		4-20-70	8-12-87	8-14-80	8-19-86
Screened Interval or Depth (feet)	Continued)	229-329 229-329	281-381	292	292	,	123	117-317	206-307	195-295 195-295	,	212-330	•			240	135	150 150	125	276 276		213	•	278	373
Well Number	Hale County (Continued)	11-51-510	11-52-408	702	703	11-58-204	401	402	404	405	409	410	411	11-59-101	3K	401	402	503	504	11-60-201	Floyd County	11-44-901	903	11-52-603	609

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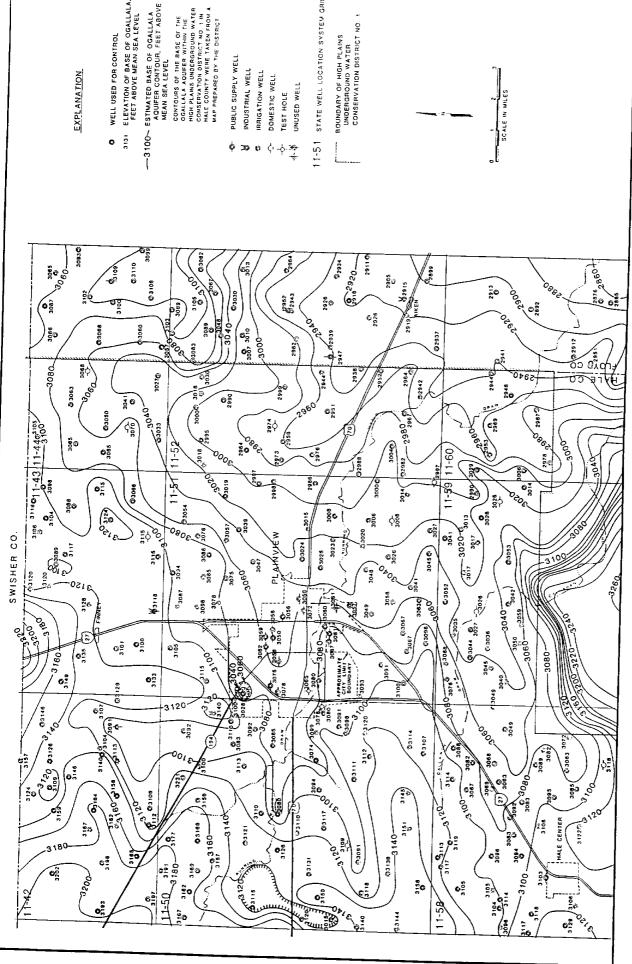
Hd.		8.3	8.3	9.5	8.3	7.7	8.3
Specific Conductance (µmhos/cm @ 25° C)		655	643	810	295	612 544	535
Total Hardness as CaCO <sub>3</sub>		307	283	147	232	265 236	238
Dis- solved Solids		488	416	596	399	347 365	346
Ni- trate (NO <sub>3</sub> )		13.3	3.3	1.5	2.2	40.4	2.0
Fluo- ride (F)		3.4	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.7	3.4
Chlo- ride (Cl)		4	32	8	22	15	15
Sul- fate (SO <sub>4</sub> )		55	35	56	30	19 25	<b>56</b>
Bicar- bonate (HCO <sub>3</sub> )		323	332	314	332	327 336	336
Potas- sium (K)		6	ı		æ	- 1	60
Sodium (Na)		36	37	155	45	3 <del>6</del>	35
Magne- sium (Mg)		43	36	30	31	33	33
Cal- cium (Ca)		52	55	6	42	42	40
Manga- nese (Mn)		,		•	1	1 1	ı
Iron (Fe)		ı	•		•	1 1	•
Silica (SiO <sub>2</sub> )		23	52	56	22	4 02	S
Laborratory $\frac{1}{1}$		TOH	HQF.	£	10H	HE HE	HGL
Date Sampled		7-24-86	8-12-75	8-13-87	8-13-87	5- 4-70 7-21-80	7-24-86
Screened Interval or Depth (feet)	(Continued)	395	286	390	401	192 192	414
Well Number	Floyd County (Continued)	11-52-901	902	907	906	11-60-602	605

1/ EWL TOH TYU : TYWO : UNK = ZIPP = FOOTNOTE:

Edna Wood Laboratories, Inc.
 Texas Department of Health
 Texas Tech University
 Texas Water Quality Board
 Unknown, data provided in tabular form by Texas Water Commission
 Zipp Industries, Inc. or its predecessors



LOCATIONS OF WELLS AND TEST HOLES



STATE WELL LOCATION SYSTEM GRID

BOUNDARY OF HIGH PLAINS UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO.

SCALE IN MILES

CONTOURS OF THE BASE OF THE OGALLALA ADURER WITHIN THE HIGH PLANS UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION USINGTON ON A HALE COUNTY WERE TAKEN FROM A MAP PREPARED BY THE DISTRICT

PUBLIC SUPPLY WELL INDUSTRIAL WELL IRRIGATION WELL

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TEST HOLE

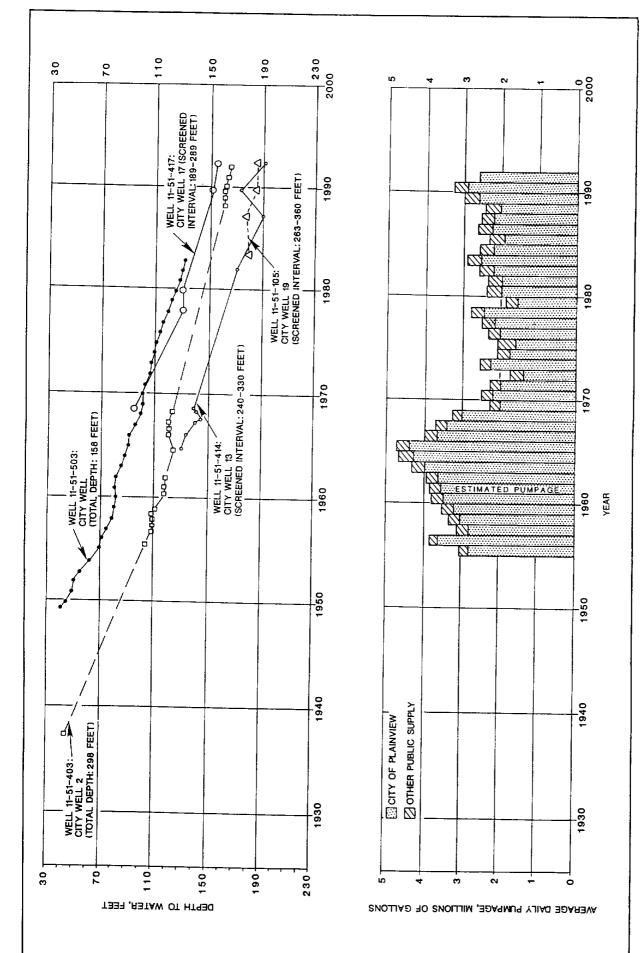
ELEVATION OF BASE OF OGALLALA. FEET ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL

WELL USED FOR CONTROL

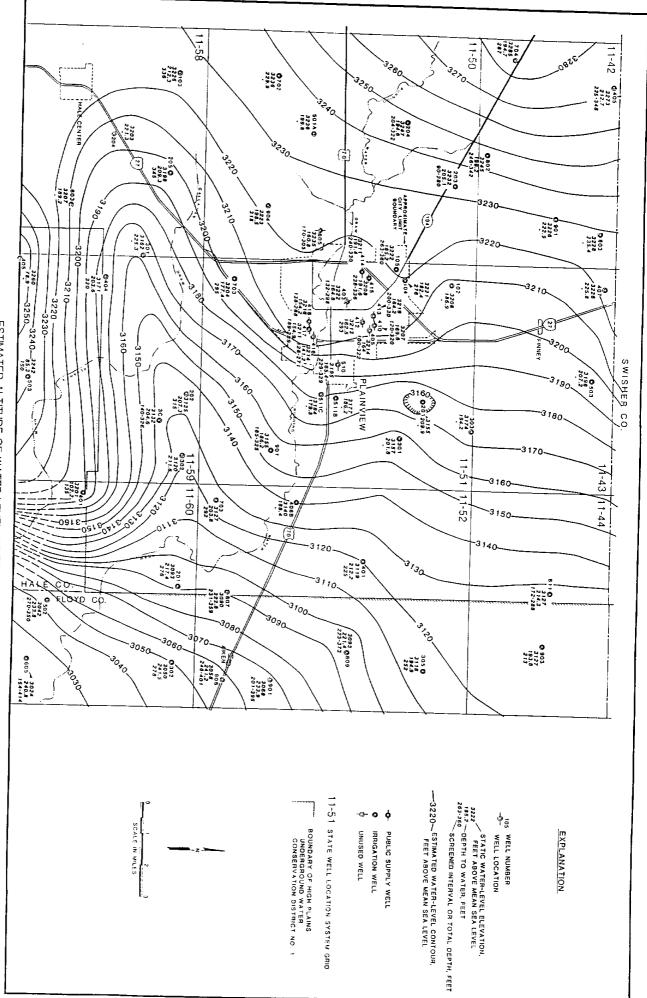
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**EXPLANATION** 

ESTIMATED ALTITUDE OF THE BASE OF THE OGALLALA AQUIFER



PUBLIC SUPPLY GROUND-WATER PUMPAGE AND WATER-LEVEL GRAPHS



ESTIMATED ALTITUDE OF WATER LEVEL, WINTER 1991-SPRING 1992

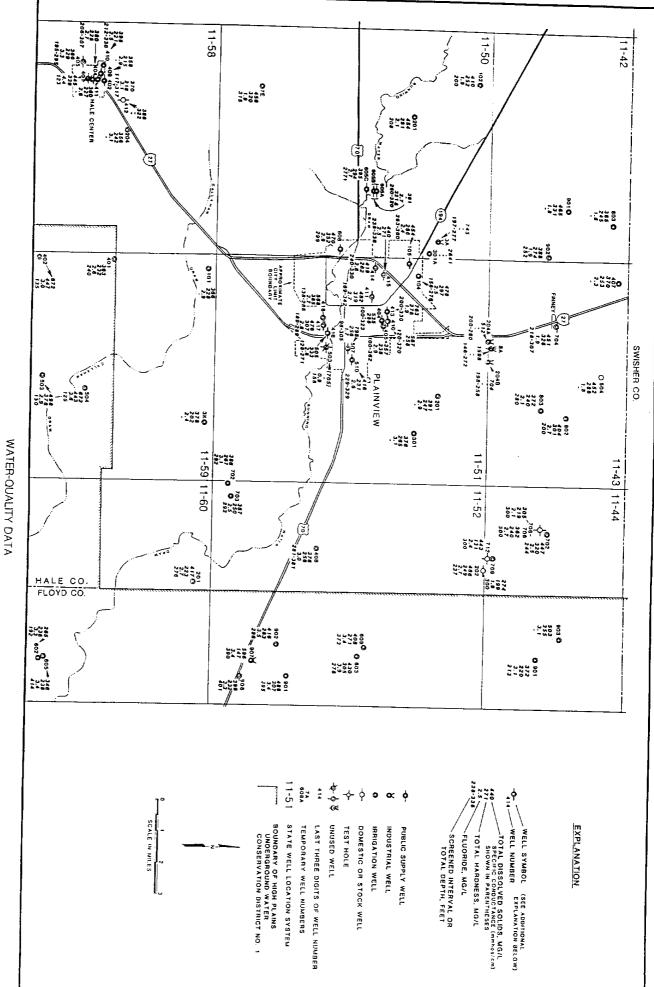


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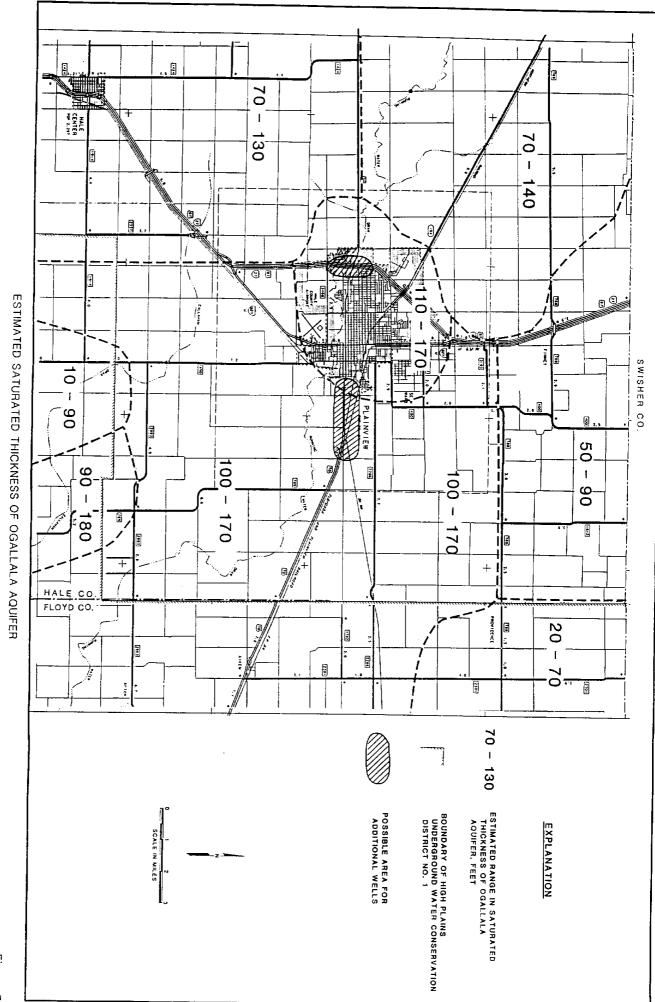
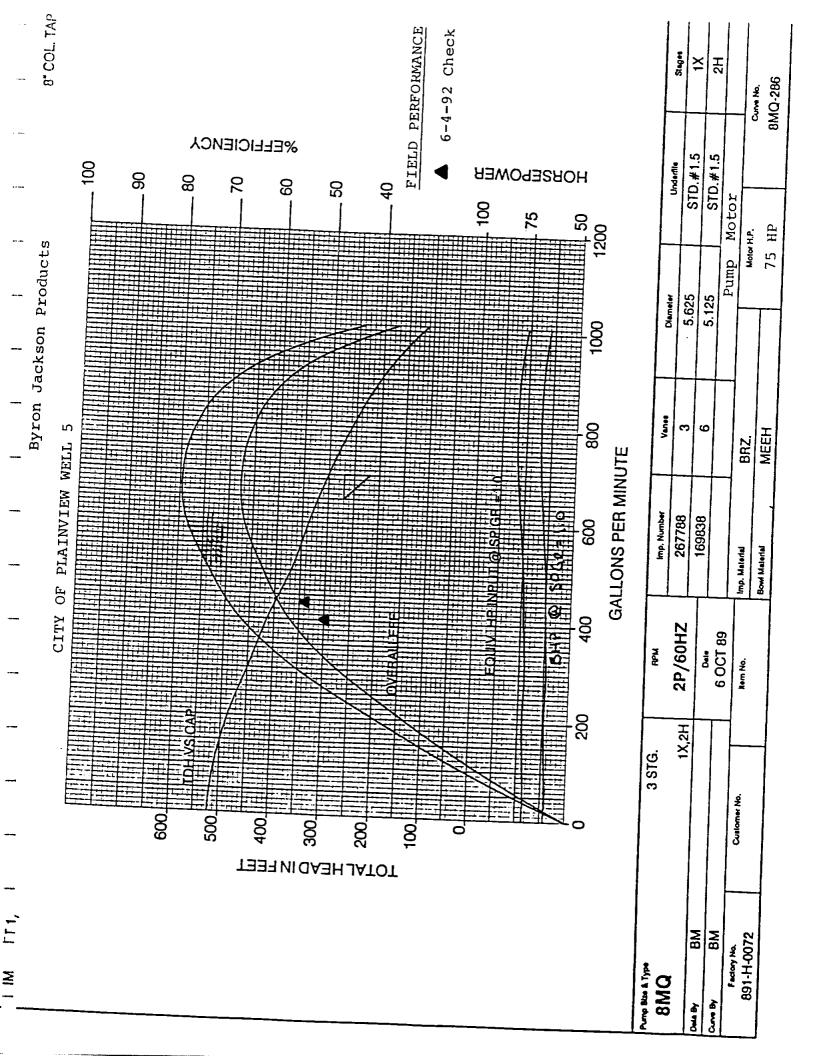
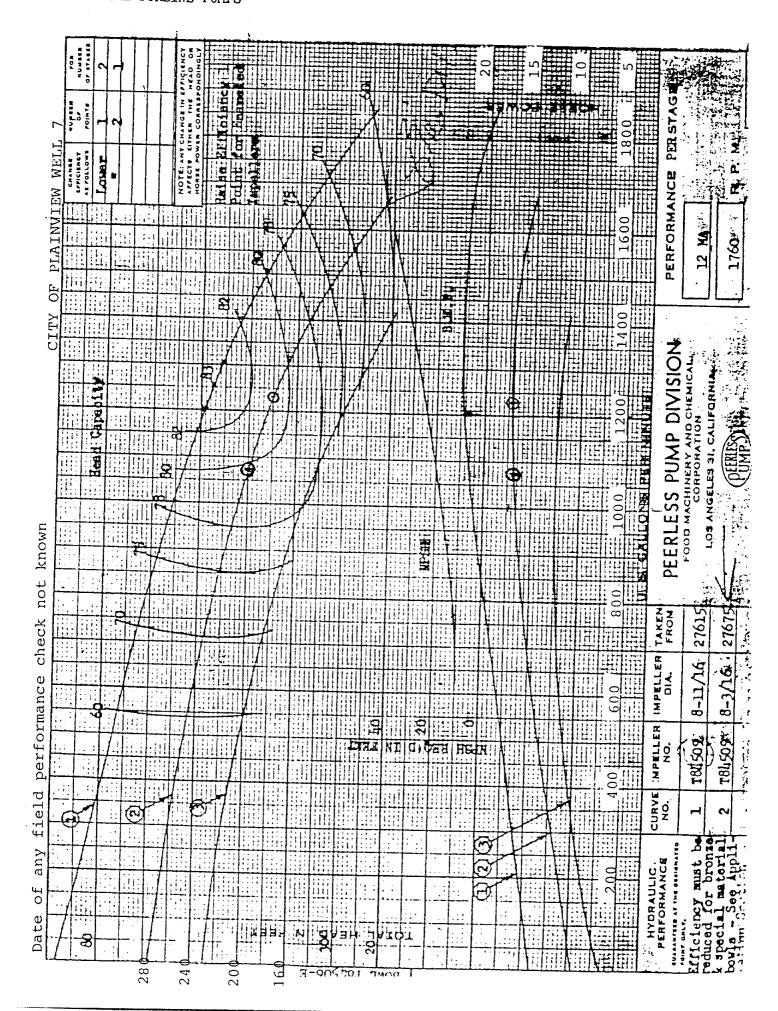
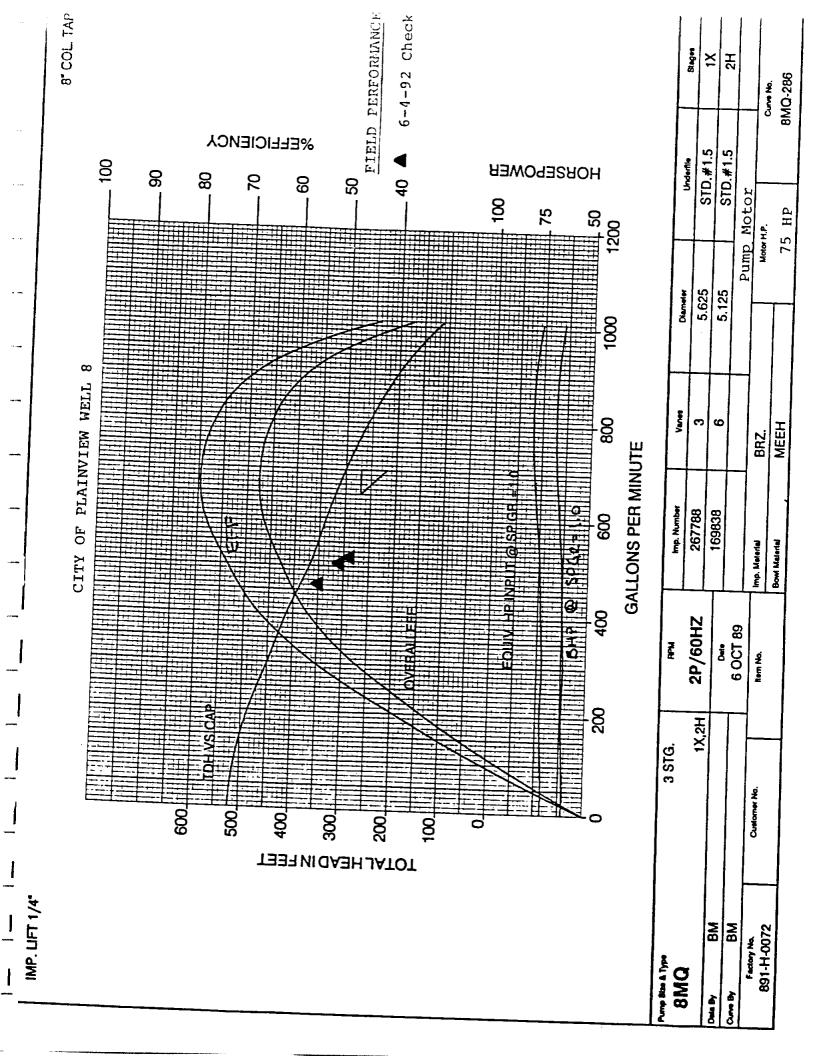


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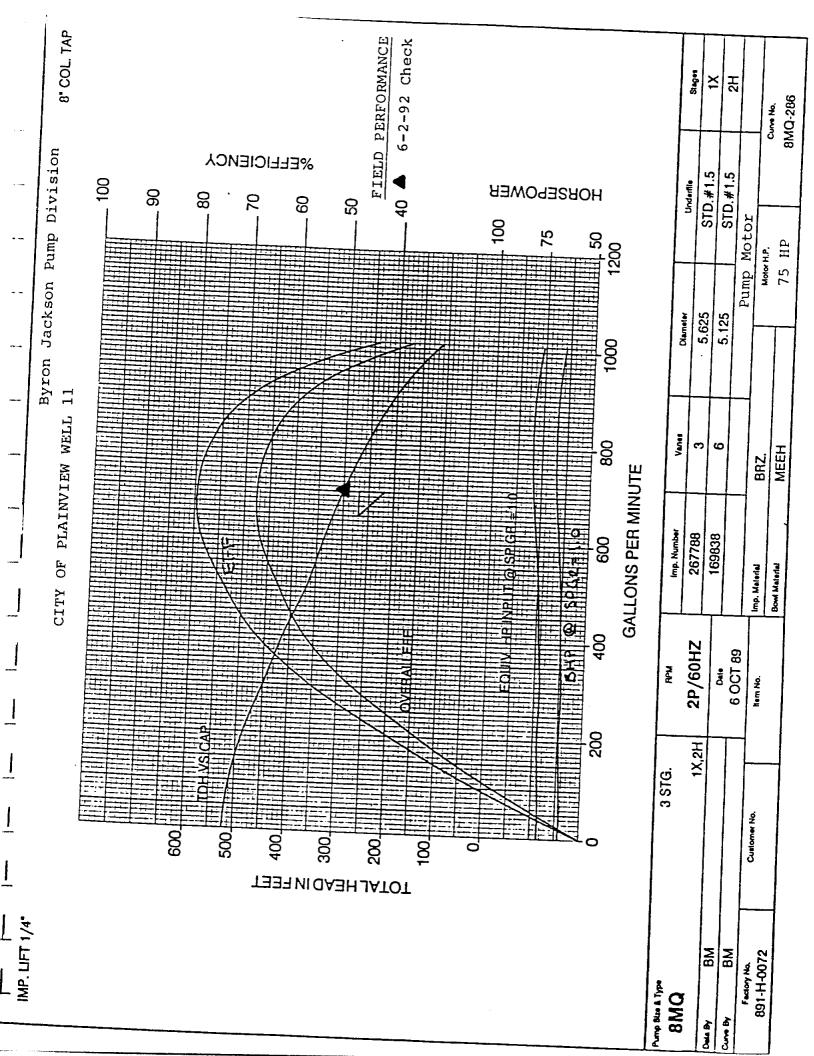
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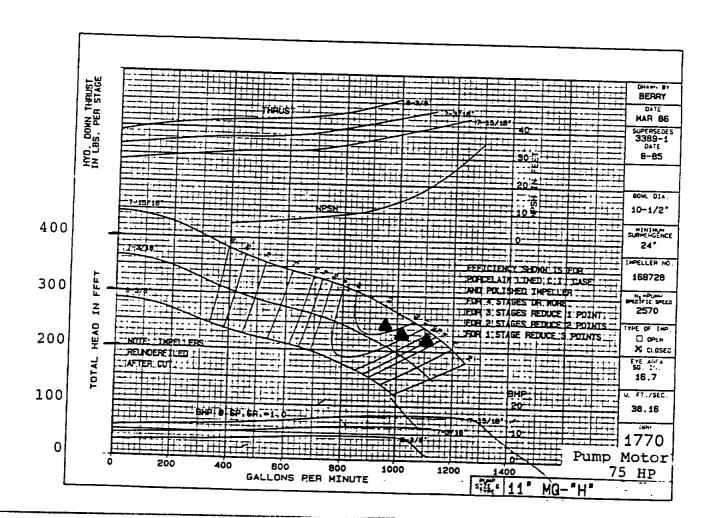


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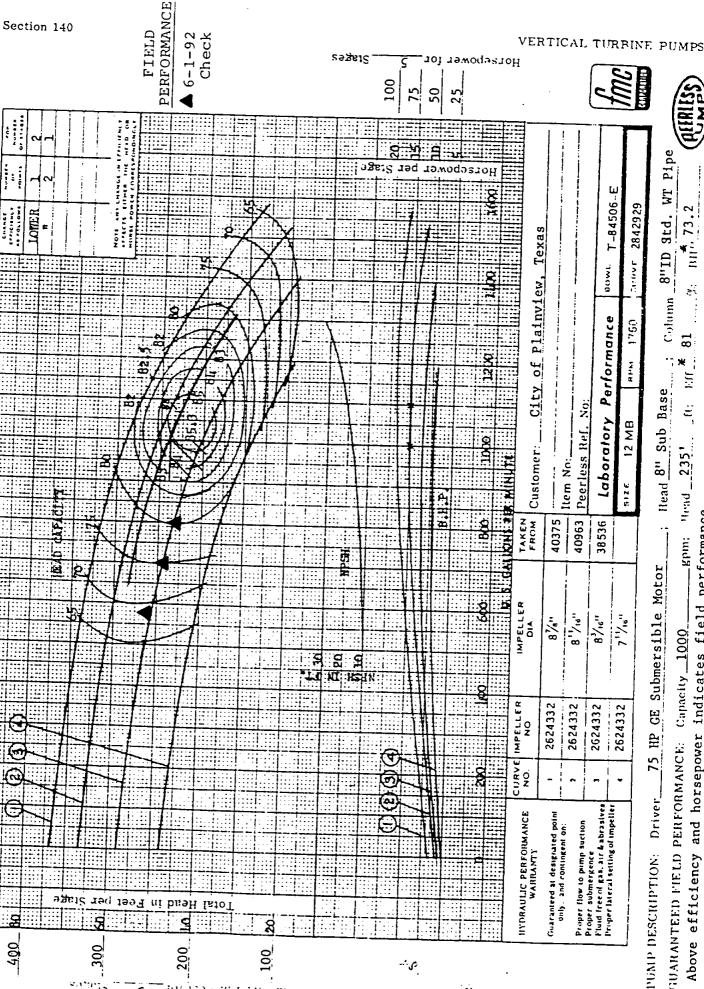
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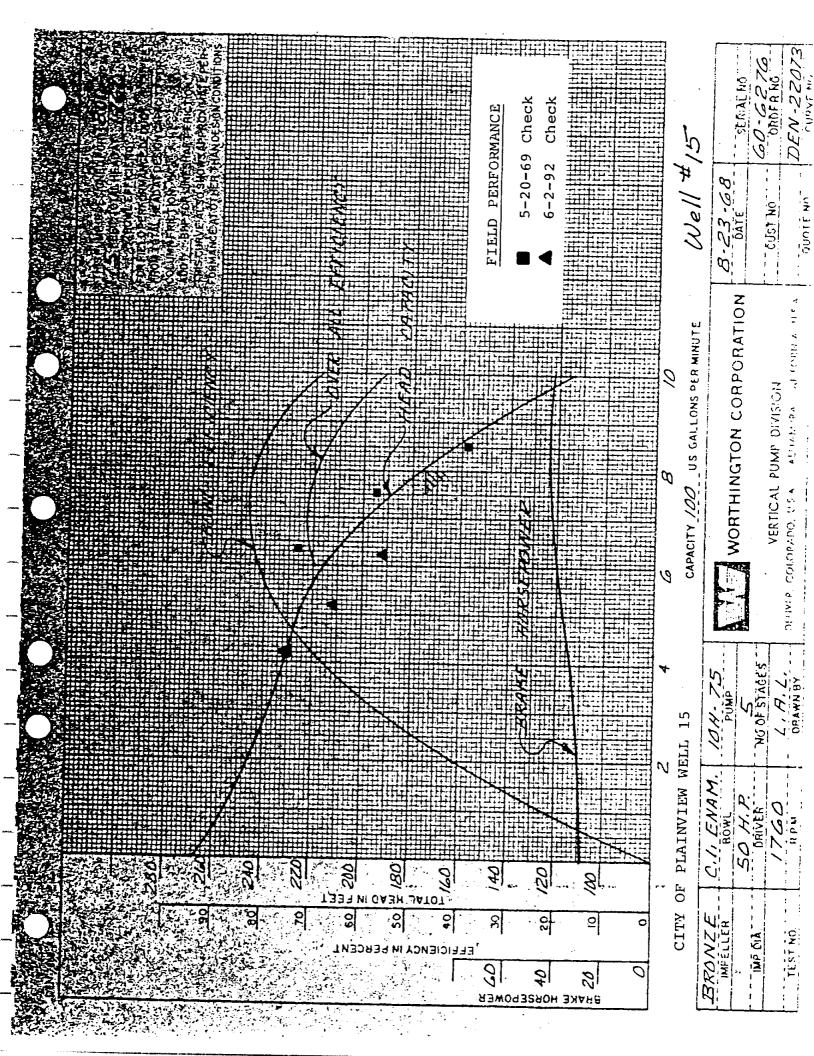
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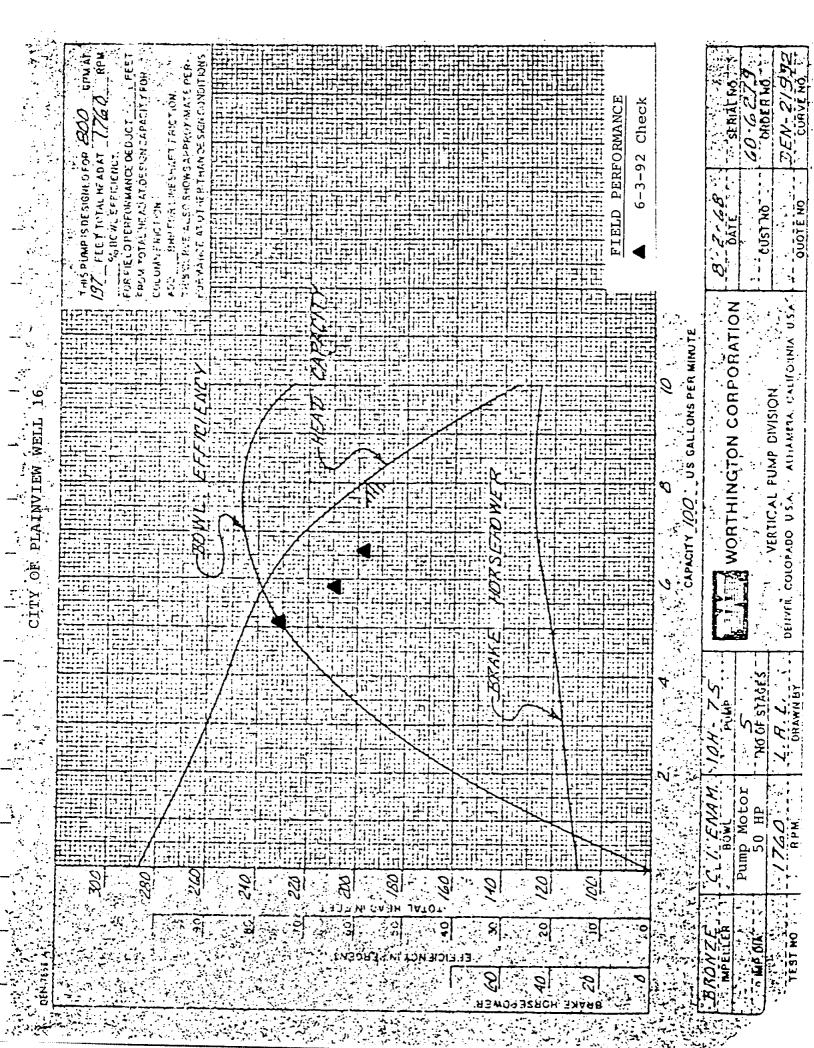


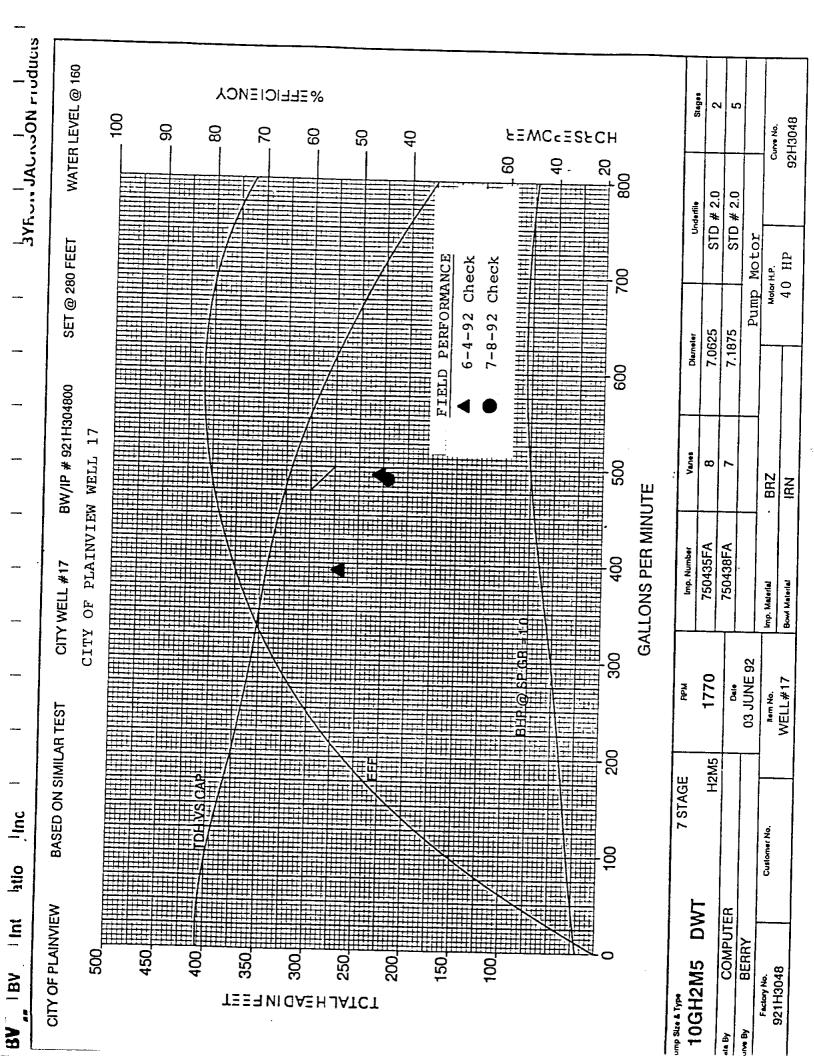
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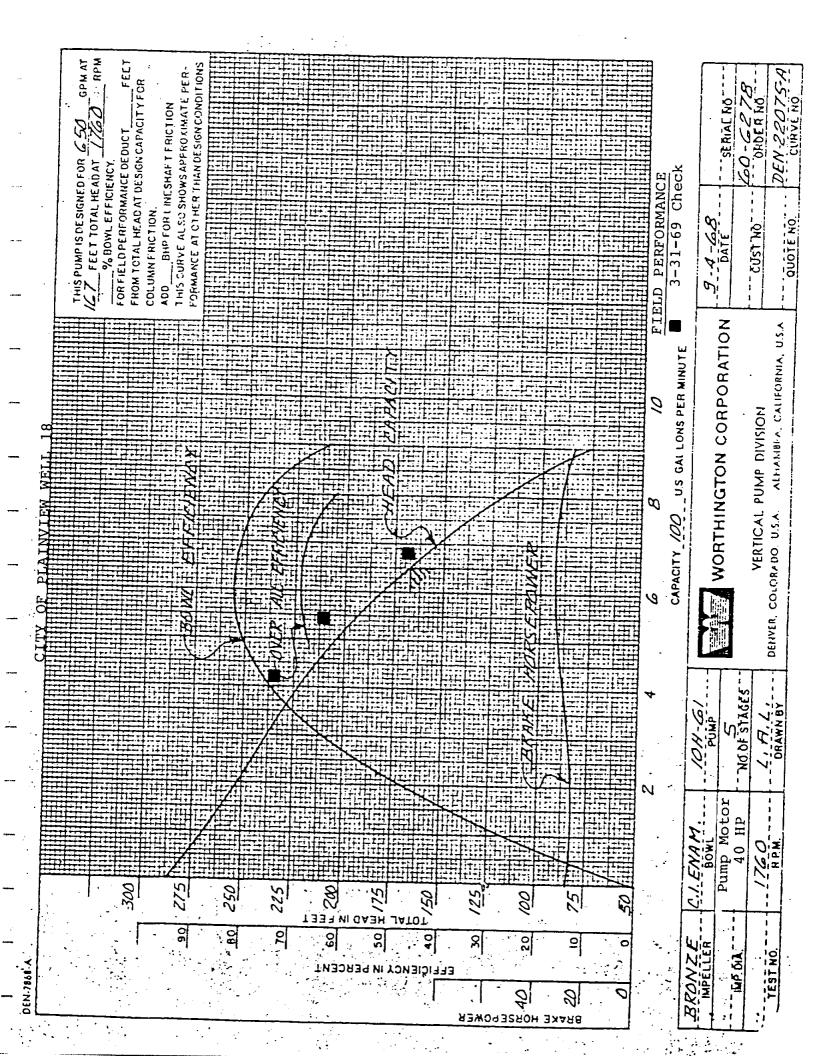
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8"ID Std. WT Pipe









REMARKS AND NOTES SETTING WATER LEVEL MEASURING EQUIPMENT SAND CONTENT mI/I NO. OF STAGES TOTAL HEAD, FEET DISCHARGE PRESSURE, FEET BOWL WATER LEVEL,<sup>1</sup> FEET FLOW MEASURING EQUIPMENT GALLONS PER MINUTE TIME PUMP MANUFACTURER MOTOR SIZE DATE

COLUMN SIZE

LOCATION

WELL AND PUMP CHECK DATA

WELL

OWNER

1 RECORD STATIC WATER LEVELS AND PUMPING WATER LEVELS IN THIS COLUMN.