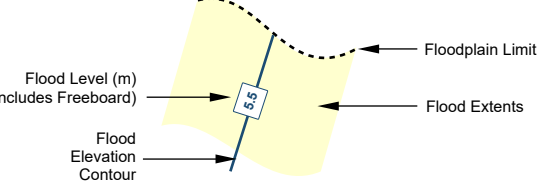


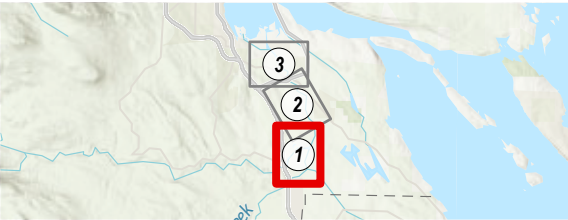
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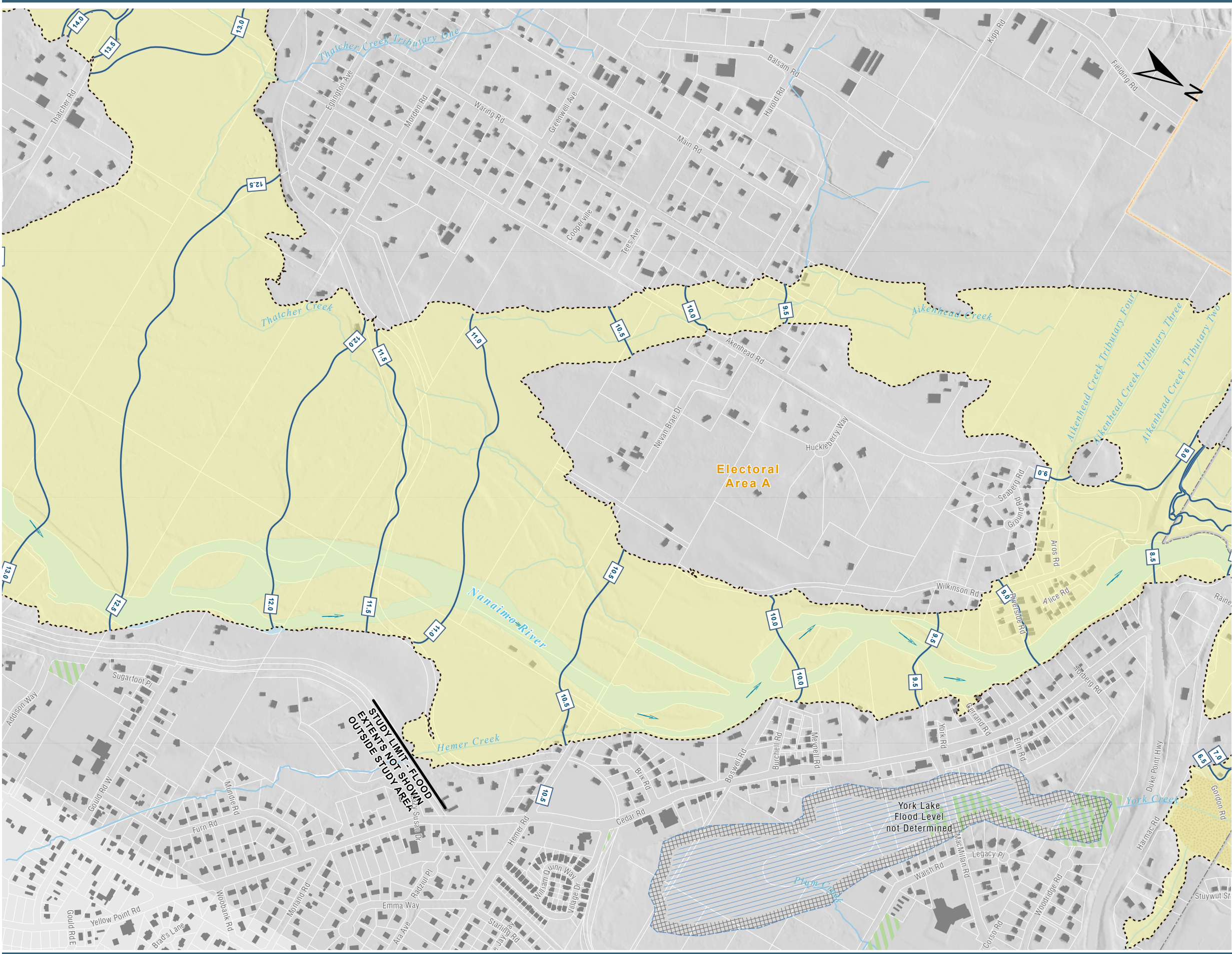
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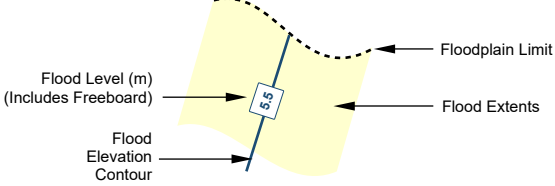
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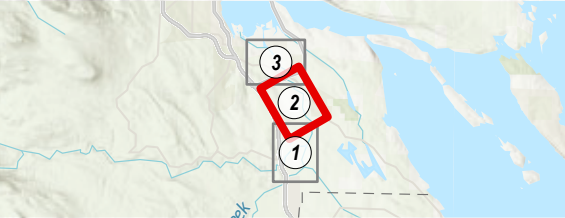
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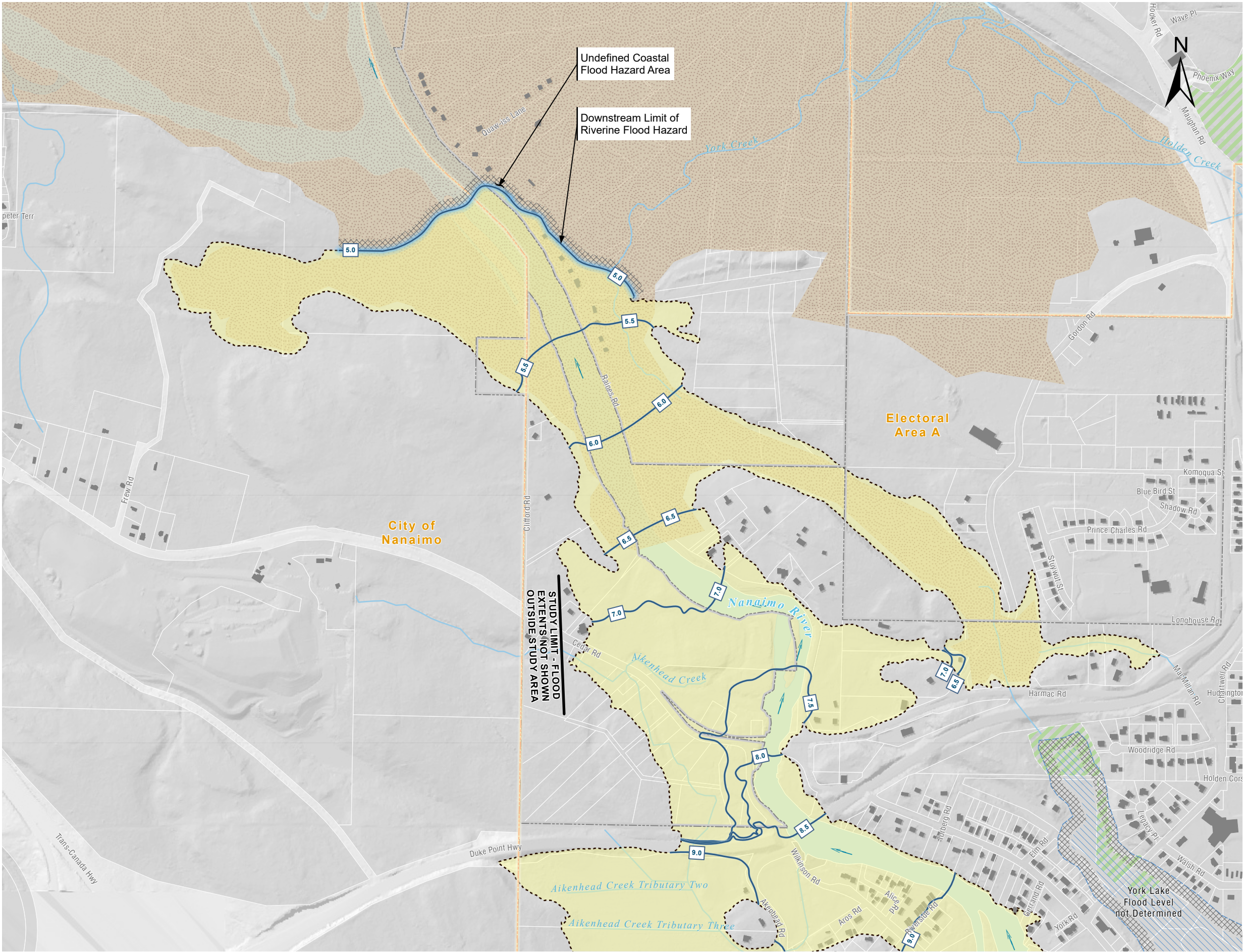
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Flood  
Elevation  
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Limit

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