

Figure 8.11: Copper/molybdenum ratio distribution from soil dust analysis.



Figure 8.12: Ambient atmospheric dust sampler NCH-AD-2 with bird-proofing installed on the upper rim.

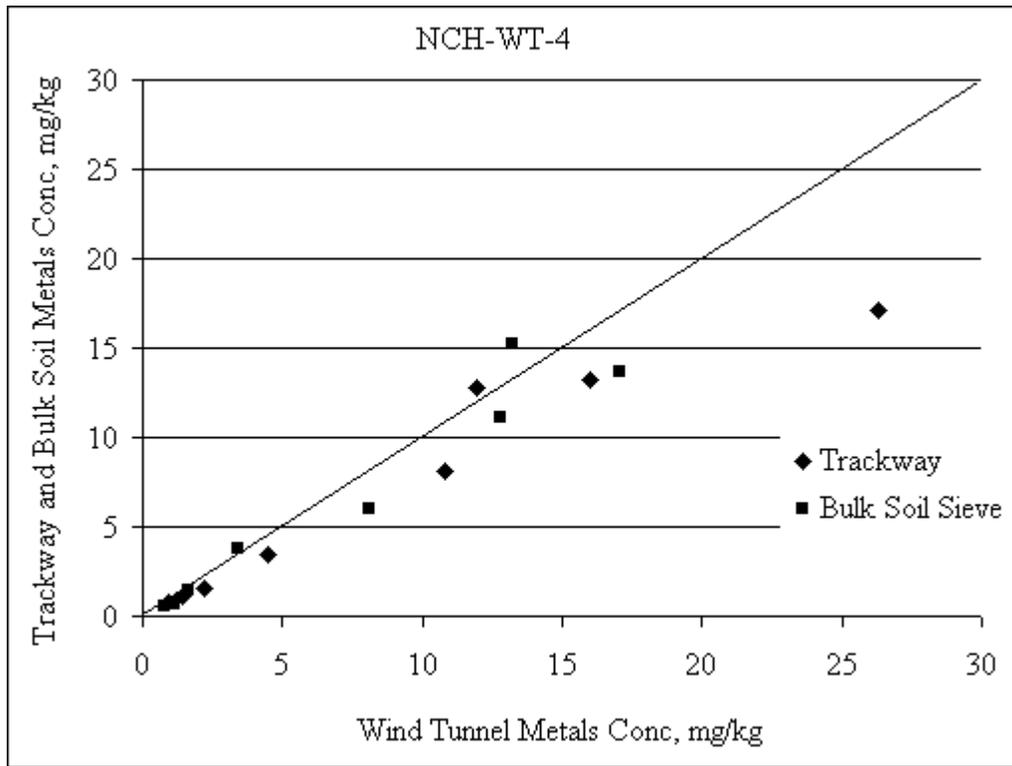


Figure 8.13: Data from three methods that were used to collect the fine dust at site NCH-WT-4, a wind tunnel, a soil scoop on the wind tunnel trackway, and a sieving of a bulk soil sample. Data are metals concentrations in mg/kg.



Figure 9.1: A major gully has cut a broad swath through the mine spoils below the major discharge point on the bench of Bluff B.



Figure 9.2: Deep gully cut into gentle slope at the base of Bluff B; this gully connects directly to the much broader gully in Fig. 9.2.



Figure 9.3: Shallowing of gully at USFS-administered/private land interface to knee-deep; note smaller side channel flowing into major gully just above fenceline.



Figure 9.4: Shallow bed of major discharge channel just above Riley Pass Road. Note cobbles and gravel representative of bluff spoil material. Blue instrument is the hand-held X-ray fluorescence spectrometer.



Figure 9.5: Incipient gully on Gene Feist property.



Figure 9.6: Washover fan of silt and sand below mine spoils of Bluff B

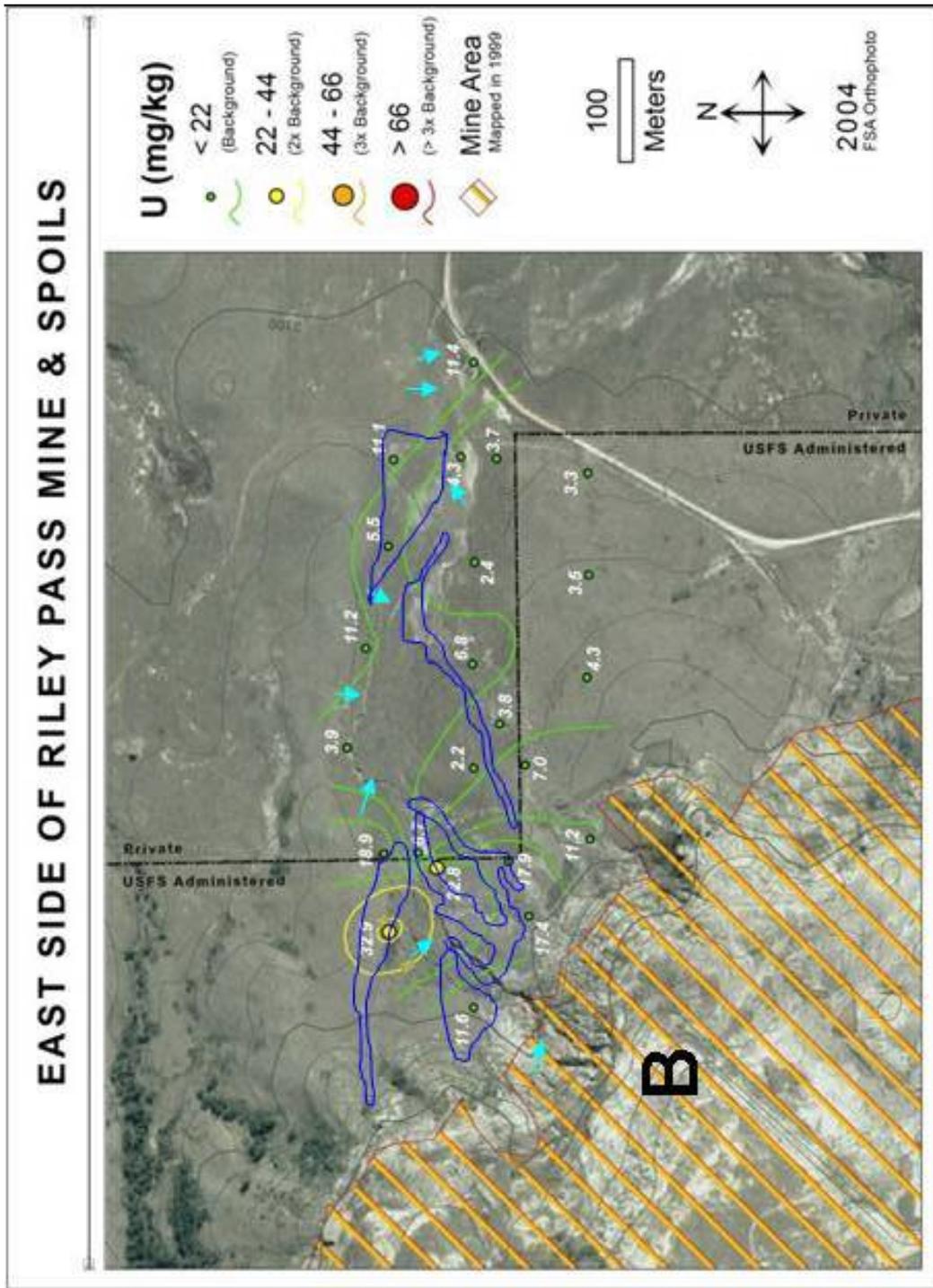


Figure 9.7: Uranium concentrations of the soil survey on the east side of Bluff B. Colored contour lines are drawn in 10mg/kg intervals; white numbers represent the absolute uranium concentrations at each sampling location. Areas outlined in blue delineate washover sediments and turquoise colored arrows point to the major gully described within the text.

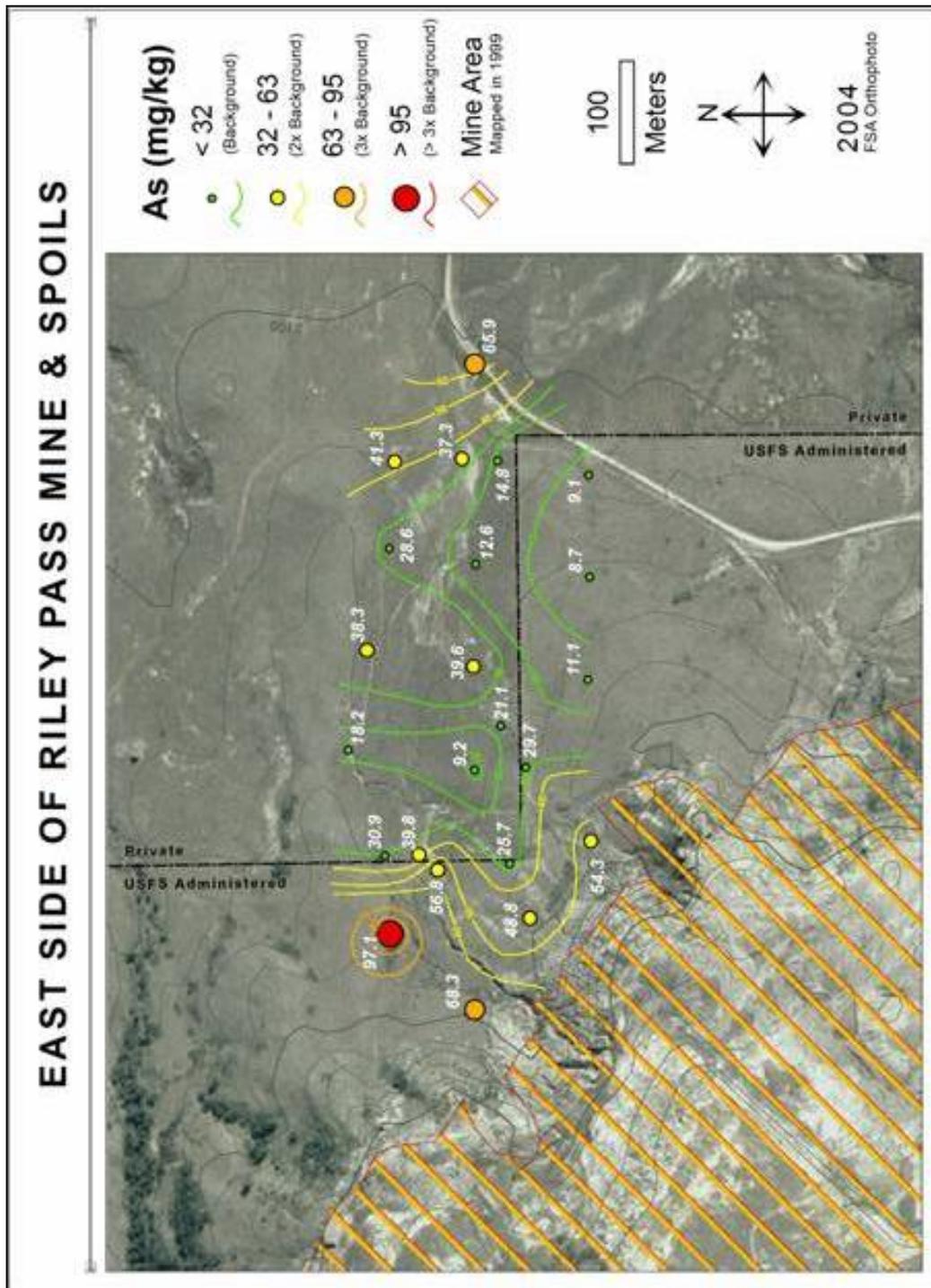


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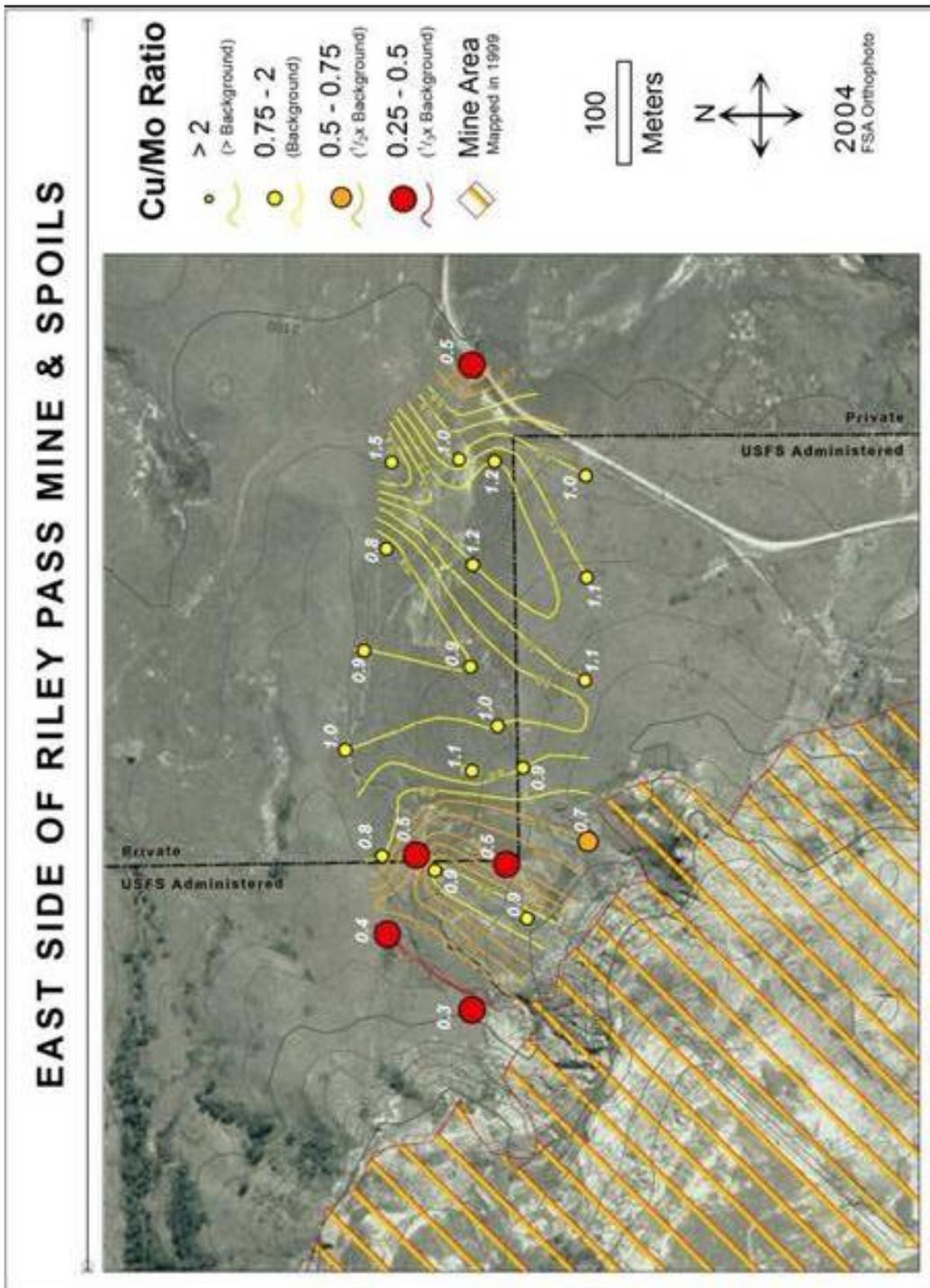


Figure 9.9: Copper/molybdenum ratios of the soil survey on the east side of Bluff B. Colored contour lines are drawn in 0.1 intervals; white numbers represent the absolute Copper/molybdenum ratios at each sampling location

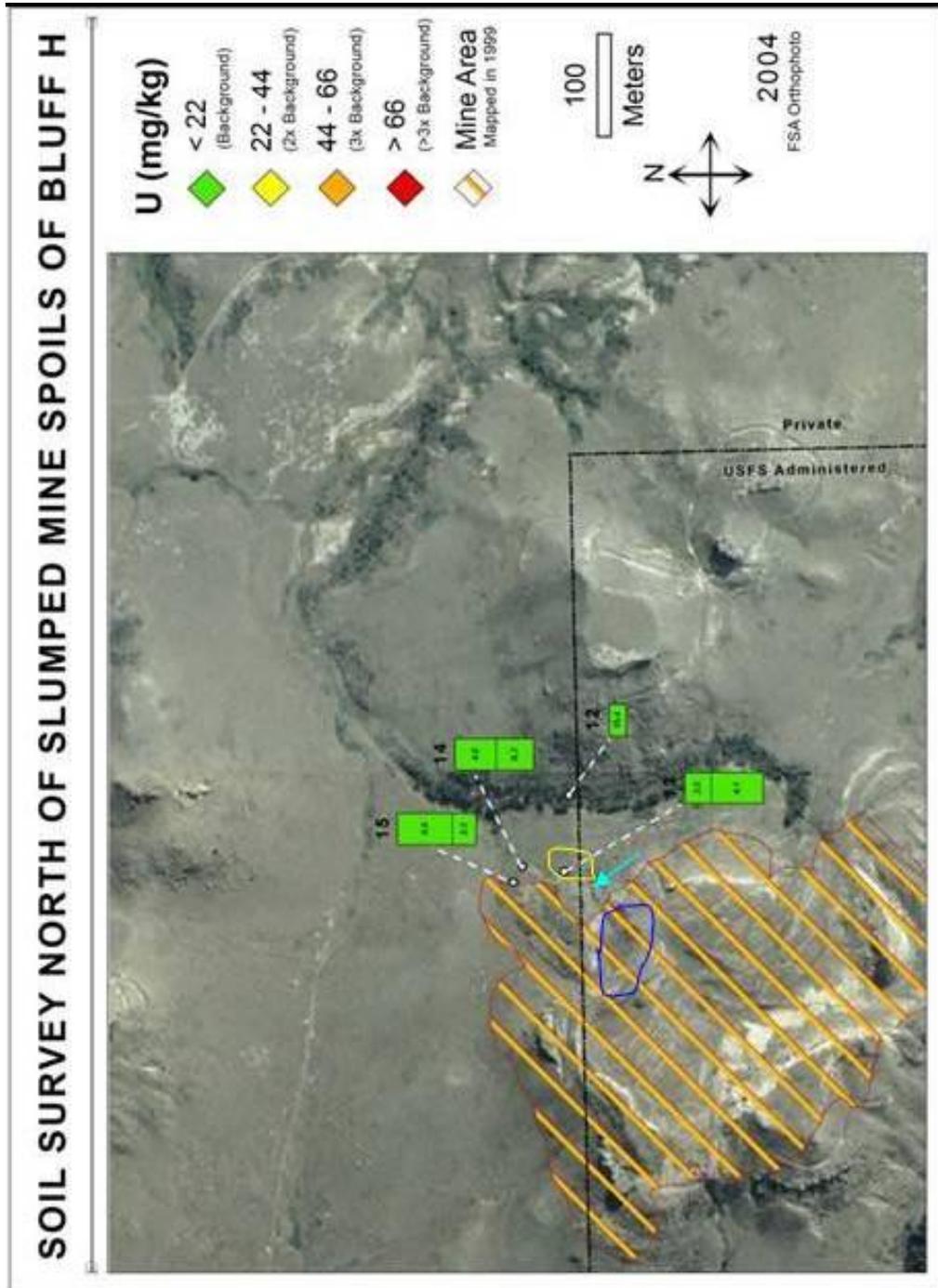


Figure 9.10: Uranium concentrations of three soil cores around the toe of a large slide mass on the northeast side of Bluff H. Bars are divided into upper and lower sampling intervals; numbers above bars indicate site number, numbers within the bar show the absolute uranium concentration in mg/kg for each sample. Area outlined in blue delineate crater-like head scarp; turquoise colored arrow points to the erosional gully; and area with yellow outline circumscribes washover fan originating at the mouth of the gully. Site #12 is represents drainage sediments and is shown for reference only

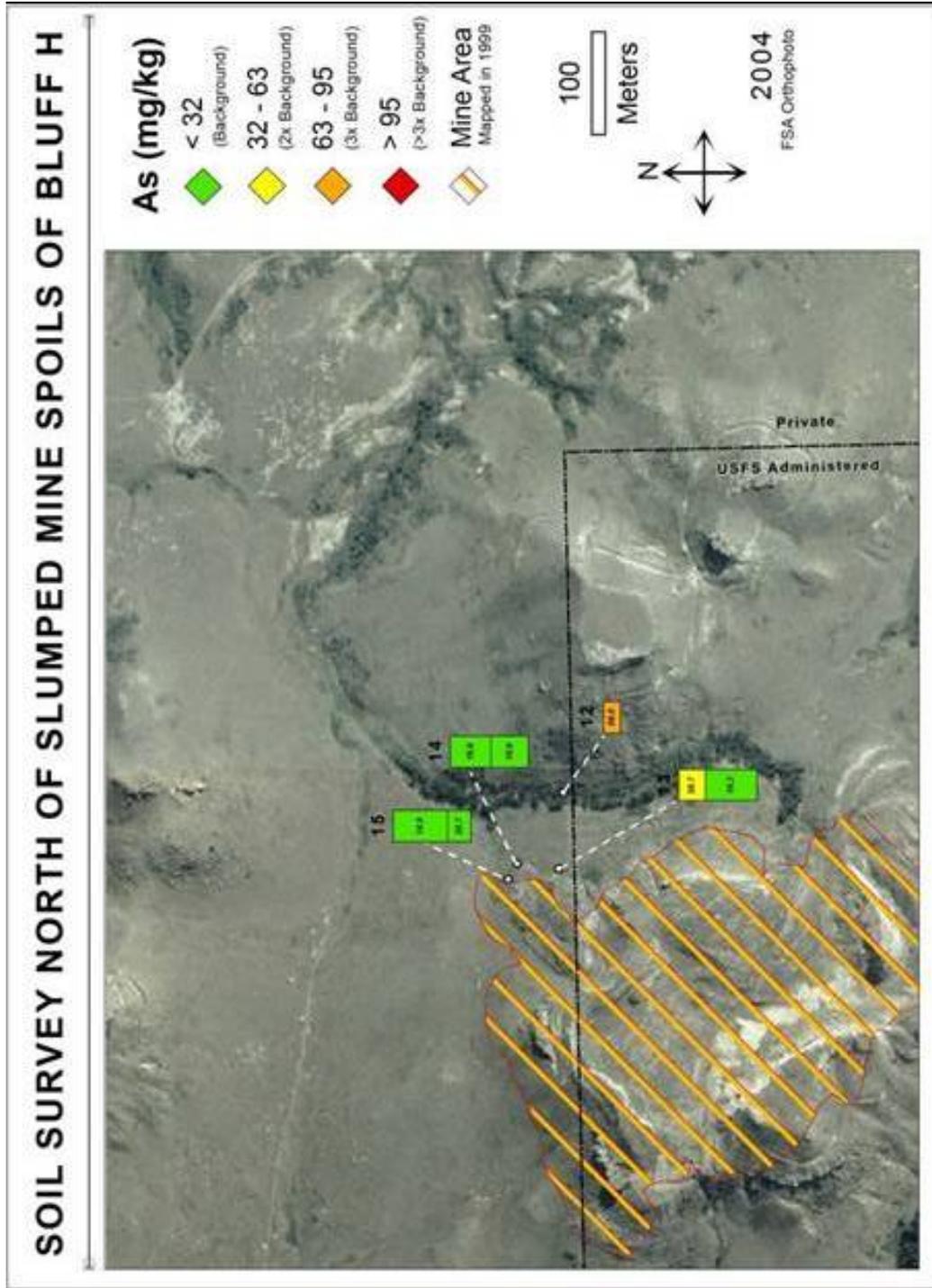


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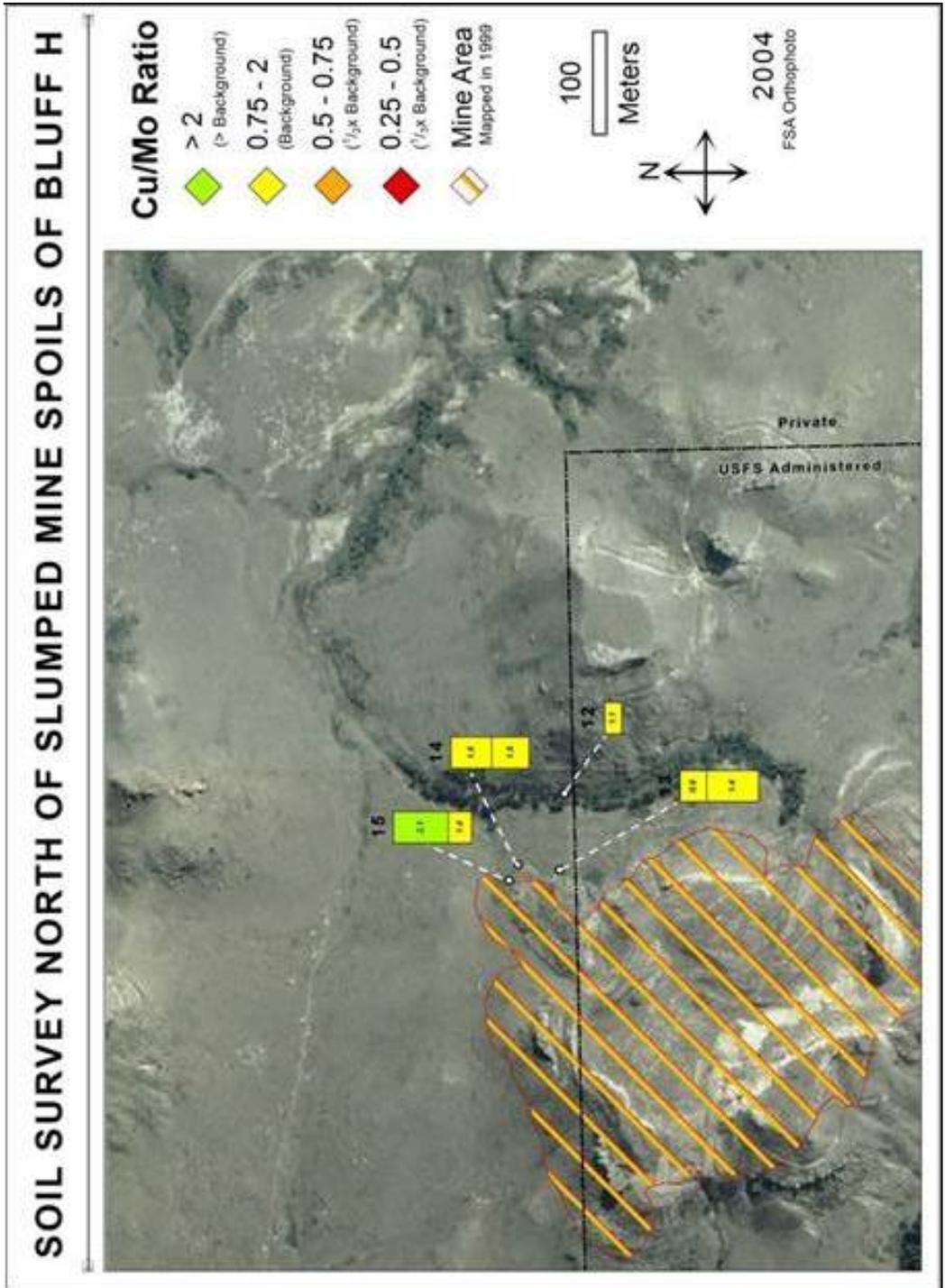


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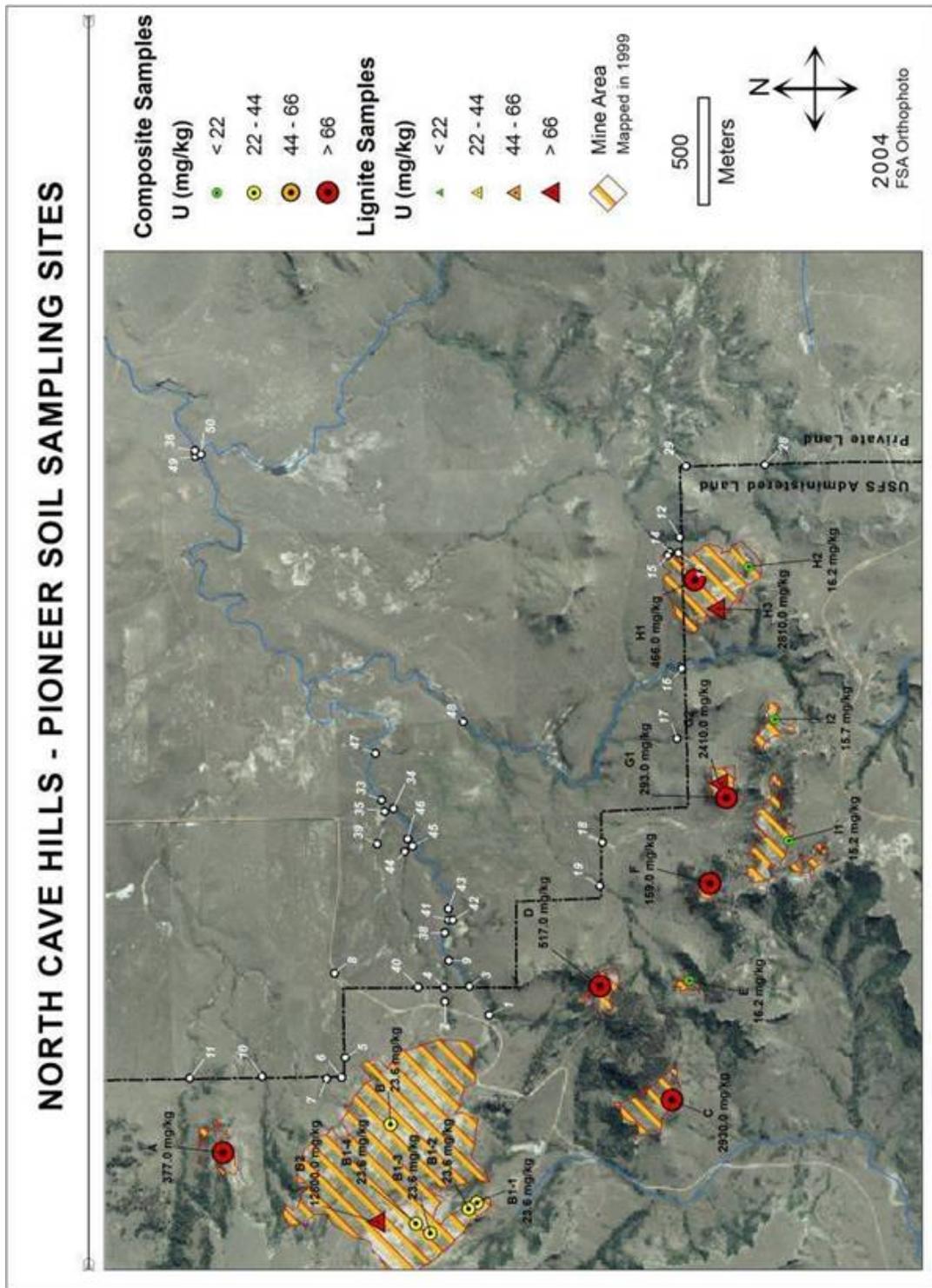


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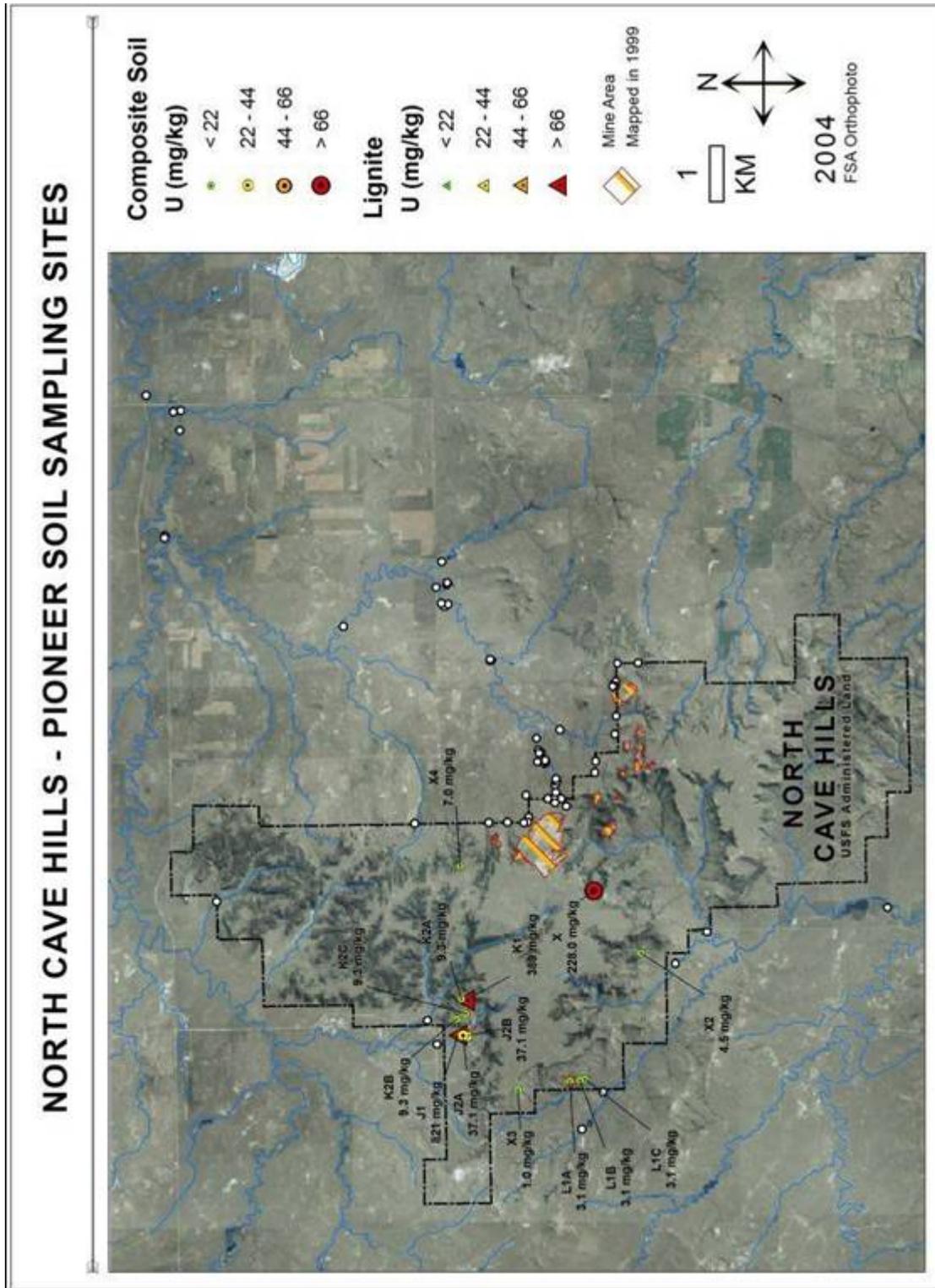


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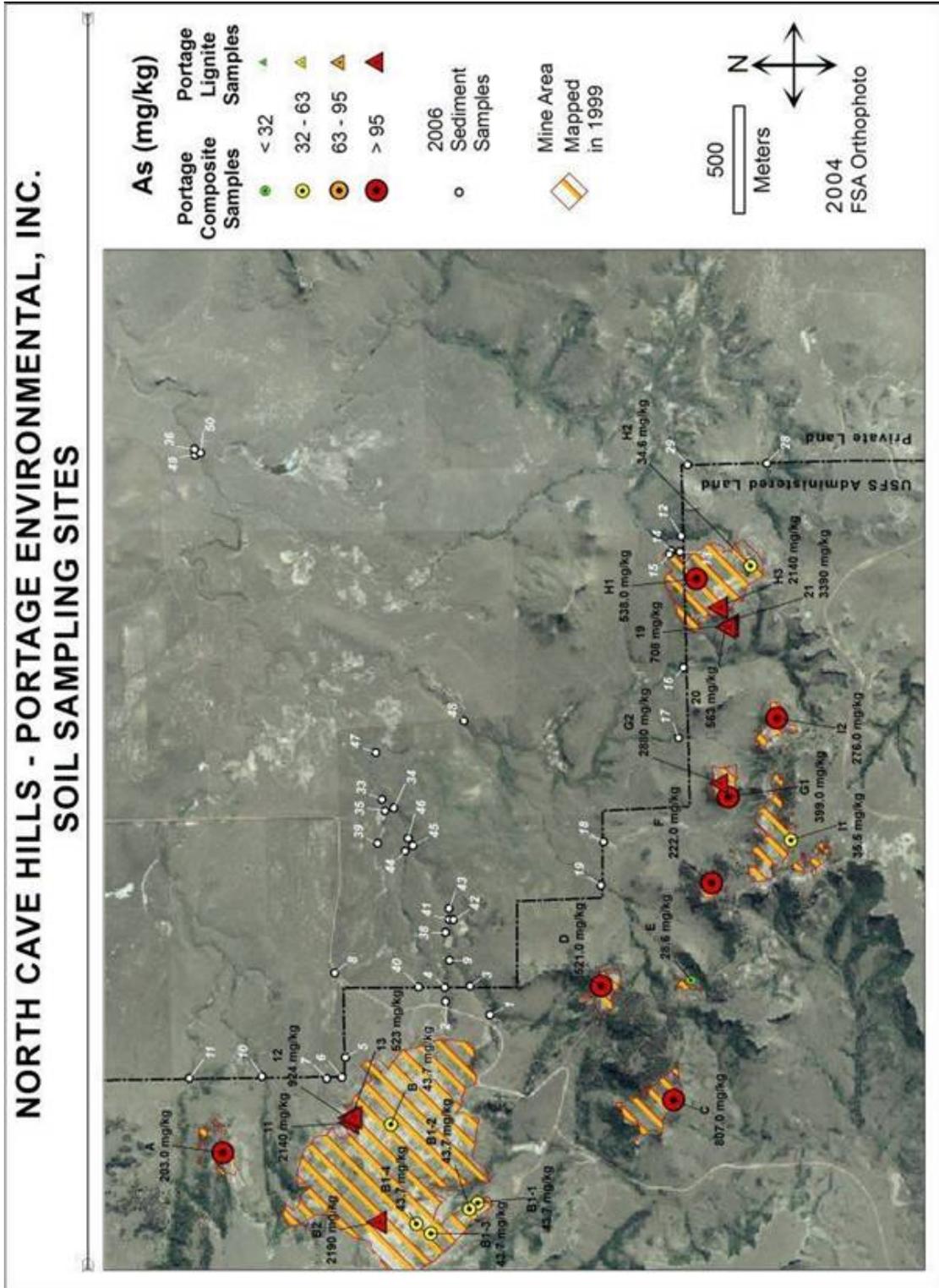


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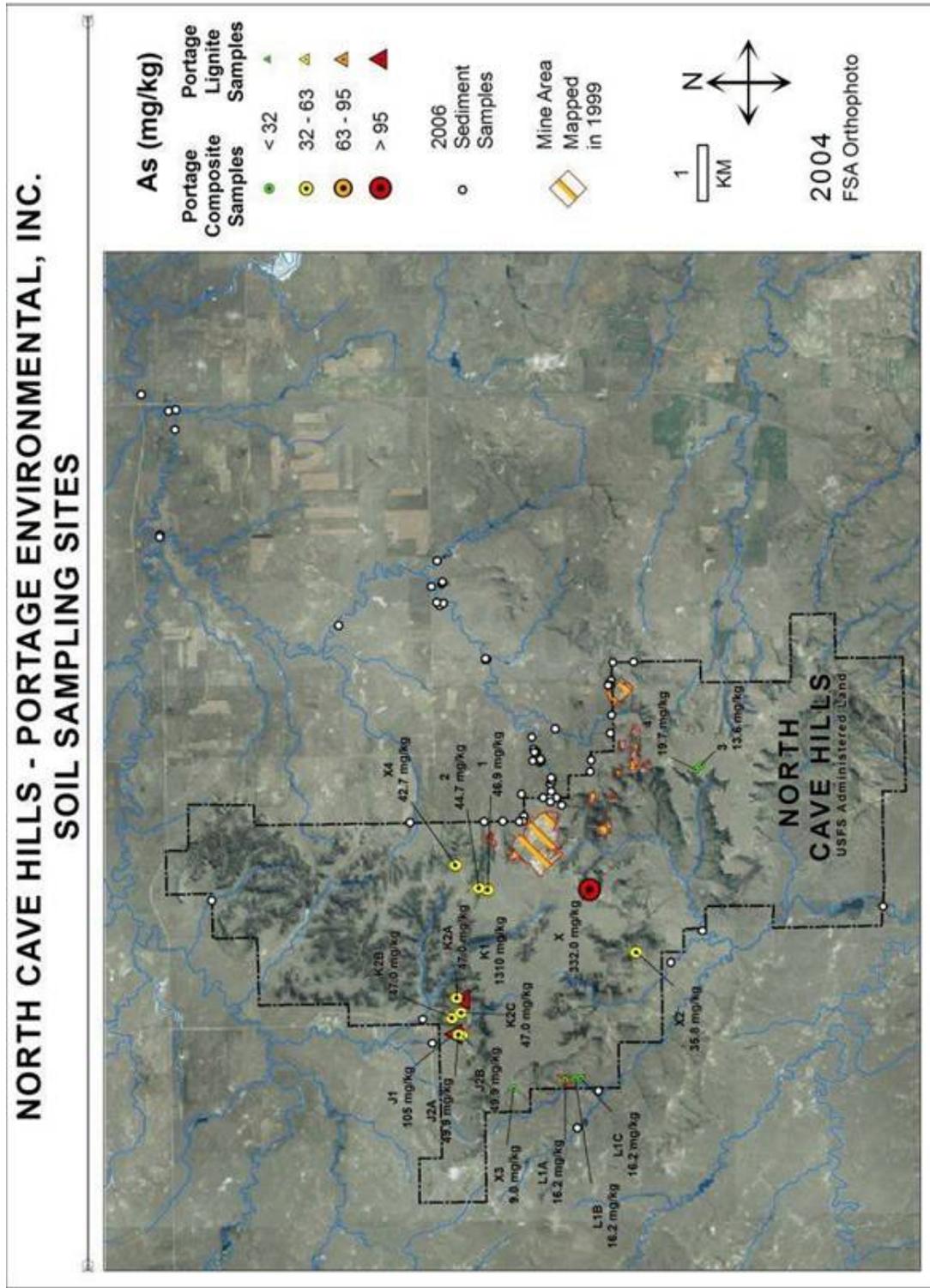


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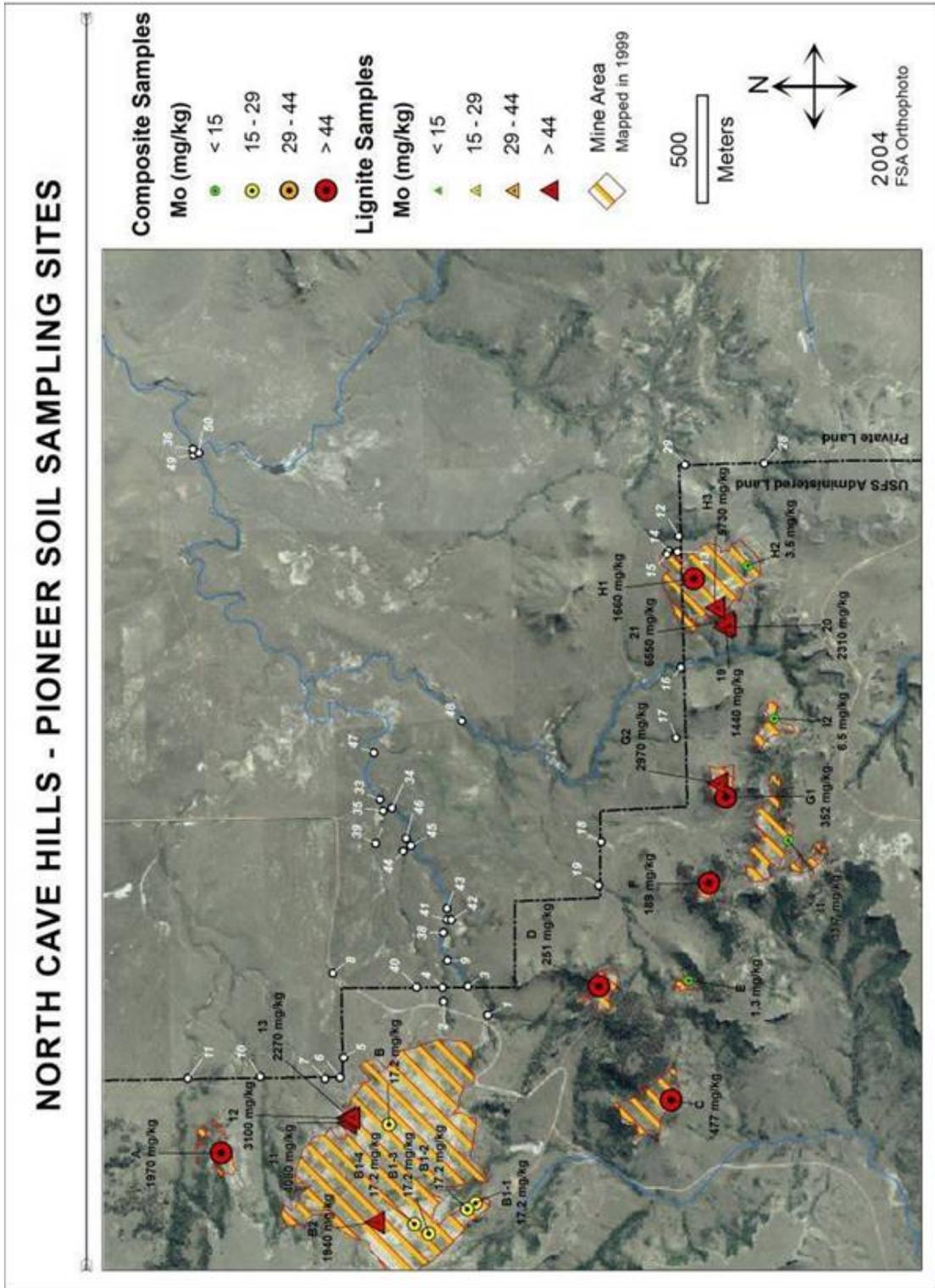


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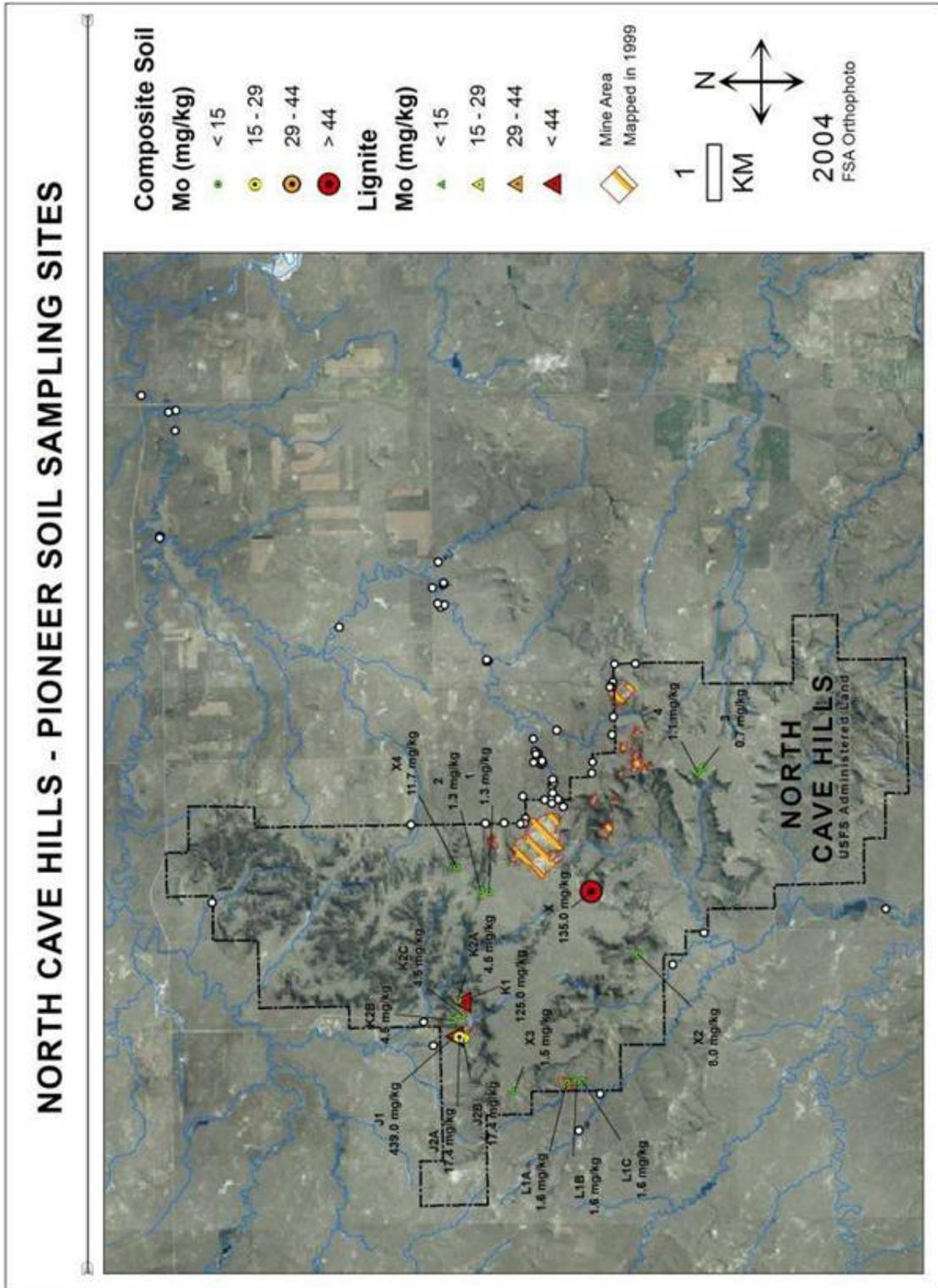


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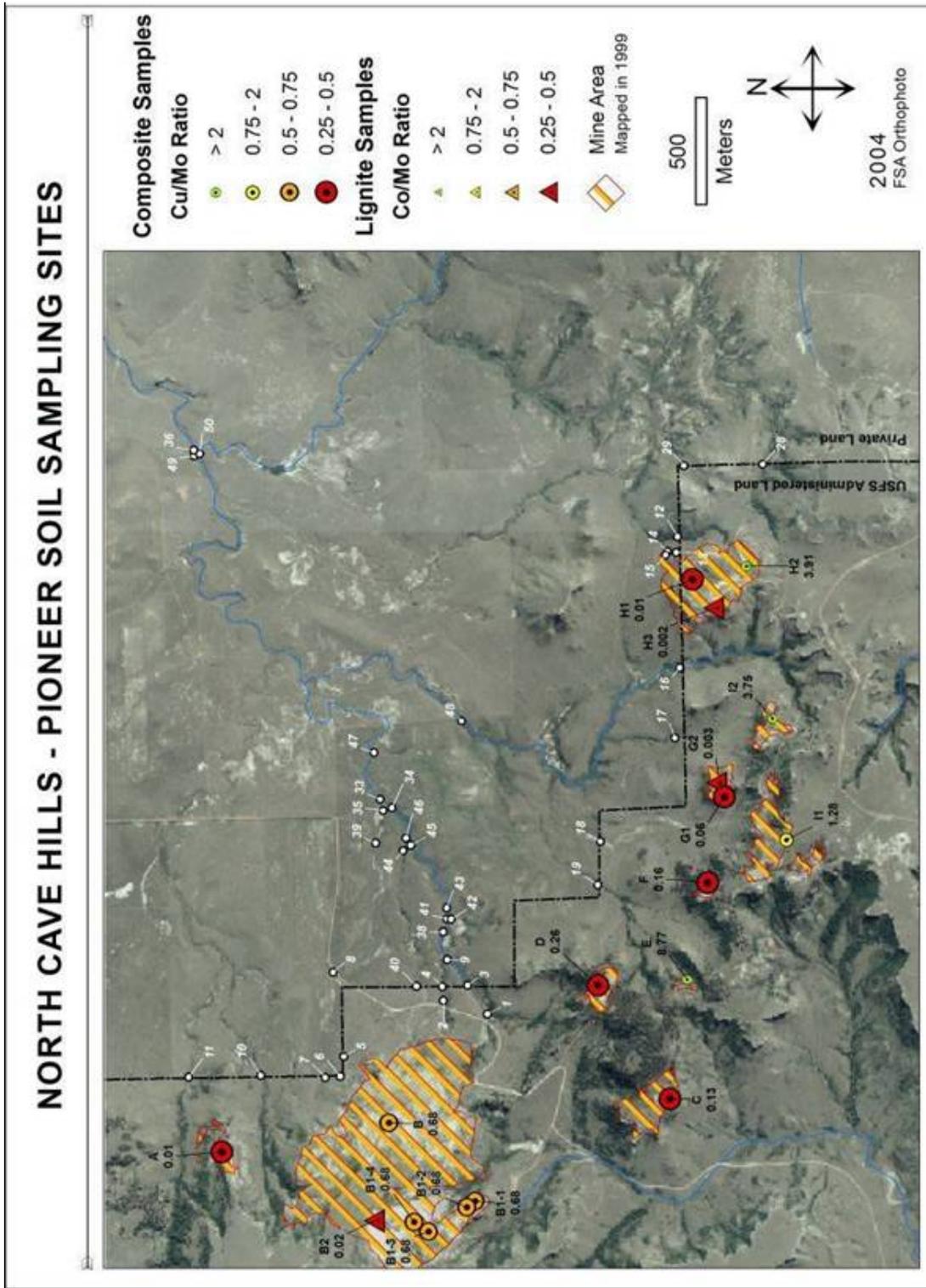


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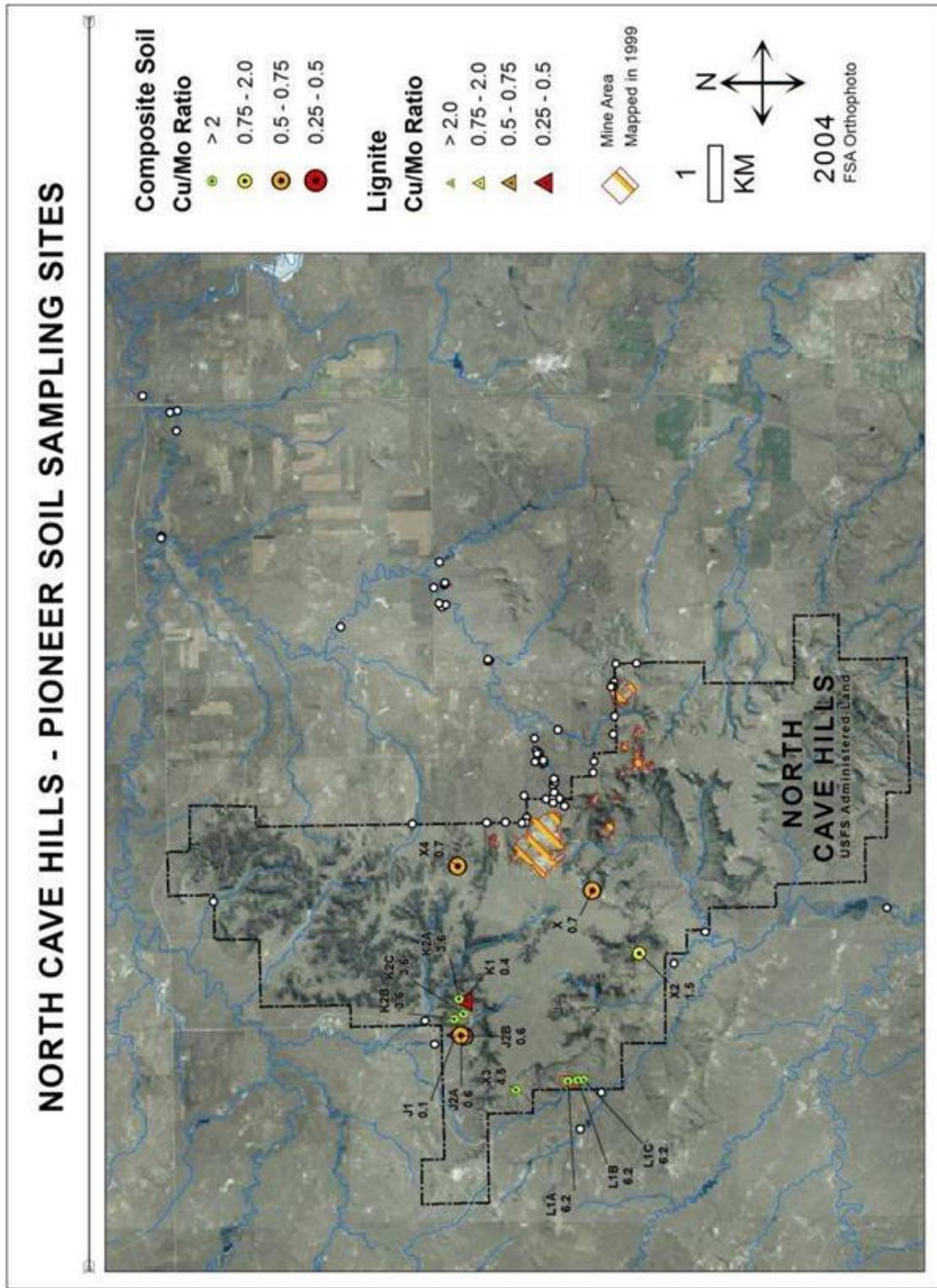


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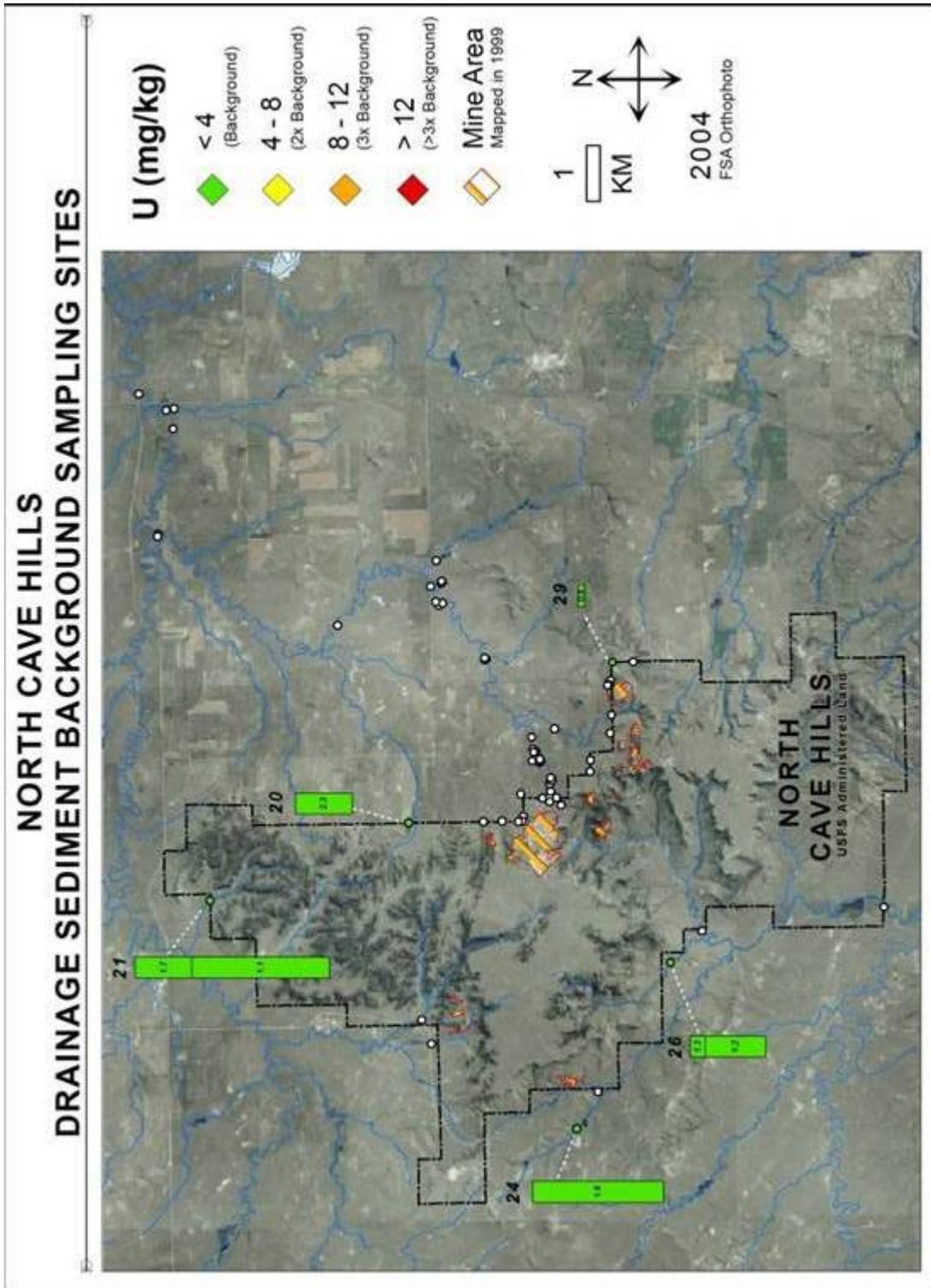


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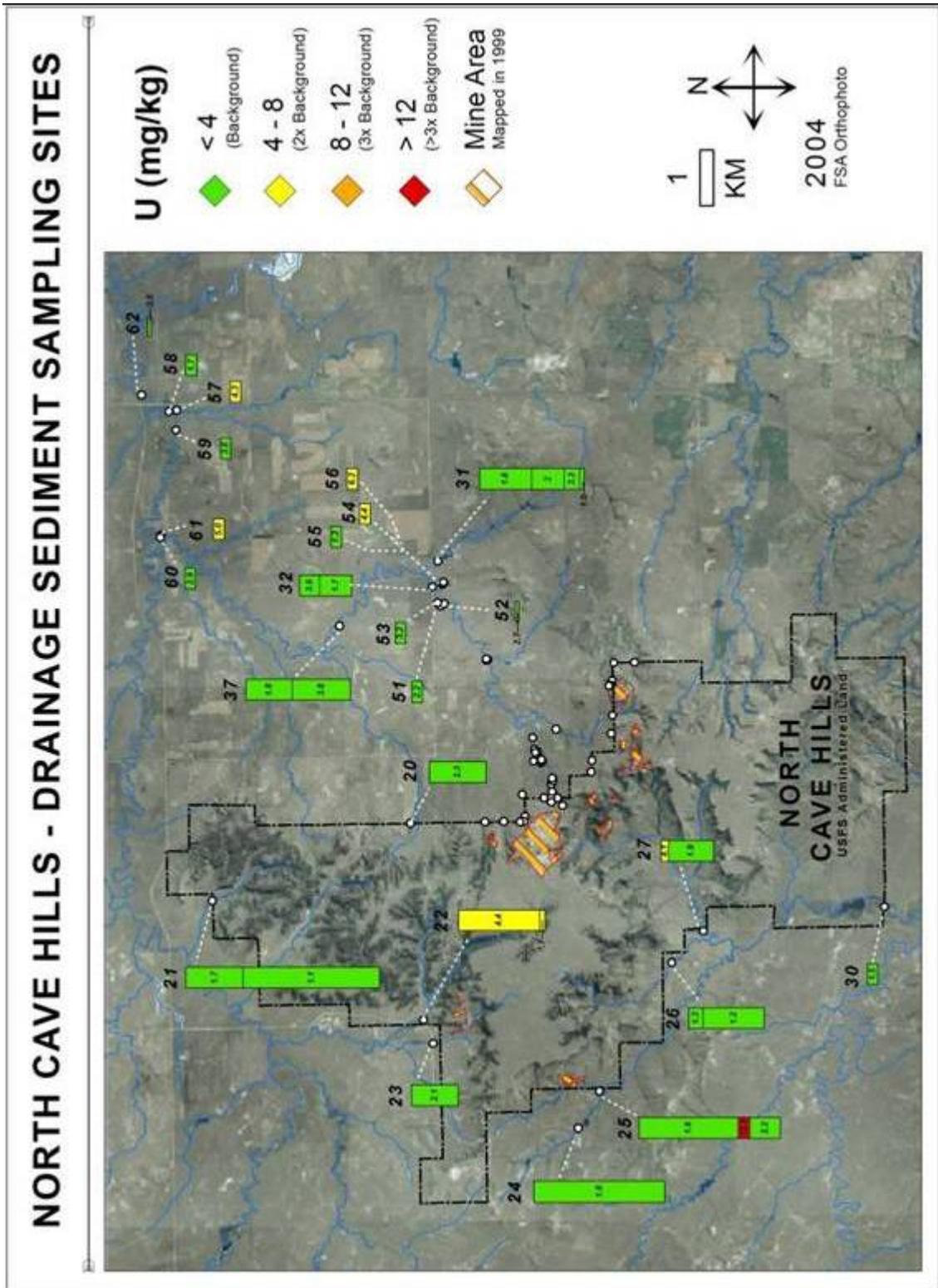


Figure 10.2: Locations and uranium concentrations in drainage samples. Bar length is proportional to core length. Horizontal division within bars indicates composite sampling intervals; numbers show the uranium concentration in mg/kg.

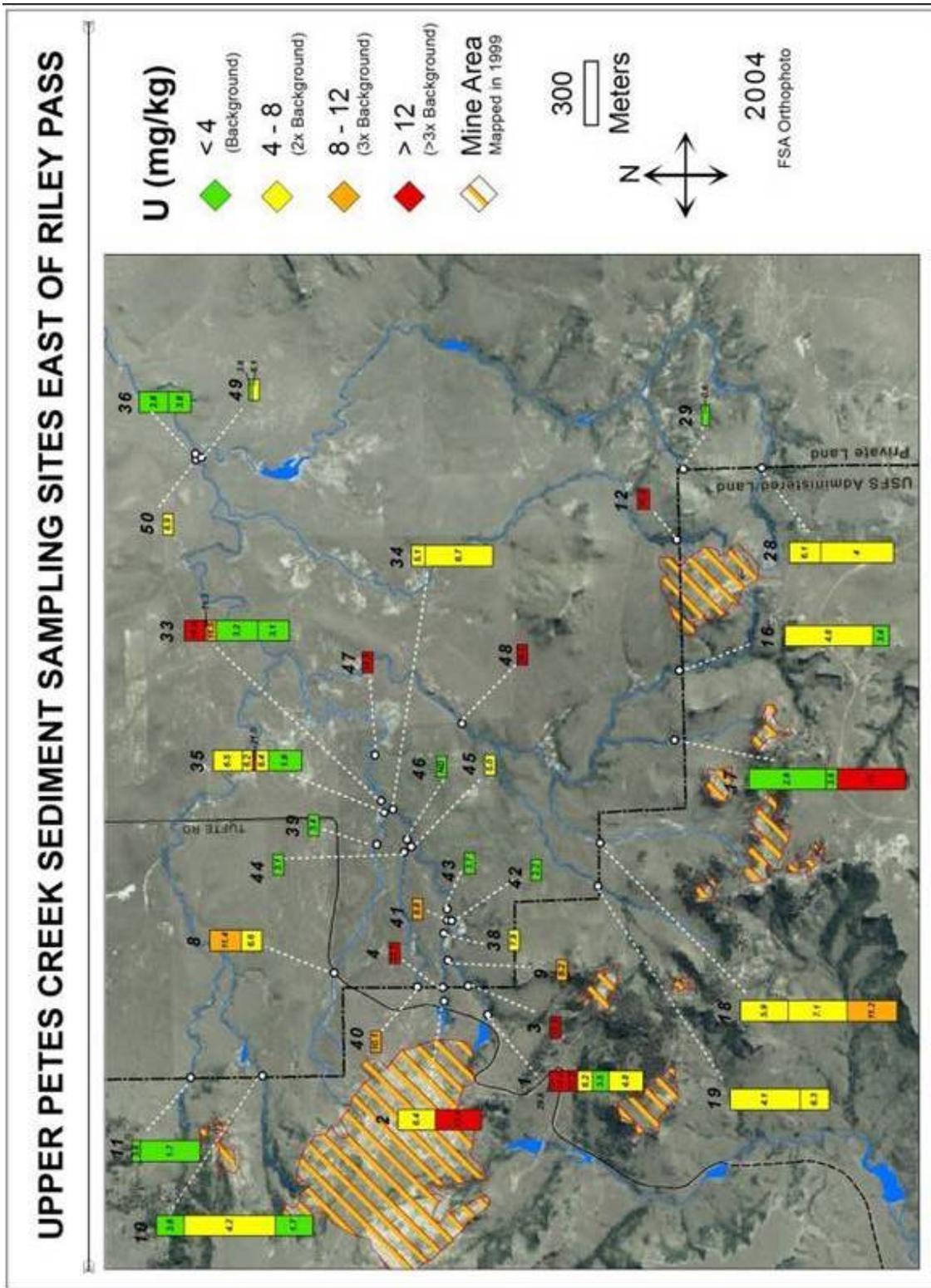


Figure 10.3: Locations and uranium concentrations of core samples in the upper Pete's Creek drainage

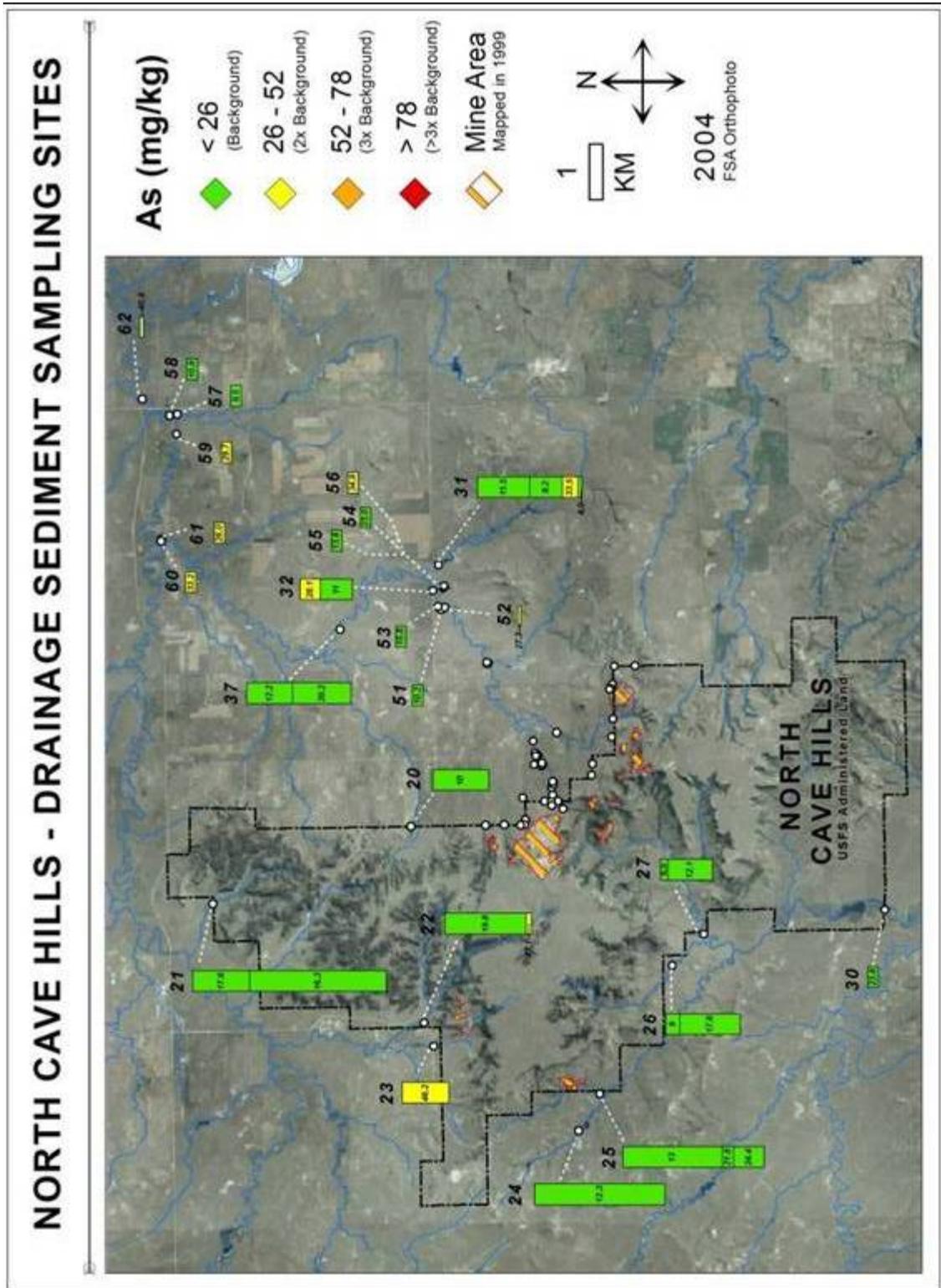


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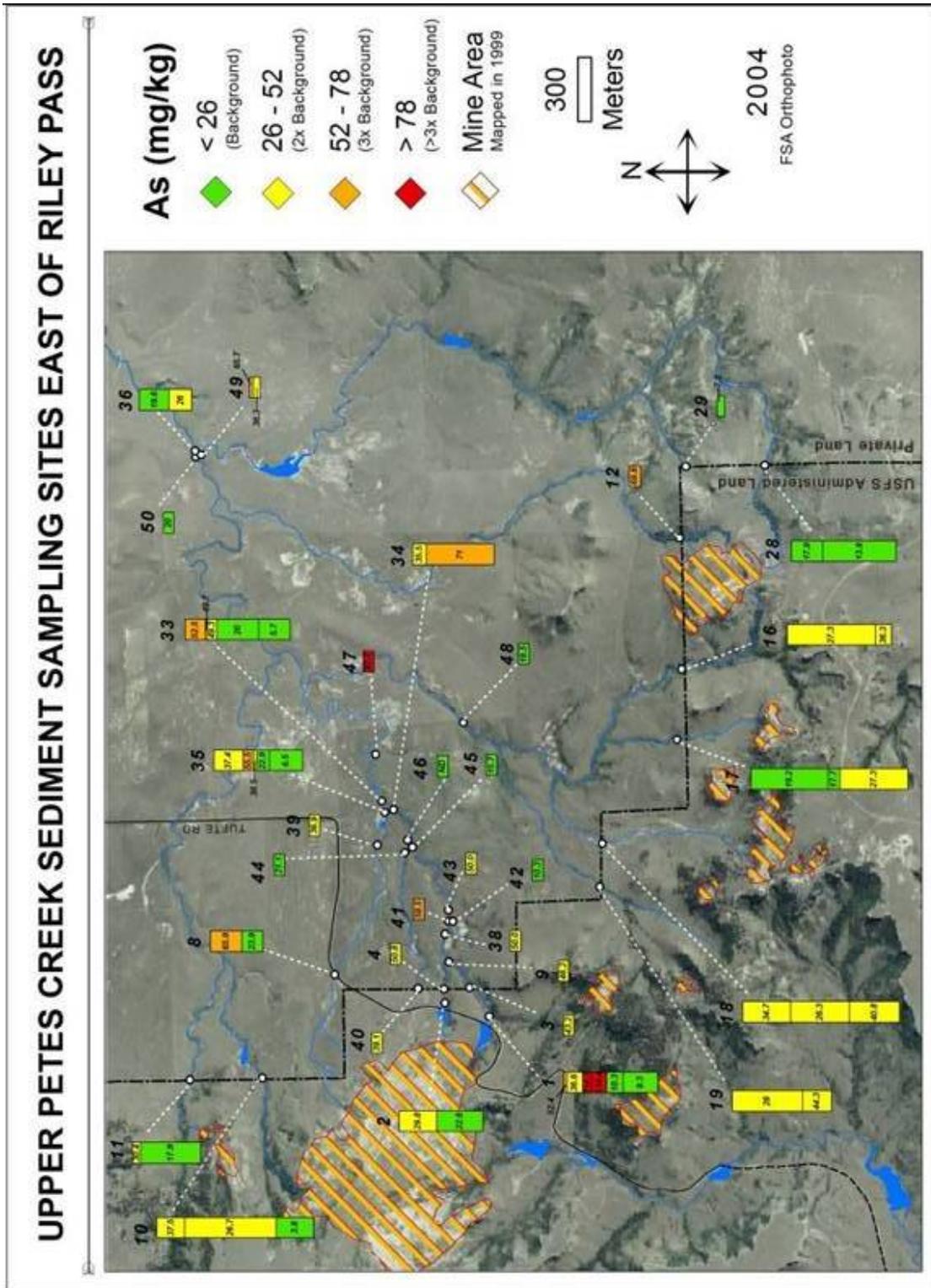


Figure 10.5: Locations and arsenic concentrations of sediment samples in the upper Pete’s Creek drainage

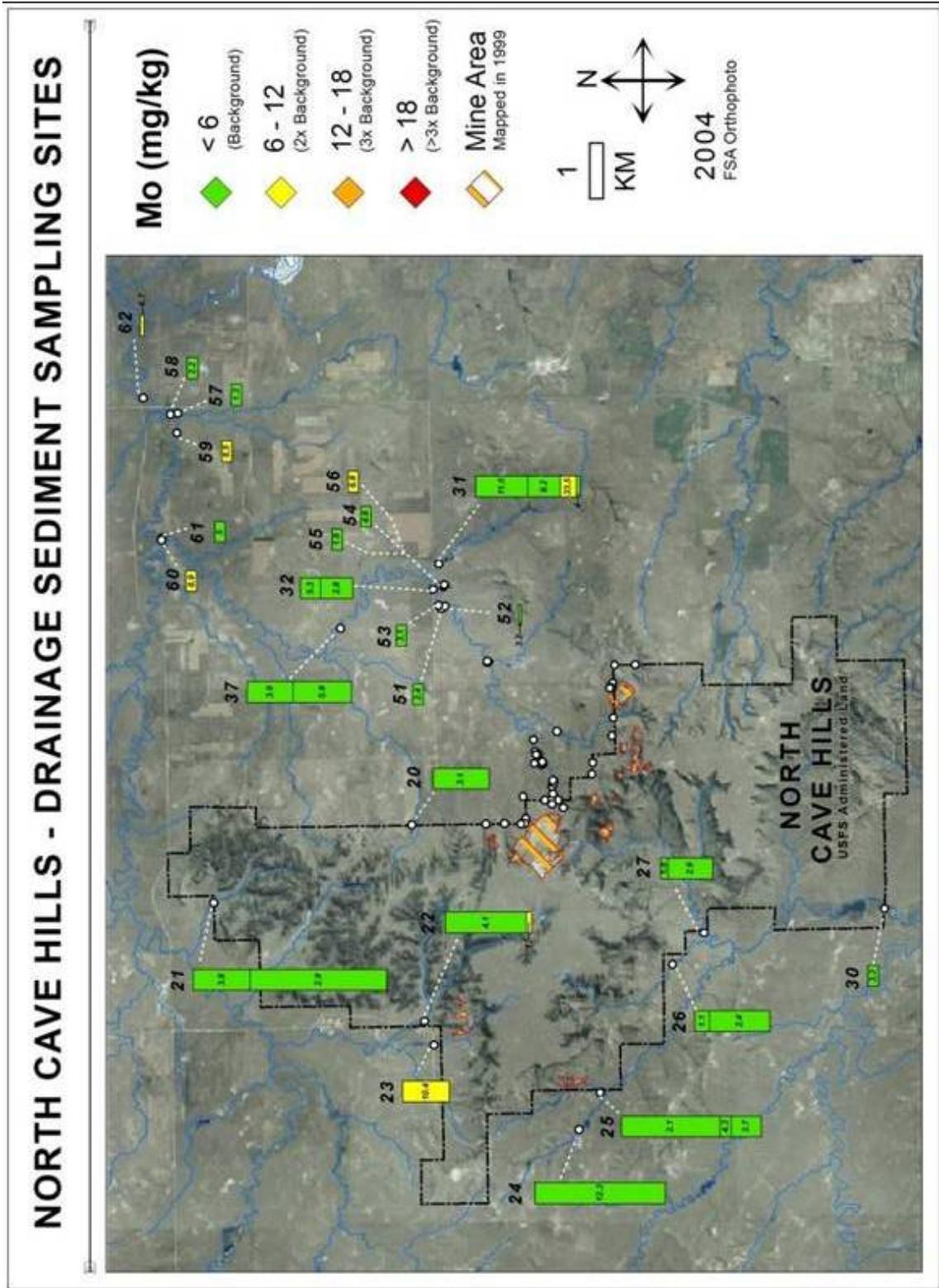


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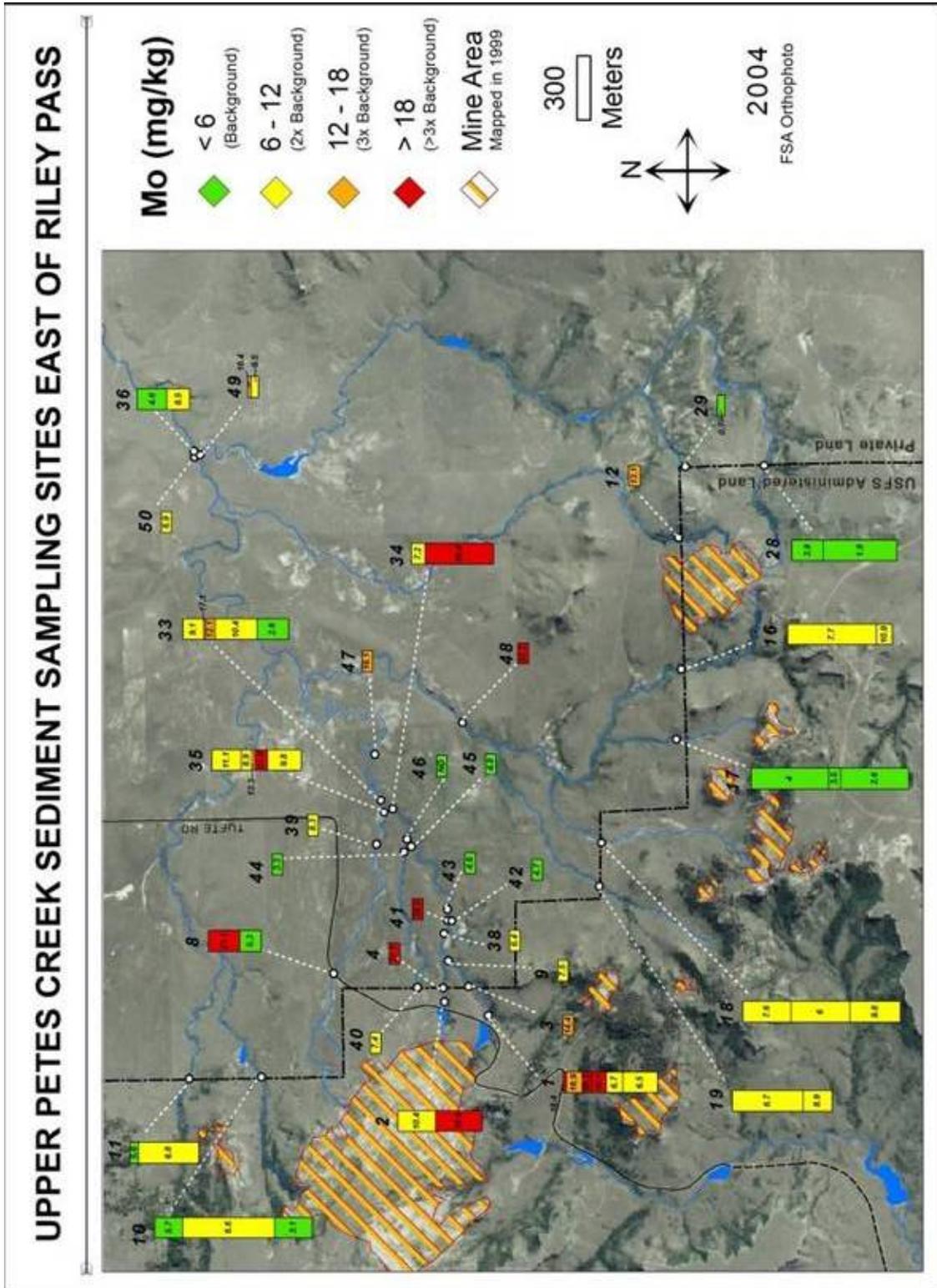


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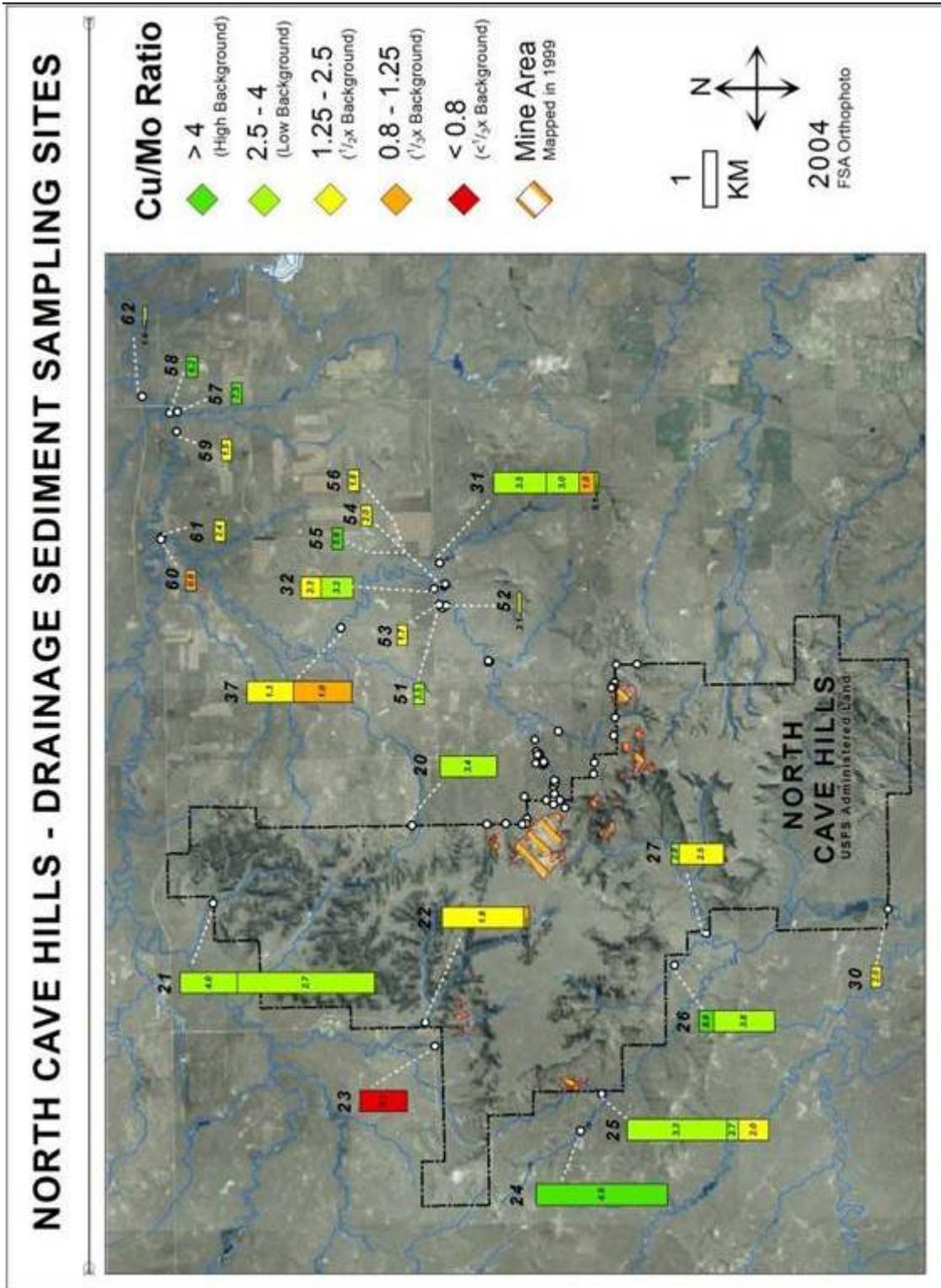


Figure 10.8: Locations and copper/molybdenum ratios of sediment samples. Bar length is proportional to core length. Horizontal division within bars indicates composite sampling intervals; numbers show the copper/molybdenum ratio.

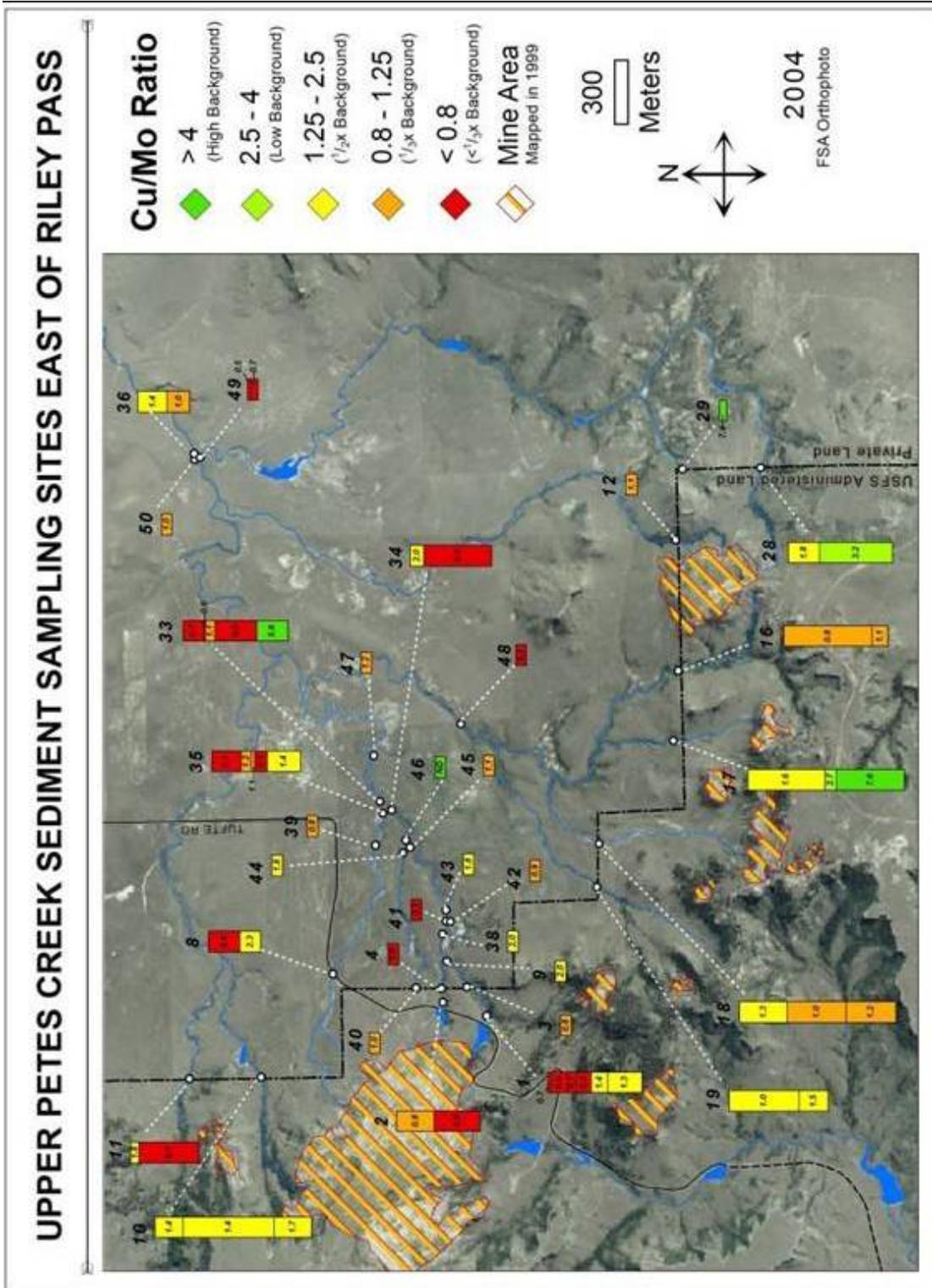


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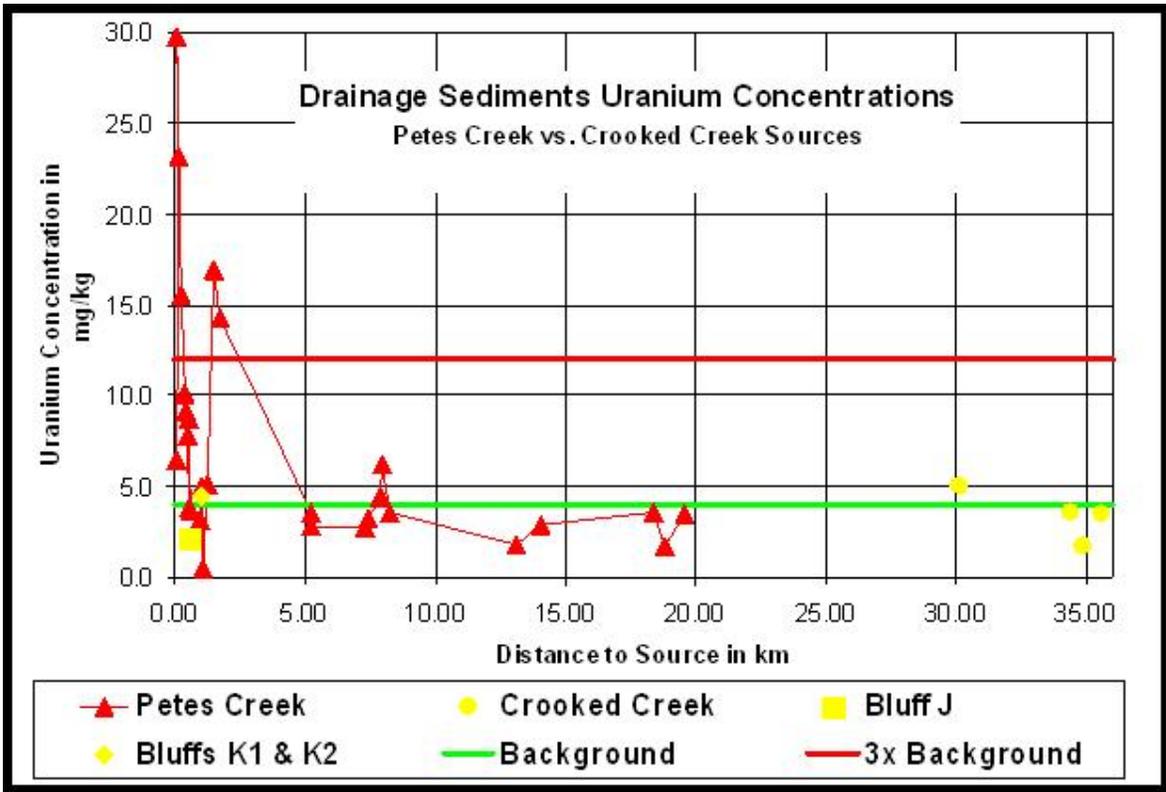


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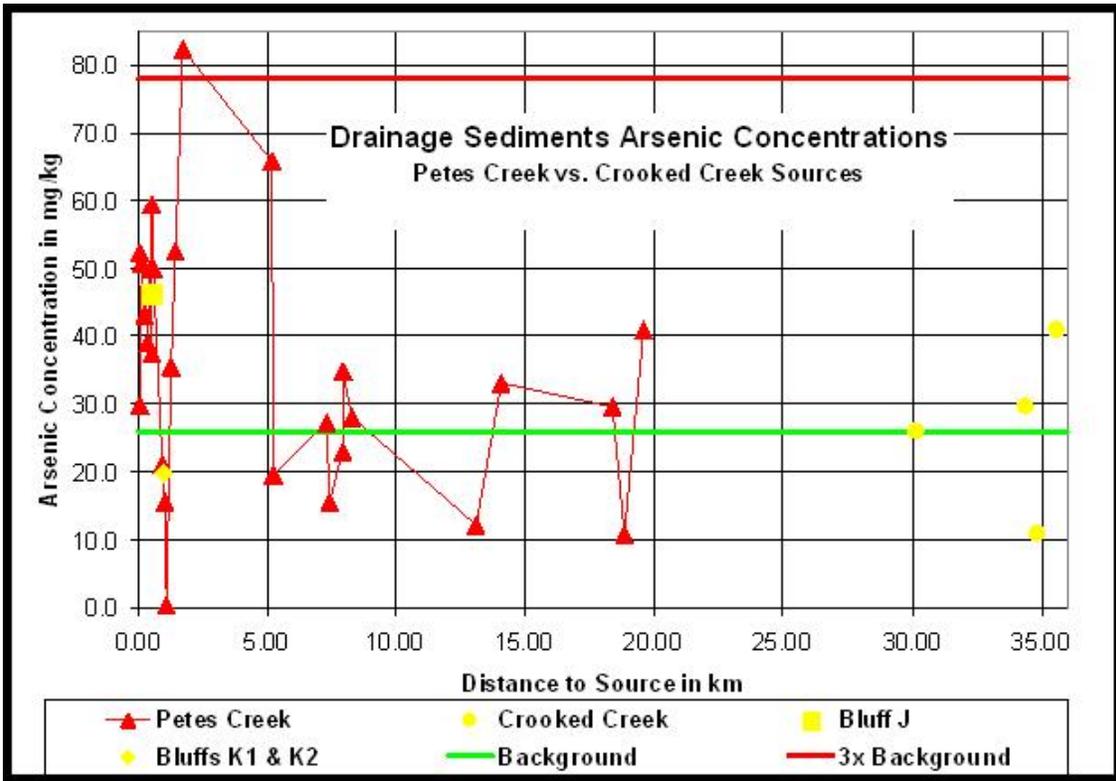


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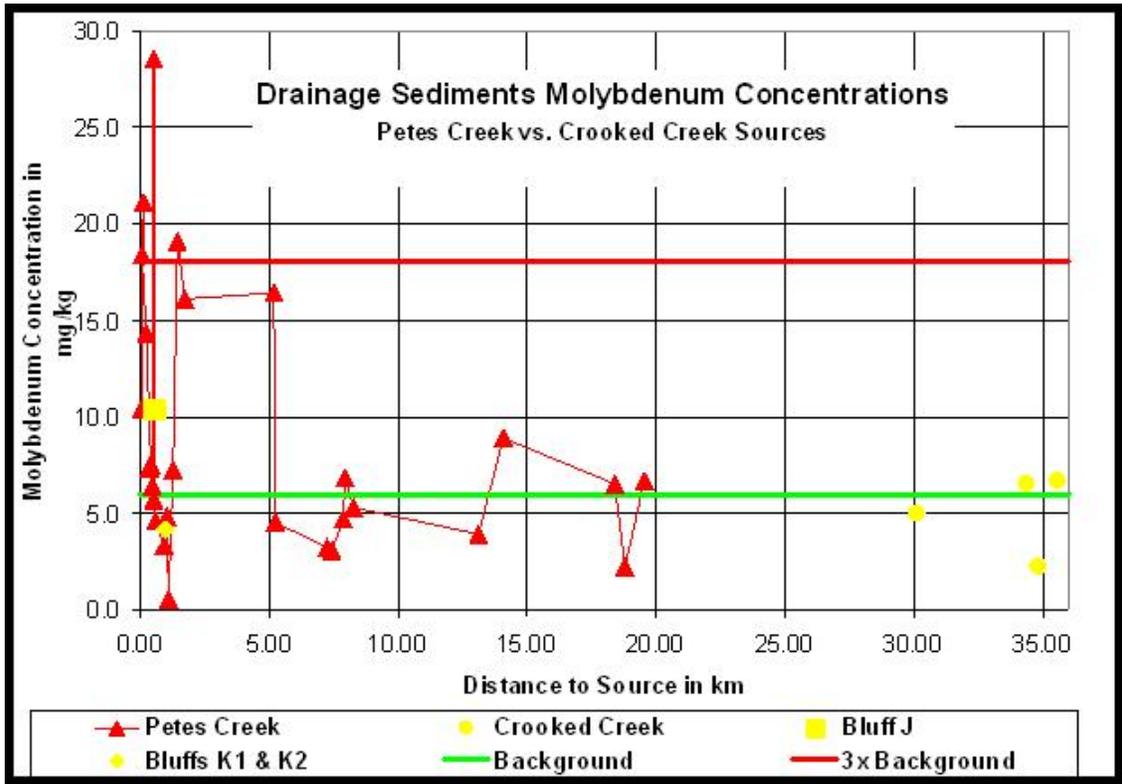


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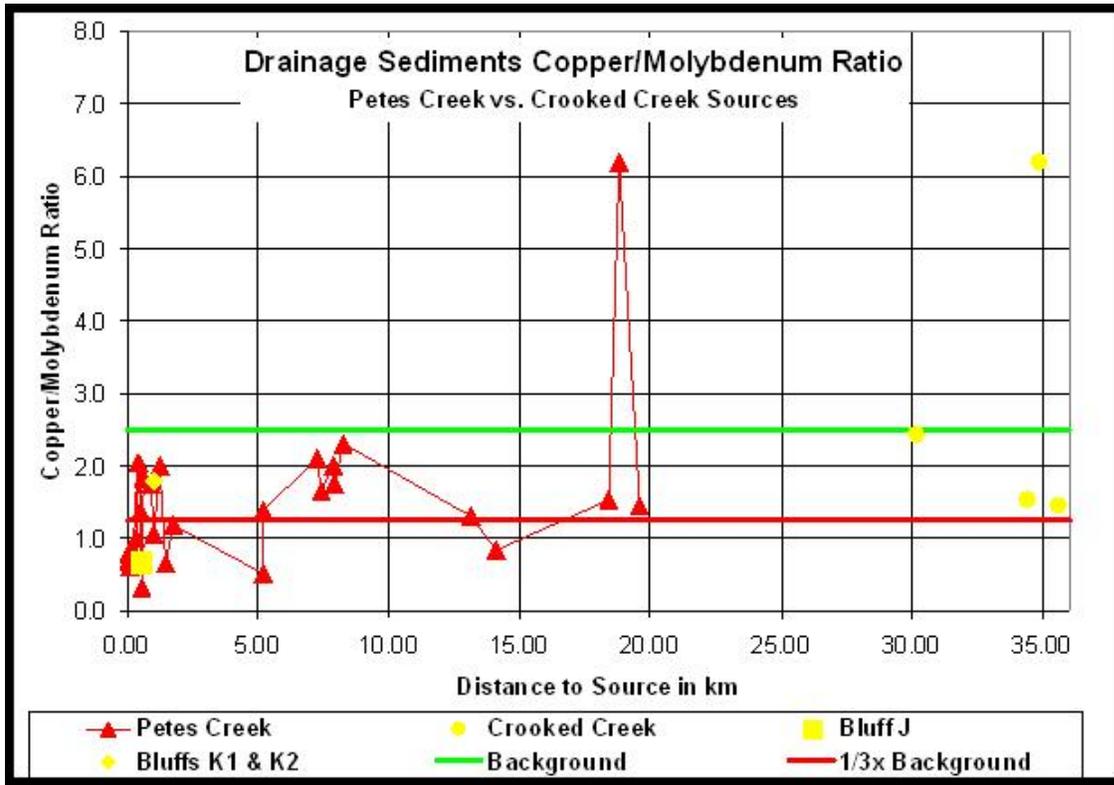


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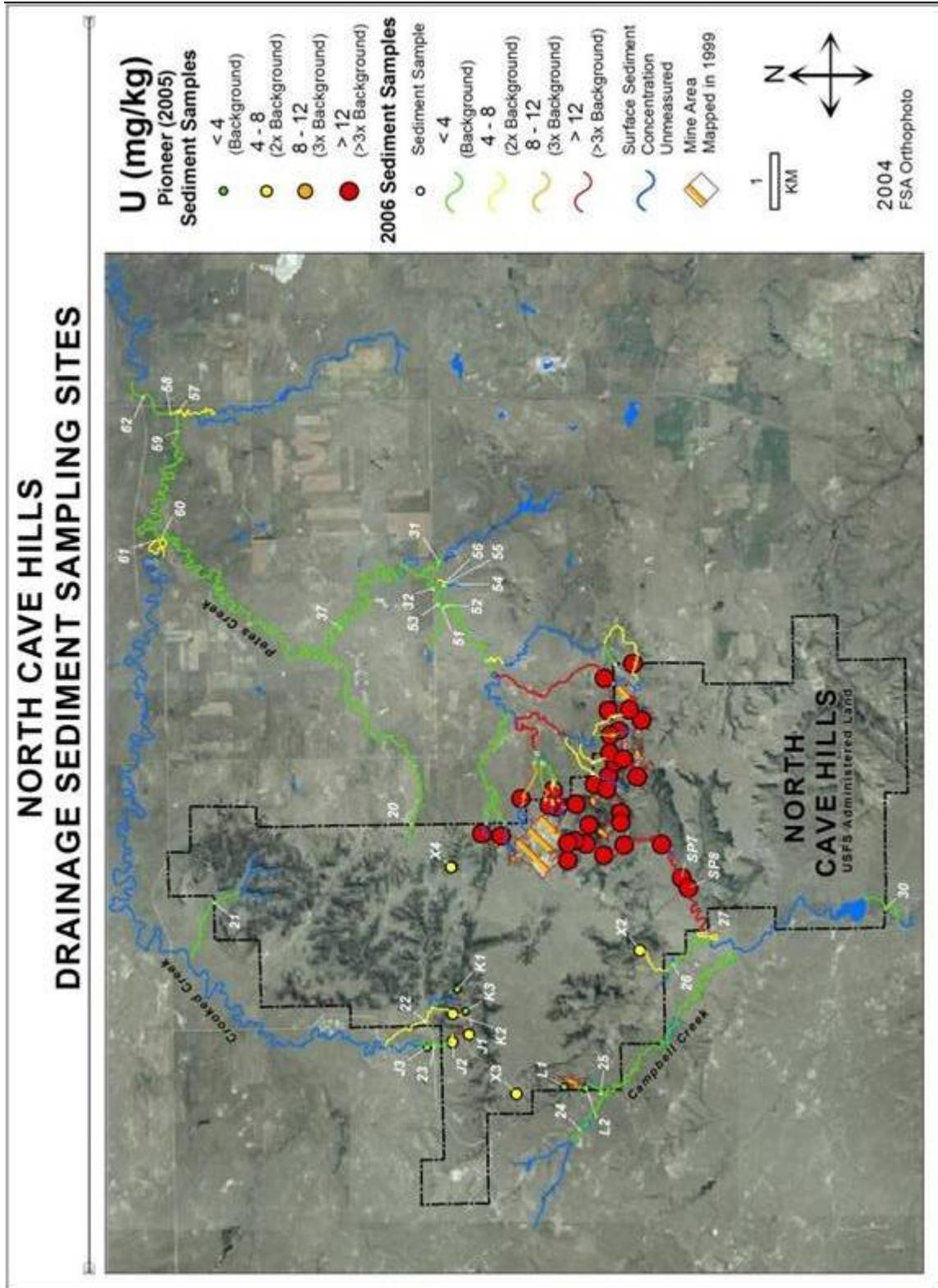


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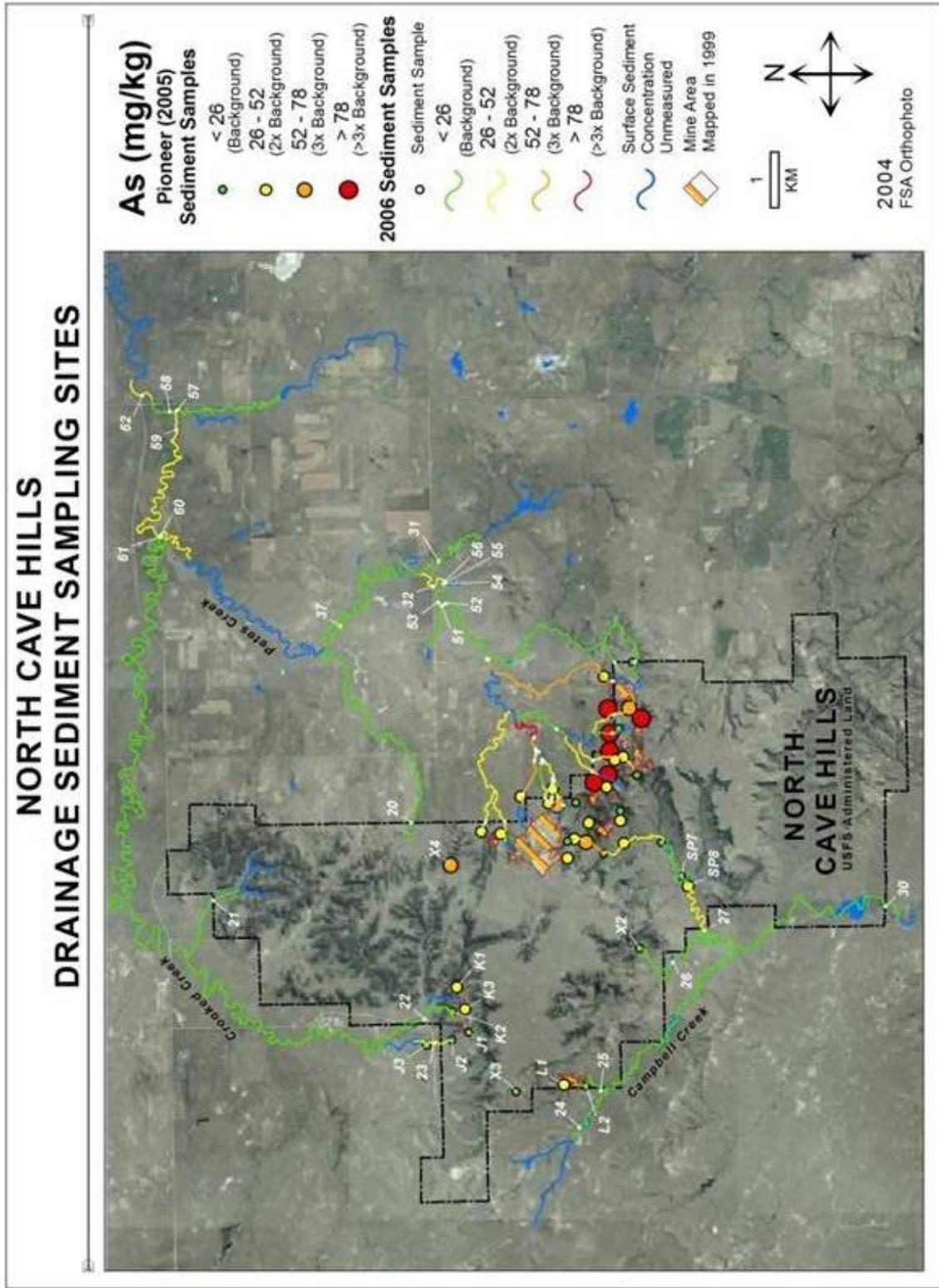


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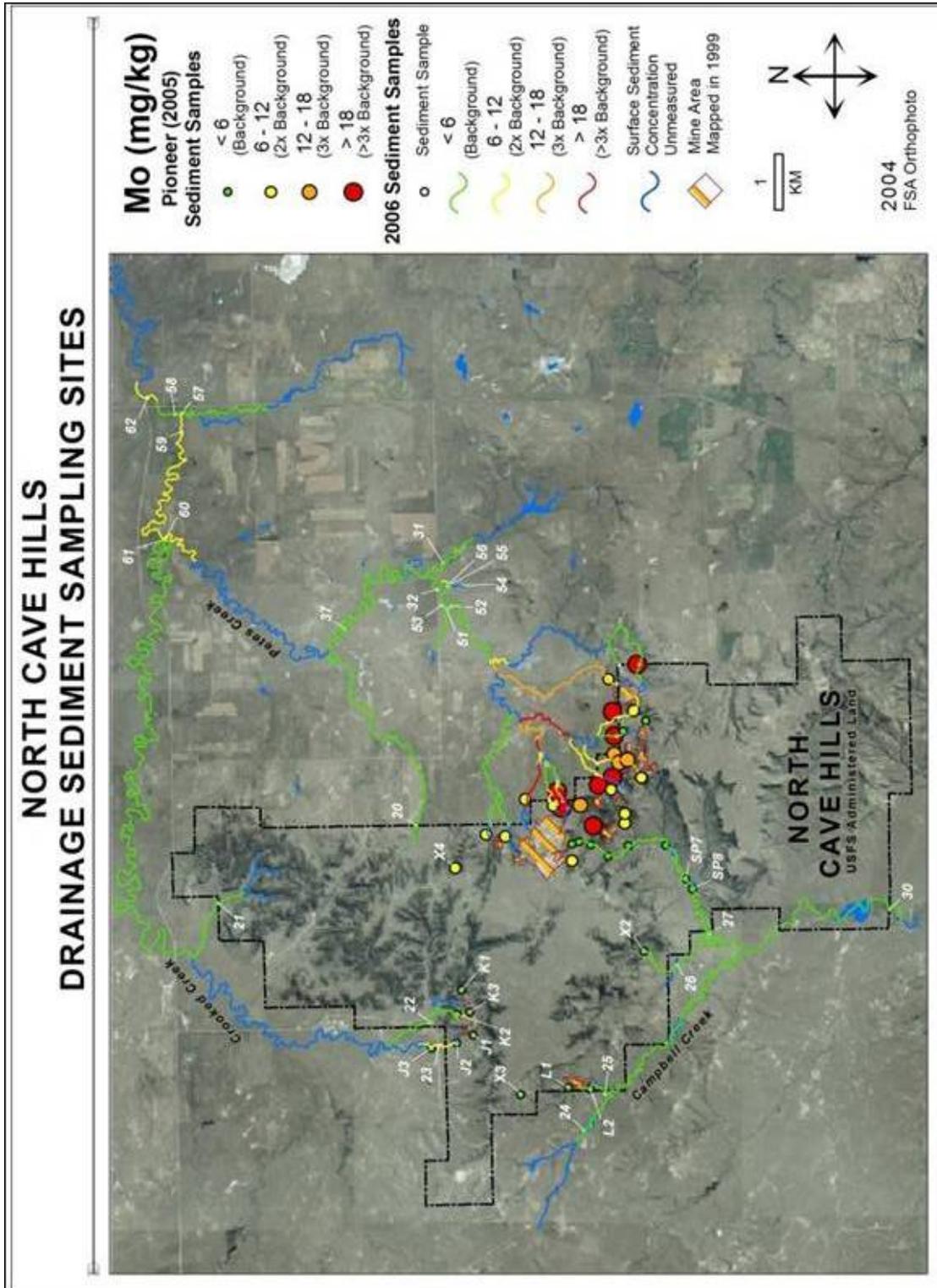


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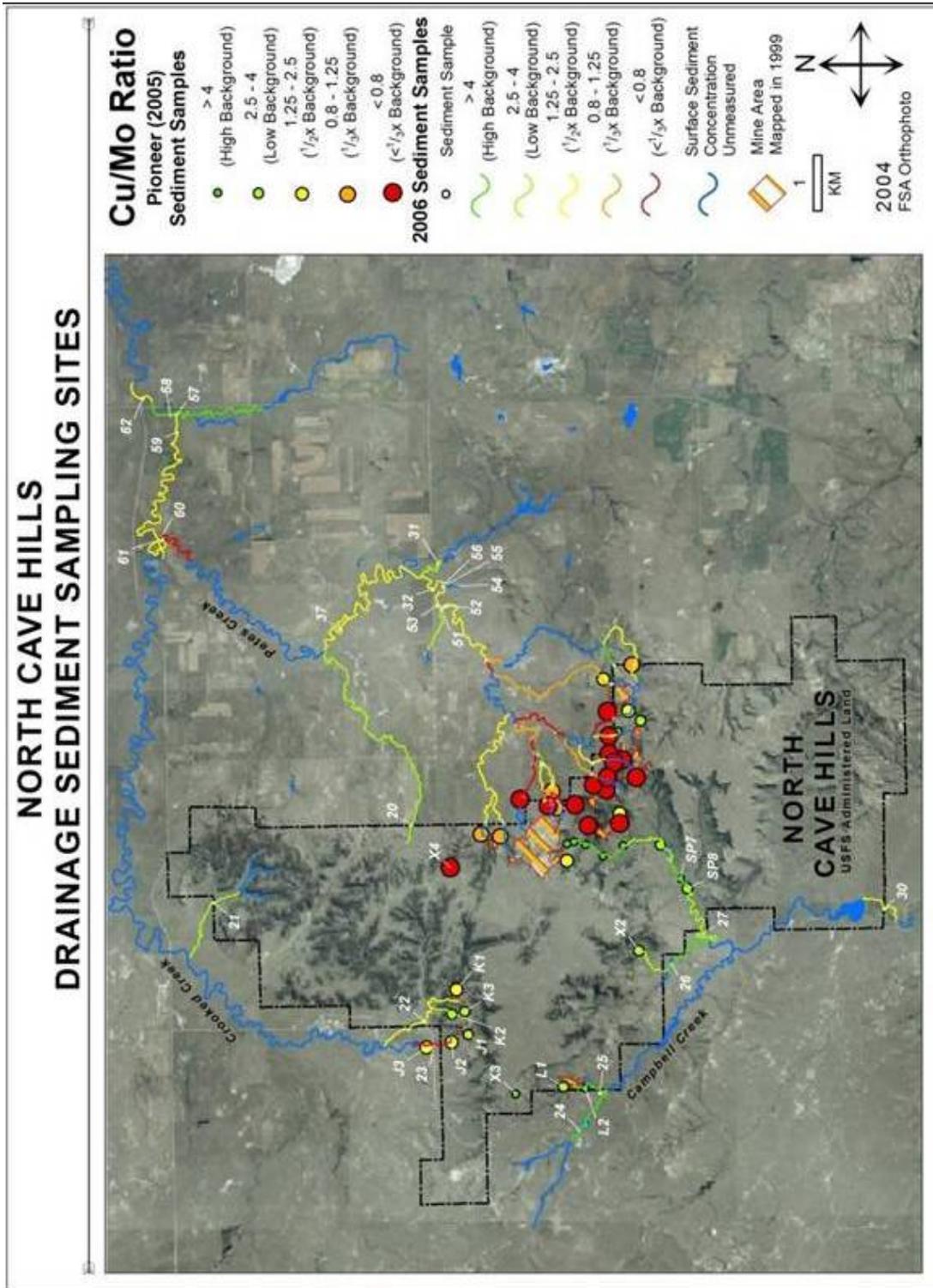


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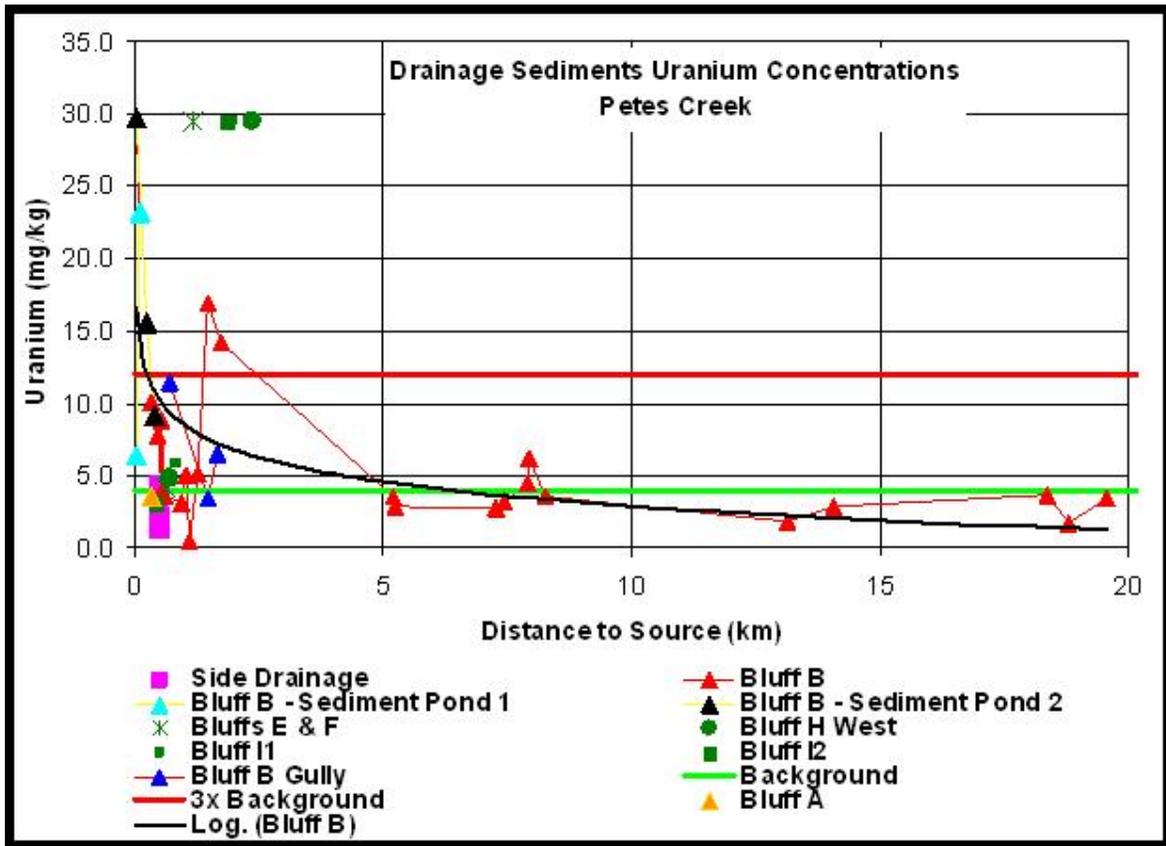


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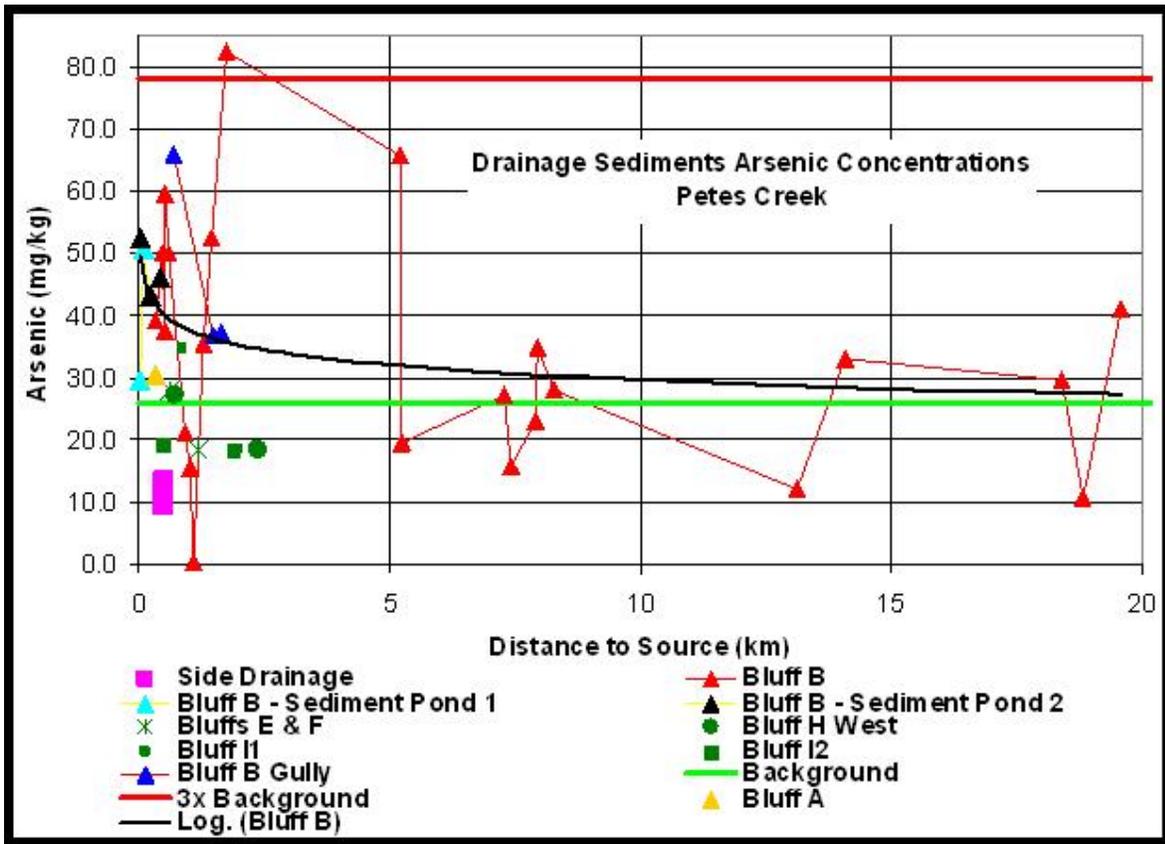


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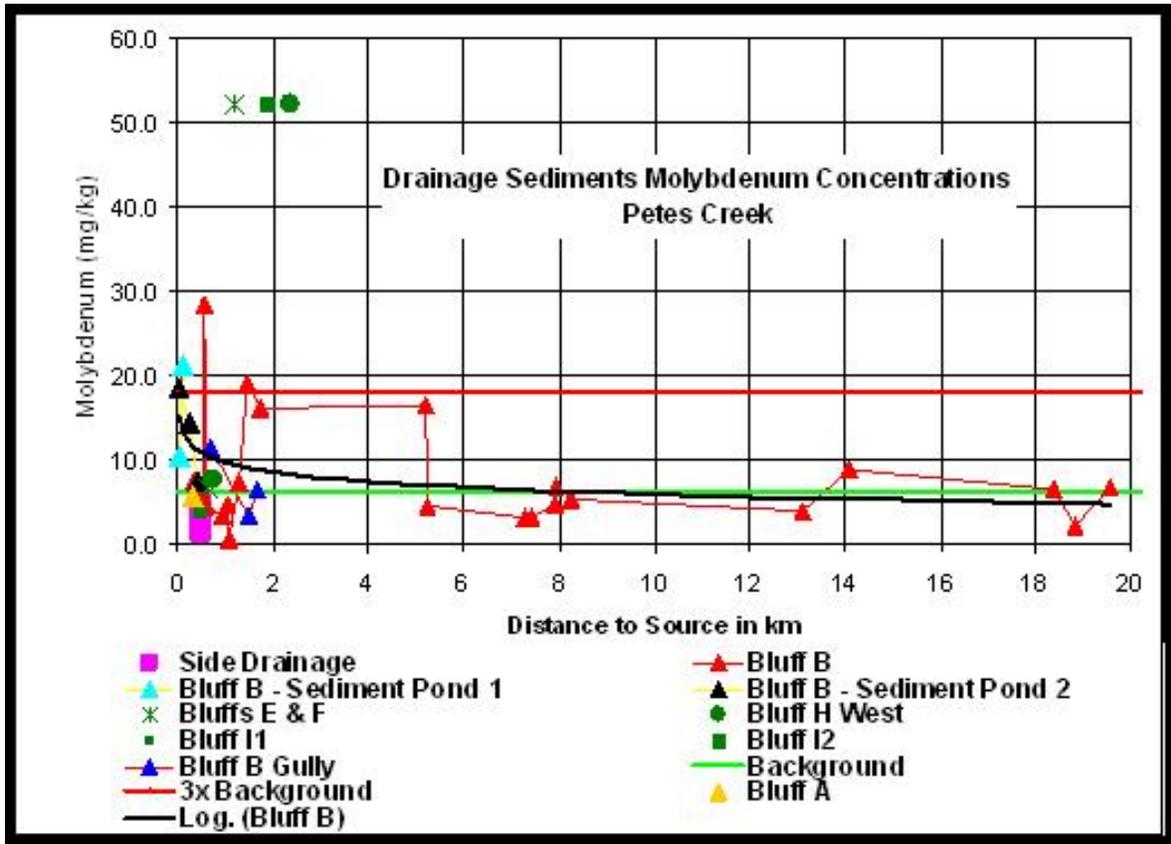


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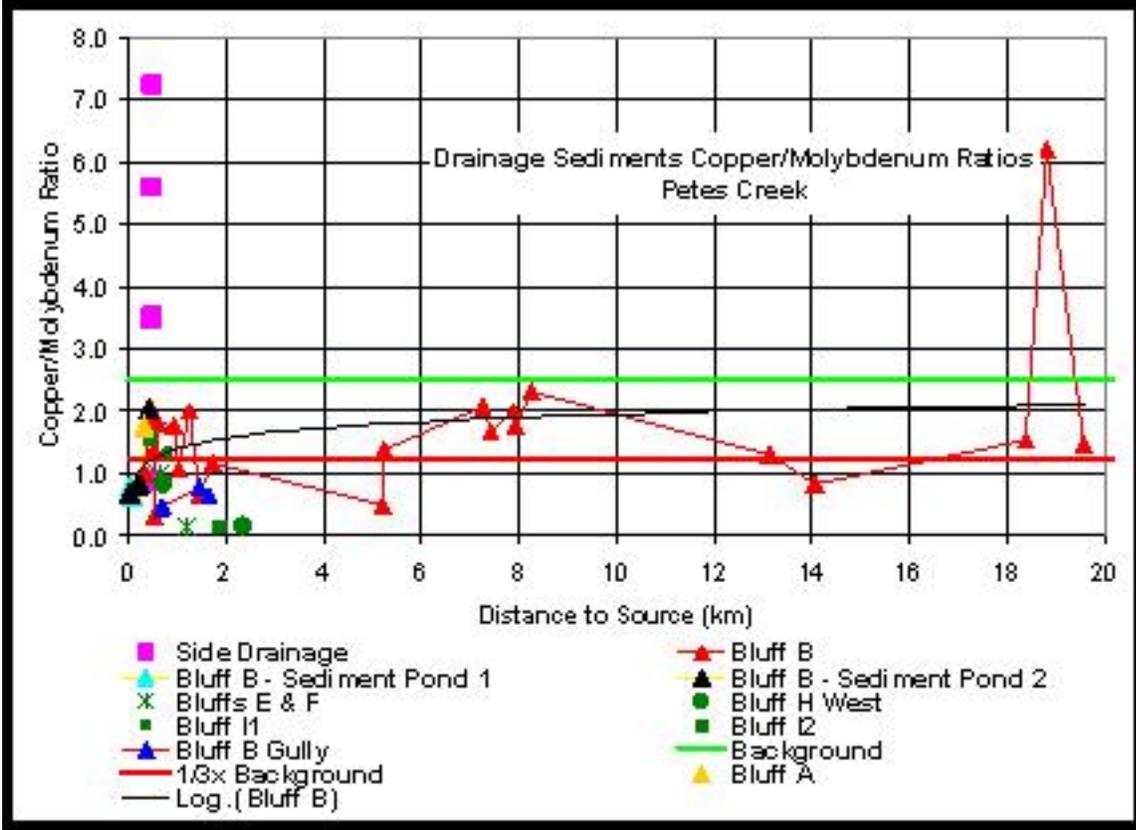


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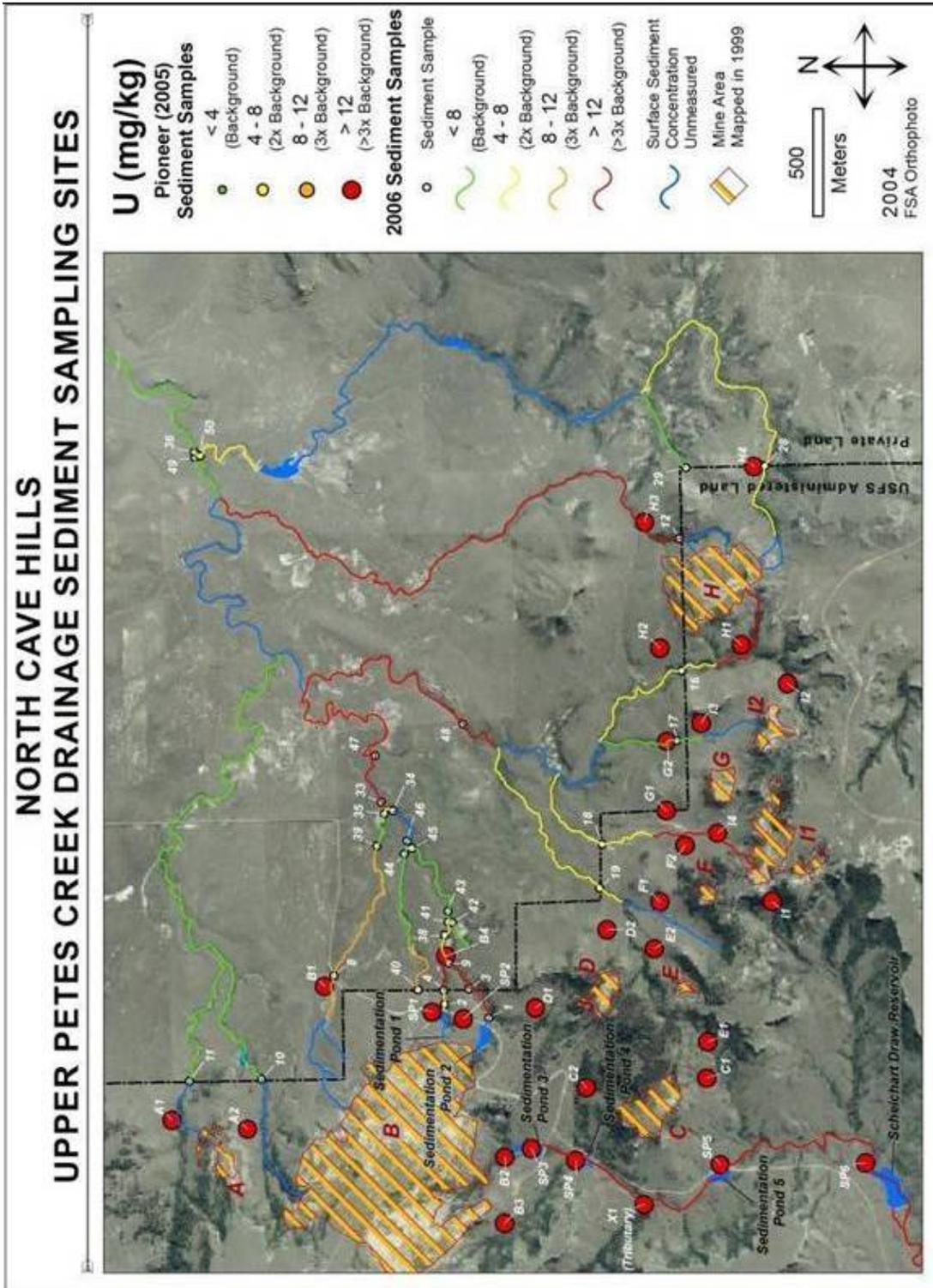


Figure 10.22: Uranium concentration of stream sediments in the upper Pete’s Creek drainage

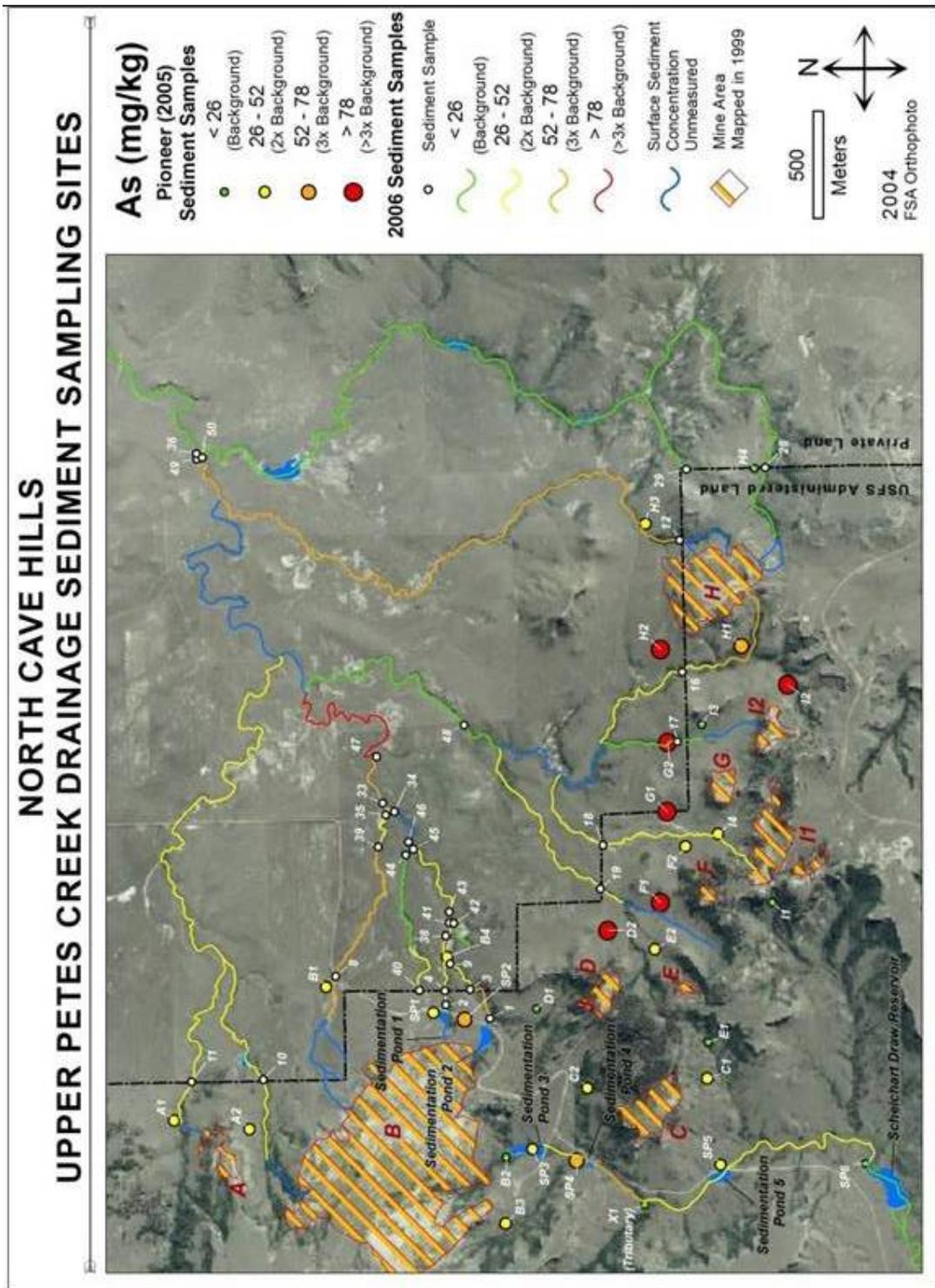


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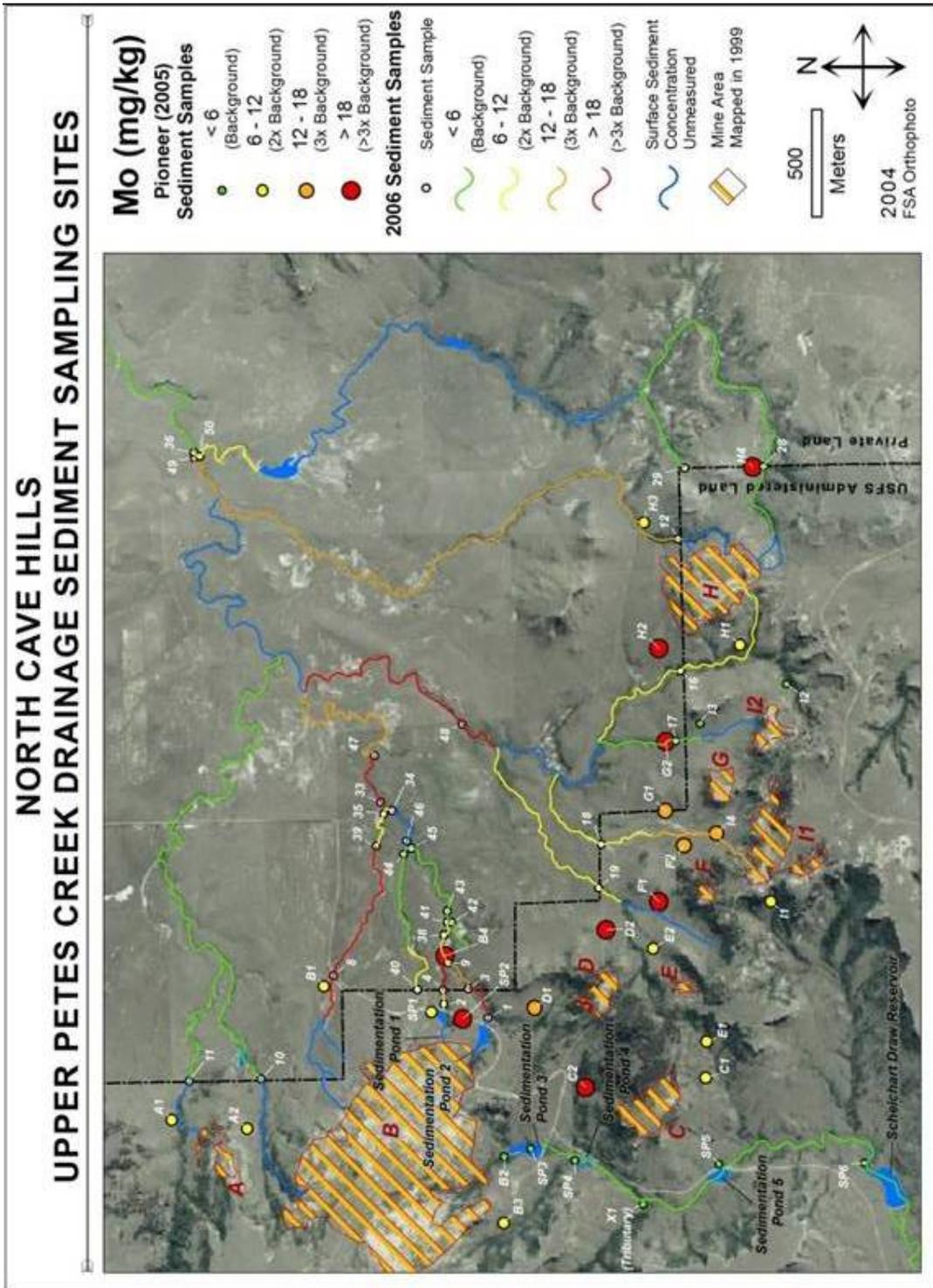


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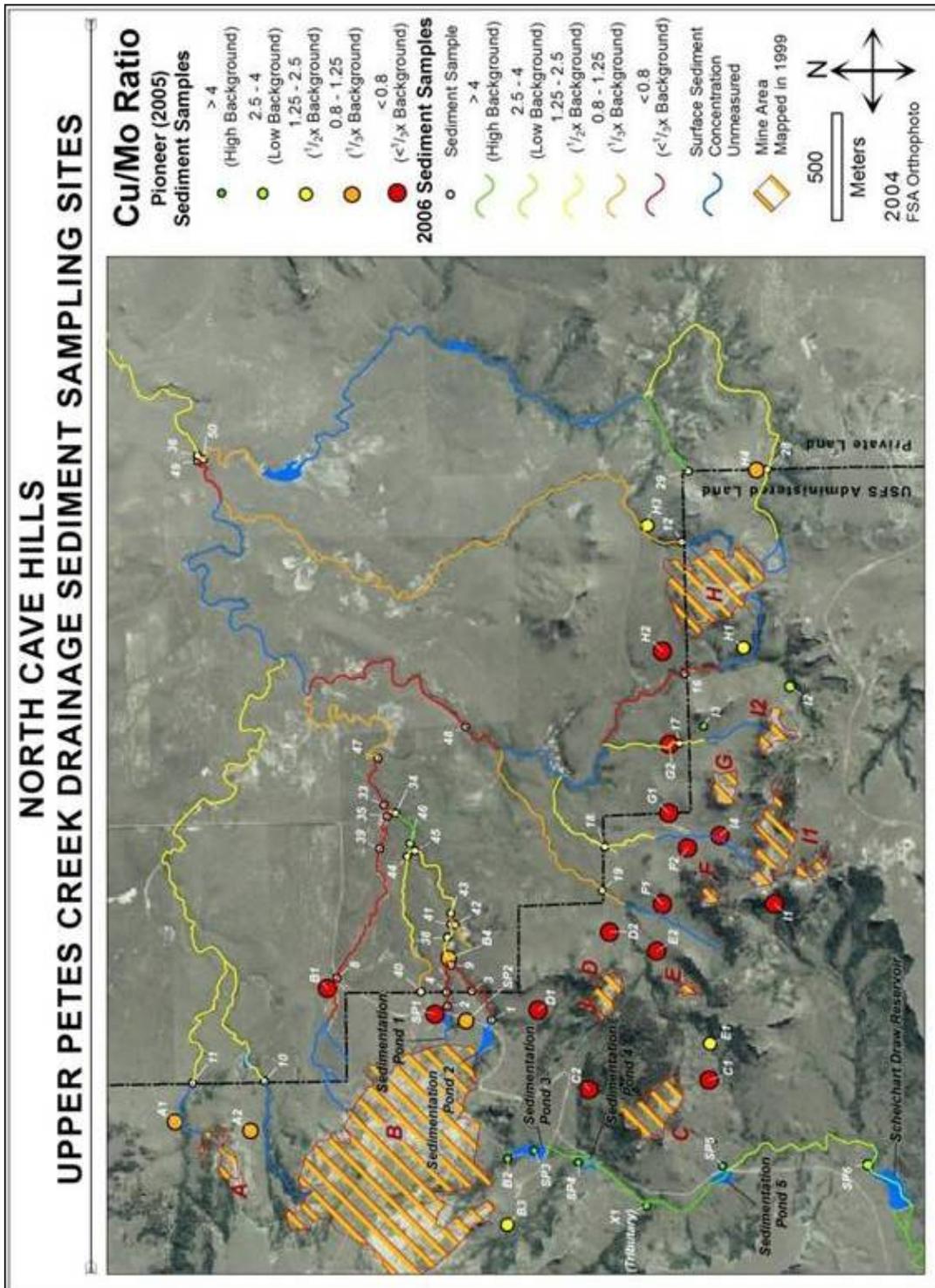


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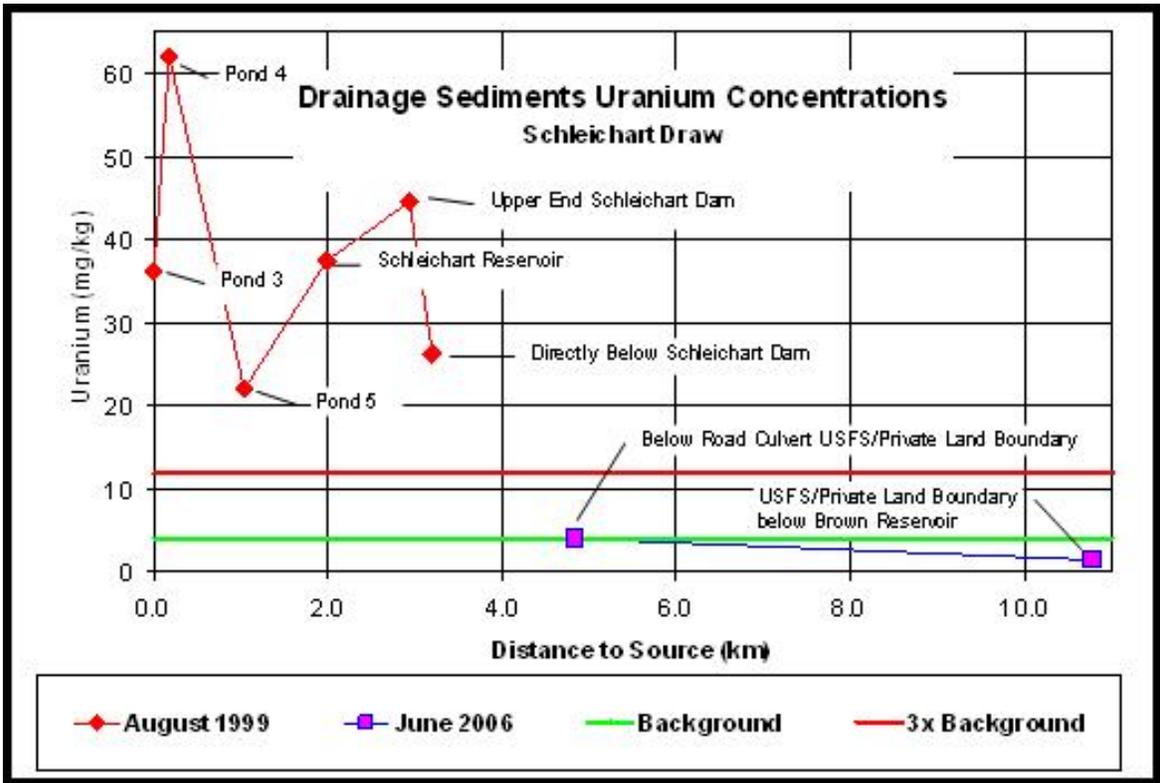


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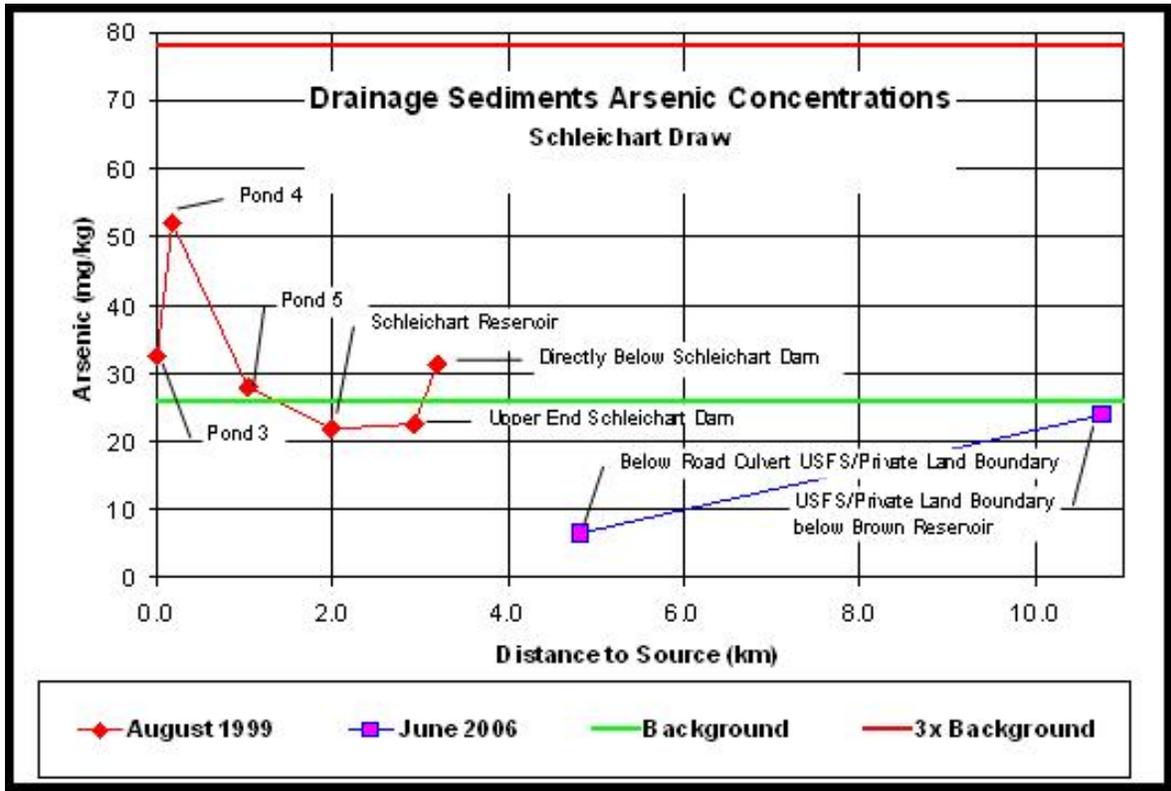


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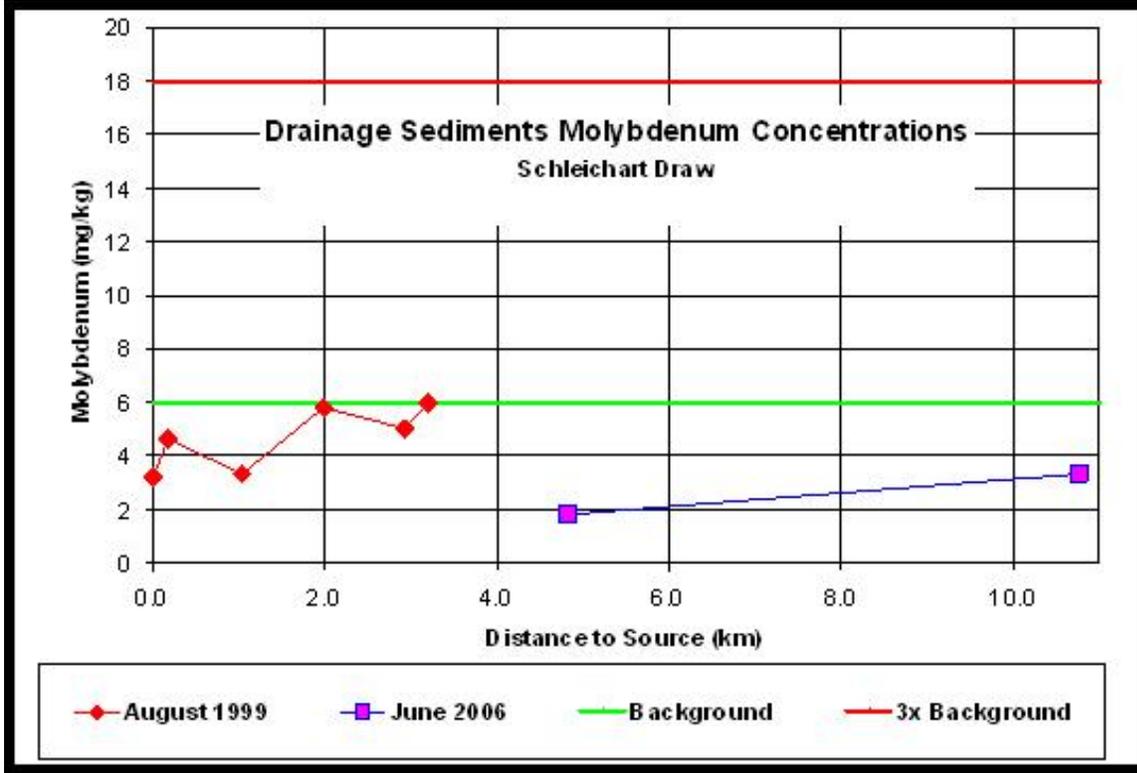


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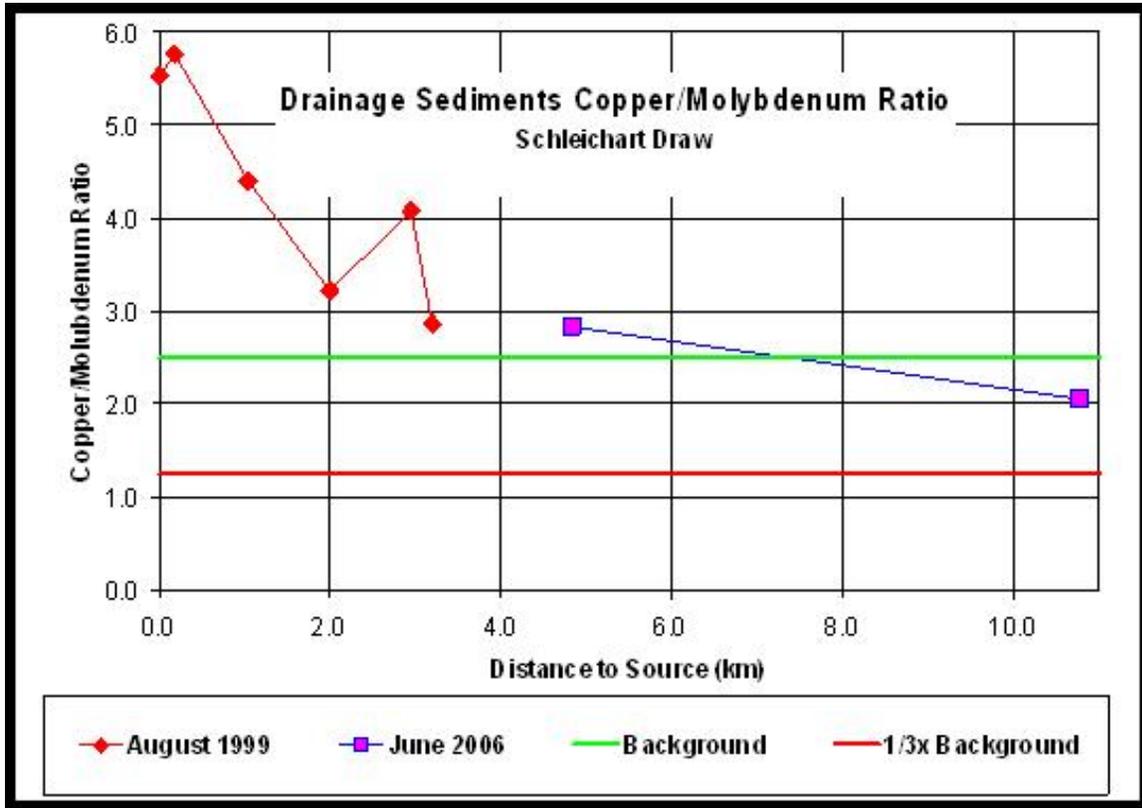


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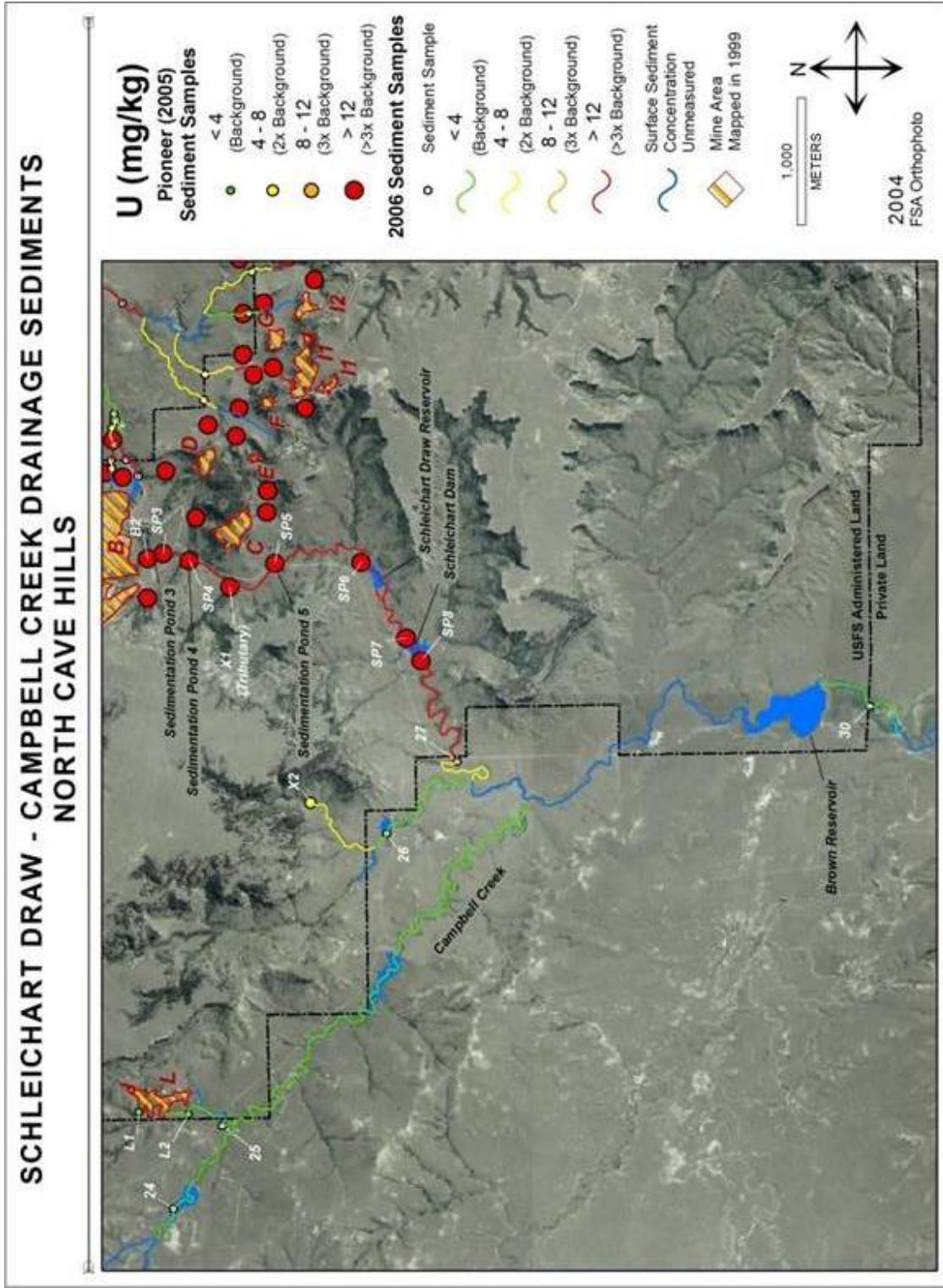


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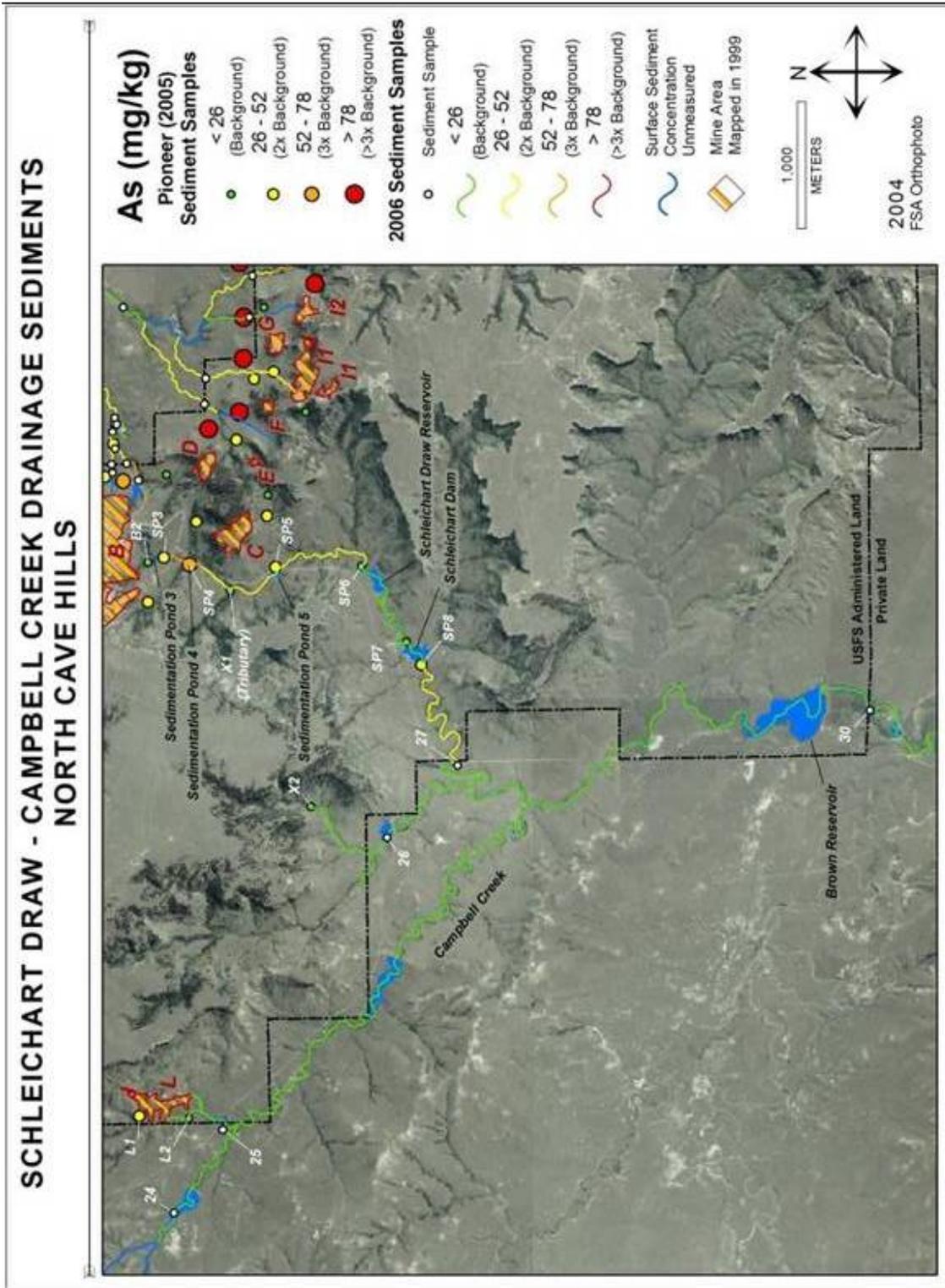


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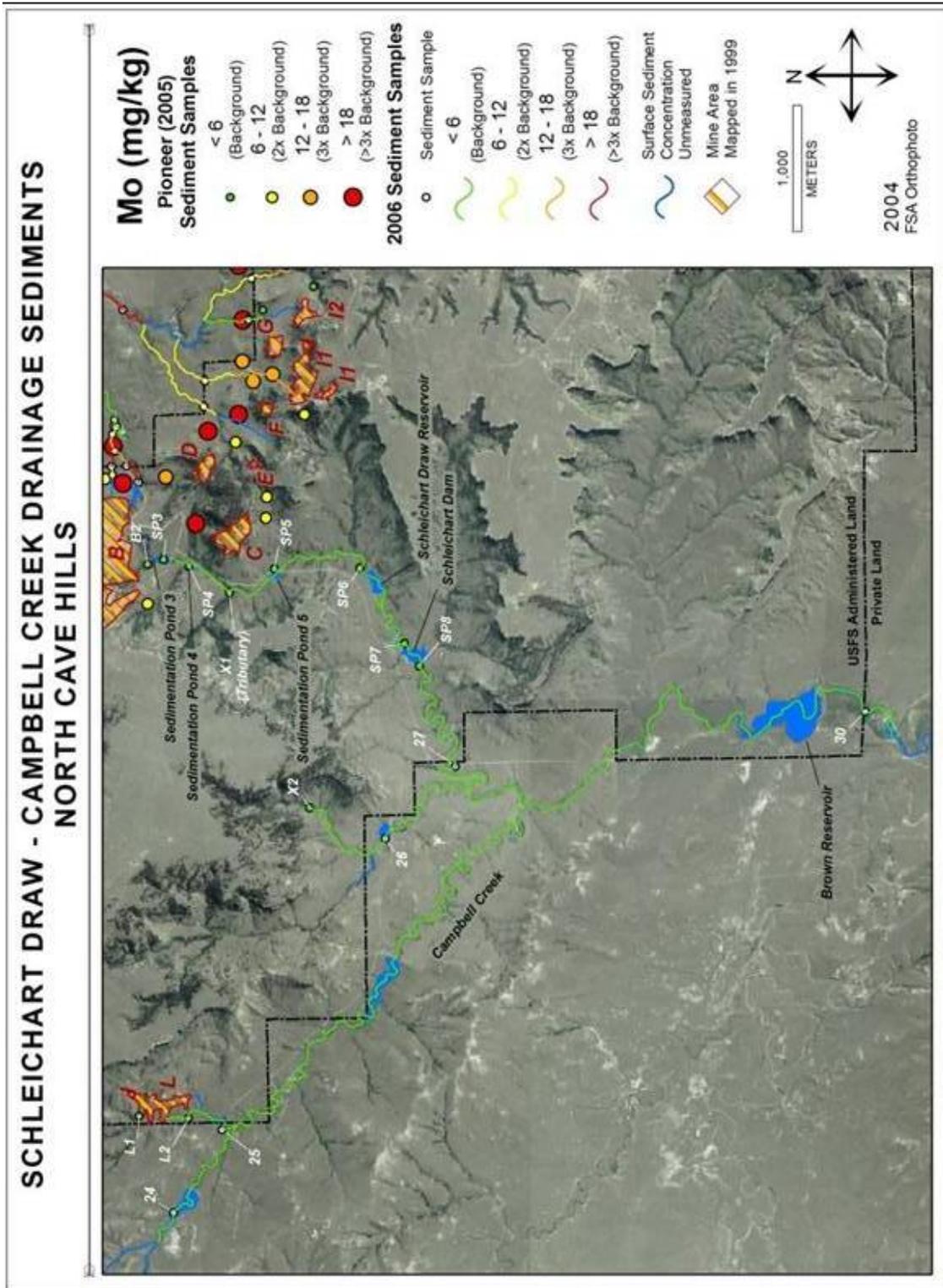


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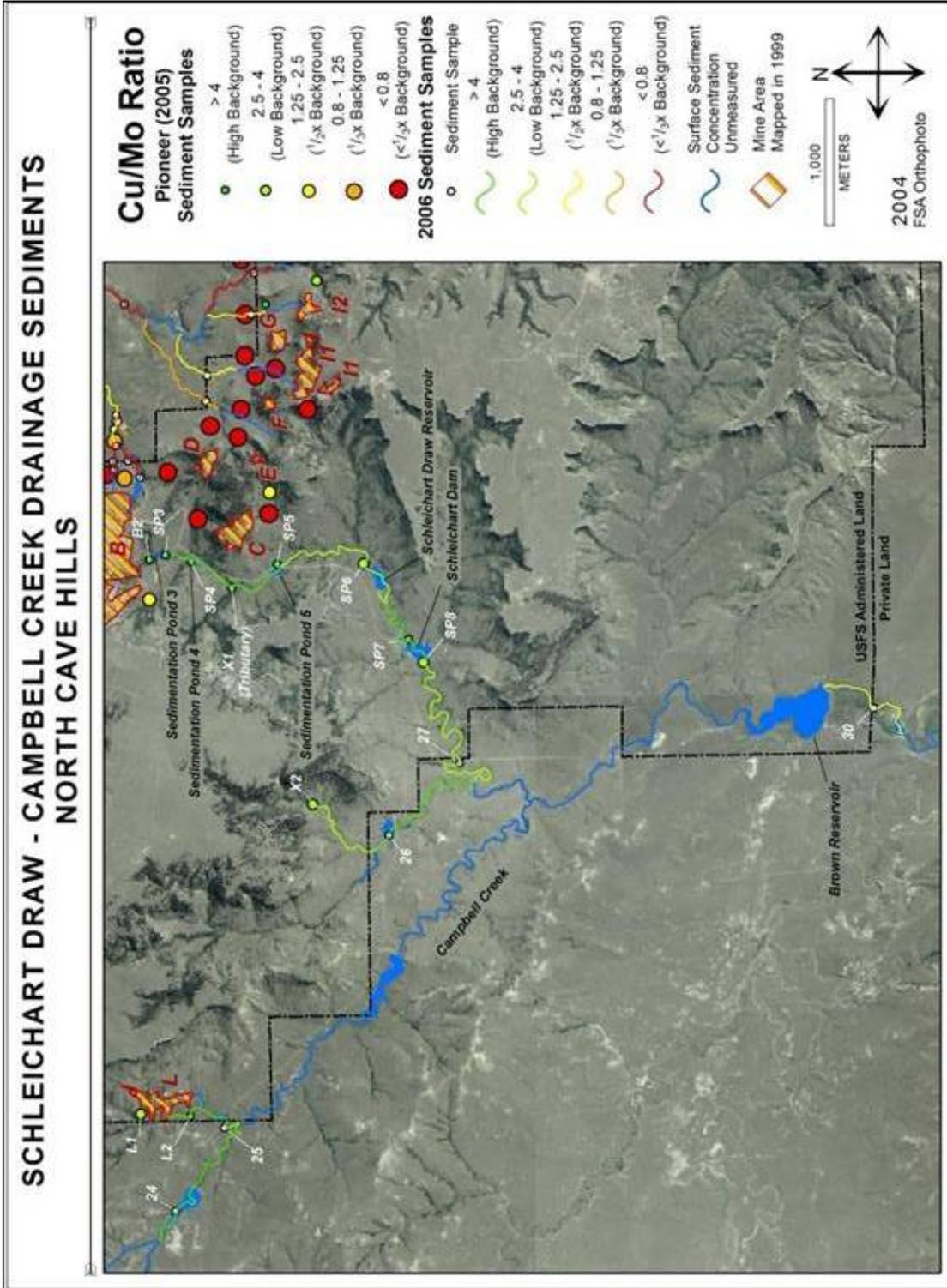


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Figure 10.34: Flow through missing-rivet holes in standpipe of Sedimentation Pond #2.



Figure 10.35: Rusted out or missing rivet holes in standpipe of Pond #1.



Figure 10.36: Water elevation adjustment due to missing rivet holes in standpipe of Pond #1.



Figure 10.37: Pronounced clay dispersion in runoff water from the mine spoils of Bluffs E, F and I2.