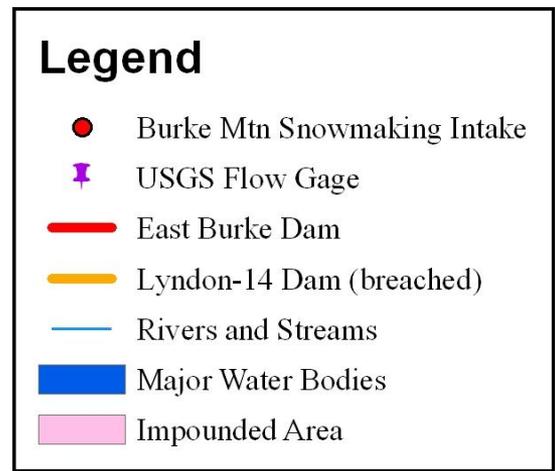
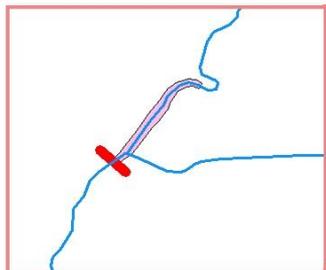
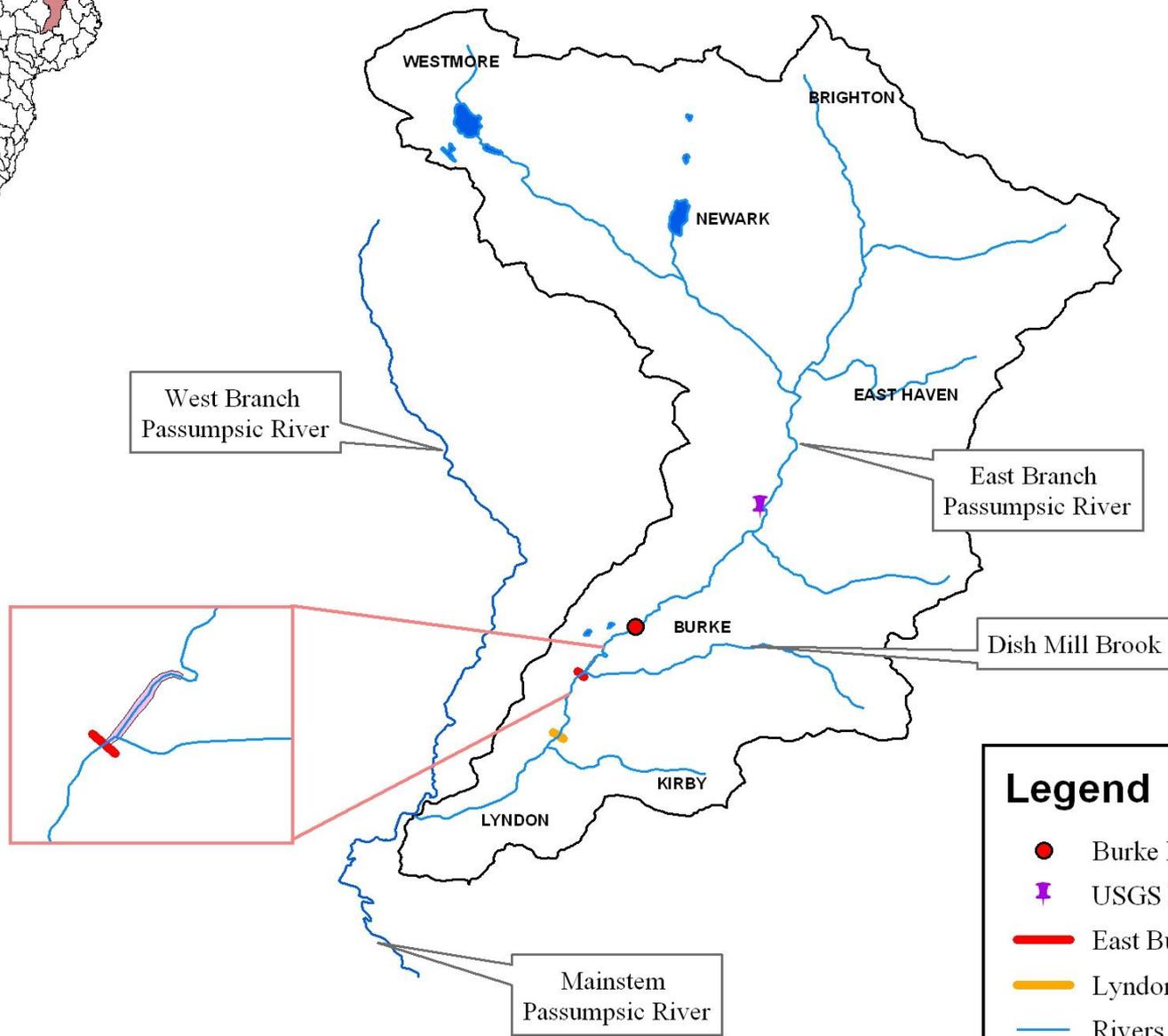
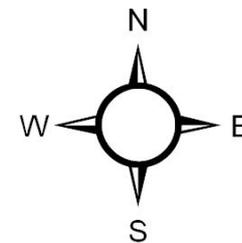


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Removing the East Burke Mill Dam

WHY IT SHOULD BE EASY

- willing, motivated and proactive private owner
- no productive use for a half-century
- ice jams
- unsightly debris accumulation
- visible deterioration
- public safety danger
- money available for removal

WHY IT COULD BE DIFFICULT

- village focal point
- intimately tied to community history
- National Register of Historic Places eligible
- substantial-size dam – VT Dam Statute jurisdiction
- substantial-size stream – US COE “navigable” waters
- opposition from a prominent “opinion-making” community member

We Own the Dam.



So Can We Remove It Now?



