

## Ashley Wayman

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**Subject:** FW: [External] Oak Wilt Visit  
**Attachments:** OakWiltTreatmentMapFeb22.pdf

Hi All,

I took Karl's map and overlayed where the new proposed trenching is in different colors. His showed it the same as the old trenching which was a little confusing to tell what the new proposed was if you hadn't seen it in person. I set that phase 1 as the most critical area because it is going to be exceedingly challenging to go further back because there is a steep hill. The topography does not lend itself to getting a trencher there.

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Attached is a map of potential trench placement as we discussed it on Monday. The approximate trench lengths depicted on the map do not include the planned drainage work. As we discussed in the field, part of the trench on the north side of Hatley would be less than 100 feet from oak wilt symptomatic trees. This is below the minimum standards recommended by the Texas A&M Forest Service, and would therefore jeopardize any cost share funding for this project. This placement may also lower the likelihood of trench success. We didn't discuss it while I was there, but you might consider sending in a sample from the live oak on the north side of Hatley to be tested for oak wilt prior to trench installation. It will not guarantee that it is not across the road yet, but if it does come up positive it can let y'all know not to move forward with the plan to trench in that location.

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