Perennial Streams

Duncan Creek is a perennial stream. Perennial streams have water flowing through them all year long, and the source of the water can be either surface water, groundwater, or both. This doesn't mean that there is water in every inch of its bed, but at least part of the stream will have some water in it. These are permanent streams, and they rely on normal amounts of rainfall for their existence. Also, the aquatic bed is located below the water table for most of the year with a perennial stream, and they are very well-defined channels as well.

