

Fractured, porous, Cretaceous sandstones, probably best correlated with Straight Cliffs (above) and Dakota formations (below). Matrix porosities, measured in 2010, are about 20 percent, while the fractures probably add another 3 to 5 percent porosity. Exposures are just north of Utah Highway 14, east of Cedar City, and west of the landslide at mile 8. This is just west of the convergence of Ashdown and Crow creeks to form Coal Creek. These potential aquifer rocks are all present beneath Iron County's Woods Ranch Park, beginning about 200 feet below ground level.

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