

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, CHARLESTON DISTRICT 69A HAGOOD AVENUE CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA 29403-5107

May 19, 2023

Regulatory Division

Dear	Dear		

This is in response to your request for an Approved Jurisdictional Determination (AJD) (SAC-2022-01723) received in our office on December 6, 2022, for a 2-acre site located at Sumter Highway in Alcolu, Clarendon County, South Carolina (Latitude: 33.7438°, Longitude: -80.2144°). An AJD is used to indicate the Corps has identified the presence or absence of wetlands and/or other aquatic resources on a site, including their accurate location(s) and boundaries, as well as their jurisdictional status pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA) (33 U.S.C. § 1344) and/or navigable waters of the United States pursuant to Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 (RHA) (33 U.S.C. § 403).

The site is shown on the attached plat entitled "Alta Survey" and dated February 1, 2023 prepared by Mathis and Muldrow Land Surveying, Inc. Based on a review of aerial photography, topographic maps, National Wetlands Inventory maps, soil survey information, and Wetland Determination Data Forms, we conclude the site, as shown on the referenced map, does not contain any aquatic resources, including aquatic resources that would be subject to regulatory jurisdiction under Section 404 of the CWA or Section 10 of the RHA.

Attached is a form describing the basis of jurisdiction for the delineated area(s). Note that some or all of these areas may be regulated by other state or local government agencies and you should contact the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, Bureau of Water, or Department of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, to determine the limits of their jurisdiction.

This AJD is valid for five (5) years from the date of this letter unless new information warrants revision before the expiration date. This AJD is an appealable action under the Corps of Engineers administrative appeal procedures defined at 33 CFR Part 331. The administrative appeal options, process and appeals request form is attached for your convenience and use.

This AJD was conducted pursuant to Corps of Engineers' regulatory authority to identify the limits of Corps of Engineers' jurisdiction for the particular site identified in this request. This AJD may not be valid for the wetland conservation provisions of the Food Security Act of 1985. If you or your tenant are USDA program participants, or anticipate participation in USDA programs, you should request a certified wetland determination from the local office of the Natural Resources Conservation Service, prior to starting work.

In all future correspondence, please refer to file number SAC-2022-01723. A copy of this letter is forwarded to State and/or Federal agencies for their information. If you have any questions, please contact Brittany Fournet, Project Manager, at 843-329-8046, or by email at brittany.a.fournet@usace.army.mil.

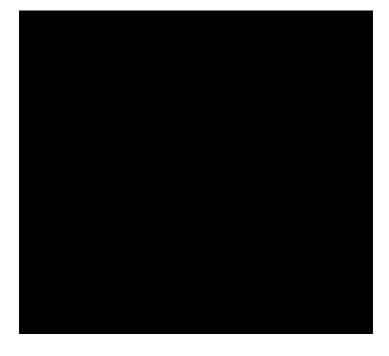




Attachments:

Dry Land Approved Jurisdictional Determination Form Notification of Appeal Options "Photo and Data Point Locations" Map

Copies Furnished:



DKY LAND APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION FORM $^{\mathrm{I}}$

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This form should be completed by following the instructions provided in Section IV of the JD Form Instructional Guidebook.

REPORT COMPLETION DATE FOR APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION (JD): May 19, 2023

B.

SECTION I: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Other information (please specify): The Applicant submitted only a portion of property TMS# 172-14-02-015-00 for review. Applicable/supporting scientific literature: Applicable/supporting case law: Previous determination(s). File no. and date of response letter: Other (Name & Date): Site photos submitted as part of the JD request dated December 6, 2022 Photographs: 🔻 Aerial (Name & Date): Photo and Data Point Locations map submitted as part of the JD request dated December 6, (National Geodectic Vertical Datum of 1929) 100-year Floodplain Elevation is: FEMA/FIRM maps: State/Local wetland inventory map(s): National wetlands inventory map(s). Cite name: NWI map submitted as part of the JD request dated December 6, 2022 December 6, 2022 USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service Soil Survey. Citation: Aerial Photo/Soils Map submitted as part of the JD request dated V.S. Geological Survey map(s). Cite scale & quad name: USGS Topo map submitted as part of the JD request dated December 6, 2022 USGS 8 and 12 digit HUC maps. USGS NHD data. U.S. Geological Survey Hydrologic Atlas: Data sheets prepared by the Corps: Office does not concur with data sheets/delineation report. Office concurs with data sheets/delineation report. ■ Data sheets prepared/submitted by or on behalf of the applicant/consultant. Maps, plans, plots or plat submitted by or on behalf of the applicant/consultant: Photo and Data Point Locations Map dated December ^ requested, appropriately reference sources below): A. SUPPORTING DATA. Data reviewed for JD (check all that apply - checked items shall be included in case file and, where checked and SECTION III: DATA SOURCES. There are no "waters of the U.S." within Clean Water Act (CWA) jurisdiction (as defined by 33 CFR part 328) in the review area. B. CWA SECTION 404 DETERMINATION OF JURISDICTION. There are no "navigable waters of the U.S." within Rivers and Harbors Act (RHA) jurisdiction (as defined by 33 CFR part 329) in the review A. RHA SECTION 10 DETERMINATION OF JURISDICTION. SECTION II: SUMMARY OF FINDINGS Field Determination. Date(s): Office (Desk) Determination. Date: 5/10/2023 \wedge D. REVIEW PERFORMED FOR SITE EVALUATION (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY): Check if other sites (e.g., offsite mitigation sites, disposal sites, etc...) are associated with this action and are recorded on a different Check if map/diagram of review area is available upon request. \wedge Name of watershed or Hydrologic Unit Code (HUC): Huc 12-030402050404 Name of nearest waterbody: Big Branch River Universal Transverse Mercator: Center coordinates of site (lat/long in degree decimal format): Lat. 33.7438°, Long. -80.2144° City: Alcolu State: South Carolina County/parish/borough: Clarendon County C. PROJECT LOCATION AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION: DISTRICT OFFICE, FILE NAME, AND NUMBER: Charleston District, SAC-2022-01723, CDP Alcolu Site

since 2007 for aquatic areas and adds no new fields. This form is for use only in recording approved JDs involving dry land. It extracts the relevant elements of the longer approved JD form in use

REVIEW AREA ONLY INCLUDES DRY	LAND:		

B. REQUIRED ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO SUPPORT JD. EXPLAIN RATIONALE FOR DETERMINATION THAT THE

