

# U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS REGULATORY PROGRAM APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION FORM (INTERIM) NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION RULE

# I. ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Completion Date of Approved Jurisdictional Determination (AJD): 31-DEC-2020 ORM Number: SAC-2020-01189 Associated JDs: N/A Review Area Location<sup>1</sup>: A 14.8-acre site at 1333 Mullis Road State/Territory: SC City: Blythewood County: Richland County Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 34.23958 Longitude -80.914111

### II. FINDINGS

- **A. Summary:** Check all that apply. At least one box from the following list MUST be selected. Complete the corresponding sections/tables and summarize data sources.
  - The review area is comprised entirely of dry land (i.e., there are no waters or water features, including wetlands, of any kind in the entire review area). Rationale: Review are does not contain any aquatic resources or potential aquatic resources to include excluded waters.
  - There are "navigable waters of the United States" within Rivers and Harbors Act jurisdiction within the review area (complete table in section II.B).
  - There are "waters of the United States" within Clean Water Act jurisdiction within the review area (complete appropriate tables in section II.C).
  - There are waters or water features excluded from Clean Water Act jurisdiction within the review area (complete table in section II.D).

### B. Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 Section 10 (§ 10)<sup>2</sup>

§ 10 Name	§ 10 Size	§ 10 Criteria	Rationale for § 10 Determination
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

### C. Clean Water Act Section 404

Territorial Seas and Traditional Navigable Waters ((a)(1) waters)<sup>3</sup>

(a)(1) Name	(a)(1) Size	(a)(1) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(1) Determination
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Tributaries ((a)(2) waters):

(a)(2) Name	(a)(2) Size	(a)(2) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(2) Determination
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### Lakes and ponds, and impoundments of jurisdictional waters ((a)(3) waters):

Ī	(a)(3) Name	(a)(3) Size	(a)(3) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(3) Determination
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### Adjacent wetlands ((a)(4) waters):

(a)(4) Name (a)(4) Size (a)(4) Criteria Rationale for (a)(4) Determination
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<sup>1</sup> Map(s)/Figure(s) are attached to the AJD provided to the requestor.

<sup>2</sup> If the navigable water is not subject to the ebb and flow of the tide or included on the District's list of Rivers and Harbors Act Section 10 navigable waters list, do NOT use this document to make the determination. The District must continue to follow the procedure outlined in 33 CFR part 329.14 to make a Rivers and Harbors Act Section 10 navigability determination.

<sup>3</sup> A stand-alone TNW determination is completed independently of a request for an AJD. A stand-alone TNW determination is conducted for a specific segment of river or stream or other type of waterbody, such as a lake, where independent upstream or downstream limits or lake borders are established. A stand-alone TNW determination should be completed following applicable guidance and should NOT be documented on the AJD form.
<sup>4</sup> Some excluded waters, such as (b)(2) and (b)(4), may not be specifically identified on the AJD form unless a requestor specifically asks a Corps district to do so. Corps Districts may, in case-by-case instances, choose to identify some or all of these waters within the review area.

 $^5$  Because of the broad nature of the (b)(1) exclusion and in an effort to collect data on specific types of waters that would be covered by the (b)(1) exclusion, four sub-categories of (b)(1) exclusions were administratively created for the purposes of the AJD Form. These four sub-categories are not new exclusions, but are simply administrative distinctions and remain (b)(1) exclusions as defined by the NWPR.



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N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

# D. Excluded Waters or Features

Excluded waters  $((b)(1) - (b)(12))^4$ :

ſ	Exclusion Name	Exclusion Size	Exclusion <sup>5</sup>	Rationale for Exclusion Determination
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

## III. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- **A. Select/enter all resources** that were used to aid in this determination and attach data/maps to this document and/or references/citations in the administrative record, as appropriate.
  - X Information submitted by, or on behalf of, the applicant/consultant: AJD request submitted by Ballou Associates on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Motes dated August 27, 2020. This information is sufficient for purposes of this AJD. Rationale: The wetland data forms, and additional information submitted by the agent are a reasonable representation of site conditions at the time of collection and are sufficient for purposes of this AJD.
     Data sheets prepared by the Corps: N/A
  - **\_X\_** Photographs: Google Earth aerial photo 2019 and 1-5 of 5 photographs submitted by the consultant
  - Corps Site visit(s) conducted on: N/A
  - Previous Jurisdictional Determinations (AJDs or PJDs): N/A
  - \_\_\_\_ Antecedent Precipitation Tool: provide detailed discussion in Section III.B.
  - X USDA NRCS Soil Survey: NRCS SSURGO Map; Georgeville, Nanford.
  - X\_ USFWS NWI maps: USFWS NWI Mapper: None
  - X\_ USGS topographic maps: 1:24,000 Quad Blythwood

### Other data sources used to aid in this determination:

Data Source (select)	Name and/or date and other relevant information
USGS Sources	3DEP LIDAR
USDA Sources	N/A.
NOAA Sources	N/A.
USACE Sources	N/A.
State/Local/Tribal Sources	N/A.
Other Sources	N/A.

### B. Typical year assessment(s): N/A.

**C.** Additional comments to support AJD: The 14.8 acre site includes a forested tract of land that does not contain any aquatic resources, including aquatic resources that would be subject to regulatory jurisdiction under Section 404 of the CWA or Sections 9 and 10 of the RHA.

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