



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): February 19, 2021
ORM Number: SAC-2003-35158
Associated JDs: N/A
Review Area Location¹: A 40.32-acre site located off U.S. Highway 78.
State: SC City: Summerville County: Dorchester County
Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 33.04721 Longitude -80.215003

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: N/A.
- 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)²

§ 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)³

(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):

(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
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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² If the navigable water is not subject to the ebb and flow of the tide and 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.

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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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D. Excluded Waters or Features

Excluded waters ((b)(1) – (b)(12))⁴:

Exclusion Name	Exclusion Size	Exclusion ⁵	Rationale for Exclusion Determination
Non-Jurisdictional Wetland A	4 acres	(b)(1) Non-adjacent wetland	The wetland is not contiguous or directly abutting an (a)(1)-(a)(3) water. Furthermore, the wetland does not meet any other of the (a)(4) criteria for adjacency and thus is an excluded water pursuant to (b)(1).
Non-Jurisdictional Wetland B	0.75 acres	(b)(1) Non-adjacent wetland	The wetland is not contiguous or directly abutting an (a)(1)-(a)(3) water. Furthermore, the wetland does not meet any other of the (a)(4) criteria for adjacency and thus is an excluded water pursuant to (b)(1).

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.

Information submitted by, or on behalf of, the applicant/consultant: Request for Corps Jurisdictional Determination (JD)/Delineation package (JD package) submitted by Wetland Solutions, LLC and received by this office September 18, 2020.

This information is sufficient for purposes of this AJD.

Rationale: This information is sufficient based on the previous PJD dated December 1, 2016 for the review area, a statement from the agent that he completed two site visits in the fall of 2020 to verify the existing delineation lines, and a desktop review by this office.

Data sheets prepared by the Corps: N/A

Photographs: 2006 infrared aerial prepared by this office.

Corps Site visit(s) conducted on: N/A

Previous Jurisdictional Determinations (AJDs or PJDs): A PJD was verified under Corps ID # SAC-2003-35158 dated December 1, 2016.

Antecedent Precipitation Tool: N/A

USDA NRCS Soil Survey: Hydric Soil map created by this office.

USFWS NWI maps: N/A

USGS topographic maps: Topographic maps created by this office. Summerville, SC Quad.

Other data sources used to aid in this determination:

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

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

C. Additional comments to support AJD: There are ditches near the northern and eastern boundaries of the review area. However, the agent confirmed these ditches are outside the review area.

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