

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): 7/27/2021

ORM Number: LRL-2021-562-sjk

Associated JDs: N/A

Review Area Location¹: State/Territory: IN City: Wabash County/Parish/Borough: Wabash

Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 40.8309 Longitude -85.8560

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 or describe rationale.
- ☐ 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.	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.	N/A.

Tributaries ((a)(2) waters):					
(a)(2) Name	(a)(2) Size		(a)(2) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(2) Determination	
Kentner	658	linear	(a)(2) Perennial	Kentner Creek flows year-round to Wabash River, a	
Creek		feet	tributary	TNW.	
			contributes		
			surface water		
			flow directly or		
			indirectly to an		
			(a)(1) water in a		
			typical year.		

¹ Map(s)/figure(s) are attached to the AJD provided to the requestor.

² 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.

³ 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 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.



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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.	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.	N/A.	

D. Excluded Waters or Features

Excluded waters ((b)(1) – (b)(12)): ⁴					
Exclusion Name	Exclusion Size		Exclusion ⁵	Rationale for Exclusion Determination	
Wetland A	0.85	acre(s)	(b)(1) Non- adjacent wetland.	Wetland A is separated by Kentner Creek by ~5- foot tall artificial berms with no culverts, pumps, or other drainage structures that would convey hydrology between the creek and wetland. Therefore, the wetland neither abuts nor is inundated by an (a)(1)-(a)(3) water in a typical year.	
Wetland B	0.1	acre(s)	(b)(1) Non- adjacent wetland.	The wetland lies in a topographic bowl ~200 feet from Kentner Creek. It neither abuts nor is inundated by an (a)(1)-(a)(3) water in a typical year.	

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: Wetland Delineation Report dated 6/13/2021, by Three Rivers Wetland Consulting, LLC

This information is sufficient for purposes of this AJD.

Rationale: N/A

☐ Data sheets prepared by the Corps: Title(s) and/or date(s).

Photographs: Aerial and Other: Site photos in delineation report (5/21/21, 6/10/21); 1998, 2003, 2005,

2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018 aerials (delineation report); 4/12/19 (DigitalGlobe).

☐ Corps site visit(s) conducted on: Date(s).

☐ Previous Jurisdictional Determinations (AJDs or PJDs): ORM Number(s) and date(s).

Antecedent Precipitation Tool: provide detailed discussion in Section III.B.

USDA NRCS Soil Survey: Web Soil Survey, Wabash County (delineation report)

USGS topographic maps: 7.5', Wabash, IN: 1952 (1952 ed.); 1963 (1964 ed.); 1963 (1982 ed.); 1963

(1994 ed.); 2016; 2019.

Other data sources used to aid in this determination:

⁴ 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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Data Source (select)	Name and/or date and other relevant information
USGS/WBD/NHD	Map accessed 6/8/21 (delineation report)
data/maps	
USDA NRCS WETS tables	Precipitation data and WETS tables (delineation report)
NOAA Sources	N/A.
USACE Sources	LiDAR (LRL Regulatory Viewer)
State/Local/Tribal Sources	N/A.
FEMA/FIRM maps	Panel 18169C0180E Eff. 9/18/13

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

C. Additional comments to support AJD: N/A