



**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): 10/23/2020

ORM Number: MVP-2020-02015-SSC

Associated JDs: N/A

Review Area Location<sup>1</sup>: State/Territory: MN City: Columbus County/Parish/Borough: Anoka

Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 45.250993 Longitude -93.032602

**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)<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):				
(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.	

<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 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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**D. Excluded Waters or Features**

Excluded waters ((b)(1) – (b)(12)): <sup>4</sup>				
Exclusion Name	Exclusion Size		Exclusion <sup>5</sup>	Rationale for Exclusion Determination
Wetland B	0.05	acre(s)	(b)(1) Non-adjacent wetland.	The nearest a(3) water is Howard Lake, approximately 0.23 miles to the northwest of Wetland B. The wetland is a depressional feature located within a field. Contour maps in the wetland delineation report show that the wetland is mostly surrounded by upland with a gradual slope to the north. The wetland delineator did not note any surface water present during the site visit. Based on review of aerial imagery, there does not appear to be any surface water connection to an a(1)-a(3) water. Therefore, Wetland B is not considered a water of the U.S. under the Navigable Waters Protection Rule.
Wetland C	0.02	acre(s)	(b)(5) Ditch that is not an (a)(1) or (a)(2) water, and those portions of a ditch constructed in an (a)(4) water that do not satisfy the conditions of (c)(1).	Wetland C is a shallow linear swale within a roadside ditch adjacent to Highway 97. The wetland was constructed in uplands to provide drainage for Highway 97. Therefore, Wetland C is not considered a water of the U.S. under the Navigable Waters Protection Rule.
Stormwater Treatment Pond	0.34	acre(s)	(b)(10) Stormwater control feature constructed or excavated in upland or in a non-jurisdictional water to convey, treat, infiltrate, or store stormwater runoff.	A stormwater treatment pond was constructed in upland between April 2018 and October 2019 based off of Google Earth Imagery. Therefore, the stormwater treatment pond is not considered a water of the U.S. under the Navigable Waters Protection Rule.

**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: [ECO FUN Motorsports Site Wetland Delineation Report dated October 12, 2020](#)

<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.

<sup>5</sup> 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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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: Google Earth Imagery 1991-2019**
- ☐ 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: **Title(s) and/or date(s)**.
- ☐ USFWS NWI maps: **Title(s) and/or date(s)**.
- ☐ USGS topographic maps: **Title(s) and/or date(s)**.

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

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

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

**C. Additional comments to support AJD:** **N/A**