

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): 12/2/2020

ORM Number: MVP-2019-01064-BBY

Associated JDs: N/A

Review Area Location¹: State/Territory: Minnesota City: Minnetonka County/Parish/Borough: Hennepin

Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 44.961913 Longitude -93.488874

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: The review area is approximately a 3-acre
site located southwest of the intersection of McGinty Road West and Bantas Point Road in the city of
Minnetonka, in Hennepin County, Minnesota. The property contains a slight depression that had
previously been identified as a wetland area on a May 6, 2019 delineation by Jacobson Environmental
Kjolhaug Environmental took three sample boreholes within this depression and found that none of the
three sample boreholes showed signs of hydric soil or wetland hydrology and hydrophytic vegetation
was present at only one sample borehole. The Kjolhaug report indicates that an outlet (ditch) leading
from the depression, which is two feet lower than the depression, is likely the reason for lack of
hydrology at the site. The ditch was found in the delineation performed by Jacobson Environmental.
Given the information provided above, the review area is composed entirely of dry land.

There are "navigable waters of the United States" within Rivers and Harbors Act jurisdiction within the	he
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		
N/A.	N/A. N/A.		N/A.	N/A.		

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 wetla								
(a)(4) Name	(a)(4) Siz		(a)(4) Criteria		Rationale for (a)(4) Determination			
N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.		N/A.			
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D. Excluded W								
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Exclusion Nam		sion Size	Exclus	ion ⁵	Rationale for Exclusion Determination			
N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.		N/A.			
III. SUPPORTII		_						
					his determination and attach data/maps to this			
					rative record, as appropriate.			
		•			olicant/consultant: No Wetland Determination for			
•				-	ad West, Minnetonka, MN KES#2020-159 by Kjolhaug			
Environmen	Environmental for Wooddale Builders dated October 8, 2020.							
			or purpose:					
Rational	Rationale: Additional desktop resources were needed to verify jurisdictional status of the review area.							
Data sh	□ Data sheets prepared by the Corps: Title(s) and/or date(s).							
Photogr	☐ Photographs: Aerial: Title(s) and/or date(s).							
Corps s	☐ Corps site visit(s) conducted on: Date(s).							
Previous	□ Previous Jurisdictional Determinations (AJDs or PJDs): ORM Number(s) and date(s).							
	☐ Antecedent Precipitation Tool: <u>provide detailed discussion in Section III.B.</u>							
	☐ USDA NRCS Soil Survey: Title(s) and/or date(s).							
	☐ USFWS NWI maps: Title(s) and/or date(s).							

Other data sources used to aid in this determination:

☐ USGS topographic maps: Title(s) and/or date(s).

Data Source (select)	Name and/or date and other relevant information
USGS/WBD/NHD	NHD 2020
data/maps	
USDA Sources	N/A.
NOAA Sources	N/A.
USACE Sources	N/A.
State/Local/Tribal Sources	N/A.
Other Sources	N/A.

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

C. Additional comments to support AJD: N/A