



**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): 9/18/2020

ORM Number: SAJ-2020-02442

Associated JDs: N/A

Review Area Location<sup>1</sup>: State/Territory: Florida City: Jacksonville County/Parish/Borough: Duval

Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 30.316310 Longitude -81.525650

**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 A	1.62	acre(s)	(b)(1) Non-adjacent wetland.	The Corps determined that this wetland would not satisfy any definition provided in 328.3(a)(1-4) for a jurisdictional wetland. Review of aerial photos demonstrates that this wetland is naturally separated from the nearest (a)(2) or (a)(1) water due to it's historic north south dune/swale system, as shown in the 1943 and 1952 historic aerial photos. Additionally, there are no culverts on site and it is separated from the nearest (a)(2) water, which is Ginhouse Creek, by development and it is separated from a canal to the east by a highway with no connections to the site. There is no evidence that this wetland is inundated by floodwaters of any kind. Thus, the Corps determined that this wetland would not satisfy the definition of a jurisdictional adjacent wetland stated in 328.3(a)(c)(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: [Application submitted 17 June 2020. The initial application submittal did not include necessary historical photos to complete a historical analysis, a map of the nearest \(a\)\(2\) – \(a\)\(1\) water, or the National Wetlands Inventory map. The Corps generated this information for this determination and added this information to the administrative record.](#)

This information is and is not sufficient for purposes of this AJD.

Rationale: [N/A or describe rationale for insufficiency \(including partial insufficiency\).](#)

Data sheets prepared by the Corps: [Title\(s\) and/or date\(s\).](#)

Photographs: [Aerial and Other: The initial application submittal did not include necessary historical photos to complete a historical analysis or a map of the nearest \(a\)\(2\) – \(a\)\(1\) water. The Corps generated this information for this determination and added this information to the administrative record.](#)

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.](#)

USDA NRCS Soil Survey: [Included in the application. Reference the Administrative Record.](#)

USFWS NWI maps: [NWI Map 18 September 2020. 20200918-NWI Map. USFWS Google Earth Layer.](#)

USGS topographic maps: [Included in the application. Reference the Administrative Record.](#)

<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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**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	N/A.

**B. Typical year assessment(s):** N/A or provide typical year assessment for each relevant data source used to support the conclusions in the AJD.

**C. Additional comments to support AJD:** N/A or provide additional discussion as appropriate.