

# 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): 3/29/2021

ORM Number: LRN-2014-00697

Associated JDs: LRN-2014-00697, PJD, Dated April 24, 2018

Review Area Location<sup>1</sup>: State/Territory: KY City: N/A County/Parish/Borough: Knox Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 36.9339 Longitude -83.6578

#### 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.

$\times$	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: There are no aquatic resources or potential
	aquatic resources within the review area. No land area within the review area satisfied all three wetland
	factors (i.e., hydrology, hydrophytic vegetation, hydric soils), and does not lie below the ordinary high
	water mark or the high tide line of a jurisdictional water.

There are "navigable waters of the United States" within Rivers and Harbors Act jurisdiction within th	е
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 with	nin the review ar	ea
(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.	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.	

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.		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Map(s)/figure(s) are attached to the AJD provided to the requestor.

<sup>&</sup>lt;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>&</sup>lt;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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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 <sup>5</sup>	Rationale for Exclusion Determination		
N/A	N/A	N/A.	N/A.	N/A		

#### **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: From delineation report dated December 11, 2017, March 9, 2018, July 28, 2020, and December 14, 2020

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: Other: Site photos

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- Previous Jurisdictional Determinations (AJDs or PJDs): LRN-2014-00697 PJD, Dated April 24, 2018
- ☐ Antecedent Precipitation Tool: provide detailed discussion in Section III.B.
- ☐ USDA NRCS Soil Survey: Title(s) and/or date(s).
- □ USFWS NWI maps: USFWS NWI Mapper checked March 26, 2021
- ☐ 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
USGS Stream stats	Reviewed on March 26, 2021
USDA Sources	N/A.
NOAA Sources	N/A.
CorpsMap ORM Map	Reviewed on March 26, 2021
Layers	
State/Local/Tribal Sources	N/A.
Other Sources	N/A.

- B. Typical year assessment(s): No Waters are located within the review area.
- **C.** Additional comments to support AJD: N/A or provide additional discussion as appropriate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;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>&</sup>lt;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.