



**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): 11/3/2020  
 ORM Number: LRN-2020-00934; TDOT PIN 126947.00  
 Associated JDs: N/A  
 Review Area Location<sup>1</sup>: State/Territory: TN City: N/A County/Parish/Borough: Putnam  
 Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 36.1712° Longitude -85.6278°

**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
WTL-1	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).	WTL-1 is a wetland feature located in a ditch, and is a constructed or excavated channel used to convey water. Documentation indicates that WTL-1 is a roadside drainage ditch, which was constructed to provide stormwater drainage along the road; topographic and soils data provided by TDOT also supports this finding. Remote data and TDOT data indicate that this feature does not relocate a tributary, is not constructed in a tributary, and is not constructed in an adjacent wetland. Documentation depicts no ordinary high water mark at this feature. Additionally, remote data and TDOT data indicate this feature was not constructed in an (a)(4) water (adjacent wetland).
WTL-2	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).	WTL-2 is a wetland feature located in a ditch, and is a constructed or excavated channel used to convey water. Documentation indicates that WTL-2 is a roadside drainage ditch, which was constructed to provide stormwater drainage along the road; topographic and soils data provided by TDOT also supports this finding. Remote data and TDOT data indicate that this feature does not relocate a tributary, is not constructed in a tributary, and is not constructed in an adjacent wetland. Documentation depicts no ordinary high water mark at this feature. Additionally, remote data and TDOT data indicate this feature was not constructed in an (a)(4) water (adjacent wetland).

**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: “ENVIRONMENTAL BOUNDARIES REPORT FOR: Putnam County, SR-24, RSAR, Intersection of SR-56 and SR-24, PIN Number: 126947.00” dated August 3, 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).

<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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- Photographs: *Aerial and Other*: Aerial and field photos found within TDOT’s “ENVIRONMENTAL BOUNDARIES REPORT FOR: Putnam County, SR-24, RSAR, Intersection of SR-56 and SR-24, PIN Number: 126947.00” dated August 3, 2020. Google Earth Pro aerial imagery dated June 2, 2019. Google Street View photos dated June 2018.
- 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: *Viewed within Google Earth Pro; accessed November 2, 2020. No features were shown within the review area.*
- USGS topographic maps: *USGS topographic data was reviewed on November 2, 2020 via the LRN Regulatory Viewer. No features were shown within the review area.*

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

Data Source (select)	Name and/or date and other relevant information
USGS/WBD/NHD data/maps	USGS NHD data was reviewed on November 2, 2020 via the LRN Regulatory Viewer. No features were shown within the review area.
USDA Sources	N/A.
NOAA Sources	N/A.
USACE Sources	N/A.
Other state/local data (specify)	TDOT topographic mapping data provided on the “EPSC Plans” sheets of the “R.O.W. Plans” for the subject project. These topographic data sheets depict the features located in roadside ditches.
Other Sources	N/A.

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

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