



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): 24-MAY-2021

ORM Number: LRB-2021-00470

Associated JDs: N/A

Review Area Location<sup>1</sup>:

State/Territory: OH City: County/Parish/Borough: Defiance County

Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 41.2902 Longitude -84.5521

**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 and 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 independent 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.

<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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**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
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: *Title(s) and date(s)*.  
This information (*is/is not/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: *Connect Explorer 2021 MAR 15, 2014 NOV 23; Google Earth 2015 APR 24, 2013 JUN 2 and 2011 OCT 27; Historical Aerial.com 2004, 1994, 1971 and 1959*

\_\_\_ Corps Site visit(s) conducted on: *Date(s)*.

\_\_\_ Previous Jurisdictional Determinations (AJDs or PJDs): *ORM Number(s) and date(s)*. *APR*

\_\_\_ Antecedent Precipitation Tool: *provide detailed discussion in Section III.B.*

USDA NRCS Soil Survey: *USDA NRCS Websoil Survey 24 May 2021*

USFWS NWI maps: *Wetland Mapper 24 May 2021*

USGS topographic maps: *Title(s) and/or date(s)*. *1914 and 1943 Bryan Ohio 1:62500; 1960 and 2013 Sherwood 1:24000*

**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:** The project area is mapped as a Fulton silty clay loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes that has a hydric rating of 10 and a flooding frequency class of none. There are no indication of the area containing a water of the US based upon a reviewed of aerials from 1959, 1971, 1994, 2004 2011, 2013 to 2015 and 2021 as the area appears to consist of a mowed lawn and concrete pad. A larger building in the western portion of the property appears in the 2021 aerial and two small structures appear north of a concrete pad in the 2011 aerial.

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