

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): 09-JUL-2021

ORM Number: MVR-2021-00952-TH

Associated JDs: N/A or ORM numbers and identifiers (e.g. HQS-2020-00001-MSW-MITSITE)

Review Area Location1:

State/Territory: IA City: County/Parish/Borough: Buena Vista County Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 42.859 Longitude -94.9978

II.

FINDINGS			
			${\sf x}$ from the following list MUST be selected.
		sponding sections/tables and	
			e., there are no waters or water features, area). Rationale: No water features are
present w	ithin the revie	w area.	
There are	"navigable wa	aters of the United States" w	ithin Rivers and Harbors Act jurisdiction
	•	complete table in section II.E	
			Water Act jurisdiction within the review
		iate tables in section II.C).	,
			Clean Water Act jurisdiction within the review
	plete table in		,
area (com	ipioto table ili		
B. Rivers	s and Harbor	s 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
C. Clean	Water Act Se	ection 404	
Territorial Seas	s and Tradition	nal 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
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 pon	nds, and impou	ındments of jurisdictional wa	aters ((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 wetla		ters):	
(a)(4) Name	(a)(4) Size	(a)(4) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(4) Determination

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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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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 ⁵	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).
- x Photographs: Iowa NAIP 2010, 2013, and 2017.
- ___ Corps Site visit(s) conducted on: Date(s).
- 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).
- x USFWS NWI maps: USFWS online NWI map
- x USGS topographic maps: GIS TopoBase Layer.

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

C. Additional comments to support AJD:

Aerial photos of the project area are below

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