

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): 6/23/2020

ORM Number: POA-2020-00222

Associated JDs: n/a

Review Area Location¹: State/Territory: Alaksa City: Wasilla County/Parish/Borough: Matanuska Susitna

Borough

Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 61.6289 N. Longitude 149.4125 W.

II. FINDINGS

A.	Su	mmary: Check all that apply. At least one box from the following list MUST be selected. Complete the
	cor	responding 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
		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).
	\boxtimes	There are waters or water features excluded from Clean Water Act jurisdiction within the review area

B. Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 Section 10 (§ 10)²

(complete table in Section II.D).

§ 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	e (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.	

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.		

¹ Map(s)/figure(s) are attached to the AJD provided to the requestor.

² 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.

³ 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 $((b)(1) - (b)(12))$: ⁴					
Exclusion Name	Exclusion	n Size	Exclusion ⁵	Rationale for Exclusion Determination	
Wetlands (Memory Lake)	0.55	acre(s)	(b)(1) Water or water feature that is not identified in (a)(1)-(a)(4) and does not meet the other (b)(1) subcategories.	The review area is wetlands, however, it is abutting an isolated lake (Memory Lake). Memory Lake does not contribute surface water flow to an (a)(1) water in a typical year (directly or indirectly), and is not an (a)(1) water itself, as it is not used in interstate or foreign commerce. Therefore the subject wetlands are not an (a)(4) water (adjacent wetlands).	

III. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Α.	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 Select. sufficient for purposes of this AJD.
	Rationale: N/A or describe rationale for insufficiency (including partial insufficiency).
	□ Data sheets prepared by the Corps: Wetland Delineation Data Sheet (1 page), dated June 3, 2020
	□ Corps site visit(s) conducted on: June 3, 2020
	☐ 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: WebSoilSurvey – ran 6/1/2019

Other data sources used to aid in this determination:

☐ USGS topographic maps: Title(s) and/or date(s).

☐ USFWS NWI maps: Title(s) and/or date(s).

Data Source	Name and/or date and other relevant information
(select)	
USGS Sources	N/A.
USDA Sources	N/A.
NOAA Sources	N/A.
USACE	N/A.
Sources	
Other	Alaska Department of Fish and Game Division of Sport Fish – Region II Statewide Stocking
state/local data	Plan for Sport Fish 2020 - 2024
(specify)	
Other Sources	N/A.
Other	Alaska Department of Fish and Game website: "Memory Lake Bathymetric Map and
state/local data	Fishing Information"
(specify)	https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishingSportLakeData.lakeDetail&LakeID=377

⁴ 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.

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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- B. Typical year assessment(s): n/a
- **C.** Additional comments to support AJD: Seaplane base 69AK is located on Memory Lake. The owner and manager of 69AK residence is listed as a shoreline property of the lake. No evidence of commercial activity occurring in relation to this seaplane base could be found.

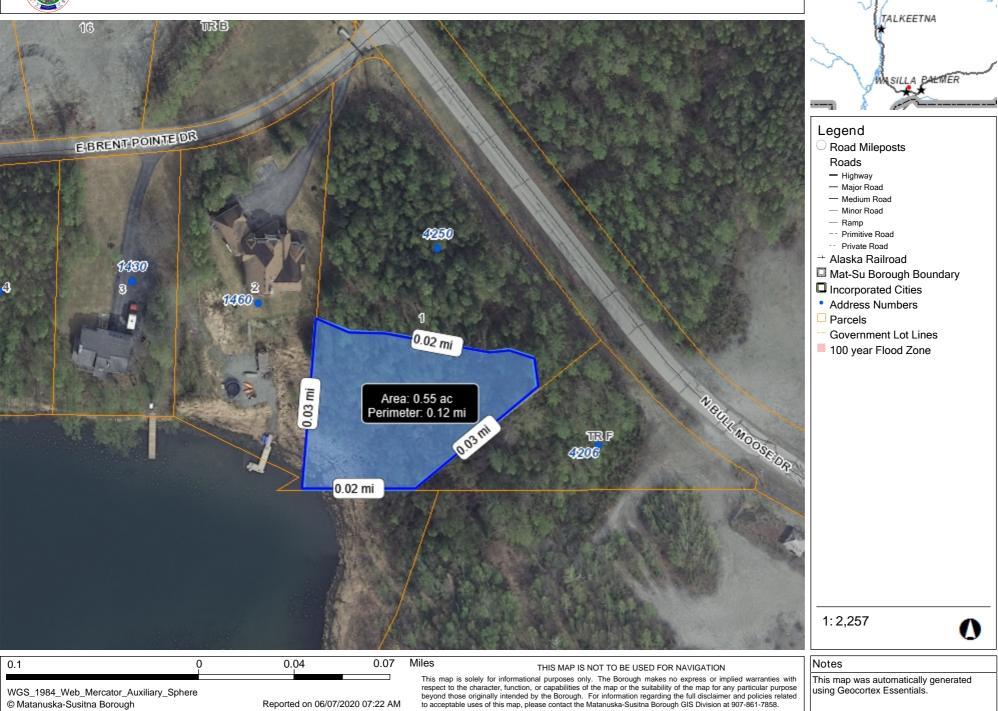


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