



US Army Corps
of Engineers
Alaska District

Special Public Notice

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ISSUANCE DATE: MARCH 1, 2017
EXPIRATION DATE: MARCH 31, 2017
REFERENCE NUMBER: POA-2006-214-M2
SUBJECT: ISSUANCE of RGP-01, NOME

PURPOSE OF THIS NOTICE: The Alaska District Corps of Engineers Regulatory Branch (Corps) is soliciting comments on the reissuance of Regional General Permit (RGP) 2006-214-M1, as RGP-001, Nome (enclosed). RGP 2006-214-M1 will expire on May 31, 2016.

PROPOSED ACTION: The Alaska District, United States (U.S.) Army Corps of Engineers (Corps), in accordance with regulations pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act is proposing to modify and reissue RGP 2006-214-M1 as RGP-01, Nome, which would be used to permit the discharge of dredged and/or fill material into waters of the United States, within specific pre-identified areas of Nome, Alaska, as depicted on the enclosed figures.

The RGP-01 would authorize the discharge of dredged and/or fill material into wetlands for the purpose of constructing and/or expanding building foundation pads, utilities, roads, driveways, and parking areas for residential, commercial and public works developments. The RGP-01 would also authorize excavation activities including mechanized land clearing and other activities that could result in a re-deposition of dredged material.

The Corps is proposing changes from the current version of the RGP. The most notable is a change to the RGP verification process. Applicants would be required to submit a pre-construction notification (PCN) form and obtain RGP verification in writing from the Alaska District Corps prior to commencing construction. The City of Nome would no longer need to submit quarterly monitoring reports to the Corps. The other notable change to the proposed reissuance of the RGP is the addition of a general permit area; Center Creek Road & Lester Bench Area 20, as shown on the attached figures. This 121-acre subdivision would be delineated for wetlands prior to Corps' verification of RGP-01 authorized activities on the site.

The RGP-01 would be re-issued for a period of five (5) years. At the end of this five (5) year period, an evaluation of this GP will be made, and at that time it will be decided whether or not this GP should be renewed. The District Engineer may at any time during this five (5) year period alter, modify, suspend, or revoke this permit, if he deems such action is in the public interest.

The activities authorized under this RGP would not be undertaken and completed without first receiving a positive Opinion of Compliance from the City of Nome; see the RGP's "Application Procedures" for additional information.

The attached text of the proposed RGP-01 outlines criteria that would have to be met in order for work to be authorized under this RGP. All authorized activities must be in accordance with the conditions of the RGP-01. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the permit could result in suspension, modification, or revocation of the permit, and/or imposition of penalties as provided by law.

BACKGROUND: General permits (GP) are intended to streamline the authorization process for activities that will result in no more than minimal individual and cumulative adverse environmental effects, thereby expediting the Corps review process while also increasing clarity and certainty for the regulated public. GPs provide an incentive for project proponents to minimize project impacts to jurisdictional waters and wetlands to qualify for the more readily obtained GP authorization. By encouraging avoidance and minimization by offering a streamlined permitting process for project proposals with minimal impacts, GPs are an important tool in protecting the aquatic environment.

WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION: Valid Section 404 permits cannot be issued for any activity unless water quality certification for the activity is granted or waived pursuant to Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (Section 401). The State of Alaska, Department of Environmental Conservation, will evaluate this proposal for water quality certification pursuant to Section 401.

CULTURAL RESOURCES: By receipt of this public notice, the State Historic Preservation Officer is being provided notification regarding the Corps proposed action and is invited to comment or consult as appropriate. Re-issuance of the RGP would not affect the Corps responsibility to ensure that all Section 404 authorizations comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act on a case-by-case basis.

TRIBAL CONSULTATION: The Alaska District fully supports tribal self-governance and government-to-government relations between Federally recognized Tribes and the Federal government. Tribes with resources that could be significantly affected by a proposed Federal action have the right to consult with the Alaska District on a government-to-government basis. Views of each Tribe regarding tribal resources will be accorded due consideration in this process. This Public Notice serves as notification to the Tribes within the area potentially affected by the proposed work and invites their participation in the Federal decision-making process regarding the tribal resource. Consultation may be initiated by the affected Tribe upon written request to the District Engineer during the public comment period.

ESSENTIAL FISH HABITAT: The Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, as amended by the Sustainable Fisheries Act of 1996, requires all Federal agencies to consult with the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) on all actions, or proposed actions, permitted, funded, or undertaken by the agency, that may adversely affect Essential Fish Habitat (EFH). Any comments the NMFS may have concerning essential fish habitat will be considered in our final assessment of the described work. We have determined the re-issuance of the RGP would not adversely affect EFH in the project area.

ENDANGERED SPECIES: The proposed reissuance of the RGP is being coordinated with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Any comments it may have concerning Federally-listed threatened or endangered wildlife or plants or their critical habitat will be considered in deciding whether to re-issue GP-002-WI. Re-issuance of RGP-01 would not affect the Corps responsibility to ensure that all Section 404 authorizations comply with Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act.

PUBLIC HEARING: Any person may request, in writing, within the comment period specified above, that a public hearing be held to consider this proposal. Requests for public hearings shall state, in detail, the reasons for holding a public hearing. A request may be denied if substantive reasons for holding a hearing are not provided or if there is otherwise no valid interest to be served.

PUBLIC INTEREST REVIEW: The decision to re-issue the RGP will be based on an evaluation of the probable impact, including cumulative impacts, of the proposed activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefit which reasonably may be expected to accrue from the proposal must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered, including the cumulative effects.

REPLIES/COMMENTS: The Corps is soliciting comments from the public; Federal, State, and local agencies and officials; Indian tribes; and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate the impacts of this proposed action. Interested parties are invited to submit to this office written facts, arguments, or objections within 30 days of the date of this notice. These statements should bear upon the suitability and the adequacy of RGP-01 and should, if appropriate, suggest any changes believed to be desirable. Written replies may be addressed to the Alaska District, Corps of Engineers, Regulatory Division, Post Office Box 6898, JBER, Alaska 99506-0898. Questions about RGP-01 may also be directed to Jason Berkner at (907) 360-9056, or toll free in Alaska at (800) 478-2712, or by email at Jason.R.Berkner@usace.army.mil.

FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER:

Sheila Newman
Chief, Special Actions Branch
Regulatory Division
Alaska District Corps of Engineers

STATE OF ALASKA

DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION
DIVISION OF WATER
401 Certification Program
Non-Point Source Water Pollution Control Program

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION
WQM/401 CERTIFICATION
555 CORDOVA STREET
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA 99501-2617
PHONE: (907) 269-7564/FAX: (907) 334-2415

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STATE WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION

Any applicant for a federal license or permit to conduct an activity that might result in a discharge into navigable waters, in accordance with Section 401 of the Clean Water Act of 1977 (PL95-217), also must apply for and obtain certification from the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation that the discharge will comply with the Clean Water Act, the Alaska Water Quality Standards, and other applicable State laws. By agreement between the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Department of Environmental Conservation, a proposed issuance of a Department of the Army General Permit to authorize discharged dredged/fill material into waters of the U.S. under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act also may serve as application for State Water Quality Certification.

Notice is hereby given that a Department of the Army General Permit known as RGP-01, NOME, described in the Corps of Engineers' Public Notice No. **POA-2006-214M2**, serves as application for State Water Quality Certification from the Department of Environmental Conservation.

After reviewing the proposed action, the Department may certify there is reasonable assurance the activity, and any discharge that might result, will comply with the Clean Water Act, the Alaska Water Quality Standards, and other applicable State laws. The Department also may deny or waive certification.

Any person desiring to comment on the project, with respect to Water Quality Certification, may submit written comments to the address above by the expiration date of the Corps of Engineer's Public Notice.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
GENERAL PERMIT

Permittee: The General Public
Permit No. RGP-01, Nome (POA-2006-214-M2)
Issuing Office: U.S. Army Engineer District, Alaska
Issuance Date: Pending
Expiration Date: Pending

NOTE: The term "you" and its derivatives, as used in this permit, means the permittee or any future transferee. The term "this office" refers to the appropriate district or division office of the Corps of Engineers having jurisdiction over the permitted activity or the appropriate official of that office acting under the authority of the commanding officer.

GENERAL PERMIT AUTHORIZATIONS

The general public in the City of Nome, Alaska, is authorized to perform work in accordance with the terms and conditions of the general permit specified below, after satisfying all applicable permit terms and conditions.

Under the authority of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (Public Law 95-217, 33 U.S.C. 1344 et. Seq.), the Secretary of the Army authorizes the discharge of dredged and/or fill material into certain waters of the United States (U.S.), consisting of wetlands within specific areas of Nome, Alaska, as shown on the attached figures.

AUTHORIZED ACTIVITIES

The RGP-01, Nome, authorizes the discharge of dredged and/or fill material into waters of the U.S., including wetlands, for the purpose of constructing and/or expanding building foundation pads, utilities, roads, driveways, and parking areas for residential, commercial and public works developments. The RGP also authorizes excavation activities including mechanized land clearing and other activities that could result in a re-deposition of dredged material.

Excluded areas and activities

1. Under this RGP, fill material may not be discharged within 50 feet of the ordinary high water mark (OHWM) of any non-tidal open waterbody, including streams, rivers, ponds, lakes; within 50 feet of permanently flooded wetlands; or within 50 feet of the high tide line of any tidal waters. The only exception is the reduction of the setback to 10 feet to allow development within 50 feet of an established drainage along East N Street and 6th Avenue. The drainage would be preserved during development and adjacent disturbed areas would be re-seeded to reduce erosion. This exclusionary setback does not apply to surface waters constructed as part of a mining operation.
2. Activities that are denied any required local, State or Federal authorization are not authorized by the RGP.
3. Activities that the Corps determines may result in more than minimal adverse impacts on aquatic resources or other public interest factors. The District will notify the applicant that the project does not qualify for the RGP and instruct the applicant on the procedures to seek authorization under a standard DA permit. The District may also, on a case-by-case basis, require a standard DA permit for unauthorized activities.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Individuals wishing to perform work under this RGP shall submit in writing, directly to the Corps or to the Corps through the City of Nome Engineer's Office, a Pre-Construction Notification (PCN) Form (Enclosure 2) containing the following information at minimum:

1. Name, address, and phone number of the applicant.
2. Location of the proposed work to include Section, Township, Range; and latitude/longitude.
3. A detailed description of the project, its purpose, the dimensions including the size of the structure or the fill area, fill quantity and type of fill being used.
4. Plan drawings, including a plan view and a cross-section view of the project, showing the layout of the driveway, pads and structures in relation to other features. Drawings do not have to be prepared by a professional, but should be clear and easily understood.
5. An approved Site Plan from the City of Nome Engineer's Office (enclosure 1).
6. The application and drawings should be sent to: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Regulatory Division, North Branch Chief (CEPOA-RD-N), Post Office Box 6898, JBER, Alaska 99506-0898 or by email to regpagemaster@usace.army.mil.

Corps Verification Process

The information provided will be reviewed by the Corps for compliance with the terms and conditions of the RGP. The City of Nome Engineer's Office may choose to provide an opinion of compliance with the terms and conditions of the RGP if forwarding an application from a citizen. Normally, within 15 days of receiving the required information, a letter will be sent from this office to the applicant verifying whether or not the proposed project may proceed under terms and conditions of the RGP.

RESTRICTIONS

The work authorized by this RGP is also subject to the following general conditions and any special conditions necessary to reduce impacts to the minimum level.

Special Conditions: Any verification issued may include required special conditions. The District Engineer will impose special conditions to verification letters, where necessary, to ensure that adverse environmental impacts are minimal.

General Conditions:

- 1. Permit Expiration.** The RGP-1 expires on [pending], 2022. Unless activities authorized under the RGP-1 have commenced construction or are under contract to commence construction by [pending], 2022, the time limit for completing work ends upon the expiration date of RGP-1. Activities authorized under RRGP-1 which have commenced construction or are under contract to commence construction by [pending], 2022, will have until [pending], 2023, to be completed under the terms and conditions of RRGP-1, unless the District Engineer's discretionary authority is exercised on a case-by-case basis to modify, suspend, or revoke the authorization.
- 2. Verification.** No work shall be constructed under this RGP without first obtaining a RGP Verification in writing from the Corps. The City of Nome Engineer's Office may provide an Opinion of Compliance (enclosure 1) and submit the required Pre Construction Notification form (enclosure 2) to the Corps if forwarding the form from a citizen. However, written verification from the Corps must be received prior to commencing construction.
- 3. Excluded Areas.** Fill material shall not be discharged within 50 feet of the ordinary high water mark of any non-tidal open water body, including streams, sloughs, rivers, ponds, lakes; within 50 feet of permanently flooded wetlands; or within 50 feet of the high tide line of any tidal waters. The only exception is the reduction of the setback to 10 feet to allow development within 50 feet of an established drainage along East N Street and 6th Avenue. The drainage would be

preserved during development and adjacent disturbed areas would be re-seeded to reduce erosion. This exclusion does not apply to waters constructed as part of a mining operation.

- 4. Avoidance and Minimization.** The activity must be designed and constructed to avoid and minimize adverse effects, both temporary and permanent, to waters of the United States to the maximum extent practicable at the project site (i.e., on site).
- 5. Impacts to Adjacent Waters of U.S.** Natural drainage patterns shall be maintained using appropriate ditching, culverts, storm drain systems and other measures, without introducing ponding or drying. Excessive ponding and/or dewatering of areas adjacent to fill areas shall indicate non-compliance with this condition.
- 6. Soil Erosion and Sediment Controls.** Appropriate soil erosion and sediment controls must be used and maintained in effective operating condition during construction, and all exposed soil and other fills must be permanently stabilized at the earliest practicable date. Increased water turbidity and sediment in drainage ditches, streams, sloughs, and/or adjacent wetlands shall be evidence of insufficient stabilization.
- 7. Flagging.** The boundaries of the fill area in wetlands shall be staked and/or flagged prior to construction to prevent inadvertent encroachment into adjacent wetlands.
- 8. Permafrost.** If permafrost is present, sufficient fill (or other methods of insulation) shall be placed on the ground to provide thermal stability and prevent thermal degradation of underlying permafrost. Signs of thermokarsting or standing water indicate non-compliance with this condition.
- 9. Water Quality Certification.** You must comply with all conditions specified as part of the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation Water Quality Certification, which is part of this RGP.
- 10. Suitable Fill Material.** No activity may use unsuitable material (e.g., trash, debris, car bodies, asphalt, etc.). Material used for construction or discharged must be free from toxic pollutants in toxic amounts (see Section 307 of the Clean Water Act).
- 11. Contaminated Sites.** A soil remediation plan shall be approved by the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) prior to commencing any work on a site containing contaminated soil as defined by the Toxic Pollutant List referred to as Table 1 in Section 307 of the Clean Water Act and by Alaska State Law, i.e. 18 AAC 70 Alaska Water Quality Standards, 18 AAC Oil and Hazardous Substance Pollution Control, and 18 AAC 78 Underground Storage Tanks. If contaminated soils are discovered during the activity, all work shall cease in the area of the contamination; ADEC shall be contacted, and work shall commence only upon receiving ADEC approval.
- 12. Endangered Species.** The activity must not jeopardize the continued existence of a threatened or endangered species, as identified under the Endangered Species Act (ESA), nor endanger the critical habitat of such species. No activity is authorized under this RGP which “may affect” a listed species or critical habitat unless ESA section 7 consultation addressing the effects of the proposed activity has been completed.
- 13. Migratory Birds and Bald/Golden Eagles.** The permittee is responsible for obtaining any “take” permits required under the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service’s regulations governing compliance with the Migratory Bird Treaty Act or the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act. To avoid an inadvertent violation of these laws, the permittee should contact the Fairbanks Office of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (907-456-0203) to determine if such “take” permits are required for RGP authorized activities occurring between the dates of May 20 to July 20.
- 14. Essential Fish Habitat.** The activity must not adversely affect Essential Fish Habitat (EFH).

- 15. Cultural Resources.** This RGP does not authorize activities, including the use of material borrow sites, in cases where the district engineer determines that the activity may have the potential to cause effects to properties listed, or eligible for listing, in the National Register of Historic Places, until the requirements of Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) have been satisfied.
- 16. Inadvertent Discoveries.** If you discover any previously unknown historic, cultural or archeological remains and artifacts while accomplishing the activity authorized by this permit, you must immediately notify the district engineer of what you have found, and to the maximum extent practicable, avoid construction activities that may affect the remains and artifacts until the required coordination has been completed. The district engineer will initiate the Federal, Tribal, and state coordination required to determine if the items or remains warrant a recovery effort or if the site is eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.
- 17. Maintenance.** You must maintain the authorized activity in good state, and in conformance with the terms and conditions of this RGP.
- 18. Inspections.** You must permit the District Engineer, or his designated representatives, to inspect the authorized activity at any time deemed necessary to ensure that it is being, or has been accomplished in accordance with the terms and conditions of this RGP.
- 19. Modification by Other Authorizations.** If the work proposed under this RGP is subsequently modified by any other Federal, State, or local governmental authorization, a modification of the RGP including verification by the Corps to perform activities under this RGP may need to be obtained.
- 20. Use of Multiple General Permits, including Nationwide Permits.** The use of more than one RGP or Nationwide Permit (NWP) for a single and complete project is prohibited, except when the acreage loss of waters of the United States authorized by the RGP and/or NWPs does not exceed the acreage limit of the RGP/NWP with the highest specified acreage limit.

Compliance

Compliance with the RGP requires strict adherence to the terms and conditions specified both herein and any special conditions within the verification. Corps representatives may inspect sites to determine whether the work is being, or has been, performed in conformance with the terms and conditions of this RGP.

Should the Corps determine that an activity is not in compliance with the RGP, the permittee may be required—at their expense—to implement corrective measures, remove fill and/or restore any areas affected by the noncompliance, in accordance with 33 CFR Part 326 and Section 309 of the Clean Water Act. Noncompliance could also result in suspension, revocation or modification of the RGP authorization (pursuant to 33 CFR 325.7), initiation of legal action by the Federal Government, issuance of a monetary penalty ranging from \$2,500 to \$25,000 per day of violation, and/or imprisonment for up to one year.

Further Information:

1. Congressional Authorities: Authorization to undertake the activities described above is pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1344). Work that also requires authorization under Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act must be authorized separately through nationwide or individual permits.

2. Limits of this authorization.

a. This permit does not obviate the need to obtain other Federal, State, or local authorization required by law.

- b. This permit does not grant any property rights or exclusive privileges.
- c. This permit does not authorize any injury to the property or rights of others.
- d. This permit does not authorize interference with any existing or proposed Federal project.

3. Limits of Federal Liability. In issuing this permit, the Federal Government does not assume any liability for the following:

- a. Damages to the permitted project or uses thereof as a result of other permitted or unpermitted activities or from natural causes.
- b. Damages to the permitted project or uses thereof as a result of current or future activities undertaken by or on behalf of the United States in the public interest.
- c. Damages to persons, property, or to other permitted or unpermitted activities or structures caused by the activity authorized by this permit.
- d. Design or construction deficiencies associated with the permitted work.
- e. Damage claims associated with any future modification, suspension, or revocation of this permit.

4. Reliance on Applicant's Data: The determination of this office that issuance of this permit is not contrary to the public interest was made in reliance on the information provided by the applicant.

5. Reevaluation of Decision. This office may reevaluate its decision on this permit at any time the circumstances warrant. Circumstances that could require a reevaluation include, but are not limited to, the following:

- a. The permittee fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this permit.
- b. The information provided by the applicant in support of the permit application proves to have been false, incomplete, or inaccurate (See 4 above).
- c. Significant new information surfaces which this office did not consider in reaching the original public interest decision.

Such a reevaluation may result in a determination that it is appropriate to use the suspension, modification, and revocation procedures contained in 33 CFR 325.7 or enforcement procedures such as those contained in 33 CFR 326.4 and 326.5. The referenced enforcement procedures provide for the issuance of an administrative order requiring the permittee to comply with the terms and conditions of your permit and for the initiation of legal action where appropriate.

6. Reevaluation this RGP. This office may also reevaluate its decision to issue the RGP-01 at any time the circumstances warrant. Circumstances that could require a reevaluation include, but are not limited to, the following: significant new information surfaces which this office did not consider in reaching the original public interest decision. Such a reevaluation may result in a determination that it is appropriate to use the suspension, modification, and revocation procedures contained in 33 CFR 325.7.

This General Permit becomes effective when the federal official, designated to act for the Secretary of the Army, has signed below.

FOR THE DISTRICT COMMANDER:

Sheila Newman
Chief, Special Actions Branch
Regulatory Division
Alaska District Corps of Engineers

Date

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OPINION OF COMPLIANCE
 DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY GP 2006-214
 CITY OF NOME, ALASKA

The project described on Sheets 2 and 3 has been evaluated for compliance with the above referenced General Permit (GP). The evaluation results are as follows (circle appropriate number):

1. The project fully complies with the terms and conditions of the GP and work may proceed (copy of GP attached).
2. The project does not comply with the GP for the following reasons (use additional sheet if necessary):
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____

If the project is modified in an attempt to meet the terms and conditions of the GP, a new application must be submitted for review. Applicants that cannot modify a project to meet the terms and conditions of the GP must contact the Alaska District, Corps of Engineers, Regulatory Branch, Post Office Box 6898, Elmendorf AFB, Alaska, 99506-0898, telephone (800) 478-2712 (toll free in Alaska), (907) 753-2712, fax (907) 753-5567. The Corps will inform the Applicant of the proper procedures to follow.

Questions about the GP should be directed to the City Engineer, City of Nome, Post Office Box 281, 102 Division Street, Nome, Alaska 99762, telephone (907) 443-6603, fax: (907) 443-5345, or to the Corps at the above address and telephone numbers.

Evaluation by (signed): _____
City of Nome Official date

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Alaska District
PRECONSTRUCTION NOTIFICATION FORM
for Project Verification under Nome Regional General Permit (RGP-01)

May be used instead of Form ENG 4345 to request verification under the Nome Regional General Permit (RGP-01). To ensure your project meets the requirements for the RGP, read all of the terms and conditions of the RGP, which may be found on our website at <http://www.poa.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Permits/Regional-General-Permits/>, under the Nome Regional General Permit (RGP-01) section.

Applicant:	Phone:
Address:	Fax:
City, State, Zip:	Cell/Direct Line:
Point of Contact:	e-mail:

Agent:	Phone:
Address:	Fax:
City, State, Zip:	Cell/Direct Line:
Point of Contact:	e-mail:

Location of the Proposed Project Site:

Project Address:
Section, Township, Range, and Meridian:
Latitude and Longitude (Decimal Degrees, NAD-83):
Driving Directions to Site:
Other:

Project Description:

<p>Description of the proposed project and all associated actions (i.e., what construction activities are proposed for the overall project. You must specifically include the area (i.e., acreage or square feet) and type (rock, dirt, concrete, etc.) of all proposed discharges of fill material.</p>
Project purpose:

Does the proposed activity involve an expansion to or work on or adjacent to an existing fill?

YES or NO

Will any or all components of the overall single and complete project be located in an area(s) excluded from GP coverage?

YES or NO

*Attach drawings of the site and project plans (For more information on acceptable drawings and plans, please visit our website at [http://www.poa.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Permits/Permit-Application-Drawings/.](http://www.poa.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Permits/Permit-Application-Drawings/))

*Attach approved Site Plan from City of Nome Engineer's Office (if available).

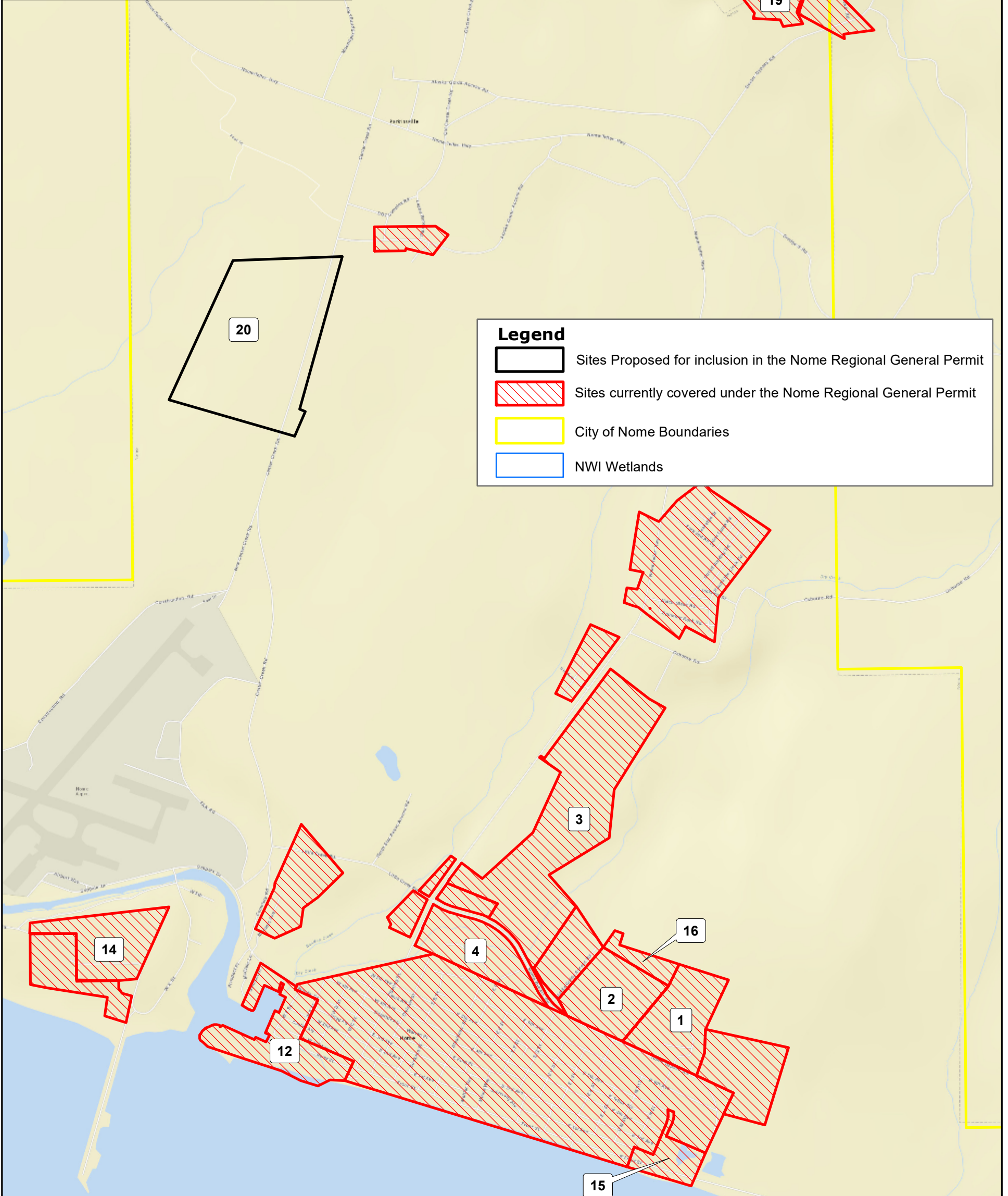
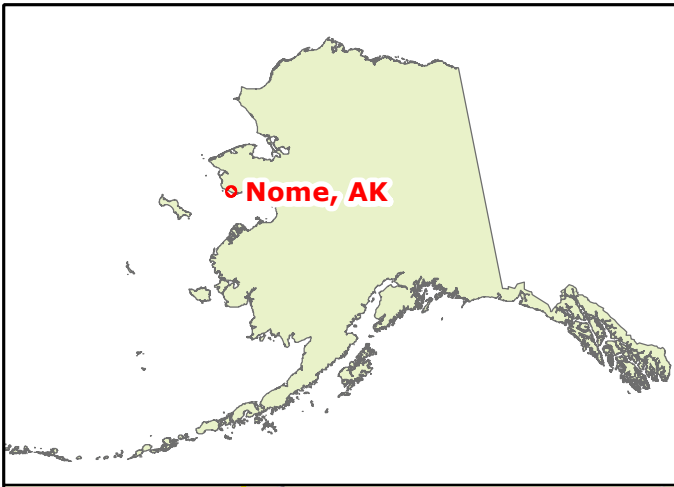
Application is hereby made for a permit or permits to authorize the work described in this preconstruction notification form. I certify the information in this preconstruction notification form is complete and accurate. I further certify that I possess the authority to undertake the work described herein or am acting as the duly authorized agent of the applicant.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT





DATE

SIGNATURE OF AGENT


DATE

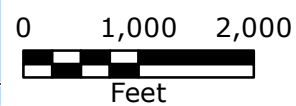
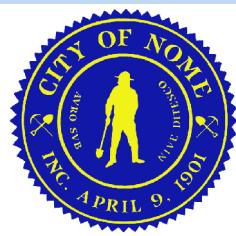


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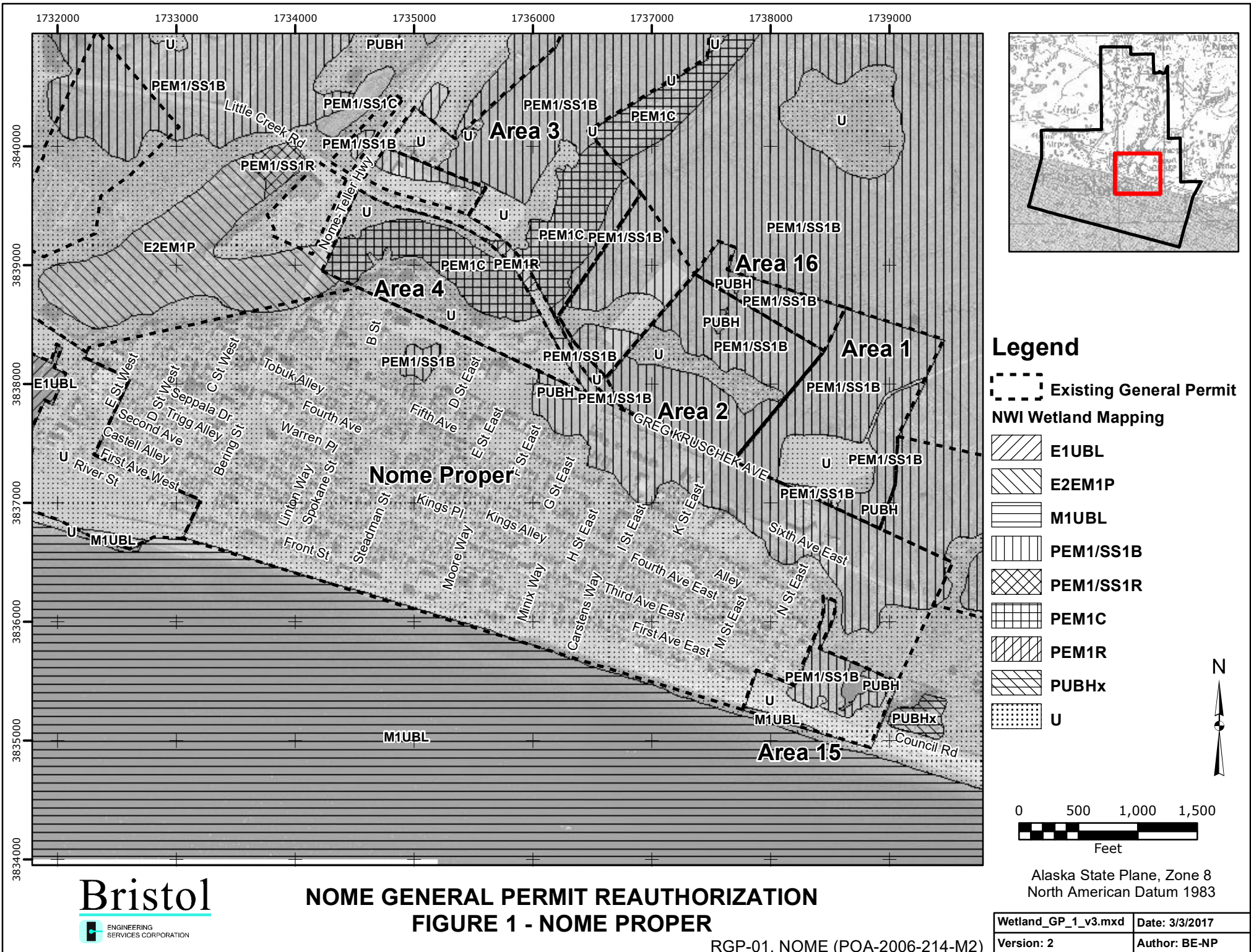
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-  City of Nome Boundaries
-  NWI Wetlands

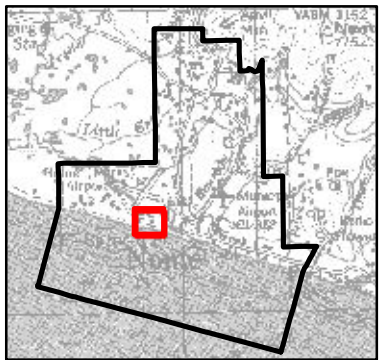
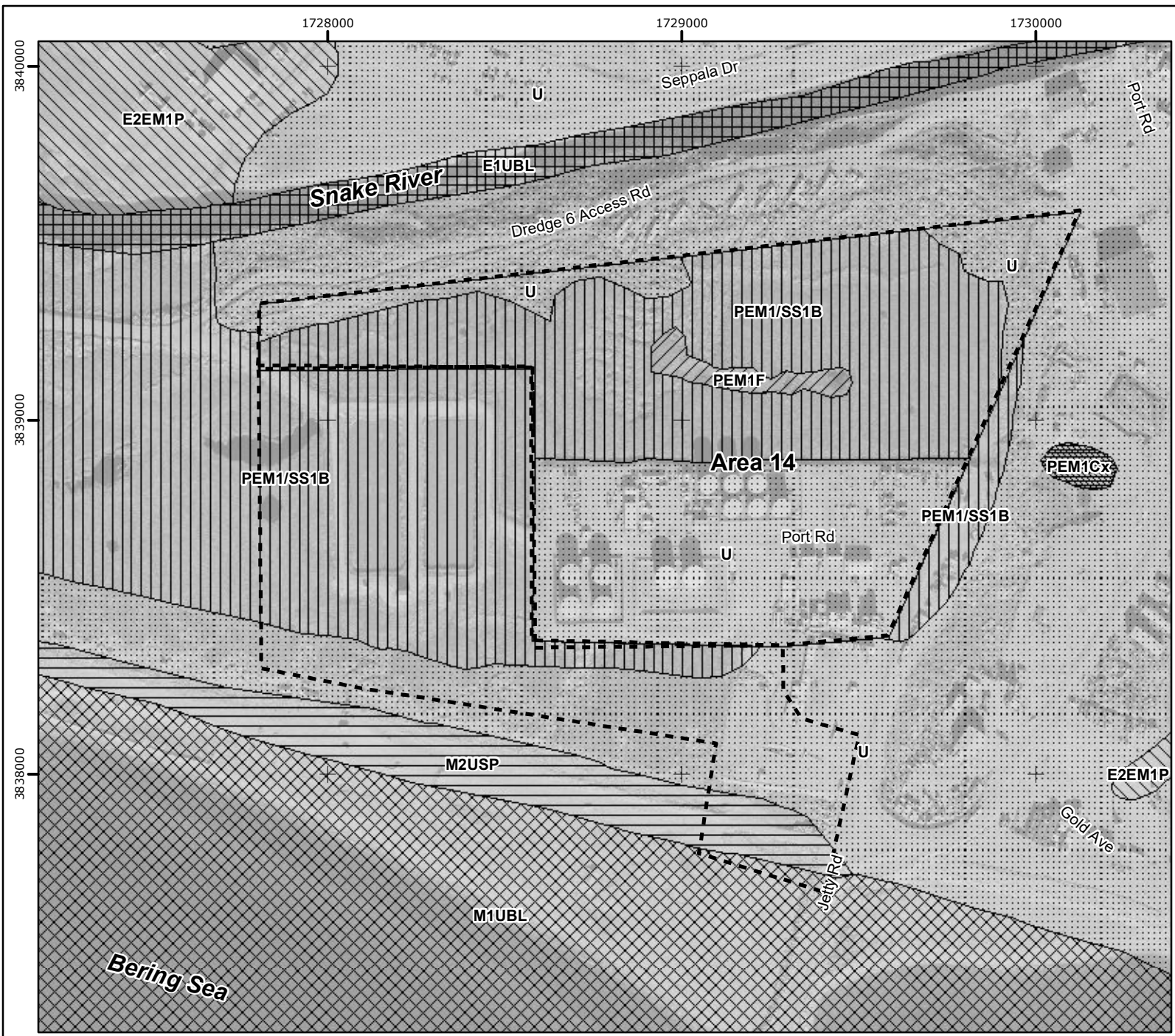
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RGP-01, NOME (POA-2006-214-M2)

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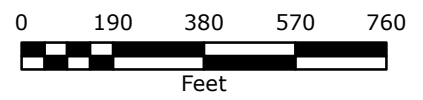


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Existing General Permit

NWI Wetland Mapping

- E1UBL
- E2EM1P
- M1UBL
- M2USP
- PEM1/SS1B
- PEM1Ccx
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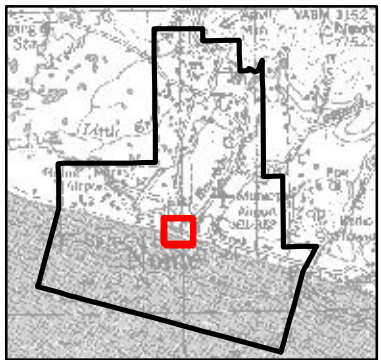
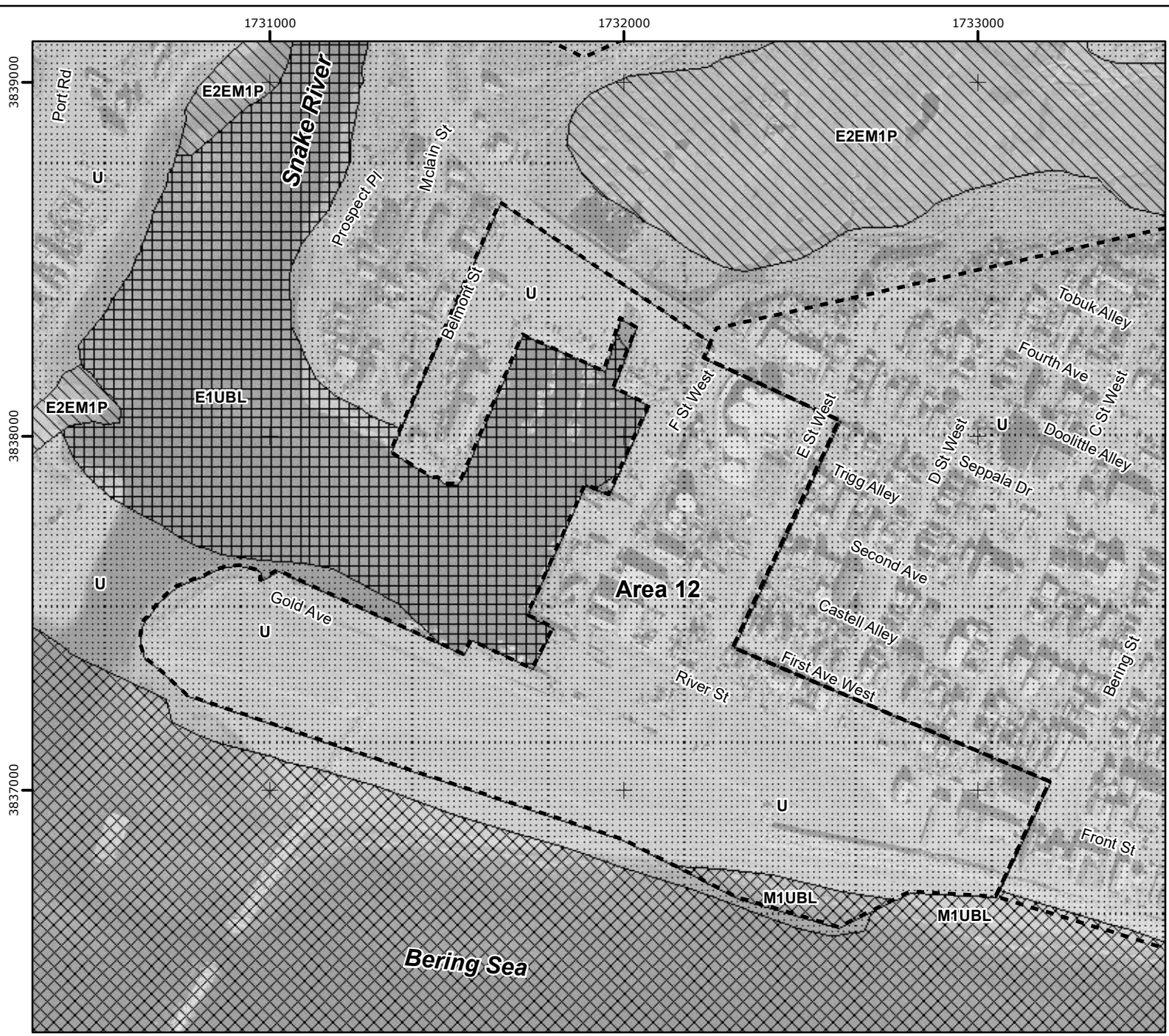
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


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FIGURE 2 - PORT INDUSTRIES SITE AREA 14**

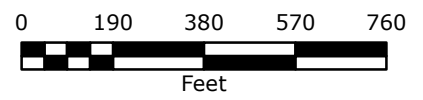
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-  **E1UBL**
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-  **M1UBL**
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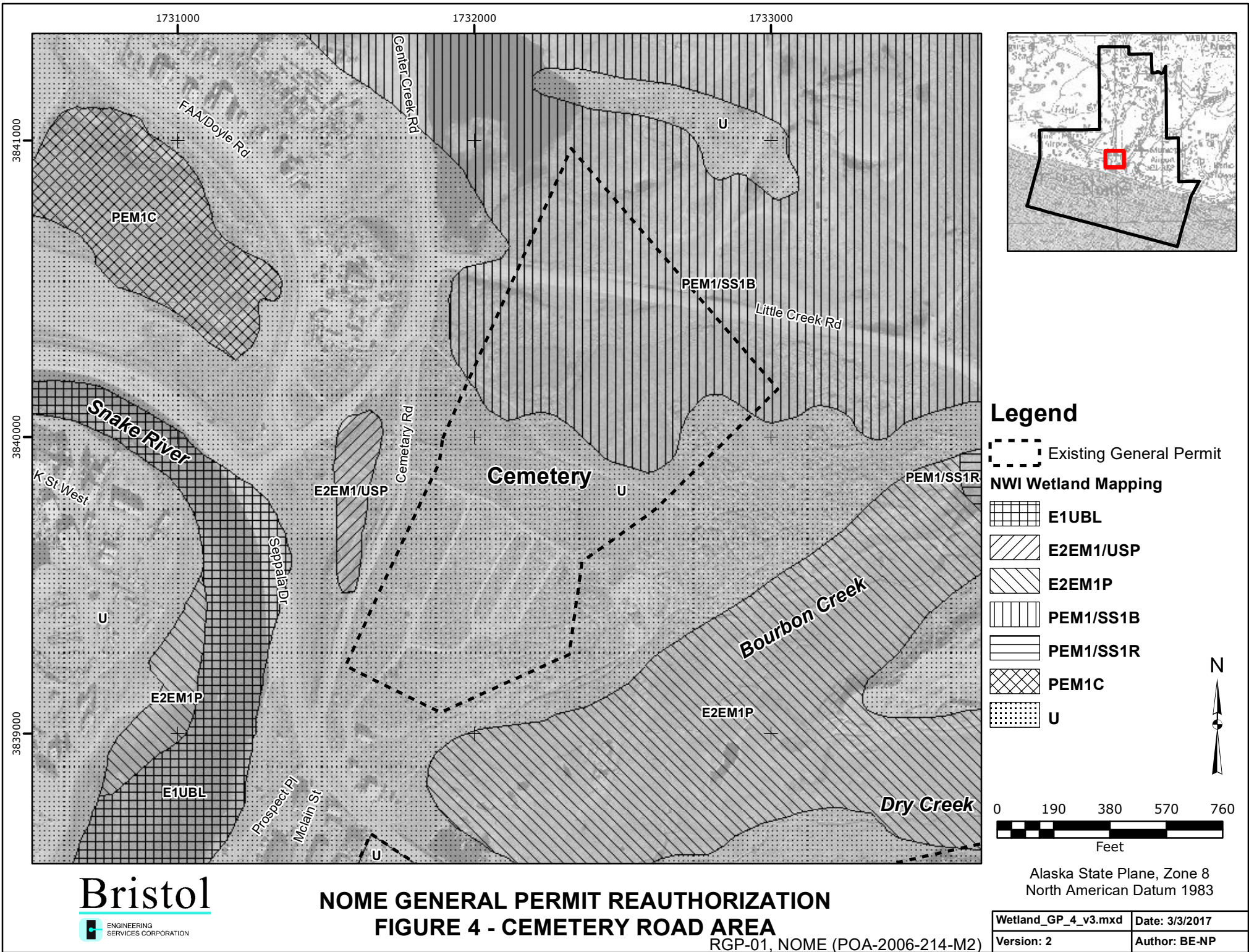
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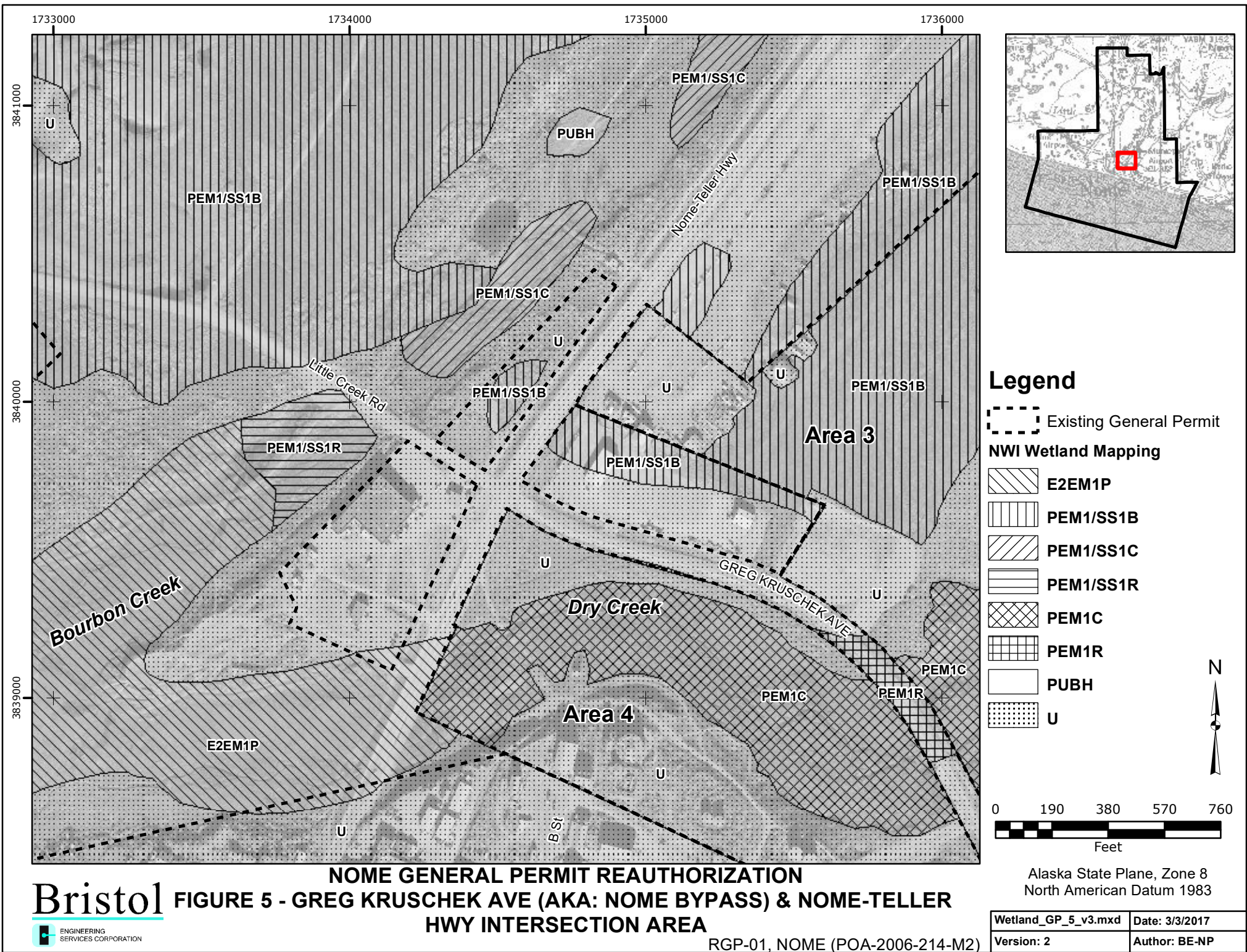


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FIGURE 3 - PORTS' WEST SIDE OF NOME AREA 12

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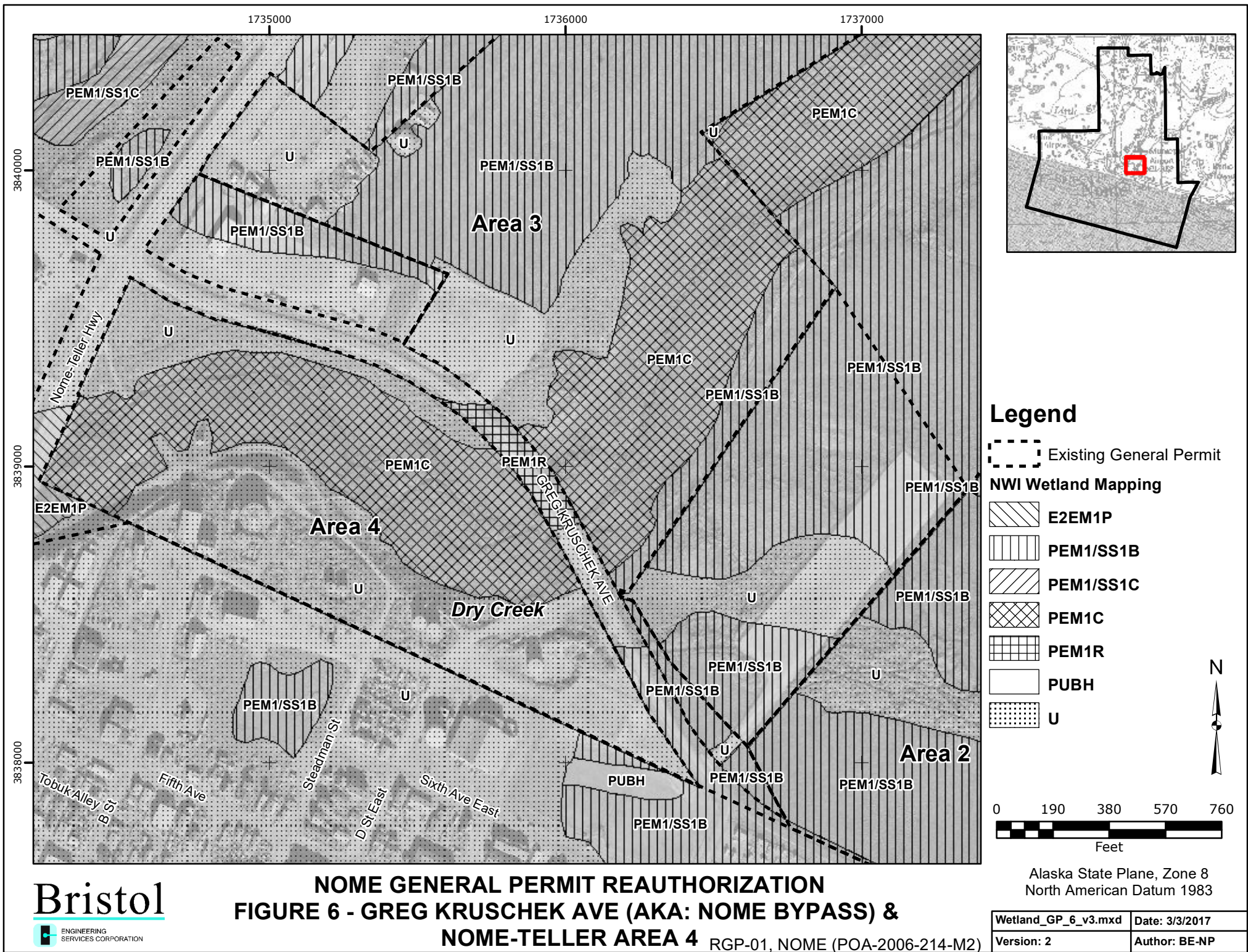


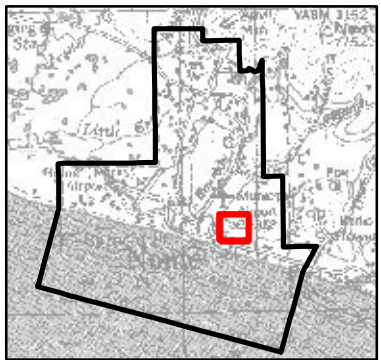
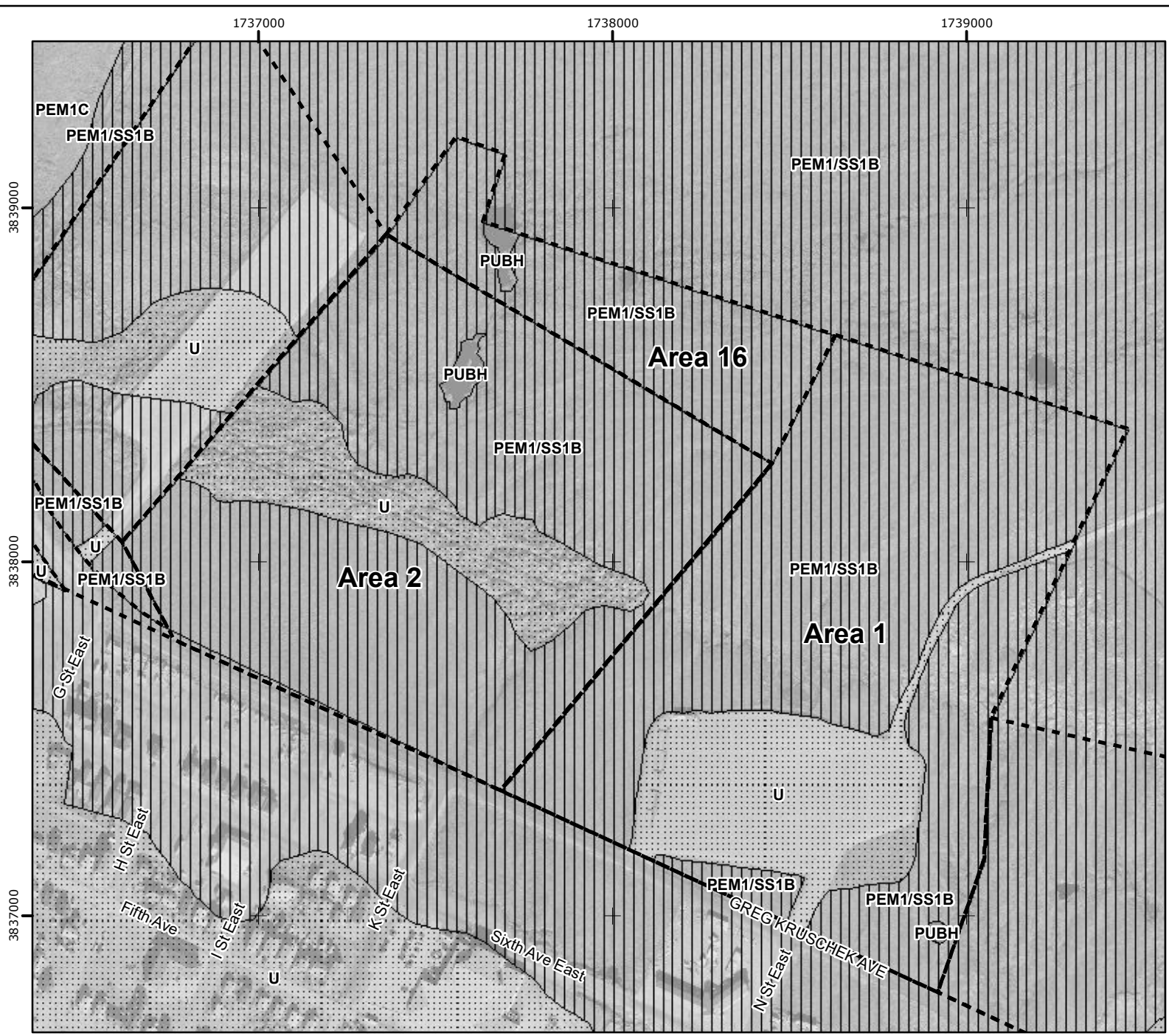


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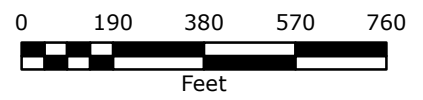
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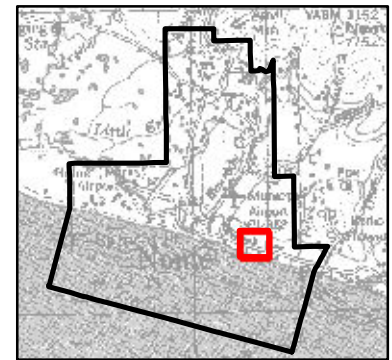
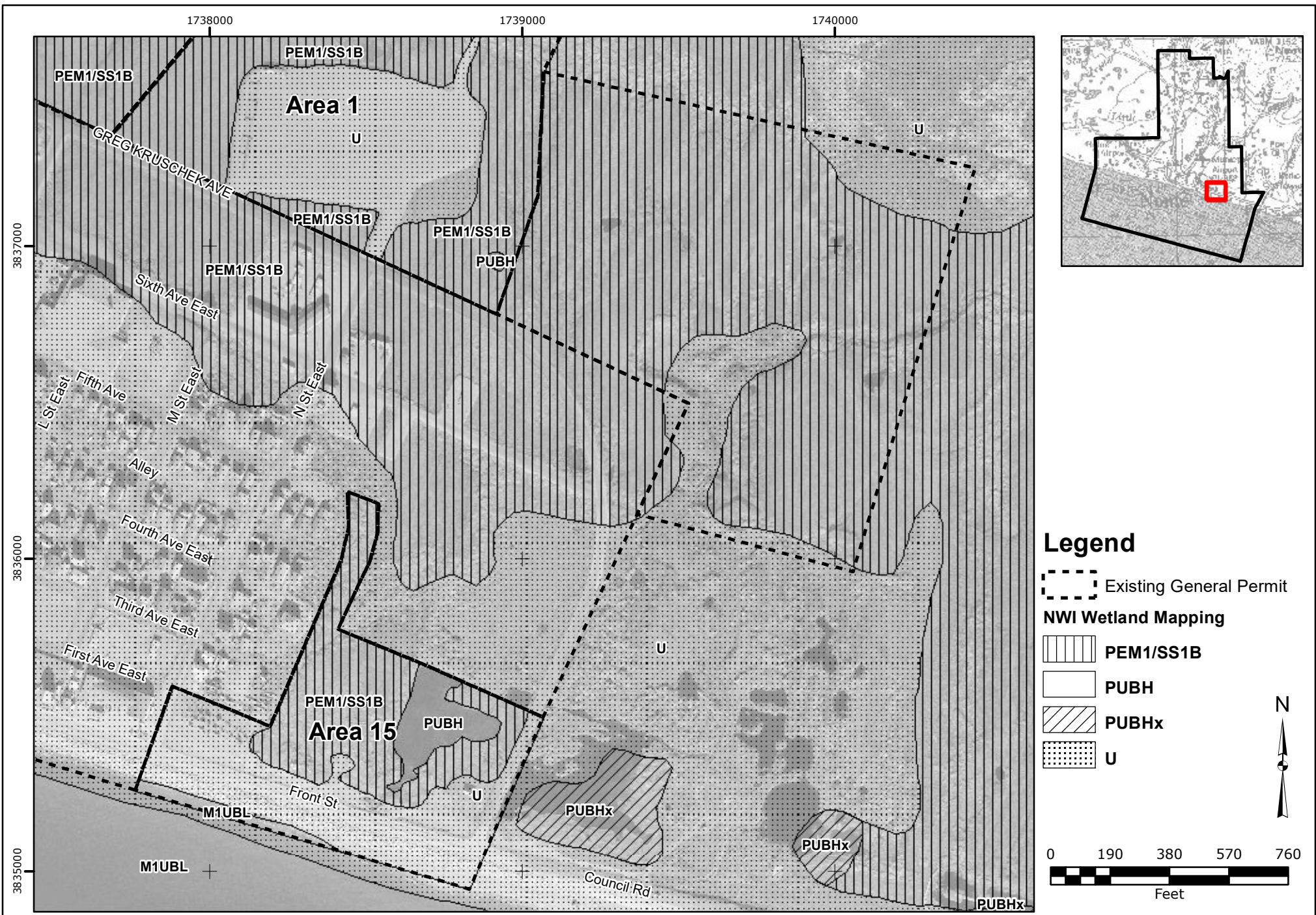
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FIGURE 7 - GREG KRUSCHEK AVE (AKA: NOME BYPASS)
AREA 1, 2, & 16

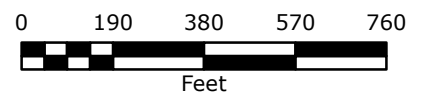
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- PUBH
- PUBHx
- U



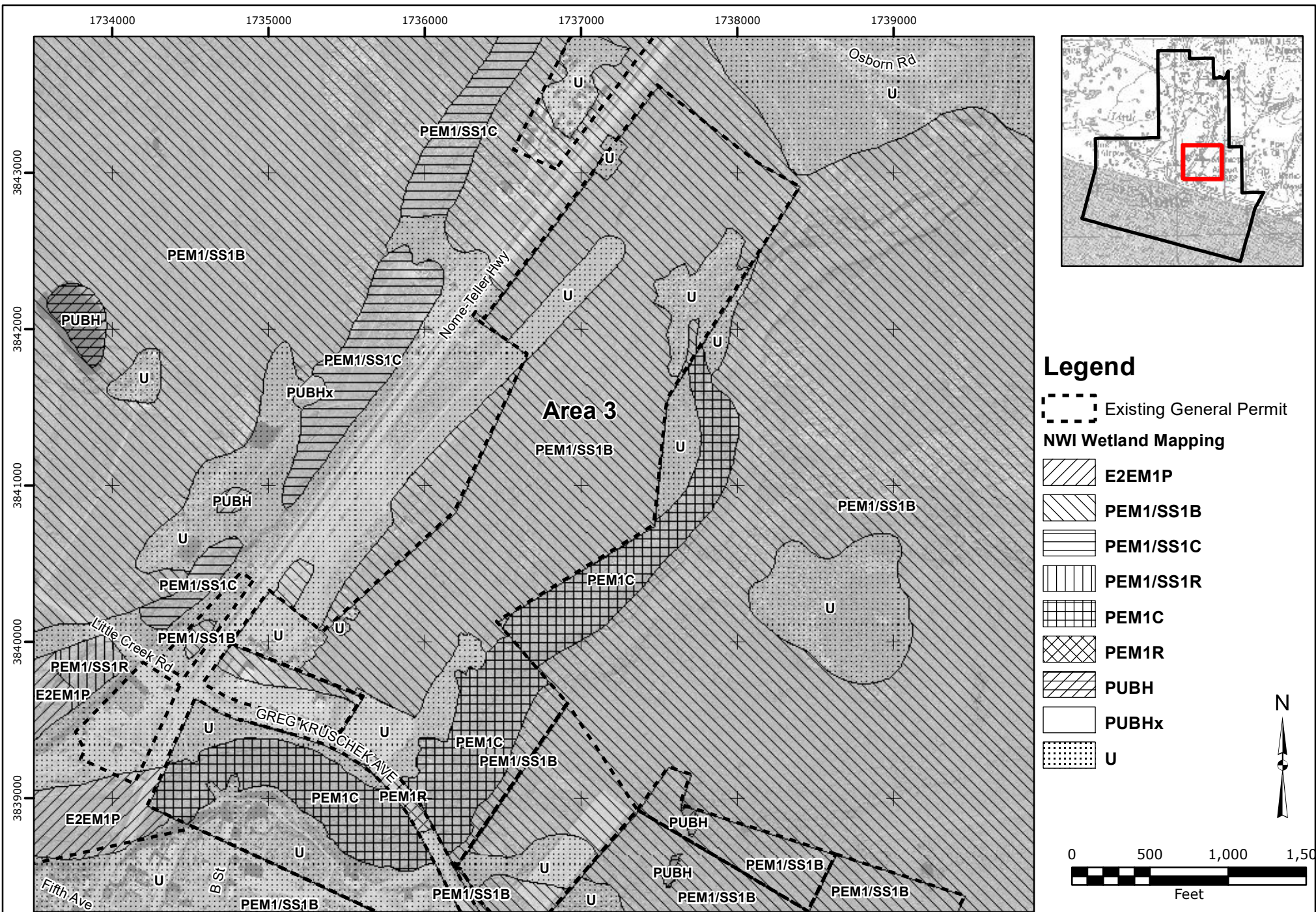
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FIGURE 8 - GREG KRUSCHEK AVE (AKA: NOME BYPASS)
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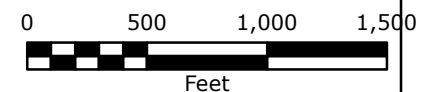


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- E2EM1P
- PEM1/SS1B
- PEM1/SS1C
- PEM1/SS1R
- PEM1C
- PEM1R
- PUBH
- PUBHx
- U



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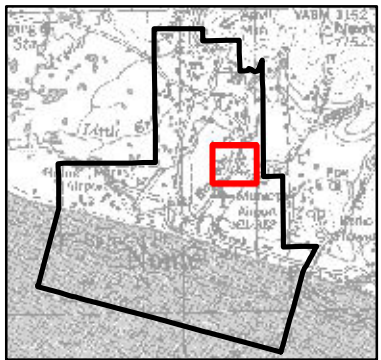
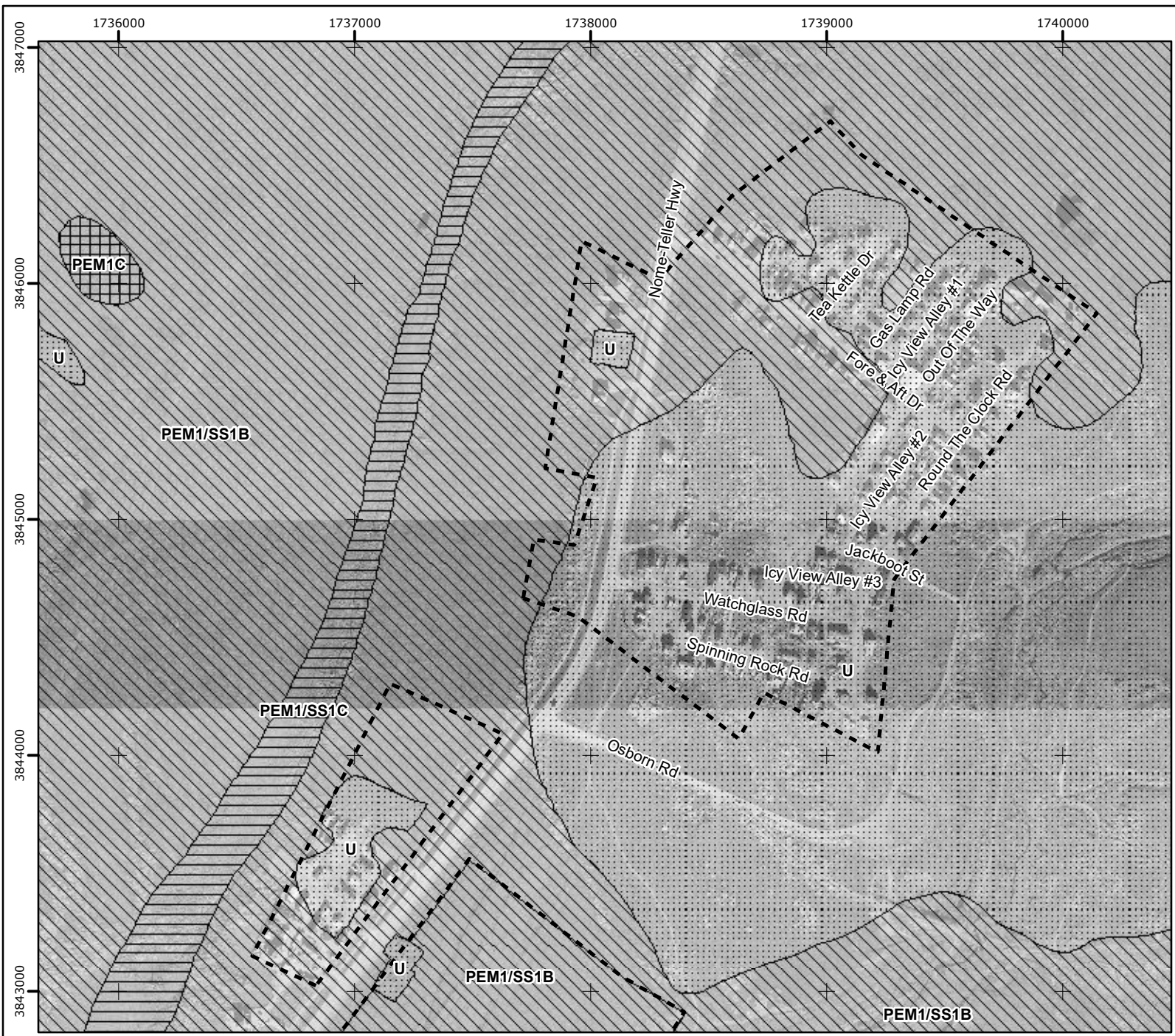
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



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FIGURE 9 - NOME-TELLER HWY / GREG KRUSCHEK AVE
(AKA: NOME BYPASS) AREA 3

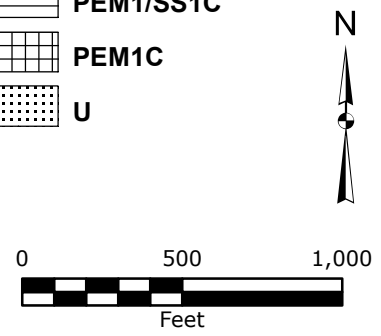
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-  PEM1/SS1C
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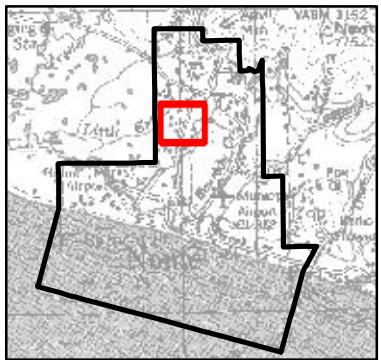
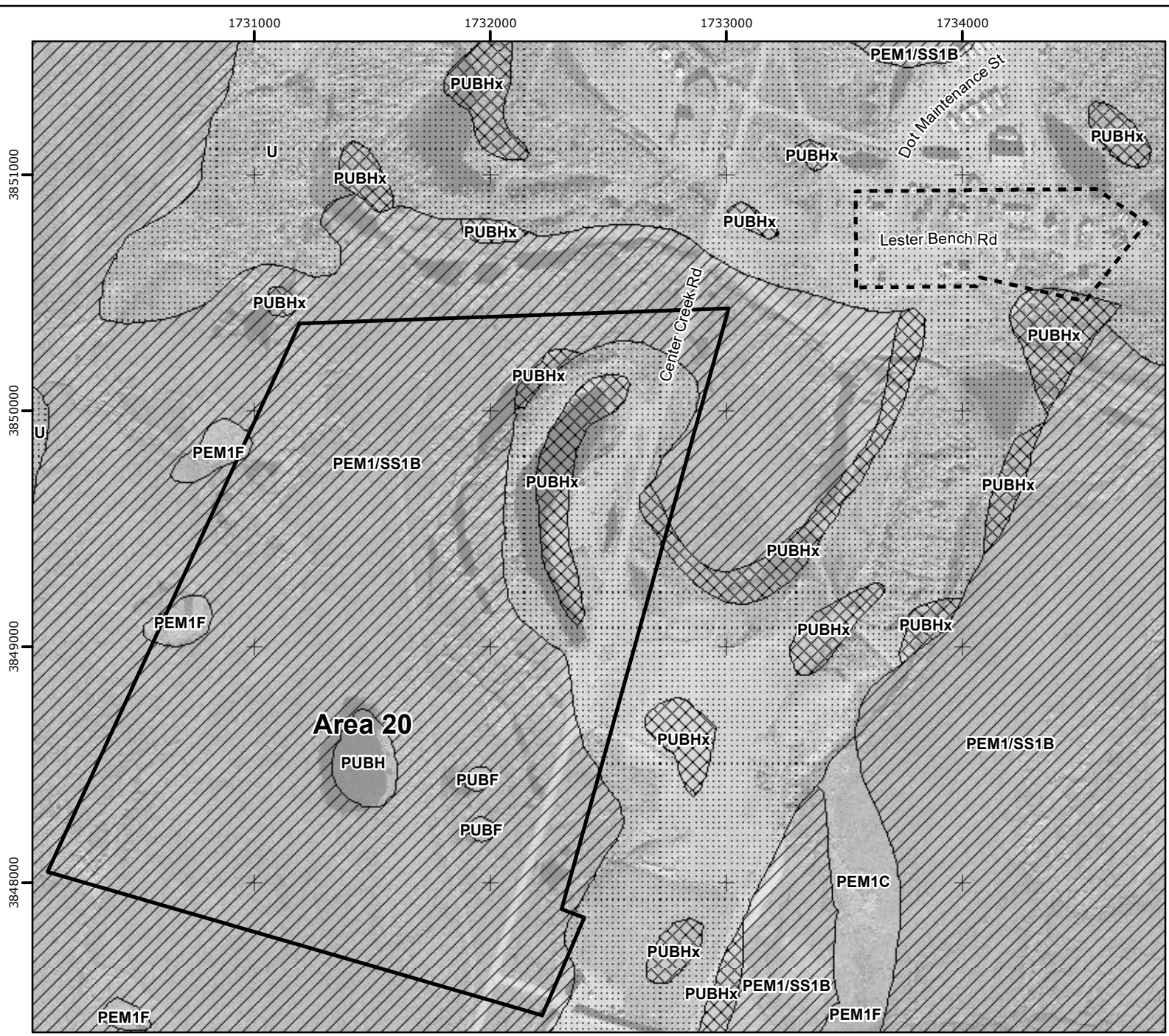
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
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FIGURE 10 - NOME-TELLER HWY -
ICY VIEW & MARTINSON**

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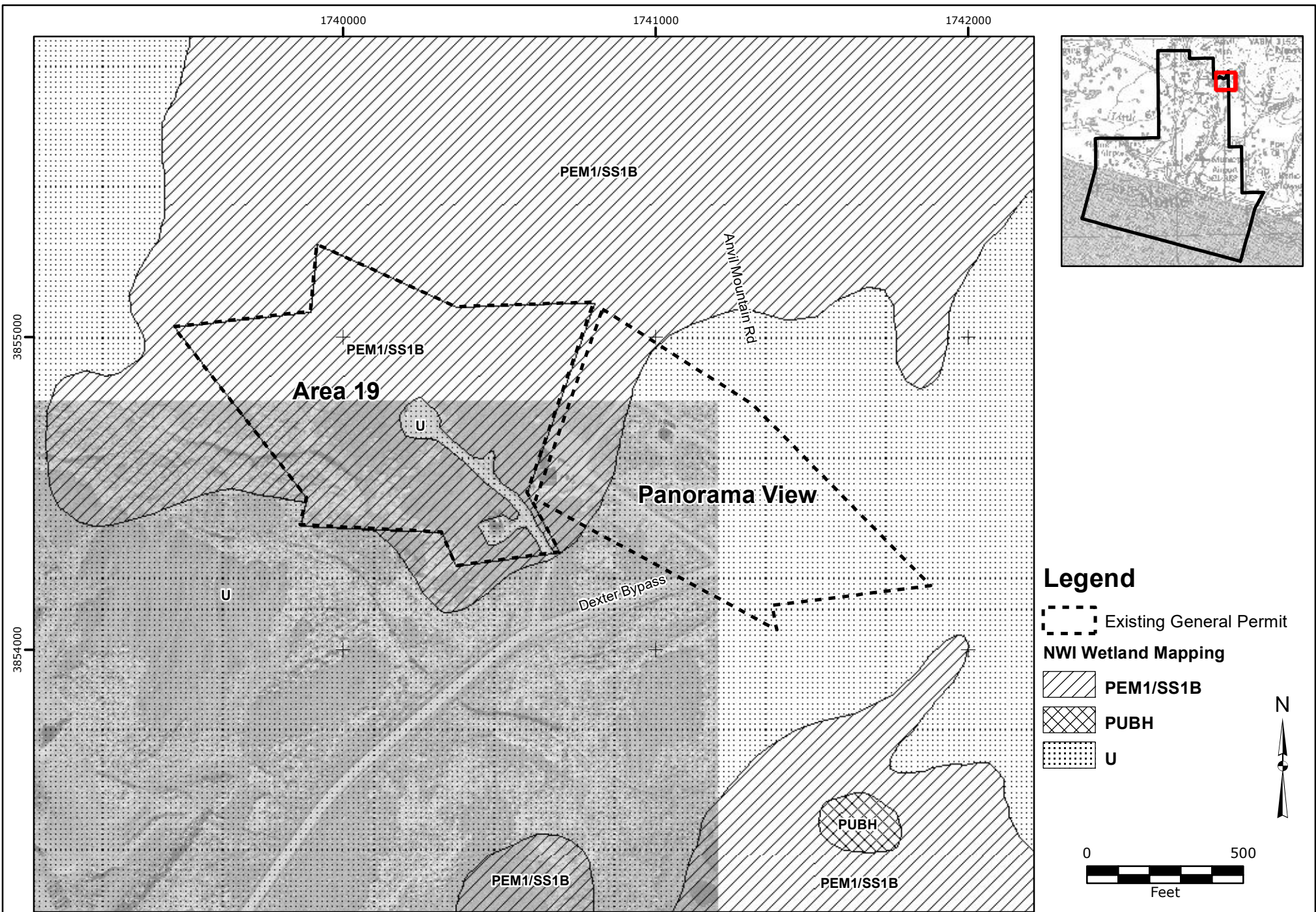


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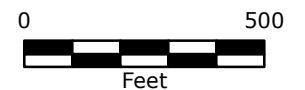
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FIGURE 12 - DEXTER BYPASS - PANORAMA VIEW & AREA 19**

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Wetlands and Deepwater Habitats Classification

E1UBL	Estuarine subtidal, unconsolidated bottom, subtidal
E2EM1P	Estuarine intertidal, emergent persistent, irregularly flooded
MIUBL	Marine subtidal, unconsolidated bottom, subtidal
M2USP	Marine intertidal, unconsolidated shore, irregularly flooded
PEM1/SS1B	Palustrine emergent persistent / scrub-shrub broadleaf deciduous, saturated
PEM1C	Palustrine emergent persistent, seasonally flooded
PEM1Cx	Palustrine emergent persistent, seasonally flooded, excavated
PEMIF	Palustrine emergent persistent, semi-permanently flooded
PEM1/SS1R	Palustrine emergent persistent / scrub-shrub broadleaf deciduous/seasonally tidal
PEM1/SS1C	Palustrine emergent persistent / scrub-shrub broadleaf deciduous, seasonally flooded
PUBH	Palustrine emergent, unconsolidated bottom permanently flooded
PUBHx	Palustrine emergent, unconsolidated bottom permanently flooded excavated
U	Uplands