

# 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): February 16, 2021

ORM Number: SPK-2021-00076

Associated JDs: N/A Review Area Location<sup>1</sup>:

State/Territory: UT City: Marriott-Slaterville County/Parish/Borough: Weber County Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 41.272168 Longitude -112.023522

### II. FINDINGS

Α.	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
	1328 feet	(a)(2) Perennial tributary contributes surface water flow directly or indirectly to an (a)(1) water in a typical year	Four Mile Creek is a perennial stream channel that runs from east to west through the Project Area and crosses under I-15 at the western Project Area boundary. Fourmile Creek continues off-site to the west of I-15 and connects to the Weber River, which is a major tributary to the Great Salt Lake.

## 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

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Adjacent wetlands ((a)(4) waters):

(a)(4) Name	(a)(4) Size	(a)(4) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(4) Determination
Wetland A	0.088 acres	(a)(4) Wetland abuts an (a)(1)-(a)(3) water	Wetland A is located on the west side of the Project Area abutting the Fourmile Creek stream channel. Wetland A had saturated soils at the time of the November 24 and 25, 2020 delineation site inspections.
Wetland B	0.043 acres	(a)(4) Wetland abuts an (a)(1)-(a)(3) water	Wetland B is also located on the west side of the Project Area abutting the Fourmile Creek stream channel.

#### D. Excluded Waters or Features

Excluded waters  $((b)(1) - (b)(12))^4$ :

<b>Exclusion Name</b>	Exclusion Size	Exclusion <sup>5</sup>	Rationale for Exclusion Determination
Ditch 1	682 feet	(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)	Ditch 1 is a constructed channel used to convey water for agriculture. It is not a relocated tributary, was not constructed in a tributary, and no part was constructed in a wetland or any other waters type
Ditch 2	415 feet	(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)	Ditch 2 is a constructed channel used to convey water for agriculture. It is not a relocated tributary, was not constructed in a tributary, and no part was constructed in a wetland or any other waters type
Ditch 3	1565 feet	(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)	Ditch 3 is a constructed channel used to convey water for agriculture. It is not a relocated tributary, was not constructed in a tributary, and no part was constructed in a wetland or any other waters type
Ditch 4	137 feet	(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)	Ditch 4 is a constructed channel used to convey water for agriculture. It is not a relocated tributary, was not constructed in a tributary, and no part was constructed in a wetland or any other waters type
Storm Basin 1	0.57 acres	(b)(10) Stormwater control feature constructed or excavated in upland or in a non-jurisdictional water to convey, treat, infiltrate, or store stormwater runoff	Storm Basin 1 is man-made regional stormwater detention basin located along 400 North. The detention basin is vegetated with invasive Phragmites, which is a wetland indicator species. However, wetland delineation sample point (SP-3) recorded in the basin did not fulfill the wetland delineation criteria for soils and hydrology. The presence of wetland plants in the man-made detention basin is due to the regional collection and conveyance of stormwater into the detention basin. There is no evidence that the detention basin was constructed in wetlands or that a natural tributary drains into the detention basin. Additionally, there are no wetlands between the detention basin and Fourmile Creek.

### III. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

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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.

Χ	Information submitted by, or on behalf of, the applicant/consultant: Aquatic Resources and
	Waters of the U.S. Delineation Technical Report prepared by Frontier Corporation in January
	2021.
	This information is 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).

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X	Photographs: Aerial: GoogleEarth 7.3.3.7692. (September 11, 2020, September 30, 1997,
	August 13, 1993) Weber County, Utah, 41.272168 latitude, -112.023522 longitude, eye ali
	4683 ft. Retrieved February 9, 2021
	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 S	Section III.B.

USDA NRCS Soil Survey: Title(s) and/or date(s).

 <b>USFWS NWI</b>	maps:	Title(s) and/or date(s).	

USGS topogra	phic maps:	Title(s)	and/or	date(s).
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### 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: Ditch 1, Ditch 2, Ditch 3, and Ditch 4 are irrigation lateral ditches that are used to service the cultivated farm fields within the Project Area. None of these irrigation lateral ditches convey flows from relocated tributary channels. They were built before 1993 and the closest tributary, Four Mile Creek, is 249 feet to the South. None of these irrigation lateral ditches have OHWM indicators or evidence of wetland conditions. These man-made ditches were constructed solely for the purpose of distributing irrigation water to the farm fields in the Project Area. The ditches distribute irrigation water diverted from the Willard Canal to east of the Project Area.

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