

Sample questions which may be posed to requestors to help determine which type of JD, if any, may be appropriate in their circumstances:

Whether the requestor intends to avoid or minimize impacts to aquatic resources on the parcel for a planned project. (PJD may suffice).

Whether the requestor intends to avoid or minimize impacts to jurisdictional aquatic resources on the parcel for a planned project. (AJD may be necessary).

Whether the requestor needs an AJD for local/state authorization, or whether a PJD or no JD whatsoever would suffice.

Whether the requestor is proposing work only to occur in a designated Section 10 "navigable water of the U.S." and/or in a water subject to the ebb and flow of the tide. (No JD may be necessary).

Whether the requestor has submitted a non-reporting general permit verification request. (No JD may be necessary).

Whether the requestor desires a faster permit process. (PJD may suffice).

Whether the requestor wants formal confirmation regarding non-jurisdictional aquatic resources on a parcel. (AJD may be necessary).

Whether the requestor wants to perform exempt activities under 404(f)(1). ("No Permit Required" letter which does not address geographic jurisdiction may suffice).

Whether the requestor wants confirmation that aquatic resources which are generally not considered jurisdictional are non-jurisdictional (e.g., certain ditches). (AJD may be necessary).