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Northwest of Golden, New Mexico

December 30, 2022

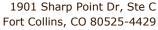
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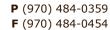


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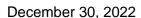
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Re: Wetland and Waters of the United States Delineation Report

Diamond Tail Solar Site

Northwest of Golden, New Mexico Terracon Project No. 66227139

Dear Ms. Schuchner:

Terracon Consultants, Inc. (Terracon) is pleased to submit the enclosed Natural Resources Assessment Report for the Diamond Tail Solar site. This analysis was performed in accordance with Terracon Proposal No. P66227139 dated August 1, 2022.

We appreciate the opportunity to work on this project. If you have questions or need additional information, please give Trevor Hartwig a call at 303-817-2989.

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Sincerely,

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

Terracon Consultants, Inc. (Terracon) was retained by PCR INVESTMENTS SP 4 to conduct a wetland and waters of the United States (WOTUS) delineation for an approximately 5,400-acre site located approximately 2.25-miles northwest of the Town of Golden in Sandoval and Santa Fe Counties, New Mexico. The site consists of juniper grasslands and arid west desert habitats (Appendix A, Figure 2).

The purpose of performing this wetland and WOTUS delineation was to characterize the existing site conditions, observe the project area for suspected waterbodies including wetlands, streams, and open water features, and provide an opinion on the jurisdiction of the resources delineated.

The observations and opinions contained in this report are based on current guidance, regulations, data, and site conditions. Guidance, regulations, data furnished by others, and site conditions are dynamic and subject to changes beyond the control of Terracon. A future evaluation may yield differing results.

It is important to note that the findings presented in this report represent Terracon's professional opinion, based upon field observations made during the site visit and our experience with current regulatory guidance under the Clean Water Act (EPA 1972). To verify the delineation boundaries and jurisdictional classifications presented in this report, the USACE would need to review this report and determine jurisdiction of the features and identify if a permit is required for proposed impacts.

2.0 PRELIMINARY DATA GATHERING AND ANALYSIS

Prior to performing the delineation, maps and aerial photographs were reviewed to assist with identifying wetland areas, at the project site. Each source of data is described in detail below.

2.1 Topographic Map

United States Geological Survey (USGS) Golden quadrangle topographic map was reviewed to assess topographical features of the Project Site. The Site has an elevational range of approximately 6,200 to 6,360 feet above sea level. The proposed solar panel pads are located at the top of a mesa whereas the transmission line corridor traverses over several rolling hills before meeting up with the substation to the northwest (Appendix A, Figure 3).

2.2 National Wetlands Inventory Map

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, National Wetland Inventory (NWI) Map of the project site was reviewed to identify potential wetland areas. The map depicts probable wetland areas based on

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stereoscopic analysis of high-altitude aerial photographs and analysis of infrared bands from remotely sensed imagery (Appendix A, Figure 4). A total of 13 aquatic features that were found within the project area according to the NWI map. A list of the types of features and their quantities can be found below (Table 1).

Table 1. National Wetland Inventory Feature Types

Feature	Acronym	Number of Features in Project Area
R4SB3J	Riverine, Intermittent, Streambed, Cobble-Gravel, Intermittently Flooded	8
R4SB3A	Riverine, Intermittent, Streambed, Cobble-Gravel, Temporarily Flooded	2
R4SBC	Riverine, Intermittent, Streambed, Seasonally Flooded	2
R4SBJ	Riverine, Intermittent, Streambed, Intermittently Flooded	1

2.3 Soil Survey

Data from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) soil survey for Sandoval and Santa Fe Counties, New Mexico was reviewed to identify the soil types and groups present within the project area. Soil groups help identify what soils have a higher potential runoff and are split into four groups: A, B, C, and D (Appendix A, Figure 5). Group A has a lower runoff potential and therefore are more hydric soils and Group D has highest runoff potential indicating a dryer soil. A total of 10 soil types were identified within the project boundary; no hydric soils were identified.

2.4 Aerial Imagery

A recent aerial image of the project site was reviewed to determine land use and evaluate vegetative cover. Based on aerial photography, the project site currently consists of undeveloped juniper forests with southwest desert landscape near Arroyo Una de Gato (identified as IT 1 and 2) and Arroyo Coyote (identified as IT 3 and 4), both arroyos traverse portions of the transmission line corridor (Appendix A, Figure 2).

3.0 FIELD TECHNIQUES

To characterize existing site conditions and determine presence of wetlands and other potentially jurisdictional waters, three Terracon environmental scientists conducted a reconnaissance and wetland and WOTUS delineation of the project site from October 11, 2022, to October 13, 2022.

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Characteristics of jurisdictional waters and wetland areas were assessed utilizing the criteria detailed in sections 4.1 - 4.4 of this report.

The evaluation methods followed the routine on-site determination method referenced in the 1987 USACE Manual and 2010 Arid West Region Regional Supplement (USACE 2010), and under the guidance contained in the 2015 Navigable Waters Protection Rule (EPA 2021) that went back into effect on August 30, 2021. Data was collected from four sample points to characterize the representative vegetative communities, soils, and hydrology within the project area (Appendix A, Figure 6)

3.1 Wetland Field Methods

3.1.1 Vegetative Community

Potential wetland areas were visually observed to identify plant species and estimate percent cover for four stratums of plant communities. Herbs were generally observed within a five-foot radius, shrubs/saplings within a fifteen-foot radius, and trees and vines within a thirty-foot radius at each sample point.

For each plant species observed, a wetland indicator status was determined based on the NRCS Plants Database (USDS 2022). Indicator categories for vegetation are presented below:

- **Obligate Wetland (OBL):** Occur almost always (estimated probability greater than 99%) under natural conditions in wetlands.
- Facultative Wetland (FACW): Usually occur in wetlands (estimated probability 67% 99%) but occasionally found in non-wetlands.
- **Facultative (FAC):** Equally likely to occur in wetlands or non-wetlands (estimated probability 34% 66%).
- Facultative Upland (FACU): Usually occur in non-wetlands (estimated probability 67% 99%) but occasionally found in wetlands.
- Obligate Upland (UPL): Rarely occur in wetlands but occur almost always (estimated probability greater than 99%) under natural conditions in non-wetlands.

Species dominance was also evaluated. Dominant species were identified as those accounting for more than 20 percent coverage of the stratum. The number of dominant species with an indicator status of OBL, FACW, and/or FAC was compared to the total number of dominant species across all strata.

Typically, when more than 50 percent of dominant species have an indicator status of OBL, FACW, and/or FAC, hydrophytic vegetation is present. If the percentage of dominant species with

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an indicator status of OBL, FACW, and/or FAC was less than 50 percent, prevalence index and morphological adaptations were evaluated to confirm if hydrophytic vegetation was present or absent.

3.1.2 Hydric Soils

Subsurface soil samples were collected using a soil probe. Samples were collected to a depth of approximately 16 inches below ground surface and were visually compared to Munsell Soil Color Charts (Munsell, 2009), which aided in the evaluation of hydric soil characteristics. The soil samples were further examined for hydric soil indicators including, but not limited to, histosol, thick dark surface, sandy gleyed matrix, sandy redox, loamy gleyed matrix, redox dark surface, and/or redox depressions. If these or other hydric soil indicators were observed in the subsurface soil sample, the observation location was considered to have hydric soil.

3.1.3 Wetland Hydrology

Visual indicators of wetland hydrology were evaluated. Examples of primary wetland hydrology indicators include, but are not limited to, surface water, high water table, soil saturation, water marks, sediment deposits, drift deposits, iron deposits, inundation visible on aerial imagery, sparsely vegetated concave surface, and water-stained leaves. If one or more primary or two secondary indicators were observed, the observation location was considered to have wetland hydrology.

3.1.4 Classification of Wetlands

A wetland determination was made at each water feature. To be classified as a wetland, a feature must have the following three wetland indicators: hydrophytic vegetation, hydric soils, and hydrology. If one or more indicators was not identified, the area was not considered a wetland. If all three wetland indicators were identified, the area was classified as wetland.

Additional observations were made throughout the wetland area to define the wetland/non-wetland boundary. Vegetation, soil, and hydrology data from at least one wetland and one upland location were recorded on a USACE Wetland Determination Form.

3.2 Stream Observations

If a potential jurisdictional waterbody was identified, observations of the characteristics listed below were also recorded.

Flow Characteristics:

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- <u>Perennial</u>: Contains water at all times except during extreme drought.
- Intermittent: Carries water a considerable portion of the time but ceases to flow occasionally or seasonally.
- Ephemeral: Carries water only during and immediately after periods of rainfall or snowmelt.
- Ordinary High-Water Mark (OHWM) The limit line on the shore established by the fluctuation of the water surface. It is shown by such things as a clear line impressed on the bank, shelving, changes in soil character, destruction of terrestrial vegetation, the presence of litter and debris or other features influenced by the surrounding area.

Bank Shape Descriptions:

- <u>Undercut:</u> Banks that overhang the stream channel.
- <u>Steep:</u> Bank slope of approximately greater than 30 degrees.
- <u>Gradual:</u> Bank slope of approximately 30 degrees or less.

Aquatic Habitat Descriptions:

- Pool: Deeper portion of a stream where water flows slower than in neighboring, shallower portions, smooth surface, and finer substrate.
- <u>Riffle:</u> Shallow area in a stream where water flows swiftly over gravel and rock or other coarse substrate resulting in a rough flow and a turbulent surface.
- Run: Section of a stream with a low or high velocity and with little or no turbulence on the surface of the water.

4.0 FIELD OBSERVATIONS RESULTS

Descriptions of the observed field conditions are listed in the subsections below. Representative photographs that provide an indication of the physical characteristics observed during the site visit can be found in Appendix B. Wetland determination data forms for each point are provided in Appendix C.

4.1 Plant Communities Found

The project site had two distinct plant communities, juniper grassland and arid west desert. The largest plant community that occupied the proposed solar array area was the juniper grassland, which was dominated by a mix of grasses including blue grama (*Bouteloua gracilis*) and side oats grama (*Bouteloua curtipendula*) along with woody shrubs including one-seed juniper (*Juniperus monosperma*) and cane cholla (*Cylindropuntia imbricata*). The arid west desert plant communities were dominated mostly by a similar variety of woody vegetation as the juniper grasslands but

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there was significantly more bare ground and cactus species such as club cholla (*Grusonia clavate*) and plains prickly pear (*Opuntia polyacantha*).

4.2 Wetlands

No wetlands were observed within the site boundary and transmission line corridor. Two of the four sample points were found to have upland plants like sideoats grama (*Bouteloua curtipendula*) and oneseed juniper (*Juniperus monosperma*) but none of the sample points indicators for hydric soils. The sample points collected did have hydrology indicators that consisted of the primary indicators of drift and sediment deposit but there were no hydric soils or hydrophytic vegetation present. Photographs of the site are located in Appendix B and datasheets are located in Appendix C.

4.3 Streams

A total of ±14.64 acres of ephemeral and intermittent tributaries were mapped within the project area (Appendix D). Two arroyo intermittent tributary are located withing the site. The Arroyo Una de Gato (IT-1 and IT-2) traverses the southern portion of the transmission line corridor while the other intermittent tributary, Arroyo Coyote (IT-3 and IT-4) traverses the northern portion of the transmission line corridor; both total approximately 8,381.79 linear feet. A total of 42 ephemeral tributaries (ET) were mapped within the project area and transmission line corridor. All of the ephemeral tributaries mapped inside the transmission line corridor had ordinary high water marks (OHWM) with established bed and bank along with all the ephemeral tributaries inside the proposed solar array area except for ET-4, 5, and 6. During the field visit all of these ephemeral tributaries had evidence of recent hydrology in the form of sediment and drift deposits due to a large scale rain event the week both. These ephemeral tributaries within the transmission line corridor and on the west side of the project area flow into the two intermittent arroyos. In total, approximately 46,299.9 linear feet of ephemeral tributaries were documented within the project area and a table with the information for these features can be found in Appendix D. Based on its connection to the Arroyo Una de Gato and Arroyo Coyote, it is Terracon's opinion that the intermittent arroyos and ephemeral tributaries with connection to the intermittent arroyos, excluding tributaries ET-4, 5, and 6, will likely to be considered jurisdictional by USACE.

5.0 CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

According to the Federal Register (33CFR §328.3(a)), WOTUS may include intrastate rivers and streams, including impoundments and other waters. Since the 2006 Supreme Court decision (Rapanos v. U.S., 547 S. Ct. 715), the USACE and EPA have continued to assert jurisdiction over traditionally navigable waters, non-navigable tributaries of traditionally navigable waters (TNWs)

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where the tributaries are relatively permanent waters (RPWs) (i.e., streams with perennial or intermittent tributaries), impoundments of TNWs and RPWs, and wetlands directly abutting and adjacent to such tributaries.

According to our preliminary site visit observations, two intermittent tributaries with two crossings totaling ±8, 381.79 linear feet (±12.67 acres) are present within the project area (Appendix D). It is Terracon's opinion that the intermittent tributaries Arroyo Una de Gato and Arroyo Coyote, are likely to be considered jurisdictional. The segments of intermittent tributaries Arroyo Una de Gato and Arroyo Coyote would be considered relatively permanent tributaries within the Rio Grande tributary system. Therefore, consistent with the rule and guidance IT-1, IT-2, IT-3, and IT-4 within the study area would likely be considered WOTUS and subject to USACE jurisdiction under Section 404.

Current USACE guidelines require a significant nexus evaluation for: (1) waterbodies and tributaries that are not relatively permanent waters (i.e., ephemeral), including adjacent wetlands if present; and (2) wetlands adjacent to, but not directly abutting, a traditionally navigable or relatively permanent water. A significant nexus exists if the aquatic features in question have more than a speculative or insubstantial effect on the chemical, physical, or biological integrity of a traditionally navigable water. Establishment of a significant nexus is necessary to establish jurisdiction as a WOTUS.

Following the Rapanos decision, the USACE and the EPA released a series of guidance documents summarizing the types of features that would typically be considered jurisdictional, features that would be evaluated on a case-by-case basis via significant nexus determinations, and features that are generally not considered jurisdictional even when a significant nexus may exist. The guidance document states that agencies generally will not assert jurisdiction over the following features:

- Swales or erosional features (e.g., gullies, small washes characterized by low volume, infrequent, or short duration flow);
- Ditches (including roadside ditches) excavated wholly in and draining only uplands and that do not carry a relatively permanent flow of water.

All of the ephemeral tributaries, except for ET-4, ET-5, and ET-6, could be considered jurisdictional due to the connectivity to the potentially jurisdictional intermittent tributaries Arroyo Una de Gato and Arroyo Coyote as well as the observable hydrologic features. ET-4, ET-5, and ET-6 would not likely be considered jurisdictional under the prevailing guidance document because these tributaries do not have a direct connection downstream to a navigable water of the United States.

However, the USACE is the regulatory authority regarding jurisdiction of wetlands and other protected waters. The USACE makes the final determination regarding regulatory status of

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waterbodies and the potential need for a permit. As a result, Terracon recommends a jurisdictional determination be made by the USACE and a permit be obtained prior to impacting any of these features.

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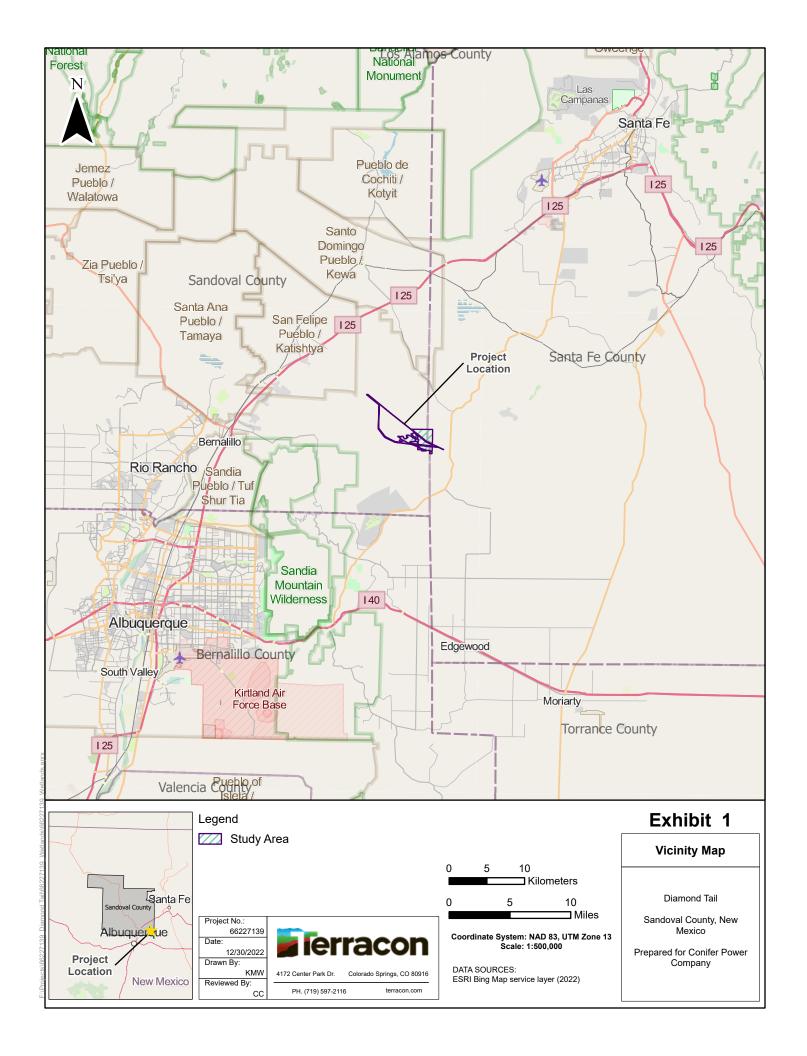
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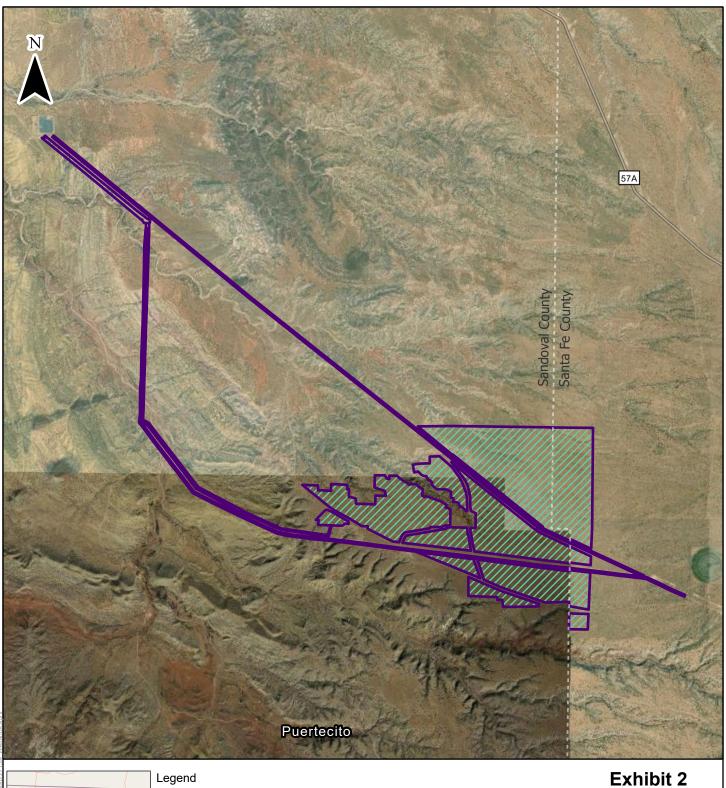
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Appendix A - Figures







Legend

Study Area

Project No.:
66227139

Date:
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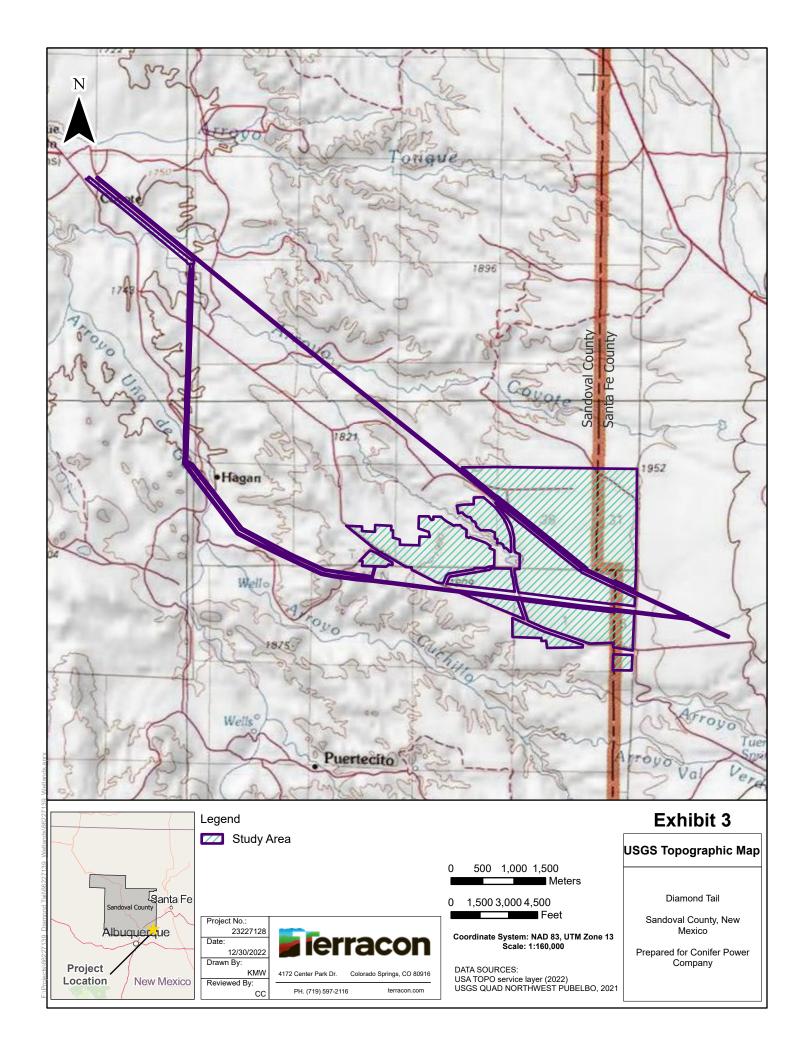
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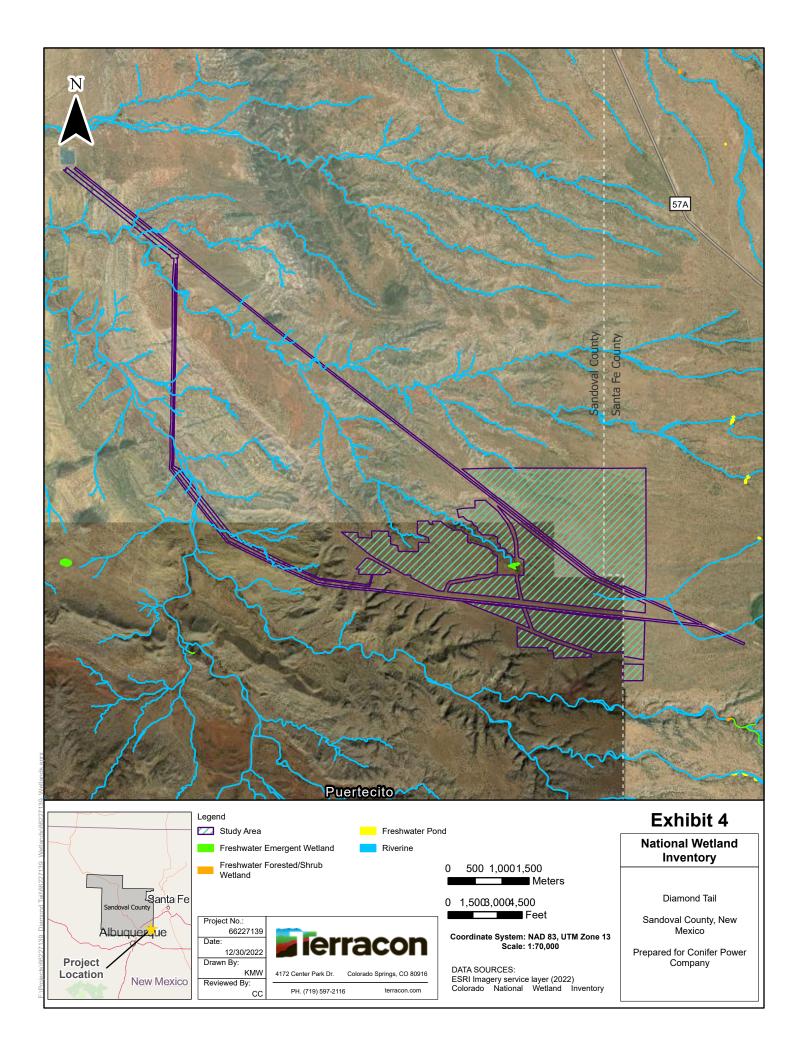
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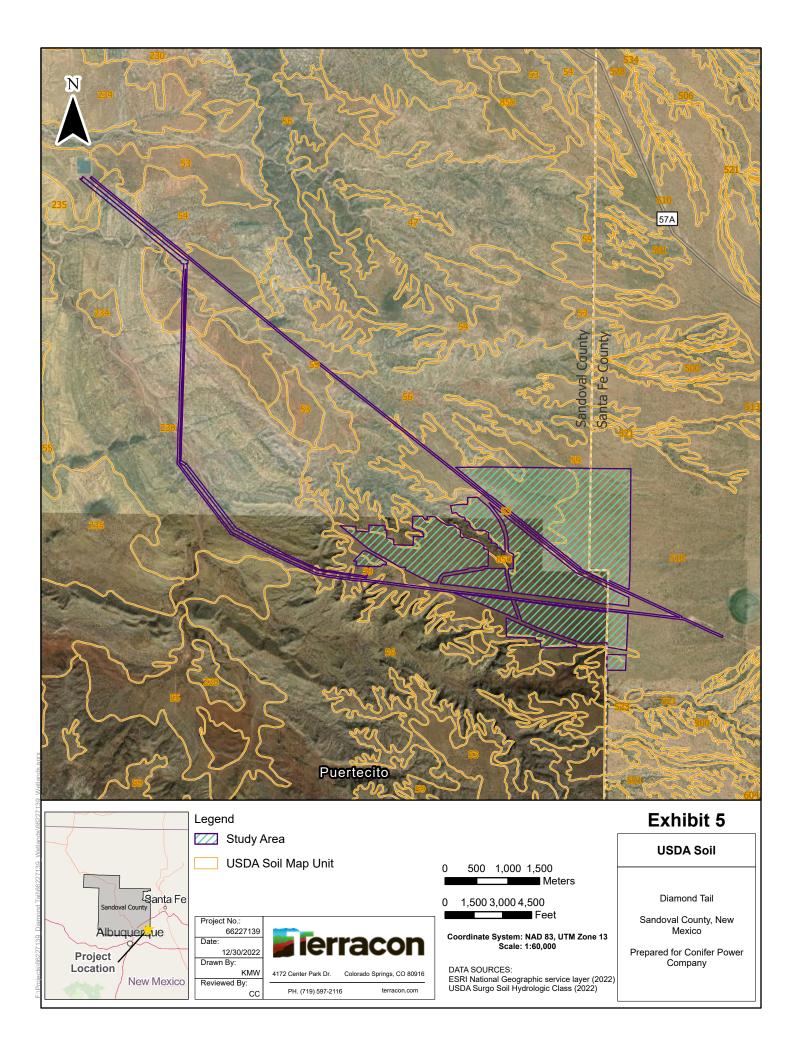
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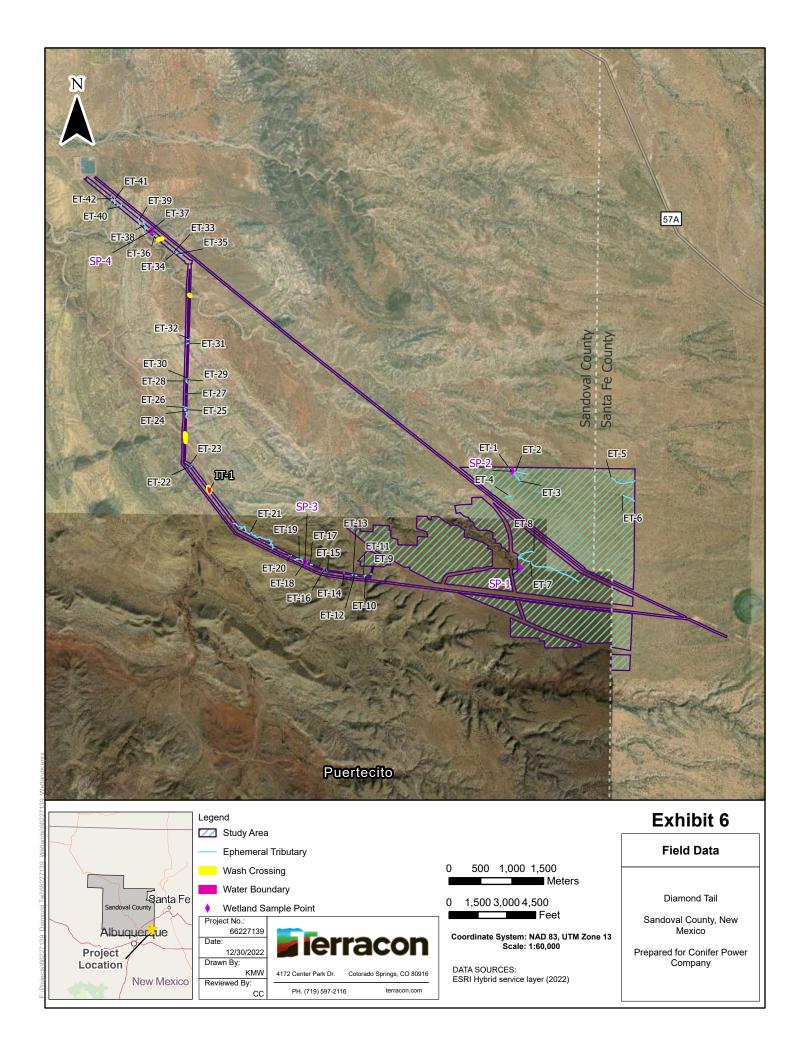
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Appendix B – Photo Log





RPP1-North



RPP1-South



RPP1-East



RPP1-West





RPP2-North



RPP2-South



RPP2-East



RPP2-West





DP1-Soil





DP2-Soil





DP3-Soil





DP4-Soil

Appendix C – Wetland Delineation Datasheets

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region

Project/Site: Diamond Tail Solar		City/Count	ty: <u>Sandova</u>	l County	Sampling Date	e: <u>10/11/22</u>
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WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region

Project/Site: Diamond Tail Solar	City/County: Sandoval County Sampling Date: 10/1:						10/11	./22
Applicant/Owner: PCR US Investments Corp	State: NM S					Sampling Point	:: <u>SP-</u> :	2
Investigator(s): Hartwig/Foss	Section, Township, Range: S34 T13N R6E							
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Wash		Local re	elief (concave,	convex, none): C	oncave	s	lope (%):	1
Subregion (LRR): D	Lat: <u>35.3</u>	318319	l	Long: -106.26	3282	Da	tum:	
Soil Map Unit Name: Harvey-Ildefonso-La Fonda assoc								
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this								
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologys	-			"Normal Circumst			✓ No	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology n				eeded, explain an				
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map							features.	. etc.
			3					
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes N Hydric Soil Present? Yes N	o <u>√</u>	Is	s the Sample	d Area				
Hydric Soil Present? Yes N Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes✓ N		w	ithin a Wetla	nd? Y	es	_ No <u>√</u>	_	
Remarks:	<u> </u>							
DAREM: 11, Normal hydrologic conditions. APT: 16, Wetter than Normal hydrologic co								
, ,		· .						
VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plan				 				
Tree Stratum (Plot size:30')			ant Indicator s? Status	Dominance Te				
1. None				Number of Don That Are OBL,			0 ((A)
2.				Total Number of		· ·		
3				Species Across			3 ((B)
4				Percent of Don	ninant Sne	cies		
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15')		= Total	Cover	That Are OBL,			0% ((A/B)
1. Juniperus Monosperma (Oneseed juniper)	25	Υ	UPI	Prevalence Inc	dex works	sheet:		
2				Total % Co			ply by:	
3.				OBL species		x 1 =		
4				FACW species	0	x 2 =	0	
5				FAC species		x 3 =		
Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5')	25	= Total	Cover	FACU species				
Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5') 1. Tribulus terrestris (Puncturevine)	10	Υ	UPL	UPL species			200	(D)
Centaurea solstitialis (Yellow star-thistle)		Y		Column Totals:	40	(A)	200	(B)
3.				Prevalend	ce Index =	= B/A =	5.00	
4.				Hydrophytic V	egetation	Indicators:		
5				Dominance				
6				Prevalence				
7						ations ¹ (Provic or on a separa		ıg
8				Problemati)
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 15')	15	= Total	Cover		, ,	, 0	(1)	
1. None				¹ Indicators of h				ıst
2.				be present, unl	ess disturb	ped or problen	natic.	
		= Total	Cover	Hydrophytic				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum 85	r of Biotic Cr	rust	0	Vegetation Present?	Yes	No_	✓	
Remarks:								
Hydrophytic vegetation not present								
Hydrophytic vegetation not present.								

SOIL Sampling Point: SP-2

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth	Matrix			x Feature	s			
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type ¹	Loc ²	Texture	Remarks
0-4	7.5 YR 4/4	100	_	-			sandy lm	
			=Reduced Matrix, CS			ed Sand Gr		n: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
-		cable to all	LRRs, unless othe		ed.)			Problematic Hydric Soils ³ :
Histosol			Sandy Red	. ,				(A9) (LRR C)
	oipedon (A2)		Stripped Ma		1.754)			(A10) (LRR B)
	stic (A3)		Loamy Muc	-			Reduced V	
	en Sulfide (A4) d Layers (A5) (LRR	C)	Loamy Gley Depleted M		(FZ)		·	t Material (TF2) lain in Remarks)
	ick (A9) (LRR D)	C)	Redox Dark		(F6)		Other (Exp	iaiii iii Reiliaiks)
	d Below Dark Surfac	ce (A11)	Depleted D		` '			
	ark Surface (A12)	<i>(,</i> , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Redox Dep				³ Indicators of hy	ydrophytic vegetation and
	Mucky Mineral (S1)		Vernal Poo		,			ology must be present,
Sandy G	Bleyed Matrix (S4)						unless distur	bed or problematic.
Restrictive	Layer (if present):							
Type: Ro	cks/Cobble							
Depth (in	ches): <u>4</u>						Hydric Soil Pres	sent? Yes No <u>√</u>
Remarks:								
	soil indicators	· 						
HYDROLO	GY							
Wetland Hy	drology Indicators	:						
Primary India	cators (minimum of	one require	d; check all that appl	y)			Secondary	/ Indicators (2 or more required)
Surface	Water (A1)		Salt Crust	(B11)			Water	Marks (B1) (Riverine)
High Wa	ater Table (A2)		Biotic Crus	st (B12)			✓ Sedim	nent Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
Saturation	on (A3)		Aquatic In	vertebrate	s (B13)		Drift D	Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
Water M	larks (B1) (Nonrive	rine)	Hydrogen	Sulfide O	dor (C1)		<u></u> ✓ Draina	age Patterns (B10)
Sedimer	nt Deposits (B2) (No	nriverine)	Oxidized F	Rhizosphe	res along	Living Roo	ots (C3) Dry-S	eason Water Table (C2)
Drift Dep	oosits (B3) (Nonrive	erine)	Presence	of Reduce	ed Iron (C4	1)	Crayfi	sh Burrows (C8)
Surface	Soil Cracks (B6)		Recent Iro	n Reducti	on in Tille	d Soils (C6	S) Satura	ation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Inundati	on Visible on Aerial	Imagery (B	7) Thin Muck	Surface	(C7)		Shallo	w Aquitard (D3)
Water-S	tained Leaves (B9)		Other (Ex	olain in Re	emarks)		FAC-N	Neutral Test (D5)
Field Obser	vations:							
Surface Wat	er Present?	/es	No <u>✓</u> Depth (in	ches):				
Water Table	Present?	/es	No <u>√</u> Depth (in	ches):				
Saturation P			No ✓ Depth (in				and Hydrology Pre	esent? Yes <u>√</u> No
(includes cap	oillary fringe)							
Describe Re	corded Data (strean	n gauge, m	onitoring well, aerial	photos, pr	evious ins	pections),	if available:	
Remarks:								
Remarks:								
Remarks:								
Remarks:								

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region

Project/Site: Diamond Tail Solar	Ci	ty/County:	Sandoval	County	Sa	mpling Date:	10/1	2/22
Applicant/Owner: PCR US Investments Corp			State:	NM Sa	mpling Point:	SF	·-3	
Investigator(s): Hartwig/Foss	Se	ection, Tov	nship, Ran	ge: <u>S34 T13N F</u>	R6E			
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Wash	L	ocal relief	(concave, c	onvex, none): <u>Co</u>	onvex	Slo	pe (%):	5
Subregion (LRR): D Lat:	:			Long:		Datu	um:	
Soil Map Unit Name: Skyvillage-Sandoval-Rock outcrop com								
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time								
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology signific				Normal Circumsta			✓_ No	o
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology natural	ly probl	ematic?	(If nee	eded, explain any	y answers ir	n Remarks.)		
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS - Attach site map show	ving s	ampling	point lo	cations, trar	nsects, in	nportant fe	ature	s, etc.
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Hydric Soil Present? Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No _▼ Yes No _▼ No _▼ No _▼	<u></u>		e Sampled n a Wetlan		es	No_√		
SP taken in wash/tributary. Higher than averag	e rair	nfall 10/	3-10/5.					
VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.			Ţ					
	over S	Dominant Species?	Status	Number of Dom That Are OBL,	ninant Speci	ies	0	(A)
2				Total Number of Species Across			3	(B)
4		Total Cov	I	Percent of Dom That Are OBL,		es AC: <u>0</u>	1%	(A/B)
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15) 1. Ericameria nauseosa (Rubber Rabbitbrush)	5	٧	UPL	Prevalence Inc	lex worksh	eet:		
2.						Multip	ly by:	
3.				OBL species		x 1 =		
4				FACW species	0	_ x 2 =	0	_
5				FAC species	0	x 3 =	0	_
	=	Total Cov	er	FACU species				_
Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5) 1. Bouteloua curtipendula (Sideoats Grama) 1	15	Υ	UPL	UPL species				_
-	LO _		UPL	Column Totals:	30	(A)	150	_ (B)
3.				Prevalenc	ce Index = E	3/A =	5	_
4			F	Hydrophytic V	egetation li	ndicators:		
5				_	e Test is >50			
6				Prevalence				
7				Morphologi data in I		on a separate		ting
8		Total Cov		Problemati				n)
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size:15				¹ Indicators of h	vdric soil an	d wetland hyd	trology n	nuet
1. <u>None</u> 2				be present, unle				iust
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum75 % Cover of Bio	=	Total Cov		Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes	No	<u> </u>	
Remarks:	0.0		_					
Hydrophytic vegetation not present.								

SOIL Sampling Point: SP-3

	i needed to document the malcator o	r confirm the absence of indicators.)	
Depth Matrix	Redox Features	Touton Danielo	
(inches) Color (moist) %	Color (moist) % Type ¹	Loc ² Texture Remarks	
<u>0-6</u> <u>Sand</u>			
			_
			—
1Turner Composition Deposition DAGE	Dadward Matrix CC-Cavanad as Castad	Cond Crains 2 continue DI — Done Linium M.—Motriu	—
¹ Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=F Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all L		Sand Grains. ² Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix. Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils ³ :	
		-	
Histosol (A1)	Sandy Redox (S5)	1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR C)	
Histic Epipedon (A2) Black Histic (A3)	Stripped Matrix (S6) Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR B) Reduced Vertic (F18)	
Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	Red Parent Material (TF2)	
Stratified Layers (A5) (LRR C)	Depleted Matrix (F3)	Other (Explain in Remarks)	
1 cm Muck (A9) (LRR D)	Redox Dark Surface (F6)	outer (Explain in Nomality)	
Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	Depleted Dark Surface (F7)		
Thick Dark Surface (A12)	Redox Depressions (F8)	³ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and	
Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	Vernal Pools (F9)	wetland hydrology must be present,	
Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)		unless disturbed or problematic.	
Restrictive Layer (if present):			
Type: Rocks/Cobble	<u> </u>		
Depth (inches): 6	<u> </u>	Hydric Soil Present? Yes No✓	
Remarks:			
No hydric soil indicators present.			
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HYDROLOGY			
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	ah ash all that are h		
Wetland Hydrology Indicators: Primary Indicators (minimum of one required;	11 //	Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)	
Wetland Hydrology Indicators: Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; Surface Water (A1)	Salt Crust (B11)	Water Marks (B1) (Riverine)	
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WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Arid West Region

Project/Site: Diamond Tail Solar	ar City/County: <u>Sandoval County</u> Sam						10/13/22
Applicant/Owner: PCR US Investments Corp			State: N	M Sampli	ng Point: _	SP-4	
Investigator(s): Hartwig/Foss	;	Section, To	wnship, Ra	inge: <u>\$17 T13N R6</u>	δE		
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Wash		Local relief	(concave,	convex, none): Cor	ncave	Slop	oe (%):2
Subregion (LRR): D	Lat:			_ Long:		Datur	n:
Soil Map Unit Name: Harvey-Cascajo association				NWI cl	assification: _		
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for	r this time of yea	ar? Yes	No _	✓ (If no, explai	n in Remarks.)	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology	significantly	disturbed?	Are '	"Normal Circumstan	ces" present?	Yes <u>√</u>	No
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology	naturally pro	blematic?	(If ne	eeded, explain any a	answers in Re	marks.)	
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS - Attach site ma	ap showing	samplin	g point l	ocations, trans	ects, impo	rtant fea	atures, etc.
Hydric Soil Present? Yes	No		e Sampled in a Wetla		N	o <u> </u>	
SP taken in wash/tributary. Higher than	average rai	infall 10,	/3-10/5.				
VEGETATION – Use scientific names of p	lants.						
Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30)	Absolute % Cover			Dominance Test			
1. None				Number of Domir That Are OBL, FA		0	(A)
2				Total Number of I			、,
3				Species Across A		3	(B)
4				Percent of Domin	ant Species		
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15)	-	= Total Co	ver	That Are OBL, FA	ACW, or FAC:	0%	(A/B)
1. Juniperus monosperma (Oneseed Juniper)		Y	UPL	Prevalence Inde	x worksheet:		
2				Total % Cove	er of:	Multiply	by:
3				OBL species ()	د 1 =	0
4				FACW species (
5				FAC species (
Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5)		= Total Co	ver	FACU species (
Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5) 1. Bouteloua curtipendula (Sideoats Grama)		٧	UPL	UPL species _			
Dalea candida (White Prairie Clover)				Column Totals: _	(/	۹)	(B)
3				Prevalence	Index = B/A =	=	
4.				Hydrophytic Veg			
5				Dominance 1			
6				Prevalence li			
7				Morphologica	al Adaptations		
8					emarks or on a		,
		= Total Co		Problematic I	Hydrophytic V	egetation '	(Explain)
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 15) 1. None				¹ Indicators of hyd be present, unles			
2							
		= Total Co		Hydrophytic Vegetation			,
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum % C	over of Biotic Cr	rust		Present?	Yes	_ No	<u>/</u>
Remarks:							
Hydrophytic vegetation not present.							

SOIL Sampling Point: SP-4

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth	Matrix			x Feature	es			
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type ¹	Loc ²	<u>Texture</u>	Remarks
0-10	10YR 4/4	100	_				Clayey Im	
	-							
	-							
			-					
			=Reduced Matrix, CS			ed Sand Gr		ation: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil	Indicators: (Appli	cable to all	LRRs, unless other	wise no	ted.)		Indicators f	or Problematic Hydric Soils ³ :
Histoso			Sandy Redo					uck (A9) (LRR C)
	pipedon (A2)		Stripped Ma					uck (A10) (LRR B)
	istic (A3)		Loamy Muc	-				d Vertic (F18)
	en Sulfide (A4)	0)	Loamy Gley					rent Material (TF2)
	d Layers (A5) (LRR uck (A9) (LRR D)	C)	Depleted Mark				Other (E	Explain in Remarks)
	d Below Dark Surfa	ce (Δ11)	Nedox Dark		` '			
	ark Surface (A12)	ce (ATT)	Redox Depi		. ,		³ Indicators o	of hydrophytic vegetation and
	Mucky Mineral (S1)		Vernal Pool		(. 0)			ydrology must be present,
-	Gleyed Matrix (S4)		<u> </u>	- ()				sturbed or problematic.
	Layer (if present):							·
Type: Ro	oots							
• • •	iches): 10		<u></u>				Hydric Soil F	Present? Yes No ✓
Remarks:							1 ,	
	c soil indicator	•						
HYDROLO	GY							
Wetland Hy	drology Indicators	:						
Primary Indi	cators (minimum of	one require	d; check all that apply	y)			Second	dary Indicators (2 or more required)
Surface	Water (A1)		Salt Crust	(B11)			Wa	ater Marks (B1) (Riverine)
High Wa	ater Table (A2)		Biotic Crus				Se	diment Deposits (B2) (Riverine)
Saturati	ion (A3)		Aquatic Inv		es (B13)			ift Deposits (B3) (Riverine)
	Marks (B1) (Nonrive	rine)	Hydrogen					ainage Patterns (B10)
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·	posits (B3) (Nonrive	•	Presence		-	_	· · · — ·	ayfish Burrows (C8)
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·	Stained Leaves (B9)		Other (Exp				·	.C-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Obser	rvations:							
Surface Wat	ter Present?	Yes	No <u>√</u> Depth (inc	ches):				
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Saturation F			No <u>✓</u> Depth (inc				and Hydrology	Present? Yes ✓ No
	pillary fringe)		Depti (iii	orico)		_ '''	una myanology	1000iiii 100 <u>-v</u> ii0 <u></u>
Describe Re	ecorded Data (strear	m gauge, mo	onitoring well, aerial p	ohotos, p	revious ins	spections),	if available:	
Remarks:								

Appendix D – Summary of Aquatic Features

Ephemeral Tributary ID	Linear Feet (feet)	Area (acres)
ET-1	799.28	0.25
ET-2	1600.62	0.02
ET-3	1454.5	0.02
ET-4	753.58	0.01
ET-5	3528.04	0.04
ET-6	1828.4	0.08
ET-7	8748.84	0.3
ET-8	2484.3	0.11
ET-9	276.9	0.01
ET-10	322.86	0.01
ET-11	261.12	0.01
ET-12	334.18	0.02
ET-13	279.1	0.01
ET-14	149.24	0.01
ET-15	209.64	0.01
ET-16	224.9	0.01
ET-17	425.16	0.01
ET-18	347.7	0.02
ET-19	1913.64	0.04
ET-20	298.54	0.02
ET-21	8247	0.47
ET-22	404.62	0.02
ET-23	114.24	0.01
ET-24	1875.72	0.09
ET-25	229.3	0.01
ET-26	396.16	0.01
ET-27	202.82	0.01
ET-28	444.94	0.02
ET-29	111.14	0.01
ET-30	386.6	0.02
ET-31	355.54	0.01
ET-32	391.46	0.01
ET-33	1275.48	0.07
ET-34	113.48	0.01
ET-35	169.26	0.01
ET-36	393.46	0.02
ET-37	791.56	0.04
ET-38	1265.62	0.03
ET-39	815.68	0.04
ET-40	827.06	0.03
ET-41	645.76	0.02
ET-42	602.46	0.02
Total	46299.9	1.97

Intermittent Tributary ID	Linear Feet (feet)	Area (acres)
IT-1	2413.19	6.1
IT-2	3243.57	4.45
IT-3	836.97	0.71
IT-4	1888.06	1.41
Total	8381.79	12.67