DRY LAND APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION FORM¹ U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

This form should be completed by following the instructions provided in Section IV of the JD Form Instructional Guidebook.

SECTION I: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- A. REPORT COMPLETION DATE FOR APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION (JD): August 1, 2019
- B. DISTRICT OFFICE, FILE NAME, AND NUMBER: Coastal District, Strickland Highway 80 Tract, SAS-2019-00411

C. PROJECT LOCATION AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

State:GeorgiaCounty/parish/borough: ChathamCity: PoolerCenter coordinates of site (lat/long in degree decimal format):Lat. 32.1270°, Long. -81.2776 °Universal Transverse Mercator:17S 473809 3554548

Name of nearest waterbody: Pipemakers Canal

Name of watershed or Hydrologic Unit Code (HUC): Lower Savannah (0306109)

- Check if map/diagram of review area is available upon request.
- Check if other sites (e.g., offsite mitigation sites, disposal sites, etc...) are associated with this action and are recorded on a different JD form.

D. REVIEW PERFORMED FOR SITE EVALUATION (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

- Office (Desk) Determination. Date: Click here to enter a date.
- Field Determination. Date(s): July 18, 2019

SECTION II: SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

A. RHA SECTION 10 DETERMINATION OF JURISDICTION.

There are no "navigable waters of the U.S." within Rivers and Harbors Act (RHA) jurisdiction (as defined by 33 CFR part 329) in the review area.

B. CWA SECTION 404 DETERMINATION OF JURISDICTION.

There are no "waters of the U.S." within Clean Water Act (CWA) jurisdiction (as defined by 33 CFR part 328) in the review area.

SECTION III: DATA SOURCES.

A. SUPPORTING DATA. Data reviewed for JD (check all that apply - checked items shall be included in case file and, where checked and

- requested, appropriately reference sources below): **v** Maps, plans, plots or plat submitted by or on behalf of the applicant/consultant: *Data Sheets*
- Data sheets prepared/submitted by or on behalf of the applicant/consultant.
 - Office concurs with data sheets/delineation report.
 - Office does not concur with data sheets/delineation report.
- Data sheets prepared by the Corps:
- U.S. Geological Survey Hydrologic Atlas:
 - USGS NHD data.
 - USGS 8 and 12 digit HUC maps.
- U.S. Geological Survey map(s). Cite scale & quad name: Meldrim GA, 1"=2,000"
- USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service Soil Survey. Citation: Chatham County, GA
- National wetlands inventory map(s). Cite name: *Meldrim, GA*
- State/Local wetland inventory map(s):
- FEMA/FIRM maps:
- 100-year Floodplain Elevation is: (National Geodectic Vertical Datum of 1929)
- Photographs: 🔽 Aerial (Name & Date): 2015, 1999
- or 🔽 Other (Name & Date): Site Photos
- Previous determination(s). File no. and date of response letter:
- Applicable/supporting case law:
- Applicable/supporting scientific literature:
- Other information (please specify):

B. REQUIRED ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO SUPPORT JD. EXPLAIN RATIONALE FOR DETERMINATION THAT THE

REVIEW AREA ONLY INCLUDES DRY LAND: The project area is a private residence but was once ditched to help develop a pecan tree farm. Said project area is determined to be upland, as no portion of the site exhibits the three wetland parameters (hydrophytic vegetation, wetland hydrology, and hydric soils), nor are there any features present that exhibit ordinary high water mark. As there are no aquatic resources present on the site, this precludes the presence of waters of the United States.

¹ This form is for use only in recording approved JDs involving dry land. It extracts the relevant elements of the longer approved JD form in use since 2007 for aquatic areas and adds no new fields.