

**INFORMATION SHEET
 DETERMINATIONS OF NO JURISDICTION FOR ISOLATED,
 NON-NAVIGABLE, INTRA-STATE WATERS RESULTING FROM U.S. SUPREME
 COURT DECISION IN SOLID WASTE AGENCY OF NORTHERN COOK
 COUNTY V. U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS**

DISTRICT OFFICE: Detroit District

FILE NUMBER: 03-145-046-1

Date: Nov 30, 2004

PROJECT REVIEW/DETERMINATION COMPLETED: **In the office (Y/N)** **N** **Date:**

At the project site (Y/N) **Y** **Date:** Oct 22, 2004

PROJECT LOCATION INFORMATION:

State: Indiana

County: Lake

Center coordinates of site by latitude & longitude coordinates: lat:41-26-26.1960

lon:87-19-58.8000

Approximate size of site/property (including uplands) in acres 430 acres

Name of waterway or watershed: Isolated Wetlands – (Main Beaver Dam Ditch is closest connected waterway)

Type of Aquatic Resource ¹ :	0-1 ac	1-3 ac	3-5 ac	5-10 ac	10-25 ac	25-50 ac	> 50 ac	Linear Feet	Unknown
Lake									
River									
Stream									
Mudflat									
Sandflat									
Wetlands				X					
Slough									
Prairie Pothole									
Wet Meadow									
Playa Lake									
Vernal Pool									
Natural Pond									
Other Water (identify type)									

¹Check appropriate boxes that best describe type of isolated, non-navigable, intra-state water present and best estimate for size of non-jurisdictional aquatic resource area.

Migratory Bird Rule Factors ¹	If Known		If Unknown Use Best Professional Judgment		
	Yes	No	Predicted to Occur	Not Expected to Occur	Not Able to Make Determination
Is or would be used as habitat for birds protected by Migratory Bird Treaties?			X		
Is or would be used as habitat by other migratory birds that cross state lines?			X		
Is or would be used as habitat for endangered species?					X
Is used to irrigate crops sold in interstate commerce?					X

¹Check appropriate boxes that best describe potential for applicability of the Migratory Bird Rule to apply to onsite, non-jurisdictional, isolated, non-navigable, intra-state aquatic resource area.

TYPE OF DETERMINATION: Preliminary Or Approved X

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SUPPORTING NJD :

Approximately 8.6 acres of total wetland was identified on the property in three separate areas. All three areas appear to be depressions in the middle of an agricultural field. Outlets were not found on any of these wetland. No regulated county drains intersect with these wetlands. The site was field reviewed and maps from the USGS, Soil Survey, NWI, and the County Drain Maps were evaluated.

The wetlands are of relatively low quality and it is likely that during dry years the farmer is able to plow through these areas.

Wetland ID	On-Site Acreage	Wetland Total Acreage	Isolated (Y/N)	Comments
A	2.078	2.078	Y	Hydrologically Isolated
B	3.061	3.061	Y	Hydrologically Isolated
C	3.465	3.465	Y	Hydrologically Isolated
Total Acreage	8.604			