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## **Acronyms and Abbreviations**

APE Area of Potential Effect BFE Based Flood Elevation BMP Best Management Practice BNSF Burlington Northern – Santa Fe BRRTS Bureau for Remediation and Redevelopment Tracking Sys C. Reiss C. Reiss Company, LLC CAA Clean Air Act CEQ Council on Environmental Quality CFR Code of Federal Regulations CGP Construction General Permit CO Carbon Monoxide CT 211 Census Tract 55031021100 DAC Disadvantaged Communities  dB Decibel EA Environmental Assessment EO Executive Order EPA United States Environmental Protection Agency ES Enforcement Standard	
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FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency	
FESA Federal Endangered Species Act	
Ft amsl Feet above mean sea level	
FTA U.S. Federal Transit Administration	
GHG Greenhouse Gas	
GLRI Great Lakes Restoration Initiative	
HAPs Hazardous Air Pollutants	
LOS Level of Service	
MARAD Maritime Administration	
MBTA Migratory Bird Treaty Act	
MnDOT Minnesota Department of Transportation	
MSATs Mobile Source Air Toxics	
NAAQS National Ambient Air Quality Standards	
NEPA National Environmental Policy Act	
NFIP National Flood Insurance Program	
NO <sub>2</sub> Nitrogen Dioxide	
NRCS Natural Resource Conservation Service	
NRHP National Register of Historic Places	
NSA Noise Sensitive Area	
PAH Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons	
PAL Preventative Action Limit	
PM Particulate Matter	
RCL Residual Contaminant Level	
RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act	
SHPO State Historic Preservation Office(r)	
SLRAOC St. Louis River Area of Concern	
SO <sub>2</sub> Sulfur Dioxide	
SWPPP Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan	
THPO Tribal Historic Preservation Office(r)	

tpy	Tons per Year
US	United States
USCOE	United States Army Corp of Engineers
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USDOT	United States Department of Transportation
USFWS	US Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	United States Geological Survey
VOCs	Volatile Organic Compounds
WAC	Wisconsin Administrative Code
WDNR	Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
WEPA	Wisconsin Environmental Policy Act
WHPD	Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database
WisDOT	Wisconsin Department of Transportation
WPDES	Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
Yd <sup>3</sup>	Cubic Yards

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#### 1.0 Introduction

This Environmental Assessment (EA) was prepared in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) (42 United States [U.S.] Code 4321, et seq.) and the Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) Regulations for Implementing the Procedural Provisions of NEPA (Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations [CFR] Parts 1500-1508), United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) Order 5610.1C (Procedures for Considering Environmental Impacts), and Maritime Administrative (MARAD) Order (MAO) 600-1 (Maritime Administration, 1985). The purpose of this EA is to evaluate the potential impacts of the proposed C. Reiss Company, LLC (C. Reiss) Port of Superior Infrastructure Improvement Project (herein referred to as Proposed Project or Proposed Action on the physical and human environment and determine if there would be adverse impacts requiring the preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement.

#### 1.1. Project Description

The Proposed Project would redevelop and modernize the existing 53-acre C. Reiss dock in Superior, Wisconsin. The western border of the Proposed Project is the Hallett Dock No. 8, 3200 Winter Street and the eastern border is the Midwest Energy Resources Company's dock and facility located at 2400 Winter Street. The northern border of the Proposed Project is the South Channel of Saint Louis Bay of the St. Louis River and the southern border is Winter Street. The GPS coordinates are Latitude: 46.7393607459312 Longitude: 92.1239927197266. The Proposed Project location and surrounding properties is illustrated on Figures 1 through 4.

C. Reiss owns docks in both the Port of Duluth, Minnesota and Port of Superior, Wisconsin. They currently only operate out of the Duluth Port. However, due to increasing water levels that cause annual flooding at the Duluth Port, C. Reiss needs to relocate its operations from their dock in the Port of Duluth to their dock in the Port of Superior which has had industrial facilities within the Proposed Project Area for over 130-years. Since the C. Reiss facility in Superior has been unused for the last 30 years; the dock wall is stable but in poor condition and needs to be rehabilitated and repaired.

The Proposed Project would redevelop and modernize the existing C. Reiss dock with:

- 2,525 feet of dock wall repair consisting of driven steel sheet piles outboard of the existing cap, tremie
  concrete behind the upper section of sheet piles, resurfacing of the concrete cap and 3,500 square feet of
  fill behind the dock wall sections.
- Dredge of 50,000 cubic yards (yds<sup>3</sup>) of contaminated sediment from the slip,
- Construction of a 5,000 square foot shop/office building,
- Installation of truck scale, rail scale, stacking conveyor and telescoping loading conveyor,
- Stormwater, utilities, and road improvements, and
- Repair and extension of track for a total of 7,060 lineal feet and the installation of five switches.

The dredge sediment dewatering area will be on the existing north end of the dock and will have a sand berm surrounding the dredge material to confine the disposal area and allow for effective dewatering of the material.

#### 1.2. Project Purpose and Need

The purpose of the Proposed Action is to address C. Reiss' ongoing flooding issues at the Duluth Port. For the last four years their terminal area has flooded. They have experienced lake level increases of 12 to 15 inches per year, causing up to a week's delay in their shipping time. This is incongruent with the need for just-in-time delivery by many manufacturers. The just-in-time shipping practices have created a greater reliance on a transportation system that provides predictable travel times. Therefore, periodic C. Reiss terminal closures negatively impacts their customers.

The Duluth facility has one set of rails while the Superior location has five sets of rails. Relocation to the Superior dock would provide additional space for rail unloading and vessel loading and increase operational efficiency.

#### 2.0 Alternatives Considered

This section describes the No Action Alternative and the Proposed Action Alternative and defines the differences between the two.

#### 2.1. No Action Alternative

NEPA and CEQ implementing regulations require consideration and analysis of the No Action Alternative. Under the "No Action Alternative", C. Reiss would not redevelop their dock in Superior, Wisconsin, and would continue shipping

operations at their facility in Duluth, Minnesota. They would continue to be impacted by annual flooding at their Duluth facility which would impact delivery schedules. C. Reiss would not redevelop their Superior Facility with planned improvements including 2,525 feet of dock wall repair, repair and extension of 7,060 feet of railroad track, and dredging of 50,000 yds<sup>3</sup> of contaminated sediment from the slip.

Under the "No Action Alternative, the existing conditions associated with the natural and social environments would remain unchanged. If no action is undertaken, the Project would not:

- Improve C. Reiss operations by eliminating the flooding-related schedule delays at the Duluth, Minnesota facility.
- Accommodate vessels with two feet of additional draft.
- Reduce ship emissions as the ship-miles would remain the same.
- Reduce wear to public infrastructure, reduce traffic congestion at railroad crossings, lower accident risk involving vehicles, and emit fewer emissions.
- Remove 50,000 yds<sup>3</sup> of contaminated sediment within the St. Louis River Area of Concern (SLRAOC).

The No Action alternative would not meet the purpose and need for the Proposed Action and will not be discussed within this EA.

#### 2.2. Proposed Action

The Proposed Action would meet the following project purposes and needs:

- Improve C. Reiss operations by moving to the Superior, Wisconsin facility thus eliminating the flooding-related schedule delays impacting the Duluth, Minnesota facility.
- Accommodate vessels with two feet of additional draft thus reducing the number of vessels to accommodate
  existing shipped tonnage.
- Reduce ship emissions as ships will travel 2.5 fewer miles from the entrance of the port to the Superior, Wisconsin dock each trip.
- Reduce wear to public infrastructure, reduce traffic congestion at railroad crossings, lower accident risk
  involving vehicles, and emit fewer emissions as rail traffic will travel 2.5 fewer miles and will not have to
  cross the Grassy Point Railroad Bridge into Duluth, Minnesota.
- Remove 50,000 yds<sup>3</sup> of contaminated sediment within the SLRAOC.

The SLRAOC is one of the 31 U.S.-based Areas of Concern across the Great Lakes created under the 1987 Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement. As the largest tributary to Lake Superior, the St. Louis River is vital to the regional economy and encompasses the Port of Duluth-Superior, an essential port for Great Lakes shipping. The SLRAOC also includes Superfund sites, large boat slips and important fish spawning habitat. To delist the SLRAOC, 80 management actions must be completed. Forty-four of these management actions include sediment remediation and habitat restoration construction projects and half of those have been completed (EPA, 2022). By dredging contaminated sediment, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon (PAHs) and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) metals will be removed from the aquatic environment and will support U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in their efforts to delist the SLRAOC.

#### 3.0 Existing Conditions, Environmental Consequences & Mitigation

This section includes the description and evaluation of existing Proposed Project area conditions and provides a baseline for analyzing potential effects of the Proposed Action. The analysis considered direct, indirect, short-term or long term, cumulative, adverse or beneficial impacts. Best management practices and/or mitigation measures that would minimize or eliminate adverse impacts are identified. This section presents an analysis of the potential consequences that may result from the construction of the proposed project. No specific, direct, or indirect impacts would occur as a result of the No Action Alternative; therefore, no additional discussion relative to the identified resources will be included. This section will discuss impacts as described above as well as the implementation of mitigation measures to compensate for unavoidable impacts. Discussion of the potential environmental consequences relative to the Proposed Action is presented below.

#### 3.1. Land Use

The City has zoned the Project Area as W1-Waterfront. Permitted uses include boats, ships and shipyards; docks, repair, service, sales or storage of boats; wharves, transit sheds and other facilities used in connection with water transportation or navigation purposes (City of Superior, WI, 2022). The redevelopment and use of the C Reiss

dock/slip is a permitted use in the Proposed Project area. Adjacent properties include the Hallett Dock No. 8 and the Midwest Energy Resources Company's dock and facility. The Proposed Action would not change the existing land use. Therefore, the Proposed Action would not alter land use and there would be no effect.

#### 3.2. Air Quality

This section presents the potential impacts of the Proposed Action on air quality. The assessment has been conducted based on the scope of the Proposed Action and publicly available information. Mitigation stormwater Best Management Practices (BMPs) such as watering of access roads and stockpiles to avoid dust generation and stockpile covers will be implemented as port of a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) and construction site erosion control plan.

#### **Criteria Air Pollutants**

Under the federal Clean Air Act (CAA), six air pollutants have been identified by the EPA as being of concern both on a nationwide and statewide level: ozone; carbon monoxide (CO); nitrogen dioxide (NO<sub>2</sub>); sulfur dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>); lead; and particulate matter (PM), which is subdivided into two classes based on particle size: PM equal to or less than 10 micrometers in diameter (PM<sub>10</sub>) and PM equal to or less than 2.5 micrometers in diameter (PM<sub>2.5</sub>). Because the air quality standards for these air pollutants are regulated using human health and environmentally based criteria, they are commonly referred to as "criteria air pollutants."

Areas are classified under the federal CAA as attainment, non-attainment, or maintenance (previously non-attainment and currently attainment) for each criteria pollutant based on whether the federal and state air quality standards have been achieved. With respect to the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS), the Proposed Project, which includes portions of St. Louis County in Minnesota (Duluth, MN) and Douglas County in Wisconsin (Superior, WI), is designated either as attainment or unclassifiable.

#### **Hazardous Air Pollutants**

In addition to criteria air pollutants, EPA regulates hazardous air pollutants (HAPs) also known as toxic air pollutants or air toxics. The CAA identifies 187 HAPs that EPA is required to control to protect public health (EPA 2020b). HAPs collectively refer to pollutants that cause or may cause cancer or other serious health effects, such as reproductive effects or birth defects, or adverse environmental and ecological effects.

HAPs may be emitted by stationary, area, or mobile sources. Common stationary sources of HAPs emissions include gasoline stations, dry cleaners, and diesel backup generators, which are subject to local air district permit requirements. The other, often more significant, sources of HAPs emissions are motor vehicles on freeways, high-volume roadways, or other areas with high numbers of diesel vehicles, such as distribution centers. EPA has assessed the expansive list of toxics and identified a group of HAPs as Mobile Source Air Toxics (MSATs). MSATs are compounds emitted from highway vehicles and nonroad equipment. Some toxic compounds are present in fuel and are emitted into the air when the fuel evaporates or passes through the engine unburned. Other toxics are emitted from the incomplete combustion of fuels or as secondary combustion products. Federal and state efforts to reduce MSATs emissions have focused on the use of improved fuels, adding particulate filters to engines, and requiring the production of new-technology engines that emit fewer exhaust particulates.

#### **Construction Emissions Analysis**

Construction-related activities are temporary, short-term sources of emissions. Sources of construction-related criteria air pollutant and greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions include construction equipment exhaust; construction-related trips by workers, delivery and hauling truck trips; and fugitive dust from site preparation activities such as grading. Combustion-related emissions will include NO<sub>2</sub>, CO, volatile organic compounds (VOCs), SO<sub>2</sub>, PM, and small amounts of HAPs. The EPA requires manufacturers of on- and off-road engines to certify their products to engine emission standards based on the year of manufacture. On-road equipment, like automobiles and pick-up trucks, have had a series of standards imposed since the 1970s.

Large construction equipment, such as a grader or a front-end loader, are generally powered by diesel engines. For diesel engines, the emission standards have been phased in over the past two decades in four steps, referred to as Tier 1 to Tier 4. The engine must comply with the emission standards in place based on the size of the engine for the year the engine was built and must comply with the appropriate standard throughout its useful life. The engine manufacturers must certify the engine emissions to the EPA. In 2010, the EPA required the sulfur concentration in diesel fuels be lowered from a historical concentration of 500 ppm to 15 ppm (ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel), which allows diesel engines to meet current Tier 4 emission requirements. Proper maintenance of construction equipment and use of ultra-low-sulfur diesel fuel will minimize engine emissions during Project construction. To mitigate emissions from internal combustion engines, idling of construction vehicles will be minimized.

The fugitive dust from the construction activities and engine emissions from the construction equipment for the Project are summarized in Table 1. In this analysis, it was assumed that the construction equipment engines, on average, would comply with Tier 2 standards. Detailed calculations, including assumed quantities of equipment type for the Project, are provided in Appendix A.

**Table 1 Construction Emissions** 

Activity		Pollutant tons per year (tpy)											
	CO	CO NOX PM <sub>10</sub> PM <sub>2.5</sub> SO <sub>2</sub> VOC TH											
Engine Emissions	10.4	53.6	1.7	1.7	0.02	3.3	0.6	2,515					
Unpaved Roads	-	-	10.2	1.0	-	-	-	-					
Earthmoving	-	-	0.2	0.02	-	-	-	-					
TOTALS	10.4	53.6	12.1	2.7	0.02	3.3	0.6	2,515					

#### **Operational Emissions Analysis**

As noted in Section 1.2, the Proposed Project will result in the relocation of the existing dock and operations; therefore, the emissions profile for operational sources will not change (i.e., emissions from ship, rail, and dock operations). Upon project completion, however, total annual emissions will decrease. The new ship channel will be two feet deeper than the existing channel which will allow larger capacity ships to use the dock which will result in two (2) fewer ships per year to process the same amount of material. Moreover, for the 27 remaining ships that use the port each year, the distance from the bay entrance to the port would be 2.5 miles shorter resulting in fewer ship miles traveled annually. Rail operations would also realize an annual emissions benefit from the Proposed Project. The rail route to the proposed facility is approximately 3.0 miles shorter than to the existing facility for the 185 engines that would serve the site annually resulting in fewer rail miles traveled annually.

Approximate annualized emissions reductions from the Proposed Project are outlined in Table 2 below. Emissions are estimated by calculating the annual reduction in ship- and rail-miles traveled and applying applicable emission factors for fuel combustion. Detailed calculations, including assumed quantities of equipment type for the Project, are provided in Appendix A.

**Table 2 Annualized Operational Emissions Reductions** 

Activity								
	CO	NOx	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	SO <sub>2</sub>	VOC	THAP	CO <sub>2</sub> e
Ships	7.9	45.8	1.4	1.4	22.6	1.7	-	1,691
Rail	2.9	11.1	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.6	-	1,259
TOTALS	10.8	56.9	1.8	1.8	22.8	2.3		2,950

#### 3.3. Climate Change

GHG emissions are emissions that trap heat in the atmosphere. The CEQ released final guidance that requires agencies to consider the potential effects of a proposed action on climate change, as indicated by its estimated GHG emissions, and the implications of climate change for the environmental effects of a proposed action (Final Guidance for Federal Departments and Agencies on Consideration of Green Gas Emissions, 2016). EO 13990, *Protecting Public Health and the Environment and Restoring Science to Tackle the Climate Crisis* directs federal agencies to improve public health and the environment; ensure access to clean air and water; limit exposure to dangerous chemicals and pesticides; and reduce GHG emissions (Federal Register, 2021). Based on the values in Table 1, the Project's combined GHG emissions during construction based on the CO, NO<sub>x</sub>, and CO<sub>2</sub>e tonnages is 2,579 tons. Based on the CO, NO<sub>x</sub>, and CO<sub>2</sub>e values in Table 2, the annual GHG operational emissions reductions is 3,017.7 tons/year.

The primary reason that C. Reiss is planning to relocate to their Superior, Wisconsin, facility is the increase in flooding events on the Saint Louis River which affects their Duluth, Minnesota facility. Climate change has raised the question of whether shoreline flooding on Lake Superior will become more prevalent in the future. Many past studies indicate that as the effects of climate change worsen over time and temperatures in the region increase, Lake Superior will experience an overall decrease in water levels due to increased evaporation but will still experience periodic higher than average levels (Huff, 2014). More recent studies propose that precipitation increases have a significant chance of outpacing evaporation increases, leading to an increase in water levels (Rouhana, 2016). The proposed Superior, Wisconsin facility infrastructure will be more climate resilient than the existing Duluth, Minnesota facility. Relocating to the proposed facility will allow for operations during the present-day flooding events and will withstand the potential increase in future flooding frequency due to climate change.

#### 3.4. Geology

The Proposed Project lies within the Lake Superior lowland, an expanse of post glacial, lacustrine sands and red clays. The lowland slopes gently north towards Lake Superior at an average elevation of 640 feet above mean sea level (ft amsl) or approximately 40 ft above Lake Superior (602 ft amsl) (Mengel, 1973). The plain is generally flat with only minor undulations. More specifically, the Proposed Project lies at approximately 610 to 620 ft amsl and is adjacent the natural harbor formed near the terminus of the St. Louis River with Lake Superior known as St. Louis Bay. The harbor consists of an inner lagoon (St. Louis Bay) and outer lagoon (Superior-Allouez Bays) prior to merging with Lake Superior. The harbor is protected from open water via multiple spits which prevent shoreline degradation from wave erosion (Mengel, 1973). The natural harbor forms the industrial backbone of Superior, Wisconsin and Duluth, Minnesota by providing the deep-water passages and docks which support the historic Great Lakes shipping industry.

Regionally, the Proposed Project is situated at the western-most portion of the Lake Superior basin, the geomorphic remnant of a failed 1.1-billion-year-old continental rift zone. Bedrock beneath the Proposed Project is composed of basaltic lava flows of the North Shore Lava Group and intrusive igneous rocks of the Duluth Complex (Mengel, 1973). Following cessation of the continental rift event, the basin settled isostatically into a large syncline that progressively filled with sediments which lithified into sandstones and shales of the Proterozoic Fond Du Lac formation. Rocks of Paleozoic and Mesozoic age are not known to be present within the Proposed Project area (Mengel, 1973). Glacial tills and post-glacial lacustrine sediments of quaternary age which include the red clays and silty sands of the Lake Superior lowland further infilled the lake basin approximately 10,000-years before the present (Antea Group, 2017). The red clay and silty sands are the predominant native unconsolidated sediments underlying the Proposed Project area.

According to the US Department of Agriculture (USDA) Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS), surficial soil in the Proposed Project area consists of Udorthents and Udipsamments, cut or fill (2030) representing the northern portion of the Proposed Project which has been altered for historic industrial operations; and Amnicon-Cuttre complex 0-4% (262B) on the southern portion of the Proposed Project typically related to clays and silt loams (NRCS, 2022). The Amnicon-Cuttre complex hosts most wetlands within the Proposed Project. Previous environmental investigation has confirmed soils have been historically altered in the Proposed Project area as evidenced by extensive fill which is present up to at least 4ft below grade (Antea Group, 2019). The fill often contains coal and wood debris among primarily silty sand and silt. Where fill materials are present the material overlies native lacustrine red clay. Despite the presence of extensive fill materials, the Proposed Project area is not likely subject to potential failure from seismic events. The Lake Superior basin lies on the southern portion of the Canadian Shield, a tectonically stable core of bedrock which experiences minimal seismic activity. According to the US Geological Survey (USGS) the Proposed Project area and greater Lake Superior basin are situated in a portion of the US which is identified in the lowest earthquake hazard category (USGS, 2018). Redevelopment of the Proposed Project area would comply with applicable engineering standards including the local port criteria and no effects from seismically induced liquefaction or settlement of unconsolidated soil materials are expected to occur. Therefore, seismic failure mitigation will not be required to redevelop the dock.

#### 3.6 Wild and Scenic Rivers

Wisconsin has approximately 56,884 miles of river, of which 276 miles, or 0.5% of the state's river miles, are designated as wild and scenic (National Wild and Scenic River System, 2022). The closest wild and scenic river is the St. Croix River, located south of Superior, Wisconsin and approximately 32 miles from the Proposed Action. There would be no effects to wild and scenic rivers as a result of the Proposed Action as none exist in the vicinity of the Proposed Project.

#### 3.7 Coastal Zone Management Act

The Wisconsin Coastal Management Program is federally-approved and funded through the National Coastal Zone Management Program and is dedicated to preserving and improving access to the natural and historic resources of Wisconsin's Great Lakes coasts. Since 1978, the program has worked cooperatively with state, local, and Tribal government agencies and non-profit organizations to manage the ecological, economic, and aesthetic assets of the Great Lakes coastal areas (Wisconsin Coastal Management Program, 2022). Douglas County, Wisconsin is within the Wisconsin Coastal Zone. As the Proposed Action will have a beneficial impact by dredging 50,000 yd³ of contaminated sediment out of the St. Louis Bay/Lake Superior and redeveloping the existing C. Reiss dock making it more efficient and thus more economical, the Proposed Action furthers the Wisconsin Coastal Management Program's objectives.

#### 3.8 Wetlands and Waterways

The US Army Core of Engineers (USCOE) regulates the discharge of dredged or fill material into the waters of the U.S., including wetlands, pursuant to Section 404 of the CWA and the provisions of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899. Waters of the US are defined by the Clean Water Act passed into legislation in 1972. Waters of the US are often under federal jurisdiction of the USCOE and include but are not limited to territorial seas, ponds, impoundments of water, interstate lakes, rivers, intermittent streams, wetlands, and tributaries of each. In certain circumstances, wetlands such as the those in the Proposed Project may not fall under USCOE jurisdiction but under state or local regulation.

During 2019, a wetland delineation of the Proposed Project area identified seven wetlands (W1 through W7) on the Property totaling 21.24-acres of the 53-acre site. Identified wetlands primarily consist of wet meadows, sedge meadows, shrub-carr, and hardwood swamps. None of the wetlands appeared to have a surface hydraulic connection with the adjoining St. Louis River (Stantec, 2019). Following the wetland delineation, an artificial wetland exemption request was presented to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) to exempt wetlands W4 and W5 (17.5-acres) atop the former shipping dock from state regulation. As a result of the request, the WDNR determined that delineated wetlands W4 and W5 were not considered wetlands and therefore not subject to State of Wisconsin regulation (WDNR, Artificial Wetland Detrimination for an area described as Wetland W4 and W5, 2019). Copies of the wetland delineation report and WDNR artificial wetland exemption determination are provided in Appendices B and C. Other waters of the US in proximity to the Proposed Project area include the adjacent St. Louis Bay which forms the slip portion of the Proposed Project area and are a part of the St. Louis River.

The Project is permitted by the USCOE and WDNR to fill approximately 0.05-acre of wetlands to facilitate reconstruction of an existing service road and former railroad track. Compensation for the permanent destruction of the wetland acreage will be offset by debiting 0.06 acre of wetland credits from Superior's wetland mitigation bank (USCOE, 2020). Copies of the permit approvals are included in Appendix D. The Proposed Project is not anticipated to impact adjacent or downstream property or infrastructure from flooding. Wetlands within the Proposed Project area are also not considered to be providing significant water quality protection to St. Louis Bay or Lake Superior. Downstream wetlands and waterways off site will be protected during construction using silt fences and will be safeguarded from post construction water quality impacts through the installation of stormwater BMPs including revegetation. A new stormwater pond will be sized and constructed as required by City of Superior ordinances and WDNR requirements.

#### 3.9 Floodplains

Floodplains are generally defined as the typically flat land adjacent to a river or stream which experiences periodic flooding. The 100-year floodplain is defined as an area which is predicted to have a 1% probability of flooding in any given year. The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) administers the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) which provides flood insurance for those properties which are located within mapped 100-year floodplains.

The FEMA flood map for the Proposed Project area is Panel number 55031C0076D, effective February 2, 2012 (WDNR, 2022). This panel shows that the northeastern portion of the Proposed Action is located in the 100-year flood Base Flood Elevation (BFE) area (see Figure 5). The Proposed Action area is located within Zone AE, defined as "Base Flood Elevations Determined".

The Proposed Project would reactivate the existing C. Reiss Dock on Saint Louis Bay. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall, dredging of 50,000 yd³ of contaminated sediment along the exterior of the dock, construction of a shop/office building, repair and extension of 7,060 linear feet of rail track and five switches and the installation of various loading and weighing equipment.

The floodplain adjoins the proposed dockwall reconstruction on the western portion of the Proposed Project area and the dredging is within the floodplain. The proposed repair and extension of the rail track/switches are south and west of the floodplain. The dockwall and dredging will be designed and orchestrated to accommodate the flows and velocities associated with an expected 100-year flooding event and are sufficiently sized to avoid any increase to the base floodplain elevation. Although construction of the Proposed Project would place structures within the 100-year flood hazard area, it would not result in an increase in the BFE and would not adversely affect the direction or velocity of flood waters. The Proposed Project would not impede or redirect flows in a manner that would result in substantial erosion or flooding on- or off- site. A construction site erosion control plan including required BMPs will be prepared to mitigate potential erosion effects during construction. Direct or indirect impacts to the existing harbor channels, the Saint Louis Bay, and Lake Superior are not anticipated.

#### 3.10 Water Quality

#### **Surface Water**

Dredging activities will cause a temporary impact to water quality but it will be mitigated by use of BMPs and no permanent impacts to water quality are anticipated as a result of dredging. Direct surface water quality impacts to existing surface waters could result from the construction activities of the Proposed Project. Sediment resulting from potential erosion during excavation, grading, compaction, trenching, and other construction activities would be the greatest concern during construction. Surface water quality impacts could impact existing harbor channels, the Saint Louis Bay, and Lake Superior. Indirect impacts to surface water quality from the Proposed Project could include potential sources of petroleum or hazardous related pollutants from construction vehicles. A construction site erosion control plan will be prepared to mitigate potential erosion effects to the surrounding surface water during construction.

The Proposed Project would be subject to the Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (WPDES) General Permit for Storm Water Associated with Land Disturbing Construction Activity (Permit Number WI-S067831-6; Construction General Permit [CGP]) (WDNR, WPDES General Permit for Storm Water Fact Sheet, 2021). This general permit regulates the discharges of pollutants to waters of the state as provided in Section 283.33, Wisconsin Statutes, and Subchapter III of Chapter NR 216, Wisconsin Administrative Code (Statutes, 2022). As such, the Proposed Project would be required to implement stormwater BMPs to control onsite runoff. Complying with the requirements identified in the CGP would prevent, or reduce the amount of, pollutants from being washed or discharged into Waters of the United States. The Project would comply with the requirements of the CGP during construction and the Project Site would be stabilized once construction is completed.

The CGP requires the development and implementation of a SWPPP. The SWPPP would detail treatment measures and site-specific BMPs that would be implemented to mitigate discharges of pollutants in stormwater runoff to the maximum extent practicable. The SWPPP prepared for the Proposed Project would be based on final engineering design and identify locations for storage of hazardous materials during construction as well as BMPs, notifications, and clean up requirements for incidental spills or other potential releases of hazardous materials. In addition, the SWPPP would have inspection, monitoring, and reporting requirements that would be implemented and maintained during construction.

With implementation of appropriate BMPs discussed above, and the implementation of the WPDES General Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction and Land Disturbance Activities, there would be no effect to surface water quality with implementation of the Proposed Project.

#### Groundwater

No direct or indirect impacts would occur to groundwater resources. The EPA's Sole Source Aquifers Interactive Map website did not identify any sole source aquifers within the Proposed Project area (EPA, 2019). Additionally, groundwater beneath portions of the Proposed Project has contaminant concentrations above respective Chapter NR140 Wisconsin Administrative Code (WAC) preventative action limit (PAL) and enforcement standard (ES), therefore, it would not be used as a source of drinking water (WDNR, 2022). Dredged sediments will be placed into filters bags to dewater. Water from the filter bags will flow into clay-lined swales to a clay-lined stormwater pond for storage and evaporation. The original design was to use the dried sediments to construct four on-site berms. Per WDNR request, this design was modified to reduce the four berms to one larger berm. Water remaining in the dried sediments will also flow into the clay-lined swales and stormwater pond. There would be no effect to groundwater from implementation of the Proposed Project.

#### 3.11 Vegetation Communities

Vegetation communities are plants that grow together and require similar habitat to thrive. Federally-listed plant species include those listed as Endangered, Threatened, Rare or those species proposed for listing by the US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) under the federal Endangered Species Act (FESA) Sensitive natural communities are those that receive regulatory protection under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA) (i.e. Waters of the US) or are designated by USFWS as Critical Habitat for federally listed species. Per the USFWS, there is only one plant on the threatened list, the Fassett's Locoweed (*Oxytropis campestris var. chartacea*), that could be found in sandy, fluctuating lakeshores in Douglas County, Wisconsin (Appendix E). The Project Area is combination of concrete, bare ground and weeds. There would be no effect to Fassett's Locoweed with implementation of the Proposed Action.

In 2020, Stantec completed a survey for the Seaside Crowfoot (*Ranunculus cymbalaria*), a State of Wisconsin threatened plant species, within the Proposed Project area. The Seaside Crowfoot was not found in any of the wetland areas that may be affected by the Proposed Action (Appendix F). There would be no effect to Seaside Crowfoot with implementation of the Proposed Project.

#### 3.12 Wildlife

#### **Endangered, Threatened, Rare Species**

Federally listed wildlife species include those listed as Endangered, Threatened, Rare or those species proposed for listing by USFWS under FESA. According to the list, three species of mammals may be present on or near the Project Area; the Canada Lynx (*Lynx canadensis*), the Gray Wolf (*Canis lupus*), and the Northern Long-eared Bat (*NLEB, Myotis septentrionalis*) (Appendix E). Based on the current Project site conditions, Stantec has determined that the appropriate habitats for these species do not exist within the Proposed Project area, therefore there will be no effect to these Federally listed species, their habitats, and/or designated critical habitats.

#### Fish

Under Section 7(a)(2) federal agencies must consult with NOAA Fisheries when any project or action they take might affect a T&E-listed marine species or designated critical habitat. Per the NOAA mapper, <a href="https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/resource/map/essential-fish-habitat-mapper">https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/resource/map/essential-fish-habitat-mapper</a>, the Proposed Project area does not contain critical fish habitat. WDNR has waived the June 1 fish window for dredging and will allow dredging to begin May 1 (Appendix E). The conditions for the waiver are predicated on work to progress from the south end of the slip to the north and that BMPs are installed and maintained to contain and control suspended sediment and oil sheen. This sequence will minimize oil sheen and sediment emigration to the mainstem river and therefore minimize any impacts to fishes such as the recreationally and ecologically important walleye, muskellunge, lake sturgeon, and various sucker species during their spring season migration. With the implementation of these regulatory control measures, no adverse effects are expected to fish species.

#### 3.13 Threatened and Endangered Species and Migratory Birds

Federally listed birds include those listed as Endangered, Threatened, Rare or those species proposed for listing by USFWS under FESA. According to the list, two species of birds may be present on or near the Project Area; the Piping Plover (*Charadrius melodus*) and the Rufa red knot (*Calidris canutus rufa*) (Appendix E). Additional species receive federal protection under the Bald Eagle Protection Act (e.g., bald eagle, golden eagle) and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA). All birds, except European starlings, English house sparrows, rock doves (pigeons), and non-migratory game birds such as quail, pheasant, and grouse are protected under the MBTA.

No permit would be required under the MBTA; however, the Proposed Action would employ regulatory control measures such as conducting preconstruction surveys for nesting birds and providing a biological monitor should an active nest be present during construction activities occurring within the bird breeding season (generally February 15 through August 31) to ensure that migratory birds protected under the MBTA are not impacted. With the implementation of these regulatory control measures, no adverse effects are expected to migratory birds.

#### 3.14 Cultural and Tribal Resources

The Proposed Project's Area of Potential Effects (APE) for direct effects for archaeological and Tribal resources and historic structures is defined as those areas where subsurface impacts can be anticipated during construction and includes the Project Area. Industrial activities (railroad, coal yard, coal briquet plant, petroleum products transfer facility, and dry bulk goods transfer facility) began within the Proposed Project area in 1891. Approximately the northern half of the Proposed Project was constructed into the lake in the early-1900s using imported fill material. Industrial development within the Proposed Project caused significant disturbance to the southern portion of the Proposed Project and up to 65% of the APE is concrete.

No archaeological surveys have been conducted within the Proposed Project area. Three previous archaeological surveys have been conducted within the 0.5-mile buffer area for projects consisting of a proposed bridge, a WisDOT field report, and an extension of a railroad line. No archaeological sites were identified as a result of these three surveys. No archaeological sites have been recorded within the Proposed Project's APE. One archaeological site has been recorded within the 0.5-mile buffer. Site DG-0111, is a shipwreck of a small vessel that exploded in 1938. The site is located approximately 1,000 feet east of the Proposed Project area at the Standard Oil dock, Superior Harbor. The archaeological site would not be impacted due to its distance from the Proposed Project. Based on the results of cultural resources literature review, there is low potential that archaeological resources will be encountered during ground disturbing activities for the Proposed Action. Therefore, the Proposed Action will have no effect on archaeological resources.

In the event of an inadvertent discovery of archaeological resources subject to Section 106 of the NHPA as amended (36 CFR 800), the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (25 USC 3001 et seq.), and the Archaeological Resources Protection Act of 1979 (16 USC 470aa-mm), procedures for post-review discoveries without prior planning pursuant to 36 CFR 800.13 will be followed. Should any indication of the presence of cultural resources (artifacts or other man-made features) or animal bone become evident during construction, the following mitigation procedures shall be followed:

- Stop all ground disturbing activities and vehicular traffic within 25 feet of the area of the discovery.
- Protect and secure the resource in place by delineating the find with flagging or orange safety fencing around the perimeter of the 25-foot area.
- Contact the City as soon as possible.
- Treat cultural resources with dignity and respect.
- Within 24 hours, if possible, a professional archaeologist will examine the location of the discovery to determine if material is a cultural resource,
- Notify MARAD, the Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) and any Tribal Historic Preservation Officers (THPOs) who requested ongoing consultation.

Should the presence of possible human remains become evident during construction, the following mitigation procedures shall be followed:

- Human remains shall not be removed from the site without completing all coordination processes with the Superior, Wisconsin Police Department, the Douglas County Medical Examiner & Coroner, the SHPO, THPOs, as appropriate, and MARAD.
- Stop work all ground disturbing activities and vehicular traffic within 100 feet of the area of the discovery. If the skeletal remains are human and not associated with an archaeological context, the City, MARAD, and the SHPO shall be contacted. The City shall be responsible for contacting the Superior, Wisconsin Police Department at non-emergency phone number (715) 395-7234. It shall be the responsibility of the Superior, Wisconsin Police Department or the SHPO to contact the Douglas County Medical Examiner & Coroner at 715-395-7231.
- Protect and secure the evidence in place by delineating the find with flagging or orange safety fencing around the perimeter of the 100-foot area; construction activity and vehicles will be prohibited within this area.
- Notify the City, MARAD and the Wisconsin Burial Sites Preservation Office:

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- Within 24 hours, if possible, a professional archaeologist will examine the location of the discovery to determine if the remains are human and have an archaeological association and, if so, if that association is American Indian.
- Human remains found in a prehistoric archaeological context will be assumed to be American Indian. If American Indian remains are identified, whether or not in an archaeological context, the City shall immediately notify MARAD, the SHPO, the Wisconsin Burial Sites Preservation Office, and the THPOs.

Based upon a review of the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database (WHPD), historical maps and aerial images, the Proposed Project APE appears to have a low potential to contain cultural properties eligible for listing in the NRHP. Continued operation and upgrades of the industrial facilities within the Proposed Project area over 130-years has resulted in significant impacts to potential historical resources. MARAD determined that the Proposed Project will have no effect to cultural resources and consulted with SHPO Daina Penkiunas via a letter dated June 6, 2022.

On June 13, 2022, Leslie Eisenberg, SHPO Compliance Archaeologist, requested additional project information concerning an archaeological survey report, the oldest structure retained and project plans and elevations. On June 22, 2022, a Stantec archaeologist, Kathleen Bindley, conducted a visual inspection of the property and documented a gravel access lane, berms, wetland vegetation, concrete ruins and rubble, two concrete walls, and the remnants of a transportation track. A comparison of archival records to the results of the Project Area's visual inspection demonstrated that the property has been significantly altered over time. The visual inspection results, generalized geological cross sections and soil investigation borehole logs were submitted to Wisconsin SHPO on August 5, 2022 (Appendix G). Leslie Eisenberg, SHPO Compliance Archaeologist, concurred with MARAD's finding that the Proposed Project will have no effect to historic properties in an email dated September 2, 2022 (Appendix H).

The Atlas of Great Lakes Indian History (Tanner, 1987) was reviewed for maps and land use of the Proposed Project area prior to the historic period. Prehistoric groups hunted deer and moose along the shoreline of Lake Superior. In the Woodland Period between 1400 and 1700 AD the area was associated with the Algonquian people; between 1641 and 1701 AD, during the Iroquois Wars, the area was occupied by the Cree; and by 1768 the Ojibwa occupied the area. The Proposed Project area does not retain any Tribal lands today. No Tribal cultural resources were

identified during the cultural resource database review. Based upon a review of the WHPD and historical maps and aerial images, the Proposed Project APE appears to have a low potential to contain Tribal cultural properties after 130-years of industrialization.

MARAD initiated consultation with sixteen American Indian Tribes regarding the proposed undertaking via a letter dated June 6, 2022 which included the Cultural Resources Literature Review. Copies of the Tribal consultation letters are included in Appendix Ia. Return mail receipts are included in Appendix ib.

#### 3.15 Hazardous Materials and Waste Management

Former dock operations included petroleum product and open-air coal storage and transloading, and coal briquet manufacturing from the late 19<sup>th</sup> Century through the late 20<sup>th</sup> Century. Soil contamination resulting from past petroleum release(s) and the presence of industrial fill in surficial soils is documented at an existing, open WDNR Bureau for Remediation and Redevelopment Tracking System (BRRTS) case on the Proposed Project area (BRRTS# 03-16-000320 MURPHY MARINE TERMINAL), with multiple BRRTS cases present at the east-adjoining property that have documented migration of petroleum contamination impacting soil and/or groundwater at the Proposed Property (WDNR, 2022). These include:

- BRRTS# 02-16-297977 AMOCO OIL BARGE DOCK FMR BARGE DOCK (closed),
- BRRTS# 02-16-297979 AMOCO BARGE DOCK OW SEPARATOR & LOAD RACK (open), and
- BRRTS# 02-16-117873 AMOCO BARGE DOCK MANIFOLD & AST AREA (open).

On December 9, 2021, Stantec performed a limited soil investigation at the Property to evaluate soil quality in the area of a planned onsite stormwater retention pond (Stantec, 2021). The results of the soil sampling were shared with the WDNR during a teleconference on January 20, 2022 and indicated that fill materials present in shallow soils (zero to three feet below grade) contained RCRA metal and PAH constituents at concentrations above Chapter NR 720 WAC residual contaminant levels (RCLs). WDNR requested that Stantec prepare a formal Notification for Hazardous Substance Discharge (Form 4400-225), which was subsequently submitted to WDNR by Stantec on February 16, 2022, and documented in the Stantec report entitled *Summary of Limited Soil Investigation*. The BRRTS number for this case is 02-16-589248.

Based on a review of historical case files associated with the property and soil sampling results from recently completed soil sampling activities, identified contamination appears to be associated with the presence of historical fill observed in surficial soils across much of the property, petroleum contamination that has migrated onto the property, or from past uses on the property. Therefore, additional investigation was completed to further evaluate the lateral and vertical extent and environmental quality of identified fill and the environmental quality of underlying clay soils. The results of these activities are being used to develop a materials management plan related to upcoming Proposed Project redevelopment and, ultimately, obtain case closure. Remediation and ultimate capping of contaminated material on the property will reduce direct contact hazards and be beneficial to those that work/live (>4,700 feet from the Property) in the area.

#### 3.16 Traffic and Safety

A study was conducted to evaluate what impacts the Proposed Project will have on adjacent roadways, rail lines, and shipping lanes (Appendix J) Traffic analysis models were developed to evaluate the vehicular travel mode. These models generated values such as average intersection delay and level of service (LOS), which were used to compare the various alternatives. Rail and maritime travel modes were evaluated on a qualitative basis based on available data. The amount of material processed at the Superior site is expected to be similar to that processed at the Duluth, Minnesota site, meaning the study did not assume an increase in traffic of any type at the proposed facility; the traffic redistributed from the Duluth, Minnesota facility to the Superior, Wisconsin facility.

#### Vehicular

The overall vehicular distribution percentages for the existing Duluth facility were re-applied for the proposed Superior facility. The model shows that the intersection delays remain very similar to No Build scenario, with a couple of intersections increasing in delay by no more than 0.1 second in the Build condition. All of the study intersections are expected to continue to operate at LOS C or better in peak periods through the 2042 design year. The proposed relocation of the C. Reiss site from Duluth, Minnesota to Superior, Wisconsin will have a very minimal impact on the surrounding roadway network. The site currently generates less than 10 vehicles per hour in the peak hours and the volume is not expected to grow after the site relocates to its new location. Therefore, no roadway improvements are recommended. The Proposed Action will not adversely affect vehicular traffic. No shutdowns, road closures, or

detours to public roadways are needed. During construction, the contractor will be required to develop and follow a traffic control plan.

#### Locomotive

The existing C. Reiss Duluth facility is connected to a Burlington Northern – Santa Fe (BNSF) rail yard. The proposed facility in Superior, Wisconsin will also connect to an existing BNSF rail line. Trains currently travel from the south through Superior, Wisconsin and traverse the Grassy Point Railroad Bridge to access the Duluth facility. The existing C. Reiss facility receives 185 trains per year, with an average of about 25 cars per train. As the Superior facility will continue to process the same amount of material; no change in rail traffic compared to that currently using the existing port is anticipated. The rail route is shorter to the Superior facility than it is to the existing Duluth facility which will have the beneficial effect of reduced fuel costs and reduced traffic traveling on the Grassy Point Railroad Bridge.

#### **Maritime**

The Proposed Project facility in Superior, Wisconsin is not expected to process additional material compared to the existing Duluth facility. the existing shipping traffic is not anticipated to increase. Ships would still continue down the Saint Louis River, but navigate to the Superior port on the east side of the river rather than the Duluth port on the west side of the river. The travel distance per ship would be reduced by approximately 2.5 miles with the relocation to Superior, Wisconsin. Currently, there are 29 ships per year that travel to and from the C. Reiss Duluth facility. The Proposed Action includes dredging the Superior slip two feet deeper which will allow for larger ships to use the port, creating a potential for up to 3,000 tons of additional capacity on each ship. This would reduce the number of necessary vessels by up to two ships per year. A conservative estimate would be to assume the number of ships will not change from what is currently being accommodated by the existing facility. Regardless, the number of ships entering and exiting the Superior port is not expected to increase as a result of the move from Duluth, Minnesota to Superior, Wisconsin.

#### 3.17 Visual Resources

The Proposed Project's APE for direct effects for historic structures was defined as a 0.5-mile radius (buffer) surrounding the Proposed Project area. There are no recorded historic structures within the Proposed Project area. Twelve historic structures are recorded within the 0.5-mile buffer. These structures consist of three repair shops/roundhouses for railroad equipment, three warehouses, two industrial buildings, a water utility structure, a privy, a grain elevator, and a dock/pier. Five of the structures are associated with the Great Northern Railroad Yards, two with Galena Signal Oil Company, one with Ajax Forge Company, one with Stott Briquet, and one with Great Northern Elevators. The structures date between 1899 and 1975. The SHPO has determined that four of these structures, Wisconsin Architecture and History Inventory Number (AHI#) 17590, AHI# 17594, AHI# 17595, and AHI# 17783 are potentially eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). However, review of available aerial imagery indicates that all but AHI # 17783 have been demolished. The SHPO has also determined that the remaining eight structures are not eligible for listing in the NRHP.

Direct effects to these historic structures would not occur based on their distance from the Proposed Project APE. Indirect effects to the extant buildings would be confined to visual effects. Structures AHI# 17591, AHI# 17593, AHI# 17596, AHI# 17896, AHI# 17892 and AHI# 17893 are screened from the Proposed Project APE by vegetation and modern industrial buildings. Structures AHI# 17783 and AHI# 17883 are screened from the Proposed Project area by Midwest Energy Resources facilities which include a large area of coal storage. Structure AHI# 17895, a non-NHRP eligible industrial building, is visible from the Proposed Project APE. However the Proposed Project is consistent with the industrial character of the surrounding area and would not create a negative visual impact to this structure (Appendix G).

MARAD determined that the project will have no effect to visual resources/historic structures and consulted with SHPO Daina Penkiunas via a letter dated June 6, 2022 (Appendix H). Leslie Eisenberg, SHPO Compliance Archaeologist, concurred with MARAD's finding that the Proposed Project will have no effect to historic properties in an email dated September 2, 2022 (Appendix H).

#### 3.18 Section 4(f) Evaluation

Section 4(f) of the US DOT Act of 1966 (codified as 49 U.S.C. § 303) was enacted to protect significant publicly owned parks, recreational areas, wildlife and waterfowl refuges, and public and private historic sites from use by US DOT funded projects. The previously listed public spaces may only be used in a transportation program only if it is determined there is (1) "no prudent or feasible alternative to using that land"; and (2) "the program or project includes all possible planning to minimize harm to the park, recreation area, wildlife and waterfowl refuge, or historic site resulting from the use" (49 U.S. Code § 303, 1966). The Proposed Project area proposed for redevelopment does not fit the description of a public space as listed in Section 4(f) as it is privately owned by C. Reiss. Further, there are

no structures within the Proposed Project area which would be eligible for listing on the NRHP. The Proposed Action will not affect resources described in Section 4(f).

#### 3.19 Public Services and Utilities

The redevelopment of the Proposed Project area will include the construction of a 5,000 square-foot office building/repair shop, transportation weight scales, conveyor systems, and a stormwater retention pond. The Proposed Action will also include reconstructing approximately 7,060 lineal feet of railroad track along with vehicle access roads. New and reconstructed infrastructure will leverage the existing utilities which service the Proposed Project area where appropriate. The Proposed Project will connect with existing infrastructure which includes storm and sanitary sewers, electrical, natural gas, and communications utilities. Connecting to existing utilities will minimize environmental disturbances and curtail excess costs of new utility installation. Due to the Proposed Project area's historic industrial use, the new and reconstructed public services and utilities at the property are not expected to burden publicly provided infrastructure systems or cause irreparable environmental harm.

#### 3.20 Noise and Vibration

A study was conducted to evaluate noise and vibration impacts associated with the Proposed Action using the method outlined in the U.S. Federal Transit Administration (FTA) *Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment Manual* (Federal Transit Administration, 2018) (Appendix J). Residential and commercial receptors nearest to the construction zone were analyzed. Sound levels associated with the Proposed Action were compared to limits listed by the FTA, which are 80 decibel (dBA) for residential receptors and 100 dBA for commercial receptors.

#### **Construction Noise**

The Proposed Project will restore the dock by installing of driven steel sheet piles outboard of the existing cap, installing tremie concrete behind the upper section of sheet piles, and restoring and resurfacing the concrete cap. Construction associated with the Proposed Project area is more than 4,700 feet from any residential areas, schools, hospitals, and other noise sensitive areas. The area directly adjacent to the Proposed Project area is also zoned for industrial and manufacturing purposes. Analysis of anticipated construction noise indicates that the noise impact will be masked by existing ambient sound levels and below applicable construction noise criteria.

#### **Construction Vibration**

Based on the Proposed Project activities described above, vibration resulting from installation of sheet piles through impact pile driving is anticipated to be the greatest vibration generating construction activity. According to the Federal Transit Administration, human receptors typically perceive pile driving vibration levels within 640 feet of the pile driver (Federal Transit Administration, 2018). Since the nearest NSA is 4,700 feet away, no adverse vibration effects are anticipated from construction.

#### **Operational Noise**

Upon completion of the Proposed Project there will be several new sources of stationary noise operating to support daily Site activities. These new sources include noise generated by truck movements, rail movements, overhead cranes, the operation of conveyors, shakers, and screeners, heavy equipment such as front-end loaders and bull dozers, and heating, ventilation and air conditioning equipment. Existing ambient sound levels adjacent to the Project at nearby representative NSAs are assumed to typical of an urban environment dominated by road traffic noise and existing industrial sources during daytime hours (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.). The acoustic environment during nighttime hours is assumed to be a mix of road traffic noise and natural sounds with limited industrial noise.

Based on the modelled sound power levels of the equipment the noise impact of the operational noise sources is anticipated to be insignificant in comparison to existing ambient sound levels and below applicable noise criteria. Operational noise will be masked by existing ambient sound levels at the closest NSA.

#### **Operational Vibration**

The Proposed Project will add several new sources of vibration to the site to support future operational activities. The primary sources of operational vibration will be from rail movements, overhead rail mounted crane movements, and heavy equipment movements such as front-end loaders and bull dozers. Vibration generated by the Proposed Project are anticipated to have an insignificant impact at representative NSAs due to the separation distance of over 4,700 feet and will be below existing ambient vibration levels.

#### 3.21 Environmental Justice

Executive Order (EO) 12898 Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority and Low - Income Populations (February 11, 1994) states that, if possible, no federal actions should place any adverse environmental,

economic, social, or health effects on minority or low-income groups. EO 13985 Advancing Racial Equity and Support for Underserved Communities Through the Federal Government directs the federal government to revise agency policies to account for racial inequities in their implementation (Executive Office of the President, 2021). In addition, EO 14008, Tackling the Climate Crisis at Home and Abroad, created a government-wide Justice40 Initiative (Executive Office of the President, 2021). Under EO 14008, federal agencies identified disadvantaged communities (DACs) that are marginalized, underserved, and overburdened by pollution. A community qualifies as "disadvantaged" if the census tract is above the threshold for one or more environmental or climate indicators and the tract is above the threshold for the socioeconomic indicators. Justice40 Initiative aims to deliver 40% of the overall benefits of federal investments in seven key areas: climate change; clean energy and energy efficiency; clean transit; affordable and sustainable housing; training and workforce development; the remediation and reduction of legacy pollution; and the development of critical clean water infrastructure to these DACs (US DOT, 2022).

The Superior facility is located in Census Tract 55031021100 (CT 211). The Climate and Economic Justice Screening Tool identifies CT 211 as a DAC due to proximity to risk management plan facilities, household income less than twice the federal poverty level and percent of the population 15 years or older not enrolled in college, university or graduate school (Council on Environmental Quality, 2022). In addition, 20.67% of the 2,361 CT 211 residents are non-White compared to the City's 10.11% and the County's 8.38% (PolicyMap, 2022). In CT 211, 1.89% of residents are non-English speakers compared to the City's 1.58% and the County's 1.15% (PolicyMap, 2022). The median family income for CT 211 is \$25,353 compared to the City's \$61,522 and the County's \$68,634 (PolicyMap, 2022).

No residential displacements would result due to the Proposed Action. The closest home to the Proposed Project area is approximately 4,700 feet to the east (Appendix K). The Midwest Energy slip and the General Mills Elevator slip are between the Proposed Project area and the residence. As detailed in Sections 3.1 and 3.13, industrial facilities have been located within the Proposed Project area for over 130-years and the property is zoned W1-Waterfront. Renovating the C Reiss Superior, Wisconsin, facility will open up opportunities for employment for all persons, including disadvantaged populations including the Proposed Project area's DAC population.

The Superior, Wisconsin facility has been vacant and non-functioning for at least 30 years. Plans for occupancy were absent and the Site would otherwise remain vacant. Rehabilitating and relocating operations to this facility will give the Site a new purpose. This revitalizes the Port of Superior's infrastructure and may help revitalize surrounding communities. This Project will be developed with modern technology and has the potential to create new economic opportunity and business for the community.

All materials dredged from Lake Superior or excavated on-site will be handled per a WDNR-required Materials Management Plan which will reduce possible airborne soil/dust affecting vulnerable people with asthma. Contaminated soils, sediments and fill material will be excavated/dredged and re-used on-site to create one berm instead of the four berms in the original design. The top and sides of the berm will be covered with a minimum of 15-inches of clay and 3-inches of topsoil and be reseeded. The capped material will minimize accidental exposure by children digging on or near the Site.

Per Section 3.16, no road closures during construction or increased traffic in nearby communities would result from the Proposed Action. As discussed in Section 3.19, noise and vibration as a result of the Proposed Action would not exceed FTA noise limits. Traffic, noise and air quality impacts are not anticipated to be adverse; therefore, minority and low-income populations will not be adversely impacted as a result of the Proposed Action.

#### 3.22 Cumulative Effects

Three types of impacts are routinely assessed with proposed federal actions and are defined by the CEQ regulations (40 CFR § 1500-1508). Direct impacts, indirect impacts, and cumulative impacts. Direct and indirect impacts have been addressed throughout the previous sections. Cumulative impacts are defined as the impact on the environment which results from the incremental impact of the action when added to other past, present, and reasonably foreseeable future actions regardless of what agency (federal or non-federal) or person undertakes such other action (CFR 40 §1508.7).

Cumulative impacts include the direct and indirect impacts of a project together with the reasonably foreseeable future actions of others. The cumulative impacts that result from an action may be undetectable or below applicable significance thresholds for a specific project but can add to other disturbances and eventually lead to a measurable adverse effect. For any given resource, a cumulative impact could only potentially occur if the resource were also directly impacted by the Proposed Action.

The EPA awarded the WDNR a GLRI grant to complete feasibility studies and preliminary designs for dredging contaminated soils at the C Street, Tower Avenue, General Mills, and Oil Barge Dock Slips in the Port of Superior,

Wisconsin (Figure 4). The WDNR issued a Request for Proposals to conduct this work in April 2022 with a project completion date of December 2023 (WDNR, 2022). Any actual dredging of these slips would be funding dependent and would take place in 2024 at the earliest. Although the Oil Barge Dock is adjacent to the C. Reiss dock, any dredging and dock rehabilitation activities at C. Reiss would occur prior to any contaminated soil dredging at the C Street, Tower Avenue, General Mills, and Oil Barge Dock Slips. There would be no overlap of project construction with the Proposed Action and the possible future WDNR GLRI contaminated soil project. Cumulative adverse effects are not expected. As the two projects will not have overlapping schedules, air, noise, vibration and climate impacts will not overlap. Both the C. Reiss project and the proposed WDNR GLRI dredging project will have cumulative beneficial impacts by removing contaminated sediment in the SLRAOC and support the EPA in their efforts to delist the SLRAOC.

WisDOT is currently in the process of preliminary design investigation for a proposed roadway improvement of US 53 (East 2<sup>nd</sup> Street) in Superior, Wisconsin (Figure 4). The proposed project will address deterioration of the existing pavement and select sewer inlets and manholes, improve intersection safety and modernize and improve the condition of curb ramps (WisDOT, 2022). The proposed project is over one mile away from the C. Reiss dock. Construction is expected in 2025. Given the project location and schedule, the East 2<sup>nd</sup> Street project will not have a cumulative effect with the Proposed Action.

Per WisDOT staff, there is no significant construction anticipated for the Bong Bridge, one of two bridges that link Duluth, Minnesota, to Superior, Wisconsin, for the next three to five years – only routine maintenance (Mason, 2022). Minnesota DOT (MnDOT) and WisDOT are planning improvements to the Blatnik Bridge, the other bridge that links Duluth, Minnesota, to Superior, Wisconsin (MnDOT, 2022) (Figure 4). MnDOT and WisDOT have developed alternative bridge alignments and are gathering public input on the proposed options. Construction is scheduled to begin in 2028. Given the proposed construction schedule, the Blatnik Bridge project will not have a cumulative effect with the Proposed Action.

The City is not planning any major street, water, wastewater or other infrastructure projects in the Proposed Project area within the next three to five years (Sereck, 2022). While there may be some infrastructure maintenance work in the Proposed Project area vicinity, it will be limited in nature and will not have a cumulative effect with the Proposed Action.

#### 4.0 Agency and Tribal Consultation

#### 4.1 SHPO Consultation

A letter summarizing the record searches and overviews of the Proposed Project were sent to the SHPO. The letter presented the determination of MARAD that no significant cultural resources or historic properties would be affected and that no additional investigations would be required. Leslie Eisenberg, SHPO Compliance Archaeologist concurred with MARAD's finding that the Proposed Project will have no effect to historic properties in an email dated September 2, 2022.

#### 4.2 Federally Recognized Tribal Consultation

Notification letters concerning the Proposed Project were sent to sixteen Tribes: Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Michigan; Keweenaw Bay Indian Community, Michigan; Sokaogon Chippewa Community, Wisconsin; Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of the Lac du Flambeau Reservation of Wisconsin; Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin; Fort Belknap Indian Community of the Fort Belknap Reservation of Montana; Grand Portage Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe; St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin; Bad River Band of the Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians of the Bad River Reservation, Wisconsin; Leech Lake Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe; Fond du Lac Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe; Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe; Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin; Miami Tribe of Oklahoma; Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin; and the White Earth Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe. Copies of the Tribal consultation letters are included in Appendix Ia. Return mail receipts are included in Appendix Ib.

MARAD received comments from three Tribes. The Miami Tribe of Oklahoma offered no objection to the proposed project. The Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe stated that they do not have any known recorded sites of religious or cultural importance in the Proposed Project area. The Sokaogon Chippewa Community stated that they do not wish to consult on the Proposed project Copies of the Tribal response are included in Appendix Ic. On July 14, 2022, MARAD followed up by email with the Tribes that had not responded to the letters.

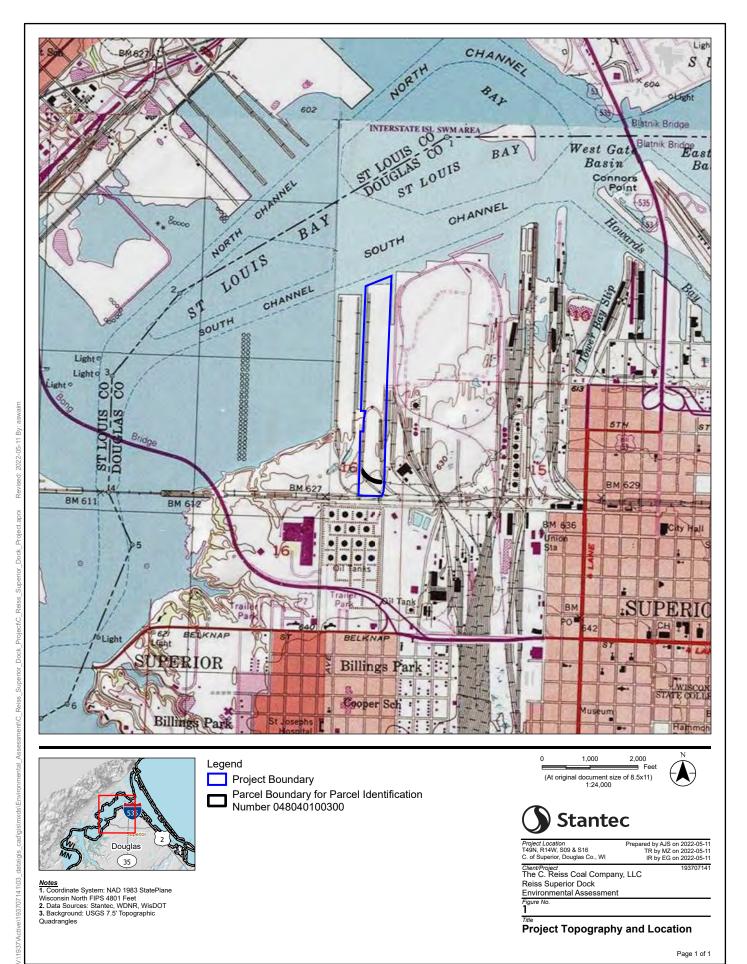
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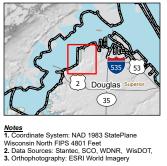
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## **FIGURES**







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**Project Boundary** 

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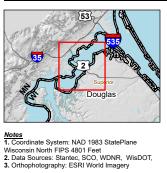


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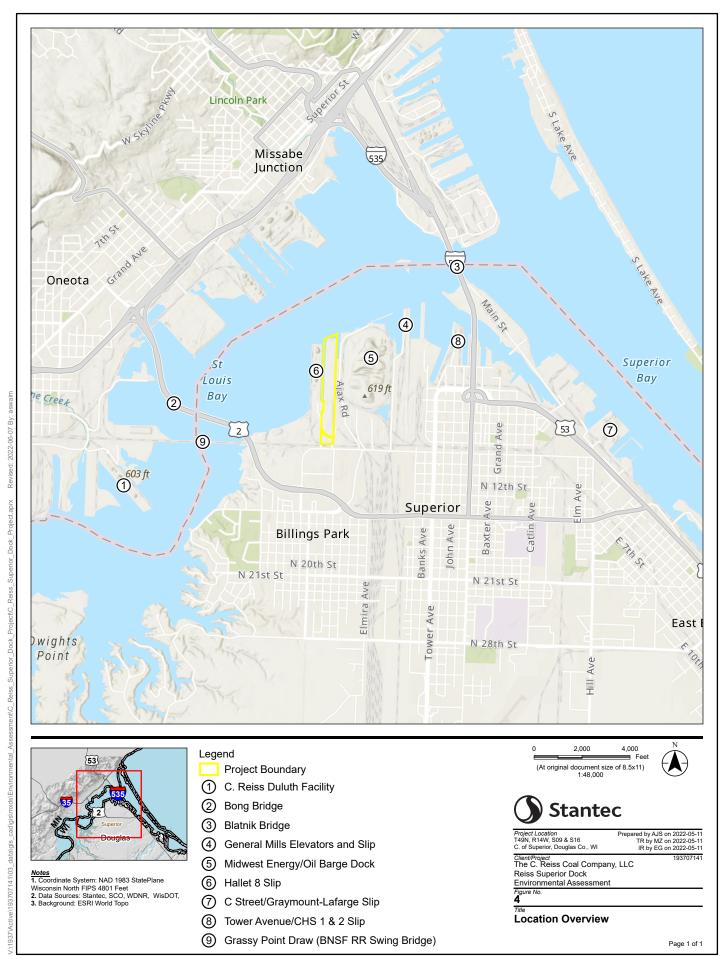


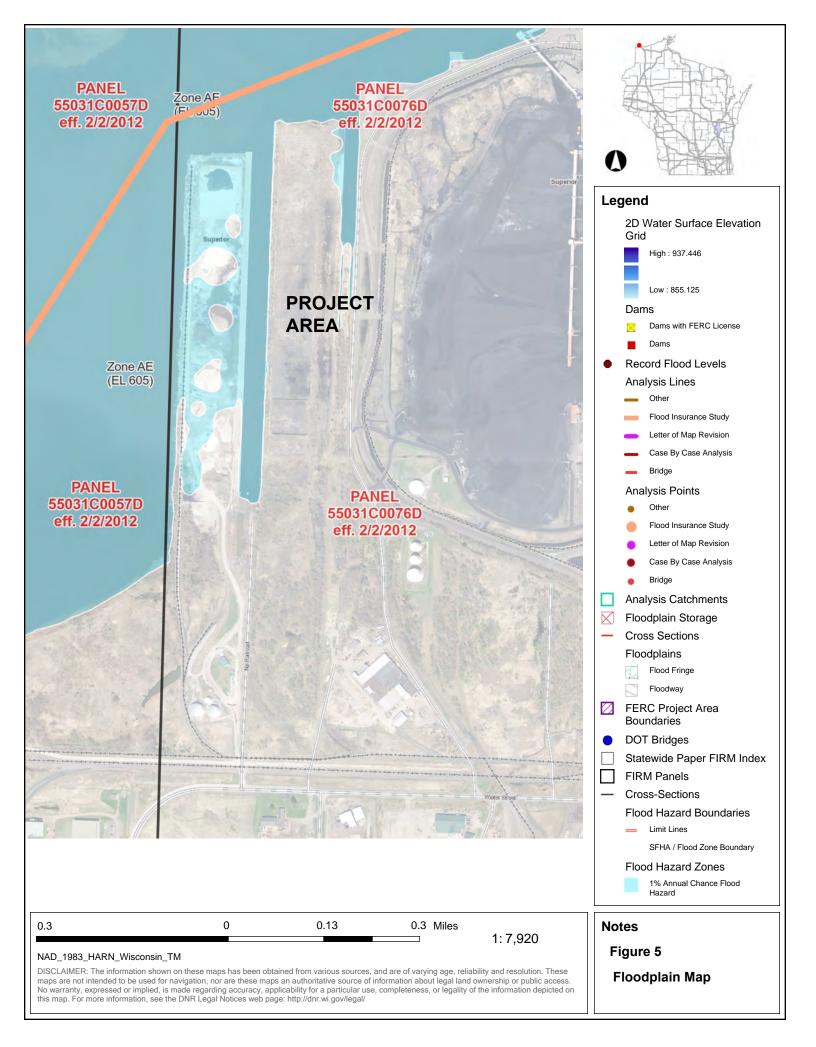


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## **APPENDICIES**

## **APPENDIX A**

## **Air Calculations**

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**Table 1-1 Construction Emission Estimates - Total Project** 

	Engine Emissions	Earthmoving	TOTAL
Pollutant	tons	tons	tons
СО	10.4		10.4
$NO_x$	53.6		53.6
PM <sub>10</sub>	1.7	0.2	1.9
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	1.7	0.0	1.7
SO <sub>2</sub>	0.02		0.02
VOC	3.3		3.3
Individual HAP	0.4		0.4
Combined HAP	0.6		0.6
Methane	0.1		0.1
Nitrogen Dioxide	0.1		0.06
CO <sub>2</sub>	2,492		2,492
CO <sub>2e</sub>	2,515		2,515

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**Table 1-2 Construction Equipment Schedule** 

		Pipeline		Total Hours	Maximum	Load	Loaded
Equipment	Quantity	Hrs/Wk	Weeks Used	Equipment Usage	Power (HP)	Factor	Power (HP)
Air Compressor	2	60	16	1920	310	0.56	174
Backhoe	4	60	16	3840	75	0.21	16
Bobcat	2	60	8	960	150	0.21	32
Digger Derrick	1	60	8	480	300	0.59	177
Dozers	4	60	20	4800	410	0.59	242
Dump Truck	8	60	20	9600	325	0.59	192
Excavator	2	60	8	960	138	0.59	81
Front End Loaders	2	60	8	960	196	0.59	116
Generators	4	60	16	3840	430	0.68	292
Grader	2	60	16	1920	140	0.64	90
Pickup Trucks	20	60	24	28,800	250	0.59	148
Scrapper	2	60	16	1,920	488	0.59	288
SideBoom	8	60	16	7,680	240	0.59	142
Trackhoe	8	60	16	7,680	320	0.21	67
Water / Fuel Truck	2	40	24	1920	250	0.59	148

Assume six month schedule, four weeks per month, 60 hours per week

EPA 420-P-04-009, Exhaust and Crankcase Emission Factors for Nonroad Engine Modeling - Compression Ignition, USEPA, April 2004 - Tier 2 Engines

Load Factors from Appendix A of EPA 420\_P-04-005, Median Life, Annual Activity, and Load Factor Values for Nonroad Engine Emissions Modeling, USEPA, April 2004

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**Table 1-3 Construction Equipment Engine Emissions** 

	Total Hours	Loaded		Criter	ia Emission	Factors (g/	hp-hr)		GHG En	nission Factors	(g/hp-hr)			Criteria Em	ssions (tons	5)			GHG Emis	ions (tons)	
Equipment	Equipment Usage	Power (HP)	voc	со	NOx	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	SO <sub>2</sub>	CO2	Methane	N <sub>2</sub> O	voc	со	NOx	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	SO <sub>2</sub>	CO2	Methane	N <sub>2</sub> O	CO <sub>2e</sub>
Air Compressor	1,920	174	0.1669	0.8425	4.34	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.06	0.31	1.59	0.05	0.05	0.00	71	0.00	0.00	72
Backhoe	3,840	16	0.3672	2.3655	4.70	0.240	0.233	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.02	0.16	0.31	0.02	0.02	0.00	13	0.00	0.00	13
Bobcat	960	32	0.3384	0.8667	4.10	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.01	0.03	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	6	0.00	0.00	7
Digger Derrick	480	177	0.1669	0.8425	4.00	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.02	0.08	0.37	0.01	0.01	0.00	18	0.00	0.00	18
Dozers	4,800	242	0.1669	0.8425	4.34	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.21	1.08	5.55	0.17	0.16	0.00	248	0.01	0.01	250
Dump Truck	9,600	192	0.1669	0.8425	4.34	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.34	1.71	8.80	0.27	0.26	0.00	393	0.02	0.01	396
Excavator	960	81	0.3384	0.8667	4.10	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.03	0.07	0.35	0.01	0.01	0.00	17	0.00	0.00	17
Front End Loaders	960	116	0.3085	0.7475	4.00	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.04	0.09	0.49	0.02	0.02	0.00	24	0.00	0.00	24
Generators	3,840	292	0.3085	0.8425	4.34	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.38	1.04	5.37	0.16	0.16	0.00	240	0.01	0.01	242
Grader	1,920	90	0.3384	0.8667	4.10	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.06	0.16	0.78	0.02	0.02	0.00	37	0.00	0.00	37
Pickup Trucks	28,800	148	0.3085	0.7475	4.00	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	1.44	3.50	18.73	0.62	0.60	0.01	906	0.05	0.02	915
Scrapper	1,920	288	0.1669	0.8425	4.34	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.10	0.51	2.64	0.08	0.08	0.00	118	0.01	0.00	119
SideBoom	7,680	142	0.3085	0.7475	4.00	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.37	0.90	4.79	0.16	0.15	0.00	232	0.01	0.01	234
Trackhoe	7,680	67	0.1669	0.8425	4.34	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.09	0.48	2.47	0.07	0.07	0.00	110	0.01	0.00	111
Water / Fuel Truck	1,920	148	0.3085	0.7475	4.00	0.132	0.128	0.002	194	0.011	0.005	0.10	0.23	1.25	0.04	0.04	0.00	60	0.00	0.00	61
										TO	ΓALS	3.3	10.4	53.6	1.7	1.7	0.02	2,492	0.142	0.064	2,515

EPA 420-P-04-009, Exhaust and Crankcase Emission Factors for Nonroad Engine Modeling - Compression Ignition, USEPA, April 2004 - Tier 2 Engines
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HAP Pollutant Emissions - Construction Equipment

Air Toxic	Fraction of VOC	Emissions (ton/yr)			
Benzene	0.020	0.1			
Formaldehyde	0.118	0.4			
Acetaldehyde	0.053	0.2			
1,3-Butadiene	0.002	0.0			
Acrolein	0.003	0.0			

TOTAL HAPS 0.6

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Table 1 - Fugitive Dust Emissions from Earthmoving Activities

	Daily Material Handling Rate	Construction	Average Exposed Area	Emission Fac	ctors (lb/ton)	Emissions (tons)		
Construction Activity	(ton/day)	Days	(acres)	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	
Topsoil removal by Scraper	6	96		0.058	0.0061	0.02	0.00	
Topsoil replacement	5	96		0.012	0.0013	0.00	0.00	
Wind Erosion Exposed Areas			1	0.38	0.0399	0.14	0.01	

TOTALS	0.2	0.02

#### Assumptions:

Construction schedule of 6 month, 4 weeks per month, six days per week.

Topsoil removal by Scraper emission factor: AP-42 Section 11.9 Western Surface Coal Mining, Table 11.9-4, July 1998, topsoil removal by scrapper

Topsoil replacement emission factor: AP-42 Section 11.9 Western Surface Coal Mining, Table 11.9-4, July 1998, overburden replacement

As worst case,  $PM_{10}$  is set equal to Total Particulate Matter.  $PM_{2.5}$  is set to 0.105 times  $PM_{10}$  per Table 11.9-1

Wind Erosion Exposed Areas emission factor: AP-42 Section 11.9 Western Surface Coal Mining, Table 11.9-4, July 1998, wind erosion of exposed areas (ton/yr/acre)

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#### Table 2 - Operational Emissions for Ships

27 ships/yr - Number of ships expected at proposed facility

2.5 miles - Distance saved at new location

2 ships - Number of ships reduced annually

490.0 miles/trip - Distance between source and port by ship

	Ship Miles		C	riteria Emis	sion Factor	s (g/ship-m	ıi)				Criteria	Emissions	(tons)		
Equipment	Reduced per Year	voc	со	NOx	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	SO <sub>2</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>	voc	со	NOx	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	SO <sub>2</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>
Freight Ships	1,048	1,493	6,869	39,626	1,173	1,173	19,559	1,464,151	1.72	7.93	45.76	1.35	1.35	22.58	1690.62
<u> </u>															
							TOTA	LS (tons)	1.7	7.9	45.8	1.4	1.4	22.58	1.691

<sup>\*</sup>Emissions Analysis of Freight Transport Comparing Land-Side and Water-Side Short-Sea Routes, Table 11, Corbett et al., 2007

	- Tana - San									
	Ship Designations									
Pollutant	grams/ship-mi	TEU/ship	g/TEU-mi							
voc	1,493	5,000.0	0.30							
co	6,869	5,000.0	1.37							
NO <sub>x</sub>	39,626	5,000.0	7.93							
PM <sub>10</sub>	1,173	5,000.0	0.23							
SO,	19,559	5,000.0	3.91							
CO <sub>2</sub>	1,464,151	5,000.0	292.83							

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#### **Table 3 - Operational Emissions for Trains**

185 locomotives/yr - Number of locomotives expected at proposed facility

3.0 miles - Distance saved at new location

	Average Locomotive		Criteria Emission Factors (g/hp-hr)*						Criteria Emissions (tons)**						
Equipment	Horsepower (ea)	voc	со	NOx	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	SO <sub>2</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>	voc	со	NOx	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>	SO <sub>2</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>
Freight Ships	11,000	0.26	1.28	4.95	0.18	0.18	0.10	561.4	0.58	2.87	11.10	0.40	0.40	0.22	1259.27

TOTALS (tons)	0.6	2.9	11.1	0.4	0.4	0.2	1,259

<sup>\*</sup>Emission Factors for Locomotives, EPA Office of Transportation and Air Quality, EPA-420-F-09-025, April 2009 (Tier 2, Line-Haul)

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<sup>\*\*</sup>Ton per year emissions assume 3-mi reduction equates to 1-hr runtime reduction

# **APPENDIX B**

**Wetland Delineation Report** 



## **Assured Wetland Delineation Report**

Reiss Superior Dock
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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

Stantec Consulting Services Inc. (Stantec) performed a wetland determination and delineation of the Reiss Superior Dock (the "Study Area") on behalf of the C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC (the Client). The wetland delineation was completed on October 1 and 2, 2019 by Matt Knickelbine of Stantec, an assured delineator qualified via the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) Wetland Delineation Assurance Program, on May 30, 2019 (see Appendix A for Delineator Qualifications).

The Study Area is approximately 53 acres in size and located in Sections 9 and 16, Township 49 North, Range 14 West, City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. Specifically, the Study Area is located north of Winter Street (Appendix B, Figure 1). The purpose and objective of the wetland determination and delineation was to identify the extent and spatial arrangement of wetlands, as well as to identify potentially jurisdictional waterways, within the Study Area.

Wetland and waterways may be subject to federal regulation under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), state regulation under the jurisdiction of the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR), and local regulation under jurisdiction of the local county, town, city, or village. Stantec recommends this report be submitted to local authorities, the WDNR, and USACE for final jurisdictional review and concurrence. Delineations completed by a WDNR Assured Delineator do not need to obtain WDNR concurrence.

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## 2.0 METHODS

#### 2.1 WETLANDS

Wetland determinations were based on the criteria and methods outlined in the *U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Wetlands Delineation Manual*, Technical Report Y-87-1 (1987) and subsequent guidance documents, and applicable Regional Supplements to the *Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual*.

The wetland determination involved the use of available resources to assist in the assessment such as U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) topographic maps, U.S. Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) soil survey, WDNR Wisconsin Wetland Inventory (WWI) mapping, and aerial photography.

On-site wetland determinations were made using the three criteria (vegetation, soil, and hydrology) and technical approach defined in the USACE 1987 Manual and applicable Regional Supplement. According to procedures described in the 1987 Manual and applicable Regional Supplement, areas that under normal circumstances reflect a predominance of hydrophytic vegetation, hydric soils, and wetland hydrology (e.g., inundated or saturated soils) are considered wetlands.

As recent weather patterns influence the visibility and presence of some wetland hydrology indicators, the antecedent precipitation in the three months leading up to the field investigation was reviewed. The current year's precipitation data were compared to long-term (30-year) precipitation averages and standard deviation to determine if precipitation was normal, wet, or dry for the area using a WETS analysis as developed by the NRCS (Appendix C).

The wetland boundary and sampling points were identified and surveyed with a Global Positioning System (GPS) capable of sub-meter accuracy, mapped using Geographical Information System (GIS) software and flagged.

## 2.2 WATERWAYS

Review of waterway characteristics and determination of navigability and jurisdiction was beyond the scope of the investigation. However, if observed, waterways, waterbodies, culverts, and/or other connections to off-site wetland or aquatic features that may be under federal or state authority were surveyed using a GPS and mapped using GIS software.

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## 3.0 RESULTS

## 3.1 SITE DESCRIPTION

The Study Area is comprised of fallow field, hardwood forest, hardwood swamp, shrub-carr, sedge meadow, and wet meadow communities. The landscape slopes generally to from south to north from topographic highs of approximately 632 feet mean sea level (msl) to topographic lows of approximately 602 feet msl. The Study Area is bordered by railroad right of way to the south, Lake Superior to the north, and unnamed access roads and Lake Superior to the east and west.

Soils present within the Study Area and their hydric status are summarized in Table 1. Wetlands identified during the field investigation do not appear to follow the soil mapping (Appendix B, Figures 2 and 3).

Table 1. Summary of Soils Identified within the Study Area

Soil symbol: Soil Unit Name	Soil Unit Component	Soil Unit Component Percentage	Landform	Hydric status
	Amnicon	40-60	Till plains	No
OCOD. Associates Contra	Cuttre	30-50	Till plains	No
262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes	Miskoaki	0-10	Not available	No
Siopes	Bergland	0-5	Depressions, drainageways	Yes
	Sedgewick	0-5	Not available	No
2030: Udorthents and	Udorthents-Cut or fill	0-100	Not available	No
Udipsamments, cut or fill	Udipsamments-Cut or fill	0-100	Not available	No

The WWI map identifies five wetland-too-small-to-delineate points within the Study Area (Appendix B, Figure 4). The WWI points fall within field delineated wetlands W1, W2, W3, and W4 (Appendix B, Figure 5).

## 3.2 CLIMATIC CONDITIONS

Average precipitation for the investigation area was obtained from the Superior, WI WETS weather station (478349) and used for the WETS analysis. A total of 11.46 inches of precipitation occurred in the three-month time period prior to the field investigation in 2019 compared to the long-term average of 11.82 inches. Based on the WETS analysis, conditions were normal (Appendix C). However, since the month prior had nearly double the normal amount of rainfall (7.34 inches in September), including 1.7 inches the day before the surveys, the conditions observed at the site were determined to be wetter than normal, despite the outcome of the WETS analysis.

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## 3.3 WETLANDS

Seven wetlands were identified and delineated within the Study Area. Wetland determination data forms were completed for sixteen sample points along transects through the wetlands and adjacent uplands and are included in Appendix D. Photographs of the wetlands and adjacent lands are included in Appendix E. The wetland boundary and sample point locations are shown on Figure 5 (Appendix B). The wetlands are summarized in Table 2 below and described in detail in the following sections.

Table 2. Summary of Wetlands Identified within the Study Area

Wetland ID	Wetland Type* (Mapped WWI)	Adjacent Surface Waters	Acreage (within Study Area)
Wetland W1	Wet Meadow/Hardwood Swamp	N/A	2.65
Wetland W2	Hardwood Swamp	N/A	0.33
Wetland W3	Sedge Meadow	N/A	0.49
Wetland W4	Shrub-carr/Wet Meadow	Lake Superior	5.31
Wetland W5	Shrub-carr/Wet Meadow	Lake Superior	12.19
Wetland W6	Hardwood Swamp	N/A	0.01
Wetland W7	Shrub-carr	N/A	0.26
		TOTAL	21.24

<sup>\*</sup>Wetland type based on Eggers & Reed, 2014; mapped WWI wetland may or may not correspond to field observed wetland type.

#### 3.3.1 Wetland W1

Wetland W1 is a wet meadow/hardwood swamp complex. Vegetation, hydrology, and soil characteristics of the wetland are summarized below and described on the data forms contained in Appendix D.

#### Vegetation

Dominant plant species identified within wetland W1 consist of bluejoint (*Calamagrostis canadensis*, OBL), giant goldenrod (*Solidago gigantea*, FACW), tussock sedge (*Carex stricta*, OBL), and quaking aspen (*Populus tremuloides*, FAC). Other common species identified in the wetland are listed on the data forms included in Appendix D. The dominant species within the wetland are comprised mostly of hydrophytic vegetation (OBL, FACW, and/or FAC) and meet the hydrophytic vegetation criterion.

#### Hydrology

The wetland appears to have a seasonally inundated hydroperiod. Primary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included A2-High Water Table, A3-Saturation, and B9-Water Stained Leaves. Secondary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included D2-Geomorphic Position, D3-Shallow Aquitard and D5-FAC-Neutral Test. Therefore, the wetland hydrology criterion was met.

#### Soils

Soils within the wetland are mapped by the NRCS as Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes (262B) (Appendix B, Figures 2 and 3). Field indicators of hydric soil identified consisted of NRCS field Indicators A11-Depleted Below Dark Surface, F1-Loamy Mucky Mineral, F3-Depleted Matrix, and F6-Redox Dark Surface. Therefore, the hydric soil criterion was met.

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#### Wetland Boundary

The wetland boundary was determined based on distinct differences in vegetation, hydrology, soils, and topography consisting of the following: 1) Transition from a wet meadow or hardwood swamp community dominated by bluejoint and quaking aspen to a fallow field or hardwood forest upland community dominated by smooth brome (*Bromus inermis*, UPL) and tansy (*Tanacetum vulgare*, FACU); 2) Transition from an area exhibiting wetland hydrology indicators within the wetland to a lack of wetland hydrology indicators within the adjacent upland; and 3) Transition from soils exhibiting hydric soil indicators to soils lacking indicators of hydric soil conditions. The transition from wetland to upland characteristics generally correlated with a well-defined topographic break.

#### **3.3.2 Wetland W2**

Wetland W2 is a hardwood swamp community. Vegetation, hydrology, and soil characteristics of the wetland are summarized below and described on the data forms contained in Appendix D.

#### Vegetation

Dominant plant species identified within wetland W2 consist of bluejoint and quaking aspen. Other common species identified in the wetland are listed on the data forms included in Appendix D. The dominant species within the wetland are comprised mostly of hydrophytic vegetation (OBL, FACW, and/or FAC) and meet the hydrophytic vegetation criterion.

#### Hydrology

The wetland appears to have a seasonally saturated hydroperiod. Primary Indicators of wetland hydrology observed included A2-High Water Table, A3-Saturation, and B9-Water-Stained Leaves. Secondary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included D2-Geomorphic Position D3-Shallow Aquitard, and D5-FAC-Neutral Test. Therefore, the wetland hydrology criterion was met.

#### Soils

Soils within the wetland are mapped by the NRCS as Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes (262B) (Appendix B, Figures 2 and 3). Field indicators of hydric soil identified consisted of NRCS field Indicators F1-Loamy Mucky Mineral. Therefore, the hydric soil criterion was met.

#### Wetland Boundary

The wetland boundary was determined based on distinct differences in vegetation, hydrology, soils, and topography consisting of the following: 1) Transition from a hardwood swamp community dominated by bluejoint and quaking aspen to a hardwood forest dominated by smooth brome and quaking aspen; 2) Transition from an area exhibiting wetland hydrology indicators within the wetland to a lack of wetland hydrology indicators within the adjacent upland; and 3) Transition from soils exhibiting hydric soil indicators to soils lacking indicators of hydric soil conditions. The transition from wetland to upland characteristics generally correlated with a well-defined topographic break.

#### 3.3.3 Wetland W3

Wetland W3 is a sedge meadow community. Vegetation, hydrology, and soil characteristics of the wetland are summarized below and described on the data forms contained in Appendix D.

#### Vegetation

Dominant plant species identified within wetland W3 consist of bluejoint, lake sedge (*Carex lacustris*, OBL), reed canary grass (*Phalaris arundinacea*, FACW), and tussock sedge. Other common species identified

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in the wetland are listed on the data forms included in Appendix D. The dominant species within the wetland are comprised mostly of hydrophytic vegetation (OBL, FACW, and/or FAC) and meet the hydrophytic vegetation criterion.

#### Hydrology

The wetland appears to have a permanently saturated hydroperiod. Primary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included A2-High Water Table and A3-Saturation. Secondary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included D2-Geomorphic Position, D3-Shallow Aquitard and D5-FAC-Neutral Test. Therefore, the wetland hydrology criterion was met.

#### Soils

Soils within the wetland are mapped by the NRCS as Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes (262B) (Appendix B, Figures 2 and 3). Field indicators of hydric soil identified consisted of NRCS field Indicators A1-Histosol, A2-Histic Epipedon, A3-Black Histic, and A12-Thick Dark Surface. Therefore, the hydric soil criterion was met.

#### Wetland Boundary

The wetland boundary was determined based on distinct differences in vegetation, hydrology, soils, and topography consisting of the following: 1) Transition from a sedge meadow community dominated by lake sedge and tussock sedge to a fallow field or hardwood forest upland community dominated by smooth brome and tansy; 2) Transition from an area exhibiting wetland hydrology indicators within the wetland to a lack of wetland hydrology indicators within the adjacent upland; and 3) Transition from soils exhibiting hydric soil indicators to soils lacking indicators of hydric soil conditions. The transition from wetland to upland characteristics generally correlated with a well-defined topographic break.

#### 3.3.4 Wetland W4

Wetland W4 is a shrub-carr/wet meadow complex on an old dock. Soils are considered disturbed within wetland W4 because they consist of an impervious concrete surface, in some cases at the surface. Vegetation, hydrology, and soil characteristics of the wetland are summarized below and described on the data forms contained in Appendix D.

#### Vegetation

Dominant plant species identified within wetland W4 consist of bluejoint, common rush (*Juncus effusus*, OBL), narrow-leaved cattail (*Typha angustifolia*, OBL), tussock sedge, and sandbar willow (*Salix interior*, FACW). Other common species identified in the wetland are listed on the data forms included in Appendix D. The dominant species within the wetland are comprised mostly of hydrophytic vegetation (OBL, FACW, and/or FAC) and meet the hydrophytic vegetation criterion.

#### Hydrology

The wetland appears to have a seasonally inundated hydroperiod. Primary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included A1-Surface Water, A2-High Water Table, and A3-Saturation. Secondary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included D2-Geomorphic Position, D3-Shallow Aquitard and D5-FAC-Neutral Test. Therefore, the wetland hydrology criterion was met.

#### Soils

Soils within the wetland are mapped by the NRCS as Udorthents and Udipsamments, cut or fill (2030) (Appendix B, Figures 2 and 3). Field indicators of hydric soil identified consisted of NRCS field Indicators S1-Sandy Mucky Mineral and S7-Dark Surface. Therefore, the hydric soil criterion was met.

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#### Wetland Boundary

The wetland boundary was determined based on distinct differences in vegetation, hydrology, soils, and topography consisting of the following: 1) Transition from a wet meadow or shrub-carr community dominated by bluejoint and sandbar willow to a fallow field upland community dominated by kentucky bluegrass (*Poa pratensis*, FACU); 2) Transition from an area exhibiting wetland hydrology indicators within the wetland to a lack of wetland hydrology indicators within the adjacent upland; and 3) Transition from soils exhibiting hydric soil indicators to soils lacking indicators of hydric soil conditions. The transition from wetland to upland characteristics generally correlated with a well-defined topographic break.

#### 3.3.5 Wetland W5

Wetland W5 is a shrub-carr/wet meadow complex on an old dock. Soils are considered disturbed within wetland W4 because they consist of an impervious concrete surface, in some cases at the surface. Vegetation, hydrology, and soil characteristics of the wetland are summarized below and described on the data forms contained in Appendix D.

## Vegetation

Dominant plant species identified within wetland W5 consist of common rush, scouringrush horsetail (*Equisetum hyemale*, FAC), and sandbar willow. Other common species identified in the wetland are listed on the data forms included in Appendix D. The dominant species within the wetland are comprised mostly of hydrophytic vegetation (OBL, FACW, and/or FAC) and meet the hydrophytic vegetation criterion.

#### Hydrology

The wetland appears to have a seasonally inundated hydroperiod. Primary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included A1-Surface Water, A2-High Water Table, and A3-Saturation. Secondary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included D2-Geomorphic Position, D3-Shallow Aquitard and D5-FAC-Neutral Test. Therefore, the wetland hydrology criterion was met.

#### Soils

Soils within the wetland are mapped by the NRCS as Udorthents and Udipsamments, cut or fill (2030) (Appendix B, Figures 2 and 3). Field indicators of hydric soil identified consisted of NRCS field Indicators S1-Sandy Mucky Mineral and S7-Dark Surface. Therefore, the hydric soil criterion was met.

#### Wetland Boundary

The wetland boundary was determined based on distinct differences in vegetation, hydrology, soils, and topography consisting of the following: 1) Transition from a wet meadow or shrub-carr community dominated by scouringrush horsetail and sandbar willow to a fallow field upland community dominated by kentucky bluegrass; 2) Transition from an area exhibiting wetland hydrology indicators within the wetland to a lack of wetland hydrology indicators within the adjacent upland; and 3) Transition from soils exhibiting hydric soil indicators to soils lacking indicators of hydric soil conditions. The transition from wetland to upland characteristics generally correlated with a well-defined topographic break.

#### 3.3.6 Wetland W6

Wetland W6 is a hardwood swamp community located in a small depression. Vegetation, hydrology, and soil characteristics of the wetland are summarized below and described on the data forms contained in Appendix D.

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#### Vegetation

Dominant plant species identified within wetland W6 consist of Kentucky bluegrass, dark-green bulrush (*Scirpus atrovirens*, OBL), and quaking aspen. Other common species identified in the wetland are listed on the data forms included in Appendix D. The dominant species within the wetland are comprised mostly of hydrophytic vegetation (OBL, FACW, and/or FAC) and meet the hydrophytic vegetation criterion.

#### Hydrology

The wetland appears to have a seasonally saturated hydroperiod. Hydrology appears to be provided for Wetland W6 by the presence of a road that has no culvert and appears to hold up surface water during rain events, disrupting the natural flow of surface water and ponding it in Wetland 6. No primary indicators of wetland hydrology were observed. Secondary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included D2-Geomorphic Position, and D5-FAC-Neutral Test. Therefore, the wetland hydrology criterion was met.

#### Soils

Soils within the wetland are mapped by the NRCS as Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes (262B) (Appendix B, Figures 2 and 3). Soils were disturbed and consisted of coal or loamy coal. Due to the disturbed nature of the soils, soils were considered to be hydric due to the presence of wetland hydrology and hydrophytic vegetation despite the fact that they lacked hydric indicators.

## Wetland Boundary

The wetland boundary was determined based on distinct differences in vegetation, hydrology, soils, and topography consisting of the following: 1) Transition from a hardwood swamp community dominated by green bulrush and quaking aspen to a hardwood forest dominated by smooth brome and quaking aspen; 2) Transition from an area exhibiting wetland hydrology indicators within the wetland to a lack of wetland hydrology indicators within the adjacent upland; and 3) Transition from soils exhibiting hydric soil indicators to soils lacking indicators of hydric soil conditions. The transition from wetland to upland characteristics generally correlated with a well-defined topographic break.

#### 3.3.7 Wetland W7

Wetland W7 is a shrub-carr community. Vegetation, hydrology, and soil characteristics of the wetland are summarized below and described on the data forms contained in Appendix D.

#### Vegetation

Dominant plant species identified within wetland W7 consist of Kentucky bluegrass, redtop (*Agrostis gigantea*, FACW), speckled alder (*Alnus incana*, FACW), quaking aspen, and white birch (*Betula papyrifera*, FACU). Other common species identified in the wetland are listed on the data forms included in Appendix D. The dominant species within the wetland are comprised mostly of hydrophytic vegetation (OBL, FACW, and/or FAC) and meet the hydrophytic vegetation criterion.

#### Hydrology

The wetland appears to have a seasonally saturated hydroperiod. No primary indicators of wetland hydrology were observed. Secondary indicators of wetland hydrology observed included C2-Dry Season Water Table and D2-Geomorphic Position. Therefore, the wetland hydrology criterion was met.

#### Soils

Soils within the wetland are mapped by the NRCS as Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes (262B) (Appendix B, Figures 2 and 3). Soils were disturbed and consisted of coal or loamy coal. Due to the

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disturbed nature of the soils, soils were considered to be hydric due to the presence of wetland hydrology and hydrophytic vegetation despite the fact that they lacked hydric indicators.

#### Wetland Boundary

The wetland boundary was determined based on distinct differences in vegetation, hydrology, soils, and topography consisting of the following: 1) Transition from a shrub-carr community dominated by speckled alder to a hardwood forest upland community dominated by smooth brome and quaking aspen; 2) Transition from an area exhibiting wetland hydrology indicators within the wetland to a lack of wetland hydrology indicators within the adjacent upland; and 3) Transition from soils exhibiting hydric soil indicators to soils lacking indicators of hydric soil conditions. The transition from wetland to upland characteristics generally correlated with a well-defined topographic break.

## 3.4 UPLANDS

Upland within the Study Area consisted of fallow field and hardwood forest. Dominant vegetation within the uplands included common milkweed (*Asclepias syriaca*, UPL), Kentucky bluegrass, smooth brome, spotted knapweed (*Centaurea stoebe*, UPL), tall goldenrod (*Solidago altissima*, FACU), tansy, quaking aspen, and white spruce (*Picea glauca*, FACU). The uplands lacked wetland hydrology, hydric soil, and hydrophytic vegetation. Therefore, they were not identified as wetland.

## 3.5 WATERWAYS

No waterways were observed within the Study Area. One waterbody, Lake Superior, is contiguous with the north boundary of the Study Area.

#### 3.6 OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS

This report is limited to the identification of state and/or federally regulated wetlands and waterways within the Study Area. However, there may be other regulated features within the Study Area, including, but not limited to, historical or archeological features, endangered or threatened species, navigable waters, shoreland zones, and/or floodplains, etc. Federal, state, and local units of government and regional planning organizations may have regulatory authority to control or restrict land uses within or in close proximity to these features.

Specifically, in the state of Wisconsin, Wis. Adm. Code NR 151.12 requires that a "protective area" or buffer be determined from the top of the channel of lakes, streams and rivers, or at the delineated boundary of wetlands. In accordance with NR 151.12, the width of the "protective area" for less susceptible wetlands is determined by using 10% of the average wetland width, no less than 10 feet or more than 30 feet. Moderately susceptible wetlands, lakes, and perennial and intermittent streams identified on USGS topographic maps or NRCS county soil survey maps (whichever is more current) require a protective buffer of 50 feet, and outstanding or exceptional resource waters, highly susceptible wetlands, and wetlands in areas of special natural resource interest require protective buffers of 75 feet. The jurisdictional authority on wetland buffers rests with the WDNR. Local zoning authorities and/or a regional planning organization may have more restrictive buffers from wetlands than that imposed under NR 151.

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## 4.0 CONCLUSION

Stantec performed a wetland determination and delineation on behalf of the C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC within an approximate 53-acre Study Area located in Sections 9 and 16, Township 49 North, Range 14 West, City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The purpose and objective of the wetland delineation was to identify wetlands and potentially jurisdictional waterways within the Study Area.

Seven wetlands were identified and delineated within the Study Area in accordance with state and federal guidelines and were subsequently flagged, surveyed with GPS, and mapped using GIS software. There was a combined total of 21.24 acres of wetland within the Study Area. Wetlands were mostly composed of wet meadow, sedge meadow, shrub-carr and hardwood swamp. Adjacent uplands were composed of hardwood forest and fallow field.

The wetlands and waterways identified for this report may be subject to federal regulation under the jurisdiction of USACE, state regulation under the jurisdiction of the WDNR, and local regulation under jurisdiction of the local county, town, city, or village. Stantec recommends this report be submitted to local authorities, the WDNR, and USACE for final jurisdictional review and concurrence.

Prior to beginning work at this site or disturbing or altering wetlands, waterways, or adjacent lands in any way, Stantec recommends that the owner obtain the necessary permits or other agency regulatory review and concurrence with regard to the proposed work to comply with applicable regulations.

The information provided by Stantec regarding wetland boundaries is a scientific-based analysis of the wetland and upland conditions present within the Study Area at the time of the fieldwork. The delineation was performed by experienced and qualified professionals using standard practices and sound professional judgment. The ultimate decision on wetland boundaries rests with the USACE and, in some cases, the WDNR or a local unit of government. As a result, there may be adjustments to boundaries based upon review by a regulatory agency. An agency determination can vary from time to time depending on various factors including, but not limited to recent precipitation patterns and the season of the year. In addition, the physical characteristics of the Study Area can change over time, depending on the weather, vegetation patterns, drainage activities on adjacent parcels, or other events. Any of these factors can change the nature and extent of wetlands within the Study Area.

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# **Appendix A DELINEATOR QUALIFICATIONS**

State of Wisconsin
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
1300 W Clairemont Avenue
Eau Claire, WI 54701

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March 4, 2019

Matt Knickelbine Stantec 1165 Scheuring Road DePere, WI 54115-1001

Subject:

2019 Assured Wetland Delineator Confirmation

Dear Mr. Knickelbine:

This letter provides Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) confirmation for the wetland delineations you conduct during the 2019 growing season. You and your clients will not need to wait for the WDNR to review your wetland delineations before moving forward with project planning. This will help expedite the review process for WDNR's wetland regulatory program. Your name and contact information will continue to be listed on our website at: http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/wetlands/assurance.html.

In the instance where a municipality may require a letter of confirmation for your work prior to moving forward in the local regulatory process, this letter shall serve as that confirmation. Although your wetland delineations do not require WDNR field review, inclusion of a Wetland Delineation Report is required for projects needing State authorized wetland, waterway and/or storm water permit approvals.

If you or any client has a question regarding your status in the Wetland Delineation Professional Assurance Program, contact me by email at travis.holte@wisconsin.gov or phone at 715-839-1638. Thank you for all your hard work and best wishes for the upcoming field season.

Sincerely,

Travis Holte

Interim Wetland Identification Program Coordinator

**Bureau of Watershed Management** 



## Matt Knickelbine Assured Wetland

#### Delineator

#### **Environmental Scientist**

Matthew is an environmental scientist in Wisconsin specializing in botany and wetland delineation. He has 5 years of professional consulting experience working with a variety of projects. Matthew is an assured wetland delineator with the Wisconsin DNR Wetland Assurance Program. Matthew's experience includes: Wetland determination and delineation; Botanical surveys; Floristic quality Index, FSA slide review, Ecological restoration; Environmental monitoring; Eagle and raptor survey; Bat habitat, telemetry and emergence surveys; Wildlife survey; and Fish and mussel relocation projects.

#### **EDUCATION**

Continuing Education: Hydric Soils, University of Wisconsin - La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, 2018

Continuing Education: Sedges, Grasses, and Rushes, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI, 2017

Continuing Education: Basic Wetland Delineation, University of Wisconsin - La Crosse, La Crosse, Wisconsin, 2016

Bachelor of Science, Natural Resources (Restoration Ecology), Northland College, Ashland, Wisconsin, 2014

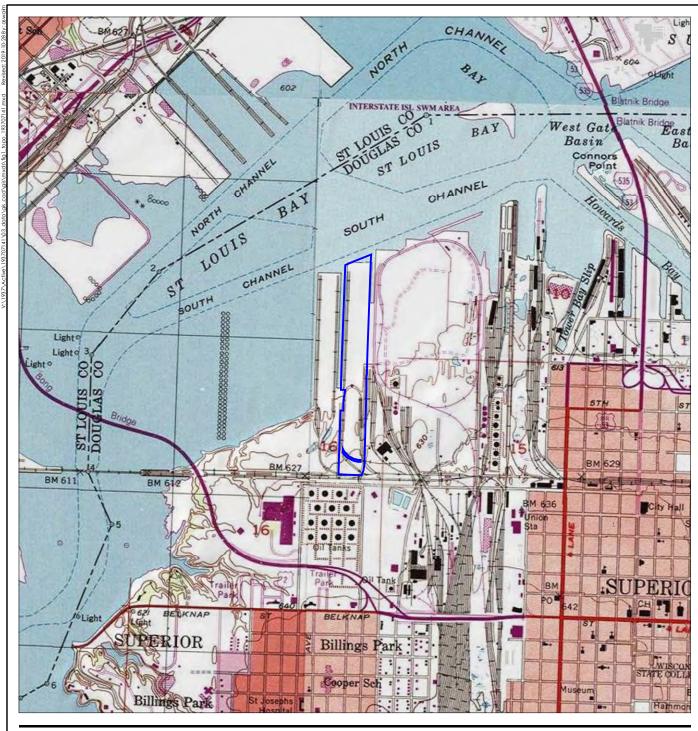
#### **CERTIFICATIONS & TRAINING**

Assured Delineator, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Wetland Assurance Program, Madison, Wisconsin, 2019

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# **Appendix B FIGURES**

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**Legend** 

Project Boundary

Coordinate System: NAD 1983 StatePlane Wisconsin

South FIPS 4803 Feet
2. Data Sources Include: Stantec, WisDOT, WDNR
3. Background: USGS 7.5' Topographic Quadrangles

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Figure No.

#### **Project Location and Topography**

Client/Project
The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC Reiss Superior Dock Wetland Delineation

Project Location T49N, R14W, S09 & S16, C. of Superior, Douglas Co., WI

Prepared by AJS on 2019-09-26 Technical Review by JH on 2019-09-27 Independent Review by MK on 2019-10-28

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Project Boundary NRCS Soil Survey Data

Predominantly Hydric Soil Partially Hydric Soil

Non-Hydric Soil

DNR 24k Hydrography

Perennial Stream

Intermittent Stream

Waterbody

Figure No. 2

### Title **NRCS Soil Survey Data Hydric Ratings**

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4801 Feet
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Project Boundary NRCS Soil Survey Data\* Drainage Classification

Very Poorly Drained

Poorly Drained

Somewhat Poorly Drained

DNR 24k Hydrography

Perennial Stream

Intermittent Stream

Waterbody

Figure No. 3

Title

## NRCS Soil Survey Data **Drainage Classification**

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\*No Features Within Data Frame

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<u>Legend</u> Project Boundary WWI Wetland Class Areas Wetland

WWI Wetland Class Points

Excavated Pond

★ Wetland Too Small to Delineate

DNR 24k Hydrography

Perennial Stream

Intermittent Stream

Waterbody

Figure No. 4

## Title

## **Wisconsin Wetlands Inventory**

Client/Project

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<u>Legend</u>

Project Boundary

Sample Point

Field Delineated Wetland 2ft Elevation Contour

DNR 24k Hydrography

Perennial Stream

Intermittent Stream

Waterbody

Figure No. 5

Title

Field Collected Data

Client/Project

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# Appendix C WETS ANALYSIS

## **WETS Analysis Worksheet**

Project Name: Reiss Superior Dock

Project Number: 193707141 Period of interest: July-September

Reference:

**SUPERIOR (478349)** Station: County: Douglas County, WI

## Long-term rainfall records (from WETS table)

		3 years in 10		3 years in 10
	Month	less than	Normal	greater than
1st month prior:	September	2.68	4.11	4.94
2nd month prior:	August	2.39	3.76	4.57
3rd month prior:	July	2.6	3.95	4.85

Sum = **11.82** 

#### Site determination

	Site	Condition	Condition**	Month	
	Rainfall (in)	Dry/Normal*/Wet	Value	Weight	Product
	7.34	Wet	3	3	9
	2.26	Dry	1	2	2
	1.86	Dry	1	1	1
Sum =	11.46			Sum*** =	12

Determination:

Wet Dry

Normal

\*Normal precipitation with 30% to 70% probability of occurrence

\*\*Condition value: \*\*\*If sum is:

Dry = 1 6 to 9

then period has been drier than normal

Normal = 2then period has been normal 10 to 14

then period has been wetter than normal Wet = 15 to 18

http://agacis.rcc-acis.org/?fips=55031 Precipitation data source:

Donald E.Woodward, ed. 1997. Hydrology Tools for Wetland Determination, Chapter 19. Engineering Field Handbook. U.S. Department of Agriculture,

Natural Resources Conservation Service, Fort Worth, TX.

WETS Station: SUPERIOR, WI													
Requested years: 1981 - 2010													
Month	Avg Max Temp	Avg Min Temp	Avg Mean Temp	Avg Precip	30% chance precip less than	30% chance precip more than	Avg number days precip 0. 10 or more	Avg Snowfall					
Jan	22.5	5.2	13.9	0.80	0.42	1.02	3	14.3					
Feb	26.9	9.5	18.2	0.74	0.38	0.91	2	10.0					
Mar	35.7	20.9	28.3	1.50	0.90	1.77	4	9.1					
Apr	47.2	31.8	39.5	2.46	1.47	3.10	5	2.3					
May	57.8	41.0	49.4	3.13	2.33	3.65	7	0.1					
Jun	67.6	49.4	58.5	4.10	2.81	4.76	8	0.0					
Jul	75.4	57.7	66.6	3.95	2.60	4.85	7	0.0					
Aug	74.4	57.8	66.1	3.76	2.39	4.57	6	0.0					
Sep	66.1	49.4	57.8	4.11	2.68	4.94	7	0.0					
Oct	53.1	37.9	45.5	3.01	1.70	3.70	6	0.3					
Nov	38.9	25.4	32.2	1.99	1.00	2.47	4	6.8					
Dec	26.0	11.0	18.5	1.12	0.61	1.36	3	13.3					
Annual:	40.0		47.0		26.10	33.31							
Average	49.3	33.1	41.2	-	-	-	-	-					
Total	-	-	-	30.67			63	56.2					
GROWING SEASON DATES													
Years with missing data:	24 deg = 6	28 deg = 6	32 deg = 6										
Years with no occurrence:	24 deg = 0	28 deg = 0	32 deg = 0										
Data years used:	24 deg = 24	28 deg = 24	32 deg = 24										
Probability	24 F or higher	28 F or higher	32 F or higher										
50 percent *	4/14 to 10/28: 197 days	4/25 to 10/16: 174 days	5/10 to 10/2: 145 days										
70 percent *	4/9 to 11/ 3: 208 days	4/20 to 10/21: 184 days	5/6 to 10/7: 154 days										
* Percent chance of the growing season occurring between the Beginning and Ending dates.													
STATS TABLE - total precipitation (inches)													
Yr	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Ann
1909	1.08	0.54	M0.40	1.51	2.52	1.93	9.73	4.68	3. 52	2. 28	2.08	2.34	32. 61
1910	0.31	0.36	0.34	1.23	1.06	0.33	3.37	M1.87	4. 66	0. 80	0.78		15. 63
1911	0.55	1.00	0.96	0.90	4.67	2.75	7.19	3.32	3. 25	1. 70	35	1.00	28. 64
1912	0.14	0.22	M0.34	2.34	5.75	1.37	1.39	3.81	2. 28	M0. 85		1.49	20. 13
1913	0.17	0.46	1.69	2.19	M7.38	2.06	6.50	1.31	3. 48	3. 87		0.13	29. 90
1914	M1.89	0.52	1.09	3.73	4.21	6.68	3.31	4.47	2. 59	1. 39	0.94		30. 91
1915 1916	2.39	1.21	0.22	1.25	4.63	5.01	1.70	1.61	2. 87	3. 58	4.02 T	0.60	27. 47
1916	0.27	0.36	1.79 2.95	4.52 1.12	4.62 0.86	5.03 2.41	0.99 4.77	3.26 1.25	3. 45 3.	1. 08 3.	0.07	0.40	27. 89 21.
1511	0.21	0.02	2.90	1.12	0.00	۷.4۱	7.11	1.20	25	21	0.07	0.50	18

1918	0.92	0.22	0.29	1.99	4.02	1.63	1.49	2.12	1. 49	2. 73	2.32	2.27	21. 49
1919	0.39	0.89	0.98	2.14	1.75	4.53	2.29	2.74	M1. 31	3. 40	M3. 68	M0. 12	24. 22
1920	1.06	0.23	1.99	2.03	4.73	6.08	3.52	1.12	1. 60	5. 15	1.64	1.07	30. 22
1921	0.41	0.50	2.14	2.26	3.00	4.94	4.01	M2.17	3. 54	0. 63	0.66	0.61	24. 87
1922	0.34	2.71	1.92	2.87	4.03	2.99	4.12	2.13	2. 87	0. 59	2.62	1.07	28. 26
1923	1.43	0.12	1.13	1.02	2.10	4.00	4.57	1.29	2. 09	0. 30	0.34	0.65	19. 04
1924	0.12	0.42	0.34	3.25	3.40	3.25	4.64	5.50	5. 79	1. 19	0.69	0.75	29. 34
1925	0.14	0.40	0.86	1.13	1.64	3.24	M3.26	2.85	3. 57	1. 19	0.42	0.65	19. 35
1926	M0.21	0.91	1.91	0.58	1.55	4.08	1.90	4.13	6. 95	M2. 70	2.16	2.11	29. 19
1927	0.38	1.07	1.42	3.25	4.39	4.52	5.19	1.50	3. 89	1. 05	2.00	1.41	30. 07
1928	0.40	0.20	0.60	2.32	1.29	5.77	6.81	5.20	3. 90	2. 77	0.17	1.04	30. 47
1929	1.22	0.40	1.59	1.63	2.84	2.70	2.75	0.98	5. 27	1. 42	1.33	0.95	23. 08
1930	0.49	1.52	0.33	1.34	4.50	3.72	1.43	0.20	4. 87	1. 49	2.77	0.28	22. 94
1931	0.18	0.47	1.35	0.79	3.78	5.92	1.57	4.84	3. 46	2. 72	3.40	0.26	28. 74
1932	1.11	0.36	0.42	2.45	3.99	2.04	1.95	3.41	0. 52	1. 91	3.90	0.52	22. 58
1933	0.49	0.66	0.59	2.18	3.27	2.38	5.68	0.77	4. 62	4. 20	0.95	1.68	27. 47
1934	0.81	0.37	0.68	1.43	2.76	3.73	1.88	2.48	4. 27	5. 18	2.37	1.79	27. 75
1935	2.13	0.33	2.85	1.96	2.86	3.55	5.86	6.72	2. 08	2. 32	1.99	0.96	33. 61
1936	1.44	0.82	2.56	1.16	5.80	1.22	0.58	3.17	1. 87	1. 74	2.07	2.31	24. 74
1937	1.45	1.11	0.30	4.55	6.25	3.25	3.54	5.46	5. 23	1. 64	1.32	M0. 69	34. 79
1938	1.25	0.86	3.20	6.66	7.42	3.46	2.73	1.27	4. 06	0. 79	2.33	0.93	34. 96
1939	1.83	M1.59	1.10	M1.42	2.07	4.90	1.70	6.81	0. 63	2. 17	0.19	0.17	24. 58
1940	0.29	1.03	1.78	3.45	5.31	2.74	3.38	2.40	1. 82	2. 73	3.10	0.62	28. 65
1941	1.35	1.03	0.93	3.72	3.34	6.00	2.42	5.25	6. 42	1. 83	0.47	M0. 51	33. 27
1942	0.31	0.29	M2.81	2.09	6.43	3.58	4.14	4.22	M2. 00	1. 23	0.86	1.17	29. 13
1943	1.08	0.58	1.40	1.95	4.00	7.43	2.32	5.33	1. 70	2. 16	1.62	0.14	29. 71
1944	0.79	1.25	1.75	1.84	6.93	7.13	2.88	5.50	2. 84	0. 46	2.69	0.32	34. 38
1945	0.89	1.44	3.79	3.86	1.33	5.12	5.40	4.80	3. 95	0. 66	1.46	1.11	33. 81
1946	1.61	1.00	1.28	1.69	4.15	3.37	0.86	0.84	5. 46	5. 60	1.54	M1. 41	28. 81
1947	0.12	M0.28	M0.20	4.24	M1.47	3.10	1.12	3.05	M1. 74	1. 24	M1. 68	0.22	18. 46
1948	M0.63	0.92	1.92	M4.44	0.60	4.26	2.79	1.76	0. 39	0. 51		0.97	21. 94
1949	1.97	0.37	1.94	0.70	4.51	2.89	8.57	2.49	1. 70	5. 80	1.14	2.10	34. 18
1950	1.51	0.75	1.72	M1.97	6.96	2.30	3.42	1.43	1. 59	4. 80	1.57		28. 02
1951	0.48	1.51	1.28	2.29	4.37	6.08	5.26	3.58	7. 00	3. 72	1.04	M0. 73	37. 34
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1952	0.73	0.18	M1.16	M0.50	M1.37	2.15	M9.99	6.53	0. 46	0. 28	1.46	0.10	24. 91
1953	1.55	0.77	1.91		4.80	6.43	M4.20	M4.35	0. 40	Т	2.20		26. 61
1954	M1.05	0.75	M0.45	4.38	M3.62	M3.60	M2.65	2.86	3. 43	1. 13	0.54	0.30	24. 76
1955	1.25		2.35	1.00	1.97	4.95	M9.13	3.58	2. 50	1. 94	1.52	1.59	31. 78
1956	0.67	0.55	0.82	1.67	2.98	1.99	1.41	5.66	2. 02	2. 40	0.83		21. 00
1957	0.13	1.43	0.65	1.77	3.10	4.71	6.07	1.35	3. 90	1. 18	1.88	0.45	26. 62
1958	0.94	0.20	0.90	1.05	3.19	3.05	9.43	5.37	4. 44	1. 61	2.25	0.57	33. 00
1959	0.31	0.19	0.30	0.52	4.36	2.73	2.19	4.54	4. 96	2. 00	0.70	1.58	24. 38
1960	1.52	0.82	0.17	5.13	3.63	2.77	1.82	5.85	2. 17	1. 55	3.42	0.77	29. 62
1961	0.20	1.20	2.92	6.37	5.69	0.58	2.45	1.82	3. 89	0. 98	1.53	1.02	28. 65
1962	0.88	1.77	0.30	1.11	4.58	2.34	2.22	3.87	2. 06	0. 84	0.31	0.17	20. 45
1963	0.06	1.48	1.41	1.99	2.32	3.45	2.20	2.76	1. 58	0. 51	1.12	1.13	20. 01
1964	0.95	0.68	0.93	2.63	5.00	2.21	0.86	7.04		0. 23	1.48	1.80	23. 81
1965	0.54	0.92	2.89	2.58	3.00	2.63	3.20	2.84	5. 87	1. 89	3.43	1.70	31. 49
1966	0.60		2.35	1.84	1.20	2.83	5.43	7.29	1. 26	2. 32	0.95	0.56	26. 63
1967	1.07		M0.08	M0.42				M1.12	0. 87	1. 52	0.26	M0. 73	6.07
1968	0.50	0.05	2.39	4.27	3.73	6.83	4.67		3. 49	4. 85	1.24	1.74	33. 76
1969	3.14	0.12	0.29	1.88	2.09	2.18	1.80	2.22	3. 33	2. 68	0.90	1.57	22. 20
1970	0.28	0.18		2.33	3.85	2.58	3.61	1.02	1. 92	4. 66	3.06	1.18	24. 67
1971	0.91	1.70	1.57	0.47	3.77	2.99	3.35	4.18	3. 30	5. 91	2.46	0.88	31. 49
1972	1.07	0.54	1.24	2.33	3.31	4.30	5.92	8.63	5. 17	1. 33	1.30	0.82	35. 96
1973	0.68	0.12	1.91	1.23	3.00	2.98	2.11	7.45	3. 73	3. 92	2.03	0.68	29. 84
1974	0.72	M0.25	0.47	1.53	3.73	4.55	3.40	3.99	0. 85	1. 03	2.34	0.88	23. 74
1975	3.03	0.50	2.95	2.48	1.23	6.51	2.13	2.34	2. 95	1. 08	3.45	0.66	29. 31
1976	1.33	0.65		0.47	0.29	4.82	2.49	2.58	1. 43	0. 34	0.16	0.33	14. 89
1977	0.34	1.36	8.38	1.91	3.95	3.14	4.97	3.70	6. 16	2. 73	1.97	1.25	39. 86
1978	0.69	0.32	1.00	2.50	3.74	2.87	6.92	5.72	2. 61	0. 55	1.51	1.03	29. 46
1979	1.05	1.59	4.51	1.03	6.01	3.69	6.21	1.61	4. 55	3. 29	M0. 17	0.08	33. 79
1980	1.60	0.45	0.69	0.40	0.84	3.46	2.96	5.10	4. 99	1. 42	0.81	0.71	23. 43
1981	0.11	2.20	1.74	5.03	1.32	5.94	4.11	3.44	3. 66	3. 54	0.66	1.15	32. 90
1982	1.27	0.39	1.98	1.59	4.07	2.35	8.37	1.07	4. 24	6. 38	2.56	2.82	37. 09
1983	0.70	0.17	2.56	2.66	M1.78	1.76	3.03	4.28	4. 75	3. 04	4.81	1.69	31. 23
1984	M0.40	1.16	0.37	2.52	2.11	6.58	1.06	1.56	6. 05	M4. 96	0.74	M1. 91	29. 42
1985	0.46	0.58	1.71	3.17	4.88	3.00	4.25	4.82	8. 14	2. 06	2.91	1.00	36. 98

1986	0.41	1.81	1.19	4.64	3.65	7.92	4.76	6.60	6. 72	0. 98	1.53	0.47	40. 68
1987	0.64	0.21	1.00	0.25	4.79	0.98	4.80	1.59	1. 95	0. 63	M2. 04	M0. 66	19. 54
1988	M1.48	0.09	M1.20	0.57	2.70	3.61	0.72	6.96	6. 43	0. 66	1.76	1.17	27. 35
1989	2.32	0.13	1.26	1.49	3.01	2.39	1.23	4.62	3. 04	0. 88	0.78	0.49	21. 64
1990	0.31	0.36	2.98	M3.63	1.85	3.51		6.36	6. 36	3. 42	0.57	0.57	29. 92
1991	0.83	0.82	M1.70	3.71	6.74	5.21	8.98	2.98	8. 46	M1. 71	4.50	0.88	46. 52
1992	0.26	M0.48	1.68	3.20	1.93	4.75	4.84	4.15	3. 44	2. 46	3.55	M1. 67	32. 41
1993	2.42	0.74	M0.44	2.92	5.97	6.71	4.90	4.61	2. 37	0. 32	4.43	1.23	37. 06
1994	0.98	0.53	1.85	4.96	2.78	3.01	1.87	2.65	5. 24	1. 36	2.34	0.51	28. 08
1995	M1.01	0.80	2.24	M2.33	3.87	1.97	5.06	6.64	3. 02	4. 87	1.38	1.11	34. 30
1996	2.26	1.09	0.47	1.91	1.73		6.95	2.19	5. 67	4. 03	4.55	1.19	32. 04
1997	0.98	0.33	0.67	0.86	1.51	3.29	4.73	2.23	1. 89	1. 22	0.36	0.08	18. 15
1998	0.90	2.07	2.51	0.99	2.83	4.95	1.87	2.73	2. 87	2. 93	2.73	1.20	28. 58
1999	0.50	0.35	0.40	2.49	2.48	5.09	8.53	4.67	4. 89	3. 09	0.72	0.03	33. 24
2000	0.63	1.50	1.93	0.84	2.67	3.96	2.62	3.94	1. 37	1. 15	3.99	M0. 57	25. 17
2001	M0.82	1.08	0.52	7.71	3.70	2.93	1.92	2.98	1. 31	2. 59	1.54	0.70	27. 80
2002	0.33	0.70	0.78	2.93	2.14	4.56	4.99	5.47	4. 33	2. 59	0.07	0.47	29. 36
2003	0.06	0.08	0.80	1.15	2.91	3.40	3.86	1.50	2. 81	1. 43	0.90	0.41	19. 31
2004	0.58	1.10	1.61	1.61	4.32	1.60	4.73	3.62	4. 14	3. 89	0.38	1.74	29. 32
2005	1.86	0.67	0.48	M1.76	3.30	6.83	1.87	M0.64	3. 41	7. 98	3.67	0.93	33. 40
2006	0.39	0.61	1.53	1.47	3.22	2.37	4.32	0.64	2. 82	1. 91	1.56	1.79	22. 63
2007	0.11	0.54	2.81		3.25	2.24	2.05		6. 55	7. 76	0.47	1.84	27. 62
2008		MT	0.73	4.27	3.97	5.75	3.55	2.81	M0. 07	3. 26	1.69	1.16	27. 26
2009	0.29	0.77	4.04	0.77	1.07	2.18	M2.50	5.23	0. 34	5. 82	1.14	1.86	26. 01
2010	0.92	0.28	0.75	M0.36	3.00	7.35	2.96	8.89	2. 94	4. 13	M2. 25	M2. 14	35. 97
2011	0.83	0.11	0.73	2.64	2.44	4.64	5.89	5.68	0. 95	1. 18	0.59	0.48	26. 16
2012	M0.22	0.92	1.77	4.64	8.22	12.24	2.27	1.91	0. 83	2. 55	2.72	0.85	39. 14
2013	1.10	1.58	1.66	M3.03	4.37	5.56	1.20	2.81	1. 08	4. 53	2.84	2.15	31. 91
2014	0.35	0.96	M2.27	5.00	4.76	5.11	2.38	6.90	M2. 20	M1. 87	M0. 69	1.08	33. 57
2015	0.57	M0.90	1.45	1.44	4.08	3.03	2.92	M5.40	M6. 73	M2. 51	3.41	2.99	35. 43
2016	0.72	M0.45	4.24	M3.41	1.97	4.58	M4.84	3.53	M3. 42	1. 58	2.40	1.86	33. 00
2017	1.16	1.58	0.86	3.00	M3.98	M2.35	3.38	8.69	3. 23	4. 36	0.54	M0. 24	33. 37
2018	1.11	2.29	M0.17	M1.36	M2.76	8.46	2.75	4.01	3. 45	5. 92	3.54	1.87	37. 69
2019	0.62	2.11	1.32	2.35	4.00	4.46	1.86	2.26	M7. 34	M1. 47			27. 79

Notes: Data missing in any month have an "M" flag. A "T" indicates a trace of precipitation.

Data missing for all days in a month or year is blank.

Creation date: 2016-07-22

# Reiss Superior Dock October 28, 2019

Appendix D WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORMS

**ASSURED WETLAND DELINEATION REPORT** 

## WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Northcentral and Northeast Region

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County	/: Douglas	Sampling Date: 10/1/19
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC		State: WI	Sampling Point: W1-1u
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Se	ection, Township, Range: S16, T4	 I9N, R14W
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Side slope		ve, convex, none): Convex	Slope %: 2-6
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A		Long: N/A	Datum: N/A
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4		NWI classification:	
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this	•		explain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation, Soil _X_, or Hydrology _X_ sig	•	Are "Normal Circumstances" pres	
Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology nat		(If needed, explain any answers i	
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map sh			•
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes N	lo X Is the Sa	impled Area	
		Wetland? Yes	No X
		itional Wetland Site ID:	<u> </u>
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a sepa The sample plot is located on a fallow road shoulder. WETS more than 7 inches of rain was recorded in september, and	analysis determined that the		
HYDROLOGY			
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		Secondary Indicators (	minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all th	at apply)	Surface Soil Crack	(s (B6)
Surface Water (A1) Water-Sta	ained Leaves (B9)	Drainage Patterns	(B10)
High Water Table (A2)  Aquatic F	auna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (	B16)
Saturation (A3) Marl Dep	osits (B15)	Dry-Season Water	r Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1) Hydroger	n Sulfide Odor (C1)	Crayfish Burrows (	(C8)
Sediment Deposits (B2) Oxidized	Rhizospheres on Living Roo	ots (C3) Saturation Visible	on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Drift Deposits (B3)	of Reduced Iron (C4)	Stunted or Stresse	ed Plants (D1)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4) Recent In	on Reduction in Tilled Soils	(C6) Geomorphic Positi	ion (D2)
Iron Deposits (B5)Thin Muc	k Surface (C7)	Shallow Aquitard (	(D3)
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Ex	rplain in Remarks)	Microtopographic l	Relief (D4)
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)		FAC-Neutral Test	(D5)
Field Observations:			
Surface Water Present? Yes No X	Depth (inches):		
	Depth (inches):		
Saturation Present? Yes No X	Depth (inches):	Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes No X
(includes capillary fringe)			
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, ae	rial photos, previous inspec	tions), if available:	
Remarks:  No evidence of wetland hydrology was observed at the sam	nla nlat		
No evidence of wetland hydrology was observed at the sam	pie piot.		

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W1-1u Absolute Dominant Indicator <u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: % Cover Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. **Number of Dominant Species** 2. 0 That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant (B) 4. Species Across All Strata: 2 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: Multiply by: =Total Cover Total % Cover of: Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: ) OBL species x 1 = **FACW** species 0 x 2 = 0 0 2. FAC species x 3 = 0 x 4 = 3. FACU species 125 500 4. UPL species 45 x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 170 Prevalence Index = B/A = 4.26 6. **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation =Total Cover 2 - Dominance Test is >50% Herb Stratum (Plot size: \_\_\_\_) 1. Poa pratensis 50 Yes **FACU** 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.01 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. 40 **FACU** Tanacetum vulgare Yes data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 3. Solidago altissima 30 No **FACU** 4. Bromus inermis 30 No **UPL** Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. Asclepias syriaca 10 No UPL <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must Cirsium canescens 5 **UPL** 6. No be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 5 7. Lotus corniculatus No **FACU Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless 170 =Total Cover of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height. 2. Hydrophytic 3. Vegetation Yes \_\_ Present? No X =Total Cover Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.) Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the 50/20 rule. Vegetation at the sample plot is not hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W1-1u

		the dep				itor or c	onfirm the absence	of indicators.)	
Depth	Matrix			k Featur		1 - 2	T 4	D	
(inches)	Color (moist)	<u>%</u>	Color (moist)	<u>%</u>	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks	
0-2	5YR 3/2	100					Loamy/Clayey		
2-16	5YR 3/3	90					Sandy	Sand with gravel and black clay loam	
	10YR 2/1	10							
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=Cor	ncentration, D=Deple	etion, RM	=Reduced Matrix, M	1S=Mas	ked Sand	l Grains.		PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.	
Hydric Soil Indicators:							Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :		
Histosol (A1)			Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR R,			RR R,		luck (A10) (LRR K, L, MLRA 149B)	
Histic Epipedon (A2) Black Histic (A3)			MLRA 149B) Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR R, MLRA 1			MI RA	Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (LRR K, L, R)  5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3) (LRR K, L, R)		
Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)			High Chroma Sands (S11) (LRR K, L)  Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)						
Stratified Layers (A5)			Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (LRR K, L)  Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR K, L)						
Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)			Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)				Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)		
Thick Dark Surface (A12)			Depleted Matrix (F3)				Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)		
Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)			Redox Dark Surface (F6)				Mesic Spodic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )		
Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)			Depleted Dark Surface (F7)				Red Parent Material (F21)		
Sandy Redox (S5)			Redox Depressions (F8)				Very Shallow Dark Surface (F22)		
Stripped Matrix (S6)			Marl (F10) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )				Other (Explain in Remarks)		
Dark Surface (S7)									
<sup>3</sup> Indicators of	hydrophytic vegetatic	on and we	etland hydrology mu	ıst be pr	esent ur	ıless dist	turbed or problematic		
	ayer (if observed):								
Type:	N/A								
Depth (inc	ches):						Hydric Soil Prese	ent? Yes No_X_	
Remarks:							l		
	n is revised from Nor	thcentral	and Northeast Regi	onal Su	pplement	Version	2.0 to include the NF	RCS Field Indicators of Hydric Soils,	
Version 7.0, 2015 Errata. (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/Internet/FSE_DOCUMENTS/nrcs142p2_051293.docx)									
								16 inches due to rocks. Soil appears to sof hydric soil, nor does it appear to be	
	saturated to the surfa							s of frydric soil, flor does it appear to be	

## WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Northcentral and Northeast Region

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19								
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W1-1w								
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W								
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Depression Local re	relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 0-2								
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A								
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes									
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)								
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologysignificantly disturb	ped? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes X No								
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problemat									
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.									
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area								
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No								
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:								
The sample plot is located in a wet meadow. WETS analysis determined that the antecedent precipitation conditions were normal, however, more than 7 inches of rain was recorded in september, and 1.7 inches fell last night, so current site conditions are abnormally wet.									
HYDROLOGY									
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)								
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)								
Surface Water (A1)  Water-Stained Leaves (B									
X High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)								
X Saturation (A3)Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)								
	_ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1) Crayfish Burrows (C8) Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)								
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l <del></del> · · · · · /	ence of Reduced Iron (C4)  Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)  X Geomorphic Position (D2)								
I <del></del>	· / ·								
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C7)									
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Remark									
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8) X_FAC-Neutral Test (D5)									
Field Observations:									
Surface Water Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):									
Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):									
Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	0 Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No								
(includes capillary fringe)									
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, prev	vious inspections), if available:								
Remarks:									
The presence of 2 primary and 2 secondary indicators at the sample plot provides evidence of wetland hydrology.									

 VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.
 Sampling Point:
 W1-1w

<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size:	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. Populus tremuloides	2	No	FAC	
2.				Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 2 (A)
3.				
4.				Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 2 (B)
				Species Across Ali Strata(B)
5				Percent of Dominant Species
6.				That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)
7				Prevalence Index worksheet:
	2	=Total Cover		Total % Cover of: Multiply by:
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size:)				OBL species120 x 1 =120
1				FACW species 5 x 2 = 10
2				FAC species 2 x 3 = 6
3				FACU species 0 x 4 = 0
4.				UPL species0 x 5 =0
5				Column Totals: 127 (A) 136 (B)
6.				Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.07
7.				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
		=Total Cover		X 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
Herb Stratum (Plot size:		•		X 2 - Dominance Test is >50%
Calamagrostis canadensis	70	Yes	OBL	X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
Carex stricta	40	Yes	OBL	4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting
				data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
3. Symphyotrichum puniceum	10	No No	OBL	
4. Solidago gigantea	5	No	FACW	Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5				<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must
6				be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
7				Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
8.				Tree – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in
9				diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
10.				Sapling/shrub – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH
11				and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
12.				Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless
	125	=Total Cover		of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: )		•		Washings Allowards since greater their 2 20 ft in
1.				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in height.
2.				3
				Hydrophytic
4.				Vegetation   Present?   Yes X   No
4.		=Total Cover		riesent: res 🙏 no
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a sepa Dominant vegetation was determined through use of	,		t the sample	plot is hydrophytic
Denimiant regetation was determined unedgin des er	are rapid to	r. vogotation a	t the cample	piecie nyaropnyae.

SOIL Sampling Point W1-1w

		the de				ator or c	onfirm the absence of	indicators.)
Depth (in aboa)	Matrix	0/		k Featur		12	Tardina	Damanda
(inches)	Color (moist)	<u>%</u>	Color (moist)		Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
0-24	10YR 2/1	88	10YR 4/6	2	<u>C</u>	<u>M</u>	Mucky Loam/Clay	Mucky loam
	5YR 3/3	10						clay, mixed in
								_
¹Type: C=Co	ncentration, D=Deple	tion RM	 /=Reduced Matrix M	IS=Mas	ked Sand		<sup>2</sup> l ocation: Pl	=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil II		4011, 141	Troduced Matrix, N	io mao	itou ourie	. Oraino.		r Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histosol (			Polyvalue Belo	w Surfa	ce (S8) (I	LRR R,		k (A10) ( <b>LRR K, L, MLRA 149B</b> )
	pedon (A2)		MLRA 149B)		, , ,	·		airie Redox (A16) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Black His			Thin Dark Surfa	ace (S9)	(LRR R	, MLRA		ky Peat or Peat (S3) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Hydrogen	Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S	Sands (S	311) ( <b>LR</b> F	R K, L)	Polyvalue	Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)
Stratified	Layers (A5)		X Loamy Mucky I	Mineral	(F1) ( <b>LRI</b>	R K, L)	Thin Dark	Surface (S9) (LRR K, L)
Depleted	Below Dark Surface	(A11)	Loamy Gleyed	Matrix (	F2)		Iron-Mang	ganese Masses (F12) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Thick Dar	rk Surface (A12)		Depleted Matrix	x (F3)			Piedmont	Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)
Sandy Mu	ucky Mineral (S1)		X Redox Dark Su	ırface (F	6)		Mesic Spo	odic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )
	eyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark					nt Material (F21)
Sandy Re			Redox Depress	•	8)			llow Dark Surface (F22)
	Matrix (S6)		Marl (F10) ( <b>LR</b> l	R K, L)			Other (Ex	plain in Remarks)
Dark Surf	race (S7)							
3Indicators of	hydrophytic vegetatic	n and w	etland hydrology mu	ist he nr	esent ur	nlees die	turbed or problematic.	
	ayer (if observed):	ni ana vi	chana nyarology ma	iot bo pi	COCITE, GI	iicoo dio	Turbed or problematic.	
Type:	N/A							
Depth (in							Hydric Soil Present	? Yes X No
							Tryunc don't resem	163 <u>X</u> 160
Remarks:	n is ravised from Nort	hcontra	and Northoast Pogi	onal Su	nnlomon	t Varciar	2.0 to include the NPC	S Field Indicators of Hydric Soils,
	2015 Errata. (http://wv		_					or reid indicators of riguite dolls,
								e sample plot meets the F1 and F6
Indicators.								

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19					
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W1-2w					
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W					
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Depression Local I	relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 0-2					
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A					
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes						
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)					
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly disturt	<del></del>					
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problema	<del></del>					
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sam						
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area					
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No					
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:					
The sample plot is located in a hardwood swamp. WETS analysis determin more than 7 inches of rain was recorded in september, and 1.7 inches fell land the sample plot is located in september.						
HYDROLOGY						
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)					
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)					
Surface Water (A1)  X Water-Stained Leaves (E						
X High Water Table (A2)  Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)					
X Saturation (A3) Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)					
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (i						
Sediment Deposits (B2)  Oxidized Rhizospheres of Peduced Irr						
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Iro	<u> </u>					
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)  Iron Deposits (B5)  Recent Iron Reduction in Thin Muck Surface (C7)	. ,					
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)  Other (Explain in Remark						
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)					
	A TACHOUND TOST (DO)					
Field Observations: Surface Water Present? Ves No. V. Donth (inches):						
Surface Water Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):  Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):						
Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches): Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):						
(includes capillary fringe)	: 9 Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No					
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, pre	I evious inspections) if available:					
	wilde inspections, it distances.					
Remarks: The water table appears to be perched over a clay loam layer of soil at 9 in plot provides evidence of wetland hydrology.	nches. The presence of 2 primary and 3 secondary indicators at the sample					

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants.

Sampling Point:

Tree Stratum (Plot size:	Absolute % Cover		Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:			
Populus tremuloides	80	Yes	FAC				
2.			17.5	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC:4 (A)			
3.       4.				Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 4 (B)			
5.				Percent of Dominant Species			
6.		<u> </u>		That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)			
7				Prevalence Index worksheet:			
	80	=Total Cover		Total % Cover of: Multiply by:			
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size:)				OBL species25 x 1 =25			
1. Populus tremuloides	5	Yes	FAC	FACW species 20 x 2 = 40			
2		_		FAC species 97 x 3 = 291			
3.				FACU species 5 x 4 = 20			
4				UPL species0 x 5 =0			
5.				Column Totals: 147 (A) 376 (B)			
6.		-		Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.56			
7.				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:			
	5	=Total Cover		1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation			
Herb Stratum (Plot size:				X 2 - Dominance Test is >50%			
Calamagrostis canadensis	20	Yes	OBL	X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>			
Solidago gigantea	20	Yes	FACW	4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting			
Solidago gigantea     Equisetum arvense	5	No	FAC	data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)			
Viola sororia	5	No No	FAC	Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)			
_	5	No No	FACU				
	5		OBL	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must			
6. Lycopus uniflorus		No No		be present, unless disturbed or problematic.			
7. Acer negundo	2	No No	<u>FAC</u>	Definitions of Vegetation Strata:			
8				Tree – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in			
9.		- —		diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.			
10.		- ——		Sapling/shrub – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH			
11.		- ——		and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.			
12		- ——		Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless			
	62	=Total Cover		of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.			
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size:)				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in			
1		- ——		height.			
2				Hydrophytic			
3				Vegetation			
4				Present?			
		=Total Cover					
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separ							
Dominant vegetation was determined through use of t	the 50/20 ru	ıle. Vegetation a	at the sample	e plot is hydrophytic.			
				,			

W1-2w

SOIL Sampling Point W1-2w

Profile Desc	cription: (Describe t	to the de	pth needed to docu	ment t	he indica	ator or c	onfirm the absence of ir	ndicators.)
Depth	Matrix		Redox	r Featur	es			
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
0-9	10YR 2/1	100					Mucky Loam/Clay	Mucky loam
9-18	10YR 4/2	90	10YR 4/6	10	С	M	Loamy/Clayey	clay loam
18-24	7.5YR 3/4	100					Loamy/Clayey	clay
								j
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=C	oncentration, D=Depl	etion RN	=Reduced Matrix M	S=Mas	ked Sand		<sup>2</sup> l ocation: PI =	Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil		otion, rai	T Troduced Wildlink, IV	io iviao	itou ouric	a Oramo.		Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histosol			Polyvalue Belov	w Surfa	ce (S8) (	LRR R,		(A10) ( <b>LRR K, L, MLRA 149B</b> )
	pipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B)		( -/(	,		rie Redox (A16) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
	stic (A3)		Thin Dark Surfa		(LRR R	, MLRA		y Peat or Peat (S3) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
	n Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S		-			Below Surface (S8) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
	d Layers (A5)		X Loamy Mucky N					Surface (S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
X Depleted	d Below Dark Surface	(A11)	Loamy Gleyed				Iron-Manga	anese Masses (F12) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Thick Da	ark Surface (A12)		X Depleted Matrix	(F3)			Piedmont F	Floodplain Soils (F19) ( <b>MLRA 149B</b> )
Sandy M	lucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su	rface (F	6)		Mesic Spoo	dic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )
Sandy G	Gleyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark	Surface	(F7)		Red Parent	t Material (F21)
	tedox (S5)		Redox Depress	ions (F	8)		Very Shallo	ow Dark Surface (F22)
Stripped	Matrix (S6)		Marl (F10) ( <b>LRI</b>	R K, L)			Other (Expl	lain in Remarks)
Dark Su	rface (S7)							
3Indicators o	f bydrophytic ycastoti	ion and u	etland bydralagy mu	at ha ni	ocent u	alaaa dia	turbed or problematic	
	Laver (if observed):	on and w	reliand hydrology mu	st be pi	esent, ui	iless uis	turbed or problematic.	
Type:	Clay lo	nam						
Depth (ii	•	9					Hydric Soil Present?	Yes X No
Remarks:	,	-					,	
This data for Version 7.0,	2015 Errata. (http://w oss referenced with I	ww.nrcs.	usda.gov/Internet/FS	E_DOC	CUMENT	S/nrcs14	42p2_051293.docx)	Field Indicators of Hydric Soils, sample plot meets the A11, F1 and

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19					
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W2-1u					
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W					
• , ,	ral relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 2-6					
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A					
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slo						
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Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year	<u> </u>					
Are Vegetation, SoilX_, or Hydrologysignificantly dis						
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynaturally proble	matic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)					
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sa	impling point locations, transects, important features, etc.					
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes No X	In the Sampled Area					
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?  Hydric Soil Present?  Yes No X  No X	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes No _X					
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No X	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:					
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)	,,					
1 ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' '	ined that the antecedent precipitation conditions were normal, however, more					
than 7 inches of rain was recorded in september, and 1.7 inches fell last	night, so current site conditions are abnormally wet.					
HYDROLOGY						
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)					
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)					
Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves						
High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)					
Saturation (A3) — Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)					
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odd						
l <del></del>	s on Living Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)					
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced						
Algal Mat or Crust (B4) Recent Iron Reduction						
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C						
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Rem						
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	FAC-Neutral Test (D5)					
Field Observations:						
Surface Water Present? Yes No X Depth (inche	s):					
Water Table Present? Yes No X Depth (inche	s):					
Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inche	s): 8 Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No X					
(includes capillary fringe)						
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos,	previous inspections), if available:					
Demonitor						
Remarks:  No evidence of wetland hydrology was observed at the sample plot.						
Two evidence of welland flydrology was observed at the sample plot.						

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W2-1u Absolute Dominant Indicator % Cover Tree Stratum (Plot size: Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. Populus tremuloides 40 Yes FAC **Number of Dominant Species** 2. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant 4. Species Across All Strata: 4 (B) 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 50.0% (A/B) 7. Prevalence Index worksheet: 40 =Total Cover Total % Cover of: Multiply by: Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = x 2 = FACW species 0 Populus tremuloides 10 FAC 0 Yes

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2.	1			FAC species55 x 3 =165
3.	1			FACU species35 x 4 =140
4.		_		UPL species17 x 5 =85
5.	1			Column Totals: 116 (A) 399 (B)
6.	1			Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.44
7	1			Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
	10	=Total Cover		1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
Herb Stratum (Plot size:)				2 - Dominance Test is >50%
Poa pratensis	30	Yes	FACU	3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
2. Bromus inermis	15	Yes	UPL	4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting
3. Calamagrostis canadensis	7	No	OBL	data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
Equisetum arvense	5	No	FAC	Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5. Fragaria virginiana	5	No	FACU	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must
6. Daucus carota	2	No	UPL	be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
7. Symphyotrichum puniceum	2	No	OBL	Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
8.		_		Tree – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in
9.		_		diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
10		_		Sapling/shrub – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH
11				and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
12		_		Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless
	66	=Total Cover		of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size:)				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in
1				height.
2				Undrankrija
3		_		Hydrophytic Vegetation
4		_		Present? Yes No X
		=Total Cover		

Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the 50/20 rule. Vegetation at the sample plot is not hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W2-1u

Profile Desc	cription: (Describe	to the de <sub>l</sub>	oth needed to doc	ument t	he indica	tor or c	onfirm the absence of	f indicators.)
Depth	Matrix		Redo	x Featur	es			
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
0-3	10YR 2/1	100					Loamy/Clayey	loam
3-24	10YR 2/1	100					Loamy/Clayey	Coal and Rocks
								-
-								
								_
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=C	oncentration, D=Depl	letion, RM	=Reduced Matrix, N	/S=Mas	ked Sand	Grains.	<sup>2</sup> Location: P	L=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil								or Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histosol			Polyvalue Belo	w Surfa	ce (S8) (I	LRR R,		ick (A10) ( <b>LRR K, L, MLRA 149B</b> )
Histic E	pipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B	)			Coast Pr	rairie Redox (A16) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Black Hi	istic (A3)		Thin Dark Surf	ace (S9	) (LRR R	, MLRA	5 cm Mu	icky Peat or Peat (S3) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Hydroge	en Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S	Sands (S	611) ( <b>LRF</b>	R K, L)	Polyvalu	e Below Surface (S8) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
Stratified	d Layers (A5)		Loamy Mucky	Mineral	(F1) ( <b>LR</b>	R K, L)	Thin Dar	k Surface (S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
Depleted	d Below Dark Surface	e (A11)	Loamy Gleyed	Matrix (	F2)		Iron-Man	nganese Masses (F12) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Thick Da	ark Surface (A12)		Depleted Matri	x (F3)			Piedmon	nt Floodplain Soils (F19) ( <b>MLRA 149B</b> )
Sandy N	/lucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su	ırface (F	<del>-</del> 6)		Mesic Sp	podic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )
	Gleyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark		` '			ent Material (F21)
	Redox (S5)		Redox Depres	`	8)			allow Dark Surface (F22)
	I Matrix (S6)		Marl (F10) ( <b>LR</b>	<b>R</b> K, L)			Other (E	xplain in Remarks)
Dark Su	rface (S7)							
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		ion and w	etiand nydrology mi	ist be pi	resent, ur	iless dist	urbed or problematic.	
Type:	Layer (if observed): N/A	`						
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		`						
Depth (i	nches):						Hydric Soil Preser	nt? Yes No X
Remarks:								
	rm is revised from No 2015 Errata. (http://w							CS Field Indicators of Hydric Soils,
	· · ·		•	_			· <del>-</del>	urbed and apper to consist mostly of
			•					ated or saturated to the surface for
	of time during the gre	owing sea	son in most years.	Due to t	he disturk	oed natur	e of the black soil colo	r, thick dark surface is not considered
to be met.								

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Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC							
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W						
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Depression Local	Local relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 0-2						
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A						
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slope:							
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)						
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly distur	<u> </u>						
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problems							
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sam	npling point locations, transects, important features, etc.						
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area						
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No						
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:						
The sample plot is located in a hardwood swamp. WETS analysis determing more than 7 inches of rain was recorded in September, and 1.7 inches fell	· ·						
HYDROLOGY							
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)						
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)						
Surface Water (A1) X Water-Stained Leaves (							
X High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)						
X Saturation (A3) — Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)						
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (							
Sediment Deposits (B2) Oxidized Rhizospheres							
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Ir							
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)  Recent Iron Reduction in							
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C7)							
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Remar							
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)						
Field Observations:							
Surface Water Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):  Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):							
Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	:0 Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No						
(includes capillary fringe)							
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, pre	evious inspections), if available:						
Remarks:	provides evidence of welland budgelogy.						
The presence of 3 primary and 3 secondary indicators at the sample plot p	provides evidence of welland hydrology.						

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W2-1w Absolute Indicator Dominant % Cover Tree Stratum (Plot size: Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. Populus tremuloides 50 Yes FAC **Number of Dominant Species** 2. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 3 (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant 4. Species Across All Strata: 3 (B) 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% 7. Prevalence Index worksheet: 50 =Total Cover Total % Cover of: Multiply by: Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species 75 x1 =FACW species Populus tremuloides 10 FAC x 2 = 30 (B)

1. I opulus tremuloides	10	163	170	1 ACVV species	10	_ ^	30	
2		_		FAC species	65	x 3 =	195	
3		_		FACU species	0	x 4 =	0	_
4				UPL species	0	x 5 =	0	_
5				Column Totals:	155	(A)	300	(B)
6				Prevalence	e Index =	B/A =	1.94	_
7				Hydrophytic Veg	etation In	dicators:		
	10	=Total Cover		1 - Rapid Tes	st for Hydro	ophytic Ve	getation	
Herb Stratum (Plot size:)				X 2 - Dominano	e Test is >	>50%		
Calamagrostis canadensis	70	Yes	OBL	X 3 - Prevalenc	e Index is	≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>		
2. Solidago gigantea	10	No	FACW	4 - Morpholog	gical Adap	tations <sup>1</sup> (Pr	rovide sup	porting
3. Rubus idaeus	5	No	FAC	data in Re	marks or o	n a separa	ate sheet)	
4. Doellingeria umbellata	5	No	FACW	Problematic I	Hydrophyti	c Vegetatio	on <sup>1</sup> (Explai	in)
5. Scirpus atrovirens	5	No	OBL	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hyd	ric soil and	l wetland h	ydrology r	muet
6				be present, unles				Tidot
7				Definitions of Ve	egetation	Strata:		
8		_		Tree – Woody pla	ants 3 in <i>(</i>	7 6 cm) or	more in	
9.		_		diameter at breas				eight.
10				Sapling/shrub –	Woody pla	ants less th	nan 3 in D	вH
11		_		and greater than				<b>D</b>
12				<b>Herb</b> – All herbad	eous (non	-woody) nl	ants rega	rdless
	95	_=Total Cover		of size, and wood				raicoo
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size:)	)			Woody vines – A	All woody v	ines greate	er than 3.2	28 ft in
1				height.				
2				Hydrophytic				
3		_		Vegetation				
4.				Present?	Yes X	No		

=Total Cover

Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the 50/20 rule. Vegetation at the sample plot is hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W2-1w

Profile Desc	ription: (Describe to	the de	pth needed to docu	ment th	ne indica	ator or c	confirm the absence of	indicators.)
Depth	Matrix		Redox	Featur	es			
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
0-9	10YR 2/1	100					Mucky Loam/Clay	Mucky loam
9-20	10YR 4/3	95	10YR 4/6	5	<u>C</u>	M	Loamy/Clayey	silt loam
20-24	5YR 3/4	100					Loamy/Clayey	clay loam
¹Type: C=Co	ncentration, D=Deple	tion, RN	/=Reduced Matrix, M	S=Masl	ked Sand	d Grains.	Location: PL	_=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil I		·						or Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histosol (			Polyvalue Belov	w Surfac	ce (S8) (I	LRR R,		ck (A10) (LRR K, L, MLRA 149B)
	ipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B)		( ) (	,		airie Redox (A16) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Black His			Thin Dark Surfa		(I RR R	MIRA		cky Peat or Peat (S3) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
	n Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S				· —	e Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)
	Layers (A5)	(0.4.4)	X Loamy Mucky N			K N, L)		Surface (S9) (LRR K, L)
	Below Dark Surface	(A11)	Loamy Gleyed		F2)			ganese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)
	rk Surface (A12)		Depleted Matrix					t Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)
	ucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su		-			odic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )
	eyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark					ent Material (F21)
	edox (S5)		Redox Depress	,	3)			llow Dark Surface (F22)
Stripped	Matrix (S6)		Marl (F10) ( <b>LRI</b>	R K, L)			Other (Ex	κplain in Remarks)
Dark Sur	face (S7)							
<sup>3</sup> Indicators of	hydrophytic vegetation	n and w	etland hydrology mu	st be pr	esent, ur	nless dis	turbed or problematic.	
	ayer (if observed):							
Type:	Clay loa							
Depth (in	ches):	20					Hydric Soil Presen	t? Yes X No
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Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W3-1u					
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W					
• ` ` '	relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 2-6					
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A					
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slope:						
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Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)					
Are Vegetation, SoilX_, or Hydrologysignificantly distur						
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynaturally problems	atic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)					
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sam	pling point locations, transects, important features, etc.					
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes No X	In the Sampled Area					
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?  Hydric Soil Present?  Yes No X  Yes No X	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes No _X					
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No X	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:					
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)						
The sample plot is located in a fallow field. WETS analysis determined that	t the antecedent precipitation conditions were normal, however, more than					
7 inches of rain was recorded in september, and 1.7 inches fell last night, s	so current site conditions are abnormally wet.					
HYDROLOGY						
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)					
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)					
Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (						
High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)					
Saturation (A3) — Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)					
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (						
Sediment Deposits (B2)  Oxidized Rhizospheres						
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced In						
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)  Recent Iron Reduction in	. , , , ,					
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C7)						
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Remar						
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	FAC-Neutral Test (D5)					
Field Observations:						
Surface Water Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):	: <u></u>					
Water Table Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):	: <u></u>					
Saturation Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):	: Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No _X					
(includes capillary fringe)						
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, pre	evious inspections), if available:					
Demodra						
Remarks:  No evidence of wetland hydrology was observed at the sample plot.						
Two evidence of welland flydrology was observed at the sample plot.						

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W3-1u Absolute Dominant Indicator % Cover Tree Stratum (Plot size: Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** Populus tremuloides **FAC Number of Dominant Species** 2. 0 That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A) 3. **Total Number of Dominant** 4. (B) Species Across All Strata: 3 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: 7. 2 Multiply by: Total % Cover of: =Total Cover Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = Populus tremuloides FAC **FACW** species 0 x 2 = 0 4 2. FAC species x 3 = 12 x 4 = 280 3. FACU species 70 4. UPL species 60 x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 134 Prevalence Index = B/A = 4.42 6. **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. 2 =Total Cover 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation 2 - Dominance Test is >50% Herb Stratum (Plot size: 1. Tanacetum vulgare 70 Yes **FACU** 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.01 30 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. **UPL** Bromus inermis Yes data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 3. Asclepias syriaca 30 Yes **UPL** 4. Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must 6. be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 7. **Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless 130 =Total Cover of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height. 2. Hydrophytic 3. Vegetation Yes \_\_ Present? No X =Total Cover

Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the 50/20 rule. Vegetation at the sample plot is not hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W3-1u

<b>-</b>		to the dep				tor or co	onfirm the absence of	indicators.)
Depth	Matrix	0/		k Featur		12	Tarduma	Damanica
(inches)	Color (moist)	<u>%</u>	Color (moist)	<u>%</u>	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
0-12	10YR 2/1	100					Loamy/Clayey	loamy coal
12-20	7.5YR 4/4	100					Loamy/Clayey	clay loam with rocks
	<del>-</del>							-
	-							
	<del>-</del>							-
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=C	Concentration, D=Depl	etion, RM	=Reduced Matrix, M	IS=Mas	ked Sand	Grains.	<sup>2</sup> Location: PL	_=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil	Indicators:						Indicators fo	r Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histoso			Polyvalue Belo		ce (S8) ( <b>L</b>	RR R,	2 cm Mud	ck (A10) ( <b>LRR K, L, MLRA 149B</b> )
	pipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B					airie Redox (A16) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
	listic (A3)		Thin Dark Surfa		-		· —	cky Peat or Peat (S3) (LRR K, L, R)
	en Sulfide (A4)	•	High Chroma S					Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)
	d Layers (A5) d Below Dark Surface	. (Δ11)	Loamy Mucky l Loamy Gleyed			( N, L)		Surface (S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> ) ganese Masses (F12) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
	ark Surface (A12)	; (A11)	Depleted Matrix		(2)			t Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)
	Mucky Mineral (S1)	•	Redox Dark Su		6)			odic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )
	Gleyed Matrix (S4)	•	Depleted Dark	•	,			ent Material (F21)
	Redox (S5)	•	Redox Depress					llow Dark Surface (F22)
Stripped	d Matrix (S6)		Marl (F10) ( <b>LR</b>	<b>R K</b> , <b>L</b> )			Other (Ex	rplain in Remarks)
Dark Su	urface (S7)							
	of hydrophytic vegetat		etland hydrology mu	ıst be pr	esent, un	less dist	urbed or problematic.	
	Layer (if observed):							
Type:	N/A	4						
Depth (	inches):						Hydric Soil Presen	t? Yes <u>No X</u>
Version 7.0, Soils were of top 12 inches	, 2015 Errata. (http://w cross referenced with	ww.nrcs.u Field Indic nple plot d	usda.gov/Internet/FS ators of Hydric Soil: oes not have any fic	SE_DOOs in the lead indicate	CUMENTS United St ators of h	S/nrcs14: ates, Vei	2p2_051293.docx) rsion 8.2. Soil are distu	S Field Indicators of Hydric Soils, rbed and apper to contain coal in the be inundated or saturated to the

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W3-1w
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Toeslope Loc	cal relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 0-2
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slop	
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year'	? Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly dist	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynaturally proble	ematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sa	ampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:
The sample plot is located in a sedge meadow. WETS analysis determine than 7 inches of rain was recorded in September, and 1.7 inches fell last	ned that the antecedent precipitation conditions were normal, however, more t night, so current site conditions are abnormally wet.
HYDROLOGY	
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves	
X High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)
X Saturation (A3) — Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odc	
<u> </u>	es on Living Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced	
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)  Recent Iron Reduction	
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Rem	
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? Yes No X Depth (inche	
Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inche	
Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inche	es): 0 Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No
(includes capillary fringe)	
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, p	previous inspections), if available:
Remarks: The presence of 2 primary and 3 secondary indicators at the sample plot	t provides evidence of wetland hydrology.

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W3-1w Absolute Dominant Indicator <u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: % Cover Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. **Number of Dominant Species** 2. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 4 (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant 4. Species Across All Strata: (B) 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: Multiply by: =Total Cover Total % Cover of: Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = **FACW** species 30 x 2 = 0 2. FAC species x 3 = 0 x 4 = 0 3. FACU species 0 0 4. UPL species x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 150 180 Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.20 6. **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. X 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation =Total Cover Herb Stratum (Plot size: ) X 2 - Dominance Test is >50% 1. Carex lacustris Yes OBL X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup> 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. 40 OBL Carex stricta Yes data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 40 3. Calamagrostis canadensis Yes OBL 4. Phalaris arundinacea 30 Yes **FACW** Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must 6. be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 7. **Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless 150 =Total Cover of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height. 2. Hydrophytic 3. Vegetation Yes X Present? =Total Cover Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.) Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the Rapid Test. Vegetation at the sample plot is hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W3-1w

Profile Desc	ription: (Describe to	the de	oth needed to docu	ment th	ne indica	ator or co	confirm the absence of indicators.)			
Depth	Matrix			Featur						
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	<u>%</u>	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture Remarks			
0-18	10YR 2/1	100					Mucky Peat			
18-24	10YR 4/2	90	10YR 4/6	10	С	M	Loamy/Clayey clay			
							·			
							·	—		
								—		
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=Co	ncentration, D=Deple	etion, RM	=Reduced Matrix, M	S=Masl	ked Sand	Grains.	<sup>2</sup> Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.			
Hydric Soil I	ndicators:						Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :			
X Histosol (	(A1)		Polyvalue Belov	w Surfac	ce (S8) (I	LRR R,	2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR K, L, MLRA 149B)			
X Histic Ep	ipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B)				Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (LRR K, L, R)			
X Black His	stic (A3)		Thin Dark Surfa	ace (S9)	(LRR R	, MLRA 1	149B)5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3) (LRR K, L, I	R)		
Hydroger	n Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S	ands (S	11) ( <b>LR</b> F	R K, L)	Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)			
Stratified	Layers (A5)		Loamy Mucky N	/lineral (	(F1) ( <b>LRI</b>	R K, L)	Thin Dark Surface (S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )			
Depleted	Below Dark Surface	(A11)	Loamy Gleyed	Matrix (	F2)		Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)			
X Thick Da	rk Surface (A12)		Depleted Matrix	(F3)			Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)			
Sandy M	ucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su	rface (F	6)		Mesic Spodic (TA6) (MLRA 144A, 145, 149B)			
	leyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark		-		Red Parent Material (F21)			
	edox (S5)		Redox Depress				Very Shallow Dark Surface (F22)			
	Matrix (S6)		 Marl (F10) ( <b>LRI</b>	R K. L)	,		Other (Explain in Remarks)			
Dark Sur	` '			, -,						
		on and w	etland hydrology mu	st be pr	esent, ur	nless dist	turbed or problematic.			
Restrictive L Type:	.ayer (if observed): clay									
Depth (in		18					Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No			
Remarks:		10					yano com 1000mi			
	n is revised from Nor	thcentral	and Northeast Region	onal Su	pplemen	t Version	n 2.0 to include the NRCS Field Indicators of Hydric Soils,			
	2015 Errata. (http://w									
							ersion 8.2. The soil at the sample plot meets the A1, A2, A	١3,		
and A12 Indic	cators.		•							

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/Count	y: Douglas	Sampling Date: 10/1/19					
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC		State: WI	Sampling Point: W4-1u					
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	S	ection, Township, Range: S9, T49	 9N, R14W					
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): side slope		ave, convex, none): linear	Slope %: 1-2					
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat:	N/A	Long: N/A	Datum: N/A					
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0		NWI classification:						
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for		Yes No X (If no,	explain in Remarks.)					
Are Vegetation X , Soil X , or Hydrology X	•	Are "Normal Circumstances" pres						
Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology	-	(If needed, explain any answers in						
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map	showing sampling poi	nt locations, transects, in	nportant features, etc.					
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes	No X Is the Sa	ampled Area						
Hydric Soil Present? Yes		Wetland? Yes	No X					
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes		otional Wetland Site ID:	<u></u> -					
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)  The sample plot is located in a fallow field on a concrete dock. WETS analysis determined that the antecedent precipitation conditions were normal, however, more than 7 inches of rain was recorded in september, and 1.7 inches fell last night, so current site conditions are abnormally wet.								
HYDROLOGY								
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		Secondary Indicators (	minimum of two required)					
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check a	ll that apply)	Surface Soil Crack	ace Soil Cracks (B6)					
Surface Water (A1) Wate	r-Stained Leaves (B9)	Stained Leaves (B9) Drainage Patterns (B10)						
High Water Table (A2) Aqua	tic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (I	B16)					
Saturation (A3) Marl I	Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water	r Table (C2)					
Water Marks (B1) Hydro	ogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	Crayfish Burrows (	(C8)					
Sediment Deposits (B2) Oxidiz	zed Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)							
Drift Deposits (B3)	ence of Reduced Iron (C4)	Stunted or Stresse	ed Plants (D1)					
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	nt Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6) Geomorphic Position (D2)							
Iron Deposits (B5)Thin I	nin Muck Surface (C7) Shallow Aquitard (D3)							
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)Other	er (Explain in Remarks) Microtopographic Relief (D4)							
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)		FAC-Neutral Test	(D5)					
Field Observations:								
Surface Water Present? Yes No X	Depth (inches):							
Water Table Present? Yes No X								
Saturation Present? Yes No X	Depth (inches):	Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes No X					
(includes capillary fringe)		I .						
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring wel	l, aerial photos, previous inspe	ctions), if available:						
Remarks:  No evidence of wetland hydrology was observed at the s	sample plot.							
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**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W4-1u Absolute Dominant Indicator <u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: % Cover Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. **Number of Dominant Species** 2. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant 4. Species Across All Strata: 2 (B) 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 50.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: 7. Multiply by: Total % Cover of: =Total Cover Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = Populus tremuloides FAC **FACW** species 0 x 2 = 0 10 2. FAC species x 3 = 30 80 x 4 = 3. FACU species 320 4. UPL species 0 x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 90 6. Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.89 **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. 10 =Total Cover 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation Herb Stratum (Plot size: \_\_\_\_) 2 - Dominance Test is >50% Yes 1. Poa pratensis 80 **FACU** 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.01 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 3. 4. Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must 6. be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 7. **Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless 80 =Total Cover of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height. 2. Hydrophytic 3. Vegetation Yes Present? No X =Total Cover Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.) Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the 50/20 rule. Vegetation at the sample plot is not hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W4-1u

Depth	•	•		x Featur			onfirm the absence of i	•
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=Co	oncentration, D=Depl	etion, RM	=Reduced Matrix, N	/IS=Mas	ked Sand	Grains.	<sup>2</sup> Location: PL=	Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil I	ndicators:						Indicators for	Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histosol	(A1)		Polyvalue Belo	w Surfa	ce (S8) (	LRR R,	2 cm Muck	(A10) ( <b>LRR K, L, MLRA 149B</b> )
Histic Ep	pipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B	)			Coast Prai	rie Redox (A16) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Black His	stic (A3)		Thin Dark Surf	ace (S9)	) (LRR R	, MLRA 1	1 <b>49B</b> )5 cm Muck	xy Peat or Peat (S3) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Hydroge	n Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S	Sands (S	611) ( <b>LRI</b>	R K, L)	Polyvalue	Below Surface (S8) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
Stratified	l Layers (A5)		Loamy Mucky	Mineral	(F1) ( <b>LR</b> I	R K, L)	Thin Dark	Surface (S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
Depleted	l Below Dark Surface	(A11)	Loamy Gleyed	Matrix (	F2)		Iron-Manga	anese Masses (F12) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Thick Da	rk Surface (A12)		Depleted Matri	x (F3)			Piedmont	Floodplain Soils (F19) ( <b>MLRA 149</b>
Sandy M	lucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su	ırface (F	6)		Mesic Spo	dic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b>
Sandy G	leyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark	Surface	(F7)		Red Paren	t Material (F21)
Sandy R	edox (S5)		Redox Depress	sions (F	8)		Very Shall	ow Dark Surface (F22)
Stripped	Matrix (S6)		Marl (F10) ( <b>LR</b>	RK, L)			Other (Exp	olain in Remarks)
Dark Sur	face (S7)							
	, , , ,	on and w	etland hydrology mu	ıst be pr	resent, ur	nless dist	urbed or problematic.	
Restrictive L	ayer (if observed):							
Type:	concre	ete						
Depth (ir	nches):	0					Hydric Soil Present	? Yes No X
Remarks:								
	m is revised from No	rthcentral	and Northeast Reg	ional Su	nnlemen	t Version	2.0 to include the NRCS	Field Indicators of Hydric Soils,
	2015 Errata. (http://w							Tricia maioatoro or riyano cons,
								be collected because of refusal du
	t the surface. The so	il is assuı	ned to be non-hydri	c becau	se the im	pervious	surface does not support	rt wetland hydrology and hydrophyt
vegetation.								

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19				
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W4-1w				
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S9, T49N, R14W				
	al relief (concave, convex, none): none Slope %: 0-2				
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A				
Soil Map Unit Name: 2030: Udorthents and Udipsamments, cut or fill	NWI classification: N/A				
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	? Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)				
Are Vegetation X, Soil X, or Hydrology X significantly dist					
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynaturally probler	matic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)				
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sa	mpling point locations, transects, important features, etc.				
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area				
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No				
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:				
current site conditions are abnormally wet.	nches of rain was recorded in September, and 1.7 inches fell last night, so				
HYDROLOGY					
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)				
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)				
X Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves  Assurting Found (B42)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
High Water Table (A2)  Aquatic Fauna (B13)  And Barasita (B45)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)				
Saturation (A3) Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)				
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odo					
<del>-</del>	s on Living Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)				
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Algal Mat or Crust (B4) Recent Iron Reduction					
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)  Iron Deposits (B5)  Recent Iron Reduction Thin Muck Surface (C:					
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)  Other (Explain in Rem	<u> </u>				
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)				
	X 1 AO-Neutral Test (D3)				
Field Observations:					
Surface Water Present? Yes X No Depth (inches					
Water Table Present?  Yes  No X  Depth (inchest Saturation Present?  Yes  No X  Depth (inchest Saturation Present?					
Saturation Present? Yes No _X Depth (inchest (includes capillary fringe)	s): Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No				
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, p					
Describe Necorded Data (Stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial priotos, p	nevious inspections), il avaliable.				
Remarks:					
The presence of 1 primary and 3 secondary indicators at the sample plot	provides evidence of wetland hydrology.				

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W4-1w Absolute Dominant Indicator <u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: % Cover Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. **Number of Dominant Species** 2. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 3 (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant (B) 4. Species Across All Strata: 3 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: 7. Multiply by: Total % Cover of: =Total Cover Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = Salix interior **FACW FACW** species 40 x 2 = 5 2. FAC species x 3 = 15 x 4 = 0 3. FACU species 0 4. UPL species 0 x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 85 135 Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.59 6. **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. 40 =Total Cover X 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation Herb Stratum (Plot size: X 2 - Dominance Test is >50% 1. Calamagrostis canadensis Yes OBL X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup> 10 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. OBL Carex stricta Yes data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 5 3. Equisetum hyemale No FAC 4. Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must 6. be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 7. **Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless 45 =Total Cover of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height. 2. Hydrophytic 3. Vegetation Yes X Present? =Total Cover Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.) Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the Rapid Test. Vegetation at the sample plot is hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W4-1w

Depth	ription: (Describe) Matrix	to tne ae		u <b>ment ti</b> x Featur		itor or co	onfirm the absence o	or indicators.)
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
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<sup>1</sup> Type: C=C	oncentration, D=Depl	etion RN	M=Reduced Matrix M	 2eM=2N	ked Sand		<sup>2</sup> l ocation: F	
Hydric Soil		Ction, rai	I-Reduced Matrix, IV	IO-IVIA3	ica Garic	Oranis.		for Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
-			Dobavalua Pala	w Surfo	00 (89) (1	DD D		•
Histosol			Polyvalue Belo		ce (36) (i	LKK K,		uck (A10) (LRR K, L, MLRA 149B)
	pipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B	,				rairie Redox (A16) (LRR K, L, R)
Black Hi	` '		Thin Dark Surf					ucky Peat or Peat (S3) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
	n Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S	3ands (S	611) ( <b>LR</b> F	R K, L)	Polyvalı	ue Below Surface (S8) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
Stratified	l Layers (A5)		Loamy Mucky	Mineral	(F1) ( <b>LRI</b>	R K, L)	Thin Da	rk Surface (S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
Depleted	d Below Dark Surface	e (A11)	Loamy Gleyed	Matrix (	F2)		Iron-Ma	nganese Masses (F12) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
Thick Da	ark Surface (A12)		Depleted Matri	x (F3)			Piedmoi	nt Floodplain Soils (F19) ( <b>MLRA 149B</b> )
Sandy M	lucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su	ırface (F	6)		Mesic S	podic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )
Sandy G	leyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark	Surface	(F7)		Red Par	rent Material (F21)
	ledox (S5)		Redox Depress					allow Dark Surface (F22)
	Matrix (S6)		Marl (F10) ( <b>LR</b>		,			Explain in Remarks)
	rface (S7)			, _,				,
Bark Gar	11400 (07)							
3Indicators of	f hydrophytic vegetat	ion and w	etland hydrology mu	ist he ni	esent ur	alace diet	urbed or problematic.	
		ion and w	retiand hydrology mit	ist be bi	esent, ui	iless dist	urbed or problematic.	
	Layer (if observed):	_4_						
Type:	concr	ete						
Depth (ir	nches):	0					Hydric Soil Prese	nt? Yes X No
Version 7.0, Soils were cr	2015 Errata. (http://w	ww.nrcs. Field Indi	usda.gov/Internet/FS cators of Hydric Soil	SE_DOOs in the	CUMENT United St	S/nrcs14 tates, Ve	2p2_051293.docx) rsion 8.2. No soils cou	CS Field Indicators of Hydric Soils, and be collected because of refusal at ydrophytic vegetation and wetland

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19							
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W4-2w							
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W							
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Toeslope Local r	relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 0-2							
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A							
Soil Map Unit Name: 2030: Udorthents and Udipsamments, cut or fill	NWI classification: N/A							
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)							
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly disturb	<del></del>							
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problema								
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SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sam	pling point locations, transects, important leatures, etc.							
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area							
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No							
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:							
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)  The sample plot is located in a wet meadow. WETS analysis determined that the antecedent precipitation conditions were normal, however, more than 7 inches of rain was recorded in September, and 1.7 inches fell last night, so current site conditions are abnormally wet.								
HYDROLOGY								
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)							
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)							
X Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (E	Drainage Patterns (B10)							
X High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)							
X Saturation (A3) Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)							
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (								
Sediment Deposits (B2) Oxidized Rhizospheres of								
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Iro								
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)  Recent Iron Reduction in	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •							
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C7)	X Shallow Aquitard (D3)							
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Remark								
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)							
Field Observations:								
Surface Water Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):								
Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):								
Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	0 Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No							
(includes capillary fringe)								
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, pre	vious inspections), if available:							
Remarks:								
The presence of 3 primary and 3 secondary indicators at the sample plot pr	rovides evidence of wetland hydrology.							
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**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W4-2w Absolute Dominant Indicator <u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: % Cover Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. **Number of Dominant Species** 2. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant 4. Species Across All Strata: 2 (B) 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: Multiply by: =Total Cover Total % Cover of: Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = **FACW** species 0 x 2 = 0 2. FAC species 15 x3 =45 x 4 = 0 3. FACU species 0 0 4. UPL species x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 105 135 Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.29 6. **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. X 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation =Total Cover Herb Stratum (Plot size: \_\_\_\_) X 2 - Dominance Test is >50% 1. Juncus effusus Yes OBL X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup> 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. 30 OBL Typha angustifolia Yes data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 3. Persicaria amphibia 20 No OBL 4. Equisetum hyemale 15 No **FAC** Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must 6. be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 7. **Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless 105 =Total Cover of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height.

Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the Rapid Test. Vegetation at the sample plot is hydrophytic.

=Total Cover

2.

3.

Yes X

Hydrophytic

Vegetation

Present?

SOIL Sampling Point W4-2w

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Depth	Matrix	0/		k Feature		1 - 2	T.,, 4,	Davisanta
(inches)	Color (moist)	<u>%</u>	Color (moist)	<u>%</u>	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
0-6	10YR 2/1	100					Mucky Sand	
								-
1							2	
	ncentration, D=Deple	tion, RM=l	Reduced Matrix, M	1S=Masl	ked Sand	Grains.		Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil Ir			Daharaha Bala		(00) (	DD D		Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histosol (		_	Polyvalue Belo		ce (S8) (I	-RR R,		(A10) (LRR K, L, MLRA 149B)
	pedon (A2)		MLRA 149B)	<b>,</b>	/LDD D	MIDA		rie Redox (A16) (LRR K, L, R)
Black His		_	Thin Dark Surfa					y Peat or Peat (S3) (LRR K, L, R)
	n Sulfide (A4) Layers (A5)	_	High Chroma S Loamy Mucky I					Below Surface (S8) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> ) Surface (S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
	Below Dark Surface	<u></u>	Loamy Gleyed			X IX, L)		anese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)
	rk Surface (A12)	(A11)	Depleted Matrix	-	(2)			Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)
	ucky Mineral (S1)	_	Redox Dark Su		6)			dic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )
	eyed Matrix (S4)	_	Depleted Dark					t Material (F21)
Sandy Re		_	Redox Depress					ow Dark Surface (F22)
	Matrix (S6)	_	Marl (F10) ( <b>LR</b>		-,			lain in Remarks)
X Dark Surf		_		, ,				,
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<sup>3</sup> Indicators of	hydrophytic vegetatio	n and wet	land hydrology mu	ıst be pr	esent, ur	ıless dist	urbed or problematic.	
	ayer (if observed):			•			·	
Type:	concre	te						
Depth (in	ches):	6					Hydric Soil Present?	Yes X No
							.,	
Remarks:	n is revised from Nort	hcentral a	nd Northeast Regi	onal Su	nnlement	Version	2.0 to include the NRCS	Field Indicators of Hydric Soils,
	2015 Errata. (http://wv		_					Tiola malcators of Tryans cons,
								concrete at 6 inches. The soil at the
sample plot m	neets the S1 and S7 I	ndicators.						

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/Count	y: Douglas	Sampling Date: 10/1/19					
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	2	State: WI	Sampling Point: W5-1u					
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	S	ection, Township, Range: S16, T4	19N, R14W					
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Shoulder		ave, convex, none): Convex	Slope %: 2-6					
·	. N/A	Long: N/A	 Datum: N/A					
Soil Map Unit Name: 2030: Udorthents and Udipsamm		NWI classification						
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for	·		•					
, , ,	•		explain in Remarks.)					
Are Vegetation, SoilX, or Hydrology		Are "Normal Circumstances" pres						
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology	_naturally problematic?	(If needed, explain any answers i	n Remarks.)					
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site ma	p showing sampling poi	nt locations, transects, in	nportant features, etc.					
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes	No X Is the Sa	ampled Area						
Hydric Soil Present? Yes		Wetland? Yes	No X					
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes		otional Wetland Site ID:	·					
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a	separate report.)							
The sample plot is located in a fallow field. WETS anal	=		normal, however, more than					
7 inches of rain was recorded in september, and 1.7 inc	ches fell last night, so current si	e conditions are abnormally wet.						
HYDROLOGY								
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		Secondary Indicators (	(minimum of two required)					
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check	all that annly)	Surface Soil Crack	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					
	er-Stained Leaves (B9)	Ourlace Soil Grace Drainage Patterns	` '					
<u> </u>	atic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (						
<del></del>	Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)						
<del></del>	rogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	i de la companya de						
<del></del>	zed Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)  Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)							
I — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	sence of Reduced Iron (C4)	Stunted or Stresse	=					
	ent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)  Geomorphic Position (D2)							
<del></del>	nin Muck Surface (C7)  Shallow Aquitard (D3)							
<del></del>	her (Explain in Remarks)  Microtopographic Relief (D4)							
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	(=xpra reae)	FAC-Neutral Test (D5)						
Field Observations:			( - /					
Surface Water Present? Yes No X	Depth (inches):							
Water Table Present? Yes No X								
Saturation Present? Yes No X		Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes No X					
(includes capillary fringe)	Deptit (mones).	Wettand Trydrology Tresent:	163NOX					
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring we	ell, aerial photos, previous inspe	ctions), if available:						
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Remarks:								
No evidence of wetland hydrology was observed at the	sample plot.							

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W5-1u Absolute Dominant Indicator <u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: % Cover Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. **Number of Dominant Species** 2. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant 4. Species Across All Strata: 4 (B) 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 25.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: 7. Multiply by: =Total Cover Total % Cover of: Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = Populus tremuloides FAC **FACW** species 10 x 2 = 20 FACU 30 2. Picea glauca 10 Yes FAC species x 3 = 90 70 x 4 = 3. FACU species 280 0 4. UPL species x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 110 390 6. Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.55 **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. 40 =Total Cover 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation 2 - Dominance Test is >50% Herb Stratum (Plot size: 1. Solidago altissima Yes **FACU** 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.01 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. 20 **FACU** Poa pratensis Yes data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 3. Solidago gigantea 10 No **FACW** 4. Fragaria virginiana 10 No **FACU** Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must 6. be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 7. **Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless 70 =Total Cover of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height. 2. Hydrophytic 3. Vegetation Yes Present? No X =Total Cover Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.) Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the 50/20 rule. Vegetation at the sample plot is not hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W5-1u

Depth	Matrix		-	x Featur			onfirm the absence o	· maioatt	J. J. J.	
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture		Remar	ks
0-4	10YR 2/1	100					Loamy/Clayey		sandy lo	oam
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	· <del></del>									
			-							
			-							
			-							
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=C	oncentration, D=Depl	letion. RN	/=Reduced Matrix. N	MS=Mas	ked San	d Grains.	<sup>2</sup> Location: F	L=Pore L	ining. M=Ma	trix.
Hydric Soil		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,						matic Hydri	•
Histosol			Polyvalue Belo	w Surfa	ice (S8) (	LRR R,			-	MLRA 149B)
Histic E	pipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B	)			Coast P	rairie Red	lox (A16) ( <b>LR</b>	RR K, L, R)
Black H	istic (A3)		Thin Dark Surf	ace (S9	) (LRR R	, MLRA 1	5 cm Mu	icky Peat	or Peat (S3)	(LRR K, L, R)
Hydroge	en Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S	3ands (S	S11) ( <b>LRI</b>	R K, L)	Polyvalu	e Below S	Surface (S8)	(LRR K, L)
Stratifie	d Layers (A5)		Loamy Mucky	Mineral	(F1) ( <b>LR</b>	R K, L)	Thin Da	rk Surface	e (S9) ( <b>LRR</b> I	K, L)
	d Below Dark Surface	e (A11)	Loamy Gleyed		(F2)			-	-	) (LRR K, L, R)
	ark Surface (A12)		Depleted Matri	` '					•	9) (MLRA 149B)
	Mucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su	,	,					14A, 145, 149B)
	Gleyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark		` '			ent Mater	, ,	20)
	Redox (S5) d Matrix (S6)		Redox Depress Marl (F10) (LR	,	0)				k Surface (F2 Remarks)	22)
	ırface (S7)		Wall (I 10) ( <b>LIX</b>	ι <b>、ι、</b> ∟ <i>)</i>			Other (E	.лріант ін	i (emaiks)	
Bark oc	mace (or)									
<sup>3</sup> Indicators of	of hydrophytic vegetat	ion and v	vetland hydrology mu	ıst be p	resent, ui	nless dist	urbed or problematic.			
Restrictive	Layer (if observed):									
Type:	N/A	A								
Depth (i	nches):						Hydric Soil Prese	nt?	Yes	No X
Remarks:									<u> </u>	
	rm is revised from No	rthcentra	l and Northeast Reg	ional Su	ıpplemen	t Version	2.0 to include the NR	CS Field I	ndicators of	Hydric Soils,
	2015 Errata. (http://w									
							rsion 8.2. Refusal at 4 ndated or saturated to			
	rowing season in mos		tors or riyuric soil, rio	1 4063 1	гарреаг	to be illui	idated of Saturated to	tile Sullat	be for forig pe	enous of time
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Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W5-1w
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S9, T49N, R14W
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Flat Local r	relief (concave, convex, none): none Slope %: 0-2
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A
Soil Map Unit Name: 2030: Udorthents and Udipsamments, cut or fill	NWI classification: N/A
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation X, Soil X, or Hydrology X significantly disturb	<del></del>
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynaturally problema	
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing same	pling point locations, transects, important features, etc.
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)	
The sample plot is located in a shrub-carr on a concrete dock with standing	water and hydrophytic vegetation. WETS analysis determined that the
antecedent precipitation conditions were normal, however, more than 7 inch	
current site conditions are abnormally wet.	
HYDROLOGY	
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
X Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (E	
High Water Table (A2)  Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Saturation (A3)  Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1)  Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (0	<del></del>
Sediment Deposits (B2)  Oxidized Rhizospheres of	
Drift Deposits (B3)  Presence of Reduced Iro	
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)  Recent Iron Reduction in	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Iron Deposits (B5)  Thin Muck Surface (C7)	X Shallow Aquitard (D3)
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)  Other (Explain in Remark	
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:	<del>_</del>
Surface Water Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	2
Water Table Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):	
Saturation Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):	
(includes capillary fringe)	
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, pre	vious inspections), if available:
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Remarks:	
The presence of 1 primary and 3 secondary indicators at the sample plot pr	rovides evidence of wetland hydrology.

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W5-1w Absolute Dominant Indicator <u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: % Cover Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. **Number of Dominant Species** 2. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant (B) 4. Species Across All Strata: 2 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: 7. Multiply by: Total % Cover of: =Total Cover Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = Salix interior **FACW FACW** species 30 x 2 = 60 2. FAC species x 3 = 180 3. 0 x 4 = FACU species 0 0 4. UPL species x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 90 240 Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.67 6. **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. 30 =Total Cover 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation Herb Stratum (Plot size: \_\_\_\_) X 2 - Dominance Test is >50% 1. Equisetum hyemale Yes FAC X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup> 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 3. 4. Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must 6. be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 7. **Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height. 2. Hydrophytic 3. Vegetation Yes X Present? =Total Cover Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.) Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the 50/20 rule. Vegetation at the sample plot is hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W5-1w

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Restrictive Layer (if observed):	, ,,				,
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Version 7.0, 2015 Errata. (http://www.nrcs. Soils were cross referenced with Field India	usda.gov/Internet/FS cators of Hydric Soils	E_DOCU in the Ur	MENTS	/nrcs142 ites, Vers	2.0 to include the NRCS Field Indicators of Hydric Soils, 2p2_051293.docx) sion 8.2. No soils could be collected because of refusal at us surface supports hydrophytic vegetation and wetland

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W5-2w
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Depression Local r	relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 0-2
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A
Soil Map Unit Name: 2030: Udorthents and Udipsamments, cut or fill	NWI classification: N/A
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation, SoilX_, or Hydrologysignificantly disturb	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynaturally problema	tic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing samp	pling point locations, transects, important features, etc.
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?  Hydric Soil Present?  Wetland Hydrology Present?  Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)  The sample plot is located in a wet meadow. WETS analysis determined the than 7 inches of rain was recorded in September, and 1.7 inches fell last night	
HYDROLOGY	
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Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
X Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (B	Drainage Patterns (B10)
X High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)
X Saturation (A3) Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (0	C1) Crayfish Burrows (C8)
Sediment Deposits (B2)  Oxidized Rhizospheres o	on Living Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Iro	on (C4) Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)Recent Iron Reduction in	Tilled Soils (C6) X Geomorphic Position (D2)
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Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:	
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Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	0
Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	0 Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No
(includes capillary fringe)	
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SOIL Sampling Point W5-2w

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Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	3	City/County: Douglas	Sampling Date: 10/1/19
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reis	s Coal Company, LLC	State: WI	Sampling Point: W6-1u
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	· · · ·	Section, Township, Range: S16, T	49N, R14W
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.):	Side slope Local r	relief (concave, convex, none): Convex	Slope %: 2-6
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR		Long: N/A	Datum: N/A
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· — —	on the site typical for this time of year?		, explain in Remarks.)
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	, or Hydrologysignificantly distant		
	<del></del>	pling point locations, transects, i	•
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Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Hydric Soil Present?	Yes No X Yes No X	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes	No X
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes No X	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:	<u> </u>
The sample plot is located in a fall	•	the antecedent precipitation conditions were o current site conditions are abnormally wet.	
HYDROLOGY			
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		Secondary Indicators	(minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of or	ne is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Crac	cks (B6)
Surface Water (A1)	Water-Stained Leaves (E	39) Drainage Pattern	s (B10)
High Water Table (A2)	Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines	
Saturation (A3)	Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Wate	er Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1)	Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (	C1) Crayfish Burrows	(C8)
Sediment Deposits (B2)	Oxidized Rhizospheres of	on Living Roots (C3) Saturation Visible	on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Drift Deposits (B3)	Presence of Reduced Iro		,
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	Recent Iron Reduction in		` '
Iron Deposits (B5)	Thin Muck Surface (C7)	Shallow Aquitard	
Inundation Visible on Aerial In	• , , ,	<u>—</u>	` '
Sparsely Vegetated Concave	Surface (B8)	FAC-Neutral Test	t (D5)
Field Observations:			
Surface Water Present? Yes	No X Depth (inches):		
Water Table Present? Yes	No X Depth (inches):		
Saturation Present? Yes	No X Depth (inches):	Wetland Hydrology Present	? Yes No X
(includes capillary fringe)			
Describe Recorded Data (stream	gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, pre	vious inspections), if available:	
Remarks: No evidence of wetland hydrology	was observed at the sample plot.		

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants. Sampling Point: W6-1u Absolute Dominant Indicator <u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: % Cover Species? Status **Dominance Test worksheet:** 1. **Number of Dominant Species** 2. 0 That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A) 3. Total Number of Dominant (B) 4. Species Across All Strata: 2 5. Percent of Dominant Species 6. That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0.0% (A/B) Prevalence Index worksheet: Multiply by: =Total Cover Total % Cover of: Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: OBL species x 1 = **FACW** species 0 x 2 = 0 0 2. FAC species x 3 = 0 x 4 = 3. FACU species 85 340 4. UPL species 55 x 5 = 5. Column Totals: 140 615 Prevalence Index = B/A = 4.39 6. **Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:** 7. 1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation =Total Cover 2 - Dominance Test is >50% Herb Stratum (Plot size: \_\_\_\_) 1. Poa pratensis Yes **FACU** 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.01 30 4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting 2. Yes **UPL** Centaurea stoebe data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) 3. Securigera varia 25 No UPL 5 4. Melilotus officinalis No **FACU** Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain) 5. <sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must 6. be present, unless disturbed or problematic. 7. **Definitions of Vegetation Strata:** 8. Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in 9. diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height. 10. Sapling/shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall. Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless 140 =Total Cover of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall. Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: Woody vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in 1. height. 2. Hydrophytic 3. Vegetation Yes Present? No X =Total Cover Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.) Dominant vegetation was determined through use of the 50/20 rule. Vegetation at the sample plot is not hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W6-1u

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	pipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B	•	/			airie Redox (A16) (LRR K, L, R)
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	n Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S					Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)
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	lucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su					odic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> )
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								o gravel at 3 inches. The soil at the
			ors of hydric soil, no	r does it	t appear t	o be inu	ndated or saturated to th	ne surface for long periods of time
during the gr	owing season in mos	t years.						

#### WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Northcentral and Northeast Region

Project/Site: Reiss Superior Dock	City/County: Douglas Sampling Date: 10/1/19
Applicant/Owner: The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC	State: WI Sampling Point: W6-1w
Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Depression Local	relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 0-2
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes	
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation, SoilX, or HydrologyX significantly disturb	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrologynaturally problems	
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sam	pling point locations, transects, important features, etc.
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No
Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)  The sample plot is located in a small hardwood swamp depression. The so antecedent precipitation conditions were normal, however, more than 7 incl current site conditions are abnormally wet.	
HYDROLOGY	
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (E	B9) Drainage Patterns (B10)
High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Saturation (A3)Marl Deposits (B15)	X Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1)  Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Sediment Deposits (B2)  Oxidized Rhizospheres of Deposits (B2)	
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Iro	
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)Recent Iron Reduction in	
Iron Deposits (B5)  Thin Muck Surface (C7)  Other /Fyrlain in Remort	<del></del>
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Remark Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	ks)Microtopographic Relief (D4) X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? Yes No X Depth (inches):  Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	
Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches): Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	
(includes capillary fringe)	wettand hydrology Fresent: Tes No
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, pre	evious inspections), if available:
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Remarks: The presence of 3 secondary indicators at the sample plot provides evidence presence of a nearby road with no culvert interrupting the natural surfaceway.	, 0, , 0, 1,

**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants.

Sampling Point: W6-1w

Tree Stratum (Plot size:	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. Populus tremuloides	60	Yes	FAC	
2.		103	TAO	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 2 (A)
				That Are OBE, I AGW, OF I AC(A)
		·		Total Number of Dominant
4				Species Across All Strata: 3 (B)
5				Percent of Dominant Species
6.				That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 66.7% (A/B)
7				Prevalence Index worksheet:
	60	=Total Cover		Total % Cover of: Multiply by:
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size:)				OBL species 37 x 1 = 37
1		·		FACW species 0 x 2 = 0
2.				FAC species65 x 3 =195
3.				FACU species35 x 4 =140
4.				UPL species0 x 5 =0
5.				Column Totals: 137 (A) 372 (B)
6.				Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.72
7.				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
		=Total Cover		1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
Herb Stratum (Plot size:)				X 2 - Dominance Test is >50%
Scirpus atrovirens	25	Yes	OBL	X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
Poa pratensis	25	Yes	FACU	4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting
3. Calamagrostis canadensis	10	No	OBL	data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
4. Solidago canadensis	10	No	FACU	Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5. Equisetum arvense	5	No	FAC	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must
6. Lycopus uniflorus	2	No	OBL	be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
7.				Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
8.				Tree Meady plants 2 in (7.6 cm) or mars in
9.				<b>Tree</b> – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
10.				
11.				Sapling/shrub – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
12.				
	77	=Total Cover		<b>Herb</b> – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: )				
1.				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in height.
2.				neight.
3.				Hydrophytic
4.				Vegetation Present? Yes X No
4.		-Total Cover		riesent: res No
		=Total Cover		<u> </u>
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separ Dominant vegetation was determined through use of t		le Vegetation :	at the sample	plot is hydrophytic
				p

SOIL Sampling Point W6-1w

Depth	Matrix			x Featur		. 2	_		_	
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture		Remarks	
0-24	10YR 2/1	100							Coal	
		·					_			
Type: C=Co	oncentration, D=Deple	etion, RM	1=Reduced Matrix, N	/IS=Mas	ked Sand	d Grains.	<sup>2</sup> Location: P	L=Pore Lir	ning, M=Matrix.	
Hydric Soil I	ndicators:						Indicators f	or Probler	matic Hydric Sc	oils³:
Histosol	(A1)		Polyvalue Belo	w Surfa	ce (S8) (	LRR R,	2 cm Mu	ıck (A10) (	LRR K, L, MLR	A 149B)
Histic Ep	pipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B	,					ox (A16) ( <b>LRR K</b>	
Black Hi	` ,		Thin Dark Surf						or Peat (S3) ( <b>LR</b>	
	n Sulfide (A4)		High Chroma S						urface (S8) ( <b>LR</b>	-
	I Layers (A5)		Loamy Mucky			R K, L)			(S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )	
	Below Dark Surface	(A11)	Loamy Gleyed		(F2)			_	lasses (F12) ( <b>LF</b>	-
	ark Surface (A12)		Depleted Matri	` '					nin Soils (F19) (N	
	lucky Mineral (S1)		Redox Dark Su	,	,				6) (MLRA 144A,	145, 149B)
	leyed Matrix (S4)		Depleted Dark					ent Materia		
	edox (S5)		Redox Depress		8)				Surface (F22)	
	Matrix (S6)		Marl (F10) ( <b>LR</b>	RK, L)			X Other (E	xplain in R	Remarks)	
Dark Sui	face (S7)									
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		on and w	etiand nydrology mu	ist be pr	resent, ui	ness aist	urbed or problematic.			
	_ayer (if observed):									
Type:										
Depth (ir	nches):						Hydric Soil Prese	nt?	Yes X	No
Remarks:										
							2.0 to include the NR	CS Field In	ndicators of Hydi	ic Soils,
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Investigator(s): Matt Knickelbine	Section, Township, Range: S16, T49N, R14W
Landform (hillside, terrace, etc.): Depression Local	relief (concave, convex, none): Concave Slope %: 0-2
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR K Lat: N/A	Long: N/A Datum: N/A
Soil Map Unit Name: 262B: Amnicon-Cuttre complex, 0 to 4 percent slopes	
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year?	Yes No X (If no, explain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation , Soil X , or Hydrology X significantly disturl	<del></del>
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problems	<u> </u>
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sam	
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?  Hydric Soil Present?  Yes X No Yes X No	Is the Sampled Area
Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No  Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No	within a Wetland? Yes X No No If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)	ii yes, optional vvetiand site ib.
The sample plot is located in a shrub carr. The soil is disturbed and consist conditions were normal, however, more than 7 inches of rain was recorded abnormally wet.	
HYDROLOGY	
Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (E	B9) Drainage Patterns (B10)
High Water Table (A2)  Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Saturation (A3) Marl Deposits (B15)	X Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (	C1) Crayfish Burrows (C8)
Sediment Deposits (B2)  Oxidized Rhizospheres of	on Living Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Iro	on (C4) Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4)Recent Iron Reduction in	n Tilled Soils (C6) X Geomorphic Position (D2)
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C7)	
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)Other (Explain in Remark	ks) Microtopographic Relief (D4)
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? Yes No _X Depth (inches):	<u> </u>
Water Table Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	24
Saturation Present? Yes X No Depth (inches):	20 Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes X No
(includes capillary fringe)	
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, pre	vious inspections), if available:
Remarks:	
The presence of 2 secondary indicators at the sample plot provides evidence presence of a nearby road interrupting the natural surfacewater flow pattern	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
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**VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants.

Sampling Point: W7-1w

<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet:
1. Populus tremuloides	60	Yes	FAC	Number of Deminent Species
2. Betula papyrifera	20	Yes	FACU	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 3 (A)
3. 4.				Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 5 (B)
5. 6.				Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC:60.0%(A/B)
7.				Prevalence Index worksheet:
	80	=Total Cover		Total % Cover of: Multiply by:
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size:)				OBL species0 x 1 =0
1. Alnus incana	70	Yes	FACW	FACW species 105 x 2 = 210
2				FAC species65 x 3 =195
3				FACU species 37 x 4 = 148
4				UPL species0 x 5 =0
5.				Column Totals: 207 (A) 553 (B)
6.				Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.67
7.				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
	70	=Total Cover		1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
Herb Stratum (Plot size:)				X 2 - Dominance Test is >50%
1. Agrostis gigantea	30	Yes	FACW	X 3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
2. Poa pratensis	15	Yes	FACU	4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting
3. Equisetum arvense	5	No	FAC	data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
4. Solidago gigantea	5	No	FACW	Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
5. Fragaria virginiana	2	No	FACU	<u></u>
6.				<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
7				Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
8 9.		. <u></u>		Tree – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
10.	-			
11.				Sapling/shrub – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
12				Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless
	57	=Total Cover		of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size:) 1.				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in height.
2.				- rought
2				Hydrophytic
4.	-			Vegetation Present? Yes X No
<b>4.</b>	-	=Total Cover		rieseitt: res 🙏 tto
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Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separation was determined through use of	,	le. Vegetation	at the sample	e plot is hydrophytic.

SOIL Sampling Point W7-1w

Profile Description: (Describe to the	-			tor or co	onfirm the absence of indicators.)
Depth Matrix		x Feature		Loc <sup>2</sup>	Touture
(inches) Color (moist) %	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	LOC	Texture Remarks
0-24 10YR 2/1 100					Coal
		·			
<del></del> ,					
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, I	PM-Reduced Matrix N		ed Sand	Grains	<sup>2</sup> Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Hydric Soil Indicators:	MI-I Cadoca Matrix, N	/IO-IVIASI	cu cano	Oranis.	Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histosol (A1)	Polyvalue Belo	w Surfac	ا) (82) م	DD D	2 cm Muck (A10) (LRR K, L, MLRA 149B)
Histic Epipedon (A2)	MLRA 149B		,e (50) ( <b>1</b>	-IXIX IX,	Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (LRR K, L, R)
Black Histic (A3)	Thin Dark Surf	,	(I PP P	MI DA 1	
Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	High Chroma S				Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)
Stratified Layers (A5)	Loamy Mucky	-			Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR K, L)
Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	Loamy Gleyed			<b>、 Ⅳ</b> , ∟)	Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)
Thick Dark Surface (A12)	Depleted Matri		2)		Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B
Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	Redox Dark Su		6)		Mesic Spodic (TA6) (MLRA 144A, 145, 149B)
Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	Depleted Dark		-		Red Parent Material (F21)
Sandy Redox (S5)	Redox Depress				Very Shallow Dark Surface (F22)
Stripped Matrix (S6)	Marl (F10) (LR		"		X Other (Explain in Remarks)
Dark Surface (S7)	(Mail (F 10) ( <b>LK</b>	.K K, L)			Other (Explain in Kemarks)
Dark Surface (S1)					
<sup>3</sup> Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and	Lwotland bydrology my	iet ho pr	ocont ur	loce diet	turbed or problematic
Restrictive Layer (if observed):	wettand flydrology file	ust be pit	esent, ui	iless uist	T
Type:					
Depth (inches):					Hydric Soil Present? Yes X No
Version 7.0, 2015 Errata. (http://www.nrd Soils were cross referenced with Field Ir	cs.usda.gov/Internet/Fs idicators of Hydric Soil	SE_DOC s in the l	UMENTS United St	S/nrcs14 ates, Ve	n 2.0 to include the NRCS Field Indicators of Hydric Soils, 12p2_051293.docx) ersion 8.2. The soil is disturbed and made of coal material an the presence of wetland hydrology and hydrophytic

#### **ASSURED WETLAND DELINEATION REPORT**

Reiss Superior Dock October 28, 2019

### Appendix E SITE PHOTOGRAPHS



Photo 1. Lake Superior high-water mark, view southeast.



Photo 2. Sample Point W1-1u, view east.





Photo 3. Sample Point W1-1w, view north.



Photo 4. Sample Point W1-2w, view south.





Photo 5. Sample Point W2-1u, view east.



Photo 6. Sample Point W2-1w, view north.





Photo 7. Sample Point W3-1u, view north.



Photo 8. Sample Point W3-1w, view northeast.





Photo 9. Sample Point W4-1u, view north.



Photo 10. Sample Point W4-1w, view southeast.



Photo 11. Sample Point W4-2w, view east.



Sample Point W5-1u, view southeast Photo 12.

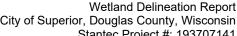




Photo 13. Sample Point W5-1w, view southwest.



Sample Point W5-2w, view northwest. Photo 14.



**Photo 15.** Sample Point W6-1u, view northwest.



**Photo 16.** Sample Point W6-1w, view east.





Photo 17. Sample Point W7-1w, view north.

### **APPENDIX C**

**WDNR Artificial Wetland Exemption Determination** 

State of Wisconsin
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
1701 N 4<sup>th</sup> Street
Superior, WI 54880

Tony Evers, Governor Preston D. Cole, Secretary Telephone 608-266-2621 Toll Free 1-888-936-7463 TTY Access via relay - 711



November 20, 2019

WIC-NO-2019-16-04026

C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC Christian Zuidmulder PO Box 188 Green Bay, WI 54305

RE: Artificial Wetland Exemption Determination for an area described as Wetland W4 and W5, located in the NE1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 16, Township 49 North, Range 14 West, City of, Douglas County

Dear Mr. Zuidmulder:

This letter is in response to your request for an artificial wetland exemption determination for the above mentioned wetlands.

According to 281.36 (4n), State Statutes, a landscape feature where hydrophytic vegetation may be present as a result of human modification to the landscape or hydrology and for which no definitive evidence exists showing a prior wetland or stream history before August 1, 1991, may be exempt from state wetland regulations. The following types of artificial wetlands cannot be exempted from state wetland regulation: 1) a wetland that serves as a fish spawning area or that is

passage to a fish spawning area and 2) a wetland created as a result of a wetland mitigation requirement. In addition, DNR must also consider whether the artificial wetland is providing significant flood protection to adjacent or downstream properties and infrastructure, and/or significant water quality functions to adjacent or downstream water bodies.

The Department reviewed the following materials to aid in our exemption determination:

- The request narrative
- Historic Maps, including the Original Land Survey Plat, the USGS topographic Quad map from 1915, 1954,1974 and soil mapping.
- Aerial photographs, including the 1938 photograph, a pre-construction photograph, and a post-construction photograph.

Below is a summary of our findings:

#### Request Narrative

According to the request narrative the wetlands formed on a concrete foundation.

#### Historic Map Review

- Original Land Survey Plat. The original land survey indicates that the area with the wetlands W4 and W5 were part of the St. Louis River.
- Bordner Survey. The Bordner survey indicates the area had been filled by the survey.



• Superior USGS Topographic Quad map: The USGS Quad map indicates by 1915 the dock had been constructed by that time..

#### Aerial Photograph Review

Aerial photographs indicate the site had been used for coal storage and other industrial uses but became inactive.

#### Conclusion:

 Based upon the information provided above, the wetland identified as Wetland W4 and W%5 are not wetlands wetland vegetation has grown on to of a concrete apron. The site is filled river bed. Wetland W4 and W5 lack wetland soils and are not regulated as wetlands by the state.

This letter describes DNR's decision regarding the jurisdictional status of Wetland W4 and W5 and is only valid for state jurisdictional purposes. For decisions regarding the federal jurisdictional status of Wetlands W4 and W5x, you will need to contact the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers contact for Douglas County is Bill Sande. Bill Sande can be reached at (651) 290-5882.

If you have any questions about this determination, please contact me at (715) 392-0803 or email Steven.LaValley@wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,

Steven LaValley

Wetland Exemption Specialist

cc: Bill Sande, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Christian Zuidmulder, C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC, Consultant





<u>Legend</u>

Project Boundary

Sample Point

Field Delineated Wetland

2ft Elevation Contour

DNR 24k Hydrography

Perennial Stream

Intermittent Stream

Waterbody

Figure No. 5

Title

Field Collected Data

Client/Project

The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC Reiss Superior Dock Wetland Delineation

Project Location T49N, R14W, S09 & S16, C. of Superior, Douglas Co., WI

Prepared by AJS on 2019-09-26 Technical Review by JH on 2019-09-27 ependent Review by MK on 2019-10-28

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Coordinate System: NAD 1983 StatePlane Wisconsin North FIPS 4801 Feet

Data Sources Include: Stantec, WisDOT, WDNR
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<u>Legend</u>

Project Boundary

Sample Point

Field Delineated Wetland

2ft Elevation Contour

DNR 24k Hydrography

Perennial Stream

Intermittent Stream

Waterbody

Figure No. 5

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Field Collected Data - Revised 12/5/2019

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# **APPENDIX D**

**Wetland Fill Permit** 

CITY OF SUPERIOR Community Development Division Douglas County, WI 1316 North 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Superior WI 54880 715-395-7506

## SAMP III Wetland Permit

THIS SAMP III WETLAND PERMIT IS ISSUED
PROVIDED ALL INFORMATION SUBMITTED BY THE APPLICANT IS TRUE AND ACCURATE.

#### SAMP III Permit Number 2020-04

OWNER: C. Reiss Terminals LLC

CONTRACTOR: TBD

PARCEL NO. 04-804-01014-00 SAMP WETLAND NO: S1-16-16 A & B

TOTAL PROJECT ACREAGE: 53.0 acres
TOTAL PERMANENT WETLAND IMPACT: 0.05 acres
TOTAL TEMPORARY WETLAND IMPACT: 0.00 acres
TOTAL PERMITTED WETLAND IMPACTS: 0.05 acres

PERMIT DATE: 10 August 2020 EXPIRATION DATE: 10 August 2025

PROJECT: Construct new airplane hangar at Bong Memorial Airport in Superior, WI.

Permit Fee \$ 1,000.00

Wetland Mitigation Credit Fee \$ 900.00 (0.05 acres x 1.2 credits/acre x \$15,000/credit)

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$ 1,900.00

APPROVED BY:

Darienne McNamara
Environmental Regulatory Manager

City of Superior

#### **SAMP III Permit Conditions**

- A. SAMP III development permits are valid for 5 years from the date of issuance.
- B. All SAMP III permits are valid only while permitted projects operate under the COE General Permit conditions attached herein.
- C. The permittee is responsible for ensuring that whomever performs, supervises, or oversees any portion of the physical work associated with the construction of the project has a copy of, is familiar with, and complies with all the terms and conditions of this permit.
- D. A copy of the approved permit, plans, and drawings shall remain onsite and made available to the COE, DNR, City or County staff, or their authorized representatives during inspections at the project site.
- E. At least one week (7 calendar days) prior to the commencement of any work authorized by this permit, the permittee shall contact the Environmental Regulatory Manager at the City of Superior by email (mcnamarad@ci.superior.wi.us) or phone with the field contact name, address, and telephone number for all companies contracted to work on the project.
- F. This is not a Building Permit or Stormwater Permit. Additional permits may be required, as applicable to local, county, state, and/or federal regulatory standards and laws. Contact the City of Superior Building Inspection Division of Public Works and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to determine if additional permits are required.
- G. SAMP Permits will only be issued in accordance with NR 216 and NR 151, and any other applicable local ordinances, for peak flow and water quality protection. Additional measures to mitigate stormwater functions will be required to ensure that the provisions of NR 216 and NR 151 are met.
- H. The permittee shall not operate or stage equipment on wetlands not authorized for destruction by this permit to prevent damage to vegetation, soil, or water resources in adjacent wetlands or surface water adjacent to SAMP permitted areas.
- The permittee shall ensure the stabilization of fill sediment to prevent erosion or sedimentation into adjacent wetlands or surface water.
- J. The permittee shall remove all temporary fills and restore the area to its original elevation.
- K. For projects that do not result in wetland losses, the permittee shall limit the establishment of invasive species by applying a standard MNDOT or WISDOT approved native wetland seed mix.
- L. The permittee shall ensure that the discharge of excess material shall not be made in a wetland not authorized for fill by the SAMP permit.

- M. The permittee shall ensure that none of the work performed to construct, operate, or maintain this project (including preparatory work, staging, and site clean-up work) causes impacts (including non-jurisdictional impacts such as drainage or non-point source sedimentation) to other waters or wetlands as well as those impacts expressly allowed by this (or a subsequent) SAMP permit.
- N. Prior to initiating any physical work on the project sites, adjacent wetlands or wetland areas that are to remain undisturbed shall be clearly marked in the field so that the boundaries are visible to equipment operators using appropriate signage, orange construction fencing, silt fencing, and/or continuous strands of flagging.
- O. To minimize the potential for future violations of Federal Law, the permittee shall provide the purchasers of any lot within the permitted project area with a copy of the wetland delineation map depicting the wetlands not authorized to be filled under this authorization. The permittee shall advise purchasers of these lots that all remaining wetlands are subject to Clean Water Act jurisdiction and Department of the Army authorization is required for filling and earthmoving activities within the boundaries. Remaining wetlands shall be shown on the subdivision plat recorded by the local zoning authority.
- P. Low-lying wetland areas not specifically authorized for fill by this permit may be maintained (mowed), but not filled with any "fill" material, or otherwise disturbed in any manner that affects the soil surface, or which may require a local SAMP or other state and/or federal wetland impact permit. This includes, but is not limited to, the disturbance or discharge of any soil or organic materials within the wetland area, removal of below-ground roots, stumps, or other matter. A copy of the approved site plan will be retained on file at the City with all building permits. A record of wetlands on site will be recorded with all building records. Any work in this area of avoidance shall remain subject to City of Superior SAMP Ordinance and/or any other applicable state or federal wetland permit.

#### **Special Permit Conditions**

 As compensation for impacts to state-listed rare plants, permittee shall perform the following mitigation measures before initiating construction:

<u>Petasites sagittatus</u>: move plants to a nearby area with similar habitat on protected land (ex. permanent conservation easement or comparable).

Prior to moving plants, permittee must provide a plan detailing the coordinates (lat/long) for all receiving sites, schedule and sequence of events, and methodology. This plan must be approved in writing by the City of Superior prior to commencing activities.

Enclosures: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Federal General Permit No. 96-06788-GP-SDE/96-06789-GP-SDE/96-06790-GP-SDE/9606791-GP-SDE/96-06792-GP-SDE (as applicable) and Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Water Quality Certification IP-NO-2007-16060LS/IP-NO-2008-71546LS/IP-NO-2008-71547LS/IP-NO-2008-71548LS.

State of Wisconsin
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
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July 7, 2020

GP-NO-2020-16-02266

C. Reiss Terminals LLC Christian Zuidmulder PO Box 188 Green Bay, WI 54305

RE: Coverage under the wetland general permit for development in the SAMP, located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, also described as in the SE1/4 of the SE1/4 of Section 09, Township 49 North, Range 14 West.

Dear Mr. or Ms. Zuidmulder:

Thank you for submitting a pre-discharge notification for coverage under the SAMP wetland general permit WDNR-GP8-2018.

You have certified that your project meets the eligibility criteria and conditions for this activity. Based upon your submittal, you may proceed with your project. Please take this time to re-read the eligibility standards and conditions of the general permit. The eligibility standards and permit conditions can be found in the statewide general permit WDNR-GP8-2013, which is attached. You are responsible for meeting all general permit eligibility standards and permit conditions. This includes notifying the Department before starting the project, and submitting photographs within one week of project completion. Please note your coverage is valid for 5 years from the date of the department's determination or until the activity is completed, whichever occurs first. This permit coverage constitutes the state of Wisconsin's wetland water quality certification under USCS s. 1341 (Clean Water Act s. 401).

The Department conducts routine and annual compliance monitoring inspections. Our staff may follow up and inspect your project to verify compliance with state statutes and codes. If you need to modify your project please contact your local Water Management Specialist, Steven LaValley at (715) 392-0803 or email Steven.LaValley@wisconsin.gov to discuss your proposed modifications.

The Department of Natural Resources appreciates your willingness to comply with wetland regulations, which help to protect the water quality, fish and wildlife habitat, natural scenic beauty and recreational value of Wisconsin's wetland resources for future generations. Please be sure to obtain any other local, state or federal permits that are required before starting your project.



If you have any questions, please call me at (715) 392-0803 or email Steven.LaValley@wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,

Steven LaValley

Water Management Specialist

cc: Bill Sande, Project Manager, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

You agree to comply with the following conditions:

- 1. **Pre-Discharge Notification**. You shall submit a complete pre-discharge notification to the Department as outlined in section 2 of this permit. If requested, you shall furnish the Department, within a reasonable timeframe, any information the department needs to verify compliance with the terms and conditions of this permit.
- 2. **Certification**. Acceptance of general permit WDNR-GP8-2018 and efforts to begin work on the activities authorized by this general permit signifies that you have certified the project meets all eligibility standards outlined in Section 1 of this permit and that you have read, understood and have agreed to follow all terms and conditions of this general permit.
- 3. **Reliance on Applicant's Data.** The determination by this office that a confirmation of authorization is not contrary to wetland water quality standards will be based upon the information provided by the applicant and any other information required by the DNR.
- 4. **Project Plans**. This permit does not authorize any work other than what is specifically described in the pre-discharge notification package and plans submitted to the Department and you certified is in compliance with the terms and conditions of WDNR-GP8-2013
- 5. **Expiration**. This general permit WDNR-GP8-2018 expires on August 22, 2023 or until the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers General Permits 96-06788-GP-SDE, 96-06789/06790-GP-SDE, 96-06791-GP-SDE, 96-06792-GP-SDE, expire, whichever is earlier.
- 6. The time limit for completing work authorized by the provisions of WDNR-GP8-2018 ends 5 years after the date on which the discharge is considered to be authorized under WDNR-GP8-2018 or until the discharge is completed, whichever occurs first.
- 7. **Other Permit Requirements**. You are responsible for obtaining any other permit or approval that may be required for your project by local zoning ordinances, other local authority, other state permits and by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers before starting your project.
- 8. **Authorization Distribution**. You must supply a copy of this general permit to every contractor working on the project.
- 9. **Project Start**. You shall notify the Department before starting construction.

- 10. **Permit Posting**. You must post a copy of this general permit coverage letter at a conspicuous location on the project site prior to the execution of the permitted activity and remaining at least five days after stabilization of the area of permitted activity. You must also have a copy of the permit coverage letter and approved plan available at the project site at all times until the project is complete.
- 11. **Permit Compliance**. The department may modify or revoke coverage of this permit if it is not constructed in compliance with the terms and conditions of this permit, or if the Department determines the project will be detrimental to wetland water quality standards. Any act of noncompliance with this permit constitutes a permit violation and is grounds for enforcement action. Additionally, if any applicable conditions of this permit are found to be invalid or unenforceable, authorization for all activities to which that condition applies is denied.
- 12. **Construction Timing**. Once wetland work commences, all wetland construction activities must be continuous until the permitted activity is completed, and the site is stabilized.
- 13. **Construction**. No other portion of the wetland may be disturbed beyond the area designated in the submitted plans. The project applicant shall not operate or stage equipment on wetlands not authorized for impacts by this general permit to prevent damage to vegetation, soil, or water resources in adjacent wetlands or surface water adjacent to the impact area that falls within the coverage of this general permit. Prior to initiating work, any adjacent wetlands that are to remain undisturbed shall be clearly marked so that the boundaries are visible to equipment operators using appropriate signage, orange construction fencing, silt fence or other approved method.
- 14. **Temporary Impacts**. For temporary impacts all fill shall be removed, and the area restored to its original elevation and the applicant shall limit the establishment of invasive species by applying an approved native wetland seed mix.
- 15. **Project Completion**. Within one week of completion of the regulated activity, you shall submit to the Department a statement certifying the project is in compliance with all the terms and conditions of this permit, and photographs of the activities authorized by this permit. This statement must reference the Department-issued docket number and be submitted to the Department staff member that authorized coverage.
- 16. Proper Maintenance. You must maintain the activity authorized by WDNR-GP8-2018 in good condition and in conformance with the terms and conditions of this permit utilizing best management practices. Any structure or fill authorized shall be properly maintained to ensure no additional impacts to the remaining wetlands.
- 17. **Site Access**. Upon reasonable notice, you shall allow access to the site to any Department employee who is investigating the project's construction, operation, maintenance or permit compliance with the terms and conditions of WDNR-GP8-2013 and applicable laws.
- 18. **Erosion and siltation controls**. The project site shall implement erosion and sediment control measures that adequately control or prevent erosion and prevent damage to wetlands as outlined in NR 151.11(6m), Wis. Adm. Code.

- 19. **Equipment used**. The equipment used in the wetlands must be low ground weight equipment as specified by the manufacturer specifications.
- 20. **Invasive Species**. All project equipment shall be decontaminated for removal of invasive species prior to and after each use on the project site by utilizing other best management practices to avoid the spread of invasive species as outlined in NR 40, Wis. Adm. Code. For more information, refer to <a href="http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/Invasives/bmp.html">http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/Invasives/bmp.html</a>.
- 21. Federal and State Threatened and Endangered Species. WDNR-GP8-2018 does not affect the DNR's responsibility to ensure that all authorizations comply with Section 7 of the Federal Endangered Species Act, s. 29.604, Wis. Stats and applicable State Laws. No DNR authorization under this permit will be granted for projects found not to comply with these Acts/laws. No activity is authorized which is likely to jeopardize the continued existence of a threatened or endangered species or a species proposed for such designation, as identified under the Federal Endangered Species Act and/or State law or which is likely to destroy or adversely modify the critical habitat of a species as identified under the Federal Endangered Species Act.
- 22. **Special Concern Species**. If the Wisconsin National Heritage Inventory lists a known special concern species to be present in the project area you will take reasonable action to prevent significant adverse impacts or to enhance the habitat for the species of concern.
- 23. Historic Properties and Cultural Resources. WDNR-GP8-2018 does not affect the DNR's responsibility to ensure that all authorizations comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and s. 44.40, Wis. Stats. No DNR authorization under this permit will be granted for projects found not to comply with these Acts/laws. Information on the location and existence of historic resources can be obtained from the State Historic Preservation Office and the National Register of Historic Places. If cultural, archaeological, or historical resources are unearthed during activities authorized by this permit, work must be stopped immediately, and the State Historic Preservation Officer must be contacted for further instruction.
- 24. Preventive Measures. Measures must be adopted to prevent potential pollutants from entering a wetland or waterbody. Construction materials and debris, including fuels, oil, and other liquid substances, will not be stored in the construction area in a manner that would allow them to enter a wetland or waterbody as a result of spillage, natural runoff, or flooding. If a spill of any potential pollutant should occur, it is the responsibility of the permittee to remove such material, to minimize any contamination resulting from this spill, and to immediately notify the State Duty Officer at 1-800-943-0003.
- 25. **Suitable fill material.** All fill authorized under this permit must consist of clean suitable soil material, as defined by s. NR 500.03(214), Wis. Admin. Code, free from hazardous substances as defined by s. 289.01(11), Wis. Stats., and free from solid waste as defined by s. 289.01(11) and (33), Wis. Stats.
- 26. **Standard for Coverage**. Wetland impacts from the project will cause only minimal adverse environmental impacts as determined by the Department.
- 27. **Transfers**. Coverage under this permit is transferable to any person upon prior written approval of the transfer by the Department.

- 28. **Limits of State Liability**. In authorizing work, the State Government does not assume any liability, including for the following:
  - a. Damages to the permitted project or uses thereof as a result of other permitted or unpermitted activities or from natural causes.
  - b. Damages to the permitted project or uses thereof as a result of current or future activities undertaken by or on behalf of the State in the public interest.
  - c. Damages to persons, property, or to other permitted or unpermitted activities or structures caused by the activity authorized by this permit.
  - d. Design or construction deficiencies associated with the permitted work.
  - e. Damage claims associated with any future modification, suspension, or revocation of this WDNR-GP8-2013.
- 29. **Reevaluation of Decision**. The Department may suspend, modify or revoke authorization of any previously authorized activity and may take enforcement action if the following occur:
  - a. The applicant fails to comply with the terms and conditions of WDNR-GP8-2013.
  - b. The information provided by the applicant in support of the permit application proves to have been false, incomplete, or inaccurate.
  - c. Significant new information surfaces which this office did not consider in reaching the original public interest decision.



# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, ST. PAUL DISTRICT 180 FIFTH STREET EAST, SUITE 700 ST. PAUL, MN 55101-1678

July 29, 2020

Regulatory File No. 2019-02784-WMS

Christian Zuidmulder
C. Reiss Terminals, LLC
PO Box 188
Green Bay, Wisconsin 54305

Dear Mr. Zuidmulder:

This correspondence is in regard to your pre-construction notification (PCN) requesting Department of the Army authorization to discharge fill material into 0.05-acre of wetlands (SAMP Wetlands S1-16-16A & S1-16-16B) for the construction of a new entrance road and a new railway spur at the C. Reiss Coal Dock Wisconsin facility. Compensation for the permanent loss of 0.05-acre of wetlands is provided by debiting 0.06 wetland credits from the City of Superior's Wetland Mitigation Bank. The project site is in Sections 9 & 16, Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Douglas County, Wisconsin.

Your project as shown on the enclosed figure labeled 2019-02784-WMS, is authorized by the City of Superior Special Area Management Plan (SAMP III) General Permit for Commercial/Industrial Development (1996-06788-SDE). In order for this verification to be valid, you must ensure the work is performed in accordance with the SAMP III General Conditions and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources' 401 Water Quality Certification Conditions.

You are also required to complete and return the enclosed Compliance Certification form within 30 days upon completion of your project in accordance with your permit conditions. Please mail the completed form to the Corps contact identified in the last paragraph.

This verification is valid until July 29, 2024, unless the general permit is modified, suspended, or revoked. If the work has not been completed by that time, you should contact this office to verify that the permit is still valid. Furthermore, if you commence or are under contract to commence this activity before the date of general permit expiration, modification, or revocation, you will have 12 months from the date of expiration, modification or revocation to complete the activity under the present terms and conditions of the general permit.

Our verification of this permit is based on the project description and construction methods provided in your PCN. You are cautioned that a change in the location or plans may invalidate this verification. Proposed changes should be coordinated with this office prior to construction. Failure to comply with all terms and conditions of this permit verification invalidates this verification and could result in a violation of Section 301 of the Clean Water Act or Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act. You must also obtain all local, State, and other Federal permits that apply to this project.

No jurisdictional determination was requested or prepared for this project. While not required, you may request a jurisdictional determination from the Corps contact indicated below.

#### Regulatory Branch (File No. 2019-02784-WMS)

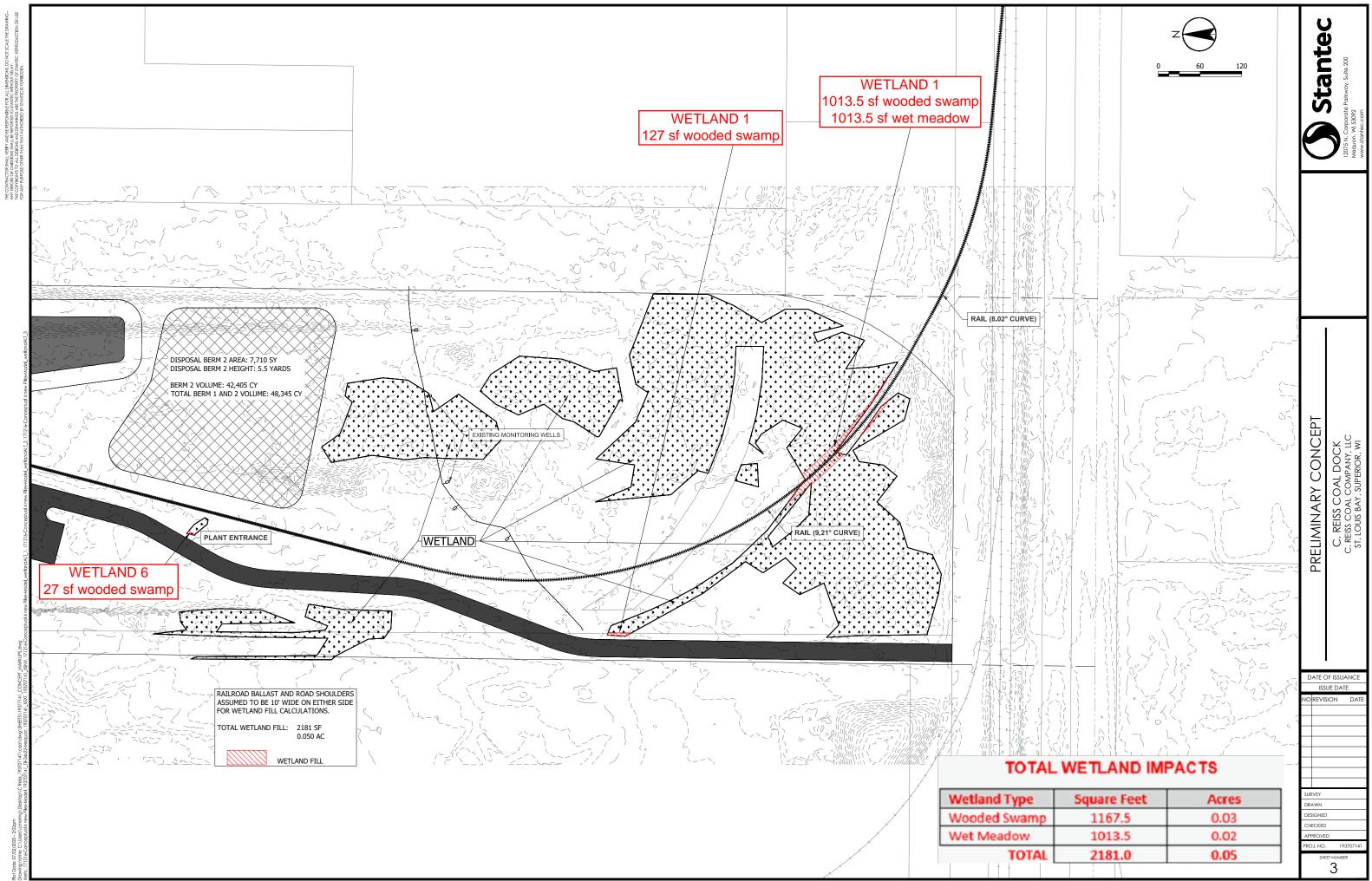
If you have any questions, please contact me in our Hayward office at (651) 290-5882 or william.m.sande@usace.army.mil. In any correspondence or inquiries, please refer to the Regulatory file number shown above.

Sincerely,

William Sande

Senior Project Manager

cc: Steve LaValley, WDNR (Steven.LaValley@wisconsin.gov)
Darienne McNamara, City of Superior (mcnamarad@ci.superior.wi.us)





of Engineers ® St. Paul District							
	COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION						
Regulatory File Number:	2019-02787-WMS						
Name of Permittee:	C. Reiss Terminals, LLC						
County/State:	Douglas County/Wisconsin						
Date of Issuance:	July 29, 2020						
	ity authorized by this permit and any mitigation required by the and return it to the Corps contact identified in your verification letter						
	ted activity is subject to a compliance inspection by a U.S. Army stative. If you fail to comply with this permit, you are subject to ion, or revocation.						
By signing below, the permittee is certifying that the work authorized by the above referenced permit has been completed in accordance with the terms and conditions of the permit, and any required mitigation was completed in accordance with the permit conditions.							
Signature of Permittee	Date						

## **APPENDIX E**

**Threatened and Endangered Species** 



## United States Department of the Interior



#### FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Minnesota-Wisconsin Ecological Services Field Office 4101 American Blvd E Bloomington, MN 55425-1665 Phone: (952) 252-0092 Fax: (952) 646-2873

http://www.fws.gov/midwest/Endangered/section7/s7process/step1.html

In Reply Refer To: April 25, 2022

Project Code: 2022-0035464

Project Name: C. Reiss Superior Dock

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project

location or may be affected by your proposed project

#### To Whom It May Concern:

This response has been generated by the Information, Planning, and Conservation (IPaC) system to provide information on natural resources that could be affected by your project. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) provides this response under the authority of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543), the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668-668d), the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 703-712), and the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act (16 U.S.C. 661 *et seq.*).

#### **Threatened and Endangered Species**

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, proposed and candidate species, as well as proposed and final designated critical habitat, that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirement for obtaining a Technical Assistance Letter from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the ECOS IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the ECOS IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list.

#### **Consultation Technical Assistance**

Please refer to refer to our <u>Section 7 website</u> for guidance and technical assistance, including <u>step-by-step instructions</u> for making effects determinations for each species that might be present and for specific guidance on the following types of projects: projects in developed areas, HUD, CDBG, EDA, pipelines, buried utilities, telecommunications, and requests for a Conditional Letter of Map Revision (CLOMR) from FEMA.

## Using the IPaC Official Species List to Make No Effect and May Affect Determinations for Listed Species

If IPaC returns a result of "There are no listed species found within the vicinity of the project," then
project proponents can conclude the proposed activities will have **no effect** on any federally listed
species under Service jurisdiction. Concurrence from the Service is not required for **no effect** determinations. No further consultation or coordination is required. Attach this letter to the dated
IPaC species list report for your records.

- 2. If IPaC returns one or more federally listed, proposed, or candidate species as potentially present in the action area of the proposed project other than bats (see below) then project proponents must determine if proposed activities will have **no effect** on or **may affect** those species. For assistance in determining if suitable habitat for listed, candidate, or proposed species occurs within your project area or if species may be affected by project activities, you can obtain <u>Life History Information for Listed and Candidate Species</u> on our office website. If no impacts will occur to a species on the IPaC species list (e.g., there is no habitat present in the project area), the appropriate determination is **no effect**. No further consultation or coordination is required. Attach this letter to the dated IPaC species list report for your records.
- 3. Should you determine that project activities **may affect** any federally listed, please contact our office for further coordination. Letters with requests for consultation or correspondence about your project should include the Consultation Tracking Number in the header. <u>Electronic submission is preferred</u>.

#### **Northern Long-Eared Bats**

Northern long-eared bats occur throughout Minnesota and Wisconsin and the information below may help in determining if your project may affect these species.

This species hibernates in caves or mines only during the winter. In Minnesota and Wisconsin, the hibernation season is considered to be November 1 to March 31. During the active season (April 1 to October 31) they roost in forest and woodland habitats. Suitable summer habitat for northern long-eared bats consists of a wide variety of forested/wooded habitats where they roost, forage, and travel and may also include some adjacent and interspersed non-forested habitats such as emergent wetlands and adjacent edges of agricultural fields, old fields and pastures. This includes forests and woodlots containing potential roosts (i.e., live trees and/or snags ≥3 inches dbh for northern long-eared bat that have exfoliating bark, cracks, crevices, and/or hollows), as well as linear features such as fencerows, riparian forests, and other wooded corridors. These wooded areas may be dense or loose aggregates of trees with variable amounts of canopy closure. Individual trees may be considered suitable habitat when they exhibit the characteristics of a potential roost tree and are located within 1,000 feet (305 meters) of forested/wooded habitat. Northern long-eared bats have also been observed roosting in human-made structures, such as buildings, barns, bridges, and bat houses; therefore, these structures should also be considered potential summer habitat and evaluated for use by bats. If your project will impact caves or mines or will involve clearing forest or woodland habitat containing suitable roosting habitat, northern long-eared bats could be affected.

#### Examples of unsuitable habitat include:

- Individual trees that are greater than 1,000 feet from forested or wooded areas,
- Trees found in highly developed urban areas (e.g., street trees, downtown areas),

- A pure stand of less than 3-inch dbh trees that are not mixed with larger trees, and
- A stand of eastern red cedar shrubby vegetation with no potential roost trees.

If IPaC returns a result that northern long-eared bats are potentially present in the action area of the proposed project, project proponents can conclude the proposed activities **may affect** this species **IF** one or more of the following activities are proposed:

- Clearing or disturbing suitable roosting habitat, as defined above, at any time of year,
- Any activity in or near the entrance to a cave or mine,
- Mining, deep excavation, or underground work within 0.25 miles of a cave or mine,
- Construction of one or more wind turbines, or
- Demolition or reconstruction of human-made structures that are known to be used by bats based on observations of roosting bats, bats emerging at dusk, or guano deposits or stains.

*If none of the above activities are proposed*, project proponents can conclude the proposed activities will have **no effect** on the northern long-eared bat. Concurrence from the Service is not required for **No Effect** determinations. No further consultation or coordination is required. Attach this letter to the dated IPaC species list report for your records.

If any of the above activities are proposed, please use the northern long-eared bat determination key in IPaC. This tool streamlines consultation under the 2016 rangewide programmatic biological opinion for the 4(d) rule. The key helps to determine if prohibited take might occur and, if not, will generate an automated verification letter. No further review by us is necessary.

Please note that on March 23, 2022, the Service published a proposal to reclassify the northern long-eared bat as endangered under the Endangered Species Act. The U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia has ordered the Service to complete a new final listing determination for the bat by November 2022 (Case 1:15-cv-00477, March 1, 2021). The bat, currently listed as threatened, faces extinction due to the range-wide impacts of white-nose syndrome (WNS), a deadly fungal disease affecting cave-dwelling bats across the continent. The proposed reclassification, if finalized, would remove the current 4(d) rule for the NLEB, as these rules may be applied only to threatened species. Depending on the type of effects a project has on NLEB, the change in the species' status may trigger the need to re-initiate consultation for any actions that are not completed and for which the Federal action agency retains discretion once the new listing determination becomes effective (anticipated to occur by December 30, 2022). If your project may result in incidental take of northern long-eared bats after the new listing goes into effect this will first need to addressed in an updated consultation that includes an Incidental Take Statement. If your project may require re-initiation of consultation, please contact our office for additional guidance.

#### **Whooping Crane**

Whooping crane is designated as a non-essential experimental population in Wisconsin and consultation under Section 7(a)(2) of the Endangered Species Act is only required if project activities will occur within a National Wildlife Refuge or National Park. If project activities are proposed on lands outside of a National Wildlife Refuge or National Park, then you are not required to consult. For additional information on this designation and consultation requirements, please review "Establishment of a Nonessential Experimental Population of

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#### Whooping Cranes in the Eastern United States."

#### **Other Trust Resources and Activities**

Bald and Golden Eagles - Although the bald eagle has been removed from the endangered species list, this species and the golden eagle are protected by the Bald and Golden Eagle Act and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act. Should bald or golden eagles occur within or near the project area please contact our office for further coordination. For communication and wind energy projects, please refer to additional guidelines below.

Migratory Birds - The Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) prohibits the taking, killing, possession, transportation, and importation of migratory birds, their eggs, parts, and nests, except when specifically authorized by the Service. The Service has the responsibility under the MBTA to proactively prevent the mortality of migratory birds whenever possible and we encourage implementation of recommendations that minimize potential impacts to migratory birds. Such measures include clearing forested habitat outside the nesting season (generally March 1 to August 31) or conducting nest surveys prior to clearing to avoid injury to eggs or nestlings.

Communication Towers - Construction of new communications towers (including radio, television, cellular, and microwave) creates a potentially significant impact on migratory birds, especially some 350 species of night-migrating birds. However, the Service has developed voluntary guidelines for minimizing impacts.

Transmission Lines - Migratory birds, especially large species with long wingspans, heavy bodies, and poor maneuverability can also collide with power lines. In addition, mortality can occur when birds, particularly hawks, eagles, kites, falcons, and owls, attempt to perch on uninsulated or unguarded power poles. To minimize these risks, please refer to guidelines developed by the Avian Power Line Interaction Committee and the Service. Implementation of these measures is especially important along sections of lines adjacent to wetlands or other areas that support large numbers of raptors and migratory birds.

Wind Energy - To minimize impacts to migratory birds and bats, wind energy projects should follow the Service's Wind Energy Guidelines. In addition, please refer to the Service's Eagle Conservation Plan Guidance, which provides guidance for conserving bald and golden eagles in the course of siting, constructing, and operating wind energy facilities.

#### **State Department of Natural Resources Coordination**

While it is not required for your Federal section 7 consultation, please note that additional state endangered or threatened species may also have the potential to be impacted. Please contact the Minnesota or Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for information on state listed species that may be present in your proposed project area.

#### Minnesota

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources - Endangered Resources Review Homepage Email: Review.NHIS@state.mn.us

#### Wisconsin

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources - Endangered Resources Review Homepage

Email: <u>DNRERReview@wi.gov</u>

We appreciate your concern for threatened and endangered species. Please feel free to contact our office with questions or for additional information.

### Attachment(s):

- Official Species List
- USFWS National Wildlife Refuges and Fish Hatcheries
- Migratory Birds
- Wetlands

## **Official Species List**

This list is provided pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, and fulfills the requirement for Federal agencies to "request of the Secretary of the Interior information whether any species which is listed or proposed to be listed may be present in the area of a proposed action".

This species list is provided by:

Minnesota-Wisconsin Ecological Services Field Office 4101 American Blvd E Bloomington, MN 55425-1665 (952) 252-0092

### **Project Summary**

Project Code: 2022-0035464

Event Code: None

Project Name: C. Reiss Superior Dock

Project Type: Boatlift/Boathouse/Dock/Pier/Piles - Maintenance/Modification

Project Description: Revitalize existing dock and associated infrastructure for use. Project is

tentatively scheduled to start in the summer of 2022.

#### **Project Location:**

Approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <a href="https://www.google.com/maps/@46.734386246306,-92.12172460650305,14z">https://www.google.com/maps/@46.734386246306,-92.12172460650305,14z</a>



Counties: Douglas County, Wisconsin

### **Endangered Species Act Species**

There is a total of 6 threatened, endangered, or candidate species on this species list.

Species on this list should be considered in an effects analysis for your project and could include species that exist in another geographic area. For example, certain fish may appear on the species list because a project could affect downstream species.

IPaC does not display listed species or critical habitats under the sole jurisdiction of NOAA Fisheries<sup>1</sup>, as USFWS does not have the authority to speak on behalf of NOAA and the Department of Commerce.

See the "Critical habitats" section below for those critical habitats that lie wholly or partially within your project area under this office's jurisdiction. Please contact the designated FWS office if you have questions.

1. <u>NOAA Fisheries</u>, also known as the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), is an office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration within the Department of Commerce.

#### **Mammals**

NAME STATUS

#### Canada Lynx Lynx canadensis

Threatened

Population: Wherever Found in Contiguous U.S.

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.

Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/3652">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/3652</a>

#### Gray Wolf Canis lupus

Endangered

Population: U.S.A.: All of AL, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, FL, GA, IA, IN, IL, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MI, MO, MS, NC, ND, NE, NH, NJ, NV, NY, OH, OK, PA, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, VA,

VT, WI, and WV; and portions of AZ, NM, OR, UT, and WA. Mexico.

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.

Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4488">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4488</a>

#### Northern Long-eared Bat Myotis septentrionalis

Threatened

No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9045">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9045</a>

#### **Birds**

NAME STATUS

#### Piping Plover Charadrius melodus

Endangered

Population: [Great Lakes watershed DPS] - Great Lakes, watershed in States of IL, IN, MI, MN,

NY, OH, PA, and WI and Canada (Ont.)

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.

Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/6039

#### Red Knot Calidris canutus rufa

Threatened

There is **proposed** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.

Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1864

### **Flowering Plants**

NAME STATUS

#### Fassett's Locoweed Oxytropis campestris var. chartacea

Threatened

No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/209">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/209</a>

#### **Critical habitats**

THERE ARE NO CRITICAL HABITATS WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA UNDER THIS OFFICE'S JURISDICTION.

# USFWS National Wildlife Refuge Lands And Fish Hatcheries

Any activity proposed on lands managed by the <u>National Wildlife Refuge</u> system must undergo a 'Compatibility Determination' conducted by the Refuge. Please contact the individual Refuges to discuss any questions or concerns.

THERE ARE NO REFUGE LANDS OR FISH HATCHERIES WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA.

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## **Migratory Birds**

Certain birds are protected under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act<sup>1</sup> and the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act<sup>2</sup>.

Any person or organization who plans or conducts activities that may result in impacts to migratory birds, eagles, and their habitats should follow appropriate regulations and consider implementing appropriate conservation measures, as described <u>below</u>.

- 1. The Migratory Birds Treaty Act of 1918.
- 2. The Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act of 1940.
- 3. 50 C.F.R. Sec. 10.12 and 16 U.S.C. Sec. 668(a)

The birds listed below are birds of particular concern either because they occur on the <u>USFWS</u> <u>Birds of Conservation Concern</u> (BCC) list or warrant special attention in your project location. To learn more about the levels of concern for birds on your list and how this list is generated, see the FAQ <u>below</u>. This is not a list of every bird you may find in this location, nor a guarantee that every bird on this list will be found in your project area. To see exact locations of where birders and the general public have sighted birds in and around your project area, visit the <u>E-bird data mapping tool</u> (Tip: enter your location, desired date range and a species on your list). For projects that occur off the Atlantic Coast, additional maps and models detailing the relative occurrence and abundance of bird species on your list are available. Links to additional information about Atlantic Coast birds, and other important information about your migratory bird list, including how to properly interpret and use your migratory bird report, can be found below.

For guidance on when to schedule activities or implement avoidance and minimization measures to reduce impacts to migratory birds on your list, click on the PROBABILITY OF PRESENCE SUMMARY at the top of your list to see when these birds are most likely to be present and breeding in your project area.

NAME	BREEDING SEASON
Bald Eagle <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i> This is not a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) in this area, but warrants attention because of the Eagle Act or for potential susceptibilities in offshore areas from certain types of development or activities.	Breeds Dec 1 to Aug 31
Black-billed Cuckoo <i>Coccyzus erythropthalmus</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9399">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9399</a>	Breeds May 15 to Oct 10

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NAME	BREEDING SEASON
Bobolink <i>Dolichonyx oryzivorus</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.	Breeds May 20 to Jul 31
Canada Warbler <i>Cardellina canadensis</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.	Breeds May 20 to Aug 10
Common Tern <i>Sterna hirundo hirundo</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA	Breeds May 1 to Aug 31
Connecticut Warbler <i>Oporornis agilis</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.	Breeds Jun 15 to Aug 10
Evening Grosbeak <i>Coccothraustes vespertinus</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.	Breeds May 15 to Aug 10
Golden Eagle <i>Aquila chrysaetos</i> This is not a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) in this area, but warrants attention because of the Eagle Act or for potential susceptibilities in offshore areas from certain types of development or activities. <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1680">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1680</a>	Breeds Jan 1 to Aug 31
Golden-winged Warbler <i>Vermivora chrysoptera</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8745">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8745</a>	Breeds May 1 to Jul 20
Le Conte's Sparrow <i>Ammodramus leconteii</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska.	Breeds Jun 1 to Aug 15
Lesser Yellowlegs <i>Tringa flavipes</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9679">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9679</a>	Breeds elsewhere
Olive-sided Flycatcher <i>Contopus cooperi</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/3914">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/3914</a>	Breeds May 20 to Aug 31
Ruddy Turnstone <i>Arenaria interpres morinella</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA	Breeds elsewhere

### **Probability Of Presence Summary**

The graphs below provide our best understanding of when birds of concern are most likely to be present in your project area. This information can be used to tailor and schedule your project activities to avoid or minimize impacts to birds. Please make sure you read and understand the FAQ "Proper Interpretation and Use of Your Migratory Bird Report" before using or attempting to interpret this report.

#### **Probability of Presence (■)**

Each green bar represents the bird's relative probability of presence in the 10km grid cell(s) your project overlaps during a particular week of the year. (A year is represented as 12 4-week months.) A taller bar indicates a higher probability of species presence. The survey effort (see below) can be used to establish a level of confidence in the presence score. One can have higher confidence in the presence score if the corresponding survey effort is also high.

How is the probability of presence score calculated? The calculation is done in three steps:

- 1. The probability of presence for each week is calculated as the number of survey events in the week where the species was detected divided by the total number of survey events for that week. For example, if in week 12 there were 20 survey events and the Spotted Towhee was found in 5 of them, the probability of presence of the Spotted Towhee in week 12 is 0.25.
- 2. To properly present the pattern of presence across the year, the relative probability of presence is calculated. This is the probability of presence divided by the maximum probability of presence across all weeks. For example, imagine the probability of presence in week 20 for the Spotted Towhee is 0.05, and that the probability of presence at week 12 (0.25) is the maximum of any week of the year. The relative probability of presence on week 12 is 0.25/0.25 = 1; at week 20 it is 0.05/0.25 = 0.2.
- 3. The relative probability of presence calculated in the previous step undergoes a statistical conversion so that all possible values fall between 0 and 10, inclusive. This is the probability of presence score.

### **Breeding Season** (

Yellow bars denote a very liberal estimate of the time-frame inside which the bird breeds across its entire range. If there are no yellow bars shown for a bird, it does not breed in your project area.

#### Survey Effort (|)

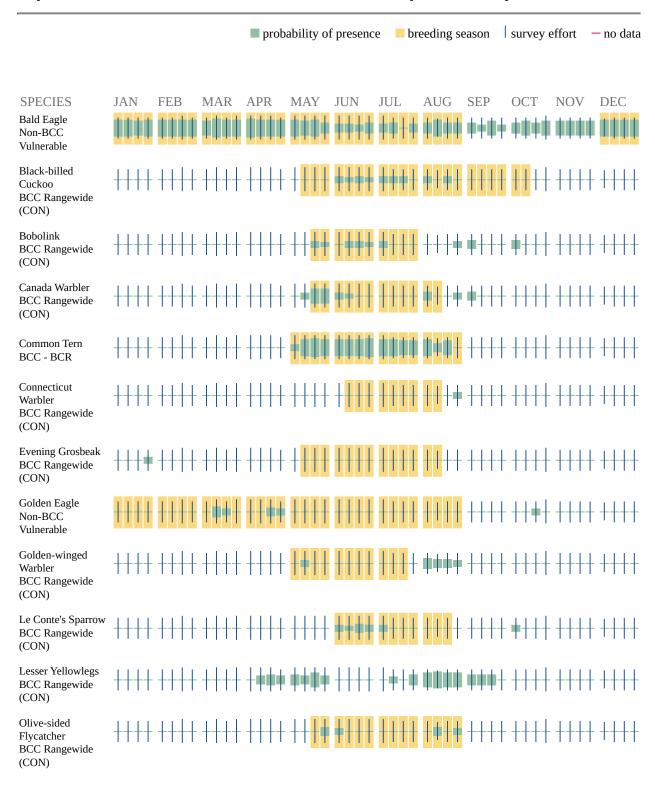
Vertical black lines superimposed on probability of presence bars indicate the number of surveys performed for that species in the 10km grid cell(s) your project area overlaps. The number of surveys is expressed as a range, for example, 33 to 64 surveys.

#### No Data (-)

A week is marked as having no data if there were no survey events for that week.

#### **Survey Timeframe**

Surveys from only the last 10 years are used in order to ensure delivery of currently relevant information. The exception to this is areas off the Atlantic coast, where bird returns are based on all years of available data, since data in these areas is currently much more sparse.





Additional information can be found using the following links:

- Birds of Conservation Concern <a href="https://www.fws.gov/program/migratory-birds/species">https://www.fws.gov/program/migratory-birds/species</a>
- Measures for avoiding and minimizing impacts to birds <a href="https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/avoiding-and-minimizing-incidental-take-migratory-birds">https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/avoiding-and-minimizing-incidental-take-migratory-birds</a>
- Nationwide conservation measures for birds <a href="https://www.fws.gov/sites/default/files/documents/nationwide-standard-conservation-measures.pdf">https://www.fws.gov/sites/default/files/documents/nationwide-standard-conservation-measures.pdf</a>

#### **Migratory Birds FAQ**

Tell me more about conservation measures I can implement to avoid or minimize impacts to migratory birds.

Nationwide Conservation Measures describes measures that can help avoid and minimize impacts to all birds at any location year round. Implementation of these measures is particularly important when birds are most likely to occur in the project area. When birds may be breeding in the area, identifying the locations of any active nests and avoiding their destruction is a very helpful impact minimization measure. To see when birds are most likely to occur and be breeding in your project area, view the Probability of Presence Summary. Additional measures or permits may be advisable depending on the type of activity you are conducting and the type of infrastructure or bird species present on your project site.

## What does IPaC use to generate the migratory birds potentially occurring in my specified location?

The Migratory Bird Resource List is comprised of USFWS <u>Birds of Conservation Concern</u> (<u>BCC</u>) and other species that may warrant special attention in your project location.

The migratory bird list generated for your project is derived from data provided by the <u>Avian Knowledge Network (AKN)</u>. The AKN data is based on a growing collection of <u>survey</u>, <u>banding</u>, <u>and citizen science datasets</u> and is queried and filtered to return a list of those birds reported as occurring in the 10km grid cell(s) which your project intersects, and that have been identified as warranting special attention because they are a BCC species in that area, an eagle (<u>Eagle Act</u> requirements may apply), or a species that has a particular vulnerability to offshore activities or development.

Again, the Migratory Bird Resource list includes only a subset of birds that may occur in your project area. It is not representative of all birds that may occur in your project area. To get a list of all birds potentially present in your project area, please visit the <u>AKN Phenology Tool</u>.

What does IPaC use to generate the probability of presence graphs for the migratory birds potentially occurring in my specified location?

The probability of presence graphs associated with your migratory bird list are based on data provided by the <u>Avian Knowledge Network (AKN)</u>. This data is derived from a growing collection of <u>survey</u>, <u>banding</u>, <u>and citizen science datasets</u>.

Probability of presence data is continuously being updated as new and better information becomes available. To learn more about how the probability of presence graphs are produced and how to interpret them, go the Probability of Presence Summary and then click on the "Tell me about these graphs" link.

## How do I know if a bird is breeding, wintering, migrating or present year-round in my project area?

To see what part of a particular bird's range your project area falls within (i.e. breeding, wintering, migrating or year-round), you may refer to the following resources: The Cornell Lab of Ornithology All About Birds Bird Guide, or (if you are unsuccessful in locating the bird of interest there), the Cornell Lab of Ornithology Neotropical Birds guide. If a bird on your migratory bird species list has a breeding season associated with it, if that bird does occur in your project area, there may be nests present at some point within the timeframe specified. If "Breeds elsewhere" is indicated, then the bird likely does not breed in your project area.

#### What are the levels of concern for migratory birds?

Migratory birds delivered through IPaC fall into the following distinct categories of concern:

- 1. "BCC Rangewide" birds are <u>Birds of Conservation Concern</u> (BCC) that are of concern throughout their range anywhere within the USA (including Hawaii, the Pacific Islands, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands);
- 2. "BCC BCR" birds are BCCs that are of concern only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA; and
- 3. "Non-BCC Vulnerable" birds are not BCC species in your project area, but appear on your list either because of the <a href="Eagle Act">Eagle Act</a> requirements (for eagles) or (for non-eagles) potential susceptibilities in offshore areas from certain types of development or activities (e.g. offshore energy development or longline fishing).

Although it is important to try to avoid and minimize impacts to all birds, efforts should be made, in particular, to avoid and minimize impacts to the birds on this list, especially eagles and BCC species of rangewide concern. For more information on conservation measures you can implement to help avoid and minimize migratory bird impacts and requirements for eagles, please see the FAQs for these topics.

#### Details about birds that are potentially affected by offshore projects

For additional details about the relative occurrence and abundance of both individual bird species and groups of bird species within your project area off the Atlantic Coast, please visit the <a href="Northeast Ocean Data Portal">Northeast Ocean Data Portal</a>. The Portal also offers data and information about other taxa besides birds that may be helpful to you in your project review. Alternately, you may download the bird model results files underlying the portal maps through the <a href="NOAA NCCOS Integrative Statistical Modeling">NOAA NCCOS Integrative Statistical Modeling</a> and Predictive Mapping of Marine Bird Distributions and Abundance on the Atlantic Outer Continental Shelf project webpage.

Bird tracking data can also provide additional details about occurrence and habitat use throughout the year, including migration. Models relying on survey data may not include this information. For additional information on marine bird tracking data, see the <u>Diving Bird Study</u> and the <u>nanotag studies</u> or contact <u>Caleb Spiegel</u> or <u>Pam Loring</u>.

#### What if I have eagles on my list?

If your project has the potential to disturb or kill eagles, you may need to <u>obtain a permit</u> to avoid violating the Eagle Act should such impacts occur.

#### **Proper Interpretation and Use of Your Migratory Bird Report**

The migratory bird list generated is not a list of all birds in your project area, only a subset of birds of priority concern. To learn more about how your list is generated, and see options for identifying what other birds may be in your project area, please see the FAQ "What does IPaC use to generate the migratory birds potentially occurring in my specified location". Please be aware this report provides the "probability of presence" of birds within the 10 km grid cell(s) that overlap your project; not your exact project footprint. On the graphs provided, please also look carefully at the survey effort (indicated by the black vertical bar) and for the existence of the "no data" indicator (a red horizontal bar). A high survey effort is the key component. If the survey effort is high, then the probability of presence score can be viewed as more dependable. In contrast, a low survey effort bar or no data bar means a lack of data and, therefore, a lack of certainty about presence of the species. This list is not perfect; it is simply a starting point for identifying what birds of concern have the potential to be in your project area, when they might be there, and if they might be breeding (which means nests might be present). The list helps you know what to look for to confirm presence, and helps guide you in knowing when to implement conservation measures to avoid or minimize potential impacts from your project activities, should presence be confirmed. To learn more about conservation measures, visit the FAQ "Tell me about conservation measures I can implement to avoid or minimize impacts to migratory birds" at the bottom of your migratory bird trust resources page.

## Wetlands

Impacts to <u>NWI wetlands</u> and other aquatic habitats may be subject to regulation under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, or other State/Federal statutes.

For more information please contact the Regulatory Program of the local <u>U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District</u>.

Please note that the NWI data being shown may be out of date. We are currently working to update our NWI data set. We recommend you verify these results with a site visit to determine the actual extent of wetlands on site.

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Lead Agency: Army Corps of Engineers

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To: <u>Lennie, Brian; christian.z</u>

Cc: Meyer, Kevin A CIV USARMY CELRE (USA); LaValley, Steven A - DNR; Piszczek, Paul P - DNR

Subject: FW: Fish Window - C Reiss Coal Slip Dredging Date: Monday, February 28, 2022 12:45:59 PM

Brian and Christian,

DNR is granting a waiver from the environmental window for the St Louis River for dredging activity within the C Reiss slip in Superior, WI. Per the email below, DNR fisheries biologist Paul Piszczek has conditionally waived the June 1 fish window and is allowing a start date of May 1. The conditions for the waiver are below and predicated on working from the south end of the slip to the north and that you install and maintain BMPs to contain and control suspended sediment and oil sheen.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

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#### Joe Graham

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From: Piszczek, Paul P - DNR < Paul. Piszczek@wisconsin.gov>

Sent: Monday, February 28, 2022 9:24 AM

**To:** Graham, Joseph R - DNR < Joseph. Graham@wisconsin.gov>

Subject: RE: Fish Window - C Reiss Coal Slip Dredging

Joe,

Thank you for the information in your 2/25/2022 email to me, below. Understanding the need to complete the proposed dredging, while balancing the needs of St. Louis River's fisheries resources, I conditionally waive the June 1 fish window and allow a start date of May 1.

This conditional waiver requires work to begin at the head of slip (i.e., southern-most end), which is intended to maximize containment of oil sheen and sediment mobilized during dredging. Work can then proceed northward, while relocating and maintaining the containment BMPs you noted in your 2/25/2022 email to Steve LaValley (see attached). This sequence will minimize oil sheen and sediment emigration to the mainstem river and therefore minimize any impacts to fishes such as the recreationally and ecologically important walleye, muskellunge, lake sturgeon, and various sucker species during their

spring season migration.

Paul

click here to sign up to be informed on lake Superior fishing issues

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Paul Piszczek

Fisheries Biologist – Lake Superior Tributaries

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From: Graham, Joseph R - DNR < <u>Joseph.Graham@wisconsin.gov</u>>

**Sent:** Friday, February 25, 2022 4:01 PM

**To:** Piszczek, Paul P - DNR < <u>Paul.Piszczek@wisconsin.gov</u>>

Subject: Fish Window - C Reiss Coal Slip Dredging

Paul,

DNR is working with C Reiss Company on a contaminated sediment dredging project. They will be working on the east side of the slip they share with Hallet Dock No 8. All dredging and material offloading will occur in the slip. EPA and USACE may also be participating to get the work done. Based on the contamination present, they will need to implement additional BMPs to contain sediment and control oil sheen.

Would you consider granting a waiver for fish windows for in water work contained within the slip? Given that this is an industrial slip, and that al activity could be contained within it, would you consider a start date of May  $1^{st}$  or soon after ice out?

Attached is a document with some maps of the site and background, along with a bunch of sediment quality and AOC information that may be of interest, or not.

Thanks,

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#### Joe Graham

Contaminated Sediment Expert Remediation & Redevelopment Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Cell: (715) 292-4925

joseph.graham@wisconsin.gov



## **APPENDIX F**

**Seaside Crowfoot Survey** 





To: Brian Lennie From: Kurt Rubsam

Mequon Office Mequon Office

File: 193707141 Date: June 24, 2020

Reference: Seaside Crowfoot Survey - C. Reiss Superior Dock Project Area

Superior, Wisconsin

Stantec completed a survey for the Seaside Crowfoot (*Ranunculus cymbalaria*), a State of Wisconsin threatened plant species, at the C. Reiss Superior Dock Project Area on behalf of the C. Reiss Coal Company. The survey was completed on June 15, 2020 by Kurt Rubsam of Stantec. The purpose and objective of the survey was to confirm if Seaside Crowfoot is present in the wetland areas on-site that may be affected by the overall redevelopment of the C. Reiss Superior Dock. The location of the Project Area is shown on Figure 1 included in Attachment A. Wetland areas on-site were previously delineated and are shown on Figure 5 included in Attachment A

#### **Background Information**

Seaside Crowfoot is found in sandy or muddy shores and marshes, ditches and harbors along Lake Michigan, and salted roadsides near the City of Superior. Blooming occurs early June through late August; fruiting occurs late July through late August. The optimal identification period for this species is early June through late August. Background information on the Seaside Crowfoot is included in Attachment B.

#### **Survey Results**

The survey was completed on the C. Reiss Superior Dock site on June 15, 2020. Wetland areas included in the survey are show on the Preliminary Concept (Sheet 3) figure included in Attachment A. Wetland areas were surveyed using the meander survey method. The Seaside Crowfoot was not found in any of the wetland areas that may be affected by the redevelopment of the C. Reiss Superior Dock. Only one Ranunculus species was observed growing in the wetland areas, that species was Tall Buttercup (*Ranunculus acris*).

If you have any questions regarding the survey, please give me a call at (262) 402-8153.

**Stantec Consulting Services Inc.** 

**Kurt Rubsam** 

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Kurt.Rubsam@stantec.com

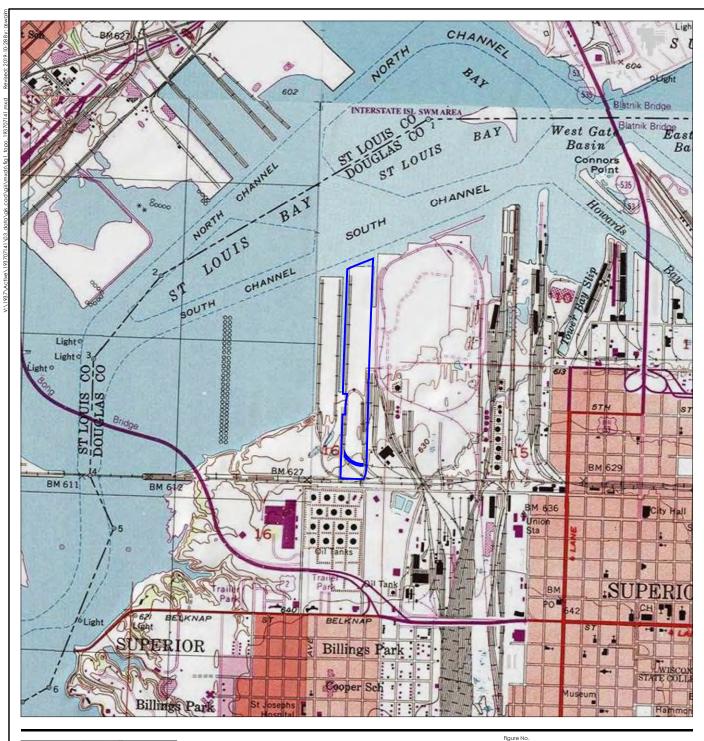
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Seaside Crowfoot Survey - C. Reiss Superior Dock Project Area Superior, Wisconsin Reference:

#### **ATTACHMENT A**

**Project Figures** 





**Legend** 

Project Boundary

Client/Project
The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC Reiss Superior Dock Wetland Delineation

Project Location and Topography

Project Location T49N, R14W, S09 & S16, C. of Superior, Douglas Co., WI

Prepared by AJS on 2019-09-26 Technical Review by JH on 2019-09-27 Independent Review by MK on 2019-10-28

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Coordinate System: NAD 1983 StatePlane Wisconsin

South FIPS 4803 Feet
2. Data Sources Include: Stantec, WisDOT, WDNR
3. Background: USGS 7.5' Topographic Quadrangles

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<u>Legend</u>

Project Boundary

Sample Point

Field Delineated Wetland

2ft Elevation Contour

DNR 24k Hydrography

Perennial Stream

Intermittent Stream

Waterbody

Figure No. 5

Title

Field Collected Data - Revised 12/5/2019

Client/Project

The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC Reiss Superior Dock Wetland Delineation

Project Location T49N, R14W, S09 & S16, C. of Superior, Douglas Co., WI

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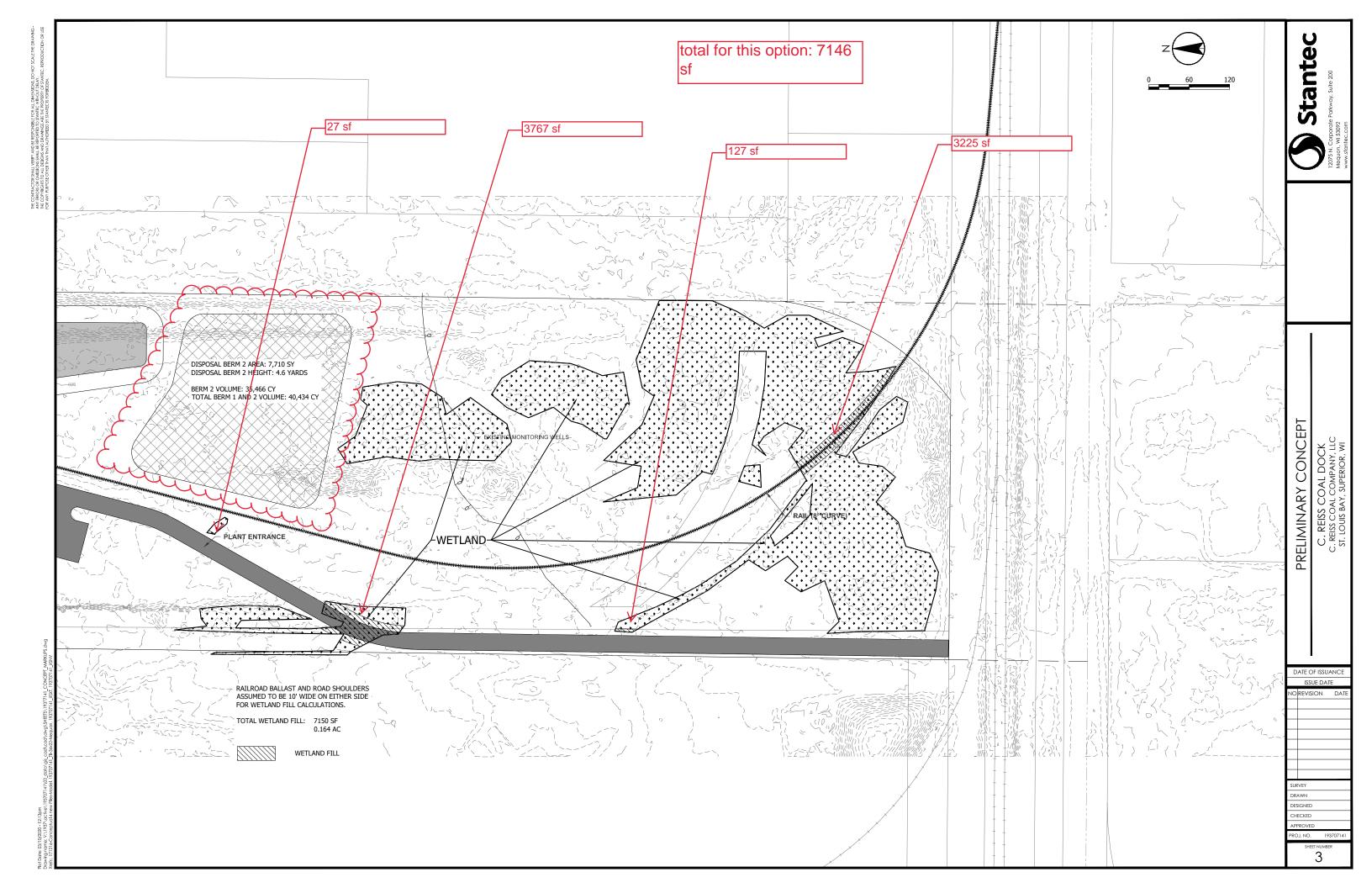
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Notes
1. Coordinate System: NAD 1983 StatePlane Wisconsin North FIPS
4801 Feet
2. Data Sources Include: Stantec, WisDOT, WDNR
3. Orthophotography: 2017 NAIP

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Seaside Crowfoot Survey - C. Reiss Superior Dock Project Area Superior, Wisconsin Reference:

#### **ATTACHMENT B**

Seaside Crowfoot Information

#### Share your observations

Share your observations of plants or non-game animals with the Natural Heritage Inventory

• Get started here [exit DNR]

#### **Biodiversity**

#### Rare animals

Find rare and non-game animals.

#### Rare plants

Learn about plants on the Natural Heritage Working List.

#### Rare lichens

Discover Wisconsin's lichens.

#### Natural communities

Explore Wisconsin's natural communities.

#### Other features

Discover unique resources.



Catch up with the latest news in rare plant monitoring efforts throughout Wisconsin.



Help care for rare plants and animals by ordering an Endangered Resources plate.

#### Related links

- Wisconsin's endangered and threatened species list
- Endangered species laws
- Natural Heritage Inventory
- Wildlife Action Plan
- Report a rare species [exit DNR]
- Wisconsin's endangered resources

#### Contact information

For information on Wisconsin's rare plants, contact: Kevin Doyle

608-416-3377

## Seaside Crowfoot (Ranunculus cymbalaria)



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- <u>Life history</u>
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#### Life history

#### **Species overview**

Seaside Crowfoot (*Ranunculus cymbalaria*), a Wisconsin Threatened plant, is found in sandy or muddy shores and marshes, ditches and harbors along Lake Michigan, and salted roadsides near the city of Superior. Blooming occurs early June through late August; fruiting occurs late July through late August. The optimal identification period for this species is early June through late August.

**Synonyms**: Cyrtorrhyncha cymbalaria ssp. alpina, Halerpestes cymbalaria

#### Identification

- **Distinguishing characteristics**: Principal leaves cordate-ovate to ovate or kidney-shaped.
- Flower characteristics: Flowers few; petals 3 to 5 mm, scarcely surpassing the sepals; sepals usually 5 rarely more.
- Fruit characteristics: Achenes longitudinally nerved, 1.5 to 2 mm, numerous in a short-cylindric head to 12 mm.
- **Leaf characteristics**: Mostly basal; blades cordate-ovate to ovate or kidney-shaped, 5 to 25 mm, rounded above, usually cordate below; petioles 2 to 5 cm.

#### **Phenology**

- Blooming phenology: early June through late August
- Fruiting phenology: late July through late August
- Optimum time to identify: The optimal identification period for this species is early June through late August

#### Other

• **Growth form**: Forb-prostrate

• Vegetative reproduction: Stoloniferous

• Life cycle: Perennial

• **Comments**: Associated Species: Poa pratensis and many other exotics at the naturalized sites; at possible native sites, some calciphiles such as Lobelia kalmii.

#### State status

#### Status and Natural Heritage Inventory documented occurrences in Wisconsin

The table below provides information about the protected status - state and federal - and the rank (S and G Ranks) for Seaside Crowfoot (*Ranunculus cymbalaria*). See the <u>Working List Key</u> for more information about abbreviations. Counties shaded blue have documented occurrences for this species in the Wisconsin <u>Natural Heritage Inventory</u> database. The map is provided as a general reference of where this species has been found to date and is not meant as a range map.



#### **Summary Information**

State Status	THR
Federal Status in Wisconsin	none
State Rank	S2
Global Rank	G5
Tracked by NHI	Y

#### Habitats and landscapes

The <u>Natural Heritage Inventory</u> has developed scores indicating the degree to which each of Wisconsin's rare plant species is associated with a particular natural community or ecological landscape. This information is similar to that found in the Wildlife Action Plan for animals. As this is a work in progress, we welcome your suggestions and feedback.

#### General habitat information

- **Habitat description**: Found in sandy or muddy shores and marshes, ditches and harbors along Lake Michigan, and salted roadsides near the city of Superior.
- Soils: Wet, sometimes sandy, sometimes calcareous soils.

#### Natural communities

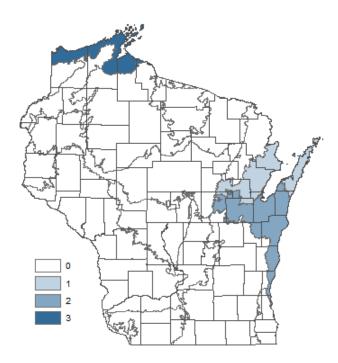
This table lists the natural communities that are associated with Seaside Crowfoot. Scores for natural community associations are: "significant" association (score=3), "moderate association" (score=2) or the species can be present but is only weakly associated with the community (score=1).

1	Natural	communities	score

Transportation-Utility Corridor	2
Emergent Marsh	2
Northern Sedge Meadow	2

#### **Ecological landscapes**

This table lists the ecological landscape association scores for Seaside Crowfoot. The scores (3=High, 2=Moderate, 1=Low, 0=None) also correspond to the map.



#### **Ecological landscape** score

Central Lake Michigan Coastal 2
Northern Lake Michigan Coastal 1
Superior Coastal Plain 3

#### **Species guidance**

The Endangered Resources Program has developed avoidance measures and management guidelines for plants on the Natural Heritage Working List. These are a work in progress, and we welcome your suggestions and <u>feedback</u>. Sources used in developing this information can be found <u>here</u>.

#### Avoidance measures

These are specific actions designed to avoid "take" (mortality) of this species.

- Avoid broadcast spraying of herbicides; use care with spot spraying.
- Avoid known individual plant locations and conduct operations elsewhere when they are least likely to cause damage.
   Ideally, this would involve frozen, snow-covered ground. However, in areas of the state where frozen conditions are unreliable, very dry soils late in the growing season might be the best available alternative. Consult with a biologist, if needed.

#### Management guidance

Management guidelines are additional considerations that may help maintain or enhance habitat for this species

- Maintain and restore open habitat through selective clearing and brushing.
- Avoid disturbance to shorelines and the forest-beach interface.
- Minimize disturbance to hydrology, including soil disturbance from rutting.
- This species is likely sensitive to water quality. Following BMPs around streams and buffering associated drainages will reduce eutrophication and prevent water quality degradation.

#### Other resources

#### Links to additional Seaside Crowfoot information

#### Other links related to vascular plants (all exit the DNR website)

- Wisconsin Flora
- NatureServe Explorer
- Atlas of Wisconsin Prairie and Savanna Flora Wisconsin State Herbarium
- <u>USDA NRCS Plants Database</u>
- USGS Midwestern Wetland Flora field office guide to plant species
- eFloras
- Cofrin Center for Biodiversity Herbarium
- Intermountain Herbarium Grasses of North America
- Orchids of Wisconsin

#### **Photos**

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# **APPENDIX G**

Cultural Resources Literature Review (Privileged and Confidential)

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Attention: Leslie Eisenberg
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Dear Ms. Eisenberg

Reference: Cultural Resources Literature Review for the C. Reiss Port of Superior Infrastructure Improvement Project, Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin

WHS # 22-0991

#### **CONFIDENTIAL - NOT FOR PUBLIC DISCLOSURE**

C. Reiss Company, LLC (C. Reiss) and the City of Superior propose the C. Reiss, Port of Superior, Infrastructure Improvements Project (the Project) in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin (Figure 1). The Project seeks to reactivate the existing C. Reiss Dock on Saint Louis Bay of Lake Superior. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres of private land (Project Area) located north of Winter Street and situated on the second dock east of US Highway 2 on Saint Louis Bay. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall, dredging along the dock's exterior, construction of a shop/office building, repair and extension of 7,060 linear feet of rail track that includes five switches, and the installation of various loading and weighing equipment.

As the Project plans to utilize federal funds from the US Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD), it constitutes an undertaking under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended (54 U.S.C. § 300101 et seq.). To satisfy the requirements of Section 106, MARAD initiated consultation with the Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) on June 10, 2022. An email request for additional information was provided to the Project from the SHPO on June 13, 2022. This email requested the following:

- 1. Project plans and elevations.
- 2. An archaeological survey report for the area of direct effects (area appears disturbed but we do not know to what depth).
- 3. Information on how much, if any, of the old structure will be retained and whether any of what remains is eligible.

At C. Reiss' request, Stantec Consulting Services Inc. (Stantec) has prepared the following information to provide the information requested. To that end, we have included 1.) additional project descriptive text which describes the portions of the original dock structure that will be retained and references attached plans and elevations prepared for the Project, 2.) additional information regarding the soil and fill characteristics within the Project Area and the results of a visual investigation conducted by an archaeologist, and 3.) an

assessment of whether any of the old dock structure is eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). A formal Phase I archaeological survey was not conducted for the Project at this time because hand excavation of contaminated surface soils poses an adverse health risk to archaeologists if a Phase I archaeological survey using shovel test methods was attempted.

# **Project Description**

The Proposed Project would redevelop and modernize the existing 53-acre C. Reiss dock in Superior, Wisconsin. C. Reiss owns docks in both the Port of Duluth, Minnesota and Port of Superior, Wisconsin. They currently only operate out of the Duluth Port. However, due to increasing water levels that cause annual flooding at the Duluth Port, C. Reiss needs to relocate its operations from their dock in the Port of Duluth to their dock in the Port of Superior which has had industrial facilities within the Proposed Project Area for over 130-years. Since the C. Reiss facility in Superior has been unused for the last 30 years; the dock wall is stable but in poor condition and needs to be rehabilitated and repaired.

The Proposed Project would redevelop and modernize the existing C. Reiss dock with:

- 2,525 feet of dock wall repair consisting of driven steel sheet piles outboard of the existing cap, tremie
  concrete behind the upper section of sheet piles, resurfacing of the concrete cap and 3,500 square
  feet of fill behind the dock wall sections,
- Dredge of 50,000 cubic yards (yds³) of contaminated sediment from the slip,
- Construction of a 5,000 square foot shop/office building,
- Installation of truck scale, rail scale, stacking conveyor and telescoping loading conveyor,
- Stormwater, utilities, and road improvements, and
- Repair and extension of track for a total of 7,060 lineal feet and the installation of five switches.

The proposed Project intends to retain much of the existing dock infrastructure and function as it had before it was abandoned 30 years ago, keeping with its historic usage. Concrete panels on the north portion of the Project will remain and accumulated organic material and sediment will be removed from the concrete panel pavement that makes up the dock surface. Similarly, an existing access road will be rehabilitated into the Project's main road. Concrete walls on the dock will remain except for portions that will be removed for the construction of a dock road. The concrete crane rails will also remain, as well as the original existing dock wall. However, a new dock wall will be built on the outside of the existing dock wall.

While design work for the Project is still underway, current plans are attached with information about the existing conditions within the Project Area (including portions of the structure that remain extant and will be retained), erosion control plan, and the proposed site plan and grading plan. The site plan begins on page 16 of the attached plan set and describes the location of new proposed infrastructure that will primarily be located within the southern section of the Project Area. The extant concrete panel pavement, concrete crane rails, and concrete walls present within the dock structure will be retained.

# **Environmental Setting/Soils**

The Project lies within the Lake Superior lowland, an expanse of post glacial, lacustrine sands and red clays. The Project is adjacent to the natural harbor formed near the terminus of the St. Louis River with Lake

Superior known as St. Louis Bay. The harbor consists of an inner lagoon (St. Louis Bay) and outer lagoon (Superior-Allouez Bays) prior to merging with Lake Superior. The harbor is protected from open water via multiple spits which prevent shoreline degradation from wave erosion (Mengel, 1973). The natural harbor forms the industrial backbone of Superior, Wisconsin and Duluth, Minnesota by providing the deep-water passages and docks which support the historic Great Lakes shipping industry.

As described in the attached plan set, existing conditions section, numerous wetlands are present within the southern portion of the Project Area. These wetlands total approximately 21.24-acres of the 53-acre Project Area. Wetlands primarily consist of wet meadows, sedge meadows, shrub-carr, and hardwood swamps. A wetland delineation conducted for the Project suggests that none of the wetlands appear to have a surface hydraulic connection with the adjoining St. Louis River (Stantec, 2019). Following the wetland delineation, an artificial wetland exemption request was presented to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) to exempt wetlands W4 and W5 (17.5-acres) atop the former shipping dock from state regulation. As a result of the request, the WDNR determined that delineated wetlands W4 and W5 were not considered wetlands and therefore not subject to State of Wisconsin regulation.

According to the US Department of Agriculture (USDA) Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS), surficial soil in the Project Area consists of cut or fill (2030) representing the northern portion of the Project Area which has been altered for historic industrial operations; and Amnicon-Cuttre complex 0-4% (262B) on the southern portion of the Project Area typically related to clays and silt loams (NRCS, 2022).

Previous environmental investigation has confirmed soils have been historically altered in the Project Area as evidenced by extensive fill which is present up to at least 4 feet below grade (Antea Group, 2019). The fill often contains coal and wood debris among primarily silty sand and silt. Where fill materials are present the material overlies native lacustrine red clay. Stantec's Soil Investigation conducted approximately 25 soil borings and generated bore logs describing the depth of fill throughout the Project Area. Additionally, a geotechnical investigation was conducted for the Project which conducted an additional 10 borings within the Project Area. These bore logs suggest that fill is present within the southern portion of the Project Area to a depth between 3 and 4 feet, well below the depth of standard shovel testing methods. Fill increases in depth to the northern portion of the Project Area as described in the attached Generalized Geologic Cross Sections drawing and bore logs.

# Soil Investigation

Former dock operations included petroleum product and open-air coal storage and transloading, and coal briquet manufacturing from the late 19<sup>th</sup> Century through the late 20<sup>th</sup> Century. Soil contamination resulting from past petroleum release(s) and the presence of industrial fill in surficial soils is documented at an existing, open WDNR Bureau for Remediation and Redevelopment Tracking System (BRRTS) case on the Proposed Project area (BRRTS# 03-16-000320 MURPHY MARINE TERMINAL), with multiple BRRTS cases present at the east-adjoining property that have documented migration of petroleum contamination impacting soil and/or groundwater at the Proposed Property (WDNR, 2022). These include:

- BRRTS# 02-16-297977 AMOCO OIL BARGE DOCK FMR BARGE DOCK (closed),
- BRRTS# 02-16-297979 AMOCO BARGE DOCK OW SEPARATOR & LOAD RACK (open), and
- BRRTS# 02-16-117873 AMOCO BARGE DOCK MANIFOLD & AST AREA (open).

On December 9, 2021, Stantec geologists performed a limited soil investigation at the Project Area to evaluate soil quality in the area of a planned onsite stormwater retention pond (Stantec, 2021). The results of the soil sampling indicated that fill materials present in shallow soils (zero to three feet below grade) contained Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) metals and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) constituents at concentrations above Chapter NR 720 WAC residual contaminant levels (RCLs). WDNR requested that Stantec prepare a formal Notification for Hazardous Substance Discharge (Form 4400-225). The BRRTS number for this case is 02-16-589248.

Based on a review of historical case files associated with the property and soil sampling results from recently completed soil sampling activities, identified contamination appears to be associated with the presence of historical fill observed in surficial soils across much of the property, petroleum contamination that has migrated onto the property, or from past uses within the Project Area. Therefore, additional environmental investigation was completed to further evaluate the lateral and vertical extent and environmental quality of identified fill and the environmental quality of underlying clay soils. The results of these activities are being used to develop a materials management plan related to upcoming Project redevelopment and, ultimately, to obtain case closure. Remediation and ultimate capping of contaminated material on the property will reduce direct contact hazards and be beneficial to those that work/live (>4,700 feet from the Property) in the area.

In May 2022, Stantec conducted additional soil sampling to assess surficial/fill and underlying native soil quality across the Property, as well as to determine future options for onsite soil management of excavated/displaced soils in areas of proposed development (Stantec, 2022d). The results of the assessment indicate that RCRA metals, PAHs, and petroleum volatile organic compound concentrations above NR 720 soil standards are present in the Project Area and are associated with the presence of property wide black granular fill and historic petroleum releases currently being investigated in association with open east- and south-adjoining Amoco BRRTS cases (02-16-297979, 02-16-117873 and 02-16-000331).

Due to PAHs and RCRA metals present in fill at concentrations greater than direct contact standards in surficial soils across the Property, hand excavation of surface soils poses an adverse health risk to archaeologists who would conduct a Phase I archaeological survey using shovel test methods. Proposed engineered barriers preventing direct contact with residual fill/impacted soils will allow existing fill and soil to be managed onsite for beneficial reuse.

# Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database Review

On April 1, 2022, Stantec reviewed the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database (WHPD) for previously recorded historic structures, archaeological sites, cemeteries, burial sites, and other cultural resources within the Project Area and 0.5-mile buffer. The following subsections describe the results of Stantec's WHPD review.

# **Previous Archaeological Surveys**

No archaeological surveys have been conducted within the Project Area, while three previous archaeological surveys have been conducted within the 0.5-mile buffer (Table 1; Figure 2). The surveys were undertaken for projects concerning construction of the Arrowhead Bridge (Penman 1978), improvements to US Highway 2 (Shillinglaw 2012), and the extension of a railroad line (Hendrickson 1994). All these previous surveys yielded negative results for cultural resources.

Table 1. Previous Archaeological Surveys within the 0.5-Mile Buffer.

Survey Number	Year	Distance from Project Area	Results/Sites Found
12-0908	1978	1,800 feet South	No sites found within the Project Area; no further investigations recommended
79-0577	2012	1,900 feet South	No sites found within the Project Area; no further investigations recommended
94-0121	1994	2,100 feet East	No sites found within the Project Area; no further investigations recommended

# **Archaeological Sites**

No archaeological sites have been recorded within the Project Area, while one site is recorded within the 0.5-mile buffer (Figure 2). Site DG-0111, also known as Clarence (1930), is the wreck of a small gas screw vessel that exploded in 1938. The site is located approximately 1,000 feet east of the Project Area at the Standard Oil dock, Superior Harbor, but its actual location and condition have not been confirmed by field investigation.

#### **Cemeteries and Burial Sites**

No recorded cemeteries or burial sites are located within the Project Area or the 0.5-mile buffer (Figure 2).

#### **Historic Structures**

While no previously recorded historic structures lie within the Project Area, twelve historic structures are recorded within the 0.5-mile buffer (Table 2; Figure 2). These structures consist of three railroad-related repair shops/roundhouses, three warehouses, two industrial buildings, a water utility structure, a privy, a grain elevator, and a dock/pier. Six of the structures are associated with the Great Northern Railroad Yards (Architecture and History Inventory Numbers [AHI Nos.] 17590-17596), two with Galena Signal Oil Company (AHI Nos.17892-17893), one with Ajax Forge Company (AHI No. 17895), one with Stott Briquet (AHI No. 17896), and one with Great Northern Grain Elevators (AHI No. 17783). When the date of construction is known, these structures date between 1899 and 1975. The Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) has determined that four of these structures, AHI Nos. 17590, 17594, 17595, and 17783 are potentially eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). However, review of available aerial imagery indicates that all these structures have been demolished, except for AHI No. 17783. The WHPD notes that the remaining eight structures within the 0.5-mile buffer are likely ineligible for listing in the NRHP.

Table 2. Recorded historic structures within the 0.5-Mile Buffer.

AHI Structure Number	Type of Structure	Year Built	Distance from APE	NRHP Status
17590	Repair shop/roundhouse Demolished	1899	0.46 mile	Potentially Eligible
17591	Repair shop/roundhouse	1899	0.40 mile	Not Eligible
17593	Repair shop/roundhouse	1914	0.48 mile	Not Eligible
17594	WarehouseDemolished	1899	0.48 mile	Potentially Eligible
17595	Water utilityDemolished	1899	0.41 mile	Potentially Eligible
17596	PrivyDemolished	1899	0.48 mile	Not Eligible
17783	Grain elevator	1900	0.50 mile	Potentially Eligible
17883	Dock/pier	1975	0.45 mile	Not Eligible
17892	Warehouse	1916	0.45 mile	Not Eligible
17893	Warehouse	1916	0.45 mile	Not Eligible
17895	Industrial building	1917	0.08 mile	Not Eligible
17896	Industrial building	1909	0.09 mile	Not Eligible

Note: Shaded cells denote structures within Project Area.

# **Historic Map and Atlas Review**

The Atlas of Great Lakes Indian History (Tanner 1987) was reviewed for maps and land use of the Project Area prior to the historic period. Tanner (1987) notes that Native American groups hunted deer and moose along the shoreline of Lake Superior during the pre-contact era. During the Woodland Period, which occurred between 1400 and 1700 AD, the area was associated with Algonquian people, while it was occupied by the Cree during the Iroquois Wars between 1641 and 1701 AD (Tanner 1987). By 1768 the Ojibwa occupied the area and by 1810 two villages, Ford du Lac and Fort St. Louis, were located at the edge of Lake Superior near the Project Area (Tanner 1987). Between 1842 and 1872 the Project Area and the land surrounding Lake Superior was ceded to the United States. Lands ceded by the Ojibwa in 1863 were some of the last major cessions in the area (Tanner 1987). The Project Area does not retain any tribal lands today.

Stantec archaeologists reviewed historic plat and atlas maps to provide greater detail on the nature of the Project Area. Upon its construction, maps depict the Project Area as used for commercial docking and shipping, while the original Lake Superior shoreline is depicted in a southwest to northeast orientation on the

1871 plat (Mendel 1871). This shoreline was intact until circa 1907, at which time it was altered by the construction of docks that extended into Lake Superior (Sigma 2019).

The first docks in this area of Superior were built in the mid-to-late nineteenth century and were first depicted on the 1889 map (Largo 1889). The Standard Oil Company built a narrow wharf along the eastern edge of the Project Area circa 1891 (Klovdahl 1891). The end of this wharf consisted of a 200-foot by 300-foot platform (Sigma 2019). The Posen Printing House (1890) and Klovdahl (1891) maps depict railyards associated with Eastern Minnesota and St. Paul and Duluth railroads south of the Project Area and represent several coal docks east of the Project Area. Klovdahl's (1891) map also shows the Northwestern Distribution Depot within the Project Area.

Doenitz' (1906) map continues to show the shipping docks. In 1907, the Berwind Fuel Company filled the area west of the Standard Oil Company wharf to form the present-day C. Reiss Coal Dock (Sigma 2019). The dock immediately west of the Project Area is initially identified as the C. Reiss Coal Dock in 1914 (Sanborn 1914). This dock is approximately half the size of its present-day proportions. In addition, the US War Department Corps of Engineers (1914) identifies the Berwind Fuel Company as the owners of the Project Area in 1914.

By 1934, the dock west of the Project Area is depicted at its modern extent and is identified as under the ownership of C. Reiss. Berwind Fuel Company continues to be identified as the owner of the Project Area at this time and a briquet plant noted as the world's largest is depicted within the Project Area (Superior Association of Commerce 1934). The Berwind briquet plant building was constructed at the base of the Project Area between 1892 and 1899. It was the site of either a charcoal plant or blast furnace for the York Company from 1893 through 1895. It was then occupied by twine manufacturers between circa 1895 and 1912. In 1912, the Berwind Fuel Company converted the building into a coal briquet plant, which at one point produced 3,300 tons of coal briquets per day (Sigma 2019). The briquet plant operated until circa 1965. The plant was demolished sometime between 1970 and 1975 (Sigma 2019). C. Reiss and the Berwind Fuel Company continued to occupy these docks until at least 1966 (Unknown 1966).

The 1954 Superior 7.5-minute United States Geological Survey (USGS) topographic quadrangle depicts the docks with various buildings and with rail lines running throughout the Project Area (USGS 1954). Aerial photography shows that the Project Area was in use in 1952, however it fell into disuse sometime between 1981 and 1991. It continued to be vacant between 1991 and the present day (NETROnline 2022).

The Project Area was used first by the Standard Oil Company and later by the Amoco Oil Company to transfer petroleum products including kerosene and lubricant from 1891 through circa 1993. Oil was stored in aboveground storage tanks (ASTs) located to the south of the dock that were connected to an oil transfer building via pipeline and then to railcars. The oil transfer building ceased operations in the late 1950s and was later demolished (Sigma 2019).

The Project Area was used for open-air storage of up to 800,000 tons of coal from 1907 through sometime in the late 1960s. Dock occupants during this period included the Berwind Fuel Company and later the C. Reiss Coal Company. The dock was then used by C. Reiss for the receipt of dry bulk goods from sometime between 1974 and 1987 through sometime after 1999 (Sigma 2019).

# C. Reiss Superior Fieldwork Results

# **Historical Structure Survey Results**

On 4 May 2022 a field reconnaissance review of all WHPD recorded historic structures occurred within 0.5-miles of the Project Area. There are a total of 12 historic structures within the 0.25-mile buffer (Figure 2 and Table 3). These structures include AHI Nos. 17590, 17591, 17593, 17594, 17595, 17596, 17783, 17883, 17892, 17893, 17895, and 17896.

A public right-of-way reconnaissance of these properties verified that AHI Nos. 17590, 17594, and 17595 have been demolished. Direct effects to the remaining historic structures will not occur based on their distance from the Project Area. Indirect effects to the extant buildings would be confined to visual effects. Properties identified as AHI Nos. 17591, 17593, 17596, 17896, 17892, and 17893 are screened from the Project Area by vegetation and modern industrial buildings, while AHI Nos. 17783 and 17883 are screened from the Project Area by the Midwest Energy Resources facilities, including a large area of coal storage. Architecture and History Inventory Number 17895 is visible from the Project Area; however, the proposed Project is in keeping with the industrial character of the surrounding area and would not create a negative visual impact to this structure (Figures 4–10). Photos of AHI Nos. 17892 and 17893 were not taken during the structure survey.

# **Visual Inspection Methods**

Visual inspection of the Project Area by Stantec archaeologist Kathleen Bindley occurred on 22 June 2022, the purpose of which was to document conditions within the Project Area and to assess the area's potential to contain significant archaeological resources. Ms. Bindley walked portions of the Project Area and took photographs to complete this visual inspection. Data points representing photograph locations were collected using the ArcGIS Field Maps application paired to ArcGIS Online software. Information gathered during the visual inspection was also compared to reports documenting other work previously completed within the Project Area, such as the Environmental Assessment and Soils Investigation.

### **Visual Inspection Results**

The visual inspection of the Project Area resulted in the observation of wetland conditions within its southern part and the documentation of architectural ruins and scattered historic refuse along the Project Area's west and central parts. Photographs document the results of this visual inspection (Figure 11).

Work began in the southwest corner of the Project Area, where a gravel access lane begins and extends north along the property's west side. From this location Ms. Bindley observed wetland vegetation including cattails and reed canary grass in the Project Area. Soil berms and indications for subsurface utilities including a sewer line were also noted in the Project Area's southern part. Photographs were collected at the Project Area's southwest and southeast corners and no structural remains were observed in this part of the property (Figure 11a).

After documentation in the Project Area's southern part, work continued along the property's west margin, from which a gravel access lane extends to the north and east to the property's center. A concrete structural foundation measuring approximately 60 feet north-south by 30 feet east-west was observed along the Project Area's west side, approximately 525 feet north of Winter Street (Figure 11b, photograph 3). This foundation

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likely coincides with a structure represented in aerial imagery as early as 1938 (Wisconsin Historic Aerial Imagery Finder 1938). Glass, metal, and brick cultural materials were noted in the foundation's vicinity (Figure 11b, photograph 4).

Visual inspection of the Project Area continued north along the gravel access lane, around which were observed a ferrous metal drum (Figure 11c, photograph 5), a gate and concrete blocks (Figure 11c, photograph 6), and several concrete piles of structural ruins and/or rubble (Figure 11d). Also observed were two east-west oriented concrete walls (Figure 11e) and the remnant of a transportation track (Figure 11f) which will be retained by the Project. These latter features are believed to correspond to the 10-foot-tall concrete walls and the railroad sidings identified on Sheet four of the Sanborn (1914) map of Superior, Wisconsin. None of these components were investigated at a subsurface level, and it is believed that all of them are associated with the Berwind Fuel Company's use of the property during the twentieth century.

# **Summary and Recommendations**

Stantec prepared this additional information to support SHPO review of the Project. While a Phase I archaeological survey involving shovel testing was not conducted within the Project Area due to the presence of contaminated soils that would pose a health hazard to archaeologists if shovel tests were excavated, a visual inspection of the Project Area was conducted.

The results of the cultural resources database review indicate that no previously recorded archaeological sites or historic structures are present within the Project Area. One archaeological site and twelve historic structures are present within the 0.5-mile buffer. The archaeological site would not be impacted by the Project due to its distance from the Project. Three of the historic structures have been demolished. Direct impacts to the nine remaining structures would not occur based on their distance from the Project Area. Indirect (visual) impacts could occur to the nine remaining historic structures, but more modern structures situated between the Project Area and the historic structures would provide some level of visual screening to reduce potential visual impacts. Additionally, the proposed Project would be in keeping with the surrounding industrial character of the area and would not result in an increased visual impact to the historic structures in the vicinity.

Visual inspection of the Project Area resulted in the documentation of a gravel access lane, berms, wetland vegetation, concrete ruins and rubble, two concrete walls, and the remnants of a transportation track. When compared to archival documents it appears that these cultural components are associated with Berwind Fuel Company's use of the property during the twentieth century and at least three of the components appear on Sheet 4 of the Sanborn (1914) map of Superior. Archival documents also indicate that the Project Area once contained the largest coal briquet plant in the world (Superior Association of Commerce 1934). However, a comparison of archival records to the results of the Project Area's visual inspection demonstrate that the property has been significantly altered over time. For example, the Sanborn (1914) map details several structures on the Berwind Fuel Company's property, including a machine shop, manufacturing facility, briquet conveyors, and two movable steel coal handling bridges. Visual inspection indicates that none of these structures are extant in the Project Area today. Furthermore, aerial imagery from 1981 captures the aftermath of structure demolition within the Project Area and suggests that significant soil disturbance occurred during the demolition process (NETROnline 2022). In sum, while archival documents provide context and evidence of potentially significant historic structures within the Project Area, a visual inspection in June 2022 demonstrates that these structures have been demolished, resulting in the property's loss of integrity. As a location with evidence for prior disturbance, it is unlikely that the Project Area has the potential to yield significant, intact, subsurface cultural deposits.

A review of the WHPD, historic maps, and aerial imagery provides further support for the conclusion that the Project Area has a low potential to contain cultural resources eligible for listing in the NRHP. While prehistoric Native Americans likely utilized the Project Area in the past, historic alterations have likely disturbed and/or destroyed any prehistoric sites that would have existed in the area. The major historic alteration to the Project Area occurred during the early nineteenth century, when a dock facility was construction along the Lake Superior shoreline. The construction of this dock was likely accomplished using imported fill material and analysis of modern aerial photography suggests that up to 65 percent of the APE is covered by concrete. The historic, industrial use of the Project Area may have had significance in the past, as a 1934 map locates the world's largest coal briquet plant in the area, but continued operations and upgrades likely altered this industrial facility, and its subsequent abandonment and demolition has resulted in significant impacts to the integrity of the historic materials currently within the Project Area.

Soil investigations indicate that the fill soils across the Project Area have been contaminated due to the areas past use as a petroleum and coal dock. Additional subsurface investigations would expose archaeologists to these contaminates and would pose a health and safety risk.

Therefore, Stantec recommends a finding of No Adverse Effects and further recommends that the Project be allowed to proceed as planned without additional cultural resources investigation.

Regards,

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Attachments: Figure 1. Project Location and Local Topography

Site Plans

Generalized Geologic Cross Sections

Soil Investigation Bore Logs

Figure 2. Wisconsin Historic Preservation Division (WHPD) Database Review Results

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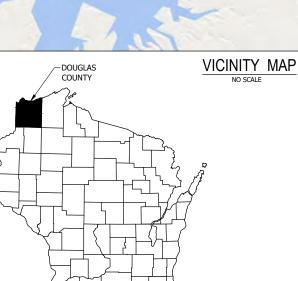
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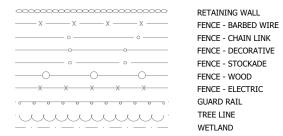
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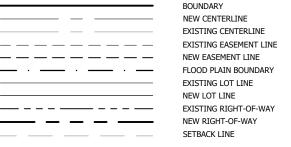
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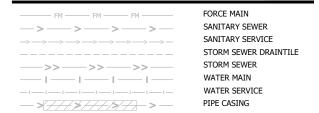
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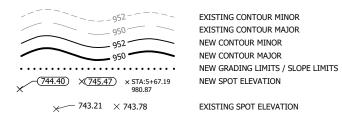
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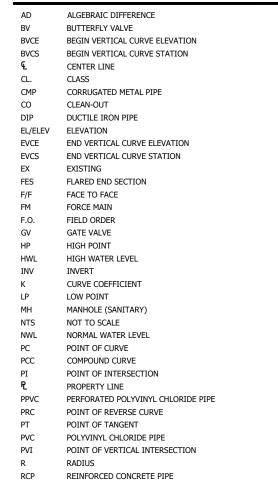
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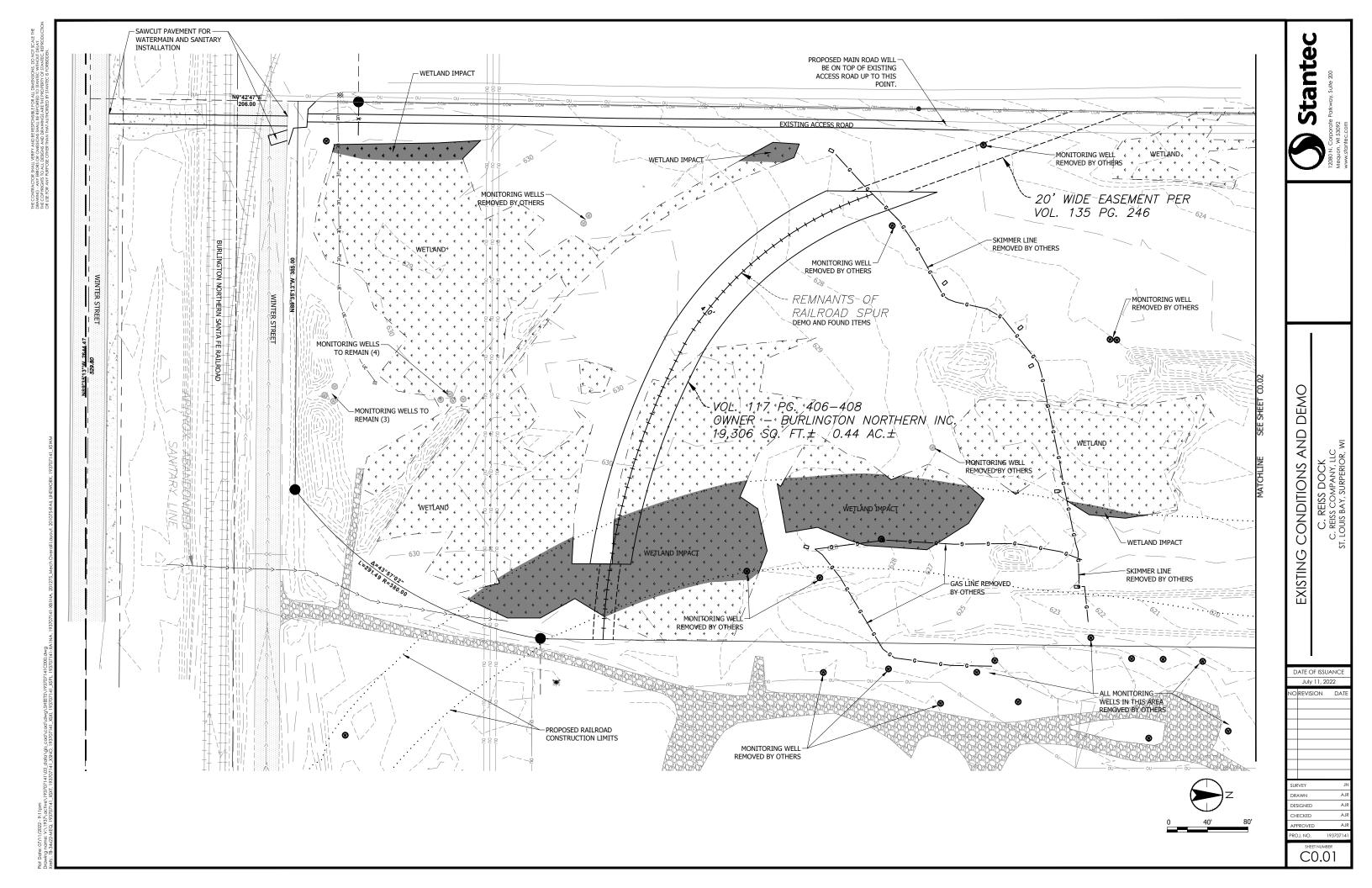
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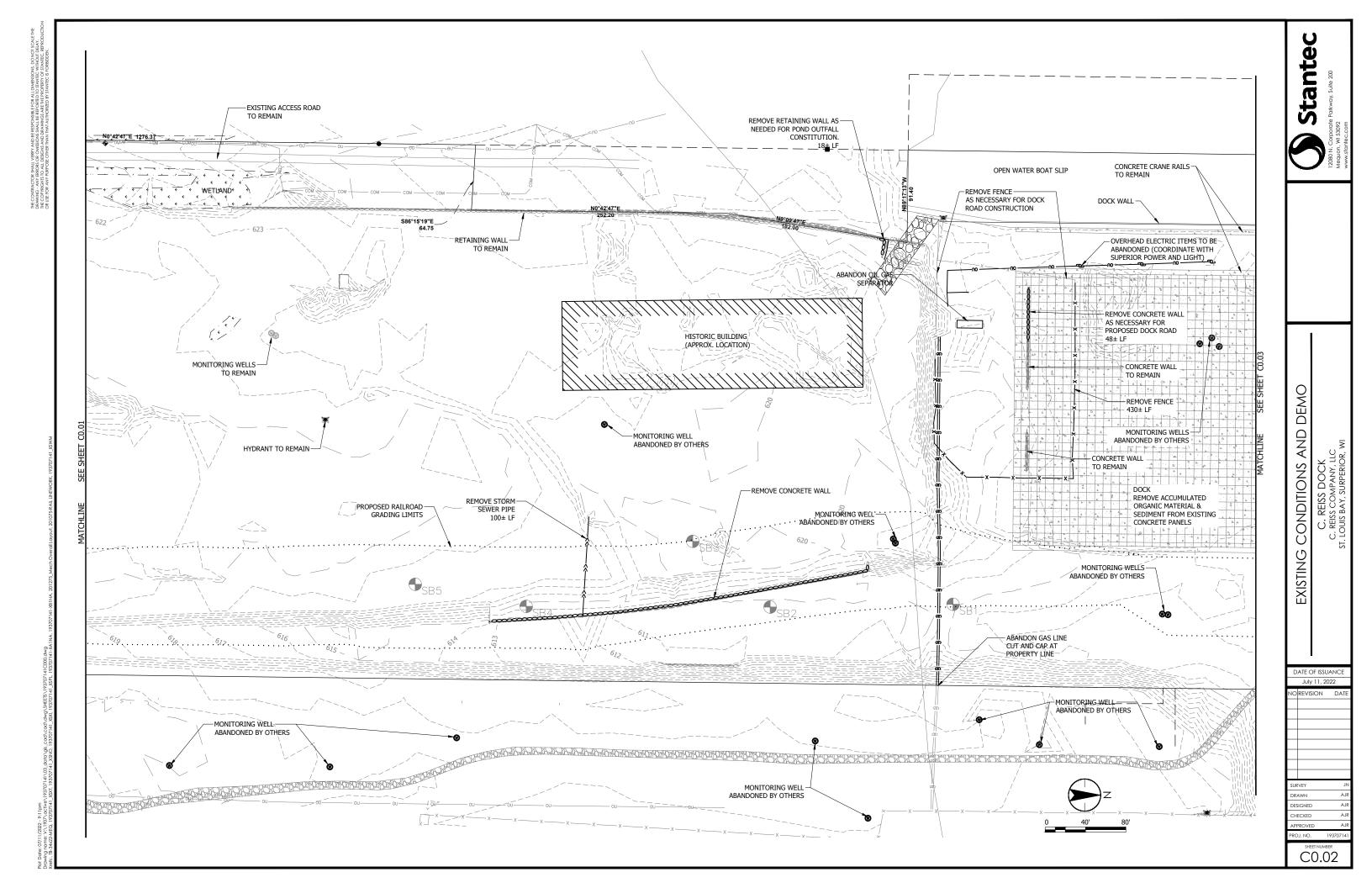
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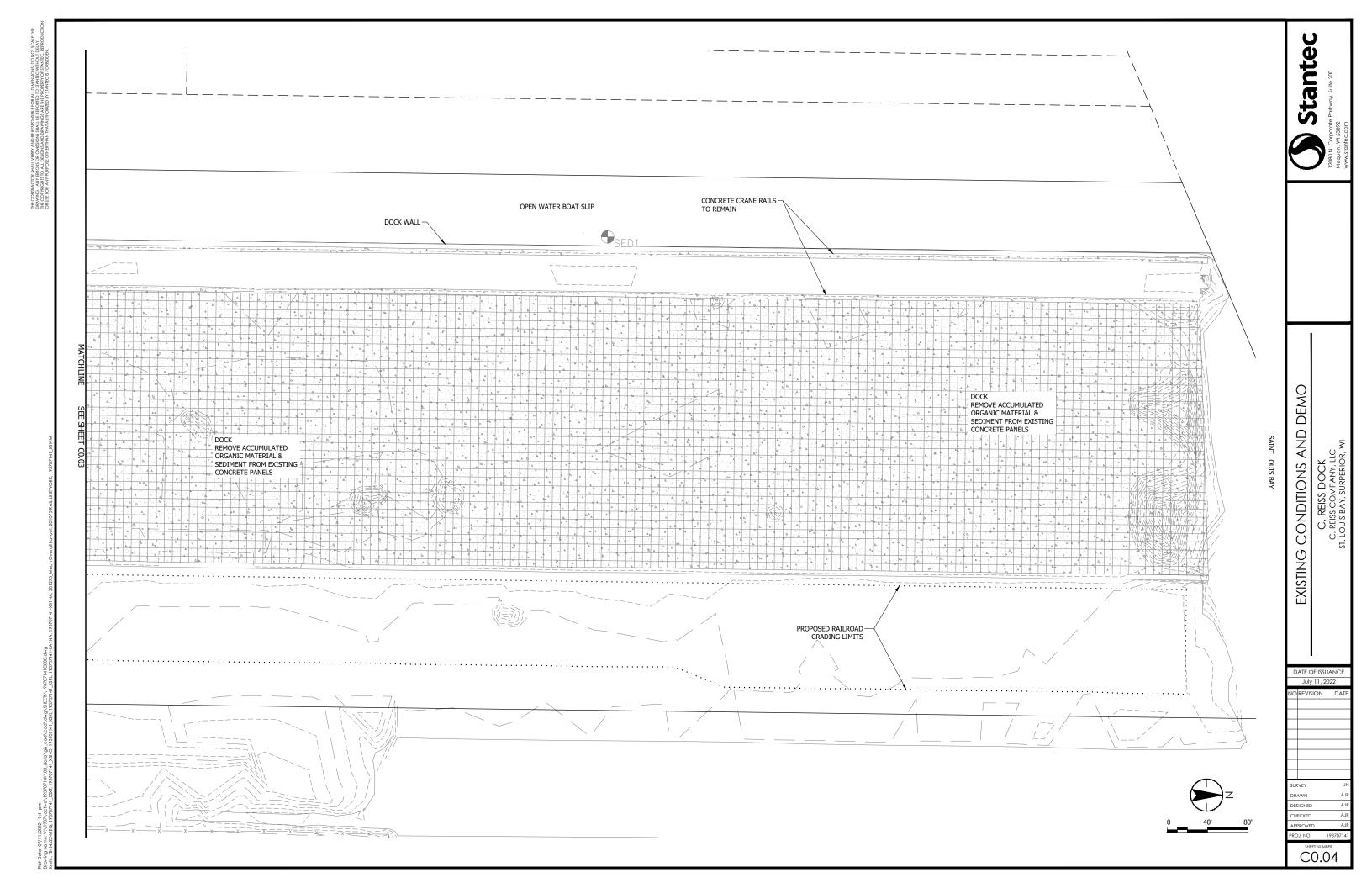
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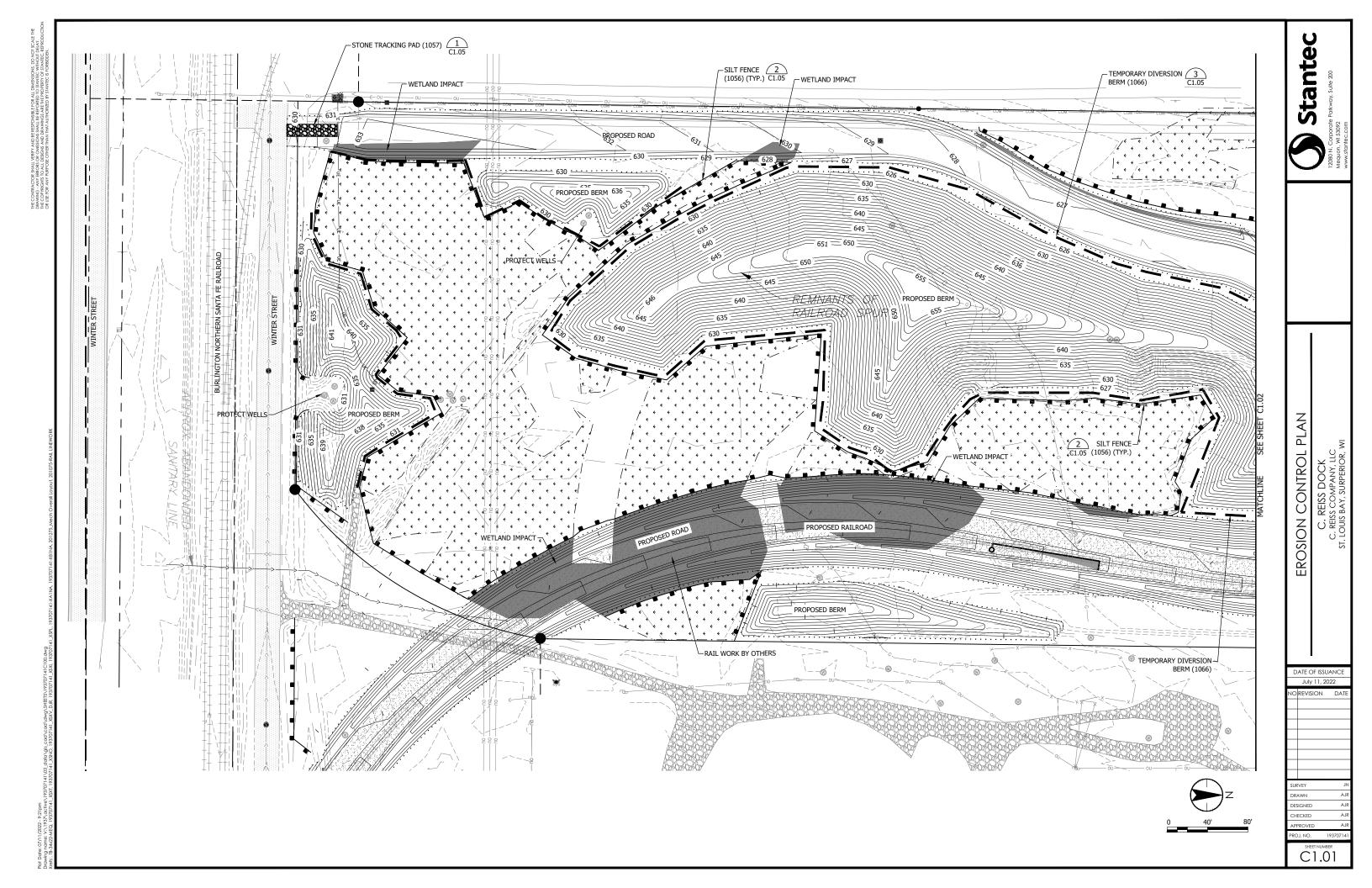


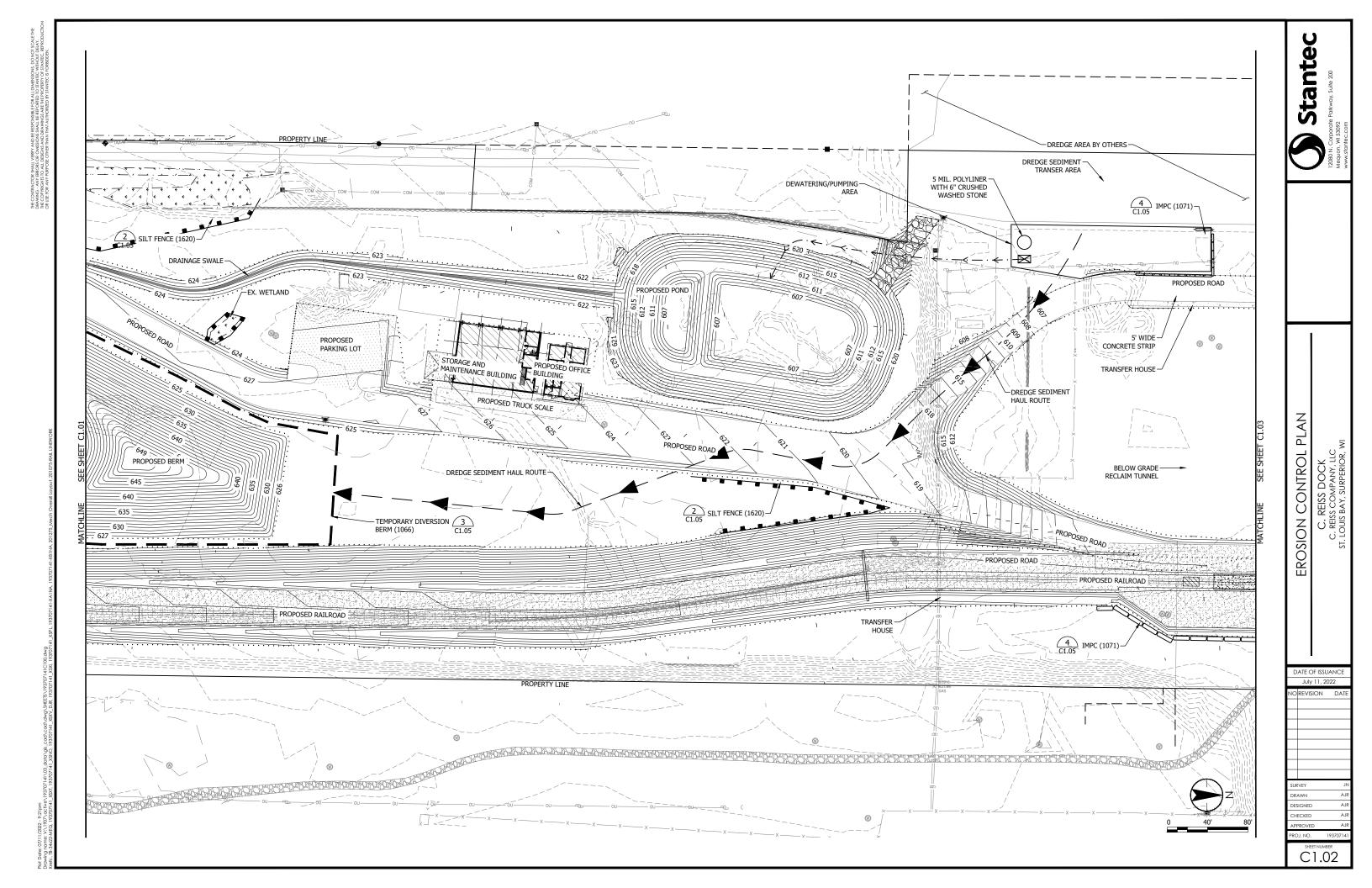


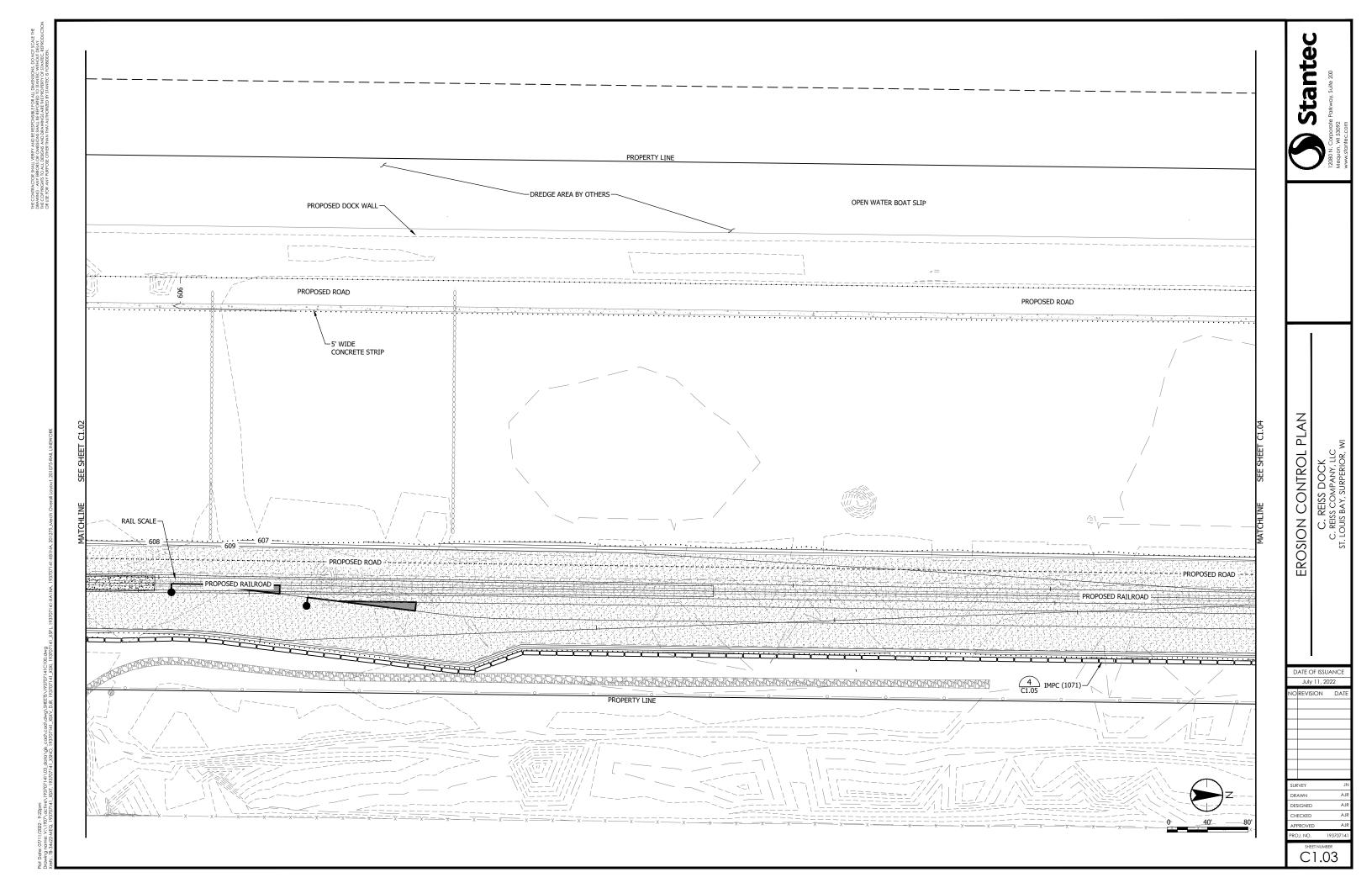
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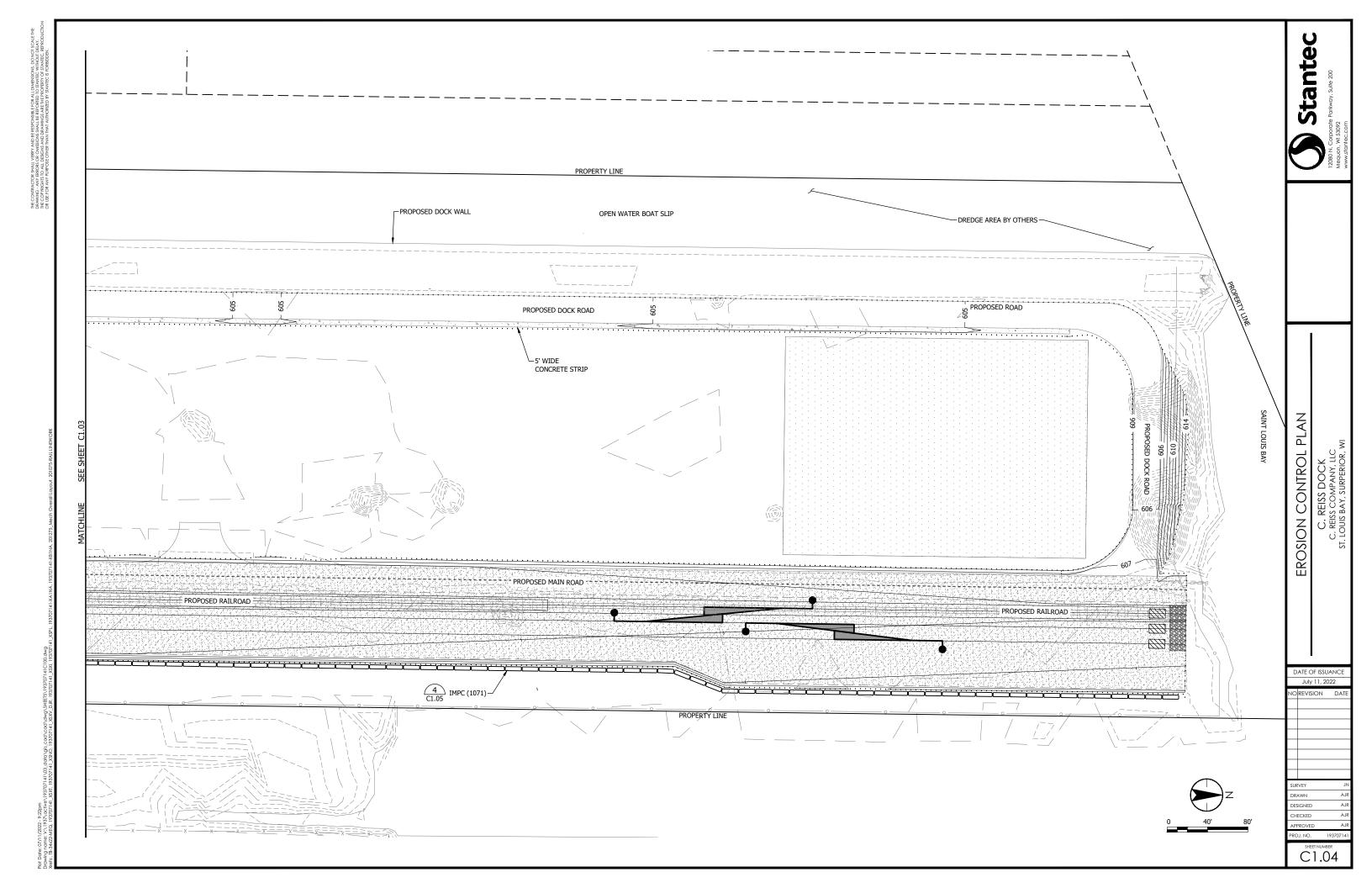


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- 2. SLOPE THE STONE TRACKING PAD IN A MANNER TO DIRECT RUNOFF TO AN APPROVED TREATMENT PRACTICE.
- 3. SELECT FABRIC TYPE BASED ON SOIL CONDITIONS AND VEHICLES LOADING.
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- 5. IF A 50' PAD LENGTH IS NOT POSSIBLE DUE TO SITE GEOMETRY, INSTALL THE MAXIMUM LENGTH PRACTICABLE AND SUPPLEMENT WITH ADDITIONAL PRACTICES AS NEEDED.

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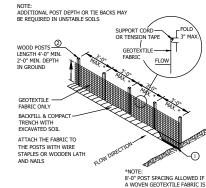
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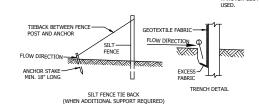
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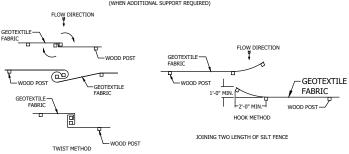
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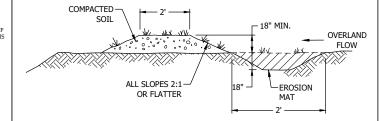
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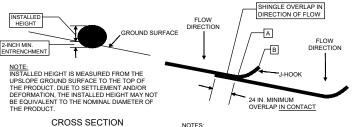




- 1. THE CHANNEL BEHIND THE DIVERSION BERM SHOULD HAVE POSITIVE GRADE TO A STABILIZED OUTLET.
- 2. THE DIVERSION BERM SHALL BE ADEQUATELY COMPACTED TO PREVENT FAILURE.
- 3. THE DIVERSION BERM SHOULD BE STABILIZED WITH TEMPORARY SEEDING.

CONSTRUCTION SITE DIVERSION BERM





FLOW DIRECTION 90 DEGREES FROM INSTALLATION - 24 IN. MINIMUM OVERLAP OR AS REQUIRED BY MANUFACTURER IF MORE

NOTES:

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2. J-HOOKS SHALL BE INSTALLED EVERY 2 VERTICAL FEE OF DROP ALONG THE LENGTH OF THE INSTALLATION.

3. STAKE OVERLAP AS REQUIRED BY MANUFACTURER.

SLOPING INSTALLATION

TYPICAL INSTALLATION

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4 INTERIM MANUFACTURED PERIMETER CONTROL

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#### GENERAL NOTES

- Contractor shall conform to all relevant federal, state, and local regulations; the conditions included in any permit; and to the conditions included in the project engineer's plans unless otherwise approved by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) and project engineer.
- 2. Erosion control devices shall conform to the latest edition of the WDNR technical standards and WI DOT Product Acceptability List (PAL).
- 3. A copy of the erosion control plan and permits shall be kept onsite and available for inspection throughout the duration of the project. Submit plan revisions or amendments to the WDNR at least 5 days prior to field implementation.
- 4. At no time may construction equipment or fill be placed in a waterway or wetland, except as approved by WDNR permit. The contractor shall not store any equipment or materials in any wetland (except by approved permit), floodplain, or floodway.
- 5. Public and private access roads shall be kept free of tracked sediment and at a minimum cleaned at the end of each workday (not by flushing). As well, the contractor shall take minimization measures for dust control to the maximum extent practicable.
- 3. Bare soil areas, including soil stockpiles, left undisturbed for 7 days, shall be stabilized with: temporary or permanent seed and mulch (properly anchored by crimping, netting, or tackifier); hydromulch; tarp; or other approved method.
- 7. The use, storage and disposal of chemicals, oil & grease, cement and other compounds and materials used on the construction site shall be managed during the construction period to prevent their transport by runoff into waters of the state; in the event of any spill notification shall be immediately reported to the WDNR and local authorities. All construction debris and litter shall be cleaned daily.
- 8. If the contractor determines that dewatering will be necessary, a dewatering plan following WDNR technical standard 1061 shall be submitted by the contractor to the WDNR for approval. Notify the WDNR if dewatering is scheduled to occur in areas of soil and/or groundwater contamination, or if dewatering will occur from a high capacity well (70 GPM or greater). Provide anti-scour protection and maintain non-erosive flow during dewatering.
- 9. Between September 15 and October 15 stabilize with mulch, tackifier and a perennial seed mix with winter wheat, annual rye, oats or annual rye. During the non-growing season (Oct. 15 April 15), winter stabilization shall include seeding with dormant seed mix and winter wheat and the use of mulch and polymer/tackifier (as an anchoring method) or a Class 1-type B erosion mat on all bare soil areas of the site.

Mulch shall consist of hay or straw free of diseased plant residue, noxious weeds, harmful chemical residues, heavy metals, hydrocarbons, and other known environmental toxicants.

Mulch shall cover a minimum of 80% of the soil surface and shall be  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick.

If the conditions are too cold to apply a polymer/tackifier, a mulch crimper or biodegradable netting shall be used as a temporary alternate anchoring method.

- 10. If snow cover prevents the installation of these items; the condition of the site, including the amount of snow cover, will be noted on every erosion and sediment control inspection report. Once the snow is 2 inches or less on a majority of the site, the above-mentioned winter stabilization methods shall be immediately employed
- 11. All finish graded ditches and swales shall be planted, sodded or seeded and mulched or matted immediately after completion.
- 12. If any item in the erosion control plan requires modification, the contractor shall submit an erosion control plan revision to the project engineer and WDNR Stormwater Specialist to receive approval before proceeding.
- 13. All land disturbing activities shall be conducted in a logical sequence as to minimize the amount of bare soil exposed at any one time. Maintain existing vegetation as long as possible.
- 14. Any off-site sediment deposits shall be cleaned up and restored or stabilized with 24 hours, weather permitting, of any off-site sediment deposition. All sediment shall be properly disposed of and stabilized in an upland location on or off-site.
- 15. Make appropriate provisions for watering, as needed, during the first 8 weeks following seeding or planting areas whenever more than 7 consecutive days of dry weather occur (no rain).

#### **EROSION CONTROL INSTALLATION AND SEQUENCING**

- 1. The construction site is a industrial dock re-development construction project including site grading, stormwater pond, new rail spur, new dock wall, new office and scale building, and utility construction adjacent to Lake Superior.
- 2. Tracking pad, silt fence, IMPC, and diversion berm shall be installed prior to any land disturbing activities. Followed by demolition, clear & grubbing, pond and berm, dock wall, rail, utilities, and buildings, berm prep for dredge, dredging (by others) in June 2023, final grading, berm capping, and final seeding.
- 3. Hall routes and construction access shall be established, and submitted to and approved by the Owner, prior to any construction activity.
- 4. Dredge contractor (by others) to move dredge from barge to berm via the sediment transfer area and hauling route and to dewater to pond as needed.
- 5. Flows shall be directed during construction to the silt fencing, pond, diversion berm or the drainage swale. Pond to be used as temporary sediment basin during construction with orifice restrictor.
- 6. Following construction of the drainage swale interim manufactured perimeter control shall be installed.
- 7. Turbidity barriers, or other approved best management practice, shall be installed prior to any work for wall repair or dredging.
- 8. Upon completion of grading any disturbed ground shall be temporality seeded and mulch placed within 7 days.
- 9. Permanent stabilization shall occur after final grading, of any areas that were temporarily seeded.

#### REMOVAL OF EROSION CONTROL MEASURES

- 1. Interim Manufactured Perimeter Control shall be removed when all land disturbing construction activities have been completed and the area has reached final stabilization. Any soil disturbance that has occurred because of its removal shall be immediately stabilized.
- 2. Silt Fence shall be removed when all land disturbing construction activities have been completed and the area has reached final stabilization. Any soil disturbance that has occurred because of its removal shall be immediately stabilized.
- 3. Tracking Pad shall be removed when all land disturbing construction activities have been completed along its associated access road. Any soil disturbance that has occurred as a result its removal shall be immediately stabilized.
- 4. Construction site diversion berms shall be removed when all land disturbing construction activities have been completed. Any soil disturbance that has occurred as a result its removal shall be immediately stabilized.

#### **EROSION CONTROL INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE**

- 1. Inspect all erosion control measures prior to commencing grading activities. Erosion control measures shall be inspected weekly and within 24 hours of every ½ inch or greater rain event. Maintenance shall be in accordance with the WDNR technical standards and the engineer's plans and specifications and as deemed necessary by regulatory agencies. Keep inspection reports on-site and available upon request. All maintenance and/or repairs shall be completed within 24 hours of notification by the erosion control inspector. The contractor shall maintain an erosion control logbook on site noting inspection date and times, repairs necessary, and repairs made.
- 2. The contractor shall install and maintain the erosion control measures in accordance with WDNR technical standards and as follows:
- A. Tracking Pad (1057) Maintenance shall take place by scraping or top-dressing with additional aggregate. A minimum 50-foot-long and 12-inch thick pad consisting of a minimum of 3-inch clear washed stone shall be maintained. The width of the tracking pad shall extend the full distance of the egress point.
- B. Silt Fence (1056) Sediment /debris/deposits shall be removed when they reach 50% of the height of the silt fence. Removed sediment shall be deposited in a suitable non-wetland or floodplain area and stabilized. Silt fence that is damaged or not performing as designed shall be repaired or replaced immediately.
- C. Interim Manufactured Perimeter Control (1071) Sediment /debris/deposits shall be removed when they reach 50% of the height of the Interim Manufactured Perimeter Control product. Removed sediment shall be deposited in a suitable non-wetland or floodplain area and stabilized. Interim Manufactured Perimeter Control that is damaged or not performing as designed shall be repaired or replaced immediately.
- D. Construction Site Diversion Berm (1066) Diversion Berms shall be inspected weekly and maintained in accordance with the WDNR technical standard 1066. Berms that are damaged or not performing as designed shall be repaired or rebuilt immediately.



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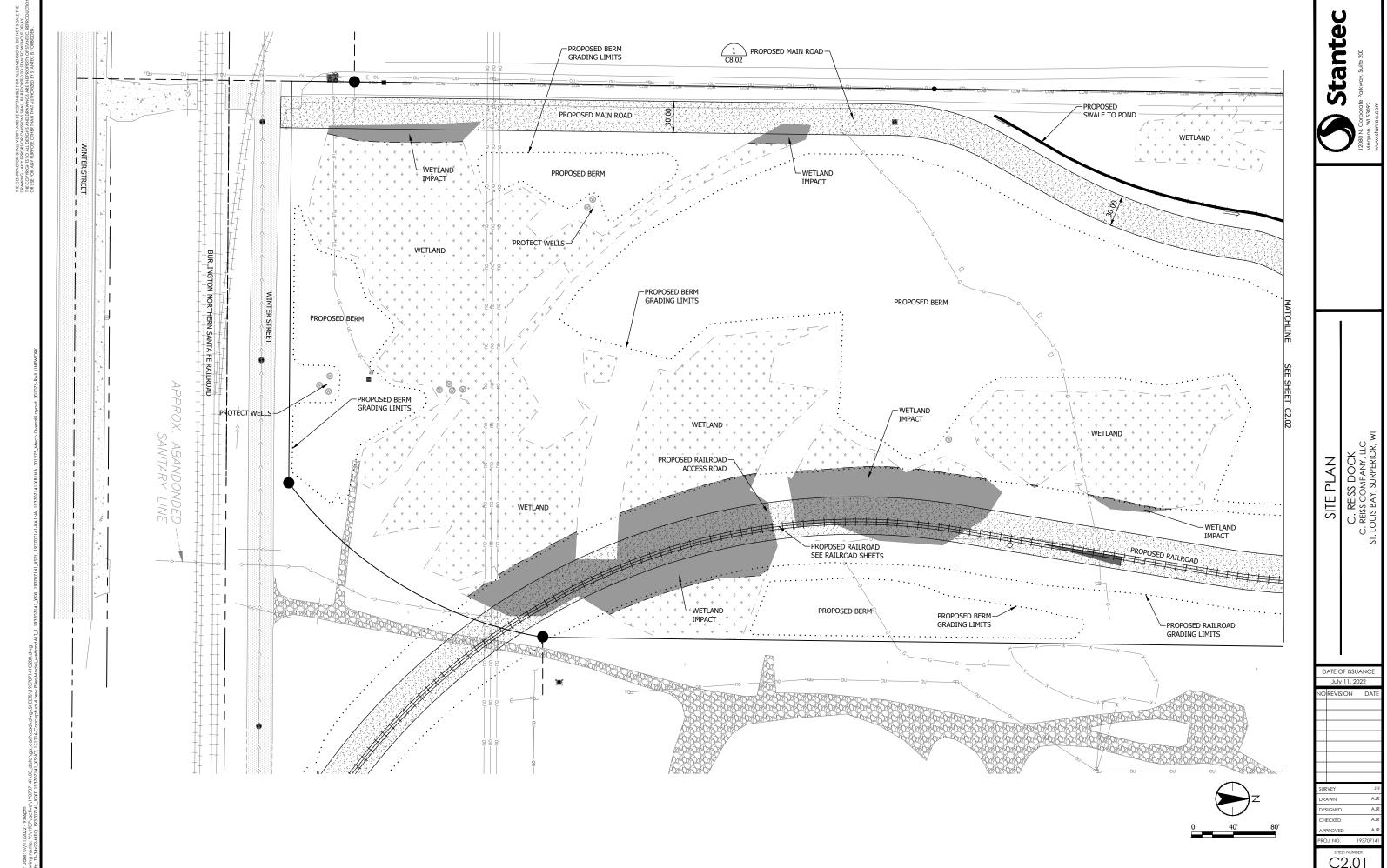
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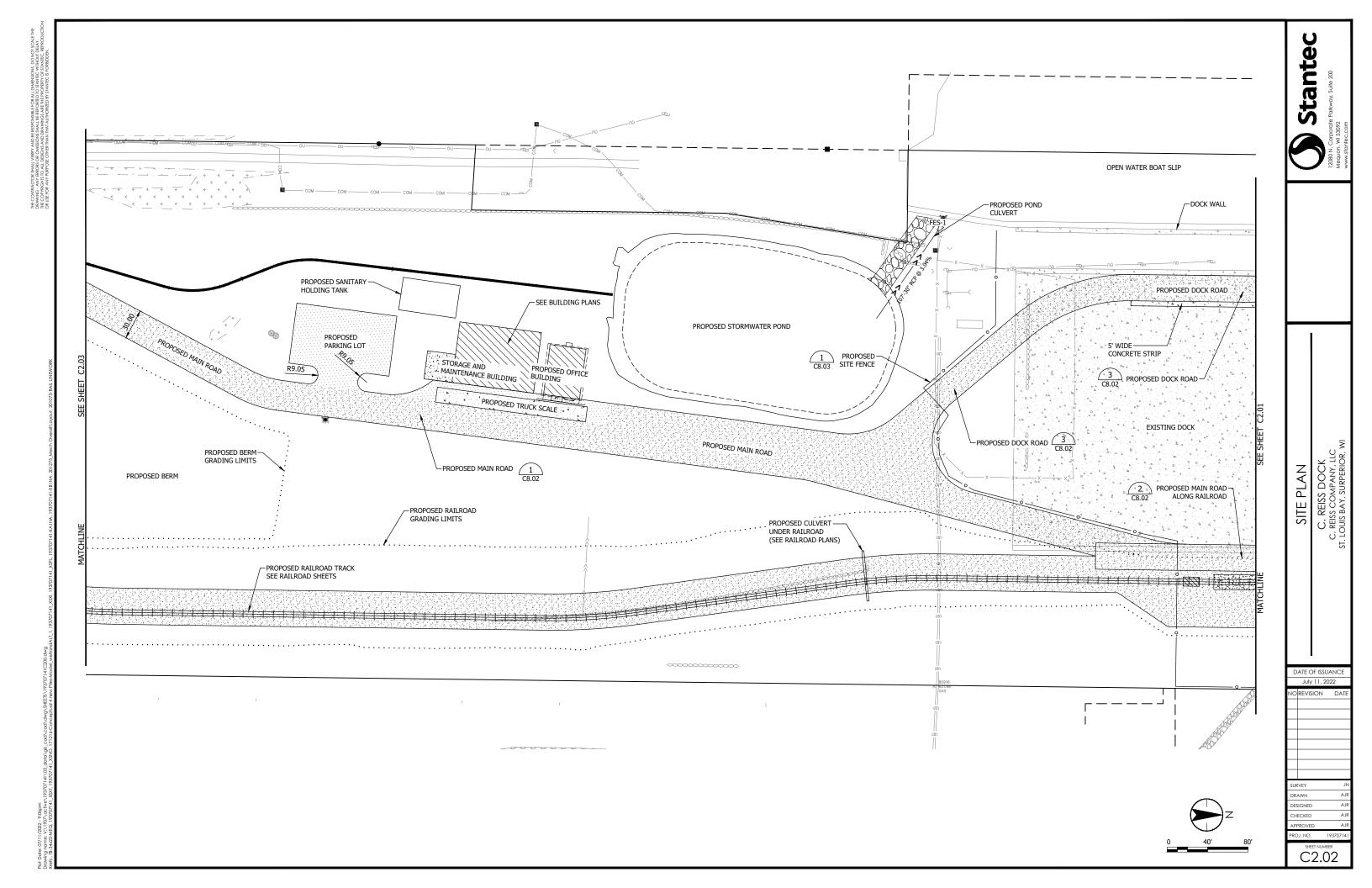
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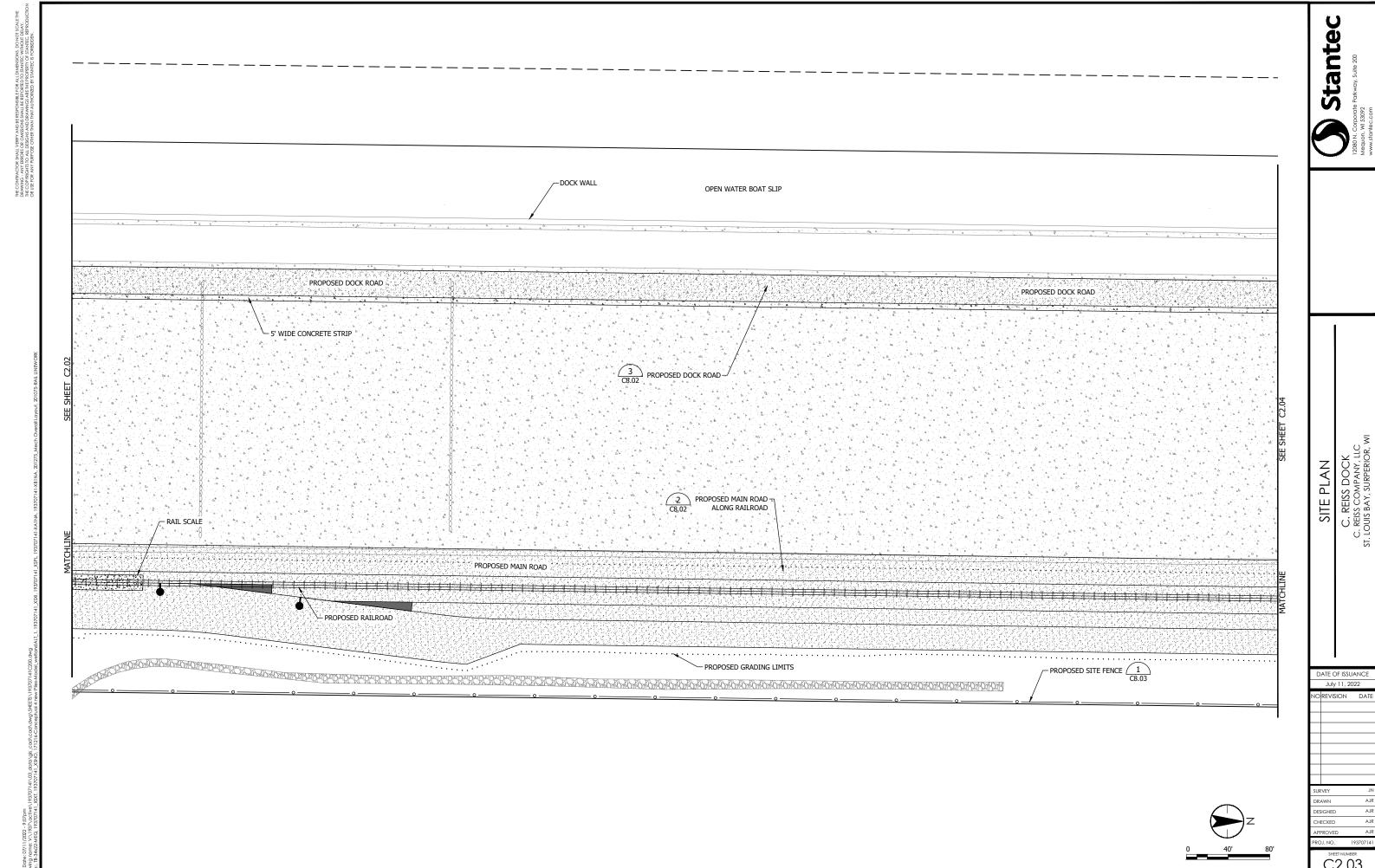
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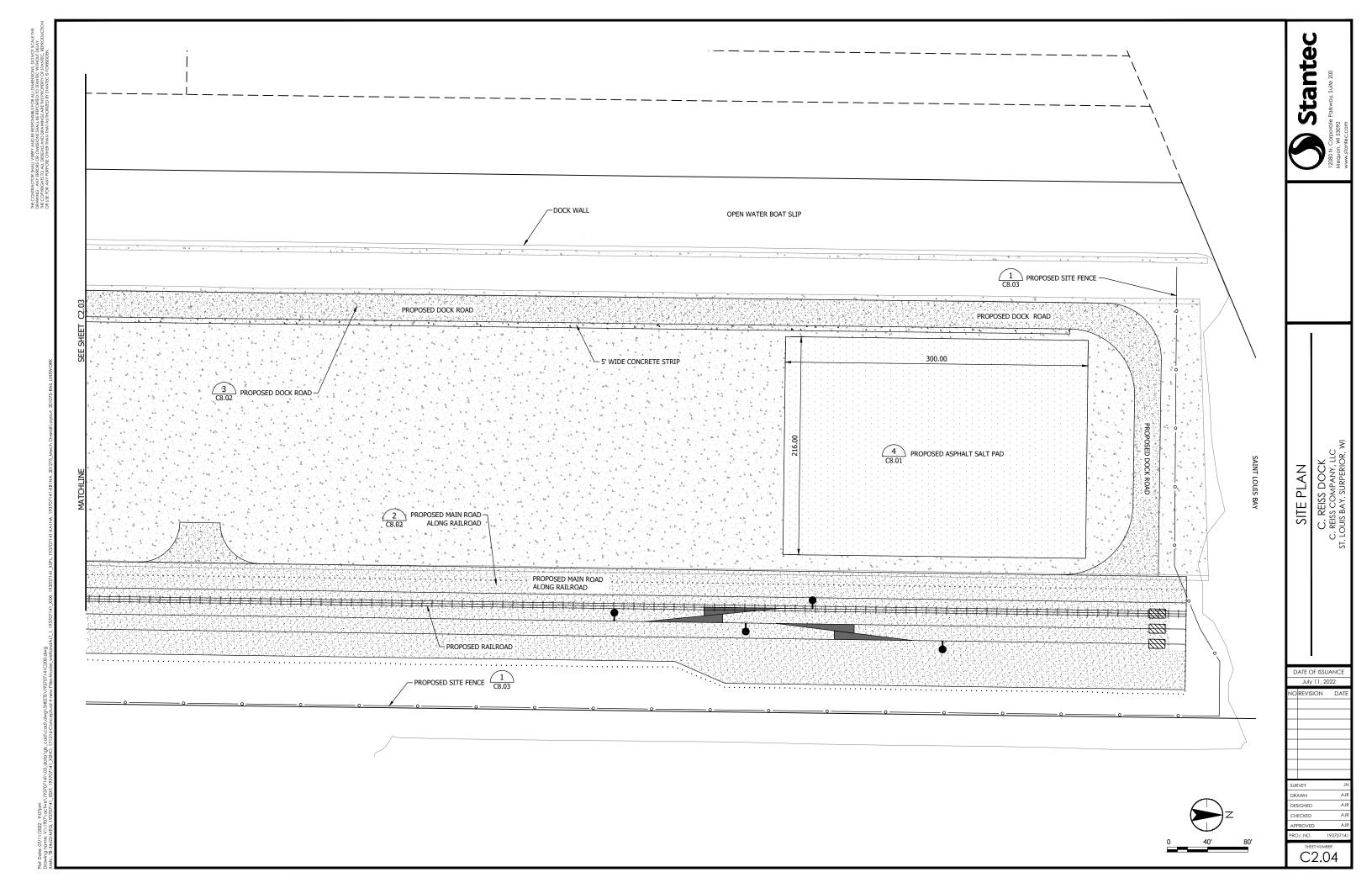


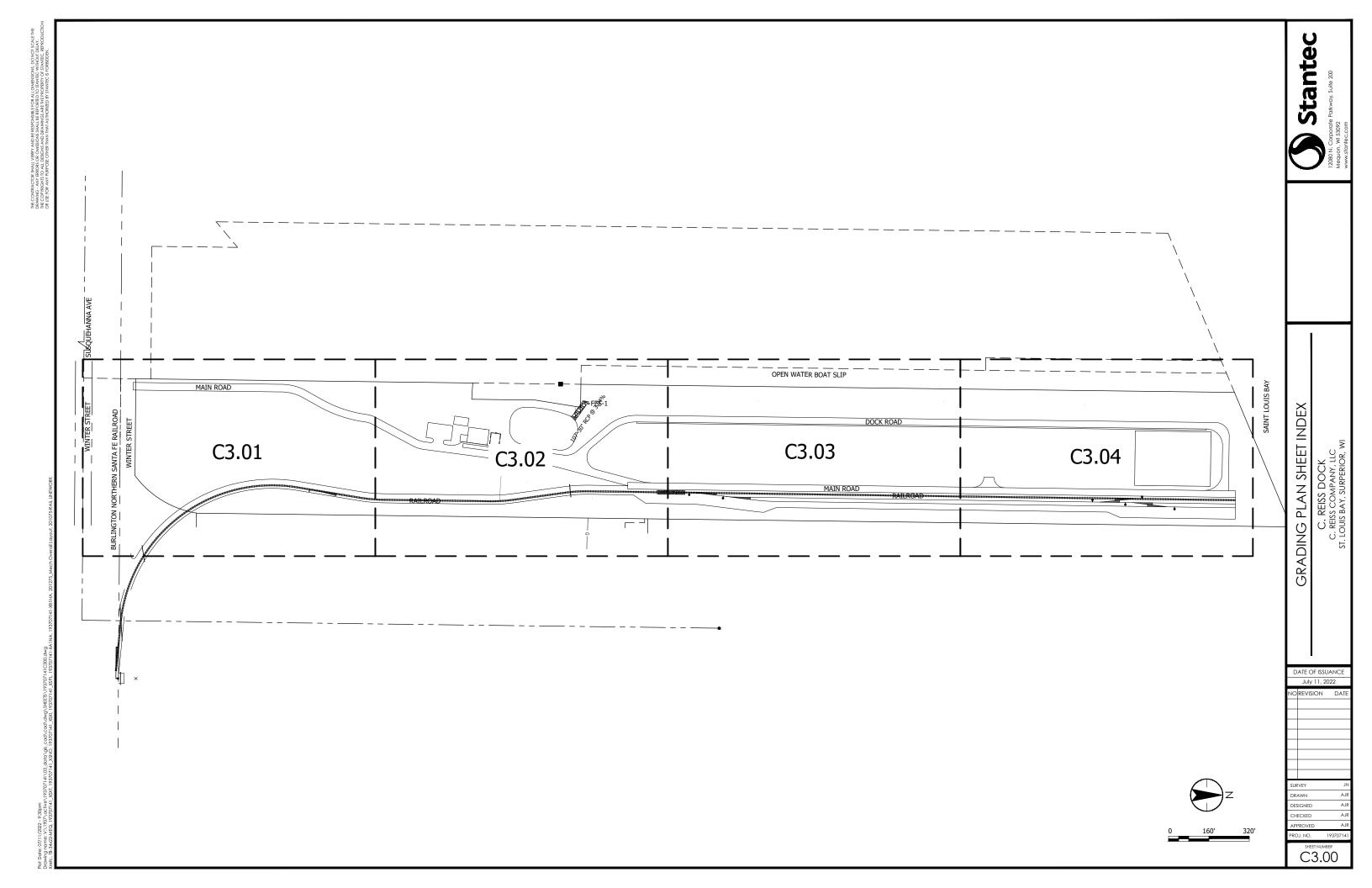
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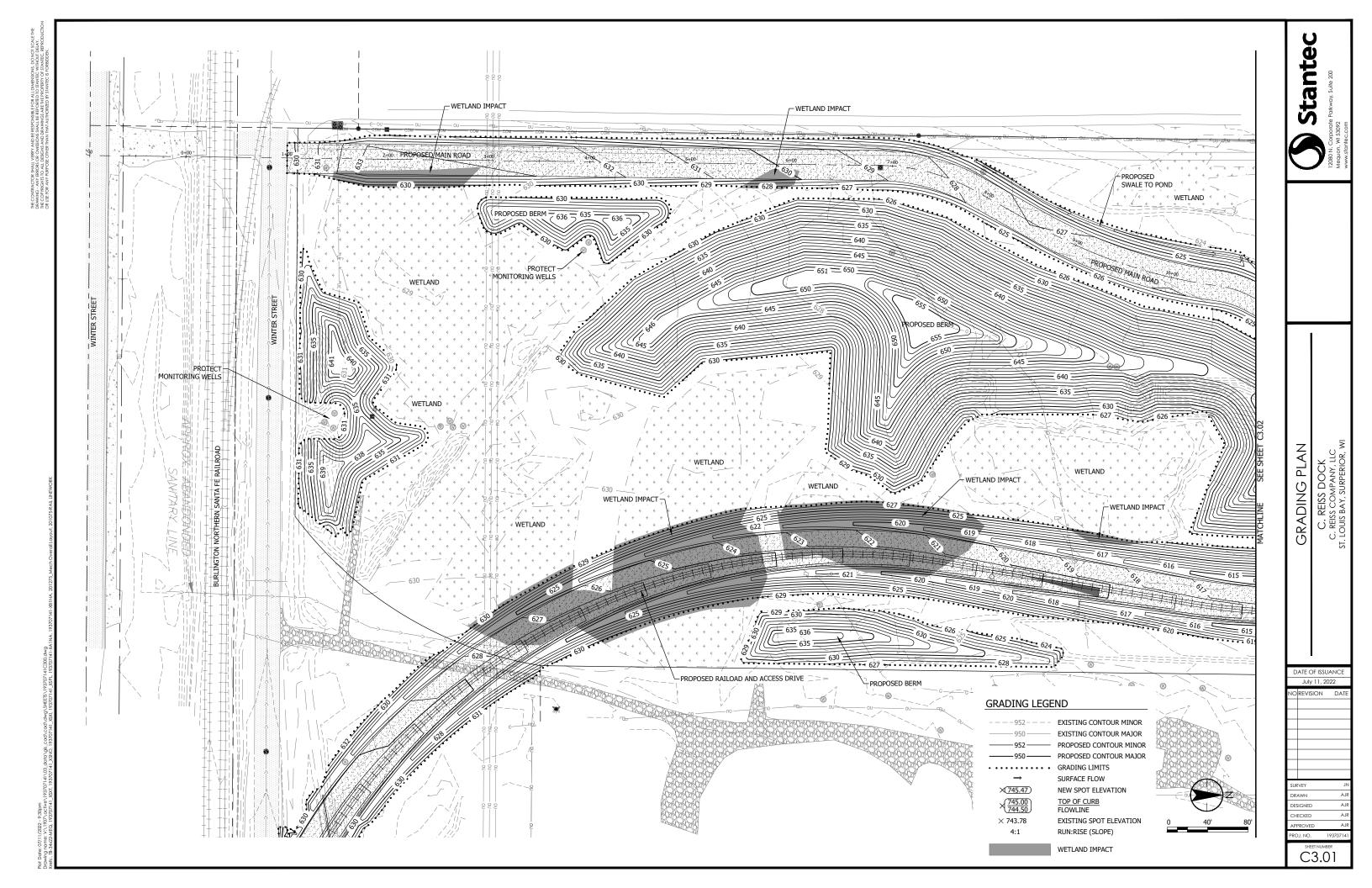


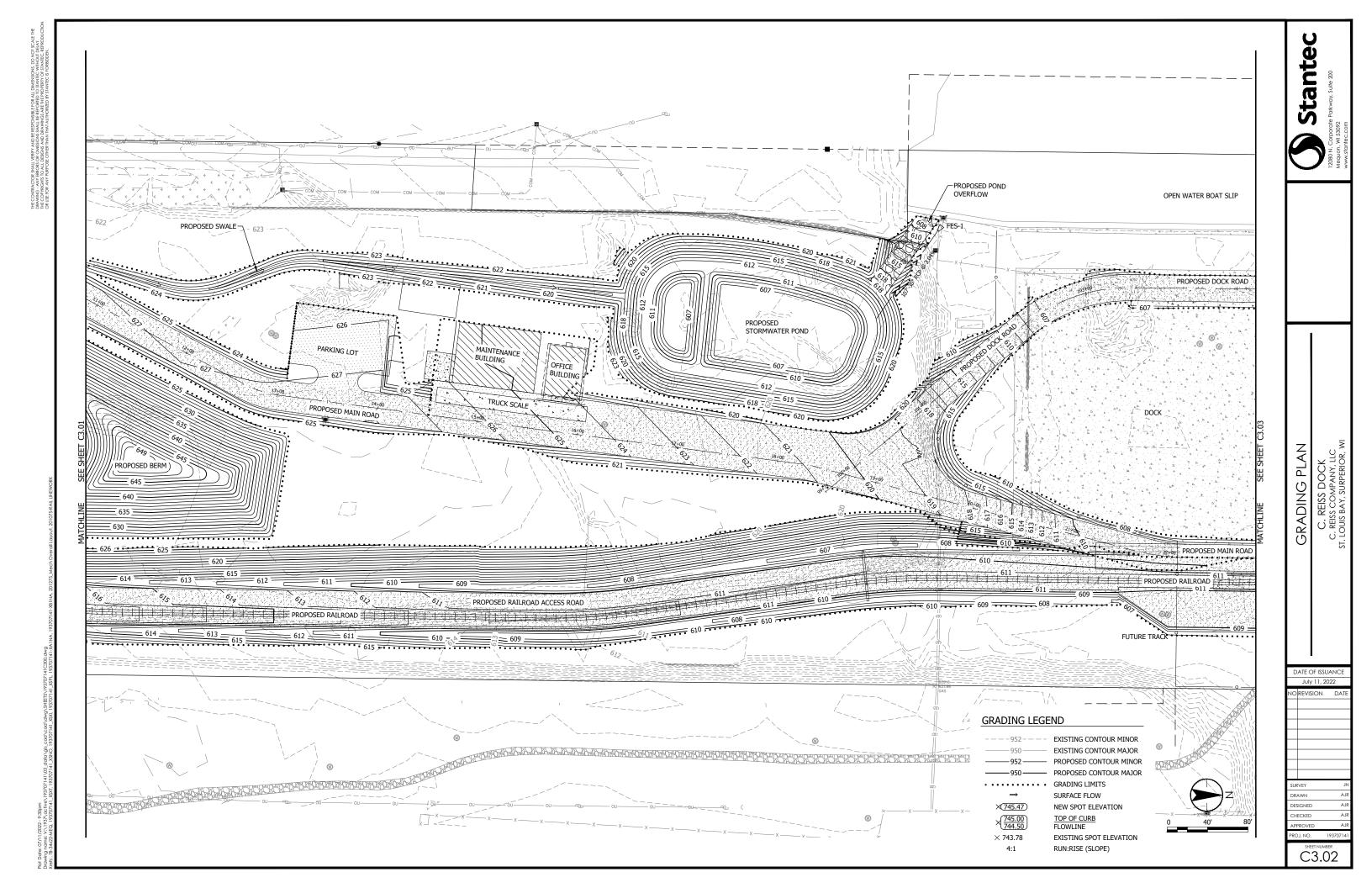


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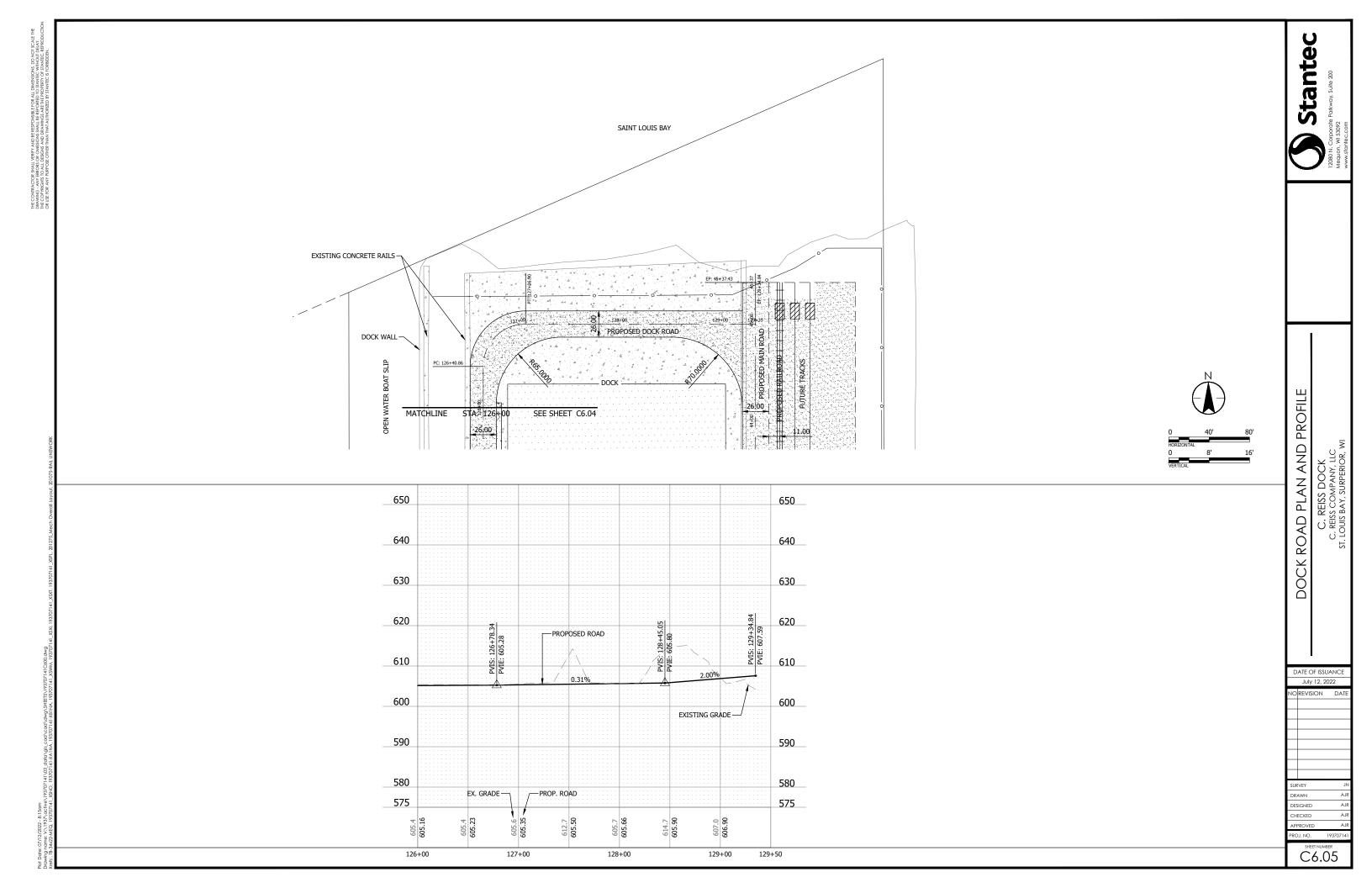


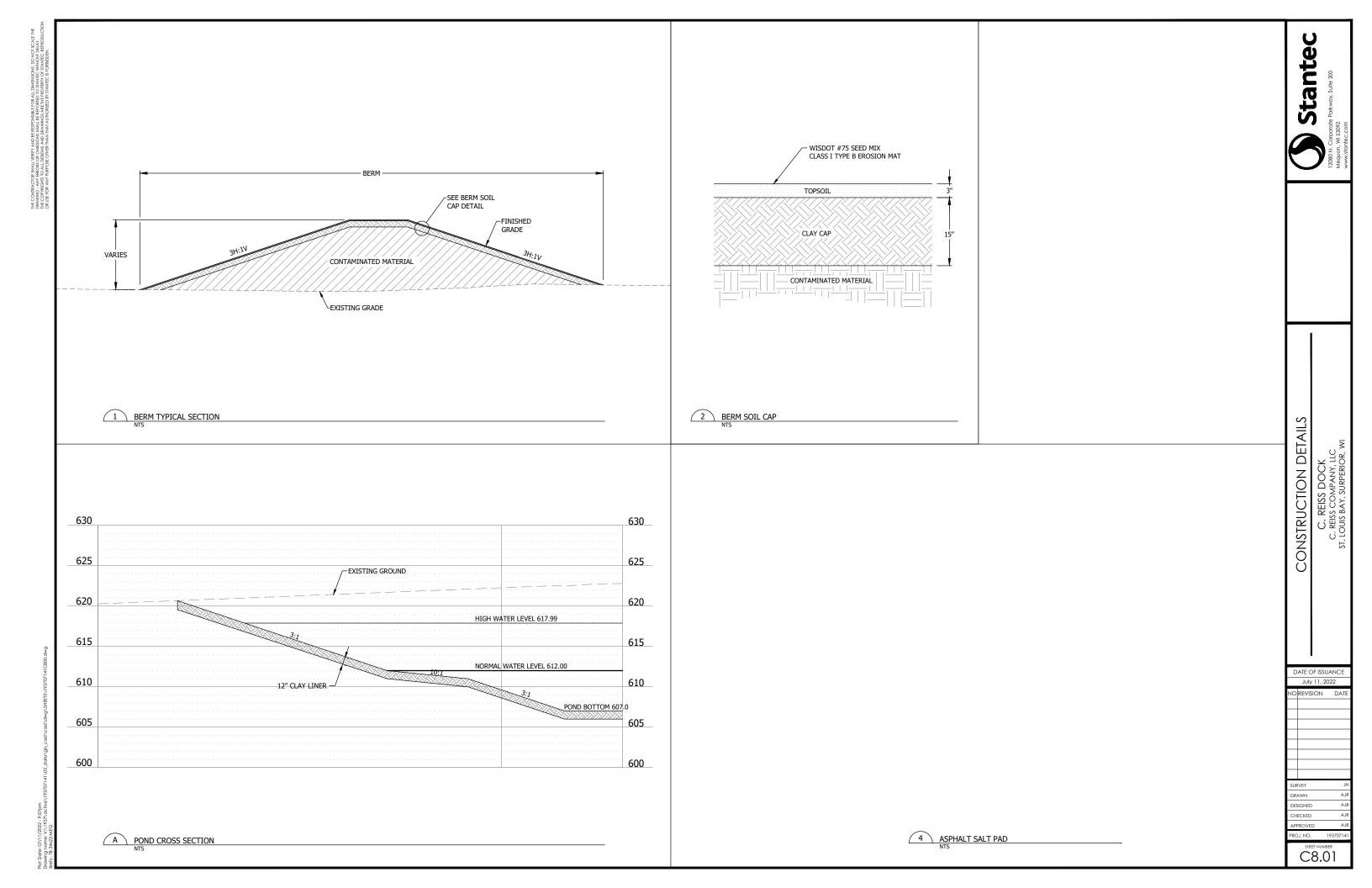


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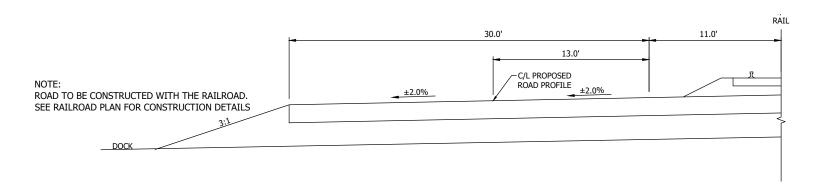
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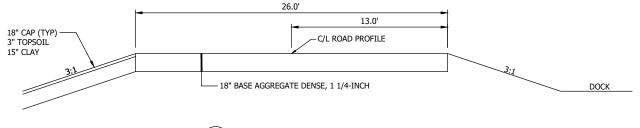




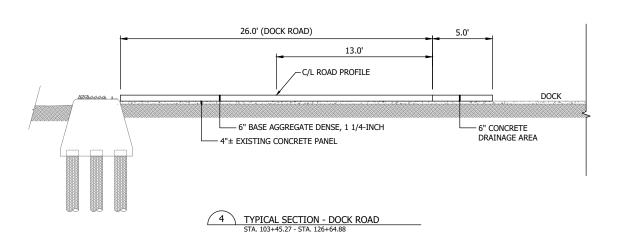
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# STRUCTURAL NOTES:

# **GOVERNING CODES:**

1.	GENERAL	IBC 2015
2.	LOADS	ASCE 7-10
3.	CONCRETE	ACI 318-14
4.	STEEL	AISC 360-10
5.	MASONRY	TMS 402-11

#### **DESIGN LOADS:**

1.	DEAD LOADS
	CONCRETE
	12" DDECAST HOLLOW CODE

12" PRECAST HOLLOW CORE PLANK	95 PSF
8" CMU @ 48" OC	44 PSF
ROOF	10 PSF
MECHANICAL/ELECTRICAL	5 PSF

150 PSF

### LIVE LOADS

GARAGE / MECHANICAL SLAB	150 PSF
BREAK ROOM / RESTROOM SLAB	100 PSF
STORAGE AREA	150 PSF
ROOF	20 PSF

#### 3. SNOW LOAD (S)

GROUND SNOW	50 PSF
FLAT ROOF	42 PSF
RISK	III
EXPOSURE	С
I	1.1
C <sub>e</sub>	1.0
C <sub>t</sub>	1.1
DRIFT	SEE PLAN

#### 4. WIND LOAD (W)

V	120 MPH
RISK	III
EXPOSURE	С
K <sub>ZT</sub>	1.0
$K_d$	0.85
5. SEISMIC	N/A

#### 6. NET ALLOWABLE BEARING PRESSURE 2000 PSF (ASSUMED)

#### MATERIALS:

1.	CONCRETE	4,000 PSI AT 28 DAYS, TYPE I

2. REINFORCEMENT BARS ASTM A615, GRADE 60

3. STRUCTURAL STEEL

BEAMS	ASTM A992, GRADE 50
HSS	ASTM A500, GRADE B
OTHER SHAPES	ASTM A36

4. STRUCTURAL FILL COARSE AGGREGATE MNDOT 3149.2.B2

MASONRY

CONCRETE MASONRY UNITS ASTM C90

JOINT REINFORCEMENT

2,000 PSI COMP. STRENGTH LADDER TYPE, NO. 9 WIRE

ASTM A153, CLASS B2 GALV. MORTAR ASTM C270, TYPE S

**GROUT** ASTM C476, 3,000 PSI COMPREHENSIVE STRENGTH

6. PRECAST CONCRETE PLANK 5,000 PSI AT 28 DAYS

#### **CONSTRUCTION NOTES:**

- EXCAVATION
  - CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN ALL TEMPORARY SHORING AND BRACING NECESSARY TO PROTECT PERSONNEL AND PROPERTY FROM INJURY OR DAMAGE DURING CONSTRUCTION OPERATION.
- - A. LAP SPLICES AND 90 DEGREE END HOOKS SHALL BE AS SHOWN IN THE FOLLOWING TABLE UNLESS NOTED.

REINF BAR	SLAB, WAL	L, COLUMN	BEA	90 DEG END	
SIZE	BAR LAP	TOP BAR *	BAR LAP	TOP BAR *	HOOK
#3	19 IN	24 IN	28 IN	36 IN	6 IN
#4	25 IN	32 IN	37 IN	48 IN	8 IN
#5	31 IN	40 IN	46 IN	60 IN	10 IN
#6	37 IN	48 IN	56 IN	72 IN	12 IN
#7	54 IN	70 IN	81 IN	105 IN	14 IN
#8	62 IN	80 IN	93 IN	120 IN	16 IN
#9	70 IN	90 IN	104 IN	135 IN	19 IN

<sup>\*</sup> TOP BAR LAP SPLICES ARE HORIZONTAL REINFORCEMENT PLACED SUCH THAT MORE THAN 12 IN. OF CONCRETE IS CAST IN THE MEMBER BELOW THE SPLICE.

B. REINFORCING BARS SHALL HAVE THE FOLLOWING CONC. COVER UNLESS NOTED.

1.	CONCRETE CAST AGAINST EARTH	3
2.	WALLS, BEAMS AND ALL OTHER CONCRETE	2
	EXPOSED TO WEATHER OR WATER	

- C. CONCRETE SHALL BE PLACED WITHOUT CONSTRUCTION JOINTS. EXCEPT WHERE SPECIFICALLY SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS OR AS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER
- BEVEL ALL EXPOSED CORNERS OF CONCRETE 3/4" x 3/4".
- E. VERIFY SIZE AND LOCATION OF ALL NEW EQUIPMENT BASES AND OPENINGS.

#### **SLAB CONSTRUCTION NOTES:**

- TOOL AND CAULK CONTROL JOINTS IN ALL SLABS AT 8 FEET MAXIMUM SPACING. JOINTED SLAB PANEL LENGTH TO WIDTH RATIOS SHALL NOT **EXCEED 1.5:1.0.**
- 2. PROVIDE 6" THICK CONCRETE SLAB WITH #5 @ 12" E.W. ON 8" OF WELL DRAINING GRANULAR BASE FILL UNLESS NOTED.
- PROVIDE 4" THICK CONCRETE SLAB WITH #3 @ 12" E.W. ON 6" OF WELL DRAINING GRANULAR BASE FILL.
- PROVIDE SLAB DETAIL \_\_\_ \_\_ AT TRENCH DRAINS. SEE MECHANICAL DRAWINGS FOR SIZE AND LOCATION.

#### **FOUNDATION NOTES:**

1.	REFER TO GEOTECHNICAL REPORT NO.	DATED _	
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- 2. PROVIDE EMBEDDED DOWELS IN FOOTINGS TO MATCH ALL VERTICAL WALL REINFORCING U.N.O. SECURELY TIE DOWELS PRIOR TO PLACING
- 3. PRIOR TO PLACEMENT OF STRUCTURAL FILL, COMPACT NATIVE SOILS TO MINIMUM 95% PROCTOR DENSITY.
- 4. PLACE AND COMPACT MIN 1'-0" THICK IMPORTED STRUCTURAL FILL OR SUITABLE ONSITE MATERIAL UNDER ALL NEW FOUNDATIONS AND INTERIOR SLABS. PLACE IN MAX 8" HIGH LIFTS AND COMPACT TO MIN 95% PROCTOR DENSITY, ± 3% MOISTURE CONTENT.
- 5. FIELD VERIFY SIZE, LOCATION AND ELEVATION OF EXISTING FOOTINGS. NOTIFY ARCHITECT/ENGINEER OF ANY DISCREPANCIES.
- 6. FOOTING ELEVATIONS SHALL BE AS NOTED.
- 7. ELEVATIONS OF TOPS OF FOOTINGS VARIES. SEE PLAN.
- 8. DROP FOOTING BELOW ALL UNDER FLOOR PIPES.
- VERIFY ASSUMED EQUIPMENT LOADS, DIMENSIONS AND FOUNDATION CONFIGURATION WITH EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURER.

#### PRECAST CONCRETE PLANK NOTES:

- 1. PRECAST CONCRETE PLANK SHALL HAVE 1-HOUR FIRE RATING UNLESS NOTED.
- VERIFY PLANK PENETRATION SIZES AND LOCATIONS WITH ARCHITECTURAL AND MECHANICAL DRAWINGS.
- PROVIDE STANDARD CONCRETE DETAILS SHOWN ON THE DRAWING UNLESS
- BRACE TOPS OF NON-LOAD BEARING MASONRY WALLS AT PRECAST PLANK LOCATIONS PER DETAIL \_
- DESIGN PRECAST FOR LOADS SHOWN INCLUDING SNOW DRIFT PER PLAN

### MASONRY WALL CONSTRUCTION NOTES:

- 1. CONCRETE BLOCK SHALL BE LAID IN RUNNING BOND UNLESS NOTED.
- 2. PROVIDE OPEN-CORE STYLE CMU FOR ALL MASONRY WALLS.
- 3. PROVIDE BULLNOSED CMU FOR ALL EXPOSED MASONRY WALL CORNERS.
- PROVIDE VERTICAL #5 @ 48" SPACING IN ALL MASONRY WALLS UNLESS
- 5. GROUT FULL ALL CMU CORES CONTAINING VERTICAL REINFORCEMENT.
- 6. INSTALL HORIZONTAL JOINT REINFORCING IN EVERY OTHER COURSE.
- PROVIDE MASONRY EXPANSION JOINT DETAIL \_\_\_\_\_ WHERE INDICATED
- 8. PROVIDE MASONRY CONTROL JOINT DETAIL \_ THUS, OR AT A SPACING OF NO GREATER THAN 20 FEET.
- 9. TOOL ALL MASONRY JOINTS CONCAVE.
- 10. PROVIDE STEEL BEARING PLATES, 5/8" x 8" x 10" W/ (2) 1/2" DIA x 4" HEADED STUDS FOR ALL STEEL BEARING ON MASONRY. GROUT CORE BELOW BEARING FULL.

#### STRUCTURAL STEEL:

- 1. REFERENCES: AWS D1.1 STRUCTURAL WELDING CODE STEEL
- 2. WELD METAL SHALL BE 70 KSI.
- 3. ALL WELDING SHALL BE PERFORMED BY AWS QUALIFIED OPERATORS.
- 4. ALL BOLTS SHALL BE 3/4" DIA GALV A325N UNLESS NOTED.

#### **ENGINEERED METAL BUILDING NOTES:**

- 1. LATERAL DRIFT SHALL BE LIMITED TO L/360.
- METAL BUILDING FRAMING AND FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS AND GEOMETRIES SHALL BE COORDINATED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.
- REFER TO SPECIFICATION 13 34 19 FOR FURTHER METAL BUILDING REQUIREMENTS.

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6.	HIGH-STRENGTH BOLTING					•		ن ان		
7.	STRUCTURAL MASONRY	•		•				<u></u>		
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12.	SHOTCRETE					•		SURVEY	,	AJM
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(2)-#5 EACH FACE

TYPICAL 4 SIDES

(1)-#5 EACH FACE

HOOK BARS AT

AS NECESSARY

**OBSTRUCTIONS** 

TYPICAL 4 CORNERS

OPENING

OR SLEEVE

REINF AT RECTANGULAR OPENING IS SIMILAR

EXP MAT'L &

SPREAD FTNG

AND SCHEDULE

KEEP JOINT

CLEAN

- SEE PLAN

PER SCHED

SLNT - TYP

REINFORCING DETAIL

TOOL EDGES & FILL

W/ JOINT SEALANT

RFINE

PORTAL FRAME PER MTL

BASE P & ANCHORAGE

± NON-SHRINK GROUT

(3)-#3 TIES @ 4" AT TOP,

ELSE #3 TIES @ 10"

VERT PIER REINF PER

SCHED - STD HOOK BOT

CONC PIER PER SCHED

FNDN WALL - SEE PLAN

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CONC SLAB-ON

-GRADE

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SLAB CONSTRUCTION JOINT

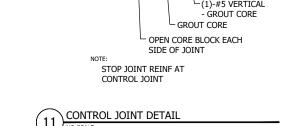
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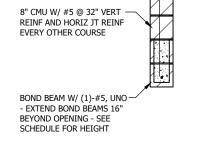
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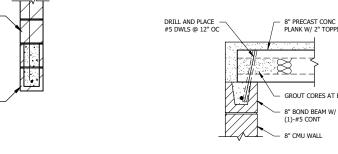
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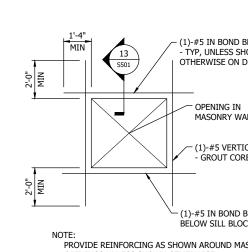




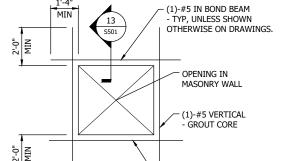


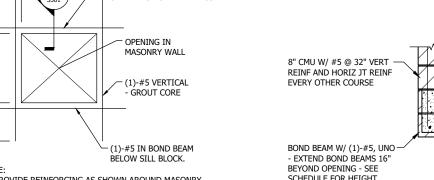


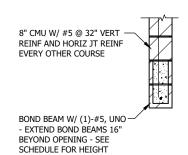


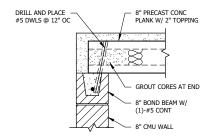


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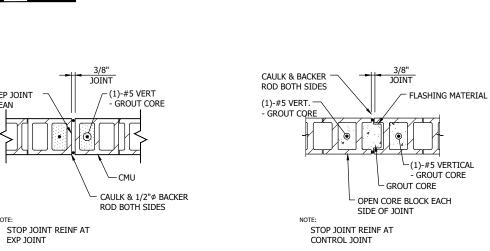


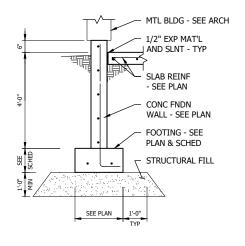












SLAB CONTROL JOINT

(3) SLAB (

**TOOL EDGES & FILL** 

W/ JOINT SEALANT

CONC SLAB-ON

-GRADE

ROUGHEN TO

1/4" AMPLITUDE

3/4" CHAMFER

PAD DETAIL

NO SCALE

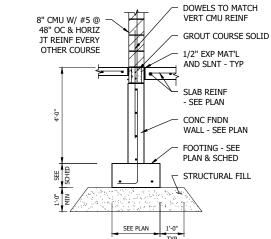
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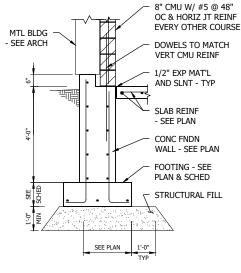
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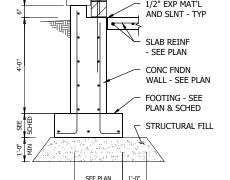




PIPE BOLLARD DETAIL

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ROUNDED CONCRETE CAP - 6"¢ SCHED 80 GALV STL PIPE

PAINT ABOVE GRADE SURFACES WITH 2 COATS PAINT, COLOR AS SELECTED SLOPE FROM BOLLARD/BLDG

- 1/2" EXP MATL AND SLNT

AROUND PIPE

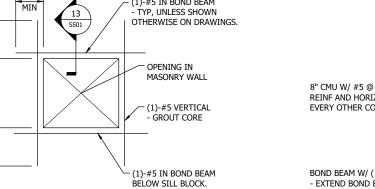
CONCRETE APRON

1'-6" MIN DIAMETER

CONCRETE FOOTING

BOLLARD FILLED W/ CONC-

PERIMETER WALL DETAIL - CMU BEARING



PROVIDE REINFORCING AS SHOWN AROUND MASONRY OPENINGS UNLESS SHOWN OTHERWISE.

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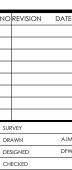
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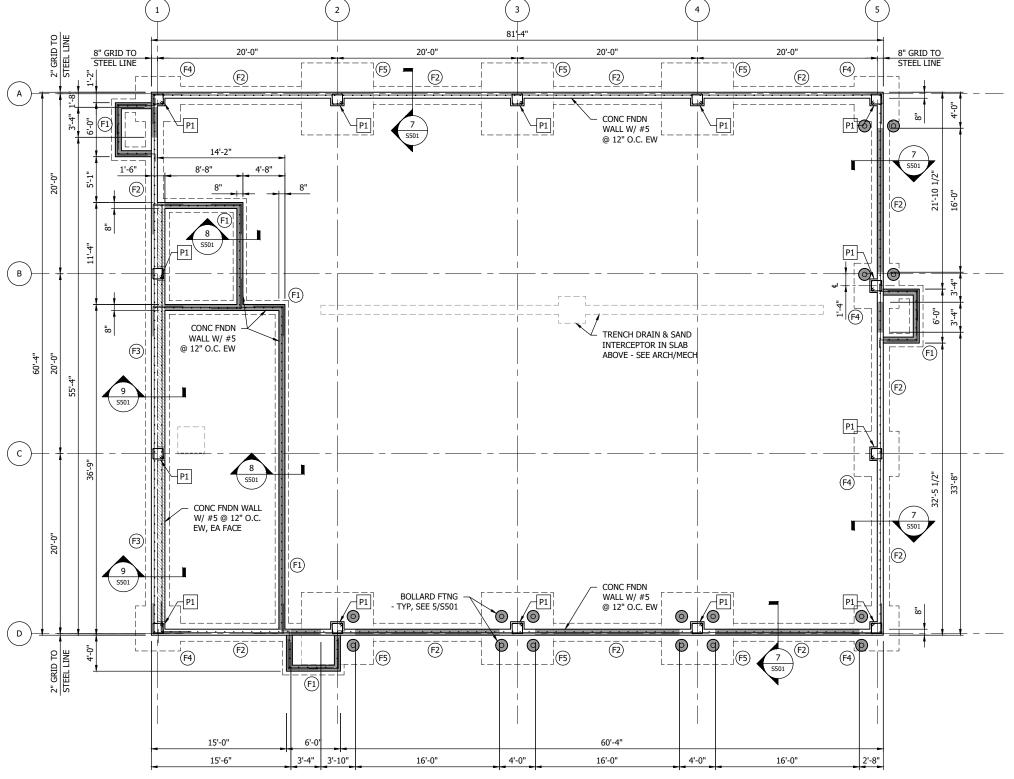
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FOOTING SCHEDULE	
SIZE	COMMENTS
1'-6" x CONT x 1'-0" W/ (2)-#5 CONT.	-
2'-0" x CONT x 1'-0" W/ (2)-#5 CONT.	-
2'-8" x CONT x 1'-0" W/ (3)-#5 CONT.	-
5'-0" SQ x 1'-0" W/ (6)-#6 EA WAY BOT	-
8'-0" SQ x 1'-2" W/ (9)-#6 EA WAY BOT	-
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PIER SCHEDULE													
MARK	SIZE	REINF	COMMENTS										
P1	1'-6" SQ	(8)-#6 VERT #3 TIES @ 12" TYP	-										

## PIER SCHEDULE NOTES:

- HOOK VERTICAL REINF INTO FOOTING.
   PROVIDE (3)-#3 TIES @ 4" @ TOP OF PIER.

# SHEET NOTES:

- HOOK VERTICAL REINF INTO FOOTING. FINISHED FLOOR ELEVATION SHALL BE TAKEN AS 100'-0".

- INDICATED THUSLY:

MAINTENANCE BUILDING FOUNDATION PLAN



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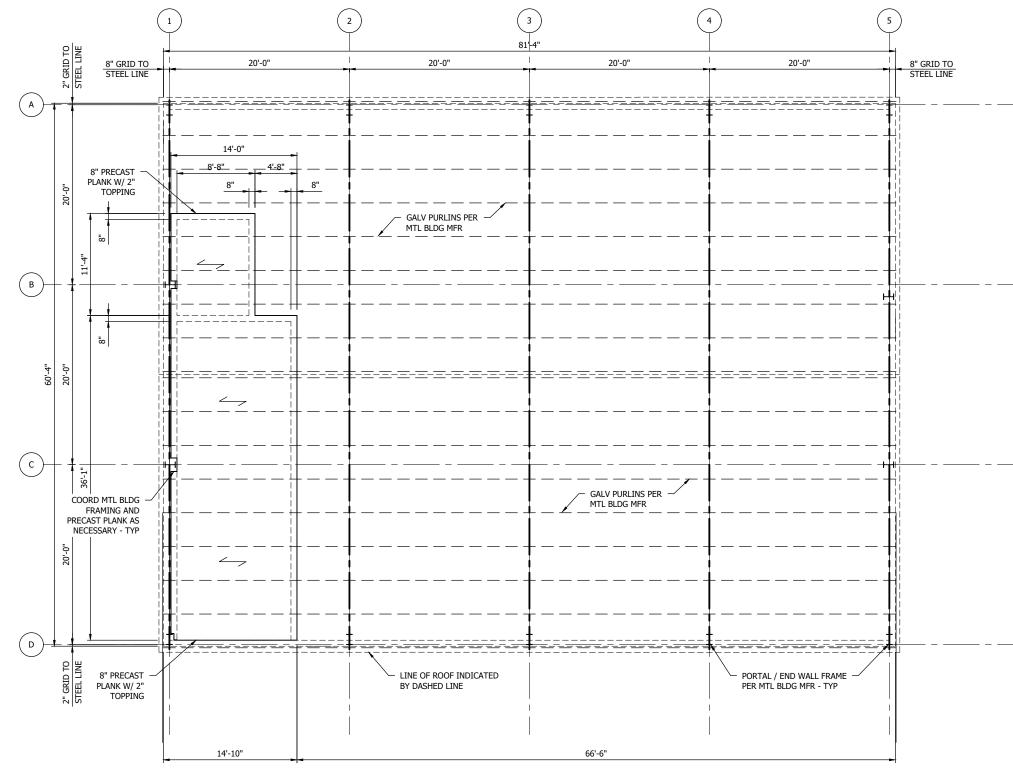
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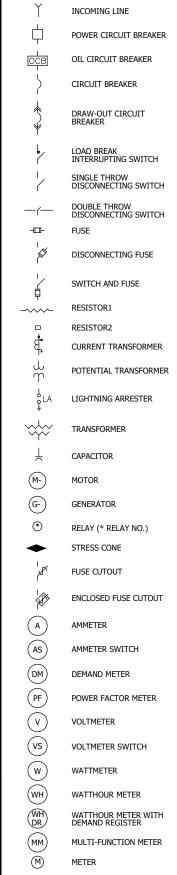
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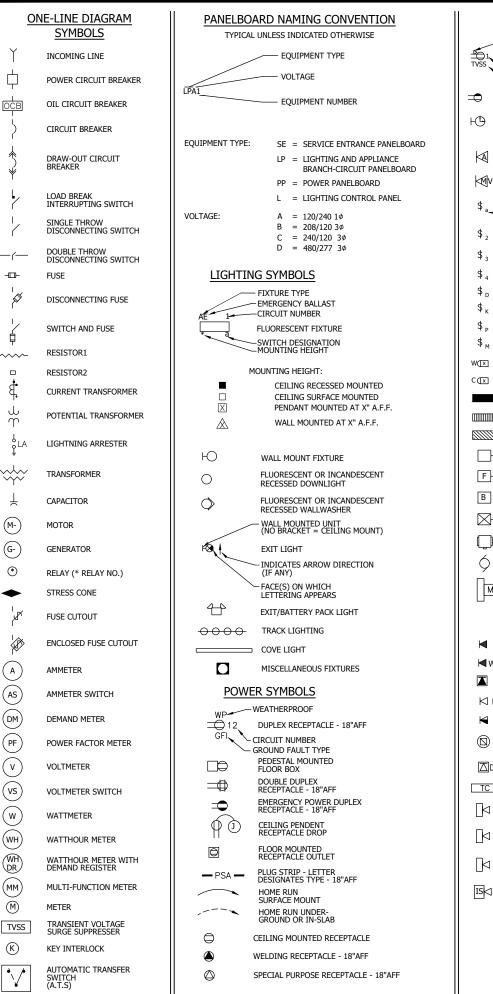
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ROOF FRAMING PLAN





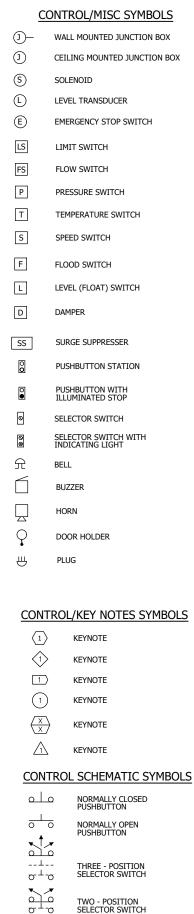
	]	POWER SYMBOLS (CONT)
		ISOLATES GROUND
	501	DUPLEX RECEPTACLE - 18"AFF
	1755	-CIRCUIT NUMBER -TRANSIENT VOLTAGE SURGE SUPPRESSION
	<b>⇒</b>	SPLIT WIRE RECEPTACLE - 18"AFF
	Ю	CLOCK OUTLET MOUNT AT +7-6" AFF, OR AS NOTED ON DRAWINGS.
RD	M	REMOTE CONNECTION FOR CD / TAPE PLAYER
	K∰V	MICROPHONE RECEPTACLE WITH VOLUME CONTROL
	\$ <sub>a</sub>	SINGLE POLE SWITCH - 48"AFF —SWITCH DESIGNATION
	\$ <sub>2</sub>	DOUBLE POLE SWITCH - 48"AFF
	\$ <sub>3</sub>	THREE-WAY SWITCH - 48"AFF
	\$ 4	FOUR-WAY SWITCH - 48"AFF
	\$ <sub>D</sub>	DIMMER SWITCH - 48"AFF
	\$ <sub>K</sub>	KEY OPERATED SWITCH - 48"AFF
	\$ <sub>P</sub>	SWITCH AND PILOT LIGHT - 48"AFF
	\$ <sub>M</sub>	MANUAL MOTOR STARTER
	W(x	OCCUPANCY SENSOR (WALL MOUNTED) - 48"AFF
	C(X	OCCUPANCY SENSOR (CEILING MOUNTED)
		RECEPTACLE PANEL
		LIGHTING PANEL - 54"AFF
		DISTRIBUTION PANEL - 54"AFF
		DISCONNECT SWITCH - 54"AFF
	F	FUSED DISCONNECT SWITCH - 54"AFF
	В	WALL MOUNTED CIRCUIT BREAKER - 54"AFF
	⊠h	COMBINATION STARTER DISCONNECT - 54"AFF
		MOTOR 3 PHASE
	9	MOTOR 1 PHASE
	M	METER SOCKET
	<u>TE</u>	LEPHONE AND INTERCOM SYMBOLS
	M	TELEPHONE OUTLET - 18"AFF
	₩w	WALL MOUNT TELEPHONE OUTLET - 54"AFF
		FLOOR MOUNTED TELEPHONE OUTLET
	⋈D	DATA COMMUNICATIONS OUTLET - 18"AFF
	H	VOICE/DATA OUTLET - 18"AFF
		POWER/DATA COMMUNICATIONS CEILING POLE DROP
	⊠D	FLOOR MOUNTED DATA COMMUNICATIONS OUTLET
	TC	TELEPHONE TERMINAL CABINET
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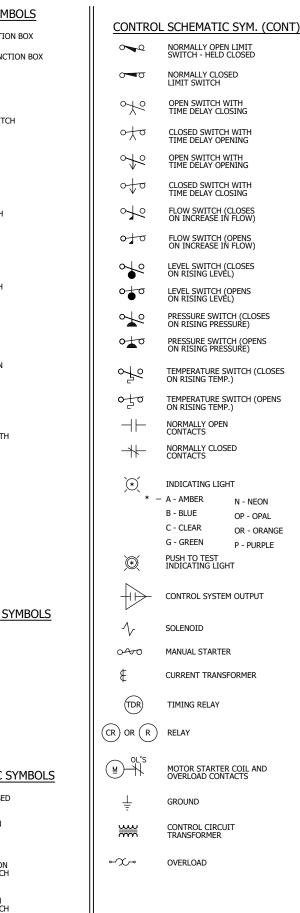
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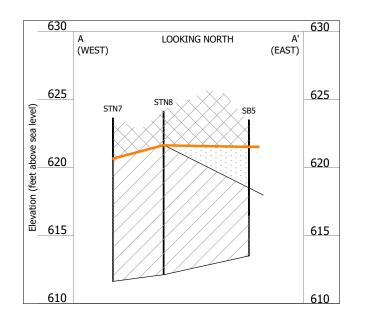
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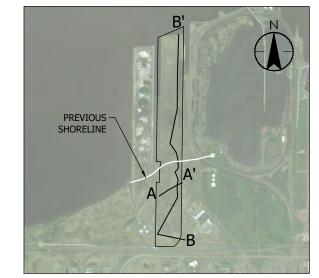
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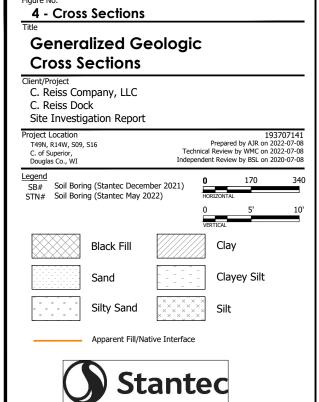
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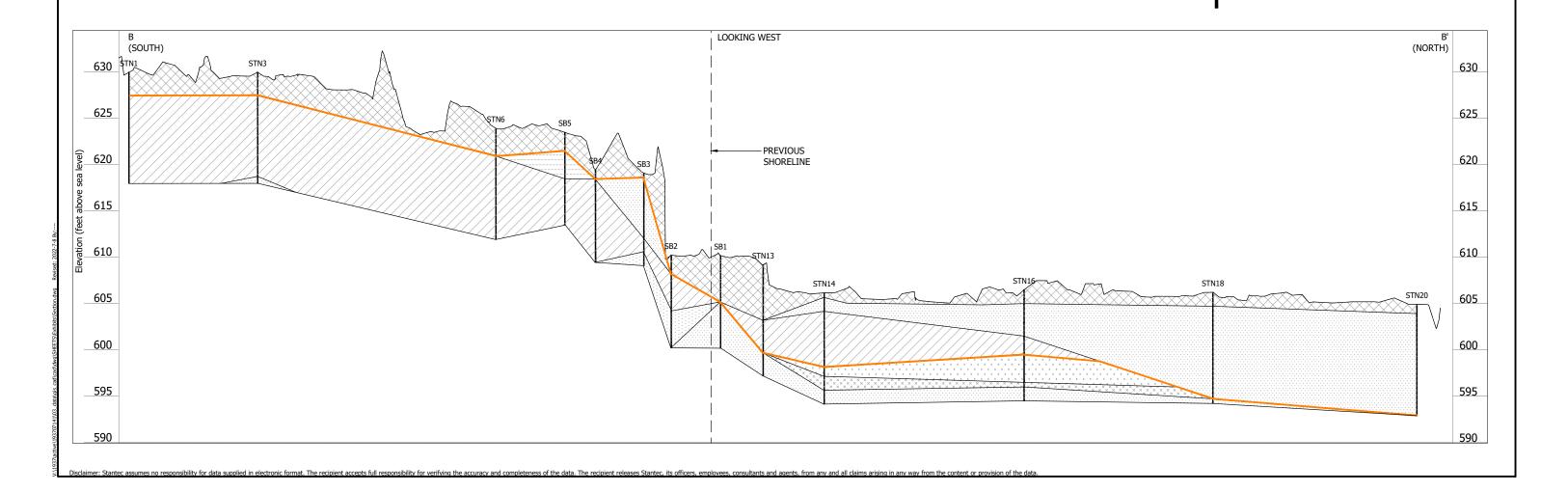
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Boring Number	STN	Use only as an attachment to Form 4400-	122.						Pag	ge 2	of	2
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		\SILT, red-brown, saturated, no odor.										
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Facility/Project Name C. Reiss Coal Dock		License/I BRR7			_			Boring	Numbe		N11	
Boring Drilled By: Name of crew chief (first, last) and Firm		Date Dri			36924		te Drilli	ng Con	npleted	31.		ing Method
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				meatu	ım, rounded,	uniform, no odor.											
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	48		-8	odor.													
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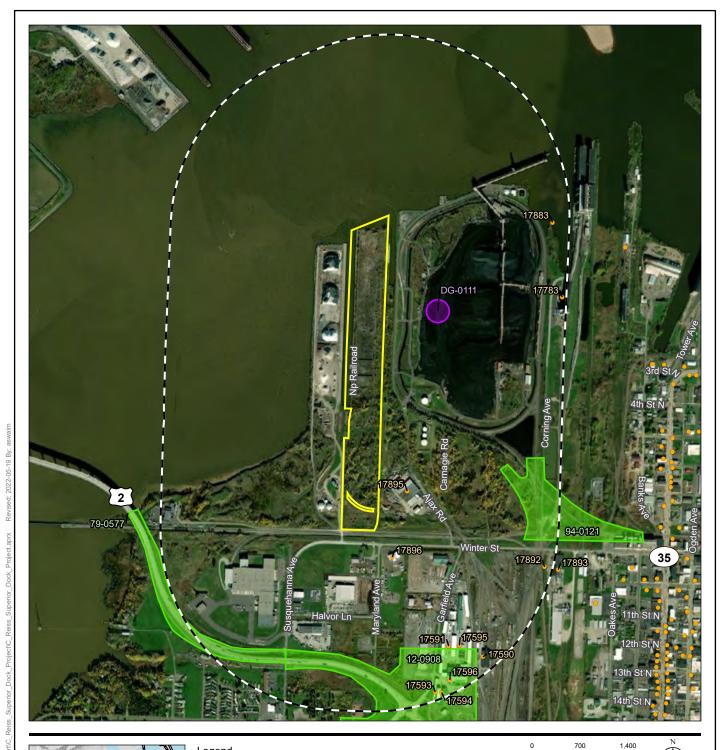
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**Project Boundary** 

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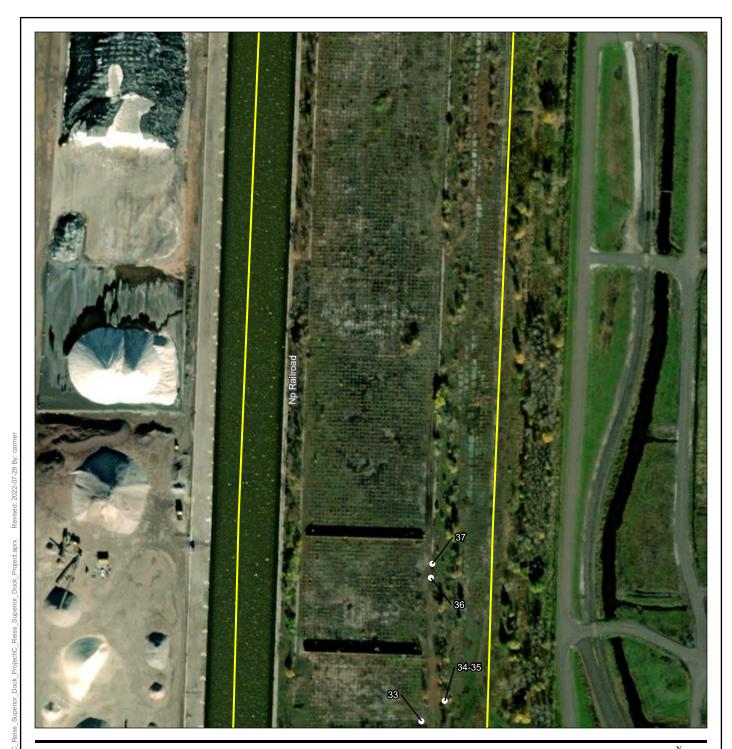
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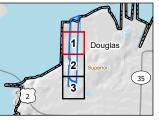
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Notes
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**Project Boundary** Photo Location



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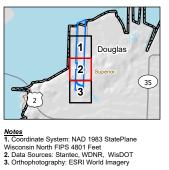
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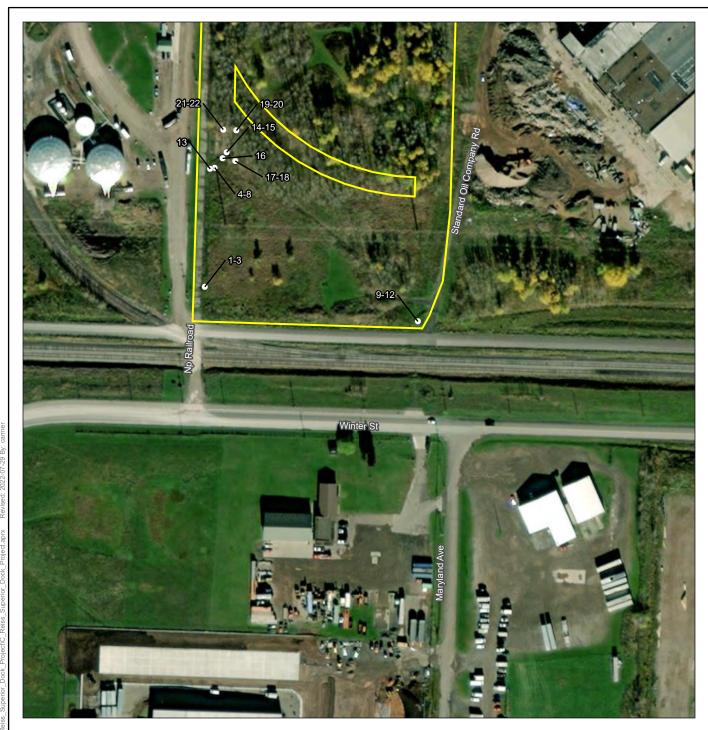
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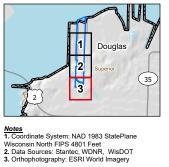
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Figure 4: AHI # 17590, facing south



Figure 5: AHI # 17591, facing northeast



Figure 6: AHI # 17595, facing southeast



Figure 7: AHI #17783, facing north



Figure 8: AHI #17883, facing west



Figure 9: AHI #17895, facing north



Figure 10: AHI # 17896, facing southeast



Photograph 1. Overview of Project Area, as seen from Southwest corner of property. Note wetland vegetation. Looking Northeast.



Photograph 2. Overview of Project Area, as seen from Southeast corner of property. Note berms. Looking West.

## Figure 11a: Project Area Photographs, 22 June 2022

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Photograph 3. Concrete foundation located along West edge of Project Area, as seen from South end of foundation. Looking North.



Photograph 4. Architectural debris located at ground surface just East of Southeast corner of concrete foundation. Facing East/Down.

## Figure 11b: Project Area Photographs, 22 June 2022

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Photograph 5. Ferrous Metal Drum situated in woods East of gravel access lane. Looking Southeast.



Photograph 6. Metal gate and concrete blocks located along gravel access lane. Looking Southeast.

## Figure 11c: Project Area Photographs, 22 June 2022

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Photograph 7. Concrete structural ruins situated north of gravel access lane. Looking North.



Photograph 8. Concrete structural rubble situated west of gravel access lane. Looking North.

## Figure 11d: Project Area Photographs, 22 June 2022

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Photograph 9. Southern east-west oriented concrete wall. Looking North-Northwest.



Photograph 10. Northern east-west oriented concrete wall. Looking North-Northwest.

## Figure 11e: Project Area Photographs, 22 June 2022

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Photograph 11. Remnant north-south oriented transportation track near east-west oriented concrete walls. Looking North.

## Figure 11f: Project Area Photographs, 22 June 2022

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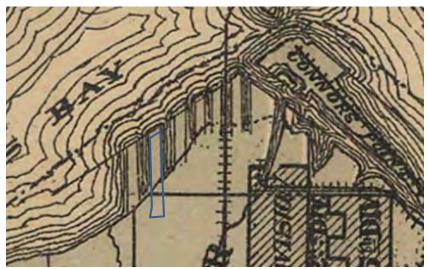
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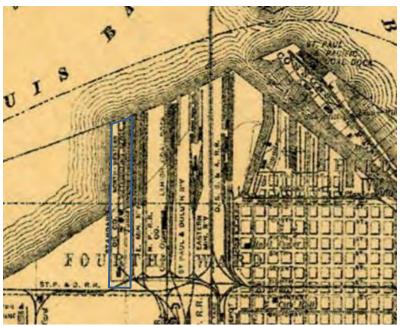
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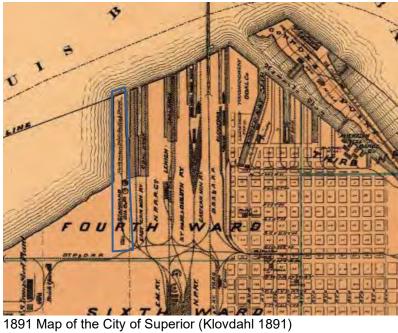
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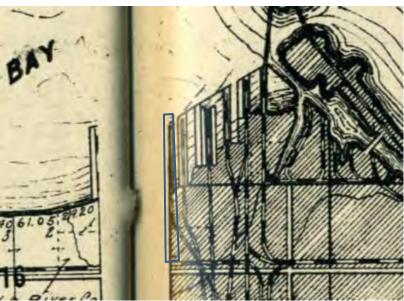


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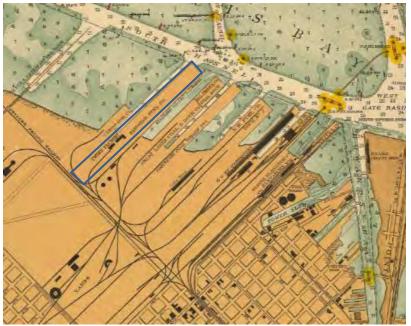


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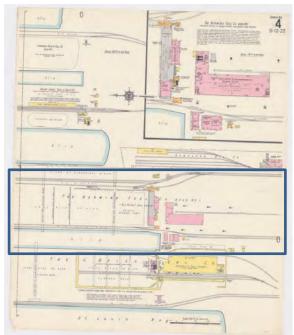




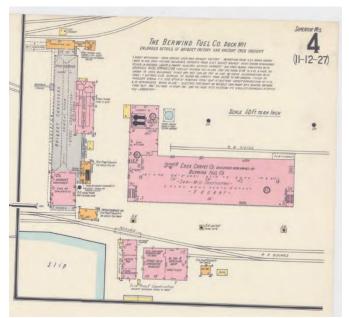
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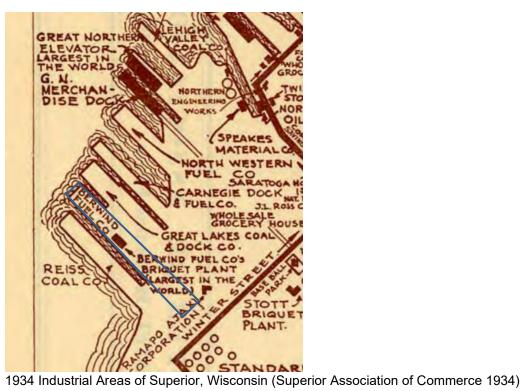
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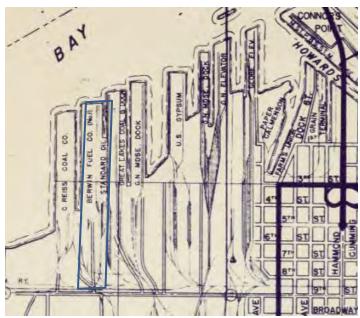


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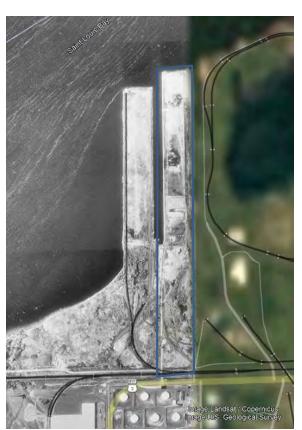
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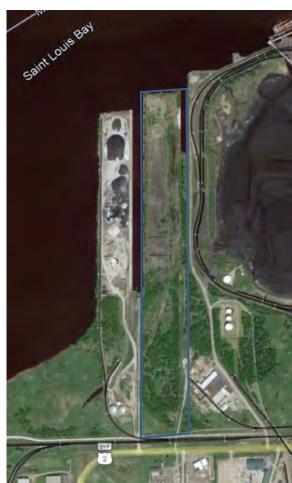




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Dear Mr. Zuidmulder

Reference: Cultural Resources Literature Review for the C. Reiss Port of Superior Infrastructure Improvement Project, Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin

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C. Reiss Company LLC (C. Reiss) and the City of Superior proposes the C. Reiss, Port of Superior, Infrastructure Improvements Project (the Project) in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin (Figure 1). The Project seeks to reactivate the existing C. Reiss Dock on Saint Louis Bay. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres of private land (Project Area) north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of US Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall, dredging along the exterior of the dock, construction of a shop/office building, repair and extension of 7,060 linear feet of rail track and five switches and the installation of various loading and weighing equipment.

The Project plans to utilize federal funds from the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) and constitutes an undertaking under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended (54 U.S.C. § 300101 et seq.). At C. Reiss' request, Stantec Consulting Services Inc. (Stantec) conducted a cultural resources Literature Review of the Project's Area of Potential Effects (APE) to support review under Section 106. The APE for direct effects for archaeological resources and historic structures is defined as those areas where subsurface impacts can be anticipated during construction of the Project and includes the Project Area. The APE for visual effects on historical structures was defined as a 0.5-mile radius (buffer) surrounding the Project Area.

## Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database Review

On April 1, 2022, Stantec performed a cultural resources review of the Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database (WHPD) for recorded historic structures, archaeological sites, cemeteries and burial sites, and other cultural resources within the Project Area and 0.5-mile buffer.

# **Previous Archaeological Surveys**

No archaeological surveys have been conducted within the Project Area. Three previous archaeological surveys have been conducted within the 0.5-mile buffer (Table 1 and Figure 2). The surveys were undertaken for projects consisting of a proposed bridge, a Wisconsin DOT field report, and an extension of a railroad line. No archaeological sites were identified as a result of these three surveys.

Table 1. Previous Archaeological Surveys within the 0.5-Mile Buffer.

Survey Number	Year	Distance from Project Area	Results/Sites Found
12-0908	1978	1,800 feet South	No sites found within the Project Area; no further investigations recommended
79-0577	2012	1,900 feet South	No sites found within the Project Area; no further investigations recommended
94-0121	1994	2,100 feet East	No sites found within the Project Area; no further investigations recommended

# **Archaeological Sites**

No archaeological sites have been recorded within the Project Area. One archaeological site has been recorded within the 0.5-mile buffer (Figure 2). Site DG-0111, is a shipwreck of a small vessel that exploded in 1938. The site is located approximately 1,000 feet east of the Project Area at the Standard Oil dock, Superior Harbor.

#### **Cemeteries and Burial Sites**

No recorded cemeteries or burial sites are located within the Project Area or the 0.5-mile buffer (Figure 2).

## **Historic Structures**

There are no recorded historic structures within the Project Area. Twelve historic structures are recorded within the 0.5-mile buffer (Table 2 and Figure 2). These structures consist of three repair shops/roundhouses for railroad equipment, three warehouses, two industrial buildings, a water utility structure, a privy, a grain elevator, and a dock/pier. Five of the structures are associated with the Great Northern Railroad Yards, two with Galena Signal Oil Company, one with Ajax Forge Company, one with Stott Briquet, and one with Great Northern Elevators. When date of construction is known, these structures date between 1899 and 1975. The Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) has determined that four of these structures, Wisconsin Architecture and History Inventory Number (AHI#) 17590, AHI# 17594, AHI# 17595, and AHI# 17783 are potentially eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). However, review of available aerial imagery indicates that all but AHI # 17783 have been demolished. The SHPO has also determined that the remaining eight structures are not eligible for listing in the NRHP.

Direct effects to these historic structures would not occur based on their distance from the Project Area. Indirect effects to the extant buildings would be confined to visual effects. Structures AHI# 17591, AHI# 17593, AHI# 17596, AHI# 17896, AHI# 17892 and AHI# 17893 are screened from the Project Area by vegetation and modern industrial buildings. Structures AHI# 17783 and AHI# 17883 are screened from the Project Area by the Midwest Energy Resources facilities which include a large area of coal storage. Structure AHI# 17895 is visible from the Project Area, however the proposed Project is in keeping with the industrial character of the surrounding area and would not create a negative visual impact to this structure.

Table 2. Recorded historic structures within the 0.5-Mile Buffer.

AHI Structure Number	Type of Structure	Year Built	Distance from APE	NRHP Status
17590	Repair shop/roundhouse Demolished	1899	0.46 mile	Potentially Eligible
17591	Repair shop/roundhouse	1899	0.40 mile Not Eligible	
17593	Repair shop/roundhouse	1914	0.48 mile	Not Eligible
17594	WarehouseDemolished	1899	0.48 mile	Potentially Eligible
17595	Water utilityDemolished	1899	0.41 mile	Potentially Eligible
17596	PrivyDemolished	1899	0.48 mile	Not Eligible
17783	Grain elevator	1900	0.50 mile	Potentially Eligible
17883	Dock/pier	1975	0.45 mile	Not Eligible
17892	Warehouse	1916	0.45 mile	Not Eligible
17893	Warehouse	1916	0.45 mile	Not Eligible
17895	Industrial building	1917	0.08 mile	Not Eligible
17896	Industrial building	1909	0.09 mile	Not Eligible

Note: Shaded cells denote structures within Project Area.

# **Historic Map and Atlas Review**

The Atlas of Great Lakes Indian History (Tanner 1987) was reviewed for maps and land use of the Project Area prior to the historic period. Prehistoric groups hunted deer and moose along the shoreline of Lake Superior. In the Woodland Period between 1400 and 1700 AD the area was associated with the Algonquian people (Tanner 1987). Between 1641 and 1701 AD, during the Iroquois Wars, the area was occupied by the Cree. By 1768 the Ojibwa occupied the area and by 1810 two villages; Ford du Lac and Ft. St. Louis were located at the edge of Lake Superior near the Project Area (Tanner 1987). Between 1842 and 1872 the Project Area and the land surrounding Lake Superior was ceded to the United States. The Ojibwa lands was one of the last major cessions and occurred in 1863 (Tanner 1987). The Project Area does not retain any tribal lands today.

Historical plat and atlas maps were reviewed to provide greater detail on the nature of the Project Area. Historical maps depict the use of the Project Area as commercial docking and shipping. The original lake shoreline is depicted in a southwest to northeast orientation on the 1863 plat map. This shoreline was intact

until approximately 1907 (Sigma 2019). The shoreline was then altered over the years by the construction of docks that were filled into the lake.

The first docks in this area of Superior were built in the mid-to-late 19<sup>th</sup> century and were first depicted on the 1889 map (Figure 4; Hendel 1871; Largo 1889). Around 1891 (Figure 6), the Standard Oil Co. built a narrow wharf along the eastern edge of the Project Area. The end of the wharf consisted of a 200 foot x 300 foot platform (Sigma 2019). The 1890 and 1891 historic maps (Posen Printing House 1890; Klovdahl 1891) depict the Eastern Minnesota and St. Paul and Duluth railyards south of the Project Area and several coal docks to the east of the Project Area (Figures 5 and 6). The 1891 maps also show the Northwestern Distribution Depot within the Project Area.

The 1906 map (Figure 7) continues to show the shipping docks (Doenitz 1906). In 1907, the Berwind Fuel Company filled the area to the west of the Standard Oil Co. wharf to form the present-day C. Reiss Coal Dock (Sigma 2019). The C. Reiss Coal Dock is first labeled on the dock to the west of the Project Area in the 1914 plat map (Figure 8). It is approximately half the size of the present-day dock. The Project Area is depicted as belonging to the Berwind Fuel Company at this time (U.S. War Department Corps of Engineers 1914).

By 1934, the dock to the west belonging to C. Reiss is depicted at its modern extent (Figure 9). The Project Area is still depicted as belonging to the Berwind Fuel Company as well as the Berwind Fuel Company's briquet plant, that is labeled the largest in the world (Superior Association of Commerce 1934). The Berwind briquet plant building was constructed at the base of the Project Area between 1892 and 1899. It was the site of either a charcoal plant or blast furnace for the York Co. from 1893 through 1895. It was then occupied by twine manufacturers between circa 1895 and 1912. In 1912, the Berwind Fuel Co. converted the building into a coal briquet plant, which at one point produced 3,300 tons of coal briquets per day (Sigma 2019). The briquet plant operated through circa 1965. The plant was demolished sometime between 1970 and 1975 (Sigma 2019). C. Reiss and the Berwind Fuel Company continued to occupy these docks until at least 1966 (Unknown 1966).

The 1954 Superior 7.5' US Geological Survey (USGS) topographic quadrangle (USGS 1954) depicts the docks with various buildings and rail lines running throughout the Project Area. Aerial photography shows that the Project Area was in use in 1952, however it fell into disuse sometime between 1981 and 1991. It continued to be unused between 1991 and the present day (NETROnline 2022).

The Project Area was used by the Standard Oil Co. and later by the Amoco Oil Co. to transfer petroleum products including kerosene and lubricant from 1891 through circa 1993. Oil was stored in aboveground storage tanks (ASTs) located to the south of the dock that were connected to an oil transfer building via pipeline and then to railcars. The oil transfer building ceased operations in the late 1950s and was later demolished (Sigma 2019).

The Project Area was used for open-air storage of up to 800,000 tons of coal from 1907 through sometime in the late 1960s. Dock occupants during this period included the Berwind Fuel Co. and later the C. Reiss Coal Co. The dock was then used by C. Reiss for the receipt of dry bulk goods from sometime between 1974 and 1987 through sometime after 1999 (Sigma 2019).

# **Summary and Recommendations**

Stantec conducted an initial cultural resources database review to identify cultural resources present within the Project Area. The results of the cultural resources database review indicate that no archaeological sites or historic structures are present within the Project Area.

One archaeological site and twelve historic structures are present within the 0.5-mile buffer. The archaeological site would not be impacted by the Project due to its distance from the Project. Three of the historic structures have been demolished. Direct impacts to the nine remaining structures would not occur based on their distance from the Project Area. Indirect (visual) impacts could occur to the nine remaining historic structures, but more modern structures are present between the Project and these structure and would provide some level of visual screening to reduce potential visual impacts. Additionally, the proposed Project would be in keeping with the surrounding industrial character of the area and would not result in an increased visual impact to these structures.

Based upon a review of the WHPD and historical maps and aerial images, the Project Area appears to have a low potential to contain prehistoric or historic properties eligible for listing in the NRHP. While the Project Area would have been utilized during the prehistoric period it is unlikely that significant prehistoric sites currently remain in the Project Area. The Project Area has been significantly altered by historical construction of the dock facility. Approximately the northern half of the Project Area was constructed into the lake in the early-1900s using imported fill material and analysis of modern aerial photography suggests that up to 65 percent of the APE is concrete. Industrial development within the Project Area caused significant disturbance to the southern portion of the Project Area. Continued operation and upgrades of the industrial facilities within the Project Area over time and subsequent abandonment and demolition has resulted in significant impacts to potential historical resources associated with the industrial use of the Project Area.

Therefore, Stantec recommends a finding of No Adverse Effects and further recommends that the Project be allowed to proceed as planned without additional cultural resources investigation.

Regards,

Stantec Consulting Services Inc.

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Attachments: Figure 1. Project Location and Local Topography

Figure 2. Wisconsin Historic Preservation Division (WHPD) Database Review Results

Historical Maps and Aerial Images

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## Design with community in mind

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Superior, Wisconsin 7.5-minute quadrangle. Electronic document, <a href="https://apps.nationalmap.gov/downloader/#/">https://apps.nationalmap.gov/downloader/#/</a>

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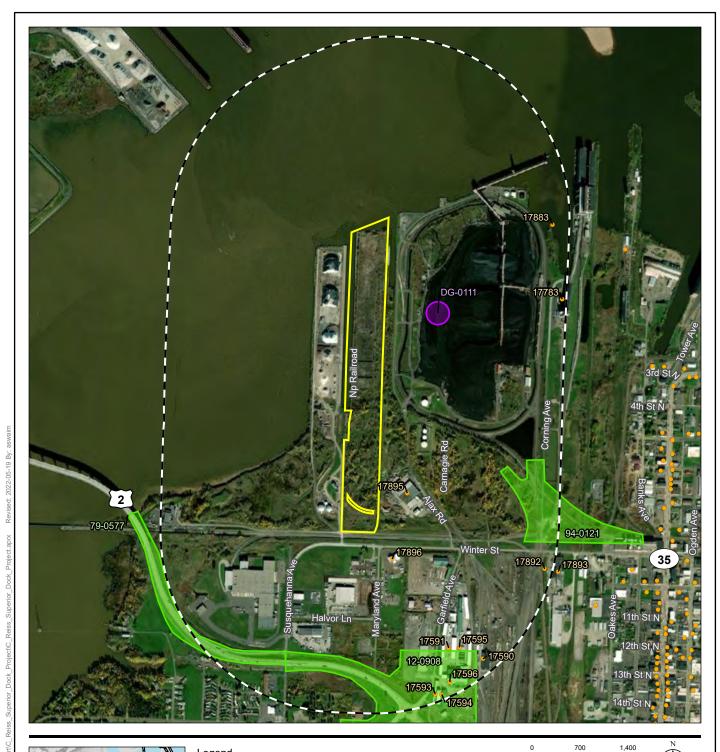
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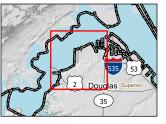
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# **Attachments**

Project Topography and Location

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Legend

**Project Boundary** 

1/2 Mile Project Buffer

Previously Recorded Historic Structure

Previously Recorded Archaeological Site

Previous Survey



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Client/Project
The C. Reiss Coal Company, LLC Reiss Superior Dock Cultural Resources Report

Wisconsin Historic Preservation Database (WHPD) File Search

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Notes
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Wisconsin North FIPS 4801 Feet
2. Data Sources: Stantec, WDNR, WisDOT, WHPD
3. Orthophotography: ESRI World Imagery

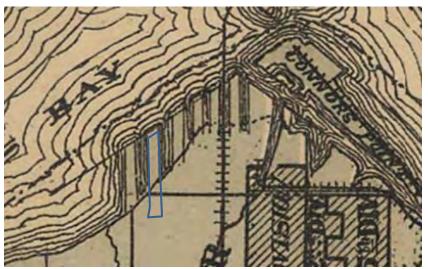
# **Historical Maps and Aerial Images**

Historical maps and aerial images reviewed as part of the desktop review are provided below. In all cases, the approximate Project Area boundary is depicted as a blue rectangle.

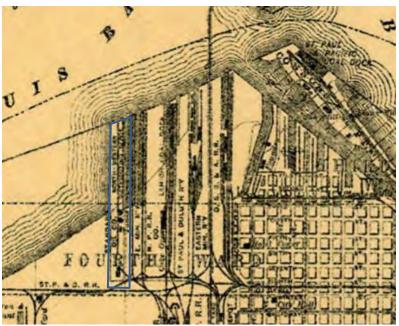
# **Historical Maps**



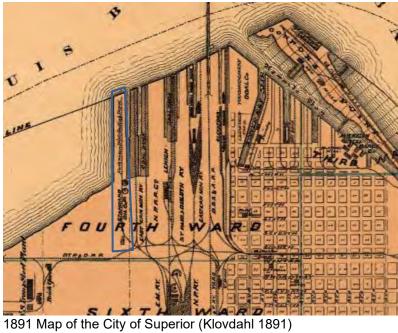
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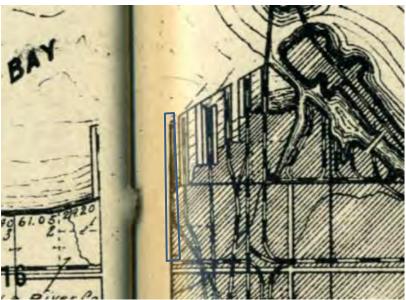


1889 Douglas County Map (Largo 1889)

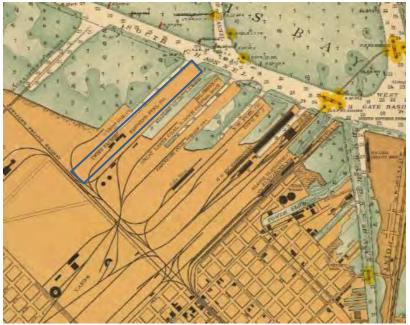


1890 Map of the City of Superior (Posen Printing House 1890)

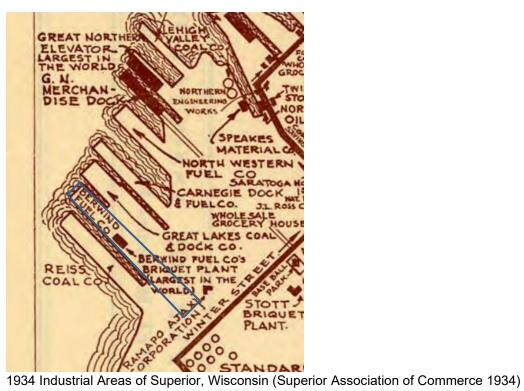


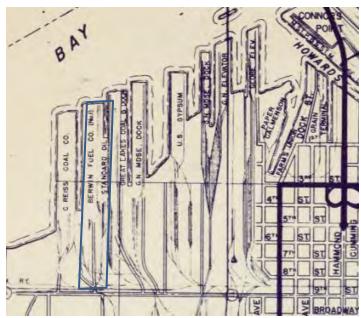


1906 Map of Douglas County (Doenitz 1906)



1914 Chart of Harbor at Duluth, Minnesota and Superior, Wisconsin (U.S. War Department Corps of Engineers 1914)





1966 Map of the City of Superior (Unknown 1966)

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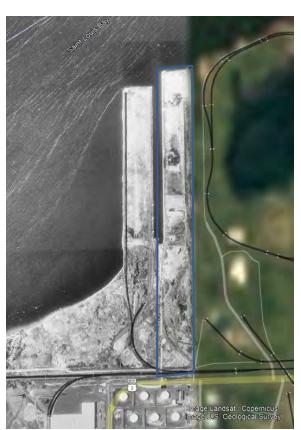
# **Aerial Images**



1952 aerial image (NETROnline 2022)



1981 aerial image (NETEROnline 2022)





1991 aerial image (Google Earth 2022)

1992 aerial image (Google Earth 2022)





2003 aerial image (Google Earth 2022)

2008 aerial image (Google Earth 2022)





2013 aerial image (Google Earth 2022)

2020 aerial image (Google Earth 2022)

# APPENDIX H SHPO

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To: <u>Banks, Benjamin</u>

Cc: william.m.sande@usace.army.mil

Subject: SHPO Review: 22-0991/DG - C. Reiss Port of Superior Infrastructure Improvement Project

**Date:** Friday, September 2, 2022 11:26:26 AM

# Good morning, Mr. Banks,

I have completed my review of WHS #22-0991, C. Reiss Port of Superior Infrastructure Improvement Project and find that no eligible properties will be affected (i.e. none are present or there are historic properties present but the project will have no effect upon them). Please note, however, that the shipwreck, "Clarence," whose exact location is unknown, may be found during project activities. If dredging or end-wall construction, or any phase of this project encounters any evidence of this wreck (or any other unknown to us), work must stop immediately within 100-feet and you must contact me under Wisconsin Stat.44.47 and also under the Federal Abandoned Shipwreck Act for further guidance. If the wreck, or elements thereof, are discovered, an archaeological survey will be required.

If your plans change or cultural materials/human remains are found during the project, please halt all work and contact our office.

Please use this email as your official SHPO concurrence for the project. If you require a hard copy signed form, please contact me and I will provide you a signed copy as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Leslie

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# VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: compliance@wisconsinhistory.org

Daina Penkiunas State Historic Preservation Officer Wisconsin Historical Society 816 State Street Madison, WI 53706

Subject: U.S. Department of Transportation Maritime Administration

Section 106 initiation

C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Harbor Assistance Program

## Dear Ms. Penkiunas:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

This action constitutes an undertaking under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act 1966, as amended (54 U.S.C. § 300101 et seq.). Pursuant to Section 106 and its implementing regulations, 36 CFR § 800, MARAD is initiating consultation with your office regarding this project.

# **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

# Area of Potential Effects

Based on research of the property by the C. Reiss Coal Company, including local government tax records, the Area of Potential Effect (APE) for direct effects to archaeological resources and historic structures has been defined as those areas where subsurface impacts can be anticipated during construction of the Project and includes the Project Area as depicted in Figure 1. The APE for indirect (visual) effects on historical structures is defined as a 0.5-mile radius (buffer) surrounding the Project Area.

# Identification of Historic Properties

A desktop survey has been completed and is attached for your reference. The results indicate that no previously identified historic structures, archaeological sites, burial sites, or cemeteries are located within the APE. However, the APE has never been surveyed for the presence of cultural material. The APE has been subjected to extensive industrial impacts beginning in the late 19th century. These impacts include the importation of fill material to construct the dock and the installation of industrial facilities such as rail lines and pipelines to support 20th century industrial use of the APE. Continued operation and upgrades of the industrial facilities within the APE over time and subsequent abandonment and demolition has resulted in significant impacts to potential historical resources associated with the industrial use of the APE.

On June 6, 2022 the following Indian tribes were notified about the Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project: Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Michigan; Keweenaw Bay Indian Community, Michigan; Sokaogon Chippewa Community, Wisconsin; Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of the Lac du Flambeau Reservation of Wisconsin; Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin; Fort Belknap Indian Community of the Fort Belknap Reservation of Montana; Grand Portage Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin; Bad River Band of the Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians of the Bad River Reservation, Wisconsin; Leech Lake Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe; Fond du Lac Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe; Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe (The Mille Lacs Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin; Miami Tribe of Oklahoma; Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin; and the White Earth Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe.

## Assessment of Effects

There is one historic property in the APE for indirect (visual) effects. However, it is screened from the Project by modern industrial facilities. The proposed Project would not have any potential to disturb historic resources due to the history of industrial impacts within the APE. Additionally, the proposed Project is in keeping with the industrial character of the surrounding area and would not create a negative visual impact to adjacent structures. As such, MARAD recommends a finding of No Historic Properties Affected.

Pursuant to 36 CFR 800.4(d)(1) MARAD seeks concurrence by your office with this finding.

Please note that for the purposes of this project, MARAD has authorized Benjamin Banks, RPA benjamin.banks@stantec.com, (316) 634-6218 to consult with your Agency on behalf of MARAD. We therefore request that you provide a copy of your response to them.

Due to the ongoing pandemic I am working remotely and request that all communication be sent electronically. If you have additional questions or comments, please contact me and/or the consultant for the action proponent, Benjamin Banks, benjamin.banks@stantec.com, (316) 634-6218.

Sincerely,

Barbara Voulgaris

Federal Preservation Officer Barbara. Voulgaris@dot.gov

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# REQUEST FOR SHPO COMMENT AND CONSULTATION ON A FEDERAL UNDERTAKING

Submit one copy with each undertaking for which our comment is requested. Please print or type. Return to: Wisconsin Historical Society, State Historic Preservation Office, 816 State Street, Madison, WI 53706

Please Check All Boxes and Include All of the Following Information, as Applicable.

I.	GENERAL INFORMATION						
	This is a new submittal.  This is supplemental information relating to Case #:, and title:  This project is being undertaken pursuant to the terms and conditions of a programmatic or other interagency agreement. The title of the agreement is						
a.	Federal Agency Jurisdiction (Agency providing funds, assistance, license, pe	ermit):					
b.	Federal Agency Contact Person:	Phone:					
c.	Project Contact Person:	Phone:					
d.	Return Address:City:		_ Zip Code:				
e.	Email Address:						
f.	Project Name:						
g.	Project Street Address:						
h.	County: City:	Zip Coo	Zip Code:				
i.	Project Location: Township, Range, East □ or West	t □, Section	_, Quarter Sections				
j.	Project Narrative Description—Attach Information as Necessary.						
k.	Area of Potential Effect (APE). Attach Copy of U.S.G.S. 7.5 Minute Topographic Quadrangle showing APE.						
II.	IDENTIFICATION OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES						
	Historic Properties are located within the project APE per 36 CFR 800.4. Attach supporting materials, per 36 CFR 800.11. Historic Properties are not located within the project APE per 36 CFR 800.4. Attach supporting materials, per CFR 800.11.						
III.	FINDINGS						
	No historic properties will be affected (i.e., none is present or there are historic effect upon them). Attach necessary documentation, as described at 36 CFR The proposed undertaking will have no adverse effect on one or more historic 36 CFR 800.5. Attach necessary documentation, as described at 36 CFR 800. The proposed undertaking will result in an adverse effect to one or more hist authorized representative, will consult with the SHPO and other consulting proposed. Attach supporting documentation as described at 36 CFR 800.11.	. 800.11. ic properties located v ).11. toric properties and th	vithin the project APE under e applicant, or other federally				
Author	ized Signature:	Date:					
Type or	r print name:						
IV.	STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE COMMENTS						
	Agree with the finding in section III above.  Object to the finding for reasons indicated in attached letter.  Cannot review until information is sent as follows:						
Author	ized Signature	Date:					

Project Topography and Location

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Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 1

**Photo Location:** 

North Half of Project Area

Direction:

SW

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

Comments:

West edge of Project Area with view of dock to the west. Border of the Project Area is lined with concrete.



Photograph ID: 2

**Photo Location:** 

North Half of Project Area

Direction:

SE

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

Comments:

North half of the Project Area with view of grain elevators to the east. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material and concrete with trees and grasses interspersed and growing through the cracks.







**Infrastructure Improvements** 

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 3

**Photo Location:** 

North Half of Project Area

Direction:

Ν

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

Comments:

North half of the Project Area with view of St. Louis Bay. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material and concrete with trees and grasses interspersed. A fill pile is present the northern border of the Project Area.



Photograph ID: 4

**Photo Location:** 

North Half of Project Area

Direction:

Ε

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

Comments:

North half of the Project Area with view of grain elevators to the east. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material and concrete with trees and grasses interspersed and growing through the cracks.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

**Photograph ID:** 5

**Photo Location:** 

South Half of Project Area

Direction:

W

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

## Comments:

South half of the Project Area. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material and concrete with trees and grasses interspersed and growing through the cracks.. A fill pile is visible in the background.



Photograph ID: 6

**Photo Location:** 

South Half of Project Area

**Direction:** 

Ν

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

# Comments:

Miscellaneous concrete and metal debris in the south half of the Project Area. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material with trees and grasses interspersed.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 7

**Photo Location:** 

South Half of Project Area

Direction:

Ε

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

Existing utility lines and associated access structures are located throughout the south half of the Project Area. Ground surfaces are primarily covered in grasses and trees and exhibit evidence of prior disturbance.



Photograph ID: 8

**Photo Location:** 

South Half of Project Area

**Direction:** 

Ν

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

Existing utility line and associated vent ports are located throughout the south half of the Project Area. Ground surfaces are primarily covered in grasses and trees and exhibit evidence of prior disturbance.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 9

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17590

Direction:

S

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

## Comments:

Former location of WHPD Structure 17590, view from Winter St. Located approximately 0.4 miles southeast of the Project Area. Structure has been demolished.



Photograph ID: 10

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17591

Direction:

NE

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

# Comments:

West side of WHPD Structure 17591, Manion's Wholesale Building Supplies, view from inside the building complex. Located approximately 0.5 miles south of the Project Area.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 11

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17593

Direction:

NE

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

## Comments:

Southwest side of WHPD Structure 17593 located on BNSF railyard, view from Manion's Wholesale Building Supplies complex. Located approximately 0.5 miles southeast of the Project Area.



Photograph ID: 12

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17595

Direction:

SE

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

# Comments:

Former location of WHPD Structure 17595, view from Garfield Ave. Structure has been demolished.







**Infrastructure Improvements** 

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 13

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17783

Direction:

Ν

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

South side of WHPD Structure 17783, view from public access road. Located approximately 0.5 miles east of the Project Area.



Photograph ID: 14

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17883

Direction:

W

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

East side of WHPD Structure 17883 located south of WHPD Structure 17783 (grain elevators), view from North 3rd St.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 15

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17895

Direction:

Ν

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

South side of WHPD Structure 17895, located at 2700 Winter St., view from Ajax Rd. Located approximately 0.1 miles east of the Project Area.



Photograph ID: 16

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17896

Direction:

SE

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

Northwest side of WHPD Structure 17896, located at 2826 Winter St., view from Maryland Ave. Located approximately 0.1 miles south the Project Area.



# APPENDIX I

# **APPENDIX la**

**THPO letters** 



June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Edith Leoso THPO Bad River Band of the Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians of the Bad River Reservation, Wisconsin P.O. Box 39 Odanah, WI 54861

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. Leoso:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

In keeping with a government-to-government relationship, and in compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (54 U.S.C. § 300101 et seq.), and it's implementing regulations, 36 CFR § 800, we invite you to participate in the Section 106 process as a consulting party. As part of the review process, we request information that identifies any resources that may hold traditional religious or cultural significance to the Bad River Band of the Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians of the Bad River Reservation, Wisconsin that could be affected by the proposed work, and, if applicable, assist in developing alternatives that would avoid, minimize, or mitigate any adverse effects.

# **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

### **Previous Surveys**

use of the APE. The Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) has been contacted to provide comment on this Project.

Please note that for the purposes of this project, MARAD has authorized Benjamin Banks, RPA, benjamin.banks@stantec.com, (316) 634-6218 to consult with your Tribe on behalf of MARAD. We therefore request that you provide a copy of your response to them.

We value your assistance and look forward to consulting further if there are historic properties of religious and/or cultural significance to your Tribe that may be affected by this project. To meet project timeframes, if you would like to participate or provide information regarding this project, MARAD respectfully requests that you notify us within 30 days.

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Project Topography and Location

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Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 1

**Photo Location:** 

North Half of Project Area

Direction:

SW

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

Comments:

West edge of Project Area with view of dock to the west. Border of the Project Area is lined with concrete.



Photograph ID: 2

**Photo Location:** 

North Half of Project Area

Direction:

SE

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

Comments:

North half of the Project Area with view of grain elevators to the east. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material and concrete with trees and grasses interspersed and growing through the cracks.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 3

**Photo Location:** 

North Half of Project Area

Direction:

Ν

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

# Comments:

North half of the Project Area with view of St. Louis Bay. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material and concrete with trees and grasses interspersed. A fill pile is present the northern border of the Project Area.



Photograph ID: 4

**Photo Location:** 

North Half of Project Area

Direction:

Ε

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

# Comments:

North half of the Project Area with view of grain elevators to the east. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material and concrete with trees and grasses interspersed and growing through the cracks.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

**Photograph ID:** 5

**Photo Location:** 

South Half of Project Area

Direction:

W

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

### Comments:

South half of the Project Area. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material and concrete with trees and grasses interspersed and growing through the cracks.. A fill pile is visible in the background.



Photograph ID: 6

**Photo Location:** 

South Half of Project Area

**Direction:** 

Ν

**Survey Date:** 

5/4/2022

# Comments:

Miscellaneous concrete and metal debris in the south half of the Project Area. Ground surface is primarily asphaltic material with trees and grasses interspersed.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 7

**Photo Location:** 

South Half of Project Area

Direction:

Ε

Survey Date:

5/5/2022

Comments:

Existing utility lines and associated access structures are located throughout the south half of the Project Area. Ground surfaces are primarily covered in grasses and trees and exhibit evidence of prior disturbance.



Photograph ID: 8

**Photo Location:** 

South Half of Project Area

**Direction:** 

Ν

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

Existing utility line and associated vent ports are located throughout the south half of the Project Area. Ground surfaces are primarily covered in grasses and trees and exhibit evidence of prior disturbance.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 9

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17590

Direction:

S

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

#### Comments:

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Photograph ID: 10

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17591

Direction:

NE

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

# Comments:

West side of WHPD Structure 17591, Manion's Wholesale Building Supplies, view from inside the building complex. Located approximately 0.5 miles south of the Project Area.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 11

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17593

Direction:

NE

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

#### Comments:

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**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17595

Direction:

SE

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

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**Infrastructure Improvements** 

**Project** 

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Photograph ID: 13

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Direction:

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5/5/2022

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**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17883

Direction:

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**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

East side of WHPD Structure 17883 located south of WHPD Structure 17783 (grain elevators), view from North 3rd St.







Infrastructure Improvements

**Project** 

Site Name: C. Reiss Dock Site Location: Superior, WI

Photograph ID: 15

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17895

Direction:

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**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

South side of WHPD Structure 17895, located at 2700 Winter St., view from Ajax Rd. Located approximately 0.1 miles east of the Project Area.



Photograph ID: 16

**Photo Location:** 

WHPD Structure 17896

Direction:

SE

**Survey Date:** 

5/5/2022

Comments:

Northwest side of WHPD Structure 17896, located at 2826 Winter St., view from Maryland Ave. Located approximately 0.1 miles south the Project Area.





June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Jill Hoppe Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Fond du Lac Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe 1720 Big Lake Rd Cloquet, MN 55720

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. Hoppe:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

### **Previous Surveys**

We value your assistance and look forward to consulting further if there are historic properties of religious and/or cultural significance to your Tribe that may be affected by this project. To meet project timeframes, if you would like to participate or provide information regarding this project, MARAD respectfully requests that you notify us within 30 days.

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June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Michael Blackwolf Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Fort Belknap Indian Community of the Fort Belknap Reservation of Montana 656 Agency Main Street Harlem, MT 59526-9455

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Blackwolf:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

#### **Previous Surveys**

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June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mary Ann Gagnon Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Grand Portage Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe P.O. Box 428 Grand Portage, MN 55605

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. Gagnon:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

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June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Alden Connor Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Keweenaw Bay Indian Community, Michigan 16429 Beartown Rd. Baraga, MI 49908

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Connor:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

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June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Brian Bisonette Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin 13394 West Trepania Road Hayward, WI 54843

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Bisonette:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

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### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Melina Young Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Lad du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of the Lac du Flambeau Reservation of Wisconsin P.O. Box 67 Lac du Flambeau, WI 54538

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. Young:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

### **Previous Surveys**

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June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Alina Shively Tribal Historic Preservation Office Director Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Michigan P.O. Box 249 Watersmeet, MI 49969

Dear Ms. Shively:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Amy Burnette Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Leech Lake Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe 190 Sailstar Drive NE Cass Lake, MN 56633

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. Burnette:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

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### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

David Grignon Director Tribal Historic Preservation Office Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin P.O. Box 910 Keshena, WI 54135

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Grignon:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

In keeping with a government-to-government relationship, and in compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (54 U.S.C. § 300101 et seq.), and it's implementing regulations, 36 CFR § 800, we invite you to participate in the Section 106 process as a consulting party. As part of the review process, we request information that identifies any resources that may hold traditional religious or cultural significance to the Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin that could be affected by the proposed work, and, if applicable, assist in developing alternatives that would avoid, minimize, or mitigate any adverse effects.

### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

### **Previous Surveys**

use of the APE. The Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) has been contacted to provide comment on this Project.

Please note that for the purposes of this project, MARAD has authorized Benjamin Banks, RPA, benjamin.banks@stantec.com, (316) 634-6218 to consult with your Tribe on behalf of MARAD. We therefore request that you provide a copy of your response to them.

We value your assistance and look forward to consulting further if there are historic properties of religious and/or cultural significance to your Tribe that may be affected by this project. To meet project timeframes, if you would like to participate or provide information regarding this project, MARAD respectfully requests that you notify us within 30 days.

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Sincerely,

Barbara Voulgaris
Barbara Voulgaris

Federal Preservation Officer Barbara. Voulgaris@dot.gov



June 6, 2022

# VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: dhunter@miamination.com

Diane Hunter Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Miami Tribe of Oklahoma P.O. Box 1326 Miami, OK 74355

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. Hunter:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

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June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Terry Kemper Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe (The Mille Lacs Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe) 43408 Oodena Drive Onamia, MN 56539

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Kemper:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

### **Previous Surveys**

use of the APE. The Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) has been contacted to provide comment on this Project.

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June 6, 2022

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Marvin DeFoe Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin 36750 Hwy 13 Red Cliff, WI 54814

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. DeFoe:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

### **Previous Surveys**

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1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20590

June 6, 2022

#### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Michael LaRonge Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Sokaogon Chippewa Community, Wisconsin 3051 Sand Lake Rd. Crandon, WI 54520

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. LaRonge:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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#### **Project Description**

The Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project (Project) seeks to reactivate the C. Reiss Coal Dock on Saint Louis Bay in Township 49 North, Range 14 West, Sections 9 and 16 in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The Project consists of approximately 53 acres north of Winter Street and is the second dock east of Highway 2. Rehabilitation will consist of reconstruction of a dockwall and rail lines as well as dredging along the exterior of the dock. A Project location map and photographic log with photographs of the Project are attached.

#### **Previous Surveys**

A desktop survey has been completed and is attached for your reference. The results indicate that no previously identified historic structures, archaeological sites, burial sites, or cemeteries are located within the Area of Potential Effect (APE). However, the APE has never been surveyed for the presence of cultural material. The APE has been subjected to extensive industrial impacts beginning in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century. These impacts include the importation of fill material to construct the dock and the installation of industrial facilities such as rail lines and pipelines to support 20<sup>th</sup> century industrial use of the APE. The Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) has been contacted to provide comment on this Project.

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Barbara Voulgaris

202.366.0866



1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20590

June 6, 2022

#### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Wanda McFaggen Tribal Historic Preservation Officer St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin 24663 Angeline Ave. Webster, WI 54893

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. McFaggen:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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#### **Project Description**

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June 6, 2022

#### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Jaime Arsenault Tribal Historic Preservation Officer White Earth Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe P.O. Box 418 White Earth, MN 56591

Subject: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Douglas County, Wisconsin

Dear Ms. Arsenault:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Maritime Administration (MARAD) awarded funds to the C. Reiss Coal Company under the Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) for improvements to the Superior Dock. The project is located in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. The project location is entirely urbanized and contains existing commercial docking development.

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Sincerely,

Barbara Voulgaris

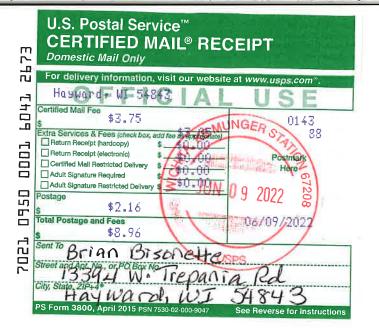
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# **APPENDIX Ib**

**THPO** receipts

















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# **APPENDIX Ic**

**THPO** responses



## Miami Tribe of Oklahoma

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Via email: benjamin.banks@stantec.com

June 16, 2022

Ben Banks RPA Senior Archeologist Stantec 8200 East 34th Street Circle North, Suite 1201 Wichita KS 67226-1363

Re: C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation, Douglas County, Wisconsin – Comments of the Miami Tribe of Oklahoma

Dear Mr. Banks:

Aya, kikwehsitoole – I show you respect. The Miami Tribe of Oklahoma, a federally recognized Indian tribe with a Constitution ratified in 1939 under the Oklahoma Indian Welfare Act of 1936, respectfully submits the following comments regarding C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation in Douglas County, Wisconsin.

The Miami Tribe offers no objection to the above-referenced project at this time, as we are not currently aware of existing documentation directly linking a specific Miami cultural or historic site to the project site. However, given the Miami Tribe's deep and enduring relationship to its historic lands and cultural property within present-day Wisconsin, if any human remains or Native American cultural items falling under the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) or archaeological evidence is discovered during any phase of this project, the Miami Tribe requests immediate consultation with the entity of jurisdiction for the location of discovery. In such a case, please contact me at 918-541-8966 or by email at THPO@miamination.com to initiate consultation.

The Miami Tribe accepts the invitation to serve as a consulting party to the proposed project. In my capacity as Tribal Historic Preservation Officer I am the point of contact for consultation.

Respectfully,

Diane Hunter

Diane Hunter

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer



## LEECH LAKE BAND OF OJIBWE

## Tribal Historic Preservation Office

Amy Burnette, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Sheila Gotchie, Office Manager

June 15, 2022

US DOT Maritime Administration Attn: Barbara Voulgaris, Federal Preservation Officer 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20590

RE: Proposed Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project

Douglas County, Wisconsin LL THPO No. 22-284-NCRI

Dear Ms. Voulgaris,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the above referenced project. It has been reviewed pursuant to the responsibilities given the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) by the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended in 1992, and the Procedures of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (38CFR800).

I have reviewed the documentation. After careful consideration of our records, I have determined that the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe does not have any known recorded sites of religious or cultural importance in this area.

Should any human remains or suspected human remains be encountered, all work shall cease and the following personnel should be notified immediately: County Sheriff's Office and the Office of the State Archaeologist. If any human remains or culturally affiliated objects are inadvertently discovered, this will prompt the process to which the Band will become informed.

Please note the above determination does not "exempt" future projects from Section 106 review. In the event of any other tribe notifying us of concerns for a specific project, we may reenter into the consultation process.

You may contact me at (218) 335-2940 if you have questions regarding our review of this project. Please refer to the LL-THPO Number as stated above in all correspondence with this project.

Respectfully submitted,

Imy Burnette
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer

From: <u>Michael LaRonge</u>
To: <u>Banks, Benjamin</u>

Subject: RE: Section 106 consultation - C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project, Harbor Assistance

Program

**Date:** Friday, July 15, 2022 12:10:04 PM

#### Good Morning Mr. Banks,

The Sokaogon Chippewa Community does not wish to consult on this project. The Tribe yields to the Ojibwe groups more proxmite to the project area.

Thank You,

Michael LaRonge, THPO Sokaogon Chippewa Community 3051 Sand Lake Road Crandon, Wisconsin 54520

Phone: (715) 478-6448

Email: Michael.LaRonge@SCC-nsn.gov

From: Banks, Benjamin <Benjamin.Banks@stantec.com>

Sent: Friday, July 15, 2022 9:39 AM

**To:** Michael LaRonge <michael.laronge@scc-nsn.gov>

Cc: Sutherland, Adam CTR (MARAD) <adam.sutherland.ctr@dot.gov>; Lennie, Brian

<Brian.Lennie@stantec.com>; Waller, Hiedi <Hiedi.Waller@stantec.com>

**Subject:** FW: Section 106 consultation - C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project,

Harbor Assistance Program

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On behalf of the U.S. Department of Transportation, Maritime Administration, I am submitting the attached letter initiating Section 106 consultation for the proposed C. Reiss Coal Company, Superior Dock Rehabilitation Project in the City of Superior, Douglas County, Wisconsin. This email is a follow-up to a hard copy version of the letter that was mailed to your office on June 9, 2022.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or need for clarification as you review this information.

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# **APPENDIX J**

**Traffic Study** 



# C. REISS COMPANY, PORT OF SUPERIOR, INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

Environmental Assessment Traffic Study

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## 1 Introduction

The C. Reiss Company LLC (C. Reiss) currently operates a dock in Duluth, Minnesota. This report evaluates the relocation of that port from Duluth, Minnesota to their vacant dock site in Superior, Wisconsin. The locations of the current dock site and the proposed dock site are shown in **Figure 1**.



Figure 1: Existing & Proposed Dock Site Locations

## 1.1 Project Background and Purpose

C. Reiss currently operates a stone and coal shipping marine facility in the Port of Duluth-Superior under the Duluth Seaway Port Authority (DSPA). The facility handles 650,000 tons of material per year – 550,000 tons of stone, 40,000 tons of coal, and 60,000 tons of road salt. The existing facility is subject to flooding events which result in the suspension of shipping operations for up to seven days at a time and immediate rail repairs due to the softened ground. As a result, C. Reiss is proposing to relocate their shipping operations to their existing dock on the Superior, Wisconsin side of the Saint Louis River which

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has been vacant for 30-years. As part of the proposed Project, C Reiss will update the Superior location to meet current regulatory standards.

The purpose of this report is to evaluate the impacts to adjacent roadways, rail lines, and shipping lanes as a result of this relocation and redevelopment project. This traffic study will explore existing and future conditions to ensure that impacts are mitigated appropriately. The amount of material processed at the Superior site is expected to be similar to that processed at the Duluth, Minnesota site, meaning this study does not assume an increase in traffic of any type at the proposed facility; only a redistribution of that traffic to facilities into and out of the Superior, Wisconsin site.

## 1.2 Study Area

The following intersections are included in the project study area:

- US 2 Bypass (Susquehanna Ave) @ US 2 WB On-Ramp
- US 2 @ Belknap St / Garfield Ave
- US 2 Bypass (Winter St) @ State Highway 35 (Tower Ave)
- US 2 Bypass (Winter St) @ Hammond Ave
- US 2 Bypass (Winter St) @ Site Driveway (new intersection)

Figure 2 shows a map of the study intersections



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Figure 2: Study Intersections Map



#### 1.2.1 STUDY AREA ROADWAYS

Winter Street is a minor arterial that runs east-west from Susquehanna Avenue to Hill Avenue on the east side of Superior. It is a two-lane facility with a 2019 Average Annual Daily Traffic (AADT) of 1,800 vehicles per day (vpd) near the study area. The speed limit on Winter Street is 25 miles per hour (mph) within the study area. It serves primarily industrial uses near the proposed site and crosses a major rail yard, which lies on its south side. It continues into the northern part of downtown Superior where it transitions to a more urban industrial and retail/office landscape.

**Susquehanna Avenue** is a minor arterial<sup>1</sup> that travels north-south between Winter Street and Wellington Street. It is a two-lane undivided roadway with a 2019 AADT<sup>2</sup> of 3,000 vpd near the study area. The speed limit along Susquehanna Avenue is 25 mph within the study area. Susquehanna Avenue primarily serves industrial land uses within the study area north of US 2 and transitions to a residential area south of US 2.

**US 2** is a principal arterial<sup>1</sup> that connects Superior, Wisconsin to Duluth, Minnesota via Bong Bridge across the Saint Louis River. It is a four-lane divided roadway with a 2019 AADT<sup>2</sup> of 14,200 vpd in the study area. The speed limit along US 2 is 55 mph west of Susquehanna Avenue, 40 mph between Susquehanna Avenue and Belknap Street, and 30 mph east of Belknap Street. Grade-separated interchanges are present on either side of the Saint Louis River, but US 2 transitions to an at-grade corridor just east of the Susquehanna Avenue partial interchange, where it intersects Belknap Street at a roundabout.

**State Highway 35 (Tower Avenue)** is a principal arterial that runs from the southern border of Wisconsin northward until it terminates at I-535 and US 53 in Superior. It is primarily a two-lane median-divided roadway with turn lanes, bike lanes, and wide sidewalks through the study area. The 2019 AADT<sup>2</sup> on the facility was 6,700 vpd and it operates at a 25 mph speed limit within the study area. The roadway runs through downtown Superior as Tower Avenue and serves as the main downtown artery, providing access to urban retail and office land uses through the study area.

**Hammond Avenue** is a minor arterial<sup>1</sup> that travels north-south from N 37<sup>th</sup> Street south of downtown Superior northward through downtown until it turns into I-535 just south of the Minnesota state line and the Saint Louis River. Hammond Avenue had a 2019 AADT<sup>2</sup> of 10,700 vpd and operates with a 30 mph speed limit within the study area. It is a two-lane roadway with a center turn lane and mainly provides access to residential homes on the south side of the city. It transitions briefly to a retail corridor before turning into I-535.

**Belknap Street** is a minor arterial<sup>1</sup> that runs east-west from the Saint Louis River to US 2 and runs with US 2 through downtown Superior. Belknap Street had a 2016 AADT<sup>2</sup> of 3,800 vpd and operates with a 25

https://wisdot.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=2e12a4f051de4ea9bc865ec6393731f8



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Wisconsin DOT Functional Classification Maps – Superior, https://wisconsindot.gov/Documents/projects/data-plan/plan-res/functional/urban/superior.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> WisDOT Traffic Counts – TCMap

mph speed limit south of US 2. The portion of the facility that is located south and west of US 2 contains adjacent residential properties and eventually provides access to Billings Park at its west end.

**Garfield Avenue** is a local street (planned as a future collector)<sup>1</sup> that runs north-south between US 2 and Winter Street. There is no available AADT station on Garfield Avenue and the speed limit is 25 mph. The ½ mile stretch of roadway services several industrial businesses and is adjacent to the BNSF 17<sup>th</sup> Street Railyard.

## 1.3 Scope of Work

The scope of work included a review of the Benefit-Cost Analysis (BCA) prepared by Stantec for the 2021 MARAD Port Infrastructure Development Program Grant Application. This report was reviewed for information on the current site and future plans for the Superior site, including number of tons processed, typical daily traffic to and from the site, information on the shipping and locomotive modes of transportation, and other information. The BCA report is included in **Appendix A**.

Models were created using Synchro 11 for the Existing, Future No Build, and Future Build scenarios. Existing traffic signal phasing was able to be determined from Google StreetView© imagery. Once the models were developed and existing and future projected traffic was entered in, the operations were reviewed to determine if any improvements were required to mitigate the additional traffic generated in the Superior area by the proposed site.

## 1.4 Study Analysis Period

The base year for this study was 2022, which is when traffic counts were collected. The 20-year design year utilized was 2042. The design year reflects the full build-out for the site and allowed for evaluation of background (non-site related) impacts beyond when the port transition is made. Because the site operates from 7:00 AM to 3:00 PM, analyses were performed for the AM and Mid-day peak hours.

## 2 Traffic Volumes

## 2.1 Data Collection

In order to determine existing roadway demand and capacity constraints, existing traffic volume data collection was necessary. In addition, a methodology was required for estimating future design year traffic volumes to determine any future capacity requirements.

#### 2.1.1 TRAFFIC COUNT METHODOLOGY

As previously noted, the proposed site operates from 7:00 AM to 3:00 PM; therefore, a traditional PM count is not appropriate in this case. For this project, AM and Mid-day peak periods were evaluated. Turning movement counts were collected at the following four (4) intersections on Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022 from 6:30 AM to 9:30 AM and from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM:



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- US 2 Bypass (Susquehanna Ave) @ US 2 WB On-Ramp
- US 2 @ Belknap St / Garfield Ave
- US 2 Bypass (Winter St) @ State Highway 35 (Tower Ave)
- US 2 Bypass (Winter St) @ Hammond Ave

Traffic counts indicated that the AM and Mid-day peak hours for the majority of the study area intersections were 7:15 AM – 8:15 AM and 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM. For consistency, this peak hour was used for all of the study intersections. These counts were used as the 2022 base year volumes for the study intersections. The raw intersection turning movement counts are included in **Appendix B**.

Traffic counts were also collected at the existing site driveway in Duluth, Minnesota on Thursday, May 26, 2022 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM and on Tuesday, May 31, 2022 from 6:30 AM to 9:00 AM. These were used to determine the typical number of trucks entering and exiting the site during the peak hours. The peak hours at the site driveway were observed to be from 6:30 AM to 7:30 AM for the AM peak and from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM for the Mid-day peak. Although these peak hours do not perfectly line up with the peak hours observed at the study area intersections, the peak site volumes were used for the trip generation at the proposed site driveway to provide a more conservative analysis. The site trip generation is shown in **Table 1**. The raw driveway counts are included in **Appendix B**.

**Exiting Entering** Total # Cars # Trucks # Cars # Trucks AM Peak 1 3 0 3 7 1 2 Mid-Day Peak 1 2 6

Table 1: C. Reiss Site Trip Generation

## 2.1.2 VOLUME FORECASTING METHODOLOGY

The 20-year design year for the traffic study was identified as 2042. Historical WisDOT AADT<sup>3</sup> data for roadways within the study area show short-term (generally from 2016 to present) annual growth rates ranging from -0.1 percent to +6.7 percent. Long-term growth rates (generally 2010 to present) ranged from -2.0 percent to +4.1 percent. The rates within the study area as a whole average to approximately 2 percent per year, with some of the higher values occurring on Route 2 or access points to Route 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> WisDOT Traffic Count Map (TCMap), Wisconsin Department of Transportation, 2022, https://wisdot.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=2e12a4f051de4ea9bc865ec6393731f8



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A review of census data for the city of Superior<sup>4</sup> showed that the population decreased between 2010 and 2020 by approximately 2 percent, or 0.2 percent per year. Census data shows that the Douglas County population<sup>5</sup> stayed nearly constant between 2010 and 2020.

Based on this information, a 1.5 percent annual growth rate was assumed. This growth rate was used in developing the future year volumes for all 2042 scenarios.

Figure 3 shows the existing (2022) turning movement volumes without the proposed project at the study intersections. Due to the presence of driveway or other roadways in between count locations, existing traffic volumes were not balanced between intersections.

Site traffic was distributed through the network using engineering judgment combined with data provided by C. Reiss regarding where their truck traffic primarily travels to and from within the greater Duluth-Superior area. The overall distribution percentages for the existing Duluth site were re-applied for the proposed Superior site. The distributions used are as follows:

- 50 percent to/from the west on US 2
- 20 percent to/from the south on State Route 35
- 20 percent to/from the north on I-535
- 10 percent to/from the east on US 53

Figure 4 shows the detailed distributions as they were applied to the study area network.

Site trips were applied to the network by combining the trip generation values presented in **Table 1** with the distributions shown in Figure 4. It should be noted that by simply multiplying the distribution percentage by the estimated trip generation, some values ended up being 0. In these cases, the site trips were rounded up to 1 and the upstream/downstream values were adjusted to ensure the site trips within the network balanced. Making this adjustment resulted in the number of trips at the site driveway being slightly higher than what is shown in **Table 1**, which provides a more conservative analysis.

Figures 5 and 6 show the future 2042 No Build volumes, projected site trips, and resulting future 2042 Build volumes for the AM and Mid-day peak periods, respectively.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Quick Facts: Douglas County, Wisconsin, United States Census Bureau, July 1, 2021, https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/fact/table/douglascountywisconsin/PST045221



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Quick Facts: Superior city, Wisconsin, United States Census Bureau, July 1, 2021, https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/superiorcitywisconsin

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Figure 3: Existing AM and Mid-day Peak Hour Volumes



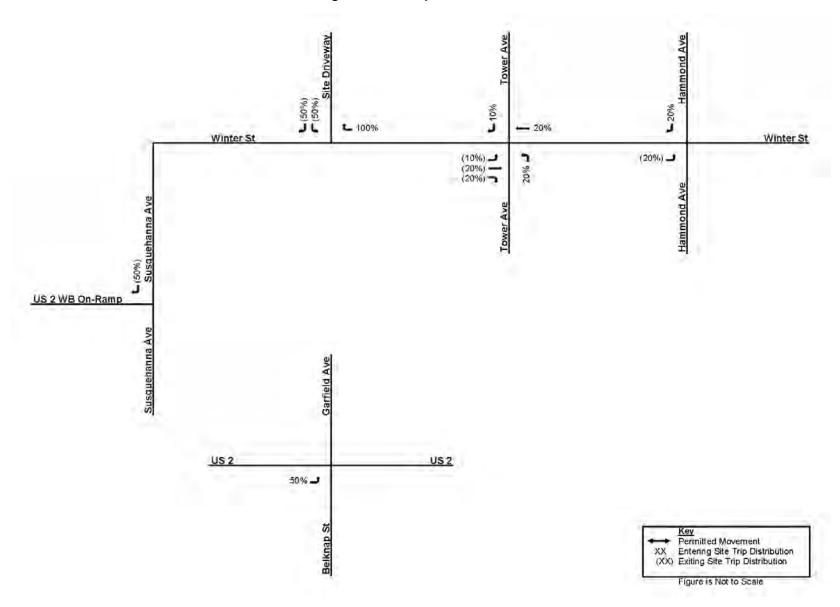


Figure 4: Site Trip Distributions



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Figure 5: 2042 No Build and Build AM Peak Hour Volumes

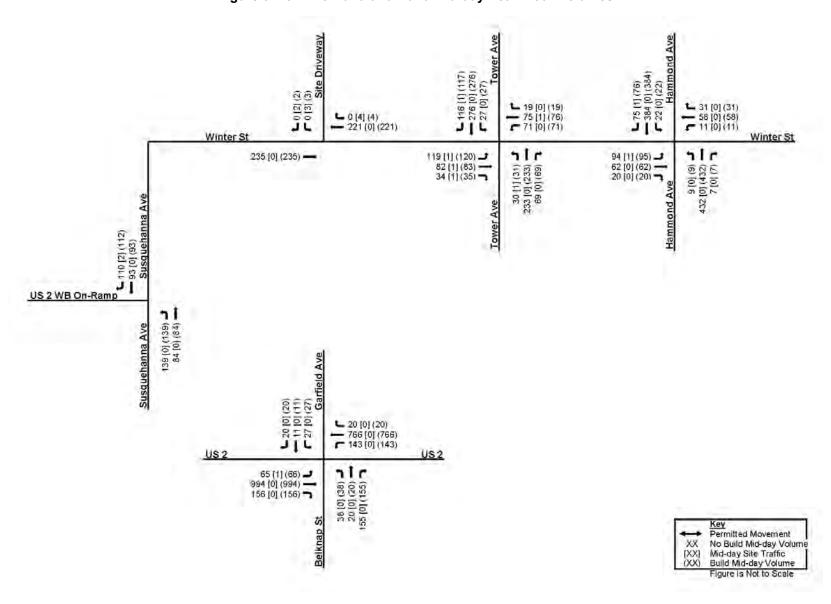


Figure 6: 2042 No Build and Build Mid-day Peak Hour Volumes



## 3 Operational Analysis

## 3.1 Purpose and Methodology

Operational analyses were performed to evaluate existing conditions and to determine future capacity requirements. Traffic analysis models were developed to evaluate the vehicular travel mode. These models generated values such as average intersection delay and level of service (LOS), which were used to compare the various alternatives. The models informed decisions such as the length of existing and proposed turn lanes. Rail and maritime travel modes were evaluated on a qualitative basis based on available data.

## 3.2 Vehicular Mode

Synchro 11 was used to develop the analysis models. Synchro is a microscopic traffic analysis software program which analyzes traffic operations based on inputs such as number of lanes, volume, speed, signal timing, and other metrics. Synchro was chosen as the preferred software based on its capabilities and the belief that it would adequately perform the level of analysis required for this study. Synchro is also widely accepted in the traffic engineering industry for this type of analysis.

Detailed signal timings were unavailable, but the signal phasing at the two signalized intersections (Winter Street at Tower Avenue and Winter Street at Hammond Avenue) was determined based on Google StreetView© imagery. Because the area surrounding the site is generally industrial in nature, resulting in higher-than-normal truck percentages, the observed truck percentages were assigned on a per-movement basis, based on the traffic counts collected in May 2022. The truck percentages on the movements entering and exiting the site in the Build scenario were calculated based on the site driveway counts collected in Duluth, Minnesota. It is not expected that the truck percentages will vary significantly in the future, so the existing truck percentages were carried through the 2042 design year scenarios.

The base year (2022) and design year (2042) were analyzed to determine the average delay for each movement and overall intersection in the study area. Based on Highway Capacity Manual (HCM) methodology, a level of service (LOS) is assigned to each delay for the AM and PM peak hours. Levels of service range from A (representing minimal delay) to F (very poor operations and excessive delay).

Tables 2 and 3 show the HCM LOS criteria for unsignalized and signalized intersections, respectively.

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Table 2: Unsignalized Intersection LOS Criteria<sup>6</sup>

Level of Service (LOS)	Unsignalized Intersection Control Delay (seconds / vehicle)				
А	≤ 10				
В	>10 and ≤ 15				
С	>15 and ≤ 25				
D	>25 and ≤ 35				
E	>35 and ≤ 50				
F	>50				

Table 3: Signalized Intersection LOS Criteria<sup>6</sup>

Level of Service (LOS)	Signalized Intersection Control Delay (seconds / vehicle)			
Α	≤ 10.0			
В	>10.0 and ≤ 20.0			
С	>20.0 and ≤ 35.0			
D	>35.0 and ≤ 55.0			
E	>55.0 and ≤ 80.0			
F	>80.0			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> *HCM 7: Highway Capacity Manual*. Washington D.C.: Transportation Research Board, 2022.



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## 3.2.1 EXISTING (2022) CONDITIONS

The model shows that all of the study intersections operate at LOS C or better in both peak periods. Additionally, no intersection approach currently operates at worse than LOS D in either peak hour. The simulation also indicates that there are no existing queuing concerns at any of the study intersections. **Table 4** shows a summary of the overall intersection levels of service and delays. The full Synchro results can be found in **Appendix C**. The Synchro files are included electronically in **Appendix D**.

Table 4: Existing (2022) Delay and LOS Summary

lutous ation	Intersection	Intersection LOS (Delay [sec])		
Intersection	Туре	AM Peak	Mid-Day Peak	
Susquehanna Ave @ US 2 WB On-Ramp	Unsignalized	A (1.3)*	A (0.7)*	
US 2 @ Belknap St	Roundabout	A (6.7)	A (6.5)	
Winter St @ Tower Ave	Signalized	C (20.2)	B (18.0)	
Winter St @ Hammond Ave	Signalized	B (17.5)	B (15.0)	

<sup>\*</sup> HCM methodology does not provide an overall LOS and delay for unsignalized intersections. Therefore, the delay and LOS shown are for the minor movement, which in this case is the northbound left-turn

## 3.2.2 FUTURE NO BUILD (2042) CONDITIONS

The No Build scenario assumes that the C. Reiss site has not relocated to Superior by 2042. The model shows that the intersection delays increase slightly compared to the existing scenario. All intersection levels of service remain the same except for the AM peak hour at Winter Street and Hammond Street, which goes from an LOS B in 2022 to an LOS C in 2042. All of the study intersections continue to operate at LOS C or better in both peak periods. The simulation also indicates that there are not expected to be any queuing concerns at the study intersections. **Table 5** shows a summary of the overall intersection levels of service and delays. The full Synchro results can be found in **Appendix C**. The Synchro files are included electronically in **Appendix D**.

Table 5: Future No Build (2042) Delay and LOS Summary

Interception	Intersection	Intersection LOS (Delay [sec])		
Intersection	Туре	AM Peak	Mid-Day Peak	
Susquehanna Ave @ US 2 WB On-Ramp	Unsignalized	A (2.1)*	A (1.0)*	
US 2 @ Belknap St	Roundabout	A (9.7)	A (9.1)	
Winter St @ Tower Ave	Signalized	C (21.1)	B (19.7)	
Winter St @ Hammond Ave	Signalized	C (20.3)	B (16.1)	

<sup>\*</sup> HCM methodology does not provide an overall LOS and delay for unsignalized intersections. Therefore, the delay and LOS shown are for the minor movement, which in this case is the northbound left-turn

# 3.2.3 FUTURE BUILD (2042) CONDITIONS

The Build scenario assumes that the C. Reiss site has been relocated to Superior by 2042. The model shows that the intersection delays remain very similar to the 2042 No Build scenario, with a couple of intersections increasing in delay by no more than 0.1 second in the Build condition. All of the study intersections are expected to continue to operate at LOS C or better in both peak periods with the Superior C. Reiss site in place. The simulation also indicates that there are not expected to be any queuing concerns at the study intersections. **Table 6** shows a summary of the overall intersection levels of service and delays. The full Synchro results can be found in **Appendix C**. The Synchro files are included electronically in **Appendix D**.

	Intersection	Intersection LOS (Delay [sec])		
Intersection	Туре	AM Peak	Mid-Day Peak	
Susquehanna Ave @ US 2 WB On-Ramp	Unsignalized	A (2.1)*	A (1.0)*	
US 2 @ Belknap St	Roundabout	A (9.8)	A (9.1)	
Winter St @ Tower Ave	Signalized	C (21.1)	B (19.7)	
Winter St @ Hammond Ave	Signalized	C (20.4)	B (16.1)	
Winter St @ Site Driveway	Stop-Controlled	B (13.8)**	B (11.6)**	

Table 6: Future Build (2042) Delay and LOS Summary

# 3.2.4 VEHICULAR OPERATIONS ANALYSIS SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The analysis presented above indicates that the proposed relocation of the C. Reiss site from Duluth, Minnesota to Superior, Wisconsin will have a very minimal impact on the surrounding roadway network. The site currently generates less than 10 vehicles per hour in the peak hours and the volume is not expected to grow after the site relocates to its new location. Therefore, no roadway improvements are recommended as part of this study.

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<sup>\*</sup> HCM methodology does not provide an overall LOS and delay for unsignalized intersections. Therefore, the delay and LOS shown are for the minor movement, which in this case is the northbound left-turn

<sup>\*\*</sup> HCM methodology does not provide an overall LOS and delay for unsignalized intersections. Therefore, the delay and LOS shown are for the minor movement, which in this case is the southbound stop-controlled approach

# 3.3 Locomotive

The existing C. Reiss facility is connected to a Burlington Northern – Santa Fe (BNSF) rail yard. The proposed facility in Superior, Wisconsin will also connect to an existing BNSF rail line. Trains currently travel from the south through Superior and traverse the Grassy Point Railroad Bridge to access the facility in Duluth. The BCA notes that the travel distance via rail to the proposed facility is approximately 3 miles less than the distance to reach the existing port. A map of the Duluth-Superior Rail Lines from the Duluth-Superior Metropolitan Interstate Council is included in **Appendix E**.

According to the BCA, the existing C. Reiss facility receives 185 trains per year, with an average of about 25 cars per train. As previously noted, it is expected that the port will continue to process 650,000 tons of material per year; therefore, no change in rail traffic compared to that currently using the existing port is anticipated.

# 3.4 Maritime

As previously mentioned, the proposed facility in Superior, Wisconsin is not expected to process additional material compared to the existing facility. Therefore, the existing shipping traffic is not anticipated to increase; rather, ships would still continue down the Saint Louis River, but navigate to the Superior port on the east side of the river rather than the Duluth port on the west side of the river. According to the BCA, the travel distance required for ships would be reduced by approximately 2.5 miles with the relocation of the port to Superior. The BCA also notes that there are 29 ships per year that travel to and from the C. Reiss port in Duluth. C. Reiss plans to dredge the proposed facility in Superior deeper than the existing facility in Duluth. The additional depth will allow for larger ships to use the port, creating a potential for up to 3,000 tons of additional capacity on each ship. This would reduce the number of necessary vessels by up to 2 ships per year. A conservative estimate would be to assume the number of ships will not change from what is currently being accommodated by the existing facility. Regardless, the number of ships entering and exiting the Superior port is not expected to increase as a result of the move from Duluth.

# 4 Summary and Conclusions

The analysis presented in this report shows that the proposed relocation of the C. Reiss site from Duluth, Minnesota to Superior, Wisconsin will have a very minimal impact on the surrounding transportation network. The vehicular analysis indicates that intersection delays with the C. Reiss site in place will increase by no more than 0.1 second as compared to the No Build scenario. Additionally, all study intersections are expected to continue to operate at LOS C or better through the 2042 design year.

The locomotive and maritime modes of transportation are also expected to be minimally impacted by the site relocation. The rail route is shorter to the Superior facility than it is to the existing Duluth port location, and shipping traffic has the potential to be reduced due to the increased tonnage capacity at the Superior facility.



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# **APPENDIX A: BCA REPORT**

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# Appendix

Benefit-Cost Analysis

2021 MARAD Port Infrastructure Development Program Grant Application

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# 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The C. Reiss Coal Company (C. Reiss) currently operates at a dock facility in Duluth, Minnesota. They are considering the rehabilitation of a dock in Superior, Wisconsin and moving operations there. The locations of the current dock site and the proposed dock site are shown in **Figure 1**. Stantec completed a benefit-cost analysis to determine if the relocation to the proposed facility is economically justified. The analysis followed USDOT's guidance document *Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for Discretionary Grant Programs*<sup>1</sup>.



Figure 1: Location Map, Superior WI/Duluth MN

## 1.1 BACKGROUND & PURPOSE

C. Reiss currently operates a stone and coal shipping marine facility in the Port of Duluth-Superior under the Duluth Seaway Port Authority (DSPA). The facility handles 650,000 tons of material per year – 550,000 tons of stone, 40,000 tons of coal, and 60,000 tons of road salt. The terminal's largest customer, American Crystal Sugar, receives 500,000 tons of stone per year by rail from C. Reiss. In July 2022, DSPA will increase the rail switching fees at the existing marine terminal by approximately \$500,000 per year which is passed along to the customers that use the facility. The increase in fees at the existing facility risks the loss of customers such as American Crystal Sugar, who may switch to

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> (Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for Discretionary Grant Programs, U.S. Department of Transportation, 2021)

trucking as the preferred method of transport. Additionally, the existing facility is subject to an increase in flooding events, resulting in suspension of shipping operations for up to seven days at a time and immediate rail repairs due to the softened ground. As a result, C. Reiss is considering relocating their shipping operations to a new dock on the Superior side of the Saint Louis River.

The objective of the Benefit-Cost Analysis is to account for the benefits and costs of the relocation over an analysis period of 20-years (2023 to 2042). The net present value and benefit-cost ratio determine whether relocating shipping operations would balance competing needs and be economically viable.

## 1.2 SCOPE

Two alternatives were explored in the Benefit-Cost Analysis, including a Baseline Alternative in which the existing facility remains at its current location. No improvements will be made over the 20-year analysis period other than routine operation and maintenance costs to maintain serviceability of the existing facility. The Build Alternative consists of rehabilitating the proposed new marine terminal site and moving shipping operations to the new location.

The scope of the Benefit-Cost Analysis involved the following tasks:

- 1. Gathering information on operation and maintenance costs and other data at the existing facility
- 2. Determining benefits of relocating operations to the proposed facility
- 3. Economic analysis of alternatives to determine cost-effectiveness

## 1.3 BASELINE & BUILD ALTERNATIVE

Under the Baseline Alternative, C. Reiss will continue shipping operations at the existing facility in Duluth. The facility is located on the Saint Louis River upstream of the Bong Bridge (U.S. Route 2) and Grassy Point Railroad Bridge. The facility is connected to a Burlington Northern – Santa Fe (BNSF) rail yard. Routine maintenance and rehabilitation to the existing facility will continue. A \$350,000 repair was made in 2019 to the primary berth dock bulkhead wall. Despite the \$500,000 annual switching fee from the DSPA, for the purposes of the benefit-cost analysis it was assumed that operations will continue normally at 650,000 tons of material per year. Operations will occur 246 days per year, seven days fewer than the typical 253-day per year operating schedule due to flooding at the facility.

Under the Build Alternative, C. Reiss will sell the existing facility relocate shipping operations to the proposed facility in Superior. The proposed facility is located on the mouth of the Saint Louis River, approximately 2.5 miles northeast of the existing facility. The proposed facility will connect rail service to a BNSF rail line. The distance to travel to the proposed facility by rail is approximately 3.0 miles less than the distance to reach the existing marine facility. The proposed facility will be substantially rehabilitated. 2,500 feet of bulkhead dock wall repairs will be completed, 48,000 cubic yards of capital dredging will take place to deepen the berth, port equipment will be installed, and various landside port improvements will be made. Scheduled rail and port maintenance projects at the existing facility will not be required at the proposed facility due to these improvements. C. Reiss expects to operate normally at 650,000 tons of material per year. Operations will occur normally at 253 days per year and will be able to operate during high water events. Construction is anticipated to be complete in 2022.

# 1.4 PROJECT FUNDING

C. Reiss is requesting federal grant funding under the 2021 MARAD Port Infrastructure Development Program (PIDP) Grant Application totaling **\$8,368,000**. The remaining funding comes from C. Reiss, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), and the 2020/2021 WisDOT Harbor Assistance Program (HAP). See **Table 1** for project funding sources.

**Table 1: Project Funding Sources** 

Funding Sources	Amount	Status	Purpose
Private – C. Reiss	\$3,963,000 (23%)	Committed	Construction, Rehabilitation
Federal – USACE	\$2,016,000 (12%)	Committed	Dredging/Capping
State – WisDOT HAP	\$3,000,000 (17%)	\$1.5M Granted (2020), \$1.5M Requested (2021)	Construction, Rehabilitation
Federal – MARAD PIDP	\$8,368,000 (48%)	Requested	Construction, Rehabilitation
Total Project Funding	\$17,347,000		

# 2.0 METHODOLOGY & ASSUMPTIONS

The Benefit-Cost Analysis assesses the differences of potential benefits and costs between the Baseline and Build Alternatives. The methodology and assumptions are summarized below:

- 1. The analysis timeframe was assumed to be 20-years, from 2023 to 2042. The number of days in the analysis was assumed to be 253 to reflect the days C. Reiss operates.
- 2. The analysis assumed that the Build Alternative would be constructed in a single year (2022) with the first full year of benefits of operations at the proposed facility being 2023.
- 3. The discount rate was assumed to be 7% (3% for carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) emissions benefits)<sup>2</sup> as outlined in the USDOT Benefit-Cost Analysis guidance document. All costs and benefits were discounted to 2022.
- 4. The benefit-cost ratio was calculated by dividing the sum of discounted benefits by the sum of discounted costs. Since the project is proposing funding from a discretionary grant program, the denominator of the benefit-cost ratio only includes initial capital costs. Other costs are added/subtracted to the numerator<sup>2</sup>.
- 5. The main benefit and cost components analyzed included:
  - a. Shipping Emissions Reduction Benefits
  - b. Locomotive Travel Distance Savings
  - c. Truck Travel Reduction Benefits
  - d. Initial Capital Costs and Residual Capital Value
  - e. Maintenance Project Cost Savings
- 6. Other benefits not quantified in the analysis included:
  - a. Building climate resilient infrastructure unaffected by flooding
  - b. Removal of contaminated underwater sediment
  - c. Unquantified truck travel reduction benefits
  - d. Rehabilitating and operating in a formerly vacant dock

To calculate the monetary values of each benefit and cost, calculation input values were assumed. **Table 2** contains a complete list of parameters and their associated values used in the Benefit-Cost Analysis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> (Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for Discretionary Grant Programs, U.S. Department of Transportation, 2021)

Parameters	Input Values Value	Source		
Parameters	value	Source		
Discount Rate	7%	USDOT – Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for		
(Rate for CO <sub>2</sub> emissions benefits)	(3%) <sup>3</sup>	Discretionary Grant Programs		
Inflation Rate	1.6%, 1.9% <sup>3</sup>	Calculated from USDOT – Benefit-Cost		
(from 2014 & 1994)		Analysis Guidance for Discretionary Grant		
Benefit-Cost Analysis Period	20 years <sup>3</sup>	USDOT – Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for		
		Discretionary Grant Programs		
Number of Normal Operating Days	253 days / year	C. Reiss		
Number of Flooding Days (total operating days)	3 – 7 days / year	C. Reiss		
Road distance between Material	750 miles	C. Reiss, Google Earth		
Origin/Destination	7 30 IIIIles	C. Neiss, Google Laitii		
(Stoneport, MI to Crookston, MN)				
Distance between Origin to Port (by ship) &	490 miles,	C. Reige Coogle Forth		
Port to Destination (by rail)	250 miles	C. Reiss, Google Earth		
Shipping Distance Travel Reduction	2.5 miles	Google Earth		
Locomotive Distance Travel Reduction	3.0 miles	Google Earth		
Current Capacity of Existing Facility	650,000 tons of	C. Reiss		
	material / year	2		
American Crystal Sugar Annual Cargo	500,000 tons / year	C. Reiss		
Number of Ships for Operations at Existing	29 ships	C. Reiss		
Facility	(at max 23k tons/ship)	C. Reiss		
Number of Ships reduced for American Crystal	2 ships	C Poigo		
Sugar Operations at Proposed Facility	(3k tons/ship increase)	C. Reiss		
		Dr. James Corbett et al. – Emissions Analysis		
Rates of Shipping Vessel Emissions	See Table 4 <sup>4</sup>	of Freight Transport Comparing Land-Side		
		and Water-Side Short-Sea Routes		
Damage Costs for Emissions Monetized Values	Refer to Table A-6 in	USDOT – Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for		
(per metric ton)	USDOT guidance <sup>5</sup>	Discretionary Grant Programs		
	185 trains at			
Annual Number of Trains Entering Facility	25 cars / train	C. Reiss		
Empty Weight of Hopper Train Car	61,800 pounds <sup>6</sup>	BNSF Railway		

<sup>3 (</sup>Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for Discretionary Grant Programs, U.S. Department of Transportation, 2021)
4 (Emissions Analysis of Freight Transport Comparing Land-Side and Water-Side Short-Sea Routes, Corbett et al., 2007)
5 (Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for Discretionary Grant Programs, U.S. Department of Transportation, 2021)
6 (100 Ton Open Top Hopper – ATSF 179800-179964, BNSF Railway, 2021)

Locomotive Freight Transport External Costs* (Pavement damage only & Total costs)	\$0.0005 – \$0.0006 / ton-mile (2014), \$0.003 – \$0.0082 / ton-mile (2014) <sup>7</sup>	David Austin – Congressional Budget Office – Pricing Freight Transport to Account for External Costs
Number of Trucks Required Annually for American Crystal Sugar Operations	20,408 trucks (at 24.5 tons/truck)	C. Reiss
Freight Transport Pavement Damage Costs* (60 kip 4-axle S.U. Truck, Rural Interstate)	\$0.056 / mile (1994) <sup>8</sup>	FHWA – Addendum to the 1997 Federal Highway Cost Allocation Study Final Report
Freight Transport User Fees* (25 – 50 kip S.U. Truck)	\$0.0388 / mile (1994) <sup>8</sup>	FHWA – Addendum to the 1997 Federal Highway Cost Allocation Study Final Report
Total Project Cost for Proposed Facility	\$17,347,000	Krech Ojard & Associates, Inc, J.F. Brennan Company, Inc
Service Life for Dock Wall Replacement	50 years	Stantec
Existing Facility Maintenance Project Costs	\$1.4M for rail improvements initially, \$7.0M for dock wall and portside repairs over 10 years	C. Reiss

<sup>\*</sup>USDOT recommended monetary values are not available

# 3.0 ECONOMIC EVALUATION

The net present value of benefits and costs were determined by converting benefits and costs to monetary values that can be evaluated over the Benefit-Cost Analysis period and discounted. Economic parameters for Benefit-Cost Analysis of benefits and costs are outlined in **Table 3**.

**Table 3: Overall Economic Parameters** 

Variable	Assumed Value
Analysis Period	20 years
Base Year	2022
Discount Rate <sup>5</sup>	7% (3% for CO <sub>2</sub> reduction)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> (Pricing Freight Transport to Account for External Costs, Austin, 2015)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> (Addendum to the 1997 Federal Highway Cost Allocation Study Final Report, Federal Highway Administration, 2000)

## 3.1 ECONOMIC EVALUATION OF BENEFITS

# 3.1.1 Shipping Emissions Reduction Benefit

The proposed facility will be dredged deeper than the existing facility and will be able to accommodate vessels with 2 feet of additional draft. This allows for an increase of 3,000 tons of capacity on each ship, thus reducing the number of vessels required for American Crystal Sugar by two per year. As a result, a reduction in emissions produced by shipping is experienced. Additionally, the 27 remaining ships that travel to the proposed facility will travel 2.5 fewer miles from the entrance of the port each trip, further reducing emissions. The present value of the reduced shipping emissions benefits was calculated by the following steps:

- 1. Multiply the shipping distance between the origin and port (490 miles) by the number of ships reduced annually. Multiply the distance from the port entrance reduced (2.5 miles) by the number ships expected at the proposed facility annually. Sum the values to obtain annual ship-miles saved.
- Multiply the annual ship-miles saved by the rate of shipping vessel emissions (see Table 4) and the
  monetized value for emissions damage costs. Repeat with each pollutant and sum the resultant shipping
  emissions benefit.
- 3. Calculate the discounted annual benefit by discounting the shipping emissions benefit each year using the discount rate of 7% for nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>) and sulfur dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>) pollutants. USDOT Benefit-Cost Analysis guidance states that due to the long-lasting impacts of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions, discounting reductions in CO<sub>2</sub> can be performed at a rate of 3%.
- 4. Sum the total discounted benefits to obtain the present value of shipping emissions reduction benefits to be used in the Benefit-Cost ratio calculation.

Table 4: Rates of Shipping Vessel Emissions

Pollutant	Rate of Emissions (grams/ship-mile)9
Nitrogen Oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> )	39,626
Sulfur Dioxide (SO <sub>2</sub> )	19,559
Carbon Dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )	1,464,151

The present value of shipping emissions reduction benefits was determined to be **\$19,257,259**. See **Table 5** for a yearly breakdown of the benefits of shipping emissions reduction.

**Table 5: Shipping Emissions Reduction Benefits** 

Y	'ear	Ship Miles Saved	NO <sub>x</sub> Value (/metric ton)	SO <sub>2</sub> Value (/metric ton	CO <sub>2</sub> Value (/metric ton	Ship Emissions (NO <sub>x</sub> /SO <sub>2</sub> )	Ship Emissions (CO <sub>2</sub> )	Disc. Factor (NO <sub>x</sub> / SO <sub>2</sub> )	Disc. Factor (CO <sub>2</sub> )	Disc. Total Benefits
0	2022	0	\$16,100	\$42,100	\$53	\$0	\$0	1.000	1.000	\$0
1	2023	1,047.5	\$16,400	\$43,000	\$54	\$1,561,721	\$82,820	0.935	0.971	\$1,539,960
2	2024	1,047.5	\$16,600	\$43,900	\$55	\$1,588,462	\$84,353	0.873	0.943	\$1,466,936

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> (Emissions Analysis of Freight Transport Comparing Land-Side and Water-Side Short-Sea Routes, Corbett et al., 2007)

3	2025	1,047.5	\$16,800	\$44,900	\$56	\$1,617,252	\$85,887	0.816	0.915	\$1,398,758
4	2026	1,047.5	\$17,000	\$45,500	\$57	\$1,637,846	\$87,421	0.763	0.888	\$1,327,177
5	2027	1,047.5	\$17,300	\$46,200	\$58	\$1,664,640	\$88,954	0.713	0.863	\$1,263,599
6	2028	1,047.5	\$17,500	\$46,900	\$59	\$1,687,284	\$90,488	0.666	0.837	\$1,200,091
7	2029	1,047.5	\$17,700	\$47,600	\$60	\$1,709,927	\$92,022	0.623	0.813	\$1,139,679
8	2030	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$61	\$1,734,672	\$93,556	0.582	0.789	\$1,083,449
9	2031	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$62	\$1,734,672	\$95,089	0.544	0.766	\$1,016,425
10	2032	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$63	\$1,734,672	\$96,623	0.508	0.744	\$953,716
11	2033	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$64	\$1,734,672	\$98,157	0.475	0.722	\$895,041
12	2034	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$66	\$1,734,672	\$101,224	0.444	0.701	\$841,212
13	2035	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$67	\$1,734,672	\$102,758	0.415	0.681	\$789,800
14	2036	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$68	\$1,734,672	\$104,291	0.388	0.661	\$741,685
15	2037	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$69	\$1,734,672	\$105,825	0.362	0.642	\$696,650
16	2038	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$70	\$1,734,672	\$107,359	0.339	0.623	\$654,496
17	2039	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$71	\$1,734,672	\$108,893	0.317	0.605	\$615,035
18	2040	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$72	\$1,734,672	\$110,426	0.296	0.587	\$578,091
19	2041	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$73	\$1,734,672	\$111,960	0.277	0.570	\$543,501
20	2042	1,047.5	\$18,000	\$48,200	\$75	\$1,734,672	\$115,027	0.258	0.554	\$511,960
	Totals	20,950				\$34,017,874	\$1,963,134			\$19,257,259

# 3.1.2 Locomotive Travel Distance Savings

Trains that use the existing facility enter from the south through Superior and cross the Grassy Point Railroad Bridge into Duluth. The rail route to the proposed facility is approximately 3.0 miles shorter than to the existing facility. Trains travelling a shorter distance would result in benefits such as reduced wear to public infrastructure, reduced traffic congestion at railroad crossings, lower accident risk involving vehicles, and fewer emissions. The economic benefit of these reductions was determined to equal \$0.003 – \$0.0082 per ton-mile in 2014 dollars<sup>10</sup>. The present value of this benefit was calculated by the following steps:

- 1. Convert the upper limit of total external costs from 2014 to 2022 dollars using the inflation rate of 1.6%. The 2022 external cost rate is \$0.0094 per ton-mile
- 2. Calculate the annual tonnage of train cars by multiplying the weight of one train car of 61,800 pounds by 25 train cars per train and by 185 trains using the facility per year. Convert weight to tons and multiply by 2 to account for both the full and empty train car trips
- Calculate the annual benefit by multiplying the external cost rate by the distance savings of 3.0 miles and by the annual tonnage of material transferred at the proposed facility of 650,000 tons plus the annual tonnage of train cars of 285,825 tons
- 4. Discount the benefit each year using the discount rate of 7%.
- 5. Sum the total discounted benefits to obtain the present value of locomotive travel distance savings to be used in the Benefit-Cost ratio calculation.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> (Pricing Freight Transport to Account for External Costs, Austin, 2015)

The present value of locomotive travel distance savings was determined to be **\$276,911**. See **Table 6** for a yearly breakdown of the benefits of locomotive travel distance savings.

**Table 6: Locomotive Travel Savings Benefits** 

Year		Material Tonnage	Train Car Tonnage (2x)	Benefits	Discount Factor	Discounted Total Benefits
0	2022	0	0	\$0	1.000	\$0
1	2023	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.935	\$24,428
2	2024	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.873	\$22,830
3	2025	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.816	\$21,337
4	2026	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.763	\$19,941
5	2027	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.713	\$18,636
6	2028	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.666	\$17,417
7	2029	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.623	\$16,278
8	2030	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.582	\$15,213
9	2031	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.544	\$14,218
10	2032	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.508	\$13,287
11	2033	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.475	\$12,418
12	2034	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.444	\$11,606
13	2035	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.415	\$10,847
14	2036	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.388	\$10,137
15	2037	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.362	\$9,474
16	2038	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.339	\$8,854
17	2039	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.317	\$8,275
18	2040	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.296	\$7,733
19	2041	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.277	\$7,227
20	2042	650,000	285,825	\$26,138	0.258	\$6,755
	Totals	13,000,000	5,716,500	\$522,768		\$276,911

#### 3.1.3 Truck Travel Reduction Benefits

Passing along the \$500,000 annual switching fee to customers at the existing facility has the potential to steer them away from using the port as a means of shipping stone. The alternative shipping method to port and rail would be using trucks. C. Reiss estimates that if American Crystal Sugar were to shift shipping operations to trucks, they would add approximately 20,400 truck trips per year to the highway system. Over a 300-day working year, that equates to 68 truck trips per day.

The economic benefit of reducing this magnitude of truck travel on highways is decreased vehicle-miles traveled leading to less wear on public infrastructure. The present value of this benefit was calculated by the following steps:

- 1. Net the infrastructure wear external costs for trucks with the highway user fees for trucks
- Convert the net truck costs from 1994 to 2022 dollars using the inflation rate of 1.9%. Convert the upper limit
  of infrastructure wear external costs for locomotives from 2014 to 2022 dollars using the inflation rate of
  1.6%. The 2022 external cost rates are \$0.0291 per mile for trucks and \$0.0007 per ton-mile for
  locomotives.

- 3. Multiply the annual number of trucks for American Crystal Sugar by the truck external cost rate and the distance of truck travel to obtain annual truck costs. Multiply the annual tonnage for American Crystal Sugar by the locomotive external cost rate and the distance of train travel to obtain annual locomotive costs
- 4. Calculate the net annual benefit by subtracting the annual locomotive costs from the annual truck costs.
- 5. Discount the benefit each year using the discount rate of 7%.
- 6. Sum the total discounted benefits to obtain the present value of infrastructure wear savings to be used in the Benefit-Cost ratio calculation.

The present value of infrastructure wear savings was determined to be \$3,822,098. See **Table 7** for a yearly breakdown of the benefits of infrastructure wear savings.

**Table 7: Infrastructure Wear Savings Benefits** 

	Mat		Number of	Truck Miles	Truck External	Locomotive External	Net	Disc.	Disc. Total
Y	/ear	Tonnage*	Trucks	Traveled	Costs	Costs	Benefits	Factor	Benefits
0	2022	0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	1.000	\$0
1	2023	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.935	\$337,177
2	2024	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.873	\$315,118
3	2025	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.816	\$294,503
4	2026	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.763	\$275,237
5	2027	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.713	\$257,230
6	2028	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.666	\$240,402
7	2029	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.623	\$224,675
8	2030	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.582	\$209,977
9	2031	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.544	\$196,240
10	2032	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.508	\$183,402
11	2033	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.475	\$171,404
12	2034	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.444	\$160,190
13	2035	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.415	\$149,710
14	2036	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.388	\$139,916
15	2037	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.362	\$130,763
16	2038	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.339	\$122,208
17	2039	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.317	\$114,213
18	2040	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.296	\$106,742
19	2041	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.277	\$99,758
20	2042	500,000	20,408	15,306,122	\$445,934	-\$85,155	\$360,779	0.258	\$93,232
	Totals	10,000,000	408,163	306,122,449	\$8,918,684	-\$1,703,103	\$7,215,581		\$3,822,098

<sup>\*</sup>American Crystal Sugar only

## 3.2 ECONOMIC EVALUATION OF COSTS

# 3.2.1 Initial Capital Costs

Capital costs were determined by using the project cost estimate of the proposed facility developed by Krech Ojard & Associates and J.F. Brennan Company. The cost estimate includes elements of the project such as dock wall repairs, dredging, port equipment, and landside port improvements. The summary of project costs is shown in **Table 8**.

**Table 8: Project Cost Summary of Proposed Facility** 

Project Element	Cost
Dredging & Dock Wall Repair	\$7,993,000
Rail Service & Storage Track	\$2,463,000
Stormwater Storage and Control	\$750,000
Site Electrical	\$430,000
Roads and Other Utilities	\$567,000
Dust Control System	\$60,000
Material Scales	\$340,000
Ship Loader	\$1,250,000
Buildings	\$500,000
Miscellaneous (Erosion Ctrl., Dewatering, Mobilization)	\$316,000
Project Subtotal	\$14,669,000
Engineering	\$536,000
Contingency	\$2,142,000
Project Total	\$17,347,000

The total project cost was estimated to be \$17,347,000. Construction is expected to be completed in 2022, therefore the initial capital cost of the project is **\$17,347,000**.

## 3.2.2 Residual Capital Value

The residual capital value was estimated for the proposed facility based on a 20-year analysis period and remaining service life assumptions. The existing facility is assumed to have a negligible residual capital value. The present value of residual capital value of the proposed facility was calculated by the following steps:

- 1. Determine the service life of the proposed facility improvements.
- 2. Determine the percent of useful life remaining after the 20-year period.
- Calculate the residual value by multiplying the percent of useful life by the project cost of the proposed facility.
- 4. Discount the residual value by 20 years using the discount rate of 7%.

The residual capital value of the proposed facility was determined to be \$2,689,677, which factors into the benefit-cost ratio as a benefit. See **Table 9** for the residual value calculation for the proposed facility.

Table 9: Residual Value Calculation for Proposed Facility

Proposed Facility	
Service Life	50 years
Percent Life Remaining	60%
Project Cost	\$17,347,000
Residual Value (2042)	\$10,408,200
Present Residual Value	\$2,689,677

# 3.2.3 Maintenance Project Costs

Annual operating costs between the existing facility and proposed facility are similar, however the existing facility will require additional costs for maintenance projects throughout the 20-year analysis period. The proposed facility will not incur additional maintenance costs due to the proposed improvements. The maintenance project costs for the existing facility consist of \$1,400,000 in initial rail improvements and \$7,000,000 in dock wall and portside repairs over the next ten years. The present value of maintenance project costs of the existing facility was calculated by the following steps:

- 1. Determine the initial and annual maintenance project costs for the existing facility for each year.
- 2. Discount the maintenance project costs using the discount rate of 7%.
- 3. Sum the total discounted costs to obtain the present value of maintenance project cost savings for the proposed facility to be used in the Benefit-Cost ratio calculation.

The present value of the maintenance project cost savings of the proposed facility was determined to be **\$6,316,507**. See **Table 10** for a yearly breakdown of maintenance project costs for the existing facility.

**Table 10: Operation and Maintenance Annual Costs** 

	Year	Existing Facility Maintenance Costs	Discount Factor	Discounted Net Total Cost Benefit
0	2022	\$1,400,000	1.000	\$1,400,000
1	2023	\$700,000	0.935	\$654,206
2	2024	\$700,000	0.873	\$611,407
3	2025	\$700,000	0.816	\$571,409
4	2026	\$700,000	0.763	\$534,027
5	2027	\$700,000	0.713	\$499,090
6	2028	\$700,000	0.666	\$466,440
7	2029	\$700,000	0.623	\$435,925
8	2030	\$700,000	0.582	\$407,406
9	2031	\$700,000	0.544	\$380,754
10	2032	\$700,000	0.508	\$355,845
11	2033	\$0	0.475	\$0
12	2034	\$0	0.444	\$0

	Totals	\$8,400,000		\$6,316,507
20	2042	\$0	0.258	\$0
19	2041	\$0	0.277	\$0
18	2040	\$0	0.296	\$0
17	2039	\$0	0.317	\$0
16	2038	\$0	0.339	\$0
15	2037	\$0	0.362	\$0
14	2036	\$0	0.388	\$0
13	2035	\$0	0.415	\$0

## 3.3 UNQUANTIFIED BENEFITS

Other benefits to the rehabilitation and relocation to the proposed facility were determined but were unquantified due to lack of information and modeling results necessary to assign a monetary benefit. Although these benefits were not included in the Benefit-Cost Analysis, it is important to note them due to their relation to the project.

Shipping operations at the existing facility are suspended for up to seven days in a year due to an increase in flooding events on the Saint Louis River. Climate change has brought in the question of whether shoreline flooding on Lake Superior will become more prevalent in the future. Many past studies indicate that as climate change continues to worsen over time and temperatures in the region increase, Lake Superior will experience an overall decrease in water levels due to increased evaporation but will still experience periodic higher than average levels. More recent studies propose that precipitation increases have a significant chance of outpacing evaporation increases, leading to an increase in water levels. The proposed facility infrastructure will be more climate resilient than the existing facility. Relocating to the proposed facility will allow for operations during the present-day flooding events and will withstand the potential increase in flooding frequency due to climate change.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) lists the Saint Louis River as a Great Lakes Area of Concern (AOC). Samples of the material to be dredged at the proposed site identified the sediment as containing high levels of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), which are toxic to aquatic invertebrates and the animal populations in their food chain. The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources requires confined disposal of the dredged material from this site. The removal and onsite capping of this contaminated sediment will provide environmental remediation, prevent the degradation of PAHs, and restore the beneficial uses to the site. The project will also ultimately help in delisting the Saint Louis River as an AOC as similar projects take place. An application was submitted to the EPA to deem this port rehabilitation a Great Lakes Legacy Act Project.

Along with reduced wear on roadway infrastructure, there are additional unquantified benefits to having no annual switching fees and thus continued use of the port for material transport. Avoiding using trucks for shipping decreases traffic density, congestion, and delay on major arterials, reduces CO<sub>2</sub> emissions and noise pollution, and decreases the risk for truck-related vehicular crashes, which have a higher chance of resulting in fatal and serious injuries. These benefits require large scale regional truck travel modeling to quantify and monetize; general assumptions do not reliably capture the variability of truck travel to estimate these benefits.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> (Lake Superior Climate Change Impacts and Adaptation, Huff and Thomas, 2014)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> (Physically Plausible Methods for Projecting Changes in Great Lakes Water Levels under Climate Change Scenarios, Lofgren and Rouhana, 2016)

The dock site of the proposed facility has been vacant and non-functioning for at least 30 years. Plans for occupancy were absent and the site would otherwise remain vacant. Rehabilitating and relocating operations to the proposed facility would give the site a new purpose. This revitalizes the port infrastructure and may help revitalize surrounding communities in Superior. This also has the potential to create new economic opportunity and business for the community.

# 4.0 CONCLUSION

The benefit-cost ratio for the Build Alternative was calculated by dividing the sum of discounted benefits by the sum of discounted costs. If the ratio is greater than or equal to 1.0 than the increase in benefits is equal to or greater than the initial costs associated with the project.

The total benefits included a combination of shipping travel savings benefits, locomotive travel savings benefits, and truck travel reduction benefits. USDOT guidance dictates that if funding from a discretionary grant program is used, costs that are not initial capital costs are included in the numerator as an addition/subtraction to the benefits<sup>13</sup>. This includes residual capital value and annual operation and maintenance costs. The total costs in the denominator only accounted for initial capital costs. See the benefit-cost ratio calculation below.

#### **Build Alternative**

Shipping Emissions Reduction Benefits	=	\$19,257,259
Locomotive Travel Savings Benefits	=	\$ 276,911
Truck Travel Reduction Benefits	=	\$ 3,822,098
Residual Capital Cost (Benefit)	=	\$ 2,689,677
Maintenance Project Cost Savings	=	\$ 6,316,507
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Total Benefits = \$32,362,452

Project Cost Estimate

Total Costs = \$17,347,000

Benefit-Cost Ratio = \$32,362,452/\$17,347,000 = 1.87

The benefit-cost ratio for the Build Alternative was found to be **1.87**. This suggests that rehabilitating the proposed facility and relocating C. Reiss shipping operations is cost-effective and is economically justified.

The net present value was determined by subtracting the sum of discounted costs from the sum of discounted benefits. A positive net present value is another indication that the project is cost-effective. The net present value for the Build Alternative was found to be **\$15,015,452**. See the net present value calculation below.

Net Present Value = \$32,362,452 - \$17,347,000 = \$15,015,452

<sup>13</sup> (Benefit-Cost Analysis Guidance for Discretionary Grant Programs, U.S. Department of Transportation, 2021)

**Table 11** shows a summary of all benefits and costs over the 20-year analysis period and the calculation of the discounted net present value. **Table 12** shows a summary of impacts that each benefit provides to its respective population.

**Table 11: Benefit-Cost Summary Table** 

Yr.	Shipping Emissions Benefit	Locomotive Travel Benefit	Truck Travel Reduction Benefit	Initial & Residual Cap Value	Maint. Cost Benefit	Total Undiscounted Net Benefits	Discounted Net Present Value
2022	\$0	\$0	\$0	- \$17,347,000	\$1,400,000	- \$15,947,000	- \$15,947,000
2023	\$1,644,541	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,376,000	\$2,555,771
2024	\$1,672,816	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,432,549	\$2,416,291
2025	\$1,703,139	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,493,195	\$2,286,007
2026	\$1,725,267	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,537,452	\$2,156,382
2027	\$1,753,595	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,594,107	\$2,038,556
2028	\$1,777,772	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,642,461	\$1,924,350
2029	\$1,801,949	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,690,815	\$1,816,556
2030	\$1,828,228	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,743,373	\$1,716,045
2031	\$1,829,762	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,746,441	\$1,607,636
2032	\$1,831,295	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$700,000	\$4,749,508	\$1,506,250
2033	\$1,832,829	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,052,576	\$1,078,863
2034	\$1,835,896	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,058,710	\$1,013,008
2035	\$1,837,430	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,061,778	\$950,357
2036	\$1,838,964	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,064,845	\$891,738
2037	\$1,840,498	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,067,913	\$836,887
2038	\$1,842,031	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,070,980	\$785,558
2039	\$1,843,565	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,074,047	\$737,523
2040	\$1,845,099	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,077,115	\$692,566
2041	\$1,846,632	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$0	\$0	\$4,080,182	\$650,486
2042	\$1,849,700	\$26,138	\$360,779	\$10,408,200	\$0	\$14,494,517	\$3,301,624
Tot.	\$35,981,007	\$522,768	\$7,215,581	- \$6,938,800	\$8,400,000	\$81,161,564	\$15,015,452

**Table 12: Impacts Summary Table** 

Current Status/Baseline & Problem to be Addressed	Change to Baseline/ Alternative	Types of Impacts	Population Affected by Impact	Economic Benefit	Summary of Results (millions of dollars)	Page Reference in BCA
Existing facility accommodates 23,000-ton ships, facility is farther inland from port inlet	New shipping facility will accommodate 3,000 ton increase in ship capacity, facility is closer to port inlet	Reducing the number of vessels required for American Crystal Sugar, reducing ship travel distance	General Public	Reduced emissions from ships	\$19.26	p. 7
Existing facility is located farther from the main rail corridor	New shipping facility location closer to main rail corridor	Reducing the travel distance for trains	General Public	Less infrastructure wear and congestion, fewer emissions and accidents	\$0.28	p. 8
Customers will shift shipping operations to trucks to avoid DSPA switching fees	No switching fees will be charged and operations by rail/ship will be maintained	Fewer trucks travelling on U.S. highways	General Public	Less wear to public infrastructure	\$3.82	p. 9
Shipping operations are suspended up to seven days in a year due to flooding	Proposed improvements to infrastructure are climate resilient and withstand flooding	Operation possible during current and flooding events and potential lake-level rise	C. Reiss customers, City of Superior – Port Division	Fewer interruptions to operations, resilient port infrastructure	Not Monetized	p. 13

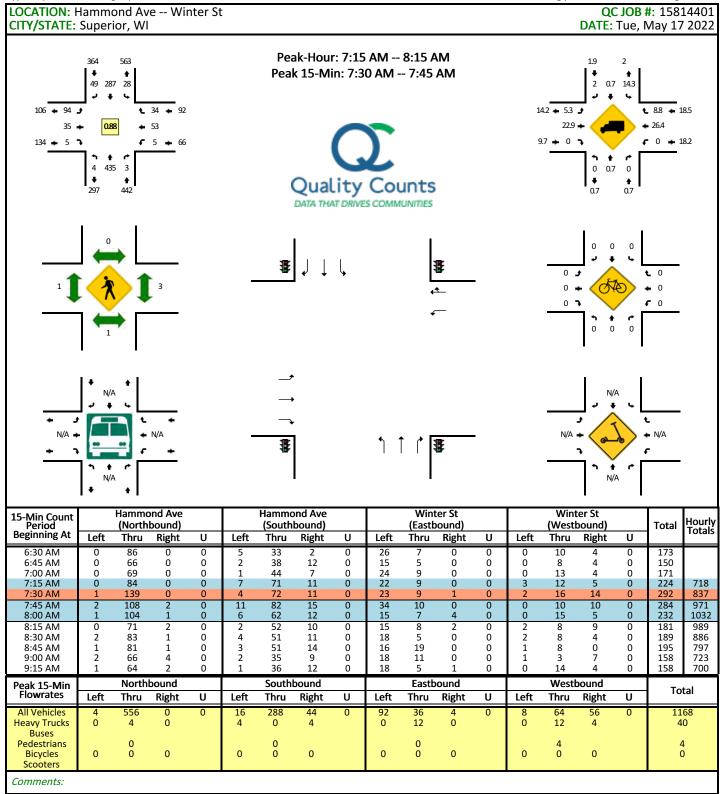
Contaminated soils are present at the proposed dock site	Dredging that will take place during rehabilitation will be removed from the aquatic environment	Less contaminated aquatic environment, helps to delist Saint Louis River as AOC	Environment, General Public	Less contaminated aquatic environment, helps to delist Saint Louis River as AOC	Not Monetized	p. 13
Customers will shift shipping operations to trucks to avoid DSPA switching fees	No switching fees will be charged and operations by rail/ship will be maintained	Fewer trucks travelling on U.S. highways	General Public, C. Reiss customers	Reduced traffic density, congestion, and delay, reduced CO <sub>2</sub> emissions and noise, fewer truck-related accidents	Not Monetized	p. 13
Proposed shipping facility site is vacant and non-functioning	Relocating operations to the proposed facility and rehabilitating the dock	Revitalizes the port infrastructure	City of Superior – Port Division, Surrounding communities	Creates potential for new business	Not Monetized	p. 14

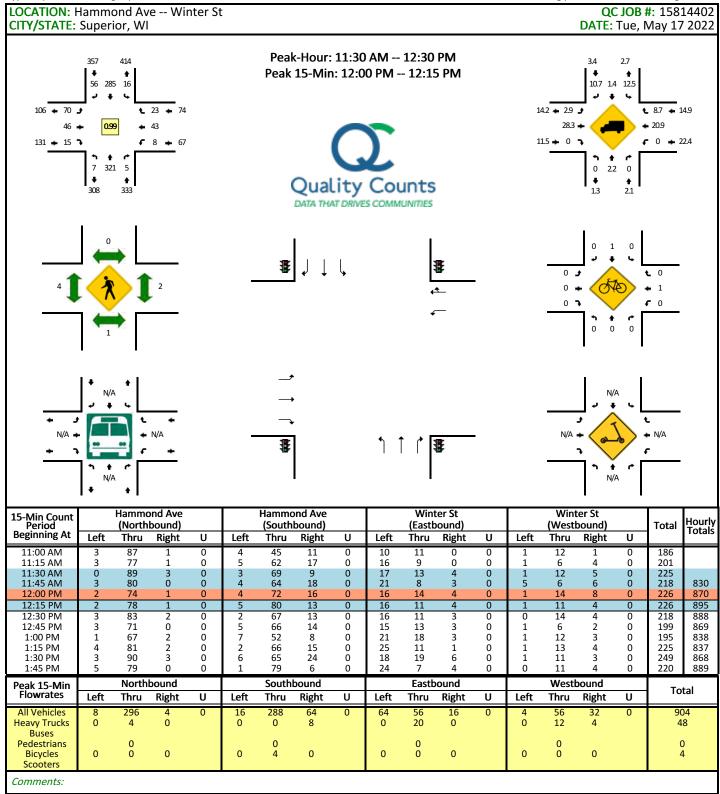
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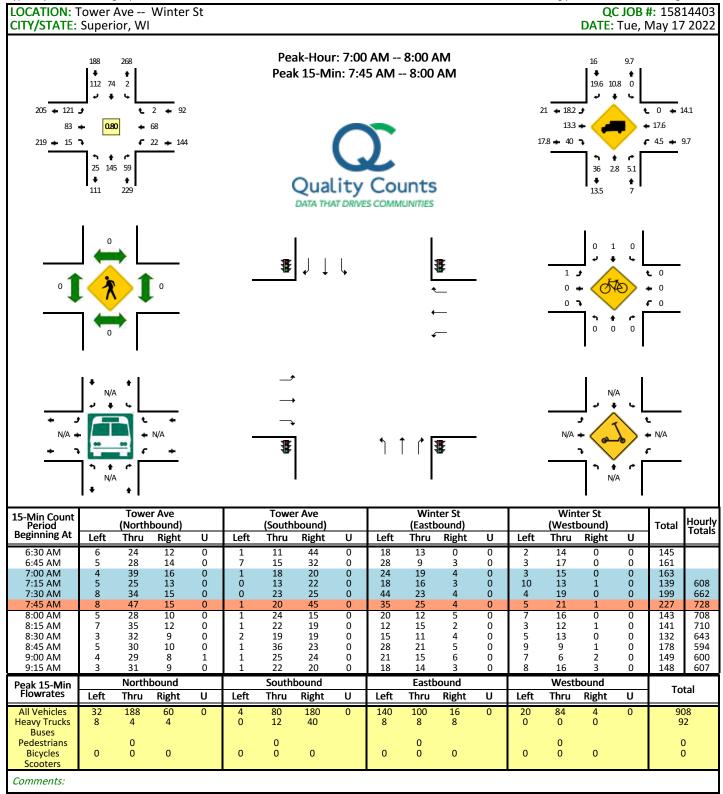
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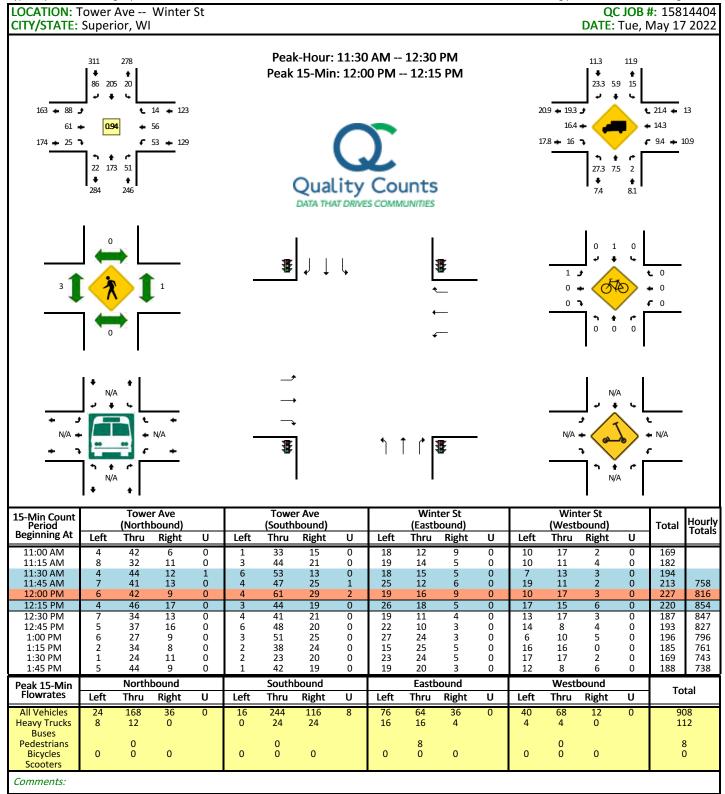
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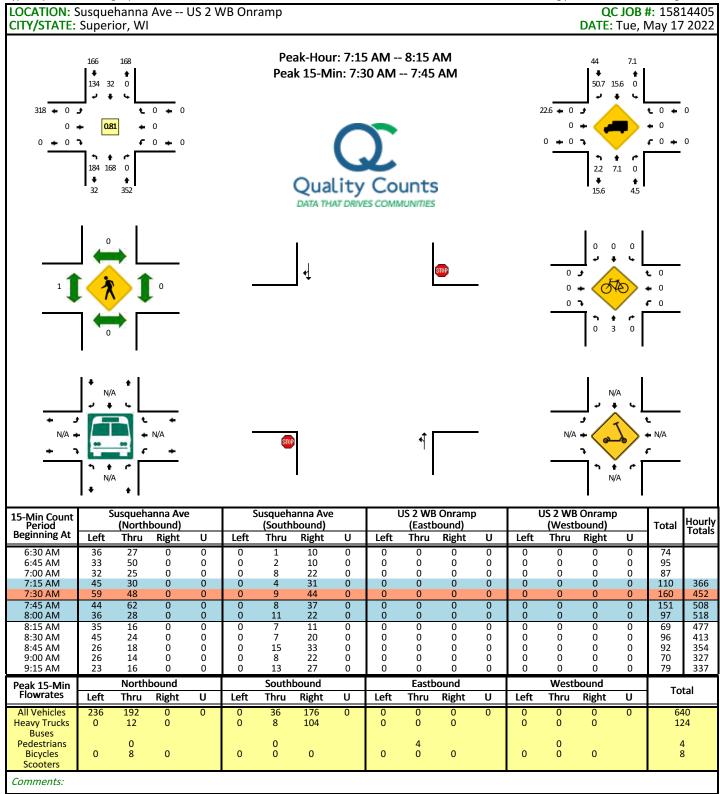
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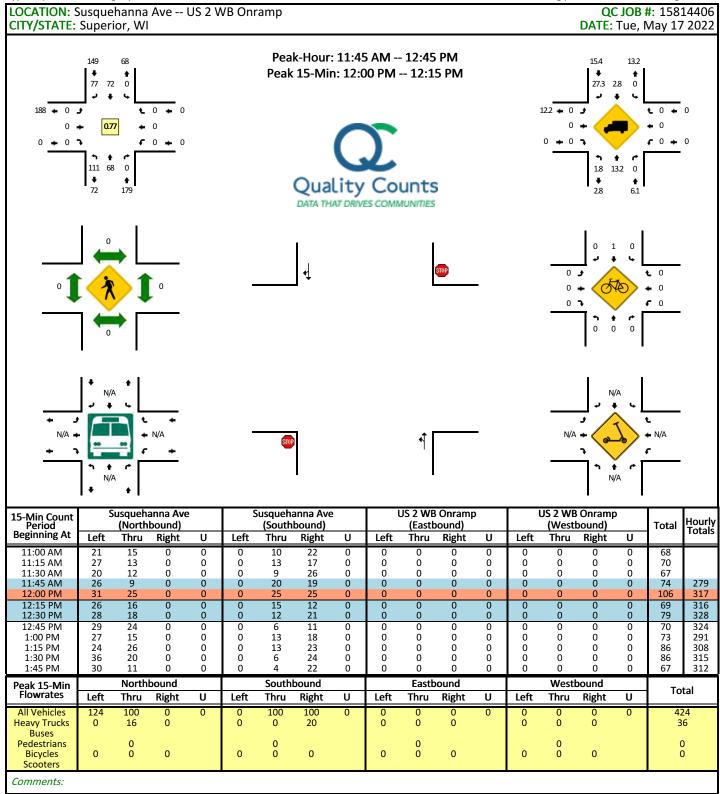


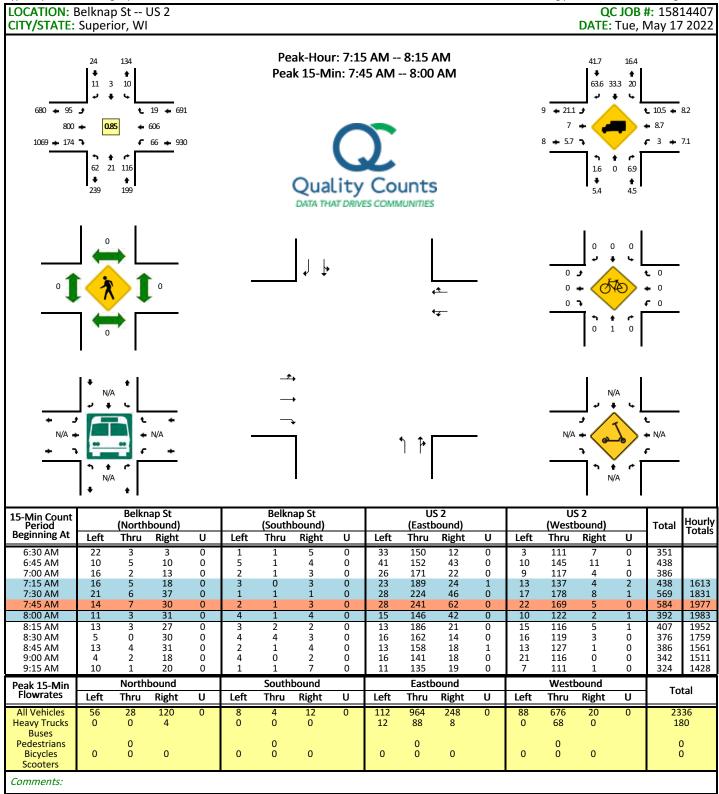


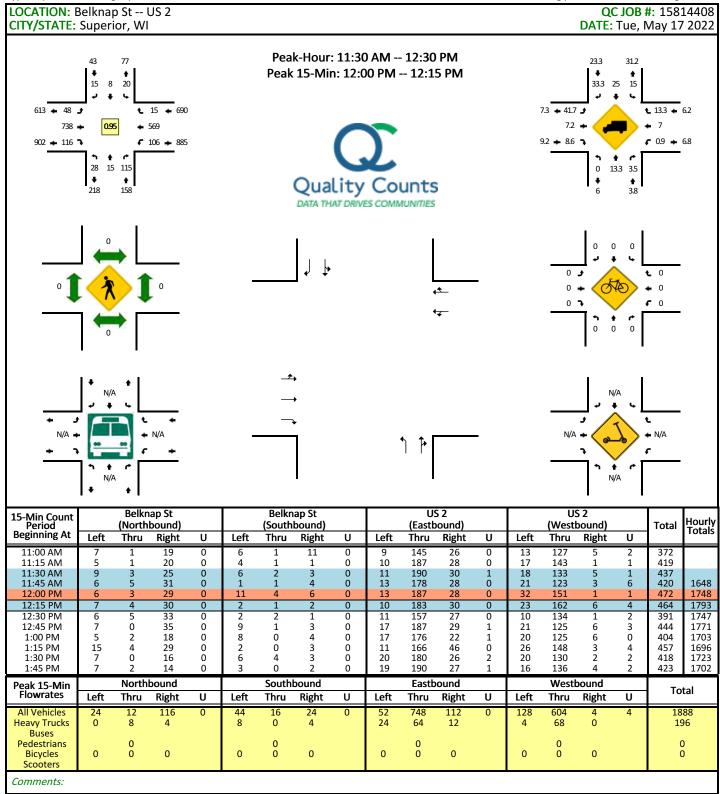












Thu	ırs 5/26	Ente	ering	Exiting					
Start Time	End Time	# Cars	# Trucks	# Cars	# Trucks	Total	Entering	Exiting	
11:00 AM	11:15 AM			1	1				
11:15 AM	11:30 AM								
11:30 AM	11:45 AM	1	1						
11:45 AM	12:00 PM			1	1	6	2	4	Site Peak Hour = 11am-12pm
12:00 PM	12:15 PM			1		5	2	3	
12:15 PM	12:30 PM					5	2	3	
12:30 PM	12:45 PM			1		4	0	4	
12:45 PM	1:00 PM					2	0	2	
			50%	•	33%	-			

Tu	es 5/31	Ente	ering	Exiting					
Start Time	End Time	# Cars	# Trucks	# Cars	# Trucks	Total	Entering	Exiting	
6:30 AM	6:45 AM	1	1						
6:45 AM	7:00 AM		1		2				
7:00 AM	7:15 AM		1						
7:15 AM	7:30 AM				1	7	4	3	Site Peak Hour = 6:30-7:30 am
7:30 AM	7:45 AM				1	6	2	4	
7:45 AM	8:00 AM					3	1	2	
8:00 AM	8:15 AM					2	0	2	
8:15 AM	8:30 AM					1	0	1	
8:30 AM	8:45 AM			1					
8:45 AM	9:00 AM	1							
	•	•	60%		80%	•			

	Ente	ering	Exi	ting	Total
	# Cars	# Trucks	# Cars	# Trucks	Total
AM Peak	1	3	0	3	7
Mid-Day Peak	1	1	2	2	6

# APPENDIX C: SYNCHRO & SIDRA REPORTS

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Lane Group	EBL	EBR	NBL	NBT	SBT	SBR	
Lane Configurations				ર્ન	₽		
Traffic Volume (vph)	0	0	184	168	32	134	
Future Volume (vph)	0	0	184	168	32	134	
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Frt					0.891		
Flt Protected				0.975			
Satd. Flow (prot)	0	0	0	1775	1174	0	
Flt Permitted				0.975			
Satd. Flow (perm)	0	0	0	1775	1174	0	
Link Speed (mph)	25			25	25		
Link Distance (ft)	815			723	630		
Travel Time (s)	22.2			19.7	17.2		
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Heavy Vehicles (%)	2%	2%	2%	7%	16%	51%	
Adj. Flow (vph)	0	0	204	187	36	149	
Shared Lane Traffic (%)						_	
Lane Group Flow (vph)	0	0	0	391	185	0	
Sign Control	Stop			Free	Free		
Intersection Summary							
Area Type:	Other						
Control Type: Unsignalize	d						
Intersection Capacity Utiliz	zation 35.6%			IC	CU Level c	of Service A	Α
Analysis Period (min) 15							

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	*	<b>†</b>	7	*	<b>↑</b>	7	7	<b>↑</b>	7	*	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	117	76	16	26	69	2	26	134	53	2	80	107
Future Volume (vph)	117	76	16	26	69	2	26	134	53	2	80	107
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		1	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850			0.850			0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1543	1624	1233	1570	1624	1583	1308	1845	1524	1770	1727	1357
FIt Permitted	0.707			0.702			0.699			0.662		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1148	1624	1233	1160	1624	1583	962	1845	1524	1233	1727	1357
Right Turn on Red			No			No			No			No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)			110			110			110			110
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			25			25	
Link Distance (ft)		4424			1494			1169			1158	
Travel Time (s)		120.7			40.7			31.9			31.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	17%	17%	31%	15%	17%	2%	38%	3%	6%	2%	10%	19%
Adj. Flow (vph)	130	84	18	29	77	2	29	149	59	2	89	119
Shared Lane Traffic (%)	100	01	10		• • •			110				110
Lane Group Flow (vph)	130	84	18	29	77	2	29	149	59	2	89	119
Turn Type	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases	<b>D</b>	4	. 0	<b>D</b> 1111	8	1 01111	5	2	1 01111	1	6	1 01111
Permitted Phases	8	•	4	4		8	6	_	2	2		6
Detector Phase	8	4	4	4	8	8	5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase								_	_			
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0
Total Split (s)	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	17.0	38.0	38.0	16.0	37.0	37.0
Total Split (%)	40.0%	40.0%	40.0%	40.0%	40.0%	40.0%	18.9%	42.2%	42.2%	17.8%	41.1%	41.1%
Maximum Green (s)	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	10.0	31.0	31.0	9.0	30.0	30.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	60.5	59.7	59.7	61.5	56.8	56.8
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.67	0.66	0.66	0.68	0.63	0.63
v/c Ratio	0.58	0.27	0.07	0.13	0.24	0.01	0.04	0.12	0.06	0.00	0.08	0.14
Control Delay	42.3	30.9	27.2	27.8	29.8	27.0	6.0	8.3	8.7	6.0	10.2	10.6
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Delay	42.3	30.9	27.2	27.8	29.8	27.0	6.0	8.3	8.7	6.0	10.2	10.6
LOS	42.3 D	00.5 C	C C	27.0 C	23.0 C	C C	Α	Α	Α	Α	В	В
Approach Delay	U	37.0	- 0	- 0	29.2	- 0		8.1			10.4	U
Approach Delay		51.0			20.2			0.1			10.4	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			С			Α			В	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	68	41	8	16	44	1	4	24	9	0	14	20
Queue Length 95th (ft)	115	74	24	33	63	m4	16	85	40	3	56	74
Internal Link Dist (ft)		4344			1414			1089			1078	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Base Capacity (vph)	395	559	424	399	559	545	704	1222	1010	913	1089	856
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.33	0.15	0.04	0.07	0.14	0.00	0.04	0.12	0.06	0.00	0.08	0.14

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 65

Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

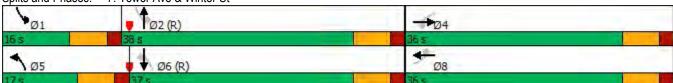
Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.58 Intersection Signal Delay: 20.2 Intersection Capacity Utilization 33.1%

Intersection LOS: C
ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

m Volume for 95th percentile queue is metered by upstream signal.





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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	7	<b>†</b>	7	*	f)		7	<b>^</b>	7	*	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	94	35	5	5	53	34	4	435	3	28	287	49
Future Volume (vph)	94	35	5	5	53	34	4	435	3	28	287	49
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	75		75	75		0	75		100	75		125
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		0	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850		0.941				0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		0.000
Satd. Flow (prot)	1719	1545	1583	1770	1498	0	1770	1863	1583	1583	1863	1583
Flt Permitted	0.694			0.732			0.550			0.422		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1256	1545	1583	1364	1498	0	1025	1863	1583	703	1863	1583
Right Turn on Red	1200	10.10	No	1001	1 100	No	.020	.000	No		1000	No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)			110			110			110			110
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			30			30	
Link Distance (ft)		1494			1288			1236			1169	
Travel Time (s)		40.7			35.1			28.1			26.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	5%	23%	2%	2%	26%	9%	2%	2%	2%	14%	2%	2%
Adj. Flow (vph)	104	39	6	6	59	38	4	483	3	31	319	54
Shared Lane Traffic (%)	104	33	U	U	33	30		400	J	J1	313	J4
Lane Group Flow (vph)	104	39	6	6	97	0	4	483	3	31	319	54
Turn Type	Perm	NA	Perm	Perm	NA	U	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases	i Giiii	4	I GIIII	I CIIII	8		5	2	I CIIII	1	6	I CIIII
Permitted Phases	4		4	8	J.		6		2	2	U	6
Detector Phase	4	4	4	8	8		5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase					- U		<u> </u>			'	0	J
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0		7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0		14.0	20.0	20.0	14.0	20.0	20.0
Total Split (s)	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0		14.0	52.0	52.0	14.0	52.0	52.0
Total Split (%)	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%		15.6%	57.8%	57.8%	15.6%	57.8%	57.8%
Maximum Green (s)	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0		7.0	45.0	45.0	7.0	45.0	45.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0		-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None		None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4		67.4	61.0	61.0	65.4	66.6	66.6
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16		0.75	0.68	0.68	0.73	0.74	0.74
	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16			0.08	0.00	0.73		
v/c Ratio							0.00				0.23	0.05
Control Delay	57.3	46.3	44.0	29.6	38.0		4.5	11.1	9.7	4.6	6.9	6.8
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Delay	57.3	46.3	44.0	29.6	38.0		4.5	11.1	9.7	4.6	6.9	6.8
LOS Approach Delay	Е	D 53.0	D	С	D		Α	11 1	Α	Α	A	Α
Approach Delay		53.9			37.5			11.1			6.7	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			D			В			Α	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	61	22	3	3	50		1	148	1	4	50	7
Queue Length 95th (ft)	112	53	16	13	92		4	251	5	13	155	32
Internal Link Dist (ft)		1414			1208			1156			1089	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	75		75	75			75		100	75		125
Base Capacity (vph)	265	326	334	287	316		842	1262	1072	598	1378	1171
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.39	0.12	0.02	0.02	0.31		0.00	0.38	0.00	0.05	0.23	0.05

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 60

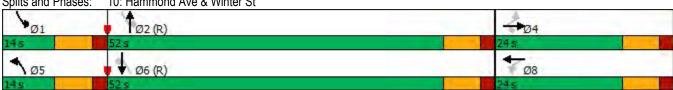
Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.52

Intersection Signal Delay: 17.5 Intersection Capacity Utilization 43.5% Intersection LOS: B ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

10: Hammond Ave & Winter St Splits and Phases:



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# Intersection: 2: Susquehanna Ave & US 2 WB On-Ramp

Movement	NB
Directions Served	LT
Maximum Queue (ft)	99
Average Queue (ft)	40
95th Queue (ft)	79
Link Distance (ft)	707
Upstream Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	
Storage Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	

### Intersection: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	Т	R	L	Т	R	Т	R	
Maximum Queue (ft)	184	210	86	97	89	21	96	111	43	91	105	
Average Queue (ft)	91	69	18	25	36	2	11	30	9	23	37	
95th Queue (ft)	163	150	54	70	72	11	53	77	34	66	86	
Link Distance (ft)		4350			1401			1122		1112		
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150		150	
Storage Blk Time (%)	9	1	1		6		0	0		0		
Queuing Penalty (veh)	8	2	2		2		1	0		0		

### Intersection: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB	
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	TR	L	T	R	L	T	R	
Maximum Queue (ft)	111	71	42	26	111	26	276	20	50	164	72	
Average Queue (ft)	63	36	6	2	53	3	104	1	17	60	12	
95th Queue (ft)	98	76	24	13	105	18	189	10	43	129	40	
Link Distance (ft)		1401			1241		1189			1134		
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	75		75	75		75		100	75		125	
Storage Blk Time (%)	15	2			7		9			5		
Queuing Penalty (veh)	6	2			0		1			4		

# **Network Summary**

Network wide Queuing Penalty: 26

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Lane Group	EBL	EBR	NBL	NBT	SBT	SBR	
Lane Configurations				ર્ન	1		
Traffic Volume (vph)	0	0	103	62	69	82	
Future Volume (vph)	0	0	103	62	69	82	
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Frt					0.927		
Flt Protected				0.970			
Satd. Flow (prot)	0	0	0	1688	1480	0	
Flt Permitted				0.970			
Satd. Flow (perm)	0	0	0	1688	1480	0	
Link Speed (mph)	25			25	25		
Link Distance (ft)	815			723	630		
Travel Time (s)	22.2			19.7	17.2		
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Heavy Vehicles (%)	2%	2%	2%	21%	6%	30%	
Adj. Flow (vph)	0	0	114	69	77	91	
Shared Lane Traffic (%)							
Lane Group Flow (vph)	0	0	0	183	168	0	
Sign Control	Stop			Free	Free		
Intersection Summary							
Area Type:	Other						
Control Type: Unsignalized	d						
Intersection Capacity Utiliz	ation 24.3%			IC	CU Level c	of Service	Α
Analysis Period (min) 15							

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	*	<b>†</b>	7	7	<b>†</b>	7	*	<b>^</b>	7	7	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	88	61	25	53	56	14	22	173	51	20	205	86
Future Volume (vph)	88	61	25	53	56	14	22	173	51	20	205	86
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		1	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850			0.850			0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1517	1638	1392	1656	1667	1335	1421	1759	1583	1570	1792	1313
Flt Permitted	0.717			0.713			0.616			0.637		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1145	1638	1392	1243	1667	1335	922	1759	1583	1052	1792	1313
Right Turn on Red			No			No			No			No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)												
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			25			25	
Link Distance (ft)		4424			1494			1169			1158	
Travel Time (s)		120.7			40.7			31.9			31.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	19%	16%	16%	9%	14%	21%	27%	8%	2%	15%	6%	23%
Adj. Flow (vph)	98	68	28	59	62	16	24	192	57	22	228	96
Shared Lane Traffic (%)												
Lane Group Flow (vph)	98	68	28	59	62	16	24	192	57	22	228	96
Turn Type	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases		4			8		5	2		1	6	
Permitted Phases	8		4	4		8	6		2	2		6
Detector Phase	8	4	4	4	8	8	5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase												
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0
Total Split (s)	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.0	16.0	40.0	40.0	16.0	40.0	40.0
Total Split (%)	37.8%	37.8%	37.8%	37.8%	37.8%	37.8%	17.8%	44.4%	44.4%	17.8%	44.4%	44.4%
Maximum Green (s)	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	9.0	33.0	33.0	9.0	33.0	33.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag							Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.1	65.7	63.1	63.1	65.7	63.1	63.1
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.73	0.70	0.70	0.73	0.70	0.70
v/c Ratio	0.51	0.25	0.12	0.28	0.22	0.07	0.03	0.16	0.05	0.03	0.18	0.10
Control Delay	42.4	32.9	30.6	35.2	33.1	30.1	5.0	8.6	9.0	4.9	8.7	9.0
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Delay	42.4	32.9	30.6	35.2	33.1	30.1	5.0	8.6	9.0	4.9	8.7	9.0
LOS	D	С	С	D	С	С	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α
Approach Delay		37.4			33.6			8.4			8.6	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			С			Α			Α	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	51	34	14	33	35	9	3	29	8	3	34	14
Queue Length 95th (ft)	94	66	35	67	69	22	13	100	36	12	117	56
Internal Link Dist (ft)		4344			1414			1089			1078	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Base Capacity (vph)	368	527	448	400	537	430	742	1233	1110	840	1257	921
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.27	0.13	0.06	0.15	0.12	0.04	0.03	0.16	0.05	0.03	0.18	0.10

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 65

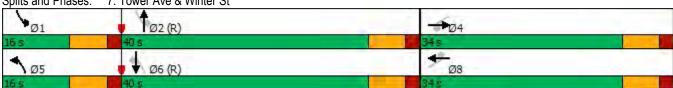
Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.51 Intersection Signal Delay: 18.0 Intersection Capacity Utilization 38.2%

Intersection LOS: B ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

Splits and Phases: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St



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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	7	<b>^</b>	7	*	13		7	<b>^</b>	7	*	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	70	46	15	8	43	23	7	321	5	16	285	56
Future Volume (vph)	70	46	15	8	43	23	7	321	5	16	285	56
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	75		75	75		0	75		100	75		125
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		0	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850		0.947				0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1752	1484	1583	1770	1541	0	1770	1863	1583	1597	1863	1455
Flt Permitted	0.709			0.724			0.555			0.522		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1308	1484	1583	1349	1541	0	1034	1863	1583	878	1863	1455
Right Turn on Red			No			No			No	0.0		No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)			110						110			110
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			30			30	
Link Distance (ft)		1494			1288			1236			1169	
Travel Time (s)		40.7			35.1			28.1			26.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	3%	28%	2%	2%	21%	9%	2%	2%	2%	13%	2%	11%
Adj. Flow (vph)	78	51	17	9	48	26	8	357	6	18	317	62
Shared Lane Traffic (%)	, ,	01	17	<u> </u>		20		001		10	017	UZ.
Lane Group Flow (vph)	78	51	17	9	74	0	8	357	6	18	317	62
Turn Type	Perm	NA	Perm	Perm	NA		D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases	1 01111	4	1 01111	1 01111	8		5	2	1 01111	1	6	1 01111
Permitted Phases	4	•	4	8			6		2	2		6
Detector Phase	4	4	4	8	8		5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase	'		•									
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0		7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0		14.0	20.0	20.0	14.0	20.0	20.0
Total Split (s)	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.0		16.0	48.0	48.0	16.0	48.0	48.0
Total Split (%)	28.9%	28.9%	28.9%	28.9%	28.9%		17.8%	53.3%	53.3%	17.8%	53.3%	53.3%
Maximum Green (s)	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.0		9.0	41.0	41.0	9.0	41.0	41.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0		-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag	5.0	5.0	3.0	5.0	5.0		Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None		None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9		68.9	65.3	65.3	67.9	68.1	68.1
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14		0.77	0.73	0.73	0.75	0.76	0.76
v/c Ratio	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14		0.77	0.73	0.73	0.73	0.70	0.76
	47.7	42.3	38.8	31.5	37.7		3.9	7.9	8.4	3.9	6.2	6.2
Control Delay				0.0				0.0		0.0	0.0	
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0			0.0
Total Delay	47.7	42.3	38.8	31.5	37.7		3.9	7.9	8.4	3.9	6.2	6.2
LOS	D	D	D	С	D		Α	A	Α	Α	Α	Α
Approach Delay		44.8			37.1			7.8			6.1	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			D			Α			Α	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	45	29	10	5	38		1	51	1	2	44	8
Queue Length 95th (ft)	88	63	30	17	75		5	168	7	9	147	35
Internal Link Dist (ft)		1414			1208			1156			1089	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	75		75	75			75		100	75		125
Base Capacity (vph)	305	346	369	314	359		886	1351	1148	758	1409	1101
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.26	0.15	0.05	0.03	0.21		0.01	0.26	0.01	0.02	0.22	0.06

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 55

Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

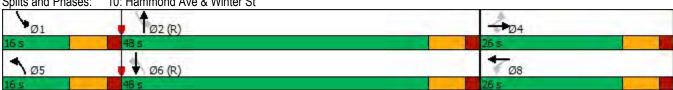
Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.42

Intersection Signal Delay: 15.0 Intersection Capacity Utilization 39.2%

Intersection LOS: B ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

10: Hammond Ave & Winter St Splits and Phases:



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# Intersection: 2: Susquehanna Ave & US 2 WB On-Ramp

Movement	NB
Directions Served	LT
Maximum Queue (ft)	54
Average Queue (ft)	14
95th Queue (ft)	42
Link Distance (ft)	707
Upstream Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	
Storage Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	

### Intersection: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	Т	R	L	T	R	L	Т	R
Maximum Queue (ft)	150	95	61	136	163	62	98	133	43	189	166	125
Average Queue (ft)	73	41	12	42	44	15	15	45	12	22	67	31
95th Queue (ft)	130	78	38	94	111	50	51	107	32	82	138	89
Link Distance (ft)		4350			1401			1122			1112	
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Blk Time (%)	7	0		1	8	7	0	2			2	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	6	0		1	5	7	0	1			3	

### Intersection: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB	
Directions Served	L	Т	R	L	TR	L	Т	R	L	Т	R	
Maximum Queue (ft)	125	83	39	47	149	26	152	19	31	118	71	
Average Queue (ft)	54	35	10	8	36	3	55	1	7	58	29	
95th Queue (ft)	94	79	30	29	90	15	111	7	27	114	65	
Link Distance (ft)		1401			1241		1189			1134		
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	75		75	75		75		100	75		125	
Storage Blk Time (%)	7	2			3		2			4		
Queuing Penalty (veh)	4	2			0		0			3		

# **Network Summary**

Network wide Queuing Penalty: 33

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Lane Group	EBL	EBR	NBL	NBT	SBT	SBR	
Lane Configurations				ર્ન	1>		
Traffic Volume (vph)	0	0	248	226	43	180	
Future Volume (vph)	0	0	248	226	43	180	
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Frt					0.891		
Flt Protected				0.974			
Satd. Flow (prot)	0	0	0	1773	1174	0	
Flt Permitted				0.974			
Satd. Flow (perm)	0	0	0	1773	1174	0	
Link Speed (mph)	25			25	25		
Link Distance (ft)	815			723	630		
Travel Time (s)	22.2			19.7	17.2		
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Heavy Vehicles (%)	2%	2%	2%	7%	16%	51%	
Adj. Flow (vph)	0	0	276	251	48	200	
Shared Lane Traffic (%)							
Lane Group Flow (vph)	0	0	0	527	248	0	
Sign Control	Stop			Free	Free		
Intersection Summary							
Area Type:	Other						
Control Type: Unsignalized	b						
Intersection Capacity Utiliz	ation 45.6%			IC	CU Level c	of Service	) A
Analysis Period (min) 15							

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	1	<b>^</b>	7	7	<b>†</b>	7	7	<b>^</b>	7	7	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	158	102	22	35	93	3	35	180	71	3	108	144
Future Volume (vph)	158	102	22	35	93	3	35	180	71	3	108	144
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		1	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850			0.850			0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1543	1624	1233	1570	1624	1583	1308	1845	1524	1770	1727	1357
FIt Permitted	0.690			0.684			0.680			0.632		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1121	1624	1233	1130	1624	1583	936	1845	1524	1177	1727	1357
Right Turn on Red			No			No			No			No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)												
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			25			25	
Link Distance (ft)		4424			1494			1169			1158	
Travel Time (s)		120.7			40.7			31.9			31.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	17%	17%	31%	15%	17%	2%	38%	3%	6%	2%	10%	19%
Adj. Flow (vph)	176	113	24	39	103	3	39	200	79	3	120	160
Shared Lane Traffic (%)												
Lane Group Flow (vph)	176	113	24	39	103	3	39	200	79	3	120	160
Turn Type	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases		4			8		5	2		1	6	
Permitted Phases	8		4	4		8	6		2	2		6
Detector Phase	8	4	4	4	8	8	5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase												
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0
Total Split (s)	39.0	39.0	39.0	39.0	39.0	39.0	16.0	37.0	37.0	14.0	35.0	35.0
Total Split (%)	43.3%	43.3%	43.3%	43.3%	43.3%	43.3%	17.8%	41.1%	41.1%	15.6%	38.9%	38.9%
Maximum Green (s)	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	9.0	30.0	30.0	7.0	28.0	28.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag							Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	21.6	55.4	55.6	55.6	57.4	49.6	49.6
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.64	0.55	0.55
v/c Ratio	0.65	0.29	0.08	0.14	0.26	0.01	0.06	0.18	0.08	0.00	0.13	0.21
Control Delay	41.2	27.8	23.7	25.0	27.1	22.3	8.2	10.8	11.0	8.3	14.3	15.3
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Delay	41.2	27.8	23.7	25.0	27.1	22.3	8.2	10.8	11.0	8.3	14.3	15.3
LOS	D	С	С	С	С	С	Α	В	В	Α	В	В
Approach Delay		35.1			26.4			10.6			14.8	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			С			В			В	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	91	53	11	21	56	1	7	40	15	1	36	50
Queue Length 95th (ft)	140	86	27	37	75	m6	24	127	58	5	84	114
Internal Link Dist (ft)		4344			1414			1089			1078	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Base Capacity (vph)	423	613	465	426	613	598	630	1139	940	809	952	748
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.42	0.18	0.05	0.09	0.17	0.01	0.06	0.18	0.08	0.00	0.13	0.21

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 65

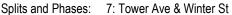
Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

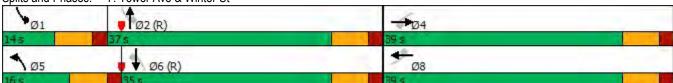
Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.65 Intersection Signal Delay: 21.1 Intersection Capacity Utilization 36.6%

Intersection LOS: C
ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

m Volume for 95th percentile queue is metered by upstream signal.





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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	*	<b>†</b>	7	*	f)		٦	<b>^</b>	7	*	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	127	47	7	7	71	46	5	586	4	38	387	66
Future Volume (vph)	127	47	7	7	71	46	5	586	4	38	387	66
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	75		75	75		0	75		100	75		125
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		0	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850		0.941				0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		01000
Satd. Flow (prot)	1719	1545	1583	1770	1498	0	1770	1863	1583	1583	1863	1583
Flt Permitted	0.645			0.723			0.456			0.286		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1167	1545	1583	1347	1498	0	849	1863	1583	477	1863	1583
Right Turn on Red	1101	10.10	No	1011	1 100	No	0.0	.000	No		1000	No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)			110			110			110			110
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			30			30	
Link Distance (ft)		1494			1288			1236			1169	
Travel Time (s)		40.7			35.1			28.1			26.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	5%	23%	2%	2%	26%	9%	2%	2%	2%	14%	2%	2%
Adj. Flow (vph)	141	52	8	8	79	51	6	651	4	42	430	73
Shared Lane Traffic (%)	171	32	U U	U	13	J1	U	001		72	430	7.5
Lane Group Flow (vph)	141	52	8	8	130	0	6	651	4	42	430	73
Turn Type	Perm	NA	Perm	Perm	NA	U	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases	1 01111	4	1 01111	1 01111	8		5	2	1 01111	1	6	1 01111
Permitted Phases	4		4	8	- U		6		2	2	- U	6
Detector Phase	4	4	4	8	8		5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase	<u>'</u>		'									
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0		7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0		14.0	20.0	20.0	14.0	20.0	20.0
Total Split (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0		14.0	51.0	51.0	14.0	51.0	51.0
Total Split (%)	27.8%	27.8%	27.8%	27.8%	27.8%		15.6%	56.7%	56.7%	15.6%	56.7%	56.7%
Maximum Green (s)	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0		7.0	44.0	44.0	7.0	44.0	44.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0		-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None		None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7		62.3	54.9	54.9	60.3	60.5	60.5
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19		02.3	0.61	0.61	0.67	0.67	0.67
v/c Ratio	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19		0.03	0.57	0.00	0.07	0.07	0.07
Control Delay	62.4	44.6	41.7	28.1	37.6		5.0	15.6	10.8	5.6	8.9	7.6
	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0
Queue Delay	62.4	0.0									0.0	
Total Delay	62.4 E	44.6	41.7	28.1	37.6		5.0 A	15.6	10.8	5.6	8.9	7.6
LOS Approach Dolay	E	D 56.0	D	С	D 37.0		A	15.5	В	Α	A 8.5	Α
Approach Delay		56.9			37.0			15.5			8.5	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		Е			D			В			Α	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	83	30	4	4	65		1	249	1	7	85	12
Queue Length 95th (ft)	144	64	18	15	117		5	390	6	17	223	42
Internal Link Dist (ft)		1414			1208			1156			1089	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	75		75	75			75		100	75		125
Base Capacity (vph)	259	343	351	299	332		679	1136	966	430	1252	1064
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.54	0.15	0.02	0.03	0.39		0.01	0.57	0.00	0.10	0.34	0.07

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 60

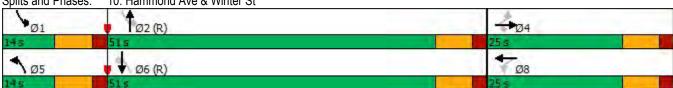
Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.65 Intersection Signal Delay: 20.3 Intersection Capacity Utilization 53.6%

Intersection LOS: C
ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

Splits and Phases: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St



# Intersection: 2: Susquehanna Ave & US 2 WB On-Ramp

Movement	NB	SB
Directions Served	LT	TR
Maximum Queue (ft)	141	59
Average Queue (ft)	58	3
95th Queue (ft)	138	24
Link Distance (ft)	707	573
Upstream Blk Time (%)		
Queuing Penalty (veh)		
Storage Bay Dist (ft)		
Storage Blk Time (%)		
Queuing Penalty (veh)		

### Intersection: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	Т	R	L	T	R	L	T	R
Maximum Queue (ft)	173	169	58	70	173	21	74	108	82	26	254	239
Average Queue (ft)	98	68	14	25	62	1	19	42	17	1	43	64
95th Queue (ft)	153	152	40	59	130	10	60	78	51	8	125	155
Link Distance (ft)		4350			1401			1122			1112	
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Blk Time (%)	14	1			13			0			1	0
Queuing Penalty (veh)	17	2			5			0			1	0

### Intersection: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB	
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	TR	L	T	R	L	Т	R	
Maximum Queue (ft)	174	218	40	174	178	26	281	41	68	162	52	
Average Queue (ft)	94	48	8	12	72	1	125	3	16	88	11	
95th Queue (ft)	162	139	26	66	149	9	228	17	52	149	41	
Link Distance (ft)		1401			1241		1189			1134		
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	75		75	75		75		100	75		125	
Storage Blk Time (%)	39	4			11		13		0	10		
Queuing Penalty (veh)	21	5			1		1		0	11		

# **Network Summary**

Network wide Queuing Penalty: 65

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Lane Group	EBL	EBR	NBL	NBT	SBT	SBR	
Lane Configurations				ર્લ	13		
Traffic Volume (vph)	0	0	139	84	93	110	
Future Volume (vph)	0	0	139	84	93	110	
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Frt					0.927		
Flt Protected				0.970			
Satd. Flow (prot)	0	0	0	1688	1480	0	
Flt Permitted				0.970			
Satd. Flow (perm)	0	0	0	1688	1480	0	
Link Speed (mph)	25			25	25		
Link Distance (ft)	815			723	630		
Travel Time (s)	22.2			19.7	17.2		
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Heavy Vehicles (%)	2%	2%	2%	21%	6%	30%	
Adj. Flow (vph)	0	0	154	93	103	122	
Shared Lane Traffic (%)							
Lane Group Flow (vph)	0	0	0	247	225	0	
Sign Control	Stop			Free	Free		
Intersection Summary							
Area Type:	Other						
Control Type: Unsignalized	d						
Intersection Capacity Utiliz	ation 30.4%			IC	CU Level c	of Service	· A
Analysis Period (min) 15							

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	7	<b>^</b>	7	*	<b>↑</b>	7	ň	<b>^</b>	7	*	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	119	82	34	71	75	19	30	233	69	27	276	116
Future Volume (vph)	119	82	34	71	75	19	30	233	69	27	276	116
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		1	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850			0.850			0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1517	1638	1392	1656	1667	1335	1421	1759	1583	1570	1792	1313
Flt Permitted	0.703			0.698			0.539			0.580		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1122	1638	1392	1217	1667	1335	806	1759	1583	958	1792	1313
Right Turn on Red			No			No			No			No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)												
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			25			25	
Link Distance (ft)		4424			1494			1169			1158	
Travel Time (s)		120.7			40.7			31.9			31.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	19%	16%	16%	9%	14%	21%	27%	8%	2%	15%	6%	23%
Adj. Flow (vph)	132	91	38	79	83	21	33	259	77	30	307	129
Shared Lane Traffic (%)	102	01	00	10	00		00	200	• • •		007	120
Lane Group Flow (vph)	132	91	38	79	83	21	33	259	77	30	307	129
Turn Type	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases	2	4			8		5	2		1	6	. •
Permitted Phases	8		4	4		8	6	_	2	2	-	6
Detector Phase	8	4	4	4	8	8	5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase	-							_	_		-	
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0
Total Split (s)	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	16.0	42.0	42.0	16.0	42.0	42.0
Total Split (%)	35.6%	35.6%	35.6%	35.6%	35.6%	35.6%	17.8%	46.7%	46.7%	17.8%	46.7%	46.7%
Maximum Green (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	9.0	35.0	35.0	9.0	35.0	35.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	59.0	53.6	53.6	59.0	53.5	53.5
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.66	0.60	0.60	0.66	0.59	0.59
v/c Ratio	0.59	0.28	0.20	0.20	0.25	0.20	0.06	0.25	0.08	0.04	0.33	0.33
Control Delay	42.4	30.7	28.1	33.0	30.4	26.9	6.4	12.3	11.9	6.3	12.8	12.4
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
•	42.4	30.7	28.1	33.0	30.4	26.9	6.4	12.3	11.9	6.3	12.8	12.4
Total Delay LOS		30.7 C	20.1 C	33.0 C	30.4 C							
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Approach Delay		36.2			31.1			11.7			12.3	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			С			В			В	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	69	44	18	43	45	11	5	76	20	5	92	36
Queue Length 95th (ft)	115	77	40	78	63	23	18	150	51	17	180	82
Internal Link Dist (ft)		4344			1414			1089			1078	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Base Capacity (vph)	336	491	417	365	500	400	613	1047	942	715	1065	780
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.39	0.19	0.09	0.22	0.17	0.05	0.05	0.25	0.08	0.04	0.29	0.17

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 65

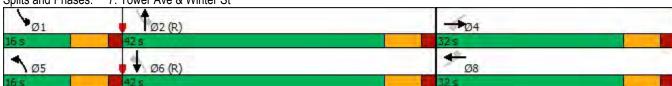
Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.59 Intersection Signal Delay: 19.7 Intersection Capacity Utilization 46.1%

Intersection LOS: B
ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

Splits and Phases: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St



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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	*	<b>^</b>	7	7	13		7	<b>^</b>	7	ň	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	94	62	20	11	58	31	9	432	7	22	384	75
Future Volume (vph)	94	62	20	11	58	31	9	432	7	22	384	75
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	75		75	75		0	75		100	75		125
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		0	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850		0.948				0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1752	1484	1583	1770	1542	0	1770	1863	1583	1597	1863	1455
Flt Permitted	0.694			0.712			0.472			0.430		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1280	1484	1583	1326	1542	0	879	1863	1583	723	1863	1455
Right Turn on Red			No			No	0.0		No	•		No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)			110			110			110			110
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			30			30	
Link Distance (ft)		1494			1288			1236			1169	
Travel Time (s)		40.7			35.1			28.1			26.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	3%	28%	2%	2%	21%	9%	2%	2%	2%	13%	2%	11%
Adj. Flow (vph)	104	69	22	12	64	34	10	480	8	24	427	83
Shared Lane Traffic (%)	104	03	22	12	04	77	10	400	U	24	721	03
Lane Group Flow (vph)	104	69	22	12	98	0	10	480	8	24	427	83
Turn Type	Perm	NA	Perm	Perm	NA	U	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases	r <del>C</del> illi	4	r <del>c</del> iiii	r <del>C</del> illi	8		5	2	r <del>C</del> illi	1	6	r <del>C</del> iiii
Permitted Phases	4	7	4	8	U		6		2	2	U	6
Detector Phase	4	4	4	8	8		5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase	7	4	4	U	0		J			ı	U	U
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0		7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0		14.0	20.0	20.0	14.0	20.0	20.0
Total Split (s)	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0		14.0	52.0	52.0	14.0	52.0	52.0
Total Split (%)	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%		15.6%	57.8%	57.8%	15.6%	57.8%	57.8%
Maximum Green (s)	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0		7.0	45.0	45.0	7.0	45.0	45.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
` ,	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0			2.0	2.0		2.0	
All-Red Time (s) Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0		2.0	-2.0	-2.0	2.0 -2.0	-2.0	2.0 -2.0
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Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag							Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None		None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.3		67.5	63.9	63.9	66.5	66.7	66.7
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16		0.75	0.71	0.71	0.74	0.74	0.74
v/c Ratio	0.51	0.29	0.09	0.06	0.40		0.01	0.36	0.01	0.04	0.31	0.08
Control Delay	49.3	41.5	37.2	30.3	37.7		4.4	9.7	9.1	4.5	7.5	6.7
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Delay	49.3	41.5	37.2	30.3	37.7		4.4	9.7	9.1	4.5	7.5	6.7
LOS	D	D	D	С	D		Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α
Approach Delay		45.2			36.9			9.6			7.2	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			D			Α			Α	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	60	39	12	6	50		1	84	1	3	72	11
Queue Length 95th (ft)	110	78	35	20	93		6	249	9	11	215	46
Internal Link Dist (ft)		1414			1208			1156			1089	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	75		75	75			75		100	75		125
Base Capacity (vph)	270	313	334	279	325		748	1321	1123	621	1379	1077
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.39	0.22	0.07	0.04	0.30		0.01	0.36	0.01	0.04	0.31	0.08

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 60

Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

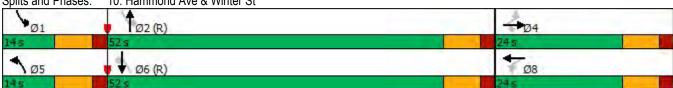
Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.51

Intersection Signal Delay: 16.1
Intersection Capacity Utilization 44.4%

Intersection LOS: B ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

Splits and Phases: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St



# Intersection: 2: Susquehanna Ave & US 2 WB On-Ramp

Movement	NB	SB
Directions Served	LT	TR
Maximum Queue (ft)	77	20
Average Queue (ft)	24	1
95th Queue (ft)	64	6
Link Distance (ft)	707	573
Upstream Blk Time (%)		
Queuing Penalty (veh)		
Storage Bay Dist (ft)		
Storage Blk Time (%)		
Queuing Penalty (veh)		

### Intersection: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	T	R	L	Т	R
Maximum Queue (ft)	131	200	96	137	186	150	74	132	66	68	152	152
Average Queue (ft)	71	70	22	50	51	16	18	64	18	14	70	46
95th Queue (ft)	125	147	66	104	117	65	53	130	47	40	141	110
Link Distance (ft)		4350			1401			1122			1112	
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Blk Time (%)	6	6	1	1	12	1		3			3	0
Queuing Penalty (veh)	7	8	2	1	11	1		3			4	1

### Intersection: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB	
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	TR	L	T	R	L	Т	R	
Maximum Queue (ft)	174	177	43	48	164	48	210	20	78	160	90	
Average Queue (ft)	79	57	9	9	57	5	106	1	17	83	22	
95th Queue (ft)	139	128	28	30	123	24	174	9	52	151	58	
Link Distance (ft)		1401			1241		1189			1134		
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	75		75	75		75		100	75		125	
Storage Blk Time (%)	22	7			7		9		0	9		
Queuing Penalty (veh)	18	8			1		1		2	9		

# **Network Summary**

Network wide Queuing Penalty: 77

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Lane Group	EBL	EBR	NBL	NBT	SBT	SBR	
Lane Configurations				र्स	1>		
Traffic Volume (vph)	0	0	248	226	43	182	
Future Volume (vph)	0	0	248	226	43	182	
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Frt					0.891		
Flt Protected				0.974			
Satd. Flow (prot)	0	0	0	1773	1173	0	
FIt Permitted				0.974			
Satd. Flow (perm)	0	0	0	1773	1173	0	
Link Speed (mph)	25			25	25		
Link Distance (ft)	815			723	630		
Travel Time (s)	22.2			19.7	17.2		
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Heavy Vehicles (%)	2%	2%	2%	7%	16%	51%	
Adj. Flow (vph)	0	0	276	251	48	202	
Shared Lane Traffic (%)							
Lane Group Flow (vph)	0	0	0	527	250	0	
Sign Control	Stop			Free	Free		
Intersection Summary							
Area Type:	Other						
Control Type: Unsignalized	d						
Intersection Capacity Utiliz	zation 45.8%			IC	CU Level o	of Service A	Α
Analysis Period (min) 15							

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	*	<b>^</b>	7	*	<b>†</b>	7	7	<b>↑</b>	7	7	<b>↑</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	159	103	23	35	94	3	36	180	71	3	108	145
Future Volume (vph)	159	103	23	35	94	3	36	180	71	3	108	145
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		1	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100		•	100		•	100		-
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850			0.850	,,,,,,		0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1543	1624	1233	1570	1624	1583	1308	1845	1524	1770	1727	1357
Flt Permitted	0.690			0.684			0.680			0.632		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1121	1624	1233	1130	1624	1583	936	1845	1524	1177	1727	1357
Right Turn on Red			No			No			No			No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)												
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			25			25	
Link Distance (ft)		4424			1494			1169			1158	
Travel Time (s)		120.7			40.7			31.9			31.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	17%	17%	31%	15%	17%	2%	38%	3%	6%	2%	10%	19%
Adj. Flow (vph)	177	114	26	39	104	3	40	200	79	3	120	161
Shared Lane Traffic (%)												
Lane Group Flow (vph)	177	114	26	39	104	3	40	200	79	3	120	161
Turn Type	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases		4			8		5	2		1	6	
Permitted Phases	8		4	4		8	6		2	2		6
Detector Phase	8	4	4	4	8	8	5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase												
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0
Total Split (s)	39.0	39.0	39.0	39.0	39.0	39.0	16.0	37.0	37.0	14.0	35.0	35.0
Total Split (%)	43.3%	43.3%	43.3%	43.3%	43.3%	43.3%	17.8%	41.1%	41.1%	15.6%	38.9%	38.9%
Maximum Green (s)	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	9.0	30.0	30.0	7.0	28.0	28.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag							Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	21.7	55.3	55.5	55.5	57.3	49.6	49.6
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.61	0.62	0.62	0.64	0.55	0.55
v/c Ratio	0.66	0.29	0.09	0.14	0.27	0.01	0.07	0.18	0.08	0.00	0.13	0.22
Control Delay	41.3	27.8	23.8	24.9	27.1	22.0	8.2	10.8	11.1	8.3	14.4	15.4
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Delay	41.3	27.8	23.8	24.9	27.1	22.0	8.2	10.8	11.1	8.3	14.4	15.4
LOS	D	С	С	С	С	С	Α	В	В	Α	В	В
Approach Delay		35.0			26.4			10.6			14.9	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			С			В			В	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	91	53	12	21	57	2	7	40	15	1	36	50
Queue Length 95th (ft)	141	86	28	38	75	m6	25	127	58	5	84	114
Internal Link Dist (ft)		4344			1414			1089			1078	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Base Capacity (vph)	423	613	465	426	613	598	629	1137	939	808	950	747
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.42	0.19	0.06	0.09	0.17	0.01	0.06	0.18	0.08	0.00	0.13	0.22

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 65

Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

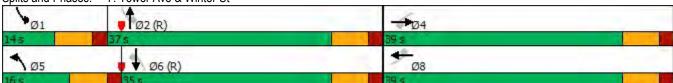
Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.66 Intersection Signal Delay: 21.1 Intersection Capacity Utilization 36.6%

Intersection LOS: C
ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

m Volume for 95th percentile queue is metered by upstream signal.





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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	*	<b>^</b>	7	7	13		7	<b>^</b>	7	*	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	128	47	7	7	71	46	5	586	4	38	387	67
Future Volume (vph)	128	47	7	7	71	46	5	586	4	38	387	67
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	75		75	75		0	75		100	75		125
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		0	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850		0.941				0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1719	1545	1583	1770	1498	0	1770	1863	1583	1583	1863	1583
Flt Permitted	0.645			0.723			0.456			0.286		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1167	1545	1583	1347	1498	0	849	1863	1583	477	1863	1583
Right Turn on Red			No			No	0.0		No			No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)			110			110			110			110
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			30			30	
Link Distance (ft)		1494			1288			1236			1169	
Travel Time (s)		40.7			35.1			28.1			26.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	5%	23%	2%	2%	26%	9%	2%	2%	2%	14%	2%	2%
Adj. Flow (vph)	142	52	8	8	79	51	6	651	4	42	430	74
Shared Lane Traffic (%)	172	JZ	U	U	13	J1	U	001		72	430	7-4
Lane Group Flow (vph)	142	52	8	8	130	0	6	651	4	42	430	74
Turn Type	Perm	NA	Perm	Perm	NA	U	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases	i Giiii	4	I GIIII	I GIIII	8		5	2	I GIIII	1	6	I CIIII
Permitted Phases	4	7	4	8	U		6		2	2	U	6
Detector Phase	4	4	4	8	8		5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase	4	4	4	0	0		J			ı	U	U
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0		7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0		14.0	20.0	20.0	14.0	20.0	20.0
Total Split (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0		14.0	51.0	51.0	14.0	51.0	51.0
Total Split (%)	27.8%	27.8%	27.8%	27.8%	27.8%		15.6%	56.7%	56.7%	15.6%	56.7%	56.7%
Maximum Green (s)	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0		7.0	44.0	44.0	7.0	44.0	44.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
` ,	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0			2.0	2.0		2.0	
All-Red Time (s) Lost Time Adjust (s)			-2.0	-2.0			2.0	-2.0		2.0 -2.0		2.0
• ( )	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0 5.0		-2.0		-2.0		-2.0		-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag							Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None		None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7		62.3	54.9	54.9	60.3	60.5	60.5
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19		0.69	0.61	0.61	0.67	0.67	0.67
v/c Ratio	0.66	0.18	0.03	0.03	0.47		0.01	0.57	0.00	0.10	0.34	0.07
Control Delay	62.6	44.7	41.6	28.1	37.6		5.0	15.7	10.8	5.6	8.9	7.6
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Delay	62.6	44.7	41.6	28.1	37.6		5.0	15.7	10.8	5.6	8.9	7.6
LOS	Е	D	D	С	D		Α	В	В	Α	Α	Α
Approach Delay		57.2			37.0			15.5			8.5	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		Е			D			В			Α	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	84	30	4	4	65		1	250	1	7	85	12
Queue Length 95th (ft)	144	65	18	15	117		5	390	6	17	223	43
Internal Link Dist (ft)		1414			1208			1156			1089	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	75		75	75			75		100	75		125
Base Capacity (vph)	259	343	351	299	332		679	1136	965	430	1252	1064
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.55	0.15	0.02	0.03	0.39		0.01	0.57	0.00	0.10	0.34	0.07

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 60

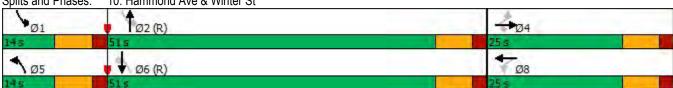
Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.66 Intersection Signal Delay: 20.4 Intersection Capacity Utilization 53.7%

Intersection LOS: C
ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

Splits and Phases: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St



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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	WBT	WBR	SBL	SBR	
Lane Configurations		4			**		
Traffic Volume (vph)	0	282	270	5	3	2	
Future Volume (vph)	0	282	270	5	3	2	
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Frt			0.997		0.946		
Flt Protected					0.971		
Satd. Flow (prot)	0	1712	1692	0	970	0	
FIt Permitted					0.971		
Satd. Flow (perm)	0	1712	1692	0	970	0	
Link Speed (mph)		25	25		25		
Link Distance (ft)		1769	4424		719		
Travel Time (s)		48.2	120.7		19.6		
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Heavy Vehicles (%)	60%	11%	11%	60%	80%	80%	
Adj. Flow (vph)	0	313	300	6	3	2	
Shared Lane Traffic (%)							
Lane Group Flow (vph)	0	313	306	0	5	0	
Sign Control		Free	Free		Stop		
Intersection Summary							
Area Type:	Other						
Control Type: Unsignalized							
Intersection Capacity Utiliz	ation 24.8%			IC	CU Level o	of Service	Α
Analysis Period (min) 15							

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Intersection						
Int Delay, s/veh	0.1					
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Movement	EBL	EBT	WBT	WBR	SBL	SBR
Lane Configurations		4	1	_	Y	
Traffic Vol, veh/h	0	282	270	5	3	2
Future Vol, veh/h	0	282	270	5	3	2
Conflicting Peds, #/hr	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Free	Free	Free	Free	Stop	Stop
RT Channelized	-	None	-	None	-	None
Storage Length	-	-	-	-	0	-
Veh in Median Storage,	# -	0	0	-	0	-
Grade, %	-	0	0	-	0	-
Peak Hour Factor	90	90	90	90	90	90
Heavy Vehicles, %	60	11	11	60	80	80
Mvmt Flow	0	313	300	6	3	2
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Conflicting Flow All	306	0	-	0	616	303
Stage 1	-	-	-	-	303	-
Stage 2	-	-	-	-	313	-
Critical Hdwy	4.7	-	-	-	7.2	7
Critical Hdwy Stg 1	-	-	-	-	6.2	-
Critical Hdwy Stg 2	-	-	-	-	6.2	-
Follow-up Hdwy	2.74	-	-	-	4.22	4.02
Pot Cap-1 Maneuver	988	-	-	-	349	586
Stage 1	-	-	-	-	601	-
Stage 2	-	-	-	-	594	-
Platoon blocked, %		-	-	-		
Mov Cap-1 Maneuver	988	-	-	-	349	586
Mov Cap-2 Maneuver	-	-	-	-	349	-
Stage 1	-	-	-	-	601	-
Stage 2	_	-	_	_	594	-
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Approach	EB		WB		SB	
HCM Control Delay, s	0		0		13.8	
HCM LOS					В	
Minor Long/Major Mymt		EBL	EBT	WBT	WBR	CDI n1
Minor Lane/Major Mvmt						
Capacity (veh/h)		988	-	-	-	
HCM Lane V/C Ratio		-	-	-		0.013
HCM Control Delay (s)		0	-	-	-	
HCM Lane LOS		A	-	-	-	В
HCM 95th %tile Q(veh)		0	-	_	-	0

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# Intersection: 2: Susquehanna Ave & US 2 WB On-Ramp

Movement	NB	SB
Directions Served	LT	TR
Maximum Queue (ft)	163	59
Average Queue (ft)	42	4
95th Queue (ft)	117	26
Link Distance (ft)	707	573
Upstream Blk Time (%)		
Queuing Penalty (veh)		
Storage Bay Dist (ft)		
Storage Blk Time (%)		
Queuing Penalty (veh)		

### Intersection: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	Т	R	L	Т	R	L	Т	R
Maximum Queue (ft)	197	224	83	134	110	20	102	151	45	27	67	127
Average Queue (ft)	105	79	16	37	61	1	23	50	16	4	27	52
95th Queue (ft)	192	174	51	90	111	7	69	109	44	18	58	115
Link Distance (ft)		4345			1401			1122			1112	
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Blk Time (%)	13	5	0	1	17		1	1				
Queuing Penalty (veh)	16	9	0	1	6		3	1				

# Intersection: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB	
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	TR	L	T	R	L	Т	R	
Maximum Queue (ft)	174	351	21	47	164	26	408	10	73	198	73	
Average Queue (ft)	101	69	3	5	90	3	153	0	27	89	26	
95th Queue (ft)	167	232	15	24	149	16	281	3	58	162	61	
Link Distance (ft)		1401			1241		1189			1134		
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	75		75	75		75		100	75		125	
Storage Blk Time (%)	40	3			19		19		1	10		
Queuing Penalty (veh)	22	5			1		2		3	10		

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# Intersection: 13: Winter St & Site Driveway

Movement	SB
Directions Served	LR
Maximum Queue (ft)	54
Average Queue (ft)	5
95th Queue (ft)	31
Link Distance (ft)	683
Upstream Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	
Storage Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	

# **Network Summary**

Network wide Queuing Penalty: 78

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Lane Group	EBL	EBR	NBL	NBT	SBT	SBR	
Lane Configurations				र्स	1>		
Traffic Volume (vph)	0	0	139	84	93	112	
Future Volume (vph)	0	0	139	84	93	112	
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Frt					0.926		
Flt Protected				0.970			
Satd. Flow (prot)	0	0	0	1688	1477	0	
Flt Permitted				0.970			
Satd. Flow (perm)	0	0	0	1688	1477	0	
Link Speed (mph)	25			25	25		
Link Distance (ft)	815			723	630		
Travel Time (s)	22.2			19.7	17.2		
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Heavy Vehicles (%)	2%	2%	2%	21%	6%	30%	
Adj. Flow (vph)	0	0	154	93	103	124	
Shared Lane Traffic (%)							
Lane Group Flow (vph)	0	0	0	247	227	0	
Sign Control	Stop			Free	Free		
Intersection Summary							
Area Type:	Other						
Control Type: Unsignalize	d						
Intersection Capacity Utiliz	zation 30.5%			IC	CU Level o	of Service A	Α
Analysis Period (min) 15							

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	7	<b>†</b>	7	*	<b>↑</b>	7	7	<b>↑</b>	7	7	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	120	83	35	71	76	19	31	233	69	27	276	117
Future Volume (vph)	120	83	35	71	76	19	31	233	69	27	276	117
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		1	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850			0.850			0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1517	1638	1392	1656	1667	1335	1421	1759	1583	1570	1792	1313
Flt Permitted	0.702			0.697			0.539			0.580		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1121	1638	1392	1215	1667	1335	806	1759	1583	958	1792	1313
Right Turn on Red			No			No			No			No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)												
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			25			25	
Link Distance (ft)		4424			1494			1169			1158	
Travel Time (s)		120.7			40.7			31.9			31.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	19%	16%	16%	9%	14%	21%	27%	8%	2%	15%	6%	23%
Adj. Flow (vph)	133	92	39	79	84	21	34	259	77	30	307	130
Shared Lane Traffic (%)												
Lane Group Flow (vph)	133	92	39	79	84	21	34	259	77	30	307	130
Turn Type	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.Pm	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases		4			8		5	2		1	6	
Permitted Phases	8		4	4		8	6		2	2		6
Detector Phase	8	4	4	4	8	8	5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase												
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
Minimum Split (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0	14.0	25.0	25.0
Total Split (s)	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	32.0	16.0	42.0	42.0	16.0	42.0	42.0
Total Split (%)	35.6%	35.6%	35.6%	35.6%	35.6%	35.6%	17.8%	46.7%	46.7%	17.8%	46.7%	46.7%
Maximum Green (s)	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	9.0	35.0	35.0	9.0	35.0	35.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag							Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?							Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	18.0	59.0	53.5	53.5	59.0	53.4	53.4
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.66	0.59	0.59	0.66	0.59	0.59
v/c Ratio	0.59	0.28	0.14	0.33	0.25	0.08	0.06	0.25	0.08	0.04	0.29	0.17
Control Delay	42.4	30.7	28.0	32.8	30.5	27.1	6.4	12.4	11.9	6.3	12.8	12.4
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
•					30.5							
Approach Delay		36.2			31.1			11.7			12.3	
Total Delay LOS	42.4 D	30.7 C	28.0 C	32.8 C	30.5 C	27.1 C	6.4 A	12.4 B	11.9 B	6.3 A	12.8 B	12.4 B

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			С			В			В	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	69	45	18	43	45	11	5	76	20	5	93	36
Queue Length 95th (ft)	116	78	41	78	63	22	19	150	51	17	180	83
Internal Link Dist (ft)		4344			1414			1089			1078	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Base Capacity (vph)	336	491	417	364	500	400	612	1046	941	714	1063	779
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.40	0.19	0.09	0.22	0.17	0.05	0.06	0.25	0.08	0.04	0.29	0.17

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 65

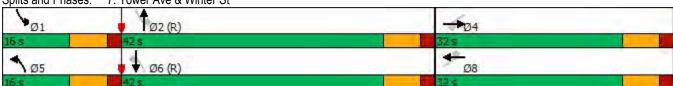
Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.59 Intersection Signal Delay: 19.7

Intersection Signal Delay: 19.7 Intersection LOS: B
Intersection Capacity Utilization 46.2% ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

Splits and Phases: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St



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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Lane Configurations	*	<b>^</b>	7	*	ĵ»		ň	<b>^</b>	7	ň	<b>^</b>	7
Traffic Volume (vph)	95	62	20	11	58	31	9	432	7	22	384	76
Future Volume (vph)	95	62	20	11	58	31	9	432	7	22	384	76
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Storage Length (ft)	75		75	75		0	75		100	75		125
Storage Lanes	1		1	1		0	1		1	1		1
Taper Length (ft)	100			100			100			100		
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Frt			0.850		0.948				0.850			0.850
Flt Protected	0.950			0.950			0.950			0.950		
Satd. Flow (prot)	1752	1484	1583	1770	1542	0	1770	1863	1583	1597	1863	1455
Flt Permitted	0.694			0.712			0.472			0.430		
Satd. Flow (perm)	1280	1484	1583	1326	1542	0	879	1863	1583	723	1863	1455
Right Turn on Red			No			No			No	•		No
Satd. Flow (RTOR)			110			110			110			110
Link Speed (mph)		25			25			30			30	
Link Distance (ft)		1494			1288			1236			1169	
Travel Time (s)		40.7			35.1			28.1			26.6	
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90
Heavy Vehicles (%)	3%	28%	2%	2%	21%	9%	2%	2%	2%	13%	2%	11%
Adj. Flow (vph)	106	69	22	12	64	34	10	480	8	24	427	84
Shared Lane Traffic (%)	100	03	22	12	04	J <del>-1</del>	10	400	U	24	721	04
Lane Group Flow (vph)	106	69	22	12	98	0	10	480	8	24	427	84
Turn Type	Perm	NA	Perm	Perm	NA	U	D.P+P	NA	Perm	D.P+P	NA	Perm
Protected Phases	Fellii	4	Feiiii	reiiii	8		D.F+F	2	Feiiii	D.F + F	6	Feiiii
Permitted Phases	4	4	4	8	0		6		2	2	U	6
Detector Phase	4	4	4	8	8		5	2	2	1	6	6
Switch Phase	4	4	4	0	0		5			<u> </u>	U	U
Minimum Initial (s)	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0		7.0	10.0	10.0	7.0	10.0	10.0
. ,	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0		14.0	20.0	20.0	14.0	20.0	20.0
Minimum Split (s)	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0		14.0	52.0	52.0		52.0	52.0
Total Split (s)										14.0 15.6%		
Total Split (%)	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%	26.7%		15.6%	57.8%	57.8%		57.8%	57.8%
Maximum Green (s)	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0		7.0	45.0	45.0	7.0	45.0	45.0
Yellow Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
All-Red Time (s)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Lost Time Adjust (s)	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0		-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
Total Lost Time (s)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0		5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Lead/Lag							Lead	Lag	Lag	Lead	Lag	Lag
Lead-Lag Optimize?	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vehicle Extension (s)	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Recall Mode	None	None	None	None	None		None	C-Max	C-Max	None	C-Max	C-Max
Act Effct Green (s)	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4	14.4		67.4	63.8	63.8	66.4	66.6	66.6
Actuated g/C Ratio	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16		0.75	0.71	0.71	0.74	0.74	0.74
v/c Ratio	0.52	0.29	0.09	0.06	0.40		0.01	0.36	0.01	0.04	0.31	0.08
Control Delay	49.6	41.5	37.0	30.3	37.6		4.4	9.7	9.1	4.5	7.5	6.8
Queue Delay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Delay	49.6	41.5	37.0	30.3	37.6		4.4	9.7	9.1	4.5	7.5	6.8
LOS	D	D	D	С	D		Α	Α	Α	Α	Α	Α
Approach Delay		45.3			36.8			9.6			7.3	

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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	EBR	WBL	WBT	WBR	NBL	NBT	NBR	SBL	SBT	SBR
Approach LOS		D			D			Α			Α	
Queue Length 50th (ft)	61	39	12	6	50		1	84	1	3	72	12
Queue Length 95th (ft)	112	79	35	20	93		6	249	9	11	215	47
Internal Link Dist (ft)		1414			1208			1156			1089	
Turn Bay Length (ft)	75		75	75			75		100	75		125
Base Capacity (vph)	270	313	334	279	325		747	1320	1121	620	1378	1076
Starvation Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Spillback Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Storage Cap Reductn	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Reduced v/c Ratio	0.39	0.22	0.07	0.04	0.30		0.01	0.36	0.01	0.04	0.31	0.08

Area Type: Other

Cycle Length: 90

Actuated Cycle Length: 90

Offset: 0 (0%), Referenced to phase 2:NBSB and 6:NBSB, Start of Green

Natural Cycle: 60

Control Type: Actuated-Coordinated

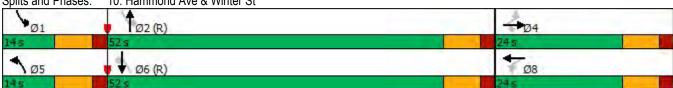
Maximum v/c Ratio: 0.52

Intersection Signal Delay: 16.1
Intersection Capacity Utilization 44.4%

Intersection LOS: B
ICU Level of Service A

Analysis Period (min) 15

Splits and Phases: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St



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Lane Group	EBL	EBT	WBT	WBR	SBL	SBR	
Lane Configurations		र्स	1		1		
Traffic Volume (vph)	0	235	220	4	3	2	
Future Volume (vph)	0	235	220	4	3	2	
Ideal Flow (vphpl)	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	
Lane Util. Factor	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Frt			0.998		0.946		
Flt Protected					0.971		
Satd. Flow (prot)	0	1508	1500	0	1312	0	
Flt Permitted					0.971		
Satd. Flow (perm)	0	1508	1500	0	1312	0	
Link Speed (mph)		25	25		25		
Link Distance (ft)		1769	4424		728		
Travel Time (s)		48.2	120.7		19.9		
Peak Hour Factor	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Heavy Vehicles (%)	50%	26%	26%	50%	33%	33%	
Adj. Flow (vph)	0	261	244	4	3	2	
Shared Lane Traffic (%)							
Lane Group Flow (vph)	0	261	248	0	5	0	
Sign Control		Free	Free		Stop		
Intersection Summary							
Area Type:	Other						
Control Type: Unsignalize							
Intersection Capacity Utiliz	zation 22.4%			IC	CU Level o	of Service	Α
Analysis Period (min) 15							

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Intersection						
Int Delay, s/veh	0.1					
Movement	EBL	EBT	WBT	WBR	SBL	SBR
Lane Configurations		र्स	1→		¥	
Traffic Vol, veh/h	0	235	220	4	3	2
Future Vol, veh/h	0	235	220	4	3	2
Conflicting Peds, #/hr	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sign Control	Free	Free	Free	Free	Stop	Stop
RT Channelized	_	None	_		_	None
Storage Length	_	-	_	-	0	-
Veh in Median Storage	.# -	0	0	_	0	_
Grade, %	-	0	0	_	0	-
Peak Hour Factor	90	90	90	90	90	90
Heavy Vehicles, %	50	26	26	50	33	33
Mymt Flow	0	261	244	4	3	2
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Major/Minor N	Major1	N	Major2	N	/linor2	
Conflicting Flow All	248	0	-	0	507	246
Stage 1	-	-	-	-	246	-
Stage 2	-	-	-	-	261	-
Critical Hdwy	4.6	-	-	-	6.73	6.53
Critical Hdwy Stg 1	-	-	-	-	5.73	-
Critical Hdwy Stg 2	-	-	-	-	5.73	-
Follow-up Hdwy	2.65	_	-	_	3.797	3.597
Pot Cap-1 Maneuver	1083	_	_	-	474	723
Stage 1	-	-	_	_	728	-
Stage 2	-	-	_	-	716	-
Platoon blocked, %		-	-	_		
Mov Cap-1 Maneuver	1083	_	_	_	474	723
Mov Cap-2 Maneuver	-	_	_	_	474	-
Stage 1	_	_	_	_	728	_
Stage 2	_		_	_	716	
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Approach	EB		WB		SB	
HCM Control Delay, s	0		0		11.6	
HCM LOS					В	
N. 1		ED!	ГОТ	MOT	MES	ODL 4
Minor Lane/Major Mvm	t	EBL	EBT	WBT	WBR :	
Capacity (veh/h)		1083	-	-	-	550
HCM Lane V/C Ratio		-	-	-	-	0.01
HCM Control Delay (s)		0	-	-	-	11.6
		Α	-	_	_	В
HCM Lane LOS HCM 95th %tile Q(veh)		0				0

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## Intersection: 2: Susquehanna Ave & US 2 WB On-Ramp

Movement	NB
Directions Served	LT
Maximum Queue (ft)	142
Average Queue (ft)	42
95th Queue (ft)	103
Link Distance (ft)	707
Upstream Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	
Storage Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	

### Intersection: 7: Tower Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB
Directions Served	L	Т	R	L	T	R	L	Т	R	L	T	R
Maximum Queue (ft)	199	263	190	131	134	65	86	131	44	50	173	152
Average Queue (ft)	89	81	31	55	52	11	15	64	13	10	78	40
95th Queue (ft)	157	172	88	105	99	39	53	126	36	32	149	100
Link Distance (ft)		4344			1401			1122			1112	
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	100		100	125		50	100		150	100		150
Storage Blk Time (%)	10	5		1	16	2	0	2			5	0
Queuing Penalty (veh)	11	8		1	15	3	0	2			7	0

## Intersection: 10: Hammond Ave & Winter St

Movement	EB	EB	EB	WB	WB	NB	NB	NB	SB	SB	SB	
Directions Served	L	T	R	L	TR	L	T	R	L	T	R	
Maximum Queue (ft)	172	242	21	45	112	26	183	20	50	162	88	
Average Queue (ft)	69	64	8	15	51	5	78	1	14	86	18	
95th Queue (ft)	132	150	24	39	103	22	163	7	44	162	57	
Link Distance (ft)		1401			1241		1189			1134		
Upstream Blk Time (%)												
Queuing Penalty (veh)												
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	75		75	75		75		100	75		125	
Storage Blk Time (%)	16	10			6		7			8		
Queuing Penalty (veh)	13	12			1		1			8		

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## Intersection: 13: Winter St & Site Driveway

Movement	SB
Directions Served	LR
Maximum Queue (ft)	55
Average Queue (ft)	10
95th Queue (ft)	39
Link Distance (ft)	693
Upstream Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	
Storage Bay Dist (ft)	
Storage Blk Time (%)	
Queuing Penalty (veh)	

## **Network Summary**

Network wide Queuing Penalty: 81

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## **SITE LAYOUT**

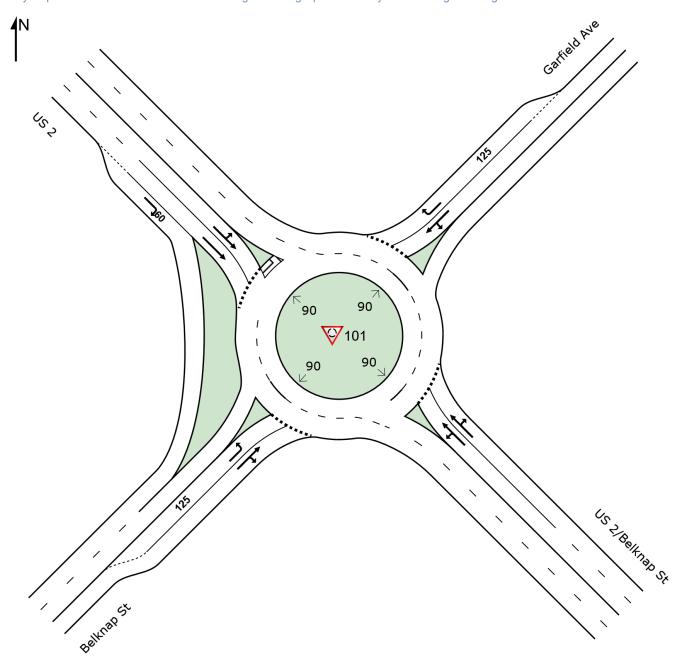
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Roundabout

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▼ Site: 101 [US 2 & Belknap St - Existing AM (Site Folder:

General)]

Superior Port Analysis Site Category: Existing Design

Roundabout

Vehi	cle Mo	vement	Perfori	mance										
Mov ID	Turn	INP VOLU [ Total veh/h		DEM/ FLO¹ [ Total veh/h		Deg. Satn v/c		Level of Service	95% BA QUE [ Veh. veh		Prop. Que	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Aver. Speed mph
South	nEast: U	JS 2/Belk	nap St											
3x	L2	66	3.0	73	3.0	0.383	7.5	LOS A	2.1	57.1	0.46	0.34	0.46	25.6
8x	T1	606	9.0	673	9.0	0.383	7.7	LOS A	2.1	57.1	0.46	0.34	0.46	31.4
18x	R2	19	11.0	21	11.0	0.383	7.8	LOS A	2.1	57.5	0.46	0.34	0.46	24.8
Appro	oach	691	8.5	768	8.5	0.383	7.7	LOS A	2.1	57.5	0.46	0.34	0.46	30.5
North	East: G	Sarfield Av	/e											
1x	L2	10	20.0	11	20.0	0.028	7.0	LOS A	0.1	3.2	0.62	0.53	0.62	24.6
6x	T1	3	33.0	3	33.0	0.028	8.2	LOS A	0.1	3.2	0.62	0.53	0.62	22.9
16x	R2	11	64.0	12	64.0	0.043	13.6	LOS B	0.2	5.8	0.68	0.68	0.68	22.5
Appro	oach	24	41.8	27	41.8	0.043	10.2	LOS B	0.2	5.8	0.64	0.60	0.64	23.4
North	West: U	JS 2												
7x	L2	95	21.0	106	21.0	0.391	7.3	LOS A	3.0	80.2	0.38	0.20	0.38	30.3
4x	T1	800	7.0	889	7.0	0.391	6.5	LOS A	3.0	79.4	0.36	0.18	0.36	33.0
14x	R2	174	6.0	193	6.0	0.127	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	44.0
Appro	oach	1069	8.1	1188	8.1	0.391	5.5	LOSA	3.0	80.2	0.30	0.15	0.30	34.1
South	nWest: I	Belknap S	St											
5x	L2	62	2.0	69	2.0	0.149	9.9	LOS A	0.6	14.9	0.67	0.67	0.67	26.8
2x	T1	21	2.0	23	2.0	0.250	8.8	LOS A	1.1	28.6	0.69	0.69	0.69	23.1
12x	R2	116	7.0	129	7.0	0.250	9.2	LOS A	1.1	28.6	0.69	0.69	0.69	24.2
Appro	oach	199	4.9	221	4.9	0.250	9.4	LOS A	1.1	28.6	0.68	0.68	0.68	24.9
All Ve	hicles	1983	8.3	2203	8.3	0.391	6.7	LOSA	3.0	80.2	0.40	0.28	0.40	31.5

Site Level of Service (LOS) Method: Delay & v/c (HCM 6). Site LOS Method is specified in the Parameter Settings dialog (Site tab). Roundabout LOS Method: Same as Sign Control.

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Roundabout Capacity Model: SIDRA Standard.

Delay Model: HCM Delay Formula (Geometric Delay is not included).

Queue Model: HCM Queue Formula.

Gap-Acceptance Capacity: SIDRA Standard (Akçelik M3D).

**♥** Site: 101 [US 2 & Belknap St - Existing MD (Site Folder:

General)]

Superior Port Analysis Site Category: Existing Design

Roundabout

Vehi	cle Mo	vement	Perfori	mance										
Mov ID	Turn	INP VOLU [ Total veh/h		DEM/ FLO¹ [ Total veh/h		Deg. Satn v/c		Level of Service	95% BA QUE [ Veh. veh		Prop. Que	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Aver. Speed mph
South	nEast: l	JS 2/Belk	nap St											
3x	L2	106	2.0	118	2.0	0.335	6.2	LOS A	1.9	49.5	0.34	0.20	0.34	25.8
8x	T1	569	7.0	632	7.0	0.335	6.4	LOS A	1.9	49.5	0.34	0.20	0.34	32.0
18x	R2	15	13.0	17	13.0	0.335	6.7	LOS A	1.9	50.1	0.34	0.20	0.34	25.2
Appro	oach	690	6.4	767	6.4	0.335	6.4	LOS A	1.9	50.1	0.34	0.20	0.34	30.7
North	East: G	Sarfield Av	/e											
1x	L2	20	15.0	22	15.0	0.053	6.5	LOS A	0.2	5.8	0.59	0.53	0.59	24.8
6x	T1	8	25.0	9	25.0	0.053	7.3	LOS A	0.2	5.8	0.59	0.53	0.59	23.1
16x	R2	15	33.0	17	33.0	0.045	10.5	LOS B	0.2	5.1	0.63	0.61	0.63	25.3
Appro	oach	43	23.1	48	23.1	0.053	8.0	LOS A	0.2	5.8	0.60	0.56	0.60	24.6
North	West: l	JS 2												
7x	L2	48	42.0	53	42.0	0.376	8.4	LOS A	2.6	71.8	0.47	0.29	0.47	30.4
4x	T1	738	7.0	820	7.0	0.376	6.7	LOS A	2.7	70.7	0.45	0.27	0.45	33.0
14x	R2	116	9.0	129	9.0	0.087	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	43.4
Appro	oach	902	9.1	1002	9.1	0.376	6.0	LOSA	2.7	71.8	0.39	0.24	0.39	33.9
South	nWest: I	Belknap S	St											
5x	L2	28	2.0	31	2.0	0.093	12.4	LOS B	0.3	8.7	0.68	0.68	0.68	26.1
2x	T1	15	13.0	17	13.0	0.225	9.1	LOS A	1.0	25.8	0.67	0.67	0.67	23.3
12x	R2	115	4.0	128	4.0	0.225	8.3	LOS A	1.0	25.8	0.67	0.67	0.67	24.4
Appro	oach	158	4.5	176	4.5	0.225	9.1	LOS A	1.0	25.8	0.67	0.67	0.67	24.6
All Ve	hicles	1793	8.0	1992	8.0	0.376	6.5	LOSA	2.7	71.8	0.40	0.27	0.40	31.3

Site Level of Service (LOS) Method: Delay & v/c (HCM 6). Site LOS Method is specified in the Parameter Settings dialog (Site tab). Roundabout LOS Method: Same as Sign Control.

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Intersection and Approach LOS values are based on average delay for all movements (v/c not used as specified in HCM 6).

Roundabout Capacity Model: SIDRA Standard.

Delay Model: HCM Delay Formula (Geometric Delay is not included).

Queue Model: HCM Queue Formula.

Gap-Acceptance Capacity: SIDRA Standard (Akçelik M3D).

₩ Site: 101 [US 2 & Belknap St - 2042 No Build AM (Site Folder:

General)]

Superior Port Analysis Site Category: Existing Design

Roundabout

Vehi	cle Mo	vement	Perfor	mance										
Mov ID	Turn	INP VOLU [ Total veh/h		DEM/ FLO\ [ Total veh/h		Deg. Satn v/c		Level of Service	95% BA QUE [ Veh. veh	ACK OF EUE Dist ] ft	Prop. Que	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Aver. Speed mph
South	nEast: l	JS 2/Belk	nap St											
3x	L2	89	3.0	99	3.0	0.550	10.9	LOS B	4.5	118.7	0.62	0.58	0.73	24.7
8x	T1	816	9.0	907	9.0	0.550	11.2	LOS B	4.5	120.7	0.62	0.59	0.74	30.0
18x	R2	26	11.0	29	11.0	0.550	11.3	LOS B	4.5	120.7	0.62	0.59	0.74	23.9
Appro	oach	931	8.5	1034	8.5	0.550	11.2	LOS B	4.5	120.7	0.62	0.59	0.74	29.1
North	East: G	Sarfield Av	/e											
1x	L2	13	20.0	14	20.0	0.046	9.0	LOS A	0.2	5.5	0.70	0.67	0.70	24.1
6x	T1	4	33.0	4	33.0	0.046	10.7	LOS B	0.2	5.5	0.70	0.67	0.70	22.4
16x	R2	15	64.0	17	64.0	0.080	19.2	LOS C	0.3	10.9	0.78	0.78	0.78	21.3
Appro	oach	32	42.3	36	42.3	0.080	14.0	LOS B	0.3	10.9	0.73	0.72	0.73	22.5
North	west: l	JS 2												
7x	L2	128	21.0	142	21.0	0.547	10.0	LOS B	5.1	137.2	0.54	0.32	0.54	29.3
4x	T1	1077	7.0	1197	7.0	0.547	9.1	LOS A	5.2	136.8	0.52	0.30	0.52	31.8
14x	R2	234	6.0	260	6.0	0.171	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	43.9
Appro	oach	1439	8.1	1599	8.1	0.547	7.7	LOS A	5.2	137.2	0.44	0.25	0.44	33.0
South	nWest:	Belknap S	St											
5x	L2	84	2.0	93	2.0	0.263	15.2	LOS C	1.1	28.5	0.78	0.79	0.80	25.3
2x	T1	28	2.0	31	2.0	0.431	14.9	LOS B	2.4	63.1	0.81	0.93	1.08	21.7
12x	R2	156	7.0	173	7.0	0.431	15.5	LOS C	2.4	63.1	0.81	0.93	1.08	22.7
Appro	oach	268	4.9	298	4.9	0.431	15.4	LOS C	2.4	63.1	0.80	0.89	0.99	23.3
All Ve	ehicles	2670	8.3	2967	8.3	0.550	9.7	LOSA	5.2	137.2	0.54	0.44	0.60	30.2

Site Level of Service (LOS) Method: Delay & v/c (HCM 6). Site LOS Method is specified in the Parameter Settings dialog (Site tab). Roundabout LOS Method: Same as Sign Control.

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LOS F will result if v/c > 1 irrespective of movement delay value (does not apply for approaches and intersection).

Intersection and Approach LOS values are based on average delay for all movements (v/c not used as specified in HCM 6).

Roundabout Capacity Model: SIDRA Standard.

Delay Model: HCM Delay Formula (Geometric Delay is not included).

Queue Model: HCM Queue Formula.

Gap-Acceptance Capacity: SIDRA Standard (Akçelik M3D).

₩ Site: 101 [US 2 & Belknap St - 2042 No Build MD (Site Folder:

General)]

Superior Port Analysis Site Category: Existing Design

Roundabout

Vehi	cle Mo	vement	Perfori	mance										
Mov ID	Turn	INP VOLU [ Total veh/h		DEM/ FLO [ Total veh/h		Deg. Satn v/c		Level of Service	95% BA QUE [ Veh. veh	CK OF EUE Dist ] ft	Prop. Que	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Aver. Speed mph
South	nEast: U	JS 2/Belk	nap St											
3x	L2	143	2.0	159	2.0	0.472	8.3	LOS A	3.1	81.4	0.46	0.31	0.46	25.2
8x	T1	766	7.0	851	7.0	0.472	8.6	LOS A	3.1	81.4	0.46	0.31	0.46	31.1
18x	R2	20	13.0	22	13.0	0.472	8.9	LOS A	3.1	82.3	0.47	0.32	0.47	24.6
Appro	oach	929	6.4	1032	6.4	0.472	8.6	LOS A	3.1	82.3	0.46	0.31	0.46	29.9
North	East: G	Sarfield A	ve											
1x	L2	27	15.0	30	15.0	0.086	8.2	LOS A	0.3	10.0	0.67	0.67	0.67	24.4
6x	T1	11	25.0	12	25.0	0.086	9.3	LOS A	0.3	10.0	0.67	0.67	0.67	22.7
16x	R2	20	33.0	22	33.0	0.077	13.9	LOS B	0.3	8.8	0.72	0.72	0.72	24.3
Appro	oach	58	23.1	64	23.1	0.086	10.4	LOS B	0.3	10.0	0.69	0.68	0.69	24.0
North	West: l	JS 2												
7x	L2	65	42.0	72	42.0	0.537	11.7	LOS B	4.4	121.0	0.63	0.46	0.63	29.2
4x	T1	994	7.0	1104	7.0	0.537	9.6	LOS A	4.6	120.8	0.62	0.43	0.62	31.7
14x	R2	156	9.0	173	9.0	0.117	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	43.4
Appro	oach	1215	9.1	1350	9.1	0.537	8.5	LOS A	4.6	121.0	0.54	0.38	0.54	32.6
South	nWest: I	Belknap :	St											
5x	L2	38	2.0	42	2.0	0.160	17.1	LOS C	0.6	15.7	0.78	0.78	0.78	24.8
2x	T1	20	13.0	22	13.0	0.387	14.6	LOS B	2.1	54.3	0.79	0.88	0.98	22.1
12x	R2	155	4.0	172	4.0	0.387	13.5	LOS B	2.1	54.3	0.79	0.88	0.98	23.1
Appro	oach	213	4.5	237	4.5	0.387	14.2	LOS B	2.1	54.3	0.79	0.86	0.95	23.3
All Ve	hicles	2415	8.0	2683	8.0	0.537	9.1	LOSA	4.6	121.0	0.54	0.40	0.55	30.2

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Roundabout Capacity Model: SIDRA Standard.

Delay Model: HCM Delay Formula (Geometric Delay is not included).

Queue Model: HCM Queue Formula.

Gap-Acceptance Capacity: SIDRA Standard (Akçelik M3D).

▼ Site: 101 [US 2 & Belknap St - 2042 Build AM (Site Folder:

General)]

Superior Port Analysis Site Category: Existing Design

Roundabout

Vehi	cle Mo	vement	Perform	nance										
Mov ID	Turn		PUT JMES HV] %	DEM/ FLO [ Total veh/h		Deg. Satn v/c		Level of Service	95% BA QUE [ Veh. veh	ACK OF EUE Dist ] ft	Prop. Que	Effective Stop Rate	Aver. No. Cycles	Aver. Speed mph
South	nEast: l	JS 2/Bell		VO11/11	70	V/0	300		VOIT	- 11				mpn
3x	L2	89	3.0	99	3.0	0.552	10.9	LOS B	4.5	120.2	0.62	0.59	0.74	24.7
8x 18x	T1 R2	816 26	9.0 11.0	907 29	9.0 11.0	0.552 0.552	11.2 11.4	LOS B LOS B	4.6 4.6	122.1 122.1	0.62 0.62	0.59 0.60	0.75 0.75	29.9 23.9
Appro	oach	931	8.5	1034	8.5	0.552	11.2	LOS B	4.6	122.1	0.62	0.59	0.75	29.1
North	East: 0	Sarfield A	ve											
1x 6x	L2 T1	13 4	20.0 33.0	14 4	20.0 33.0	0.046 0.046	9.0 10.7	LOS A LOS B	0.2 0.2	5.5 5.5	0.70 0.70	0.67 0.67	0.70 0.70	24.1 22.4
16x	R2	15	64.0	17	64.0	0.080	19.3	LOS C	0.2	10.9	0.78	0.78	0.78	21.3
Appro	oach	32	42.3	36	42.3	0.080	14.0	LOS B	0.3	10.9	0.73	0.72	0.73	22.5
North	West: l	JS 2												
7x	L2	130	21.0	144	21.0	0.548	10.1	LOS B	5.1	137.6	0.54	0.32	0.54	29.3
4x 14x	T1 R2	1077 234	7.0 6.0	1197 260	7.0 6.0	0.548 0.171	9.1 0.0	LOS A LOS A	5.2 0.0	137.5 0.0	0.52 0.00	0.30 0.00	0.52 0.00	31.8 43.9
Appro		1441	8.1	1601	8.1	0.171	7.7	LOSA	5.2	137.6	0.00	0.00	0.44	33.0
South	nWest:	Belknap	St											
5x	L2	84	2.0	93	2.0	0.265	15.3	LOS C	1.1	28.7	0.78	0.79	0.80	25.3
2x	T1	28	2.0	31	2.0	0.434	15.1	LOS C	2.4	63.4	0.81	0.94	1.09	21.7
12x Appro	R2 bach	156 268	7.0 4.9	173 298	7.0 4.9	0.434	15.7 15.5	LOS C	2.4	63.4 63.4	0.81	0.94	1.09	22.6
	hicles	2672	8.3	2969	8.3	0.552	9.8	LOSA	5.2	137.6	0.54	0.44	0.60	30.2

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Queue Model: HCM Queue Formula.

Gap-Acceptance Capacity: SIDRA Standard (Akçelik M3D).

 $\label{eq:hv} \mbox{HV (\%) values are calculated for All Movement Classes of All Heavy Vehicle Model Designation.}$ 

₩ Site: 101 [US 2 & Belknap St - 2042 Build MD (Site Folder:

General)]

Superior Port Analysis Site Category: Existing Design

Roundabout

Vehi	cle Mo	vement	Perform	mance										
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3x	L2	143	2.0	159	2.0	0.473	8.4	LOS A	3.1	81.6	0.46	0.31	0.46	25.2
8x	T1	766	7.0	851	7.0	0.473	8.6	LOS A	3.1	81.6	0.47	0.31	0.47	31.1
18x	R2	20	13.0	22	13.0	0.473	8.9	LOS A	3.1	82.5	0.47	0.32	0.47	24.6
Appro	oach	929	6.4	1032	6.4	0.473	8.6	LOS A	3.1	82.5	0.47	0.31	0.47	29.8
North	nEast: G	arfield A	ve											
1x	L2	27	15.0	30	15.0	0.087	8.2	LOS A	0.3	10.0	0.67	0.67	0.67	24.4
6x	T1	11	25.0	12	25.0	0.087	9.3	LOS A	0.3	10.0	0.67	0.67	0.67	22.7
16x	R2	20	33.0	22	33.0	0.077	13.9	LOS B	0.3	8.8	0.72	0.72	0.72	24.3
Appro	oach	58	23.1	64	23.1	0.087	10.4	LOS B	0.3	10.0	0.69	0.69	0.69	24.0
North	nWest: l	JS 2												
7x	L2	66	42.0	73	42.0	0.539	11.7	LOS B	4.4	121.3	0.64	0.46	0.64	29.1
4x	T1	994	7.0	1104	7.0	0.539	9.6	LOS A	4.6	121.3	0.62	0.43	0.62	31.6
14x	R2	156	9.0	173	9.0	0.117	0.0	LOS A	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	43.4
Appro	oach	1216	9.2	1351	9.2	0.539	8.5	LOS A	4.6	121.3	0.54	0.38	0.54	32.6
South	nWest: I	Belknap \$	St											
5x	L2	38	2.0	42	2.0	0.161	17.2	LOS C	0.6	15.7	0.78	0.78	0.78	24.7
2x	T1	20	13.0	22	13.0	0.389	14.7	LOS B	2.1	54.5	0.79	0.88	0.99	22.0
12x	R2	155	4.0	172	4.0	0.389	13.6	LOS B	2.1	54.5	0.79	0.88	0.99	23.0
Appro	oach	213	4.5	237	4.5	0.389	14.3	LOS B	2.1	54.5	0.79	0.86	0.95	23.2
All Ve	ehicles	2416	8.0	2684	8.0	0.539	9.1	LOSA	4.6	121.3	0.54	0.40	0.55	30.2

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Intersection and Approach LOS values are based on average delay for all movements (v/c not used as specified in HCM 6).

Roundabout Capacity Model: SIDRA Standard.

Delay Model: HCM Delay Formula (Geometric Delay is not included).

Queue Model: HCM Queue Formula.

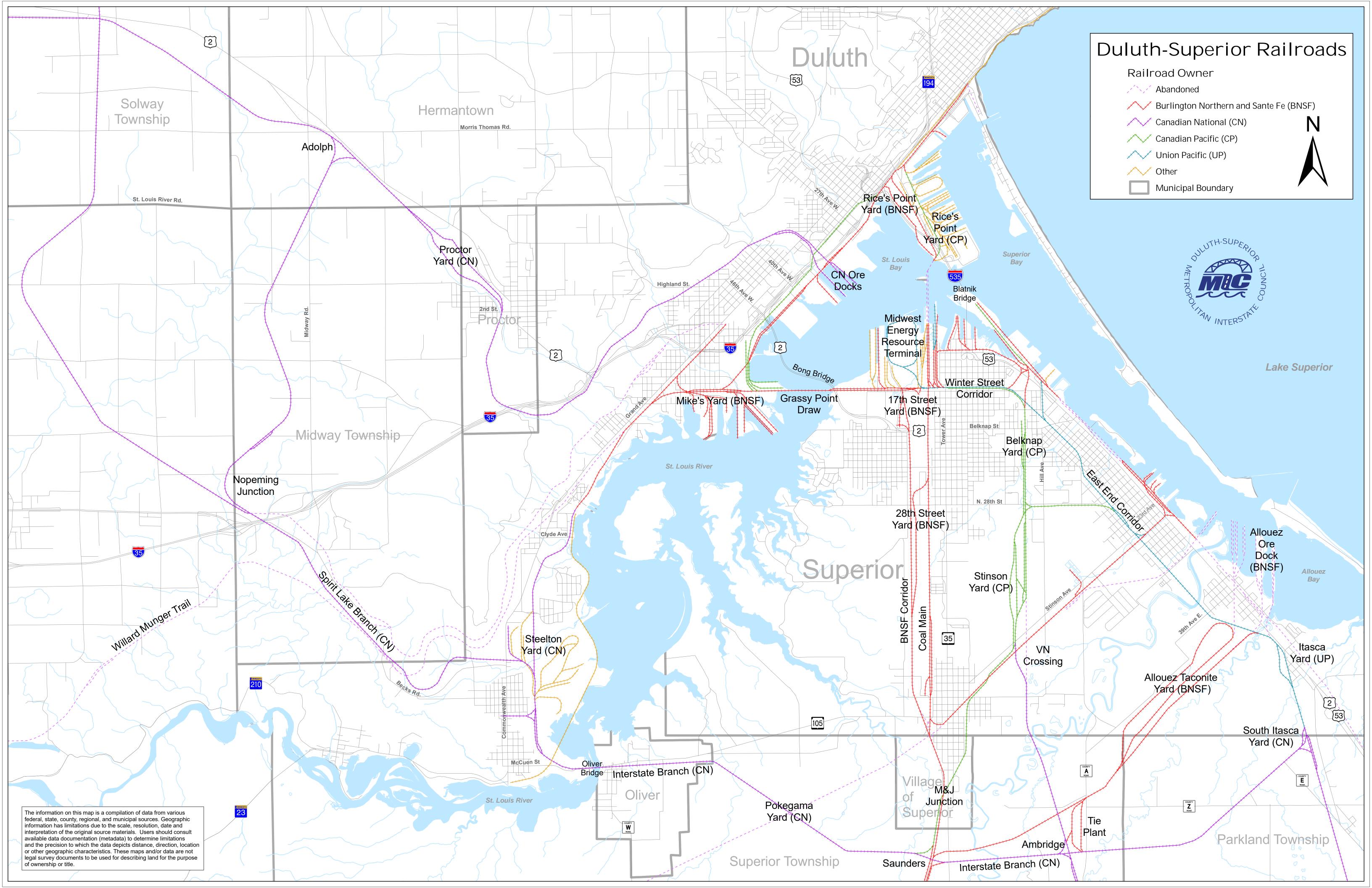
Gap-Acceptance Capacity: SIDRA Standard (Akçelik M3D).

 $\label{eq:hv} \mbox{HV (\%) values are calculated for All Movement Classes of All Heavy Vehicle Model Designation.}$ 

# APPENDIX D: SYNCHRO FILES (ELECTRONIC)

# APPENDIX E: DULUTH-SUPERIOR RAIL LINES MAP





# **APPENDIX K**

**Noise and Vibration Study** 



C. Reiss Company – Proposed Dock Redevelopment Noise and Vibration Impact Study

FINAL REPORT

June 3, 2022

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## **Executive Summary**

Stantec Consulting Services Inc. (Stantec) was retained by the C. Reiss Company, LLC (C. Reiss) to perform a noise and vibration impact study for the proposed redevelopment of a dock located in Superior, Wisconsin at approximately 46°44′13.8″N 92°07′17.0″W (the Site). The assessment was required by the Maritime Administration in support of an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Site.

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As part of the noise impact study, a review of applicable Federal, State, and Municipal noise criteria was performed. No applicable state sound or county noise regulations pertaining to the operation of the proposed dock were identified. No applicable noise criteria were identified for the City of Superior. The Village of Superior, Wisconsin municipal code Chapter 267 specifies stationary and construction noise criteria applicable to the operation of the proposed dock. The Chapter 267 noise criteria were used to evaluate the noise impact of the proposed dock on nearby noise sensitive areas as they are the most stringent, applicable noise criteria found in the area around the proposed dock.

The noise impact of the proposed dock, including the construction impact of its redevelopment, was modelled using CADNA/A acoustic modelling software (version 2021 MR2) published by Datakustik GmBH, configured to implement ISO-9613-2 environmental noise propagation algorithms and the Traffic Noise Model (TNM) method for evaluating road traffic noise. Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT) was obtained from the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MN DOT) for roadways in Duluth, Minnesota and the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WI DOT) for roadways in Superior, Wisconsin. The AADT data was used as an input to TNM to estimate ambient sound levels at existing noise sensitive areas.

Representative sound power levels for anticipated operational and construction noise sources at the proposed dock were used to model the noise impact on nearby noise sensitive areas (NSAs). Acoustic measurements of the existing operations in Duluth, Minnesota were not collected.

Based on the TNM for the area and a review of satellite aerial imagery surrounding the Project Area, the daytime acoustic environment at nearby sensitive receptors around the site is assumed to be dominated by road traffic noise and industrial noise sources during daytime hours (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.) and evening hours (7 p.m. to 11 p.m.). Ambient sound levels during nighttime hours (11 p.m. to 7 a.m.) is assumed to a mix of natural ambient sounds, road traffic noise, and noise from operating industrial sources.

Modelled sound levels indicate that the operational noise impact of the dock at nearby noise sensitive areas is below the applicable Village of Superior Chapter 267 noise criteria of 60 dB during daytime hours and 50 dB during nighttime hours for residential receptors.



Modelled sound levels indicate that the construction noise impact of the dock at nearby noise sensitive areas is below the applicable Village of Superior Chapter 267, Subsection 4-B, 80 dB daytime only noise criteria.

Stantec's assessment of the construction and operation vibration impact of anticipated noise sources at the Site predict that the Site's construction and vibration impact will be below the applicable Federal and State damage and annoyance vibration criteria levels.



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## **Abbreviations**

ANSI American National Standards Institute

dB Decibel

dBA Decibel, A-weighted

ECA Environmental Compliance Approval

FHWA US DOT Federal Highway Administration

Ft. Feet

G Ground Absorption Coefficient

Hz Hertz

ISO International Organization for Standardization

M Metre(s)

NSA Noise Sensitive Area

SLM Sound Level Meter

TNM Traffic Noise Model



#### **Glossary**

Ambient Sound Level or Ambient Noise

All-encompassing sound that is associated with a given environment, usually a composite of sounds from many sources near and far. Includes noise from all sources other than the sources of interest (i.e., sound other than that being measured), such as sound from other industrial sources, transportation sources, animals and nature.

A-Weighting

The weighting network used to account for changes in level sensitivity as a function of frequency. The A-weighting network de-emphasizes the low (i.e., below 1 kHz) frequencies, and emphasizes the frequencies between 1 kHz and 6.3 kHz, in an effort to simulate the relative response of the human ear. See also frequency weighting.

Background Sound Level or Background Noise

See ambient sound level.

**Daytime** 

Defined as the hours from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Decibel

A logarithmic measure of any measured physical quantity and commonly used in the measurement of sound. The decibel (dB) provides the possibility of representing a large span of signal levels in a simple manner. The difference between the sound pressure for silenced versus a loud sound is a factor of 1:1,000,000 or more and the same in Decibel is 0-130 dB, therefore it is less cumbersome to use a small range of equivalent values. A tenfold increase in sound power is equal to +10 dB; a tenfold increase in sound amplitude is equal to +20 dB.

Decibel, A-weighted

A-weighted decibels (dBA). Most common units for expressing sound levels since they approximate the response of the human ear.

Energy Equivalent Sound Level (Leq)

An energy-equivalent sound level ( $L_{eq}$ ) over a specified period of time that would have the same sound energy as the actual (i.e., unsteady) time varying sound over the same period of time. It represents the average sound pressure encountered for the period. The period is often added as a suffix to the label (i.e.,  $L_{eq}(24)$  for the 24hour equivalent sound level). A  $L_{eq}$  value expressed in dBA is a good, single value descriptor to use as a measure of annoyance due to noise.



Evening Defined as the hours from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Frequency The number of times per second that the sine wave of sound repeats

itself. It can be expressed in cycles per second, or Hertz (Hz).

Frequency Weighting A method used to account for changes in sensitivity as a function of

frequency. Three standard weighting networks, A, B, and C, are used to account for different responses to sound pressure levels. Note: The absence of frequency weighting is referred to as "flat" response or

linear weighting. See also A-weighting.

Ground Absorption Coefficient A parameter defined based on noise reflection characteristics of a

surface. It varies between 0.0 (fully reflective) to 1.0 (fully absorptive).

Hertz (Hz)

The unit of frequency also expressed as cycles per second.

International Organization for

Standardization

An international body that provides scientific standards and guidelines

related to various technical subjects and disciplines.

Line Source Multiple point sources moving in one direction (e.g., a continuous

stream of roadway traffic, radiating sound cylindrically). Sound levels from a line source decrease at an ideal rate of 3 dB per doubling of

distance.

Mitigation Measures taken to reduce, eliminate, or control impacts on the

environment.

Nighttime Defined as the hours from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m.

Noise Any unwanted sound. "Noise" and "sound" are used interchangeably in

this document.

Noise Sensitive Area A representative point considered for the purpose of assessment

within noise-sensitive receptor such as a residence, campground,

daycare, school, church, or hospital.

Octave The interval between two frequencies having a ratio of two to one. For

acoustic measurements, the octave bands start at 1,000 Hz centre frequency and go up or down from that point, at a 2:1 ratio. From 1,000 Hz, the next centre frequency is 2,000 Hz; the next is 4,000 Hz,

or 500 Hz, 250 Hz, etc.



Point Source Source that radiates sound spherically (i.e., equally in all directions).

Sound levels from a point source decrease at a theoretical rate of 6 dB

per doubling of distance.

Residual Sound Defined by ANSI S12.100 as the all-encompassing sound level from

many sources and directions, both near and far, remaining at a given

level when all uniquely identifiable discrete sound sources are

eliminated. The residual sound may be approximated by the percentile sound level exceeded during 90 percent of the measurement period

defined as the LA<sub>90</sub>.

Sound A wave motion in air, water, or other media. It is the rapid oscillatory

compression changes in a medium that propagate to distant points. It

is characterized by changes in density, pressure, motion, and

temperature as well as other physical properties. Not all rapid changes in the medium are due to sound (e.g., wind distortion on a microphone

diaphragm).

Sound Level Generally, sound level refers to the weighted sound pressure level

obtained by frequency weighting, usually A- or C-weighted, and

expressed in decibels

Sound level meter An instrument consisting of a microphone, amplifier, output meter and

frequency-weighting networks that is used to measure noise and

sound levels.

Sound Power Level The total sound energy radiated by a source per unit time (i.e., rate of

acoustical energy radiation). The unit of measurement is the Watt. The acoustic power radiated from a given sound source as related to a reference power level (i.e., typically 1E-12 watts, or 1 picowatt) and expressed as decibels. A sound power level of 1 watt = 120 decibels

relative to a reference level of 1 picowatt.

Sound Pressure The root-mean-square of the instantaneous sound pressures during a

specified time interval in a stated frequency band.

Sound Pressure Level Logarithmic ratio of the root mean square sound pressure to the sound

pressure at the threshold of human hearing (i.e., 20 micropascals).

Spectrum (Frequency Spectrum) The frequency dependent characteristic of sound often expressed as

amplitude versus octave band frequency (see octave band).



Introduction June 3, 2022

#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

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Figure 1-1 shows the location of the property in Superior, Wisconsin.





Facility Description June 3, 2022

#### 2.0 FACILITY DESCRIPTION

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The proposed dock is anticipated to operate up to 12 hours per day, 6 days a week excluding Sundays. The Project Area is located within the City limits of Superior, Wisconsin. The area immediately surrounding the proposed dock is zoned as W1 waterfront. To the north and west of the Site is Saint Louis Bay and Duluth and to the east and south are lands zoned for manufacturing purposes. A City of Superior zoning map is provided as Appendix A.

Based on a review of satellite imagery of the Site, the acoustical environment surrounding the Project Area is assumed to be dominated by road traffic noise and other urban noise sources during daytime hours (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.) and evening hours (7 p.m. to 11 p.m.). The acoustical environment surrounding the dock during nighttime hours (11 p.m. to 7 a.m.) is assumed to be dominated by a mix of natural sounds such as wind and birds, road traffic noise, and operating industrial noise sources.



Noise Source Summary June 3, 2022

#### 3.0 NOISE SOURCE SUMMARY

The anticipated significant noise sources associated with dock operations include steady-state sources (e.g., mechanical equipment, trucks, locomotives, cranes and conveyors). Sound power levels are based on manufacturer data, equipment of similar sources, and previous measurements from Stantec's sound power database. The anticipated significant noise sources associated with construction activities to rehabilitate the dock are discussed in Section 3.2.

The primary offsite noise sources considered in this study are road traffic noise from Highway 2, North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Interstate 53, and Interstate 35; although adjacent industrial sources such as manufacturing facilities to the south and east as well as docks directly adjacent to the Project Area may have an impact on nearby noise sensitive areas and their impact has conservatively not been included in this Study.

#### 3.1 STEADY STATE NOISE SOURCES

Raw materials will be brought to the site by ship along the west of the Site and offloaded via conveyors and cranes. The offloaded materials will then be loaded onto railcars and trucks for shipment offsite.

The majority of noise sources associated with Site operations will be the offloading and loading operations. All facility operations occur outdoors. Six (6) types of significant mechanical sources were identified at the Facility and are included in this noise impact study. These sources include:

- Truck movements on site;
- Rail movements on site;
- Rail mounted overhead cranes;
- Operation of conveyors, shakers, and screeners for material transportation and separation on site;
- Operation of front-end loaders for loading materials onto trucks and trans; and
- Building heating, ventilation, and cooling (HVAC)

A summary of site activities and their estimated occurrence is provided in Table 3-1. The sound power of all significant noise sources anticipated at the Site are summarized in Table 3-2 and shown in Figure 3-1.

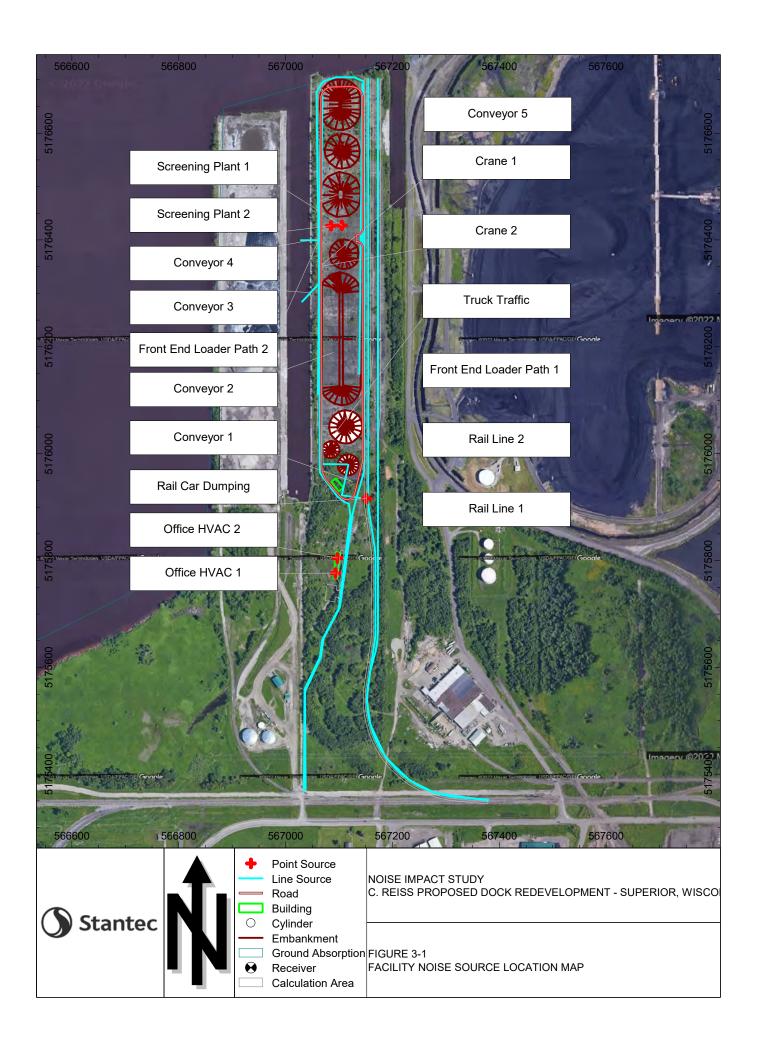


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Table 3-1 On-site Activity Summary

Time Period	Activity	Frequency	
Daytime (7 a.m. – 7 p.m.)	Truck Deliveries entering and exiting the site	10 Movements per hour	
	Rail Movements entering and exiting the site	2 Movements per Hour	
	Conveyors/Shakers/Screener	Constant	
	Front-End Loaders	60 Movements per hour	
	Overhead Crane	60 Movements per hour	
	Building HVAC	Constant	
Evening ( 7 p.m. – 11 p.m.)	Building HVAC	Constant	
Nighttime( 11 p.m. – 7 a.m.)	Building HVAC	Constant	





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Table 3-2 Steady State Noise Source Summary

0 ID	D	Frequency (Hz)						0	_			
Source ID	Source Description	31.5	63	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	8000	Sound Power Level (dBA)	Source Type
!01!NS01	Rail Car Dumping	88	99	90	94	91	99	100	96	87	104	Point
!01!NS02	Screening Plant 1	112	110	113	109	108	104	107	100	90	112	Point
!01!NS03	Screening Plant 2	112	110	113	109	108	104	107	100	90	112	Point
!01!NS04	Office HVAC 1	59	99	92	94	91	90	86	80	74	94	Point
!01!NS05	Office HVAC 2	59	99	92	94	91	90	86	80	74	94	Point
!01!LS01	Conveyor 1	97	93	88	90	83	77	77	74	73	86	Line
!01!LS02	Conveyor 2	97	93	88	90	83	77	77	74	73	86	Line
!01!LS03	Conveyor 3	97	93	88	90	83	77	77	74	73	86	Line
!01!LS04	Conveyor 4	97	93	88	90	83	77	77	74	73	86	Line
!01!LS05	Conveyor 5	97	93	88	90	83	77	77	74	73	86	Line
!01!LS06	Truck Traffic	68	85	80	73	75	72	71	68	59	113	Line
!01!LS07	Rail Line 1	63	79	58	54	60	51	46	39	27	91	Line
!01!LS08	Rail Line 2	63	79	58	54	60	51	46	39	27	91	Line
!01!LS09	Front End Loader Path 1	79	99	88	80	78	80	76	70	64	111	Line
!01!LS10	Front End Loader Path 2	79	99	88	80	78	80	76	70	64	111	Line
!03!LS11	Crane 1	48	60	62	68	70	71	69	64	54	102	Line
!03!LS12	Crane 2	48	60	62	68	70	71	69	64	54	102	Line

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#### 3.2 CONSTRUCTION NOISE SOURCES

The Project will restore the dock by installing driven steel sheet piles outboard of the existing cap, installing tremie concrete behind the upper section of sheet piles, and to complete restoration and resurfacing of the concrete cap. In addition, roadways, rail tracks, and other above ground supporting appurtenances will be installed on the Site which will require excavation and grading of the site. A summary of potential noise generating equipment to be used during the construction phase of the Project area is provided in Table 3-3.

Based on the anticipated construction activities the worst-case noise impact will be during the installation of the driven sheet piles. Stantec has conservatively assumed the following equipment operation during daytime hour (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.) construction periods:

- Two (2) impact pile-drivers
- Four (4) backhoes
- Two (2) crane derricks
- Two (2) dozers
- Four (4) generators
- Ten (10) Dump trucks

This composition of equipment represents the anticipated worst-case impact. Different equipment compositions will have an overall sound power at or below this anticipated worst-case.

Table 3-3 FTA Construction Equipment Noise Levels

Equipment	Typical Noise Level 50 ft from				
	Source, dBA				
Air Compressor	80				
Backhoe	80				
Ballast Equalizer	82				
Ballast Tamper	83				
Compactor	82				
Concrete Mixer	85				
Concrete Pump	82				
Concrete Vibrator	76				
Crane, Derrick	88				
Crane, Mobile	83				
Dozer	85				
Generator	82				
Grader	85				
Impact Wrench	85				



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Equipment	Typical Noise Level 50 ft from Source, dBA			
Jack Hammer	88			
Loader	80			
Paver	85			
Pile-driver (Impact)	101			
Pneumatic Tool	85			
Pump	77			
Rail Saw	90			
Rock Drill	95			
Roller	85			
Saw	76			
Scraper	85			
Shovel	82			
Spike Driver	77			
Tie Cutter	84			
Tie Handler	80			
Tie Inserter	85			
Dump Truck	84			
FTA Transit Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment Manual (September, 2018)				



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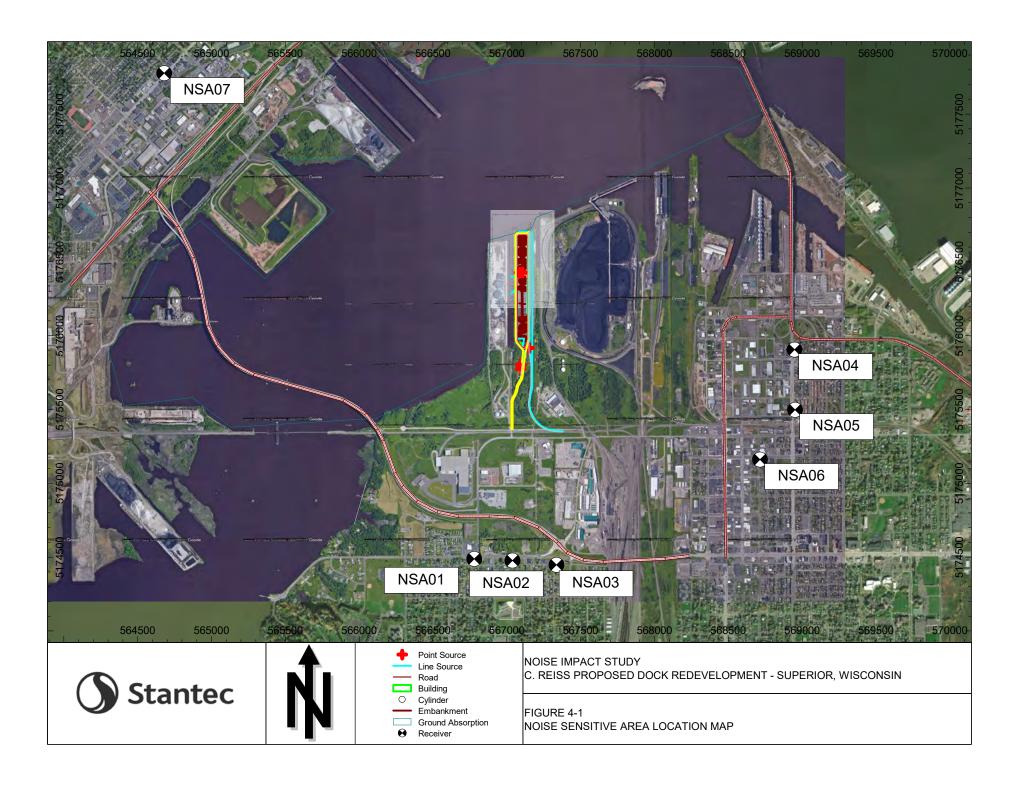
## 4.0 NOISE SENSITIVE AREAS

The nearest representative noise sensitive areas (NSAs) were identified around the proposed Site. Seven (7) representative NSAs were identified in each cardinal direction including one receptor in Duluth, Minnesota. A summary of the NSAs is provided in Table 4-1 and shown Figure 4-1.

Table 4-1 Measurement Locations

Point of		UTM	NAD 83 Cod	Distance to	
Reception ID	Description	Zone	Easting	Northing	Center of Site (ft.)
NSA01	Residence at 3308 Belknap Street Superior, WI	15T	566780	5174488	4,842
NSA02	Residence at 3014 Belknap Street Superior, WI	15T	567038	5174478	4,733
NSA03	Residence at 1514 Logan Avenue Superior, WI	15T	567337	5174448	4,855
NSA04	Residence at 418 Hammond Avenue Superior, WI	15T	568948	5175905	5,897
NSA05	Residence at 724 Hammond Avenue Superior, WI	15T	568952	5175498	6,065
NSA06	Residence at 1516 Broadway Street Superior, WI	15T	568715	5175160	5,698
NSA07	Residence at 4101 Grand Avenue Duluth, MN	15T	564680	5177778	10,151





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## 5.0 NOISE ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

#### 5.1 OPERATIONAL NOISE CRITERIA

Stantec performed a review of applicable Federal, State, and Municipal noise criteria. No applicable state or county sound regulations pertaining to the operation of the proposed dock were identified. No applicable noise criteria were identified for the City of Superior. The Village of Superior, Wisconsin municipal code Chapter 267 specifies stationary noise criteria applicable to the operation of the proposed dock. The Chapter 267 noise criteria were used to evaluate the noise impact of the proposed dock on nearby noise sensitive areas as they are the most stringent applicable noise criteria found in the area around the proposed Project Area.

The Village of Superior municipal code Chapter 267 specifies stationary noise criteria applicable to the operation of the proposed dock. The Chapter 267 noise criteria were used to evaluate the noise impact of the proposed Development on nearby noise sensitive areas and are summarized in Table 5-1. Additional limits provided by the Village of Superior, Wisconsin are as follow:

- A (2) "Ambient noise is the all-encompassing noise associated with a given source, usually being a
  composite of sounds with many sources near and far, but excluding the noise source being
  measured. Ambient noise is a factor, and the subject noise shall exceed the ambient noise by five db
  in any octave band to be designated excessive."
- A (3) "Pure tones and impulsive noises are factors. Five noise rating numbers shall be taken from the table in Subsection <u>A(1)</u> [Table 5-1] above if the subject noise consists primarily of a pure tone or if it is impulsive in character."

Typical expected ambient noise levels as published by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and ANSI/ASA S12.9-2013/Part 3 are summarized in Table 5-2 and Table 5.3 for reference. Typical expected ambient sound levels will also be used to evaluate the modelled existing ambient sound levels generated by road traffic noise.

The acoustical environment surrounding the proposed dock is anticipated to be dominated by road traffic and industrial activity noise during daytime and nighttime hours with some lulls where natural ambient sounds are dominant.

Table 5-1 Village of Superior Wisconsin Stationary Noise Limits Subsection A (1)

Zone	Daytime Noise Rating [dB] (7 a.m. – 7 p.m.)	Nighttime (7 p.m. to 7 a.m.) [dB]
Residential	60	50
Commercial	70	70
All other zones	75	75



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Table 5-2 FHWA Typical Existing Noise Levels

Time Period	Sound Level
Daytime (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.) – Suburban Area	40-50 dBA
Daytime (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.) – Rural Area	30-40 dBA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Techniques for Reviewing Noise Analyses and Associated Noise Reports (US DOT FHWA 2018)

Table 5-3 ANSI/ASA Typical Existing Noise Levels

Residential Land Use Category	Typical L <sub>dn</sub> [dBA]
Very noisy urban	67
Noisy urban	62
Urban and noisy suburban	57
Quiet urban and normal suburban	52
Quiet suburban	47
Very quiet suburban and rural	42

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>ANSI/ASA S12.9-2013/Part 3 Quantities and Procedures for Description and Measurement of Environmental Sound-Part 3: Short-term Measurements with an Observer Present (ANSI/ASA 2013)

The L<sub>dn</sub> day night sound level is calculated using the following formula:

$$L_{dn} = 10 * Log_{10} \left\{ \frac{15}{24} * 10^{\left(\frac{L_{eq(day)}}{10}\right)} + \frac{9}{24} * 10^{\left(\frac{L_{eq(night)} + 10}{10}\right)} \right\}$$

## 5.2 CONSTRUCTION NOISE CRITERIA

Construction noise is typically exempt from noise restrictions as it occurs primarily during daytime hours and is temporary in nature. Chapter 267 subsection 4 of the village of Superior Wisconsin exempts construction noise during daytime hours (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.) provided that noise levels do not exceed 80 dB at a noise sensitive area. The 80 dB daytime criteria has been used to assess the noise impact of construction activities on representative NSAs.



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### 6.0 NOISE IMPACT ASSESSMENT

#### 6.1 METHODS

A predictive analysis was performed using CADNA/A acoustic modelling software (Version 2021 MR2), published by Datakustik GmbH, configured to implement ISO-9613-2 environmental noise propagation algorithms. This model includes geometrical divergence (distance attenuation), barrier effects due to intervening structures, ground effects, atmospheric absorption, and topography. The model considers a downwind condition, in which for the purpose of analysis the NSA is always located downwind.

Anticipated on-site noise sources were modelled as point and line sources as applicable. Acoustic modelling parameters used are summarized in Table 6-1.

Table 6-1 Acoustic Model Parameters

Parameter	Value	Rationale
Ground Absorption	0	For waterbodies
Ground Absorption	0.2	Accounts for mostly acoustically reflective surfaces (pavement and hard packed ground) within the Facility property boundary
Ground Absorption	0.8	Accounts for mostly acoustically absorptive (i.e., grass) surfaces between Facility and representative noise sensitive areas
Temperature	50°F	Typical weather average condition
Relative Humidity	70%	Typical weather average condition
Max. Order of Reflection	2	Accounts for building reflections

Sound power levels input into the acoustical model are summarized in Table 3-2 and are based of representative sound power levels of equipment anticipated to be on site.

#### 6.2 RESULTS

#### 6.2.1 Modelled Ambient Sound Levels

Stantec has quantitatively assessed ambient sound levels surrounding the Project Area using CADNA/A acoustic modelling software, implementing the U.S. Department of Transportation (US DOT) Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Traffic Noise Model (TNM). The modelled ambient sound levels will be used to evaluate the relative modelled noise impact of the Site as required by Chapter 267, Subsection A (2) of the Village of Superior noise criteria.



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#### 6.2.1.1 Traffic Volumes

Annual average daily traffic volumes were taken from the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MN DOT) and Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WI DOT). Growth rates were calculated based on the average growth rate of the previous ten years of available AADT data for each roadway. For several roadways negative growth was observed and included in the average AADT values. A summary of the AADT volumes is provided as Table 6-2. A summary of modelled road traffic distributions and modelling inputs for TNM is provided as Table 6-3.

Table 6-2 AADT Volumes

Roadway	Last AADT Reported	Estimated Current AADT	Average Growth Rate
Highway 2	17,900 (2021)	18,261 (2022)	2.0%
North 3rd Street	8,600 (2019)	10877 (2022)	8.1%
Interstate 53	15,500 (2019)	18,379 (2022)	1.4%

Table 6-3 Road Traffic Modelling Parameters

Parameter	Value			Rationale
Ground Absorption		0		For waterbodies
Ground Absorption		0.8		Accounts for mostly acoustically absorptive (i.e., grass) surfaces between Facility and representative point of reception.
Day/Night Composition	<b>Day</b> 90%	Night 10%		U.S. DOT Federal Highway Administration – Traffic Monitoring Guide – Hallenbeck, et al. Vehicle Volume Distributions by Classification, 1997
Vehicle Composition	Cars	Medium Heavy Trucks Trucks		U.S. DOT Federal Highway Administration – Traffic Monitoring Guide – Hallenbeck, et al. Vehicle
	95%	2%	3%	Volume Distributions by Classification, 1997

#### 6.2.1.2 Modelled Ambient Sound Levels

Results of the road traffic modelling for representative NSAs are provided in Table 6-4. Calculated  $L_{dn}$  values are comparable to typical expected  $LA_{eq}$   $L_{dn}$  values for urban settings as summarized in Table 5-2 and Table 5-3.



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Table 6-4 Road Traffic Modelling Results

Cadna ID	NSA Description	LA <sub>eq</sub> Daytime [dBA]	LA <sub>eq</sub> Nighttime [dBA]	L <sub>dn</sub> [dBA]
NSA01	Residence at 3308 Belknap Street, Superior, WI	54	48	56
NSA02	Residence at 3014 Belknap Street, Superior, WI	55	49	57
NSA03	Residence at 1514 Logan Avenue, Superior, WI	59	52	60
NSA04	Residence at 418 Hammond Avenue, Superior, WI	57	50	58
NSA05	Residence at 724 Hammond Avenue, Superior, WI	47	41	49
NSA06	Residence at 1516 Broadway Street, Superior, WI	45	38	47
NSA07	Residence at 4101 Grand Avenue, Duluth, MN	42	36	44

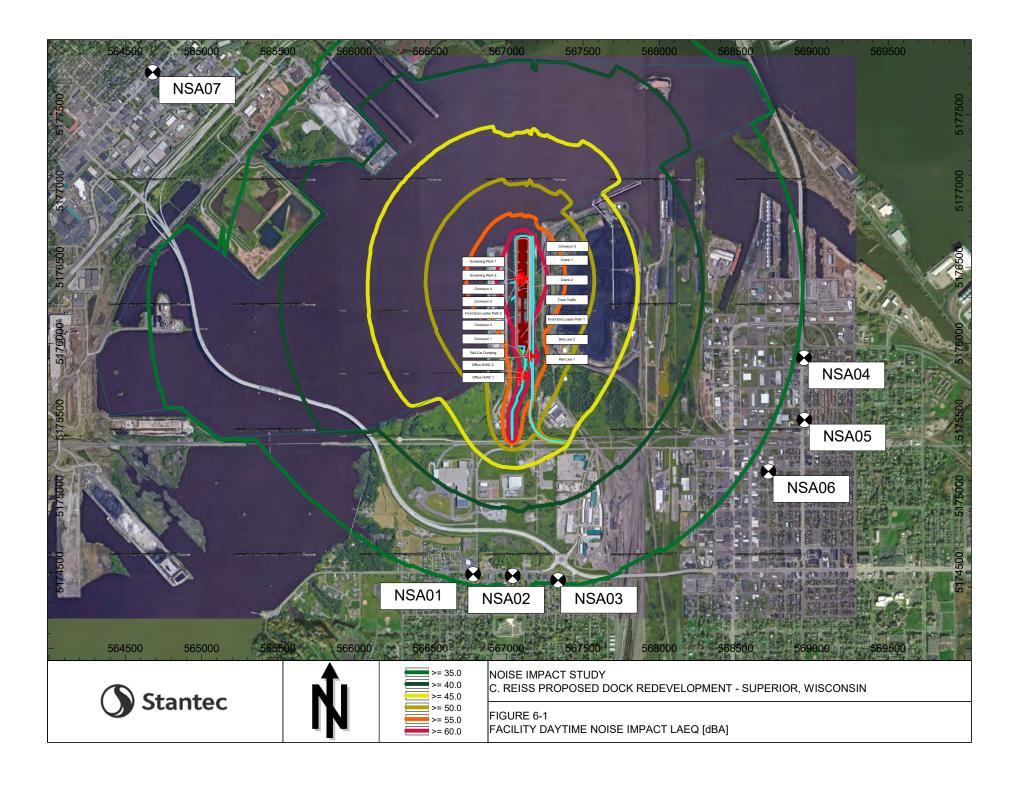
## 6.2.2 Modelled Facility Operation Noise Impact

Table 6-5 presents the modelled noise impact of the proposed dock at the measurement locations. A noise contour plot is presented in Figure 6-1.

Table 6-5 Modelled Noise Impact Table

Cadna ID	NSA Description	LA <sub>eq</sub> Daytime [dBA]	LA <sub>eq</sub> Nighttime [dBA]	Ldn
NSA01	Residence at 3308 Belknap Street, Superior, WI	25	<10	24
NSA02	Residence at 3014 Belknap Street, Superior, WI	26	11	24
NSA03	Residence at 1514 Logan Avenue, Superior, WI	25	<10	23
NSA04	Residence at 418 Hammond Avenue, Superior, WI	24	<10	23
NSA05	Residence at 724 Hammond Avenue, Superior WI	24	<10	22
NSA06	Residence at 1516 Broadway Street, Superior WI	24	<10	22
NSA07	Residence at 4101 Grand Avenue, Duluth, MN	21	<10	19





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## 6.2.3 Modelled Construction Noise Impact

Results of the construction noise impact of the Project are summarized in Table 6-6.

Table 6-6 Construction Noise Impact

Cadna ID	NSA Description	Construction Noise Impact
		[dB]
NSA01	Residence at 3308 Belknap Street, Superior WI	37
NSA02	Residence at 3014 Belknap Street, Superior WI	37
NSA03	Residence at 1514 Logan Avenue, Superior WI	35
NSA04	Residence at 418 Hammond Avenue, Superior WI	36
NSA05	Residence at 724 Hammond Avenue, Superior WI	35
NSA06	Residence at 1516 Broadway Street, Superior WI	35
NSA07	Residence at 4101 Grand Avenue, Duluth MN	34



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## 6.3 DISCUSSION AND ASSESSMENT

The modelled noise impact have been summarized and compared to applicable Village of Superior steady state operation noise criteria in Table 6-7. The modelled noise impact of construction activities has been summarized and compare to the applicable Village of Superior construction noise limits in Table 6-8

Table 6-7 Steady State Noise Impact Summary Table

ID	NSA Description	Ambien	Ambient Levels Site		Impact	Daytime Criteria	Nighttime Criteria	Increase Above Ambient	Increase Above Ambient Criteria	Criteria Met
	·	LA <sub>eq</sub> Day	LA <sub>eq</sub> Night	L <sub>eq</sub> Day	L <sub>eq</sub> Night	L <sub>eq</sub> [dB]	L <sub>eq</sub> [dB]	[dB]	[dB]	[Yes/No]
NSA01	Residence at 3308 Belknap Street, Superior, WI	54	48	25	9	60	50	< 1	< 5	Yes
NSA02	Residence at 3014 Belknap Street, Superior, WI	55	49	25	9	60	50	< 1	< 5	Yes
NSA03	Residence at 1514 Logan Avenue, Superior, WI	59	52	25	9	60	50	< 1	< 5	Yes
NSA04	Residence at 418 Hammond Avenue, Superior, WI	57	50	24	6	60	50	< 1	< 5	Yes
NSA05	Residence at 724 Hammond Avenue, Superior, WI	47	41	24	6	60	50	< 1	< 5	Yes
NSA06	Residence at 1516 Broadway Street, Superior, WI	45	38	24	6	60	50	< 1	< 5	Yes
NSA07	Residence at 4101 Grand Avenue, Duluth, MN	42	36	21	2	60	50	< 1	< 5	Yes



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 Table 6-8
 Construction Noise Impact Summary Table

Cadna ID	NSA Description	Construction Noise Impact	Daytime Criteria [dB]	Criteria Met
		[dB]	[dB]	[Yes/No]
NSA01	Residence at 3308 Belknap Street, Superior WI	37	80	Yes
NSA02	Residence at 3014 Belknap Street, Superior WI	37	80	Yes
NSA03	Residence at 1514 Logan Avenue, Superior WI	34	80	Yes
NSA04	Residence at 418 Hammond Avenue, Superior WI	36	80	Yes
NSA05	Residence at 724 Hammond Avenue, Superior WI	35	80	Yes
NSA06	Residence at 1516 Broadway Street, Superior WI	35	80	Yes
NSA07	Residence at 4101 Grand Avenue, Duluth MN	33	80	Yes



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#### 6.3.1 Assessment and Recommendations

The modelled construction and operational noise impact of the Site is below the applicable Village of Superior noise criteria as noted in Table 6-7 and Table 6-8.

Stantec recommends that attended measurements be collected upon completion of construction activities and during Site operations to evaluate the operational noise impact of the Site against modelled sound levels. Stantec also recommends that this Study including the list of anticipated equipment to be used on Site and acoustic modelling be reviewed and updated upon completion of detailed Site design.

The noise impact of future Site equipment should be 10 dBA or less at representative NSAs to not increase the operational noise impact of the facility at representative NSAs.

## 7.0 VIBRATION IMPACT ASSESSMENT

#### 7.1 APPLICABLE VIBRATION CRITERIA

Stantec performed a review of Federal, State, and Municipal vibration criteria. Stantec found applicable Federal vibration criteria expressed in peak particle velocity (PPV) for building damage and rms velocity levels (VdB) for annoyance published by the Federal Transit Authority (FTA) Noise and Vibration Impact Assessment Manual (Sept., 2018) summarized in Table 7-1 and Table 7-2. Stantec also found applicable State vibration PPV criteria for damage published by the WI DOT summarized in Table 7-3. The FTA criteria has been used to evaluate the construction and operation vibration impact as it is more conservative.

Table 7-1 FTA Vibration Damage Criteria

Building/Structural Category (Occupied-Residential)	PPV (in/sec)
Reinforced concrete, steel or timber (no plaster)	0.5
Engineered concrete and masonry (no plaster)	0.3
Non-engineered timber and masonry buildings	0.2
Building extremely susceptible to vibration damage	0.12



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Table 7-2 FTA Indoor Ground-Borne Vibration Impact Criteria for General Vibration Assessment

	GBV Impact Levels (VdB re 1 micro-inch /sec)		
Land Use Category	Frequent Events	Occasional Events	Infrequent Events
Category 1: Buildings where vibration would interfere with interior operations.	65 VdB <sup>1</sup>	65 VdB <sup>1</sup>	65 VdB <sup>1</sup>
Category 2: Residences and buildings where people normally sleep.	72 VdB	75 VdB	80 VdB
Category 3: Institutional land uses with primarily daytime use.	75 VdB	78 VdB	83 VdB

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This criterion limit is based on levels that are acceptable for most moderately sensitive equipment such as optical microscopes. For equipment that is more sensitive, a Detailed Vibration Analysis must be performed.

Table 7-3 WI DOT Vibration Damage Criteria

Building/Structure Type	Maximum PPV (in/sec)	
Reinforced Concrete Structure, Unoccupied	4.0	
Steel Structure, Unoccupied	4.0	
Buried Utilities	2.0	
Wells and Aquifers	2.0	
Green Concrete (less than 7 days)	1.0	
Non-historic buildings	2.0	
Historic buildings that have standard vibration sensitivity (in good state of maintenance)	0.5	
Historic buildings with greater potential for damage/sensitivity (deteriorate state of maintenance)	0.2	

## 7.2 CONSTRUCTION VIBRATION IMPACT ASSESSMENT

The FTA publishes a list of typical construction vibration emitting sources which are summarized in Table 7-3. The construction vibration impact for damage at receptors can be estimated using the following equation and compared to PPV values summarized in Table 7-4.

$$PPV_{equip} = PPV_{ref} * \left(\frac{25}{D}\right)^{1.5}$$

Table 7-4 FTA Vibration Source Levels for Construction Equipment

Equipment		PPV at 25 ft, in/sec	Approximate Lv * at 25 ft
Pile Driver (impact)	upper range	1.518	112
	typical	0.644	104
Pile Driver (sonic)	upper range	0.734	105



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Equipmen	t	PPV at 25 ft, in/sec	Approximate Lv * at 25 ft
	typical	0.17	93
Clam shovel drop (slurry wall)		0.202	94
Hydro mill (slurry wall)	in soil	0.008	66
	in rock	0.017	75
Vibratory Roller		0.21	94
Hoe Ram		0.089	87
Large bulldozer		0.089	87
Caisson drilling		0.089	87
Loaded trucks		0.076	86
Jackhammer		0.035	79
Small bulldozer		0.003	58

<sup>\*</sup> RMS velocity in decibels, VdB re 1 micro-in/sec

Impact pile driving is anticipated in the Project Area and will be the most significant anticipated vibration generating construction activity. Based on the separation distance of more than 4,000 ft. to nearby NSAs, construction vibration levels are anticipated to be insignificant and below Federal and State construction vibration damage criteria summarized in Table 7-1 and Table 7-2.

Structures including storage silos and buildings at adjacent industrial facilities are approximately 2,000 ft. from the center of the site. Construction vibration level are anticipated to be insignificant and below the Federal and State criteria for non-occupied buildings as summarized in Table 7-1 and Table 7-2.

#### 7.3 OPERATIONAL VIBRATION IMPACT ASSESSMENT

The operational vibration impact assessment for annoyance at receptors can be estimated using the following equation and L<sub>vref</sub> levels in Table 7-4 and compared to VdB values in Table 7-2,

$$L_{v,distance} = L_{vref} - 30\log\left(\frac{D}{25}\right)$$

General bulk material moving activities using large bulldozers, loaded trucks, and small bulldozers are considered representative of anticipated on Site activities. Based on the separation distance of more than 4,000 ft. to nearby NSAs, operational vibration levels are anticipated be insignificant and below the annoyance VdB criteria summarized in Table 7-2

Heavy locomotives operations are also anticipated on the Site. The RMS velocity can be estimated using the following formula where D is the separation distance in feet to the nearest NSA

$$L_v = 92.28 + 14.81 * \log(D) - 14.17 * \log(D)^2 + 1.65 * \log(D)^3$$

Using a reference distance of 4,000 feet, the  $L_v$  of heavy locomotive operations is approximately 39 VdB which is below the applicable annoyance criteria summarized in Table 7-2.



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## 8.0 CONCLUSION

Stantec Consulting Ltd. (Stantec) was retained by the C. Reiss Company (C. Reiss) to perform a noise and vibration impact study for the proposed redevelopment of a dock located in Superior, Wisconsin located at approximately 46°44'13.8"N 92°07'17.0"W (the Site). The assessment was required by the Maritime Administration in support of an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Site.

Stantec's assessment based on a desktop noise Study of anticipated operational noise sources at the Site and existing road traffic volumes predict that the Site's operational noise impact is below the applicable Village of Superior noise criteria. Based on the modelled noise impact of the Site and the modelled ambient sound levels generated by road traffic noise, the operational noise impact of the Site is anticipated to be masked by road traffic and industrial noise from adjacent sites.

Stantec's assessment of the Project's anticipated construction noise sources during the construction phase of the Project predict that the construction noise impact will be below the applicable daytime construction noise criteria.

Stantec's assessment of the construction and operation vibration impact of anticipated noise sources at the Site predict that the Site's construction and vibration impact will be below the applicable Federal and State damage and annoyance vibration criteria.

Stantec recommends that attended measurements be collected upon completion of construction activities and during Site operation of the proposed Dock to evaluate the operational noise and vibration impact of the Site against modelled sound levels. Stantec also recommends that this study including the list of anticipated equipment to be used on site and acoustic and vibration modelling, to be reviewed and updated upon completion of a detailed site design.

The noise impact of future Site equipment should be 10 dBA or less at representative NSAs to not increase the operational noise impact of the facility at representative NSAs.



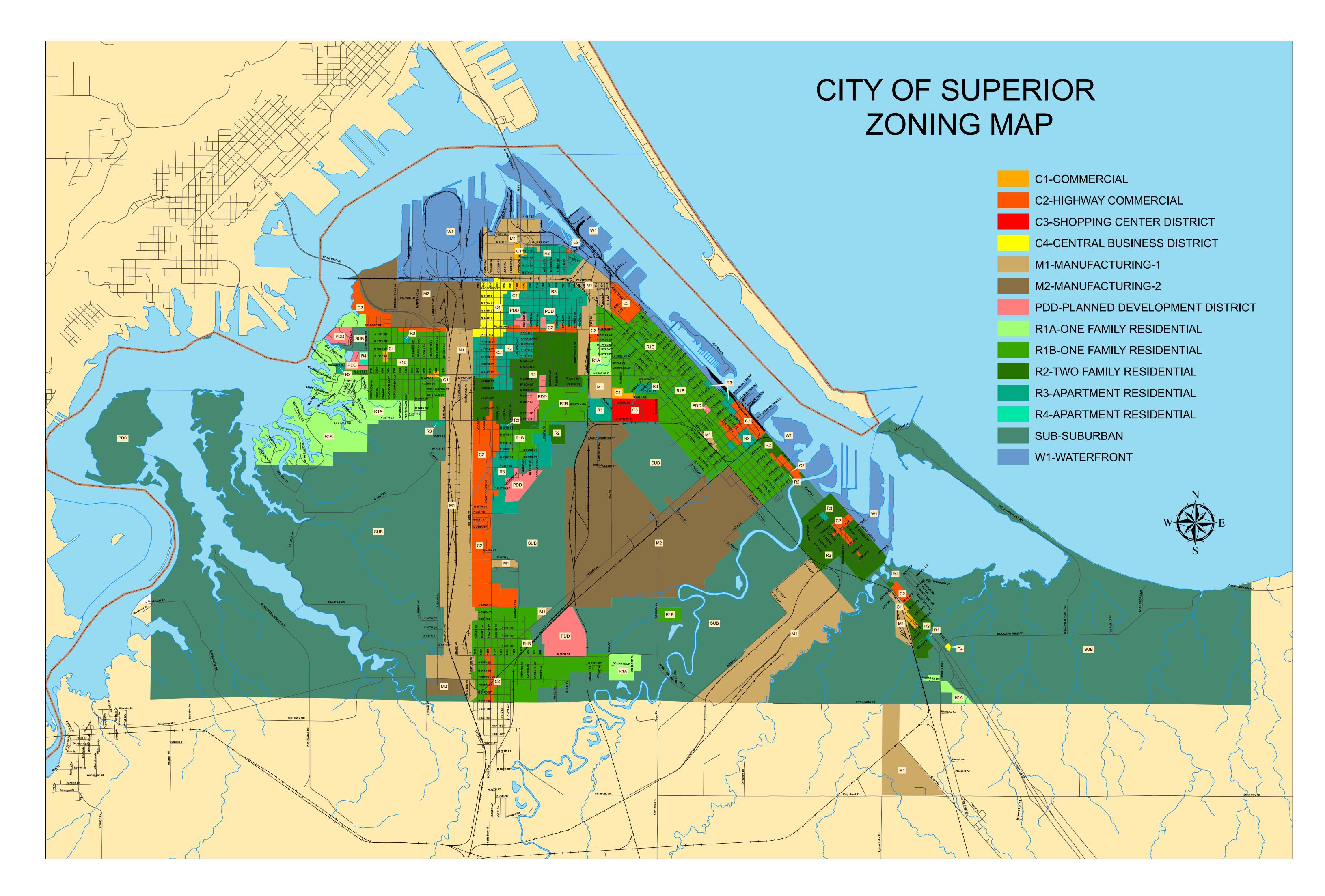
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# APPENDIX A Zoning Map



# APPENDIX B TRAFFIC DATA

