#### APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION FORM U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

### SECTION I: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

A. REPORT COMPLETION DATE FOR APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION (JD): 14 December 2012.

B. DISTRICT OFFICE, FILE NAME, AND NUMBER: <u>Sacramento District</u>, Michael Jarrett Property, <u>SPK-2007-00470</u>. Name of water being evaluated on this JD form: <u>Wetland A</u>

## C. PROJECT LOCATION AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

State: <u>Utah</u> County: <u>Utah</u> City: <u>Lindon</u>

Center coordinates of site (lat/long in degree decimal format): Lat: 40.3392 N, Long: -111.7547 W

Universal Transverse Mercator: . Name of nearest waterbody: <u>Proctor Ditch</u>.

Name of nearest Traditional Navigable Water (TNW) into which the aquatic resource flows: Utah Lake.

Name of watershed or Hydrologic Unit Code (HUC): 16020201.

Check if map/diagram of review area and/or potential jurisdictional areas is/are available upon request.

Check if other sites (e.g., offsite mitigation sites, disposal sites, etc.) are associated with this action and are recorded on a different JD form. List other JDs: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Office (Desk) Determination. Date: <u>18 September 2012</u>.
 Field Determination. Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_.

## SECTION II: SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

# A. RHA SECTION 10 DETERMINATION OF JURISDICTION.

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

Waters subject to the ebb and flow of the tide.

Waters are presently used, or have been used in the past, or may be susceptible for use to transport interstate or foreign commerce. Explain: \_\_\_\_\_.

### B. CWA SECTION 404 DETERMINATION OF JURISDICTION.

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

### 1. Waters of the U.S.

- a. Indicate presence of waters of U.S. in review area (check all that apply): <sup>1</sup>
  - TNWs, including territorial seas
  - Wetlands adjacent to TNWs
  - Relatively permanent waters<sup>2</sup> (RPWs) that flow directly or indirectly into TNWs
  - Non-RPWs that flow directly or indirectly into TNWs
  - Wetlands directly abutting RPWs that flow directly or indirectly into TNWs
  - Wetlands adjacent to but not directly abutting RPWs that flow directly or indirectly into TNWs
  - Wetlands adjacent to non-RPWs that flow directly or indirectly into TNWs
  - Impoundments of jurisdictional waters

Isolated (interstate or intrastate) waters, including isolated wetlands

b. Identify (estimate) size of waters of the U.S. in the review area:

Non-wetland waters: \_\_\_\_\_ linear feet \_\_\_\_\_ width (ft) and/or \_\_\_\_\_ acres. Wetlands: \_\_\_\_\_ acres.

**c.** Limits (boundaries) of jurisdiction based on: Pick List and Pick List Elevation of established OHWM (if known): \_\_\_\_\_.

### 2. Non-regulated waters/wetlands (check if applicable):<sup>3</sup>

Potentially jurisdictional waters and/or wetlands were assessed within the review area and determined to be not jurisdictional. Explain: Wetlands were previously determined jurisdictional under a preliminary jurisdictional determination verified November 12, 2008. Since then, the site has received fill material in and around the wetland, including up to the wetlands edge. This fill material is approximately 2-4 feet deep all around the wetland, thus isolating the wetland from

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Boxes checked below shall be supported by completing the appropriate sections in Section III below.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For purposes of this form, an RPW is defined as a tributary that is not a TNW and that typically flows year-round or has continuous flow at least "seasonally"

<sup>(</sup>e.g., typically 3 months).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Supporting documentation is presented in Section III.F.

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the Proctor Ditch, which flows along the western boundary of the property. The depressional area may have been nonjurisdictional in the past because prior to fill being placed on the site there did not appear to be any surface connection to Proctor Ditch. The ditch is approximately 325 linear feet to the west of the wetland with no apparent connections by channels, ditches, swales or other direct connections. The terrain in and around the property is very flat with no change in elevation. Even during a hundred year flood event, there would be no possibility for water to flow out of this wetland, for water from Proctor Ditch to flow into this wetland or for this wetland to connect with another jurisdictional water, either chemically, physically or biologically. The wetland is a small 0.09 depressional area dominated by salt grass. Based on the wetlands size, landscape position, and vegetation it does not contribute to stormwater control, filter pollutants, provide habitat for wildlife or a diverse habitat, and does not connect or influence any other waters of the U.S. The wetland does not appear on aerial photos until 2006/2007. The ditch itself does not appear on aerial photos until 2004. Until 2006, there are no signs of wetlands on the property. There are signs of fill material on the property since 2005. It is possible that this wetland further developed as a result of recent grading work that was done in uplands within the site.

### SECTION III: CWA ANALYSIS

- A. TNWs AND WETLANDS ADJACENT TO TNWs: NOT APPLICABLE
- B. CHARACTERISTICS OF TRIBUTARY (THAT IS NOT A TNW) AND ITS ADJACENT WETLANDS: NOT APPLICABLE
- C. SIGNIFICANT NEXUS DETERMINATION: NOT APPLICABLE
- D. DETERMINATIONS OF JURISDICTIONAL FINDINGS. THE SUBJECT WATERS/WETLANDS ARE: NOT APPLICABLE
- E. ISOLATED [INTERSTATE OR INTRA-STATE] WATERS, INCLUDING ISOLATED WETLANDS, THE USE, DEGRADATION OR DESTRUCTION OF WHICH COULD AFFECT INTERSTATE COMMERCE, INCLUDING ANY SUCH WATERS (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):<sup>4</sup>
  - which are or could be used by interstate or foreign travelers for recreational or other purposes.
  - from which fish or shellfish are or could be taken and sold in interstate or foreign commerce.
  - which are or could be used for industrial purposes by industries in interstate commerce.
  - Interstate isolated waters. Explain: \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Other factors. Explain: \_\_\_\_\_.

Identify water body and summarize rationale supporting determination:

Provide estimates for jurisdictional waters in the review area (check all that apply):

Tributary waters: \_\_\_\_\_ linear feet \_\_\_\_\_ width (ft).

Other non-wetland waters: \_\_\_\_\_ acres.

Identify type(s) of waters: \_\_\_\_\_.

Wetlands: \_\_\_\_\_ acres.

### F. NON-JURISDICTIONAL WATERS, INCLUDING WETLANDS:

- If potential wetlands were assessed within the review area, these areas did not meet the criteria in the 1987 Corps of Engineers
  Wetland Delineation Manual and/or appropriate Regional Supplements.
- Review area included isolated waters with no substantial nexus to interstate (or foreign) commerce.
  - Prior to the Jan 2001 Supreme Court decision in *"SWANCC*," the review area would have been regulated based <u>solely</u> on the *"Migratory Bird Rule"* (MBR).
- Other: (explain, if not covered above): \_\_\_\_.

Provide acreage estimates for non-jurisdictional waters in the review area, where the <u>sole</u> potential basis of jurisdiction is the MBR factors (i.e., presence of migratory birds, presence of endangered species, use of water for irrigated agriculture), using best professional judgment (check all that apply):

Non-wetland waters (i.e., rivers, streams): \_\_\_\_\_ linear feet \_\_\_\_\_ width (ft). 

Lakes/ponds: \_\_\_\_\_ acres.

- Other non-wetland waters: \_\_\_\_\_ acres. List type of aquatic resource: \_\_\_\_\_.
- Wetlands: <u>0.09</u> acres.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Prior to asserting or declining CWA jurisdiction based solely on this category, Corps Districts will elevate the action to Corps and EPA HQ for review consistent with the process described in the Corps/EPA *Memorandum Regarding CWA Act Jurisdiction Following Rapanos*.

Provide acreage estimates for non-jurisdictional waters in the review area that do not meet the "Significant Nexus" standard, where such a finding is required for jurisdiction (check all that apply):

- Non-wetland waters (i.e., rivers, streams): \_\_\_\_\_ linear feet \_\_\_\_\_ width (ft).
- Lakes/ponds: \_\_\_\_\_ acres.
  - Other non-wetland waters: \_\_\_\_\_ acres. List type of aquatic resource: \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Wetlands: \_\_acres.

## SECTION IV: DATA SOURCES.

А.	SUP	PORTING DATA. Data reviewed for JD (check all that apply - checked items shall be included in case file and, where checked
	and	requested, appropriately reference sources below):
	$\boxtimes$	Maps, plans, plots or plat submitted by or on behalf of the applicant/consultant: <u>Horrocks Engineering</u> .
		Data sheets prepared/submitted by or on behalf of the applicant/consultant.
		Office concurs with data sheets/delineation report.
		Office does not concur with data sheets/delineation report.
		Data sheets prepared by the Corps:
		Corps navigable waters' study:
		U.S. Geological Survey Hydrologic Atlas:
	_	USGS NHD data.
		USGS 8 and 12 digit HUC maps.
	$\bowtie$	U.S. Geological Survey map(s). Cite scale & quad name: <u>UT-Pelican Point</u>
		USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service Soil Survey. Citation: Web Soil Survey.
	$\boxtimes$	National wetlands inventory map(s). Cite name: <u>USFWS NWI Maps</u> .
	Ē	State/Local wetland inventory map(s):
	Ē	FEMA/FIRM maps:
	Π	100-year Floodplain Elevation is: (National Geodectic Vertical Datum of 1929)
	$\overline{\boxtimes}$	Photographs: Aerial (Name & Date): <u>Numerous Google Earth photos from numerous years</u>
	_	or Other (Name & Date): Ground photos provided by consultant.
	$\boxtimes$	Previous determination(s). File no. and date of response letter: November 12, 2008 Prelim JD verify (SPK-2007-00470).
		Applicable/supporting case law:
		Applicable/supporting scientific literature:
	$\boxtimes$	Other information (please specify): Preliminary JD dated November 12, 2008.
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## **B.** ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO SUPPORT JD: \_\_\_\_\_.