



**B. REQUIRED ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO SUPPORT JD. EXPLAIN RATIONALE FOR DETERMINATION THAT THE REVIEW AREA ONLY INCLUDES DRY LAND:** A site visit was conducted by Corps personnel on 31 May 2023 to assess the depressional features in the northeast portion of the survey area. The delineation report claimed these features to be historic irrigation ditches that have been abandoned. Two sample holes were dug, and it was verified that these features do not meet the hydrology parameter. Existing perennial hydrophytic vegetation (e.g., willows) were dead/dying, likely from a lack of water. The features were vegetated and did not exhibit OHWM indicators.

The only aquatic resource within the survey area, an irrigation ditch (D-1), is being evaluated separately through a PJD.