

COASTAL RESOURCES DIVISION ONE CONSERVATION WAY • BRUNSWICK, GA 31520 • 912-264-7218

Walter Rabon Commissioner DOUG HAYMANS DIRECTOR

AUG 1 9 2024

Andrew Burroughs Brunswick-Glynn Joint Water & Sewer Commission 1703 Gloucester Street Brunswick, GA 31520

Re: Letter of Permission (LOP) and Revocable License (RL) for Maintenance to an Existing Outfall, Academy Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, Brunswick, Glynn County, Georgia (SAS-2023-00985)

Dear Mr. Burroughs,

This Letter of Permission (LOP) is in response to your request, received March 20, 2024, on behalf of Brunswick-Glynn Joint Water & Sewer Commission, for maintenance to an existing outfall and associated bank stabilization, at the location specified above. The project will begin no sooner than fifteen (15) days from the receipt of this letter and be completed within six (6) months.

The existing structure consists of a headwall that supports a 36in. outfall pipe to Academy Creek. The headwall and surrounding bank are protected by rip rap. All existing structures are located within or directly adjacent to coastal marshlands. The existing headwall will be partially demolished and widened 10ft. to accommodate a new 36in. pipe within the existing impacted footprint. Approximately 10cu.yds. of existing rip rap must be removed to accommodate the wider headwall. Following installation of the new pipe and headwall, 10cu.yds of rip rap will be replaced at a minimum of 18-inches deep to stabilize the banks and channel bottom. Approximately 348.5sq.ft. (0.008 acres) of coastal marshlands within the already impacted footprint of the structure will be impacted. Temporary impacts within coastal marshlands will include placement of vehicles and erosion control measures totaling approximately 304.9sq.ft. (0.007 acres).

The Department authorizes maintenance of the outfall and rip rap in the current footprint as depicted in the attached description and drawings. No unauthorized equipment, materials, or debris may be placed in, disposed of, or stored in jurisdictional areas. All material removed must be disposed of at an appropriate upland disposal area. Any visible alterations in marsh topography will be restored immediately using low-impact hand tools. Any damage to the marsh vegetation that has not recovered naturally during the next growing season will be repaired by a method acceptable to the Department.

Please find enclosed a fully executed Revocable License (RL) for the project described above. This license serves as an authorization to utilize state owned tidal water bottoms for your project. Any change in the use, location, dimensions, or configuration of the approved project, without prior notification and approval from this office could result in revocation of this permission and in the required removal of the related structures. Tidal water bottoms and marshlands of coastal Georgia are public trust lands controlled by the State, except for such lands where a validated Crown Grant or State Grant exists.

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This authorization does not relieve you from obtaining any other federal, state, or local permits. If you have any further questions or concerns regarding this or any other projects, please feel free to contact Paul Tobler at (912) 689-6261.

Sincerely,

Jill Andrews

Chief, Coastal Management Section

Enclosures: Revocable License, Federal Consistency Certification Statement, Project

Description, Drawings

Cc: Caitlin Roman

Goodwyn Mills Cawood, LLC. 801 Broad Street, Suite 900

Augusta, GA 30901

Shannon.K.Martig@usace.army.mil

File: LOP20240004

STATE OF GEORGIA

REVOCABLE LICENSE FOR THE USE OF TIDAL WATERBOTTOMS

APPLICANT NAME(S): Andrew B	urroughs		
MAILING ADDRESS:	1703 Gloud	cester Street Bru	nswick GA 31520)
	(Street)	(City)	(State)	(Zip)
PROJECT ADDRESS/	LOCATION: 29	009 Newcastle S	treet	
COUNTY: Glynn		RWAY: Academy		
LOT, BLOCK & SUBD	IVISION NAME	FROM DEED: B028	-02 053-002	

The State of Georgia hereby grants you a revocable license not coupled with an interest¹. This area may now or in the future be utilized by boats employing power drawn nets under the provisions for commercial or sport bait shrimping. In its occupancy and use of the premises, licensee shall not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, gender, color, national origin, religion, age, or disability. This covenant by licensee may be enforced by termination of this license, by injunction, and/or by any other remedy available at law to the Georgia Department of Natural Resources.

Attached hereto and made a part of this license are the project description, drawing(s), and terms and conditions that are the subject of this license. The project approved for this license must be constructed and completed within the specified timeframe noted in the terms and conditions and must be maintained in serviceable condition. Otherwise, action will be initiated to revoke this license and all structures must be removed immediately at the licensee's expense.

STATE OF GEORGIA Office of the Governor

By:

For: Walter Rabon

Commissioner-DNR

Date:

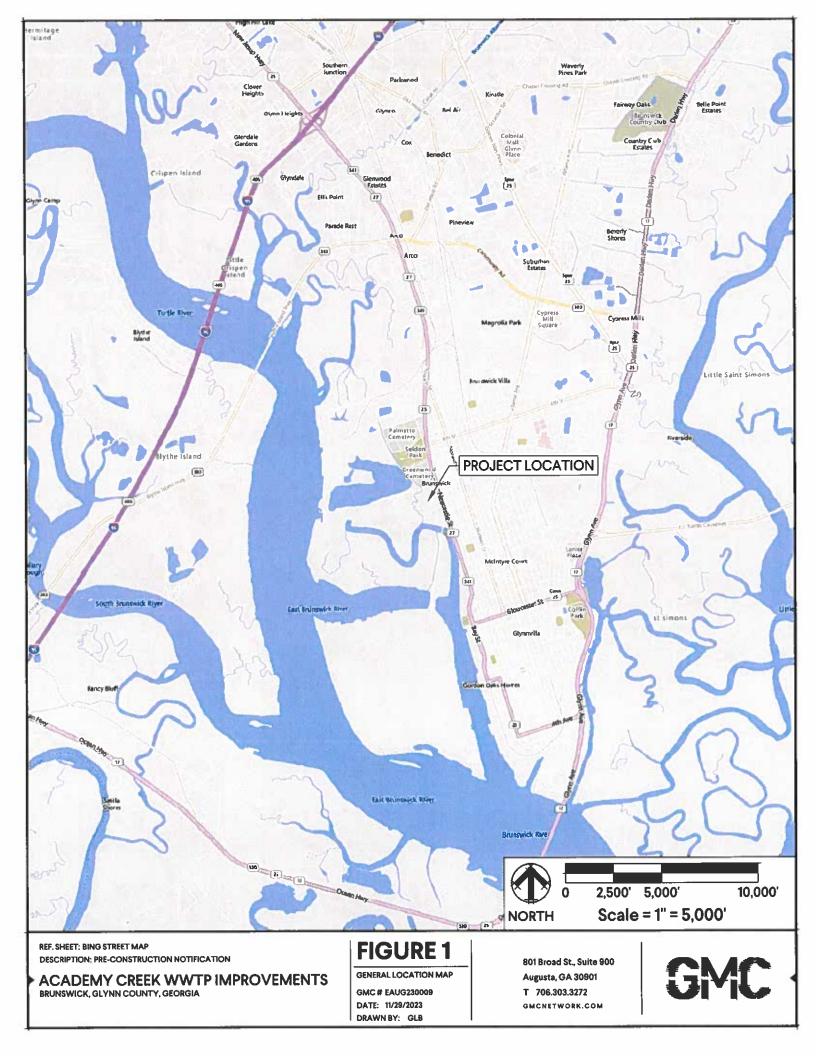
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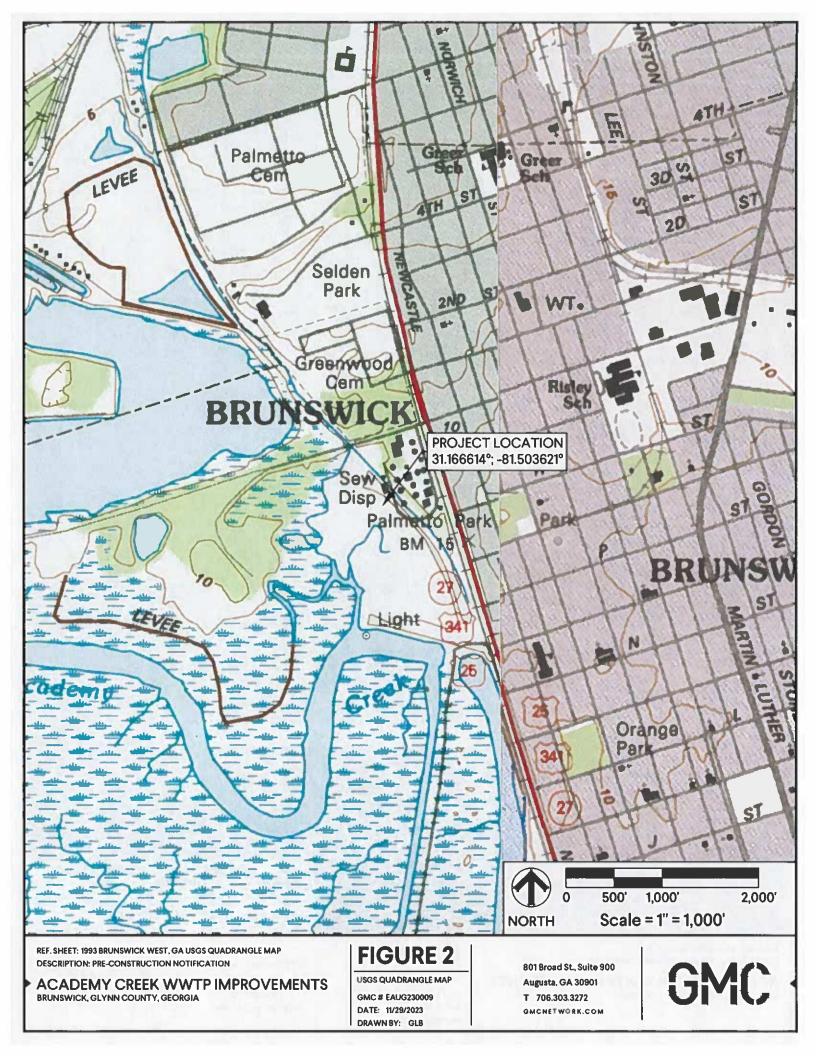
Enclosures:

LOP20240004

¹ Tidal water bottoms and marshlands of coastal Georgia are public trust lands owned by the State, except where ownership of such lands is demonstrated through an unbroken chain of title to a valid Crown or State Grant, which explicitly conveys the beds of such tidewaters. The Revocable License authorizes use of lands presumed to be owned by the State of Georgia, and which are under control of the State. This Revocable License is issued with the understanding and condition that it could be rendered invalid should another person demonstrate ownership to such lands pursuant to a valid Crown Grant or State Grant. This Revocable License is issued with the understanding that such lands are subject to the public trust doctrine.

Figures







ACADEMY CREEK WWTP IMPROVEMENTS BRUNSWICK, GLYNN COUNTY, GEORGIA

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH

GMC # EAUG230009 DATE: 11/29/2023 DRAWN BY: GLB 801 Broad St., Suite 90 Augusta, GA 30901 T 706.303.3272 GMCNETWORK.COM **GMC**

Appendix A

NWP PCN Form (ENG Form 6082)

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)

NATIONWIDE PERMIT PRE-CONSTRUCTION NOTIFICATION (PCN)

33 CFR 330. The proponent agency is CECW-CO-R.

Form Approved -OMB No. 0710-0003 Expires: 02-28-2022

DATA REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT OF 1974

Authority

Rivers and Harbors Act, Section 10, 33 USC 403; Clean Water Act, Section 404, 33 USC 1344; Regulatory Programs of the Corps of

Engineers; Final Rule 33 CFR 320-332.

Principal Purpose Information provided on this form will be used in evaluating the nationwide permit pre-construction notification.

Routine Uses

This information may be shared with the Department of Justice and other federal, state, and local government agencies, and the public and

may be made available as part of the agency coordination process.

Disclosure

Submission of requested information is voluntary, however, if information is not provided the permit application cannot be evaluated nor can

a permit be issued.

The public reporting burden for this collection of information, 0710-0003, is estimated to average 11 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or burden reduction suggestions to the Department of Defense, Washington Headquarters Services, at whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil. Respondents should be aware that notwithstanding any other provision of law, no person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information if it does not display a currently valid OMB control number.

PLEASE DO NOT RETURN YOUR RESPONSE TO THE ABOVE EMAIL.

One set of original drawings or good reproducible copies which show the location and character of the proposed activity must be attached to this application (see sample drawings and/or instructions) and be submitted to the District Engineer having jurisdiction over the location of the proposed activity. An application that is

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	(ITEMS BELOW TO BE	FILLED BY API	PLICANT)		
5. APPLICANT'S NAME		8. AUTHORIZ	ED AGENT'S NAME AN	ID TITLE (agent is not required)	
First - Andrew Middle -	Last - Burroughs	First - Caitlin	Middle -	Last - Roman	
Company - Brunswick-Glynn Joint Water	& Sewer Commission	Company - G	oodwyn Mills Cawoo	d (GMC)	
Company Title - Executive Director		E-mail Address	s - caitlin.roman@gmo	enetwork.com	
E-mail Address - aburroughs@bgjwsc.org					
6. APPLICANT'S ADDRESS:		9. AGENT'S A	DDRESS:		
Address- 1703 Gloucester Street		Address- 800	Broad Street, Suite 9	00	
City - Brunswick State - GA	Zip - 31520 Country - US	City - August	a State - G	A Zip - 30901 Country - US	
7. APPLICANT'S PHONE NOs. with AREA COL	DE	10. AGENT'S F	PHONE NOs. with AREA	CODE	
a, Residence b. Business c. Fax 912-261-7108	d. Mobile 912-602-9619	a. Residence	b. Business 702-285-3496	c. Fax d. Mobile	
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NAME, LOCATION, AND DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT OR ACTIVITY					
12. PROJECT NAME or TITLE (see instructions)				
Academy Creek WWTP Improvements					

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16. OTHER LOCATION DESCRI	PTIONS, IF KNOWN (see instructions)		E VEH SE VIII- II TORS I
State Tax Parcel ID		Municipality Brunswick	
Section	Township	Range	
17. DIRECTIONS TO THE SITE. Take exit 36A off I-95 to mer	ge onto US-25 S/US-341 S toward E	Brunswick. Pass T Street then the WWT	P is on the right.
18. IDENTIFY THE SPECIFIC NA Nationwide 3 - Maintenance	TIONWIDE PERMIT(S) YOU PROPOSE	TO USE:	
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21. PURPOSE OF NATIONWIDE The purpose of this project is t	PERMIT ACTIVITY (Describe the reason to mitigate treatment issues caused b	or purpose of the project, see instructions) by the tidal influence on the effluent disc	harge point.
22. Quantity of Wetlands, Streams Acres 0.008 acres of coastal marsh	s, or Other Types of Waters Directly Affect Linear Feet	ted by Proposed Nationwide Permit Activity (s Cubic Yard	see instructions) Is Dredged or Discharged
Each PCN must include a deline		tic sites, and other waters, such as lakes a treams, on the project site.	nd ponds, and perennial, intermittent
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25. Is Any Portion of the Nationwide Permit Activity Already Complete? Yes No If Yes, describe the completed work:
26. List the name(s) of any species listed as endangered or threatened under the Endangered Species Act that might be affected by the proposed NWP activity or utilize the designated critical habitat that might be affected by the proposed NWP activity. (see Instructions) GMC utilized the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Information for Planning and Conservation (IPaC) website to obtain a list of threatened and endangered species and potential critical habitat that may be present within the project area. The list provided nine (9) threatened species to consider: Trichechus manatus, Laterallus jamaicensis, Mycteria americana, Drymarchon couperi, Chelonia mydas, Eretmochelys imbricata, Lepidochelys kempii, Dermochelys coriacea, and Caretta caretta. There are no designated critical habitats within the project area. Please refer to the cover letter of this PCN submittal for more detailed information.
27. List any historic properties that have the potential to be affected by the proposed NWP activity or include a vicinity map indicating the location of the historic
property or properties. (see instructions) There are no known historic structures or historic areas within the project area. A copy of the list of NRHP sites in Glynn County, GA and a NRHP map with the project location identified is provided as an attachment to the overall PCN submittal.
28. For a proposed NWP activity that will occur in a component of the National Wild and Scenic River System, or in a river officially designated by Congress as a "study river" for possible inclusion in the system while the river is in an official study status, identify the Wild and Scenic River or the "study river": N/A
29. If the proposed NWP activity also requires permission from the Corps pursuant to 33 U.S.C. 408 because it will alter or temporarily or permanently occupy or use a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers federally authorized civil works project, have you submitted a written request for section 408 permission from the Corps district having jurisdiction over that project? Yes No If "yes", please provide the date your request was submitted to the Corps District:
30. If the terms of the NWP(s) you want to use require additional information to be included in the PCN, please include that information in this space or provide it on an additional sheet of paper marked Block 30. (see instructions) The required additional information to be included in the PCN based on the proposed project activities is provided in the cover letter of the PCN submittal.
31. Pre-construction notification is hereby made for one or more nationwide permit(s) to authorize the work described in this notification. I certify that this
information in this pre-construction notification is complete and accurate. I further certify that I possess the authority to undertake the work described herein or am acting as the duly authorized agent of the applicant.
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12/5/2023
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT DATE SIGNATURE OF AGENT DATE
The Pre-Construction Notification must be signed by the person who desires to undertake the proposed activity (applicant) and, if the statement in block 11 has been filled out and signed, the authorized agent.
18 U.S.C. Section 1001 provides that: Whoever, in any manner within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States knowingly and willfully falsifies, conceals, or covers up any trick, scheme, or disguises a material fact or makes any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations or makes or uses any false writing or document knowing same to contain any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or entry, shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned not more than five years or both.

Appendix B
Project Diagrams

C-621 BGJWSC Project #908 GMC Project #CSAV190007 ACADEMY CREEK - PHASE II NEUS MEUNSWELLER - PHASE II NEUS OUTTALL GRADING NAIG Profile View of Outfall Line SCALE THE STREET SCALE

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BGJWSC Project #908 GMC Project #908

2023 WPCF REHABILITATION ACADEMY CREEK - PHASE II

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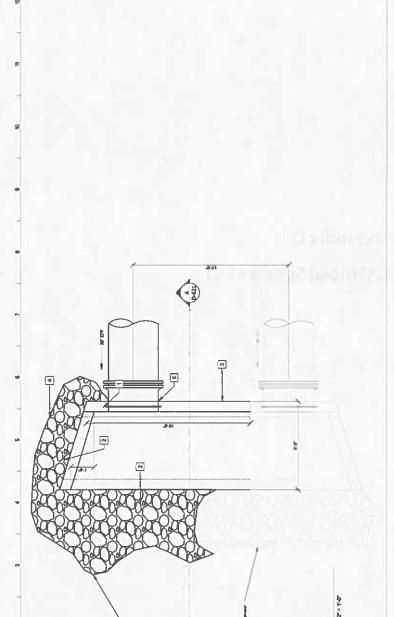


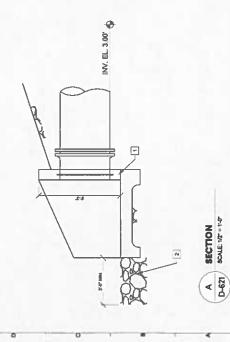
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Appendix C
USFWS IPaC Official Species List



United States Department of the Interior



November 28, 2023

FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Georgia Ecological Services Field Office 355 East Hancock Avenue Room 320 Athens, GA 30601-2523

Phone: (706) 613-9493 Fax: (706) 613-6059

In Reply Refer To:

Project Code: 2024-0020059

Project Name: Academy Creek WWTP

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:

Thank you for your request for information on federally listed species and important wildlife habitats that may occur in your project area. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) has responsibility for certain species of wildlife under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) of 1973 as amended (16 USC 1531 et seq.), the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) as amended (16 USC 701-715), Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act (FWCA) (48 Stat. 401, as amended; 16 U.S.C. 661 et seq.) and the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (BGEPA) as amended (16 USC 668-668c). We are providing the following guidance to assist you in determining which federally imperiled species may or may not occur within your project area and to recommend some conservation measures that can be included in your project design if you determine those species or designated critical habitat may be affected by your proposed project.

FEDERALLY-LISTED SPECIES AND DESIGNATED CRITICAL HABITAT

Attached is a list of endangered, threatened, and proposed species that may occur in your project area. Your project area may not necessarily include all or any of these species. Under the ESA, it is the responsibility of the Federal action agency, project proponent, or their designated representative to determine if a proposed action "may affect" endangered, threatened, or proposed species, or designated critical habitat, and if so, to consult with the Service further. Similarly, it is the responsibility of the Federal action agency or project proponent, not the Service, to make "no effect" determinations. If you determine that your proposed action will have "no effect" on threatened or endangered species or their respective critical habitat, you do not need to seek concurrence with the Service. Nevertheless, it is a violation of Federal law to harm or harass any federally listed threatened or endangered fish or wildlife species without the appropriate permit. If you need additional information to assist in your effect determination, please contact the Service.

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If you determine that your proposed action may affect federally listed species, please consult with the Service. Through the consultation process, we will analyze information contained in a biological assessment or equivalent document that you provide. If your proposed action is associated with Federal funding or permitting, consultation will occur with the Federal agency under section 7(a)(2) of the ESA. Otherwise, an incidental take permit pursuant to section 10(a) (1)(B) of the ESA (also known as a Habitat Conservation Plan) may be necessary to exempt harm or harass federally listed threatened or endangered fish or wildlife species. For more information regarding formal consultation and HCPs, please see the Service's Section 7 Consultation Library and Habitat Conservation Plans Library Collections.

Action Area. The scope of federally listed species compliance not only includes direct effects, but also any indirect effects of project activities (e.g., equipment staging areas, offsite borrow material areas, or utility relocations). The action area is the spatial extent of an action's direct and indirect modifications or impacts to the land, water, or air (50 CFR 402.02). Large projects may have effects to land, water, or air outside the immediate footprint of the project, and these areas should be included as part of the action area. Effects to land, water, or air outside of a project footprint could include things like lighting, dust, smoke, and noise. To obtain a complete list of species, the action area should be uploaded or drawn in IPaC rather than just the project footprint.

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Please feel free to contact us if you need more current information or assistance regarding the potential impacts to federally proposed, listed, and candidate species and federally designated and proposed critical habitat. Please 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. This verification can be completed formally or informally as desired. An updated list may be requested through IPaC.

ESA Section 7 consultation (and related tools such as the EDGES and/or DKeys) apply to projects being permitted or funded by a Federal agency. However, please note that a lead federal agency may consider an action area that excludes portions of the project footprint. In these cases, further coordination with our office may be required to ensure compliance with the ESA. It is the responsibility of the project proponent to coordinate with the lead federal agency to understand the action and action area being reviewed as part of ESA Section 7 consultation.

How to Submit a Project Review Package. If you determine that your action may affect any federally listed species and would like technical assistance from our office, please send us a complete project review package. A step by step guide is available at the Georgia Ecological Services Project Planning and Review page (https://www.fws.gov/office/georgia-ecological-services/project-planning-review).

Beginning April 1, 2023, requests for threatened and endangered species project reviews must be submitted to our office using the process described below. (If you are not emailing us to submit a project for review, your email will be forwarded to the appropriate staff.) This is a three-step process. All steps must be completed to ensure your project is reviewed by a biologist in our office and you receive a timely response. In brief the steps are:

- **Step 1.** Request an official species list for your project through IPaC (Done!)
- Step 2. Complete applicable Determination Keys
- **Step 3.** Send your complete project project review package to **GAES_Assistance@FWS.gov** for review if no DKey is applicable or all aspects of the project are not addressed by DKeys, i.e. a species returned by IPaC does not have a DKey to address impacts to it. A complete project review package should include:
 - A description of the proposed action, including any measures intended to avoid, minimize, or offset effects of the action. The description shall provide sufficient detail to assess the effects of the action on listed species and critical habitat, such as the purpose of the action; duration and timing of the action; location (latitude and longitude); specific activities involving disturbance to land, water, and air, and how they will be carried out; current description of areas to be affected directly or indirectly by the action; and maps, drawings, or similar schematics of the action.
 - 2. An updated Official Species List and DKey results
 - Biological Assessments (may include habitat assessments and information on the presence of listed species in the action area);
 - 4. Description of effects of the action on species in the action area and, if relevant, effect determinations for species and critical habitat;
 - 5. Conservation measures and any other available information related to the nature and scope of the proposed action relevant to its effects on listed species or designated critical habitat (e.g., management plans related to stormwater, vegetation, erosion and sediment plans). Visit the Georgia Conservation Planning Toolbox (https://www.fws.gov/story/conservation-tools-georgia) for information about conservation measures.
 - 6. In the email subject line, use the following format to include the Project Code from your IPaC species list and the county in which the project is located (Example: Project Code: 2023-0049730 Gwinnett Co.). For Georgia Department of Transportation related projects, please work with the Office of Environmental Services ecologist to determine the appropriate USFWS transportation liaison.

The Georgia Ecological Services Field Office will send a response email within approximately 30 days of receipt with technical assistance or further recommendations for specific species.

WETLANDS AND FLOODPLAINS

Under Executive Orders 11988 and 11990, Federal agencies are required to minimize the destruction, loss, or degradation of wetlands and floodplains, and preserve and enhance their natural and beneficial values. These habitats should be conserved through avoidance, or mitigated to ensure that there would be no net loss of wetlands function and value. We encourage you to use the National Wetland Inventory (NWI) maps in conjunction with ground-truthing to identify wetlands occurring in your project area. The Service's https://www.fws.gov/program/national-wetlands-inventory) integrates digital map data with other resource information. We also recommend you contact the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for

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permitting requirements under section 404 of the Clean Water Act if your proposed action could impact floodplains or wetlands.

MIGRATORY BIRDS

The MBTA prohibits the taking of migratory birds, nests, and eggs, except as permitted by the Service's <u>Migratory Birds Program</u> (https://fws.gov/program/migratory-birds). To minimize the likelihood of adverse impacts to migratory birds, we recommend construction activities occur outside the general bird nesting season from March through August, or that areas proposed for construction during the nesting season be surveyed, and when occupied, avoided until the young have fledged.

We recommend review of Birds of Conservation Concern to fully evaluate the effects to the birds at your site. This list identifies birds that are potentially threatened by disturbance and construction. It can be found at the Service's <u>Migratory Birds Conservation Library Collection</u> (https://fws.gov/library/collections/migratory-bird-conservation-documents).

Information related to best practices and migratory birds can be found at the Service's <u>Avoiding and Minimizing Incidental Take of Migratory Birds Library Collection</u> (https://fws.gov/library/collections/avoiding-and-minimizing-incidental-take-migratory-birds).

BALD AND GOLDEN EAGLES

The bald eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*) was delisted under the ESA on August 9, 2007. Both the bald eagle and golden eagle (*Aquila chrysaetos*) are still protected under the MBTA and BGEPA. The BGEPA affords both eagles protection in addition to that provided by the MBTA, in particular, by making it unlawful to "disturb" eagles. Under the BGEPA, the Service may issue limited permits to incidentally "take" eagles (e.g., injury, interfering with normal breeding, feeding, or sheltering behavior nest abandonment). For information on bald and golden eagle management guidelines, we recommend you review information provided at the Service's <u>Bald and Golden Eagle Management Library Collection</u> (https://fws.gov/library/collections/bald-and-golden-eagle-management).

NATIVE BATS

If your species list includes Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*) or northern long-eared bat (*M. septentrionalis*) and the project is expected to impact forested habitat that is appropriate for maternity colonies of these species, forest clearing should occur outside of the period when bats may be present. Federally listed bats could be actively present in forested landscapes from April 1 to October 15 of any year and have non-volant pups from May 15 to July 31 in any year. Non-volant pups are incapable of flight and are vulnerable to disturbance during that time.

Indiana, northern long-eared, and gray (*M. grisescens*) bats are all known to utilize bridges and culverts in Georgia. If your project includes maintenance, construction, or any other modification or demolition to transportation structures, a qualified individual should complete a survey of these structures for bats and submit your findings via the Georgia Bats in Bridges cell phone application, free on Apple and Android devices. Please include these findings in any biological

assessment(s) or other documentation that is submitted to our office for technical assistance or consultation.

Additional information can be found at Georgia Ecological Services' <u>Conservation Planning</u> <u>Toolbox</u> and <u>Bat Conservation in Georgia</u> pages.

MONARCH BUTTERFLY

On December 20, 2020, the Service determined that listing the Monarch butterfly (*Danaus plexippus*) under the Endangered Species Act is warranted but precluded at this time by higher priority listing actions. With this finding, the monarch butterfly becomes a candidate for listing. The Service will review its status each year until we are able to begin developing a proposal to list the monarch.

As it is a candidate for listing, the Service welcomes conservation measures for this species. Recommended, and voluntary, conservation measures for projects in Georgia can be found at our Monarch Conservation in Georgia (https://www.fws.gov/project/monarch-conservation-georgia) page.

EASTERN INDIGO SNAKE

Our office has published guidance documents to assist project proponents in avoiding and minimizing potential impact to the eastern indigo snake. The <u>Visual Encounter Survey Protocol</u> for the Eastern Indigo Snake (<u>Drymarchon couperi</u>) in Georgia is recommended for project proponents or their designees to evaluate the possible presence of the Eastern indigo snake at a proposed project site. The <u>Standard Protection Measures for the Eastern Indigo Snake</u> (<u>Drymarchon couperi</u>) include educational materials and training that can help protect the species by making staff working on a project site aware of their presence and traits. In Georgia, indigo snakes are closely associated with the state-listed gopher tortoise (*Gopherus polyphemus*), a reptile that excavates extensive underground burrows that provide the snake shelter from winter cold and summer desiccation.

SOLAR ENERGY DEVELOPMENT

The Recommended Practices for the Responsible Siting and Design of Solar Development in Georgia were published in September 2023 and are intended to provide voluntary guidance to support consideration of natural resources during the development of photovoltaic solar in Georgia. Furthermore, the Georgia Low Impact Solar Siting Tool (LISST) is available as a web application and as a map layer in IPaC (Find it in the "Layers" Box > "Environmental Data") to provide project managers with the data to identify areas that may be preferred for low-impact development. The tool seeks to support the acceleration of large-scale solar development in areas with less impact to the environment.

STATE AGENCY COORDINATION

Additional information that addresses at-risk or high priority natural resources can be found in the State Wildlife Action Plan (https://georgiawildlife.com/WildlifeActionPlan), at Georgia Department of Natural Resources, Wildlife Resources Division Biodiversity Portal (https://georgiawildlife.com/conservation/species-of-concern), Georgia's Natural, Archaeological, and

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Historic Resources GIS portal (https://www.gnahrgis.org/gnahrgis/index.do), and the <u>Georgia</u> Ecological Services HUC10 Watershed Guidance page.

Thank you for your concern for endangered and threatened species. We appreciate your efforts to identify and avoid impacts to listed and sensitive species in your project area. For further consultation on your proposed activity, please email gaes_gov and reference the project county and your Service Project Tracking Number.

This letter constitutes Georgia Ecological Services' general comments under the authority of the Endangered Species Act.

Attachment(s):

- Official Species List
- Bald & Golden Eagles
- Migratory Birds
- Marine Mammals
- 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:

Georgia Ecological Services Field Office 355 East Hancock Avenue Room 320 Athens, GA 30601-2523 (706) 613-9493

PROJECT SUMMARY

Project Code:

2024-0020059

Project Name:

Academy Creek WWTP

Project Type:

Wastewater Pipeline - Maintenance / Modification - Below Ground

Project Description: Maintenance

Project Location:

The approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: https:// www.google.com/maps/@31.16670465,-81.50368327629627,14z



Counties: Glynn County, Georgia

ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT SPECIES

There is a total of 10 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 Fisheries¹, 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. NOAA Fisheries, 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

West Indian Manatee Trichechus manatus

Threatened

There is final critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. This species is also protected by the Marine Mammal Protection Act, and may have additional consultation requirements.

Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4469

BIRDS

NAME

STATUS

Eastern Black Rail Laterallus jamaicensis ssp. jamaicensis

No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/10477 Threatened

Wood Stork Mycteria americana

Population: AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC

No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8477

Threatened

REPTILES NAME	STATUS
Eastern Indigo Snake Drymarchon couperi No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/646	Threatened
Green Sea Turtle <i>Chelonia mydas</i> Population: North Atlantic DPS There is final critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/6199	Threatened
Hawksbill Sea Turtle <i>Eretmochelys imbricata</i> There is final critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/3656	Endangered
Kemp's Ridley Sea Turtle Lepidochelys kempii There is proposed critical habitat for this species. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5523	Endangered
Leatherback Sea Turtle <i>Dermochelys coriacea</i> There is final critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1493	Endangered
Loggerhead Sea Turtle Caretta caretta Population: Northwest Atlantic Ocean DPS There is final critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1110	Threatened

INSECTS

NAME	STATUS
Monarch Butterfly Danaus plexippus	Candidate
No critical habitat has been designated for this species.	
Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9743	

CRITICAL HABITATS

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

YOU ARE STILL REQUIRED TO DETERMINE IF YOUR PROJECT(S) MAY HAVE EFFECTS ON ALL ABOVE LISTED SPECIES.

BALD & GOLDEN EAGLES

Bald and golden eagles are protected under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act¹ and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act².

Any person or organization who plans or conducts activities that may result in impacts to bald or golden eagles, or their habitats³, should follow appropriate regulations and consider implementing appropriate conservation measures, as described below.

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

There are bald and/or golden eagles in your project area.

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 Haliaeetus leucocephalus

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.

https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1626

Breeds Sep 1 to

Jul 31

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 the supplemental information and specifically the FAQ "Proper Interpretation and Use of Your Migratory Bird Report" before using or attempting to interpret this report.

Probability of Presence (

Green bars; the bird's relative probability of presence in the 10km grid cell(s) your project overlaps during that week of the year.

Breeding Season (

Yellow bars; liberal estimate of the timeframe inside which the bird breeds across its entire range.

Survey Effort (1)

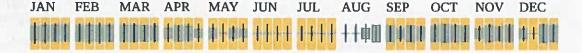
Vertical black lines; the number of surveys performed for that species in the 10km grid cell(s) your project area overlaps.

No Data (-)

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

probability of presence breeding season survey effort — no data

SPECIES
Bald Eagle
Non-BCC
Vulnerable



Additional information can be found using the following links:

- Eagle Managment https://www.fws.gov/program/eagle-management
- Measures for avoiding and minimizing impacts to birds https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/avoiding-and-minimizing-incidental-take-migratory-birds
- Nationwide conservation measures for birds https://www.fws.gov/sites/default/files/documents/nationwide-standard-conservation-measures.pdf
- Supplemental Information for Migratory Birds and Eagles in IPaC https://www.fws.gov/media/supplemental-information-migratory-birds-and-bald-and-golden-eagles-may-occur-project-action

MIGRATORY BIRDS

Certain birds are protected under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act¹ and the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act².

Any person or organization who plans or conducts activities that may result in impacts to migratory birds, eagles, and their habitats³ should follow appropriate regulations and consider implementing appropriate conservation measures, as described below.

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

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

American Kestrel Falco sparverius paulus
This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions
(BCRs) in the continental USA
https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9587

NAME	BREEDING SEASON
American Oystercatcher <i>Haematopus palliatus</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8935	Breeds Apr 15 to Aug 31
Bald Eagle Haliaeetus leucocephalus 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. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1626	Breeds Sep 1 to Jul 31
Black Skimmer Rynchops niger This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5234	Breeds May 20 to Sep 15
Brown-headed Nuthatch Sitta pusilla This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9427	Breeds Mar 1 to Jul 15
Chimney Swift Chaetura pelagica This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9406	Breeds Mar 15 to Aug 25
Coastal (waynes) Black-throated Green Warbler Setophaga virens waynei This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/11879	Breeds May 1 to Aug 15
Gull-billed Tern <i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9501	Breeds May 1 to Jul 31
King Rail Rallus elegans This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8936	Breeds May 1 to Sep 5
Lesser Yellowlegs <i>Tringa flavipes</i> This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9679	Breeds elsewhere
Marbled Godwit Limosa fedoa This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9481	Breeds elsewhere

NAME	BREEDING SEASON
Painted Bunting Passerina ciris This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9511	Breeds Apr 25 to Aug 15
Pectoral Sandpiper Calidris melanotos This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9561	Breeds elsewhere
Prairie Warbler Dendroica discolor This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9513	Breeds May 1 to Jul 31
Red-headed Woodpecker Melanerpes erythrocephalus This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9398	Breeds May 10 to Sep 10
Ruddy Turnstone Arenaria interpres morinella This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) only in particular Bird Conservation Regions (BCRs) in the continental USA https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/10633	Breeds elsewhere
Saltmarsh Sparrow Ammodramus caudacutus This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9719	Breeds May 15 to Sep 5
Short-billed Dowitcher Limnodromus griseus This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9480	Breeds elsewhere
Swallow-tailed Kite Elanoides forficatus This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8938	Breeds Mar 10 to Jun 30
Willet Tringa semipalmata This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/10669	Breeds Apr 20 to Aug 5
Wilson's Plover Charadrius wilsonia This is a Bird of Conservation Concern (BCC) throughout its range in the continental USA and Alaska. https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9722	Breeds Apr 1 to Aug 20

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Probability of Presence (■)

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Breeding Season (*)

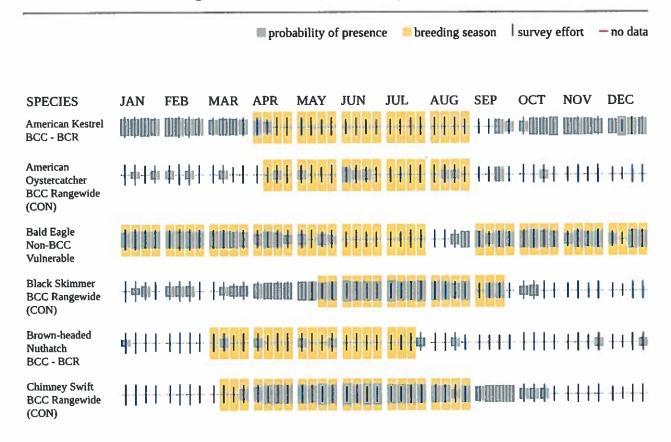
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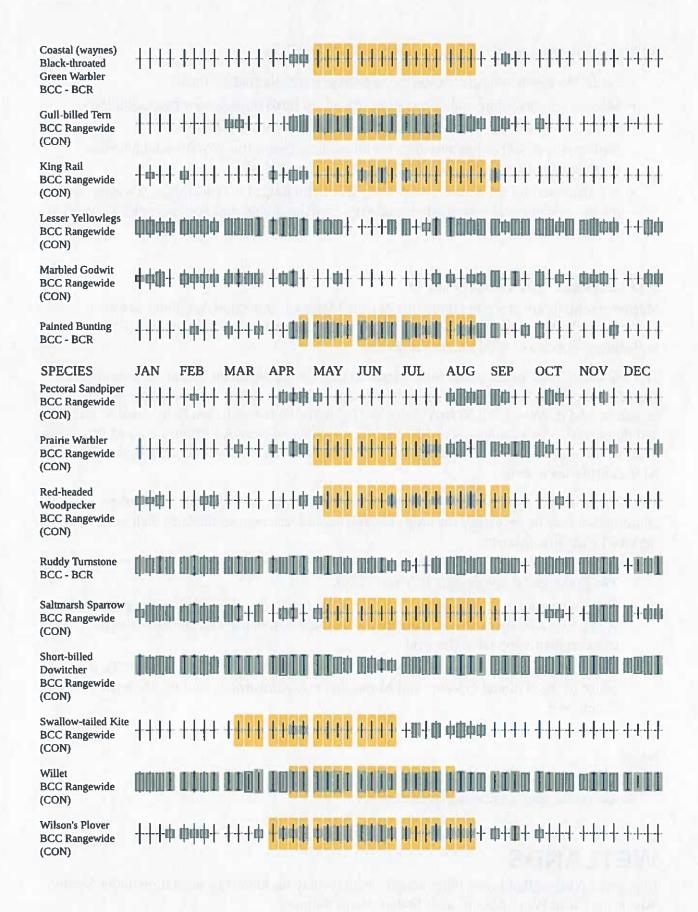
Survey Effort (1)

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MARINE MAMMALS

Marine mammals are protected under the <u>Marine Mammal Protection Act</u>. Some are also protected under the Endangered Species Act¹ and the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora².

The responsibilities for the protection, conservation, and management of marine mammals are shared by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service [responsible for otters, walruses, polar bears, manatees, and dugongs] and NOAA Fisheries³ [responsible for seals, sea lions, whales, dolphins, and porpoises]. Marine mammals under the responsibility of NOAA Fisheries are **not** shown on this list; for additional information on those species please visit the <u>Marine Mammals</u> page of the NOAA Fisheries website.

The Marine Mammal Protection Act prohibits the take of marine mammals and further coordination may be necessary for project evaluation. Please contact the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Field Office shown.

- 1. The Endangered Species Act (ESA) of 1973.
- 2. The <u>Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora</u> (CITES) is a treaty to ensure that international trade in plants and animals does not threaten their survival in the wild.
- NOAA Fisheries, also known as the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), is an
 office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration within the Department of
 Commerce.

NAME

West Indian Manatee Trichechus manatus

Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4469

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.

ESTUARINE AND MARINE WETLAND

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ESTUARINE AND MARINE DEEPWATER

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Appendix D

Photo Pages

P-1



View of existing effluent structure facing Southwest.

P-2



View of existing effluent structure and rip rap-reinforced area facing Southwest.



P-3



View of existing effluent structure and rip rap-reinforced area facing Southeast.

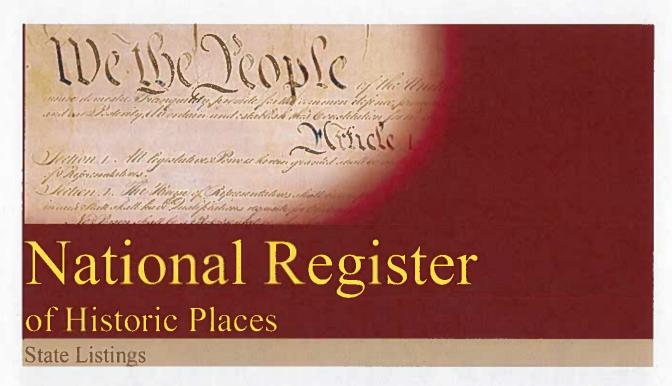
P-4



View of existing effluent structure and rip rap-reinforced areas facing West.







Georgia - Glynn County

Glynn County Georgia has 20 places on the National Register of Historic Places including 6 places of National significance and 5 places of Statewide significance. Significant places include Brunswick Old Town, Faith Chapel, Fort Frederica National Monument, Horton-duBignon House, Brewery Ruins, duBignon Cemetery and Jekyll Island Club.

Prehistoric cultural affiliation(s) include Late Pre-Historic and Early American dating back to 1000.

The famous person Frank B. Strachan is associated with one of more of the Glynn County historic places.

Some of the country's most noteable architects helped create the Glynn County places including George Purvis, Maj. William Horton, James Hamilton Couper, Bvt. Gen. O.M. Poe, Felton Davis, Laurance Miller, U.S. Coast Guard, C.B. Cluskey, Civil Engineer's Office and Francis L. Abreu. Prominent architectural styles found in Glynn Country are Bungalow/Craftsman, Shingle Style and Classical Revival.



Ballard School (added 2004 - - #04001181) Also known as County Community School 323 Old Jesup Hwy., Brunswick



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Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

et.al., Abreu, Francis L.

Architectural Style:

Bungalow/Craftsman, International Style

Area of Significance:

Education, Architecture

Period of Significance:

1950-1974, 1925-1949, 1900-1924

Owner:

Local

Historic Function:

Education

Historic Sub-function:

School

Current Function:

Vacant/Not In Use

More Information:

archives document



Brunswick Old Town (added 1974 - - #74000683)

Also known as Bay St. Urban Renewal Area; See Also: Brunswick Old Town Histo Address Restricted, Brunswick



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Historic Significance:

Information Potential, Event

Area of Significance:

Commerce, Historic - Non-Aboriginal, Prehistoric, Community Planning And Development

Cultural Affiliation:

Late Pre-Historic, Early American

Period of Significance:

1749-1500 AD, 1499-1000 AD

Owner:

Local

Historic Function:

Domestic

Historic Sub-function:

Village Site

Current Function:

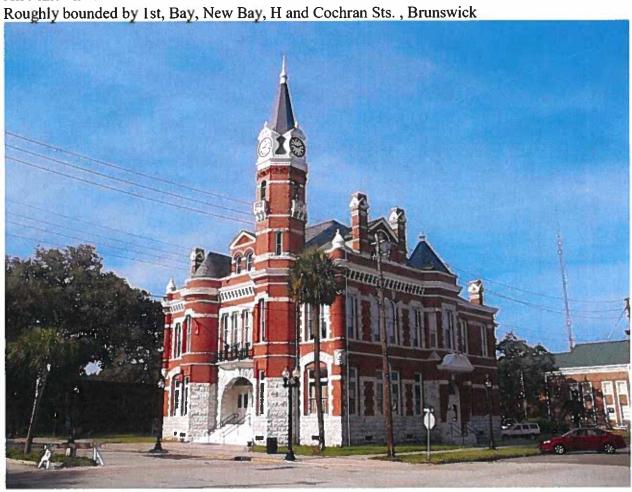
Landscape

Current Sub-function:

Underwater



Brunswick Old Town Historic District (added 1979 - - #79000727) Also known as See Also:Brunswick Old Town



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Historic Significance:

Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

Unknown

Architectural Style:

Queen Anne, Stick/Eastlake

Area of Significance:

Transportation, Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Community Planning And Development

Period of Significance:

1900-1924, 1875-1899, 1850-1874, 1750-1799

Owner:

Local, Private

Historic Function:

Commerce/Trade, Domestic, Landscape

Historic Sub-function:

Business, Park, Single Dwelling

Current Function:

Commerce/Trade, Domestic, Government, Landscape

Current Sub-function:

Business, Government Office, Single Dwelling, Underwater



Colored Memorial School and Risley High School (added 2002 - - #02001290) 1800 Albany St., Brunswick



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Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

Abreu, Francis L.

Architectural Style:

Classical Revival, Other

Area of Significance:

Architecture, Education, Black

Period of Significance:

1950-1974, 1925-1949, 1900-1924

Owner:

Local

Historic Function:

Education

Historic Sub-function:

School

Current Function:

Education

Current Sub-function:

School

More Information:

archives document

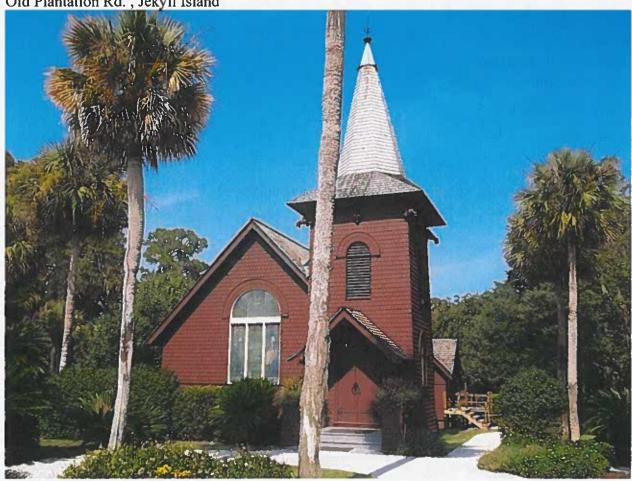
Evelyn Plantation (added 1973 - - #73002309)

NW of GA 99, Brunswick

B

Faith Chapel (added 1971 - - #71000277)

Old Plantation Rd., Jekyll Island



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Historic Significance: Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

Unknown

Architecture
Period of Significance: 1900-1924
Owner: State
Historic Function: Religion
Historic Sub-function: Religious Structure
Current Function: Religion
Current Sub-function: Religious Structure
More Information: archives document
Fort Frederica National Monument (added 1966 #66000065) 12 mi. N of Brunswick, Brunswick

Architectural Style:

Area of Significance:

Shingle Style



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Event

Area of Significance:

Military, Social History

Period of Significance:

1750-1799, 1700-1749

Owner:

Federal

Historic Function:

Defense, Domestic

Historic Sub-function:

Battle Site, Fortification, Village Site

Current Function:

Landscape

Current Sub-function:

Park



Glynn Academy (added 2011 - - #11000775)

SE. corner of Egmont & Monck Sts., Brunswick



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Historic Significance:

Architecture/Engineering

Architectural Style:

Greek Revival

Area of Significance:

Architecture

Period of Significance:

1825-1849

More Information:

archives document



Hamilton Plantation Slave Cabins (added 1988 - - #88000968) Address Restricted, St. Simons Island



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Information Potential, Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

Couper, James Hamilton

Architectural Style:

No Style Listed

Area of Significance:

Historic - Non-Aboriginal, Architecture, Black

Cultural Affiliation:

Black Slave

Period of Significance:

1850-1874, 1825-1849

Owner:

Local, Private

Historic Function:

Domestic

Historic Sub-function:

Multiple Dwelling

Current Function:

Social

Current Sub-function:

Clubhouse



Hofwyl-Broadfield Plantation (added 1976 - - #76000635)

Also known as Hofwyl Plantation

N of Brunswick on U.S. 17, Brunswick



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Historic Significance:

Architecture/Engineering, Event

Architect, builder, or engineer:

Unknown

Architectural Style:

No Style Listed

Area of Significance:

Agriculture, Architecture, Social History

Period of Significance:

1900-1924, 1850-1874, 1800-1824

Owner:

State

Historic Function:

Agriculture/Subsistence, Domestic, Funerary

Historic Sub-function:

Agricultural Fields, Cemetery, Secondary Structure, Single Dwelling

Current Function:

Landscape, Work In Progress

Current Sub-function:

Park

More Information:

archives document

B

Horton-duBignon House, Brewery Ruins, duBignon Cemetery (added 1971 - - #71000278)

Riverview Dr., Jekyll Island



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Historic Significance:

Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:
Horton,Maj. William
Architectural Style:
No Style Listed
Area of Significance:
Industry, Agriculture, Architecture, Military, Social History
Period of Significance:
1850-1874, 1750-1799, 1700-1749
Owner:
State
Historic Function:
Agriculture/Subsistence, Domestic, Funerary
Historic Sub-function:
Cemetery, Processing, Single Dwelling
Current Function:
Landscape, Vacant/Not In Use
Current Sub-function:
Park
More Information:
archives document
R
Jekyll Island Club (added 1972 #72000385)
Between Riverview Dr. and Old Village Blvd., Jekyll Island



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Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

Multiple

Architectural Style:

Late Victorian

Area of Significance:

Architecture, Entertainment/Recreation, Social History

Period of Significance:

1900-1924, 1875-1899

Owner:

State

Historic Function:

Domestic, Social

Historic Sub-function:

Camp, Civic

Current Function:

Landscape, Recreation And Culture

Current Sub-function:

Museum, Park

More Information:

archives document



King and Prince Hotel (added 2005 - - #04001465)

Also known as King and Prince Club; King and Prince Beach Club, King and Prince Surf Hotel; King and Prince Beach and Golf..

201 Arnold Rd., St. Simons Island



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Historic Significance:

Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

Davis, Felton, Miller, Laurance

Architectural Style:

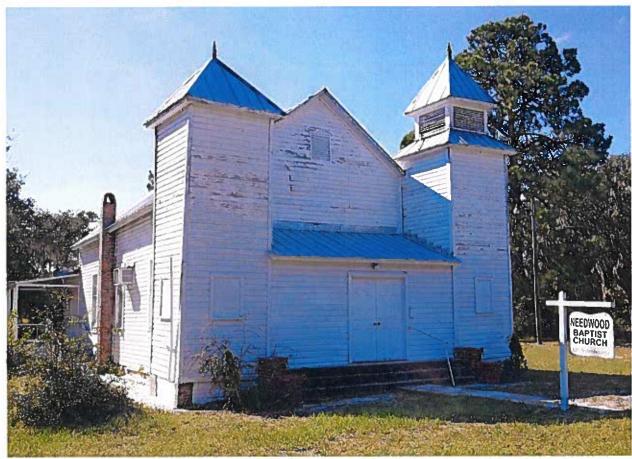
Owner: Private **Historic Function:** Domestic **Historic Sub-function:** Hotel **Current Function:** Domestic **Current Sub-function:** Hotel **More Information:** archives document B Needwood Baptist Church and School (added 1998 - - #98001520) US 17, 1 mi. S of Hofwyl-Broadfield Plantation State Historic Site., Brunswick

Mission/Spanish Revival

Entertainment/Recreation, Architecture

Area of Significance:

Period of Significance: 1950-1974, 1925-1949



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Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architectural Style:

No Style Listed

Area of Significance:

Architecture, Education, Black, Religion

Period of Significance:

1925-1949, 1900-1924, 1875-1899

Owner:

Private

Historic Function:

Education, Religion

Historic Sub-function:

Religious Structure, School

Current Function:

Religion

Current Sub-function:

Religious Structure

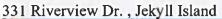
More Information:

archives document



Rockefeller Cottage (added 1971 - - #71000279)

Also known as Rockefeller Museum; Indian Mound; See Also: Jekyll Island Club





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Historic Significance:

Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

Unknown

Architectural Style:

Other, Shingle Style

Area of Significance:

Architecture, Social History

Period of Significance:

1900-1924, 1875-1899

Owner:

State

Historic Function:

Domestic

Historic Sub-function:

Hotel

Current Function:

Landscape, Recreation And Culture

Current Sub-function:

Museum, Park

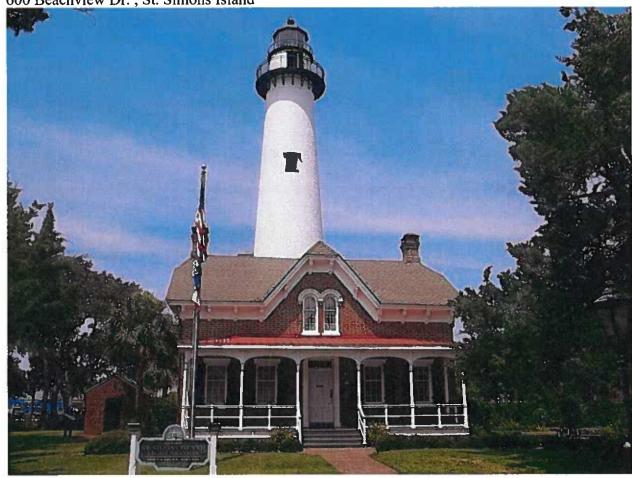
More Information:

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St. Simons Lighthouse and Lighthouse Keepers' Building (added 1972 - - #72000386)

600 Beachview Dr., St. Simons Island



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Historic Significance:

Information Potential, Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer: Cluskey, C.B., Poe, Bvt. Gen. O.M. Architectural Style: Other, Gothic

Area of Significance: Historic - Non-Aboriginal, Transportation, Architecture

Cultural Affiliation:
19th C. Coastal American

Period of Significance: 1850-1874

Owner: Federal, Local

Historic Function:Domestic, Transportation

Historic Sub-function: Multiple Dwelling, Water-Related

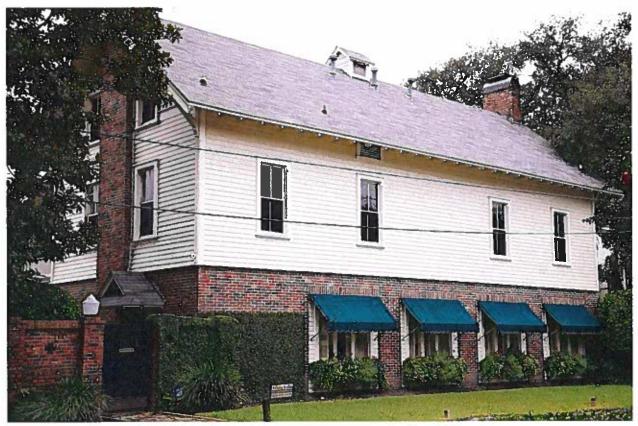
Current Function:
Recreation And Culture

Current Sub-function:

Museum

More Information: archives document

Strachan House Garage (added 1997 - - #97000660) 414 1/2 Butler Ave., Glynn



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Architecture/Engineering, Event, Person

Architectural Style:

Bungalow/Craftsman, Late 19th And Early 20th Century American Movements

Historic Person:

Strachan, Frank B.

Significant Year:

1925

Area of Significance:

Social History, Architecture, Transportation

Period of Significance:

1925-1949

Owner:

Private

Historic Function:

Domestic

Historic Sub-function:

Secondary Structure, Single Dwelling

Current Function:

Domestic

Current Sub-function:

Single Dwelling

More Information:

archives document



US Coast Guard Station--St. Simons Island (added 1998 - - #98000297) 4201 First St., St. Simons Island



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Historic Significance:

Event, Architecture/Engineering

Architect, builder, or engineer:

U.S. Coast Guard, Civil Engineer's Office

Architectural Style:

Colonial Revival

Area of Significance:

Politics/Government, Maritime History, Architecture

Period of Significance:

1925-1949

Owner:

Private

Historic Function:

Transportation

Historic Sub-function:

Water-Related

Current Function:

Education

More Information:

archives document



United States Post Office and Court House (added 2014 - - #14000153)

805 Gloucester, Brunswick



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Windsor Park Historic District (added 2013 - - #13000877) Bounded by Lanier Blvd., Walnut Ave., Gloucester & Magnolia Sts., Brunswick



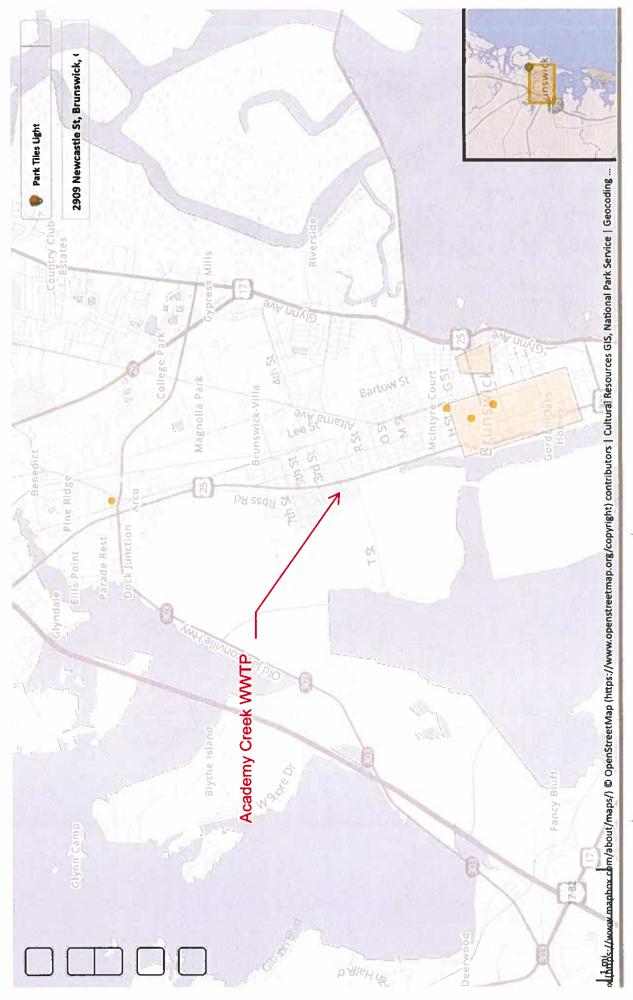
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COASTAL RESOURCES DIVISION ONE CONSERVATION WAY - BRUNSWICK, GA 31520 - 912-264-7218

WALTER RABON COMMISSIONER DOUG HAYMANS DIRECTOR

February 12, 2024

Cait Roman Goodwyn, Mills & Cawood, LLC 800 Broad Street, Suite 900 Augusta, GA 30901

Re: Coastal Marshland Protection Act (CMPA), Jurisdictional Determination Verification, Portion of Wastewater Treatment Facility, Academy Creek, Brunswick, Glynn County, Georgia

Dear Ms. Roman:

Our office has received the survey and plat, dated December 4, 2023, prepared by Shupe Surveying Company, P.C., No. 2401 entitled "CMPA Jurisdiction Line Survey of: BGCJWSC Academy Creek Wastewater Treatment Facility 26th G.M.D., Brunswick, Glynn County, Georgia" prepared for GMC. Based on my site inspection, on November 14, 2023, this plat and survey generally depict the delineation of the marsh/upland boundary as required by the State of Georgia for jurisdiction under the authority of the Coastal Marshlands Protection Act O.C.G.A. § 12-5-280 et seq.

The Coastal Marshlands Protection Act O.C.G.A. § 12-5-280 et seq. delineation of this parcel is subject to change due to environmental conditions and legislative enactments. This jurisdiction line is valid for one year from date of the delineation. It will normally expire on November 14, 2024 but may be voided should legal and/or environmental conditions change.

This letter does not relieve you of the responsibility of obtaining other state, local, or federal permission relative to the site. Authorization by the Coastal Marshlands Protection Committee or this Department is required prior to any construction or alteration in the marsh jurisdictional area. We appreciate you providing us with this information for our records. If you have any questions, please contact me at (912) 264-7218.

Sincerely,

Paul Tobler

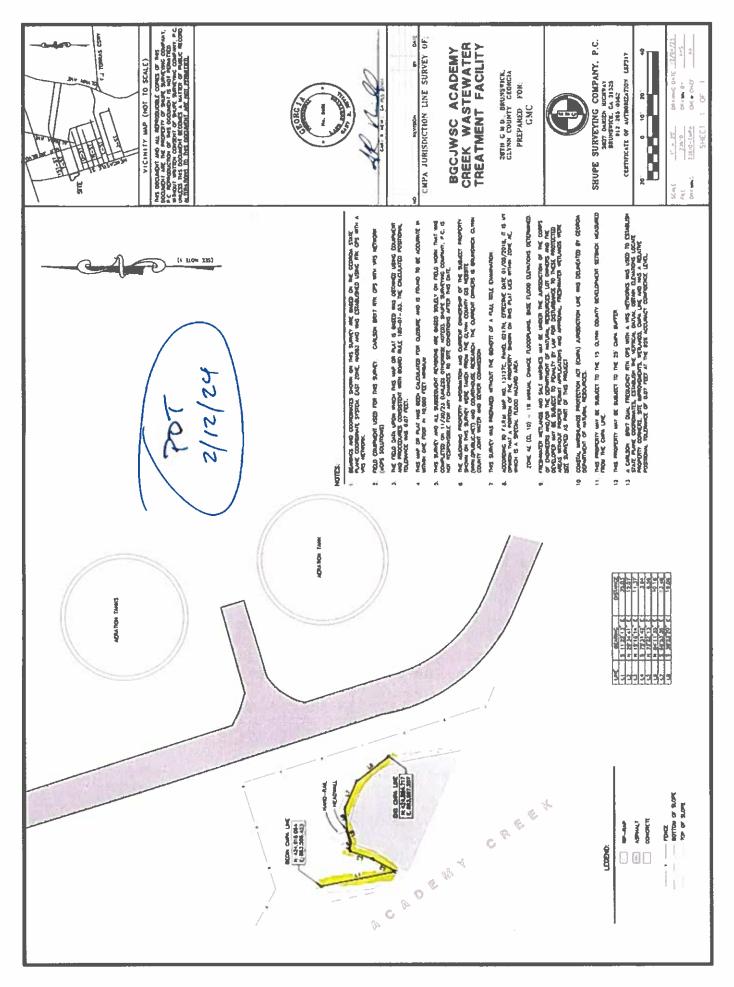
Coastal Permit Coordinator

Marsh and Shore Management Program

Enclosure: CMPA Jurisdiction Line Survey of: BGCJWSC Academy Creek Wastewater

Treatment Facility 26th G.M.D., Brunswick, Glynn County, Georgia

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers – Savannah District ATTN: CESAS-RD-P 4751 Best Road, Suite 140 College Park, Georgia 30337

RE: Pre-Construction Notification

Nationwide Permit 3
Academy Creek WWTP

Brunswick-Glynn Joint Water & Sewer Commission (BGJSWC)

To Whom it May Concern:

On behalf of the Brunswick-Glynn Joint Water & Sewer Commission (BGJSWC), Goodwyn Mills Cawood, LLC (GMC) is submitting this Pre-construction Notification letter for verification of coverage under Nationwide Permit 3 for the proposed maintenance of the effluent force main at the Academy Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP). We have enclosed a Pre-Construction Notification Form (PCN) in Appendix A and the sections below are provided to summarize the location of the required PCN information in this submittal and any additional/supplemental information needed to fully address the required information.

Permittee Contact and Authorized Agent Information:

The permittee contact information is provided in Boxes 5-7, and the authorized agent contact information is provided in Boxes 8-10 of the PCN Form.

Location of the proposed project:

The project location information, including the directions to the site, are provided in Boxes 13-17 of the PCN Form. A general location map and USGS Quadrangle Map are also attached as Figures 1 and 2

Description of the proposed project:

An overall description of the proposed project activities is provided in Box 19 of the PCN Form and the following information provides more detailed information on the project activities located within waters of the U.S.

As stated on the PCN Form, the proposed project includes maintenance at the existing Academy Creek WWTP. The current effluent discharge pipe at the plant is a 36-inch ductile iron pipe that discharges into a coastal marshland near the terminus of the Turtle River. The proposed project involves the installation of another 36-inch ductile iron pipe parallel to the existing pipe, offset 10-foot, in order to meet the demands of the plant and mitigate the impacts of coastal influence at the discharge point.

The existing headwall will be partially demolished and widened approximately 10-feet to accommodate the new pipe. For headwall modifications, approximately 10-cubic yards of existing rip rap must be removed. Following installation of the new pipe and headwall, 10-cubic yards of rip rap will be placed a minimum of 18-inches deep to stabilize the banks and channel bottom. Plan Diagrams of the existing and proposed conditions, including limits of disturbance, are attached.

Figure 3 shows the proposed project area and coastal marshland boundary. As this project is for the upgrade of an existing pipe, no direct or indirect adverse environmental effects are anticipated as a result of this project other than the temporary direct impact associated with installation of the new pipe and widening of the existing headwall. There are no other NWP(s), regional general permit(s), or individual permit(s) intended to be used to authorize any part of the proposed project or any related activity.

Delineation: A review of the area conducted by GMC representatives and verified by the Coastal Resources Division (CRD) of the Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) identified the coastal marsh boundary line, shown on page C-621 of the Project Diagrams and in Figure 3. As a result of the proposed project, approximately 0.008-acres of coastal marshland will be directly impacted for the extension of the existing headwall, while 0.007-acres will be temporarily impacted due to construction activities. Temporary impacts may include placement of vehicles and equipment and installation of BMPs but will not include the placement of fill. No wetlands will be impacted.



Endangered Species Act: GMC utilized the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Information for Planning and Conservation (IPaC) website to review information related to threatened and endangered species and potential critical habitat within the project area. A search of the project areas produced three (3) endangered species and six (6) threatened species, all of which are listed in the table below. There are no designated critical habitats within the project area.

Туре	Name	Status	Critical Habitat
Mammal	West Indian Manatee Trichechus manatus	Threatened	No
Bird	Eastern Black Rail Laterallus jamaicensis	Threatened	No
Bird	Wood Stork Mycteria americana	Threatened	No
Reptile	Eastern Indigo Snake Drymarchon couperi	Threatened	No
Reptile	Green Sea Turtle Chelonia mydas	Threatened	No
Reptile	Hawksbill Sea Turtle Eretmochelys imbricata	Endangered	No
Reptile	Kemp's Ridley Sea Turtle Lepidochelys kempii	Endangered	No
Reptile	Leatherback Sea Turtle Dermochelys coriacea	Endangered	No
Reptile	Loggerhead Sea Turtle Caretta caretta	Threatened	No

GMC conducted a site reconnaissance of the project area on November 14th, 2023. Although the project areas contain adjacent habitat suitable for some of the listed species, the clearing of the area, existing rip rap, and existing WWTP discharge point make habitat conditions sub-optimal. A GMC biologist did not identify the presence of any of the species included in the table above. Therefore, the proposed project should have no adverse effect on the listed species or their habitat. IPaC official species lists can be found for both sites in Appendix C.

Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act: GMC reviewed readily available information related to the potential for the proposed project to affect a historic property listed on, determined to be eligible for listing on, or potentially eligible for listing on, the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). The information obtained indicates that there are no known historic structures or historic areas within the project area. A copy of the list of NRHP sites in Glynn County, GA and a NRHP map with the project location identified is provided in Appendix D.

If you have questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at 702-285-3496 or via email at caitlin.roman@gmcnetwork.com.

Sincerely,

GOODWYN MILLS CAWOOD, LLC.

Cait Roman, MSc

Biologist, Environmental - Augusta

Enclosures:

Figures

Figure 1 - Location Map

Figure 2 - USGS Quadrangle Map

Figure 3 - Project Map and Delineation

Appendix A - NWP PCN Form (ENG Form 6082)

Appendix B - Project Diagrams

Appendix C - USFWS IPaC Official Species List

Appendix D - Photo Pages

Appendix E – Section 106 Documentation

FEDERAL CONSISTENCY CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

Applicant Email: aburroughs@bgjswc.org	Phone: 912-261-7108
Agent Name (if applicable): Cellin Roman	Phone: 702-285-3496
To Whom It May Concern:	
This is to certify that I have made application to the U.S. Army to impact Waters of the United States and that such proposonsistent with Georgia's Coastal Management Program.	y Corps of Engineers (USACE) for authorization posed work is, to the best of my knowledge
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Attached is a copy of my application to USACE (require	ed)
Signature of Applicant:	Date: 12-7-23
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