

Exhibit W. Foti - Highway 3120 N Wetlands Delineation Report





March 8, 2018

Via Electronic Mail

Mr. Jim Cavanaugh
Baton Rouge Area Chamber
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Re: Wetland Data Report
Foti Highway 3120 N Project
Ascension Parish, Louisiana
Providence Project No. 1204-001

Dear Mr. Cavanaugh:

On behalf of Baton Rouge Area Chamber (BRAC), Providence Engineering and Environmental Group LLC (Providence) is submitting this wetland data report for the Foti Highway 3120 N project (hereinafter referred to as Site) in Ascension Parish, Louisiana.

BACKGROUND

The purpose of this report is to present field data, habitat descriptions, and other pertinent information on the three diagnostic characteristics of wetlands. This report was prepared in accordance with the *Corps of Engineers Wetlands Delineation Manual* (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Waterways Experiment Station 1987) and subsequent guidance provided in the Regional Supplement to the *Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: Atlantic and Gulf Coastal Plain Region* (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Wetland Regulatory Assistance Program 2010). Providence biologists visited the Site on September 1, 2017, and collected field data on the three diagnostic wetland parameters – soils, vegetation, and hydrology.

Prior to field reconnaissance, Providence reviewed the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Web Soil Survey (2016), the *Soil Survey of Ascension Parish* (United States Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service 1990), United States Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5-minute topographic maps, and recent aerial photography. Included for your review are: **Figure 1** – Vicinity Map, **Figure 2** – Site Location Map, **Figure 3** - Aerial Photograph, **Figure 4** – Soils Map, **Exhibit 1** – Copies of Site Photographs, and **Exhibit 2** – Routine Wetland Determination Data Forms – Atlantic and Gulf Coastal Plain Region.

PROJECT LOCATION & DESCRIPTION

The 9.79-acre Site is centered at Latitude 30.097715°; Longitude -90.942316° in Sections 7 and 10, Township 11 South, Range 15 East of Ascension Parish. Access to the Site is via Simneaux Derrick Road. The Site is characterized by upland pasture with linear historical ephemeral drains.

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SOILS

The NRCS Web Soil Survey was used to determine mapped soil series. The revised official series descriptions were used to confirm profile matrix, redox features, and texture of soils underlying the Site. The Web Soil Survey shows that the Site may be underlain by three soil map units (NRCS Web Soil Survey 2016). **Table 1** shows the soil map unit's individual soil components, component percentage, and hydric status in Ascension Parish (NRCS Survey Area Data, Version 11, September 23, 2016).

Table 1: NRCS Web Soil Survey Data

Map Unit Name	Soil Series/ Component	Component Percentage	Hydric Status
Cm: Commerce silt loam, 0 to 1 percent slopes			
	Commerce	65-88	No
	Bruin	4-15	No
	Tensas	3-10	--
	Sharkey	3-5	Yes
	Newelton	2-5	--
Co: Commerce silty clay loam			
	Commerce	90	No
	Sharkey	10	Yes
Tu: Thibaut clay, 0 to 1 percent slopes			
	Thibaut	85	Yes
	Schriever	10	Yes
	Cancienne	5	No

Providence collected soil samples between the surface and approximately 16 inches. The depth of each sample was sufficient to determine changes in upper horizons and to observe field indicators of hydric soils. Based on field observations, the wetland criterion for hydric soils was met at three of the five sample locations established by Providence to characterize the Site.

VEGETATION¹

Indicator statuses for dominant vegetation on the Site consists of facultative upland (FACU), facultative (FAC), facultative wetland (FACW), and obligate (OBL) species. **Table 2** is a list of the dominant species observed at the Site.

Table 2: Dominant Plant Species

Common Name	Scientific Name	Cowardin Class
Bahia grass	<i>Paspalum notatum</i>	FACU
Big bluestem	<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>	FAC
Blunt spike-rush	<i>Eleocharis obtusa</i>	OBL

¹ Lichvar, R.W., M. Butterwick, N.C. Melvin, and W.N. Kirchner. 2014. *The National Wetland Plant List: 2014 Update of Wetland Ratings*. Phytoneuron 2014-41: 1-42

Common Name	Scientific Name	Cowardin Class
Lamp rush	<i>Juncus effusus</i>	OBL
Rusty flat sedge	<i>Cyperus odoratus</i>	FACW
Short-bristle horned beak sedge	<i>Rhynchospora corniculata</i>	OBL
Virginia buttonweed	<i>Diodia virginiana</i>	FACW

The wetland criterion for a prevalence of hydrophytic vegetation was met at four of the five sample locations established by Providence to characterize the Site.

HYDROLOGY

The Site is in the East Central Louisiana Coastal watershed; within the United States Geological Survey (USGS) Hydrologic Cataloguing Unit 08090301. Hydrology on the Site is influenced by rainfall and sheetflow. Primary and Secondary indicators of hydrology observed at the Site include: saturation, surface water, high water table, and positive FAC-neutral tests. The wetland criterion for hydrology was met at two of the five sample locations established by Providence biologists to characterize the Site.

CONCLUSIONS

It appears that approximately 1,152.49 linear feet (1.35 acres) of potential Other Waters of the U.S. from historical ephemeral drains may be present on the Site.

As requested in the solicitation for wetland services sent to Providence on August 17, 2017, below are the answers to the following questions:

1. **Do wetlands and/or other waterways exist on or near the site?**
 - a. Yes, other waters are present on the site and are included in the attached figures and shapefiles.
2. **If wetlands are present, has a section 404 Permit Application been submitted to USACE?**
 - a. No
3. **If wetlands are present, has a section 404 Permit Application been received from USACE?**
 - a. No
4. **If wetlands are present, have all wetlands on the site been mitigated?**
 - a. No

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at (225) 766-7400 or timkimmel@providenceeng.com.

Sincerely,



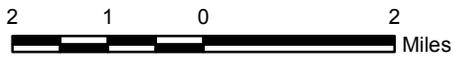
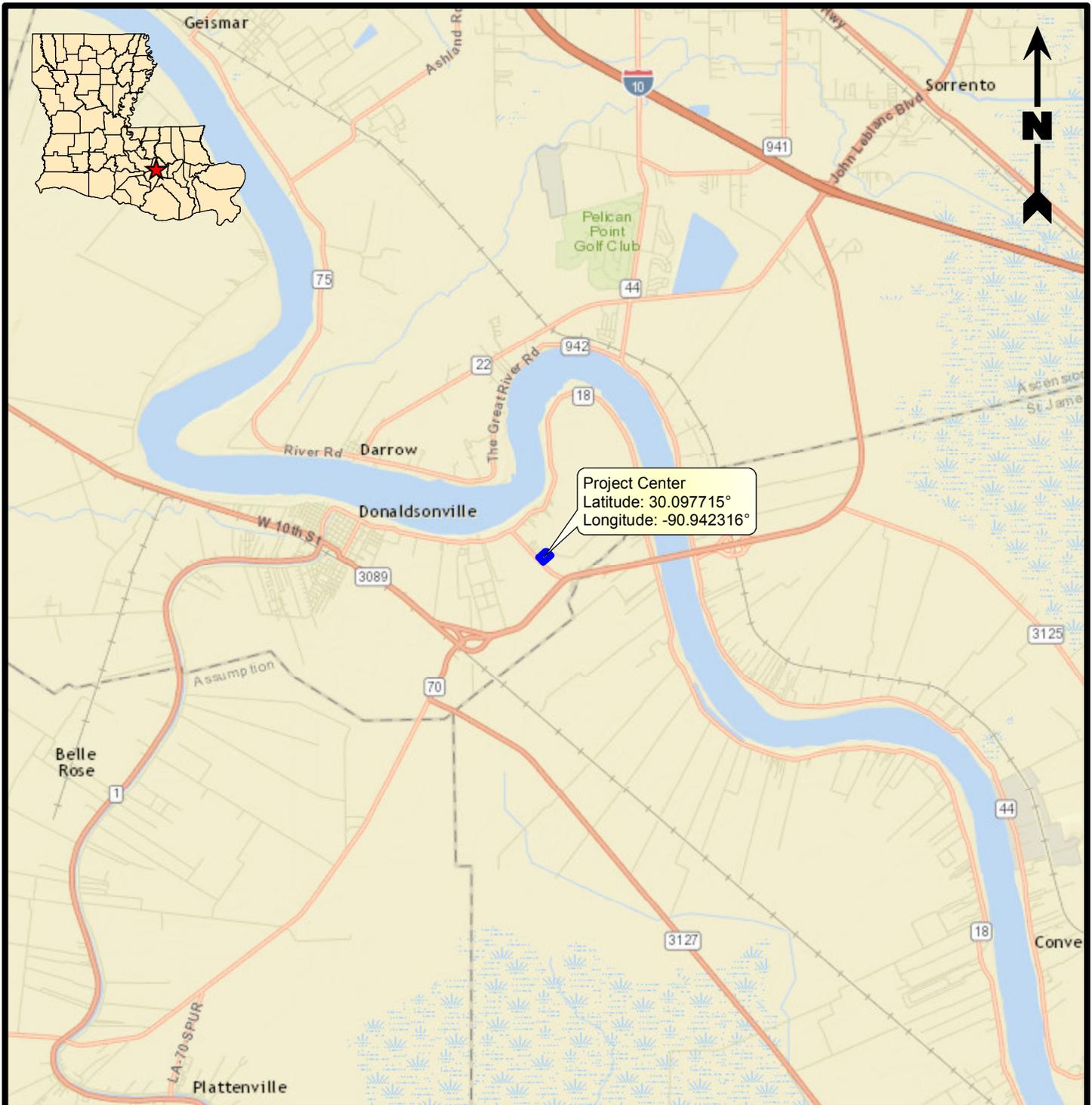
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FIGURES



Legend

 Limits of Delineation (9.79 Acres)

Reference

Base map comprised of ESRI StreetMap USA data.

Vicinity Map

Wetland Data Report
Ascension Parish, Louisiana

Baton Rouge Area Chamber
Foti Highway 3120 N Project

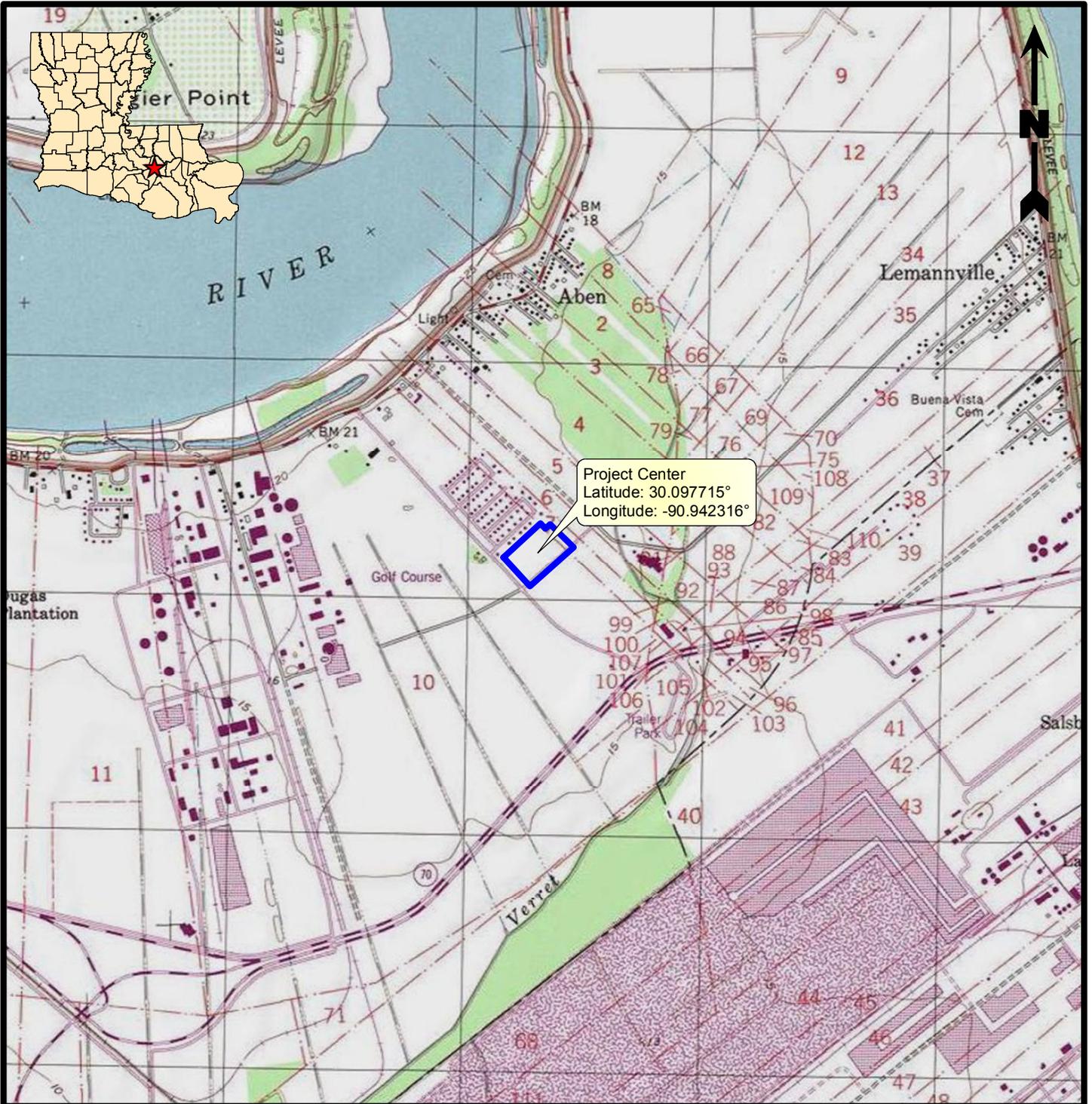


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Figure



Legend

 Limits of Delineation (9.79 Acres)

Reference

Base map comprised of United States Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5-minute topographic map, "Donaldsonville, LA".

Site Location Map

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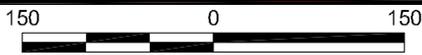
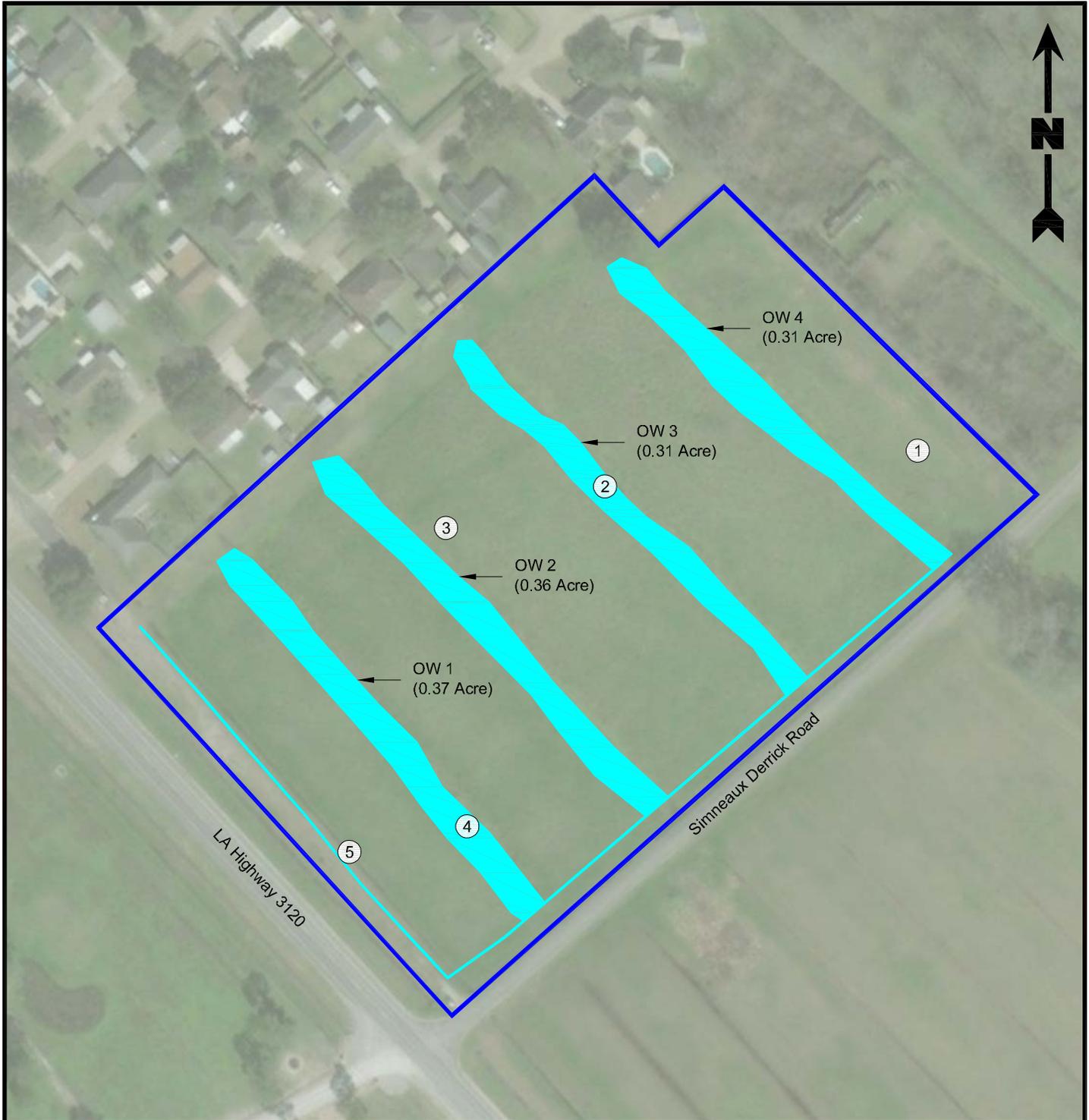


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Figure



Legend

- Limits of Delineation (9.79 Acres)
- Potential Other Waters of The U.S. (1,152.49 Linear Feet; 1.35 Acres)
- ③ Sample Location

Reference

Base map comprised of Bing Maps aerial imagery from (c) 2017 Microsoft Corporation and its data suppliers, exported 09/11/17.

Aerial Photograph

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Ascension Parish, Louisiana

Baton Rouge Area Chamber
Foti Highway 3120 N Project



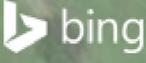
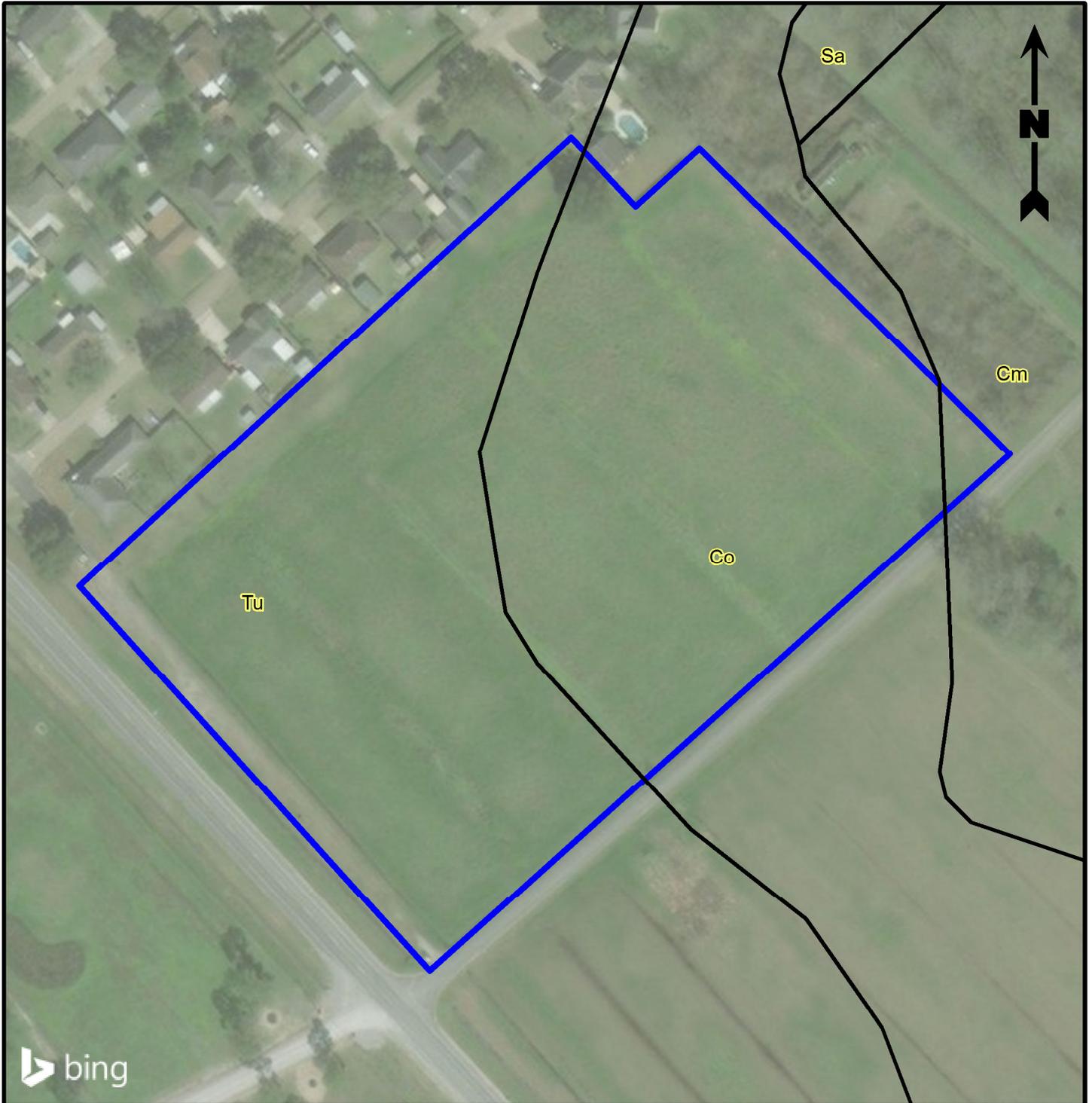
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Figure



Legend

- Limits of Delineation (9.79 Acres)
- Soils Data:
 - Cm - Commerce silt loam
 - Co - Commerce silty clay loam
 - Tu - Thibaut clay, 0 to 1 percent slopes

Reference

Base map comprised of Bing Maps aerial imagery from (c) 2017 Microsoft Corporation and its data suppliers. Soils data obtained from Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) data-server.

Soils Map

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Ascension Parish, Louisiana

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Figure

EXHIBIT 1
COPIES OF SITE PHOTOGRAPHS

Baton Rouge Area Chamber

Site Name:	Foti Highway 3120 N
Site Location:	Ascension Parish, Louisiana
Date:	September 1, 2017

Photograph #1A

Direction:

N/A

Comments:

View of soil profile at Sample Location 1.



Photograph #1B

Direction:

West

Comments:

View of habitat and typical landscape features at Sample Location 1.



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Site Name:	Foti Highway 3120 N
Site Location:	Ascension Parish, Louisiana
Date:	September 1, 2017

Photograph #2A

Direction:

N/A

Comments:

View of soil profile at Sample Location 2.



Photograph #2B

Direction:

West

Comments:

View of habitat and typical landscape features at Sample Location 2.



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Site Name:	Foti Highway 3120 N
Site Location:	Ascension Parish, Louisiana
Date:	September 1, 2017

Photograph #3A

Direction:

N/A

Comments:

View of soil profile at Sample Location 3.



Photograph #3B

Direction:

East

Comments:

View of habitat and typical landscape features at Sample Location 3.

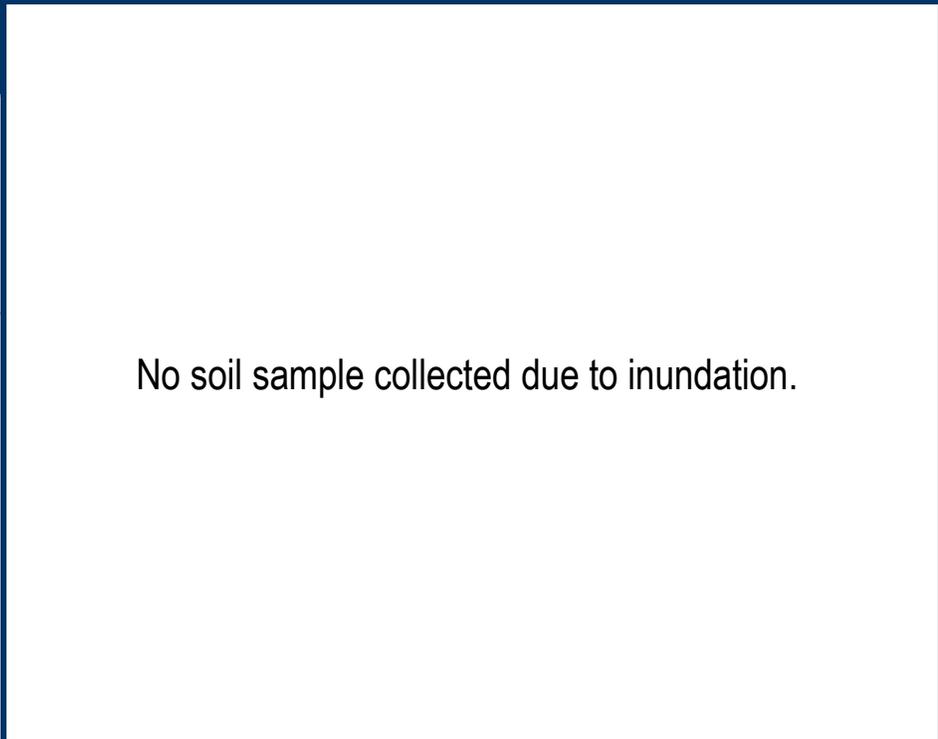


Site Name:	Foti Highway 3120 N
Site Location:	Ascension Parish, Louisiana
Date:	September 1, 2017

Photograph #4A

Direction:
N/A

Comments:
View of soil profile at Sample Location 4.



No soil sample collected due to inundation.

Photograph #4B

Direction:
North

Comments:
View of habitat and typical landscape features at Sample Location 4.



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Site Name:	Foti Highway 3120 N
Site Location:	Ascension Parish, Louisiana
Date:	September 1, 2017

Photograph #5A

Direction:

N/A

Comments:

View of soil profile at Sample Location 5.



Photograph #5B

Direction:

North

Comments:

View of habitat and typical landscape features at Sample Location 5.



EXHIBIT 2

**ROUTINE WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORMS –
ATLANTIC AND GULF COASTAL PLAIN REGION**

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - ATLANTIC AND GULF COASTAL PLAIN REGION

Project/Site: Foti Highway 3120 N		Parish: Ascension		Sampling Date: 9/1/2017	
Applicant/Owner: Baton Rouge Area Chamber		State: Louisiana		Sampling Point: 1	
Investigator(s): Tanner Jones, Tim Kimmel		Section, Township, Range:		Section 7, Township 11 South, Range 15 East	
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Flat		Local Relief (concave, convex, none): None		Slope: 0%	
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR O		Lat: 30.098057°	Long: -90.941146°	Datum: NAD83	
Soil Map Unit Name: Commerce silty clay loam		NW1 Classification: None			
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes (If no explain in Remarks)					
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly disturbed? No		Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes			
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problematic? No		(If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)			

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS	
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	No
Hydric Soil Present?	No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	No
Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	
No	
Remarks:	

HYDROLOGY	
Wetland Hydrology Indicators	
Primary Indicators (Need 1):	Secondary Indicators (Need 2):
No Surface Water (A1)	No Surface Soil Cracked (B6)
No High Water Table (A2)	No Sparsely Veg. Concave Surface (B8)
No Saturation (A3)	No Drainage Patterns (B10)
No Water Marks (B1)	No Moss Trim Lines (B16)
No Sediment Deposits (B2)	No Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
No Drift Deposits (B3)	No Crayfish Burrows (C8)
No Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	No Saturation on Aerial Imagery (C9)
No Iron Deposits (B5)	No Geomorphic Position (D2)
No Inundation on Aerial Imagery (B7)	No Shallow Aquitard (D3)
No Water Stained Leaves (B9)	No FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
No Aquatic Fauna (B13)	No Sphagnum Moss (D8) (LRR T, U)
No Marl Deposits (B15) (LRR U)	
No Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	
No Oxidized Root Channels (C3)	
No Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	
No Recent Reduct. in Tilled Soils (C6)	
No Thin Muck Surface (C7)	
No Other (Explain in Remarks)	

Field Observations:		Wetland Hydrology Present?	
Surface Water Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A
Water table Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A
Saturation Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A
Remarks:		No	

SOIL							
Depth Inches	Matrix		Redox Features			Location	Texture
0-16	Color	%	Color	%	Type		
	10YR 3/3	95	10YR 5/8	5	C	M	silty clay

Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:		Indicators for Problematic Soils:	
No Histol (A1)	No Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR S,T,U)	No 1cm Muck (A9) (LRR O)	
No Histic Epipedon (A2)	No Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR S,T,U)	No 2cm Muck (A10) (LRR S)	
No Black Histic (A3)	No Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (LRR O)	No Reduced Vertic (F18) (outside MLRA 150A,B)	
No Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	No Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	No Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (LRR P,S,T)	
No Stratified Layers (A5)	No Depleted Matrix (F3)	No Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 153B)	
No Organic Bodies (A6) (LRR P,T,U)	No Redox Dark Surface (F6)	No Red Parent Material (TF2)	
No 5cm Mucky Mineral (A7) (LRR P,T,U)	No Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	No Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)	
No Muck Presence (A8) (LRR U)	No Redox Depressions (F8)	No Other (Explain)	
No 1cm Muck (A9) (LRR P,T)	No Mari (F10) (LRR U)		
No Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	No Depleted Ochric (F11) (MLRA 151)		
No Thick Dark Surface (A12)	No Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR O,P,T)		
No Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (MLRA 150A)	No Umbric Surface (F13) (LRR P, T, U)		
No Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1) (LRR O,S)	No Delta Ochric (F17) (MLRA 151)		
No Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	No Reduced Vertic (F18) (MLRA 150A, 150B)		
No Sandy Redox (S5)	No Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149A)		
No Stripped Matrix (S6)	No Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MRLA 149A, 153C, 153D)		
No Dark Surface (S7) (LRR P, S, T, U)			

Restrictive Layer (if observed):		Hydric Soil Present?	
Type:	None	No	
Depth inches:	None		
Remarks:			

VEGETATION

SAMPLING POINT

1

Tree Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Dominance Test Worksheet:
None					Number of Dominant Species That are OBL, FACW, or FAC (A): <u>1</u>
					Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata <u>2</u>
					Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC (A/B): <u>50.00%</u>
<u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0					Prevalence Index Worksheet: Total % Cover of: <u> </u> Multiply OBL x1= <u> </u> FACW x2= <u> </u> FAC x3= <u> </u> FACU x4= <u> </u> UPL x5= <u> </u> A Totals B <u> </u>
Sapling Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Prevalence Index Worksheet:
None					Prevalence Index (B/A)= <u> </u>
					Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
					Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Veg: <u>No</u>
					Dominance Test > 50%: <u>No</u>
					Prevalence Index is ≤3.0: <u>N/A</u>
					Problematic Hydrophytic Veg: <u>No</u>
<u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0					Definitions of Vegetation Strata: Tree - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 20' or more in height and 3" or larger in DBH. Sapling - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 20' or more in height and less than 3" in DBH. Shrub - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 3-20' in height. Herb - All herbaceous plants, including herbaceous vines, regardless of size. Includes woody plants, except woody vines, less than approximately 3' in height. Woody vine - All woody vines, regardless of height.
Shrub Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Remarks:
None					
<u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0					
Herb Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Remarks:
<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>		60	Yes	FAC	
<i>Paspalum notatum</i>		40	Yes	FACU	
<i>Diodia virginiana</i>		20	No	FACW	
<i>Sorghum halepense</i>		20	No	FACU	
<i>Ipomoea cordatotriloba</i>		20	No	FACU	
<i>Vicia ludoviciana</i>		20	No	FACU	
<i>Mimosa pudica</i>		10	No	FACU	
<i>Phleum pratense</i>		10	No	FACU	
<u>200</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 100 20% of Total Cover = 40					
Woody Vine Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?
None					<u>No</u>
<u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0					

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Hydric Soil Present?	Yes
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No Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	
No Recent Reduct. in Tilled Soils (C6)	
No Thin Muck Surface (C7)	
No Other (Explain in Remarks)	

Field Observations:		Wetland Hydrology Present?	
Surface Water Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A
Water table Present?	Yes	Depth (inches):	16
Saturation Present?	Yes	Depth (inches):	0-16
Remarks:		Yes	

SOIL							
Depth Inches	Matrix		Redox Features			Texture	
	Color	%	Color	%	Type	Location	
0-4	10YR 3/2	100					silty clay
4-16	10YR 4/2	95	10YR 3/6	5	C	M	silty clay

Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix

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No Black Histic (A3)	No Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (LRR O)	No Reduced Vertic (F18) (outside MLRA 150A,B)	
No Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	No Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	No Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (LRR P,S,T)	
No Stratified Layers (A5)	Yes Depleted Matrix (F3)	No Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 153B)	
No Organic Bodies (A6) (LRR P,T,U)	No Redox Dark Surface (F6)	No Red Parent Material (TF2)	
No 5cm Mucky Mineral (A7) (LRR P,T,U)	No Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	No Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)	
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No Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	No Reduced Vertic (F18) (MLRA 150A, 150B)		
No Sandy Redox (S5)	No Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149A)		
No Stripped Matrix (S6)	No Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 149A, 153C, 153D)		
No Dark Surface (S7) (LRR P, S, T, U)			

Restrictive Layer (if observed):		Hydric Soil Present?	
Type:	None	Yes	
Depth inches:	None		
Remarks:			

VEGETATION

SAMPLING POINT

Tree Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Dominance Test Worksheet:
None					Number of Dominant Species That are OBL, FACW, or FAC (A): <u>2</u>
					Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata <u>3</u>
					Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC (A/B): <u>66.67%</u>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0</p>					Prevalence Index Worksheet: Total % Cover of: <u> </u> <u>Multiply</u> OBL x1= <u> </u> FACW x2= <u> </u> FAC x3= <u> </u> FACU x4= <u> </u> UPL x5= <u> </u> A Totals B <u> </u>
					Prevalence Index (B/A)= <u> </u>
					Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators: Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Veg: <u>No</u> Dominance Test > 50%: <u>Yes</u> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0: <u>N/A</u> Problematic Hydrophytic Veg: <u>No</u>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0</p>					Definitions of Vegetation Strata: Tree - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 20' or more in height and 3" or larger in DBH. Sapling - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 20' or more in height and less than 3" in DBH. Shrub - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 3-20' in height. Herb - All herbaceous plants, including herbaceous vines, regardless of size. Includes woody plants, except woody vines, less than approximately 3' in height. Woody vine - All woody vines, regardless of height.
Shrub Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Remarks:
None					
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0</p>					
Herb Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Remarks:
<i>Paspalum notatum</i>		30	Yes	FACU	
<i>Juncus effusus</i>		20	Yes	OBL	
<i>Rhynchospora corniculata</i>		20	Yes	OBL	
<i>Cyperus odoratus</i>		10	No	FACW	
<i>Persicaria pensylvanica</i>		10	No	FACW	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>90</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 45 20% of Total Cover = 18</p>					
Woody Vine Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? <p style="text-align: center;"><u> </u> Yes</p>
None					
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0</p>					

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - ATLANTIC AND GULF COASTAL PLAIN REGION

Project/Site:	Foti Highway 3120 N	Parish: Ascension	Sampling Date:	9/1/2017
Applicant/Owner:	Baton Rouge Area Chamber	State: Louisiana	Sampling Point:	3
Investigator(s):	Tanner Jones, Tim Kimmel	Section, Township, Range:	Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 15 East	
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.):	Flat	Local Relief (concave, convex, none):	None	Slope: 0-1%
Subregion (LRR or MLRA):	LRR O	Lat: 30.097854°	Long: -90.942705°	Datum: NAD83
Soil Map Unit Name:	Thibaut clay	NWI Classification: None		
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes (If no explain in Remarks)				
Are Vegetation _____, Soil _____, or Hydrology _____ significantly disturbed? No Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes				
Are Vegetation _____, Soil _____, or Hydrology _____ naturally problematic? No (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)				

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS	
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes
Hydric Soil Present?	No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	No
Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	
No	
Remarks:	

HYDROLOGY			
Wetland Hydrology Indicators		Secondary Indicators (Need 2):	
Primary Indicators (Need 1):		No Surface Soil Cracked (B6)	
No Surface Water (A1)	No Water Stained Leaves (B9)	No Sparsely Veg. Concave Surface (B8)	
No High Water Table (A2)	No Aquatic Fauna (B13)	No Drainage Patterns (B10)	
No Saturation (A3)	No Marl Deposits (B15) (LRR U)	No Moss Trim Lines (B16)	
No Water Marks (B1)	No Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	No Dry-Season Water Table (C2)	
No Sediment Deposits (B2)	No Oxidized Root Channels (C3)	No Crayfish Burrows (C8)	
No Drift Deposits (B3)	No Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	No Saturation on Aerial Imagery (C9)	
No Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	No Recent Reduct. in Tilled Soils (C6)	No Geomorphic Position (D2)	
No Iron Deposits (B5)	No Thin Muck Surface (C7)	No Shallow Aquitard (D3)	
No Inundation on Aerial Imagery (B7)	No Other (Explain in Remarks)	Yes FAC-Neutral Test (D5)	
		No Sphagnum Moss (D8) (LRR T, U)	

Field Observations:				Wetland Hydrology Present?	
Surface Water Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A	No	
Water table Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A		
Saturation Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A		
Remarks:					

SOIL							
Depth Inches	Matrix		Redox Features			Location	Texture
	Color	%	Color	%	Type		
0-16	10YR 4/3	95	10YR 3/6	5	C	M	clay

Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:				Indicators for Problematic Soils:			
No Histol (A1)	No Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR S,T,U)	No 1cm Muck (A9) (LRR O)		No 2cm Muck (A10) (LRR S)			
No Histic Epipedon (A2)	No Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR S,T,U)	No Reduced Vertic (F18) (outside MLRA 150A,B)		No Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (LRR P,S,T)			
No Black Histic (A3)	No Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (LRR O)	No Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 153B)		No Red Parent Material (TF2)			
No Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	No Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	No Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)		No Other (Explain)			
No Stratified Layers (A5)	No Depleted Matrix (F3)						
No Organic Bodies (A6) (LRR P,T,U)	No Redox Dark Surface (F6)						
No 5cm Mucky Mineral (A7) (LRR P,T,U)	No Depleted Dark Surface (F7)						
No Muck Presence (A8) (LRR U)	No Redox Depressions (F8)						
No 1cm Muck (A9) (LRR P,T)	No Marl (F10) (LRR U)						
No Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	No Depleted Ochric (F11) (MLRA 151)						
No Thick Dark Surface (A12)	No Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR O,P,T)						
No Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (MLRA 150A)	No Umbric Surface (F13) (LRR P, T, U)						
No Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1) (LRR O,S)	No Delta Ochric (F17) (MLRA 151)						
No Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	No Reduced Vertic (F18) (MLRA 150A, 150B)						
No Sandy Redox (S5)	No Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149A)						
No Stripped Matrix S6	No Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 149A, 153C, 153D)						
No Dark Surface (S7) (LRR P, S, T, U)							

Restrictive Layer (if observed):		Hydric Soil Present?	
Type:	None	No	
Depth inches:	None		

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - ATLANTIC AND GULF COASTAL PLAIN REGION

Project/Site:	Foti Highway 3120 N	Parish: Ascension	Sampling Date:	9/1/2017
Applicant/Owner:	Baton Rouge Area Chamber	State: Louisiana	Sampling Point:	4
Investigator(s):	Tanner Jones, Tim Kimmel	Section, Township, Range:	Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 15 East	
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.):	Flat	Local Relief (concave, convex, none):	None	Slope: 0-1%
Subregion (LRR or MLRA):	LRR O	Lat: 30.097003°	Long: -90.942635°	Datum: NAD83
Soil Map Unit Name:	Thibaut clay	NWI Classification: None		
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes (If no explain in Remarks)				
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly disturbed? No Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes				
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problematic? No (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)				

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS	
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes
Hydric Soil Present?	Yes
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes
Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	
Yes	
Remarks:	

HYDROLOGY			
Wetland Hydrology Indicators		Secondary Indicators (Need 2):	
Primary Indicators (Need 1):			
Yes	Surface Water (A1)	No	Water Stained Leaves (B9)
No	High Water Table (A2)	No	Aquatic Fauna (B13)
No	Saturation (A3)	No	Marl Deposits (B15) (LRR U)
No	Water Marks (B1)	No	Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
No	Sediment Deposits (B2)	No	Oxidized Root Channels (C3)
No	Drift Deposits (B3)	No	Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
No	Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	No	Recent Reduct. in Tilled Soils (C6)
No	Iron Deposits (B5)	No	Thin Muck Surface (C7)
No	Inundation on Aerial Imagery (B7)	No	Other (Explain in Remarks)
		No Surface Soil Cracked (B6) No Sparsely Veg. Concave Surface (B8) No Drainage Patterns (B10) No Moss Trim Lines (B16) No Dry-Season Water Table (C2) No Crayfish Burrows (C8) No Saturation on Aerial Imagery (C9) No Geomorphic Position (D2) No Shallow Aquitard (D3) Yes FAC-Neutral Test (D5) No Sphagnum Moss (D8) (LRR T, U)	

Field Observations:				
Surface Water Present?	Yes	Depth (inches):	6	Wetland Hydrology Present? <u>Yes</u>
Water table Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A	
Saturation Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A	
Remarks:				

SOIL						
Depth	Matrix		Redox Features			Texture
Inches	Color	%	Color	%	Type	Location
N/A						

Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:				Indicators for Problematic Soils:			
No	Histol (A1)	No	Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR S,T,U)	No	1cm Muck (A9) (LRR O)		
No	Histic Epipedon (A2)	No	Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR S,T,U)	No	2cm Muck (A10) (LRR S)		
No	Black Histic (A3)	No	Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (LRR O)	No	Reduced Vertic (F18) (outside MLRA 150A,B)		
No	Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	No	Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	No	Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (LRR P,S,T)		
No	Stratified Layers (A5)	No	Depleted Matrix (F3)	No	Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 153B)		
No	Organic Bodies (A6) (LRR P,T,U)	No	Redox Dark Surface (F6)	No	Red Parent Material (TF2)		
No	5cm Mucky Mineral (A7) (LRR P,T,U)	No	Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	No	Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)		
No	Muck Presence (A8) (LRR U)	No	Redox Depressions (F8)	No	Other (Explain)		
No	1cm Muck (A9) (LRR P,T)	No	Marl (F10) (LRR U)				
No	Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	No	Depleted Ochric (F11) (MLRA 151)				
No	Thick Dark Surface (A12)	No	Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR O,P,T)				
No	Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (MLRA 150A)	No	Umbric Surface (F13) (LRR P, T, U)				
No	Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1) (LRR O,S)	No	Delta Ochric (F17) (MLRA 151)				
No	Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	No	Reduced Vertic (F18) (MLRA 150A, 150B)				
No	Sandy Redox (S5)	No	Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149A)				
No	Stripped Matrix (S6)	No	Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 149A, 153C, 153D)				
No	Dark Surface (S7) (LRR P, S, T, U)						

Restrictive Layer (if observed):		
Type:	None	Hydric Soil Present? <u>Yes</u>
Depth inches:	None	

Remarks:

No soil sample collected. Soils assumed hydric due to extent and duration of inundation.

VEGETATION

SAMPLING POINT

Tree Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Dominance Test Worksheet:
None					Number of Dominant Species That are OBL, FACW, or FAC (A): <u>2</u>
					Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata <u>2</u>
					Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC (A/B): <u>100.00%</u>
<u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0					Prevalence Index Worksheet: Total % Cover of: <u> </u> Multiply OBL x1= <u> </u> FACW x2= <u> </u> FAC x3= <u> </u> FACU x4= <u> </u> UPL x5= <u> </u> A Totals B <u> </u>
Sapling Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Prevalence Index (B/A)=
None					
<u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0					Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators: Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Veg: <u>No</u> Dominance Test > 50%: <u>Yes</u> Prevalence Index ≤ 3.0: <u>N/A</u> Problematic Hydrophytic Veg: <u>No</u>
Shrub Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
None					Tree - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 20' or more in height and 3" or larger in DBH.
					Sapling - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 20' or more in height and less than 3" in DBH.
					Shrub - Woody plants, excluding woody vines, approximately 3-20' in height.
					Herb - All herbaceous plants, including herbaceous vines, regardless of size. Includes woody plants, except woody vines, less than approximately 3' in height.
<u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0					Woody vine - All woody vines, regardless of height.
Herb Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Remarks:
<i>Eleocharis obtusa</i>		30	Yes	OBL	
<i>Cyperus odoratus</i>		20	Yes	FACW	
<i>Paspalum notatum</i>		15	No	FACU	
<i>Juncus effusus</i>		15	No	OBL	
<i>Carex crus-corvi</i>		10	No	OBL	
<u>90</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 45 20% of Total Cover = 18					
Woody Vine Stratum	Plot Size: 30'	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Status	Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?
None					<u>Yes</u>
<u>0</u> = Total Cover 50/20 Threshold 50% of Total Cover = 0 20% of Total Cover = 0					

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - ATLANTIC AND GULF COASTAL PLAIN REGION

Project/Site:	Foti Highway 3120 N	Parish: Ascension	Sampling Date:	9/1/2017
Applicant/Owner:	Baton Rouge Area Chamber	State: Louisiana	Sampling Point:	5
Investigator(s):	Tanner Jones, Tim Kimmel	Section, Township, Range:	Section 10, Township 11 South, Range 15 East	
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.):	Flat	Local Relief (concave, convex, none):	None	Slope: 0-1%
Subregion (LRR or MLRA):	LRR O	Lat: 30.096930°	Long: -90.943007°	Datum: NAD83
Soil Map Unit Name:	Thibaut clay	NWI Classification: None		
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes (If no explain in Remarks)				
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly disturbed? No Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes				
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problematic? No (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)				

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	No
Hydric Soil Present?	Yes		
Wetland Hydrology Present?	No		
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators		Secondary Indicators (Need 2):	
Primary Indicators (Need 1):		No Surface Soil Cracked (B6)	
No Surface Water (A1)	No Water Stained Leaves (B9)	No Sparsely Veg. Concave Surface (B8)	
No High Water Table (A2)	No Aquatic Fauna (B13)	No Drainage Patterns (B10)	
No Saturation (A3)	No Marl Deposits (B15) (LRR U)	No Moss Trim Lines (B16)	
No Water Marks (B1)	No Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	No Dry-Season Water Table (C2)	
No Sediment Deposits (B2)	No Oxidized Root Channels (C3)	No Crayfish Burrows (C8)	
No Drift Deposits (B3)	No Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	No Saturation on Aerial Imagery (C9)	
No Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	No Recent Reduct. in Tilled Soils (C6)	No Geomorphic Position (D2)	
No Iron Deposits (B5)	No Thin Muck Surface (C7)	No Shallow Aquitard (D3)	
No Inundation on Aerial Imagery (B7)	No Other (Explain in Remarks)	No FAC-Neutral Test (D5)	
		No Sphagnum Moss (D8) (LRR T, U)	

Field Observations:				Wetland Hydrology Present? No
Surface Water Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A	
Water table Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A	
Saturation Present?	None	Depth (inches):	N/A	
Remarks:				

SOIL

Depth Inches	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture
	Color	%	Color	%	Type	Location	
0-4	10YR 3/2	100					clay
4-16	10YR 4/2	90	10YR 3/6	10	C	M	clay

Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:		Indicators for Problematic Soils:	
No Histic (A1)	No Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR S,T,U)	No 1cm Muck (A9) (LRR O)	
No Histic Epipedon (A2)	No Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR S,T,U)	No 2cm Muck (A10) (LRR S)	
No Black Histic (A3)	No Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (LRR O)	No Reduced Vertic (F18) (outside MLRA 150A,B)	
No Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	No Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	No Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (LRR P,S,T)	
No Stratified Layers (A5)	Yes Depleted Matrix (F3)	No Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 153B)	
No Organic Bodies (A6) (LRR P,T,U)	No Redox Dark Surface (F6)	No Red Parent Material (TF2)	
No 5cm Mucky Mineral (A7) (LRR P,T,U)	No Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	No Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)	
No Muck Presence (A8) (LRR U)	No Redox Depressions (F8)	No Other (Explain)	
No 1cm Muck (A9) (LRR P,T)	No Marl (F10) (LRR U)		
No Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	No Depleted Ochric (F11) (MLRA 151)		
No Thick Dark Surface (A12)	No Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR O,P,T)		
No Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (MLRA 150)	No Umbric Surface (F13) (LRR P, T, U)		
No Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1) (LRR O,S)	No Delta Ochric (F17) (MLRA 151)		
No Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	No Reduced Vertic (F18) (MLRA 150A, 150B)		
No Sandy Redox (S5)	No Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149A)		
No Stripped Matrix S6)	No Anomalous Bright Loamy Soils (F20) (MLRA 149A, 153C, 153D)		
No Dark Surface (S7) (LRR P, S, T, U)			

Restrictive Layer (if observed):		Hydric Soil Present? Yes
Type:	None	
Depth inches:	None	

Remarks:

