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BCWMC
9-19-19

Minnesota Wetland Conservation Act
Notice of Decision

Local Government Unit (LGU)	Address
City of Plymouth	**3400 Plymouth Blvd** **Plymouth, MN 55447**

1. PROJECT INFORMATION

Applicant Name	Project Name	Date of Application	Application Number
City of Plymouth	**Plymouth Creek Center Expansion**	**8//8/2019**	**N/A**

☒ Attach site locator map.

Type of Decision:

☒ Wetland Boundary or Type Sequencing ☐ No-Loss ☐ Exemption ☐

☐ Replacement Plan ☐ Banking Plan

Technical Evaluation Panel Findings and Recommendation (if any):

☒ Approve ☐ Approve with conditions ☐ Deny

Summary (or attach): The Technical Evaluation Panel met on 8/8/2019 and agreed on the proposed boundry with no modifications.

2. LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT DECISION

Date of Decision: **8/8//2019**

☒ Approved ☐ Approved with conditions (include below) ☐ Denied

LGU Findings and Conclusions (attach additional sheets as necessary):

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The TEP met on 8/7/2019 and had no modifications to the delineation. No comments from the public were received.

For Replacement Plans using credits from the State Wetland Bank:

Bank Account #	Bank Service Area	County	Credits Approved for Withdrawal (sq. ft. or nearest .01 acre)

Replacement Plan Approval Conditions. In addition to any conditions specified by the LGU, the approval of a Wetland Replacement Plan is conditional upon the following:

☐ **Financial Assurance:** For project-specific replacement that is not in-advance, a financial assurance specified by the LGU must be submitted to the LGU in accordance with MN Rule 8420.0522, Subp. 9 (List amount and type in LGU Findings).

☐ **Deed Recording:** For project-specific replacement, evidence must be provided to the LGU that the BWSR "Declaration of Restrictions and Covenants" and "Consent to Replacement Wetland" forms have been filed with the county recorder's office in which the replacement wetland is located.

☐ **Credit Withdrawal:** For replacement consisting of wetland bank credits, confirmation that BWSR has withdrawn the credits from the state wetland bank as specified in the approved replacement plan.

Wetlands may not be impacted until all applicable conditions have been met!

LGU Authorized Signature:

Signing and mailing of this completed form to the appropriate recipients in accordance with 8420.0255, Subp. 5 provides notice that a decision was made by the LGU under the Wetland Conservation Act as specified above. If additional details on the decision exist, they have been provided to the landowner and are available from the LGU upon request.

Name	Title	
Chris LaBounty	**City Engineer**	
Signature	Date	Phone Number and E-mail
	7/15/2019	**763-509-5541** **clabounty@plymouthmn.gov**

THIS DECISION ONLY APPLIES TO THE MINNESOTA WETLAND CONSERVATION ACT. Additional approvals or permits from local, state, and federal agencies may be required. Check with all appropriate authorities before commencing work in or near wetlands.

Applicants proceed at their own risk if work authorized by this decision is started before the time period for appeal (30 days) has expired. If this decision is reversed or revised under appeal, the applicant may be responsible for restoring or replacing all wetland impacts.

This decision is valid for three years from the date of decision unless a longer period is advised by the TEP and specified in this notice of decision.

3. APPEAL OF THIS DECISION

Pursuant to MN Rule 8420.0905, any appeal of this decision can only be commenced by mailing a petition for appeal, including applicable fee, within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of the mailing of this Notice to the following as indicated:

Check one:

☒ Appeal of an LGU staff decision. Send petition and $0 fee (if applicable) to: **Ben Scharenbroich, Senior Engineering Technician** **City of Plymouth** **3400 Plymouth Blvd** **Plymouth, MN 55447**	☐ Appeal of LGU governing body decision. Send petition and $500 filing fee to: Executive Director Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources 520 Lafayette Road North St. Paul, MN 55155

4. LIST OF ADDRESSEES

☒ SWCD TEP member: **Ms. Stacey Lijewski, HCD, 701 Fourth Avenue South, Suite 700, Minneapolis, MN 55415-1600 (sent electronically)**
☒ BWSR TEP member: **Ben Carlson, BWSR 520 Lafayette Road North, St. Paul, MN 55401 (sent electronically)**
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5. MAILING INFORMATION

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  520 Lafayette Road North
  St. Paul, MN 55155

6. ATTACHMENTS

In addition to the site locator map, list any other attachments:

- ☒ **Plymouth Creek Center - Wetland Delineation Report**
- ☒ **Plymouth Creek Center - US Army Corps Joint Application Form**
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Summary and description of proposed project (attach additional sheets as necessary):

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The comment period closes on July 29th, 2019

2. APPLICATION REVIEW AND DECISION

Signing and mailing of this completed form to the appropriate recipients in accordance with 8420.0255, Subp. 3 provides notice that an application was made to the LGU under the Wetland Conservation Act as specified above. A copy of the application is attached. Comments can be submitted to:

Name and Title of LGU Contact Person	Comments must be received by (minimum 15 business-day comment period):
Michael Thompson **City of Plymouth**	**July 29, 2019**
Address (if different than LGU) **3400 Plymouth Blvd,** **Plymouth, MN 55447**	Date, time, and location of decision: **July 29, 2019**
Phone Number and E-mail Address **763-509-5501** **mthompson@plymouth.gov**	Decision-maker for this application: ☒ Staff ☐ Governing Board or Council

Signature: _____ **Date:** 07/08/2019

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WETLAND DELINEATION REPORT

06/25/2019

2019-177

Plymouth Creek

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1.0 SUMMARY

Jacobson Environmental, PLLC (JE) visited the project site at 14800 34th Avenue North, Plymouth, Minnesota 55447 on June 17 and 21, 2019. The site was approximately 26 acres in size, and was located at Sec. 21, T118N, R22W, Plymouth, Minnesota. See Figure 1 for a Site Location Map.

The purpose of the investigation was to identify areas within the project boundary meeting the technical criteria for wetlands, delineate the jurisdictional extent of the wetland basins, and classify the wetland habitat according to the 1987 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual and the 2010 Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation: Midwest Region.

Wetlands are areas that are saturated or inundated with surface and or groundwater at a frequency and duration sufficient to support, and that under normal circumstances do support, a prevalence of vegetation typically adapted for life in hydric soil conditions. Examples of wetlands include seasonally flooded basins, floodplain forests, wet meadows, shallow and deep marshes, shrub swamps, wooded swamps, fens, and bogs.

Wetland boundaries were determined through a routine analysis of the vegetation, soils and hydrology which must all show wetland characteristics for an area to be delineated as a wetland.

Three basins were delineated within the project area, which are summarized below and shown on Figure 5.

Basin ID	Circular 39	Cowardin	Eggers & Reed	Dominant Vegetation	Size (acres)
1	Type 3	PEM1C	Shallow marsh	Rice Cutgrass, Bottlebrush Sedge, Pennsylvania Buttercup	0.048
3	Type 1/3/6	PEM1A/C/S S1A	Seasonally flooded basin/shallow marsh/shrub-carr	Narrowleaf Cattail, Reed Canary Grass, Slender Willow	2.71
4	Type 3	PEM1C	Shallow marsh	Narrowleaf Cattail	0.012

All figures and appendices referenced by this report are presented at the end of the text.

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This wetland delineation was performed by Jacobson Environmental, PLLC under the direction of Wayne Jacobson, Minnesota Professional Soil Scientist #30611, Society of Wetland Scientists – Professional Wetland Scientist #1000, University of Minnesota / BWSR Wetland Delineator, Certified #1019, American Fisheries Society – Associate Fisheries Scientist #A-171.

2.0 METHODS

2.1 EXISTING INFORMATION REVIEW

Prior to field delineation, Jacobson Environmental reviewed the following information:

2.1.1 Antecedent Precipitation

The previous three month's precipitation data obtained from the Minnesota State Climatology Office suggest that the sampling period occurred under wetter than normal conditions. Antecedent precipitation data can be found in Appendix A. The growing season in this area is approximately from mid-April to mid-October, when the air temperature averages above 28 degrees F. This delineation was completed during the growing season.

2.1.2 National Wetlands Inventory

The National Wetlands Inventory (NWI) identified three wetlands within the property boundary (Figure 2).

2.1.3 Web Soil Survey

The National Resource Conservation Service Web Soil Survey (Figure 7) identified the following soils:

Soil	Hydric Rating
Lester loam	2
Glencoe clay loam	100
Hamel, overwash-Hamel complex	45
Angus loam	5
Nessel loam	10
Muskego and Houghton soils	100
Lester-Malardi complex	3

2.1.4 Public Waters Inventory

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Public Waters Inventory shows that one public water (Plymouth Creek) exists on the property (Figure 4).

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2.1.5 Topographic Map

A LiDAR topographic map with aerial photo overlay was obtained from MnTOPO (Figure 6). This map was reviewed for suspected wetland areas based on topography and vegetative cover.

2.2 FIELD DELINEATION

The wetlands on the subject property were delineated using the routine determination methodology set forth in the 1987 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers *Wetlands Delineation Manual* and the 2010 Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation: Midwest Region as follows:

1) The vegetative community was sampled in all present strata to determine whether 50% of the dominant plant species were hydrophytic using the 50/20 method.

2) Soil pits were dug using a Dutch auger to depths of 16"-35", noting soil profiles and any hydric soil characteristics.

3) Signs of wetland hydrology were noted and were compared to field criteria such as depth to shallow water table and depth of soil saturation found in the soil pits.

Transects were established in representative areas of each wetland. Each transect consisted of one sample point within the wetland and one sample point in upland. Other areas which have one or more of the wetland vegetation, soils, or hydrologic characteristics present, or where questionable conditions exist may also have been sampled. Data sheets for each sample point are available in Appendix B.

Wetland classifications discussed in the text are set forth in *Wetlands and Deepwater Habitats of the United States* (FWS/OBS Publication 79/31, Cowardin et al. 1979) and *Wetlands of the United States* (USFWS Circular 39, Shaw and Fredine, 1971.) Additionally, plant community types as named by Eggers and Reed (1998) are given.

Wetland edges were marked with orange numbered pin flags or pink "wetland boundary" flagging tape tied on vegetation as site conditions warrant. Sample points are marked with orange numbered pin flags.

Any wetlands or sample points were mapped using GPS.

2.2.1 Vegetation

The plant species within the parcel were cataloged and assigned a wetland indicator status according to: Lichvar, R.W., D.L. Banks, W.N. Kirchner, and N.C. Melvin, 2016. *The National Wetland Plant List:* 2016 Wetland Ratings, Phytoneuron 2016-30: 1-17.

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In the text of this report and on the enclosed data forms, the plant indicator status follows the plant's scientific name unless a status has not been assigned. The hydrophytic plant criterion is met when more than 50 percent of the dominant species by the 50/20 rule for each stratum (herb, shrub/sapling, tree, and woody vine) were assigned an obligate (OBL)[1], facultative wet (FACW), and/or facultative (FAC) wetland status.

With the 50/20 rule, dominants are generally measured by absolute % cover in each stratum which individually or collectively account for more than 50% of total vegetative cover in the stratum, plus any other species which itself accounts for at least 20% of the total vegetative cover.

2.2.2 Hydric Soils

A hydric soil is a soil formed under conditions of saturation, flooding, or ponding long enough during the growing season to develop anaerobic conditions in the upper part. If a soil exhibits the indicators of a hydric soil or is identified as a hydric soil the hydric soil criterion is met.

The break between hydric and non-hydric soils was determined by excavating soil pits along transects crossing the wetland/upland eco-tone and evaluating the soil colors, textures, and presence or absence of redoximorphic indicators (i.e., mottles, gley or oxidized rhizospheres). Hydric Soil Indicators for the Midwest Region were noted as presented in the National Technical Committee for Hydric Soils *Field Indicators of Hydric Soils in the United States version 8.1* (USDA NRCS 2017) if present at each sample point. Upper soil profiles were also compared to the mapped or inclusionary soil series found in the sample area for soil identification purposes.

2.2.3 Cautions Used in Applying the Field Indicators of Hydric Soils

There are hydric soils with morphologies that are difficult to interpret. These include soils with black, gray, or red parent material; soils with high pH; soils high or low in content of organic matter; recently developed hydric soils, and soils high in iron inputs. In some cases, we do not currently have indicators to assist in the identification of hydric soils in these situations. If the soil meets the definition of a hydric soil, the lack of an indicator does not preclude the soil from being hydric. The indicators were developed mostly to identify the boundary of hydric soil areas and generally work best on the margins. Not all the obviously wetter hydric soils will be identified by the indicators. Redoximorphic features are most likely to occur in soils that cycle between anaerobic (reduced) and aerobic (oxidized) conditions.

Morphological features of hydric soils indicate that saturation and anaerobic conditions have existed under either contemporary or former hydrologic regimes. Where soil morphology seems inconsistent with the landscape, vegetation, or observable hydrology, it may be necessary to obtain the assistance of an experienced soil or wetland scientist to determine whether the soil is hydric.

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1 OBL=Obligate Wetland, occurs an estimated 99% in wetlands. FACW=Facultative Wetland, has an estimated 67%-99% probability of occurrence in wetlands. FAC=Facultative, is equally likely to occur in wetlands and non-wetlands, 34%-66% probability. FACU=Facultative Upland, occurs in wetlands only occasionally, 1%-23% probability. UPL=Upland, almost never occurs in wetlands, <1% probability. NI= No Indicator, insufficient information available to determine an indicator status. Positive or negative sign previously indicated a frequency toward higher (+) or lower (-) frequency of occurrence within a category.

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To clarify, when investigating hydric soils in this area, one must consider the following:

- Many of these soils have black or gray parent materials.
- Many of the soils have a high organic matter content.
- The hydric soil margin is typically higher than the wetland boundary margin on the site.
- Not all the obviously wetter soils will be identified by the indicators.
- Many of the hydric soils are Mollisols which are classic problem hydric soils in many cases.

3.0 RESULTS

3.1 WETLAND BASIN DESCRIPTIONS

Basin 1

Basin 1 was an approximately 0.048-acre, type 3, PEM1C, shallow marsh wetland along the banks of Plymouth Creek. The basin was dominated by Rice Cutgrass (OBL), Bottlebrush Sedge (OBL), and Pennsylvania Buttercup (OBL).

Hydrology indicators included A2 (high water table), A3 (saturation), D2 (geomorphic position), and D5 (FAC neutral test).

Wetland soils met indicators F1 (loamy mucky mineral).

Adjacent upland was typically dominated by Sugar Maple (FACU), Common Burdock (FACU), and Green Ash (FACW). Primary hydrology indicators were not observed at the upland sample point, and no hydric soil indicators were found in the upland sample point soil.

The wetland boundary followed a change in vegetation from wetland to upland plant communities, as well as a gradual change in topography. The basin was not shown as a wetland on the NWI map (Figure 2) and was located within an area mapped as Lester loam (RATING=2) by the Web Soil Survey (Figure 7).

Sample data sheets 1-UP and 1-WET in Appendix B correspond to this basin.

Basin 3

Basin 3 was an approximately 2.71-acre, type 1/3/6, PEM1A/C/SS1A, seasonally flooded basin/shallow marsh/shrub-carr wetland. The basin was dominated by Reed Canary Grass (FACW), Slender Willow (OBL), and Narrowleaf Cattail (OBL).

Hydrology indicators included A2 (high water table), A3 (saturation), D2 (geomorphic position), and D5 (FAC neutral test).

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Wetland soils met indicators A1 (histisol), A11 (depleted below dark surface), F3 (depleted matrix), and F6 (redox dark surface).

Adjacent upland was typically dominated by Reed Canary Grass (FACW), Virginia Creeper (FACU), Box Elder (FAC), Common Buckthorn (FAC), and Red Osier Dogwood (FACW). Primary hydrology indicators were not observed at the upland sample point. Hydric soil indicators A11 and F3 were found at upland sample point 3-3-UP.

The wetland boundary followed a change in vegetation from wetland to upland plant communities, as well as a distinct change in topography. The basin was shown as a PSS/EM1A/Cd/PUBG/ABG wetland on the NWI map (Figure 2) and was located within an area mapped as Glencoe clay loam (RATING=100) and Muskego and Houghton soils (RATING=100) by the Web Soil Survey (Figure 7).

Sample data sheets 3-1-UP/WET through 3-3-UP/WET in Appendix B correspond to this basin.

Basin 4

Basin 4 was an approximately 0.012-acre, type 3, PEM1C, shallow marsh wetland. The basin was dominated by Narrowleaf Cattail (OBL).

Hydrology indicators included A3 (saturation), D2 (geomorphic position), and D5 (FAC neutral test).

Wetland soils met indicators A11 (depleted below dark surface) and F3 (depleted matrix).

Adjacent upland was typically dominated by Common Buckthorn (FAC), Box Elder (FAC), and Virginia Creeper (FACU). Primary hydrology indicators were not observed at the upland sample point, and no hydric soil indicators were found in the upland sample point soil.

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Sample data sheets 4-UP and 4-WET in Appendix B correspond to this basin.

Additional Points

A sample point (SP-1) was placed on a terrace along Plymouth Creek. The point contained hydrophytic vegetation, but no hydric soils or primary hydrology indicators.

A constructed storm pond was located within a managed garden area east of basin 3.

4.0 CONFIRMATION OF JURISDICTIONAL STATUS

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Environmental Consultants **Wayne Jacobson, P.S.S., W.D.C., P.W.S., A.F.S.**

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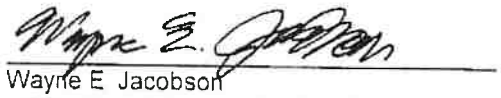
Jacobson Environmental is submitting this report to the client and regulatory agencies to request a wetland boundary and type determination. We have enclosed an official WCA Approval of Wetland Type and Boundary form in Appendix D along with a USCOE wetland delineation concurrence request.

5.0 CERTIFICATION

I certify that this wetland delineation meets the standards and criteria described in the 1987 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual and the 2010 Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation: Midwest Region. This was a Routine On-Site Determination and the results reflect the conditions present at the time of the delineation.

I certify that this report has been prepared in accordance with regulatory standards. Thank you for the opportunity to provide wetland services on this important project.

If any wetland impacts are planned for this project, permits would be necessary from the LGU and other agencies.



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Figures

Google Maps

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Figure 1 Site Map

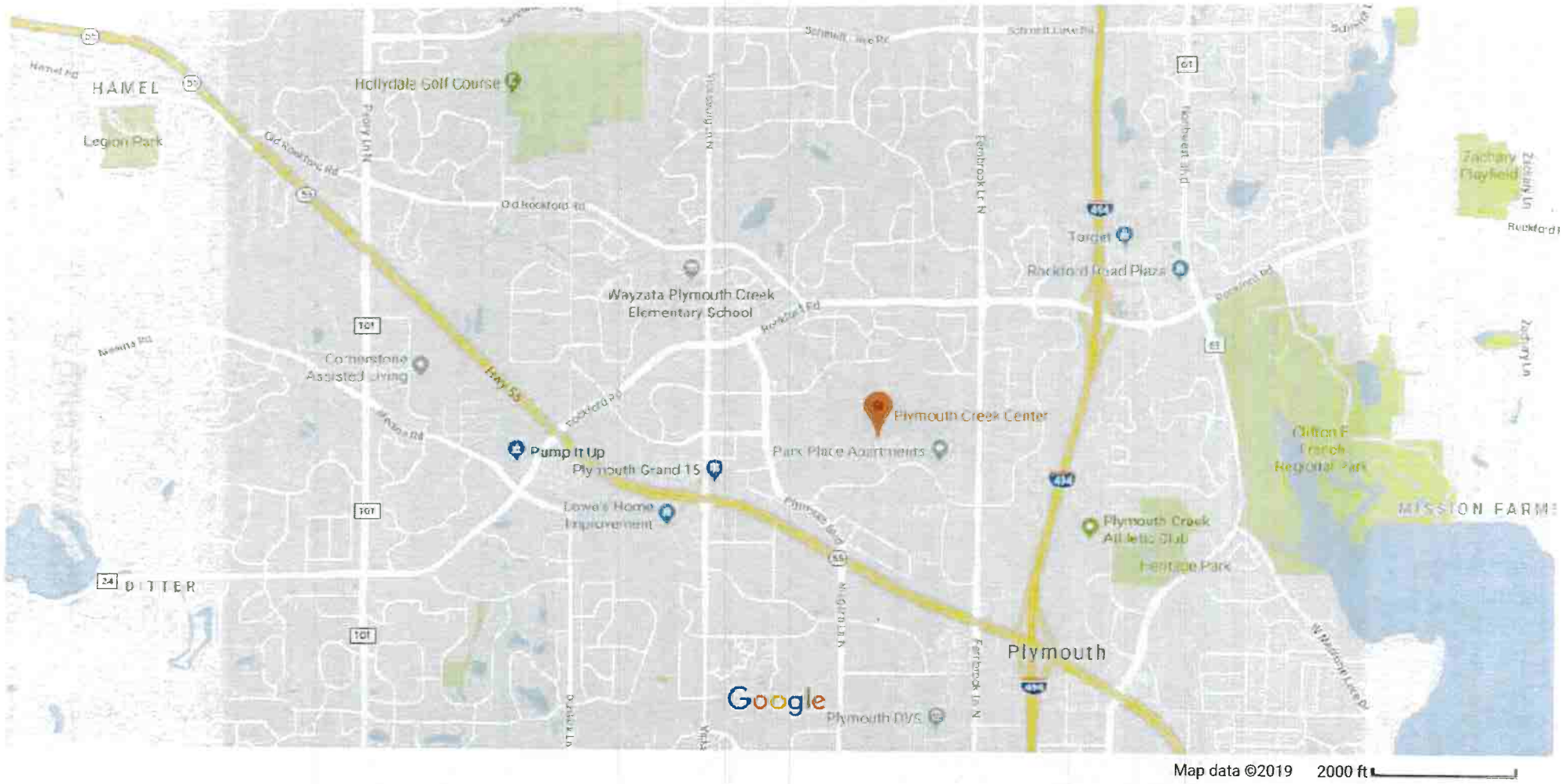
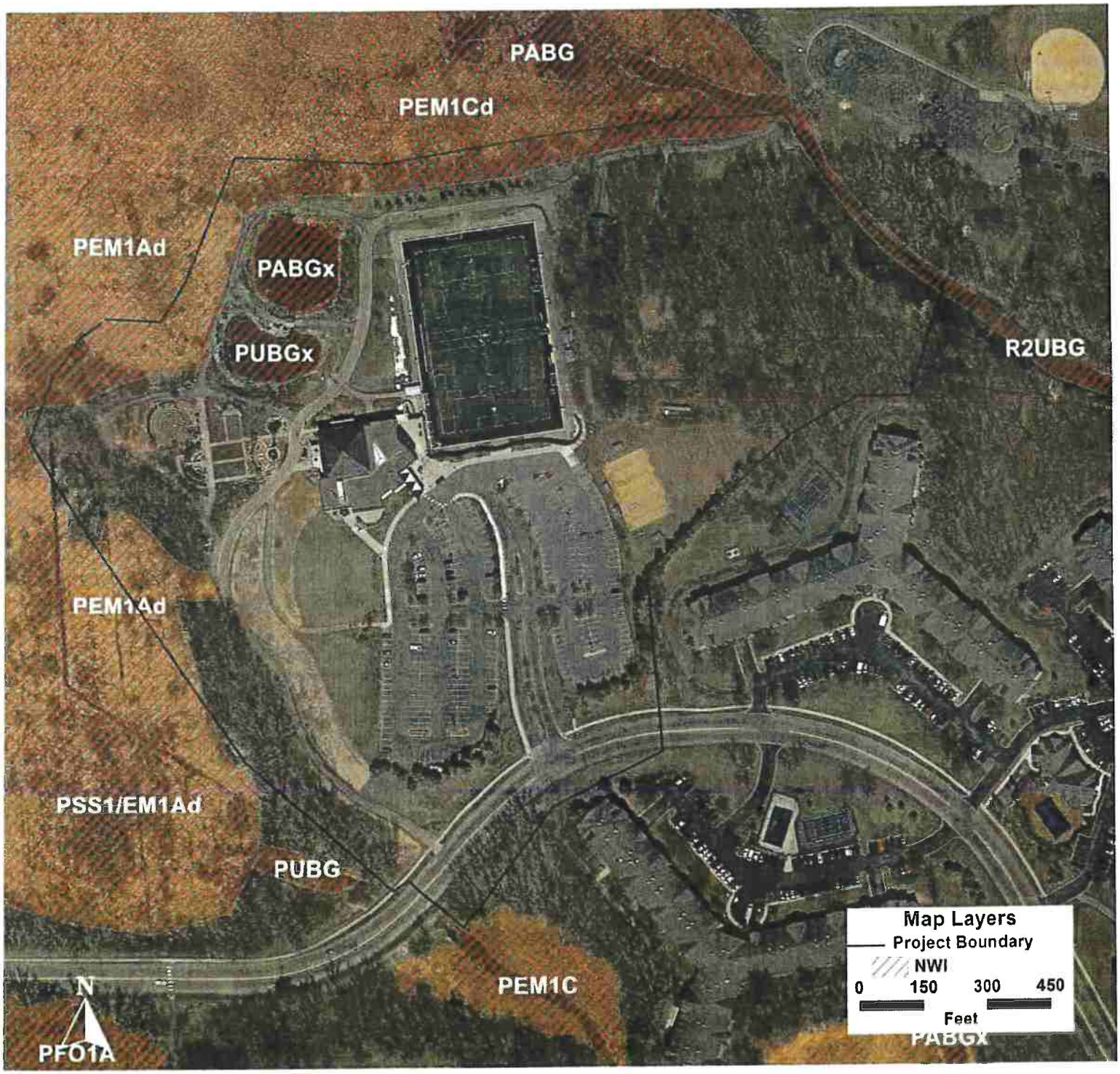
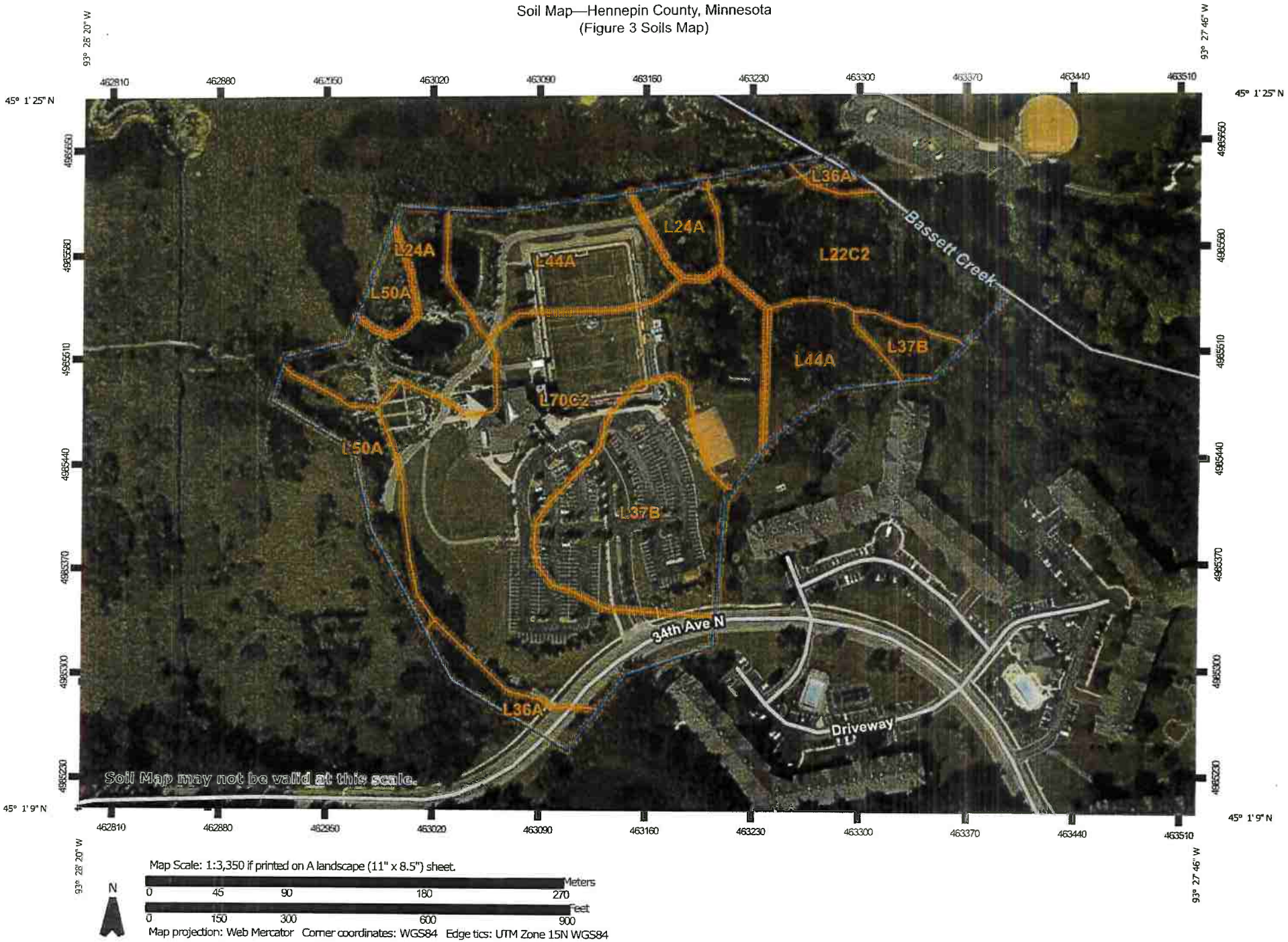


Figure 2 NWI Map



Soil Map—Hennepin County, Minnesota
(Figure 3 Soils Map)



Map Scale: 1:3,350 if printed on A landscape (11" x 8.5") sheet.

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Meters: 0 45 90 180 270

Feet: 0 150 300 600 900

Map projection: Web Mercator Corner coordinates: WGS84 Edge tics: UTM Zone 15N WGS84

Map Unit Legend

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
L22C2	Lester loam, 6 to 10 percent slopes, moderately eroded	3.3	13.2%
L24A	Glencoe clay loam, 0 to 1 percent slopes	2.7	10.8%
L36A	Hamel, overwash-Hamel complex, 0 to 3 percent slopes	0.8	3.1%
L37B	Angus loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes	3.9	15.6%
L44A	Nessel loam, 1 to 3 percent slopes	3.7	14.8%
L50A	Muskego and Houghton soils, 0 to 1 percent slopes	1.4	5.8%
L70C2	Lester-Malardi complex, 6 to 12 percent slopes, eroded	9.1	36.7%
Totals for Area of Interest		**24.8**	**100.0%**

Figure 4 PWI Map

Figure 5 Delination Map

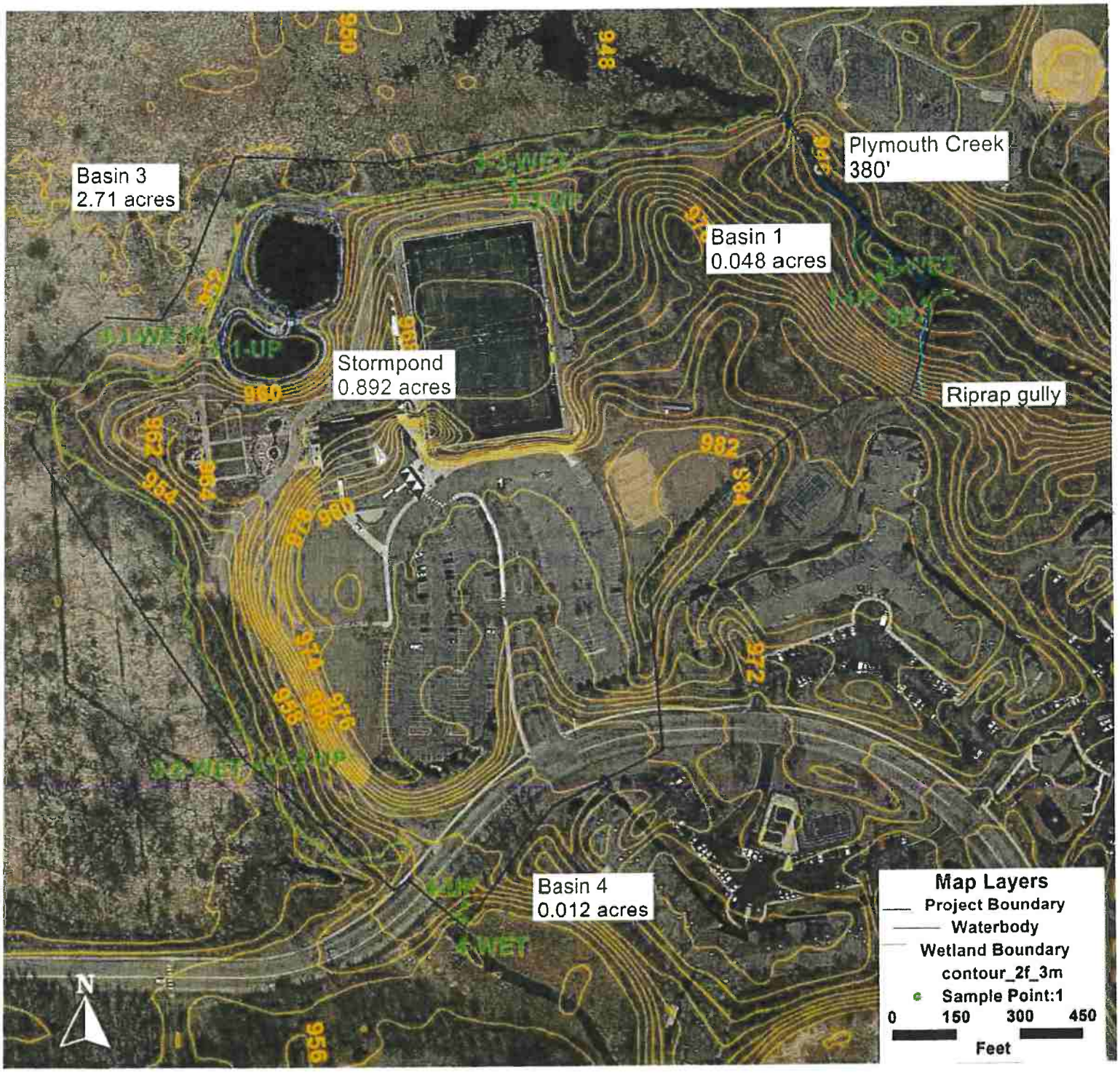

Figure 6 LIDAR Topographic Map

0 0.0225 0.045 0.09 0.135 Miles

Scale: 1:4,588

Extreme care was used during the compilation of this product. However, due to changes in ownership and the need to rely on outside information, errors or omissions may exist. If you should discover an oversight, we encourage you to let us know by calling the DNR at 1-888-646-6367 or by e-mail at info.dnr@state.mn.us.

Note: Elevation images and contours were generated from LiDAR derived elevation surfaces acquired 2007-2012.

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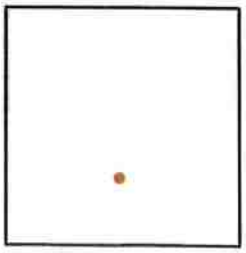


Created on 6/18/2019

Hydric Rating by Map Unit—Hennepin County, Minnesota
(Figure 7 Hydric Rating Map)

Map Scale: 1:3,350 if printed on A landscape (11" x 8.5") sheet.

N

Meters: 0 45 90 180 270

Feet: 0 150 300 600 900

Map projection: Web Mercator Corner coordinates: WGS84 Edge tics: UTM Zone 15N WGS84

MAP LEGEND

Area of Interest (AOI)
- Area of Interest (AOI)

Soils

Soil Rating Polygons
- Hydric (100%)
- Hydric (66 to 99%)
- Hydric (33 to 65%)
- Hydric (1 to 32%)
- Not Hydric (0%)
- Not rated or not available

Soil Rating Lines
- Hydric (100%)
- Hydric (66 to 99%)
- Hydric (33 to 65%)
- Hydric (1 to 32%)
- Not Hydric (0%)
- Not rated or not available

Soil Rating Points
- Hydric (100%)
- Hydric (66 to 99%)
- Hydric (33 to 65%)
- Hydric (1 to 32%)
- Not Hydric (0%)
- Not rated or not available

Water Features
- Streams and Canals

Transportation
- Rails
- Interstate Highways
- US Routes
- Major Roads
- Local Roads

Background
- Aerial Photography

MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:12,000.

Warning: Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.

Enlargement of maps beyond the scale of mapping can cause misunderstanding of the detail of mapping and accuracy of soil line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of contrasting soils that could have been shown at a more detailed scale.

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements.

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service
Web Soil Survey URL:
Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more accurate calculations of distance or area are required.

This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.

Soil Survey Area: Hennepin County, Minnesota
Survey Area Data: Version 14, Sep 12, 2018

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Aug 26, 2014—Sep 7, 2014

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

Hydric Rating by Map Unit

Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
L22C2	Lester loam, 6 to 10 percent slopes, moderately eroded	2	3.3	13.2%
L24A	Glencoe clay loam, 0 to 1 percent slopes	100	2.7	10.8%
L36A	Hamel, overwash-Hamel complex, 0 to 3 percent slopes	45	0.8	3.1%
L37B	Angus loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes	5	3.9	15.6%
L44A	Nessel loam, 1 to 3 percent slopes	10	3.7	14.8%
L50A	Muskego and Houghton soils, 0 to 1 percent slopes	100	1.4	5.8%
L70C2	Lester-Malardi complex, 6 to 12 percent slopes, eroded	3	9.1	36.7%
Totals for Area of Interest			**24.8**	**100.0%**

Rating Options

Aggregation Method: Percent Present

Component Percent Cutoff: None Specified

Tie-break Rule: Lower

Appendices

Appendix A

Minnesota State Climatology Office

State Climatology Office - DNR Division of Ecological and Water Resources University of Minnesota

Precipitation Worksheet Using Gridded Database

Precipitation data for target wetland location:

county: **Hennepin**
township name: **Plymouth**
nearest community: **Plymouth**
township number: **118N**
range number: **22W**
section number: **21**

Aerial photograph or site visit date:
Monday, June 17, 2019

Score using 1981-2010 normal period

values are in inches A 'R' following a monthly total indicates a provisional value derived from radar-based estimates.	first prior month: **May 2019**	second prior month: **April 2019**	third prior month: **March 2019**
estimated precipitation total for this location:	**7.52**	**3.44R**	**2.18R**
there is a 30% chance this location will have less than:	2.70	2.03	1.27
there is a 30% chance this location will have more than:	4.08	2.84	1.96
type of month: dry **normal** wet	**wet**	**wet**	**wet**
monthly score	**3 * 3 = 9**	**2 * 3 = 6**	**1 * 3 = 3**
multi-month score: 6 to 9 (dry) 10 to 14 (normal) 15 to 18 (wet)	18 (wet)		

Other Resources:

- retrieve daily precipitation data
- view radar-based precipitation estimates
- view weekly precipitation maps
- *Evaluating Antecedent Precipitation Conditions* (BWSR)

Appendix B

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/17/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 1-UP
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): slope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): linear
Slope (%): 4 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Lester loam | NWI Classification:
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present?	N
Hydric soil present?	N
Indicators of wetland hydrology present?	N
Is the sampled area within a wetland?	N
If yes, optional wetland site ID:	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1 *Acer saccharum*	7	Y	FACU
2 *Fraxinus pennsylvanica*	5	Y	FACW
3 *Acer negundo*	3	Y	FAC
4			
5			
	15	= Total Cover	

Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1 *Acer saccharum*	5	Y	FACU
2			
3			
4			
5			
	5	= Total Cover	

Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Arctium minus*	30	Y	FACU
2 *Fraxinus pennsylvanica*	15	Y	FACW
3 *Viola sororia*	10	N	FAC
4 *Solidago gigantea*	7	N	FACW
5 *Cirsium arvense*	5	N	FACU
6 *Urtica dioica*	5	N	FACW
7 *Zanthoxylum americanum*	3	N	FACU
8 *Poa pratensis*	3	N	FAC
9 *Sanguinaria canadensis*	3	N	FACU
10 *Galium triflorum*	3	N	FACU
	84	= Total Cover	

Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 3 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 6 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 50.00% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	0	x 1 =	0
FACW species	32	x 2 =	64
FAC species	16	x 3 =	48
FACU species	56	x 4 =	224
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	104 (A)		336 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.23

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- ___ Dominance test is >50%
- ___ Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? N

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 1-UP

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-30	10YR2/1	100					sandy clay loam	
30-35	10YR3/2	100					sand	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- ___ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- ___ Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) **(LRR K, L, R)**
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) **(LRR K, L)**
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) **(LRR K, L, R)**
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? N

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- ___ Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- ___ Geomorphic Position (D2)
- ___ FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>35
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>35

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? N

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/17/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 1-WET
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): toeslope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave
Slope (%): 1 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Lester loam | NWI Classification:
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y	**Is the sampled area within a wetland?** Y
Hydric soil present? Y	f yes, optional wetland site ID:
Indicators of wetland hydrology present? Y	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
	0	= Total Cover	
Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
	0	= Total Cover	
Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Leersia oryzoides*	35	Y	OBL
2 *Ranunculus pensylvanicus*	10	Y	OBL
3 *Poa pratensis*	10	Y	FAC
4 *Bidens cernua*	10	Y	OBL
5 *Carex comosa*	5	N	OBL
6 *Alisma triviale*	5	N	OBL
7 *Sagittaria latifolia*	3	N	OBL
8			
9			
10			
	78	= Total Cover	
Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 4 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 4 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.00% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	68	x 1 =	68
FACW species	0	x 2 =	0
FAC species	10	x 3 =	30
FACU species	0	x 4 =	0
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	78 (A)		98 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.26

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- X Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 1-WET

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-32	10YR2/1	100					mucky loam	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- ___ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- X Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- ___ Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) (**LRR K, L**)
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? Y

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- X High Water Table (A2)
- X Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- X Geomorphic Position (D2)
- X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes	X	No	___	Depth (inches):	0
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes	X	No	___	Depth (inches):	0

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? Y

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/17/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 3-1-UP
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): slope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): linear
Slope (%): 7 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Glencoe clay loam | NWI Classification:
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y	**Is the sampled area within a wetland?** N
Hydric soil present? N	f yes, optional wetland site ID:
Indicators of wetland hydrology present? N	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
	0 = Total Cover		
Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1 *Cornus alba*	5	Y	FACW
2			
3			
4			
5			
	5 = Total Cover		
Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Phalaris arundinacea*	90	Y	FACW
2 *Echinocystis lobata*	5	N	FACW
3 *Urtica dioica*	3	N	FACW
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			
9			
10			
	98 = Total Cover		
Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0 = Total Cover		

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 2 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 2 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.00% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	0	x 1 =	0
FACW species	103	x 2 =	206
FAC species	0	x 3 =	0
FACU species	0	x 4 =	0
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	103 (A)		206 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.00

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- X Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 3-1-UP

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-10	10YR3/2	100					loam	
10-14	10YR2/1	100					loam	
14-24	10YR4/2	97	7.5YR4/6	3	C	PL	clay loam	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- ___ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- ___ Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) (**LRR K, L**)
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? N

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- ___ Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- ___ Geomorphic Position (D2)
- X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? N

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/17/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 3-1-WET
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): toeslope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave
Slope (%): 1 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Glencoe clay loam | NWI Classification: PEM1Ad
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances"
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? present? Yes

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

(If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

Hydrophytic vegetation present?	Y	**Is the sampled area within a wetland?** Y
Hydric soil present?	Y	f yes, optional wetland site ID:
Indicators of wetland hydrology present?	Y	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
	0	= Total Cover	
Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1 *Cornus racemosa*	5	Y	FAC
2 *Acer negundo*	5	Y	FAC
3 *Cornus alba*	3	Y	FACW
4			
5			
	13	= Total Cover	
Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Phalaris arundinacea*	80	Y	FACW
2 *Typha angustifolia*	7	N	OBL
3 *Urtica dioica*	5	N	FACW
4 *Impatiens capensis*	2	N	FACW
5			
6			
7			
8			
9			
10			
	94	= Total Cover	
Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 4 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 4 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.00% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	7	x 1 =	7
FACW species	90	x 2 =	180
FAC species	10	x 3 =	30
FACU species	0	x 4 =	0
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	107 (A)		217 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.03

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- X Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 3-1-WET

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-16	10YR2/1	100					muck	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- X Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- ___ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- ___ Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) **(LRR K, L, R)**
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) **(LRR K, L)**
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) **(LRR K, L, R)**
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? Y

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- X High Water Table (A2)
- X Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- X Geomorphic Position (D2)
- X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes	X	No	___	Depth (inches):	10
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes	X	No	___	Depth (inches):	0

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? Y

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/17/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: SP-1
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace | Local relief (concave, convex, none): linear
Slope (%): | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Lester loam | NWI Classification:
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present?	Y
Hydric soil present?	N
Indicators of wetland hydrology present?	N
Is the sampled area within a wetland?	N
If yes, optional wetland site ID:	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1 *Tilia americana*	7	Y	FACU
2 *Acer saccharum*	7	Y	FACU
3 *Acer negundo*	5	N	FAC
4 *Fraxinus pennsylvanica*	5	N	FACW
5 *Quercus rubra*	3	N	FACU
	27	= Total Cover	

Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
	0	= Total Cover	

Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Leersia oryzoides*	40	Y	OBL
2 *Carex comosa*	10	N	OBL
3 *Trifolium pratense*	5	N	FACU
4 *Plantago major*	5	N	FAC
5 *Ranunculus pensylvanicus*	5	N	OBL
6			
7			
8			
9			
10			
	65	= Total Cover	

Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 1 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 3 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 33.33% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	55	x 1 =	55
FACW species	5	x 2 =	10
FAC species	10	x 3 =	30
FACU species	22	x 4 =	88
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	92 (A)		183 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.99

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- ___ Dominance test is >50%
- X Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: SP-1

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-12	2.5Y2/1	100					sandy loam	mixed with woodchips
12-24	5Y4/1	100					sand	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- ___ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- ___ Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) (**LRR K, L**)
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? N

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- ___ Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- X Geomorphic Position (D2)
- ___ FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes ___	No X	Depth (inches):	-	
Water table present?	Yes ___	No X	Depth (inches):	>24	
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes ___	No X	Depth (inches):	>24	

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? N

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/2'/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 3-2-UP
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): footslope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): linear
Slope (%): 5 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Hamel, overwash-Hamel | NWI Classification:
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present?	Y
Hydric soil present?	N
Indicators of wetland hydrology present?	N
Is the sampled area within a wetland?	N
If yes, optional wetland site ID:	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1 *Acer negundo*	20	Y	FAC
2 *Populus deltoides*	15	Y	FAC
3			
4			
5			
	35	= Total Cover	

Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1 *Acer negundo*	7	Y	FAC
2			
3			
4			
5			
	7	= Total Cover	

Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Rhamnus cathartica*	30	Y	FAC
2 *Glechoma hederacea*	20	Y	FACU
3 *Vitis riparia*	10	N	FACW
4 *Parthenocissus quinquefolia*	7	N	FACU
5 *Galium aparine*	5	N	FACU
6 *Solanum dulcamara*	3	N	FAC
7 *Hesperis matronalis*	3	N	FACU
8			
9			
10			
	78	= Total Cover	

Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 4 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 5 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 80.00% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	0	x 1 =	0
FACW species	10	x 2 =	20
FAC species	75	x 3 =	225
FACU species	35	x 4 =	140
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	120 (A)		385 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.21

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ____ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- ____ Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ____ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ____ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 3-2-UP

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-5	10YR3/2	100					sandy loam	
5-24	10YR5/3	100					loamy sand	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- ___ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- ___ Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) (**LRR K, L**)
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? N

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- ___ Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- ___ Geomorphic Position (D2)
- ___ FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? N

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/21/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 3-2-WET
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): toeslope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave
Slope (%): 1 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Hamel, overwash-Hamel | NWI Classification: PSS1/EM1Ad
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y	**Is the sampled area within a wetland?** Y
Hydric soil present? Y	If yes, optional wetland site ID:
Indicators of wetland hydrology present? Y	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
	0 = Total Cover		
Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
	0 = Total Cover		
Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Phalaris arundinacea*	55	Y	FACW
2 *Solidago gigantea*	15	N	FACW
3 *Solanum dulcamara*	7	N	FAC
4 *Glechoma hederacea*	5	N	FACU
5 *Calystegia sepium*	5	N	FAC
6 *Impatiens capensis*	3	N	FACW
7 *Hesperis matronalis*	2	N	FACU
8 *Cirsium arvense*	2	N	FACU
9			
10			
	94 = Total Cover		
Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0 = Total Cover		

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 1 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 1 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.00% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	0	x 1 =	0
FACW species	73	x 2 =	146
FAC species	12	x 3 =	36
FACU species	9	x 4 =	36
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	94 (A)		218 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.32

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- X Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 3-2-WET

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-18	10YR2/2	98	10YR5/4	2	C	PL	clay loam	
18-24	10YR2/1	100					peat	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- ___ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- ___ Depleted Matrix (F3)
- X Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) (**LRR K, L**)
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? Y

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- ___ Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- X Geomorphic Position (D2)
- X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? Y

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/21/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 3-3-UP
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): slope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): linear
Slope (%): 7 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Nessel loam | NWI Classification:
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present?	Y
Hydric soil present?	Y
Indicators of wetland hydrology present?	N
Is the sampled area within a wetland?	N
If yes, optional wetland site ID:	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1 *Picea pungens*	7	Y	UPL
2 *Acer negundo*	3	Y	FAC
3			
4			
5			
	10	= Total Cover	
Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1 *Cornus racemosa*	7	Y	FAC
2 *Acer negundo*	5	Y	FAC
3 *Fraxinus pennsylvanica*	3	N	FACW
4 *Rhamnus cathartica*	1	N	FAC
5 *Salix petiolaris*	1	N	OBL
	17	= Total Cover	
Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Anemone canadensis*	40	Y	FACW
2 *Parthenocissus quinquefolia*	15	Y	FACU
3 *Glechoma hederacea*	10	N	FACU
4 *Solidago canadensis*	7	N	FACU
5 *Zizia aurea*	7	N	FAC
6 *Euphorbia esula*	3	N	UPL
7 *Hesperis matronalis*	2	N	FACU
8 *Cirsium arvense*	2	N	FACU
9			
10			
	86	= Total Cover	
Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 4 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 6 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 66.67% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	1	x 1 =	1
FACW species	43	x 2 =	86
FAC species	23	x 3 =	69
FACU species	36	x 4 =	144
UPL species	10	x 5 =	50
Column totals	113 (A)		350 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.10

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- ___ Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 3-3-UP

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-2	10YR3/2	100					sandy loam	
2-14	10YR4/2	97	10YR6/6	3	C	PL	sandy loam	
14-24	10YR3/2	100					sandy clay loam	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- X Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- X Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) (**LRR K, L**)
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? Y

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- ___ Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- ___ Geomorphic Position (D2)
- ___ FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? N

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/21/19

Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 3-3-WET

Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W

Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): toselope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave

Slope (%): 2 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:

Soil Map Unit Name: Nessel loam | NWI Classification: PEM1Cd

Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)

Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes

Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present?	Y
Hydric soil present?	Y
Indicators of wetland hydrology present?	Y
Is the sampled area within a wetland?	Y
If yes, optional wetland site ID:	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1 *Acer negundo*	15	Y	FAC
2 *Salix bebbiana*	5	Y	FACW
3 *Populus deltoides*	3	N	FAC
4			
5			
	23	= Total Cover	
Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1 *Acer negundo*	15	Y	FAC
2 *Cornus racemosa*	10	Y	FAC
3			
4			
5			
	25	= Total Cover	
Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Impatiens capensis*	15	Y	FACW
2 *Rhamnus cathartica*	10	Y	FAC
3 *Ribes americanum*	10	Y	FACW
4 *Parthenocissus quinquefolia*	5	N	FACU
5 *Cornus racemosa*	5	N	FAC
6 *Lycopus americanus*	5	N	OBL
7			
8			
9			
10			
	50	= Total Cover	
Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 7 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 7 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.00% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	5	x 1 =	5
FACW species	30	x 2 =	60
FAC species	58	x 3 =	174
FACU species	5	x 4 =	20
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	98 (A)		259 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.64

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ____ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- X Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ____ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ____ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 3-3-WET

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-4	10YR3/2	100					sandy clay loam	
4-16	10YR4/2	95	7.5YR4/6	5	C	PL	sandy clay loam	
16-24	10YR4/1	95	7.5YR4/6	5	C	PL	sandy clay loam	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- X Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- X Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) (**LRR K, L**)
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? Y

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- ___ Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- X Geomorphic Position (D2)
- X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? Y

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/21/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 4-UP
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): slope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): linear
Slope (%): 7 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Hamel, overwash-Hamel | NWI Classification:
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present?	Y
Hydric soil present?	N
Indicators of wetland hydrology present?	N
Is the sampled area within a wetland?	N
If yes, optional wetland site ID:	

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1 *Acer negundo*	25	Y	FAC
2 *Salix nigra*	10	Y	OBL
3 *Populus deltoides*	5	N	FAC
4			
5			
	40	= Total Cover	

Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1 *Rhamnus cathartica*	15	Y	FAC
2			
3			
4			
5			
	15	= Total Cover	

Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Rhamnus cathartica*	20	Y	FAC
2 *Parthenocissus quinquefolia*	10	Y	FACU
3 *Impatiens capensis*	7	N	FACW
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			
9			
10			
	37	= Total Cover	

Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1			
2			
	0	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 4 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 5 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 80.00% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	10	x 1 =	10
FACW species	7	x 2 =	14
FAC species	65	x 3 =	195
FACU species	10	x 4 =	40
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	92 (A)		259 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.82

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- X Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 4-UP

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-6	10YR3/2	100					sandy loam	
6-24	10YR5/3	100					sandy loam	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- ___ Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- ___ Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) **(LRR K, L, R)**
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) **(LRR K, L)**
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) **(LRR K, L, R)**
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? N

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- ___ Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- ___ Geomorphic Position (D2)
- ___ FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	-
Water table present?	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes ___	No	X	Depth (inches):	>24

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? N

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Midwest Region

Project/Site: Plymouth Creek | City/County: Plymouth/Hennepin | Sampling Date: 6/21/19
Applicant/Owner: Chris Fleck | State: Minnesota | Sampling Point: 4-WET
Investigator(s): ACM | Section, Township, Range: Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): toeslope | Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave
Slope (%): 2 | Lat: | Long: | Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: Hamel, overwash-Hamel | NWI Classification: PEM1C
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions of the site typical for this time of the year? N (If no, explain in remarks)
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ significantly disturbed? Are "normal circumstances" present? Yes
Are vegetation ____, soil ____, or hydrology ____ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y	
Hydric soil present? Y	**Is the sampled area within a wetland?** Y
Indicators of wetland hydrology present? Y	If yes, optional wetland site ID:

Remarks: (Explain alternative procedures here or in a separate report.)

Antecedent precipitation data indicate wetter than normal conditions. See Appendix A.

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species	Indicator Staus
1 *Salix nigra*	5	Y	OBL
2			
3			
4			
5			
	5	= Total Cover	
Sapling/Shrub stratum (Plot size: 15' radius)			
1 *Cornus racemosa*	10	Y	FAC
2 *Lonicera tatarica*	7	Y	FACU
3 *Frangula alnus*	3	N	FACW
4			
5			
	20	= Total Cover	
Herb stratum (Plot size: 5' radius)			
1 *Phalaris arundinacea*	30	Y	FACW
2 *Cornus racemosa*	20	Y	FAC
3 *Impatiens capensis*	20	Y	FACW
4 *Typha angustifolia*	15	N	OBL
5 *Vitis riparia*	5	N	FACW
6 *Cirsium arvense*	2	N	FACU
7			
8			
9			
10			
	92	= Total Cover	
Woody vine stratum (Plot size: 30' radius)			
1 *Vitis riparia*	5	Y	FACW
2			
	5	= Total Cover	

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 6 (A)
Total Number of Dominant Species Across all Strata: 7 (B)
Percent of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 85.71% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL species	20	x 1 =	20
FACW species	63	x 2 =	126
FAC species	30	x 3 =	90
FACU species	9	x 4 =	36
UPL species	0	x 5 =	0
Column totals	122 (A)		272 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.23

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- ___ Rapid test for hydrophytic vegetation
- X Dominance test is >50%
- X Prevalence index is ≤3.0*
- ___ Morphogical adaptations* (provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
- ___ Problematic hydrophytic vegetation* (explain)

*Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Hydrophytic vegetation present? Y

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

SOIL

Sampling Point: 4-WET

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)

Depth (Inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redox Features Color (moist)	%	Type*	Loc**	Texture	Remarks
0-5	10YR3/2	100					silty loam	
5-12	10YR5/2	98	7.5YR4/4	2	C	PL	silty clay loam	
12-24	10YR5/2	80	7.5YR4/4	20	C	PL	sandy clay loam	

*Type: C = Concentration, D = Depletion, RM = Reduced Matrix, MS = Masked Sand Grains. **Location: PL = Pore Lining, M = Matrix

Hydric Soil Indicators:

- ___ Histisol (A1)
- ___ Histic Epipedon (A2)
- ___ Black Histic (A3)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)
- ___ Stratified Layers (A5)
- ___ 2 cm Muck (A10)
- X Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)
- ___ Thick Dark Surface (A12)
- ___ Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)
- ___ 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)
- ___ Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
- ___ Sandy Redox (S5)
- ___ Stripped Matrix (S6)
- ___ Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
- ___ Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
- X Depleted Matrix (F3)
- ___ Redox Dark Surface (F6)
- ___ Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
- ___ Redox Depressions (F8)

Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils:

- ___ Coast Prairie Redox (A16) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Dark Surface (S7) (**LRR K, L**)
- ___ Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (**LRR K, L, R**)
- ___ Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
- ___ Other (explain in remarks)

*Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and weltand hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic

Restrictive Layer (if observed):

Type: _____

Depth (inches): _____

Hydric soil present? Y

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:

Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)

- ___ Surface Water (A1)
- ___ High Water Table (A2)
- X Saturation (A3)
- ___ Water Marks (B1)
- ___ Sediment Deposits (B2)
- ___ Drift Deposits (B3)
- ___ Algal Mat or Crust (B4)
- ___ Iron Deposits (B5)
- ___ Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)
- ___ Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)
- ___ Water-Stained Leaves (B9)
- ___ Aquatic Fauna (B13)
- ___ True Aquatic Plants (B14)
- ___ Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)
- ___ Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)
- ___ Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)
- ___ Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)
- ___ Thin Muck Surface (C7)
- ___ Gauge or Well Data (D9)
- ___ Other (Explain in Remarks)

Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)

- ___ Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
- ___ Drainage Patterns (B10)
- ___ Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
- ___ Crayfish Burrows (C8)
- ___ Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
- ___ Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
- X Geomorphic Position (D2)
- X FAC-Neutral Test (D5)

Field Observations:

Surface water present?	Yes	___	No	X	Depth (inches): -
Water table present?	Yes	X	No	___	Depth (inches): 18
Saturation present? (includes capillary fringe)	Yes	X	No	___	Depth (inches): 12

Indicators of wetland hydrology present? Y

Describe recorded data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

Appendix C

SP-1

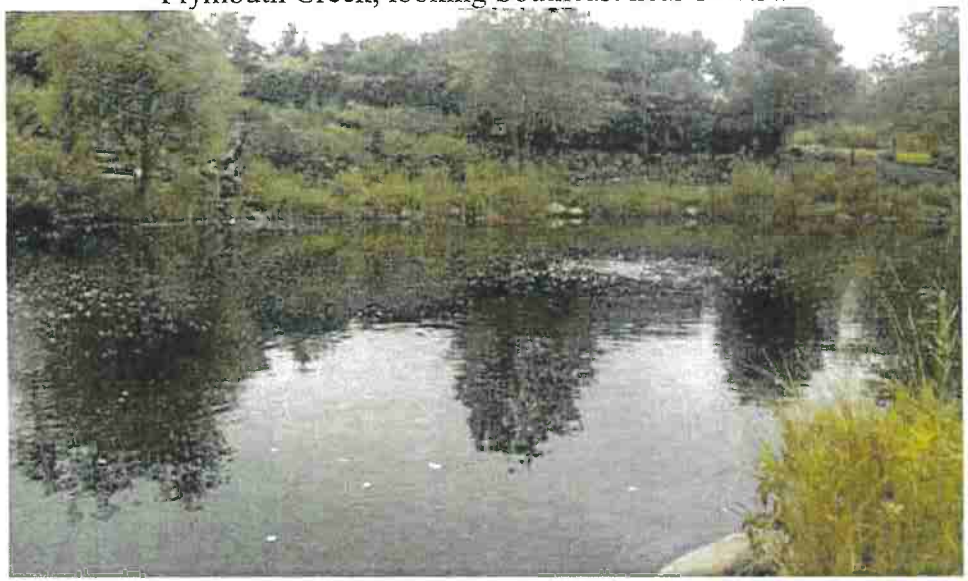
1-UP

1-WET

1-Representative

Plymouth Creek, looking Southeast near 1-WET

North half of stormpond



South half of stormpond

3-1-UP

3-1-WET

3-1-Representative

3-2-UP

3-2-WET

3-3-UP

3-3-WET

3-3-Representative

4-UP

4-WET

4-Representative

Appendix D

PART ONE: Applicant Information

If applicant is an entity (company, government entity, partnership, etc.), an authorized contact person must be identified. If the applicant is using an agent (consultant, lawyer, or other third party) and has authorized them to act on their behalf, the agent's contact information must also be provided.

Applicant/Landowner Name: Chris Fleck, Plymouth Creek Center Manager
Mailing Address: 14800 34th Avenue North, Plymouth, Minnesota 55447
Phone: 763-509-5281
E-mail Address: cfleck@plymouthmn.gov

Authorized Contact (do not complete if same as above):
Mailing Address:
Phone:
E-mail Address:

Agent Name: Wayne Jacobson
Mailing Address: 5821 Humboldt Avenue North, Brooklyn Center, Minnesota 55430
Phone: (612)802-6619
E-mail Address: jacobsonenv@msn.com

PART TWO: Site Location Information

County: Hennepin **City/Township:** Plymouth
Parcel ID and/or Address: 14800 34th Ave N, Plymouth, MN 55447
Legal Description (Section, Township, Range): Sec. 21, T118N, R22W
Lat/Long (decimal degrees):
Attach a map showing the location of the site in relation to local streets, roads, highways.
Approximate size of site (acres) or if a linear project, length (feet): 26 acres

If you know that your proposal will require an individual Permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, you must provide the names and addresses of all property owners adjacent to the project site. This information may be provided by attaching a list to your application or by using block 25 of the Application for Department of the Army permit which can be obtained at:

http://www.mvp.usace.army.mil/Portals/57/docs/regulatory/RegulatoryDocs/engform_4345_2012oct.pdf

PART THREE: General Project/Site Information

If this application is related to a delineation approval, exemption determination, jurisdictional determination, or other correspondence submitted ***prior to*** this application then describe that here and provide the Corps of Engineers project number.

Describe the project that is being proposed, the project purpose and need, and schedule for implementation and completion. The project description must fully describe the nature and scope of the proposed activity including a description of all project elements that effect aquatic resources (wetland, lake, tributary, etc.) and must also include plans and cross section or profile drawings showing the location, character, and dimensions of all proposed activities and aquatic resource impacts.

Project Name and/or Number: 2019-177

PART FOUR: Aquatic Resource Impact[1] Summary

If your proposed project involves a direct or indirect impact to an aquatic resource (wetland, lake, tributary, etc.) identify each impact in the table below. Include all anticipated impacts, including those expected to be temporary. Attach an overhead view map, aerial photo, and/or drawing showing all of the aquatic resources in the project area and the location(s) of the proposed impacts. Label each aquatic resource on the map with a reference number or letter and identify the impacts in the following table.

Aquatic Resource ID (as noted on overhead view)	Aquatic Resource Type (wetland, lake, tributary etc.)	Type of Impact (fill, excavate, drain, or remove vegetation)	Duration of Impact Permanent (P) or Temporary (T)[1]	Size of Impact[2]	Overall Size of Aquatic Resource [3]	Existing Plant Community Type(s) in Impact Area[4]	County, Major Watershed #, and Bank Service Area # of Impact Area[5]

[1]If impacts are temporary; enter the duration of the impacts in days next to the "T". For example, a project with a temporary access fill that would be removed after 220 days would be entered "T (220)".
[2]Impacts less than 0.01 acre should be reported in square feet. Impacts 0.01 acre or greater should be reported as acres and rounded to the nearest 0.01 acre. Tributary impacts must be reported in linear feet of impact and an area of impact by indicating first the linear feet of impact along the flowline of the stream followed by the area impact in parentheses). For example, a project that impacts 50 feet of a stream that is 6 feet wide would be reported as 50 ft (300 square feet).
[3]This is generally only applicable if you are applying for a de minimis exemption under MN Rules 8420.0420 Subp. 8, otherwise enter "N/A".
[4]Use *Wetland Plants and Plant Community Types of Minnesota and Wisconsin* 3rd Ed. as modified in MN Rules 8420.0405 Subp. 2.
[5]Refer to Major Watershed and Bank Service Area maps in MN Rules 8420.0522 Subp. 7.

If any of the above identified impacts have already occurred, identify which impacts they are and the circumstances associated with each:

PART FIVE: Applicant Signature

☐ Check here if you are requesting a pre-application consultation with the Corps and LGU based on the information you have provided. Regulatory entities will not initiate a formal application review if this box is checked.

By signature below, I attest that the information in this application is complete and accurate. I further attest that I possess the authority to undertake the work described herein.

Signature: _____ Date: 6/28/19

I hereby authorize Jacobson Environmental to act on my behalf as my agent in the processing of this application and to furnish, upon request, supplemental information in support of this application.

[1] **The term "impact" as used in this joint application form is a generic term used for disclosure purposes to identify activities that may require approval from one or more regulatory agencies. For purposes of this form it is not meant to indicate whether or not those activities may require mitigation/replacement.**

Project Name and/or Number: 2019-177

Attachment A
Request for Delineation Review, Wetland Type Determination, or Jurisdictional Determination

By submission of the enclosed wetland delineation report, I am requesting that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, St. Paul District (Corps) and/or the Wetland Conservation Act Local Government Unit (LGU) provide me with the following (check all that apply):

☒ **Wetland Type Confirmation**

☒ **Delineation Concurrence**. Concurrence with a delineation is a written notification from the Corps and a decision from the LGU concurring, not concurring, or commenting on the boundaries of the aquatic resources delineated on the property. Delineation concurrences are generally valid for five years unless site conditions change. Under this request alone, the Corps will not address the jurisdictional status of the aquatic resources on the property, only the boundaries of the resources within the review area (including wetlands, tributaries, lakes, etc.).

☒ **Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination**. A preliminary jurisdictional determination (PJD) is a non-binding written indication from the Corps that waters, including wetlands, identified on a parcel may be waters of the United States. For purposes of computation of impacts and compensatory mitigation requirements, a permit decision made on the basis of a PJD will treat all waters and wetlands in the review area as if they are jurisdictional waters of the U.S. PJDs are advisory in nature and may not be appealed.

☐ **Approved Jurisdictional Determination**. An approved jurisdictional determination (AJD) is an official Corps determination that jurisdictional waters of the United States are either present or absent on the property. AJDs can generally be relied upon by the affected party for five years. An AJD may be appealed through the Corps administrative appeal process.

In order for the Corps and LGU to process your request, the wetland delineation must be prepared in accordance with the 1987 Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual, any approved Regional Supplements to the 1987 Manual, and the *Guidelines for Submitting Wetland Delineations in Minnesota* (2013).
http://www.mvp.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/DelineationJDGuidance.aspx

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THIS IS NOT A PERMIT

Wayne Jacobson
Jacobson Environmental
5821 Humboldt Avenue North
Brooklyn Center, MN 55430

Dear Mr. Jacobson:

We have received your submittal described below. You may contact the Project Manager with questions regarding the evaluation process. The Project Manager may request additional information necessary to evaluate your submittal.

File Number: MVP-2019-01518-MVM

Applicant: Plymouth Creek Center c/o Chris Fleck

Project Name: Plymouth Creek Center /14800 34th Avenue North

Project Location: Section 16 of Township 118 North, Range 22, Hennepin County, Minnesota (Latitude: 45.0217913948681; Longitude: -93.4680224627834)

Received Date: 06/28/2019

Project Manager: Marissa Merriman
(651) 290-5362
Marissa.V.Merriman@usace.army.mil

Additional information about the St. Paul District Regulatory Program, including the new Clean Water Rule, can be found on our web site at http://www.mvp.usace.army.mil/missions/regulatory.

Please note that initiating work in waters of the United States prior to receiving Department of the Army authorization could constitute a violation of Federal law. If you have any questions, please contact the Project Manager.

Thank you.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
St. Paul District
Regulatory Branch