



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
SEATTLE DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS
P.O. BOX 3755
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98124-3755

JUN - 1 2015

Regulatory Branch

Ms. Rebecca Spurling
Tesoro Refining and Marketing Co., LLC
P.O. Box 700
Anacortes, Washington 98221

Reference: NWS-2015-167
Tesoro Refining
and Marketing

Dear Ms. Spurling:

On April 17, 2015, we inspected the property at 10200 West March Point Road, near Anacortes, Skagit County, Washington in response to your request for verification of the boundaries of the wetlands and ditches in the review area. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has determined that Wetlands 47 and 48 and Ditches 2, 3, 4, and 5, as shown on the enclosed drawing dated May 19, 2015, are not waters of the United States. As such, work that would occur within these areas does not require Department of the Army authorization under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act. Please note that other waters and wetlands that may occur on this property outside the review area are not the subject of this determination. If you propose to do any work in the areas identified to be waters of the U.S., you should contact our office prior to commencing work to determine permit requirements.

Other state and local regulations may still apply to these wetlands. For example, the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) may regulate these wetlands. The enclosed Ecology *Focus* sheet explains how Ecology regulates this type of wetlands. You should contact Ecology's Federal Permit Coordinator at (360) 407-6068 or ecyrefedpermits@ecy.wa.gov for more information on how to obtain State approval for your project. We are sending a copy of this letter to Ecology and to the Environmental Protection Agency's Aquatic Resources Unit.

This approved jurisdictional determination is valid for a period of five years from the date of this letter unless new information warrants revisions of the determination. A copy of this jurisdictional determination, dated May 19, 2015 can be found on our website at www.nws.usace.army.mil select "Regulatory Branch, Permit Information" and then "Jurisdictional Determinations". If you object to this determination, you may request an administrative appeal under our regulations (33 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 331) as

described in the enclosed *Appeal Process Fact Sheet* and the *Notification of Administrative Appeal Options and Process and Request for Appeal* form.

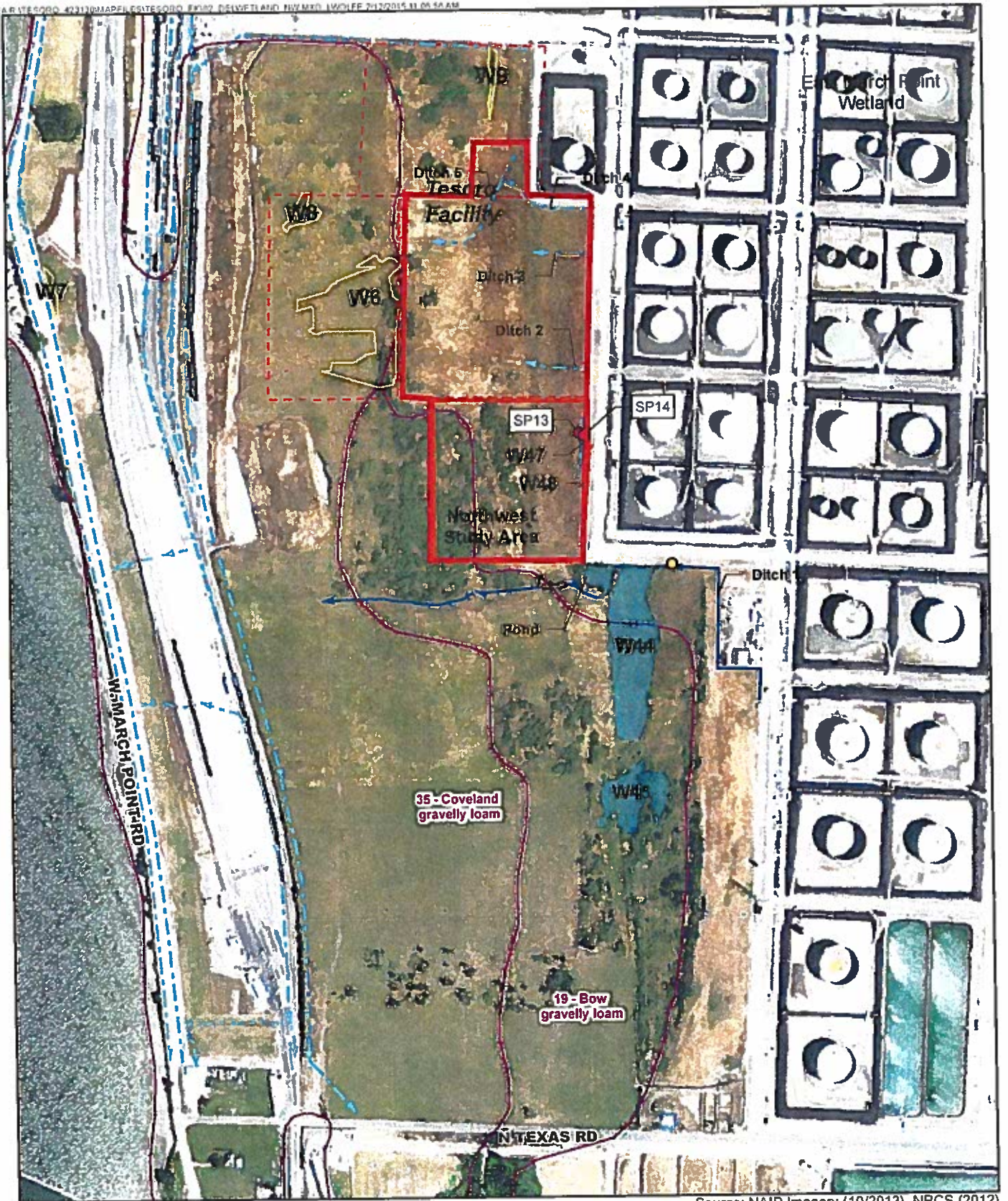
A copy of this letter with drawings will be furnished to Mr. Hans Ehlert of CH2M Hill at 1100 112th Avenue Northeast, Suite 500, Bellevue, Washington 98004. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Randel Perry at randel.j.perry@usace.army.mil or by phone at (360) 734-3156.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kristina G. Tong".

Kristina G. Tong, Acting Chief
Special Programs Section
Regulatory Branch

Enclosures



- Culvert
- Sample Point
- Drainage
- Potential USACE Jurisdictional Ditch
- Wetland (CH2M HILL, 2014)
- Approximate Wetlands (URS, 2006)
- East March Point Wetland (Estimated)
- Estimated Wetland Boundary
- Approximate Wetland Boundary (NW1)
- Study Area
- Other Study Areas
- N
- 1 inch = 500 feet

Source: NAIP Imagery (10/2013), NRCS (2012)

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19 May 2015

Delineated Wetlands and Ditches within Northwest Study Area

