



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
SAN FRANCISCO DISTRICT, U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
1455 MARKET STREET
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA 94103-1398

REPLY TO

OCT 15 2008

Regulatory Division

SUBJECT: File Number SPN-2006-300090 S

Steve Harris
Office of Biological Science and Permits
California Department of Transportation
P.O. Box 23660
Oakland, California 94623-0600

Dear Mr. Harris:

This letter is written in response to your submittal of August 15, 2008, requesting confirmation of the extent of Corps of Engineers jurisdiction at the South Access to Golden Gate Bridge: Doyle Drive project site.

Enclosed is a map showing the extent and location of Corps of Engineers jurisdiction. We have based this jurisdictional delineation on the current conditions on the site as verified during a site visit performed by our staff on October 1, 2008. There are approximately 0.522 acres of wetlands and 0.097 acres of other waters of the United States on the project site. A change in those conditions may also change the extent of our jurisdiction. This jurisdictional delineation will expire in five years from the date of this letter. However, if there has been a change in circumstances that affects the extent of Corps jurisdiction, a revision may be completed before that date.

You are advised that the Corps has established an Administrative Appeal Process, as described in 33 C.F.R. Part 331 (65 Fed. Reg. 16,486; March 28, 2000), and outlined in the enclosed flowchart and "Notification of Administrative Appeal Options, Process, and Request for Appeal" form (NAO-RFA). If you do not intend to accept the approved jurisdictional determination, you may elect to provide new information to the District Engineer for reconsideration or submit a completed NAO-RFA form to the Division Engineer to initiate the appeal process. You will relinquish all rights to appeal, unless the Corps receives new information or a completed NAO-RFA form within sixty (60) days of the date of the NAO-RFA.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please call Andrea Meier of our Regulatory Division at 415-503-6798. Please address all correspondence to the Regulatory Division and refer to the File Number at the head of this letter. If you would like to provide comments on our permit review process, please complete the Customer Survey Form available online at <http://per2.nwp.usace.army.mil/survey.html>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jane M. Hicks" with a stylized flourish at the end.

Jane M. Hicks
Chief, Regulatory Division

Enclosures

Copy Furnished

CA RWQCB, Oakland, CA

NOTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE APPEAL OPTIONS AND PROCESS AND REQUEST FOR APPEAL

Applicant: California Department of Transportation		File No: SPN-2006-300090 S	Date: Oct 9, 2008
Attached is:			See Section below
	INITIAL PROFFERED PERMIT (Standard Permit or Letter of permission)		A
	FINAL PROFFERED PERMIT (Standard Permit or Letter of permission)		B
	PERMIT DENIAL		C
X	APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION		D
	PRELIMINARY JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION		E

SECTION I - The following identifies your rights and options regarding an administrative appeal of the above decision. Additional information may be found at <http://usace.army.mil/inet/functions/cw/cecwo/reg> or Corps Regulations at 33 CFR Part 331.

A: INITIAL PROFFERED PERMIT: You may accept or object to the permit.

- **ACCEPT:** If you received a Standard Permit, you may sign the permit document and return it to the DISTRICT Engineer for final authorization. If you received a Letter of Permission (LOP), you may accept the LOP and your work is authorized. Your signature on the Standard Permit or acceptance of the LOP means that you accept the permit in its entirety, and waive all rights to appeal the permit, including its terms and conditions, and approved jurisdictional determinations associated with the permit.
- **OBJECT:** If you object to the initial proffered permit (Standard or LOP) because of certain terms and conditions therein, you may request that the permit be modified accordingly. You must complete Section II of this Notice and return the Notice to the DISTRICT Engineer. Your objections must be received by the DISTRICT Engineer within 60 days of the date of this Notice, or you will forfeit your right to appeal the permit in the future. Upon receipt of your Notice, the DISTRICT Engineer will evaluate your objections and may: (a) modify the permit to address all of your concerns, (b) modify the permit to address some of your objections, or (c) not modify the permit having determined that the permit should be issued as previously written. After evaluating your objections, the DISTRICT Engineer will send you a final proffered permit for your reconsideration, as indicated in Section B below.

B: FINAL PROFFERED PERMIT: You may accept or decline/appeal the permit.

- **ACCEPT:** If you received a Standard Permit, you may sign the permit document and return it to the DISTRICT Engineer for final authorization. If you received a Letter of Permission (LOP), you may accept the LOP and your work is authorized. Your signature on the Standard Permit or acceptance of the LOP means that you accept the permit in its entirety, and waive all rights to appeal the permit, including its terms and conditions, and approved jurisdictional determinations associated with the permit.
- **APPEAL:** If you choose to decline the final proffered permit (Standard or LOP) because of certain terms and conditions therein, you may appeal the declined permit under the Corps of Engineers Administrative Appeal Process by completing Section II of this Notice and sending the form to the DIVISION (not District) Engineer (address on reverse). This Notice must be received by the DIVISION (not District) Engineer within 60 days of the date of this Notice.

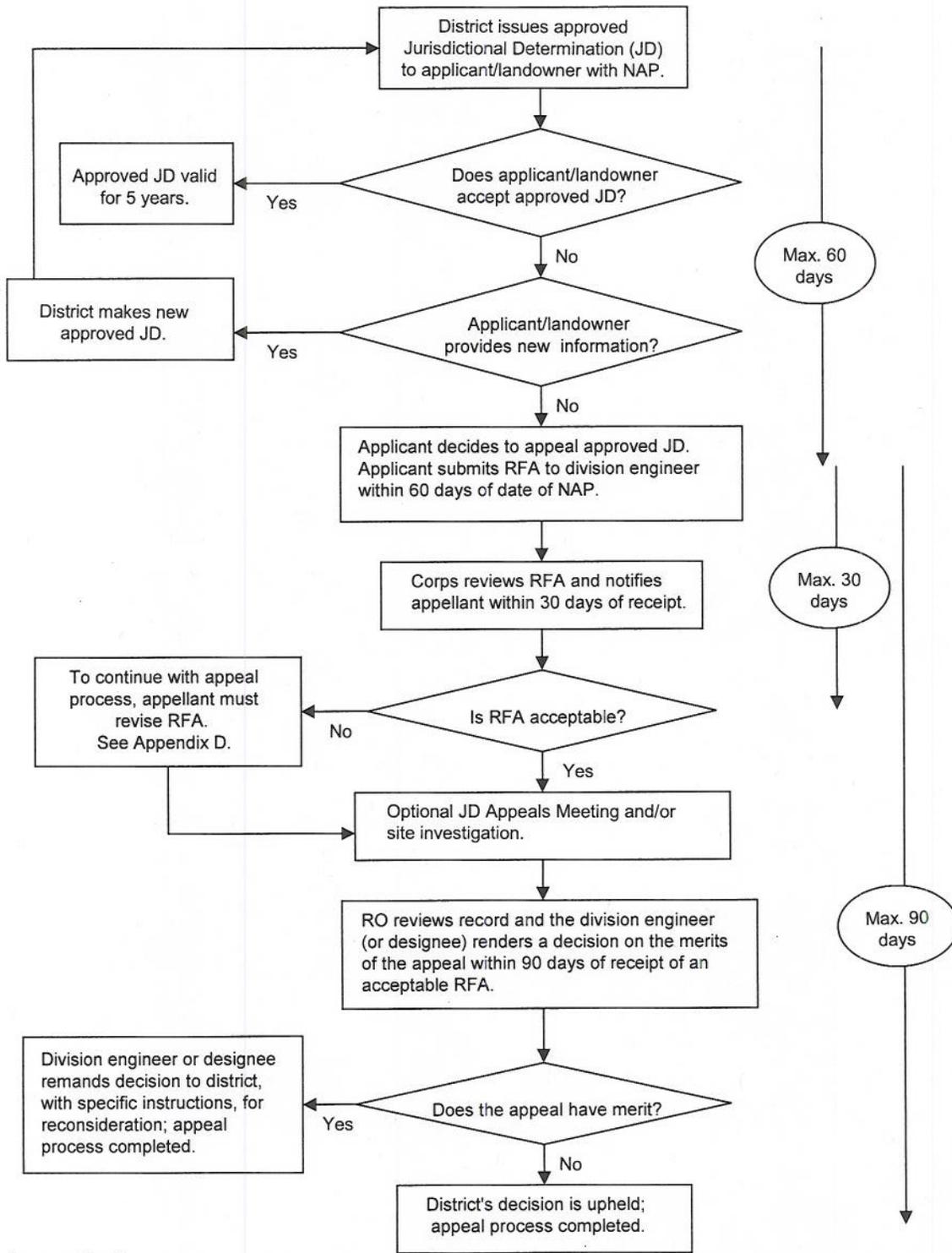
C: PERMIT DENIAL: You may appeal the denial of a permit under the Corps of Engineers Administrative Appeal Process by completing Section II of this Notice and sending the Notice to the DIVISION (not District) Engineer (address on reverse). This Notice must be received by the DIVISION (not District) Engineer within 60 days of the date of this Notice.

D: APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION (JD): You may accept or appeal the approved JD or provide new information.

- **ACCEPT:** You do not need to notify the Corps to accept an approved JD. Failure to notify the Corps within 60 days of the date of this Notice means that you accept the approved JD in its entirety, and waive all rights to appeal the approved JD.
- **APPEAL:** If you disagree with the approved JD, you may appeal the approved JD under the Corps of Engineers Administrative Appeal Process by completing Section II of this Notice and sending the Notice to the DIVISION (not District) Engineer (address on reverse). This Notice must be received by the DIVISION Engineer within 60 days of the date of this Notice. JD appeals based on NEW information must be submitted to the DISTRICT Engineer within 60 days of the date of this Notice.

E: PRELIMINARY JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION (JD): You do not need to respond to the Corps regarding the preliminary JD. The preliminary JD is not appealable. If you wish, you may request an approved JD (which may be appealed), by contacting the Corps District for further instruction. Also you may provide new information for further consideration by the Corps to reevaluate the JD.

Administrative Appeal Process for Approved Jurisdictional Determinations

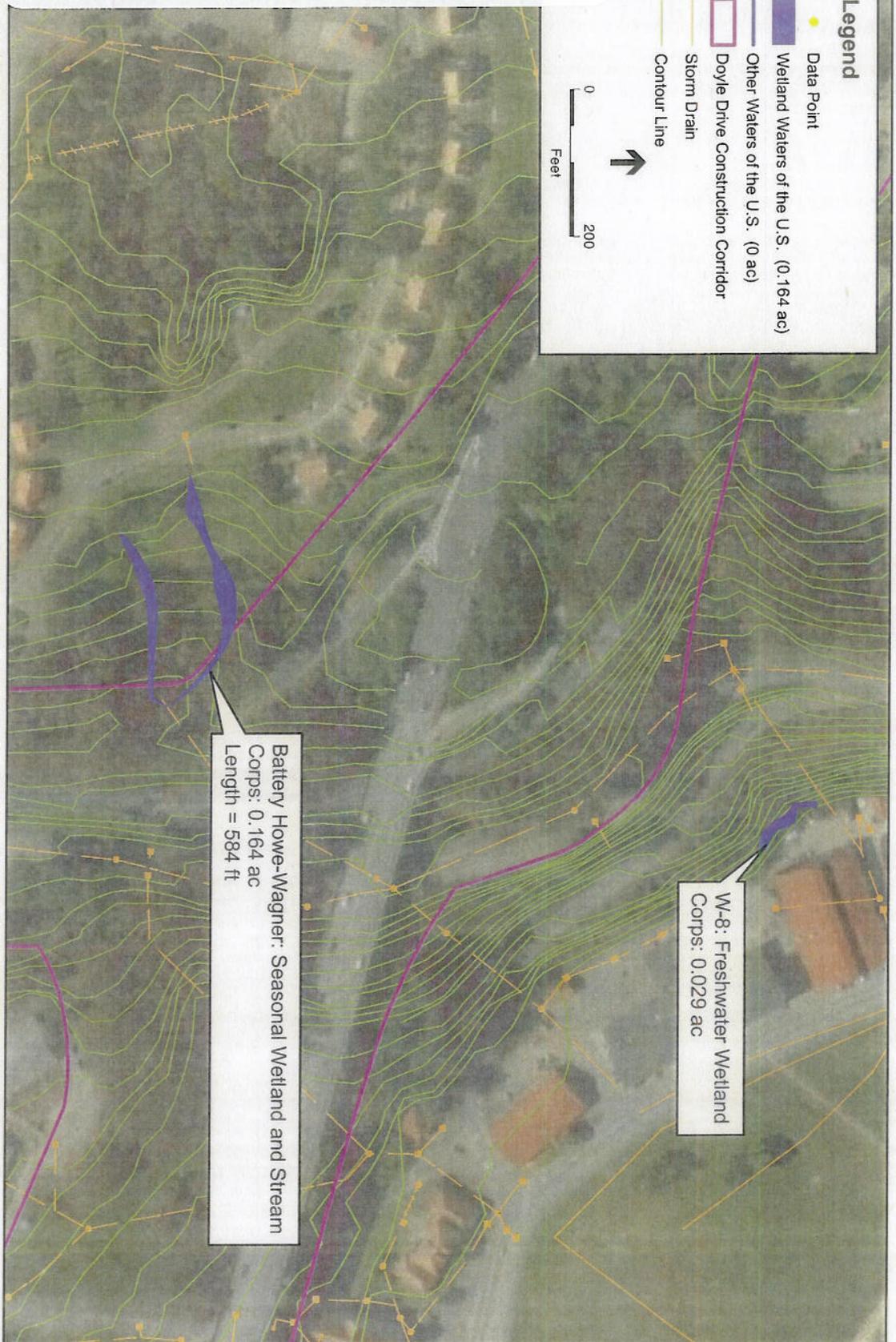




U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
San Francisco District, Regulatory Division
Jurisdictional Determination

California Department of Transportation (Caltrans)
South Access to Golden Gate Bridge: Doyle Drive
Refer to Map Legend for Key
File no. SPN-2006-300090 S

Date: October 9, 2008



Legend

- Data Point
- Wetland Waters of the U.S. (0.164 ac)
- Other Waters of the U.S. (0 ac)
- Doyle Drive Construction Corridor
- Storm Drain
- Contour Line



PURPOSE: TO IMPROVE THE SEISMIC, STRUCTURAL, AND TRAFFIC SAFETY OF DOYLE DRIVE ROADWAY
DATUM: NAD83
ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS: NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND THE PRESIDIO TRUST
CORPS FILE NUMBER: 254035

W-8 AND BATTERY HOWE-WAGNER
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
111 GRAND AVENUE
OAKLAND, CA 94612

UPDATE OF DELINEATION OF WATERS OF THE U.S. AT DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO
IN: SEASONAL WETLANDS
AT: DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO
COUNTY: SAN FRANCISCO
STATE: CALIFORNIA
APPLICATION BY: ESA
DATE: JUNE 2007
MAP 1



U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
 San Francisco District, Regulatory Division
 Jurisdictional Determination

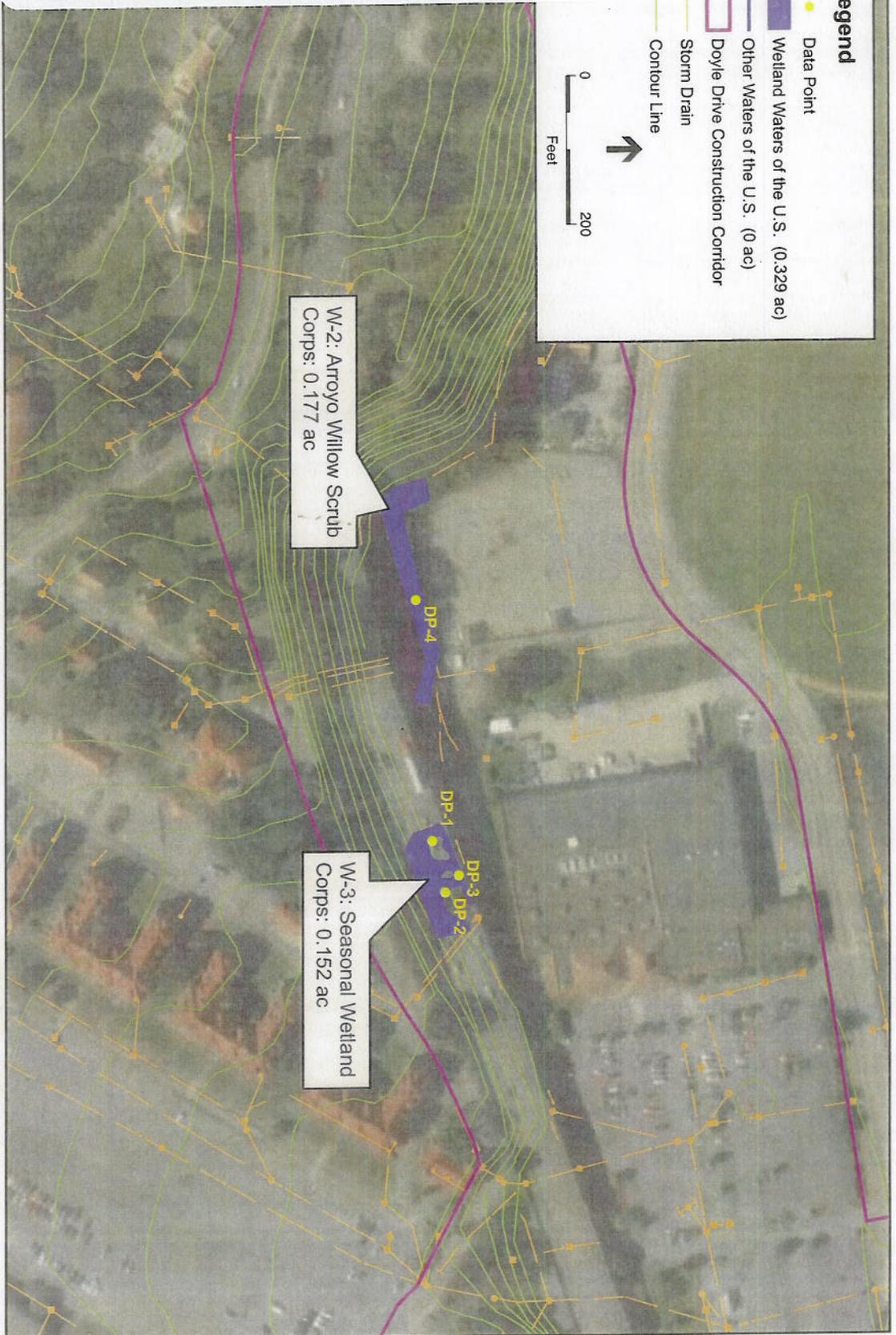
California Department of Transportation (Caltrans)
 South Access to Golden Gate Bridge: Doyle Drive
 Refer to Map Legend for Key
 File no. SPN-2006-300090 S

Date: October 9, 2008

Legend

- Data Point
- Wetland Waters of the U.S. (0.329 ac)
- ▬ Other Waters of the U.S. (0 ac)
- ▬ Doyle Drive Construction Corridor
- ▬ Storm Drain
- ▬ Contour Line

0 200
 Feet



PURPOSE: TO IMPROVE THE SEISMIC, STRUCTURAL, AND TRAFFIC SAFETY OF DOYLE DRIVE ROADWAY
 DATUM: NAD83
 ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS: NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND THE PRESIDIO TRUST
 CORPS FILE NUMBER: 254035

W-2 AND W-3
 CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
 111 GRAND AVENUE
 OAKLAND, CA 94612

UPDATE OF DELINEATION OF WATERS OF THE U.S. AT DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO
 IN: SEASONAL WETLANDS
 AT: DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO
 COUNTY: SAN FRANCISCO
 STATE: CALIFORNIA
 APPLICATION BY: ESA
 DATE: JUNE 2007
 MAP 2



U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
San Francisco District, Regulatory Division
Jurisdictional Determination

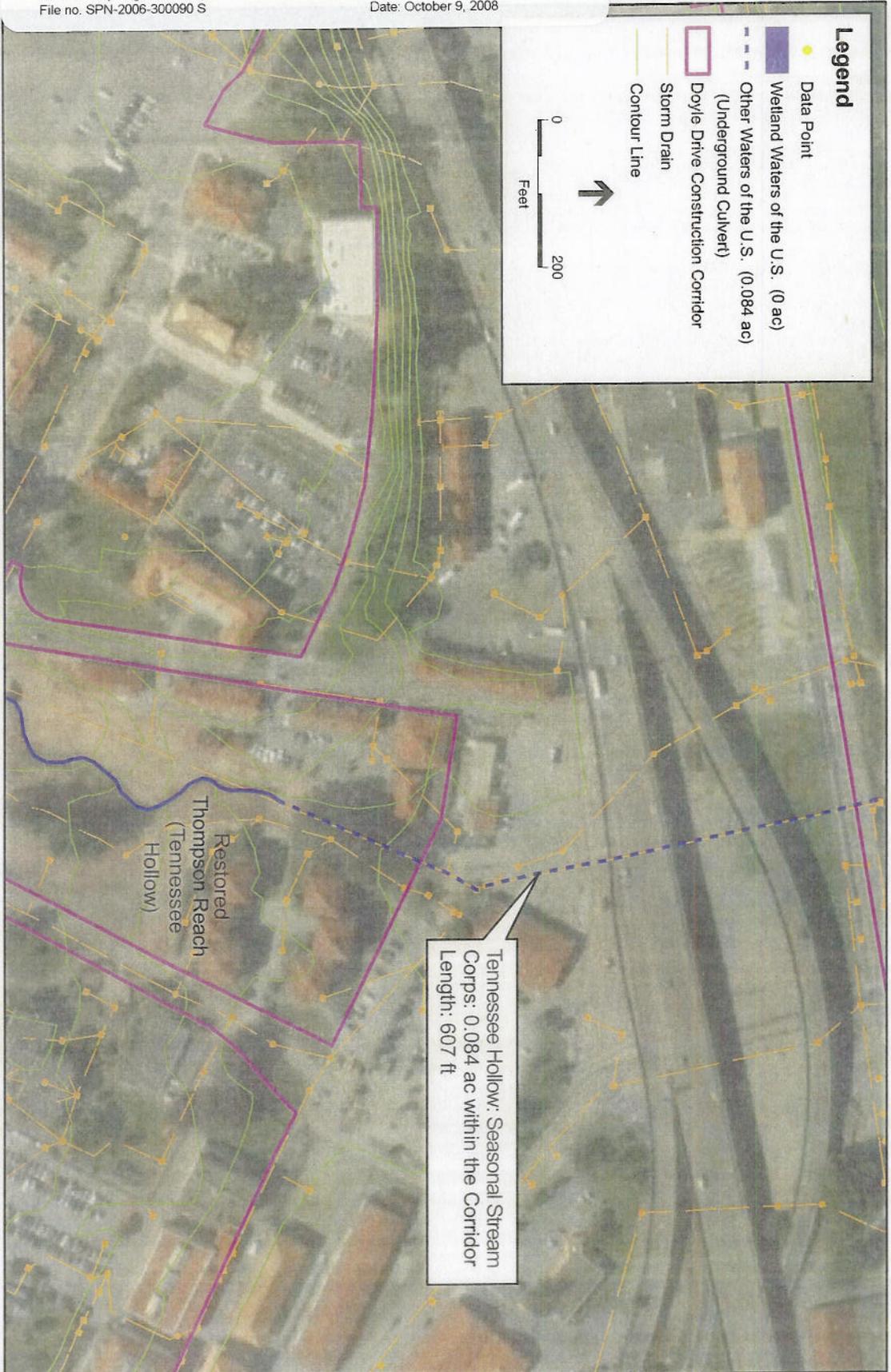
California Department of Transportation (Caltrans)
South Access to Golden Gate Bridge, Doyle Drive
Refer to Map Legend for Key
File no. SPN-2006-300090 S

Date: October 9, 2008

PURPOSE: TO IMPROVE THE SEISMIC, STRUCTURAL, AND TRAFFIC SAFETY OF DOYLE DRIVE ROADWAY
DATUM: NAD83
ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS: NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND THE PRESIDIO TRUST
CORPS FILE NUMBER: 254035

TENNESSEE HOLLOW
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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OAKLAND, CA 94612

UPDATE OF DELINEATION OF WATERS OF THE U.S.
AT DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO
IN: TENNESSEE HOLLOW
AT: DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO
COUNTY: SAN FRANCISCO
STATE: CALIFORNIA
APPLICATION BY: ESA
DATE: JUNE 2007
MAP 3





U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
San Francisco District, Regulatory Division
Jurisdictional Determination

California Department of Transportation (Caltrans)
South Access to Golden Gate Bridge: Doyle Drive
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Lower Dragonfly: Perennial Stream
Corps: 0.005 ac
OHWM = 2 ft
Length = 116 ft

Lower Dragonfly: Perennial Stream
Corps: 0.008 ac
OHWM = 4 ft
Length = 84 ft

Legend

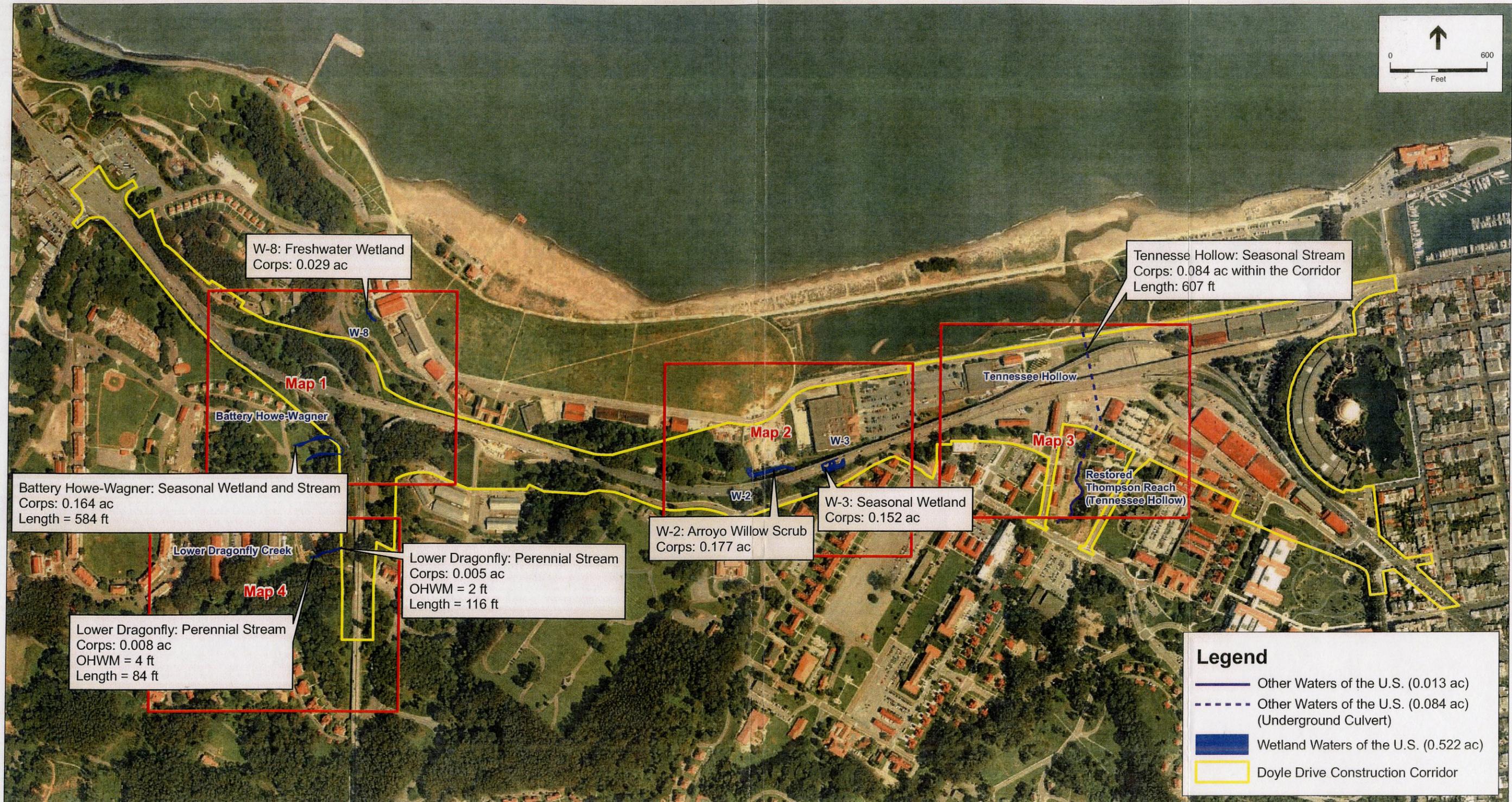
- Data Point
- Wetland Waters of the U.S. (0 ac)
- Other Waters of the U.S. (0.013 ac)
- Doyle Drive Construction Corridor
- Storm Drain
- Contour Line

0 200
Feet

PURPOSE: TO IMPROVE THE SEISMIC, STRUCTURAL, AND TRAFFIC SAFETY OF DOYLE DRIVE ROADWAY
DATUM: NAD83
ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS: NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND THE PRESIDIO TRUST
CORPS FILE NUMBER: 254033

LOWER DRAGONFLY CREEK
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
111 GRAND AVENUE
OAKLAND, CA 94612

UPDATE OF DELINEATION OF WATERS OF THE U.S. AT DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO
IN: LOWER DRAGONFLY CREEK
AT: DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO
COUNTY: SAN FRANCISCO
STATE: CALIFORNIA
APPLICATION BY: ESA
DATE: JUNE 2007
MAP 4



SOURCE: Digital Globe, 2007; ESA, 2007

PURPOSE: TO IMPROVE THE SEISMIC, STRUCTURAL, AND TRAFFIC SAFETY OF DOYLE DRIVE ROADWAY

DATUM: NAD83

ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS: NATIONAL PARK SERVICE AND THE PRESIDIO TRUST

CORPS FILE NUMBER: 25403S

DOYLE DRIVE JURISDICTIONAL WATERS OF THE U.S.

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UPDATE OF DELINEATION OF WATERS OF THE U.S. AT DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO

IN: SEASONAL WETLANDS AND STREAMS

AT: DOYLE DRIVE, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO

COUNTY: SAN FRANCISCO
STATE: CALIFORNIA

APPLICATION BY: ESA
DATE: JUNE 2007