

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, WILMINGTON DISTRICT WASHINGTON REGULATORY FIELD OFFICE 2407 W. 5TH STREET WASHINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA 27889

March 11, 2025

Regulatory Division SAW-2015-01780

Hyde County Partners, LLC C/O Alfred Roosevelt, Director of Operations 1803 S Foothills Hwy., Suite 120 Boulder, Colorado 80303

Dear Mr. Roosevelt:

This letter is in response to the Pre-Construction Notification (PCN) renewal request you submitted to the Wilmington District, Washington Regulatory Field Office, on December 29, 2024, for a Department of the Army Nationwide permit (NWP) verification. This project has been assigned the file number SAW-2015-01780 This file number should be referenced in all correspondence concerning this project.

A review of the information provided indicates that the proposed work would include the construction and installation of 28 water control structures within existing perimeter ditches, including sheetpile box weir structures and aluminum culvert standpipes with flashboard risers and stacking system. The project area for this determination includes a 14,473 acre(s) area which is illustrated on the enclosed site plans/maps. The project/review area is located at/or near 1557 Gall Road, adjacent to New Lake and Rutman Creek, at Latitude 35.650325 and Longitude -76.423164; near the Community of Leechville, Hyde County, North Carolina. Parcel PIN 7760-32-6187. Deed Book 303. Page 271 (7).

We have determined that the proposed work is authorized by Nationwide Permit No. 27 pursuant to authorities under Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 (33 U.S.C. § 403) and Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1344). The proposed work must be accomplished in strict accordance with the general permit conditions, any regional conditions, the application materials, and the enclosed plans. If the extent of the project area and/or nature of the authorized impacts to waters are modified, a revised PCN must be submitted to this office for written approval before work is initiated. Any violation of permit conditions or deviation from your submitted plans may subject the permittee to enforcement action.

This verification is valid until March 14, 2026, unless prior to this date the subject NWP(s) is suspended, revoked, or is modified such that the activity no longer complies with the terms and conditions of this NWP. If you commence or are under contract to commence this activity before the date that the relevant NWP is modified or revoked,

you will have 12 months from the date of the modification or revocation of the NWP to complete the activity under the present terms and conditions of this NWP.

Activities subject to Section 404 (as indicated above) may also require an individual Section 401 Water Quality Certification. You should contact the NC Division of Water Resources (telephone 919-807-6300) to determine Section 401 requirements.

For activities occurring within the twenty coastal counties subject to regulation under the Coastal Area Management Act (CAMA), prior to beginning work you must contact the N.C. Division of Coastal Management in Washington, NC, at (252) 946-6481.

This NWP verification does not preclude the necessity to obtain any other Federal, State, or local permits, licenses, and/or certifications, which may be required.

If you have any questions related to this verification or have issues accessing documents referenced in this letter, please contact Mr. Raleigh W. Bland, Regulatory Project Manager of the Washington Regulatory Field Office, at 910-261-4564, by mail at the above address, or by email at Raleigh.w.bland@usace.army.mil. Please take a moment to complete our customer satisfaction survey located at https://regulatory.ops.usace.army.mil/customer-service-survey/.

Sincerely, Ralbiath. Bland, SPWS

Raleigh W. Bland, SPWS Regulatory Project Manager

Enclosures

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Brian D. Rubino P.G. Director of Coastal Resources WithersRavenel 8466 Caratoke Highway Building 400 Powells Point NC 27966

Compliance Certification Form

File Number: SAW-2015-01780	County: Hyde			
Permittee: Hyde County Partners, LLC				
Project Name: Hyde County Partners Rise	er Project			
Date Verification Issued: 3/11/2025				
Project Manager: Mr. Raleigh W. Bland, R	Regulatory Project Manager			
Upon completion of the activity authorized by the permit, sign this certification and return it				
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Raleigh.w.bland@	usace.army.mil.			
Please note that your permitted activity is subject to a compliance inspection by a U. S. Army Corps of Engineers representative. Failure to comply with any terms or conditions of this authorization may result in the Corps suspending, modifying or revoking the authorization and/or issuing a Class I administrative penalty, or initiating other appropriate legal action.				
I hereby certify that the work, and mitigation (if applicable), authorized by the above referenced permit has been completed in accordance with the terms and conditions of the said permit including any general or specific conditions.				
Date Authorized Work Started:	Completed:			
Describe any deviations from permit (attach drawing(s) depicting the deviations):				
*Note: The description of any deviations on this fo	orm does not constitute approval by the Corps			
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Signature of Permittee	Date			