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# Environmental Review for Activity/Project that is Categorically Excluded Subject to Section 58.5 Pursuant to 24 CFR 58.35(a)

## **Project Information**

**Project Name:** 1050-S-Saint-Johns

**HEROS Number:** 900000010413820

Responsible Entity (RE): ST. JOHNS COUNTY, 200 SAN SEBASTIAN VIEW ST.

AUGUSTINE FL, 32084

State / Local Identifier:

RE Preparer: Marie Guilfoyle

**Certifying Office** Caleena Shirley

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**Grant Recipient (if different than Responsible Ent** 

ity):

**Point of Contact:** 

Consultant (if applicabl

e):

**Point of Contact:** 

Project Location: 1050 S Saint Johns St, St Augustine, FL 32084

## **Additional Location Information:**

Single-family housing rehabilitation of one residential home located on one parcel of land located at 1050 S. St. Johns St., St. Augustine, FL 32084

**Direct Comments to:** 

## Description of the Proposed Project [24 CFR 50.12 & 58.32; 40 CFR 1508.25]:

In an effort to address housing needs in St. Johns County, FL, \$40,000 in CDBG funding will be used to provide home rehabilitation to a low--to moderate-income homeowner who needs assistance to remain living safely and independently in the home. The subject property is 1468 sq ft.

## Maps, photographs, and other documentation of project location and description:

A4 Property Appraiser.pdf

A3 Neighborhood Aerial Map.pdf

A2 Aerial Map.pdf

A1 Base Map.pdf

## Level of Environmental Review Determination:

Categorically Excluded per 24 CFR 58.35(a), and subject to laws and authorities at 58.5:

58.34(a)(12)

58.35(a)(3)(i)

## **Determination:**

<b>√</b>	This categorically excluded activity/project converts to <b>EXEMPT</b> per Section 58.34(a)(12), because it does not require any mitigation for compliance with any listed statutes or authorities, nor requires any formal permit or license; <b>Funds may be committed and drawn down after certification of this part</b> for this (now) EXEMPT project; OR
	This categorically excluded activity/project cannot convert to Exempt status because one or more statutes or authorities listed at Section 58.5 requires formal consultation or mitigation. Complete consultation/mitigation protocol requirements, <b>publish NOI/RROF and obtain "Authority to Use Grant Funds"</b> (HUD 7015.16) per Section 58.70 and 58.71 before committing or drawing down any funds; OR
	This project is not categorically excluded OR, if originally categorically excluded, is now subject to a full Environmental Assessment according to Part 58 Subpart E due to extraordinary circumstances (Section 58.35(c)).

## **Approval Documents:**

ERR Exempt Signature.pdf

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## Level of Environment Review Determination:

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## **Funding Information**

<b>Grant Number</b>	HUD Program	Program Name	
2021/3	Community Planning and	Community Development Block Grants	\$40,000.00
	Development (CPD)	(CDBG) (Entitlement)	

Estimated Total HUD Funded Amount: \$40,000.00

Estimated Total Project Cost [24 CFR 58.2 (a) (5)]: \$40,000.00

## Mitigation Measures and Conditions [CFR 1505.2(c)]:

Summarized below are all mitigation measures adopted by the Responsible Entity to reduce, avoid or eliminate adverse environmental impacts and to avoid non-compliance or non-conformance with the above-listed authorities and factors. These measures/conditions must be incorporated into project

contracts, development agreements and other relevant documents. The staff responsible for implementing and monitoring mitigation measures should be clearly identified in the mitigation plan.

Law, Authority, or	Mitigation Measure or Condition	Comments on Completed Measures	Complete
Factor			

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Prepa	rer Signature: Housing Program Special \$ 123/24
Name	/ Title/ Organization: Marie Guilfoyle // ST. JOHNS COUNTY
Respo	onsible Entity Agency Official Signature: Date: 1/23/2029
Name	/ Title: Jennifer farvey Lousing? Community Dev. Mg.

This original, signed document and related supporting material must be retained on file by the Responsible Entity in an Environment Review Record (ERR) for the activity / project (ref: 24 CFR Part 58.38) and in accordance with recordkeeping requirements for the HUD program(s).

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A2\_Aerial Map

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A3\_Neighborhood Aerial Map

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## St. Johns County, FL

## **Apply for Exemptions**

Apply for Exemptions

## 2022 TRIM Notice

2022 TRIM Notice (PDF)

## Summary

Parcel ID 1333960130 Location Address 1050 S ST JOHNS ST

SAINT AUGUSTINE 32084-0000

Neighborhood Clark Addition (SF) (522)

Tax Description\* 1-77 CLARK ADDN LOTS 13 & 14 BLK 102 OR351/668

&4183/1694(F/J)

\*The Description above is not to be used on legal documents.

Property Use Single Family (0100)

Code

 Subdivision
 Augustine Western Suburb Subdivision

 Sec/Twp/Rng
 45-7-29

District South Ponte Vedra & US 1 North Area (District 450)

Millage Rate 12.7533 Acreage 0.230 Homestead Y



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## **Owner Information**

Owner Name Wilbur John Leroy 100%

Mailing Address PO BOX 1597

SAINT AUGUSTINE, FL 32085-1597

## **Exemption Information**

Exemption Type	Status	Amount
Homestead		\$0
Tot/Perm DV		\$61,673

Additional Exemptions: Homestead

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## Valuation Information

	2024
Building Value	\$116,671
Extra Features Value	\$0
Total Land Value	\$55,800
Agricultural (Assessed) Value	\$0
Agricultural (Market) Value	\$0
Just (Market) Value	\$172,471
Total Deferred	\$110,798
Assessed Value	\$61,673
Total Exemptions	\$61,673
Taxable Value	\$0

## Values listed are from our working tax roll and are subject to change.

## **Historical Assessment Information**

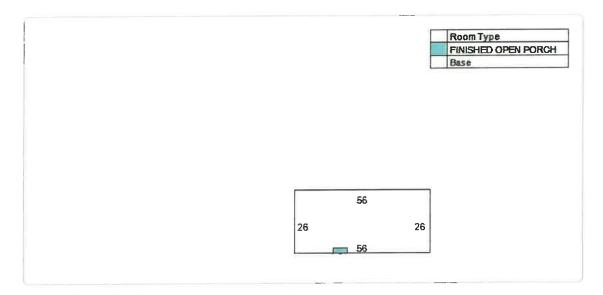
Year	Building Value	Extra Feature Value	Total Land Value	Just (Market) Value
2023	\$109,120	\$O	\$47,000	\$156,120
2022	\$109,619	\$0	\$26,900	\$136,519
2021	\$66,259	\$0	\$24,000	\$90,259
2020	\$64,903	\$0	\$21,000	\$85,903
2019	\$58,582	\$0	\$21,000	\$79,582
2018	\$52,110	\$0	\$21,000	\$73,110
2017	\$46,504	\$O	\$17,500	\$64,004
2016	\$43,478	\$0	\$12,500	\$55,978
2015	\$42,632	\$0	\$9,000	\$51,632
2014	\$41,461	\$0	\$9,000	\$50,461
2013	\$42,130	\$0	\$9,000	\$51,130

## **Building Information**

Building Building Value Year Built Actual Area Conditioned Area Use Style Exterior Wall	1 \$116,671 1979 1468 1456 Single Family Residence 01 Wood	Roof Cover Roof Structure Interior Flooring Interior Wall Heating Type Air Conditioning Bedrooms Baths	Composite Shingle Gable Hip Pine Wood, Sheet Vinyl Drywall Air Duct Central 3
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Description	Square Footage
BASE AREA	1456
FINISHED OPEN PORCH	12
Total SqFt	1468

## Sketch Information



## **Land Information**

Use Description	Front	Depth	Total Land Units	Unit Type	Land Value
Single Family	100	105	100	EF	\$55,800

## Sale Information

Recording		
Date	Sale Date	Sale Price
4/28/2016	4/27/2016	\$0.00
	1/1/1977	\$0.00

 $\textbf{No data available for the following modules:} Sales \ Question naire Form, Extra Feature Information.$ 

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## **Funding Information**

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Estimated Total Project Cost:

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## Compliance with 24 CFR §50.4, §58.5 and §58.6 Laws and Authorities

Compliance Factors: Statutes, Executive Orders, and Regulations listed at 24 CFR §50.4, §58.5, and §58.6	Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?	Compliance determination (See Appendix A for source determinations)
STATUTES, EXECUTIVE ORD	DERS, AND REGULATIO	NS LISTED AT 24 CFR §50.4 & § 58.6
Airport Hazards Clear Zones and Accident Potential Zones; 24 CFR Part 51 Subpart D	□ Yes ☑ No	The project site is approximately 4 miles, 26,428 ft. away from the closest civilian airport, Northeast Florida Regional Airport and not within 15,000 feet of a military airport. The project is in compliance with Airport Hazards requirements.
Coastal Barrier Resources Act Coastal Barrier Resources Act, as amended by the Coastal Barrier Improvement Act of 1990 [16 USC 3501]	☐ Yes ☑ No	This project is not located in a CBRS Unit. Therefore, this project has no potential to impact a CBRS Unit and is in compliance with the Coastal Barrier Resources Act.
Flood Insurance Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 and National Flood Insurance	☐ Yes ☑ No	This project does not occur in a floodplain as shown in FEMA Flood Panel 12109co313J, effective 12/07/18. While flood insurance may not be

Reform Act of 1994 [42 USC 4001- 4128 and 42 USC 5154a]		mandatory in this instance, HUD recommends that all insurable structures maintain flood insurance under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). The project is in compliance with flood insurance requirements
STATUTES, EXECUTIVE ORD		ONS LISTED AT 24 CFR §50.4 & § 58.5
Air Quality Clean Air Act, as amended, particularly section 176(c) & (d); 40 CFR Parts 6, 51, 93	☐ Yes ☑ No	Based on the project description, this project includes no activities that would require further evaluation under the Clean Air Act. The project is in compliance with the Clean Air Act.
Coastal Zone Management Act Coastal Zone Management Act, sections 307(c) & (d)	□ Yes ☑ No	Florida's coastal zone spans in various coastal bordering communities covering the entire State. While St John's County is contiguous to state water bodies, the project is significantly inland and not within a coastal barrier. The project has no potential to impact a CBRS Unit and is in compliance with the Coastal Barrier Resources Act and does not require state review
Contamination and Toxic Substances 24 CFR 50.3(i) & 58.5(i)(2)]	□ Yes ☑ No	On-site or nearby toxic, hazardous, or radioactive substances that could affect the health and safety of project occupants or conflict with the intended use of the property were not found. The project is exempt from radon consideration. The project is in compliance with contamination and toxic substances requirements.
Endangered Species Act Endangered Species Act of 1973, particularly section 7; 50 CFR Part 402	□ Yes ☑ No	This project will have No Effect on listed species based on a Clearance to Proceed with HUD Loan Project Requests letter from the USFWS Office dated July 17, 2024. This project is in compliance with the Endangered Species Act.
Explosive and Flammable Hazards Above-Ground Tanks)[24 CFR Part 51 Subpart C	□ Yes ☑ No	After reviewing available county resources, a visual site review of properties in the surrounding area, and a GIS map analysis, it has been determined that Limited Repair does not require this review. The project is in compliance with explosive and

		flammable hazard requirements as the project does not include development, construction, or rehabilitation that will
		increase residential densities. Additionally, 24 CFR 51 Subpart C
		determines that above-ground
		LPG/propane tanks with a water
		capacity up to 1,000 gallons that are in
		compliance with NFPA Code 58 (2017) are excluded from the definition of
		"hazard" and thereby excluded from
		coverage under the rule; all below-
		ground storage containers are also
		excluded from coverage
Farmlands Protection	☐ Yes ☑ No	This project is located in a developed, urban area and does not include any
Farmland Protection Policy Act of 1981, particularly sections 1504(b)		activities that could potentially convert
and 1541; 7 CFR Part 658		agricultural land to a non-agricultural
		use. The project is in compliance with
		the Farmland Protection Policy Act.
Floodplain Management	☐ Yes ☑ No	This project does not occur in a
Executive Order 11988, particularly section 2(a); 24 CFR Part 55		floodplain as shown in FEMA Flood Panel 12109C0314J , effective 12/07/18.
Section 2(a), 24 CFR Fait 33		While flood insurance may not be
		mandatory in this instance, HUD
		recommends that all insurable
		structures maintain flood insurance
		under the National Flood Insurance
		Program (NFIP). The project is in compliance with flood insurance
		requirements.
Historic Preservation	☐ Yes ☑ No	Based on Section 106 consultation, the
National Historic Preservation Act of		project will have NO ADVERSE EFFECT
1966, particularly sections 106 and		on historic properties. Letters have been
110; 36 CFR Part 800		sent to the local and state historical authorities with a FONSI letter request.
		We believe the project to be in
		compliance with the National Historic
		Preservation Act of 1966, particularly
		sections 106 and 110; 36 CFR Part 800,
		due to the agency's nonresponse during
Noise Abatement and Control	☐ Yes ☑ No	the 30-day review period.  The project is modernization or minor
Noise Control Act of 1972, as	□ 162 ₪ IAO	rehabilitation of an existing residential
amended by the Quiet Communities		property. The project will include
, ,		standardized noise attenuation

		The contract to the second terms
Act of 1978; 24 CFR Part 51 Subpart		measures. The project is in compliance
В		with HUD's Noise regulation.
Sole Source Aquifers	☐ Yes ☑ No	Based on the project description, the
Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, as		project consists of activities that are
amended, particularly section		unlikely to have an adverse impact on
1424(e); 40 CFR Part 149		groundwater resources. The project is in
		compliance with Sole Source Aquifer
		requirements.
Wetlands Protection	☐ Yes ☑ No	Based on the project description this
Executive Order 11990, particularly		project includes no activities that would
sections 2 and 5		require further evaluation under this
		section. The project is in compliance
		with Executive Order 11990.
Wild and Scenic Rivers Act	☐ Yes ☑ No	This project is not within proximity of a
Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968,		NWSRS river. The project is in
particularly section 7(b) and (c)		compliance with the Wild and Scenic
		Rivers Act.
HUD HC	USING ENVIRON	MENTAL STANDARDS
	ENVIRONMENT	AL JUSTICE
Environmental Justice	☐ Yes ☑ No	No adverse environmental impacts were
Executive Order 12898		identified in the project's total
		environmental review. The project is in
		compliance with Executive Order 12898.

## Mitigation Measures and Conditions [40 CFR 1505.2(c)]:

Summarized below are all mitigation measures adopted by the Responsible Entity to reduce, avoid or eliminate adverse environmental impacts and to avoid non-compliance or non-conformance with the above-listed authorities and factors. These measures/conditions must be incorporated into project contracts, development agreements and other relevant documents. The staff responsible for implementing and monitoring mitigation measures should be clearly identified in the mitigation plan.

Law,	Mitigation Measure or Condition	Comments on	Mitigation	Complete
Authority,		Completed	Plan	
or Factor		Measures		

**Project Mitigation Plan** 

Supporting documentation on completed measures

## **APPENDIX A: Related Federal Laws and Authorities**

**Airport Hazards** 

General policy	Legislation	Regulation
It is HUD's policy to apply standards to		24 CFR Part 51 Subpart D
prevent incompatible development		
around civil airports and military airfields.		

1. To ensure compatible land use development, you must determine your site's proximity to civil and military airports. Is your project within 15,000 feet of a military airport or 2,500 feet of a civilian airport?

✓ No

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section. Document and upload the map showing that the site is not within the applicable distances to a military or civilian airport below

Yes

## **Screen Summary**

## **Compliance Determination**

The project site is approximately 4 miles, 26,428 ft. away from the closest civilian airport, Northeast Florida Regional Airport and not within 15,000 feet of a military airport. The project is in compliance with Airport Hazards requirements.

## **Supporting documentation**

## A12 Airport Hazards Map.pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

√ No



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A12\_Airport Hazards Map



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## **Coastal Barrier Resources**

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
HUD financial assistance may not be	Coastal Barrier Resources Act	
used for most activities in units of the	(CBRA) of 1982, as amended by	
Coastal Barrier Resources System	the Coastal Barrier Improvement	
(CBRS). See 16 USC 3504 for limitations	Act of 1990 (16 USC 3501)	
on federal expenditures affecting the		
CBRS.		

## 1. Is the project located in a CBRS Unit?

✓ No

Document and upload map and documentation below.

Yes

## **Screen Summary**

## **Compliance Determination**

This project is not located in a CBRS Unit. Therefore, this project has no potential to impact a CBRS Unit and is in compliance with the Coastal Barrier Resources Act.

## **Supporting documentation**

A14 Coastal Barrier Resources System (CBRS) Mapper.pdf
A13 CBRS Map.pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

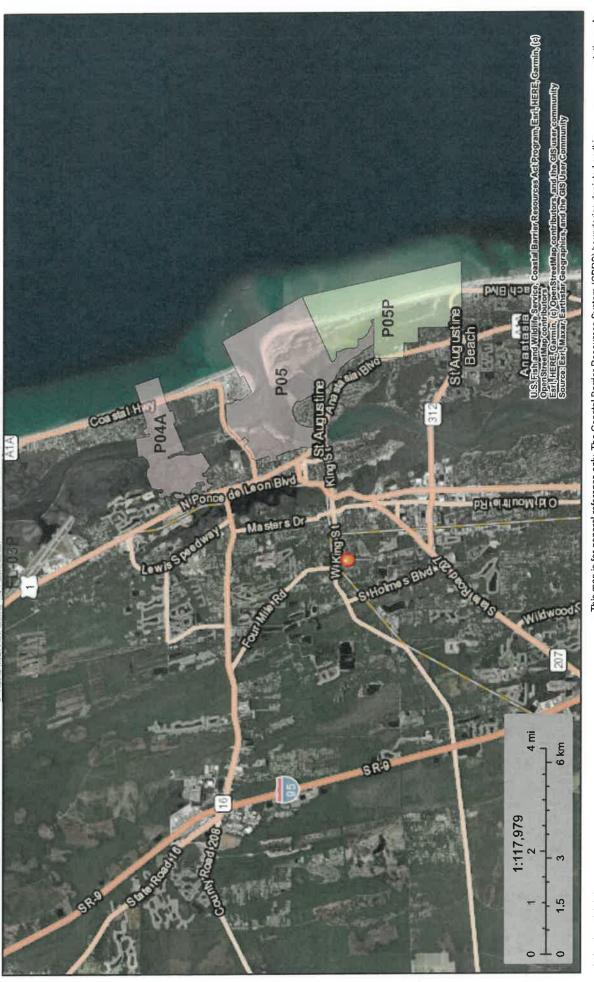
Yes

✓ No

# U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

# **Coastal Barrier Resources System**

A13\_CBRS Map



July 17, 2024

**CBRS Buffer Zone** 

**CBRS Units** 

Otherwise Protected Area

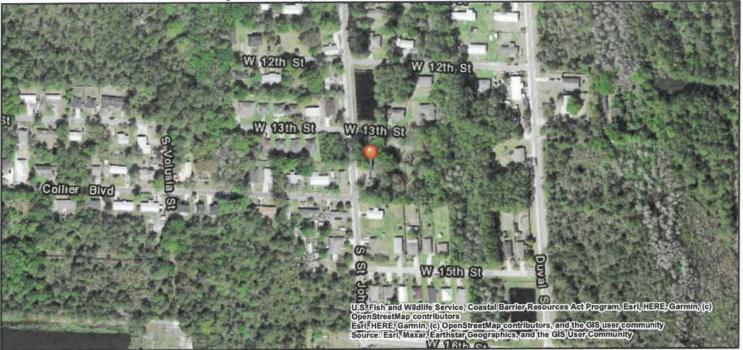
System Unit

This map is for general reference only. The Coastal Barrier Resources System (CBRS) boundaries depicted on this map are representations of the controlling CBRS boundaries, which are shown on the official maps, accessible at <a href="https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/official-coastal-barrier-resources-system-maps">https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/official-coastal-barrier-resources-system-maps</a>. All CBRS related data should be used in accordance with the layer metadata found on the CBRS Mapper website. The CBRS Buffer Zone represents the area immediately adjacent to the CBRS boundary where users are advised to contact the Service for an official determination (https://www.fws.gov/service/coastal-barrier-resources-system-property-documentation) as to whether the property or project site is located "in" or "out" of the CBRS.

This page was produced by the CBRS Mapper CBRS Units normally extend seaward out to the 20- or 30-foot bathymetric contour (depending on the location of the unit). The true seaward

## U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

## **Coastal Barrier Resources System Mapper Documentation**



### CDDC II-ii-

Otherwise Protected Area

System Unit

CBRS Buffer Zone

-81.342352, 29.88115

0 65 130 260 390 ft

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The pin location displayed on the map is a point selected by the user. Failure of the user to ensure that the pin location displayed on this map correctly corresponds with the user supplied address/location description below may result in an invalid federal flood insurance policy. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) has not validated the pin location with respect to the user supplied address/location description below. The Service recommends that all pin locations be verified by federal agencies prior to use of this map for the provision or denial of federal funding or financial assistance. Please note that a structure bisected by the Coastal Barrier Resources System (CBRS) boundary (i.e., both "partially in" and "partially out") is within the CBRS and therefore affected by CBRA's restrictions on federal flood insurance. A pin placed on a bisected structure must be placed on the portion of the structure within the unit (including any attached features such as a deck or stairs).

User Name: C Shirley

User Organization: Catalyst Planning & Development

User Supplied Address/Location Description: 1050 S St Johns St. St Augustine, FL

Pin Location: Outside CBRS

Pin Flood Insurance Prohibition Date: N/A Pin System Unit Establishment Date: N/A

The user placed pin location is not within the CBRS. For the nearest official CBRS map depicting this area, please see the map numbered 12-032B, dated 12/21/2018. The official CBRS maps are accessible at <a href="https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/official-coastal-barrier-resources-system-maps">https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/official-coastal-barrier-resources-system-maps</a>.

The CBRS information is derived directly from the CBRS web service provided by the Service. This map was exported on 7/17/2024 and does not reflect changes or amendments subsequent to this date. The CBRS boundaries on this map may become superseded by new boundaries over time.

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In Reply Refer To: 07/17/2024 09:01:23 UTC

Project code: 2024-0117262

Project Name: St Johns County CDBG Owner Occupied Rehab\_1050 S St. Johns St., St.

Augustine, FL 32084

Please provide this document to the Federal agency or their designee with your loan/grant application.

Subject: Consistency letter for the project named 'St Johns County CDBG Owner Occupied

Rehab\_1050 S St. Johns St., St. Augustine, FL 32084' for specified threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project location, pursuant to the IPaC determination key titled 'Clearance to Proceed with Federally-Insured Loan and

Grant Project Requests'.

## To whom it may concern:

On July 17, 2024, Caleena Shirley used the IPaC determination key 'Clearance to Proceed with Federally-Insured Loan and Grant Project Requests'; dated May 07, 2024, in the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's online IPaC tool to evaluate potential impacts to listed species from a project named 'St Johns County CDBG Owner Occupied Rehab\_1050 S St. Johns St., St. Augustine, FL 32084' in St. Johns County, Florida (shown below):

The approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <a href="https://www.google.com/maps/@29.8811496,-81.34230803376482,14z">https://www.google.com/maps/@29.8811496,-81.34230803376482,14z</a>



The following description was provided for the project 'St Johns County CDBG Owner Occupied Rehab\_1050 S St. Johns St., St. Augustine, FL 32084':

Owner occupied rehabilitation of existing 1468 sq. ft. single-family residential home.

Based on your answers provided, the proposed project is unlikely to have any detrimental effects to federally-listed species or critical habitat. Therefore, per this guidance, Caleena Shirley has determined that St Johns County CDBG Owner Occupied Rehab\_1050 S St. Johns St., St. Augustine, FL 32084 will have No Effect on the species listed below.

This letter serves as documentation of your consideration of endangered species, bald eagles, and migratory birds. No further coordination with the Service is necessary.

Please be advised that, if later modifications are made to the project that do not meet the criteria described above, if additional information involving potential effects to listed species becomes available, or if a new species is listed, reinitiation of consultation may be necessary.

## **BIRDS**

- Eastern Black Rail Laterallus jamaicensis ssp. jamaicensis Threatened
- Rufa Red Knot Calidris canutus rufa Threatened
- Wood Stork Mycteria americana Threatened

## **INSECTS**

Monarch Butterfly Danaus plexippus Candidate

## **MAMMALS**

Tricolored Bat Perimyotis subflavus Proposed Endangered

## **REPTILES**

- Eastern Indigo Snake Drymarchon couperi Threatened
- Green Sea Turtle Chelonia mydas Threatened

- Hawksbill Sea Turtle Eretmochelys imbricata Endangered
- · Leatherback Sea Turtle Dermochelys coriacea Endangered

## ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR NON-FEDERALLY LISTED SPECIES

- Bald Eagle Nest Issues. If any of the above-referenced activities (rehabilitation, demolition, or rebuilding) are proposed to occur within 660 feet of an active or alternate bald eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*) nest during the nesting season (October 1 through May 15), we recommend the applicant or their designated agent coordinate with the agency responsible for managing wildlife in their state. For additional information, please visit the Service's regional web page: https://www.fws.gov/service/3-200-71-eagle-take-associated-not-purpose-activity-incidental-take.
- Migratory Bird Issues. If any native birds are using the structures for nesting then actions should be taken so as not to disturb the adults, nests, eggs, or chicks as this could lead to a potential violation of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act. If nests are present or any birds are using the structures regularly for roosting purposes, we recommend the applicant or their designated agent coordinate with the appropriate Service's Field Office and visit the Service's Migratory Bird Program website at https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/avoiding-and-minimizing-incidental-take-migratory-birds for recommendations on how impacts can be avoided and minimized.

Caleena Shirley answered the determination key questions for this project as follows:

1. Does the project intersect Monroe County, FL?

## Automatically answered

No

- 2. Is the project exclusively a Federal loan transfer, where the original lending or mortgage institutions for existing project are no longer holding the loan and the property is being transferred via a federally-backed loan?
  - No, this is **not** a Federal loan transfer as described above, or includes activities in addition to a Federal loan transfer.
- 3. Does the project include a federally-insured loan or federal grant funding? *Yes, the project includes a federally-insured loan or federal grant funding.*
- 4. Is the entire site currently developed/hard-surfaced (i.e., the site consists entirely of existing roads, sidewalks, buildings, driveways, etc., and does not contain any undeveloped and/or vegetated areas)?
  - Yes, the entire site is already developed/hard-surfaced.
- 5. Is the federally-insured loan or federal grant funding being used for demolition, rehabilitation, renovation, and/or rebuilding of one or more existing facilities (*e.g.*, residential, commercial and industrial sites, or utilities)?
  - Yes, the project includes Federal funding for work on existing facilities.
- 6. Will the project significantly alter the present capacity of an existing structure? *No, this project will not alter the present capacity of any existing structure.*

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7. Does your project involve structures that are being used by any federally endangered or threatened species (*e.g.*, roosting bonneted bats, denning indigo snakes, etc.) or are there known reports of species using the site?

No, the site and/or structure(s) are **not** being used by any federally listed species.

## **Attachments:**

- Project questionnaire
- Determination key description: Clearance to Proceed with Federally-Insured Loan and Grant Project Requests
- U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service contact list

## Project code: 2024-0117262

## PROJECT INFORMATIONAL QUESTIONNAIRE

As part of completing the determination key, Caleena Shirley provided the following information about their project:

- 1. How many square feet of facilities will be affected by this project? 1468
- 2. Are there bald eagles within 660 feet of the site, or migratory birds or bats using structures on the site?
  - None of the above
- 3. Please describe the loan/grant program you are using *CDBG*
- 4. Which Federal Agency is the lead agency providing the funding? *U.S. Department of Housing and Urban development (HUD)*
- 5. Which types of activities you will be conducting: *Rehabilitation*
- 6. Which types of structures this funding will address: Residential single family
- 7. Please describe the activity you will be conducting: *Interior and exterior renovation of existing single-family home.*

Project code: 2024-0117262

# DETERMINATION KEY DESCRIPTION: CLEARANCE TO PROCEED WITH FEDERALLY-INSURED LOAN AND GRANT PROJECT REQUESTS

This key was last updated in IPaC on May 07, 2024. Keys are subject to periodic revision.

This determination key is for all Federally-insured loans, loan transfers, or grant requests for projects that may be completed without requiring additional clearing of undisturbed habitat beyond the original footprint of the existing project. For the purposes of this key, Federal loan transfers are those transfers where the original lending or mortgage institutions for existing projects are no longer holding the loans and the properties are being transferred via federally backed loans. Projects may include demolition, rehabilitation, renovations, and/or rebuilding of existing structures (*e.g.*, commercial buildings, multi-family housing, single-family housing), and various utilities projects such as water and wastewater treatment facilities, sewer or power line repair, etc.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is the lead Federal agency charged with the protection and conservation of Federal Trust Resources, such as threatened and endangered species and migratory birds, in accordance with section 7 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (Act) (87 Stat. 884; 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.), the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act, (16 U.S.C. 668-668d) (Eagle Act), and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (40 Stat. 755; 16 U.S.C. 701 et seq.).

Recently, many Federal agencies have activated programs that have resulted in an increased consumer demand to initiate projects through federally-backed loans and grants, all of which require those same Federal agencies to comply with Section 7 of the Act. Consequently, we have experienced an increase in the number of requests for review of these government-backed loan and grant projects. These include, but are not limited to:

- 1. U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) Neighborhood Stabilization and Community Development Block Grant programs;
- 2. U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy program;
- 3. U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Housing Assistance and Rural Development Loan and Grant Assistance programs;
- 4. U.S. Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) regulatory airport and runway modifications;
- 5. U.S. Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) Hazard Mitigation Assistance program; and
- 6. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Clean Water State Revolving Fund.

In order to fulfill the Act's statutory obligations in a timely and consistent manner, and to assist Federal agencies, State and local governments, and consultants in addressing Section 7 and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) environmental impact review requirements, we provide the following guidance and clearance relative to the criteria stated below for Federally-insured loan and grant project requests.

## This guidance is based on the signed letters:

Project code: 2024-0117262

<u>U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Clearance to Proceed with Federally-Insured Loan and Grant Project Requests</u> in Florida.

<u>U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Clearance to Proceed with Federally-Insured Loan and Grant Project Requests</u> in Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee.

## IPAC USER CONTACT INFORMATION

Agency: Operation Lifeline, Inc.

Name: Caleena Shirley Address: PO Box 712

City: Ponte Vedra Beach

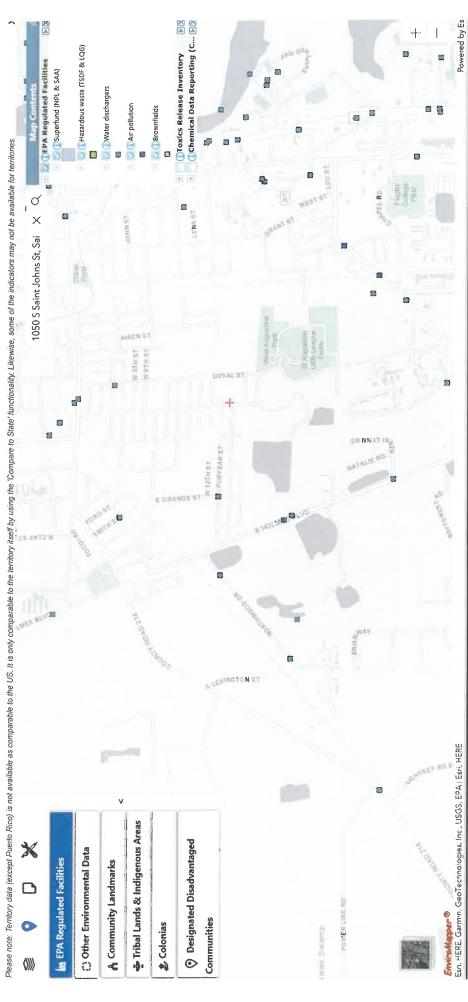
State: FL Zip: 32004

Email caleena@sjhp.org

Phone: 9048240902

## **LEAD AGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION**

Lead Agency: County of St. Johns



https://ejscreen.epa.gov/mapper/

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## Flood Insurance

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
Certain types of federal financial assistance may not be	Flood Disaster	24 CFR 50.4(b)(1)
used in floodplains unless the community participates	Protection Act of 1973	and 24 CFR 58.6(a)
in National Flood Insurance Program and flood	as amended (42 USC	and (b); 24 CFR
insurance is both obtained and maintained.	4001-4128)	55.1(b).

1. Does this project involve <u>financial assistance for construction, rehabilitation, or</u> acquisition of a mobile home, building, or insurable personal property?

No. This project does not require flood insurance or is excepted from flood insurance.

✓ Yes

2. Upload a FEMA/FIRM map showing the site here:

A26 FEMA Map.pdf

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) designates floodplains. The <u>FEMA Map Service Center</u> provides this information in the form of FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs). For projects in areas not mapped by FEMA, use the best available information to determine floodplain information. Include documentation, including a discussion of why this is the best available information for the site. Provide FEMA/FIRM floodplain zone designation, panel number, and date within your documentation.

Is the structure, part of the structure, or insurable property located in a FEMA-designated Special Flood Hazard Area?

✓ No.

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section.

Yes

4. While flood insurance is not mandatory for this project, HUD strongly recommends that all insurable structures maintain flood insurance under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). Will flood insurance be required as a mitigation measure or condition?

# National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette



OTHER AREAS OF FLOOD HAZARD AREA OF MINIMAL FLOOD HAZARD Unincorporated Areas St. Johns County

# **Legend**

SEE FIS REPORT FOR DETAILED LEGEND AND INDEX MAP FOR FIRM PANEL LAYOUT

SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS

With BFE or Depth Zone AE, AO, AH, VE, AR Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) Zone A. v. A99 Regulatory Floodway 0.2% Annual Chance Flood Hazard, Area of 1% annual chance flood with average depth less than one foot or with drainag areas of less than one square mile zone. Future Conditions 1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard Zone X

Area with Flood Risk due to Levee Zone D Area with Reduced Flood Risk due to Levee. See Notes. Zone X

NO SCREEN Area of Minimal Flood Hazard Zone X

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**Jurisdiction Boundary** 

Coastal Transect Baseline

Profile Baseline

OTHER FEATURES

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Yes

√ No

## **Screen Summary**

## **Compliance Determination**

This project does not occur in a floodplain as shown in FEMA Flood Panel 12109co313J, effective 12/07/18. While flood insurance may not be mandatory in this instance, HUD recommends that all insurable structures maintain flood insurance under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). The project is in compliance with flood insurance requirements

## **Supporting documentation**

A26 FEMA Map(1).pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

✓ No

# National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette





## Legend

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With BFE or Depth Zone AE. AO. AH. VE. AR Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) Regulatory Floodway areas of less than one square mile zone Future Conditions 1% Annual

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depth less than one foot or with drainag

Area with Reduced Flood Risk due to Chance Flood Hazard Zone X

Area with Flood Risk due to Levee Zone D

NO SCREEN Area of Minimal Flood Hazard Zone X

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## **Air Quality**

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
The Clean Air Act is administered	Clean Air Act (42 USC 7401 et	40 CFR Parts 6, 51
by the U.S. Environmental	seq.) as amended particularly	and 93
Protection Agency (EPA), which	Section 176(c) and (d) (42 USC	
sets national standards on	7506(c) and (d))	
ambient pollutants. In addition,		
the Clean Air Act is administered		
by States, which must develop		
State Implementation Plans (SIPs)		
to regulate their state air quality.		
Projects funded by HUD must		
demonstrate that they conform		
to the appropriate SIP.		

1. Does your project include new construction or conversion of land use facilitating the development of public, commercial, or industrial facilities OR five or more dwelling units?

Yes

✓ No

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section.

## **Screen Summary**

## **Compliance Determination**

Based on the project description, this project includes no activities that would require further evaluation under the Clean Air Act. The project is in compliance with the Clean Air Act.

## **Supporting documentation**

A11 Air Quality US EPA Green Book FL Whole or Part County Nonattainment Status.pdf

A10 Air Quality US EPA Green Book Nitrogen Dioxide (1971).pdf

A9 Air Quality US EPA Green Book Carbon Monoxide (1971).pdf

A8 Air Quality US EPA Green Book Lead (2008).pdf

A7 Air Quality US EPA Green Book Sulfu Dioxide (2010).pdf

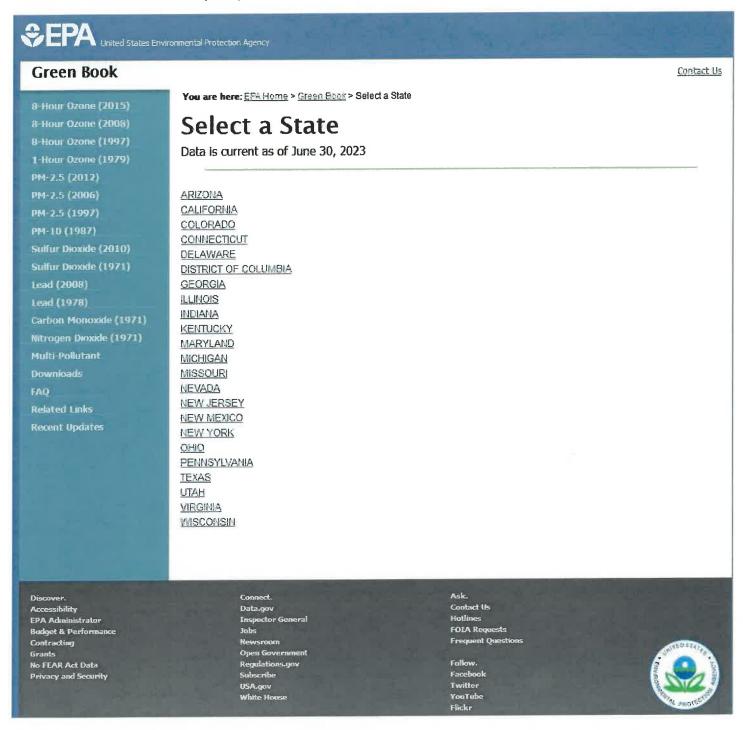
A5 Air Quality US EPA Green Book 8 Hour Air Ozone (2015).pdf

## Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

✓ No

## **EPA Green Book 8-Hour Ozone (2015)**



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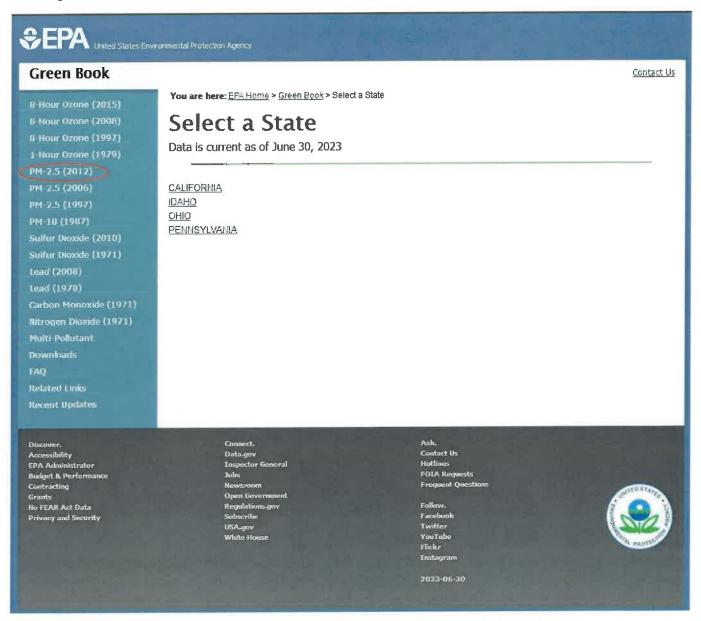
EPA Home site>Green Book>Select a State:

https://www3.epa.gov/airquality/greenbook/jbstateb.html

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## EPA Green Book PM-2.5 (2012)

## All Designated Area Selections (Nonattainment and Maintenance)



Florida is not listed as a selectable state to retrieve information.

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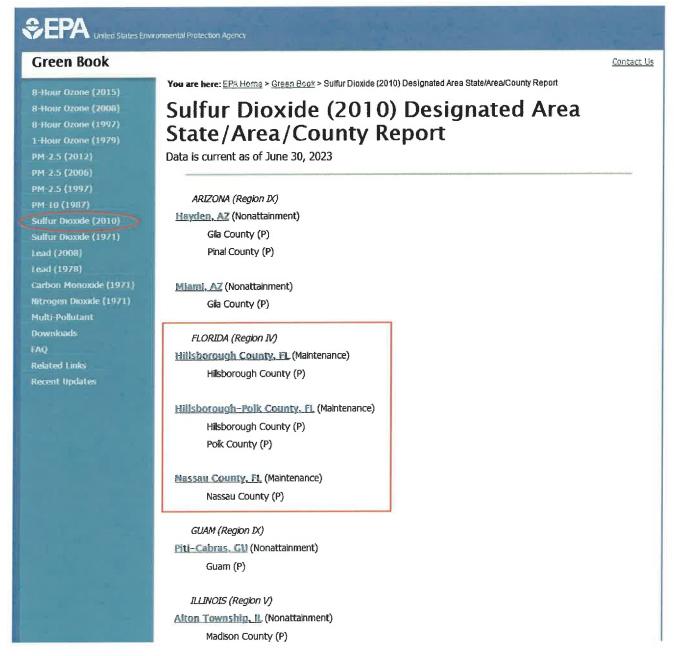
https://www.epa.gov/green-book/green-book-pm-25-2012-area-information

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### **EPA Green Book Sulfur Dioxide (2010)**

All Designated Area Selections (Nonattainment and Maintenance)

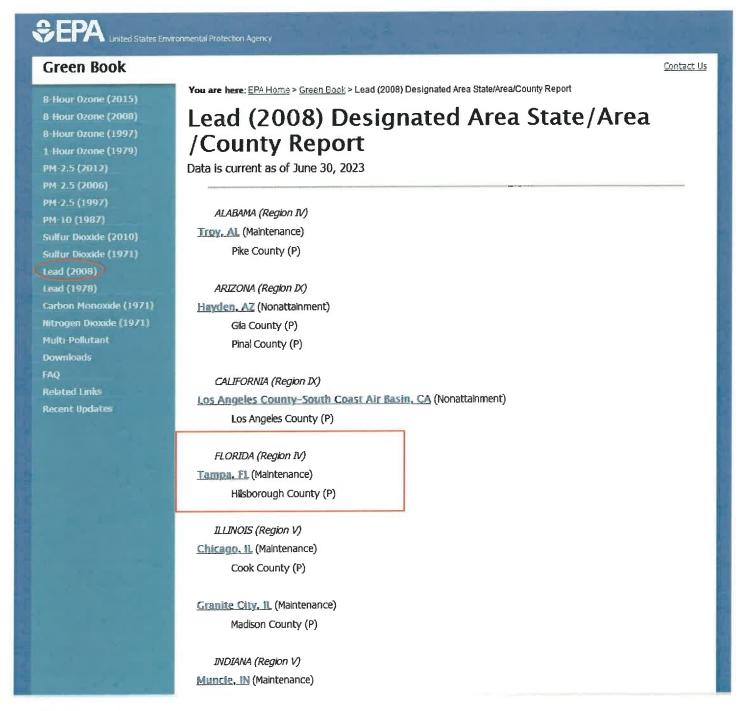


St Johns County is not listed as a designated area with retrievable reporting information.

EPA Home site>Green Book>Sulfur Dioxide (2010) Designated Area State/Area/County Report

State/Area/County List

All Designated Area Selections (Nonattainment and Maintenance)



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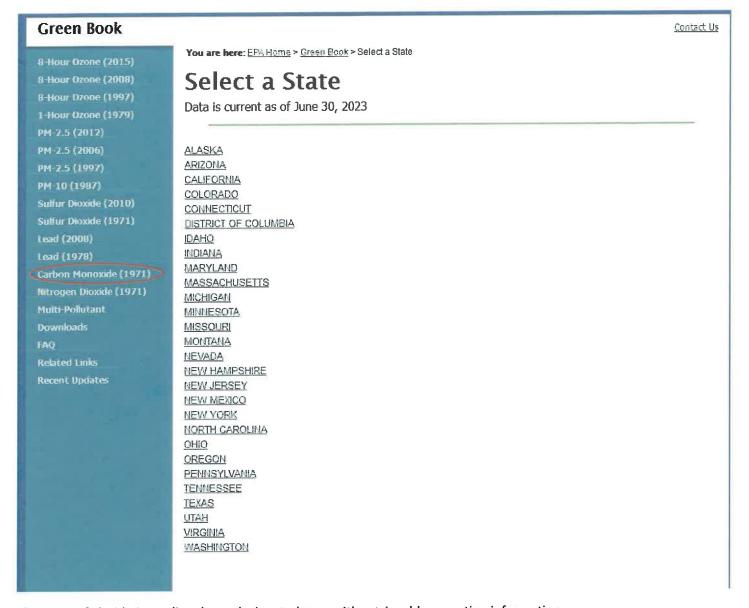
EPA Home site>Green Book>Lead (2008) Designated Area State/Area/County Report

https://www3.epa.gov/airguality/greenbook/mbcs.html#FL

State/Area/County List

### EPA Green Book Carbon Monoxide (1971) Area Information

All Designated Area Selections (Nonattainment and Maintenance)



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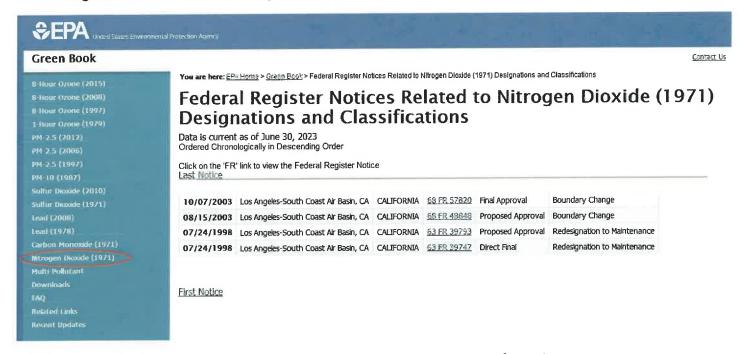
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State/Area/County List

### **EPA Green Book Nitrogen Dioxide (1971) Area Information**

Federal Register Notices Related to Nitrogen Dioxide (1971) Designations and Classifications



The State of Florida is not listed as a designated area with retrievable reporting information.

EPA Home site>Green Book> Federal Register Notices Related to Nitrogen Dioxide (1971) Designations and Classifications

https://www3.epa.gov/airquality/greenbook/nfrnrpt4.html

Federal Register Notices Listed by Date

## EPA Green Book National Area and County-Level Multi-Pollutant Information

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Whole or Part County Nonattainment Status by Year for All Criteria Pollutants

**Coastal Zone Management Act** 

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
Federal assistance to applicant	Coastal Zone Management	15 CFR Part 930
agencies for activities affecting	Act (16 USC 1451-1464),	
any coastal use or resource is	particularly section 307(c)	
granted only when such	and (d) (16 USC 1456(c) and	
activities are consistent with	(d))	
federally approved State		
Coastal Zone Management Act		
Plans.		

1.	Is the project located in, or does it affect, a Coastal Zone as defined in your state
Coastal	Management Plan?

✓ Yes

No

2. Does this project include new construction, conversion, major rehabilitation, or substantial improvement activities?

✓ Yes

No

3. Has this project been determined to be consistent with the State Coastal Management Program?

✓ Yes, without mitigation

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section. Document and upload all documents used to make your determination below.

Yes, with mitigation

No, project must be canceled.

### **Screen Summary**

### **Compliance Determination**

Florida's coastal zone spans in various coastal bordering communities covering the entire State. While St John's County is contiguous to state water bodies, the project is significantly inland and not within a coastal barrier. The project has no potential to impact a CBRS Unit and is in compliance with the Coastal Barrier Resources Act and does not require state review

### **Supporting documentation**

A14 Coastal Barrier Resources System (CBRS) Mapper(1).pdf
A13 CBRS Map(1).pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

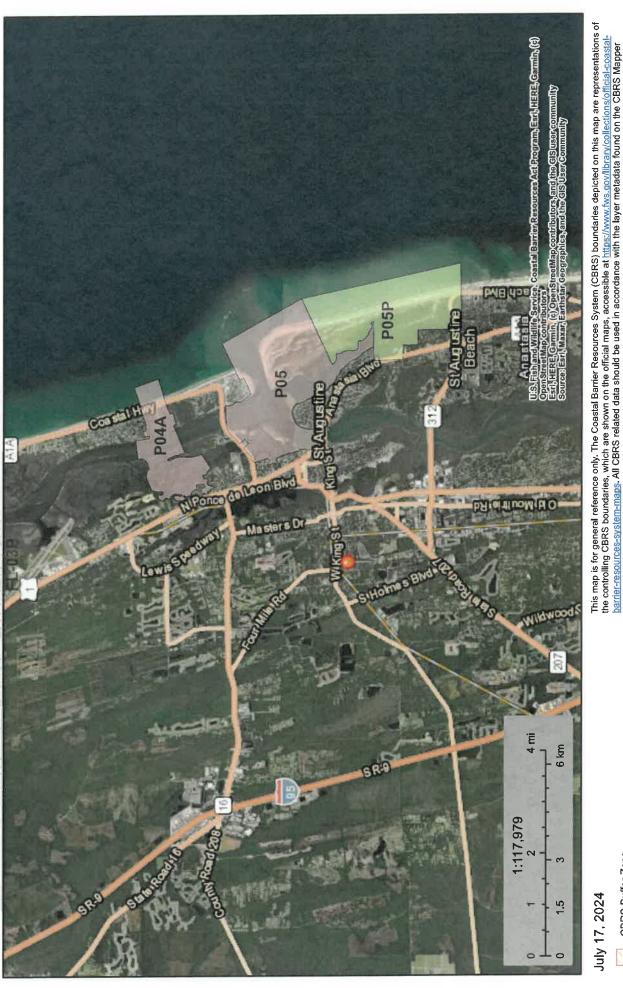
Yes

√ No

### U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

## Coastal Barrier Resources System

A13\_CBRS Map



July 17, 2024

CBRS Buffer Zone

### **CBRS Units**

Otherwise Protected Area

System Unit

The CBRS Buffer Zone represents the area immediately adjacent to the CBRS boundary where users are advised to contact the Service for an

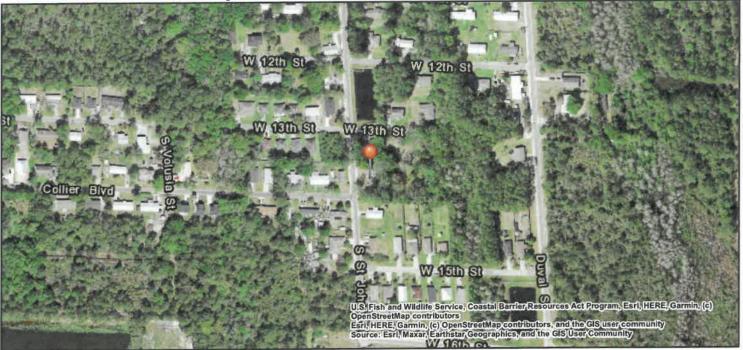
official determination (https://www.fws.gov/service/coastal-barrier-resources-system-property-documentation) as to whether the property or project site is located "in" or "out" of the CBRS.

CBRS Units normally extend seaward out to the 20- or 30-foot bathymetric contour (depending on the location of the unit). The true seaward

This page was produced by the CBRS Mapper

### U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

### Coastal Barrier Resources System Mapper Documentation



### **CBRS** Units

Otherwise Protected Area

System Unit

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User Name: C Shirley

User Organization: Catalyst Planning & Development

User Supplied Address/Location Description: 1050 S St Johns St. St Augustine, FL

Pin Location: Outside CBRS

Pin Flood Insurance Prohibition Date: N/A Pin System Unit Establishment Date: N/A

The user placed pin location is not within the CBRS. For the nearest official CBRS map depicting this area, please see the map numbered 12-032B, dated 12/21/2018. The official CBRS maps are accessible at <a href="https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/official-coastal-barrier-resources-system-maps">https://www.fws.gov/library/collections/official-coastal-barrier-resources-system-maps</a>.

The CBRS information is derived directly from the CBRS web service provided by the Service. This map was exported on 7/17/2024 and does not reflect changes or amendments subsequent to this date. The CBRS boundaries on this map may become superseded by new boundaries over time.

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### **Contamination and Toxic Substances**

General Requirements	Legislation	Regulations
It is HUD policy that all properties that are being		24 CFR
proposed for use in HUD programs be free of		58.5(i)(2)
hazardous materials, contamination, toxic		24 CFR
chemicals and gases, and radioactive substances,		50.3(i)
where a hazard could affect the health and safety of		
the occupants or conflict with the intended		
utilization of the property.		
Reference		
https://www.onecpd.info/environmental-review/site-o	contamination	

1. Were any on-site or nearby toxic, hazardous, or radioactive substances\* (excluding radon) found that could affect the health and safety of project occupants or conflict with the intended use of the property? (Were any recognized environmental conditions or RECs identified in a Phase I ESA and confirmed in a Phase II ESA?)

Provide a map or other documentation of absence or presence of contamination\*\* and explain evaluation of site contamination in the Screen Summary at the bottom of this screen.

### ✓ No

Explain:

Per EPA NEP Assist Mapping Tool, no contamination was found onsite. See the map found in the supporting documents section.

Yes

Check here if an ASTM Phase I Environmental Site Assessment (ESA) report was utilized. [Note: HUD regulations does not require an ASTM Phase I ESA report for single family homes]

<sup>\*</sup> This question covers the presence of radioactive substances excluding radon. Radon is addressed in the Radon Exempt Question.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Utilize EPA's Enviromapper, NEPAssist, or state/tribal databases to identify nearby dumps, junk yards, landfills, hazardous waste sites, and industrial sites, including EPA National Priorities List Sites (Superfund sites), CERCLA or state-equivalent sites, RCRA Corrective Action sites with release(s) or suspected release(s) requiring clean-up action and/or further investigation. Additional supporting documentation may include other inspections and reports.

2. Evaluate the building(s) for radon. Do all buildings meet any of the exemptions\* from having to consider radon in the contamination analysis listed in CPD Notice <a href="CPD-23-103">CPD-23-103</a>?

✓ Yes

Explain:

The project site is located in a county in which the CDC Radon data shows that more than 10 tests have been conducted over the last 10 years. The average of the 220 tests completed in the county over the last 10 years in 3.2 pCi/L. The County in which the project is located has an average 1.3 pCi/L and testing satisfies this notice's requirement that radon be considered as cleared as a part of the environmental review process.

No

### \* Notes:

- Buildings with no enclosed areas having ground contact.
- Buildings containing crawlspaces, utility tunnels, or parking garages would not be exempt, however buildings built on piers would be exempt, provided that there is open air between the lowest floor of the building and the ground.
- Buildings that are not residential and will not be occupied for more than 4 hours per day.
- Buildings with existing radon mitigation systems document radon levels are below 4 pCi/L with test results dated within two years of submitting the application for HUD assistance and document the system includes an ongoing maintenance plan that includes periodic testing to ensure the system continues to meet the current EPA recommended levels. If the project does not require an application, document test results dated within two years of the date the environmental review is certified. Refer to program office guidance to ensure compliance with program requirements.
- Buildings tested within five years of the submission of application for HUD assistance: test results document indoor radon levels are below current the EPA's recommended action levels of 4.0 pCi/L. For buildings with test data older than five years, any new environmental review must include a consideration of radon using one of the methods in Section A below.

### **Screen Summary**

### **Compliance Determination**

On-site or nearby toxic, hazardous, or radioactive substances that could affect the health and safety of project occupants or conflict with the intended use of the property were not found. The project is exempt from radon consideration. The project is in compliance with contamination and toxic substances requirements.

### Supporting documentation

A37 Radon Testing Clearance.pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

✓ No



Accessed From: https://ephtracking.cdc.gov/DataExplorer. Accessed on 07/23/2024

The project site is located in a county in which the CDC Radon data shows that more than 10 tests have been conducted over the last 10 years. The average of the 220 tests completed in the county over the last 10 years in 3.2 pCi/L. The County in which the project is located has an average 1.3 pCi/L and testing satisfies this notice's requirement that radon be considered as cleared as a part of the environmental review process.

### **CShirley**

**Endangered Species** 

General requirements	ESA Legislation	Regulations
Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act (ESA)	The Endangered	50 CFR Part
mandates that federal agencies ensure that	Species Act of 1973	402
actions that they authorize, fund, or carry out	(16 U.S.C. 1531 et	
shall not jeopardize the continued existence of	seq.); particularly	
federally listed plants and animals or result in	section 7 (16 USC	
the adverse modification or destruction of	1536).	
designated critical habitat. Where their actions		
may affect resources protected by the ESA,		
agencies must consult with the Fish and Wildlife		
Service and/or the National Marine Fisheries		
Service ("FWS" and "NMFS" or "the Services").		

### 1. Does the project involve any activities that have the potential to affect specifies or habitats?

✓ No, the project will have No Effect due to the nature of the activities involved in the project.

This selection is only appropriate if none of the activities involved in the project have potential to affect species or habitats. Examples of actions without potential to affect listed species may include: purchasing existing buildings, completing interior renovations to existing buildings, and replacing exterior paint or siding on existing buildings.

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section.

No, the project will have No Effect based on a letter of understanding, memorandum of agreement, programmatic agreement, or checklist provided by local HUD office

Yes, the activities involved in the project have the potential to affect species and/or habitats.

### **Screen Summary**

### **Compliance Determination**

This project will have No Effect on listed species based on a Clearance to Proceed with HUD Loan Project Requests letter from the USFWS Office dated July 17, 2024. This project is in compliance with the Endangered Species Act.

### **Supporting documentation**

### A15 Consisitency Letter US Fish and Wildlife.pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

✓ No

**Explosive and Flammable Hazards** 

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
HUD-assisted projects must meet	N/A	24 CFR Part 51
Acceptable Separation Distance (ASD)	THE PARTY OF THE P	Subpart C
requirements to protect them from		
explosive and flammable hazards.		

1. Is the proposed HUD-assisted project itself the development of a hazardous facility (a facility that mainly stores, handles or processes flammable or combustible chemicals such as bulk fuel storage facilities and refineries)?

✓ No

Yes

2. Does this project include any of the following activities: development, construction, rehabilitation that will increase residential densities, or conversion?

No

✓ Yes

- 3. Within 1 mile of the project site, are there any current or planned stationary aboveground storage containers that are covered by 24 CFR 51C? Containers that are NOT covered under the regulation include:
  - Containers 100 gallons or less in capacity, containing common liquid industrial fuels OR
- Containers of liquified petroleum gas (LPG) or propane with a water volume capacity of 1,000 gallons or less that meet the requirements of the 2017 or later version of National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Code 58.

If all containers within the search area fit the above criteria, answer "No." For any other type of aboveground storage container within the search area that holds one of the flammable or explosive materials listed in Appendix I of 24 CFR part 51 subpart C, answer "Yes."

✓ No

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section. Document and upload all documents used to make your determination below.

Yes

### **Screen Summary**

### **Compliance Determination**

After reviewing available county resources, a visual site review of properties in the surrounding area, and a GIS map analysis, it has been determined that Limited Repair does not require this review. The project is in compliance with explosive and flammable hazard requirements as the project does not include development, construction, or rehabilitation that will increase residential densities. Additionally, 24 CFR 51 Subpart C determines that above-ground LPG/propane tanks with a water capacity up to 1,000 gallons that are in compliance with NFPA Code 58 (2017) are excluded from the definition of "hazard" and thereby excluded from coverage under the rule; all below-ground storage containers are also excluded from coverage

### **Supporting documentation**

A22 HUD Fact Sheet Final Propane Rule - 24 CFR Part 51 Subpart C.pdf

A21 Storage Tanks within 1 Mile Radius.pdf

A20 Storage Tank Contamination Monitoring.pdf

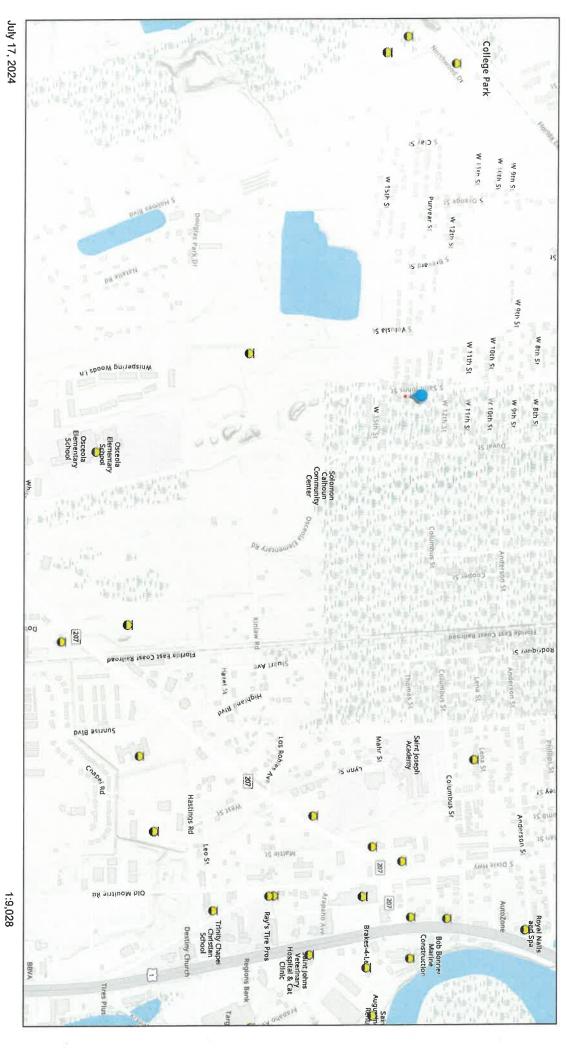
A19 Storage Tank Analysis.pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

√ No

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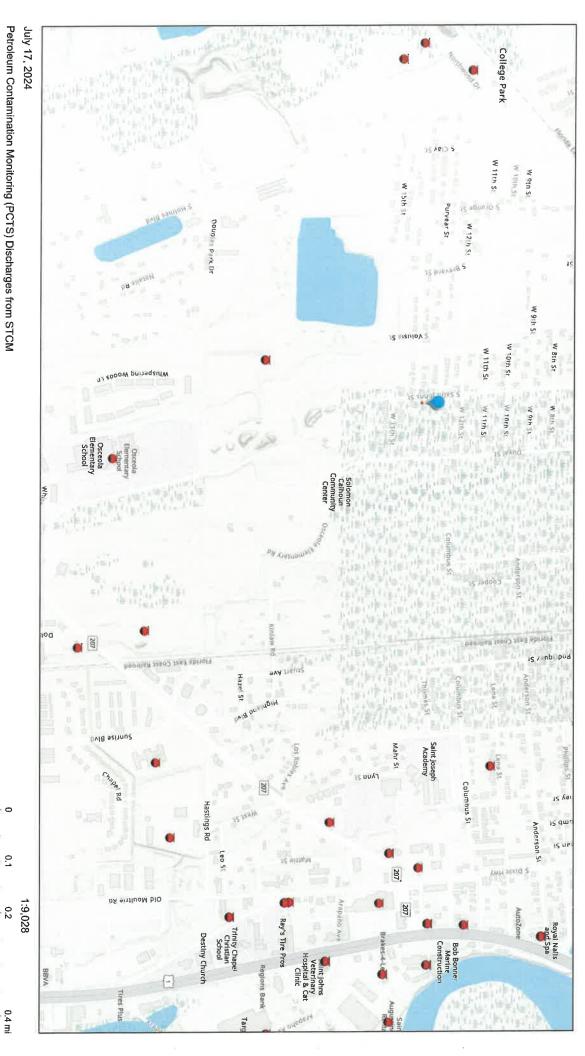
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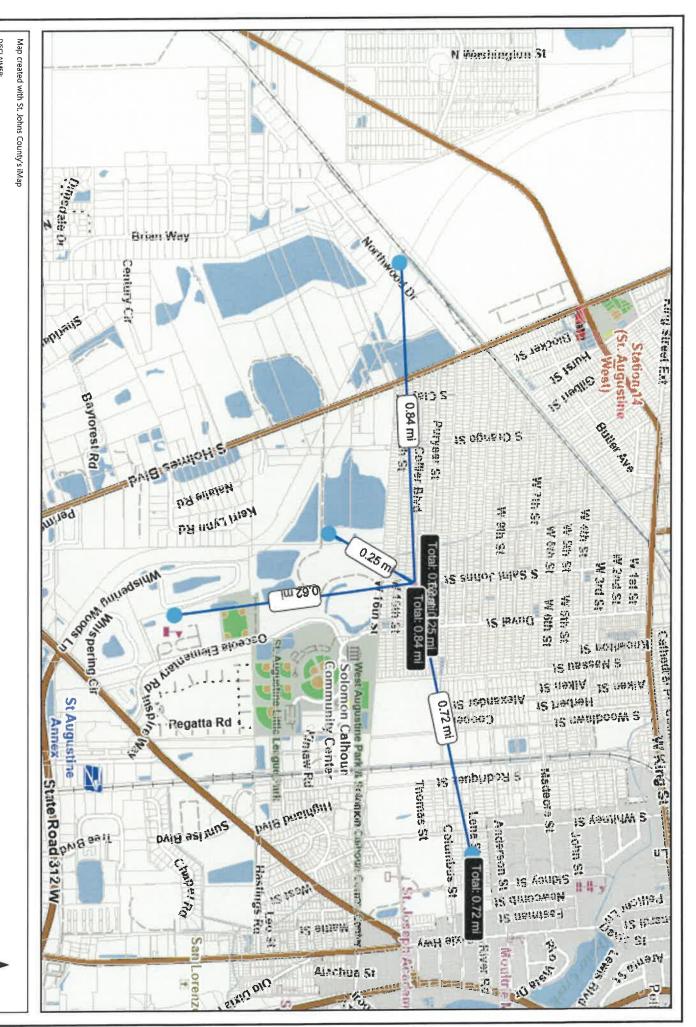
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A21\_Storage Tanks within 1 Mile Radius



**Hazardous Operations** – FR-6054-F-02 Conforming the Acceptable Separation Distance (ASD) Standards for Residential Propane Tanks to Industry Standards

Authority: 24 CFR Part 51 Subpart C

**Synopsis:** HUD has revised the regulation to exempt liquefied petroleum gas or propane (LPG/propane) containers up to 1,000 gallons that comply with industry standard, National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Code 58 (Liquefied Petroleum Gas Code) (2017).

HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 51 Subpart C cover the "Siting of HUD-Assisted Projects Near Hazardous Operations Handling Conventional Fuels or Chemicals of an Explosive or Flammable Nature." These regulations require that HUD-assisted development, construction, rehabilitation/modernization¹ or conversion activities either be sited beyond an "acceptable separation distance" (ASD) from such hazardous operations or employ specified mitigation measures.

Liquefied Petroleum Gas including propane (LPG/propane) is among the fuels originally identified as potentially hazardous under 24 CFR 51C. LPG/propane fuel is also widely used for cooking and heating in residential applications, particularly in rural areas. Tanks used in LPG/propane applications have been demonstrated to be durable, and in most states are regulated by well-developed industry standards published by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Code 58. The NFPA setback requirements in these safety standards differ from those in 24 CFR 51C. The process of compliance with disparate safety standards, specifically the requirement for additional setback areas or mitigation measures such as barrier walls due to the HUD standard, adds significant cost to routine residential development associated with LPG/propane storage without a perceptible increase in safety.

Therefore, HUD has revised the regulation to exempt from coverage above-ground storage tanks with a water gallon capacity of 1,000 gallons or less that are used to store LPG/propane if the storage tank complies with the 2017 edition of NFPA Code 58 (Liquefied Petroleum Gas Code). In addition, the definition of hazard has also been revised to codify longstanding HUD interpretation excluding below ground hazards from coverage under 24 CFR 51C.

### How this rule changes HUD Hazardous Operations evaluation of LPG tanks:

- Aboveground LPG/propane tanks with a water capacity up to 1,000 gallons that are in compliance with NFPA Code 58 (2017) are excluded from the definition of "hazard," and thereby from coverage under the rule.
- All below ground storage containers are also excluded from coverage.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Modernization and rehabilitation activities that do not change the number of people using or occupying the property are excluded from the definition of "HUD-assisted project" under 24 CFR 51.201, and therefore do not require compliance with 24 CFR 51C.

### **Questions and Answers**

### What led to this change in HUD policy?

HUD recognized the widespread use of LPG/propane in residential applications, particularly in rural areas. This use is generally regulated by established fire safety practices and industry standards that have been developed to ensure LPG/propane tank safety. These standards include requirements for tank design and inspection as well as setback distances. However, these distances are different from the HUD-required ASD. HUD's requirement for significantly further separation, mitigation, or rejection of the proposed project results in barriers and increased costs to HUD programs and beneficiaries.

The industry standard safety code for LPG/propane, NFPA Code 58, is regularly updated through a consensus process involving industry and regulatory professionals, based on current safety data. By contrast, HUD's acceptable separation distances have not been updated since their establishment in 1984. Based on the safety of industry standard-compliant LPG/propane tanks, HUD found that siting HUD-assisted developments at a codecompliant setback distance, rather than the greater distance normally required by 24 CFR 51C, would not result in a perceptible increase in risk to site occupants. Therefore, HUD sought to conform its ASD requirements to industry standards for residential LPG/propane tanks.

### Why was the 1,000-gallon threshold selected?

HUD's focus in this revision was the effectiveness and efficiency of environmental review process for LPG/propane tanks commonly used in residential applications. Residential LPG/propane tanks are generally 1,000 gallons or less. The greatest volume of residential LPG/propane use is for heating, and therefore location, economics and climate are the primary factors that influence residential tank size. In warmer climates, homes that rely on LPG/propane may use as little as 200 gallons per year. In the coldest U.S. climate zones, however, homes may consume over 1,800 gallons per year. This range of consumption, combined with the desire to avoid the need for frequent refueling during price fluctuations, results in residential use of propane tanks up to 1,000 gallons in size.

### How did HUD determine this change will not result in a perceptible increase in risk to HUD-assisted residential development?

The reliability of LPG/propane tanks has increased significantly over the past thirty years and studies suggest that the evolution of industry safety practices has reduced the probability of propane tank failure.<sup>2</sup> Studies and experiments conducted by the propane industry demonstrate the durability of LPG/propane tanks. For instance, an experiment conducted by the Department of Defense and the Energy Research and Development Administration found that LPG tanks sustained little damage from a simulated nuclear blast.<sup>3</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Ahrens, M. (2018), Ahrens, M. (2018), Flynn, J. (2010), and Hall. J.R. (2014).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> S. Glasstone and P.J. Dolan, 1977. The Effects of Nuclear Weapons. Prepared and published by the US Department of Defense and the Energy Research and Development Administration.

LPG/propane tank design standards are developed by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) and U.S. Department of Transportation. ASME sets specific rules to ensure the safety of propane tanks. NFPA 58 and the National Board Inspection Code (NBIC) outline specific safety requirements that tank manufacturers must comply with and that are enforced at state and local levels.

### Do industry standards for LPG tanks of 1,000 gallons or less include separation distances?

Yes, under NFPA 58 (2017) tanks between 125 and 500 gallons require a setback of 10 feet from buildings or property lines, while tanks between 501 and 1,000 gallons have a setback of 25 feet. These distances are sufficient to prevent tank impacts from nearby structure fires.

### Why is the measurement of tanks specified as "water volume"?

Due to volumetric expansion of propane based on temperature, the industry standard is to fill tanks with a volume of LPG equivalent to 80% of the water volume of the tank. A 1,000 gals tank is filled with 800 gals of propane.

### How do I determine whether this exception applies to my environmental review?

Acceptable separation distance requirements under 24 CFR 51C apply when there is an aboveground storage tank with a volume greater than 100 gallons containing flammable or explosive liquids or gases within the recommended search distance (one mile) from the proposed HUD-assisted project site.

The exception discussed in this fact sheet applies specifically to LPG/propane tanks 1,000 gallons or less in water volume, that would otherwise require compliance under 24 CFR 51C, where the tank is operated within a state or local jurisdiction that has adopted NFPA 58 (2017).

### How do individual states or local jurisdictions adopt NFPA Code 58 (2017)? How can one identify if a state has adopted NFPA Code 58 (2017)?

The standard may be adopted through revision of state codes and standards, action by the state LPG-oversight board or entity, or through action by local government. Sources may be identified through the NFPA website at

https://codefinder.nfpa.org/?country=United%20States%20of%20America&nfpanumber=58. Adoption should be verified with the adopting jurisdiction.

### What is the difference between NFPA Code 58 (2017) and previous editions?

Among other changes, the 2017 version of the code adds documentation requirements for the addition and verification of an odorant prior to delivery. Older editions of NFPA 58 require odorant, but do not contain the documentation standards of the 2017 version.

### What documentation do I need in the environmental review record to demonstrate compliance?

If the HUD-assisted project involves development, construction, rehabilitation, modernization or conversion, or other activities listed in the definition of "HUD-assisted project" at 24 CFR 51.201, and if the proposed site is within the recommended search distance of one mile from an aboveground storage tank of more than 100 gallons that is used to hold LPG/propane, the environmental review record should contain:

- 1. Documentation that the tank is 1,000 gallons or less in volume and citation to the state or local code adopting NFPA 58 in a version no earlier than the 2017 version; or
- Standard documentation of 24 CFR 51C acceptable separation distance compliance for gas containers not excluded from the definition of hazard, which includes a calculation of the required separation distance using the ASD calculator at <a href="https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/environmental-review/explosive-and-flammable-facilities/">https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/environmental-review/explosive-and-flammable-facilities/</a>, with documentation that the proposed site is beyond the calculated ASD, or a description of required mitigation measures.

### How should this exception be addressed in HEROS?

HUD has updated the Explosive and Flammable Hazards screen in HEROS based on this rule.

### **Additional Frequently Asked Questions:**

When a fire department states that an aboveground storage tank meets safety compliance standards, are mitigation measures required?

If the fire department certifies that the tanks meet the requirements of code NFPA 58 (2017) or later edition, the tank is exempted from 24 CFR 51C. A locality would be most likely to be able to provide such certification when it has adopted NFPA 58 (2017) as a state or local code requirement for which it has oversight authority and for this reason HUD documentation requirements above reference state/local code.

If my project is located in a state or locality that has not adopted NFPA 58 (2017) or later, are any alternative compliance methods available to document that an LPG/propane tank is exempt from 24 CFR 51C?

Acceptable documentation may include certification from a tank/LPG distributor, qualified engineer, or fire protection professional that a specific tank, although located in a state or locality that has not adopted the current standard, nevertheless meets the requirements of NFPA 58 (2017) or later. Certification as to all requirements, including setback requirements, is necessary.

What is the interaction between this exception and the exception for tanks providing individual supply to single family FHA-insured properties?

The exceptions are independent. A propane tank supplying a single family FHA-insured property is exempt apart from NFPA 58 (2017) or later applicability.

### What if there are multiple propane tanks that add up to more than 1,000 gallons?

Under 24 CFR 51C generally, tanks are evaluated on an individual basis. (For liquid fuel tanks that share a single diked area, the diked area dimensions are evaluated.) Therefore, if each propane tank meets the requirements for the exception under NFPA 58 (2017), the tanks are exempted whether or not in the aggregate all tanks in proximity to the project could total greater than 1,000 gallons, if they were combined.

In states that have adopted NFPA 58 (2017) or later, is any additional documentation such as record of tank inspection, required?

In this scenario documentation of the exemption includes citation to the state provision adopting NFPA 58 (2017), documentation of tank volume, and documentation of tank contents as LPG/propane.

Where a locality (city or county) and the state within which it is located have adopted different version of NFPA 58, which would apply for a project within the locality boundaries?

If the state has adopted a current version but the locality has not, applicability of the exemption would depend on the relationship between the specific state and local codes at issue. If NFPA 58 (2017) or later has been incorporated into a code that applies to the tank at issue, then the exception applies.

For assistance with further questions related to this policy, please contact the Regional or Field Environmental Officer where the project is located. Contact information is available at <a href="https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/environmental-review/hud-environmental-staff-contacts/#region-i-regional-and-field-environmental-officers">https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/environmental-officers</a>. review/hud-environmental-staff-contacts/#region-i-regional-and-field-environmental-officers.

### **Farmlands Protection**

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
The Farmland Protection	Farmland Protection Policy	7 CFR Part 658
Policy Act (FPPA) discourages	Act of 1981 (7 U.S.C. 4201	
federal activities that would	et seq.)	
convert farmland to		
nonagricultural purposes.		

1. Does your project include any activities, including new construction, acquisition of undeveloped land or conversion, that could convert agricultural land to a non-agricultural use?

Yes

✓ No

If your project includes new construction, acquisition of undeveloped land or conversion, explain how you determined that agricultural land would not be converted:

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section. Document and upload all documents used to make your determination below.

### **Screen Summary**

### **Compliance Determination**

This project is located in a developed, urban area and does not include any activities that could potentially convert agricultural land to a non-agricultural use. The project is in compliance with the Farmland Protection Policy Act.

### **Supporting documentation**

A23 Zoning Map.pdf
A24 Soil Survey Farmland.pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

√ No

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Floodplain Management

General Requirements	Legislation	Regulation
Executive Order 11988,	Executive Order 11988	24 CFR 55
Floodplain Management,	* Executive Order 13690	
requires Federal activities to	* 42 USC 4001-4128	SALAR TEST
avoid impacts to floodplains	* 42 USC 5154a	
and to avoid direct and	* only applies to screen 2047	
indirect support of floodplain	and not 2046	
development to the extent		
practicable.		

1. Does this project meet an exemption at 24 CFR 55.12 from compliance with HUD's floodplain management regulations in Part 55?

Yes

- (a) HUD-assisted activities described in 24 CFR 58.34 and 58.35(b).
- (b) HUD-assisted activities described in 24 CFR 50.19, except as otherwise indicated in § 50.19.
- (c) The approval of financial assistance for restoring and preserving the natural and beneficial functions and values of floodplains and wetlands, including through acquisition of such floodplain and wetland property, where a permanent covenant or comparable restriction is place on the property's continued use for flood control, wetland projection, open space, or park land, but only if:
- (1) The property is cleared of all existing buildings and walled structures; and
- (2) The property is cleared of related improvements except those which:
- (i) Are directly related to flood control, wetland protection, open space, or park land (including playgrounds and recreation areas);
- (ii) Do not modify existing wetland areas or involve fill, paving, or other ground disturbance beyond minimal trails or paths; and
- (iii) Are designed to be compatible with the beneficial floodplain or wetland function of the property.
- (d) An action involving a repossession, receivership, foreclosure, or similar acquisition of property to protect or enforce HUD's financial interests under previously approved loans, grants, mortgage insurance, or other HUD assistance.

- (e) Policy-level actions described at 24 CFR 50.16 that do not involve site-based decisions.
- (f) A minor amendment to a previously approved action with no additional adverse impact on or from a floodplain or wetland.
- (g) HUD's or the responsible entity's approval of a project site, an incidental portion of which is situated in the FFRMS floodplain (not including the floodway, LiMWA, or coastal high hazard area) but only if: (1) The proposed project site does not include any existing or proposed buildings or improvements that modify or occupy the FFRMS floodplain except de minimis improvements such as recreation areas and trails; and (2) the proposed project will not result in any new construction in or modifications of a wetland.
- (h) Issuance or use of Housing Vouchers, or other forms of rental subsidy where HUD, the awarding community, or the public housing agency that administers the contract awards rental subsidies that are not project-based (i.e., do not involve site-specific subsidies).
- (i) Special projects directed to the removal of material and architectural barriers that restrict the mobility of and accessibility to elderly and persons with disabilities.

Describe:

✓ No

2. Does the project include a Critical Action? Examples of Critical Actions include projects involving hospitals, fire and police stations, nursing homes, hazardous chemical storage, storage of valuable records, and utility plants.

Yes

Describe:

✓ No

3. Determine the extent of the FFRMS floodplain and provide mapping documentation in support of that determination

The extent of the FFRMS floodplain can be determined using a Climate Informed Science Approach (CISA), 0.2 percent flood approach (0.2 PFA), or freeboard value approach (FVA). For projects in areas without available CISA data or without FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs), Flood Insurance Studies (FISs) or Advisory Base Flood Elevations (ABFEs), use the best available information<sup>1</sup> to determine flood elevation. Include documentation and an explanation of why this is the best available information<sup>2</sup> for the site. Note that newly constructed and substantially improved<sup>3</sup> structures must be elevated to the FFRMS floodplain regardless of the approach chosen to determine the floodplain.

Select one of the following three options:

CISA for non-critical actions. If using a local tool , data, or resources, ensure that the FFRMS elevation is higher than would have been determined using the 0.2 PFA or the FVA.

0.2-PFA. Where FEMA has defined the 0.2-percent-annual-chance floodplain, the FFRMS floodplain is the area that FEMA has designated as within the 0.2-percent-annual-chance floodplain.

- ✓ FVA. If neither CISA nor 0.2-PFA is available, for non-critical actions, the FFRMS floodplain is the area that results from adding two feet to the base flood elevation as established by the effective FIRM or FIS or if available a FEMA-provided preliminary or pending FIRM or FIS or advisory base flood elevations, whether regulatory or informational in nature. However, an interim or preliminary FEMA map cannot be used if it is lower than the current FIRM or FIS.
- <sup>1</sup> Sources which merit investigation include the files and studies of other federal agencies, such as the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, the Tennessee Valley Authority, the Soil Conservation Service and the U. S. Geological Survey. These agencies have prepared flood hazard studies for several thousand localities and, through their technical assistance programs, hydrologic studies, soil surveys, and other investigations have collected or developed other floodplain information for numerous sites and areas. States and communities are also sources of information on past flood 'experiences within their boundaries and are particularly knowledgeable about areas subject to high-risk flood hazards such as alluvial fans, high velocity flows, mudflows and mudslides, ice jams, subsidence and liquefaction.
- <sup>2</sup> If you are using best available information, select the FVA option below and provide supporting documentation in the screen summary. Contact your <u>local environmental officer</u> with additional compliance questions.
- <sup>3</sup> Substantial improvement means any repair or improvement of a structure which costs at least 50 percent of the market value of the structure before repair or improvement or results in an increase of more than 20 percent of the number of dwelling units. The full definition can be found at 24 CFR 55.2(b)(12).
- 5. Does your project occur in the FFRMS floodplain?

Yes

✓ No

### **Screen Summary**

### **Compliance Determination**

This project does not occur in a floodplain as shown in FEMA Flood Panel 12109C0314J , effective 12/07/18. While flood insurance may not be mandatory in this instance, HUD recommends that all insurable structures maintain flood insurance under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). The project is in compliance with flood insurance requirements.

### **Supporting documentation**

### A26 FEMA Map(2).pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

✓ No

# National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette



SEE FIS REPORT FOR DETAILED LEGEND AND INDEX MAP FOR FIRM PANEL LAYOUT Legend

SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS With BFE or Depth Zone AE, AO, AH, VE, AR Regulatory Floodway Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) Zone A. V. A99



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Coastal Transect

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Hydrographic Feature **Profile Baseline** 

Unmapped No Digital Data Available

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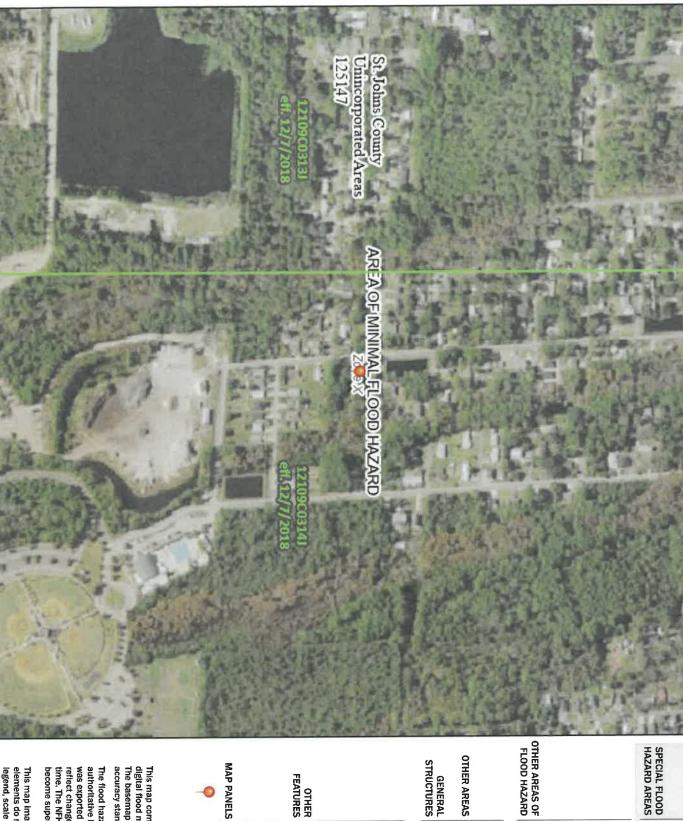
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### **Historic Preservation**

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
Regulations under	Section 106 of the	36 CFR 800 "Protection of Historic
Section 106 of the	National Historic	Properties"
National Historic	Preservation Act	https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/CF
Preservation Act	(16 U.S.C. 470f)	R-2012-title36-vol3/pdf/CFR-2012-title36-
(NHPA) require a		vol3-part800.pdf
consultative process	LA STATE OF	
to identify historic		
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### Threshold

### Is Section 106 review required for your project?

- No, because the project consists solely of activities listed as exempt in a Programmatic Agreement (PA). (See the PA Database to find applicable PAs.)
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Threshold (b). Document and upload the memo or explanation/justification of the other determination below:

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section.

### **Screen Summary**

### **Compliance Determination**

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### **Supporting documentation**

A29b Miccosukee Tribe Request.pdf

A29 Coushatta Tribe Request.pdf

A28 Clearinghouse Review Request.pdf

A-27 State Historic Preservation Office Request.pdf

### Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

/ No



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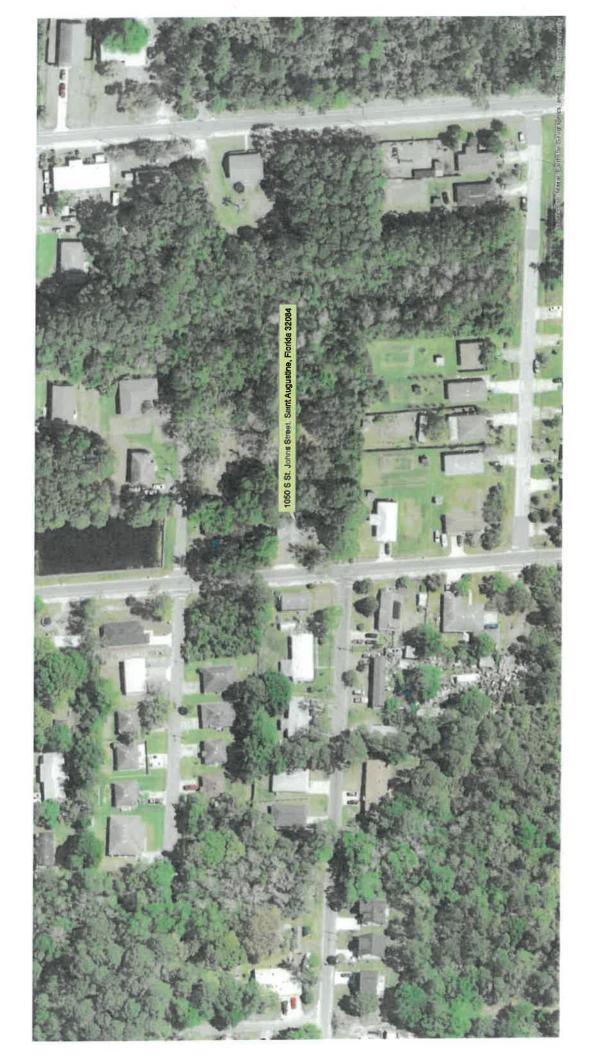
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Sent:

Tuesday, June 11, 2024 9:12 AM

To:

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Subject:

RE: Florida Master Site File- Address for Review

**Attachments:** 

Template\_102.pdf; HUD Letter.pdf

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PHONE: 850.245.6377 — E-MAIL: EMAN. VOVSI@DOS.FL.GOV



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Dear Mr. Cypress,

St. Johns County, Florida, is considering funding the project listed above with federal funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). Under HUD regulation 24 CFR 58.4, St. Johns County has assumed HUD's environmental review responsibilities for the project, including tribal consultation related to historic properties such as archeological sites, burial grounds, sacred landscapes or features, ceremonial areas, traditional cultural places and landscapes, plant and animal communities, and buildings and structures with significant tribal association.

St. Johns County will conduct a review of this project to comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations 36 CFR Part 800. We would like to invite you to be a consulting party in this review to help identify historic properties in the project area that may have religious and cultural significance to your tribe and, if such properties exist, to help assess how the project might affect them. If the project might have an adverse effect, we would like to discuss possible ways to avoid, minimize, or mitigate potential adverse effects.

St. Johns County proposes using HUD Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds to assist low-income veterans' households who need home repairs such as roofing, accessibility, energy and water conservation, mechanical repairs (HVAC), and hurricane mitigation. The cost for each rehab will be up to \$40,000; the footprint of each home will not change. We have 1 house to be rehabilitated and would like to request your review of this proposed project to determine the potential for any adverse environmental impacts.

The address for the project is 1050 S St. Johns Street, Saint Augustine, Florida 32084.

To meet project timeframes, if you would like to be a consulting party on this project, please let us know of your interest within 30 days. If you have any initial concerns about the project's impacts on religious or cultural properties, can you please note them in your response?



More information on the Section 106 review process is available at <a href="http://www.onecpd.info/environmental-review/historic-preservation/">http://www.onecpd.info/environmental-review/historic-preservation/</a>.

HUD's process for tribal consultation under Section 106 is described in a Notice available at <a href="https://www.onecpd.info/resource/2448/notice-cpd-12-006-tribal-consultation-under-24-cfr-part-58">https://www.onecpd.info/resource/2448/notice-cpd-12-006-tribal-consultation-under-24-cfr-part-58</a>.

Thank you very much. We value your assistance and look forward to consulting you further if there are historic properties of religious and cultural significance to your tribe that may be affected by this project.

Sincerely,

Guillermarie Guilfoyle

CDBG Housing Program Specialist

904-827-6897

gguilfoyle@sjcfl.us

cc: File

### **Noise Abatement and Control**

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
HUD's noise regulations protect	Noise Control Act of 1972	Title 24 CFR 51
residential properties from	A CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF TH	Subpart B
excessive noise exposure. HUD	<b>General Services Administration</b>	
encourages mitigation as	Federal Management Circular	
appropriate.	75-2: "Compatible Land Uses at	
	Federal Airfields"	

### 1. What activities does your project involve? Check all that apply:

New construction for residential use

### ✓ Rehabilitation of an existing residential property

NOTE: For modernization projects in all noise zones, HUD encourages mitigation to reduce levels to acceptable compliance standards. See 24 CFR 51 Subpart B for further details. The definition of "modernization" is determined by program office guidance.

A research demonstration project which does not result in new construction or reconstruction

#### An interstate land sales registration

Any timely emergency assistance under disaster assistance provision or appropriations which are provided to save lives, protect property, protect public health and safety, remove debris and wreckage, or assistance that has the effect of restoring facilities substantially as they existed prior to the disaster None of the above

### **Screen Summary**

#### **Compliance Determination**

The project is modernization or minor rehabilitation of an existing residential property. The project will include standardized noise attenuation measures. The project is in compliance with HUD's Noise regulation.

#### **Supporting documentation**

A32 DNL Calculator.pdf

A31 Airport Noise Contours.pdf

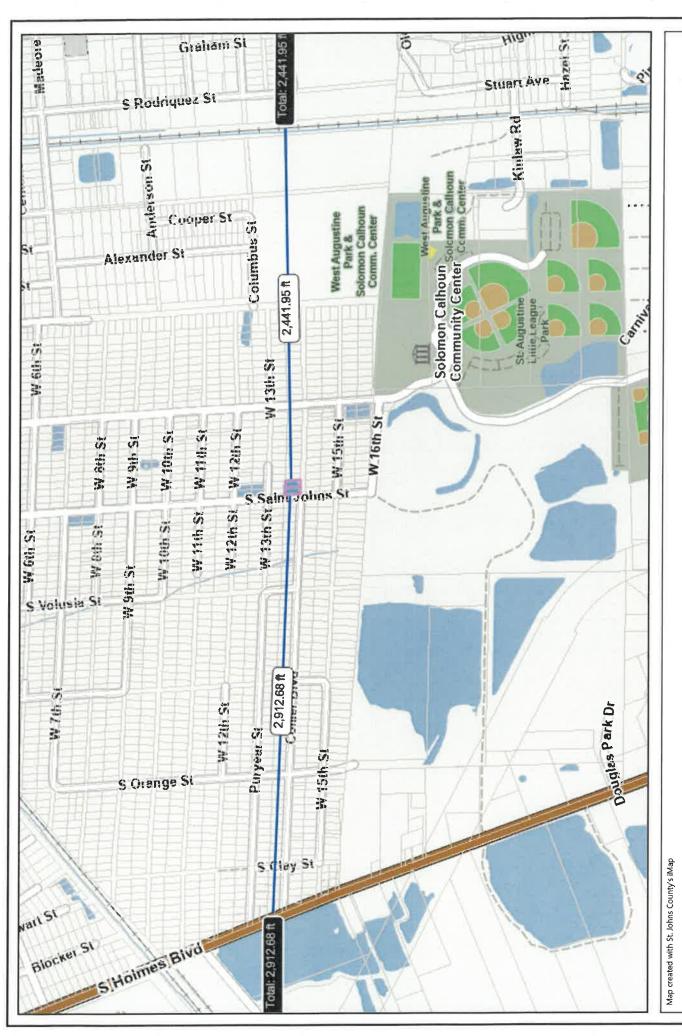
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A30 Potential Noise Generator Map A.pdf

## Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

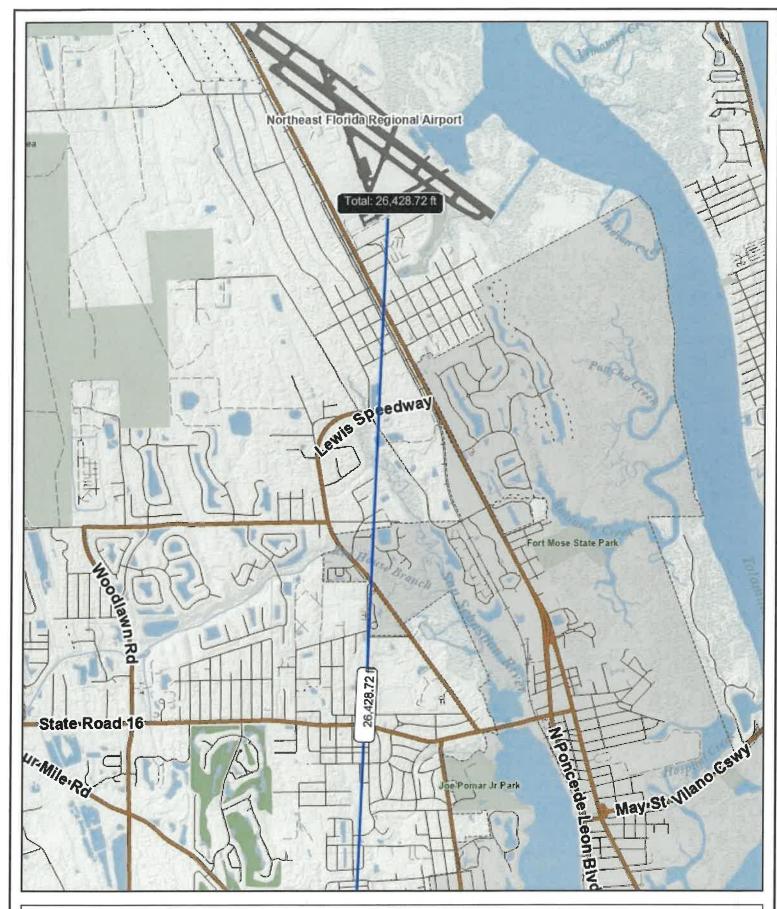
✓ No



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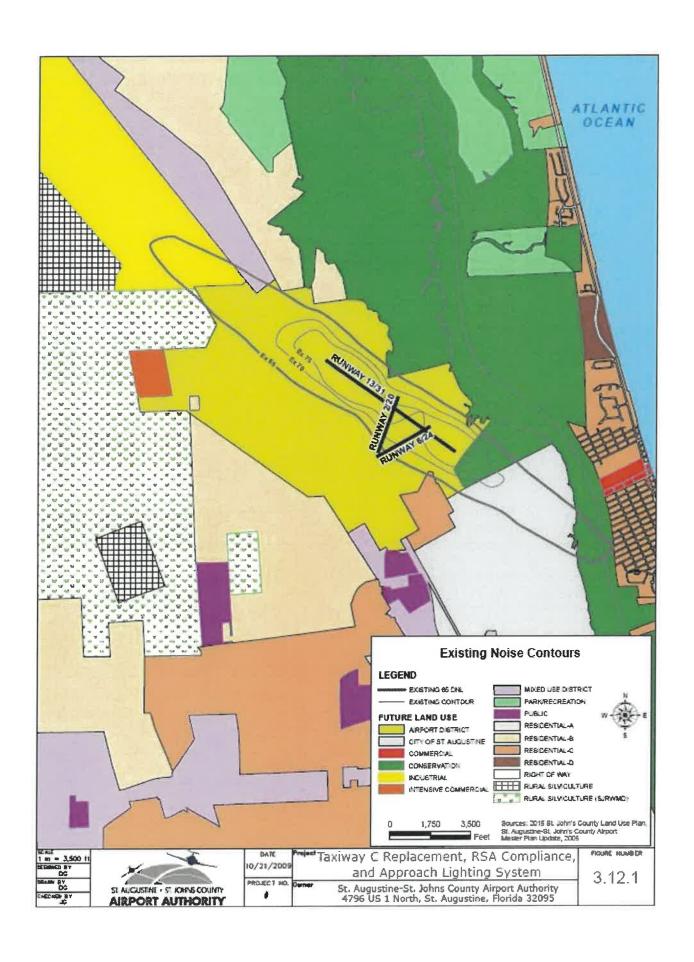


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# **DNL Calculator**

The Day/Night Noise Level Calculator is an electronic assessment tool that calculates the Day/Night Noise Level (DNL) from roadway and railway traffic. For more information on using the DNL calculator, view the Day/Night Noise Level Calculator Electronic Assessment Tool Overview (/programs/environmental-review/daynight-noise-level-electronic-assessment-tool/).

# Guidelines

- To display the Road and/or Rail DNL calculator(s), click on the "Add Road Source" and/or "Add Rail Source" button(s) below.
- All Road and Rail input values must be positive non-decimal numbers.
- All Road and/or Rail DNL value(s) must be calculated separately before calculating the Site DNL.
- All checkboxes that apply must be checked for vehicles and trains in the tables' headers.
- Note #1: Tooltips, containing field specific information, have been added in this tool and
  may be accessed by hovering over all the respective data fields (site identification, roadway
  and railway assessment, DNL calculation results, roadway and railway input variables) with
  the mouse.
- Note #2: DNL Calculator assumes roadway data is always entered.

Site ID	1050 S. St. Johns County St., St Augustine, FL			
Record Date	07/17/2024			
Caleena Shirley				
Road # 1 Name:	S Holmes Road			
Road #1				
Vehicle Type	Cars 🖾	Medium Trucks 🗹	Heavy Trucks 🗹	
Effective Distance	2912	2912	2912	
Distance to Stop Sign				
Average Speed	45	45	45	
Average Daily Trips (A	DT) 53	53	53	
Night Fraction of ADT	15	15	15	
Road Gradient (%)			2	
Vehicle DNL	17	27	35	
Calculate Road #1 DN	NL 36	Reset		
Railroad #1 Track Ide	entifier:			
Rail # 1				

Effective Distance			2442
Average Train Speed			30
Engines per Train			2
Railway cars per Train			50
Average Train Operations (ATO)			28
Night Fraction of ATO			15
Railway whistles or horns?	Yes	: No: 🗆	Yes: ☑ No: □
Bolted Tracks?	Yes	: 🗆 No: 🗆	Yes: ☑ No: □
Train DNL	0		58
Calculate Rail #1 DNL	58		Reset
Add Road Source Add Rail Source	e		
Airport Noise Level		65	
Loud Impulse Sounds?		○Yes <b>®</b> No	
Combined DNL for all Road and Rail sources		58	
Combined DNL including Airport		65	
Site DNL with Loud Impulse Sound			
Calculate Reset			

# **Mitigation Options**

If your site DNL is in Excess of 65 decibels, your options are:

- No Action Alternative: Cancel the project at this location
- Other Reasonable Alternatives: Choose an alternate site
- Mitigation
  - Contact your Field or Regional Environmental Officer (/programs/environmentalreview/hud-environmental-staff-contacts/)
  - Increase mitigation in the building walls (only effective if no outdoor, noise sensitive areas)
  - Reconfigure the site plan to increase the distance between the noise source and noise-sensitive uses
  - Incorporate natural or man-made barriers. See The Noise Guidebook (/resource/313/hud-noise-guidebook/)
  - Construct noise barrier. See the Barrier Performance Module (/programs/environmental-review/bpm-calculator/)

## **Tools and Guidance**

Day/Night Noise Level Assessment Tool User Guide (/resource/3822/day-night-noise-level-assessment-tool-user-guide/)

Day/Night Noise Level Assessment Tool Flowcharts (/resource/3823/day-night-noise-level-assessment-tool-flowcharts/)

**Sole Source Aquifers** 

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
The Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974	Safe Drinking Water	40 CFR Part 149
protects drinking water systems	Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C.	
which are the sole or principal	201, 300f et seq., and	
drinking water source for an area	21 U.S.C. 349)	
and which, if contaminated, would		
create a significant hazard to public		
health.		

1.	Does the project consist solely of acquisition, leasing, or rehabilitation of an existing
building	g(s)?

✓ Yes

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section.

No

### **Screen Summary**

#### **Compliance Determination**

Based on the project description, the project consists of activities that are unlikely to have an adverse impact on groundwater resources. The project is in compliance with Sole Source Aguifer requirements.

#### **Supporting documentation**

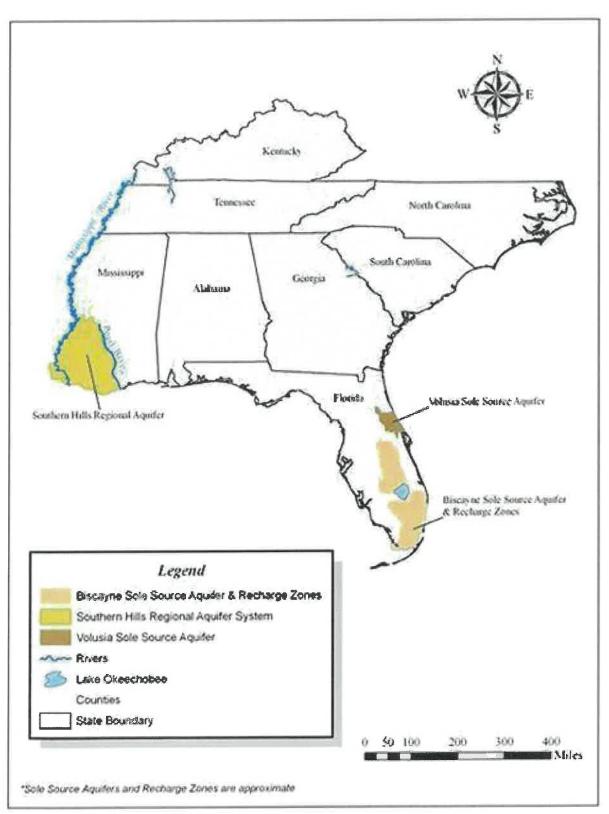
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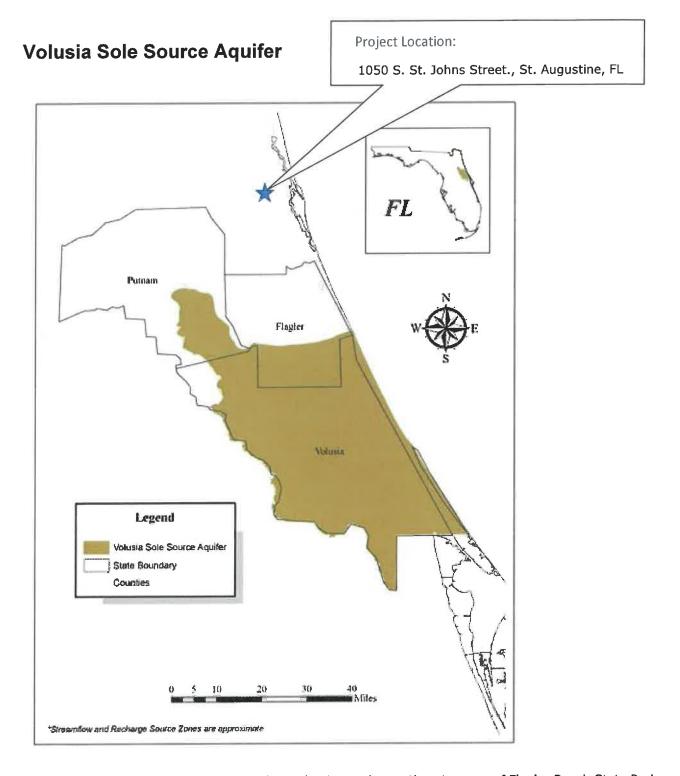
Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

√ No

https://archive.epa.gov/region4/water/groundwater/web/html/r4ssa.html





The northern boundary of the designated area begins at the southeast corner of Flagler Beach State Park and curves south and west through the community of Karona at U.S. Highway Route Number 1. The boundary continues southwest, west and northwest to the intersection of Haw Creek and Crescent Lake. The boundary then follows the west bank of Crescent Lake to Dunn's Creek and follows the west bank of Dunn's Creek to its intersection with the St. John's River. The border of the designated area then follows the east bank of Lake George to its intersection with the boundary of Volusia County. The boundary of the designated area and the boundary of Volusia county are congruent for the remainder of the area's western and southern boundaries to the Atlantic Ocean. The area's eastern boundary is the Atlantic Ocean.

The designated area includes all of Volusia County and portions of Flagler and Putnam Counties, Florida and extends approximately 1,450 square miles. Major cities in the area include Ormond Beach, Daytona Beach, New Smyrna Beach and Deland.

#### **Wetlands Protection**

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
Executive Order 11990 discourages direct or	Executive Order	24 CFR 55.20 can be
indirect support of new construction impacting	11990	used for general
wetlands wherever there is a practicable		guidance regarding
alternative. The Fish and Wildlife Service's		the 8 Step Process.
National Wetlands Inventory can be used as a		
primary screening tool, but observed or known		
wetlands not indicated on NWI maps must also		
be processed Off-site impacts that result in		
draining, impounding, or destroying wetlands		
must also be processed.		

1. Does this project involve new construction as defined in Executive Order 11990, expansion of a building's footprint, or ground disturbance? The term "new construction" shall include draining, dredging, channelizing, filling, diking, impounding, and related activities and any structures or facilities begun or authorized after the effective date of the Order

√ No

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section.

Yes

#### **Screen Summary**

#### **Compliance Determination**

Based on the project description this project includes no activities that would require further evaluation under this section. The project is in compliance with Executive Order 11990.

### **Supporting documentation**

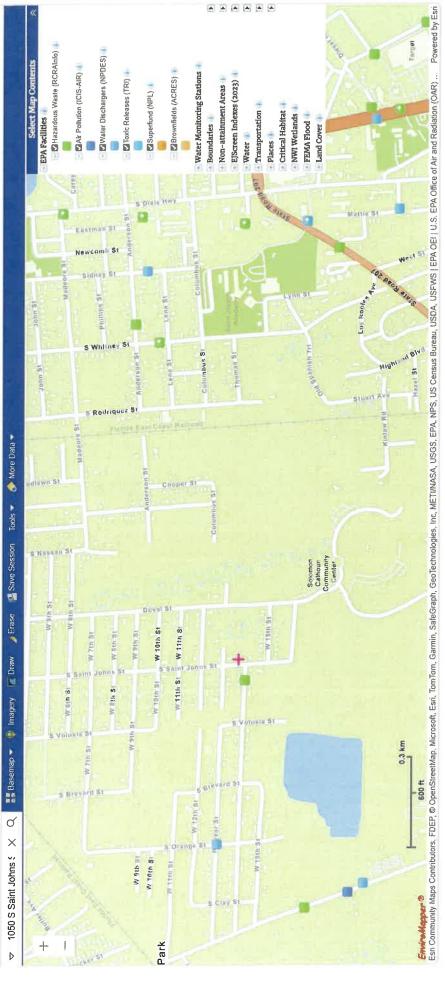
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Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

✓ No

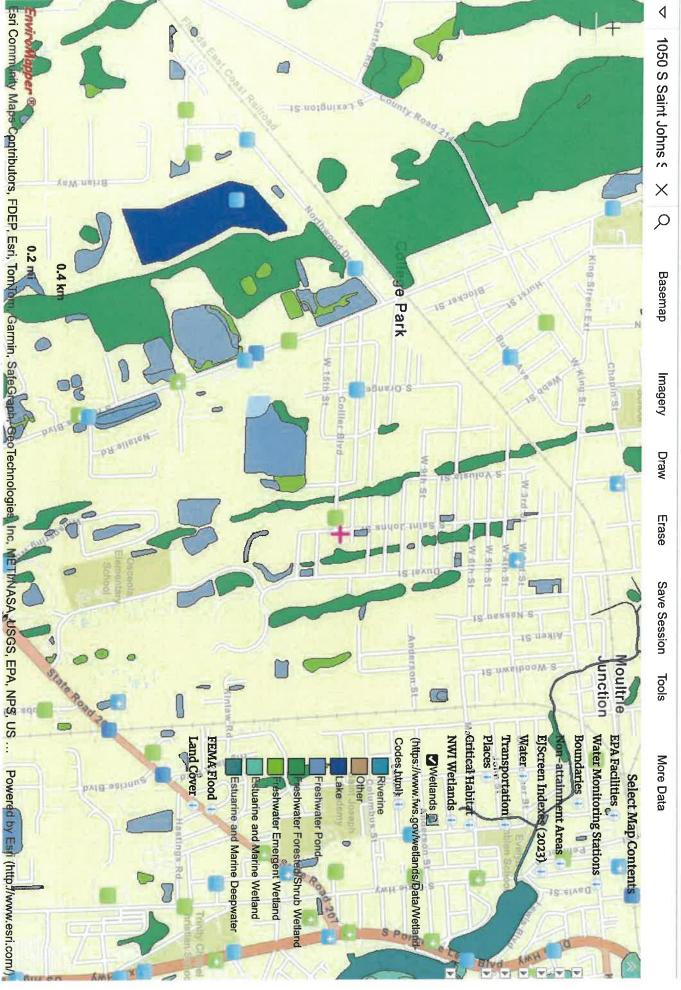




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# Wild and Scenic Rivers Act

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
The Wild and Scenic Rivers Act	The Wild and Scenic Rivers	36 CFR Part 297
provides federal protection for	Act (16 U.S.C. 1271-1287),	
certain free-flowing, wild, scenic	particularly section 7(b) and	
and recreational rivers	(c) (16 U.S.C. 1278(b) and (c))	
designated as components or		
potential components of the		
National Wild and Scenic Rivers		
System (NWSRS) from the effects		
of construction or development.		

# 1. Is your project within proximity of a NWSRS river?

✓ No

Yes, the project is in proximity of a Designated Wild and Scenic River or Study Wild and Scenic River.

Yes, the project is in proximity of a Nationwide Rivers Inventory (NRI) River.

### **Screen Summary**

### **Compliance Determination**

This project is not within proximity of a NWSRS river. The project is in compliance with the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act.

### **Supporting documentation**

# A36 Wild and Scenic Rivers.pdf

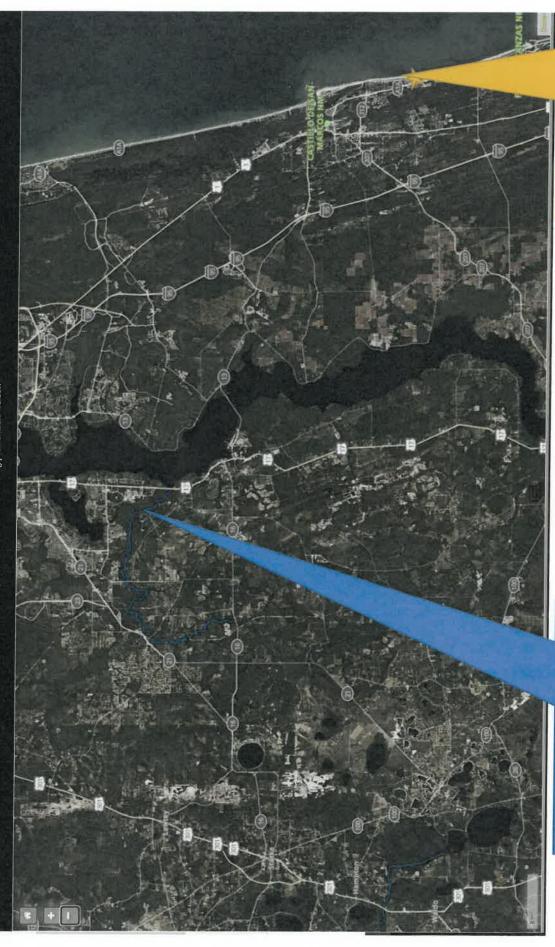
### Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

✓ No

# Nationwide Rivers Inventory

This is a listing of more than 3,200 free-flowing river segments in the U.S. that are believed to possess one or more "outstandingly remarkable" values.



Closest protected Wild and Scenic

River: Black Creek

# **Environmental Justice**

General requirements	Legislation	Regulation
Determine if the project	Executive Order 12898	
creates adverse environmental		
impacts upon a low-income or		
minority community. If it		
does, engage the community		
in meaningful participation		
about mitigating the impacts		
or move the project.		

St Augustine, FL

HUD strongly encourages starting the Environmental Justice analysis only after all other laws and authorities, including Environmental Assessment factors if necessary, have been completed.

1. Were any adverse environmental impacts identified in any other compliance review portion of this project's total environmental review?

Yes

√ No

Based on the response, the review is in compliance with this section.

### Screen Summary

# **Compliance Determination**

No adverse environmental impacts were identified in the project's total environmental review. The project is in compliance with Executive Order 12898.

### Supporting documentation

A18 Environmental Justice Census Tract 21003 Profile.pdf

A17 Environmental Justice Census Track.pdf

A16 Environmental Justice Screening Map.pdf

Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?

Yes

✓ No



A17\_Environmental Justice Census Track

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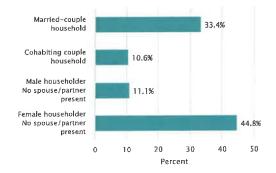
### Households and Families

In 2018-2022, there were 2,076 households in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida. The average household size was 2.62 people.

Married-couple households made up 33.4 percent of the households in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida while cohabiting couple households made up 10.6 percent of households. Female householders with no spouse or partner present we 44.8 percent of all households, while 11.1 percent of households had male householders with no spouse or partner present. Sor households had one person, as 7.2 percent of households were male householders living alone, and 24.0 percent were female householders living alone, for a total of 31.2 percent of all households.

In Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida, 18.1 percent of all households had one or more people under the age of 18; 46 percent of all households had one or more people 65 years and over.

Types of Households in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



### **Marital Status**

Among persons 15 and older, 32.5 percent of males and 29.2 percent of females were currently married.

Population 15 years and over	Percent Males	Percent Females
Never married	46.5	33.2
Now married, except separated	32.5	29.2
Separated	4.4	6.6
Widowed	1.9	14.0
Divorced	14.7	17.0

### Grandparents and Grandchildren

In Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida, 155 grandparents lived with their grandchildren under 18 years old. Of those grandparents, 70.3 percent were responsible for the basic needs of their grandchildren.

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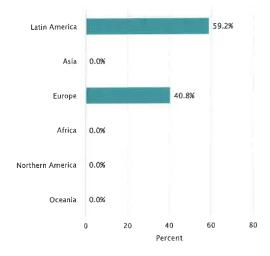
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In 2018-2022, an estimated 96.5 percent of the people living in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida were U.S. natives. 55.8 percent of the Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida population were living in the state where they were born.

Approximately 3.5 percent of Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida residents in 2018-2022 were foreign-born. 45.5 percent of foreign-born were naturalized U.S. citizens and an estimated 86.4 percent entered the country before the year 2010.

Foreign-born residents of Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida come from different parts of the world. The bar graph below displays the percentage of foreign-born from each world region of birth in 2018-2022 for Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida.

Region of Birth for the Foreign-Born Population in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



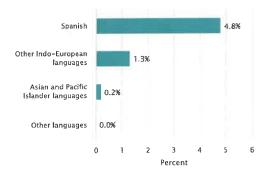
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# Language

Among people at least five years old living in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022, 6.4 percent spoke a language other than English at home. Spanish was spoken by 4.8 percent of people at least five years old; 2.9 percent reported that they did not speak English "very well."

Percent of the Population 5 years and over who Speak a Language other than English in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022

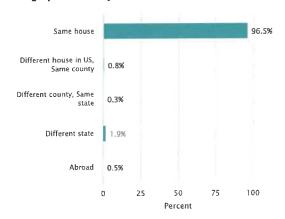


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In 2018-2022, 96.5 percent of the people at least one year old living in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida were living the same house one year earlier.

Geographic Mobility of Residents of Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



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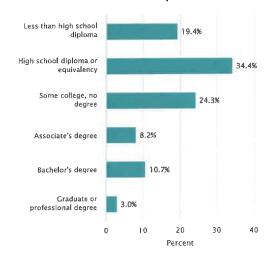
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### Education

In 2018-2022, 80.6 percent of people 25 years and over had at least graduated from high school and 13.7 percent had a bachelo degree or higher. An estimated 19.4 percent did not complete high school.

The total school enrollment in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida was 835 in 2018-2022. Nursery school enrollment was 0 and kindergarten through 12th grade enrollment was 592. College or graduate school enrollment was 243.

Educational Attainment of People in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



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# Disability

In Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida, among the civilian noninstitutionalized population in 2018-2022, 22.0 percent reported a disability. The likelihood of having a disability varied by age - from 11.2 percent of people under 18 years old, to 16.8 percent of people 18 to 64 years old, and to 37.9 percent of those 65 and over.

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# **Employment Status and Type of Employer**

In Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida, 50.7 percent of the population 16 and over were employed; 43.5 percent were not currently in the labor force.

An estimated 72.1 percent of the people employed were private wage and salary workers; 19.4 percent were federal, state, or loc government workers; and 8.6 percent were self-employed in their own (not incorporated) business.

Class of worker	Number	Percent
Private wage and salary workers	1,761	72.1
Federal, state, or local government workers	473	19.4
Self-employed workers in own not incorporated business	209	8.6

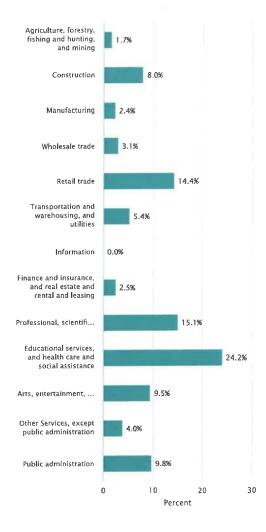
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# **Industries**

In 2018-2022, the civilian employed population 16 years and older in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida worked in the following industries:

Percent by Industry in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



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# **Occupations**

Occupations for the Civilian Employed Population 16 Years and over in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022

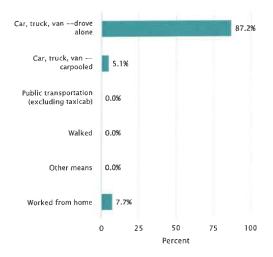
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	Number	Percent
Civilian employed population to years and over	Trainia oi	
Management, business, sciences, and arts occupations	507	20.8
Service occupations	689	28.2
Sales and office occupations	659	27.0
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	357	14.6
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	231	9.5

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An estimated 87.2 percent of Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida workers drove to work alone in 2018-2022, and 5.1 percent carpooled. Among those who commuted to work, it took them on average 21.6 minutes to get to work.

Percent of Workers 16 and over Commuting by Mode in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



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### Income

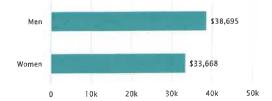
The median income of households in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida was \$61,013. An estimated 2.7 percent of households had income below \$10,000 a year and 0.4 percent had income of \$200,000 or more.

Household Income in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



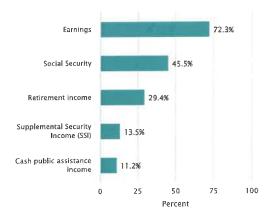
Median earnings for full-time year-round workers was \$34,569. Male full-time year-round workers had median earnings of \$38,69. Female full-time year-round workers had median earnings of \$33,668.

Median Earnings for Full-Time Year-Round Workers by Sex in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



An estimated 72.3 percent of households received earnings. An estimated 45.5 percent of households received Social Security and an estimated 29.4 percent of households received retirement income other than Social Security. The average income from Social Security was \$21,815. These income sources are not mutually exclusive; that is, some households received income from more than one source.

Proportion of Households with Various Income Sources in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



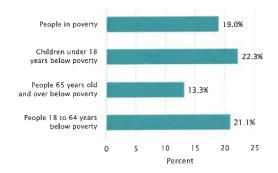
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B20018 | Median Earnings in the Past 12 Months (In 2021 Inflation-Adjusted Dollars) for the Population 16 Years and Over Who Worked Full-time, Year-Round with Earnings in the Past 12 Months [https://data.census.gov/table?y=2022&d=ACS%205-Year%20Estimates%20Detailed%20Tables&tid=ACSDT5Y2022.B20018&g=1400000US12109021003]

# **Poverty and Participation in Government Programs**

In 2018-2022, 19.0 percent of people were in poverty. An estimated 22.3 percent of children under 18 were below the poverty lev compared with 13.3 percent of people 65 years old and over. An estimated 21.1 percent of people 18 to 64 years were below the poverty level.

Poverty Rates in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



In 2018-2022, 19.6 percent of households received SNAP (the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program). An estimated 46.4 percent of households that received SNAP had children under 18, and 59.5 percent of households that received SNAP had one o more people 60 years and over. An estimated 44.0 percent of all households receiving SNAP were families with a female householder and no spouse present. An estimated 24.4 percent of households receiving SNAP had two or more workers in the past 12 months.

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### **Health Insurance**

Among the civilian noninstitutionalized population in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022, 84.7 percent had health insurance coverage and 15.3 percent did not have health insurance coverage. Private coverage was 50.4 percent and public coverage was 49.0 percent, respectively. The percentage of children under the age of 19 with no health insurance coverage was 8.5 percent.

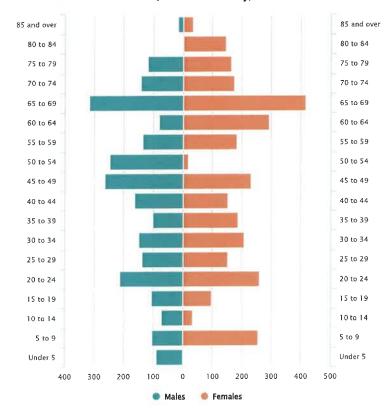
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# **Population**

In 2018-2022, Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida had a total population of 5,451 - 3,001 (55.1 percent) females and 2,450 (44.9 percent) males. The median age was 48.0 years. An estimated 12.4 percent of the population was under 18 years, 3: percent was 18 to 44 years, 26.6 percent was 45 to 64 years, and 27.9 percent was 65 years and older.

Population by Age and Sex for Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



For people reporting one race alone, 60.4 percent were White; 34.8 percent were Black or African American; 0.0 percent were American Indian and Alaska Native; 0.2 percent were Asian; 1.1 percent were Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander, and 0.3 percent were Some Other Race. An estimated 3.2 percent reported Two or More Races. An estimated 6.4 percent of the people i Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida were Hispanic or Latino. An estimated 56.2 percent of the people in Census Trac 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida were White alone, non-Hispanic. People of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

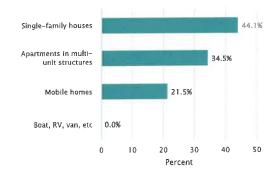
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# **Housing Inventory Characteristics**

In 2018-2022, Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida had a total of 2,488 housing units. Of these housing units, 44.1 percent were single-family houses either not attached to any other structure or attached to one or more structures (commonly referred to as "townhouses" or "row houses"). 34.5 percent of the housing units were located in multi-unit structures, or those buildings that contained two or more apartments. 21.5 percent were mobile homes, while any remaining housing units were classified as "other," which included boats, recreational vehicles, vans, etc.

Types of Housing Units in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



2.9 percent of the housing inventory was comprised of houses built since 2010, while 3.0 percent of the houses were first built in 1939 or earlier. The median number of rooms in all housing units in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida was 4.8 room and of these housing units 47.6 percent had three or more bedrooms.

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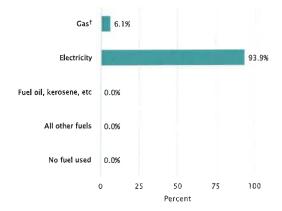
# **Occupied Housing Characteristics**

In 2018-2022, Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida had 2,076 housing units that were occupied or had people living in them, while the remaining 412 were vacant. Of the occupied housing units, the percentage of these houses occupied by owners (also known as the homeownership rate) was 63.5 percent while renters occupied 36.5 percent. The average household size of owner-occupied houses was 2.86 and in renter-occupied houses it was 2.21.

0.7 percent of householders of these occupied houses had moved into their house since 2021, while 15.9 percent moved into the house in 1989 or earlier. Households without a vehicle available for personal use comprised 9.9 percent and another 13.9 percent had three or more vehicles available for use.

The following chart provides the primary fuel used to heat houses in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida:

House Heating Fuel Used in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



†This category includes utility, bottled, tank, or LP gas.

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# **Financial Characteristics and Housing Costs**

In 2018-2022, the median property value for owner-occupied houses in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida was \$125,300.

Of the owner-occupied households, 48.5 percent had a mortgage. 51.5 percent owned their houses "free and clear," that is witho a primary mortgage or loan on the house. The median monthly housing costs for owners with a mortgage was \$1,191 and for owners without a mortgage it was \$427.

For renter-occupied houses, the median gross rent for Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida was \$918. Gross rent includes the monthly contract rent and any monthly payments made for electricity, gas, water and sewer, and any other fuels to heat the house.

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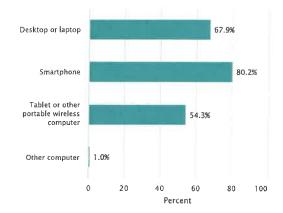
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# **Computer and Internet Use**

In 2018-2022, 87.7 percent of households in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida had a computer, and 80.1 percent had a broadband internet subscription.

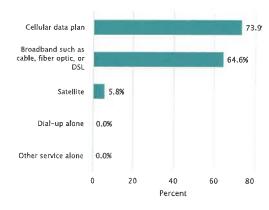
An estimated 67.9 percent of households had a desktop or laptop, 80.2 percent had a smartphone, 54.3 percent had a tablet or other portable wireless computer, and 1.0 percent had some other type of computer.

Types of Computers in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



Among all households, 73.9 percent had a cellular data plan; 64.6 percent had a broadband subscription such as cable, fiber opt or DSL; 5.8 percent had a satellite internet subscription; 0.0 percent had dial-up alone; and 0.0 percent had some other service alone.

Types of Internet Subscriptions in Census Tract 210.03; St. Johns County; Florida in 2018-2022



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