



Potential Waters of the U.S. at the Proposed Replacement Airport Site

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has jurisdiction over activities affecting Waters of the U.S. (shown here in yellow). Waters of the U.S. include:

- Surface waters, such as navigable waters and their tributaries
- Interstate waters and their tributaries
- Natural lakes, ponds, streams, and washes
- Wetlands

Eight potentially jurisdictional Waters of the U.S. were identified within the proposed replacement airport project area, four of which would be impacted by construction of airfield and access road.

- Wash numbers 3, 4, 5, 10 would be impacted at an estimated total permanent loss of 0.26 acres of Waters of the U.S.
- The permanent losses to the Waters of the U.S. are not expected to be substantive. Sediment transport capacity, flow velocity, depth of flow, and potential scour of each affected wash would not be adversely impacted.
- No wetlands would be impacted by the development of the proposed replacement airport.

Activities involving the placement of dredge or fill materials in portions of Waters of the U.S. will require a Section 404 of the Clean Water Act Permit from the Corps of Engineers.

