



STATE OF MARYLAND  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT  
WATER AND SCIENCE ADMINISTRATION  
WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION



22-WQC-0004

EFFECTIVE DATE:

February 18, 2022

CERTIFICATION HOLDER:

JBA ANDREWS, C/O Mr. Steve  
Richards Chief, Env Manager, 11<sup>TH</sup> CES/  
CEI 3466 North Carolina Avenue  
Jab Andrews, Maryland, 20762

PROJECT LOCATION:

JAB Andrews, South Perimeter Road

**UNDER AUTHORITY OF SECTION 401 OF THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT AND ITS AMENDMENTS AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH §9-313 THROUGH §9-323, INCLUSIVE, OF THE ENVIRONMENT ARTICLE, ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND, THE WATER AND SCIENCE ADMINISTRATION (“ADMINISTRATION”) HAS DETERMINED THAT THE REGULATED ACTIVITY DESCRIBED IN THE REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW TAXIWAY, HAZARDOUS CARGO PAD, AND RELOCATION OF AN EXPLOSIVE ORDNANCE DISPOSAL FACILITY, SOUTH OF PERIMETER ROAD ON JBA ANDREWS, MARYLAND, WILL NOT VIOLATE MARYLAND’S WATER QUALITY STANDARDS, IF CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONDITIONS OF THIS CERTIFICATION AND WITH ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS CERTIFICATION.**

THIS CERTIFICATION DOES NOT RELIEVE THE APPLICANT OF RESPONSIBILITY FOR OBTAINING ANY OTHER APPROVALS, LICENSES, OR PERMITS IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL REQUIREMENTS AND DOES NOT AUTHORIZE COMMENCEMENT OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT. A COPY OF THIS REQUIRED CERTIFICATION HAS BEEN SENT TO THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS. THE CERTIFICATION HOLDER SHALL COMPLY WITH THE CONDITIONS LISTED BELOW.

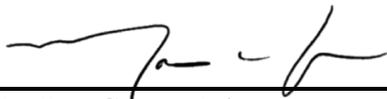
## **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

- Construction of a new taxiway, hazardous cargo pad, and relocation of an explosive ordnance disposal facility. The project will permanently impact 4,288 square feet of emergent nontidal wetlands, 79,276 square feet of forested nontidal wetlands, 114,006 square feet of the 25-foot nontidal wetland buffer and 1,912 linear feet (8,893 square feet) of intermittent stream, and. The project is proposed on a tributary of Piscataway Creek (Use I), at JBA Andrews, Prince George’s County.

## **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- A. This Certification does not obviate the need to obtain required authorizations or approvals from other State, federal or local agencies as required by law.
- B. This Certification does not authorize any injury to private property, any invasion of rights, or any infringement of federal, state, or local laws or regulations.
- C. The Certification Holder shall allow authorized representatives of the Department access to the site of authorized activities during normal business hours to conduct inspections and evaluations of the operations and records necessary to assure compliance with this Certification.
- D. This Certification is valid for the project identified herein and the associated U.S. Army Corps of Engineers authorization 202162320 until such time that it expires or is not administratively extended.

### **CERTIFICATION APPROVED**



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D. Lee Currey, Director  
Water and Science Administration

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Date

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cc: WSA Inspection & Compliance Program  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers