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**DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND BUILDING SERVICES**

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**CASE#:** CDP\_2023-0001

**DATE FILED:** 1/6/2023

**OWNER/APPLICANT:** NOYO HARBOR DISTRICT

**AGENT:** SHN, SCOTT PERKINS

**REQUEST:** Standard Coastal Development Permit request to construct improvements at Grader Park, including the construction of a new covered fish cleaning station with connection to utilities, extension of concrete sidewalk connecting the existing parking area to planned park amenities, new post and rope fencing adjacent to proposed sidewalks along the riverbank, new “Caught from Noyo Harbor” bulletin board sign, new cold-water shower and connection to existing water, sewer and storm drain.

**LOCATION:** In the Coastal Zone, located at 32400 Basin Street, Fort Bragg, (APN: 018-240-22). In the Coastal Zone, on the south side of Noyo River, ±0.25 miles north of the intersection of State Route 20 (SR 20) and South Harbor Drive (CR 415), ±400 feet east of the intersection of South Harbor Drive (CR 415) and Bason Street (CR 417), located at 32400 Basin Street, Fort Bragg; APN: 018-240-22.

**SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT:** 4 (Gjerde)

**STAFF PLANNER:** JESSIE WALDMAN

**RESPONSE DUE DATE:** February 22, 2023

**PROJECT INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT:**

[www.mendocinocounty.org](http://www.mendocinocounty.org)

Select “Government” from the drop-down; then locate Planning and Building Services/Public Agency Referrals.

Mendocino County Planning & Building Services is soliciting your input, which will be used in staff analysis and forwarded to the appropriate public hearing. You are invited to comment on any aspect of the proposed project(s). Please convey any requirements or conditions your agency requires for project compliance to the project coordinator at the above address, or submit your comments by email to [pbs@mendocinocounty.org](mailto:pbs@mendocinocounty.org). Please note the case number and name of the project coordinator with all correspondence to this department.

We have reviewed the above application and recommend the following (please check one):

- No comment at this time.
- Recommend conditional approval (attached).
- Applicant to submit additional information (attach items needed, or contact the applicant directly, copying Planning and Building Services in any correspondence you may have with the applicant)
- Recommend denial (Attach reasons for recommending denial).
- Recommend preparation of an Environmental Impact Report (attach reasons why an EIR should be required).
- Other comments (attach as necessary).

**REVIEWED BY:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Department \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**APN/S:** 018-240-22

**PARCEL SIZE:** 21.5± Acres

**GENERAL PLAN:** Fishing Village & Flood Plain Combining District (FV)(FP)  
**ZONING:** Fishing Village (FV)

**EXISTING USES:** The subject parcel is currently developed as an existing public recreations area, known as Grader Park, adjacent to the Noyo Harbor District. The space is historically used as a picnic area for the “World’s Largest Salmon BBQ”. Existing development on the parcel consists of an open field with picnic benches and tables, concrete patio landscaping at the edge of Noyo River and the marina. Within 100 feet of the proposed project areas, there exists an established water, sewer and storm drain utilities.

**DISTRICT:** 4<sup>th</sup> (Gjerde)

**RELATED CASES:** CDP\_2020-0030 (MVR – ATF); CDP\_2018-0022 (Withdrawn); CDP\_2016-0016 (Consolidated CDP to California Coastal Commission for Boat Launch and Parking Facilities); PAC\_2022-0001 (Grader Park Improvements)

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	<u>ADJACENT GENERAL PLAN</u>	<u>ADJACENT ZONING</u>	<u>ADJACENT LOT SIZES</u>	<u>ADJACENT USES</u>
<b>NORTH:</b>	City of Fort Bragg/Noyo River	City of Fort Bragg/Noyo River	2.5± Acres	Noyo River
<b>EAST:</b>	Rural Residential (RR5)	Rural Residential (RR)	14.0± Acres	Vacant
<b>SOUTH:</b>	Fishing Village (FV) & Rural Residential (RR5(1))	Fishing Village (FV) & Rural Residential (RR)	1.0± Acres	Residential
<b>WEST:</b>	Fishing Village (FV)	Fishing Village (FV)	1.0± Acres	Commercial

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**REFERRAL AGENCIES**

**LOCAL**

- Air Quality Management District
- Archaeological Commission
- Building Division (FB)
- Department of Transportation (DOT)
- Environmental Health (EH)(FB)
- Fort Bragg City Planning Department
- Fort Bragg Rural Fire District
- City of Fort Bragg Sanitation District

- City of Fort Bragg Water District
  - Planning Division (UKIAH)
  - Sonoma State University
- STATE**
- CALFIRE (Land Use)
  - California Coastal Commission
  - California Dept. of Fish & Wildlife

**TRIBAL**

- Cloverdale Rancheria
  - Redwood Valley Rancheria
  - Sherwood Valley Band of Pomo Indians
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**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

- The proposed project is part of the Noyo Harbor District’s Community Sustainability Plan (CSP). The Noyo Harbor District (NHD) has applied for grant funding through the California State Lands Commission/APRA for the design, permit and construction of the public improvement.
- On April 5, 2022, the California Coastal Commission (CCC) determined the proposed project will be within the Mendocino County Planning and Building Services (MC PBS) jurisdiction.
- **STUDIES COMPLETED:**
  - *Habitat Assessment*, which provided a summary of a Natural Resources and Environmentally Sensitive Habitat Area (ESHA) study, prepared by SHN Senior Botanist/Ecologist Joseph Saler, in April of 2022.
  - Archaeological Survey 2016

**STAFF PLANNER:** JESSIE WALDMAN

**DATE:** 2/7/2023

## ENVIRONMENTAL DATA

### 1. MAC:

GIS

N/A

### 2. FIRE HAZARD SEVERITY ZONE:

CALFIRE FRAP maps/GIS

*Mixed - High & Very High Fire Hazard*

### 3. FIRE RESPONSIBILITY AREA:

CALFIRE FRAP maps/GIS

*CalFire; Fort Bragg Rural Fire Protection District*

### 4. FARMLAND CLASSIFICATION:

GIS

*Urban & Built-Up Land; Grazing Land*

### 5. FLOOD ZONE CLASSIFICATION:

FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRM)

*Zone AE (14 – 17 feet)*

### 6. COASTAL GROUNDWATER RESOURCE AREA:

Coastal Groundwater Study/GIS

*Marginal Water Resource*

### 7. SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

Mendocino County Soils Study Eastern/Western Part

*139—Dystropepts*

### 8. PYGMY VEGETATION OR PYGMY CAPABLE SOIL:

LCP maps, Pygmy Soils Maps; GIS

NO

### 9. WILLIAMSON ACT CONTRACT:

GIS/Mendocino County Assessor's Office

NO

### 10. TIMBER PRODUCTION ZONE:

GIS

NO

### 11. WETLANDS CLASSIFICATION:

GIS

*Noyo River; Estuarine and Marine Deepwater; Riverine*

### 12. EARTHQUAKE FAULT ZONE:

Earthquake Fault Zone Maps; GIS

NO

### 13. AIRPORT LAND USE PLANNING AREA:

Airport Land Use Plan; GIS

NO

### 14. SUPERFUND/BROWNFIELD/HAZMAT SITE:

GIS; General Plan 3-11

NO

### 15. NATURAL DIVERSITY DATABASE:

CA Dept. of Fish & Wildlife Rarefind Database/GIS

YES

### 16. STATE FOREST/PARK/RECREATION AREA ADJACENT:

GIS; General Plan 3-10

NO

### 17. LANDSLIDE HAZARD:

Hazards and Landslides Map; GIS; Policy RM-61; General Plan 4-44

NO

### 18. WATER EFFICIENT LANDSCAPE REQUIRED:

Policy RM-7; General Plan 4-34

NO

### 19. WILD AND SCENIC RIVER:

[www.rivers.gov](http://www.rivers.gov) (Eel Only); GIS

YEA

### 20. SPECIFIC PLAN/SPECIAL PLAN AREA:

Various Adopted Specific Plan Areas; GIS

*Noyo Harbor*

### 21. STATE CLEARINGHOUSE REQUIRED:

Policy

N/A

### 22. OAK WOODLAND AREA:

USDA

N/A

### 23. HARBOR DISTRICT:

Sec. 20.512

*Noyo Harbor*

## FOR PROJECTS WITHIN THE COASTAL ZONE ONLY

### 24. LCP LAND USE CLASSIFICATION:

LCP Land Use maps/GIS

*Map 14: Beaver -Fishing Village; Flooding; Rare Plant Habitat*

### 25. LCP LAND CAPABILITIES & NATURAL HAZARDS:

LCP Land Capabilities maps/GIS; 20.500

*Adjacent to Moderately Production Timberland; Within Marine Terrace Deposits (Zone 2)*

### 26. LCP HABITATS & RESOURCES:

LCP Habitat maps/GIS; 20.496

*Barren; Adjacent to Coastal Forest; Anadromous Stream; Plant Habitat*

### 27. COASTAL COMMISSION APPEALABLE AREA:

Post LCP Certification Permit and Appeal Jurisdiction maps/GIS; 20.544

*Adjacent to Appeal Area, NO*

### 28. CDP EXCLUSION ZONE:

CDP Exclusion Zone maps/GIS

NO

### 29. HIGHLY SCENIC AREA:

Highly Scenic & Tree Removal Area Maps/GIS; Secs. 20.504.015, 20.504.020

NO

### 30. BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES & NATURAL AREAS:

Biological Resources & Natural Area Map; GIS; General Plan 4-9

YES

### 31. BLUFFTOP GEOLOGY:

GIS; 20.500.020

NO

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**COASTAL ZONE APPLICATION FORM**

**APPLICANT**

Name Noyo Harbor District  
 Mailing Address 19101 South Harbor Drive  
 City Fort Bragg State California Zip Code 95437 Phone 707-964-4719

**PROPERTY OWNER**

Name Same as Applicant  
 Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**AGENT**

Name SHN, SCOTT PERKINS  
 Mailing Address 329 East Redwood Avenue  
 City Fort Bragg State California Zip Code 95437 Phone 707-354-0145

**PARCEL SIZE**

21.50  Square feet  Acres

**STREET ADDRESS OF PROJECT**

32400 BASIN ST. FORT BRAGG

**ASSESSOR'S PARCEL NUMBER(S)**

018-240-22

I certify that the information submitted with this application is true and accurate.

(Signature) 11-10-22 (Signature) 11-10-22  
 Signature of Applicant/Agent Date Signature of Owner Date



# COASTAL ZONE - SITE AND PROJECT DESCRIPTION QUESTIONNAIRE

The purpose of this questionnaire is to relate information concerning your application to the Planning and Building Services Department and other agencies who will be reviewing your project proposal. Please remember that the clearer picture that you give us of your project and the site, the easier it will be to promptly process your application. Please answer all questions. Those questions which do not pertain to your project, please indicate "Not Applicable" or "N/A".

## THE PROJECT

1. Describe your project and include secondary improvements such as wells, septic systems, grading, vegetation removal, roads, etc.

- a free public fish cleaning station on a concrete pad with covered weather protection. The concrete pad would be 450 SF, and the covered fish cleaning structure would be 200 SF with a maximum height of less than 16 feet;
  - approximately 175 linear feet of 5-foot-wide concrete pedestrian access along the western and northern park perimeter connecting existing and planned park amenities to the existing parking lot;
  - approximately 250 linear feet of less than 4-foot-tall decorative safety fencing (posts and rope) along the riverbank adjacent to a portion of the proposed sidewalk;
  - connections from the fish cleaning station to existing utilities, including water, sewer, and storm drain;
  - a freestanding sign mounted on posts for photo opportunities ("Caught from Noyo Harbor!") with a maximum height of approximately 12 feet; and
  - approximately 25 SF concrete pad and ground-mounted cold-water shower.
- [COMPLETE PROJECT NARRATIVE INCLUDED WITH FULL APPLICATION]

2. If the project is residential, please complete the following:

TYPE OF UNIT	NUMBER OF STRUCTURES	SQUARE FEET PER DWELLING UNIT
<input type="checkbox"/> Single Family	N/A	N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile Home	N/A	N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Duplex	N/A	N/A
<input type="checkbox"/> Multifamily	N/A	N/A

If Multifamily, number of dwelling units per building: N/A

3. If the project is commercial, industrial, or institutional, complete the following:

Total square footage of structures:	<u>200 SF</u>
Estimated employees per shift:	<u>0.25 (part time capacity of one employee)</u>
Estimated shifts per day:	<u>1</u>
Type of loading facilities proposed:	<u>N/A</u>

4. Will the proposed project be phased?  Yes  No  
If Yes, explain your plans for phasing.

N/A

5. Are there existing structures on the property?  Yes  No  
 If yes, describe below and identify the use of each structure on the plot plan.

The project would be constructed on a Noyo Harbor District property with several existing Fishing Village related structures and uses. The District's eight-dock Marina, high dock, public restrooms, office building, and storage building are all existing on the parcel.

Approximately half of the public boat launch and marina parking area is on the parcel, including the majority of the bio-retention basin. Basin Street, a County road, traverses the property.

The property also has a concrete/rock sitting area with benches and picnic tables, and is host to the annual "World's Largest Salmon Barbecue."

6. Will any existing structures be demolished?  Yes  No  
 Will any existing structures be removed?  Yes  No

If yes to either question, describe the type of development to be demolished or removed, including the relocation site, if applicable.

N/A

7. Project Height. Maximum height of structure 16' (Fish Cleaning Structure), 12' (sign) feet.

8. Lot area (within property lines): 21.50  square feet  acres

9. Lot Coverage:

	EXISTING	NEW PROPOSED	TOTAL
Building coverage	<u>1,820</u> square feet	<u>200</u> square feet	<u>2,020</u> square feet
Paved area	<u>42,253</u> square feet	<u>1,300</u> square feet	<u>43,553</u> square feet
Landscaped area	<u>26,136</u> square feet	<u>592</u> square feet	<u>26,728</u> square feet
Unimproved area	_____ square feet	_____ square feet	_____ square feet
GRAND TOTAL:			<u>72,301 (excludes marina)</u> square feet (Should equal gross area of parcel)

10. Gross floor area: 300 SF square feet (including covered parking and accessory buildings).

11. Parking will be provided as follows:

Number of Spaces	Existing <sup>66</sup>	Proposed <sup>0</sup>	Total <sup>66</sup>
Number of covered spaces	_____	_____	_____
Number of uncovered spaces	_____	_____	_____
Number of standard spaces	_____	_____	_____
Number of handicapped spaces	_____	_____	_____

54 (boat and trailer parking) Size \_\_\_\_\_  
 20 (vehicle spaces), multiple on Basin St. Size \_\_\_\_\_  
 2 (boat and trailer), 2 (vehicle) Size \_\_\_\_\_

12. Utilities will be supplied to the site as follows:

A. Electricity

- Utility Company (service exists to the parcel).  
 Utility Company (requires extension of services to site: \_\_\_\_\_ feet \_\_\_\_\_ miles)  
 On Site generation, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 None

B. Gas

- Utility Company/Tank  
 On Site generation, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 None

C. Telephone:  Yes  No

13. Will there be any exterior lighting?  Yes  No

If yes, describe below and identify the location of all exterior lighting on the plot plan and building plans.

Any lighting not provided for security purposes will be downcast and shielded.

14. What will be the method of sewage disposal?

- Community sewage system, specify supplier City of Fort Bragg  
 Septic Tank  
 Other, specify \_\_\_\_\_

15. What will be the domestic water source?

- Community water system, specify supplier City of Fort Bragg  
 Well  
 Spring  
 Other, specify \_\_\_\_\_

16. Is any grading or road construction planned?  Yes  No

If yes, grading and drainage plans may be required. Also, describe the terrain to be traversed (e.g., steep, moderate slope, flat, etc.).

For grading and road construction, complete the following:

- A. Amount of cut: N/A cubic yards  
B. Amount of fill: N/A cubic yards  
C. Maximum height of fill slope: N/A feet  
D. Maximum height of cut slope: N/A feet  
E. Amount of import or export: N/A cubic yards  
F. Location of borrow or disposal site: N/A



17. Will vegetation be removed on areas other than the building sites and roads?  Yes  No  
 If yes, explain:  
 N/A

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18. Does the project involve sand removal, mining or gravel extraction?  Yes  No  
 If yes, detailed extraction, reclamation and monitoring may be required.

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19. Will the proposed development convert land currently or previously used for agriculture to another use?  Yes  No  
 If yes, how many acres will be converted? N/A acres (An agricultural economic feasibility study may be required.)

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20. Will the development provide public or private recreational opportunities?  Yes  No  
 If yes, explain:  
 The project will provide coastal-relate support services / recreational opportunities. Currently, sport fishermen do not have access to a privately owned or publicly managed fish cleaning station on either the north or south side of Noyo Harbor. The fleet operating out of Noyo Harbor that draws and generates substantial tourism dollars to the area would benefit greatly from a station where their daily catches can be cleaned. A fish cleaning facility is a common amenity offered in harbors such as Noyo with active charter and recreational fishing operations.

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21. Is the proposed development visible from:  
 A. State Highway 1 or other scenic route?  Yes  No  
 B. Park, beach or recreation area?  Yes  No  
 Answer to both is "yes" (form will not allow both boxes to be checked.)

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22. Will the project involve the use or disposal of potentially hazardous materials such as toxic substances, flammables, or explosives?  Yes  No  
 If yes, explain:  
 Fish waste generated will be directed to the City of Fort Bragg wastewater system. Materials are not toxic, flammable, or explosive.

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23. Does the development involve diking, filling, dredging or placing structures in open coastal waters, wetlands, estuaries or lakes?  
 A. Diking  Yes  No  
 B. Filling  Yes  No  
 C. Dredging  Yes  No  
 D. Placement of structures in open coastal waters, wetlands, estuaries or lakes  Yes  No  
 Amount of material to be dredged or filled? N/A cubic yards.  
 Location of dredged material disposal site: N/A  
 Has a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers permit been applied for?  Yes  No

If you need additional room to answer any question, attach additional sheets.

## Project Location

- Grader Park, Noyo Harbor (APN 018-240-22 / 32400 Basin Street, Fort Bragg)
- Mendocino County Coastal Zone—Fishing Village (MCC Sec. 20.392)

## Project Summary

The Noyo Harbor District (NHD) adopted a Community Sustainability Plan (CSP) in 2019 that recommends policies and investments to sustain the economy, community, and environment of Noyo Harbor. The CSP includes “Top 12 Priorities and Recommended Actions” to implement the findings of the plan. One of the identified priority improvements is the development of a Fish Cleaning Station. The NHD does not currently own or maintain a fish cleaning station, and recreational users are left with very few options, if any, when it comes to proper fish cleaning and waste disposal in Noyo Harbor.

Per the CSP, “sport fishermen do not have access to a privately owned or publicly managed fish cleaning station on either the north or south side of Noyo Harbor. Charter vessels operating out of Noyo Harbor that draw and generate substantial tourism dollars to the area would benefit greatly from a station where their daily catches can be cleaned. A fish cleaning facility is a common amenity offered in harbors such as Noyo with active charter and recreational fishing operations.”

The CSP also notes other benefits of a public fish cleaning station:

Regarding the environment, “fish cleaning stations help avoid illicit fish waste product disposal in the river and may deter landings in excess of bag limits.”

Considering the community, “a fish cleaning station on the south side of the harbor would benefit recreational fishermen and CPFV operators and make their experience in the harbor more memorable. Social interaction often occurs on and around marine infrastructure and services. A fish cleaning station also provides a location for educational materials.” Additionally, the project would expand the public facilities offered in Grader Park.

With regards to the economic sustainability of the Fishing Village, “a fish cleaning station is an amenity that supports recreational fishing which, in turn, contributes to a healthy economy in the Harbor and the wider community.” The fishing cleaning station will be an economic asset in the Harbor expanding the Harbor’s low-cost visitor-serving facilities, which will draw and generate additional tourism in the Harbor.

NHD has applied for grant funding through the California State Lands Commission/ARPA to design, permit, and construct the public improvements. On April 26, 2022, the California State Lands Commission voted in favor of funding the project.

NHD requests a Coastal Development Permit to construct:



# Grader Park Fish Cleaning Station

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- a free public fish cleaning station on a concrete pad with covered weather protection. The concrete pad would be between 450 SF, and the covered fish cleaning structure would be between 200 SF with a maximum height of less than 16 feet;
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- connections from the fish cleaning station to existing utilities, including electrical, water, sewer, and storm drain;
- a freestanding sign mounted on posts for photo opportunities (“Caught from Noyo Harbor!”) with a maximum height of approximately 12 feet; and
- approximately 25 SF concrete pad and ground-mounted cold-water shower;

A site plan of project improvements is included with this permit application.

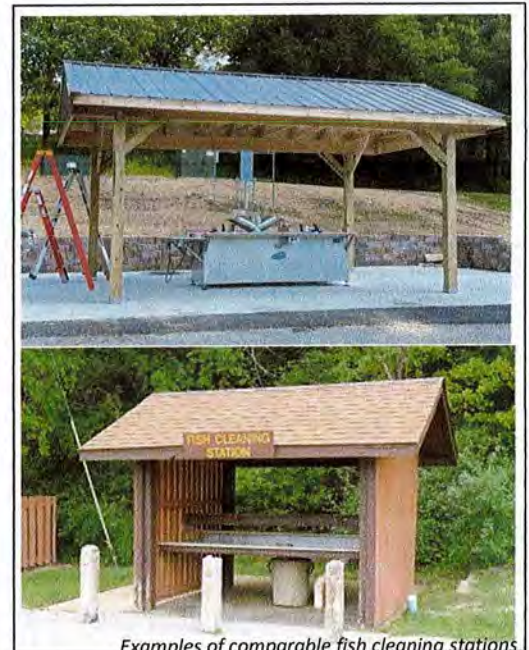
## Project Components

- **Fish Cleaning Station (“Coastal-Related Support Services,” principally permitted)**

The proposed fish station would be 200 SF in total area, built with wood, covered for weather protection, and situated on a concrete pad. The structure would contain either one or two fish cleaning stations with a cutting surface, sink with running water, and waste disposal. The fish cleaning table(s) may be removable for the structure to be used periodically for other events in Grader Park, such as the annual *World’s Largest Salmon BBQ*.

The structure would also contain a signage board to provide information to park users, such as fishing conditions, safety information, and community events.

The fish cleaning station would provide “services related to commercial and sport fishing and recreational boating activities, including...fishing support uses,” consistent with the County’s definition for “Coastal-Related Support Service” (MCC Sec. 20.324.040). The NHD proposes that the fish cleaning station is a “Coastal-Related Support Service,” and is a principally permitted use in the Fishing Village.



- **Utility Connections (“Coastal-Related Support Services,” principally permitted)**



# Grader Park Fish Cleaning Station

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There are existing water, sewer, and storm drain utilities within 100 feet of the proposed fish cleaning station. The fish cleaning station and cold-water shower would connect to the existing City of Fort Bragg water service, and stormwater would be collected and conveyed to an existing stormwater drain that flows to the Noyo. A connection to the City of Fort Bragg wastewater system will be utilized to collect and remove fish waste generated from the fish cleaning station (a Waste Discharge Agreement is currently pending with the City of Fort Bragg).

The utility connections are in direct support of the fish cleaning station, which NHD proposes is a principally permitted Coastal-Related Support Service. As such, NHD proposes that the utility connections are accessory to the fish cleaning station and are likewise principally permitted in the Fishing Village.

- **Concrete Pedestrian Access (“Coastal-Related Support Services,” principally permitted)**

The fish cleaning station would be accessed from the parking lot from a proposed 5-foot-wide concrete pedestrian access path. The pathway would connect to the concrete pad under the fish cleaning station.

Grader Park is currently developed with a concrete patio, picnic benches, statue, and landscaping near the river edge. There is no formal pathway developed to reach the existing patio. The proposed pathway would continue from the concrete pad under the fish cleaning station, and then around the northwestern periphery of the park. This would create a connection from the parking lot to the existing patio.

The pathway would also be accessory to the proposed fish cleaning station and to Grader Park, which NHD proposes are principally permitted Coastal-Related Support Services uses.

- **Photo Sign (“Coastal-Related Support Services,” principally permitted)**

The project would also include a freestanding sign mounted on posts for harbor visitors to stand under for photo opportunities. The sign would help promote the harbor to potential visitors. The sign would be placed near the top of the riverbank with the marina as a backdrop. NHD proposes that the signage would also be a principally permitted Coastal-Related Support Service, since it would be an amenity available to sport fisherman and other harbor visitors to show off their catches and promote the fishing activities in the harbor.

- **Cold-Water Shower (“Coastal-Related Support Services,” principally permitted)**

The project proposal includes an approximately 5-foot by 5-foot concrete pad with a public cold shower. A public shower will give spear fishers and scuba divers an opportunity to wash themselves off after a day of diving, fulfilling a need many spear fishers and scuba divers have voiced to NHD in the past. The shower would be plumbed into the existing City of Fort Bragg water service adjacent to Grader Park.



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Since the cold-water shower would support the spearfishing and scuba communities, NHD proposes that the facility is also a Coastal-Related Support Service, and is principally permitted.

## Special Studies

- **Natural Resources and Environmentally Sensitive Habitat Areas**

On March 31, 2022, SHN Senior Botanist/Ecologist Joseph Saler visited Grader Park and the surrounding project area to identify seasonally-dependent floristic species that provide habitat for federally-protected species, such as the Behren's silverspot butterfly. A summary of the findings is in the full report included with this permit application, and concludes that adequate habitat to support these species is not present within at least 100 feet of the project.

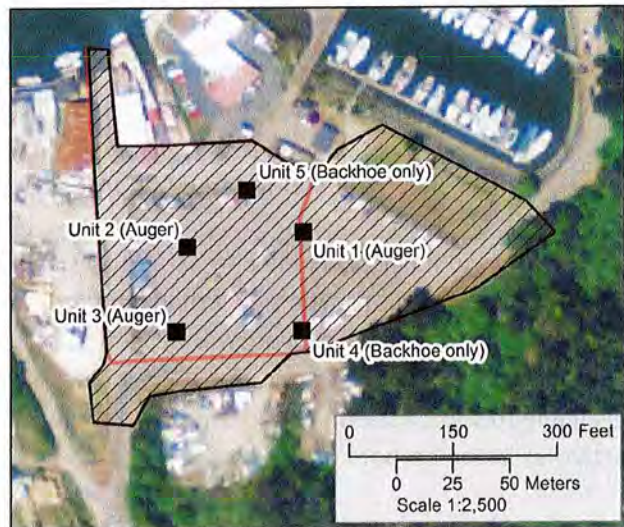
The included biological assessment concludes that "the Noyo River exists immediately adjacent to Grader Park, however conditions are heavily manipulated for use as a marina, with docks and ripped banks limiting habitat potential. The proposed project consists of a fish cleaning station and minor park improvements that will not impact the Noyo River or its banks."

- **Archaeology and Cultural Resources**

Roscoe and Associates Cultural Resources Consultants submitted a *Cultural Resource Investigation Report for the Noyo Harbor District Boat Launch Ramp and Parking Facilities* (dated January 2016) in association with a previous development project in Noyo Harbor. The study included all the grass areas of Grader Park up to the riverbank, and the majority of the gravel parking area northwest of the project. The cultural resources survey is included as a component of this permit application.

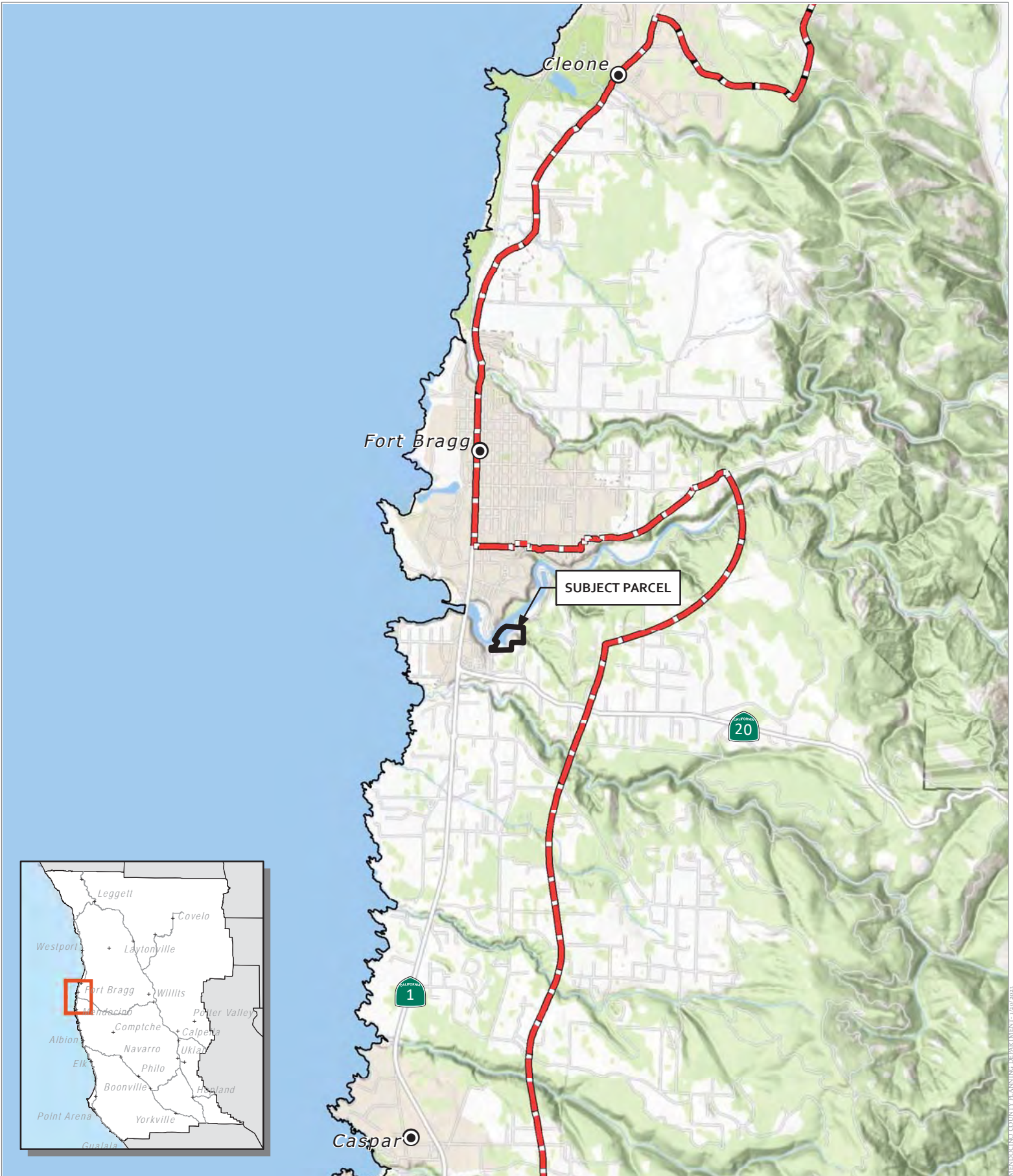
The report concludes "that no historical resources, as defined in CEQA...were identified in the project area. This supports a finding that the proposed undertaking will result in 'No Adverse Effects to Historic Properties' and "No Substantial Adverse Change to Historical Resources.'"

The report recommended standard protocols for the inadvertent discovery during project implementation.





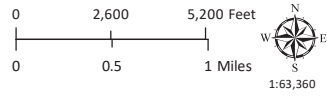
Cultural resources survey coverage map





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-  Major Towns & Places
-  Coastal Zone Boundary



**LOCATION**



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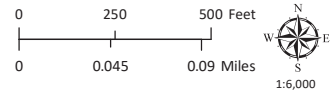
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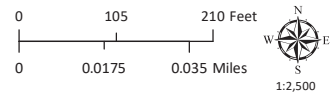
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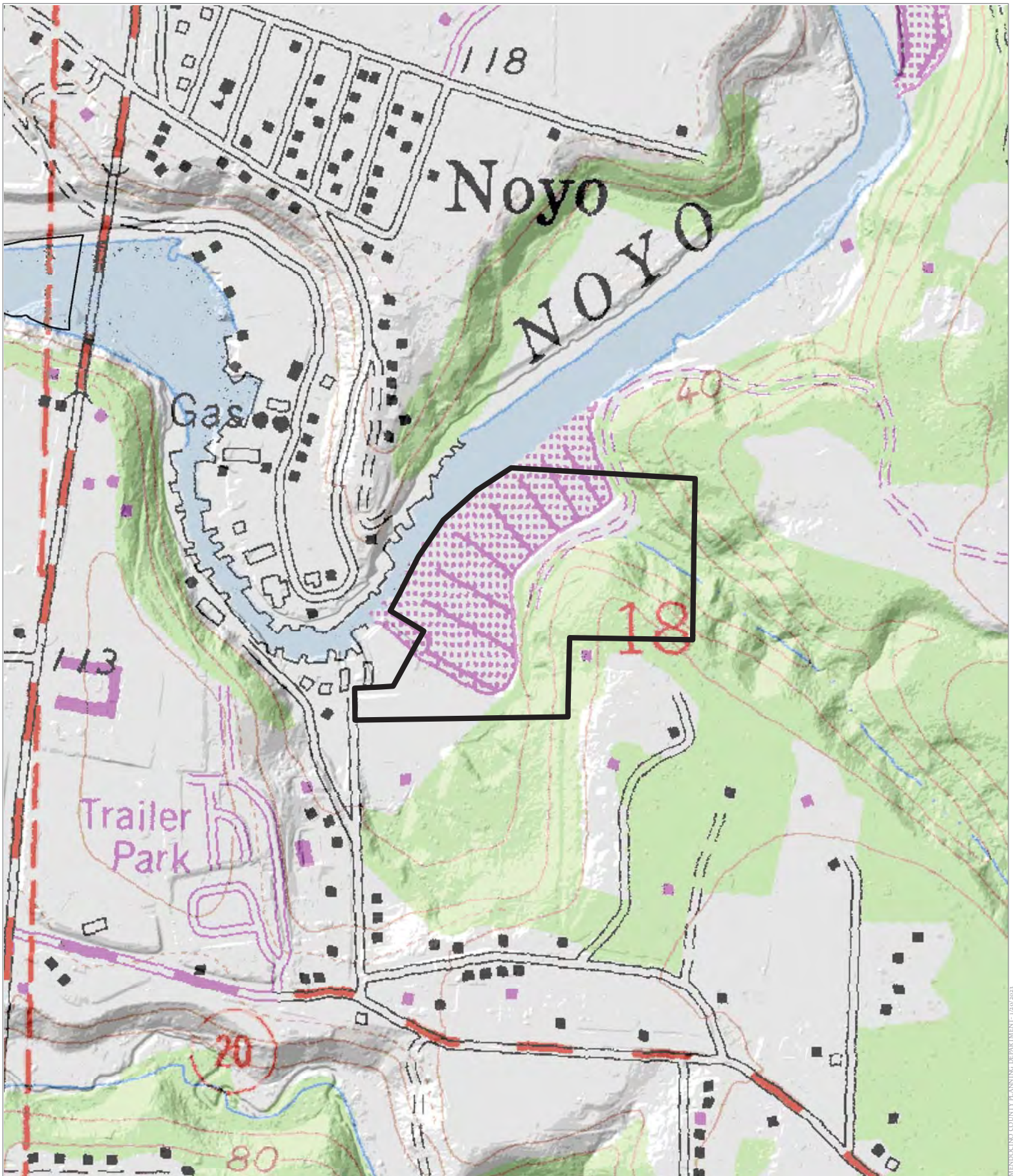


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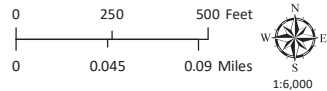
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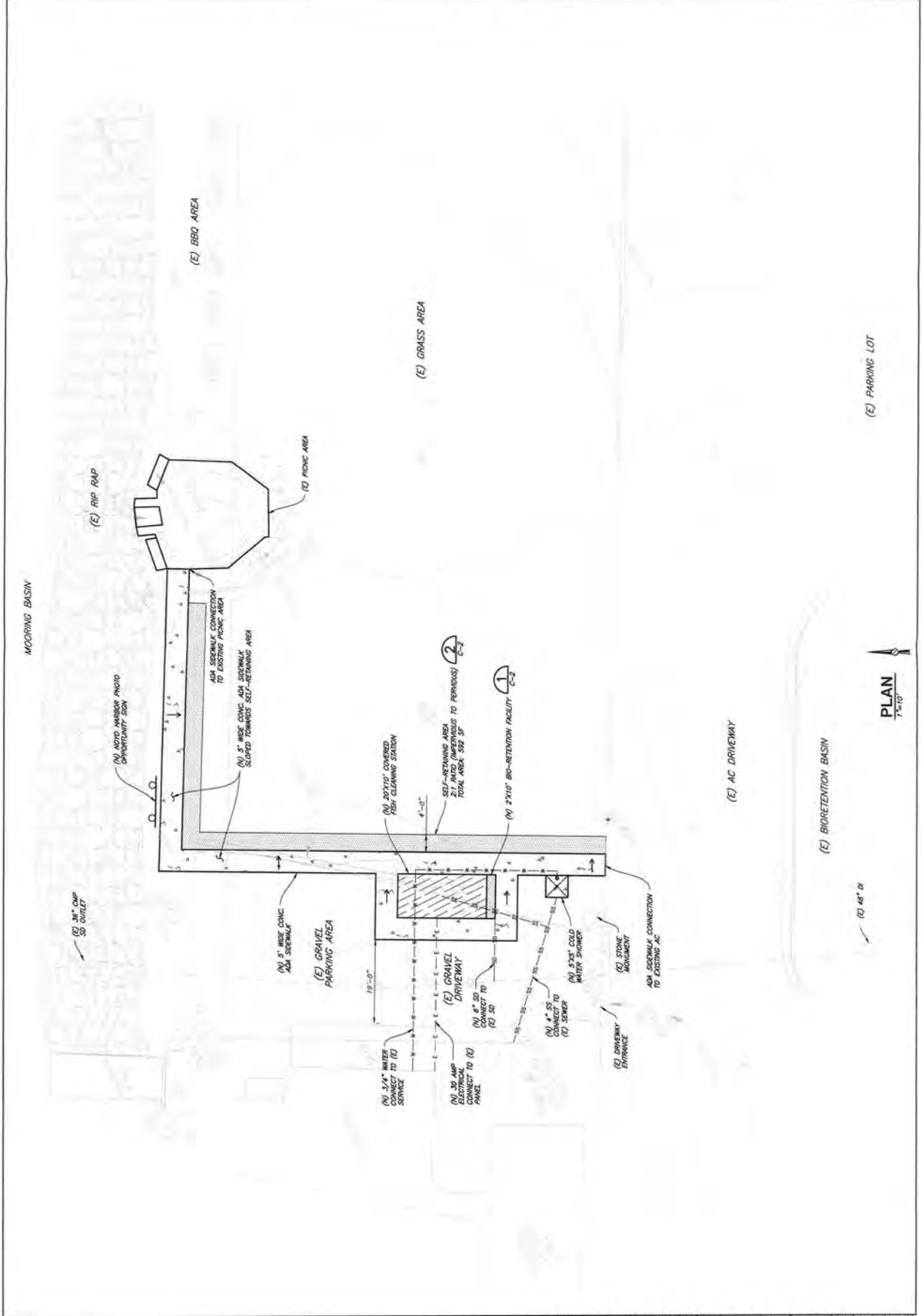


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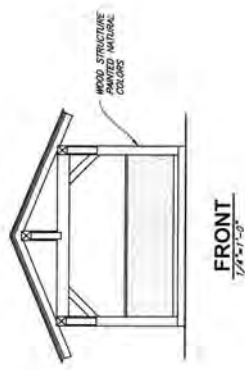
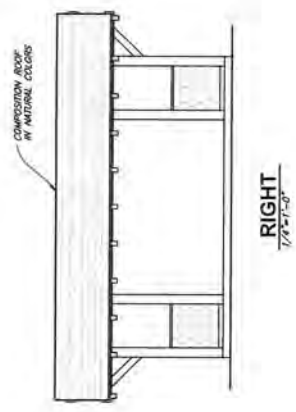
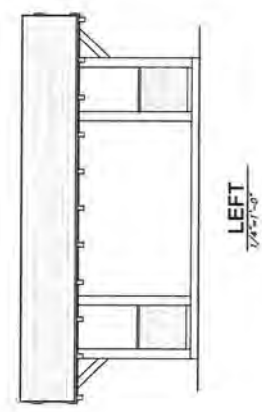
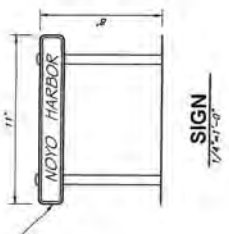
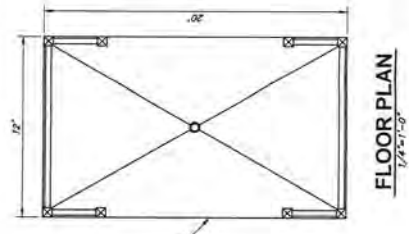
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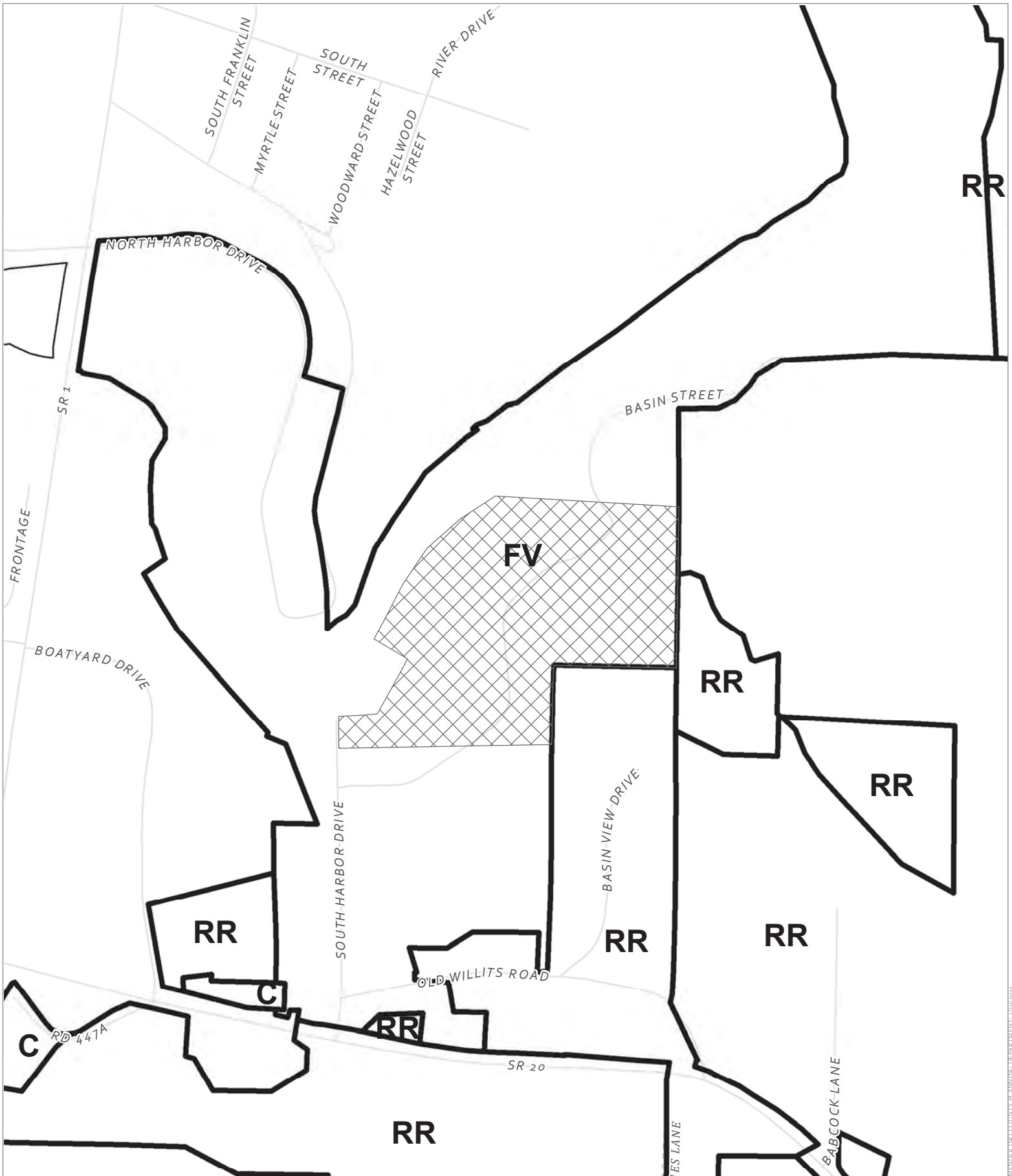
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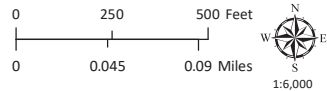






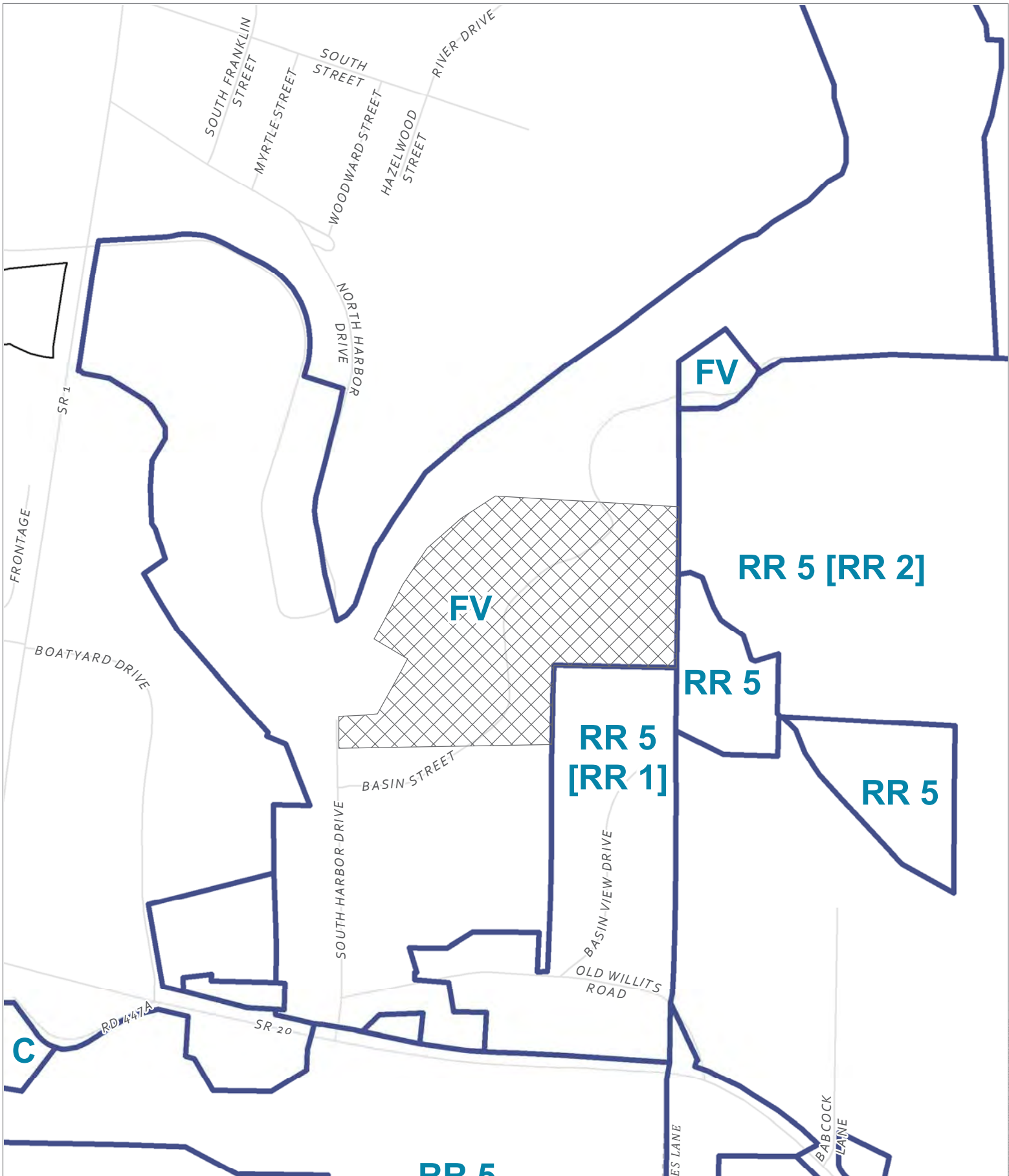
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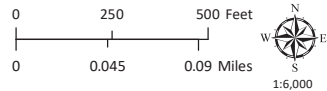
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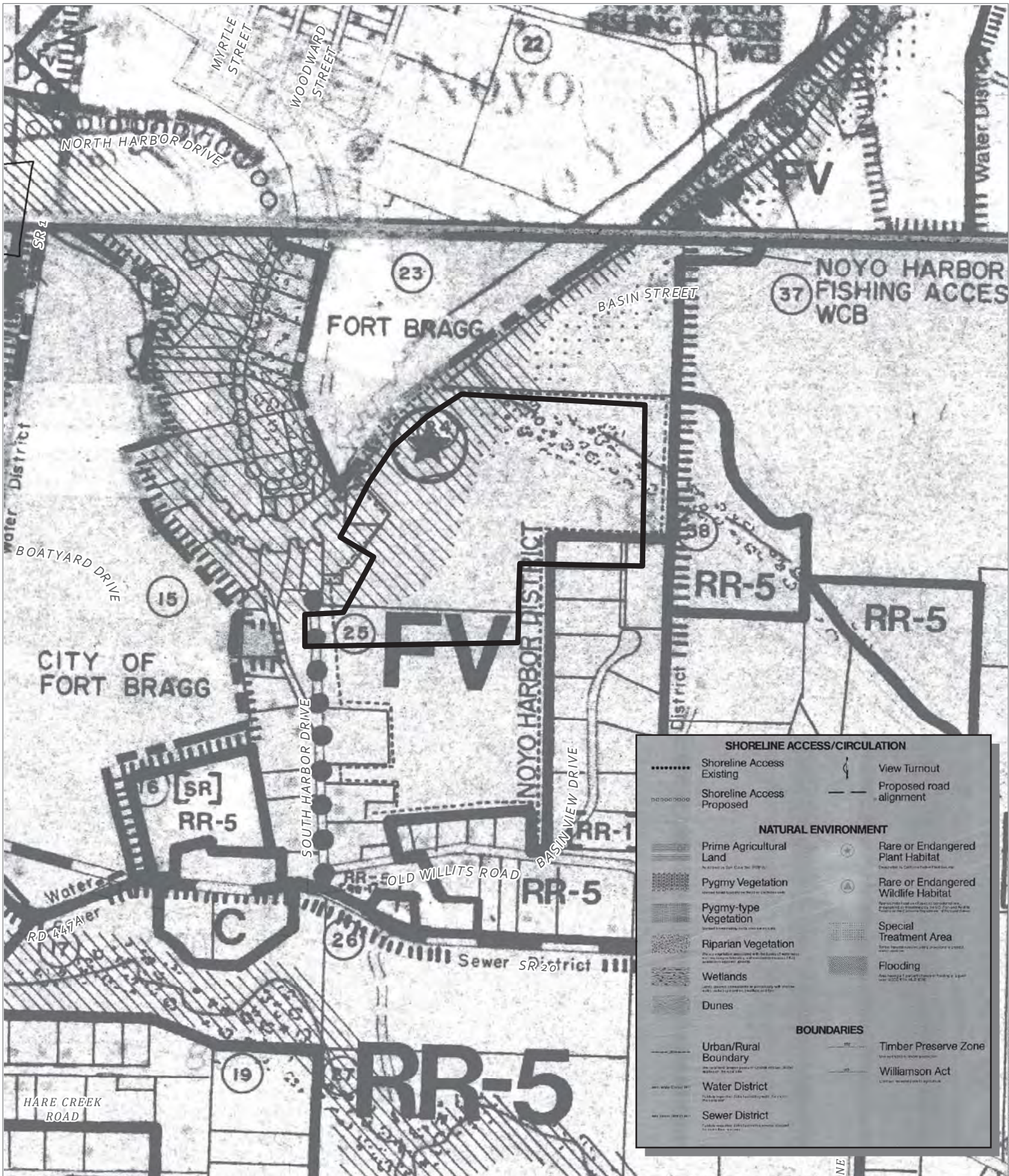


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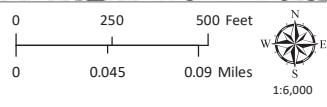
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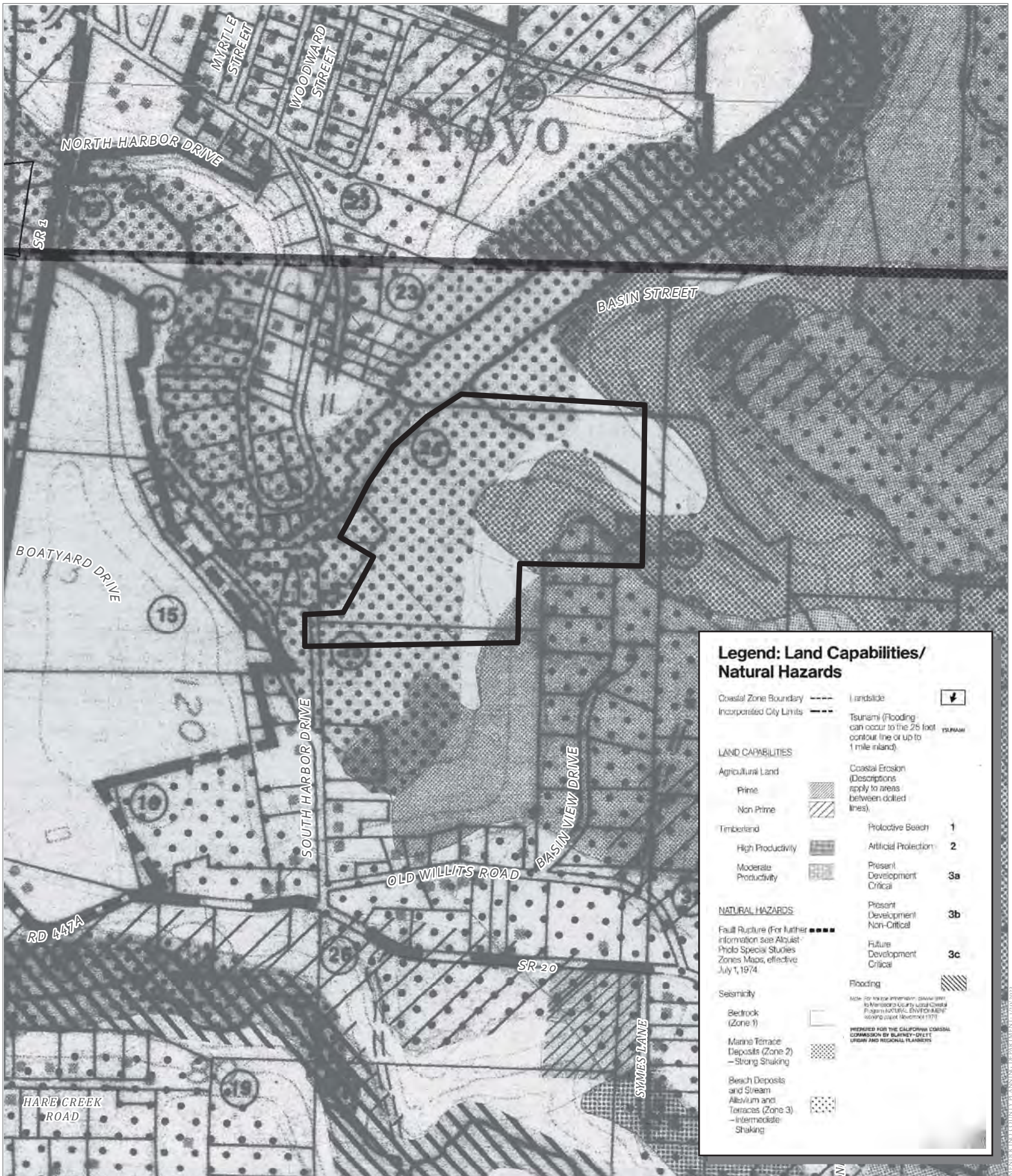


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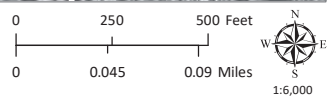


### Legend: Land Capabilities/ Natural Hazards

Coastal Zone Boundary	---	landslide	
Incorporated City Limits	---	Tsunami (Flooding can occur to the 25 foot contour line or up to 1 mile inland)	
<b>LAND CAPABILITIES</b>			
Agricultural Land		Coastal Erosion (Descriptions apply to areas between dotted lines)	
Prime		Protective Beach	1
Non Prime		Artificial Protection	2
Timberland		Present Development Critical	3a
High Productivity		Present Development Non-Critical	3b
Moderate Productivity		Future Development Critical	3c
<b>NATURAL HAZARDS</b>			
Fault Rupture (For further information see Alquist-Philo Special Studies Zones Maps, effective July 1, 1974)	-----	Flooding	
Seismicity		<small>Note: For more information, please refer to Mendocino County Local Coastal Program NATURAL ENVIRONMENT zoning code (November 1977)</small>	
Bedrock (Zone 1)		<b>PREPARED FOR THE CALIFORNIA COASTAL COMMISSION BY BLAIR/PERKINS URBAN AND REGIONAL PLANNERS</b>	
Marine Terrace Deposits (Zone 2) - Strong Shaking			
Beach Deposits and Stream Alluvium and Terraces (Zone 3) - Intermediate Shaking			

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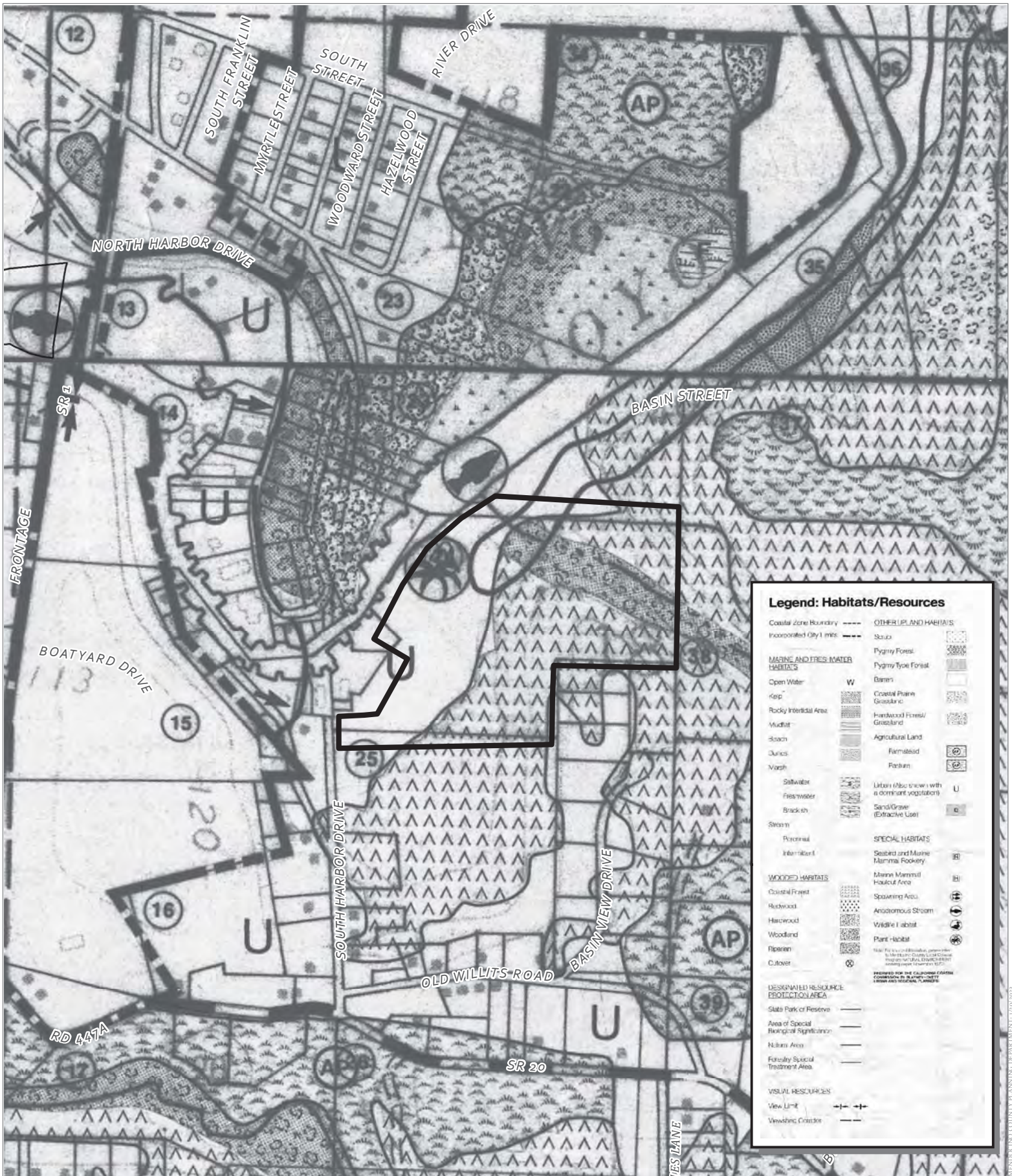
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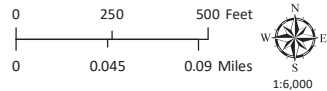
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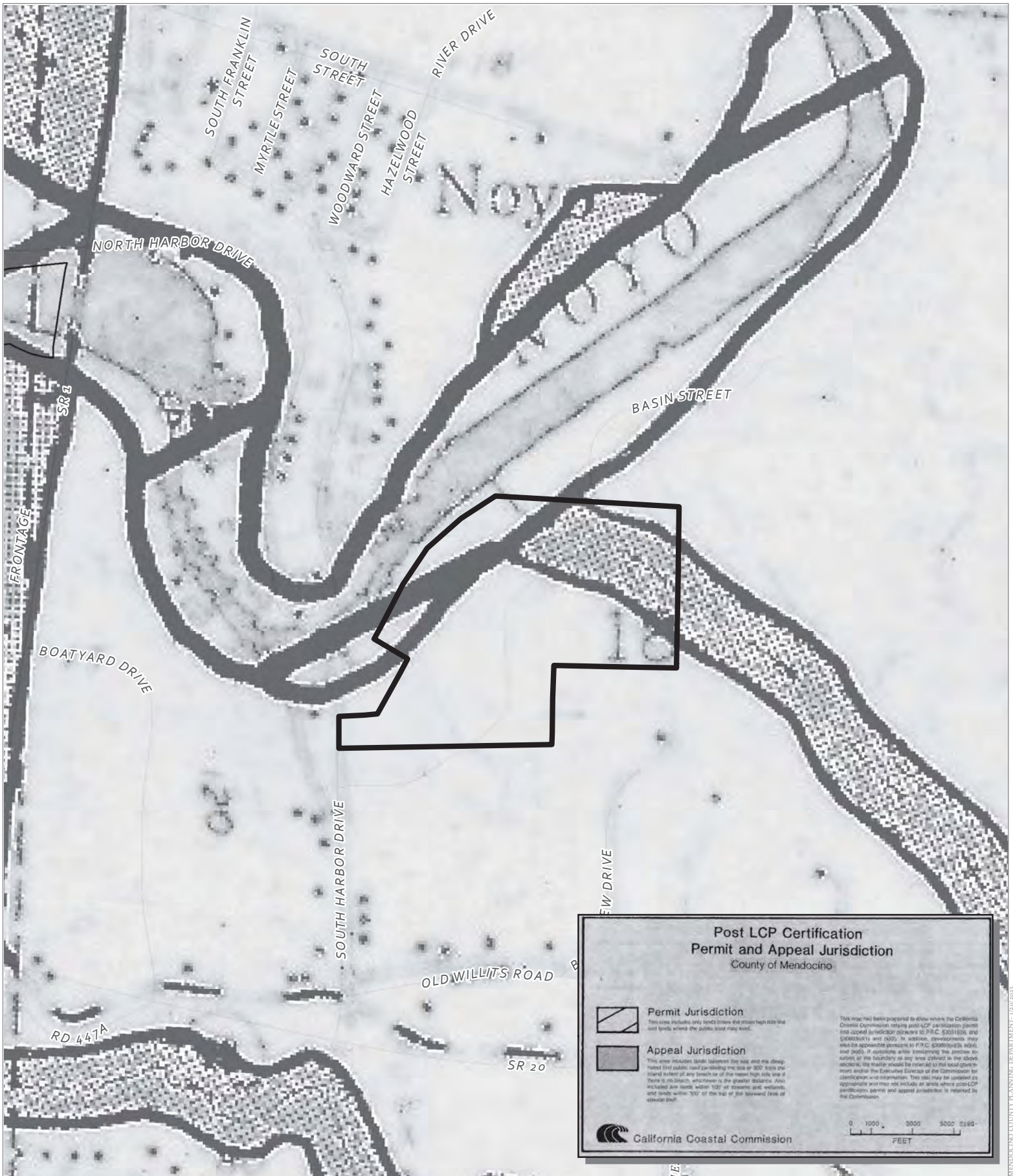


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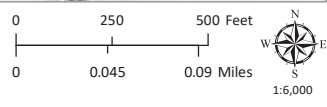
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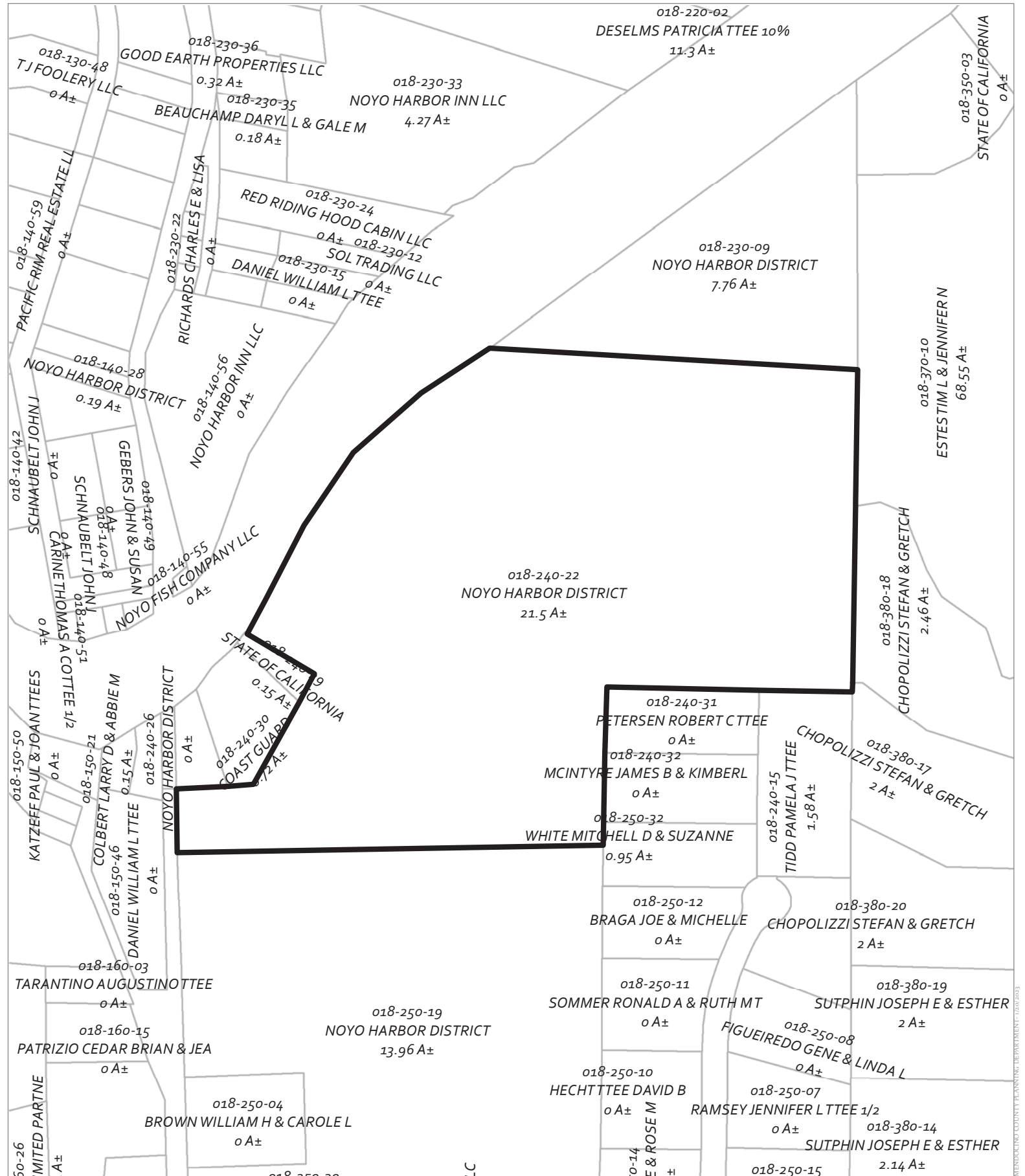
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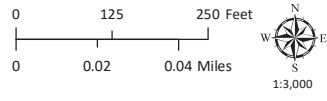
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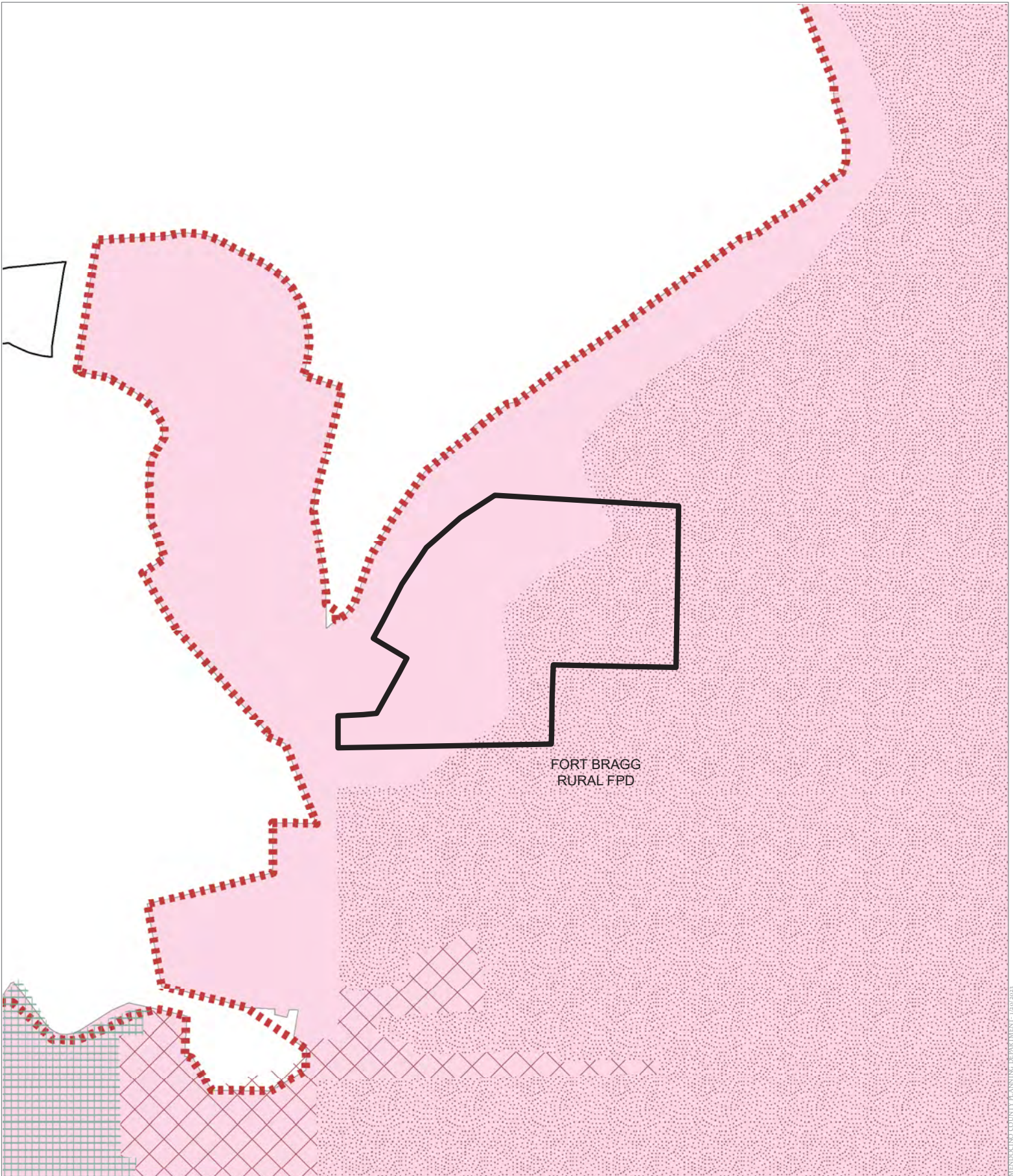


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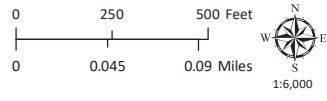




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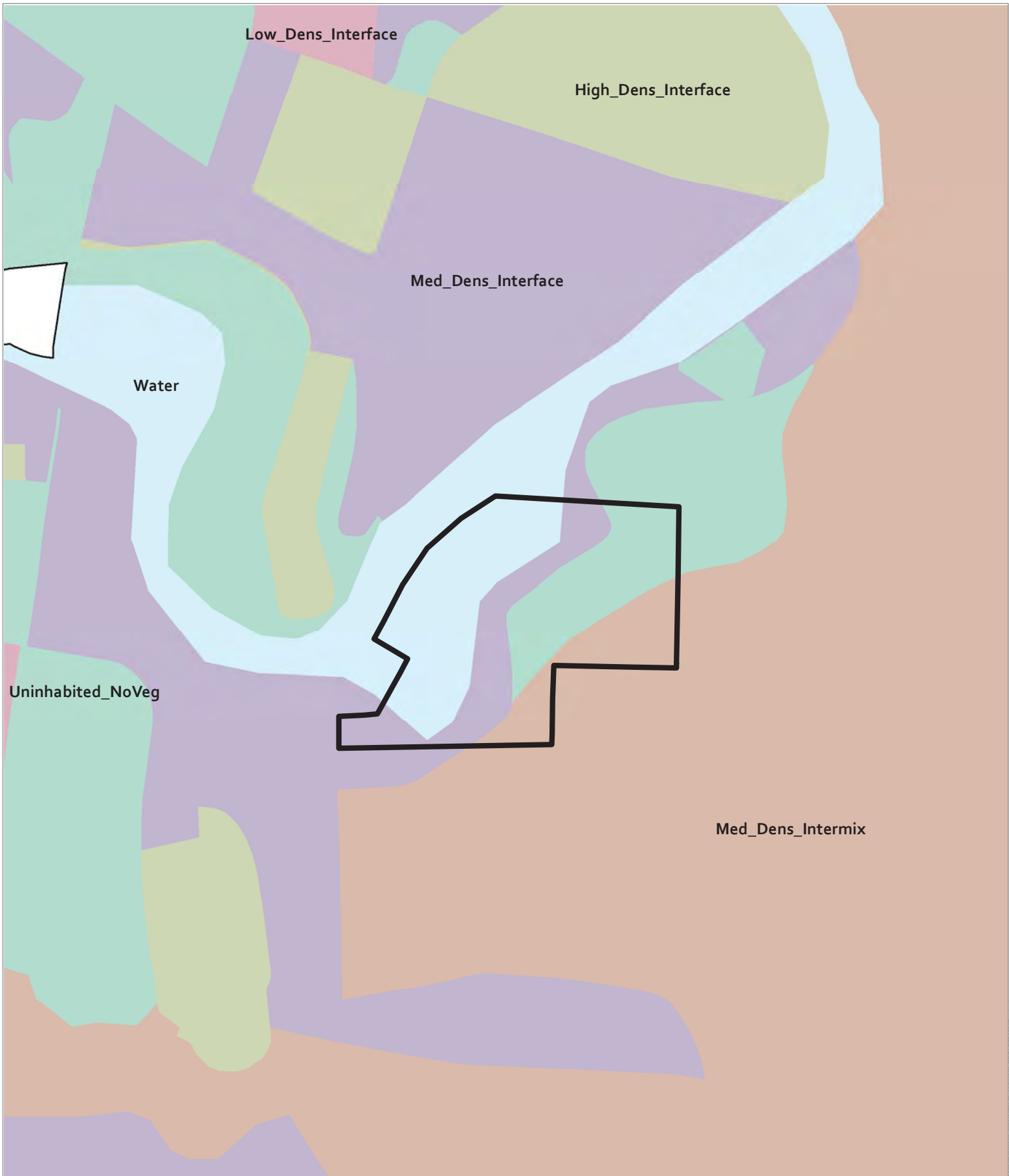
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**FIRE HAZARD ZONES & RESPONSIBILITY AREAS**  
STATE RESPONSIBILITY AREA

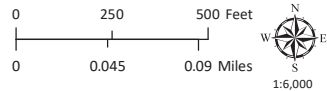
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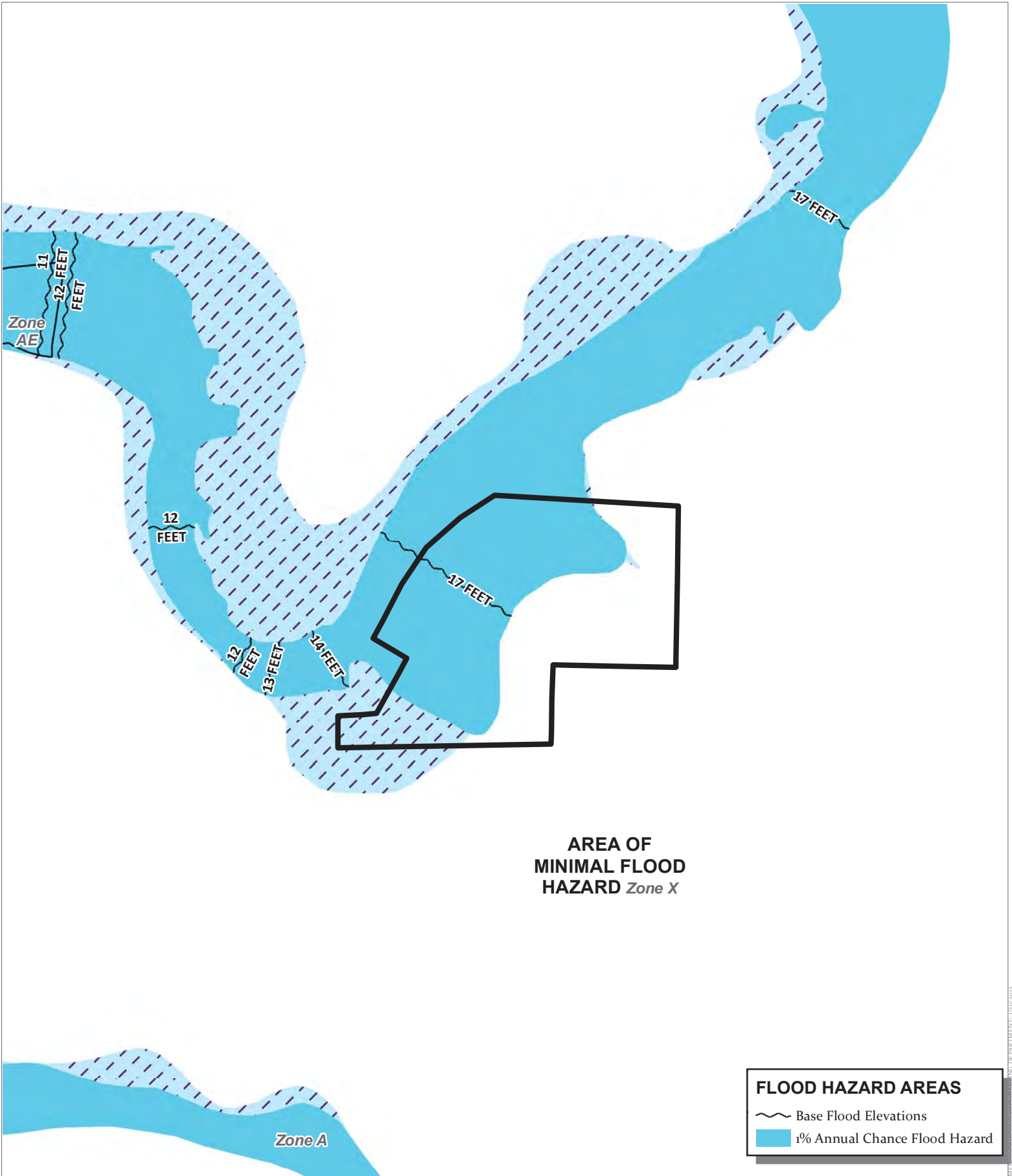
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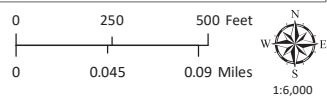


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**FLOOD HAZARD AREAS**

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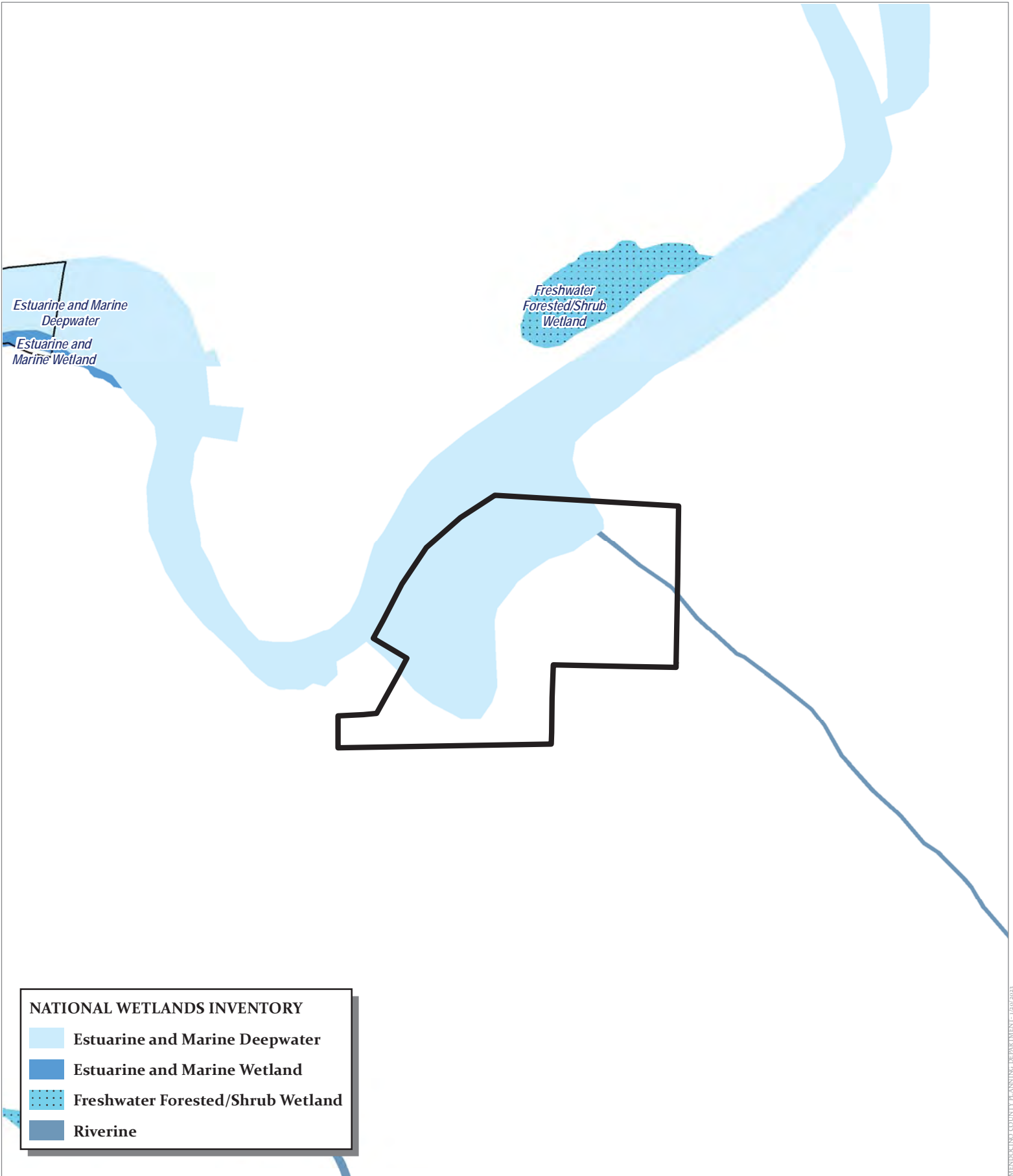


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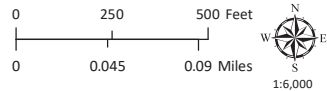
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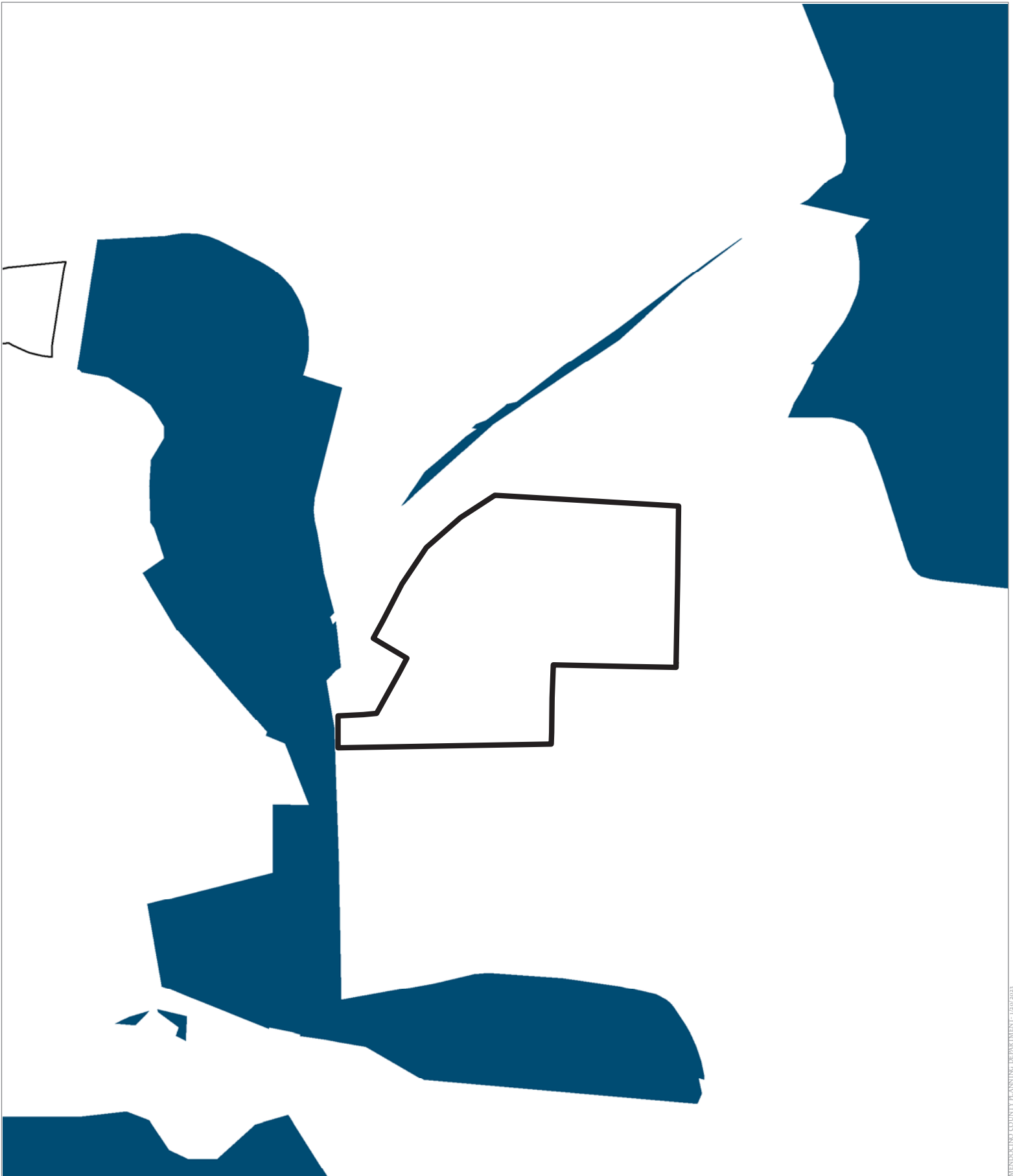
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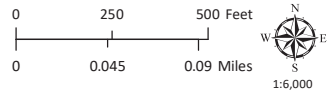




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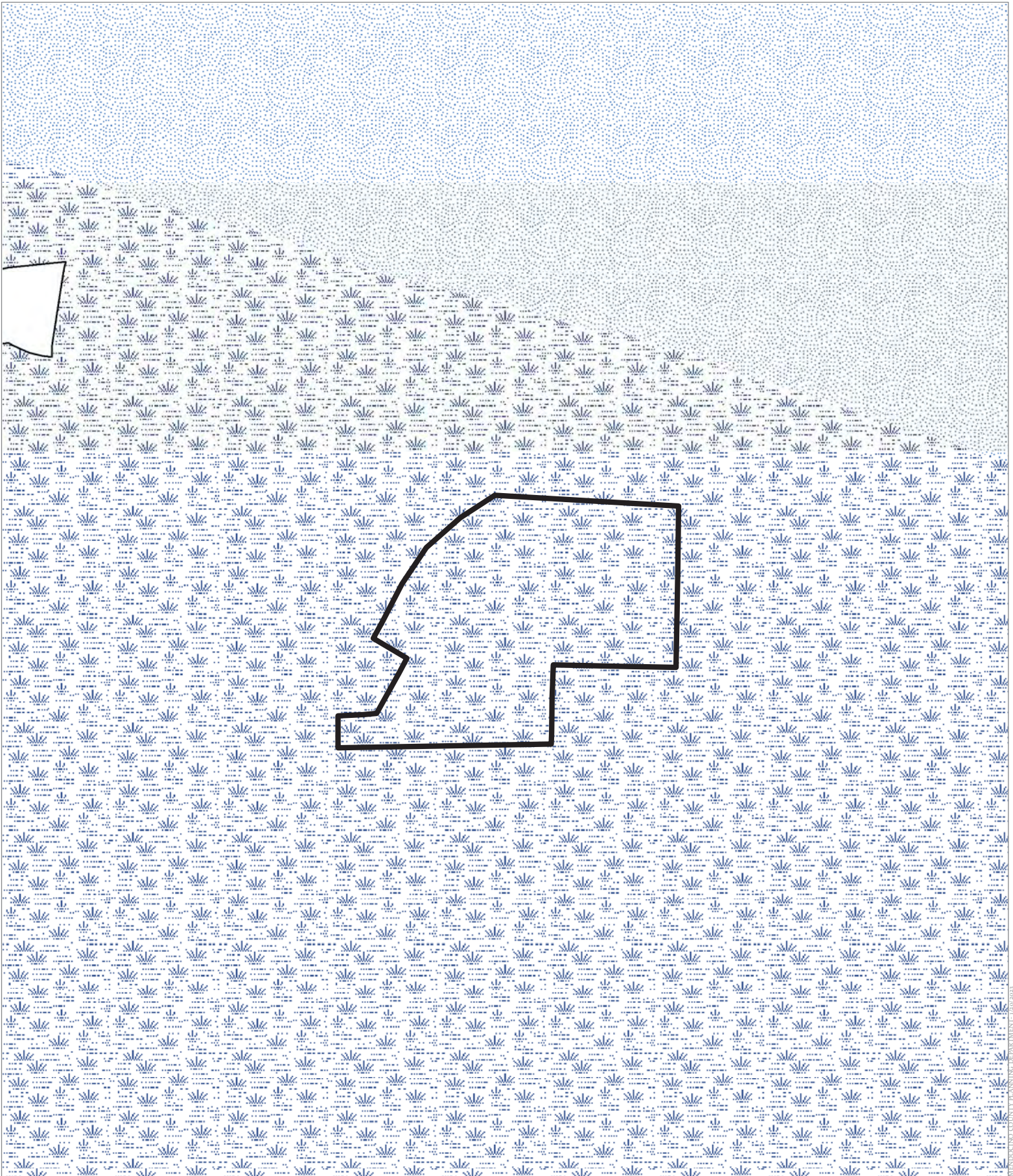
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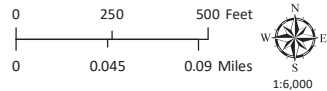
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 Marginal Water Resources  
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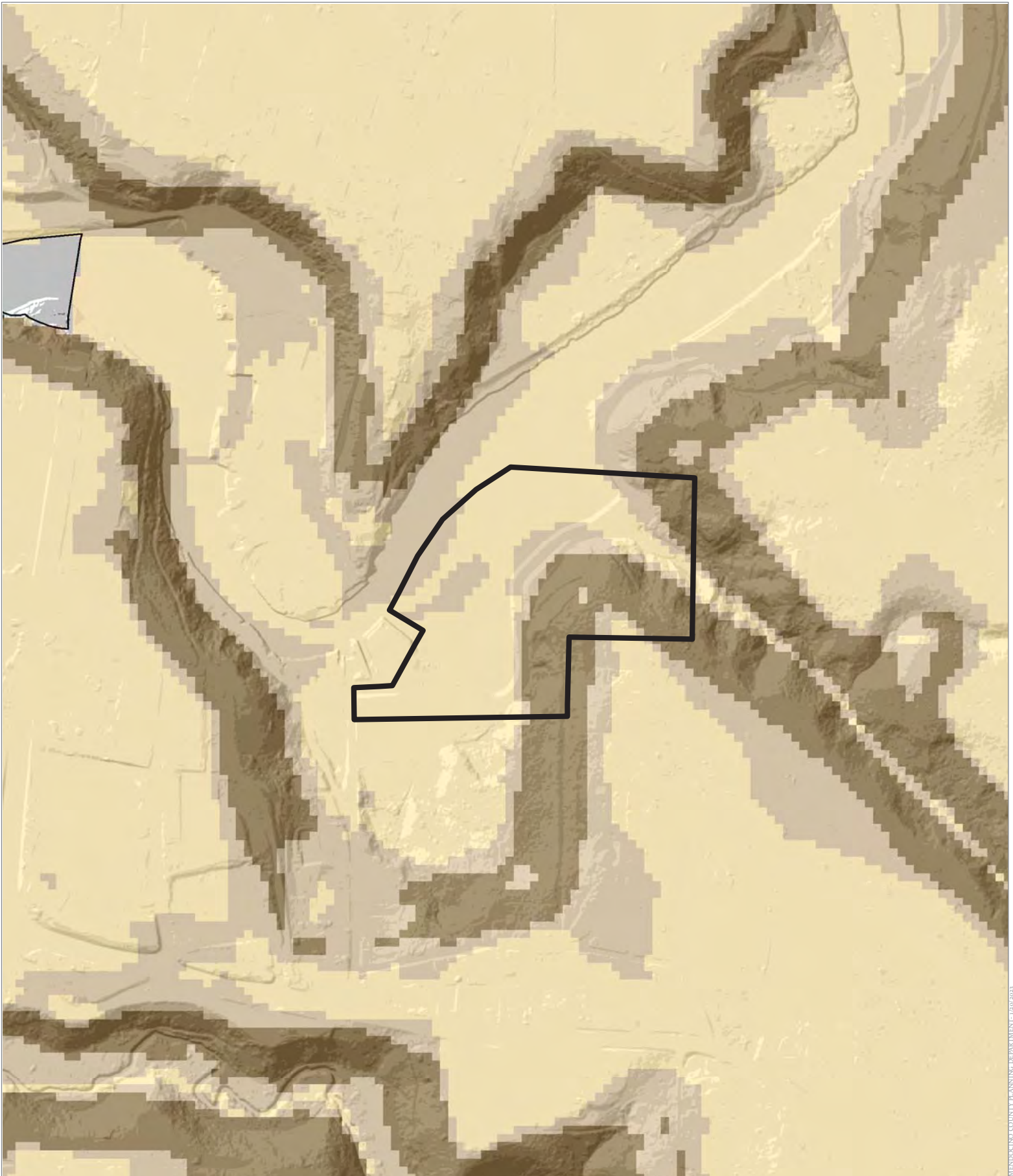


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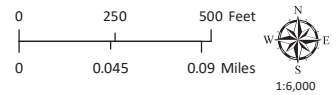
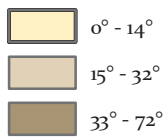
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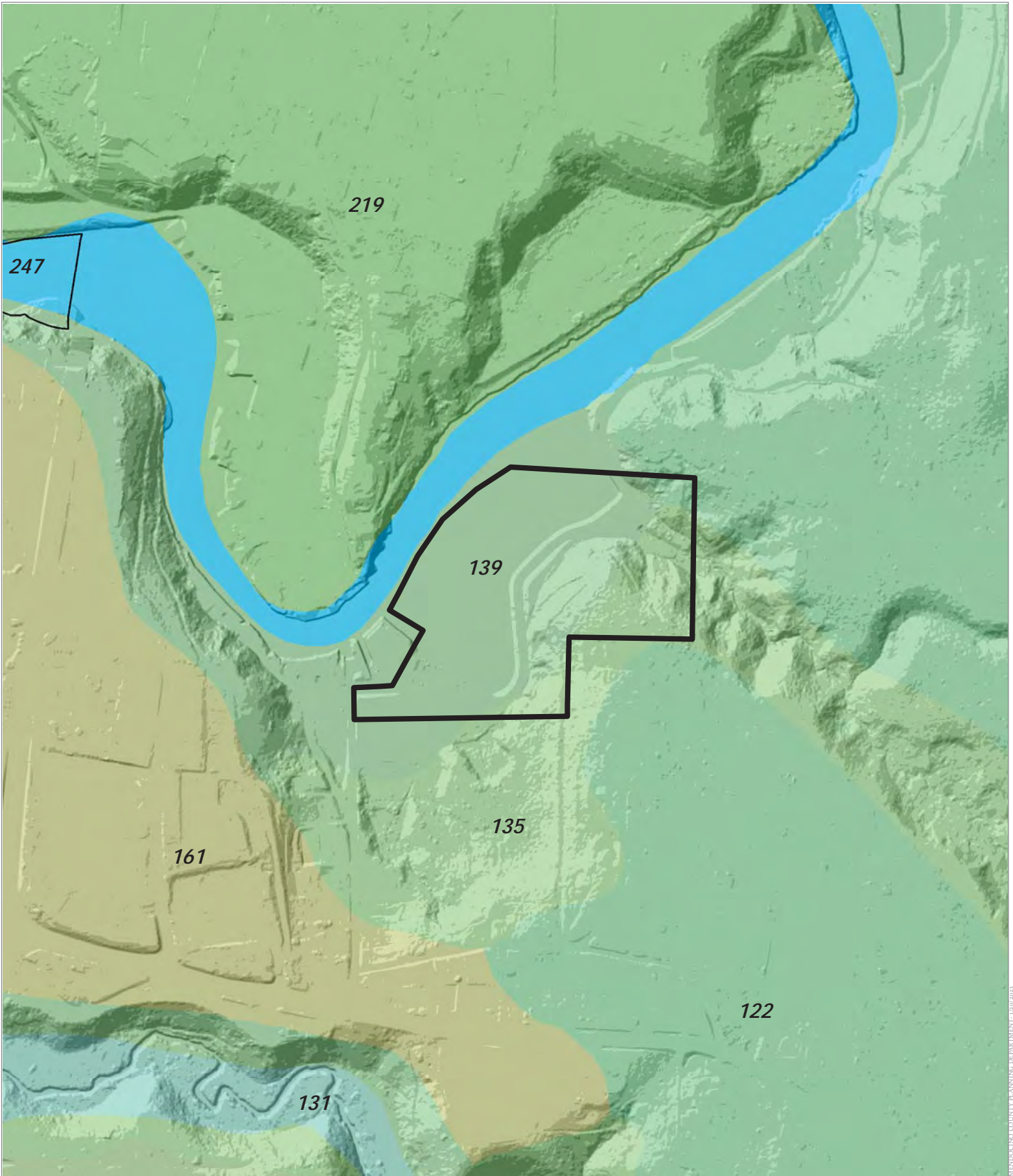
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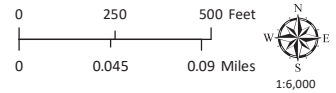
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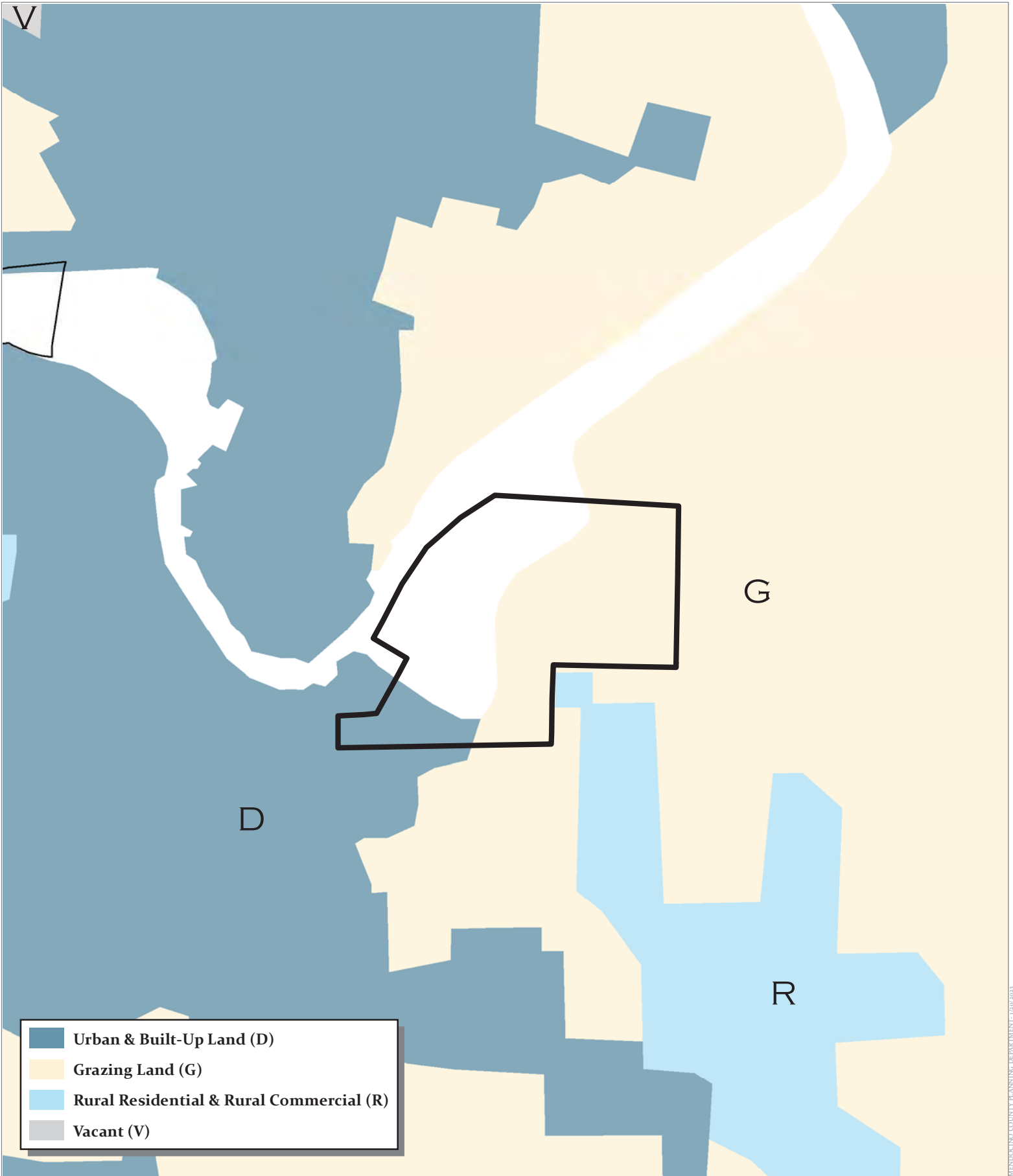
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




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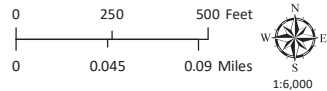
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	Vacant (V)

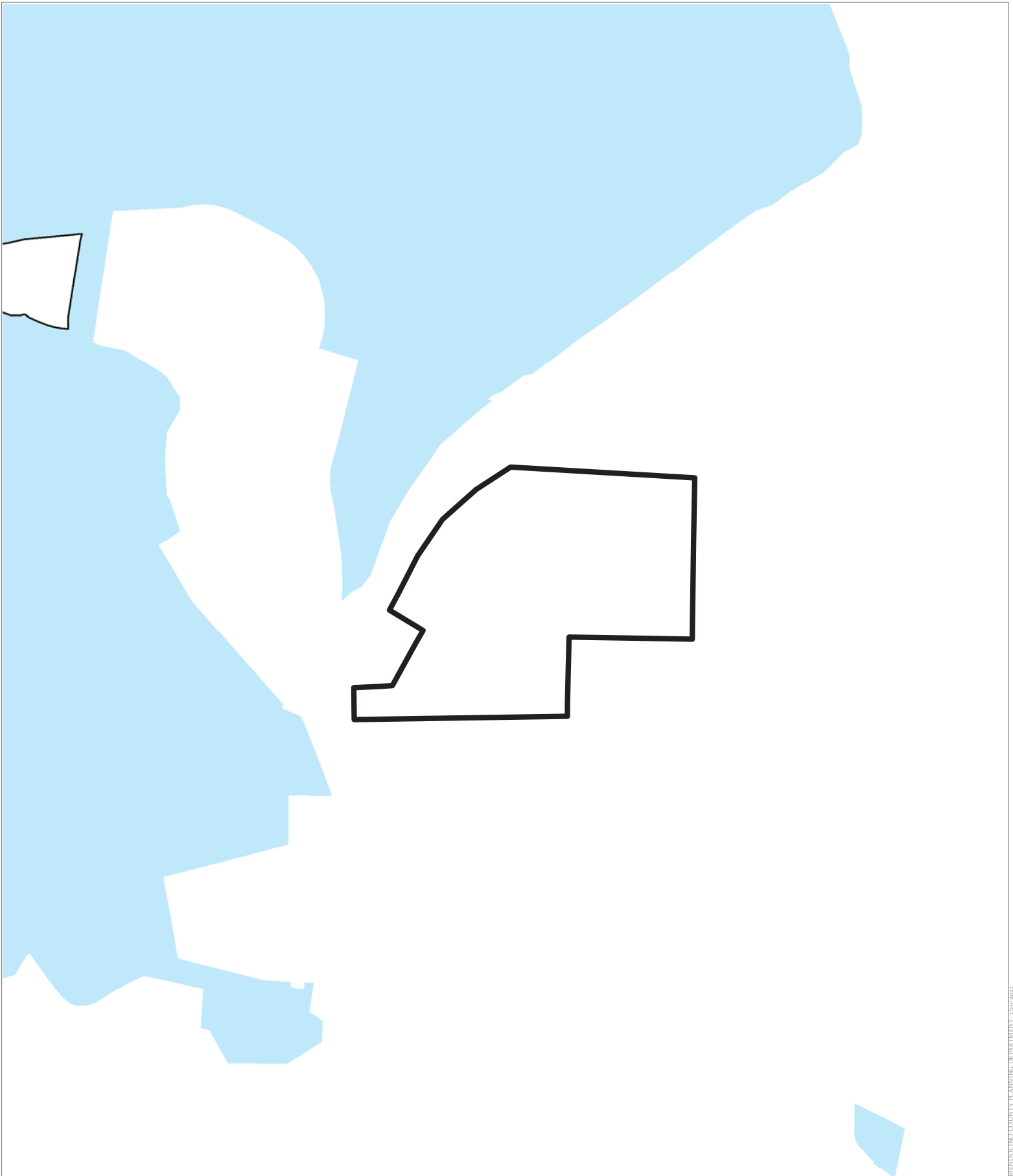
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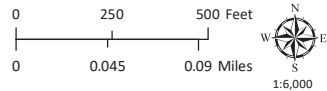
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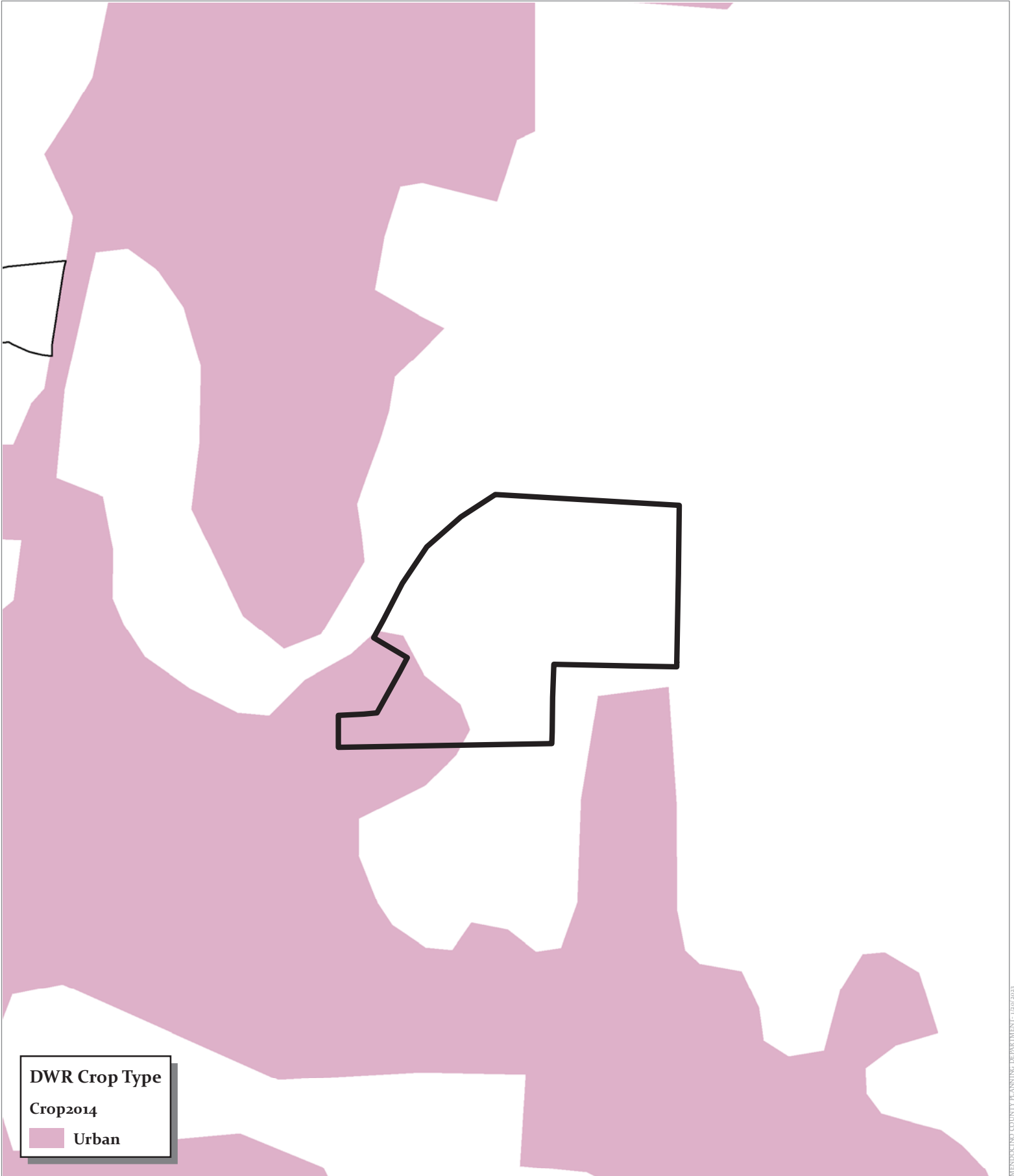
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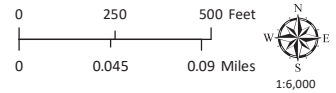
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**Subject: Habitat Assessment, Grader Park Fish Cleaning Station, Fort Bragg**

Dear Scott Perkins:

## Introduction

On March 31, 2022, an SHN biologist conducted an early season survey for special-status botanical species<sup>1</sup> and Environmentally Sensitive Habitat Area (ESHA) within the area of potential effects for the construction of a Fish Cleaning Station and associated park improvements within Grader Park in the City of Fort Bragg (see Figure 1). Grader Park is an existing developed park space (Appendix 1, Photos 7-9) operated by the Noyo Harbor District and is lightly used throughout the year with periods of intensive use during special events.

The study area for the survey covers approximately one acre, which was primarily mowed grassy parkland with park infrastructure along the perimeter, including gravel paths, picnic tables, barbecues, parking, and roadways, with the eastern edge of the park bounded by a rip-rapped bank of the Noyo River, which is part of the Noyo Harbor Marina (see Figure 1 and Appendix 1, Photos 1-9). The field investigation was conducted on the morning of March 31, 2022, from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The study area encompasses the developed Grader Park, which is in turn surrounded by development on all sides, mostly related to the Noyo Harbor Marina. To the west is the large boat basin parking lot and South Harbor Drive (Appendix 1, Photo 7), to the north are several structures associated with the boat basin and the Coast Guard (Appendix 1, Photo 1), to the east is the rip-rapped slope of the Noyo River and the berths for the boat basin (Appendix 1, Photos 2, 4-6, and 9), and to the south is Basin Street (Appendix 1, Photo 7), beyond which is a native species-dominated slope and stream. Using aerial imagery, the study area appears to have remained unchanged over the last 20 years. Harbor-related use of the site with its present configuration prior to that time was likely developed in conjunction with the marina.

The project site has a central location at latitude and longitude 39.422800° and -123.801428°.

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<sup>1</sup>The term "Special-status Species" is used collectively to refer to species that are State or federally listed, species that are State or federal candidates for listing, and all species listed by the California Natural Diversity Database. This term is consistent with the biological resources that need to be assessed pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act.





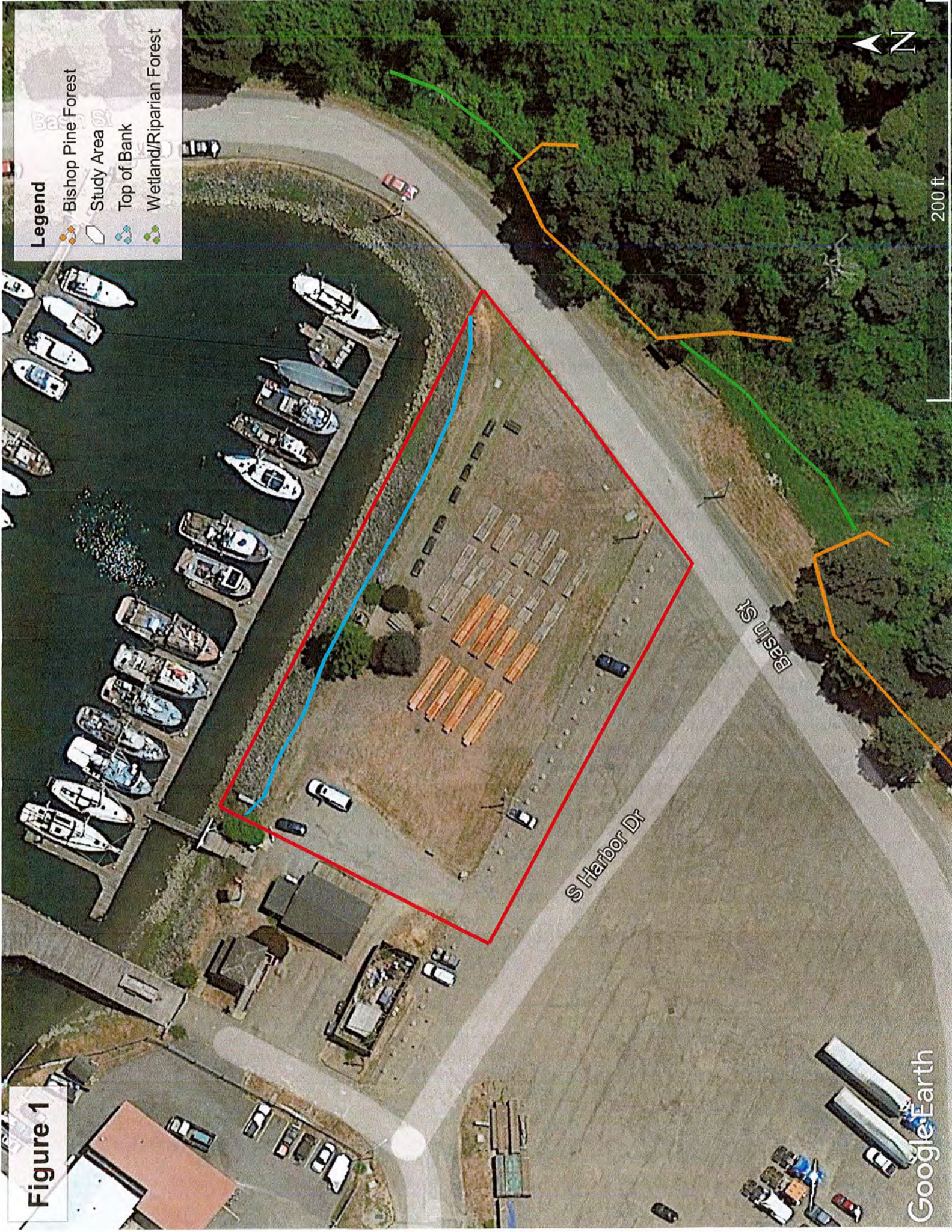


Figure 1

- Legend**
- Bishop Pine Forest
  - Study Area
  - Top of Bank
  - Wetland/Riparian Forest



## Methods

A list of plant species potentially occurring within the study area was developed from information available from the California Natural Diversity Data Base (CDFW, 2022), California Native Plant Society (CNPS, 2022) rare plant inventory, and the United States Fish and Wildlife Information for Planning and Conservation (IPaC; USFWS, 2022) for known special-status botanical species within the Fort Bragg and adjacent 7.5-minute quadrangles. Using the available data, a total of 79 special-status botanical species are known to occur within the Fort Bragg and surrounding quadrangles. Of these, 12 special-status botanical species have a moderate or high potential of occurring within the study area with additional species potentially occurring within habitat adjacent to the study area (see Appendix 2, Table 1 for special-status botanical species potentially occurring within the survey area). The bulk of the species with low or no potential of occurrence occupy wetlands, rocky serpentinitic, or forested habitats not present within the highly manipulated and disturbed mowed grass and parkland dominated by non-native grass species and subject to regular anthropogenic disturbance.

Appendix 2, Table 1, presents the botanical species reported from the queries, their preferred habitat, and whether there is suitable habitat present within the study area for the species. Each species was evaluated for its potential to occur within the study area according to the following criteria:

- 1) **None.** Species listed as having “none” with regard to their potential to occur on the study area are those species for which:
  - there is no suitable habitat present in the study area. (Habitats in the study area are unsuitable for the species requirements [e.g., elevation, hydrology, plant community, disturbance regime, etc.]
- 2) **Low.** Species listed as having a “low” potential to occur in the study area are those for which:
  - there is no known record of occurrence in the vicinity of the study area; and
  - there is marginal or very limited suitable habitat present in the study area.
- 3) **Moderate.** Species listed as having a “moderate” potential to occur on the study area are those species for which:
  - there is a known record of occurrence in the vicinity of the study area; and
  - there is suitable habitat present in the study area.
- 4) **High.** Species listed as having a “high” potential to occur in the study area are those species for which:
  - there is a known record of occurrence in the vicinity of the study area (there are many records and/or records in close proximity); and
  - there is highly suitable habitat present in the study area.
- 5) **Present.** Species listed as “present” in the study area are those species for which:
  - the species was observed in the study area during the investigations.





## Biological Investigation

A protocol-level early season floristic survey was conducted to investigate species composition within the study area, determine site suitability for special-status botanical species, and to document ESHA including wetlands and vegetation communities within and adjacent to the study area. The purpose of this investigation was to determine the suitability of the study area for special-status botanical species based on site conditions and to determine the need for additional surveys.

A list of all botanical species encountered was compiled. Plants were identified to the lowest taxonomic level possible to distinguish special-status species from others. A list of observed botanical species is attached as Appendix 2, Table 2. Botanical nomenclature follows *The Jepson Manual, Vascular Plants of California* (Baldwin et al., 2012), and subsequent online revisions (Jepson Flora Project, 2022). Surficial wetland conditions (including hydrophytic vegetation dominance, or wetland hydrology) were used to identify potential wetlands, and the Manual of California Vegetation (Sawyer et al., 2009) and any subsequent online editions was used to document sensitive vegetation communities potentially occurring within the vicinity of the study area.

## Results

The study area consists of a small, developed park and associated infrastructure. This includes a mowed lawn area that covers the majority of the study area, sidewalks and gravel pathways, asphalt, picnic tables, barbeques, and limited landscaping (Appendix 1, Photos 7-9). A total of 54 botanical species (not including landscaping plants) were observed within the study area, of which 76 percent were non-native species (see Appendix 2, Table 2). Non-native species were observed to be dominant across the study area, displaying greater than 99 percent cover. Dominant species included prostrate capeweed (*Arctotheca prostrata*), which covered approximately 65 percent of the mowed grassland within the park (Appendix 1, Photos 3, 4, 8, and 9). No special-status botanical species were observed within the study area, and it is unlikely that special-status species would occur within the study area on account of the regular maintenance and use for park-dependent activities.

No sensitive vegetation communities or areas with hydrophytic vegetation dominance were observed within the study area and limited habitat for special-status botanical species occurs within the study area. The Noyo River occurs immediately adjacent to the study area and represents potential ESHA. While the Noyo River and associated riverine habitat does represent habitat for special-status species, the riverbank in the vicinity of the project area is covered in rip-rap and supports little vegetation. There are isolated populations of brackish marsh-dependent vegetation growing within the rip-rap, primarily marsh jaumea (*Jaumea carnosa*) and Pacific seaside plantain (*Plantago maritima*). The riverbank riprap extends up to the edge of Grader Park (Appendix 1, Photos 4-6), however the proposed fish cleaning station will be located approximately 50 feet from the top of bank (Appendix 1, Photos 1-3). Path improvements associated with the fish cleaning station will come to the top of bank but will be sited approximately five feet from the edge of rip-rap within the footprint of an existing pathway (Appendix 1, Photo 4).

Additional potential ESHA occurs outside of the study area south of Basin Street, including a stream, wetlands, and associated red alder riparian forest (*Alnus rubra* riparian forest, an S2.2 sensitive





vegetation community; Appendix 1, Photo 10) and Bishop pine forest (*Pinus muricata* forest and woodland Alliance, an S3.2 sensitive vegetation community; Appendix 1, Photo 11). These potential ESHA areas are separated from the project area by existing development (Basin Street, parkland, and parking lot) and is over 240 feet from the proposed location of the fish cleaning station at its nearest point and 75 feet from Grader Park at its nearest point (see Figure 1).

## Conclusion and Recommendations

This Habitat Assessment was conducted to determine the suitability of the site for special-status botanical species and to determine the occurrence and location of potential ESHA within and adjacent to the study area. In addition, a protocol-level early season floristic survey was conducted to determine the species composition of the study area and to assess the suitability of the area for special-status plant occurrence. No special-status species were observed within the study area. Although 12 special-status species were determined to have moderate to high potential of occurrence within the study area, the use of the area for a park and past and current development make the area unsuitable for special-status species and no further study is warranted.

Potential ESHA occur within the vicinity of the study area. The Noyo River exists immediately adjacent to Grader Park, however conditions are heavily manipulated for use as a marina, with docks and rip-rapped banks limiting habitat potential. The proposed project consists of a fish cleaning station and minor park improvements that will not impact the Noyo River or its banks. Recommendations contained at the end of this report will further minimize potential disturbance and may improve habitat conditions along the top of bank along the Noyo River at Grader Park. Other potential ESHA located within the vicinity of the project area will not be impacted by this project, as the project scope is minimal and limited to previously developed parkland. Furthermore, the edge of sensitive vegetation communities is over 200 feet from the project area and separated by development.

The following recommendations are provided to improve habitat conditions along the top of bank between Grader Park and the rip-rapped slope:

- Install temporary construction fencing between the project footprint and the top of bank to minimize accidental encroachment during construction. Temporary fencing should remain in place for the duration of construction activities and should be removed following the completion of the project.
- Proper Best Management Practices should be installed during construction to minimize soil erosion and prevent stormwater from entering the Noyo River. This includes straw wattles, silt fencing, seed free straw, and native plant mix for revegetating bare areas.
- Utilize native plant species in any landscaping that may be associated with this project.

Please feel free to call me at (707) 822-5785 or email me at jsaler@shn-engr.com if you have any questions.





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April 20, 2022

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## Appendices

1. Site Photographs
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# Site Photographs

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**Photo 1: Looking northwest across proposed location for the fish cleaning station. Note existing development and mowed lawn. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**



**Photo 2: Looking north across lawn toward project area and marina. Note lawn and park conditions. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**







**Photo 3: Looking southwest toward the proposed project location. A new sidewalk would be installed alongside the driveway for ADA accessibility. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**



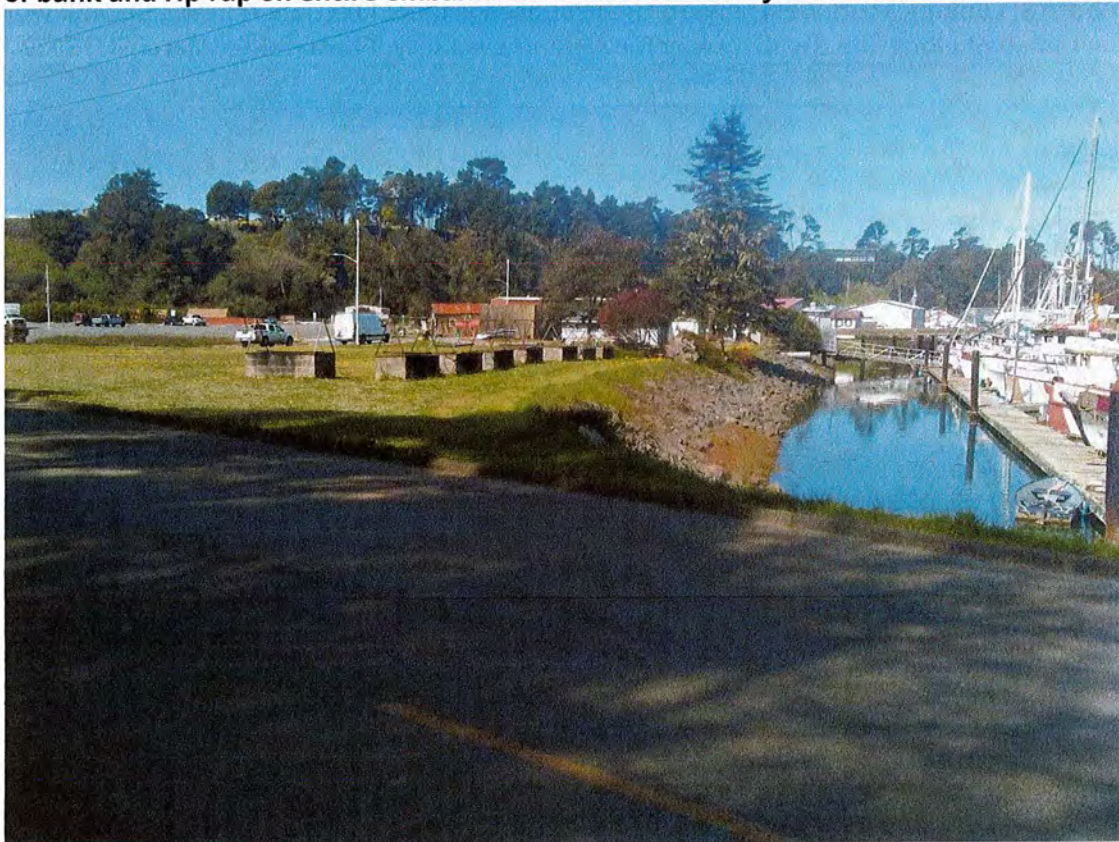
**Photo 4: Looking south along the top of bank along the Noyo River and marina. Note existing path to picnic tables to be refurbished. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**







**Photo 5: Looking north from top of bank to the water's edge. Note non-native species at top of bank and rip-rap on entire embankment with marina beyond. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**



**Photo 6: Looking northwest across Grader Park. Note proximity of park to the Noyo River and the Noyo Harbor Marina. Also note rip-rapped slope and general developed conditions. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**







**Photo 7: Looking northwest across Grader Park from Basin Street. Note barbeques, mowed lawn with prostrate cape weed, and parking lot beyond. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**



**Photo 8: Looking east across mowed lawn within Grader Park. Note prostrate capeweed dominance. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**







**Photo 9: Looking northeast across Grader Park toward the marina. Note picnic area and mowed lawn with prostrate cape weed. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**



**Photo 10: Looking southeast from the edge of Grader Park across Basin Street toward red alder riparian forest and wetlands. Wetland edge occurs beyond Himalayan blackberry brambles at base of alders visible in the middle of the photo. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**







**Photo 11: Looking south toward Bishop pine forest. Note tree canopy extends to the edge of Basin Street. Photo taken March 31, 2022.**





# Plant Species List

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Table 1

**Regionally Occurring Special-status Plant Species Scoping List CNDDDB, RareFind5, CNPS, IPaC (March 30, 2022)**  
**Noyo Harbor Fish Cleaning Station Project**  
**Fort Bragg and Surrounding 7.5-min Quadrangles**

Scientific Name	Common Name	Family	FedList	CallList	GRank	SRank	RPlant Rank	Bloom Period	General Habitat	Micro-Habitat	Potential of Occurrence
<i>Abronia umbellata</i> var. <i>breviflora</i>	pink sand-verbena	Nyctaginaceae	None	None	G4G5-T2	S1	1B.1	June-Oct.	Coastal dunes and coastal strand.	Foredunes and interdunes w/ sparse cover. Usually the plant closest to the ocean. 0-10 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Agrostis blasdalei</i>	Blasdale's bent grass	Poaceae	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	May-July	Coastal dunes, coastal bluff scrub, coastal prairie.	Sandy or gravelly soil close to rocks; often in nutrient-poor soil with sparse vegetation. 5-365 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Angelica lucida</i>	sea-watch	Apiaceae	None	None	G5	S3	4.2	May-Sept.	Coastal strand	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal dunes, coastal scrub, coastal salt marshes. 0-150 m	<b>Low</b>
<i>Arctostaphylos nummularia</i> ssp. <i>mendocinoensis</i>	pygmy manzanita	Ericaceae	None	None	G3T1	S1	1B.2	Jan	Closed-cone coniferous forest.	Acidic, sandy-clay soils in dwarf coniferous forest. 90-185 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Astragalus agnicidus</i>	Humboldt milk-vetch	Fabaceae	None	E	G2	S2	1B.1	April-Sept.	Broadleaf upland forest, north coast coniferous forest.	Disturbed openings in partially timbered forest lands; also along ridgelines; south aspects. 160-670 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Blennosperma nanum</i> var. <i>robustum</i>	Point Reyes blennosperma	Asteraceae	None	Rare	G4T2	S2	1B.2	Feb-April	Coastal prairie, coastal scrub.	On open coastal hills in sandy soil. 5-125 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Calamagrostis bolanderi</i>	Bolander's reed grass	Poaceae	None	None	G4	S4	4.2	May-August	Closed-cone and No. coast conifer forest, broadleaf upland forest, coastal scrub.	Marshes, swamps, meadows, seeps, bogs and fens. Mesic sites. 0-455 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Calamagrostis crassiglumis</i>	Thurber's reed grass	Poaceae	None	None	G3Q	S2	2B.1	May-August	Coastal scrub, marshes and swamps.	Usually in marshy swales surrounded by grassland or coastal scrub. 5-50 m.	<b>Low</b>





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<i>Calystegia purpurata</i> ssp. <i>saxicola</i>	coastal bluff morning-glory	Convolvulaceae	None	None	G4T2-T3	S2S3	1B.2	April-Sept.	Coastal dunes, coastal scrub, coastal bluff scrub, North Coast conifer forest.	5-430 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Campanula californica</i>	swamp harebell	Campanulaceae	None	None	G3	S3	1B.2	June-Oct.	Bogs and fens, closed-cone conifer forest, coastal prairie, meadows and seeps, freshwater marsh, No. coast conifer forest.	Bogs and marshes in a variety of habitats; uncommon where it occurs. 1-405 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Carex californica</i>	California sedge	Cyperaceae	None	None	G5	S2	2B.3	May-August	Bogs and fens, closed-cone conifer forest, coastal prairie, meadows, seeps, marshes and swamps.	Meadows, drier areas of swamps, marsh margins. 90-335 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Carex lenticularis</i> var. <i>limnophila</i>	lagoon sedge	Cyperaceae	None	None	G5T5	S1	2B.2	June-August	Bogs and fens, marshes and swamps, north coast coniferous forest.	Lakeshores, beaches. Often in gravelly substrates. 0-6 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Carex livida</i>	livid sedge	Cyperaceae	None	None	G5	SH	2A	June	Bogs and fens.	Historically known from a sphagnum bog in California.	<b>None</b>
<i>Carex lyngbyei</i>	Lyngbye's sedge	Cyperaceae	None	None	G5	S3	2B.2	April-August	Marsh & swamp (brackish or freshwater).	0-200 m.	<b>Moderate</b>
<i>Carex saliniformis</i>	deceiving sedge	Cyperaceae	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	June	Coastal prairie, coastal scrub, meadows, seeps, marshes and swamps (coastal salt).	Mesic sites. 2-230 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Carex viridula</i> ssp. <i>viridula</i>	green yellow sedge	Cyperaceae	None	None	G5T5	S2	2B.3	July-Sept.	Bogs, fens, marshes and swamps (freshwater), No. coast conifer forest.	Mesic sites. 0-1705 m.	<b>None</b>





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<i>Castilleja ambigua</i> var. <i>ambigua</i>	johnny-nip	Orobanchaceae	None	None	G4T5	S4	4.2	Mar-August	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal scrub, coastal prairie, marshes, swamps, valley and foothill grassland, vernal pool margins.	0-435 m.	Low
<i>Castilleja ambigua</i> var. <i>humboldtensis</i>	Humboldt Bay owl's-clover	Orobanchaceae	None	None	G4T2	S2	1B.2	April-August	Marshes and swamps.	Coastal saltmarsh with <i>Spartina</i> , <i>Distichlis</i> , <i>Salicornia</i> , <i>Jaumea</i> . 0-20 m.	Low
<i>Castilleja latifolia</i>	Monterey Coast paintbrush	Orobanchaceae	None	None	G4	S4	4.3		Coastal dunes, coastal scrub, closed-cone coniferous forest, cismontane woodland (openings).	Sand dunes, coastal strand and sandy bluffs. 0-185 m.	Low
<i>Castilleja litoralis</i>	Oregon coast paintbrush	Orobanchaceae	None	None	G3	S3	2B.2	June	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal dunes, coastal scrub.	Sandy sites. 5-255 m.	Low
<i>Castilleja mendocinensis</i>	Mendocino Coast paintbrush	Orobanchaceae	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	April-August	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal scrub, coastal prairie, closed-cone conifer forest, coastal dunes.	Often on sea bluffs or cliffs in coastal bluff scrub or prairie. 3-70 m.	Low
<i>Ceanothus gloriosus</i> var. <i>exaltatus</i>	glory brush	Rhamnaceae	None	None	G4T4	S4	4.3	March-August	Chaparral.	30-610 m	None
<i>Ceanothus gloriosus</i> var. <i>gloriosus</i>	Point Reyes ceanothus	Rhamnaceae	None	None	G4T4	S4	4.3	March-May	Closed-cone coniferous forest, coastal dunes, coastal scrub, coastal bluff scrub.	Usually on bluffs along the coast in sandy soils, but also known from more inland sites. 5-520 m.	Moderate
<i>Chorizanthe howellii</i>	Howell's spineflower	Polygonaceae	E	T	G1	S1	1B.2	May-July	Coastal dunes, coastal prairie, coastal scrub.	Sand dunes, sandy slopes, and sandy areas in coastal prairie.	None









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<i>Gilia capitata</i> <i>ssp. pacifica</i>	Pacific gilia	Polemoniaceae	None	None	G5T3	S2	1B.2	April-August	Coastal bluff scrub, chaparral, coastal prairie, valley & foothill grassland.	5-1,345 m.	<b>Moderate</b>
<i>Gilia millefoliata</i>	dark-eyed gilia	Polemoniaceae	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	April-July	Coastal dunes.	1-60 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Glehnia littoralis</i> <i>ssp. leiocarpa</i>	American glehnia	Apiaceae	None	None	G5T5	S3	4.2	May-August	Coastal Dunes	0-20 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Hemizonia congesta</i> ssp. <i>congesta</i>	hayfield tarplant	Asteraceae	None	None	G5T1-T2	S1S2	1B.2	April-Nov.	Valley and foothill grassland.	Grassy valleys and hills, often in fallow fields; sometimes along roadsides. 20-560 m.	<b>Moderate</b>
<i>Hemizonia congesta</i> ssp. <i>tracyi</i>	Tracy's tarplant	Asteraceae	None	None	G5T4	S4	4.3	May-Oct.	Coastal prairie, No. coast & lower montane conifer forests.	Openings; sometimes on serpentine. 120-1,200 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Hesperovax sparsiflora</i> var. <i>brevifolia</i>	short-leaved evax	Asteraceae	None	None	G4T3	S2	1B.2	March-June	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal dunes, coastal prairie.	Sandy bluffs and flats. 0-215 m.	<b>High</b>
<i>Hesperocyparis pygmaea</i>	pygmy cypress	Cupressaceae	None	None	G1	S1	1B.2	Conifer	Closed-cone coniferous forest.	On podzol-like blacklock soil in pygmy cypress forest community. 30-430 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Horkelia marinensis</i>	Point Reyes horkelia	Rosaceae	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	May-Sept.	Coastal dunes, coastal prairie, coastal scrub.	Sandy flats and dunes near coast; in grassland or scrub plant communities. 2-775 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Hosackia gracilis</i>	harlequin lotus	Fabaceae	None	None	G4	S3	4.2	March-July	Broadleaf upland forest, coast bluff scrub, coast prairie, coast scrub, closed-cone conifer forest, meadow, seep, marsh & swamp, N. coast	Wetlands and roadsides. 0-700 m.	<b>Low</b>





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<i>Iris longipetala</i>	coast iris	Iridaceae	None	None	G3	S3	4.2	March-May	conifer forest, valley & foothill grassland.		
<i>Juncus supiniformis</i>	hair-leaved rush	Juncaceae	None	None	G5	S1	2B.2	April-May	Coastal prairie, lower montane conifer forest, meadows & seeps.	Mesic sites, heavy soils. 0-600 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Lasthenia burkei</i>	Burke's goldfields	Asteraceae	E	E	G1	S1	1B.1	April-June	Marshes and swamps, bogs and fens.	20-100 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Lasthenia conjugens</i>	Contra Costa goldfields	Asteraceae	E	None	G1	S1	1B.1	March-June	Vernal pools, meadows and seeps.	Most often in vernal pools and swales. 15-600 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Lasthenia californica</i> ssp. <i>bakeri</i>	Baker's goldfields	Asteraceae	None	None	G1	S1	1B.1	March-June	Valley and foothill grassland, vernal pools, alkaline playas, cismontane woodland.	Vernal pools, swales, low depressions, in open grassy areas. 1-450 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Lasthenia californica</i> ssp. <i>macrantha</i>	perennial goldfields	Asteraceae	None	None	G3T1	S1	1B.2	April-Oct.	Closed-cone conifer forest, coastal scrub, meadows, seeps, marshes & swamps.	Openings. 60-520 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Lathyrus palustris</i>	marsh pea	Fabaceae	None	None	G3T2	S2	1B.2	Jan.-Nov.	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal dunes, coastal scrub.	5-185 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Leptosiphon latisectus</i>	broad-lobed leptosiphon	Polemoniaceae	None	None	G5	S2	2B.2	March-August	Bogs & fens, lower montane conifer forest, marsh & swamp, N. coast conifer forest, coastal prairie, coastal scrub.	Moist coastal areas. 2-140 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Lilium maritimum</i>	coast lily	Liliaceae	None	None	G4	S4	4.3	April-June	Broadleaf upland forest, cismontane woodland.	170-1,500 meters	<b>Low</b>
			None	None	G2	S2	1B.1	May-August	Closed-cone conifer forest, coastal prairie, coastal scrub,	Historically in sandy soil, often on raised hummocks or bogs;	<b>Low</b>





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<i>Lilium rubescens</i>	redwood lily	Liliaceae	None	None	G3	S3	4.2	April-August	broadleaf upland forest, N. coast conifer forest, marshes and swamps.	today mostly in roadside ditches. 4-475 m.	
<i>Listera cordata</i>	heart-leaved twayblade	Orchidaceae	None	None	G5	S4	4.2	Feb.-July	Chaparral, low & upper montane conifer forest, broad-leaf upland forest, No. coast conifer forest.	Sometimes on serpentine. 30-1,910 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Lycopodium clavatum</i>	running-pine	Lycopodiaceae	None	None	G5	S3	4.1	June-Sept.	Lower montane conifer forest, north coast conifer forest.	Bogs and fens, 5-1,370 m. Forest understory, edges, openings, roadsides; mesic sites with partial shade and light. 45-1,225 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Microseris borealis</i>	northern microseris	Asteraceae	None	None	G5	S1	2B.1	June-Sept	Bogs and fens, meadows and seeps, lower montane coniferous forest.	45-1,070 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Mitellastrum caulescens</i>	leafy-stemmed mitrewort	Saxifragaceae	None	None	G5	S4	4.2	March-Oct.	Broadleaf upland forest, lower montane conifer forest, meadow & seep, No. coast conifer forest.	Mesic sites. 5-1,700 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Oenothera wolfii</i> <i>Packera bolanderi</i> var. <i>bolanderi</i>	Wolf's evening-primrose seacoast ragwort	Onagraceae Asteraceae	None None	None None	G2 G4T4	S1 S2S3	1B.1 2B.2	May-Oct. Jan.-August	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal dunes, coastal prairie, low montane conifer forest.	Sandy substrates; usually mesic sites. 0-125 m. Often along roadsides. 30-915 m.	<b>Moderate</b> <b>Moderate</b>





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<i>Phacelia insularis</i> <i>var. continentis</i>	North Coast phacelia	Hydrophyllaceae	None	None	G2T2	S2	1B.2	March-May	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal dunes.	Open maritime bluffs, sandy soil, sometimes rocky habitats. 0-155 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Pinus contorta</i> <i>ssp. bolanderi</i>	Bolander's beach pine	Pinaceae	None	None	G5T2	S2	1B.2	Conifer	Closed-cone coniferous forest.	Podzol-like soils with Mendocino cypress and bishop pine; within pygmy cypress forest. 75-250 m.	<b>Moderate</b>
<i>Piperia candida</i>	white-flowered rein orchid	Orchidaceae	None	None	G3	S3	1B.2	May-Sept.	No. Coast and lower montane conifer forest, broadleaf upland forest.	Sometimes serpentine. Forest duff, mossy banks, rock outcrops, muskeg. 45-1,615 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Pityopus californicus</i>	California pinefoot	Ericaceae	None	None	G4G5	S4	4.2	March-August	Broadleaf upland forest, upper montane and, No. coast conifer forest, low montane conifer forest.	Deep shade with few understory species, often under layer of duff, in rocky to clay loam soil. 15-2,225 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Pleuropogon refractus</i>	nodding semaphore grass	Poaceae	None	None	G4	S4	4.2	March-August	Meadow & seep, low montane conifer forest, N. coast conifer forest, riparian forest.	Mesic sites along streams, grassy flats in shaded redwood groves. 0-1,600 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Puccinellia pumila</i>	dwarf alkali grass	Poaceae	None	None	G4?	SH	2B.2	July	Marshes and swamps.	Mineral spring meadows and coastal salt marshes. 1-10 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Ramalina thrausta</i>	angel's hair lichen	Ramalinaceae	None	None	G5	S2	2B.1	Lichen	North coast coniferous forest.	On dead twigs and other lichens. 75-430 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Rhynchospora alba</i>	white beaked-rush	Cyperaceae	None	None	G5	S2	2B.2	June-August	Bogs and fens, meadows and seeps, marshes and swamps.	Freshwater marshes and sphagnum bogs. 60-1,875 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Rhynchospora globularis</i>	round-headed beaked-rush	Cyperaceae	None	None	G4	S1	2B.1	July-August	Marshes and swamps	Freshwater marsh. 45-30 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Sanguisorba officinalis</i>	great burnet	Rosaceae	None	None	G5	S2	2B.2	July-Oct.	Broadleaf upland forest, marshes and swamps, north coast	Bogs and fens, meadows and seeps. Rocky serpentine seepage	<b>Low</b>





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<i>Sidalcea malachroides</i>	maple-leaved checkerbloom	Malvaceae	None	None	G3	S3	4.2	March-August	coniferous forest, riparian forest.	areas and along stream 5-1,400 m.	
<i>Sidalcea malviflora</i> ssp. <i>purpurea</i>	purple-stemmed checkerbloom	Malvaceae	None	None	G5T1	S1	1B.2	May-June	Broadleaf upland forest, coast prairie, coast scrub, No. coast conifer forest, riparian.	Woodlands and clearings near coast; often in disturbed areas. 0-730 m.	<b>Moderate</b>
<i>Tiarella trifoliata</i> var. <i>trifoliata</i>	trifoliolate laceflower	Saxifragaceae	None	None	G5T5	S2S3	3.2	June-August	Broadleaved upland forest, coastal prairie. Lower montane coniferous forest, north coast coniferous forest.	Forest edge; moist shady banks. 170-1,500 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Trifolium amoenum</i>	two-fork clover	Fabaceae	E	None	G1	S1	1B.1	April-June	Valley and foothill grassland, coastal bluff scrub.	Sometimes on serpentine soil, open sunny sites, swales. Most recently cited on roadside and eroding cliff face. 5-310 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Trifolium trichocalyx</i>	Monterey clover	Fabaceae	E	E	G1	S1	1B.1	April-June	Closed-cone coniferous forest.	Openings, burned areas, and roadsides. Sandy soils. 60-210 m.	<b>Low</b>
<i>Triquetrella californica</i>	coastal triquetrella	Pottiaceae	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	Moss	Coastal bluff scrub, coastal scrub.	Grows within 30m from the coast in coastal scrub, grasslands and in open gravels on roadsides, hillsides, rocky slopes, and fields. On gravel or thin soil over outcrops. 10-100 m.	<b>None</b>
<i>Usnea longissima</i>	Methuseleh's beard lichen	Parmeliaceae	None	None	G4	S4	4.2	Lichen	North coast coniferous forest, broadleaf upland forest.	In the "redwood zone" on branches of a variety of trees, incl. big leaf	<b>None</b>





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<i>Veratrum fimbriatum</i>	fringed false-hellebore	Melanthiaceae	None	None	G3	S3	4.3	July-Sept.	Coastal scrub, north coast conifer forest, bogs and fens, meadows, and seeps.	maple, oaks, ash, Douglas-fir, and bay. 45-1,465 m in California.	
<i>Viola palustris</i>	alpine marsh violet	Violaceae	None	None	G5	S1S2	2B.2	March-August	Coastal scrub, bogs, and fens.	Swampy, shrubby places in coastal scrub or coastal bogs. 0-150 m.	<b>None</b>

1. Species indicator status as assigned by Federal Endangered Species Act (FESA), California Endangered Species Act (CESA), and California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW)

C: candidate  
 CT: candidate threatened  
 D: delisted  
 DPS: distinct population segment  
 E: endangered  
 ESU: evolutionarily significant unit

FP: fully protected  
 PT: proposed threatened  
 SSC: species of special concern  
 T: threatened  
 WL: watch list

2. Species Heritage rank as assigned by California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW)

G1/S1: critically imperiled  
 G2/S2: imperiled  
 G3/S3: vulnerable  
 G4/S4: apparently secure  
 G5/S5: secure





**Table 2**  
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Scientific Name	Common Name	Family	Native?
<b>Trees</b>			
<i>Abies grandis</i>	grand fir	Pinaceae	Y <sup>a</sup>
<b>Shrubs</b>			
<i>Cotoneaster lacteus</i>	milk flower cotoneaster	Asteraceae	I <sup>b</sup>
<i>Rubus ursinus</i>	California blackberry	Rosaceae	Y <sup>c</sup>
<i>Salvia cistus</i>	rock rose	Cistaceae	N
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> (cultivar)	purple leaf elderberry	Adoxaceae	N
<b>Sedges and Rushes</b>			
<i>Juncus bufonius</i> var. <i>bufonius</i>	toad rush	Juncaceae	Y
<b>Grasses</b>			
<i>Agrostis stolonifera</i>	creeping buttercup	Poaceae	I
<i>Alopecurus pratensis</i>	meadow foxtail	Poaceae	I
<i>Anthoxanthum odoratum</i>	sweet vernal grass	Poaceae	I
<i>Avena barbata</i>	wild oat	Poaceae	I
<i>Bromus diandrus</i>	ripgut brome	Poaceae	I
<i>Bromus hordeaceus</i>	soft chess	Poaceae	I
<i>Bromus sitchensis</i> var. <i>carinatus</i>	California brome	Poaceae	Y
<i>Festuca myuros</i>	six weeks grass	Poaceae	I
<i>Festuca rubra</i> ssp. <i>pruinosa</i>	red fescue	Poaceae	Y
<i>Holcus lanatus</i>	velvet grass	Poaceae	I
<i>Poa annua</i>	annual bluegrass	Poaceae	N
<b>Herbs</b>			
<i>Allium triquetrum</i>	white flowered onion	Alliaceae	N
<i>Arctotheca prostrata</i>	cape daisy	Asteraceae	I
<i>Bellis perennis</i>	English daisy	Asteraceae	N
<i>Cardamine oligosperma</i>	bittercress	Brassicaceae	Y
<i>Carduus pycnocephalus</i> ssp. <i>pycnocephalus</i>	Italian thistle	Asteraceae	I
<i>Cerastium fontanum</i>	mouse ears	Caryophyllaceae	N
<i>Crocsmia x crocosmiiflora</i>	montebretia	Iridaceae	I
<i>Dipsacus fullonum</i>	teasel	Dipsacaceae	I
<i>Erodium moschatum</i>	whitestem filaree	Geraniaceae	N
<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>	fennel	Apiaceae	I
<i>Geranium dissectum</i>	cutleaf geranium	Geraniaceae	I
<i>Geranium molle</i>	crane's bill geranium	Geraniaceae	N
<i>Geranium parisiense</i>	wall bedstraw	Rubiaceae	N
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>	hairy cat's ear	Asteraceae	I
<i>Iris douglasii</i>	Douglas iris	Iridaceae	Y
<i>Iris germanica</i>	Cultivated iris	Iridaceae	N
<i>Jaumea carnosa</i>	marsh jaumea	Asteraceae	Y
<i>Malva parviflora</i>	cheeseweed	Malvaceae	N
<i>Matricaria discoidea</i>	pineapple weed	Asteraceae	Y
<i>Medicago arabica</i>	spotted burclover	Fabaceae	N





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<i>Medicago lupulina</i>	black medic	Fabaceae	N
<i>Medicago polymorpha</i>	burclover	Fabaceae	I
<i>Oxalis pes-caprae</i>	Bermuda buttercup	Oxalidaceae	I
<i>Plantago coronopus</i>	staghorn plantain	Plantaginaceae	N
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i>	English plantain	Plantaginaceae	I
<i>Plantago maritima</i>	Pacific seaside plantain	Plantaginaceae	Y
<i>Polycarpon tetraphyllum</i> var. <i>tetraphyllum</i>	all seed	Caryophyllaceae	N
<i>Ranunculus muricatus</i>	buttercup	Ranunculaceae	N
<i>Rumex acetosella</i>	sheep sorrel	Polygonaceae	I
<i>Rumex salicifolius</i>	willow dock	Polygonaceae	Y
<i>Senecio vulgaris</i>	groundsel	Asteraceae	N
<i>Silybum marianum</i>	blessed milk thistle	Asteraceae	I
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i>	sow thistle	Asteraceae	N
<i>Trifolium repens</i>	white clover	Fabaceae	N
<i>Trifolium subterraneum</i>	Subterranean clover	Fabaceae	N
<i>Triphysaria eriantha</i> ssp. <i>eriantha</i>	butter n' eggs	Orobanchaceae	Y
<b>Woody Vines</b>			
<i>Lonicera hispidula</i>	pink honeysuckle	Caprifoliaceae	Y
<b>54 Species</b>			<b>24% Native</b>

a Y: Yes  
b I: Invasive  
c N: No

