

**WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM - Alaska Region**

Project/Site: Susitna-Watana Hydroelectric Project Borough/City: Matanuska-Susitna Borough Sampling Date: 04-Jul-13  
 Applicant/Owner: Alaska Energy Authority Sampling Point: SW13\_T137\_02  
 Investigator(s): WAD, BAB Landform (hillside, terrace, hummocks etc.): Channel (active)  
 Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave Slope: % / 10.4 ° Elevation: 101  
 Subregion: Southcentral Alaska Lat.: 62.825922132 Long.: -148.865288139 Datum: NAD83  
 Soil Map Unit Name: \_\_\_\_\_ **NWI classification: R3UBH**

Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation , Soil , or Hydrology  naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

**SUMMARY OF FINDINGS - Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/>
Remarks: small permanently flooded creek, 1 to many channels. veg section describes bank vegetation. frog observed at waterbody downslope.	

**VEGETATION -Use scientific names of plants. List all species in the plot.**

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
<b>Tree Stratum</b>				
1. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
2. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
3. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
4. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
5. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
<b>Total Cover:</b>		0		
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</b>				
	50% of Total Cover: 0	20% of Total Cover: 0		
1. <u>Salix pulchra</u>	35	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FACW	
2. <u>Salix barclayi</u>	25	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FAC	
3. <u>Salix reticulata</u>	15	<input type="checkbox"/>	FAC	
4. <u>Dasiphora fruticosa</u>	5	<input type="checkbox"/>	FAC	
5. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
6. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
7. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
8. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
9. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
10. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
<b>Total Cover:</b>		80		
<b>Herb Stratum</b>				
	50% of Total Cover: 40	20% of Total Cover: 16		
1. <u>Sanguisorba canadensis</u>	15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FACW	
2. <u>Rhodiola integrifolia</u>	5	<input type="checkbox"/>	FAC	
3. <u>Carex bigelowii</u>	5	<input type="checkbox"/>	FAC	
4. <u>Bistorta plumosa</u>	2	<input type="checkbox"/>	FACU	
5. <u>Festuca altaica</u>	1	<input type="checkbox"/>	FAC	
6. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
7. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
8. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
9. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
10. _____	0	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
<b>Total Cover:</b>		28		
	50% of Total Cover: 14	20% of Total Cover: 5.6		

**Dominance Test worksheet:**  
 Number of Dominant Species That are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 3 (A)  
 Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 3 (B)  
 Percent of dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)

**Prevalence Index worksheet:**  
 Total % Cover of: Multiply by:  
 OBL Species 0 x 1 = 0  
 FACW Species 50 x 2 = 100  
 FAC Species 56 x 3 = 168  
 FACU Species 2 x 4 = 8  
 UPL Species 0 x 5 = 0  
 Column Totals: 108 (A) 276 (B)  
 Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.556

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:**  
 Dominance Test is > 50%  
 Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0  
 Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)  
 Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain)

<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Plot size (radius, or length x width) 10m length  
 % Cover of Wetland Bryophytes (Where applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
 % Bare Ground \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total Cover of Bryophytes 5

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?** Yes  No

Remarks: species include indiv species overhanging or next to channel.

