# ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW RECORD (ERR) REQUIREMENTS

# **Step 3: Conduct the Environmental Review**

HUD has specific requirements for Environmental Reviews and the "Environmental Review Record"

- Project Description with determination of level of review
- Statutory checklist or Environmental Assessment Checklist with all backup documentation
- All correspondence with federal and state agencies
- All documentation on required mitigation and further work required

## **HEROS vs. Paper**

- HUD has required the City of Detroit to submit all ERRs in the HEROS system
- Consultants need to provide:
  - All documents in an unlocked PDF
  - Separate maps for each law/authority compliance section
  - Separate PDF documents for each due diligence report
  - Correspondence and approvals from State/Federal agencies
- Paper copies are no longer required

### **Levels of Review**

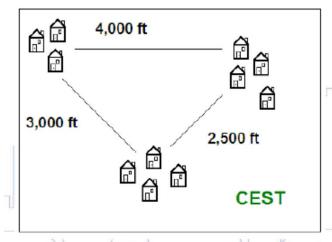
- Exempt
  - Money expenditures on admin work
  - No actual site or environmental impact
- Categorically Excluded Not Subject to 58.5
  - Money expenditures on programmatic work
  - May have site location, but no construction work
- Categorically Excluded Subject to 58.5
- Environmental Assessment (EA)
- Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)

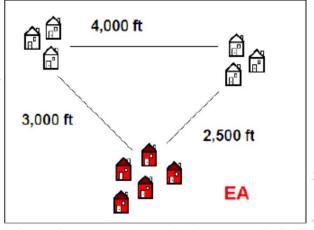
# Categorically Excluded Subject to 58.5 (CEST)

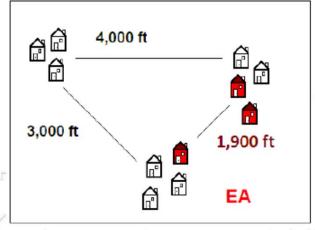
- Activities with physical impacts
- Acquisition, leasing, or disposition of vacant land or existing buildings with no change in land use
- Acquisition or leasing of public facilities with no change in land use
- Removal of barriers that restrict mobility and accessibility
- Rehabilitation, Repair, and Improvements
  - Public facilities and non-residential buildings: no change in land use, change in size or capacity <20%</p>
  - Multifamily residential: no change in land use, change in size or capacity <20%, cost of rehab <75% of cost of replacement after rehab</p>
  - Single family residential: no change in land use, density <4 units, footprint not in floodplain or wetland</p>

# Categorically Excluded Subject to 58.5 (CEST)

- New Construction, Reconstruction, & Demolition
  - Individual action: single family residential only
    - Maximum of 4 units, or
    - Scattered site: 5+ units on sites 2,000+ ft apart, with no more than 4 units per site







## **Environmental Assessment (EA)**

- Major Rehabilitation
- Most New Construction, Reconstruction, or Demolition
- Any changes in land use
- Whenever no exclusion applies

# Categorically Excluded (CEST) vs. Environmental Assessment (EA)

- Both include the 24 CFR Part 58.5 and 58.6 checklists including all laws and authorities
- EA adds the Environmental Assessment factors
  - Land Development
  - Socioeconomic
  - Community Facilities and Services
  - Natural Features

OMB No. 2506-0177

(exp. 4/30/2018)

# **Environmental Assessment**

Responsible Entity – City of Detroit

Grant Recipient - Your Client

Preparer – You

Certifying Officer Name and Title – Donald Rencher, Director HRD

Consultant – You

Direct Comments to – Penny Dwoinen, Environmental Review Officer, <a href="mailto:dwoinenp@detroitmi.gov">dwoinenp@detroitmi.gov</a>

Description of the Proposed Project-Provided by developer



### U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT WASHINGTON, DC 20410-1000

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### **Environmental Review Project Information**

This format may be used by Partners to submit information for Part 50 or Part 58 reviews

### **Project Information**

\*Required fields are marked with an asterisk.

\*Project Name: Click here to enter text.

\*Applicant/Grant Recipient: Click here to enter text.

\*Point of Contact: Click here to enter text.

Consultant (if applicable): Click here to enter text.

Point of Contact (if applicable): Click here to enter text.

### \*HUD Program Information

Add as many rows as necessary to include all sources of HUD assistance.

Grant or Project	HUD Program
Number	(e.g. CDBG, 223(f) Refinance, Public Housing Capital Fund, RAD)

<sup>\*</sup>Estimated Total HUD Funded, Assisted, or Insured Amount: Click here to enter text.

### \*Project Location:

Provide a street address or intersection for your project. Provide additional information on the project located beyond the address as necessary for the scope of the project in a narrative in the provided textbox. For example, any new construction and projects affecting a larger area may require more context than simply a street address. If the project affects a large area, such as an infrastructure or community services project, select a representative address and describe the project location.

Click here to enter text.

<sup>\*</sup>Estimated Total Project Cost (HUD and non-HUD funds): Click here to enter text.

<sup>\*</sup>Description of the Proposed Project [24 CFR 50.12 & 58.32; 40 CFR 1508.25]:

# **Environmental Assessment (EA)**

Purpose and Need Statement- provided by developer

- <u>Purpose</u> is the proposed solution to solve the problem or a desired condition you want to create, i.e. construction of new housing or building a new transit center
- Need is the problem that needs fixing, or the situation wanting improvement, i.e. shortage of affordable housing in a community or lack of transportation options in a community

Funding Information- Grant Number:

CDBG = BYY MC 26 0006

HOME = MYY MC 26 0202

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

Record below the compliance or conformance determinations for each statute, executive order, or regulation. Provide credible, traceable, and supportive source documentation for each authority. Where applicable, complete the necessary reviews or consultations and obtain or note applicable permits of approvals. Clearly note citations, dates/names/titles of contacts, and page references. Attach additional documentation as appropriate.

Compliance Factors: Statutes, Executive Orders, and Regulations listed at 24 CFR §58.5 and §58.6	Are formal compliance steps or mitigation required?	Compliance determinations
STATUTES, EXECUTIVE Of and 58.6	RDERS, AND R	EGULATIONS LISTED AT 24 CFR 50.4
Airport Hazards	Yes No	
24 CFR Part 51 Subpart D		
Coastal Barrier Resources	Yes No	
Coastal Barrier Resources Act, as amended by the Coastal Barrier Improvement Act of 1990 [16 USC 3501]		
Flood Insurance	Yes No	
Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 and National Flood Insurance Reform Act of 1994 [42 USC 4001-4128 and 42 USC 5154a]		
STATUTES, EXECUTIVE OF & 58.5	RDERS, AND R	EGULATIONS LISTED AT 24 CFR 50.4
Clean Air	Yes No	
Clean Air Act, as amended, particularly section 176(c) & (d); 40 CFR Parts 6, 51, 93		
Coastal Zone Management	Yes No	
Coastal Zone Management Act, sections 307(c) & (d)		
Contamination and Toxic Substances	Yes No	

24 CFR Part 50.3(i) & 58.5(i)(2)		
Endangered Species	Yes No	
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Endangered Species Act of 1973,		
particularly section 7; 50 CFR		
Part 402		
Explosive and Flammable	Yes No	
Hazards		
24 CFR Part 51 Subpart C		
Farmlands Protection	Yes No	
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Farmland Protection Policy Act		
of 1981, particularly sections		
1504(b) and 1541; 7 CFR Part		
658		
Floodplain Management	Yes No	
Executive Order 11988,		
particularly section 2(a); 24 CFR Part 55		
Historic Preservation		
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National Historic Preservation		
Act of 1966, particularly sections		
106 and 110; 36 CFR Part 800		
Noise Abatement and Control	Yes No	
Noise Control Act of 1972, as		
amended by the Quiet		
Communities Act of 1978; 24		
CFR Part 51 Subpart B		
Sole Source Aquifers	Yes No	
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Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974,	" "	
as amended, particularly section		
1424(e); 40 CFR Part 149		
Wetlands Protection	Yes No	
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Executive Order 11990,		
particularly sections 2 and 5		
Wild and Scenic Rivers		
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Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of		
1968, particularly section 7(b) and (c)		
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Environmental Justice	Yes No	
Executive Order 12898		

# Environmental Review Partner Worksheets

https://www.hudexchange.info /resource/5119/environmentalreview-record-related-federallaws-and-authorities-partnerworksheets/



Home > Resources > Environmental Review Partner Worksheets

Tools and Templates

### **Environmental Review Partner Worksheets**

Date Published: January 2018



**Author Orga** 

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**HUD Approve** 

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### Description

Environmental Review Partners (including applicants, consultants, contractors, nonprofits, and public housing authorities who assist with the environmental review process but may not legally take responsibility for completing an environmental review) may use the Partner Worksheets below to submit information on a project's compliance with federal environmental laws and

These worksheets, along with all supporting documentation, should be submitted to the Responsible Entity or HUD Office that is responsible for completing the environmental review. These worksheets should be used only if the Partner does not have access to HEROS. View information on whether you are eligible for HEROS access.

### Resource Links

- . Project Information Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Air Quality Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- Airport Hazards Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Airport Runway Clear Zones Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Coastal Barrier Resources Act Partner Worksheet (DOCX) Coastal Zone Management Act - Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Endangered Species Act Partner Worksheet (DOCX) Environmental Justice - Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Explosives Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Farmlands Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Flood Insurance Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- Floodplain Management Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- Historic Preservation Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Noise (CEST) Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- Noise (EA) Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- Sole Source Aquifers Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Contamination and Toxic Substances (Multifamily) Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Contamination and Toxic Substances (Single) Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Wetlands Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Wild and Scenic Rivers Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- . Housing Requirements Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- · Environmental Assessment Factors and Analysis Partner Worksheet (DOCX)
- Partner Worksheet for 223(a)(7) and CENST 223(f) (DOCX)

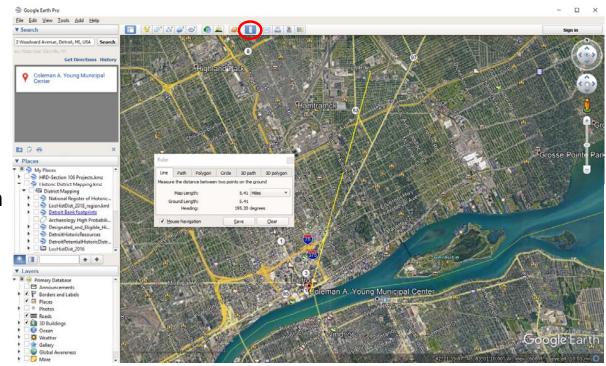
Tags: Environmental Review

# Airport Hazard

Is your project within 15,000 feet (2.84 miles) of a military airport or 2,500 feet (0.47 miles) of a civilian airport?

- No Document with a map
- Yes Is your project located within an Accident Potential Zone or Runway Protection Zone?

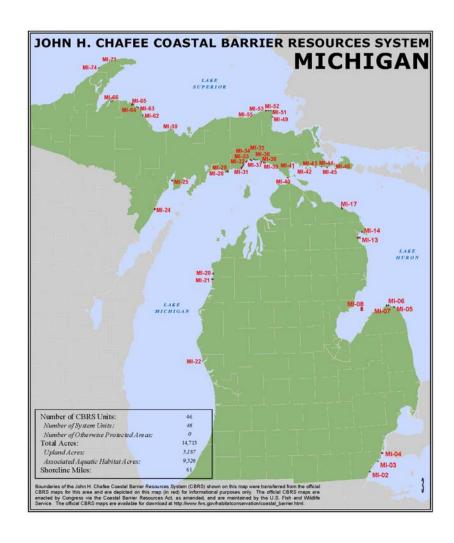
Use Google Earth or other mapping software to measure from end of the runway to the site "as the crow flies"



# Coastal Barrier Resources

Obtain map from US Fish and Wildlife Services

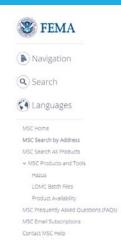
https://www.fws.gov/ecologicalservices/habitatconservation/cbra/maps/a/MI.pdf



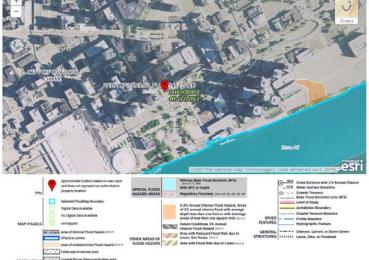
# Flood Insurance & Floodplain Management

Obtain map from FEMA

https://msc.fema.gov/portal/search



### FEMA Flood Map Service Center: Search By Address Enter an address, place, or coordinates: () 2 Woodward Ave Detroit, MI Whether you are in a high risk zone or not, you may need flood injurance because most homeowners insurance doesn't cover food damage. If you like in an area with low or moderate flood risk you are 5 times more likely to experience flood than a fire in your home over the next 30 years. For many, a National Flood insurance Programs flood insurance policy could cost less than \$400 per year. Call your insurance agent today and protect what you've built. Learn more about steps you can take to reduce flood risk damage Search Results—Products for DETROIT, CITY OF Show ALL Products > e selected area is number 26163C0285E, effective on 02/02/2012 🚱 DYNAMIC MA MAP IMAGE Changes to this FIRM ? Revisions (0) Amendments (1) Revalidations (0) You can chaose a new flood map or move the location ain by selecting a different location on the locator map below or by entering a new location in the search field above. It may take a minute or more during peak hours to generate a dynamic FIRMette. If you are a



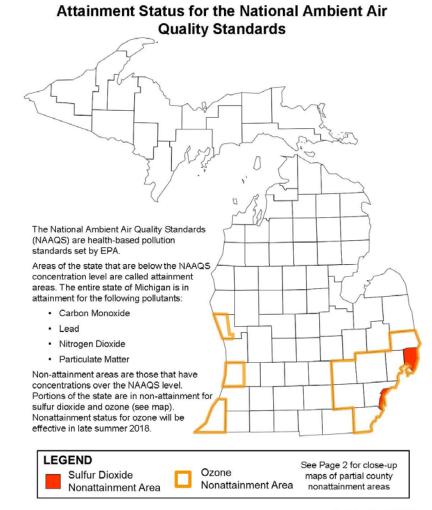
### Clean Air

Obtain MDEQ/EGLE Maps

https://www.michigan.gov/egle/o,9429, 7-135-3310\_70940\_31129---,00.html

We are in a non-attainment area therefore you must consult with EGLE

Ask for a letter of concurrence on the project description not adding impact to the Ozone and Sulfur Dioxide non-attainment zone



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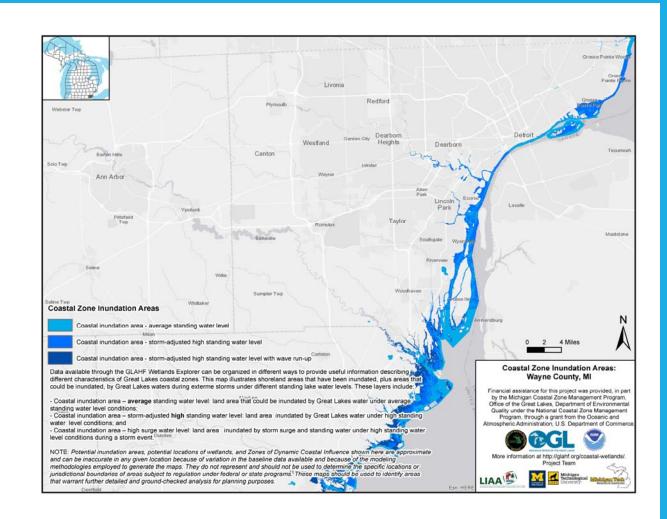
Prepared by MDEQ, Air Quality Division, State Implementation Plan Unit

# Coastal Zone Management

Obtain a map from EGLE or Great Lakes Aquatic Habitat Framework (GLAHF)

https://www.michigan.gov/egle/o,9429,7-135-3313\_3677\_3696-90802--,oo.html

https://glahf.org/czm\_meta data/wayne\_county\_mczm p.pdf



### Contamination and Toxic Substances

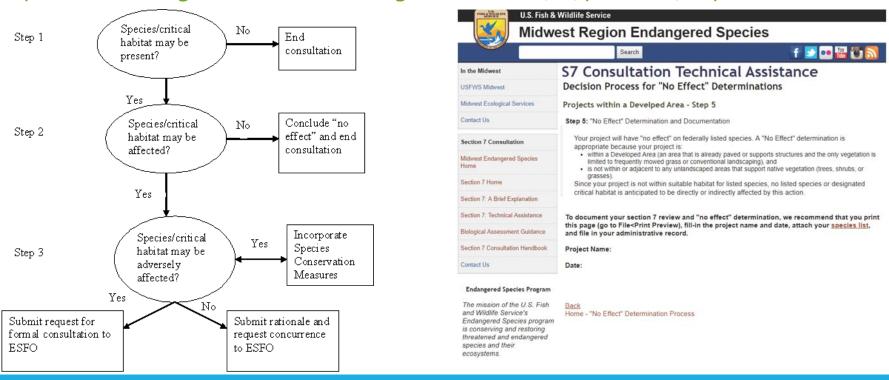
- Obtain information from Phase I Environmental Site Assessment (ESA), NEPAssist and/or DEQ Environmental Mapper Phase I ESA, NEPA Assist and/or DEQ Environmental Mapper
- For all multi-family and large projects, a Phase I ESA will be required
- Conduct the Phase I ESA according to ASTM E 1527-13
- Any Recognized Environmental Conditions (RECs) observed in the Phase I ESA will necessitate a Phase II ESA (physical testing) at the Site
  - May want to begin the consultation with EGLE before finalizing the scope of work for the Phase II ESA
  - City of Detroit will not dictate the scope of work (MSHDA will want to see this before proceeding with fieldwork
  - Ultimately, EGLE will need to be satisfied with the Phase II ESA scope of work, or may require further assessment and additional sampling

### Consultation with EGLE

- Again begin with consultation as soon as contamination has been verified at the Site.
- HUD requires that any contamination above residential criteria will require a State approved plan to mitigate exposure to residents
  - Part 201 contamination Response Activity Plan (RAP)
  - Part 213 contamination Final Assessment Report with a Corrective Action Plan (CAP)
- HUD does NOT require a No Further Action (NFA) Determination for Part 58 Reviews
- HUD DOES require NFAs for Part 50 Reviews HUD 221d4 loans and others
- The City of Detroit cannot complete the Environmental Review Record without the State Agency approval letter for the required corrective actions

# **Endangered Species**

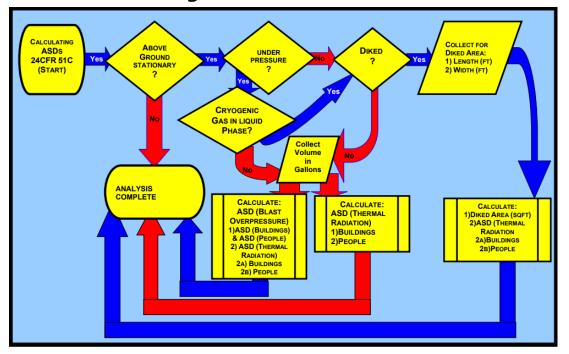
- No new construction US Fish and Wildlife Service S7 Consultation document stating the project has "No Effect" on endangered species
- https://www.fws.gov/midwest/endangered/section7/s7process/7a2process.html



# Explosive and Flammable Hazards

- Only includes stationary Above Ground Storage Tanks (ASTs) holding hazardous substances of an explosive or fire-prone nature.
- Information can be found in the environmental database of the Phase I ESA or viewed on aerials.
- Calculate Acceptable Separation Distance

https://www.hudexchange.info/reso urce/2762/acceptable-separationdistance-guidebook/ **HUD Exchange ASD Calculation Flowchart** 



# Explosive and Flammable Hazards Cont.

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### U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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#### Explosive and Flammable Hazards (CEST and EA) - PARTNER

https://www.hudexchange.info/environmental-review/explosive-and-flammable-facilities

1.	Does the proposed HUD-assisted project include a hazardous facility (a facility that mainly stores, handles or processes flammable or combustible chemicals such as bulk fuel storage facilities and refineries)?
	□ No
	→ Continue to Question 2.
	□Yes
	Explain:
	Click here to enter text.
	→ Continue to Question 5.
2.	Does this project include any of the following activities: development, construction, rehabilitation that will increase residential densities, or conversion?
	$\square$ No $\rightarrow$ If the RE/HUD agrees with this recommendation, the review is in compliance with this section. Continue to the Worksheet Summary below.

- 3. Within 1 mile of the project site, are there any current or planned stationary aboveground storage
  - Of more than 100-gallon capacity, containing common liquid industrial fuels OR
  - Of any capacity, containing hazardous liquids or gases that are not common liquid industrial fuels?

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☐ Yes → Continue to Question 4.

☐ Yes → Continue to Question 3.

 Is the Separation Distance from the project acceptable based on standards in the Regulation? Please visit HUD's website for information on calculating Acceptable Separation Distance.

☐ Yes

→ If the RE/HUD agrees with this recommendation, the review is in compliance with this section. Continue to the Worksheet Summary below.

- Recommend one of the following effects that the project will have on federally listed species or designated critical habitat:
  - □No Effect: Based on the specifics of both the project and any federally listed species in the action area, you have determined that the project will have absolutely no effect on listed species or critical habitat.
  - → If the RE/HUD agrees with this recommendation, the review is in compliance with this section. Continue to the Worksheet Summary below. Provide any documents used to make your determination. Documentation should include a species list and explanation of your conclusion, and may require maps, photographs, and surveys as appropriate.
  - □May Affect, Not Likely to Adversely Affect: Any effects that the project may have on federally listed species or critical habitats would be beneficial, discountable, or insignificant.
  - Partner entities should not contact the Services directly. If the RE/HUD agrees with this recommendation, they will have to complete Informal Consultation. Provide the RE/HUD with a biological evaluation or equivalent document. They may request additional information, including surveys and professional analysis, to complete their consultation.
  - □Likely to Adversely Affect: The project may have negative effects on one or more listed species or critical babitat
  - → Partner entities should not contact the Services directly. If the RE/HUD agrees with this recommendation, they will have to complete Formal Consultation. Provide the RE/HUD with a biological evaluation or equivalent document. They may request additional information, including surveys and professional analysis, to complete their consultation.

### Worksheet Summary

Provide a full description of your determination and a synopsis of the information that it was based on,

- · Map panel numbers and dates
- · Names of all consulted parties and relevant consultation dates
- · Names of plans or reports and relevant page numbers
- · Any additional requirements specific to your program or region

Include all documentation supporting your findings in your submission to HUD.

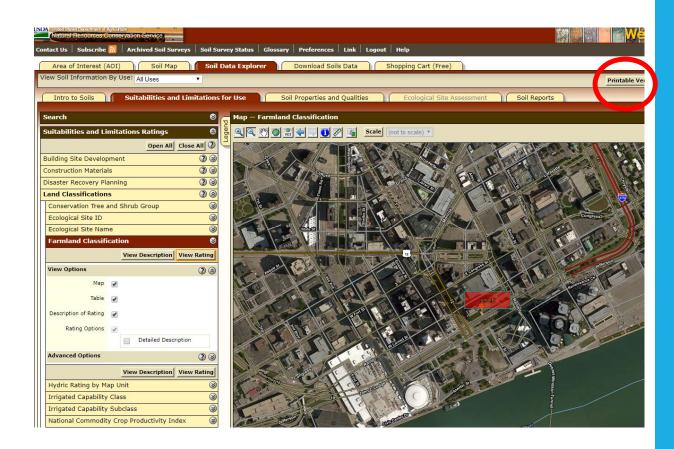
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# Farmland Protection

Obtain documentation from Web Soil Survey

https://websoilsurvey.sc.egov. usda.gov/App/HomePage.htm

There are other options for this data – just make sure that there is documentation to back up the urban land determination



### Historic Preservation

- Section 106 Review
- Archaeology
- Historic Tax Credits
- Continuing Obligations

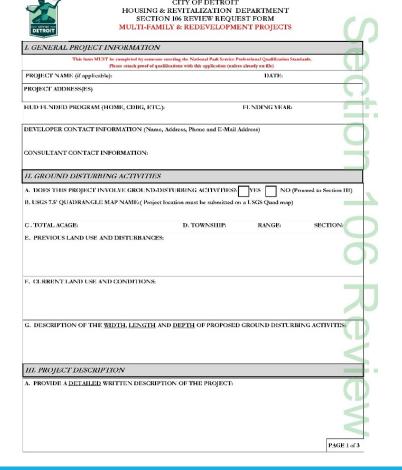
### Section 106 Application Form:

Qualified Cultural Resource Management Consultant (36 CFR Part 61) completes Multi-Family Redevelopment Section 106 Application Form and submits to the City's Preservation Specialist for review

List of qualified consultants can be found using the following link:

https://www.michigan.gov/documents/mshda/MSHDA\_SHPO\_20190107\_Archaeologist\_Architectural\_Historian\_and\_Historian\_Consultants\_List\_MISHPO\_642686\_7\_.pdf

# Multi-Family Redevelopment Section 106 Application Form





CITY OF DETROIT
HOUSING & REVITALIZATION DEPARTMENT
SECTION 106 REVIEW REQUEST FORM
MULTI-FAMILY & REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

III. PROJECT DESCRIPTION (Continued)	
L. PROVIDE A LOCALIZED MAP INDICATING THE LOCATION OF THE PROJECT AND THE PROPO	OSED APE.
IV. IDENTIFCATION OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES	- (
A. PROVIDE A WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE APE (physical, visible, auditory), THE STEPS TAKEN THE APE , AND THE JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROPOSED BOUNDARIES:	TO IDETNIFY
3. ARE HISTORIC PROPERTIES PRESENT WITHIN THE APE? YES NO (PROCEED TO	O SECTION V)
2. DESCRIBE EFFORTS TAKEN TO IDENTIFY THE EXISTANCE OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES WITH INCLUDING REFERENCES:	
D. LIST ALL PROPERTIES 45+ YEARS OF AGE LOCATED WITHIN THE APE ON THE ATTACHED SP PROVIDE:	PREADSHEET
THE ADDRESS	
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION/ALTERATIONS/ADDITIONS	
ARCHITECT BUILDING STYLE	
MATERIALS	
WINDOW TYPES	-
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### V. PHOTOGRAPHS (All photographs must be keyed to a project location map.)

A. PROVIDE COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE PROJECT SITE.

B. PROVIDE COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS DEPICTING THE LIMITS OF THE APE FOR THE PROJECT.

C. PROVIDE COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS OF ALL PROPERTIES 45 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER LOCATED WITHIN THE APE (Photos should be taken from oblique angles, Please provide at least three photos of each structure showing different elevations).

### VI. DETERMINATION OF EFFECT

A. PROVIDE A DETERMINATION OF EFFECT RECOMMENDATION FOR THIS PROJECT:

No Historic Properties Affected [36 CFR § 800.4(d)(1)] Provide a justification for this determination

No Adverse Effect [36 CFR § 800.5(b)]. For historic properties, provide an explanation why the criteria of Adverse Effect were found not applicable.

Adverse Effect 36 CFR § 800.5(b)(2)]. For historic properties, provide an explanation why the criteria of Adverse Effect were found, applicable.

Please note: A Determination Letter will be issued by the Preservation Specialist upon review of a completed application. This determination may include any continuing obligations required to comply with federal laws under NEPA/NEPA. Projects which affect hastone properties well require design review and approval prior to the start of any work. A Work Completed Letter will be issued to closeout the Section 106 Review Process for projects with continuing obligations.

Please submit this completed form and required documentation to:

Ryan Schumaker, Lead Preservation Specialist rschumak@detroitmi.gov
Tifany Rakotz, Preservation Specialist rakotzt@detroitmi.gov

City of Detroit Housing & Revitalization Department

# Multi-Family Redevelopment Section 106 Application Form



Coleman A. Young Municipal Center

Phone: 313.224.6380

2 Woodward Avenue, Suite

Fax: 313.224.1629 www.datrottmi.gov

Address	Date of Construction/Alterations	Architect	Building style	Materials	Window types	National Register Listed?	Current Conditions	Historic Integrity	NRHP Criteria	Area of Significance	Period of Significance	Statement of Significance	Photograph Thumbusil
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### Step 2:

Preservation Specialist reviews application and makes the following determinations based on the information provided:

- Archaeology review requirement triggered?
- Is a Historic Property located in the Area of Potential Effects (APE)?
- What is the Determination of Effect?

### **Archaeology Review Requirement**

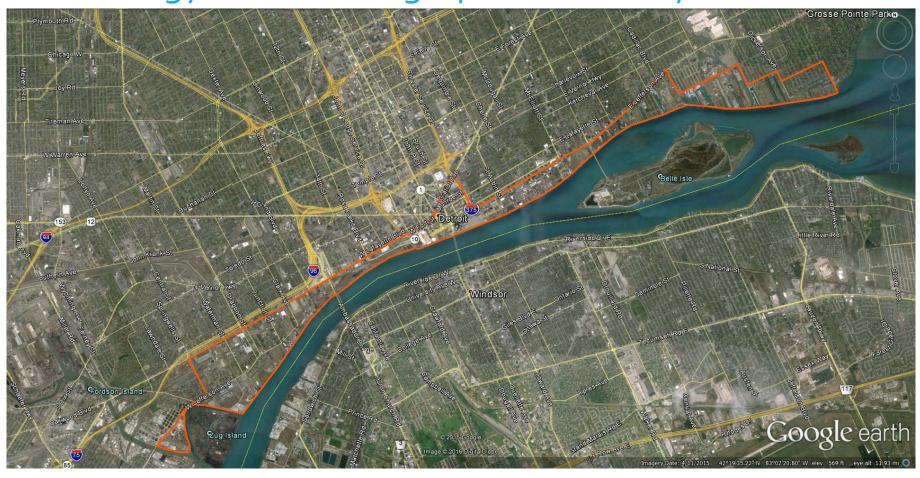
Project must meet the following requirements to require review by the SHPO archaeologist:

- Project area is greater than or equal to ½-acre and includes ground disturbing activities; or
- Project area of any size, includes ground disturbing activities, and falls within a specific geographic area (generally along the Detroit River)





# Archaeology Review Geographic Boundary



### **Archaeology Review Triggered**

- Preservation Specialist generates short report and sends it to the SHPO archaeologist for review. Responses may include the following:
- No known archaeological concerns (no further coordination required)
- Develop an Unanticipated Discoveries Plan (1-2 Weeks)
- 3) Conduct a Land-Use History on the project area (1 Month)
- 4) Phase I/II Archaeological Investigations (2-3 Months)

### No Historic Properties Present / No Historic Properties Affected

- Preservation Specialist completes the Section 106 review and provides a No Historic Properties Affected determination letter
- No further coordination with the Preservation Specialist is required (unless scope of work changes)

### Historic Properties Present / No Adverse Effect Determination

- Preservation Specialist completes the Section 106 review and provides a Conditional No Adverse Effect (CNAE) determination letter
- Continuing obligations in the letter will include the following requirements:
  - 1) Work will follow the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation
  - 2) Detailed plans, specifications, and photos of the proposed work will be submitted to the Preservation Specialist for review and approval prior to the start of the project (2<sup>nd</sup> CNAE letter)
  - 3) Photos of the completed work are required to be submitted to the Preservation Specialist for review and approval (*Work Completed Letter*)

### Adverse Effect Determination

- We strive to never have this determination on our HUD funded multi-family projects
- Our goal is to avoid negative impacts on Historic Properties if at all possible

## Historic Preservation (Section 106) Hurdles

- Timing
- Confusion over funding source/lack of information (City vs. DHC vs. private funds)
- Incomplete Information in Application
- Lack of well-defined project description
- Archeology
- Project segmentation
- Foreclosure

# Noise Abatement and Control

Use HUD Exchange DNL Calculator

https://www.hudexchange.inf o/environmental-review/dnlcalculator/



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### **DNL Calculator**

HUD Noise Calculator has an error when using Google Chrome unless the cache is cleared before each use of the calculator. HUD is aware of the problem and working to fix it in the programming of the 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.

#### Guidelines

- . To display the Road and/or Rail DNL calculator(s), click on the "Add Road Source" and/or "Add Rail Source"
- . 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: Toolips, 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.

### **DNL Calculator**

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Jser's Name			
Add Road Source Ad	id Rail Source		
Airport Noise Level			
Loud Impulse Sounds?		⊕Yes ⊕No	
Combined DNL for all Road and Rall sources		0	
Combined DNL includin	ng Airport		
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### 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

- 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
- Construct noise barrier. See the Barrier Performance Module

#### Tools and Guidance

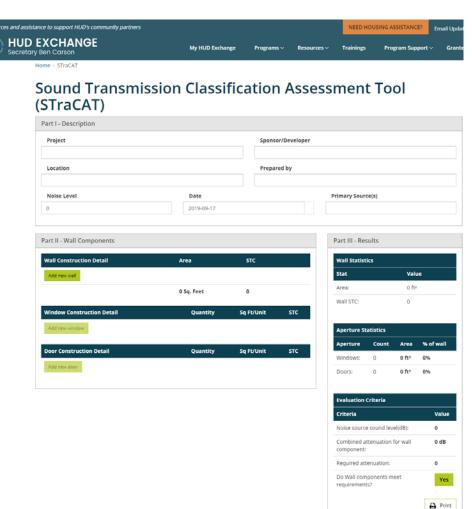
Tool User Guide Day/Night Noise Level Assessment

# Sound Transmission Classification Assessment Tool (STraCAT)

Use HUD Exchange Calculator

https://www.hudexchange.info/stracat/

If your project has a "normally unacceptable" or "unacceptable" noise level, engage a professional and work on mitigation ASAP.

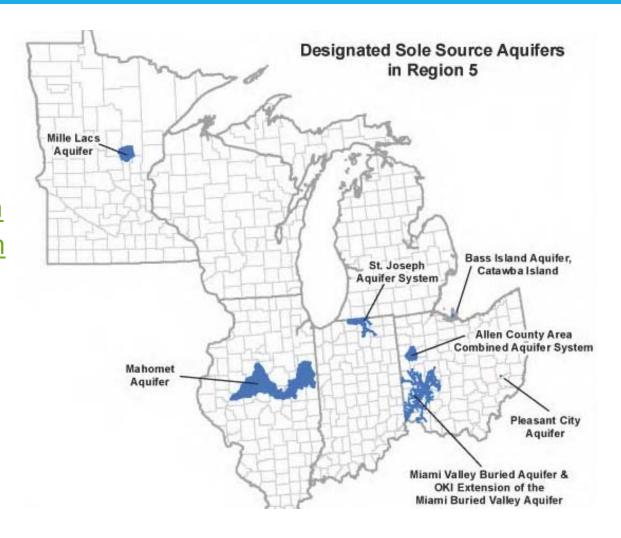


### Sole Source Aquifers

Obtain map from EPA

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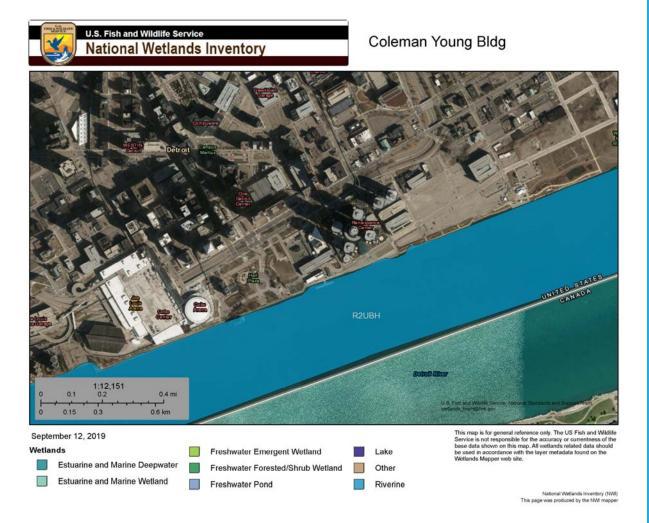
Or EGLE



# Wetland Protection

Obtain map from US Fish and Wildlife Service

https://www.fws.gov/wet lands/data/mapper.html



## Wild and Scenic Rivers

Obtain map from DNR

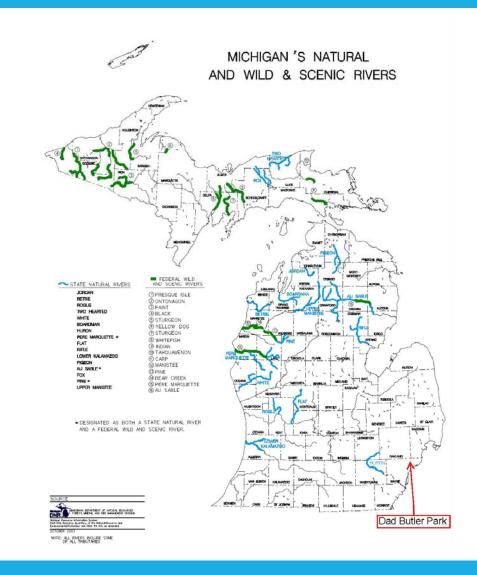
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Or National Wild and Scenic Rivers System

https://www.rivers.gov/



# Environmental Justice

Obtain information from EPA- EJScreen Report

https://www.epa.gov/environ mentaljustice

Or Census Website



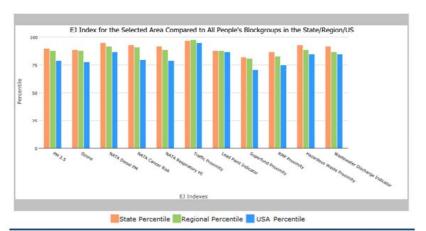
#### **EJSCREEN Report (Version 2018)**



#### 1 mile Ring Centered at 42.329805,-83.045402, MICHIGAN, EPA Region 5

Approximate Population: 11,858 Input Area (sq. miles): 3.14 2 Woodward Ave

Selected Variables	State Percentile	EPA Region Percentile	USA Percentile
EJ Indexes		Maria de la companya del companya de la companya de la companya del companya de la companya de l	
EJ Index for PM2.5	90	88	79
EJ Index for Ozone	89	88	78
EJ Index for NATA* Diesel PM	95	92	87
EJ Index for NATA* Air Toxics Cancer Risk	93	91	80
EJ Index for NATA* Respiratory Hazard Index	92	89	79
EJ Index for Traffic Proximity and Volume	97	98	95
EJ Index for Lead Paint Indicator	88	88	87
EJ Index for Superfund Proximity	82	81	71
EJ Index for RMP Proximity	87	83	75
EJ Index for Hazardous Waste Proximity	93	89	85
EJ Index for Wastewater Discharge Indicator	92	87	85



This report shows the values for environmental and demographic indicators and EISCREEN indexes. It shows environmental and demographic raw data (e.g., the estimated concentration of ozone in the air), and also shows what percentile each raw data value represents. These percentiles provide perspective on how the selected block group or buffer area compares to the entire state, EPA region, or nation. For example, if a given location is at the 95th percentile nationwhide, this means that only 5 percent of the US population has a higher block group value than the average person in the location being analyzed. The years for which the data are available, and the methods used, vary across these indicators. Important caveats and uncertainties apply to this screening-level information, so it is essential to understand the limitations on appropriate interpretations and applications of these indicators. Please see EJSCREEN documentation for discussion of these issues before using reports.

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## **Environmental Assessment Impact Codes**

- Minor Beneficial Impact- An outcome of the project is positive in some way, but the community improvement is limited. (An example might be a new mixed-use project whose new parking is available to the neighborhood after the commercial component closes)
- No Impact Anticipated- The proposed project will have no negative effect on the community.
   (An example would be new residential units require additional potable water from the municipal supply, but the existing system has sufficient capacity to provide for the new residents)
- Minor Adverse Impact- Analysis of the proposal shows that some aspect of the project will
  negatively affect the community, both the challenge affects a relatively small number of people
  or is easily mitigated. (An example is a new apartment building that raises traffic volumes at a
  nearby intersection. Installing a traffic light, turning lane, or turning land signal as project
  mitigation could improve the intersection's performance)
- Significant or Potentially Significant Impact- If the project analysis finds a significant impact, the project should be modified to avoid the impact. A finding of a significant impact that remains in the preferred alternative requires an Environmental Impact Statement

# Environmental Assessment Factor and Impact Evaluation

HUD needs to know that the Site and surrounding area can support the new influx of people, and that the people have access to basic needs

Environmental Assessment	
Factor	Impact Evaluation
LAND DEVELOPMENT	
Conformance with Plans /	
Compatible Land Use and	
Zoning / Scale and Urban	
Design	
Soil Suitability/ Slope/	
Erosion/ Drainage/ Storm	
Water Runoff	
Hazards and Nuisances	
including Site Safety and	
Noise	
Energy Consumption	
SOCIOECONOMIC	
Employment and Income	
Patterns	
Demographic Character	
Changes, Displacement	
COMMUNITY FACILITIES	S AND SERVICES
Educational and Cultural	
Facilities	
Commercial Facilities	
Health Care and Social	
Services	
Solid Waste Disposal /	
Recycling	
Waste Water / Sanitary	
Sewers	
Water Supply	
Public Safety - Police, Fire	
and Emergency Medical	
Parks, Open Space and	
Recreation	
Transportation and	
Accessibility	
NATURAL FEATURES	
Unique Natural Features,	
Water Resources	
Vegetation, Wildlife	
Other Factors	
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#### Environmental Assessment Factor and Impact Evaluation

- Land Development:
  - Conformance with Plans / Compatible Land Use and Zoning / Scale and Urban Design
  - Soil Suitability/ Slope/ Erosion/ Drainage/ Storm Water Runoff
  - Hazards and Nuisances including Site Safety and Noise
  - Energy Consumption
- Socioeconomic:
  - Employment and Income Patterns
  - Demographic Character Changes, Displacement

#### Environmental Assessment Factor and Impact Evaluation

- Community Facilities and Services:
  - Educational and Cultural Facilities
  - Commercial Facilities
  - Health Care and Social Services
  - Solid Waste Disposal / Recycling
  - Waste Water / Sanitary Sewers
  - Water Supply
  - Public Safety Police, Fire and Emergency Medical
  - Parks, Open Space and Recreation
  - Transportation and Accessibility
- Natural Features:
  - Unique Natural Features, Water Resources
  - Vegetation, Wildlife

#### Alternatives

- Alternatives considered are limited to the range of alternatives that meet the purpose and need. Those alternatives that do not meet the purpose and need can be dismissed without detailed study. This is an imaginative, creative, and communal process
- At a minimum, the No Action Alternative and the Proposed Action Alternative must be considered
- Mitigation
- Mitigation measures can be used to avoid or minimize potentially significant adverse environmental impact that would otherwise require an Environmental Impact Statement

#### Major Mitigation Measures Recap

- Contamination
  - Requires a State approved remediation plan
  - Associated costs must be included in the construction plan
- Floodplain
  - NO new construction in the floodplain
  - Renovation will require further consultation
- Section 106 Review
  - Timing
  - Sequencing
- Noise
  - May require changes to the building envelope windows (Architect Statement)
  - May require barrier

#### Completing the Environmental Review

- Consultant: submits information to City of Detroit Environmental Review Team
- ER Team:
  - Reviews for completion requirements
  - Outlines continuing obligations
  - Begins publication process
  - Gets AUGF
- Developer: closes on the property and funding
  - Construction begins
  - Remedial actions/mitigation measures begin

#### Post Construction/ Continuing Obligations

- ER Team will work with the City of Detroit Construction Manager to ensure that mitigation measures and remedial actions are conducted throughout construction
- Continuing obligations are reviewed prior to final payout from City of Detroit. Typical continuing obligations include:
  - Lead and Asbestos closeout reports and ongoing O&M Plans
  - Section 106 closeout requirements
  - Remedial action documentation including an EGLE approved Documentation of Due Care Compliance (DDCC) Report
  - O&M Plans, inspection, and reporting requirements from the DDCC
  - Noise abatement requirements

#### Access to Presentations

- Go to <u>www.detroitmi.gov</u> in your web browser
- In the <u>SEARCH</u> bar enter "HUD NEPA Compliance"
- <u>Click</u> on "HUD NEPA Compliance" search result
- Scroll to bottom of the page for links to each of the presentations

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