

## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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9/21/2025					
U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Charlotte Regulatory Field Office 8430 University Executive Park Dr. Suite 615 Charlotte, NC 28262		NC Division of Water Re Transportation Permitting 5 12 N. Salisbury Street Raleigh, NC 27699-1633			
	r. Steve Brumagin CDOT Coordinator	Mr. Ryan Conchilla NCDOT Coordinator			
Subject: Reverification of Regional General Permit 31 & 401 Water Quality Certification for the improvements to NC 211 from US 15/501 in Aberdeen to SR 1244/SR 1311 in Raeford (R-5709), Moore and Hoke Counties, Division 8, WBS: 50205.1.1					
to potential Waters under an expiring I	of the United States for the	ntion (NCDOT) hereby requests he above referenced project that CGP) and/or Water Quality Certi	were previously authorized		
<b>USACE Action I</b>	<b>D</b> SAW-2018-02283	NCDWR Project No.	20211043 v. 1		
RGP No.	31	General Certification No.	4135		
Date Issued	July 19, 2021	Date Issued	July 14, 2021		
https://xfer.services US501-SR1244-SF Lead Federal Age	21311/	ntion can be found here: nentalPermits/R-5709%20Hoke%	%20Moore%20US%2015-		
Project Status:	Under Construction				

Mailing Address: NC Department of Transportation Environmental Analysis Unit 1598 Mail Service Center Raleigh NC 27699-1598

☐ RGP 50

⊠ RGP 31

Location: 1000 BIRCH RIDGE DRIVE RALEIGH NC 27610

Telephone: (919) 707-6000 Customer Service: 1-877-368-4968 Website: www.ncdot.gov

☑ Individual 401 WQC ☐ GC 7679 For the Record Only

**Supporting Documentation of Previous Permitting Decision** 

Topic	Notes / Changes	
Permit Drawings	No Change	
Impact Summary	No Change	
Mitigation	No Change	
Endangered Species Act	Change (See table below)	
Archaeology	No Change	
Historic Architecture and Landscapes	No Change	
Tribal Coordination	No Tribes Added	

## **Endangered Species Act**

Protected Species listed from IPaC<sup>1</sup> as of the date of this request:

Common Name	Habitat Present	Survey Dates	Biological	FWS Concurrence
	Habitat Hesent	Survey Butes	Conclusion	Remarks
Tricolored bat	Yes	n/a	May Affect, Likely to Adversely Affect	Covered under PCO
				Currently Proposed
				Endangered
Red-cockaded	Yes	n/a	May Affect, Not	Informal
woodpecker			Likely to Adversely	concurrence
			Affect	received 2/18/2020
	Yes	Yes	T S/A	Listed due to
American alligator				similarity of
				appearance
Southern hognose	n/a	n/a	Not Required	Currently Proposed
snake				Threatened
Monarch butterfly	n/a	n/a	Not Required	Currently Proposed
				Threatened
St. Francis' Satyr butterfly	Yes	8/3/2023	May Affect, Not	Informal
			Likely to Adversely	concurrence
			Affect	received 10/16/2023
American chaffseed	No	5/26/2022	No Effect	Suitable habitat has
				been cleared
Michaux's sumac	No	5/26/2022	No Effect	Suitable habitat has
				been cleared
Rough-leaved	No	5/26/2022	No Effect	Suitable habitat has
loosestrife				been cleared

IPaC – Information for Planning and Consultation (US Fish and Wildlife Service)
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), in partnership with the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), and NCDOT, has issued a combined Programmatic Biological Opinion (PBO) and Programmatic Conference Opinion (PCO) for the following bat species: Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*, MYSO), gray bat (*M. grisescens*, MYGR), northern long-eared bat (*M. septentrionalis*, MYSE), tricolored bat (*Perimyotis subflavus*, PESU), and little brown bat (*M. lucifugus*, MYLU). Per current design and construction plans, the project is eligible for PBO use and NCDOT can adhere to the appropriate CMs. The proposed biological conclusion for bats is MALAA. The PBO will ensure compliance with Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act for five years (effective through April 1, 2030) for all NCDOT projects with a federal nexus in Divisions 9-14, which includes *Brunswick County*, where R-5021 is located.

MA-NLAA = May Affect, Not Likely to Adversely Affect

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Jason Dilday at jldilday1@ncdot.gov or (919)707-6111.

Sincerely,

Jason L Dilday

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ECAP Eastern Team Lead

## Project Submittal Interim Form



Updated December 4, 2023

○ Yes ○ No ○ Unknown

Please note: fields marked with a red asterisk \* below are required. You will not be able to submit the form until all mandatory questions are answered. Project Type: \* For the Record Only (Courtesy Copy) New Project Modification/New Project with Existing ID More Information Response Other Agency Comments Pre-Application Submittal Re-Issuance\Renewal Request Stream or Buffer Appeal Is this application for a project associated with emergency response/repairs from Hurricane Helene impacts to your project or property?\* ○ Yes ○ No **Project Contact Information** Name: Jason Dilday Who is submitting the information? Email Address: \* jldilday1@ncdot.gov **Project Information** Existing ID #: \* Existing Version: \* 20211043 20170001 (no dashes) Project Name: \* Improvements to NC211 from US15/501 in Aberdeen to SR1244/SR1311 in Raeford Is this a public transportation project?\* Yes No Is this a DOT project?\* Yes O No Is the project located within a NC DCM Area of Environmental Concern (AEC)?\*

Does this project involve maintenance dredging funded by the Shallow Draft Navigation Channel Dredging and Aquatic Weed Fund, electric generation projects located at an existing or former electric generating facility, or involve the distribution or transmission of energy or fuel, including natural gas, diesel, petroleum, or electricity?						
○ Yes ◎ No						
Is this project connected with AR	PA funding?*					
○ Yes   No						
TIP#: WBS	\$ <b>#</b> :					
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County (ies)*						
Moore						
Hoke						
Please upload all files that need to	be submited.					
Click the upload button or drag and drop file						
R-5709 RGP Reverification Cover L Only pdf or kmz files are accepted.	etter.pdf 301.27KB					
<b>Describe the attachments or add</b> Attached is a cover letter for the sub	comments: ject project including links to previous applications and issued permits.					
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By checking the box and signing	box below, I certify that:					
best of my knowledge and b  I, the project proponent, here certification request within the lagree that submission of the Statutes (the "Uniform Electronia agree to conduct this transaction Statutes (the "Uniform Electronia").	beby requests that the certifying authority review and take action on this CWA 401 are applicable reasonable period of time. is online form is a "transaction" subject to Chapter 66, Article 40 of the NC General ronic Transactions Act"); action by electronic means pursuant to Chapter 66, Article 40 of the NC General ronic Transactions Act"); nic signature has the same legal effect and can be enforced in the same way as a					
Signature: *						
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Submittal Date:	10/21/2025					