

R-2576 Mid-Currituck Bridge

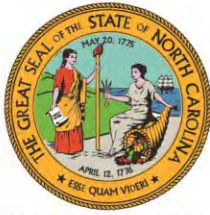
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**North Carolina Division  
of Mitigation Services  
Mitigation Letter**

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NORTH CAROLINA  
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November 6, 2023

Mr. Paul Williams  
NCDOT Division 1 Environmental Officer  
North Carolina Department of Transportation  
113 Airport Drive  
Edenton, North Carolina 27932

Dear Mr. Williams:

Subject: Mitigation Acceptance Letter:

Division 1 Project – TIP R-2576, Mid-Currituck Sound Bridge, Pasquotank County

The purpose of this letter is to notify you that the North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality – Division of Mitigation Services (NCDEQ-DMS) will provide the mitigation for the subject project. Based on the information received from you on November 6, 2023, the impacts are located in CU 03010205 of the Pasquotank River basin in the Northern Outer Coastal Plain (NICP) Eco-Region, and are as follows:

| Pasquotank<br>03010205<br>NOCP | Stream |      |      | Wetlands |              |               | Buffer (Sq. Ft.) |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|------|------|----------|--------------|---------------|------------------|--------|
|                                | Cold   | Cool | Warm | Riparian | Non-Riparian | Coastal Marsh | Zone 1           | Zone 2 |
| Impacts<br>(feet/acres)        | 0      | 0    | 0    | 0        | 1.070        | 0             | 0                | 0      |

NCDEQ – DMS commits to implementing sufficient compensatory mitigation credits to offset the impacts associated with this project as determined by the regulatory agencies in accordance with the In-Lieu Fee Instrument dated July 28, 2010. If the above referenced impact amounts are revised, then this mitigation acceptance letter will no longer be valid and a new mitigation acceptance letter will be required from NCDEQ-DMS.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ms. Beth Harmon at 919-707-8420.

Sincerely,

for James B. Stanfill  
DMS Deputy Director

cc: Mr. Kyle Barnes, USACE – Washington  
Mr. Garcy Ward, NCDWR – Washington  
Mr. Brad Chilton, NCDOT – EAU  
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