INFORMATION SHEET
DETERMINATIONS OF NO JURISDICTION FOR ISOLATED, NON-NAVIGABLE, INTRA-STATE WATERS RESULTING FROM U.S. SUPREME COURT DECISION IN SOLID WASTE AGENCY OF NORTHERN COOK COUNTY V. U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS

DISTRICT OFFICE: OMAHA DIST DRO
FILE NUMBER: 200480474
REGULATORY PROJECT MANAGER: MCKEE
PROJECT REVIEW/DETERMINATION COMPLETED: In the office Date: At the project site Date: Sept 21 04

PROJECT LOCATION INFORMATION:
State: Colorado
County: Jefferson
Center coordinates of site by latitude & longitudinal coordinates: 34 42 36 105 06 29
Approximate size of site/property (including uplands & in acres): 0.40
Name of waterway or watershed: Upper South Platte

SITE CONDITIONS: city suburban upland surrounds the aquatic sites

Type of aquatic resource[1]	0-1 ac	1-3 ac	3-5 ac	5-10 ac	10-25 ac	25-50 ac	> 50 ac	Linear feet	Unknown
Lake									
River									
Stream									
Dry Wash									
Mudflat									
Sandflat									
Wetlands									
Slough									
Prairie pothole									
Wet meadow									
Playa lake									
Vernal pool									
Natural pond									
Other water (identify type) Irrigation ditch	x								

[1]Check appropriate boxes that best describe type of isolated, non-navigable, intra-state water present and best estimate for size of non-jurisdictional aquatic resource area.

Migratory Bird Rule Factors[1]:	If Known		If Unknown Use Best Professional Judgment		
	Yes	No	Predicted to Occur	Not Expected to Occur	Not Able To Make Determination
Is or would be used as habitat for birds protected by Migratory Bird Treaties?			x		
Is or would be used as habitat by other migratory birds that cross state lines?			x		
Is or would be used as habitat for endangered species?					x
Is used to irrigate crops sold in interstate commerce?					x

[1]Check appropriate boxes that best describe potential for applicability of the Migratory Bird Rule to apply to onsite, non-jurisdictional, isolated, non-navigable, intra-state aquatic resource area.

TYPE OF DETERMINATION: Approved x Preliminary

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SUPPORTING NJD (e.g., paragraph 1 – site conditions; paragraphs 2-3 – rationale used to determine NJD, including information reviewed to assess potential navigation or interstate commerce connections; and paragraph 4 – site information on waters of the U.S. occurring onsite):

1986 Federal Register states that irrigation ditches excavated on dry land are generally not waters of the U.S. This irrigation ditch is constructed on dry land and does not intercept any tributary up gradient of the property where this JD is being conducted.