

Information for File # MVP-2017-00497-TJH

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Section: 34

Township: 30 North

Range: 20 West

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Authorization Type: LOP-05-MN

This application is being reviewed in accordance with the practices for documenting Corps jurisdiction under Sections 9 & 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 and Section 404 of the Clean Water Act identified in Regulatory Guidance Letter 08-02.

Project Description: The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, Parks and Trails Division intends to develop a St. Croix River water access site adjacent to the new St. Croix Crossing Bridge. This site will consist of an access road, 35 parking stalls, a boat ramp, and a vehicle turn-around circle to provide increased access to St. Croix River for recreational activities.

The river access project is located beneath the superstructure of the St. Croix Crossing and within the review area of the EIS for that project. The St. Croix Crossing project was permitted in 2013, and several of the wetland impacts that were intended to be temporary as part of the bridge project would now become permanent as part of the proposed river access project.

Name, Area, and Types of Waters (Including Wetlands) Subject to Loss: The project will result in the permanent discharge of fill material into a total of 0.76 acres of wetlands consisting of 0.18 acre of Shrub carr wetlands, 0.17 acre of fresh (wet) meadow wetlands, 0.06 acre of Sedge meadow wetlands, 0.15 acre of Shallow marsh wetlands, and 0.20 acre of Floodplain forest wetland.

Compensatory Mitigation: The applicant proposes to debit in-kind and out-of-kind wetland credits at a 2.5:1 ratio for a total of 1.90 credits from two Minnesota Board of Soil and Water (BWSR) wetland banks located in Wabasha County and Waseca County in Bank Service Area 8.

The permit application for the project has been provided to the National Park Service, US Fish & Wildlife Service, and to the US Coast Guard for review and comments.

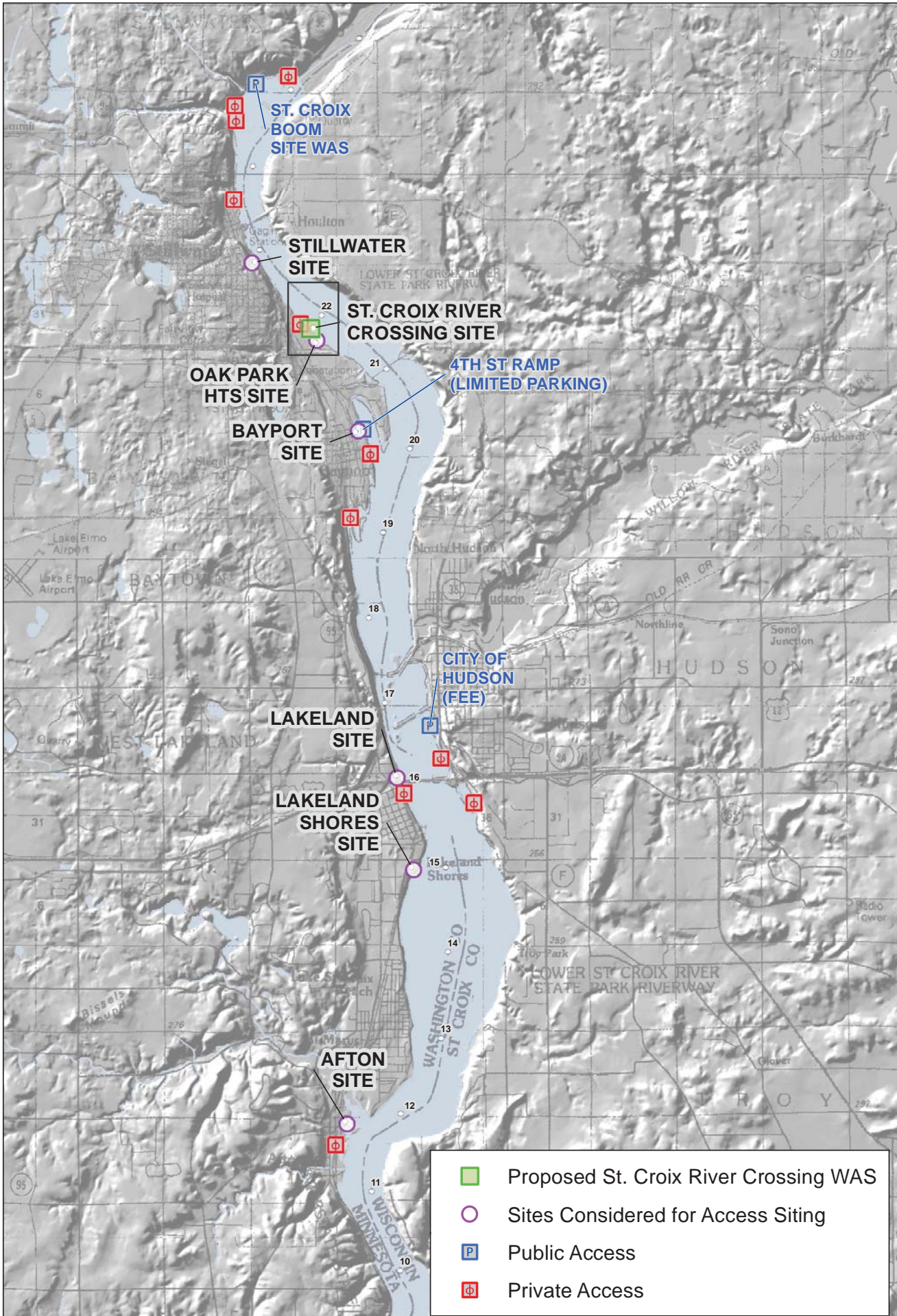
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**FIGURE A: CONTEXT MAP
ST. CROIX CROSSING
WATER ACCESS SITE**

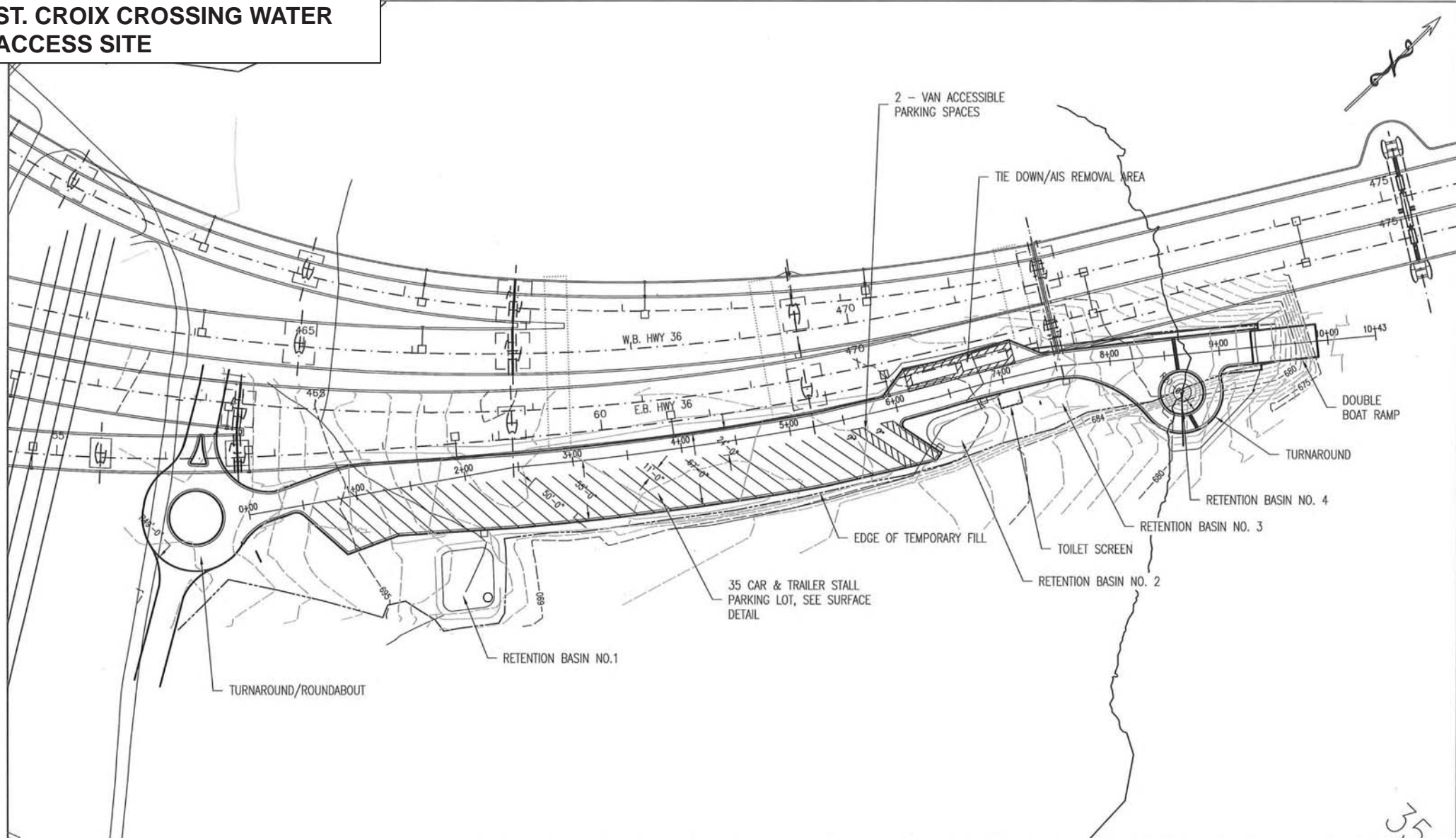


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**FIGURE B: PROPOSED LAYOUT
ST. CROIX CROSSING WATER
ACCESS SITE**



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St. Croix River Water Access2
Mill Road Site

Washington County Section: 34 Township: 30 N Near Stillwater Range: 20 W

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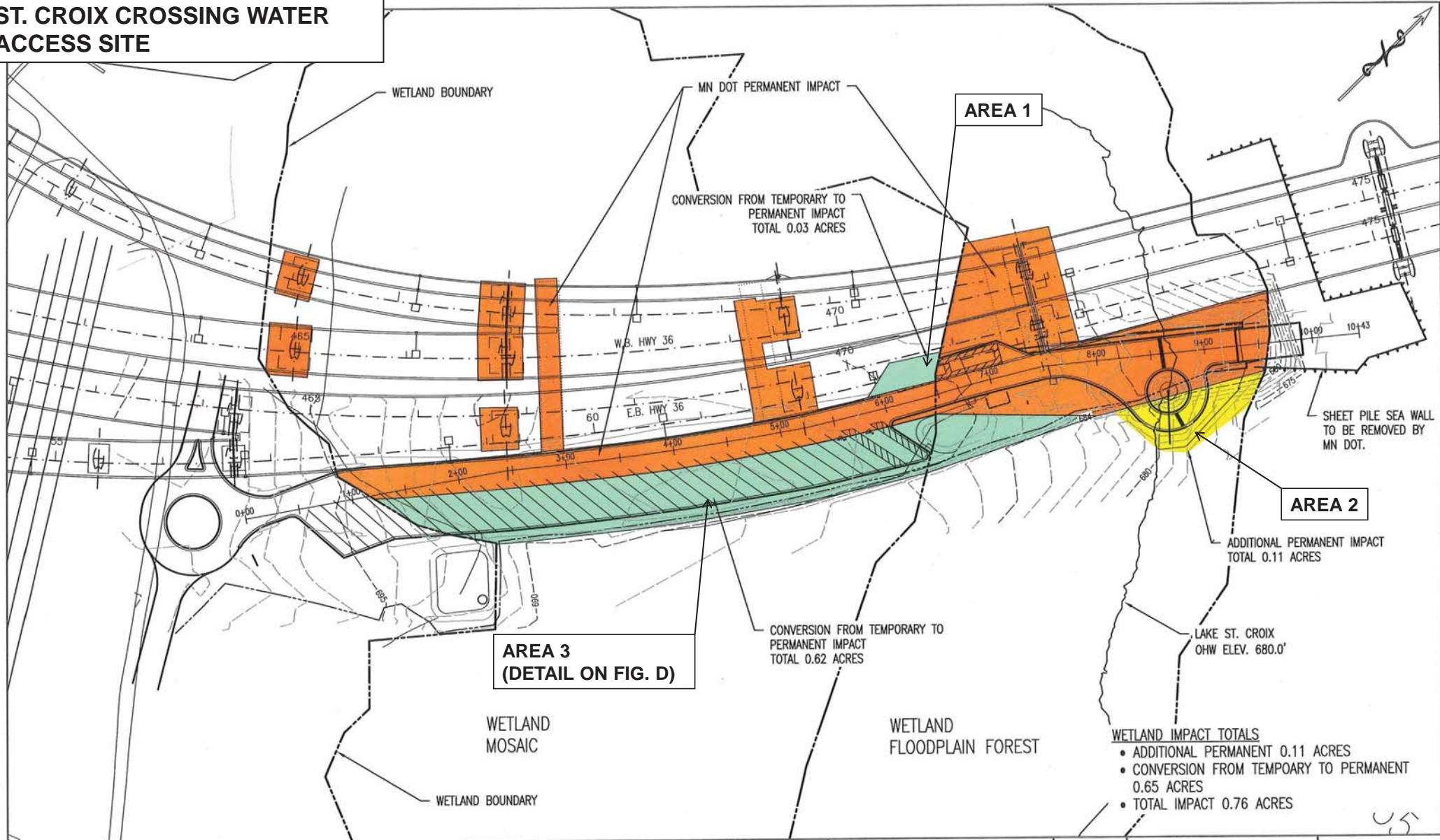
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**FIGURE C: WETLAND IMPACTS
ST. CROIX CROSSING WATER
ACCESS SITE**



- WETLAND IMPACT TOTALS**
- ADDITIONAL PERMANENT 0.11 ACRES
 - CONVERSION FROM TEMPORARY TO PERMANENT 0.65 ACRES
 - TOTAL IMPACT 0.76 ACRES

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