

## Development Clerk

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**Cc:** berncarr@tesenvironmental.com; tcbuhl@verizon.net;  
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**Subject:** Wetlands Delineation Report for 4575 North Rd, Canandaigua NY Solar PV Project  
**Attachments:** Wetlands Report.pdf

Mr. Steven Metivier,  
US. Army Corps of Engineers  
1776 Niagara Street Buffalo, NY 14207

It was my understanding that the Town of Canandaigua was to submit the attached Wetlands Report directly to your office. If they have not, attached is a copy for your office's review and record.

We requested that TES delineate the boundaries of the wetlands on our proposed solar farm. After the wetland delineation was completed, we redesigned the solar farm to avoid all wetland areas. We are not proposing any disturbance to Corps regulated wetland areas. Furthermore, we plan to use good soil management practices and use erosion and sediment control measures when we construct the solar farm to avoid any impacts to wetlands. Mr. Bernie Carr of TES has been in contact with Maggie Crawford about solar farm construction and the minimum disturbance of micro pile driven foundations (no auguring or excavation and no grading required) if minimally located within the wetlands area although this project is not located within the wetlands area.

This proposed solar farm at the 4575 North Rd. will be constructed outside the wetlands areas to avoid the wetlands and therefore a permit should not be required.

The Town of Canandaigua may ask for a letter or some documentation from your office to verify a wetlands disturbance permit will not be required.

Thank you,

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