

SUPPLEMENTAL PUBLIC NOTICE

US Army Corps of Engineers New York District Jacob K. Javits Federal Building New York, N.Y. 10278-0090 ATTN: Regulatory Branch

In replying refer to:

Supplemental Public Notice: Number NAN-2008-000927-EHA

Issue Date: July 25, 2011 Expiration Date: August 24, 2011

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

To Whom It May Concern:

On August 15, 2008, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) issued Public Notice Number NAN-2008-00927-EJE concerning a permit application submitted by the New York City Department of Sanitation to construct a replacement East 91st Street Marine Transfer Station Pier Platform with Maintenance Dredging. The site is located in the East River, at the Terminus of East 91st Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York County, New York. A public hearing was held by USACE on September 16, 2008. The August 15, 2008 Public Notice stated that the applicant proposed to mitigate for all aquatic impacts, however at that time a specific mitigation plan had not been submitted.

As part of the above referenced permit application, in June 2011 the USACE received a complete mitigation proposal from the Department of Sanitation to compensate for expected adverse impacts to the aquatic ecosystem from the proposed increased over-water shading. To allow for full public review of all proposed activities that require authorization from USACE we are issuing this Supplemental Public Notice to solicit written comments on the mitigation proposal. A description and plans of the applicant's mitigation proposal are enclosed to assist in your review.

ALL COMMENTS REGARDING THE MITIGATION PLAN MUST BE PREPARED IN WRITING AND MAILED TO REACH THIS OFFICE BEFORE THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON AUGUST 24, 2011, otherwise, it will be presumed that there are no objections to the activity. Please mail written comments to the following address:

Naomi Handell
Department of the Army
Corps of Engineers
New York District
26 Federal Plaza, Room 1937
New York, New York 10278-0090

A complete copy of the original August 15, 2008 Public Notice can be viewed on the New York District's website at http://www.nan.usace.army.mil/business/buslinks/regulat/pnotices/2008927.pdf. If you have any questions, or require further information regarding the Public Notice, you may contact Ms. Naomi Handell at (917) 790-8523, or send an E-mail message to Naomi.J.Handell@usace.army.mil. Comments may also be sent by fax to 212-264-4260.

Richard L. Tomer

Chief, Regulatory Branch

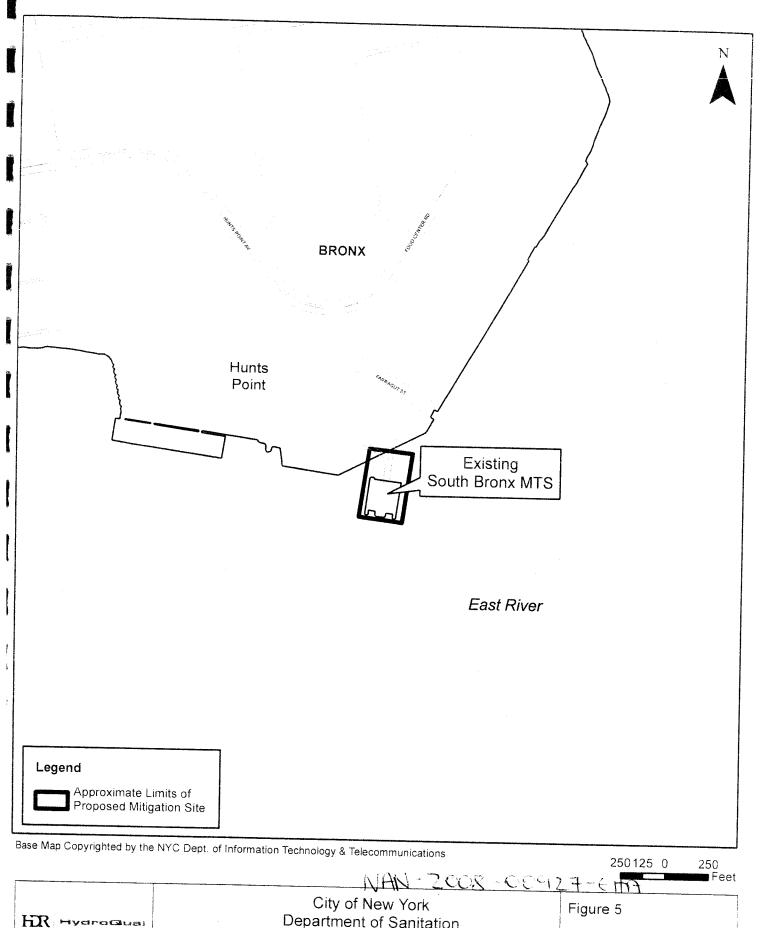
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WORK DESCRIPTION

The proposed replacement and upgrading of the existing East 91st Street Marine Transfer Station (MTS) pier platforms would have a net open water shading impact of approximately 1.13 acres. Proposed activities to mitigate for this impact involve creating open water habitat, as described below.

At the South Bronx MTS, located on the East River in the Hunts Point Section of the Bronx, the existing over-water structures would be removed to create approximately 0.97 acres of open water habitat. (See Sheet 1 of 9.)

At the Bush Terminal Site, located in Upper New York Bay between 45th Street and 50th Street in Brooklyn, approximately 1,796 cubic yards of material and debris would be dredged via clamshell bucket within Bush Terminal Pier 4 to create 0.16 acres of open water at a depth of -19 feet at Mean Low Water. Any excess dredged material not reused on site will be placed at a state approved upland location. A turbidity curtain would be installed around the perimeter of the site prior to the start of dredging. The dredged material would be decanted prior to removal from barges. Decant water may be discharged to Upper New York Bay. In addition to the removal of debris, the applicant has also proposed to use the material removed from the Pier 4 area to create additional shallow water habitat along the near shore areas of Piers 2, 3, and 4. (See Sheets 3 through 9 of 9.)



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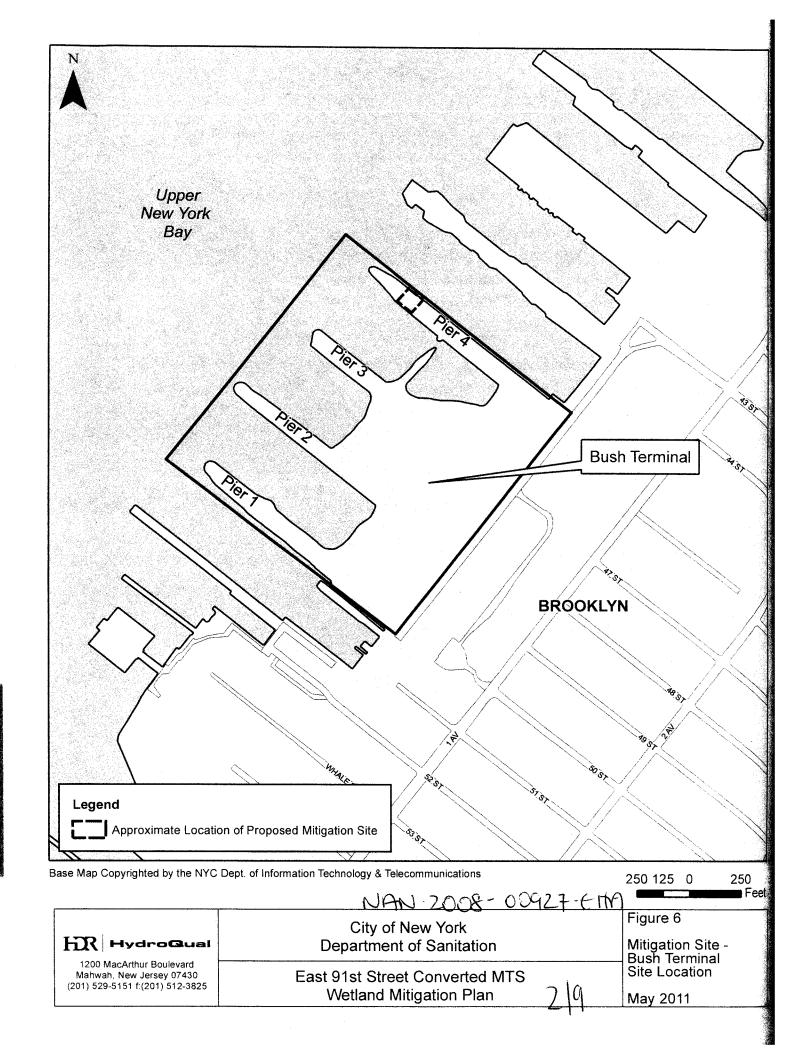
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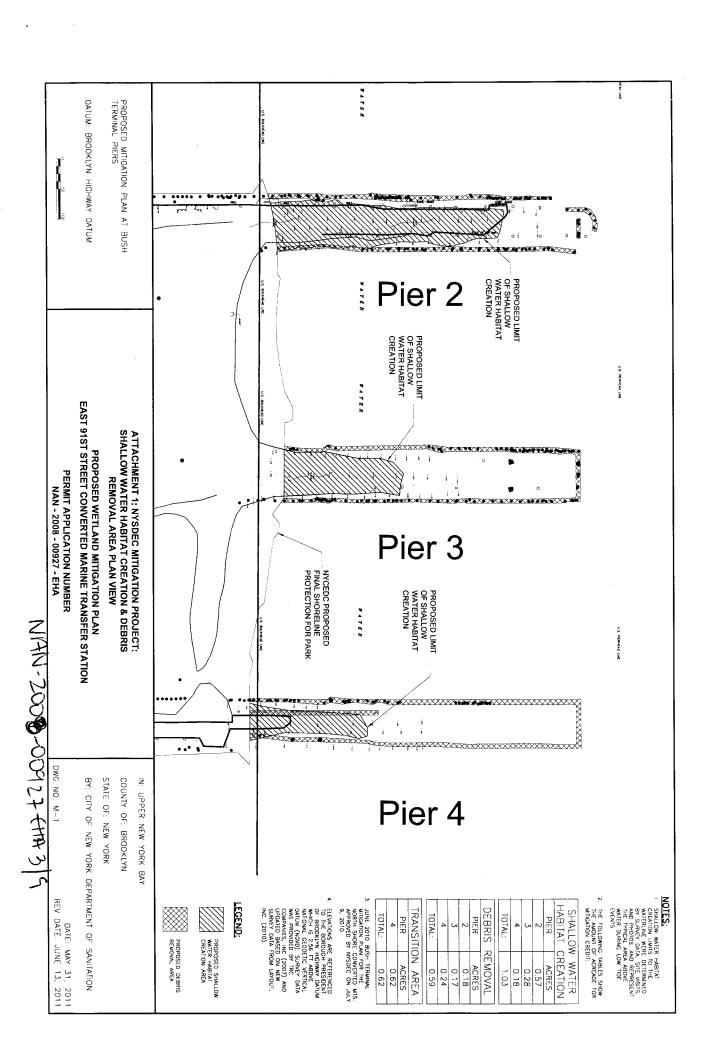
**Mitigation Site - South Bronx MTS Site Location

Wetland Mitigation Plan

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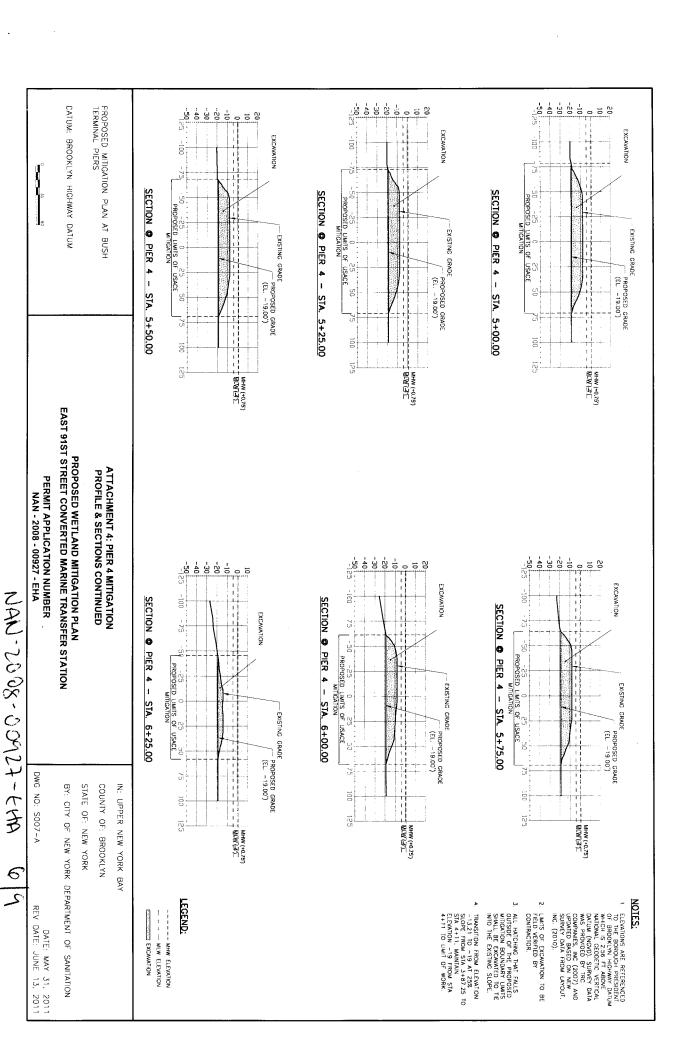


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