

IDENTIFICATION OF ENDANGERED SPECIES WATERS
TULSA DISTRICT
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This document identifies waterbodies within the Tulsa District geographic area that provide habitat for threatened or endangered species. Project proponents are advised to coordinate project details with the Tulsa District Regulatory Office regarding proposed construction activities in these waters subject to the authorities of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act and Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899.

Waters of the United States: The term *waters of the United States* includes all lakes, rivers, streams, tributary creeks (both intermittent and ephemeral creeks), natural ponds, impoundments of such waters, and wetlands adjacent to such waters (see 33 CFR 328.3).

Numerous aquatic areas within the Tulsa District geographic area provide habitat for threatened or endangered species. Project proponents are advised to keep abreast of the status of endangered species and Critical Habitat designations. Information on endangered species and their habitat is available from the USFWS webpage:

<http://www.fws.gov/southwest/es/EndangeredSpecies/>.

Existing Designations of Critical Habitat in the Tulsa District			
Water Name	County	Location and Extent of Critical Habitat	Species of Concern
Black Fork Creek	Pushmataha	Mainstem from its junction with Little River upstream to State Highway 144	Leopard Darter (<i>Percina pantherina</i>)
East Fork of Glover Creek (River)	McCurtain	Mainstem from its junction with the West Fork Glover Creek (River) upstream to 4 air-miles north-northwest of the community of Bethel.	Leopard Darter
West Fork Glover Creek (River),	McCurtain	Mainstem from its junction with the East Fork Glover River upstream to the community of Battiest	Leopard Darter
Glover Creek (River)	McCurtain	Mainstem from State Highway 7 Bridge upstream to the junction of the East Fork and West Fork	Leopard Darter
Little River	Pushmataha	Mainstem from the mouth to Cloudy Creek upstream to the Pushmataha – Le Flore County Line	Leopard Darter
Little River	McCurtain	Mainstem below Pine Creek Reservoir	Leopard Darter
Mountain Fork Creek (River)	McCurtain	Mainstem from the mouth of Boktukola Creek upstream to the Oklahoma - Arkansas State Line	Leopard Darter
Salt Plains National Wildlife Refuge	Alfalfa	NWR lands around Great Salt Plains Lake	Whooping Crane (<i>Grus americana</i>)
Canadian River	Numerous counties	From State Highway 33 bridge near Thomas, downstream to Indian Nation Turnpike bridge northwest of McAlester, Oklahoma.	Arkansas River Shiner (<i>Notropis girardi</i>)
Cimarron River	Numerous counties	From U.S. Highway 54 bridge in Seward County, KS downstream to U.S. Highway 77 bridge in Logan County	Arkansas River Shiner
Other waters which provide habitat for endangered or threatened species (not currently designated as Critical Habitat)			
Water Name	County	Location and Extent	Species of Concern
Kiamichi River	Pushmataha, Le Flore	Upstream from Hugo Reservoir	Ouachita Rock Pocketbook Mussel (<i>Arkansia wheeleri</i>)
Neosho (Grand) River	Craig, Ottawa	Upstream from Miami	Neosho madtom (<i>Noturus placidus</i>)
Red River	Numerous		Interior Least Tern (<i>Sterna antillarum</i>) American Alligator (<i>Alligator mississippiensis</i>)
Canadian River	Numerous		Interior Least Tern
North Canadian River	Numerous		Interior Least Tern
Cimarron River	Numerous		Interior Least Tern
Salt Fork Arkansas River	Numerous		Interior Least Tern
Arkansas River	Numerous		Interior Least Tern