

## Derek Bevins

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**From:** Lapierre, Laura <Laura.Lapierre@vermont.gov>  
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**To:** Derek Bevins  
**Subject:** VSWI vs Delineation

Hi Derek,

The VSWI maps are intended to show the approximate location of a Class II wetland. The exact boundaries of a wetland need to be determined in the field during the growing season with a formal wetland delineation. <https://anrmaps.vermont.gov/websites/WetlandScreening/Docs/2021%20Mapping%20Guidance%20VSWI.pdf>

See section 3.2b of the Vermont Wetland Rules:

“The Vermont Significant Wetland Inventory (VSWI) maps denote the approximate location and configuration of significant wetlands. The actual boundaries of wetlands shown on the VSWI maps shall be determined in the field in accordance with the methodology provided for in Section 3.2(a) and,…”

I hope this clears up any confusion.

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