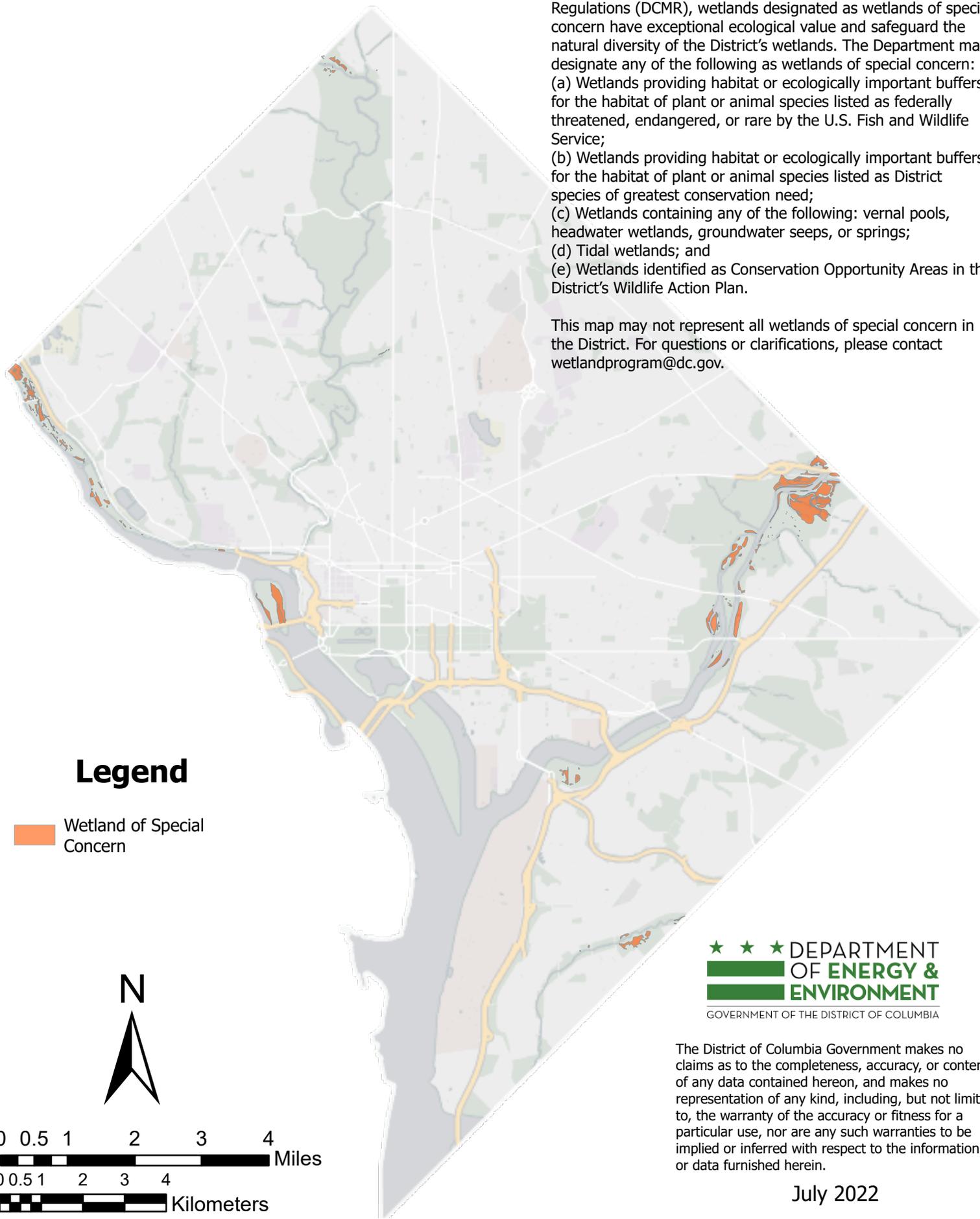


District Wetlands of Special Concern

Per Section 2616 of Chapter 26 (Critical Area – Wetlands and Streams), Title 21 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations (DCMR), wetlands designated as wetlands of special concern have exceptional ecological value and safeguard the natural diversity of the District's wetlands. The Department may designate any of the following as wetlands of special concern:

- (a) Wetlands providing habitat or ecologically important buffers for the habitat of plant or animal species listed as federally threatened, endangered, or rare by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service;
- (b) Wetlands providing habitat or ecologically important buffers for the habitat of plant or animal species listed as District species of greatest conservation need;
- (c) Wetlands containing any of the following: vernal pools, headwater wetlands, groundwater seeps, or springs;
- (d) Tidal wetlands; and
- (e) Wetlands identified as Conservation Opportunity Areas in the District's Wildlife Action Plan.

This map may not represent all wetlands of special concern in the District. For questions or clarifications, please contact wetlandprogram@dc.gov.



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 Wetland of Special Concern



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