

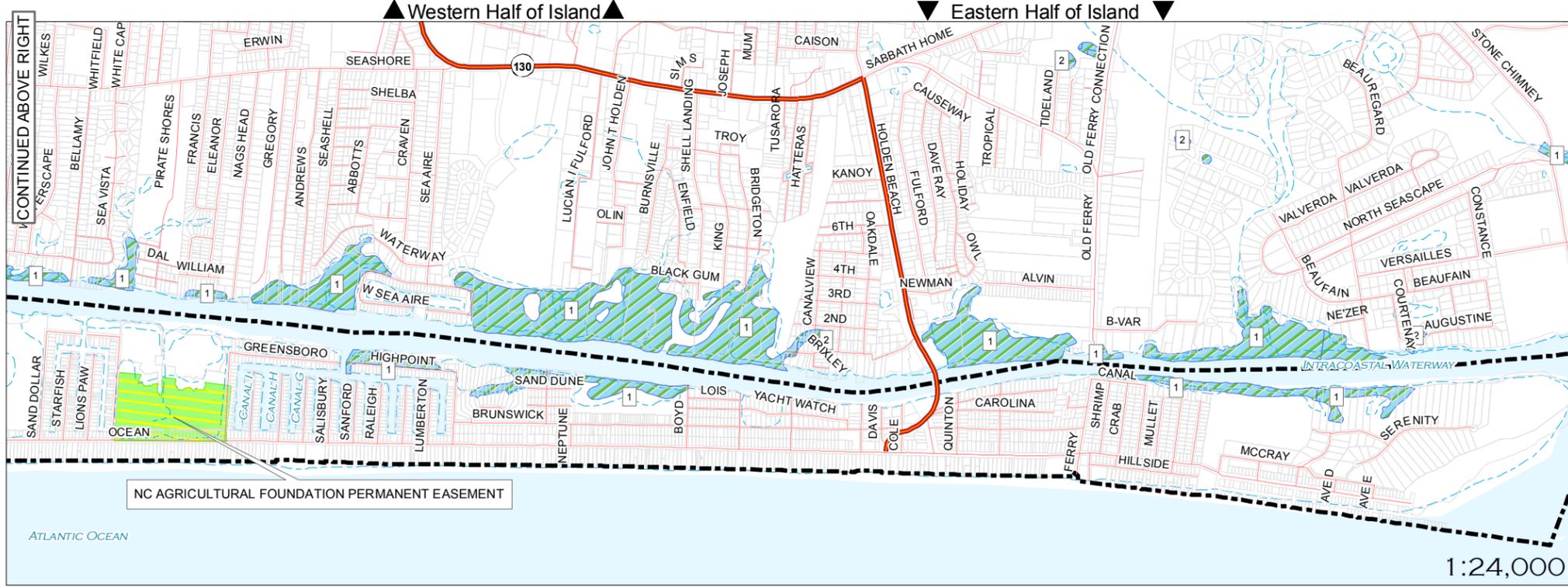
SALT/BRACKISH MARSH IS ANY SALT MARSH OR OTHER MARSH SUBJECT TO REGULAR OR OCCASIONAL FLOODING BY TIDES, INCLUDING WIND TIDES (WHETHER OR NOT THE TIDE WATERS REACH THE MARSHLAND AREAS THROUGH NATURAL OR ARTIFICIAL WATERCOURSES), AS LONG AS THIS FLOODING DOES NOT INCLUDE HURRICANE OR TROPICAL STORM WATERS. MARSHES IN THIS CATEGORY ARE ALSO CALLED COASTAL MARSHES.

FRESHWATER MARSHES ARE HERBACEOUS AREAS THAT ARE FLOODED FOR EXTENDED PERIODS DURING THE GROWING SEASON. INCLUDED ARE MARSHES WITHIN LACUSTRINE SYSTEMS (LAKES), MANAGED IMPOUNDMENTS, SOME CAROLINA BAYS, AND OTHER NON-TIDAL MARSHES (I.E. MARSHES WHICH DO NOT FALL INTO THE SALT/BRACKISH MARSH CATEGORY).

SOURCE: "NC DIVISION OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT Wetland Type Descriptions"

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TOWN OF HOLDEN BEACH

CAMA LAND USE PLAN

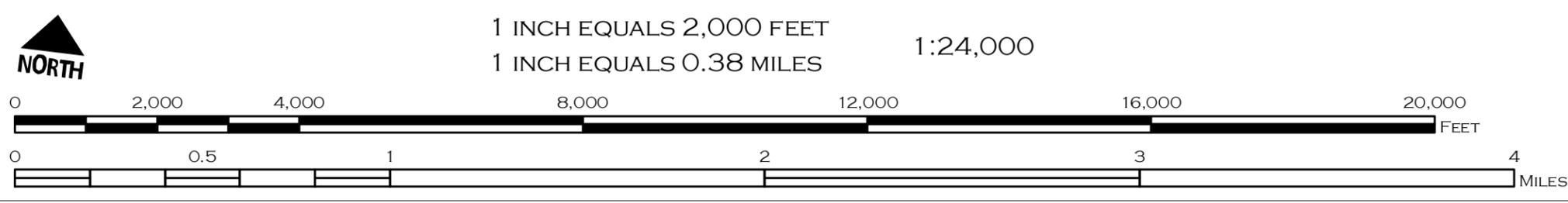
Coastal Wetlands and Protected Lands Map

- LEGEND
- PRIMARY ROAD
 - CITY LIMITS
 - STREAMS/SHORELINES
 - COASTAL WETLAND
 - PROTECTED LANDS

COASTAL WETLANDS ARE REGULATED UNDER THE CAMA PERMITTING PROCESS AS AREAS OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN. THE COASTAL RESOURCES COMMISSION'S RULES DEFINE COASTAL WETLANDS AS ANY MARSH IN THE 20 COASTAL COUNTIES THAT REGULARLY OR OCCASIONALLY FLOODS BY LUNAR OR WIND TIDES, AND THAT INCLUDES ONE OR MORE OF 10 PLANT SPECIES: SALT MARSH CORD GRASS, BLACK NEEDLERUSH, GLASSWORT, SALT GRASS, SEA LAVENDER, BULRUSH, SAW GRASS, CATTAIL, SALT MEADOW GRASS, OR SALT REED.

PROTECTED LANDS ARE PUBLICLY-OWNED LANDS (PARKS) AND OTHER LANDS "MANAGED FOR CONSERVATION AND OPEN SPACE".

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