EXPLANATION

This map displays 2006 National Agriculture Imagery Program (NAIP) orthophotography for the State of Connecticut. It is a natural-color, false color 1:79,000 scale (1 meter) aerial survey taken on July 19th and 19th and August 1st, 15th, 14th, and 16th, depending on the area. The multispectral imagery is not color-balanced since spectral differences between individual aerial image is not controlled. This will change differences in the range and intensity of colors depending on the area viewed. The location and slope of features in other EIS layers will not exactly match information shown in the aerial photography primarily due to differences in spatial accuracy and data collection dates. Street-level data such as major interstates, US routes, state routes, arterials, railroads, and ferry crossings are displayed yet may not match the location of such features in the orthophoto. Also shown are airports, hospitals, educational facilities, train stations, and parks boundaries. Important geographic locations and waterbodies are labeled.

DATA SOURCES

ORTHOPHOTOGRAPHY - Imagery provided by the National Agricultural Imagery Program (NAIP), a part of the USDA’s Farm Service Agency through the Aerial Photography Field Office in Salt Lake City.

BASE DEP DATA - All data is based on 1:24,000 scale and displays geographic names, places and their symbols, town boundaries, railroads, and airports. Base map data is either current or complete.

Hydrodata provided by the USGS via the ESRI Hydro 1K layer.

Photos and Digital Data - Visit the CT DEP website to download the base map digital spatial data shown on this map.