



**US Army Corps  
of Engineers**  
Fort Worth District

# Public Notice

Applicant: City of Dallas

Permit Application No.: SWF-2013-00350

Date: October 24, 2013

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The purpose of this public notice is to inform you of a proposal for work in which you might be interested. It is also to solicit your comments and information to better enable us to make a reasonable decision on factors affecting the public interest. We hope you will participate in this process.

## **Regulatory Program**

Since its early history, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has played an important role in the development of the nation's water resources. Originally, this involved construction of harbor fortifications and coastal defenses. Later duties included the improvement of waterways to provide avenues of commerce. An important part of our mission today is the protection of the nation's waterways through the administration of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Regulatory Program.

## **Section 10**

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is directed by Congress under Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors of 1899 (33 USC 403) to regulate *all work or structures in or affecting the course, condition or capacity of navigable waters of the United States*. The intent of this law is to protect the navigable capacity of waters important to interstate commerce.

## **Section 404**

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is directed by Congress under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 USC 1344) to regulate the *discharge of dredged and fill material into all waters of the United States, including wetlands*. The intent of the law is to protect the nation's waters from the indiscriminate discharge of material capable of causing pollution and to restore and maintain their chemical, physical and biological integrity.

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16-DAY EXTENSION OF PUBLIC NOTICE COMMENT PERIOD

**SUBJECT:** On October 11, 2013, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Fort Worth District (USACE) released Public Notice SWF-2013-00350 in an effort to solicit comments on an Application for a Department of the Army Permit under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA) and for water quality certification under Section 401 of the CWA to discharge dredged and fill material into waters of the U.S. associated with the construction of the Upper McKamy Branch Improvement Project in the City of Dallas in Collin County, Texas.

Due to the Federal Government Shutdown which occurred from October 1, 2013 until October 17, 2013, the USACE will grant a 16-day extension to the comment period. All comments pertaining to this Public Notice must reach this office on or before November 25, 2013, which is the close of the extended comment period.

Comments and requests for additional information should be submitted to Mr Mike Happold; Regulatory Branch, CESWF-PER-R; U. S. Army Corps of Engineers; Post Office Box 17300; Fort Worth, Texas 76102-0300. You may visit the Regulatory Branch in Room 3A37 of the Federal Building at 819 Taylor Street in Fort Worth between 8:00 A.M. and 3:30 P.M., Monday through Friday. Telephone inquiries should be directed to (817) 886-1670. Please note that names and addresses of those who submit comments in response to this public notice may be made publicly available.

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