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## **Corps of Engineers Announces Injunction Lifted on Dallas Floodway Extension Project**

FORT WORTH, TX -- The Fort Worth District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, in cooperation with the city of Dallas, announced today that the injunction, which halted the Dallas Floodway Extension project in spring of 2002, has been lifted. Judge Terry Means, United States District Judge, made the ruling on Wednesday. Construction on the project could be underway within the next two months.

The Corps of Engineers completed a supplement to the environmental impact statement that answered the concern about the cumulative impacts of other known or foreseeable future projects. Over the past two years, the Corps has continued work on the design phase of the remaining wetlands and levees for the project while the Dallas city staff has continued with acquisition of lands for mitigation and project purposes.

“This is great news for the citizens of Dallas,” said Colonel John R. Minahan, Fort Worth District Engineer. “We are looking forward to getting a contract awarded to get this project back on track.”

Jill Jordan, City of Dallas Assistant City Manager, also welcomed the good news.

“We are pleased with the judge’s ruling that allows us to proceed with this project, which will provide much-needed flood protection to thousands of Dallas citizens.”

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