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REPLY TO ATTENTION OF:

July 15, 2013

Planning, Environmental, and Regulatory Division

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

DRAFT FONSI AND ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FOR REVISIONS TO MANSFIELD (MARSHALL FORD) DAM AND LAKE TRAVIS WATER CONTROL MANUAL, COLORADO RIVER, COLORADO RIVER BASIN, TEXAS

The public is hereby notified of the availability of the Draft Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) and Environmental Assessment (EA) for revisions to the Mansfield (Marshall Ford) Dam and Lake Travis, Colorado River, Texas, Water Control Manual for the Highland Lakes region of the Lower Colorado River Basin. The United States Army Corps of Engineers, Fort Worth District and the Lower Colorado River Authority, the non-federal sponsor, have prepared the Draft FONSI and EA to address the proposed revisions to the operations rules to identify, evaluate, and disclose all associated impacts that would result from proposed adjustments to water stage elevations included in the new Water Control Manual.

The Draft FONSI and EA will be available for review at the following locations:

Lower Colorado River Authority 3700 Lake Austin Boulevard Austin, Texas 78703

The Draft FONSI and EA can also be viewed via the Internet on the Fort Worth District website at the following address: www.swf.usace.army.mil

A 30-day public comment period begins with publication of this Notice of Availability. Please address any comments to Ms. Marcia Hackett, CESWF-PER-EE, P. O. Box 17300, Fort Worth, Texas 76102-0300, or email at marcia.r.hackett@usace.army.mil.

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