



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

PUBLIC NOTICE

Application No: 200300336
Project: Lake Ralph Hall
Applicant: Upper Trinity Regional Water District
Waterway: North Sulphur River
Issue Date: November 15, 2018
Expiration Date: December 3, 2018

REPLY TO:

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REVISED NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE
FOR EXTENSION OF COMMENT PERIOD ON
DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT
AND SECTION 404 PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED TO
U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS**

Notice

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) Fort Worth District, Texas is announcing the extension of the comment period for the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Lake Ralph Hall (LRH) project and the associated Department of the Army permit application from the Upper Trinity Regional Water District (UTRWD). Permits are issued under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (Section 404), which regulates the placement of dredge or fill material in the nation's waters.

Draft EIS

The Fort Worth District released the Draft EIS for the LRH project October 5, 2018 wherein it analyzed the direct, indirect, and cumulative effects of the proposal. The Fort Worth District requested review and comments on the DEIS and associate permit application and provided a 45 day comment period. Technical issues developed associated with the public's access to the DEIS and supporting information on the Fort Worth District website. The Corps was made aware of these issues November 7, 2018. Corrective actions were taken and access was restored by November 13, 2018. Due to the public's inability to access the DEIS and supporting information, **the Corps is extending the comment period 12 days until December 3, 2018.**

Electronic copies of the Draft EIS may be obtained from the Fort Worth Regulatory Office or its website at <https://www.swf.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Permitting/Proposed-Lake-Ralph-Hall/>

Copies of the Draft EIS are also available for review at the following locations:

- Ladonia City Hall, 100 Center Plaza, Ladonia, TX 75449.
- Wolfe City Public Library, 102 TX-11, Wolfe City, TX 75496.
- Commerce Public Library, 1210 Park Street, Commerce, TX 75428.
- Honey Grove Library, 500 N 6th Street, Honey Grove, TX 75466.
- Bonham Public Library, 305 E 5th Street, Bonham, TX 75418.
- Greenville Public Library, 1 Lou Finney Lane, Greenville, TX 75401
- Upper Trinity Regional Water District, 900 North Kealy Street, Lewisville, TX 75067.
- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Fort Worth Regulatory Office, 819 Taylor Street, Fort Worth, TX 76102.

All written comments on the Draft EIS and replies to the public notice for the permit application should be sent to—

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