

Department of the Army

Army Science Board; Notice of Closed Meeting

In accordance with Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92-463), announcement is made of the following Committee Meeting:

Name of Committee: Army Science Board (ASB).

Date of Meeting: 5 and 6 June 1995.

Time of Meeting: 1200-1700, 5 June 1995; 0800-1700, 6 June 1995.

Place: Atlanta, GA.

Agenda: The Army Science Board's Logistics and Sustainability Subgroup will meet for discussions focused on current doctrine, missions, functions, force structures and modules, and technologies reference "Army Logistical Support to Operations Other Than War." These meetings will be closed to the public in accordance with Section 552b(c) of Title 5, U.S.C., specifically subparagraph (1) thereof, and Title 5, U.S.C., Appendix 2, subsection 10(d). The classified and unclassified matters to be discussed are so inextricably intertwined so as to preclude opening any portion of these meetings. The ASB Administrative Officer, Sally Warner, may be contacted for further information at (703) 695-0781.

Sally A. Warner,

Administrative Officer, Army Science Board,
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Corps of Engineers

To Prepare a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS) For the Proposed Rio Grande Floodway, San Acacia to Bosque del Apache, Socorro County, New Mexico

AGENCY: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, DOD.

ACTION: Notice of intent to prepare a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS).

SUMMARY:

1. Proposed Action

The purpose of the study is to reevaluate the plan of flood protection authorized by the Flood Control Act of 1948 (Public Law 858) for the proposed Rio Grande Floodway, San Acacia to Bosque del Apache, Socorro County, New Mexico, in light of newly listed endangered species and changes in levee design parameters. The proposed action is to provide increased flood protection from San Acacia to Elephant Butte Reservoir, New Mexico. The proposed action is to replace the existing west bank embankment along the Rio Grande with a structurally competent levee capable of containing

high volume, short duration flows up to the design discharge of 51,000 cubic feet per second (cfs) decreasing to 39,000 cfs at the downstream project terminus, as well as low volume, long duration flows. Coincident objectives are the preservation, conservation, and enhancement of biological, recreational, social, cultural and aesthetic values.

2. Alternatives Considered

Alternatives developed and evaluated during previous studies consisted of levee reconstruction (50-, 100-, and 200-year flood frequency levels and the Standard Project Flood), flood and sediment control dams, local levees, watershed land treatment, floodproofing and zoning, intermittent levee replacement, and no action.

This reevaluation involves evaluation of project effects on newly listed endangered species and changes in levee design parameters to accommodate low volume, long duration floods in addition to the previous design for high volume, short duration floods, and possible changes in levee alignment.

3. Public Involvement Process

Coordination is ongoing with both public and private entities having jurisdiction or an interest in land and resources in the middle Rio Grande valley of New Mexico. These entities include the general public, local governments, the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the New Mexico Department of Game and Fish, and the Interstate Stream Commission. A fully coordinated final environmental impact statement (EIS) addressing the previous recommendation to construct flood and sediment control dams on the Rio Puerco and Rio Salado was filed with the Council on Environmental Quality in 1977. An early public meeting was held in the city of Socorro in 1979. A supplemental EIS evaluating the effects of the alternative to rehabilitate the existing levee system was filed with the Council on Environmental Quality in 1992. Coordination will continue throughout development of the SEIS through scoping letters, meetings and field visits, and if requested, scoping meetings. All interested parties including Federal, state, and public entities will be invited to submit comments on the draft SEIS when it is circulated for review.

The planning effort is being coordinated with the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (Bureau) as a cooperating agency in the NEPA process. The Bureau was authorized to develop and implement a comprehensive plan for

flood control and water conservation under the Flood Control Acts of 1948 and 1950. The plan includes river channel maintenance activities throughout the middle Rio Grande and construction of the Low Flow Conveyance Channel (LFCC) from San Acacia to Elephant Butte Reservoir, designed to transmit river flows through a critical water-loss area. The proposed levee rehabilitation project parallels the LFCC for most of the project area. Close coordination between the Corps and the Bureau will be maintained throughout project planning.

The planning effort is also being coordinated with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service pursuant to the requirements of the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act of 1972 and the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended. Consultation with the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation and the New Mexico State Historic Preservation Officer is ongoing pursuant to the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966.

4. Significant Issues to be Analyzed

Significant issues to be analyzed in the development of the SEIS include the effect of the recommended plan on endangered species, floodplain development, water quality, riparian biological systems, wildlife refuge objectives, endangered species, social welfare, human safety, cultural resources, and aesthetic qualities. Development and implementation of mitigation measures will be undertaken for any unavoidable effects

5. Public Review

The estimated date that the draft Limited Reevaluation Report will be completed and the draft SEIS circulated for public review is February, 1996.

6. Further Information

Questions or comments regarding the study and the supplemental EIS may be directed to: Denise Smith, USAED, Albuquerque, P.O. Box 1580, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87103, Phone: (505) 766-6569.

Gregory D. Showalter,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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Availability of Vint Hill Farms Station

AGENCY: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, DOD.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Army, in accordance with the Base Closure

Community Redevelopment and Homeless Assistance Act of 1994, announces that the property listed below, at Vint Hill Farms Station Military Reservation, located approximately eight miles north of Warrenton, just east of Route 29 on Route 215, has been determined surplus. While most of the property is scheduled to be vacated by September 30, 1997, some of the property may become available sooner. This is the opportunity for state and local governments, representatives of the homeless, and other interested parties to submit their notices of interest.

DATES: Proposals for using the property should be submitted as soon as possible.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Owen Bludau, Executive Director, Vint Hill Task Force, 26B John Marshall Street, Warrenton, Virginia 22186, telephone: 703-347-6965, Fax 703-349-2304.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Task Force will coordinate the various interests in the property and develop a reuse plan and strategy for it. A summary of the property is as follows:

94 Family Housing Facilities.
6 Temporary Lodging Facilities.
27 Community Support Facilities.
56 Administrative Support Facilities.
4 Training/Education Facilities.
7 Communications Facilities.
2 Medical Facilities.
18 Recreation Facilities.
57 Storage Facilities.
12 Maintenance Facilities.
33 Utility Support Facilities.
Recreational land, which includes tennis and handball courts, pools, softball fields, helipad, playground, skeet field, and shuffleboards.
Approximately 1,279,952 SF of Building Space
Approximately 700 acres of land, 435 acres of which are undeveloped.

Gregory D. Showalter,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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Department of the Navy

CNO Executive Panel; Closed Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2), notice is hereby given that the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) Executive Panel will meet June 6-7, 1995, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., on each day at 4401 Ford Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia. This session will be closed to the public.

The purpose of this meeting is to conduct executive level discussions

about the task force final report. The matters being discussed constitute classified information that is specifically authorized by Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense and are, in fact, properly classified pursuant to such Executive order. Accordingly, the Secretary of the Navy has determined in writing that the public interest requires that the meeting be closed to the public because they will be concerned with matters listed in section 552b(c)(1) of title 5, United States Code.

For further information concerning this meeting, contact: Timothy J. Galpin, Assistant for CNO Executive Panel Management, 4401 Ford Avenue, Suite 601, Alexandria, VA 22302-0268, Phone: (703) 756-1205.

Dated: May 9, 1995

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CNO Executive Panel; Closed Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2), notice is hereby given that the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) Executive Panel will meet June 20-21, 1995, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on each day. The meeting will be held at the Applied Physics Laboratory, JHU, Johns Hopkins Road, Laurel, MD. These sessions will be closed to the public.

The purpose of this meeting is to conduct discussions on strategies for an uncertain future to include information warfare, reserve structure and mobilization, and the changing strategic environment. Additionally, the panel members will discuss and synthesize recommendations and conclusions which will appear in the final report. These matters constitute classified information that is specifically authorized by Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense and are, in fact, properly classified pursuant to such Executive order. Accordingly, the Secretary of the Navy has determined in writing that the public interest requires that all sessions of the meeting be closed to the public because they will be concerned with matters listed in section 552b(c)(1) of title 5, United States Code.

For further information concerning this meeting, contact: Timothy J. Galpin, Assistant for CNO Executive Panel Management, 4401 Ford Avenue, Suite 601, Alexandria, VA 22302-0268, Phone: (703) 756-1205.

Dated: May 15, 1995

L. R. McNees,

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CNO Executive Panel; Closed Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2), notice is hereby given that the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) Executive Panel will meet June 13, 1995, from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., in Room 4E630, The Pentagon, Arlington, Virginia. This session will be closed to the public.

The purpose of this meeting is to conduct executive level discussions about the task force final report. The matters being discussed constitute classified information that is specifically authorized by Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense and are, in fact, properly classified pursuant to such Executive order. Accordingly, the Secretary of the Navy has determined in writing that the public interest requires that all sessions of the meeting be closed to the public because they will be concerned with matters listed in section 552b(c)(1) of title 5, United States Code.

For further information concerning this meeting, contact: Timothy J. Galpin, Assistant for CNO Executive Panel Management, 4401 Ford Avenue, Suite 601, Alexandria, VA 22302-0268, Phone: (703) 756-1205.

Dated: May 15, 1995

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

National Board of the Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education; Meeting

AGENCY: National Board of the Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education, Education.

ACTION: Notice of partially closed meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the proposed agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the National Board of the Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education. This notice also describes the functions of the Board. Notice of this meeting is required