for individual providers, DoD published a second notice on July 20, 2007, expanding the TRICARE demonstration project for the State of Alaska to reimburse CAHs 101 percent of reasonable costs for inpatient and outpatient care with an effective date of July 1, 2007 (72 FR 41501), using a method similar to Medicare's payment for these hospitals. The CAH portion of the State of Alaska demonstration is no longer necessary because the DoD is implementing such a reimbursement system on a nationwide basis. Consequently, the CAH portion of the demonstration is terminated. The TRICARE CAH final rule was published on August 31, 2009 (74 FR 44752).

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army; Corps of Engineers

### Extension of the Public Comment Period for the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Moffat Collection System Project, City and County of Denver, Adams County, Boulder County, Jefferson County, and Grand County, CO

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) Omaha District is announcing a 32-day extension of the public comment period for the Moffat Collection System Project (Moffat Project) Draft Environmental Impact Statement (Draft EIS). The originally announced comment period ends on January 28, 2010, but has been extended until March 1, 2010. The original Notice of Availability of the Draft EIS was published in the **Federal Register** on Friday, October 30, 2009 (74 FR 56186).

**DATES:** Comments on the Draft EIS should be postmarked no later than March 1, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments on the Draft EIS should be sent to the attention of: Scott Franklin, Moffat EIS Project Manager, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Omaha District—Denver Regulatory Office, 9307 South Wadsworth Boulevard, Littleton, CO 80128; via Fax at 303–979–0602; or via e-mail at *moffat.eis@usace.army.mil.*

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** None.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Army; Corps of Engineers

### The Release of the Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) for the Proposed Construction of the Western Wake Regional Wastewater Management Facilities, Which Includes Regional Wastewater Pumping, Conveyance, Treatment, and Discharge Facilities To Serve the Towns of Apex, Cary, Holly Springs and Morrisville, as Well as the Wake County Portion of Research Triangle Park (RTP South) in North Carolina

**AGENCY:** Department of the Army, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (COE), Wilmington District, Regulatory Division has been reviewing the request for Department of the Army authorization, pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act from the Town of Cary, acting as the lead applicant for the Western Wake Regional Wastewater Management Facilities Project Partners (Western Wake Partners), to construct Regional Wastewater Management Facility. The proposed project consists of regional wastewater pumping, conveyance, treatment, and discharge facilities to serve the Towns of Apex, Cary, Holly Springs and Morrisville, as well as the Wake County portion of Research Triangle Park (RTP South), NC.

The project is being proposed by the Western Wake Partners to provide wastewater service for planned growth and development in the project service area and to comply with two regulatory mandates. One regulatory mandate has been issued by the North Carolina Environmental Management Commission (EMC), and the second regulatory mandate has been issued by the North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources (NC DENR).

**DATES:** Written comments on the Final EIS will be received until January 19, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** Copies of comments and questions regarding the Final EIS may be addressed to: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Wilmington District, Regulatory Division. ATTN: File Number 2005–20159, 69 Darlington Avenue, Wilmington, NC 28403. Copies of the Final EIS can be reviewed on the Wilmington District Regulatory homepage at, *http://www.saw.usace.army.mil/wetlands/projects/ww-wtp,* or contact Ms. Gwen Robinson, at (910) 251–4494, to receive written or CD copies of the Final EIS.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Questions about the proposed action and Final EIS can be directed to Mr. Henry Wicker, Project Manager, Regulatory Division, telephone: (910) 251–4930.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

1. *Project Description.* The proposed project consists of regional wastewater pumping, conveyance, treatment, and discharge facilities to serve the Towns of Apex, Cary, Holly Springs and Morrisville, as well as RTP South. The purpose of the project is to provide wastewater service for planned growth and development in the project service area and to comply with two regulatory mandates. One regulatory mandate has been issued by the North Carolina Environmental Management Commission (EMC), and the second regulatory mandate has been issued by the North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources (NC DENR). Regulatory Mandate No. 1—Interbasin Transfer: The Towns of Apex, Cary, and Morrisville, as well as RTP South, obtain their drinking water from Jordan Lake in the Cape Fear River Basin and discharge treated effluent to locations in the Neuse River Basin. Obtaining water from one basin and discharging it to another river basin is referred to as an interbasin transfer (IBT), which requires a permit from the EMC. In July 2001, the EMC granted the Towns of Apex, Cary, and Morrisville, as well as Wake County (on behalf of RTP South), an IBT certificate to withdraw water from the Cape Fear River Basin and transfer the water to the Neuse River Basin. However, as a condition of approval, the IBT certificate issued by the EMC requires the local governments to return reclaimed water to the Cape Fear River Basin after 2010. As a result, the local governments have initiated activities to plan, permit, design, and construct wastewater transmission, treatment, and disposal facilities in order to comply with the terms and conditions of the IBT certificate issued by the EMC. The facilities that are described and evaluated in the environmental impact statement (FEIS) are needed to comply with the IBT certificate terms and conditions.