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Army Corps Update on former Raritan Arsenal

EDISON, NJ — The New York District of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will discuss ongoing cleanup activities and site closure of the former Raritan Arsenal at a public meeting on October 3, 2006, at the Edison Municipal Complex located at 100 Municipal Blvd., Edison, New Jersey from 7-9 p.m.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will provide specific information about the cleanup activities and the progress toward site closure — recent indoor air investigations and ordinance removal actions. Additional items for discussion include the ecological risk assessment sampling, groundwater issues, and plans for fiscal year 2007.

The former Raritan Arsenal is located within the Raritan Center area on the banks of the Raritan River in Middlesex County. The arsenal consisted of approximately 3,200 acres and was operated by the Army from 1917 to 1963. Operations at the arsenal were the receipt, storage, shipment and/or decommissioning of ordnance, arms and machinery.

For further information about the former Raritan Arsenal site, please contact James T. Moore, project manager, and U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District, CENAN-PP-E, 26 Federal Plaza, Room 1811, New York, NY 10278-0090; telephone (732) 435-0079 or (917) 790-8331

