

## **News Release**

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## Corps of Engineers schedules Pecan Creek public meeting

Fort Worth, Texas – The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will host a public meeting Nov. 17 at 6:30 p.m., at the Civic Center, 311 South Weaver Street, Gainesville, Texas. Attendees will be presented an overview of the recommended Pecan Creek project in Cooke County and will be provided an opportunity for public comment. The Draft Detailed Project Report, which includes an integrated Environmental Assessment regarding the proposed implementation of the flood damage reduction project on Pecan Creek, sponsored by the City of Gainesville, is available for review at the following addresses:

Cooke County Public Library 200 South Weaver Gainesville, Texas Public Services Building 104 West Hird Street Gainesville, Texas City Hall (City Secretary) 200 South Rusk Gainesville, Texas

The objective of the study was to examine flood damage reduction alternatives along Pecan Creek and recommend a flood damage reduction project for implementation, if one could be found, that is technically and economically feasible, environmentally acceptable, and supported by the City of Gainesville.

The comment period for this action will close on Nov. 28. Comments may be sent by mail to Eli Kangas, CESWF-PER-PF, P.O. Box 17300, Fort Worth, Texas 76102-0300, or by e-mail at Eli.A.Kangas@swf02.usace.army.mil. Copies of the EA and draft Finding of No Significant Impact may be requested in writing at the above address or by calling (817) 886-1924. Comments relative to the water quality certification may be submitted to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, 401 Coordinator, MSC-150, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.