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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers seeks comments on the proposed remediation and restoration activities for the Former Bluebonnet Ordnance Plant, McGregor, McLennan County, Texas

FORT WORTH, Texas - The Fort Worth District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, is conducting a public meeting concerning the Former Bluebonnet Ordnance Plant, located in McGregor, McLennan County, Texas. The Former Bluebonnet properties are not apart of the Naval Weapons Industrial Reserve Plant (NWIRP) Installation investigations. Former Bluebonnet properties are privately held parcels located near NWIRP, which include two Formerly Used Defense Sites (FUDS) that are proposed for environmental restoration under the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), Texas Risk Reduction Program, Residential Remedy Standard A. Administrative Record files concerning the Former Bluebonnet Ordnance Plant will be available for review at the McGinley Public Library, 317 S. Main Street, McGregor, TX 76657.

Interested community members are invited to attend the public meeting at McGregor High School Auditorium, 903 Bluebonnet Pkwy, McGregor, TX 76657. Fort Worth District Corps personnel will conduct the meeting on March 23, 2006, at 7:00 pm, with sign-in starting at 6:30. Purpose of removal action and restoration activities will be presented in detail at the meeting.

Interested parties may submit written comments on the remediation and restoration activities by April 23, 2006, to the Fort Worth District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Ms. Roxanne Welch, CESWF-PER-DI (Room 3A12), 819 Taylor Street, P.O. Box 17300, Fort Worth, Texas 76102-0300 or by e-mail at: janet.r.welch@swf02.usace.army.mil.

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