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U. S. Army Corps of Engineers hosts Industry Day program highlighting BRAC 2005 construction impacts in San Antonio

FORT WORTH, Texas – In preparation for future construction projects at affected San Antonio area military installations, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Fort Worth District will be conducting market research by holding an Industry Day Forum in San Antonio. This Forum, conducted in partnership with the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, the City of San Antonio, and the Air Force Center for Environmental Excellence will seek information on Industry capability and input into how to execute a multi-billion dollar program in the San Antonio area.

The primary purpose of this free event is for Government program managers to better understand the market conditions and Industry capacity to execute a \$2.2 billion program over the next five years. The Government would also like to explore ideas for alternative approaches for the procurement and construction of the facilities to meet BRAC 2005 requirements. This Industry Day, to be held at the Henry B. Gonzales Convention Center, located at 200 E. Market St, San Antonio, Texas 78205, in addition to a market research questionnaire, is necessary in order for the Corps to determine whether or not the market has the capability and capacity to execute this potential multi-billion dollar program over the next four years.

The Construction Program will consist of primarily medical related facilities. This includes hospitals, clinics, surgical centers, and research laboratories. Also included are support facilities such as barracks and dormitories, medical training facilities, garages, youth centers, fire stations, vehicle maintenance facilities, and physical fitness centers. Projects include some new vertical construction, renovations and demolition along with some horizontal work such as parking area, aircraft taxiways and drainage structures. This program is not restricted and is open to both large and small business participation under NAICS codes 236 Construction of Buildings (236116, 117, 118, 210, 220); 237 Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction (237110, 120, 130, 210); 238 Specialty Trade Contractors (238110, 120, 130, 140, 150, 160, 170, 190, 210, 220, 290, 310, 320, 330, 340, 350, 390, 910, 990); 541 Professional and Technical Services (541310, 320, 330, 410, 490).

The Industry Day Forum will be held in the Mission Room of the Henry B. Gonzales Convention Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. It is highly recommended to register yourself and any other participants from your firm by using the following weblinks: http://www.sachamber.org/forms/brac_session.html or http://www.wliinc3.com/cgi/foxweb.dll/wlx/cal/wlxprofile?caleid=1445&view=FM&cc=GSANTCC. For more information call Stephanie James at (210) 229-2151 or email her at sjames@sachamber.org.