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## **Corps of Engineers delays Russell Park Beach Area at Georgetown Lake spring opening**

**FORT WORTH, Texas** – The U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Fort Worth District, announced today that the spring reopening of the beach area and associated picnic facilities at Russell Park at Georgetown Lake may be delayed due to low water levels. The continued lack of significant rainfall and the use of Georgetown Lake water for Georgetown and Round Rock city water supplies have resulted in lake levels falling as much as 14 feet below the conservation pool elevation of 791 feet. The low water levels have exposed potential safety hazards on the shoreline and in shallow water areas. The beach area and picnic facilities will be reopened when the lake elevation reaches 787 feet. The boat ramp will be opened as scheduled on April 1.

For more information call the Georgetown Lake Office at (512) 819-9046 or visit the Fort Worth District website at [www.swf.usace.army.mil](http://www.swf.usace.army.mil) .