



**US Army Corps
of Engineers** ®
Fort Worth District

Special Public Notice

Action: New Public Notice Procedures

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The Corps of Engineers is required to publish public notices for individual permit applications to solicit public comments and to publicize changes to the Regulatory Program. The required contents of these public notices and distribution procedures are described in the Code of Federal Regulations at 33 CFR 325.3 (<http://www.usace.army.mil/cw/cecwo/reg/33cfr325.htm#325.3>).

As required by Executive Order to reduce the use of paper in Federal agencies and to reduce the escalating costs in processing and mailing, the Fort Worth District Regulatory Branch will no longer mail paper copies of Public Notices to general mailing lists.

Beginning January 1, 2009, we will distribute public notices via our website at <http://www.swf.usace.army.mil/pubdata/environ/regulatory/public/pn/>. Applicants and property owners adjacent to proposed projects will continue to receive public notices via the U.S. Postal Service. You will need internet access to view future public notices. We will send email notifications when public notices have been posted to our website. To receive email notifications, you must register online at <http://www.swf.usace.army.mil/pubdata/environ/regulatory/reg/default.aspx>.

If you have any questions concerning this new procedure, please contact the Fort Worth District Regulatory Branch at (817)886-1731.

Thank you for your interest in the Regulatory Program and your prompt response to this request.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephen L. Brooks".

Stephen L Brooks
Chief, Regulatory Branch