

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, TULSA DISTRICT 2488 EAST 81ST STREET TULSA, OKLAHOMA 74137-4290

## PUBLIC NOTICE

## NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE IN PUBLIC NOTICE AVAILABILITY

The Tulsa District Regulatory Office has transitioned to electronic distribution of public notices to concerned and/or interested private parties (citizens, businesses, media, companies, organizations), and State/Federal agencies. The effected public notices regard proposed projects requiring authorization by the below Corps authorities in which you might have interest.

- **Section 10:** The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is directed by Congress through Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 (33 U.S.C. 403) to regulate all work or structures in or affecting the course, condition, or capacity of navigable waters of the United States. The intent of this law is to protect the navigable capacity of waters important to interstate commerce.
- **Section 404:** The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is directed by Congress through Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1344) to regulate the discharges of dredged and fill material into all waters of the United States. These waters include lakes, rivers, streams, mudflats, sandflats, sloughs, wet meadows, natural ponds, and wetlands adjacent to other waters. The intent of the law is to protect these waters from the indiscriminate discharge of material capable of causing pollution and to restore and maintain their chemical, physical, and biological integrity.

The Corps will cease mailing hard copy public notices effective August 17, 2018. The Corps is making this change due to cost, reduction in paper use, and technological advances. Our public notices are made available to the public on our website: <a href="https://www.swt.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Public-Notices/">https://www.swt.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Public-Notices/</a>. The Corps will only provide notification of new public notices by electronic mail. Paper public notices will be distributed by U.S. Postal Service in special circumstances only (i.e., Government-to-Government coordination with Native American tribes and adjacent landowners).

If you would like to be placed on a mailing list to receive public notices, please contact the Corps utilizing the contact information below and include your name, email address, mailing address, telephone number and indicate which state(s) in Oklahoma, Texas, or Kansas you would like to receive public notices. It is the interested party's responsibility to provide email address changes to the Corps when they occur.

Responses relating to this notice should be sent to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Tulsa District, ATTN: CESWT-RO, 2488 E 81<sup>st</sup> Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74137-4290; phone: 918-669-7400; email: ceswt-ro@usace.army.mil. Similar notification procedures are already in use within other Corps districts and divisions.