PUBLIC NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY
FOR
FORT BENNING, CHATTAHOOCHEE AND
MUSCOGEE COUNTIES, GEORGIA AND RUSSELL COUNTY, ALABAMA

To Whom It May Concern:

The United States Army Infantry Center, Directorate of Facilities, Engineering and Logistics, Fort Benning, Georgia, hereby announces the completion of and public availability of the Environmental Assessment (EA) and Finding of no Significant Impact (FNSI) concerning the implementation of the Integrated Natural Resources Management Plan (INRMP) at Fort Benning, GA.

These documents were prepared pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

Federal Installations are required to prepare an INRMP by the Sikes Act and its Amendments. The INRMP is the Installation Commander's comprehensive plan for ensuring that natural resource conservation measures and Army activities are integrated and consistent with Federal stewardship requirements.

The EA evaluates the effects associated with the implementation of the INRMP on soils, water quality, wildlife, socioeconomics, land use, environmental justice, cultural resources, utilities, noise, air quality, hazardous materials containment/disposal, public health and safety, and the protection of children.

The EA and FNSI for the proposed action have been completed and made available to the public for a review period of 30 days starting from the first day of publication in accordance with part 1501.4 (e)(1) of Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations and Army Regulation 200-2. These documents are available at the following locations:

- W.C. Bradley Memorial Library, located at 1120 Bradley Drive, Columbus, Georgia. Open Monday through Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Sunday from 1:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
- South Lumpkin Library, located at 2034 South Lumpkin Road, Columbus Georgia. Open Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and on Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- Fort Benning Main Post Library, located in Building 93, Fort Benning Georgia. Open Monday through Thursday from 11:00 a.m. to 8:50 p.m., and Sunday from 12:00 p.m. to 8:50 p.m.
- Phenix City Library, 1501 - 17th Ave, Phenix City, Alabama. Open Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m; Friday, 8:00 to 5:00 p.m. and Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Anyone wishing to comment on the proposed action or wishing to request additional information may write to the U.S. Army Infantry Center, Directorate of Facilities, Engineering and Logistics, Conservation Branch (Attention: Mr. Peter Swiderek), ATZB-ELN-C, Fort Benning, Georgia 31905-5122.

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