



Notice of Public Meeting

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Kansas City District

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Brush Creek Basin Feasibility Study Bruce R. Watkins Reach

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Kansas City District, in partnership with Johnson County, Kansas, the City of Kansas City, Missouri and the Brush Creek Coordinating Committee are conducting a public meeting for the Brush Creek Basin Feasibility Study. The purpose of the feasibility study is to identify multi-purpose opportunities for ecosystem restoration, flood hazard reduction and recreation within the Brush Creek Basin, located in Johnson County, Kansas and Kansas City, Missouri. The feasibility study will be fully integrated with an environmental assessment, prepared following National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers planning guidance.

This meeting will focus on issues and opportunities within the area around the Bruce R. Watkins Reach of Brush Creek in Kansas City, Missouri.

The purpose of the public meeting is to

- Provide an opportunity for the project partners to share information about the feasibility study, specifically conceptual alternatives for the Bruce R. Watkins Reach project site
- Seek public input on ideas and concerns regarding conceptual alternatives within the Bruce R. Watkins Reach project site
- Identify issues to be analyzed during the preparation of an environmental assessment
- Provide for public input concerning Clean Water Act Section 404 compliance

The public meeting will be held on **October 9, 2012 from 5:00 -7:00 pm**, at the Missouri Department of Conservation Anita B. Gorman Conservation Discovery Center, 4750 Troost Ave, Kansas City Missouri, 64110.

This is the third public meeting in a series that focuses on the Brush Creek Basin. Previous public meetings focused on the Bi-State Reach of Brush Creek in the vicinity of State Line Road and Roanoke Parkway.

Additional information about the Brush Creek Basin study is located on the web at <http://www.nwk.usace.army.mil/projects/BrushCreek/> and <http://www.brushcreekwatershed.com>

Questions may be directed to the Brush Creek Basin Project Manager at <http://www.nwk.usace.army.mil/projects/BrushCreek/EmailProject.cfm> or by calling (816) 389-2000.