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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers offices close to honor Ford

KANSAS CITY, Mo. – Employees of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will join other federal employees and the nation in mourning the death of Gerald Ford, 38th President of the United States.

Ford died this week at age 93.

The flag will fly at half-mast at all Corps offices and installations. Corps employees will take part in a National Day of Mourning, Jan. 2, 2007. Corps offices will close, excluding those involved with power generation.

"It is appropriate that we who work for the nation take these steps to recognize the late president's service," said Col. Michael Rossi, Kansas City District commander. "Our hearts are with President Ford's family during their time of sorrow."

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