



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
CORPS OF ENGINEERS, KANSAS CITY DISTRICT
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KANSAS CITY MO 64106-2896

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Planning, Programs, and
Project Management
Planning Branch

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

An Environmental Assessment titled, Saline County Levee, Non Federal, Emergency Levee Rehabilitation Project, and a draft Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) prepared by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Kansas City, are available for your review on the project's website at: [http:// www.nwk.usace.army.mil](http://www.nwk.usace.army.mil).

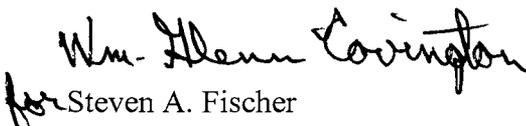
The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Kansas City District (USACE), in cooperation with the project sponsor, Saline County Levee Drainage District, propose to construct the Saline County Levee Rehabilitation Project under the authority of Public Law 84-99, of the Flood Control Act of 1944. Under this authority, the Corps of Engineers can provide assistance to public agencies in responding to flood emergencies such as the rehabilitation of flood control works damaged or destroyed by floods.

The Saline County Levee is located in Saline County, Missouri along the right descending bank of the Missouri River, from river mile 251.8 to 246.0, with tieback levees along the left bank of an unnamed tributary and the right bank of Salt Branch Creek. The proposed project would repair the levee to the previous level of flood protection prior to the June 2008 flood event by constructing an approximate 750 linear foot landward levee setback.

Copies of the EA and the draft FONSI are also available by contacting Ms. Lekesha Reynolds at 816-389-3160, lekesha.w.reynolds@usace.army.mil, or at the above mailing address.

The public review and comment period for the EA and draft FONSI will end 30 days from the date of this letter.

Sincerely,


for Steven A. Fischer
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