The West Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency (WSAFCA) is proposing the Southport Sacramento River Early Implementation Project (EIP) to implement flood risk-reduction measures along the Sacramento River South Levee in the city of West Sacramento in Yolo County, CA. In summer 2011, WSAFCA issued a Notice of Preparation (NOP) to prepare an environmental impact statement/report (EIS/R) for the EIP. Since then, WSAFCA has expanded the EIP study area to include additional soil borrow sites that may be needed to construct levee improvements. The expanded study area includes the area of levee risk-reduction measure construction, roadway construction and/or relocation, and potential soil borrow sites (see map). WSAFCA is now issuing a supplemental NOP to include the expanded study area.

The EIP would bring the levee up to current standard with Federal and state flood protection criteria, as well as provide opportunities for ecosystem restoration and public recreation. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is the Federal lead agency under the National Environmental Policy Act and WSAFCA is the lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act.

Public and Agency Input
USACE and WSAFCA are requesting your input on the scope and content of the EIS/R for the EIP. All interested parties are invited to comment between Friday, March 8, 2013 and Monday, April 8, 2013. All comments must be received by Monday, April 8, 2013 at 5 p.m.

Date: Thursday, March 28, 2013
Time: 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Place: West Sacramento City Hall Galleria
1110 West Capitol Avenue
West Sacramento, CA 95691

A presentation will begin at 6 p.m.

If you cannot attend the meeting, you can learn more by visiting www.cityofwestsacramento.org/city/flood/southport_eip/.

In addition to providing your input at the meeting, you can send or email your comments to:

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