

PUBLIC NOTICE

To the Residents of Escambia County, Florida and Interested Citizens:

On behalf of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), Consoer Townsend Envirodyne Engineers Inc. is conducting an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the replacement of the Escambia County's Mosquito Control Facility in Escambia County.

Escambia County's Mosquito Control Facility is currently located at 603 W. Romana Street, Pensacola, FL. The Facility was composed of seven buildings or structures which housed offices, an entomology laboratory, chemical storage, vehicles, and vehicle maintenance. Most of the buildings/structures were extensively damaged by Hurricane Ivan and have been demolished. Operations are currently being conducted out of temporary trailers that have been rented for the Facility. Escambia County is proposing to rebuild the Mosquito Control Facility at a new location at 611 Highway 297-A in Escambia County, FL, which currently houses a Road Department facility and a prison camp. The proposed new Facility would consist of four structures and associated parking, landscaping, and stormwater detention.

The EA is currently in draft form and is available for your review. The Draft EA addresses a number of topics including the feasible alternatives under consideration, environmental impacts of the alternatives, and mitigation measures for any substantial impacts identified. The Draft EA indicates that there are no significant adverse impacts from the Preferred Alternative. The public is being invited to comment on the project. If no substantive comments are received following agency and public review, the draft EA will be considered the final EA and no additional information will be incorporated.

It is important that we receive your input on the Draft EA to assure that we have addressed the specific issues and concerns that the residents of Escambia County and the State of Florida believe are important. Information repositories have been set up at the following locations for you to come in and review the Draft EA:

Pensacola Public Library
200 West Gregory Street
Pensacola, Florida 32502

Lucia M. Tryon Branch Library
5740 North Ninth Avenue
Pensacola, Florida 32504

In addition <http://www.fema.gov/plan/ehp/envdocuments/index.shtm> is the internet location where the document may be viewed online.

You can provide us with comments on the EA by mailing faxing, or emailing your comments to the following address:

Federal Emergency Management Agency
Florida Long Term Recovery Office
100 Sunport Lane
Orlando, Florida 32809
Attention: Mr. Richard Myers, Environmental Liaison Office
PHONE: 407-858-2705
FAX: 407-251-9930

or

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We will need to receive your comments by July 24, 2006. We look forward to your input.