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U. S. Army Corps of Engineers to hold public meeting for Bloomsburg flood protection project tomorrow, June 16

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will hold a public meeting tomorrow, June 16, 2005 at 7 p.m. in the Bloomsburg Fire Department Banquet Hall, 911 South Market Street. The purpose of the meeting is to share information and allow the public to comment on the Integrated Feasibility Report and Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the proposed Bloomsburg Flood Protection project. Additionally, the public will have the opportunity to provide oral comments and submit written comments on the report.

The comprehensive document addresses the potential environmental effects of various flood damage reduction plans along Fishing Creek and the Susquehanna River.

The public can view the EIS and Integrated Feasibility Report document online at www.nab.usace.army.mil/publications/non-reg_pub.htm. Hard copies of the document are available at the Town Library and County Traveling Library, and contain other related project information such as drawings and maps of the flood damage reduction project impact area.

The 45-day public comment period for this study ends June 27, 2005.

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