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### **Corps to hold public meeting on sources of sand for beach replenishment**

**OCEAN CITY, Md.** – The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Baltimore District, in partnership with Minerals Management Service, the town of Ocean City and the Maryland Department of Natural Resources, invites interested community members to a public meeting **Wednesday, July 25, 2007** at 7:00 p.m. at Ocean City Town Hall, 301 Baltimore Avenue, Ocean City, Md.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Atlantic Coast of Maryland Shoreline Protection Project. This document outlines the Corps' findings and investigations used to identify three new sources for sand needed to complete the shoreline protection project from years 2010 to 2044. These new sites are Weaver Shoal, Isle of Wight Shoal and Shoal "A," an area approximately 9.5 miles off shore.

Oral or written comments on the draft SEIS may be submitted to the Corps at the public meeting. Community members who are unable to attend the meeting and wish to comment may submit written comments to:

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All comments on the draft SEIS must be received on or before Aug. 28, 2007 to ensure consideration in the final plan development.

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