

SM-1 Project Update, August 25, 2019

Dear SM-1 Stakeholders,

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers released the Request for Proposal (RFP) notice earlier today for the contract for the decommissioning and dismantling of the SM-1 deactivated nuclear power plant at Fort Belvoir. With the release of the RFP, the team remains on schedule to award a contract for this work in the latter half of 2020.

A site visit will be held for all potential bidders on September 16, 2019. Additional information pertaining to this RFP and how potential bidders can participate in the site visit can be found on FedBizOpps at – <https://www.fbo.gov/spg/USA/COE/DACA31/W912DR18R0021/listing.html>

Additionally, the project team continues to work on the Decommissioning Planning documents, to include the Decommissioning Plan and the Environmental Assessment. The team appreciates the feedback we received from members of the community, both on-post and off-post, earlier this year. We anticipate publicly releasing the draft Environmental Assessment later this fall and having a public comment period to allow stakeholders to provide additional feedback.

Thank you all again for choosing to be a part of this process with us as we continue working through the planning phase of the decommissioning and dismantling of the deactivated SM-1.

As always, additional project information, historical photos, and previous stakeholder updates regarding the SM-1 project can be found on our website: www.nab.usace.army.mil/SM-1/.

If you have any questions, feedback or information you'd like to share with us, please feel free to e-mail me or call our Corporate Communication team at 410-962-2809.