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The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), San Francisco District, hereby announces our intent to hold a monthly interagency meeting on the second Wednesday of every month for potential applicants to receive feedback on upcoming projects located in the following counties: Humboldt, Del Norte, Trinity, and Siskiyou.

USACE, along with representatives from local, state and other federal agencies, will participate in these meetings so that we may hear project presentations from applicants and offer early feedback on the issues important to each of our agencies. The intent of such upfront coordination is better project planning and more efficient permit processing.

We invite prospective applicants to request that your project be included in an upcoming interagency meeting. The first of these monthly meetings is scheduled for April 10, 2013, from 1 to 4pm, to be held at the Humboldt Bay Harbor District's offices at the Woodley Island Marina (601 Startare Drive, Eureka, California, 95501). You will have one hour to make a presentation on your proposed project and receive feedback from the agencies.

Things to consider when requesting inclusion in an interagency meeting:

- What kind of feedback are you looking for?
- Do you have specific questions to be answered or do you want to discuss general permitting requirements?
- Are you aware of any permitting challenges that need to be addressed by/for specific agencies?
- Do you have enough information prepared to discuss those issues?

Information we will need to add your project to the schedule:

- The name of the project
- The applicant and agent (including contact info)
- Project location
- USACE file number (if one has been assigned)
- Project summary, including a project location map, brief site description, purpose and description of the proposed project, and identified natural and cultural resources.

We require you e-mail or mail the above information *no later than two weeks before the scheduled meeting*. This date is firm because the various local, state and federal agencies invited to the meeting need time to review the documents prior to the meeting date.

Prospective applicants may submit meeting requests and the above required information to Karen Jadro, via e-mail <u>Karen.A.Jadro@usace.army.mil</u>, or by mail to San Francisco District, Regulatory Division, Eureka Field Office, 601 Startare Drive, Eureka, California, 95501.