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PUBLIC NOTICE NO. SAM-2015-00573-PAH**

June 24, 2015

**JOINT PUBLIC NOTICE SAM-2015-00573-PAH
U. S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
OFFICE OF POLLUTION CONTROL**

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES

**TIME EXTENSION REQUEST FOR THE PROPOSED WETLAND FILL FOR
CONSTRUCTION OF AN EXTENSION OF CREOSOTE ROAD, A MIXED USE
DEVELOPMENT AND A CITY RECREATIONAL FACILITY, GULFPORT, HARRISON
COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI**

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This District has received an application for a Department of the Army permit pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 USC 1344). Please communicate this information to interested parties.

APPLICANTS: **Ward Investments**
Attention: Mr. T. Jerard Ward
13155 Highway 57, Suite D
Biloxi, Mississippi 39532

and the

City of Gulfport
Attention: Mr. Kris Riemann
Post Office Box 1780
Gulfport, Mississippi 39502

AGENT: **VHB**
Attention: Ms. Kim Threlfall
225 East Robinson Street, Suite 300
Orlando, Florida 32801

TIME EXTENSION: "After considering the length of the original comment period, ... and other pertinent factors, the District Engineer may extend the comment period up to an additional 30 days if warranted" (33CFR325.2(d)(2)). The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), has received several requests for an extension to the comment period and has determined that an extension of 30 additional days to the comment period is warranted, given the complexity of the proposed project. The official comment period for this project is now extended to 60 days from the date of the original public notice, which was June 2, 2015. The comment period now ends August 3, 2015.

Correspondence concerning this Public Notice should refer to Public Notice Number **SAM-2015-00573-PAH** and should be directed to the District Engineer, USACE, Mobile District, Regulatory Division, Attention: Mr. Philip A. Hegji, Post Office Box 2288, Mobile, Alabama 36628-0001, with a copy to the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality, Office of Pollution Control, Post Office Box 10385, Jackson, Mississippi 39289, and the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources, 1141 Bayview Avenue, Suite 101, Biloxi, Mississippi 39530.

All comments should be received no later than 60 days from the date of the original public notice, which was June 2, 2015, making it August 3, 2015. If you have any questions concerning this publication, you may contact the project manager, **Mr. Philip A. Hegji** at **(251) 690-3222** or **philip.a.hegji@usace.army.mil**. Please refer to the above Public Notice number.

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