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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army
Corps of Engineers

Coastal Engineering Research Board (CERB)

AGENCY: Army Corps of Engineers, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), announcement is made of the following committee meeting:

Name of Committee: Coastal Engineering Research Board (CERB).

Dates of Meeting: May 13-14, 1998.

Place: Fort Lauderdale Airport Hilton, Dania, Florida.

Time: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (May 13, 1998); 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (May 14, 1998).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Inquiries and notice of intent to attend the meeting may be addressed to Colonel Robin R. Cababa, Executive Secretary, Coastal Engineering Research Board, U.S. Army Engineer Waterways Experiment Station, 3909 Halls Ferry Road, Vicksburg, Mississippi 39180-6199.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Proposed Agenda

The theme of the meeting is ``Regional Sediment Management.'' The morning session on May 13 will consist of SandyDuck media and El Nino updates, a presentation entitled ``Integration of New Technologies into Corps Operational Practice,'' and a panel discussion pertaining to the theme. Presentations include ``Sediment Management Overview,'' ``Sand Rights,'' and ``Fire Island to Montauk Point (FIMP), NY, Reformulation Study and Results from FIMP.'' Panel presentations continue during the afternoon of May 13 and include ``Ocean City/Assateague, MD, Studies,'' ``Engineering Applications of SHOALS,'' ``Coast of California Study,'' ``Coast of Florida Study,'' ``Current Research and Development (R&D) Related to Sediment Management,'' ``Coastal Inlets Research Program,'' and ``R&D Needs for Regional Sediment Management.''

The presentations on Thursday, May 14, will pertain to Florida beach and inlet management, the Florida Inland Navigation District, a review of long-term shoreline change, litigation issues, and the local perspective. There will also be a presentation entitled ``Florida Keys Carrying Capacity Study'' and a field trip overview.

Tours are scheduled for the afternoon of May 14 to view various projects in the area.

This meeting is open to the public; participation by the public is scheduled for 12:15 p.m. on May 14.

The entire meeting is open to the public subject to the following:

1. Since seating capacity of the meeting room is limited, advance notice of intent to attend, although not required, is requested in order to assure adequate arrangements.
2. Oral participation by public attendees is encouraged during the time scheduled on the agenda; written statements may be submitted prior to the meeting or up to 30 days after the meeting.

James R. Houston,
Acting Executive Secretary.
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