

Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE May 13, 2022

TO Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

SUBJECT **Community Meetings on Flood Risk Management Projects**

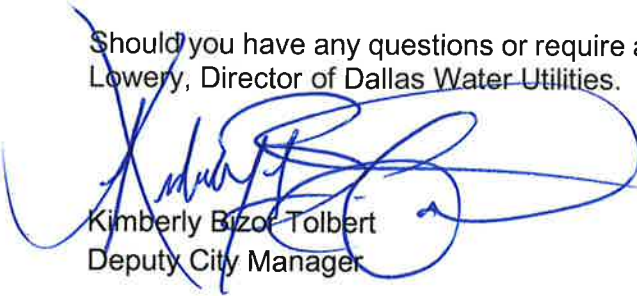
This memo is to provide an update on Flood Risk Management Projects in the Dallas Floodway (DF) and Dallas Floodway Extension (DFE) that are funded through the Supplemental Appropriation in the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2018 (PL 115-123). The projects are executed by the U.S. Army Corps Engineers (USACE).

Significant advancement has been made on the projects, with the award of the design build contract for the Levee Raise and Slope Flattening of the East and West Levees, with some construction activities being visible to the public in late May/early June 2022. A groundbreaking of the Levee Raise and Slope Flattening Project for the Dallas Floodway will be held on Tuesday, June 7, 2022, between 9:00 a.m. – noon. Please mark your calendars. Groundbreaking details are being finalized and additional details are forthcoming.

Additionally, staff is coordinating with the USACE to host a series of community meetings between June and October 2022 to provide updates on flood risk management projects. The community meetings will focus on the remaining projects that are beginning or nearing construction. These projects include the Levee Raise and Slope Flattening of the East and West Levees, the Trinity Portland Pump Station and the Charlie Pump Station. Future meetings will be scheduled to discuss the Delta Pump Station, the Hampton Pump Station, the Cadillac Heights Levee, and the Lamar Levee.

Staff will coordinate with the respective City Council Offices on community meeting dates, times, and locations. City staff, in coordination with the USACE and contractors, will keep residents and businesses informed on construction timelines, impacts, and improvements. Additional updates will be provided to the Transportation & Infrastructure City Council Committee in Fall 2022.

Should you have any questions or require additional information at this time, please contact Terry Lowery, Director of Dallas Water Utilities.



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