

**Early Public Notice for 26-004 BUL 502 ABW COMM FOC Installation at Training Ranges/WT
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**NOTICE FOR EARLY PUBLIC REVIEW OF A PROPOSED ACTIVITY WITHIN THE 100-YEAR FLOODPLAIN –
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE**

The U.S. Air Force (USAF) is inviting public input on any practicable alternatives for a proposed activity within the 100-year floodplain at Joint Base San Antonio (JBSA)-Camp Bullis. The Proposed Action involves installing new 96 strand single mode fiber from B5010 through approximately 1/2 mile of existing manhole duct system and then extend the duct system via jetted fiber to building 6258 and 6 existing towers at Camp Bullis along NW Military HWY, Wilderness Trail RD, and Eagles Nest Trail.

The 502nd Communication Squadron is improving essential communication services to the missions, and the proposed technical solution is purchase, install and test 96 strands of single mode jetted fiber from building 5010 and install approximately 2,660 ft of uni-duct in the existing manhole duct system. At MH-205 the existing duct system will be expanded using jetting fiber with 14 new hand holes and 7 way jetted innerduct being installed between these hand holes for approximately 21,780 feet total. 12 strands of jetted fiber will be installed in building 6285 and to the (6) Range Towers. There will be no finished structures above grade, and no modification to existing contours.

The USAF is performing environmental analysis in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act to analyze the potential environmental impacts of the Proposed Action. This early public notice is required by Executive Order 11988 and has been prepared and made available to the public by the USAF in accordance with Air Force Manual 32-7003 for actions proposed within the 100-year floodplain.

Address written comments to the USAF 802 CES/CEI, ATTN: NEPA Program Manager, 1555 Gott Street, JBSA-Lackland, TX 78236, or via email: 802CES.CEIE.NEPATeam@us.af.mil, or via phone: (210) 671-5320