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Mr. David Lekson  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Savannah District  
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100 W. Oglethorpe Ave  
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Dear Mr. Lekson:

I am writing to request a public information hearing regarding the Central Virginia Properties (CVP) Rail Yard project, application number SAS-2006-01206, located in Wayne County. The applicant, Central Virginia Properties, LLC, has proposed to discharge dredged or fill material into 24.68 acres of jurisdictional wetlands for the purpose of constructing a rail yard operation.

The citizens of Wayne County and the Wayne County Board of Commissioners are concerned about the cumulative effects of the discharge of dredged or fill materials into Wayne County wetlands. Supplemental information is required to fully understand the potential environmental, health, and economic impacts of the CVP Rail Yard project. A public information hearing will give the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers the opportunity to answer questions and address concerns prior to final approval of this permit.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions regarding my request, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

  
Earl L. 'Buddy' Carter  
Member of Congress