

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A MULTI-PURPOSE MACHINE GUN RANGE ON THE U.S. FOREST SERVICE CALCASIEU RANGER DISTRICT AND FORT POLK, LOUISIANA

Fort Polk has completed an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Construction and Operation of a Multi-Purpose Machine Gun Range on the U.S. Forest Service Calcasieu Ranger District and Fort Polk. The EA is being made available for a 30-day public review and comment period beginning on May 20, 2011 thru June 18, 2011. A copy of the EA is available on-line at <http://www.jrtc-polk.army.mil/NEPA.htm> or may be requested by contacting the JRTC and Fort Polk Public Affairs Office at the number and address below. Comments must be postmarked or received within the 30 day comment period. Copies of the EA are also available at the following libraries:

- Beauregard Parish Library, 205 South Washington Avenue, DeRidder;
- Rapides Parish Library, 411 Washington Street, Alexandria;
- Vernon Parish Library, 1401 Nolan Trace, Leesville.

Please address questions or comments to: Public Affairs Office, 7033 Magnolia Drive, building 4919, Fort Polk, LA 71459-5342; phone: 337-531-7203; email: polk.public_response@conus.army.mil