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## **Fort Polk extends public comment period on trespass horse environmental assessment**

FORT POLK, Louisiana - The Joint Readiness Training Center commanding general has extended the public comment period on the Environmental Assessment (EA) and draft Finding of No Significant Impacts (FNSI) concerning the disposition of trespass horses at Fort Polk.

Fort Polk has been informed that some members of the public may be having difficulty submitting comments via email; specifically from Hughes.net email addresses.

While email is not the only available method to submit a comment, in order to ensure that all members of the public have ample opportunity to submit a comment, Fort Polk will extend the public comment period by 15 days, with a new end date of June 17.

If you are having difficulty submitting a comment by email, please send the comment by mail to:

JRTC and Fort Polk  
Public Affairs Office, Attention: Public Response  
7033 Magnolia Drive, Building 4919  
Fort Polk, LA 71459-5342

Any comment received by, or with a postmark of no later than June 17, will be accepted and considered prior to any final decision.

The EA and draft FNSI are available in four local parish libraries:

Beauregard Parish Library, 205 South Washington Avenue, DeRidder; Rapides Parish Library, 411 Washington Street, Alexandria; Vernon Parish Library, 1401 Nolan Trace, Leesville; and Sabine Parish Library, 705 W. Main Street, Many.

The EA and draft FNSI can also be viewed at [http://www.jrtc-polk.army.mil/trespass\\_horses.html](http://www.jrtc-polk.army.mil/trespass_horses.html).