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Great Lakes and Ohio River Division (LRD)

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NOTICE OF REGULATORY BOUNDARY REALIGNMENT

This Public Notice announces my decision regarding realignment of responsibility for Regulatory Program functions in certain states in the Great Lakes and Ohio River Division. This realignment establishes a single district for implementation of the Regulatory Program in select states within the division's boundaries, simplifying administration and improving consistency for permit applicants and partner agencies.

Effective October 13, 2026, these districts in the Great Lakes and Ohio River Division assumed full responsibility for Regulatory functions as follows:

- Illinois within division boundaries: Chicago District
- Indiana: Louisville District
- Kentucky within division boundaries: Louisville District
- Ohio: Huntington District
- West Virginia: Huntington District

Requests for regulatory actions in these states (including applications for permits, requests for jurisdictional determinations, and reports of alleged unauthorized activities) after October 13, 2026, are the responsibility of the district listed above in accordance with the new boundaries. Applicants will be notified if the Regulatory staff point of contact for pending requests changes. Applicants may use the Regulatory Request System to submit new requests and ensure information is routed to the appropriate office. Visit https://rrs.usace.army.mil.

Regulatory responsibility in the following states remains unchanged:

- Alabama within division boundaries: Nashville District
- Michigan: Detroit District
- Mississippi within division boundaries: Nashville District
- New York within division boundaries: Buffalo District
- Pennsylvania within division boundaries: Pittsburgh District
- Tennessee within division boundaries[1]: Nashville District

Maps of the previous and new district regulatory boundaries are attached. An interactive map of district regulatory boundaries and contact information for each district is available at the following website: https://regulatory.ops.usace.army.mil/offices/

[1] Louisville District has responsibility for all Regulatory actions on Fort Campbell.

This realignment applies exclusively to the Regulatory Program, which issues permits for work in the nation's waters pursuant to Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 (33 U.S.C. §403) and Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. §1344). Existing boundaries and points of contact for Civil Works and other mission areas remain unchanged.

If you have any questions concerning this public notice, you may contact Katherine McCafferty, Acting Regulatory Program Manager, Great Lakes and Ohio River Division, at (513) 310-4196 or by email at CELRD-RegulatoryAndPermitting@usace.army.mil, or contact:

- Mr. Marty Wargo, Buffalo District Regulatory Chief, at (716) 879-4116 or by email at Martin.P.Wargo@usace.army.mil;
- Mrs. Teralyn Pompeii, Chicago District Regulatory Chief, at (312) 846-5535 or by email at Teralyn.R.Pompeii@usace.army.mil;
- Ms. Kerrie Kuhne, Acting Detroit District Regulatory Chief, at (313) 226-6828 or by email at Kerrie.E.Kuhne@usace.army.mil;
- Mr. Eric Reusch, Louisville District Regulatory Chief, at (502) 315-6692 or by email at Eric.G.Reusch@usace.army.mil;
- Mr. Mike Hatten, Huntington District Regulatory Chief, at (304) 399-6918 or by email at Michael.E.Hatten@usace.army.mil;
- Mr. Joshua Frost, Nashville District Regulatory Chief, at (615) 369-7515 or by email at Joshua.W.Frost@usace.army.mil; or
- Mr. Scott Hans, Pittsburgh District Regulatory Chief, at (412) 395-7154 or by email at Scott.A.Hans@usace.army.mil.

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ATTACHMENT: Maps of Great Lakes and Ohio River Division Regulatory boundaries before and after realignment.



