



**US Army Corps  
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Omaha District

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# PUBLIC NOTICE

**Application Number:** NE 2006-11216  
**Applicant:** Holt County Highway Department  
**Waterway:** Holt County  
**Issue Date:** January 31, 2007

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**Reply To:**  
**Kearney Regulatory Office**  
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**<https://www.nwo.usace.army.mil/html/od-rne/nehome.html>**

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## NOTICE OF PERMIT ISSUED

Notice is hereby give that Holt County Highway Department was granted emergency authorization pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act on January 31, 2007 to place fill material in Holt Creek in conjunction with a channel maintenance project. The project is located between Section 21+28, Township 29 North, Range 13 West, Holt County, Nebraska.

Due to severe erosion and beaver dam activity, the channel has no flow capacity endangering the county road and bridge.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers authorized Holt County Highway Department to excavate material from the stream channel and temporarily stockpile it adjacent to the channel.

The project was coordinated with U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, US Fish & Wildlife Service, NE Department of Environmental Quality and NE Game and Parks Commission. The most significant issue raised was the fact that the county should conduct a watershed study and solve the problem on a long-term basis.

The purpose of authorizing the project under the emergency procedures was to alleviate an unacceptable safety hazard.

For additional information on the project, you may contact Mrs. Barb Friskopp at the above address or call (308) 234-1403.