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USACE understands the well-founded concerns that some citizens of Atlantic Beach, East Atlantic Beach and the west end of Long Beach may have concerning our coastal storm risk reduction project. Storm risk reduction is a vital part of ensuring the safety of citizens and the protection of private property in the event of violent storms. This project will help to reduce the risks of flooding and other damage that can occur during long lasting storms like nor'easters and superstorm events like Hurricane Sandy. The construction schedule for this project will be implemented in two phases. The first phase will include construction of 18 new groins and the rehabilitation of 4 additional groins along the Atlantic coastline of Long Beach.

In order to facilitate construction, USACE's contractor must have stone trucked into the community. As a result, we're implementing safeguards such as installing 5 vibration monitors near the construction site to track the vibrations of truck routes, as well as vibrations in the communities of Atlantic Beach, East Atlantic Beach, City of Long Beach, Lido Beach and Point Lookout. Installing additional monitors is not feasible. This is the only legal truck route and therefore utilized by many other trucks, making it nearly impossible to pinpoint which may be causing vibration, even if someone were present at each station. Data will be collected on five days: August 11-12, and August 15-17 from 6a.m. – 4 p.m. to establish a vibration timeline. 5 additional permanent vibration monitors near the construction area at Point Lookout will remain in use the duration of construction.

Truck deliveries will be staggered to prevent traffic and wear on local roads. Videos and photographs of the roads have been taken by the contractor, H & L Construction. If there are any changes to the quality of the thoroughfares, the contractor, H & L Construction, will repair said roads and ensure the quality of those roads is equal or better than prior conditions.

This project is vital to the safety and economic vigor of the City of Long Beach and the surrounding areas, as well as the State of New York. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers would like extended our utmost thanks for working with us to ensure that this critical community project be completed. If you have any other questions or concerns please do not hesitate to reach out to our offices at 917-790-8108.

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