#### Horsham Township Authority for NAS-JRB Willow Grove Local Redevelopment Authority (LRA)

### **BRAC 05 LRA OUTREACH PROCESS**

December 16, 2010

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### NAS JRB WILLOW GROVE



### Local Redevelopment Authority

- Board Membership: Horsham Township, Horsham ICDA, Montgomery County, Bucks County, Hatboro Horsham School District, MCIDC, Business Community, Residents
- On April 27, 2006, recognized by DOD/OEA, in the Federal Register, as the single entity responsible for identifying local redevelopment needs and preparing a redevelopment plan for the Navy to consider in their disposal of the surplus property.
- The LRA provides leadership and works on behalf of the affected communities to determine the best reuse of the surplus property and to reach consensus on a preferred redevelopment plan

The LRA is the "One Voice" for the affected communities

### Public Outreach

- The LRA is required to conduct public outreach, as part of the planning process, to representatives of the homeless and others interested in public use of the surplus property
- The LRA will <u>consider</u> all interest in the property and will <u>balance</u> these interests with economic and other community needs.
- *Timeline for public Notices of Interest (NOIs):* 
  - LRA published notice on October 15, 2010
  - NOIs due NLT March 22, 2011
  - Redevelopment Plan and Homeless Assistance Submission is due to HUD by <u>December 16, 2011</u> (270 days from NOI due date)
- Public Outreach Workshop/Site tour:
  **December 16, 2010**

# What is a Redevelopment Plan?

- Community's vision, goals, & objectives for redeveloping the surplus property
- Primary instrument to ensure land use compatibility between surrounding community & former Federal property
  - •Proposed land uses & zoning
  - •Supporting infrastructure
  - •Property conveyance/redevelopment schedule
  - •Capital improvement program

# Redevelopment Plan

- The Redevelopment Plan serves the following purposes:
  - Reflects community consensus for civilian reuse
  - Documents the balance between economic redevelopment & other community development needs with needs of the homeless community
  - Guides the Navy's environmental analysis
  - Used by the Navy in their property Disposal
    Plan

### Department of Defense (DoD) Federal Partners

#### • Office of Economic Adjustment (OEA):

- Recognized the LRA per 32 CFR 176
- Provides technical and financial <u>planning</u> assistance to help communities adjust to economic and other impacts of the BRAC decision.
- Facilitates between community, installation, Federal Agencies, and PMO

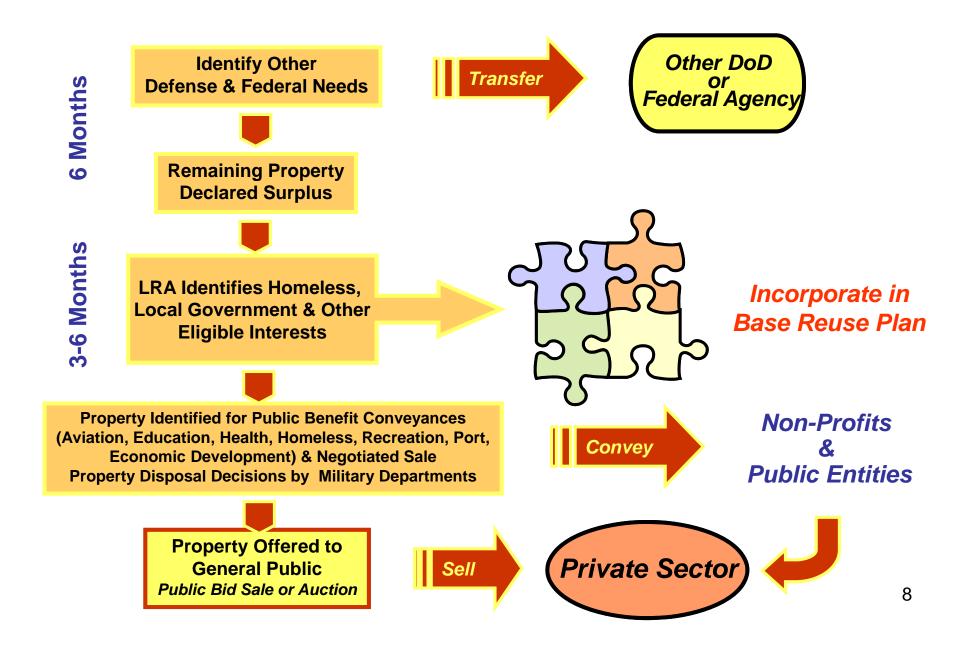
#### • Navy BRAC Program Management Office (PMO)

- Surplus property disposal agent (real and personal property)
- Responsible for environmental analysis, cleanup, and property conveyance

#### • Federal Agencies:

- Primary partners: HUD, DOL, SBA, EDA
- Other partners as needed: DOEd, HHS, DOT, DOI, DOJ, etc
- Federal agency sponsorship is required for PBCs

#### **REAL PROPERTY DISPOSAL PROCESS**



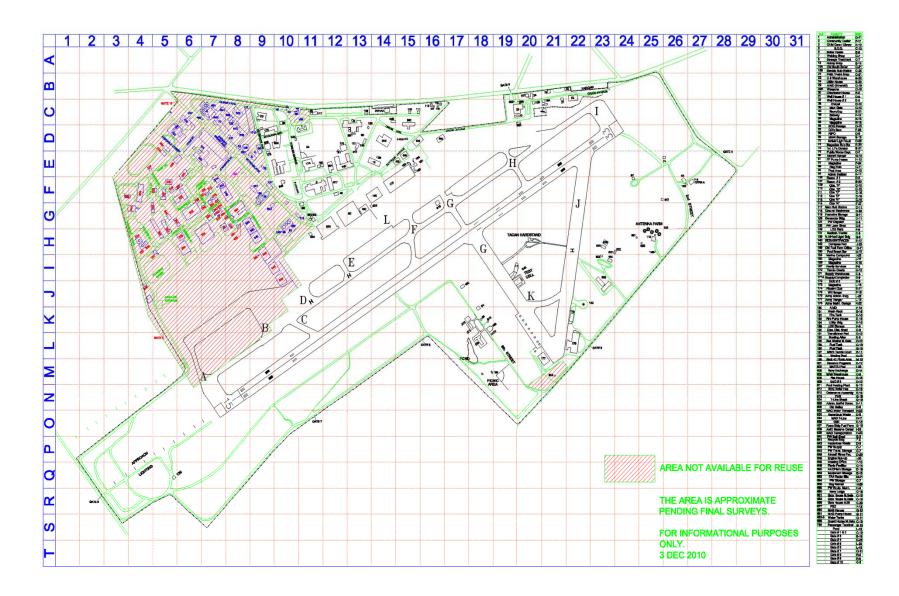
# Public Benefit Conveyances (PBCs)

- <u>Education</u>: Primary and secondary schools, vocational-technical schools, college or university campus
  - Fed Sponsor: Dept of Education Discount up to 100% min. 30 years
- <u>Public Health</u>: Hospital, clinic, health education, water or sewer utilities, sanitary landfill
  - Fed sponsor: HHS Discount up to 100% min. 30 years
- <u>Public Park/Recreation</u>: Golf course, athletic facility, nature trails, park, etc.
  - DOI/National Parks Service Discount up to 100% Perpetuity
- <u>Correctional Facility</u>: State prison, county jail, corrections activity
  - DOJ Discount 100% Perpetuity

#### Full list is located in the NOI booklet

### Surplus Property Description

- Land: 892 acres of improved and unimproved fee simple land in Horsham Township
- Buildings: A summary of the buildings and other improvements located on the above-described land is in the NOI booklet
- Anticipated closure date: No later then September 2011



### ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS

- Environmental Condition of Property Report: Dated 11 May 2006
- NAS JRB Willow Grove Administrative Record Available at the Horsham Township Library and online at http://www.horshamlibrary.org/WillowGrov eNASAdminRecord.html

# <u>UTILITIES</u>

- Water and Sewage Treatment for most Buildings are currently provided by the Navy and will no longer have service after June 2011
- Current Electricity is provided by Navy substation and may not be available

# Questions? **Comments**? Redevelopment Inputs?

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