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

Office of Economic Adjustment (OEA)

BRAC 05 LRA OUTREACH PROCESS

April 2, 2009

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LRA

- Membership: Members are from each jurisdiction:
 - ✓ Montgomery County Horsham Township
 - ✓ Bucks County Warminster Township Ivyland Borough
- Recognized by DOD, in the Federal Register on April 27, 2006, 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.
 - ✓ Surplus property 53 acres: Shenandoah Woods and Jacksonville Road Housing Areas
- 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

Horsham LRA – Public Outreach

- The LRA is required to conduct 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 29 Jan 09 in the:
 - The Intelligencer and Bucks County Courier
 - ✓ NOI due NLT July 15, 2009
 - ✓ Redevelopment Plan and Homeless Assistance Submission is due to HUD by April 11, 2010 (270 days from NOI due date)
- > Public Outreach Workshops/Site tours: April 2, 2009

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

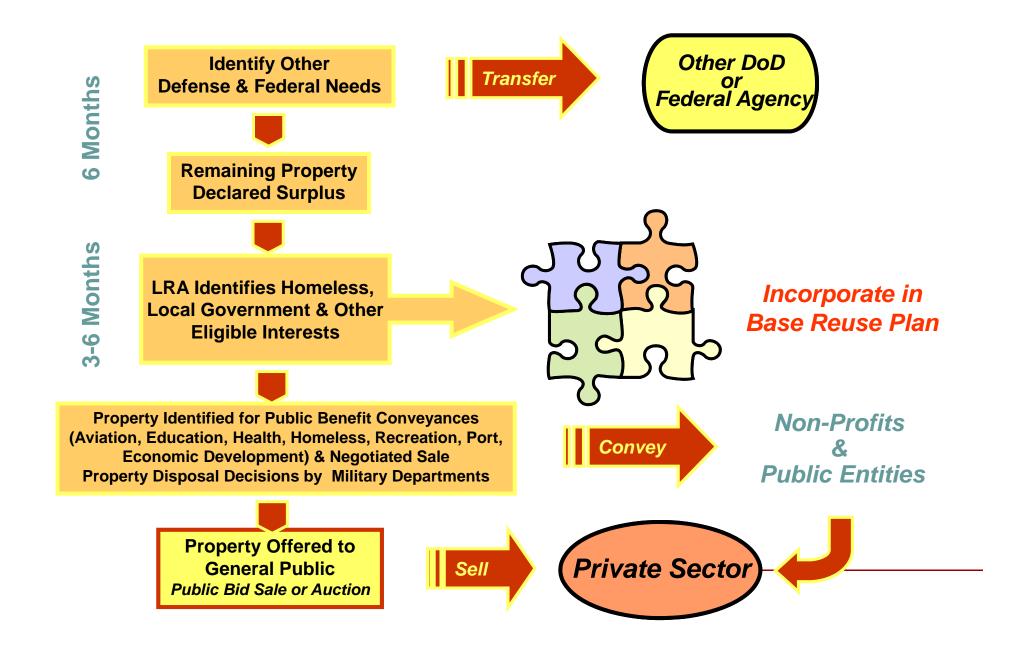
Redevelopment Plan

- The Redevelopment Plan serves the following purposes:
 - ✓ Reflects community consensus for civilian use
 - ✓ 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

Office of Economic Adjustment - Role

- Authority under Title 10, U.S.C. Section 2391 to help state & local governments plan & carry out community adjustment & diversification in response to Defense actions, including:
 - ✓ Base Realignments & Closures (BRAC) (PL 101-510)
- Authority to recognize LRAs per 32 CFR 176
- Authorized to provide technical and financial <u>planning</u> assistance to help communities adjust to economic and other impacts of the BRAC decision.
- OEA facilitates partnerships between affected communities, Federal Agencies, and Military Departments (Navy)

REAL PROPERTY DISPOSAL PROCESS



Public Benefit Conveyances (PBCs)

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

Surplus Property Description

- Location: Shenandoah Woods Warminster Jacksonville Road Housing - Ivyland
- Shenandoah Woods:
 51 acres 40 structures with 199 townhouse units totaling approximately 337,184 square feet -
- Jacksonville Road Housing 6 single family homes totaling approximately 9,265 square feet and three detached garage structures with approximately 1,200 square feet.
- > Anticipated closure date: No later then September 2011

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Questions? Comments? Redevelopment Inputs?