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## **FORT HOOD JOINT LAND USE STUDY PUBLIC MEETING**

### **DECEMBER 3**

(KILLEEN, Texas) The City of Killeen is hosting a meeting to provide information about the Fort Hood Joint Land Use Study (JLUS) December 3 at 6:30 p.m. at Killeen City Hall, 101 North College Street. The public is encouraged to attend.

A Joint Land Use Study is an evaluation of the compatibility of land use and development activity in communities surrounding a military installation. The study of Fort Hood will identify how the base and surrounding cities can work together to ensure the long-term viability and sustainability of Fort Hood's air and ground operations, training, testing and power projection missions.

The Department of Defense will use the results of this study in future decisions related to Fort Hood. Surrounding communities will also utilize the results when planning for future growth and development.

The Department of Defense through the Office of Economic Adjustment will provide 90 percent of the project funding. The City of Killeen serves as the study's sponsor and will provide in-kind staff support and services for the remaining 10 percent. Local government partners include the cities of Belton, Copperas Cove, Gatesville, Harker Heights and Temple and Bell and Coryell counties.

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