



## DISTRICT NEWS

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### Work begins on Fort Norfolk project

Norfolk District employees and visitors will soon see a flurry of construction activity near the Front Street gate. ([more](#))

### Are you ready?

With another major storm bearing down on the continental U.S., are you prepared should a hurricane hit Virginia? ([more](#))

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### District cafeteria to close

The Norfolk District cafeteria closes Sept. 2, until further notice. A district committee is working to find a contractor to provide food services.

### Commodities still needs people

The team responsible for responding to the needs of the nation during an emergency is still looking for volunteers. The Norfolk team can be called upon to deploy for hurricanes, floods and other national-level disasters. District employees who'd like to join the team should contact Jan Van Houten at 7575.

## NEWS AROUND THE CORPS

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### Employees' morale high in Afghanistan

Chief of Engineers and Commanding General of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Lt. Gen. Robert Van Antwerp visited Afghanistan Engineer District (AED) in late July to see key construction projects and share his vision with the military and civilian personnel. ([more](#))

### Exciting time to be part of the Corps

The Chief of Engineers discusses the new initiatives and campaign for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. ([more](#))



## ARMY/DOD NEWS

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### VA raising home loan ceilings

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) will use a locality-based approach in raising ceilings on its no-down-payment home loans from the current \$417,000 to as much as \$729,000. ([more](#))

### Facility contributes to Iraq security

The Theater Internment Facility Reconciliation Center in Taji has been constructed to integrate detention with reintegration programs. ([more](#))

## NORFOLK DISTRICT IN THE NEWS

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**Contract awarded for new barracks** ([The Virginian-Pilot](#))

**Immigrants' arrests multiply at Fort Lee** ([Richmond Times-Dispatch](#))

## PUBLIC NOTICES

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Prince George Industrial Development Authority proposes to conduct a phased industrial park development site named Crosspointe Centre. ([more](#))

## ***DID YOU KNOW?***

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**T**he U.S. Army Corps of Engineers built one of the most famous lighthouses in the United States. Just a few hours down the road from the Norfolk District, in the outer banks of North Carolina, the Cape Hatteras lighthouse stands giving ocean going vessels a warning to stay clear of diamond shoals. ([more](#))