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**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS, FORT RILEY
FORT RILEY, KANSAS 66442-5000
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY**

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INDIVIDUALS AND PUBLIC GROUPS**

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Comments may be submitted to:
Headquarters, Fort Riley
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