

# Project Factsheet for: East Peoria, Illinois

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## Project Location Information

**Location:** The East Peoria Drainage and Levee District is located along the Illinois River in the City of East Peoria, Tazewell County, Illinois

**River Basin(s):** Illinois

**State(s):** IL

**Congressional District(s):** IL-18

## Status

A \$7,456,477.50 construction contract has been awarded to Laverdiere Construction, Inc., of Macomb, IL. The notice to proceed was issued on 12 October 2005 and construction has begun. Construction is scheduled for completion in March 2009. Construction delays were the result of incorporating Mods requested by the sponsor. This is a cost shared project.

## Description

Major flooding on the Illinois River at East Peoria occurred in 1943, 1970, 1979, 1982, 1983, 1985, 1993, and 1995. This project raises the existing levee system and provides a higher level of protection to the East Peoria Drainage and Levee District. The area protected by the levee is 1,000-acres in size, of which 600 acres are for industrial use and 400 acres for residential use. The recommended plan includes raising the existing levee, constructing a new pump station and providing positive closure structures. The alternatives considered during the study phase evaluated the level of protection and economic impacts of levee raises of varying heights.

The East Peoria Drainage and Levee District (EPDLD), Illinois, acting as the lead non-Federal sponsor for the East Peoria Sanitary District (EPSD) and in their own interest, provided a Letter of Intent to cost share on 15 May 1995 and letter of financial capability on 17 December 1997. The Project Cooperation Agreement was signed 30 October 2000.

The State of Illinois supports this undertaking and has budgeted up to \$2,400,000.00 to assist the local sponsors in financing their share of the costs for the flood control project.

## Summarized Financial Data

Federal Cost	\$7,000,000
Non-Federal Cost	\$3,934,000
Total Cost	\$10,934,000
Allocations through FY 2008	\$7,000,000
Allocations for FY 2009	\$0
Budget Request for FY 2010	\$0
Balance to Complete after FY 2010	\$0

## Major Work Item (This Fiscal Year)

FY 2009 Complete construction

## **Major Work Item (Next Fiscal Year)**

FY 2010: Conduct Project Close out.

### **Authority**

CA - Continuing Authorities - Section 205 --

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