

**National Aeronautics and Space Administration
Public Announcement**

**Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Assessment for the
Fortification of Security Gates at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory**

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) is proposing to implement functional requirements for the FY 2015 Construction of Facilities project, Fortify Security Gates, at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in conformance with NASA NPD 8820.2C Design and Construction of Facilities and NPR 1620.3 NASA Procedural Requirements, as implemented through the NASA JPL Prime Contract. This would include widening, reconfiguring, and enhancing access points at the West, South, and East Gates of the NASA JPL facility in order to improve the movement of vehicle traffic, especially during morning and afternoon peak hours. The scope of work would include vehicle guard structures, inspection lighting, electronic monitoring and controls/equipment, pop up bollards, barricades, parking areas, etc. to enhance vehicle safety into and out of the NASA JPL facility.

NASA has prepared a draft EA for the Fortification of Security Gates at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). As the lead agency under NEPA for the proposed actions and in accordance with applicable NEPA regulations and guidance, NASA is presenting this Draft EA to the public for review and comment.

Members of the public are invited to submit written comments to NASA regarding this draft EA, which is available for the public's review at the locations noted below. Written comments on this EA should be submitted within 30 days from the date published. Please direct comments via U.S. mail or e-mail, to:

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The Draft EA is available for public and agency review electronically upon request, and at:

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