RUN THIS BY OUR ATTORNEY.

MAY I VIGOROUSLY HIT MYSELF WITH A HAMMER INSTEAD?

YOU HAVE MY ATTENTION.

EITHER WAY, IT'S A PAINFUL PROCESS THAT WON'T CHANGE THE FINAL RESULT.

BUT THE HAMMER IS QUICKER AND IT WILL STILL MAKE YOU FEEL AS IF YOU MADE ME DO SOMETHING.

OKAY TRY THE HAMMER THING.

BAM! OUCH! BAM! OUCH!

NOW RUN IT BY OUR ATTORNEY SO IT FEELS AS IF I DID TWO THINGS.
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Briefing Purpose

- Scope of FUDS in the Public Domain
- Public Involvement Tools
- Data Integrity
- Lessons-learned
- Questions
Why I think I’m qualified to talk about this

- ~10,000 properties in the FUDS inventory
- By definition, none are owned by DoD
- ~15-20% of eligible projects are worked on in any given fiscal year
  - This leaves ~3,500+ projects we won’t work on each year
- FUDSMIS manages hundreds of data elements on each property and project (many of which are provided to public)
Public Involvement Tools

- Geographic Information System (GIS)
- Project-specific webpages
- Project Information Retrieval System (PIRS) [Administrative Record Files]
- Coming soon (soon is a relative term…I am a geologist by training…)
  - www.fuds.mil
  - Nation-wide webpage template and a page for each eligible property (primary data “pushed” from FUDSMIS)
GIS Screenshot
GIS, cont.

https://rsgis.crrel.usace.army.mil/publicfuds/
Military / Interagency & International Services Branch

Formerly Used Defense Sites (FUDS)

Military Munitions Response Program

Pinecastle Jeep Range

In 1943, the U.S. Government leased 12,403 acres of land in Orlando (Orange County), Florida to be used as a gunnery and demonstration range for testing and troop instruction in methods of tactical bombing and strafing, or gunfire attacks. The former Pinecastle Jeep Range was an off-post site for the Pinecastle Army Air Field and the Army Air Force Tactical Center at the Orlando Army Air Base.

The Range uses included small arms training, air tactics evaluations and demonstrations of strafing, bombing, air-to-ground rocket firing and high explosive bombing.

In 1946 the Pinecastle Jeep Range was declared surplus and all leases on the land were terminated by December 1947.

The site is currently owned by several local government agencies and private individuals for residential, highway/expressway, landfill, and undeveloped pasture land use.
Data Integrity
(protectiong us from ourselves...)

- Balance between empowering the executors and keeping things consistent
- QA/QC is multi-faceted; integrating targeted reviews with reviews of data in concert with other QA/QC
Lessons Learned

- Public involvement is important…but unless it is an active project where’s the labor code?
- You can never start public involvement too early!
- Integrate QA/QC into your business process (in addition to focused reviews)
- Ultimately, you are NEVER done (just dig a little deeper…)
Questions ???