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RAHALL ASKS ARMY CORPS. TO STUDY FLOOD PROBLEM AT FOUR POLE CREEK

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- U.S. Rep. Nick Rahall (D-WV) today called on U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' District Engineer, Colonel Thomas Farewell to study the Four Pole Creek in Huntington so that "the cause of this flooding can be determined and corrected, before even greater damage occurs."

"I understand that the Corps has studied this issue in the past, and I strongly urge you to immediately reopen your evaluation and make the necessary recommendations to rectify this matter," added Rahall.

Two days ago, the Four Pole Creek in Ritter Park flooded causing damage to many homes in the area. Last night, over 300 people gathered at Enslow Park Presbyterian Church to demand that the matter be looked into.

"I stand ready to assist you and the people of Huntington with this endeavor," Rahall told Colonel Farewell.

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