

April 1, 2020

**A notice to the general public, all owners, lessees, and users of lands along
the Rio Grande, in the Presidio Valley, Presidio County, Texas**

The general public, owners, lessees, and users of lands on the United States banks of the river in the Presidio Valley are hereby notified that lands along the banks of the Rio Grande between the levee and the channel (floodplains), depending upon their elevation, are subject to periodic flooding from local tributary inflows and by reservoir releases from the Rio Conchos. This notice is given as a public service to advise and inform you that human life, property, livestock, and other activities, existing or proposed, may be subject to flood damage, and are maintained or undertaken at your own risk.

The United States Section, International Boundary and Water Commission (USIBWC) maintains the Presidio Levee Project. Please be advised that during flood events, flood releases from the Rio Conchos and/or localized heavy rainfall/runoff events, the Rio Grande will unavoidably overflow its river channel and may adversely impact interests along its banks. Please refer to your local National Weather Service office for flood information during these events.

In order to protect life and property and to avoid potential obstruction or deflection of flows within the Rio Grande floodplain, the general public, owners, lessees, and users of land along the Rio Grande are advised for their own safety and for security of their properties to contact Presidio County Officials and the United States Section, International Boundary and Water Commission, 110 South Dod Avenue, P.O. Box 848, Presidio, TX 79845, telephone number, (432) 229-3751, before making any use of the lands or constructing improvements on the lands along the river.

Sincerely,



Jayne Harkins P.E.
Commissioner