### FACT SHEET **Río Guanajibo, PR** Construction(C) Congressional District: Puerto Rico

## 1. DESCRIPTION

The Río Guanajibo basin is located in southwest Puerto Rico and includes portions of six municipalities with a total population of over 225,000. The catchment area is 140 square miles. Flooding is a serious threat to life and property in the towns of San German, Hormigueros, and Mayaguez. The recommended project includes a channel plan with a 10-year level of protection at San German in the upper basin and a system of levees that will provide 100-year protection for the urban areas at Hormigueros and Mayaguez in the lower basin.

### 2. FUNDING

Estimated Total Cost	\$ 46,116,000
Estimated Federal Cost	29,745,000
Allocations Thru FY13	0
Allocation for FY14	0
President's Budget FY15	0

### 3. SPONSOR

Puerto Rico Department of Natural and Environmental Resources P.O. Box 5887 Puerta de Tierra San Juan, Puerto Rico 00906-5887

# 4. STATUS

Project was authorized for construction in WRDA 1999; however, no construction funds have been allocated. A Limited Re-evaluation Report (LRR), which updates project costs and benefits based on the most recent economic guidance, was near completion in FY 2005 before all available funds were expended. Federal funds will be required in order to complete LRR. No additional Federal funds have been received since FY 2005. Completion and approval of LRR is necessary prior to execution of the Project Partnership Agreement and contract award. Plans and Specifications for the first construction contract, San German Segment, have been completed.

