Navy Monthly Progress Report

Former Mare Island Naval Shipyard

April 28, 2011

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

The Department of the Navy prepared this monthly progress report (MPR) to discuss environmental cleanup at the former Mare Island Naval Shipyard (Mare Island) in Vallejo, California. This MPR does not discuss cleanup work by the City of Vallejo and its developers, Lennar Mare Island and Weston Solutions, through the Navy's Environmental Services Cooperative Agreements. The work completed under those agreements is reported separately by each party. This MPR discusses progress made during the reporting period from March 25, 2011 through April 28, 2011. The information provided below includes updates to field work and removal actions; document submittals; the progress of regulatory reviews, issues associated with Navy environmental programs, and Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Cleanup Team (BCT) and Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) meetings.

2.0 FIELDWORK, REMOVAL ACTIONS, AND UPCOMING EVENTS

During the month of April 2011, the Navy conducted field work at the Production Manufacturing Area (PMA), Defense Reutilization Marketing Office (DRMO), and the Caretaker Site Office (CSO) increased security patrolling efforts at MI.

PMA Building Decontamination Work: In March 2011 the Navy completed decontamination of eight buildings in the PMA that were formerly used to manufacture chemicals for munitions. The project is a CSO maintenance action and is not part of the Navy's environmental cleanup program. Stormwater best management practices are being maintained at the site to prevent erosion in the area where building A-216 was removed.

Final site conditions at Building A-216

DRMO Work: During the month of April 2011, the Navy completed the last two remaining tasks for the DRMO under the Petroleum Corrective Action Plan (PCAP). The first was the removal of the temporary overhead power that had been installed to bypass the underground electrical utility and allow excavation of the petroleum-impacted soil on the west side of Azuar Drive. Fourteen power poles and associated hardware and wire were removed and will be recycled. In addition, a permanent security chain link fence was re-installed to encompass the DRMO Scrapyard Area. Power pole removal was completed on Friday, April 22, 2011 and fence re-installation was completed on Tuesday, April 26, 2011. These last two

Power pole removal near DRMO Area

Fencing being installed along DRMO Area

tasks complete the work under the DRMO PCAP project.

CSO Site Patrol Update: CSO officers are patrolling the southern part of the island and they will focus on the weekend night shifts for the next several weekends. The need for patrols will be assessed after that. Earlier in the month, the CSO found several tools, ladders, and holes in the fences, presumably to steal copper, mostly in the Western Magazine Area (WMA). The CSO also is continuing day time checks of the buildings in the PMA, South Shore Area (SSA), and WMA several times a week and coordinates with Island Energy and the City of Vallejo on reports of activity as they occur.

3.0 DOCUMENT SUBMITTALS AND PROGRESS OF REGULATORY REVIEW

The Navy submitted two documents during the reporting period, listed below:

- Draft Final Land Use Control Remedial Design for the Marine Corps Firing Range
- Environmental Protection Plan and Waste Management Plan (EPP/WMP) for the PMA/SSA Munitions and Explosive Concern (MEC) Non-Time Critical Removal Action (NTCRA)

The Navy received comments on or concurrence from the Department of Toxic Substances Control Board (DTSC) on the following document:

- California Department of Fish and Game comments on the EPP/WMP for the PMA/SSA MEC NTCRA

BCT meetings are held regularly with the Navy, DTSC, the San Francisco Bay Regional Quality Control Board (Water Board), and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to discuss the progress of environmental cleanup at Mare Island. The next BCT meeting will be held on Thursday, May 26, 2011.

REGULATORY REVIEW

Year-To-Date Progress

The documents presented in the table below include only documents that address sites where the Navy remains responsible for the cleanup work.

Number of Documents Submitted by the Navy in 2011	13
Number of **DTSC** Comments Received by the Navy in 2011	11
Number of **Water Board** Comments Received by the Navy in 2011	9
Number of **EPA** Comments Received by the Navy in 2011	2

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RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

The RAB meets the last Thursday of the month, **unless otherwise noted in bold.** The next RAB meeting is scheduled for:

- Thursday, May 26, 2011

Meetings begin at 7:00 pm and are held at the following location:

Mare Island Conference Center
375 G Street
Vallejo, CA 94592