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RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT
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RCRA QUARTERLY PROGRESS REPORT

Naval Activity Puerto Rico, Ceiba Puerto Rico

Reporting Period: October 1, 2014 through December 31, 2014

Background

On March 31, 2004, the Naval Station Roosevelt Roads ceased operations and the Naval Activity Puerto Rico (NAPR) was established. The mission of NAPR is to protect the physical assets remaining, comply with environmental regulations, and sustain the value of the property until final disposal of the property. In 2006, the Navy and EPA entered into a RCRA 7003 Administrative Order on Consent (Consent Order), establishing the Navy's corrective action obligations, replacing the 1994 RCRA permit as the document identifying these obligations concerning NAPR.

Work Completed and Projected Activities

Work was performed at several sites on a number of tasks pursuant to the provisions of the Consent Order during the period between October 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014. A project status summary sheet for continued project tracking was under development during this reporting period. The status of the program's deliverables through January 27, 2015 is attached. The deliverable status spreadsheet will be updated monthly and included as an attachment to the quarterly progress report for continued project tracking.

Changes Made

Wilmarie Rivera notified the Navy and EPA via email on December 5, 2014 that she has accepted another position within PREQB. She will continue to support the NAPR program until her position with the NAPR team is filled.

Public Meetings

RAB Meeting # 33 was held in Ceiba on November 5, 2014. Discussions held during the meeting focused on the current cleanup work being performed at various sites and plans for cleanup activities to be performed in the next few months. The next RAB meeting is scheduled for February 4, 2015.

Flyers were provided to the public in October and November. These flyers provide a monthly update for projected field sampling activities. The warning signs posted throughout the facility notifying the public of environmental concerns were inspected in December 2014. Damaged or missing signs will be replaced during the first quarter of 2015.

Problems Encountered

Vandalism of Navy and its contractor's remediation equipment has been minimal during this reporting period. However, vandalism continues to be a concern and the Navy is evaluating other alternatives to allow investigation and cleanup work to continue.

Potential MEC/MPPH was found during construction activities in a small area of the SWMU 3 landfill where other metal debris was disposed. Area of concern has been cordoned off and MEC/MPPH has been inspected by appropriate personnel. AGVIQ is working with Navy and NOSSA to appropriately address.