



***Notice of Navy's Invitation for  
Public Comment on the  
Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis Report  
for Drinking Water  
Naval Auxiliary Landing Field Fentress  
Chesapeake, Virginia***

The Navy, Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (VDEQ), and Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA), invite public comment on the Draft Final Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis (EE/CA) Report for Naval Auxiliary Landing Field (NALF) Fentress, in Chesapeake, Virginia.

The EE/CA evaluates alternatives to address current exposure potential to drinking water on-base and at off-base properties with PFOS and/or PFOA above the EPA lifetime health advisory level. Alternatives are intended to protect current human health receptors from ingestion of perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) and/or perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS) at levels above USEPA's Lifetime Health Advisory (L-HA) in groundwater used as drinking water.

The EE/CA examined five alternatives based on effectiveness, implementability, and cost:

1) No Further Action

2) Point of Entry Treatment – Consideration of three treatment technologies, including:

- 2a) Granular Activated Carbon (GAC) Treatment
- 2b) Ion Exchange (IX) Treatment
- 2c) Reverse Osmosis (RO) Treatment

3) Connection to City Water

Based on evaluation of the effectiveness, implementability, and the cost of the alternatives, the Connection to City Water alternative was recommended as the preferred alternative in the Draft Final EE/CA, which is now available for public comment prior to finalization.

The Draft Final EE/CA may be viewed online at [www.cnic.navy.mil/FentressInfo](http://www.cnic.navy.mil/FentressInfo) or at the following location from October 8, 2018 through November 7, 2018 during normal business hours:

Chesapeake Central Library  
298 Cedar Road  
Chesapeake, VA 23322  
(757) 410-7100

A public meeting, at which Navy representatives will report on the status of the selected alternative will be held at 4:00 p.m., October 25, 2018 at the Butts Road Intermediate School (1571 Mount Pleasant Rd, Chesapeake, VA 23322)

The public is invited to provide written comments on the Draft Final EE/CA Report for NALF Fentress. Written comments will be accepted until November 7, 2018 at the following address:

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