

Restoration Advisory Board Meeting

Time Critical Removal Action Status Update

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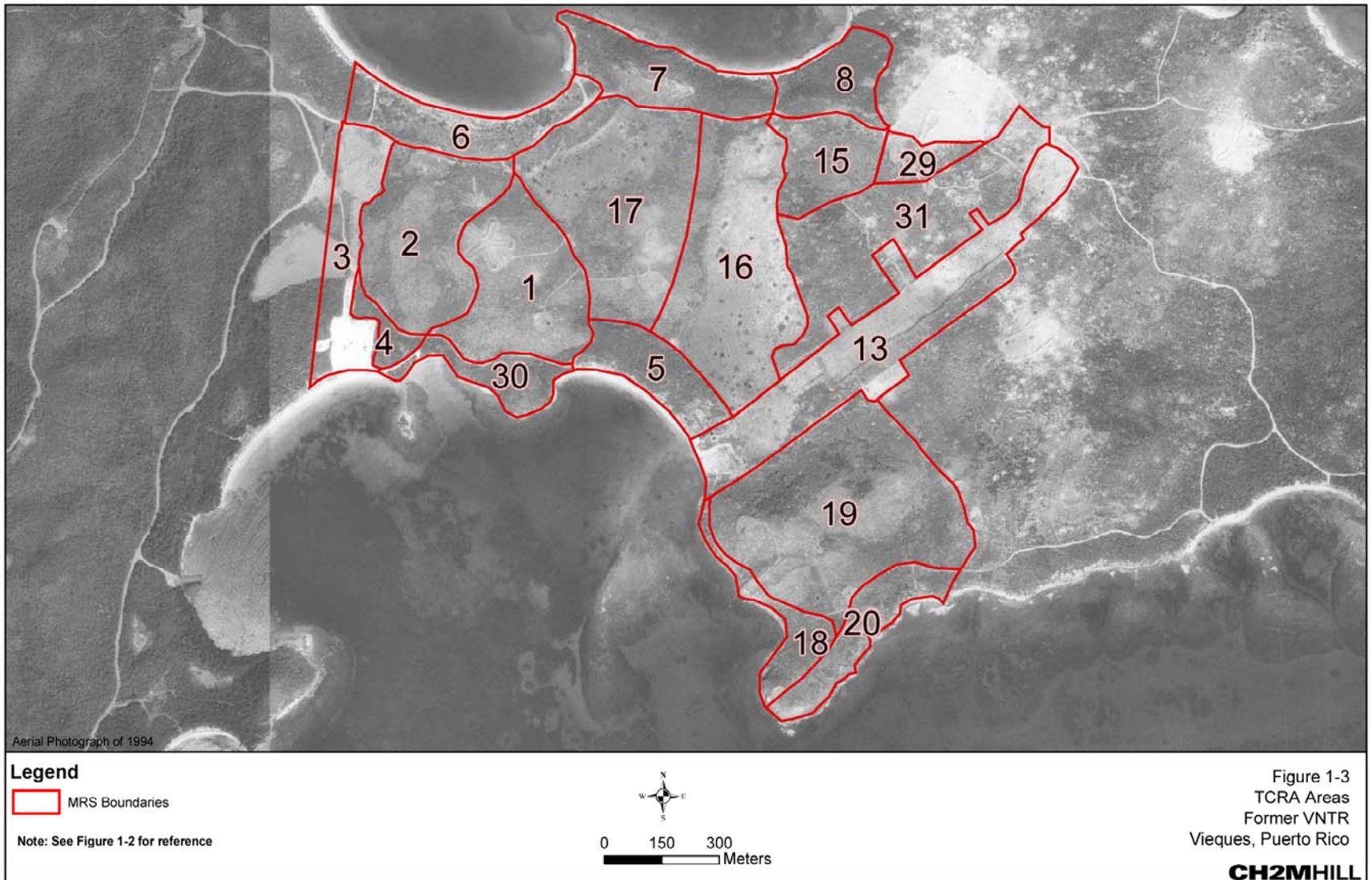
Purpose for Conducting Time Critical Removal Action (TCRA)

- ❖ Response to an imminent danger posed by the munitions items in the LIA to site workers and any unauthorized personnel.

TCRA Objectives

- ❖ Reduce risk.
- ❖ Remove all munitions 20mm or larger present or exposed at the ground surface from 400 acres within the LIA.

Map Of Sites Where TCRA Will Be Conducted



TCRA Approach

- ❖ Vegetation removal ranging from grasses to trees is anticipated for most of the TCRA area
- ❖ A metals detector assistance for surface clearance of all 400 acres
- ❖ Record locations and information for all identified munitions and targets
- ❖ Removal of all surface munitions 20mm and larger
- ❖ Demilitarization of all recovered munitions (DoD 4160.21-M-1)

Summary of Activities

- ❖ Site preparation completed
- ❖ Site specific work plan submitted to regulators
- ❖ Initial surface sweep of areas identified for vegetation clearance completed for approximately 80 acres
- ❖ Vegetation clearance completed for approximately 10 acres
- ❖ Munitions surface clearance completed for approximately 4 acres

Summary of Activities (cont.)

- ❖ 100% ecological survey completed for 400 acres (western LIA; flora and migratory bird habitat; sea turtle nesting area survey will be conducted this month)
- ❖ Draft air monitoring plan submitted to PREQB and USEPA
- ❖ Comments on draft air monitoring plan addressed
- ❖ Draft Final air monitoring plan submitted to PREQB and USEPA
- ❖ Air monitoring stations installed and operating