



Vieques RAB Meeting Environmental Restoration Program

Vieques, Puerto Rico
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Western Vieques



AOC E Investigation Update

- ❖ Supplemental Remedial Investigation (RI)
 - Submitted Final Supplemental RI Work Plan in November 2005
 - Completed Supplemental RI sampling activities in December 2005
 - Currently developing risk assessment protocols with regulatory agencies that will be used for preparing risk assessments for all environmental sites, including AOC E
 - RI Report to be prepared following development of risk assessment protocols



AOC I Investigation Update

- ❖ Supplemental Remedial Investigation (RI)
 - Submitted Final Supplemental RI Work Plan in November 2005
 - Completed Supplemental RI sampling activities in January 2005
 - Currently developing risk assessment protocols with regulatory agencies that will be used for preparing risk assessments for all environmental sites, including AOC I
 - RI Report to be prepared following development of risk assessment protocols



AOC R Investigation Update

- ❖ Remedial Investigation (RI)
 - Submitted Final RI Work Plan in November 2005
 - Completed RI sampling activities in January 2006
 - ❖ RI data to be reviewed to determine if additional data are necessary to adequately define nature and extent and assess potential risks
 - RI data being reviewed to determine if sufficient data have been collected or additional data are needed; findings of review to be discussed with regulatory agencies in October 2006



AOC J, AOC R, SWMU 6, SWMU 7 Removal Action Update

- ❖ Public comment period on EE/CA ended in February 2006; no comments received
- ❖ Draft Removal Action Work Plan submitted to regulatory agencies in November 2005
- ❖ Regulatory comments being resolved; anticipate submitting Draft Final Removal Action Work Plan in late 2006
- ❖ Implement removal actions in late 2006 or early 2007



Status of Other Sites

- ❖ AOC H
 - Meeting with regulatory agencies to resolve comments on Draft RI Report in September 2006; anticipate submitting Draft Final RI Report to RAB in October 2006
- ❖ AOC J
 - Submitted preliminary responses to regulatory agency comments on Draft RI Report in May 2006; meeting with regulatory agencies to discuss comment responses in September 2006; anticipate submitting Draft Final RI Report to RAB in late 2006, pending resolution of regulatory agency comments
- ❖ SWMU 4
 - Meeting with regulatory agencies to resolve comments on Draft RI Work Plan in September 2006; anticipate submitting Draft Final RI Work Plan to RAB in October 2006
- ❖ SWMU 6
 - Submitted preliminary responses to regulatory agency comments on Draft RI Report in August 2006
- ❖ SWMU 7
 - Navy and regulatory agencies discussing potential for revising responses to regulatory agency comments on Draft RI Report due to planned removal action
- ❖ NFA Sites
 - Navy planning to start preparation of NFA Proposed Remedial Action Plans (PRAPs)

Eastern Vieques



Background Soil Inorganics Investigation Update

- ❖ Final Background Investigation Work Plan submitted in May 2006
- ❖ Background Investigation field work conducted in June and July 2006
- ❖ Analytical data for samples collected during Background Investigation currently being validated by independent data validator
- ❖ Background Investigation Report will be prepared once data validation is completed and data are uploaded into environmental database (anticipated to be 4th quarter of 2006)



8 PI/PAOC Sites Investigation Update

- ❖ Preliminary Assessment/Site Inspection
 - Completed PA/SI field work in April 2006
 - PA/SI Report will be prepared after Background Investigation Report is finalized



Status of Other Sites

- ❖ Consent Order 12 SWMUs/AOCs
 - Draft RFI Report to be revised (as revised Draft PA/SI Report) after Background Investigation Report is finalized