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NAVAL AIR SYSTEMS COMMAND
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Dear Resident:

As part of the on-going environmental efforts at the Naval Weapons Industrial Reserve Plant (NWIRP) - Calverton Facility (commonly known as the Grumman Plant at Calverton), the Navy has conducted a series of investigations to determine whether past acceptable practices resulted in environmental impact today.

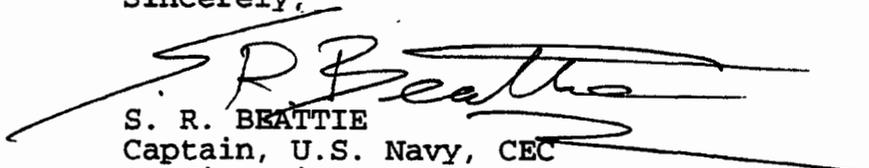
With the cooperation and oversight of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, an Installation Restoration Program at the Calverton facility was begun in 1990. The program consists of professional studies carried out in series. The results of each study determines whether the next set of studies is necessary. We have recently reached a point in the process where we have definitive information that we would like to share with you.

Please plan to attend a meeting the evening of February 27, 1996, at the Riverhead Town Hall, 200 Howell Avenue, sponsored by the Navy, where you can hear about these studies and future plans for the facility under the Installation Restoration Program.

An availability session with poster stations depicting activities being conducted at the facility will be held in the cafeteria beginning at 6:00 pm. Each station will be staffed by knowledgeable individuals who can answer your questions on a one-on-one basis. A public meeting in the auditorium will begin at 7:00 pm. The meeting will include a formal presentation of Installation Restoration Program efforts on various sites at NWIRP - Calverton and will conclude with a question and answer session. After the public meeting has concluded the presenters and other knowledgeable individuals will again be available to answer any additional questions you may have.

For additional information concerning this event contact Andrea Lohneiss, Director, Community Development Agency, Town of Riverhead at (516)727-3200, extension 236.

Sincerely,


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By direction of the Commander