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LETTER AND CONCURRENCE FROM U S EPA REGION I REGARDING FINAL
ENGINEERING EVALUATION/COST ANALYSIS FOR MUNITIONS REPOSE PRORGAM
SITE 1 CARR POINT RECREATIONAL BEHICLE CAMPLING PARK AREA WITH ATTACHED
PUBLIC NOTICE NS NEWPORT RI
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September 4, 2012

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Re: Final Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis for
MRP Site 01, Carr Point Recreational Vehicle Camping Park Area
NAVSTA Newport, RI
August 2012
Concurrence

Dear Ms. Montegross:

EPA has received the "Final Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis for MRP Site 01, Carr Point Recreational Vehicle Camping Park Area, NAVSTA Newport, RI," dated August 2012, as prepared by Tetra Tech NUS, Inc., on behalf of Naval Station Newport, RI. The EE/CA presents removal action alternatives to mitigate potential human health risk associated with PAH contaminated soil; prevent the off-site migration of contamination; and restrict the use of the site for limited recreation only. EPA concurs with the Final EE/CA.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (617) 918-1754 or at lombardo.ginny@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ginny Lombardo".

Ginny Lombardo
Remedial Project Manager

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NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis

MRP Site 1 - Carr Point Shooting Range

NAVSTA Newport, Portsmouth, Rhode Island

The United States Navy is seeking participation and opportunity for public and stakeholder review and comment of the Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis (EE/CA) for an action to remove contaminated soil at the Munitions Response Program (MRP) Site 01, which is located at the Carr Point Recreational Vehicle Camping Park Area. The EE/CA proposes a soil removal action to address polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon (PAH) and metals contaminated surface soils at a portion of the property, which, once accomplished, will return that portion of the site to its previous restricted use for recreational purposes. As part of this effort the fence that was installed in 2010 at the site will be removed along with the contaminated surface soils in order to open up this portion of the RV camp area for use as a restricted recreational area. The unaffected portion of the camp area is utilized by temporary campers whose stay duration is restricted to 14-days.

The EE/CA for the MRP Site 1, Carr Point Shooting Range, Recreational Vehicle Camping Park Area, Naval Station Newport, Portsmouth, Rhode Island is available for public review at the following Information Repositories web site which the Navy maintains for the Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) and the Administrative Record: <http://go.usa.gov/Tsy>

More information regarding the EE/CA can be obtained at the RAB for Naval Station Newport web site: <http://www.rabnewportri.org/>

A 30-day public review period on the Final EE/CA will occur from August 17 through September 16. Written comments regarding the MRP Site 1 EE/CA can be submitted via e-mail, fax, or mail post-marked no later than September 15 to the following Public Affairs Officer.

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Responses to all comments will be included in the Administrative Record.