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LETTER REGARDING U S EPA REGION IV COMMENTS ON DRAFT TECHNICAL  
MEMORANDUM FOR NO FURTHER ACTION AT POTENTIAL SOURCE OF  
CONTAMINATION 48 LAKE FRETWELL NAS CECIL FIELD FL

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Subject: Draft Technical memorandum for No Further Action, PSC 48, Lake Fretwell  
Sediments, NAS Cecil Field, Jacksonville, Florida

Dear Mr. Glass:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has completed it's review of the subject report. Our comments are below:

1. Figure 4-1 shows that samples were collected from the golf course (gc) and Rowell Creek (rc). Because these are up gradient samples and it would be beneficial to include a brief discussion of these data.
2. What were the results of the interstitial pore water analysis? The report indicates that interstitial pore water analyses were collected but no discussion was included.
3. Add a table showing ecological toxicity test results.
4. Sample SD-006 is not located on Figure 4-1. It should be added.
5. Provide the risk calculations from the preliminary risk evaluation. In the past, Technical Memorandums and Sampling and Analysis Reports would contain a brief description of a preliminary risk evaluation and a discussion of the ECLR and hazard quotients. This would be very beneficial in supporting the risk findings as presented.
6. Recommend adding aluminum and iron data results to the discussion

If you have any questions, please contact me at 404/562-8539

Sincerely,

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