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MINUTES AND AGENDA FROM RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD COMMUNITY
RELATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING DATED 13 MAY 1997 CNC CHARLESTON SC
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Agenda

Restoration Advisory Board Community Relations Subcommittee

05/13/97
MAY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING
3:30 PM TO 4:30 PM
Building NH-51 (CSO Office)
Conference Room

Attendees:

Louis Mintz, Arthur Pinckney, Wannetta Mallette Pratt, Fouche'na Sheppard, Daryle Fontenot

Agenda topics

Meeting Overview

Web page for RAB

Chicora Tank Farm Fact Sheet

Other Agenda Items

Resource persons:

Diane Cutler and Gabriel Magwood



NAVAL BASE, CHARLESTON Environmental Cleanup Program

This fact sheet is one of a series to inform interested citizens about the environmental investigations and cleanup actions at Naval Base, Charleston. Other fact sheets will be written at appropriate points in the program and in response to public interest. Distribution is coordinated through the Public Affairs Office at Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Southern Division, (803) 820-5771.

RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD (RAB)

● WHAT IS THE RAB?

The RAB is a forum for community involvement in the cleanup of the Naval Base. The RAB consists of citizens, Navy, city, state, and Environmental Protection Agency personnel who work together. The role of the citizens serving on this board is to represent the interests of the community.

● RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE RAB

The RAB works in an advisory capacity with the installation's Base Realignment and Closure Cleanup Team on cleanup issues and related decisions. The RAB is the communication link between the community and the Navy regarding environmental plans at Naval Base, Charleston. Some specific responsibilities of the RAB include:

- ✓ Conducting meetings that are open to the public;
- ✓ Making minutes of these meetings available to the public; and,
- ✓ Meeting with the community and bringing all genuine ideas and concerns to RAB meetings for consideration and discussion.

● MEMBERS OF THE RAB

Representatives were selected from diverse groups in the Trident area, including health officials, local government, business people, school officials, local environmental groups, base employees, and homeowners associations. The RAB is chaired by two individuals that share the responsibility of coordinating RAB activities. These co-chairs are:

- Ms. Wannetta Mallette-Pratt (Community Co-chair); (803) 740-2577, and
- Mr. Daryle Fontenot (Navy Co-chair); (803) 820-5607.

The individuals listed below were selected and have volunteered their time and energy to serve as your community representatives to the RAB:

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| ▪ Mr. Oliver Addison | ▪ Mr. Wilburn Gilliard | ▪ Mr. Arthur Pinckney |
| ▪ Mr. Ray Anderson | ▪ Mr. Donald Harbert | ▪ Mr. Odell Price |
| ▪ Mr. Steve Best | ▪ Mr. Ralph Laney | ▪ Ms. Fouche'na Sheppard |
| ▪ Mr. James Conner | ▪ Mr. Louis Mintz | |

● **RAB MEETINGS** _____

Information on the date, time, and location of the next meeting can be obtained by calling either of the RAB co-chairs. **Meetings are open to the public** and your attendance is encouraged.

● **FOR MORE INFORMATION** _____

Information such as work plans, meeting minutes, and other materials regarding environmental decisions/actions at the Base are available for public review at the Information Repository listed below.

Dorchester Road Regional Branch
Charleston County Library
6325 Dorchester Road
North Charleston, SC 29418
(803) 552-6466

Mon-Thurs: 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Fri and Sat: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Sunday: 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. (Sept. - May)

Any other questions, comments or concerns including those relating to the RAB are welcome and may be directed by mail or phone to:

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