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Mr. David Criswell
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RE: Comments on Community Relations Plan for NAS Pensacola,
Pensacola, Florida

Dear Mr. Criswell:

EPA has reviewed the Community Relations Plan for Naval Air
Station Pensacola and has the following comments:

Appendix C, Page C-2 - Change spelling of the Regional Federal
Facilities Coordinator from Litton to Linton. Also add Nancy
Dean and Beverly Mosely as EPA contacts - Project Manager and
Community Relations Coordinator respectively.

Appendix C, Part C - Add Beverly Mosely as a subject matter
expert in Superfund Community Relations. EPA suggests the Navy
add the area of expertise for each subject matter expert, in
order to assist in directing the public's questions to the
appropriate person.

Appendix C - Add citizens interviewed to the mailing list
unless they requested otherwise. Continue to add to the mailing
list from registration at public meetings.

Page 18, Section 3.2 - It is not clear under the key Community
Concerns Section whether there have been past community concern
about NAS Pensacola. EPA suggests a more definitive statement
indicating no past community interest. EPA is also concerned
about some of the misleading technical statements in this
section. Past samples, although unvalidated have shown
contamination in Bayou Grande. In addition, EPA is concerned
about the use of the Boy Scout Campground and the recreational
areas located near and on top of the old landfill. EPA suggests
these sites be addressed for health concerns as soon as
possible, since children are playing there.

Page 20, Section 4.0 - Add Administrative Record to Objective
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Page 22, Section 5.1.1 - EPA recommends conducting a Work Plan or kick-off public meeting before RI work begins. This meeting is informal and explains the Superfund process and remedial activities to be conducted at the base, and emphasizes how the community can be involved.

Page 22, Section 5.1.2 - Please note that the FS and Proposed Plan require a public notice of their availability. Also required is a transcript of the public meeting. (see Section 117 of SARA).

Page 23, Section 5.1.4 - Add NCP requirements to prepare and distribute fact sheets prior to the design, on the actual design, and prior to remedial action.

If there are questions regarding these comments, please contact Nancy Dean at (404) 347-3016.

Sincerely yours,


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