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Re: Draft Finals for:

- Item 1. *Site Management Plan, Contamination Assessment and Remedial Activities, Naval Air Station Pensacola*
- Item 2. *Project Management Plan, Contamination Assessment and Remedial Activities, Naval Air Station Pensacola*
- Item 3. *General Health and Safety Plan, Environmental Contamination Assessment, Naval Air Station Pensacola*
- Item 4. *Generic Quality Assurance Project Plan for Contamination Assessments and Remedial Activities, Naval Air Station Pensacola*
- Item 5. *Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Work Plan - Group O, Naval Air Station Pensacola*

Dear Ms. Sanborn,

We recently received the Draft Final for the above referenced plans (Items 1 - 5). In general, we concur with the plans. However, investigations at many of these sites have discovered contaminants which appear to be from ambient sources. The management plans should address ways to research or determine the source of these ambient contaminants at a specific site.

Specific Comments

Items 1 to 4

Site 41 (NASPWetlands) is not identified on the illustrations (NAS Pensacola Site Locations) in any of the above subject plans.

Item 4

In Chapter 6 (FIELD WORK AND SAMPLING PROCEDURES), no procedures are described for the "Habitat/Biota Survey." We suggest transects or cross sections be established to perform this survey.

Also, no methodologies are characterized for "Biota Sampling" should this sampling be necessary.

Item 5

Page 5-5, Section' 5.1.7.

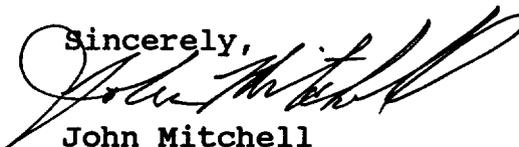
There is no defined plan for the "Habitat/Biota Survey." Is the survey to be limited to each of the sites, or will it include the surrounding area along Magazine Point? As the survey methodology is not described in the GQAPP, will the survey be performed with transects or random observation?

Appendix D

At the bottom of the Appendix D Table, there is no definition for the acronym "SSC" under the Status for the FGFWFC.

Thank you for the ability to comment. If you have any questions, please call (904)488-2960.

Sincerely,



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