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LETTER REGARDING FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
COMMENTS ON SITE 35 FEASIBILITY STUDY NAS WHITING FIELD FL  
7/26/2006  
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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The four Golden Rules for site assessment/remediation:

For soil, delineate completely and dig to "clean," or dig out what you will and take confirmatory samples to prove you dug to "clean."

Delineate all contamination in all media vertically and horizontally.

For LUC sites, if for the Industrial scenario, delineate to Residential (not necessarily the site boundary originally designated).

Now, after all this, don't forget leachability.

On Geochemical Protocols:

"Alternative approaches in which data are pooled and then attempts are made to sort specific samples into either 'background' or 'affected' categories have serious problems and should be avoided."

"It is important that site soil and background soil samples be matched as closely as possible with respect to the geochemistry of trace metals being considered."

"Taking background samples locally will satisfy requirements in Chapter 62-780, F.A.C., which defines 'background concentrations' for use in risk assessment as coming from samples taken 'in the vicinity' of the site."

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communications and may therefore be subject to public disclosure.



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RE: Final Feasibility Study for OU 22, Site 35, Building 1429, Public Works Maintenance Facility, Surface and Subsurface Soil, Revision 1, Naval Air Station Whiting Field

Final Proposed Plan for Site 35, Building 1429, Surface and Subsurface Soil, Naval Air Station Whiting Field

Dear Ms. Reed:

I have reviewed the above documents dated August 2006 (received August 17, 2006). The documents have addressed my previous concerns and are acceptable.

Thank you for the opportunity to review these documents. If you need additional information or further clarification, please feel free to call me at 850-245-8999.

Sincerely,

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RE: Final Feasibility Study Addendum – Surface and Subsurface Soils at OU 13, Site 14,  
Short-Term Sanitary Landfill, Revision 2, Naval Air Station Whiting Field

Final Proposed Plan – Surface and Subsurface Soils at Site 14, Short-Term Sanitary  
Landfill, Naval Air Station Whiting Field

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Southwest Landfill, Revision 1, Naval Air Station Whiting Field

Final Proposed Plan – Surface and Subsurface Soils at Site 15, Southwest Landfill, Naval  
Air Station Whiting Field

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RE: Final Feasibility Study Addendum: OU 12, Site 13 - Sanitary Landfill, Surface and Subsurface Soil, Revision 2, Naval Air Station Whiting Field

Final Proposed Plan: OU 12, Site 13 - Sanitary Landfill, Surface and Subsurface Soil, Naval Air Station Whiting Field

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