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LETTER REGARDING FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
CONCURRENCE FOR SITE 11 RECORD OF DECISION NAS WHITING FIELD FL
9/8/2009
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION



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Dear Mr. Kissam:

The Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has reviewed the Record of Decision (ROD) for the Naval Air Station Whiting Field Operable Unit 10, Site 11, Southeast Open Disposal Area B. The selected remedy for Site 11 consists of Land Use Controls that will restrict the site to non-residential use and will prohibit digging, disturbing, or removing of soil from the site without prior written approval from the United States Environmental Protection Agency and the Department. The restrictions will cover an area slightly larger than the boundaries of Site 11 to ensure that an appropriate buffer zone is created. Engineering controls consisting of warning signs are also part of the remedy. The Department concurs that this remedy should be protective of human health and the environment.

If you have any questions concerning this letter of concurrence, please contact Mr. John D. Winters, P.G., our Naval Air Station Whiting Field Remedial Project Manager, at (850) 245-8999.

Sincerely,

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