
NAVAL WEAPONS STATION (NAVWPNSTA) SEAL BEACH
RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD (RAB)
AND COMMUNITY MEETING
May 9, 2001

Participants:

Chen, Judy / Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC)
Garrison, Kirsten / CH2M HILL
Le, Si / Southwest Division, Naval Facilities Engineering Command (SWDIV)
Leibel, Katherine / DTSC
Smith, Gregg / NAVWPNSTA Seal Beach Public Affairs Officer
Tamashiro, Pei-Fen / NAVWPNSTA Seal Beach and Navy Co-chair
Willhite, Lindi / Community Co-chair
Wong, Bryant / CH2M HILL

WELCOME

At 7:10 p.m., P. Tamashiro, Navy Co-chair and Base Installation Restoration Program (IRP) Coordinator, opened the meeting by welcoming the participants to the meeting and introduced L. Willhite, the Community Co-chair. P. Tamashiro also introduced S. Le, the Remedial Project Manager (RPM) from SWDIV.

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

S. Le, provided the RAB with an overview of the NAVWPNSTA Seal Beach's IRP projects status. The following projects were highlighted:

- Sites 4, 5, and 6 Removal Site Evaluation
- Site 5 Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis (EE/CA) and Action Memo/RAP (Removal Action Plan)
- Site 7 EE/CA and Action Memo/RAP
- Site 5 Removal Action
- Focused Site Inspection (FSI) Phase II (15 sites total)
- Site 14 Baseline Survey Investigation
- Groundwater Monitoring Program for Sites 40 and 70
- Feasibility Study, Proposed Plan, and ROD for Sites 40 and 70
- Community Relations Plan (CRP) Update

Copies of the Project Highlights slide presentation were made available as handouts at the meeting. No questions were posed during or after the project highlights.

PRESENTATION - 2001 COMMUNITY RELATIONS PLAN UPDATE

P. Tamashiro introduced K. Garrison, CH2M HILL, who gave a presentation of the 2001 Community Relations Plan. K. Garrison stated that the Draft 2001 CRP was currently being reviewed by the Navy and would be available for review by the RAB in June 2001. The RAB will be provided a total of two months to review the Draft 2001 CRP.

Copies of the slide presentation were made available as a handout at the meeting. The question and answer made immediately following the presentation is summarized below:

Question: During the 2001 CRP Update interviews, who indicated interest in joining the RAB or being added to the IR Program mailing list?

Answer: I do not have the specific names with me tonight, however I will provide an e-mail to you listing the names and contact information for these individuals.

COMMUNITY FORUM

P. Tamashiro announced that the June 2001 RAB meeting would be a tour of the IR Program sites. The following sites were identified for inclusion on the June 2001 RAB Tour (actual order of visit to be determined):

- Site 40 Concrete Pit/Gravel Area
- Site 70 Research, Testing, and Evaluation Area
- Site 5 Clean Fill Disposal
- Site 6 Explosives Burning Ground
- Site 7 Station Landfill
- Site 14 Abandoned Underground Storage Tanks
- Site 74 Old Skeet Range
- Site 22 Oil Island

It was suggested that the RAB Tour begin with Site 7 and proceed to inland sites to avoid subjecting the RAB Tour participants to cold winds that blow from the coast and over the National Wildlife Refuge waters late in the day.

ADJOURNMENT

P. Tamashiro adjourned the meeting at 8:05 p.m.