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## **NAVY APPROVES 2<sup>ND</sup> INSPECTOR FOR LINCOLN MILITARY HOMES**

**Norfolk, Va.** - The Navy has granted approval for Lincoln Military Housing to contract with WSP Environment & Energy of Reston, Va., to assist in the inspection of homes managed by Lincoln and rented to military families in Hampton Roads.

Earlier this month the Navy approved Lincoln's request to contract with Froehling & Robertson, Inc. of Richmond, to conduct the housing inspections. In all, 235 units of the 4,300 units managed by Lincoln have been identified for mold inspections: 150 are requests from residents; 85 units are being inspected at Lincoln's request following a maintenance inspection of all its homes two weeks ago. To date, fifty mold inspections have been completed.

Inspections include visual examinations of the home with testing, including air sampling and tape sampling, when appropriate.

Several weeks ago, the Navy contracted with Marine Chemist Services from Newport News, Va., to conduct inspections of approximately 12 Lincoln homes.

When inspection results are returned, military families will sit down with Navy representatives to answer any questions and discuss further action should it be needed. The family meetings are scheduled to begin next week.

Lincoln contracted the second firm so the inspections can be completed sooner.

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