

RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD

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The Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) met at Coastal Carolina Community College in Jacksonville, North Carolina on Tuesday, April 2, 1999 from 6:30 to 8:20 p.m. The following individuals attended.

Jim Swartzenberg	Community RAB Co-Chair
Neal Paul	Camp Lejeune, EMD/IR
Rick Raines	Camp Lejeune, EMD/IR
Jeff Wyrick	Camp Lejeune, EMD/IR
Tom Morris	Camp Lejeune, EMD/IR
Rich Mullins	Community RAB Member
Laura Bader	Community RAB Member
Ray Humphries	Community RAB Member
David Lown	NC DENR, Superfund Section
Tom Trebilcock	Baker Environmental
Capt Jim Rich	Camp Lejeune, Public Affairs
2ndLt Clint A Cascader	Camp Lejeune, Public Affairs
Pat Evans	Local Resident, EMD/EQAD

Agenda Item 1, Call To Order

6:35 p.m. - Mr. Neal Paul opened the meeting.
Agenda Item 2, Finalize Last Meeting Minutes
Mr. Paul asked if anyone had any comments or changes to the minutes from the last meeting. The RAB accepted the minutes as written.

Agenda Item 3, New Business

Mr. Paul asked for new items not on the agenda. Rick Raines informed RAB members there will be an open house sponsored by EPA, Baker and Duke Engineering for Site 88, Building 25 on May 14-15.

Agenda Item 4, Stone Bay Study Results

Mr. Raines presented the results of the sampling. Baker Environmental sampled oysters, mussels and clams from different points within Stone Bay to evaluate the presence of Lead and Copper in each species. We compared the results to published values and background levels. Baker tested the sediment to determine if there were any problems with the area. All samples were below EPA regulation standards, and only the mussels had a slightly higher value of copper when compared to the published values. Mussels are at a higher risk, but they are not above the background levels. Mr. Swartzenberg asked about the background levels and the published values. Mr. Raines replied that they were also a little higher than the literature values. Mr. Paul mentioned the test results do not support the need to implement a \$7-8 million bullet trap. IR is researching the use of Green bullets. Green bullets consist of an environmentally alternative to lead.

Agenda Item 5, Lead Paint Update

Mr. Wyrick discussed that 79 of the 121 playgrounds had equipment tested for Lead Based Paint with positive detection. 84 of the Playgrounds had the soils sampled with no hazards being present, therefore no control measures or action is require. Camp Lejeune also sampled Community Centers and Child Development Centers for Lead based Paint. No samples analyzed had lead levels that exceeded HUD action limits.

Agenda Item 6, ATSDR Study Update

Mr. Paul discussed that 12,000 families could be affected from the drinking water at Tarawa Terrace from 1968-85. The water had elevated levels of PCE coming from an off base source. ATSDR is conducting a Childhood Leukemia study on 6,000 women who lived at Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune versus 6,000 women from Tarawa Terrace who did. The Marine Corps is having a hard time locating these people due to the Privacy Act restrictions. IR will be reporting on this issue during the RAB meetings for the next few years.

Agenda Item 7, Review Draft Brochure

Mr. Morris invited RAB members on April 14 to the photo tour for the RAB brochure. The Base printing plant will print the brochures. We are planning on producing 2500 copies. Mr. Paul would like to have a Draft copy by the next meeting.

Agenda Item 8, Building 45 Update

Mr. Morris discussed taking the wipe PCB's sample test from the (old Tidewater Electric plant). The samples come back below the I-PPM for residential level; therefore, demolition will commence soon.

Agenda Item 9, FY99 Plans: Upcoming Studies and Remediation

Mr. Trebilcock of Baker Environmental presented an update and schedule of work his firm will complete during the coming year. He relayed that the majority of work has moved beyond the investigation phase and is now in the remediation phase. Investigation of a few sites is all that remains. In addition, few sites have no remedial alternative identified.

During the coming year, RAB members need to provide comments and responses regarding a number of Records of Decision and Proposed Remedial Action Plans.

Comments from the RAB and community members are an integral part of the selecting a remedial alternative.

Agenda Item IO, Admin Record Status

Mr. Paul discussed the problems RAB members experiencing trying to locate records at the Library. If anyone is having problems, please contact the IRD staff for assistance. Tom Trebilcock of Baker is working on a CD-ROM with IR information. In the future, Ms. Bonnie Capito is coming from LANTDIV to update the Onslow Co. Library.

Agenda Item 12, RAB Survey

Mr. Paul discussed in detail the purpose of the RAB survey. It is for people to understand the type of cleanup programs that Military Installations implement. Camp Lejeune did not get a chance to review the document before publishing. As listed, Camp Lejeune does not have a RAB committee. Mr. Paul suggested filling out the survey. We will forward the surveys to the appropriate personnel.

Agenda Item 12, Wrap Up

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, June 1, 1999 at 6:30 p.m. at Coastal Carolina Community College. Please let Mr. Swartzenberg or the IRD office if there is anything you would like on the agenda for the next meeting.

We adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

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