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# HPNS UPDATE

Hunters Point Naval Shipyard

AN UPDATE OF  
CLEANUP ACHIEVEMENTS

PREPARING FOR TOMORROW

## PROGRAM OUTREACH ACHIEVEMENTS: JULY-SEPTEMBER 2012

### Overview

The 2011 Community Involvement Plan (CIP) listed several ways for the Hunters Point Naval Shipyard (HPNS) cleanup team to reach out to the HPNS community. The Navy agreed to prepare a quarterly summary of community involvement achievements and goals for the coming months. This Quarterly Update summarizes the activities held during July, August, and September 2012.

### Community Meetings

The HPNS cleanup team continued to hold bi-monthly community meetings at various locations in the HPNS community. Navy representatives also met with other existing groups to provide information and answer questions on cleanup activities at HPNS.

#### Recent Navy Community Meetings

- ◆ August 18, 2012  
*Bayview Opera House*  
Topic: Utility Corridors Field Work and Basewide Radiological Cleanup

#### Other Recent Meetings

- ◆ September 20, 2012  
*Shipyard Tenant Meeting*  
Topic: Parcel B Remedial Action and Tenant Access During Activities

### 2012 Calendar of Events

In July, the annual HPNS Community Events Calendar was translated into Spanish and Chinese and distributed to the public.

### Topic-Specific Fact Sheets

At the August Community Meeting, the Summer 2012 Cleanup Update fact sheet was available to the public.

### Radio Show Appearances

In August, Keith Forman, the Navy Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Environmental Coordinator, was interviewed by KPBS radio for a report on the cleanup at the former Shipyard. The interview aired on KQED FM 88.5 on Wednesday, August 8.

### HPNS Site Tours

Keith Forman hosted a total of four guided tours of the cleanup activities on the former Shipyard on July 28 and September 22. The tours were open to the public through advanced reservations, with 60 people participating. *Thanks for making it a success!*

### Community Events

Members of the Navy participated in the Bayview neighborhood's Sunday Streets celebration by hosting a booth at the event on July 17. In support of California Coastal Cleanup Day, the Navy visited four locations near HPNS on September 15. Information on the cleanup activities at the former Shipyard were made available to the public at both events.

### Document Review

Numerous documents were released by the Navy over the summer of 2012, including the following:

- ◆ Final Work Plan addendum to the Parcel E Groundwater Treatability Study
- ◆ Final Work Plan, Ship Shielding Range
- ◆ Draft Tech Memo for RAD Data Gap Investigation Phase 2a, Parcel F
- ◆ Final Pier Demolition Removal Action Completion Summary Report, Parcel F
- ◆ Final Parcel E Soil Excavation Characterization Work Plan
- ◆ Final Feasibility Study Report, Parcel E
- ◆ Draft Remedial Action Work Plan for Parcel B (excluding IR Sites 7 and 18)
- ◆ Draft Remedial Action Work Plan, Parcel G

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### DOCUMENT REVIEW SITES

#### San Francisco

##### Main Public Library

Government Information Center, 5th Floor  
100 Larkin Street  
San Francisco, CA  
(415) 557-4500

##### Hunters Point Naval

##### Shipyard Site Trailer

(near HPNS security entrance)  
690 Hudson Avenue  
San Francisco, CA

##### Navy's HPNS Website

[www.bracpmo.navy.mil](http://www.bracpmo.navy.mil)



# LOOKING AHEAD: OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2012

## Future Community Meetings & Events

- ◆ **October 24, 2012—Community Meeting**  
6:00—7:45 p.m.  
Bayview YMCA  
Topic: Upcoming Cleanup at Parcel C
- ◆ **October 28, 2012—Leland Avenue Street Fair**  
10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.  
Leland Ave. & Bayshore Blvd.
- ◆ **December 5, 2012—Community Meeting**  
6:00—8:00 p.m.  
SECC, Alex L. Pitcher Room  
Topic: Annual Review of Navy's Cleanup Activities in 2012

## Topic-Specific Fact Sheets

The Navy is developing a Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) sheet, as well as an Annual Fact Sheet. All fact sheets will be available in print and electronic versions.

## Upcoming Documents for Review

The following documents are planned to be released by the Navy during the fall of 2012.

*If you are interested in reading one of the following documents, visit one of the Document Review Sites listed on Page 1 of this quarterly update.*

- ◆ Final Remedial Action Work Plan, Parcel G
- ◆ Draft Groundwater Treatability Study Report Addendum, Parcel E
- ◆ Draft Final RAD Data Gap Investigation Tech Memo 2a, Parcel F

- ◆ Draft Ship Shielding Removal Action Completion Report, Parcel E-2
- ◆ Final Soil Vapor Investigation Tech Memo, Parcels B, D-1, G, and UC-2
- ◆ Draft Remedial Action Completion Report, Parcels UC-1 and UC-2

## Community Involvement Plan Update

Starting in the fall of 2012 and into the spring of 2013, the Navy will be evaluating and updating the Community Involvement Plan (CIP) that was issued in May 2011. The 2011 CIP has provided valuable guidance and resources to the Navy to develop two-way communications with the public, focusing on enhanced outreach to neighbors of the former Shipyard.



The 2013 CIP Update focuses on evaluating the success of outreach efforts by the Navy presented in the 2011 CIP. In addition, feedback from community members is a critical component in making sure that the Navy's efforts are working and in planning future events. Look for a community survey later this year to provide input to the Navy. In addition, the Draft CIP Update will be available for public review in 2013.

To read the 2011 CIP, visit the Navy website at [www.bracpmo.navy.mil](http://www.bracpmo.navy.mil) or one of the local information repositories, listed below.



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In 1988, the Department of Defense created the Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Program to oversee the cleanup and transfer of military bases to public or private groups for redevelopment.

HPNS was added to the BRAC Program in 1988, and the Navy has been working since that time to clean up hazardous waste created by former shipyard use.

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The HPNS cleanup team includes the United States Navy, the United States Environmental Protection Agency, the California Department of Toxic Substances Control, and the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board.