# FY2015

# SIEVERS-SANDBERG USARC Army Defense Environmental Restoration Program Installation Action Plan

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# **Statement of Purpose**

The purpose of the Installation Action Plan (IAP) is to outline the total multiyear cleanup program for an installation. The plan identifies environmental cleanup requirements at each site or area of concern (AOC), and proposes a comprehensive, installation-wide approach, along with the costs and schedules associated with conducting investigations and taking the necessary remedial actions (RA).

In an effort to coordinate planning information between the environmental restoration manager, the 99th Regional Support Command (RSC), the US Army Environmental Command (USAEC), the Installation Management Command-Army Reserve Directorate (IMCOM-ARD), the executing agencies, regulatory agencies, and the public, an IAP was completed. The IAP is used to track requirements, schedules, and budgets for all major Army installation cleanup programs.

All site-specific funding and schedule information has been prepared according to projected overall Army funding levels and is, therefore, subject to change.

## **Acronyms**

AEDB-CC Army Environmental Database - Compliance-related Cleanup AEDB-R Army Environmental Database - Restoration AOC Area of Concern BRAC Base Realignment and Closure CC Compliance-related Cleanup CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act **CR** Compliance Restoration **DD** Decision Document DERP Defense Environmental Restoration Program EBS Environmental Baseline Survey FRA Final Remedial Actions FS Feasibility Study FY Fiscal Year GPR Ground Penetrating Radar **GW** Groundwater HHRA Human Health Risk Assessment IAP Installation Action Plan IMCOM-ARD Installation Management Command-Army Reserve Directorate IR Installation Restoration IRA Interim Remedial Actions IRP Installation Restoration Program LTM Long-Term Management LUC Land Use Control MMRP Military Munitions Response Program NFA No Further Action NJ New Jersey NPL National Priorities List ODUSD (I&E) Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Installations & Environment) OU Operable Unit PP Proposed Plan RA Remedial Action RA(C) Remedial Action - Construction RAB Restoration Advisory Board RC Response Complete RI Remedial Investigation RIP Remedy-in-Place ROD Record of Decision RSC Regional Support Command SI Site Inspection TAPP Technical Assistance for Public Participation TBD To Be Determined TRC Technical Review Committee

US United States

USAEC US Army Environmental Command

USACHPPM US Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine

# Acronyms

USARC US Army Reserve Command

USEPA US Environmental Protection Agency

VOC Volatile Organic Compound

# **Installation Information**

#### **Installation Locale**

Installation Size (Acreage): 40

City: Pedricktown County: Salem

**State:** New Jersey (NJ) **Other Locale Information** 

This property has been used by the US federal government since 1918. Over the years the property has been used as a support depot for the port of Philadelphia, ammunition storage, Nike Missile Master Command center, and general training for the Army. The site is currently unused and unoccupied.

#### **Installation Mission**

While not currently used, the installation most recently served as a reserve training center for multiple reserve units through classroom training.

#### **Lead Organization**

US Army Reserve

#### **Lead Executing Agencies for Installation**

99th RSC

#### **Regulator Participation**

Federal Bob Wing, US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Region 2

State Anthony Cinque, NJ Department of Environmental Protection
Phil Cole, NJ Department of Environmental Protection

#### **National Priorities List (NPL) Status**

SIEVERS-SANDBERG USARC is not on the NPL

# Installation Restoration Advisory Board (RAB)/Technical Review Committee (TRC)/Technical Assistance for Public Participation (TAPP) Status

Installation has no sites in RI phase.

#### **Installation Program Summaries**

#### CR

Primary Contaminants of Concern: Metals, Volatiles (VOC)

Affected Media of Concern: Groundwater, Soil

# 5-Year / Periodic Review Summary

#### 5-Year / Periodic Review Summary

Status	Start Date	End Date	End FY
Planned	201808	202002	2020

#### 5-Year / Periodic Review Details

Associated ROD/DD Name	Sites
Decision Document for Soil and gw	CC Site 03

# Land Use Control (LUC) Summary

**LUC Title:** LUC for Soil **Site(s):** CC Site 03

ROD/DD Title: Decision Document for Soil and gw

#### **Location of LUC**

Land Use Control is not specified to a certain location in report and therefore applied to entire site, CC Site 03. However, land use control should be in smaller area adjacent to buildings 464 and 434 where areas of potential environmental concern for Arsenic are identified.

Land Use Restriction: Restrict land use - No daycare/hospital/school use, Restrict land use - No residential use

Types of Engineering Controls: None

Types of Institutional Controls: Restrictions on land use

**Date in Place:** 201309 **Modification Date:** N/A **Date Terminated:** N/A

Inspecting Organization: Installation

Record of LUC: Master Plan or Equivalent

**Documentation Date: N/A** 

LUC Enforcement: 5 Year Reviews

Contaminants: METALS

Additional Information

N/A

# **Cleanup Program Summary**

#### **Installation Historic Activity**

This property has been used by the US federal government since 1918. Over the years the property has been used as a support depot for the port of Philadelphia, ammunition manufacturing and storage, housing for military personnel, Nike Missile Master Command center, storage for dredge material, and general training for the Army. The site is currently unused and unoccupied.

#### **Installation Program Cleanup Progress**

**CR** 

Prior Year Progress: A LUC plan was drafted, but errors were found during its review. Contracting for a soil delineation

study occurred which will remedy the LUC plan.

Future Plan of Action: The soil delineation study will be conducted. LUCs will either be refined or the site will be cleaned,

allowing for unrestricted use.

# SIEVERS-SANDBERG USARC Army Defense Environmental Restoration Program Compliance Restoration

# **CR Summary**

Installation Total Army Environmental Database-Restoration (AEDB-R) Sites/Closeout Sites Count: 2/0

Installation Site Types with Future and/or Underway Phases

1 Contaminated Fill (CC Site 04)

1 Contaminated Sediments

(CC Site 03)

**Most Widespread Contaminants of Concern** 

Metals, Volatiles (VOC)

**Media of Concern** 

Groundwater, Soil

Completed Remedial Actions (Interim Remedial Actions/ Final Remedial Actions (IRA/FRA))

Site ID Site Name Action Remedy FY

N/A

**Duration of CR** 

Date of CR Inception: 200301

Estimated Date for Remedy-In-Place (RIP)/Response Complete (RC): 201712/201712

Date of CR completion including Long Term Management (LTM): 201712

# **CR Contamination Assessment**

#### **Contamination Assessment Overview**

Environmental restoration activities include the Installation Restoration Program (IRP) and Military Munitions Response Program (MMRP). On Dec. 29, 2008, the Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Installation and Environment, (ODUSD I&E), issued an interim policy for Defense Environmental Restoration Program (DERP) eligibility that rescinded the 1986 eligibility date for the IRP and the 2002 eligibility date for the MMRP. This made many sites previously addressed in the Army's Compliance-related Cleanup (CC) program eligible for the DERP. Sites that are now eligible for the IR program have been migrated from Army Environmental Database-Compliance-related Cleanup (AEDB-CC) and given the naming convention of other IR sites. The newly eligible sites are considered to be IR sites; however, they are being coded as CR in AEDB-R to distinguish them from the original Installation Restoration (IR) sites and IR metrics. Soil and groundwater have been impacted by metals and volatile organic compounds (VOC).

#### **Cleanup Exit Strategy**

LUCs are the proposed remedy.

# **CR Previous Studies**

	Title Author		Date
1991			
	Preliminary Site Assessment	RMC Environmental Services	APR-1991
1993			
	Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) Survey	Versar	AUG-1993
1997		·	
	Environmental Baseline Survey	Woodward-Clyde	MAR-1997
	Underground Storage Tank System Closure	Earth Tech	AUG-1997
	Underground Storage Tank System Closure	Earth Tech	OCT-1997
	Results of GPR Surveys and Exploratory Excavations	Earth Tech	NOV-1997
2002		1	
	Remedial Action Report for Soil	ARCADIS	MAR-2002
2003		-1	
	Environmental Baseline Survey	URS	JAN-2003
2005		1	
	Site Investigation of Specific Areas of Potential Environmental Concern	Kemron	JAN-2005
2006			
	Site Inspection Addendum	USACHPPM	JUN-2006
2007			
	Continued Site Investigation	USACHPPM	APR-2007
2008		1	
	Risk Assessment	USACHPPM	JAN-2008
	Human Health Risk Assessment	USACHPPM	MAY-2008
2013		•	1
	Decision Document, Site CC Site 03	99th RSC	JAN-2013
	Comprehensive Site Assessment	Pars Environmental Inc	JAN-2013

# **SIEVERS-SANDBERG USARC**

Compliance Restoration
Site Descriptions

# Site ID: CC Site 03 Site Name: Lead and Arsenic in Soil



Regulatory Driver: CERCLA

Contaminants of Concern: Metals, Volatiles (VOC)

Media of Concern: Groundwater, Soil

Phases	Start	End
PA	200301	200304
SI	200501	200601
RA(C)	201210	201610

RIP Date: N/A RC Date: 201610

### SITE DESCRIPTION

Sievers-Sandberg US Army Reserve Command (USARC) (aka Camp Pedricktown Reserve enclave) was once part of the larger installation, Camp Pedricktown. As a result of Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) 1995, 47 acres of land were disposed of through the BRAC process, which left 40 acres to be retained by the US Army Reserves (present day Sievers Sandberg USARC property). In 2003, an Environmental Baseline Study (EBS) was performed on the property and several AOCs were confirmed.

Soil and groundwater sampling occurred in 2005 as part of a Site Inspection (SI) (Kemron, 2005) and arsenic in soil and metals and VOCs in groundwater were identified. An SI Addendum was performed resulting in the determination of the nature and extent of the soil and groundwater contamination (Kemron, 2006).

The constituents of potential concern in soil evaluated in the Human Health Risk Assessment (HHRA) were arsenic, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, molybdenum and zinc. The results of the HHRA showed that the total carcinogenic risk levels identified in soil for future adult residents and industrial and construction workers were found to be within the levels considered safe by the US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) at the site (US Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine (USACHPPM), 2008). This indicates that exposure to soil does not pose a health risk to future adult residents and industrial and construction workers, but it could pose a potential risk to the future child resident at the site. Most of the total risk is due to arsenic, which has been identified in a previous report to be associated with gravel material containing coal slag used to pave the roads near the warehousing area and identified in the vicinity of Buildings 434 and 464 (USACHPPM, 2006).

During fiscal year (FY)14 a record of decision/decision document (ROD/DD) amendment action was initiated. A re-evaluation of the site and site data support the separation of CC Site 03 into two separate operable units (OU); one that poses no risk to human health and the environment (designated OU1, the original site, CC Site 03) and one that retains LUCs as the originally selected RA to prevent unacceptable risks to human health and the environment (OU2; the new site Site 04). This proposed DD amendment documents closing OU1 with no further action (NFA) necessary. A public meeting for the PP was held on March 3, 2015. At the conclusion of comment period, a ROD amendment will be processed in house.

During FY14, a focused SI was performed to determine the limit and extent of the arsenic impacted soil area adjacent to Buildings 434 and 464. If the amendment to the DD is approved and executed, resulting in the parcelization of the site into two OUs then, the arsenic impacted study area will be designated as CC Site 04 in AEDB-R and the IAP tool. Future actions will include and remedial investigation (RI) and possibly a feasibility study (FS); if applicable. Results from the RI will determine the need for the performance of a FS that will present RA alternatives including a NFA option.

### **CLEANUP/EXIT STRATEGY**

Currently performing arsenic delineation in areas of potential environmental concern identified in previous reports. In FY14, amendment of the DD begun. In the document, CC Site 03, will be separated from arsenic contaminated areas and LUC removed based on HHRA. A new site, CC Site 04, will be created in AEDB-R to account for area of potential concern with elevated concentrations of arsenic in soil.

Site ID: CC Site 04
Site Name: Arsenic in Soil



Regulatory Driver: CERCLA

Phases	Start	End
PA	200301	201210
RI/FS	201503	201712

RIP Date: N/A RC Date: 201712

## SITE DESCRIPTION

This site is approximately 4 acres. It is located adjacent to buildings 434 and 464. Elevated levels of arsenic and lead are found at the site. Historical documents state that contamination is from the use of coal slag in the road base.

## **CLEANUP/EXIT STRATEGY**

The cleanup strategy is currently unknown. An RI is currently underway with an option for the performance of a FS to be performed upon completion of the final RI report. The results of the RI/FS will provide data that will be used to evaluate potential site cleanup/exit strategy options.

# Site Closeout (No Further Action) Summary

**NFA Date** Site ID Site Name **Documentation** 

There are no NFA sites

# **CR Schedule**

Date of CR Inception: 200301

**Past Phase Completion Milestones** 

2003

PA (CC Site 03 - Lead and Arsenic in Soil)

2006

SI (CC Site 03 - Lead and Arsenic in Soil )

2013

PA (CC Site 04 - Arsenic in Soil)

**Projected Phase Completion Milestones** 

See attached schedule

Projected Record of Decision (ROD)/Decision Document (DD) Approval Dates

Site ID Site Name ROD/DD Title ROD/DD Date

Final RA(C) Completion Date: 201610

Schedule for Next Five-Year Review: 2020

Estimated Completion Date of CR at Installation (including LTM phase): 201712

## **SIEVERS-SANDBERG USARC CR Schedule**

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SITE ID	SITE NAME	PHASE	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20	FY21+
CC Site 03	Lead and Arsenic in Soil	RA(C)						
SITE ID	SITE NAME	PHASE	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20	FY21+
CC Site 04	Arsenic in Soil	RI/FS						

# **Community Involvement**

Technical Review Committee (TRC): None

Community Involvement Plan (Date Published): TBD

Restoration Advisory Board (RAB): No

Reason Not Established: Installation has no sites in RI phase.

#### **Additional Community Involvement Information**

A newspaper solicitation went out in 2012 for the PP. No public responses were received. There is currently a proposed site for the RI phase: however, no sites exist that require RAB solicitation at this time.

#### Administrative Record is located at

99th RSC HEADQUARTERS AFRC-SNJ-PW-E 5231 SOUTH SCOTT PLAZA JOINT BASE MCGUIRE DIX LAKEHURST, NEW JERSEY 08640 IRP POC 609.562,7661

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Current Technical Assistance for Public Participation (TAPP):N/A

TAPP Title: N/A

Potential TAPP: N/A