

**BRAC Cleanup Team  
Meeting Minutes  
December 11, 2002  
Conference Call**

**Final Version**

**Attendees:**

Rizgar Ghazi, DTSC (by phone)	David Eisen, USACE
John Chesnutt, USEPA (by phone)	Ed Ticken, Harding ESE
Grant Himebaugh, CRWQCB (by phone)	Marc Edwards, USACE
Gail Youngblood, BEC	Gary Kamei, USACE
Glen Mitchell, USACE (via phone)	
Peter Kelsall, Shaw E&I	
Carlene Merey, Harding ESE	

**Agenda Items:**

Item	Action	Comment
FFA Schedule	Update	
Carbon Tetrachloride	Update	
Site 39 ESD	Update	
Basewide Range Assessment	Update	
Operable Unit 2 (OU-2)	Update	Landfill gas
Operable Unit 1 (OU-1)	Status	Pilot Study
Sites 2/12	Update	Pilot Study
FOST/FOSL/FOSET	Update	
Calendar	Update	

**FFA Schedule**

The Army distributed draft Federal Facility Agreement (FFA) schedules for the Site 3 Final Record of Decision (ROD) and Operable Unit Carbon Tetrachloride Plume (OU CTP). The BCT approved the OU CTP FFA schedule and will provide any comments to the Site 3 schedule at the January BCT meeting.

**Carbon Tetrachloride Investigation Update**

Harding ESE, Inc (Harding) on behalf of the Army, presented the update. Four of the six West Bay wells have been installed using sonic drilling methods.

**Site 39 Explanation of Significant Differences (ESD)**

DTSC will provide language concerning their participation in the CAMU designation, to be added to the final document. The Army will issue the draft final document incorporating previous comments in January 2003.

### **Basewide Range Assessment Update**

Shaw E&I on behalf of the Army, reported that the site characterization sampling for the Group A ranges is in progress. The characterization of the Group B ranges is scheduled for February 2003.

### **OU2 Landfill Update**

Shaw E&I on behalf of the Army, reported that the cap installation was 75% complete. The cap and the vegetative layer will be completed by the end of the year. The landfill gas pilot study report will be submitted in January.

The following reports were discussed:

1. Draft Perimeter Excavation Report, Operable Unit 2 Landfill, Former Fort Ord, California. Neither DTSC nor EPA have comments on this report.
2. Literature Review Report, Basewide Range Assessment, Former Fort Ord, California, Revision C – DTSC has sent an email with comments to this report. EPA has no comments.
3. Ranges 21/46 Closure Report. DTSC has no comments. EPA to check if they have comments.
4. Ranges 24, 25, 26 Site Characterization/Pilot Study report. EPA and DTSC to check if they have comments.

### **Treatment System Status**

The Army presented an update on the operation of the treatment systems. The Sites 2/12 system is pumping at approximately 340 gpm and the OU 2 system is pumping at approximately 935 gpm.

### **Sites 2/12**

The Army presented an update on Sites 2/12. The Draft In-Situ Treatability Pilot Test Report was submitted on 11/14/02. EPA will submit comments concerning the level of manganese detected in the groundwater at Sites 2/12 during and after the pilot test. This issue will be addressed in the draft final report.

### **OU1**

The Army presented an update on OU1. The wells for the pilot study have been installed. One monitoring well was moved upgradient, toward the injection wells, to provide earlier monitoring data.

### **FOST/FOSL/FOSET**

Brostrom Park – The FOST is moving forward. The Army has prepared a response to the DTSC RCRA comments to the draft FOST.

Track 0 – DTSC will resend informal comments to the Track 0 FOST. DTSC reminded the BCT that OU CTP extends under the Reservation Road parcel in Track 0. This plume does not presently have remedy in place. EPA will research a possible approach to proceed with the transfer of the road without the groundwater remedy in place.

Veteran's Transition Center FOSE – The Army is preparing responses to EPA comments on the FOSE.

### **Calendar**

The calendar for the next three months was updated.