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Mr. Jeff Harlow  
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Dear Mr. Harlow,

The Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Atlantic (NAVFAC Atlantic) is in the process of updating its Vieques Community Involvement Plan (CIP). The CIP guides the program for citizen participation in our environmental cleanup efforts of the lands on Vieques that were formerly administered by the Navy. The CIP needs to be updated because of the recent addition of these lands to the National Priorities List.

An important step in preparing a CIP is interviewing the community members, local officials, public interest groups, and other interested parties who live or conduct business in Vieques.

These interviews help to: identify new or existing concerns from community members; obtain new ideas for keeping the community informed about the cleanup program; and encourage public participation in the environmental and munitions investigation and clean up process.

We plan to interview at least 25 individuals during the week of July 18 through July 22, 2005. The interviews will be done in English and Spanish at a location and time that is convenient for the interviewees. Additional interviews will be scheduled at a later date, if necessary.

If you are interested in participating in this process, please contact Madeline Rivera (English or Spanish) by telephone: 787-865-4152 (ext. 460) or by email: [riveramad@napr.navy.mil](mailto:riveramad@napr.navy.mil) and provide us with your telephone number and/or email address, so we can contact you to schedule the interview.

To obtain additional information on the current environmental investigations, you are welcome to attend the Restoration Advisory Board Meeting for Vieques on August 11, from 5:00 to 9:00 PM, at the Multiple Use Center in Isabel Segunda. RAB meetings are always open to the public.

We are looking forward to hearing from you,

Sincerely,

Susana Struve  
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