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TRANSMITTAL LETTER REGARDING U S NAVY RESPONSES TO U S EPA COMMENTS TO  
DRAFT FINAL PHASE 2 REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION AND BASELINE ECOLOGICAL RISK  
ASSESSMENT SITE 17 GOULD ISLAND NS NEWPORT RI

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Reference: CLEAN Contract No. N62467-04-D-0057  
Contract Task Order No. 458

Subject: Response to Comments on Draft Final Phase 2 RI and BERA,  
IR Site 17, Gould Island,  
Naval Station Newport, Newport RI

Dear Ms. Keckler, Ms. Crump:

On behalf of Ms. Maritza Montegross, U.S. Navy NAVFAC Mid-Atlantic, I am providing you attached the response to comments on the Draft Final Phase 2 RI and Baseline Ecological Risk Assessment for the site referenced above. This response summary has been prepared to reflect the resolutions reached during recent discussions on dispute issues pertaining to this and other sites.

Based on these responses, the final document will be prepared and submitted. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 978-474-8434.

Very truly yours,

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Project Manager

### Enclosures

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- K. Finkelstein, NOAA (w/encl.)
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- G. Glenn, Tetra Tech (w/o encl.)
- B. Hoskins, USEPA (w/encl.)
- M. Montegross, NAVFAC (w/encl.)
- K. Munney, USF&W (w/encl.)
- P. Steinberg, Mabbett Associates (w/encl.)
- D. Moore, NAVSTA (w/encl.)
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- File 112G00949-8.0 (w/encl.), 3.1 (w/o encl.)

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