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LETTER REGARDING THE TRANSMITTAL OF DRAFT MAY 2001 RESPONSIVENESS  
SUMMARY FOR DECISION DOCUMENT FOR SITE 26 NSY PORTSMOUTH ME

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Reference: Contract No. N62472-90-D-1298 (CLEAN)  
Contract Task Order No. 232

Subject: Draft (May 2001) Responsiveness Summary for the Decision Document for Site 26  
Portsmouth Naval Shipyard (PNS), Kittery, Maine

Dear Ms. Cassidy/Mr. McLeod:

On behalf of the U.S. Navy, Tetra Tech NUS, Inc. is pleased to provide to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region I (USEPA) and to the Maine Department of Environmental Protection (MEDEP) 4 copies of the Navy's draft Responsiveness Summary (Section 3.0) for the Decision Document for Site 26. The Responsiveness Summary was prepared based on comments received on the draft final Decision Document during the public comment period held from March 8, 2001 through April 16, 2001. In addition, the community participation section in Section 2.0 was updated and revisions are enclosed.

A 30-day review of the draft Responsiveness Summary is indicated in the project schedule; however, as discussed in the April 24, 2001 RPM meeting, because of the limited number of comments, the Navy requests an expedited review to assist in the finalization of the Decision Document for Site 26 at an early date. Therefore, comments on the draft Responsiveness Summary (dated May 2001) are requested by **May 21, 2001**.

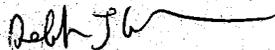
For the Community Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) members; if you have any comments or questions on these issues, they can be provided to the Navy at a RAB meeting, by calling the Public Affairs Office at (207) 438-1140 or by writing to:

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If you have any comments or questions, or if additional information is required, please contact Mr. Fred Evans at 610-595-0567 x 159.

Sincerely,



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