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EMAIL AND VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COMMENTS
REGARDING THE COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT PLAN ST JULIENS CREEK ANNEX VA
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VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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Subject: CIP - VDEQ comments

Team –

Kyle Newman and I have reviewed the referenced document and submit the following VDEQ comments:

1. General Comment – Community surveys and interviews noted a fairly broad lack of awareness regarding cleanup activities at the facility and a desire for greater outreach and information sharing with the larger community outside the RAB. However, Section 4 does not appear to directly address or respond to these concerns. For example, a number of survey respondents noted that newspaper notices were rarely effective in informing them of public meetings or comment opportunities but alternate methods of informing the community are not discussed. In what specific ways does the Navy plan to alter their approach to community involvement for SJCA to increase awareness outside the RAB of environmental programs and community meetings? What changes in general has the Navy made to community involvement practices for SJCA since the previous CIP was issued? The CIP is the Navy's opportunity to note and demonstrate its responsiveness to community concerns.
2. Section 3.2 – In the paragraph before the third set of bullets it mentions the 2005 CIP update, and in other places within the document this update is referred to as the 2006 CIP update. Please review document and correct for consistency.
3. Table 3-1 – In several locations within the "Types of employment column" the word "and" is used excessively, please correct.
4. Section 4.1.6 & 4.2.7 – Spell out RD
5. Section 4.2.5 – Spell out PP
6. Appendix A – VDEQ suggests production of a one-page fact sheet/handout in addition to the fact sheet already included in the document.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

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