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# Radford Army Ammunition Plant

**Installation Action Plan** 



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Radford, Virginia

# Statement of Purpose

The purpose of the Installation Action Plan (IAP) is to outline the total multi-year restoration program for an installation. The plan will define Installation Restoration Program (IRP) requirements and propose a comprehensive approach and associated costs to conduct future investigations and remedial actions at each Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) at the installation and other areas of concern.

In an effort to coordinate planning information between the IRP manager, Army Environmental Center (USAEC), installations, executing agencies, regulatory agencies, and the public, an IAP has been completed for the Radford Army Ammunition Plant (RFAAP). The IAP is used to track requirements, schedules and tentative budgets for all major Army installation restoration programs.

All site specific funding and schedule information has been prepared according to projected overall Army funding levels and is therefore subject to change during the document's annual review. Under current project funding, all remedies will be in place at the RFAAP by the end of 2014.

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HWMU 7	(RFAAP-043)
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BLDG 4343	(RFAAP-045)
FLFA	(RFAAP-040)
N.R.U.	(RFAAP-044)
SEWERLINES	(RFAAP-035)

μg/dL	micrograms per deciliter
µg/g	micrograms per gram
μg/L	micrograms per liter
135TNB	1,3,5-trinitrobenzene
13DNB	1,3-dinitrobenzene
2,4-D	2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid
246TNT	2,4,6-trinitrotoluene
24DNT	2,4-dinitrotoluene
26DNT	2,6-dinitrotoluene
AAP	Army Ammunition Plant
ACD	Air Curtain Destructor
	a compound used in propellant
Acetone	manufacture
ACM	asbestos-containing material
ACO	Administrative Contracting Officer
7.00	Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation
ACSIM	Management
AEDBR	Army Environmental Database Restoration
ALUBN	Alliy Environmental Database Restoration
Alliant	
Ammunition and	Operating Contractor for Radford Army
Powder	Ammunition Plant
Company, L.L.C.	
AMC	Army Materiel Command
AOC	Area of Concern
AOP	ammonia oxidation process
argillaceous	containing clay or clay minerals, clayey
AST	aboveground storage tank
BDDT	Building Debris Disposal Trench
bgs	below ground surface
BLA	Bag Loading Area
Blacksburg,	located approximate 10 miles east of
Virginia	Radford, Virginia
BRA	baseline risk assessment
Braddock Loam	one of four major soil types occurring in all the areas of concern of the Main Section of
	RFAAP, it underlies 14 SWMUs located in
	the interior region of the Horseshoe Area
breccia	rock consisting of sharp fragments
5710	embedded in a fine-grained matrix
BTAG	Biological Technical Assistance Group
CaCO3	calcium carbonate
CAMBL	Continuous Automated Multi-Base Line
CASBL	Continuous Automated Single-Base Line
CaSO4	calcium sulfate
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response,
Oll	Compensation, and Liability Act
CIL	Canadian Industries, Limited
CM	Commander
cm/sec	centimeters per second
CMO	Corrective Measure Operation
CMS, CMI	Corrective Measures Study, Investigation
COC	chemical of concern
CORA	Corrective Action Permit

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cryolite	potassium aluminum flouride
CS	Confirmatory Sampling
СУ	cubic yards
DAA	Draper Aden & Associates
DCA	1,1-dichloroethane
DD	Decision Document
DERA	Defense Environmental Restoration Account (currently called ER,A)
DERP	Defense Environmental Restoration Program
DES	Design
di-n-butyl phthalate	an inert, gelatinizing agent used in propellant manufacture to improve physical and processing characteristics, including decreasing the propellant ignitability
diphenylamine	a principal stabilizer for nitrocellulose
DNT	Dinitrotrotoluene
dolomite	CaMg(C03)2, a compact limestone
dolomite/dolostone	CaMg(C03)2, a compact limestone / a sedimentary carbonate rock composed of the mineral dolomite, which differs from limestone in not reacting as vigorously to
	hydrochloric acid
dolostone	a sedimentary carbonate rock composed of the mineral dolomite, which differs from limestone in not reacting as
DDC	vigorously to hydrochloric acid
DPG	Defense Planning Goals Defense Site Environmental Restoration
DSERTS	Tracking System
dye trace study	a study to identify groundwater flow paths
EE/CA	Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis
Elbrook Formation	a geologic formation underlying most of RFAAP, characterized by Cambrian-aged carbonates and clastic rocks
EM	electromagnetic
EP	extraction procedure
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
ER,A	Environmental Restoration, Army (formerly DERA)
ERIS	Environmental Restoration Information System
ethyl centralite	stabilizer for nitrocellulose
FAL	Fly Ash Landfill
FLFA	Former Lead Furnace Area
FMR	Financial Management Regulation (formerly named DPG)
FS	Feasibility Study
ft/day	feet per day
ft/ft	feet per foot
ft/yr	feet per year
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FY	Fiscal Year
FY Geoprobe	Fiscal Year trade name for a truck-mounted drilling unit designed to advance surface and subsurface soil borings

Radford Army Ammunition Plant 2004 Installation Action Plan Acronyms & Abbreviations

GIS	Geographic Information System
GOCO	Government-owned, contractor-operated
GPR	ground-penetrating radar
GQA	groundwater quality assessment
GW	Groundwater
HBN	health-based number
HCOC	hazardous constituent of concern Her Majesty's Explosive, a colorless solid used in various kinds of explosives
HMX	and rocket fuels; also known as cyclotetramethylenitetranitramine
Horseshoe Area	Part of the Main Manufacturing Area
HQ	Headquarters
HRS	Hazard Ranking Score
HWMU	hazardous waste management unit
IAA	Igniter Assembly Area
IAP	Installation Action Plan
ICF KE	ICF Kaiser Engineers, a contractor used by RFAAP
IDM	Investigative-Derived Material
IDW	Investigative-Derived Waste
IMA	Installation Management Agency
IR	Installation Restoration
IRA	Interim Remedial Action
IRDMIS	Installation Restoration Data
IDM	Management Information System
IRM	Interim Remedial Measure
IRP	Installation Restoration Program
ISP	Incinerator Spray Pond
IT	The IT Group, a contractor used by RFAAP
karst	geology consisting of sinkholes, caverns, and caves
LAP	Load, Assemble and Pack
LOEL	lowest-observed-effect-level
LTC	Lieutenant Colonel
LTM	Long-Term Monitoring
MACOM	Major Command
Max Meadows Breccia	a geologic rock unit abundant in the southeastern region of the Horseshoe Area
MCA	Military Construction Army
McCrady/Price Formation	a geologic formation underlying the eastern border of RFAAP, characterized by Mississippian-aged shales and
	mudstones maximum contaminant level, the
MOL	maximum permissible level of a
MCL	contaminant in water that is delivered to any user of a public water system
methyl centralite	stabilizer for nitrocellulose
mg/kg	milligrams per kilogram
mgd	million gallons per day
MMA	Main Manufacturing Area, one of the two installation areas, which includes the Horseshoe Area
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MSC	Major Subordinate Command
msl	mean sea level
МТВЕ	methyl tert-butylether, an oxygenate compound blended in gasoline as an octane enhancer
NAC	nitric acid concentration
NBG	Northern Burning Grounds
NC	Nitrocellulose
ND	not detected
NE	not evaluated
New River	a river that flows through the MMA of RFAAP and forms the Horseshoe Area
NFA	No Further Action
NG	nitroglycerin
nitrated glycols	an energetic plasticizer used in propellant manufacture
Nitrocellulose Line A- Rainwater Ditch	Area A
nitroglycerin	an energetic plasticizer used in propellant manufacture
N-nitrosodiphenylamine	a principal stabilizer for nitrocellulose
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NPL	National Priorities List
NQLs	nominal quantification limits
NRO	Northeast Regional Office
NROW	New River Ordnance Works
NRU	New River Unit, one of the two installation areas, which is located about one mile north of Claytor Lake
nt	not tested
O&M	operation and maintenance
Oakite	an acidic rust stripper consisting of phosphoric acid and butyl cellosolve
OB	Open Burn
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PA	Preliminary Assessment
PAH	polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbon
PCB	polychlorinated biphenyl
PFWWTP	Peppers Ferry Wastewater Treatment Plant
phenanthrene	a polynuclear aromatic compound generally associated with petroleum products
POL	Petroleum, Oil and Lubricants
potassium aluminum fluoride	cryolite

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potassium	an alkali metal salt used as a flash
nitrate	reducer in propellant manufacture
potassium	an alkali metal salt used as a flash
sulfate	reducer in propellant manufacture
ppb	parts per billion
ppm	parts per million
PQL	Practical Quantitation Limit
psi	pounds per square inch
QA/QC	quality assurance/quality control
QC	quality control
RA	Remedial Action
RA(C)	Remedial Action-Construction
RA(O)	Remedial Action-Operation
RAAP	Radford Army Ammunition Plant
RAB	Restoration Advisory Board
RACER	Remedial Action Cost Engineering &
10.02.1	Requirements System
Radford,	location of RFAAP, approximately 10 miles
Virginia	west of Blacksburg, Virginia, and 47 miles
viigiilia	southwest of Roanoke, Virginia
RBC	risk-based concentration
RC	Response Complete
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RD	Remedial Design
	Royal Dutch Explosive, a white powder
DDV	used as an explosive and in combination
RDX	with other ingredients in explosives; also
	known as cyclonite
	a vica ta mua divet man anata di divisa a TNT
	a waste broduct denerated during TNT
	a waste product generated during TNT production that includes alpha-, beta-, and
red water	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and
red water	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium
	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and
REM	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal
REM RFA	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal RCRA Facility Assessment
REM RFA RFAAP	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal RCRA Facility Assessment Radford Army Ammunition Plant
REM RFA RFAAP RfD	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal RCRA Facility Assessment Radford Army Ammunition Plant reference dose
REM RFA RFAAP RfD RFI	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal RCRA Facility Assessment Radford Army Ammunition Plant reference dose RCRA Facility Investigation
REM RFA RFAAP RfD RFI RI	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal RCRA Facility Assessment Radford Army Ammunition Plant reference dose RCRA Facility Investigation remedial investigation
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REM RFA RFAAP RfD RFI RI RIP ROD	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal RCRA Facility Assessment Radford Army Ammunition Plant reference dose RCRA Facility Investigation remedial investigation Remedy In Place Record of Decision
REM RFA RFAAP RfD RFI RI RIP ROD ROW	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal RCRA Facility Assessment Radford Army Ammunition Plant reference dose RCRA Facility Investigation remedial investigation Remedy In Place Record of Decision Radford Ordnance Works
REM RFA RFAAP RfD RFI RI RIP ROD ROW RPM	production that includes alpha-, beta-, and gamma-TNT isomers and TNT sodium disulfates Removal RCRA Facility Assessment Radford Army Ammunition Plant reference dose RCRA Facility Investigation remedial investigation Remedy In Place Record of Decision Radford Ordnance Works Remedial Project Manager
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Shaw	aka ICF Kaiser, IT Corporation
Environmental	
soda ash	sodium carbonate
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
SPCC/ISCP	Spill Control & Countermeasures
004	Plan/Installation Spill Contigency Plan
SSA SSL	Site Screening Area
Stroubles	Soil Screening Level largest local tributary of the New River, it flows
Creek	through the southeast sector of RFAAP
SVOC	semivolatile organic compound
SWMU	solid waste management unit
TAL	target analyte list
TCE	trichloroethylene
TCL	target compound list
TCLP	Toxicity Characteristic Leachate Procedure
	2,4,6-trinitrophenylmethylnitramine, an
	intermediary detonating agent for less sensitive
TETRYL	high explosives and as a booster charge in
	certain military munitions, its use was
	discontinued in the United States in 1979
TIC	tentatively identified compound
TKN	total kjeldahl nitrogen
TNT	trinitrotoluene
TNT Waste	
Acid	SWMU 51
Neutralization	OVINIO 01
Pits	
TOC	total organic carbon
TOX	total organic halogen
TPH	total petroleum hydrocarbon
TSDF	Treatment Storage & Disposal Facility uptake biokinetic
Underground	uplake blokillelic
Fuel Oil Spill	Area O
·	one of four major soil types occurring in all the
Unison-Urban	areas of concern of the Main Section of RFAAP,
Land Complex	it underlies most of the Manufacturing Area
URS	aka Dames & Moore
USACE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
	U.S. Army Center for Health Promotion and
USACHPPM	Preventive Medicine
USAEC	U.S. Army Environmental Center
USAEHA	U.S. Army Environmental Hygiene Agency
USAEHA	(currently called USACHPPM)
USATHAMA	U.S. Army Toxic and Hazardous Materials
	Agency (currently called USAEC)
USCS	Unified Soil Classification System
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
USEPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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Valley and Ridge Province	a physiographic division of the Appalachian Mountain chain, the environmental location of the RFAAP Main Section and NRU, which is characterized by a series of long, narrow, flat-topped mountain ridges separated by valleys of varying widths
VDEQ	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality
VDH	Virginia Department of Health
VDWM	Virginia Department of Waste Management
VHWMR	Virginia Hazardous Waste Management Regulations
VI	Verification Investigation
VI/RFI	Verification Investigation/RCRA Facility Investigation
VOC	volatile organic compound
VPDES	Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
vug	a small cavity in a rock or vein, often lined with crystals
WBG	Western Burning Grounds
Wheeling Sandy Loam	one of four major soil types occurring in all the areas of concern of the Main Section of RFAAP, it constitutes about 25 percent of the upland regions of the Horseshoe Area at RFAAP
WPA	Workplan Addendum
XRF	X-ray fluorescence spectrometry

#### CERCLA and RCRA Acronym Conversions

<u>CERCLA</u>		<u>RCRA</u>
Preliminary Assessment (PA)	=	RCRA Facility Assessment (RFA)
Site Inspection (SI)	=	Confirmation Sampling (CS)
Remedial Investigation/ Feasibility Study (RI/FS)	=	RCRA Facility Investigation/Corrective Measures Study (RFI/CMS)
Remedial Design (RD)	=	Corrective Measures Implementation (Workplan) (CMI(WP))
Remedial Action (Construction) (RA(C))	=	Corrective Measures Implementation (Construction) (CMI(C))
Remedial Action (Operation) (RA(O))	=	Corrective Measures Implementation (Operation) (CMI(O))
Long Term Monitoring (LTM)	=	Long Term Monitoring (LTM)
Interim Remedial Action (IRA)	=	Interim Corrective Measure (ICM)



STATUS:

RCRA Corrective Action Permit (Sept 2000) - EPA and Virginia HRS of 43 (Internal Score)

TOTAL # OF AEDBR SITES: ACTIVE ER,A SITES: RESPONSE COMPLETE (RC) SITES:

44 24 20

**DIFFERENT SITE TYPES:** 

Burn Area - 3 Surface Impoundment/Lagoon - 9

Contaminated Soil Piles - 1 Plating Shop - 1 Chemical Disposal - 1 Spill Site Area - 2

Landfill - 22 Above Ground Storage Tank - 1

Storage Area - 3

**CONTAMINANTS OF CONCERN:** 

Explosives, Metals, POL, VOCs, SVOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Groundwater, Soil, Sediment, Surface Water

COMPLETED REM/IRA/RA:

• IRM at RFAAP-014, SWMU #54, 1998 & 1999 (\$1,899,900)

• IRM at RFAAP-045, NRU, 1999 (\$107,400) (For a full list of past REM/IRA/RAs, see the REM/IRA/RAs section)

RA FIVE YEAR REVIEW:

• ROD/DD at SWMU 54 (RAAP-014) Interim Action Planned for 1 Sept 2005.

1 Sept 2005.

FY 04: RFAAP-039, 041, 042, and 043

Waste Lines - 1

• FY 09: RFAAP-039, 041, 042, 043, 01, 011, and 014

• FY 14: RFAAP-039, 041, 042, 043, 011, 016, 018, 028, and 038

**CURRENT IRP PHASES:** 

RFI at 28 sites LTM at 4 sites RC at 20 sites

(Includes each AEDBR Site. Total Number of AEDBR sites are different from Phase Totals as one site can be in more than one phase)

PROJECTED IRP PHASES:

RFI at 5 sites CMS at 1 site DES at 14 sites CMI(C) at 14 sites LTM at 11 sites RC at 36 sites

(Includes each AEDBR Site. Total Number of AEDBR sites are different from Phase Totals as one site can be in more than one phase)

IDENTIFIED POSSIBLE REM/IRA/RA:

• Source removal at 11 sites

Air Sparging at one site
 Capping at 1 site

**FUNDING:** 

Prior Year Funding (FY 1976-2003): \$24,278.9 K FY2004: \$2582.6 K Future Requirements (FY2005-2015+): \$48,108.4 K Total: \$74,969.9 K

**DURATION:** 

Year of IRP Inception: 1990

Year of IRP Completion Excluding LTM: **2014** Year of IRP Completion Including LTM: **2028** 

# **Installation Information**

#### SITE DESCRIPTION:

RFAAP is located in the western part of Virginia, approximately 40 miles west of Roanoke. RFAAP consists of two locations in mountainous terrain. The New River flows through the main manufacturing area (MMA). The New River unit (NRU) is located approx six miles from the MMA near Dublin, VA. Land usage surrounding the MMA and NRU is primarily agricultural with some residential and industrial use.

#### COMMAND ORGANIZATION:

ACSIM (Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management)

Installation: RFAAP, Restoration Program Manager. RFAAP is a government owned, contractor operated facility. Alliant Ammunition and Powder Company, LLC is the operating contractor.

#### IRP EXECUTING AGENCIES:

- Investigation Phase Executing Agency: Radford Army Ammunition Plant and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), Baltimore District.
- Remedial Design/Action Phase Executing Agency: The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), Baltimore Districts as well as some IRAs conducted through Radford Army Ammunition Plant.

#### REGULATORY PARTICIPATION:

**Federal:** U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region III (RCRA and Office of Superfund)

**State:** Virginia Department of Environmental Quality, Federal Facilities Restoration Program

#### REGULATORY STATUS:

- Non-NPL (National Priorities List), but future listing is possible. EPA Region III, Office of Superfund has shown interest in RFAAP-044, The New River Unit in Dublin, VA.
- Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permit, September 26, 2000.

#### MAJOR CHANGES TO IAP FROM PREVIOUS YEAR (2003):

- Each site estimate was affected by the conversion from RACER 2001 to RACER 2003.
- The following Sites were affected by the closing of the hazardous waste facility at Pinewood, SC and the resulting transfer of hazardous waste to a TSDF in Belleville, MI:

RFAAP-001	RFAAP-028	RFAAP-005
RFAAP-037	RFAAP-010	RFAAP-038
RFAAP-014	RFAAP-044	RFAAP-016
RFAAP-045	RFAAP-018	

• RFAAP-039, Proposed action was changed. Future RI was removed. This action was initially planned to assess feasibility for reducing or eliminating LTM. Upon further review during the workshop no source removal and associated clean closure opportunity exists to reduce or eliminate LTM. LTM will remain.

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# **Installation Description**

MAJOR CHANGES
TO IAP FROM
PREVIOUS YEAR
(2003) continued:

- RFAAP-042, and 043: Proposed action was changed. RD and RA phases were not needed based on the recommendations of the Draft Field Investigation Report and Risk Assessment Report for HWMUs 5 and 7 (RFAAP-042 & 043) to VDEQ. LTM phase will remain. This draft is under regulatory review.
- Five year reviews were not included in any previous estimate. Five year reviews were added as follows:
- FY 04: RFAAP-039, 041, 042, and 043
- FY 09: RFAAP-039, 041, 042, 043, 001, 011, and 014
- FY 14: RFAAP-039, 041, 042, 043, 011, 016, 018, 028, and 038
- Well closures were not included in any previous estimate. Well closures were added at the end of LTM phases for the following sites:

RFAAP-001	RFAAP-038	RFAAP-011	RFAAP-039
RFAAP-014	RFAAP-041	RFAAP-016	RFAAP-042
RFAAP-018	RFAAP-043	RFAAP-028	

- RFAAP-005: Proposed action was changed. RA was changed from 1 acre cap to source removal if necessary. RA would only be implemented for a pre-1986 release. As a result of the proposed action change, an LTM requirement could not be assessed and LTM was removed.
- RFAAP-014: Funding was added for additional RFI sampling and associated A/E effort in FY04 as a result of FY03 sampling results.
- RFAAP-027: Proposed action was changed. A future RFI was not needed based on the Draft SWMU 58 (RFAAP-027) RFI report which recommends no further action. The findings of this Draft RFI report are under regulatory review.
- RFAAP-045: RA quantities were changed as a result of the Draft Building 4343 (RFAAP-045) RFI report. This Draft RFI report is under regulatory review.

**DESCRIPTION:** 

Radford Army Ammunition Plant (RFAAP) is located in the mountains of southwest Virginia in Pulaski and Montgomery Counties. RFAAP consists of two noncontiguous areas: Main Manufacturing Area (MMA) and New River Unit (NRU). The MMA is located approximately 5 miles northeast of the city of Radford, Virginia which is approximately 10 miles west of Blacksburg and 47 miles southwest of Roanoke. The New River Unit is located about 6 miles west of the MMA, near the town of Dublin.

RFAAP lies in one of a series of narrow valleys typical of the eastern range of the Appalachian Mountains. Oriented in a northeast-southwest direction, the valley is approximately 25 miles long, 8 miles in width at southeast end and narrowing to 2 miles in the northeast end. RFAAP lies along the New River in the relatively narrow northeastern corner of the valley. The New River divides RFAAP into two areas. The "Horseshoe Area" (which is part of the Main Manufacturing Area) exists within a meander of the New River.

HISTORY & MISSION:

RFAAP's primary mission, the manufacturing of propellants, began in 1941 and continues today. Since 1968, RFAAP has also produced TNT on an intermittent basis. RFAAP's TNT facilities have been in stand-by status since the mid 1980s. The working population at RFAAP varies greatly with mission requirements.

# (Installation Description)

#### (SITE LOCATION MAP - MAIN MANUFACTURING AREA

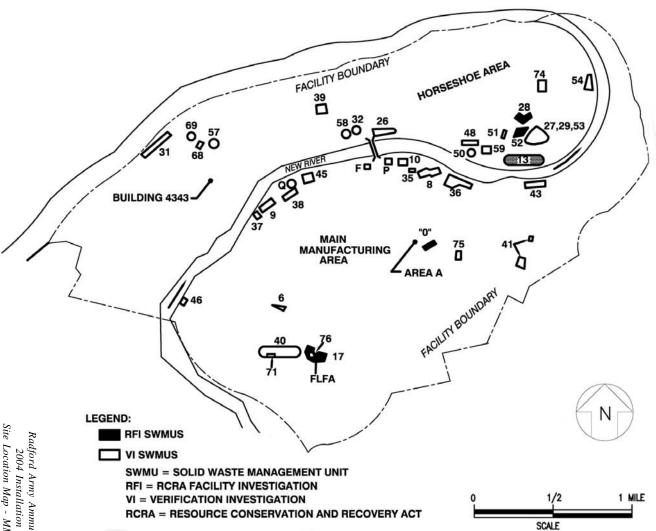
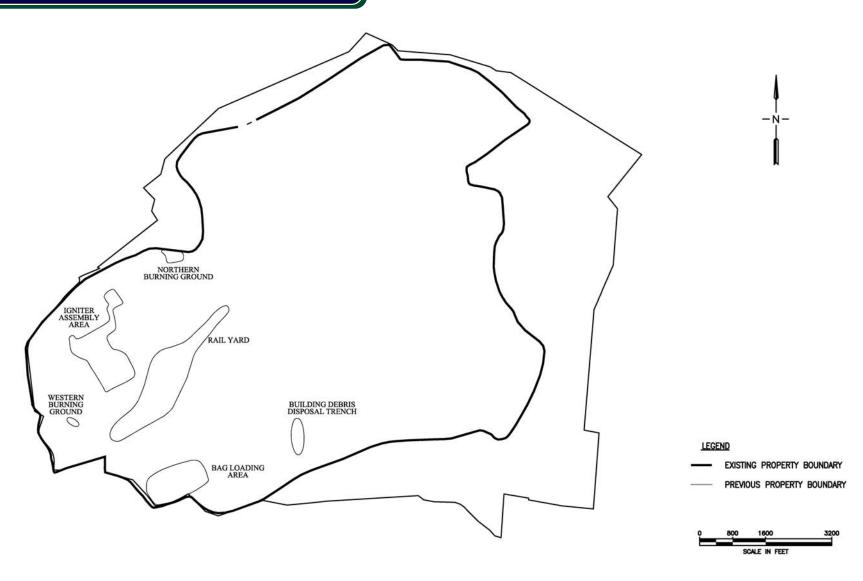


TABLE OF SWMU'S				
SWMU NUMBERS	SWMU NAME			
SWMU 6	ACID WASTEWATER LAGOON			
SWMU 8, 9, 35, 36, 37, 38 & AREA "A"	CoSO4 TREATMENT DISPOSAL AREA			
SWMU 10	BIOPLANT BASIN			
SWMU 13	WASTE PROPELLANT BURNING GROUND			
SWMU 17	AIR CURTAIN DESTRUCTOR AND OPEN			
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SWMU 26	FLY ASH LANDFILL NO. 1			
SWMU 27	CaSO4 TREATMENT DISPOSAL AREA			
SWMU 28	CLOSED SANITARY LANDFILL			
SWMU 29	FLY ASH LANDFILL NO. 2			
SWMU 31	COAL ASH SETTLING LAGOONS			
SWMU 32	INERT LANDFILL NO. 1			
SWMU 39	WASTEWATER PONDS FROM PROPELLANT			
	INCINERATOR			
SWMU 40	LANDFILL NITRO AREA			
SWMU 41	RED WATER ASH BURIAL GROUND			
SWMU 43	SANITARY LANDFILL NO. 2			
SWMU 45	LANDFILL NO. 3			
SWMU 46	PROPELLANT BURIAL			
SWMU 48	OILY WATER BURIAL AREA			
SWMU 49	RED WATER ASH BURIAL GROUND			
SWMU 50 CaSO4 TREATMENT/DISPOSAL AREA				
SWMU 51	TNT WASTE ACID NEUTRALIZATION PITS			
SWMU 52 CLOSED SANITARY LANDFILL				
SWMU 53 ACTIVATED CARBON DISPOSAL AREA				
SWMU 54	PROPELLANT BURNING ASH DISPOSAL AREA			
SWMU 57	POND BY BUILDING 4931/4932			
SWMU 58	RUBBLE PILE			
SWMU 59	BOTTOM ASH PILE			
SWMU 68	CHROMIC ACID TREATMENT TANKS			
SWMU 69	POND BY CHROMIC ACID TREATMENT TANKS			
SWMU 71 FLASH BURN PARTS AREA				
SWMU 74	INERT LANDFILL NO. 3			
SWMU 76	MOBILE USED OIL TANKS			
AREA F	FORMER DRUM STORAGE AREA			
AREA O	UNDERGROUND FUEL OIL SPILL			
AREA P	BATTERY STORAGE AREA			
AREA Q	CaSO4 TREATMENT DISPOSAL AREA			
BUILDING 4343	BUILDING 4343			
FLFA	FORMER LEAD FURNACE AREA			

# **Installation Description**

#### (SITE LOCATION MAP - NEW RIVER UNIT)



#### **OVERVIEW**

In a RCRA Facility Assessment completed by EPA in 1987, 98 Solid Waste Management Units (SWMUs) were identified. The initial requirements for the corrective action process were specified in a RCRA permit issued by EPA in 1989. The permit which governs corrective action was re-issued in October, 2000. The first phase of investigations at the SWMUs was completed in October 1992 under the 1989 permit. Various investigations and actions have since been completed and submitted to the EPA and the Commonwealth of Virginia are currently reviewing results of these investigations. In some cases SWMUs are grouped together based on similar histories or proximity.

The October 2000 Corrective Action Permit is the Region III EPA's enforceable document to manage the Radford AAP IRP and specific ER,A eligible sites. Radford AAP has separate permits issued by the Commonwealth of Virginia that manage operations pertaining to RCRA Subpart C, D and X. Similarly, the post-closure care permits are the enforceable documents issued by the Commonwealth of Virginia to manage the Radford AAP IRP and specific ER,A eligible sites.

The primary contaminants of concern at RFAAP include metals and explosives. Groundwater within the RFAAP boundaries has been impacted. Groundwater is believed to eventually discharge to the New River. Current data does not suggest that off-post groundwater has been impacted. Efforts are underway to delineate the occurrence and flow of groundwater. These efforts are complicated due to the presence of karst geology (highly fractured and channelized limestone).

#### (PREVIOUS STUDIES)

The following documents were submitted to the EPA in accordance with the 1989 RCRA permit:

#### 1992

- Verification Investigation Report, Dames and Moore, October 29, 1992, Draft Final.
- RCRA Facility Investigation Report, Dames and Moore, October 29, 1992, Draft Final.

#### 1994

- SWMU 69 Closure Report, Dames & Moore, Draft. August 1994.
- Draft Section 8.0, SWMU O, Dames and Moore, September 16, 1994 of the 1992 RFI report.
- The following sections of the 1992 VI were revised by: Draft Section 7.0 SWMUs 10 and 35, Dames and Moore, September 8, 1994; Draft Section 9.0 SWMUs 27, 29 and 53, Dames and Moore, August 19, 1994; Draft Section 11.0 SWMU 39, Dames and Moore August 31, 1994; Draft Section 24.0 SWMU 71, Dames and Moore, August 19, 1994.

#### 1995

• Final Community Relations Plan, September 5, 1995.

#### 1996

• RCRA Facility Investigation for Solid Waste Management Units 17, 31, 48, 54, Parsons Engineering and Science, Inc., Draft. January 1996.

#### 1997

• New River and Tributaries Study, Radford Army Ammunition Plant, Parsons Engineering Science, Inc. December 1997.

#### 1998

- Site Management Plan, ICF Kaiser Engineers, Inc., May 1997 and May 1998.
- RFAAP Master Workplan, Draft Final, April 1998.
- SWMU 68 Closure Report, Draft Final. April, 1998.
- Ecological Risk Assessment Approach, Main Manufacturing Area and New River Unit, October 1998.
- Closure Documentation for Solid Waste Management Unit 10, Biological Treatment Plant Equalization Basin, Radford Army Ammunition Plant, Radford, VA, Final. December 8, 1998.
- Closure Report for the Eastern Lagoon of SWMU 8. Final December 1998.
- Supplemental RFI for SWMU 54, Draft, December 1998.

#### Previous Studies continues next page

#### PREVIOUS STUDIES, continued

#### 1999

- RCRA Facility Investigation Report for SWMUs 31, 39, 48, 49, & 58, Draft, ICF Kaiser, January 1999.
- Workplan Addenda for SWMU 54 Interim Stabilization Measure, ATK, Draft Final January 1999.
- Workplan Addendum 8: RI/FS for the Northern and Western Burning Grounds (at the NRU) and RFI for Building 4343, ICF Kaiser, June 1999.
- Draft Screening Ecological Risk Assessment Report, The IT Group, September 1999.
- Workplan Addendum 009: RFI Activities at Solid Waste Management Units 31, 48, and 49 and Horseshoe Area Groundwater Study, The IT Group, November 1999.

#### 2000

- Workplan Addendum 010: Background Study, August 2000.
- Final Work Plan Addendum 11: Soil Sampling and Reporting SWMU 6, November 2000.

#### 2001

- Draft Facility-Wide Background Study Report, January 2001.
- Draft Work Plan Addendum 12: SWMU 39, 48, 49, 50, 58, 59, AOC-FLFA, AOC-Building 4343, New River Unit, April 2001.
- Draft Work Plan Addendum 009: SWMU 31 and Horseshoe Area Groundwater Study, April 2001.
- Final SWMU 6 Sampling Results Report, May 2001.
- Draft Current Conditions Report Horseshoe Area, May 2001.
- Site Screening Process, October 2001.
- Final Facility-wide Background Study Report, December 2001.

#### 2002

- Draft Work Plan Addendum 009: SWMU 31 and Horseshoe Area Groundwater Study, February 2002.
- Draft Work Plan Addendum 12: SWMU 39, 48, 49, 50, 58, 59, AOC-FLFA, AOC-Building 4343, New River Unit, February 2002.
- Draft Master Work Plan, Master Quality Assurance Plan, Master Health & Safety Plan, February 2002.
- Draft Work Plan Addendum 13 RFI at SWMU 54, April 2002.
- Draft Work Plan Addendum 14 RFI at SWMU 40/71, April 2002.
- Draft SWMU 6 Decision Document, May 2002.
- Final Work Plan Addendum 009: SWMU 31 and Horseshoe Area Groundwater Study, September 2002.
- Final Work Plan Addendum 012: SWMUs 39, 48, 49, 50, 58, 59, AOC-FLFA, AOC-Building 4343, New River Unit, September 2002.
- Final Master Work Plan, September 2002.

#### PREVIOUS STUDIES, continued

#### 2002, continued

- Final Work Plan Addendum 13 RFI at SWMU 54, Sept 2002.
- Final Work Plan Addendum 14 RFI at SWMU 40/71, Sept 2002.
- Final SWMU 6 Decision Document, Oct. 2002.
- Draft Work Plan Addendum 15: Soil Sampling Investigation for SWMUs 8 and 36, December 2002 (non-ER,A funded).

#### 2003

- Draft Building 4343 RCRA Facility Investigation Report, Feb 2003.
- Draft Work Plan Addendum 16, Site Screening Process for SWMUs 13, 37, 38, 46, 57, 68, 69, 75, 76 and AOCs A, F, Q, Mar 2003.
- Draft Field Investigation Report and Risk Assessment for HWMUs 5 and 7, Mar 2003.
- Final Work Plan Addendum 15, Soil Sampling Investigation for SWMUs 8 and 36, Mar 2003 (non-ER, A funded).
- Draft SWMU 58 RCRA Facility Investigation Report, Mar 2003.

# 2004 IAP

# Radford AAP Site Descriptions

# TNT WASTE ACID NEUTRALIZATION PITS - SWMU 51 RFAAP-001



#### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 51 is located on a plateau in the southeastern section of the Horseshoe Area and consists of one unlined trench, approximately 20 feet wide by 200 feet long. An estimated 10 tons of red water ash was reportedly disposed of in the trench from 1968-1972. Additionally, the trench was used for disposal of TNT neutralization sludge from the treatment of red water in the 1970s. The pits were backfilled and revegetated.

A RCRA Facility Investigation (Dames & Moore 1992) evaluated groundwater and soil samples and a CMS was recommended. The soil and groundwater concentrations of COCs exceeded health based numbers (HBNs) in the 1989 RCRA CORA (Corrective Action Permit) and could indicate risk under an industrial worker scenario.

Based on the 2000 RCRA CORA permit, additional groundwater and soil investigations are required.

#### PROPOSED PLAN

Collect groundwater and soil samples for the site screening process and for a quantitative human health risk assessment, as applicable in accordance with the 2000 RCRA CORA. Due to the nature of the karst geology, source removal (clean closure) and five years of monitoring is anticipated.

#### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives, VOCs, SVOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RFI,** 

DES, CMI(C), LTM

# CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)	LTM
2004	76.6			
2005				
2006		38.7		
2007		2.0		
2008			1121.0	
2009			17.1	99.0
2010+				125.4

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$ 1,479,800

# FLASH BURN PARTS AREA - SWMU 71 RFAAP-002



#### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 71 consists of an open, hard-packed gravel area approximately 25 feet wide by 50 feet long. The SWMU was used between 1962 to 1982 to flash-burn metal process pipes contaminated with propellant. The pipes were then reused or sold for scrap.

A RCRA Verification Investigation (VI) (Dames & Moore 1992) detected metals and total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) from soil samples which led to a Supplementary VI (Dames & Moore 1994). A dye-trace study (Engineering-Science 1993) indicated a nearby karst conduit to the New River. However, it is believed that this site does not affect groundwater.

Based on the 2000 RCRA CORA permit, additional soil investigations are required.

#### PROPOSED PLAN

This site and SWMU 40 (RFAAP-09) are combined into Work Plan Addendum 14 for the initial RFI. Soil samples will be collected to confirm previous investigative results and provide additional data to support a quantitative human health risk assessment. No further action is anticipated.

#### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Total Petroleum

Hydrocarbons

MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

# CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI
2004	
2005	
2006	230.5
2007	61.2
2008	15.4
2009	
2010+	

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$ 307,100

# POND BY CHROMIC ACID TREATMENT TANKS - SWMU 69 RFAAP-003



#### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, VOCs

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Sediment

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

#### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 69 was an unlined settling pond that received SWMU 68 neutralized wastewater from rocket encasement cleaning activities. Before 1974, runoff consisted of neutralized chromic acid (pH=8.6), which had been treated with sulfuric acid, sodium metabisulfate, and calcium lime. After 1974 up to the time operations ceased, "Oakite 33," an acidic rust stripper consisting of phosphoric acid and butyl cellosolve mixture, was used to clean rocket encasements. Oakite 33 was adjusted to a pH of 5.0 with soda ash before discharge to SWMU 69.

A Verification Investigation (VI) (Dames & Moore 1992) performed a qualitative human health risk assessment. The VI recommended interim corrective measures to remove all accumulated pond water, pond sediments, and adversely impacted surficial soil. Impacted soils and sediments were removed as indicated by confirmatory samples (Dames & Moore 1994). The Closure Report was submitted to the regulators in August 1994.

A site-screening effort was procured for this site. Draft Work Plan Addendum 16 has been submitted to VDEQ and EPA.

#### (PROPOSED PLAN)

The site screening effort will be completed. No further action is anticipated.



#### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

CONTAMINANTS: Metals, VOCs, SVOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

#### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 74 is a four acre, unlined landfill located in the central portion of the Horseshoe Area. In May 1984, the Virginia Department of Health issued Permit No. 433 for "Inert Landfill No. 3". The SWMU was permitted to receive construction and demolition waste, wood, tree trimmings, stumps, and inert waste materials. The landfill is currently about half filled.

A RCRA Verification Identification (Dames & Moore 1992) installed one well downgradient of the landfill to a depth of 50.4 feet and was sampled for metals, VOCs, SVOCs, TOC, TOX, metals, and pH. The results from the chemical analysis of 74MW1 do not indicate the presence of contamination downgradient of Inert Landfill No. 3. Groundwater is monitored in accordance with the permit.

#### PROPOSED PLAN

The operation and closure of SWMU 74 are addressed under state permit No. 433, therefore this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.

# WASTE PROPELLANT BURNING GROUND - SWMU 13 RFAAP-005



#### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 13, approximately 20 acres in size, is located in the southeast section of the Horseshoe Area on the northern bank of the New River within the 100-year floodplain. The SWMU has been used for the burning of waste explosives, propellants, and laboratory wastes (propellant and explosive residues, samples, and analytical residues) since manufacturing operations began at RFAAP in 1941. Until 1985 burning was conducted on the soil. From that time burning is performed in pans.

A RCRA Facility Investigation (Dames & Moore 1992) evaluated groundwater quality and potential soil contamination for explosives, VOCs, SVOCs, and heavy metals.

The concentrations of COCs exceeded health based numbers (HBNs) in the 1989 RCRA CORA (Corrective Action Permit) and could indicate risk under an industrial worker scenario.

An initial site-screening effort (WPA16) has been procured to assess potential COC migration from SWMU 13.

#### PROPOSED PLAN

The installation expects a permit in 2005 and groundwater monitoring will be conducted as well as confirmatory soil sampling. This will be accomplished with non-ER,A funding. This site will continue to be operated as an active burning ground under a RCRA Subpart X permit.

In the event off-site migration is found during the site-screening effort, the source will be identified and appropriate remedial actions will be taken under ER,A for any pre-1986 releases.

#### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives, VOCs, SVOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil. Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE:** RFI

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** RFI,

DES, CMI(C)

# CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)
2004			
2005	700.6		
2006	53.3		
2007	23.3		
2008		98.7	
2009		5.2	2082.7
2010+			31.7

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$ 2,995,500

# FORMER DRUM STORAGE AREA - AREA F RFAAP-006



#### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Medium (2A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

VOCs, SVOCs

MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

#### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

Area F is a gravel lot located in the Main Manufacturing Area southeast of Warehouse No. 2 (9387-2) approximately 50 feet long by 50 feet wide. The area was used to stage empty drums that were used throughout RFAAP before being sold. Storage of drums on this lot was discontinued in 1991 when a second lot was constructed 150 feet to the east, west of Building 4934-1.

A RCRA Verification Investigation (Dames & Moore 1992) evaluated four surface soil samples that were collected beneath stained gravel from both the former drum storage area and the new storage lot and analyzed for VOCs and SVOCs. Analytical results demonstrated that there had been no releases to surface soils.

A site-screening effort was procured for this site. Draft Work Plan Addendum 16 has been submitted to VDEQ and EPA.

#### (PROPOSED PLAN)

The site screening effort will be completed. No further action is anticipated.

# CLOSED SANITARY LANDFILL - SWMU 28 RFAAP-007



#### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives, VOCs, SVOCs

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

#### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 28 is a landfill located in the southeast section of the Horseshoe Area. It replaced the sanitary landfill immediately to the south (SWMU 52), that was closed in 1984. SWMU 28 is contiguous with the Closed Hazardous Waste Landfill (HWMU 16) and is approximately 200 feet northeast of the TNT Neutralization Sludge Disposal Area (SWMU 51). SWMUs 28, 52, and HWMU 16 encompass an area of approximately 15 acres. In April 1983 Virginia Department of Health issued Permit #401 for SWMUs 28 and 52. It was permitted as a sanitary landfill to receive municipal solid, agricultural, debris, inert, and asbestos wastes. The asbestos waste was placed in a designated area, now identified as SWMU 30.

SWMU 28 was capped in 1992 in accordance with an approved RCRA subpart D closure plan. Five trenches in SWMU 28 were excavated, filled, and covered with clean soil to prevent erosion of the clay cap. A RCRA Facility Investigation (Dames & Moore 1992) was performed that included the installation and sampling of four monitoring wells. Chemicals of concern are metals, explosives, VOCs and SVOCs. Groundwater is monitored in accordance with the VDEQ approved post-closure care permit for HWMU 16 which includes SWMUs 28 and 52.

#### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Groundwater monitoring will continue, which is being addressed under RFAAP-039 (HWMU 16).

# CaSO4 TREATMENT/DISPOSAL AREA - SWMU 27 RFAAP-008



#### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** Explosives

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

#### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 27, the Calcium Sulfate Landfill, is a closed, unlined earthen landfill located in the southeastern section of the Horseshoe Area and is covered under Permit 353. It is located within the boundary of Fly Ash Landfill (FAL) No. 2 (Permit 353, SWMU 29) and is also contiguous with SWMU 53. The landfill was used for disposal of calcium sulfate sludge generated from the neutralization of sulfuric acid at the acidic wastewater treatment plants between 1981 and 1982. The landfill has been described as triangular-shaped and approximately 150 feet long. Since disposal operations ceased, this unit has been completely covered by FAL No. 2.

In 1980, a land disposal study was conducted, and it was determined that the site was geologically suitable for ash landfill operations. A RCRA Verification Investigation (VI) (Dames & Moore 1992) was performed that included the collection and analysis of one surface water sample and three sediment samples. Supplemental VI activities (Dames & Moore 1994) included the collection and analysis of groundwater samples.

#### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Since SWMU 27 is a closed landfill under state permit No. 353, this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.



#### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 40 was reportedly used as a sanitary landfill, approximately 1.5 acres, in the 1970s and early 1980s for the disposal of uncontaminated paper, municipal refuse, cement, and rubber tires. It is not known whether hazardous wastes or wastes containing hazardous constituents were ever disposed of in the landfill. Between 1991 and 1992, a fenced enclosure for asbestos storage was constructed over the northeast corner of this SWMU. The unit was strictly an area fill, and the unit was covered with soil and grass.

A RCRA Verification Investigation (Dames & Moore 1992) attempted to install four monitoring wells, which could not be sampled as the four borings were dry. A dye-trace study was conducted in the adjacent area (Engineering-Science 1993 and 1994) to identify groundwater flow paths in the south-central section of the Main Manufacturing Area. However, it is believed that this site does not affect groundwater.

A contract to perform a RFI/CMS was procured in FY01. Field investigations were completed in fall 2002. Soil samples were collected to confirm previous investigative results and provide additional data to support a quantitative human health risk assessment. A portion (20cy) of the IDM was determined to be hazardous waste (lead) and was stabilized and disposed of in a permitted treatment storage and disposal facility.

#### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Surface Water

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

# CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI
2004	76.6
2005	
2006	
2007	
2008	
2009	
2010+	

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$76,600

#### PROPOSED PLAN

This site and SWMU 71 (RFAAP-02) are combined into Work Plan Addendum 14 for the RFI. Additional investigation and closure documents will occur to respond to regulatory comments. No further action is anticipated pending review of the RFI report.

# CaSO4 TREATMENT/DISPOSAL AREA - SWMU 8 RFAAP-010



#### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil
COMPLETED IRP PHASE:

RFA

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

#### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 8 consists of two unlined, below-grade earthen lagoons located in the northeast section of the MMA along the south bank of the New River. The lagoons were designed to neutralize acidic wastewater from the Acidic Wastewater Treatment Plant with hydrated lime. The supernatant is discharged to the New River via Outfall 007. Sludge was dredged from the lagoons and was placed in the adjacent drying beds. Between 1982 and 1991, the dried sludge removed from the beds was disposed of in Fly Ash Landfill No. 2 (SWMU 29). In December 1998 the Eastern Lagoon was closed and replaced with a concrete tank. The closure documentation was submitted to EPA Region III and VDEQ in 1999 demonstrating no further action is required. Operations ceased at the Western Lagoon in November 1999.

A VI was performed in 1992 by Dames & Moore.

A non-ER,A funded construction project is scheduled at SWMU 8 to replace the existing lagoon. Workplan Addendum 15 (non-ER,A funded) was procured and field work was completed to support this project.

#### PROPOSED PLAN

Since operations ceased in 1999, this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.

# CaSO4 TREATMENT LAGOONS - SWMU 9 RFAAP-010



#### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil
COMPLETED IRP PHASE:

RFA

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

#### (SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 9 consists of two unlined, below-grade earthen lagoons located in the northwest section of the MMA. The lagoons were designed to neutralize acidic wastewater from the Acidic Wastewater Treatment Plant with hydrated lime. The supernatant is discharged to the New River via Outfall 005. SWMU 9 ceased operations as a sludge settling lagoon in 1993. Sludge was dredged from the lagoons and was placed in the adjacent drying beds. Between 1982 and 1991, the dried sludge removed from the beds was disposed of in Fly Ash Landfill No. 2 (SWMU 29).

In 1987, a RCRA Facility Assessment was conducted by the USEPA that included a preliminary data review, evaluation, and visual site inspection.

A VI was performed in 1992 by Dames & Moore.

#### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Since operations ceased in 1993, this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.



#### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 35 is an unlined Calcium Sulfate Drying Bed 160 feet by 80 feet with approximately 8 feet of sediment remaining in the basin. The SWMU is located along the New River in the northeast section of the Main Manufacturing Area immediately east of SWMU 10 and west of and adjacent to SWMU 8. Calcium sulfate sludge was dredged from SWMU 8 prior to 1980 and pumped into SWMU 35. RFAAP reported that sediment from SWMU 10 was also deposited in SWMU 35 during the early 1980s.

A RCRA Verification Investigation (VI) (Dames & Moore 1992) and a Supplemental VI (Dames & Moore 1994) were performed that included groundwater sampling. Explosives and metals in soil, groundwater, surface water and sediment exceeded HBNs as per the 1989 RCRA CORA permit.

A site screening effort has been procured to fill data gaps and confirm if a release has occurred.

#### PROPOSED PLAN

Collect samples from available media to support a RFI.

Approximately 1500 cy of soil will be removed, transported and disposed as hazardous waste.

The funding reflected on this site page includes activities for the following SWMUs: 35, 37, 38, and Area A.

#### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater, Sediment,

Surface Water

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

DES, CMI(C)

# CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)
2004	76.6		
2005			
2006		61.6	
2007		3.2	
2008			1390.2
2009			21.2
2010+			

**PROJECTED TOTAL:** \$ 1,552,800

# CaSO4 DRYING BED - SWMU 36 RFAAP-010



#### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

**RFA** 

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

#### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 36 consists of three separate unlined drying beds located in the northeast section of the MMA adjacent to SWMU 8. The north bed, located closest to the New River, is approximately 200 feet long, 50 feet wide, and 10 feet deep, and appears to be the original drying bed. The adjacent south bed appears to be the next oldest and is also approximately 200 feet long, 50 feet wide, and 10 feet deep. The east bed is approximately 60 feet wide by 200 feet long. The depth of this bed is unknown. Sludge was last deposited in 1999.

The RCRA Verification Investigation (VI) (Dames & Moore 1992) included the collection of one composite sludge sample from each SWMU 36 drying bed to determine whether concentrations exceeded permit levels for VOCs, SVOCs, and TCLP metals. Although VOCs and SVOCs were detected, reported results were below 1989 RCRA CORA permit levels.

A non-ER,A funded construction project is scheduled at SWMU 36 to replace the existing drying beds. Workplan Addendum 15 (non-ER,A funded) was procured and field work was completed to support this project.

#### $ig( exttt{PROPOSED PLAN} ig)$

Since operations ceased in 1999, this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.



### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater, Surface Water

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

**RFA** 

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

DES, CMI(C)

### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 37 is an unlined drying bed approximately 100 feet long, 80 feet wide, and 8 feet deep located in the northwest section of the MMA. The SWMU is immediately southwest of and adjacent to SWMU 9 and received calcium sulfate sludge. Beds have been inactive since the 1980s.

A RCRA Verification Investigation (VI) (Dames & Moore 1992) included the collection of one composite sludge sample to determine whether concentrations exceeded permit levels for VOCs, SVOCs, and TCLP metals. Although VOCs and SVOCs were detected, reported results were below 1989 RCRA CORA permit levels.

An initial site-screening effort (Draft Workplan Addendum 16) has been procured to comply with the 2000 RCRA CORA permit.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Collect samples from available media to support a RFI. Funding associated with this site is reflected on the site page for SWMU-35.



### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Groundwater, Surface Water

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

**RFA** 

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

DES, CMI(C)

### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 38 is an unlined drying bed approximately 225 feet long, 40 feet wide, and 8 feet deep located in the northwest section of the Main Manufacturing Area. The drying bed received calcium sulfate sludge and, when it reached capacity, the overflow was pumped to Area Q via pipes that ran through a depression in the berm surrounding the drying bed. Beds have been inactive since the 1980s.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) included the collection of one composite sludge sample to determine whether concentrations exceeded permit specifications for VOCs, SVOCs, and TCLP metals. The limited data indicates no exceedences of 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

An initial site-screening effort (Draft Workplan Addendum 16) has been procured to comply with the 2000 RCRA CORA permit.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Collect samples from available media to support a RFI. Funding associated with this site is reflected on the site page for SWMU-35.

# NITROCELLULOSE RAINWATER DITCH - AREA A RFAAP-010



### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Sediment

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

Area A is located in the eastern portion of the MMA, near Building 1558. It was identified during the April 1987 Visual Site Inspection as a 1-foot-deep soil depression that received runoff from the A-Line (Visual Inspection Field Notes 1987). The nature and extent of contamination associated with Area A is not known.

An initial site-screening effort (Draft Workplan Addendum 16) has been procured to comply with the 2000 RCRA CORA permit.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

This site cannot be located based on RFA text. An effort will be made to research RFA Field Notes to locate the site. Funding associated with this site is reflected on the site page for SWMU-35.

# RED WATER ASH BURIAL GROUND - SWMU 41 RFAAP-011



### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 41 is located in the MMA and consists of two non-contiguous disposal areas for red water ash. The northern area consisted of an unlined lagoon approximately 50 feet by 70 feet, which was backfilled. The southern area consisted of a clay-lined disposal area approximately 100 feet by 150 feet. Prior to the construction of the red water treatment plant, red water was concentrated by evaporation and burned in four rotary kilns located in the TNT manufacturing area. The ash produced from these kilns was disposed of in SWMU 41 from 1967 to 1971.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) included the collection and analysis of groundwater samples near the landfill, ash and soil samples from the lagoon north of the landfill, and a surface water sample from Stroubles Creek.

Data from the VI indicate explosives and metals in soil and SVOCs and metals in groundwater above 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

A RFI effort was procured FY02.

### PROPOSED PLAN)

A RCRA one-acre cap is anticipated for the southern area. A NFA is anticipated for the northern area.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives, SVOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

DES, CMI(C), LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)	LTM
2004	76.6			
2005				
2006		26.6		
2007				
2008			745.6	
2009			11.4	163.4
2010+				733.5

**PROJECTED TOTAL:** \$ 1,757,100

# ACID WASTEWATER LAGOON - SWMU 6 RFAAP-012



### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Medium (2A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** None

MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

The Acidic Wastewater Lagoon (SWMU 6) was an unlined surface impoundment "tear-dropped" or "triangular" in shape, approximately 80 feet long by 30 feet wide at its widest point. The lagoon received overflows and rinse waters from an acid storage tank area in the manufacturing area from 1974 to 1980. These wastewaters typically exhibited the characteristic of a corrosive liquid (D002). The acid wastewater lagoon was shut down between 1980 and 1987. The lagoon was filled with soil in 1987.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) collected and evaluated soil and groundwater samples for metals. SWMU 6 Sampling Results Report (May 2001) indicated several metals exceeded residential RBCs but did not exceed industrial RBCs. VOCs, SVOCs, pesticides and PCBs did not exceed residential RBCs. Further screening found that metals were not significantly above background levels.

A non ER,A funded construction project is scheduled in the area of this site.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Site close-out documentation has been submitted (May 2002). No Further Action is anticipated.

# RED WATER ASH BURIAL #2 - SWMU 49 RFAAP-013



### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 49 is approximately 75 feet by 50 feet and is located in the Horseshoe Area, contiguous with SWMUs 48, 50 and 59. The four SWMUs were classified together during the 1980s because no distinction could be made between the areas by visual observation. SWMU 48 was later divided into an upper and a lower disposal area, and SWMU 49 was determined to be the part of the SWMU 48 lower disposal unit. SWMU 49 reportedly received 10 tons of redwater ash during its active life.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) and a RCRA Facility Investigation (RFI) (Parsons Engineering-Science 1996) were conducted to determine the impacts to groundwater quality and soil. A draft RFI (ICF Kaiser 1999) included the verification of previous RFI results. Metals, VOCs and SVOCs were detected above 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

The RFI effort has been procured and is described in Work Plan Addendum 12.

### PROPOSED PLAN

The RFI effort will be completed. Due to their contiguous nature, RFAAP-013, -018, -025, and -028 are being managed as one unit.

No further action is anticipated and close-out documentation is included in the AEDBR sites RFAAP-13 (SWMU-49) and RFAAP-025 (SWMU 50).

Two remedial actions (excavation, transportation and disposal) are anticipated at RFAAP-018 (SWMU 48) and RFAAP-028 (SWMU 59).

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives, SVOCs, VOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI
2004	
2005	
2006	82.0
2007	4.3
2008	
2009	
2010+	

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$86,300

# PROPELLANT BURNING ASH DISPOSAL - SWMU 54 RFAAP-014



### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 54 is an inactive disposal area situated on approximately 5 acres within the easternmost section of the Horseshoe Area. The SWMU was used during the 1970s for disposal of the Propellant Burning Ground (SWMU 13) ash.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992), a RCRA Facility Investigation (Parsons Engineering-Science 1996) and a Supplemental RFI (ICF Kaiser 1997) were conducted. Soil and groundwater samples were taken in these efforts. Soil data indicates the presence of metals, VOCs and explosives in exceedence of 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

An interim removal action (Parallax 1999) was performed to remove "hot spots" associated with lead.

A contract to perform a RFI/CMS was procured in FY01. During the development of Work Plan Addendum 13 evaluation of Parallax data indicates an additional 5100cy of solid waste will need to be removed to achieve clean close-out. Clean close-out will mitigate long-term monitoring and long-term operation liability.

### PROPOSED PLAN

A RFI/CMS is underway. Work Plan Addendum 13 summarizes past efforts at this site and describes additional sampling to produce final decision documents. Soil excavation, transportation and disposal is anticipated.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** Metals, Explosives, VOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, IRA

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

DES, CMI(C), LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)	LTM
2004	250.8			
2005				
2006		65.6		
2007		3.5	3042.7	
2008			46.3	107.4
2009				32.9
2010+				103.5

**PROJECTED TOTAL:** \$ 3,652,700



### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: Low (3A)
CONTAMINANTS: SVOCs

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 26 is a closed, unlined landfill approximately 1,100 feet long by 250 feet wide originally called FAL No. 1, located in the south-central section of the Horseshoe Area.

Fly ash disposal at SWMU 26 began in 1971 (USATHAMA 1984). The VDEQ granted a solid waste management permit (Permit No. 399) to operate the landfill in April 1983, and it is currently monitored quarterly as a solid waste disposal unit. In addition to fly ash, unknown quantities of calcium sulfate sludge from SWMUs 36, 37, and 38 and asbestos were reportedly disposed of in the landfill (USEPA 1987).

The landfill reached capacity and was closed in 1987. A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) was performed.

### PROPOSED PLAN

Since SWMU 26 is a closed fly ash landfill under state permit No. 399 (i.e. a permitted non-hazardous waste landfill), this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.

# WASTEWATER PONDS FROM PROPELLANT INCINERATOR - SWMU 39 RFAAP-016



### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 39 consists of two unlined earthen ponds, approx. 2 acres total, located in the north-central section of the Horseshoe Area, adjacent to and associated with SWMU 14 (Hazardous Waste Incinerator). The settling ponds were excavated approximately 6 to 8 feet into the natural grade. These ponds received overflow from the former incinerator spray pond. Caustic was reportedly added to neutralize the water. Sludges are believed to remain in the former ponds.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) and a Supplemental VI (Dames & Moore 1994) installed and sampled three monitoring wells near the ponds. Metals exceeding 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs were detected in the soil and groundwater.

A draft RFI was submitted in 1999 (ICF Kaiser). A contract for additional RFI/CMS efforts was procured in FY01. The RFI fieldwork was completed in Summer 2002. The RFI effort is described in Workplan Addendum 12.

### PROPOSED PLAN

A RFI/CMS will be completed. Soil excavation, transportation and disposal is anticipated for SWMU 39.

### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Groundwater

COMPLETED IRP PHASE:

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** DES, CMI(C), LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)	LTM
2004	20			
2005				
2006				
2007				
2008		83.5		
2009		4.4	1860.2	
2010+			28.3	265.6

# ACTIVATED CARBON DISPOSAL AREA - SWMU 53 RFAAP-017



### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: Low (3A)
CONTAMINANTS: None
MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 53 (Permit 353) is an unlined earthen landfill located in the southeastern section of the Horseshoe Area. It is located within the boundary of Fly Ash Landfill (FAL) No. 2 (SWMU 29) and is also contiguous with SWMU 27. When observed in 1986, the disposal area was described as a 500-foot-long-by-50-foot-wide plateau of an unknown height. Although the date of disposal is unknown, it is assumed that disposal occurred before October 1981 when FAL No. 2 (SWMU 29) was constructed. It was reported but not confirmed that the activated carbon disposed of at SWMU 53 was from alcohol recovery units (USEPA 1987). Since 1986, the disposal area has been completely covered by subsequent fly ash landfilling operations.

A RCRA Verification Investigation (VI) (Dames & Moore 1992) and a Supplemental VI (Dames & Moore 1994) were conducted. No explosives, VOCs or SVOCs were detected.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Since SWMU 53 is an active landfill under state permit No. 353, this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.



### SITE DESCRIPTION

This unit is contiguous to SWMU 49 (Red Water Ash Disposal Area), SWMU 50 (Calcium Sulfate Disposal Area) and SWMU 59 (Bottom Ash Pile). It is estimated that 200,000 gallons or more of oil-contaminated wastewater were disposed in unlined trenches at this unit prior to off-plant used oil recycling.

A RCRA Verification Investigation (Dames & Moore 1992) and a RCRA Facility Investigation (RFI) (Parsons Engineering-Science 1996) was conducted to evaluate potential groundwater contamination. Four monitoring wells were installed and sampled. Soil data from the VI indicated the presence of metals and explosives above 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs. Groundwater data from the VI indicated the presence of chlorinated solvents and metals above 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

A draft RFI was submitted in 1999 (ICF Kaiser). Soil data from the RFI indicated the presence of metals above 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs. A contract for additional RFI/CMS efforts was procured in FY01.

The RFI effort has been procured and is described in Work Plan Addendum 12.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

The RFI effort will be completed. Due to their contiguous nature, RFAAP-013, -018, -025, and -028 are being managed as one unit.

Two remedial actions (excavation, transportation and disposal) are anticipated at RFAAP-018 (SWMU 48) and RFAAP-028 (SWMU 59).

No further action is anticipated and close-out documentation is included in the AEDBR sites RFAAP-13 (SWMU-49) and RFAAP-025 (SWMU 50).

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Explosives, Metals

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

DES, CMI(C), LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)	LTM
2004	20.0			
2005				
2006				
2007				
2008	75.0			
2009	80.0			
2010+		219.4	5109.3	256.1

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$ 5,759,800

### INERT LANDFILL NO. 1 - SWMU 32 RFAAP-019



### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: Low (3A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 32 is a closed, unlined, 8-acre landfill located in the Horseshoe Area of RFAAP. The unit reportedly began receiving plastics, excavated soil, and inert wastes in 1978 and was permitted by the Virginia Department of Health (Permit No. 400) in April 1983. The unit reached capacity and was closed sometime between July 1986 and April 1987 (USEPA 1987) with a 2-foot clay cap. One area of the landfill is covered with gravel and used for trailer parking.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore, 1992) was performed and recommended no further action.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Since SWMU 32 is a closed landfill under state permit No. 400, this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.

# FLY ASH LANDFILL #2 - SWMU 29 RFAAP-020



### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Explosives, Metals

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 29 was constructed in 1981 and was originally listed as an active, unlined earthen landfill located in the southeast section of the Horseshoe Area. The SWMU is approximately 200 feet east of the Closed Sanitary Landfill (SWMU 25). The 10-acre unit was permitted by the Virginia Department of Health in May 1982 (Permit No. 353) as an industrial waste landfill designated to receive fly ash, calcium sulfate sludge, and sludge from water treatment plants. Permit No. 353 covers SWMU-27, -29, and -53.

A Land Disposal Study conducted in 1980 concluded that the site was geologically suitable for ash landfill operations. A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) collected surface water and sediment samples. Supplemental VI activities (Dames & Moore 1994) were undertaken to evaluate groundwater characteristics.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Since SWMU 29 is an active landfill under state permit No. 353, this site is not eligible for ER,A funding.



### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** Metals, Explosives

MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE:** RFI

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### SITE DESCRIPTION

The reported location of SWMU 46 is a small depression with no outward drainage. Approximately 1 ton of propellants and propellant-contaminated soil were reportedly disposed of at this location because of a railroad derailment in the 1950s (USATHAMA 1976). The actual size of the Waste Propellant Disposal Area is not known. During a March 1990 facility visit, a broken-off sign identifying "BURIED EXPLOSIVE WASTE" was found in a low area between the railroad tracks and the driveway leading to Building 456.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) collected one surface water and one sediment sample and no contaminants of concern were detected against HBNs.

In 1997, USACHPPM conducted further studies by collecting five subsurface (5-9 ft) soil samples. Samples were analyzed for SVOCs, explosives, total metals and nitrite/nitrates. No exceedences were detected. Direct-push groundwater sampling was attempted but groundwater was not encountered.

The site-screening effort has been procured and Draft Workplan Addendum 16 is under review.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

No further action is anticipated. Close-out documentation will be prepared.

# POND BY BLDGS 4931 AND 4928 - SWMU 57 RFAAP-022



### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: Low (3A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Sediment

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 57 is designated as an acid settling pond in RFAAP facility drawings and is located in the western section of the Horseshoe Area. SWMU 57 is approximately 30 feet in diameter, surrounded by a gravel berm, and is enclosed by a perimeter fence. The pond is reportedly connected to a maintenance shop (Building 4931) by an underground pipe.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) collected one surface water and one sediment sample and no contaminants of concern were detected against HBNs.

The site-screening effort has been procured and Draft Workplan Addendum 16 is under review.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

No further action is anticipated. Close-out documentation will be prepared.

# SANITARY LANDFILL NO. 2 - SWMU 43 RFAAP-023



### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 43 is a closed, unlined sanitary landfill, approximately 2 acres, located immediately adjacent to the New River in the northeast section of the RFAAP MMA that operated from 1958 to 1969. The exact boundaries of the unit have not been determined because of the unavailability of a site plan or documents. Site was regraded in accordance with VI recommendation. A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) installed six groundwater monitoring wells. Groundwater and surface water data indicates the presence of metals and VOCs which did not exceed 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

### PROPOSED PLAN

A RFI will be conducted to fill data gaps and evaluate data in accordance with the 2000 RCRA CORA permit. No further action is anticipated.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, VOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Groundwater, Soil, Surface Water

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE:** RFI

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI
2004	
2005	
2006	
2007	
2008	191.0
2009	68.6
2010+	8.0



### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 45 is an inactive sanitary landfill, approximately 5 acres, located in the north-central section of the MMA that operated between 1957 and 1961. The unit was never operated as a permitted landfill. Paper and municipal refuse were the only materials reportedly disposed of in SWMU 45. Evidence of burning has been observed in the area.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) included monitoring well installation, a geophysical survey, and a baseline human health risk assessment.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

A RFI will be conducted to fill data gaps and evaluate data in accordance with the 2000 RCRA CORA permit. No further action is anticipated.

### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: SVOCs

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE:** RFI

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI
2004	
2005	237.5
2006	67.2
2007	9.4
2008	
2009	
2010+	

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$ 314,100

# CaSO4 TREATMENT/DISPOSAL AREA - SWMU 50 RFAAP-025



### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 50 is an open area south of SWMU 48 approximately 300 feet long by 300 feet and is located within the Horseshoe Area. Until 1982, SWMU 50 was one of the major disposal areas at RFAAP for sludge removed from the calcium sulfate drying beds (SWMUs 35, 36, 37, 38, and Area Q).

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) collected two subsurface soil samples. Metals, VOCs and SVOCs were detected above 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

The RFI effort has been procured and is described in Work Plan Addendum 12.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

The RFI effort will be completed. Due to their contiguous nature, RFAAP-013, -018, -025, and -028 are being managed as one unit.

No further action is anticipated and close-out documentation is included in the AEDBR sites RFAAP-13 (SWMU-49) and RFAAP-025 (SWMU 50).

Two remedial actions (excavation, transportation and disposal) are anticipated at RFAAP-018 (SWMU 48) and RFAAP-028 (SWMU 59).

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives, SVOCs, VOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE:** RFI

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI
2004	
2005	
2006	82
2007	4.3
2008	
2009	
2010+	

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$ 86,300

# COAL ASH SETTLING LAGOONS - SWMU 31 RFAAP-026



### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, SVOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater, Surface Water

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 31 consists of three unlined settling lagoons, approximately a total of 2.5 acres, located in the northwest section of the Horseshoe Area and received fly ash wastewater flow from Power House No. 2 when it was operating and filter backwash from the active potable water plant.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) and a RFI (Parsons Engineering-Science 1996) collected sludge, groundwater, and subsurface soil samples to determine the migration of metals from the lagoons. A draft RFI was submitted in 1999 (ICF Kaiser). A contract for additional RFI/CMS efforts was procured in FY01. The RFI fieldwork was completed in Summer 2002. The RFI effort is described in Workplan Addendum 9.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

The RFI report will be completed. No further action is anticipated. Close-out documentation will be prepared.



### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 58 is a rubble pile located in the south-central portion of the Horseshoe Area. The rubble pile is approximately 50 feet high and roughly triangular in shape, with each side approximately 300 feet long. The SWMU was reportedly used as a disposal site in 1979. Prior to construction clearing activities, pine trees and surface debris were pushed into a pile and then covered with dirt and fill material. It is believed that no other materials were disposed of at SWMU 58.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) and a RFI (ICF Kaiser 1999) was initiated to evaluate potential subsurface soil contamination. Analytical results indicate the presence of metals in exceedence of 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

The RFI fieldwork was completed in Summer 2002 in accordance with Workplan Addendum 12. A subsequent Draft RFI report (Shaw 2003) concluded arsenic was present in the soil but not at concentrations that would require action.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

No further action is anticipated. Close-out documentation will be prepared pending regulatory approval of the RFI report.

### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: Medium (2A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** RFA, CS

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI
2004	20
2005	
2006	
2007	
2008	
2009	
2010+	

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$ 20,000



### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 59, the Bottom Ash Pile, is located near SWMUs 48 and 50 in the Horseshoe Area of RFAAP, approximately 3,400 feet east of the main bridge over the New River. Although there is currently no bottom ash accumulation piles, bottom ash has been spread within the immediate SWMU vicinity.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) collected soil samples. Soil data indicates metals in exceedence of 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs. Groundwater data indicates VOCs in exceedence of 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

The RFI effort has been procured and is described in Work Plan Addendum 12.

### PROPOSED PLAN

The RFI effort will be completed. Due to their contiguous nature, RFAAP-013, -018, -025, and -028 are being managed as one unit.

Two remedial actions (excavation, transportation and disposal) are anticipated at RFAAP-018 (SWMU 48) and RFAAP-028 (SWMU 59).

No further action is anticipated and close-out documentation is included in the AEDBR sites RFAAP-13 (SWMU-49) and RFAAP-025 (SWMU 50).

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, VOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

DES, CMI(C), LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)	LTM
2004	76.6			
2005				
2006				
2007				
2008				
2009				
2010+	40.0	152.8	3484.0	187.1

**PROJECTED TOTAL:** \$ 3,940,500

# CLOSED SANITARY LANDFILL - SWMU 52 RFAAP-029



### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMUs 52 and 28 are closed sanitary landfill (Permit 401) in the southeastern section of the Horseshoe Area contiguous to and immediately south of the closed RFAAP Hazardous Waste Landfill (HWMU 16). The SWMU reportedly contains three trenches, each approximately 35 feet wide by 500 feet long by 14 feet deep. SWMU 52 was first used in 1976 and was closed in 1984. The landfill was used primarily for the disposal of municipal refuse, though asbestos (in double plastic bags) was also disposed of in this area (USACE 1981).

A RFI (Dames & Moore 1992) installed four monitoring wells near SWMUs 28 and 52. Because of the proximate nature of SWMUs 28 and 52 and the similar disposal methods used at each SWMU, one combined study area was delineated for the RFI. Explosives, metals, VOCs and SVOCs have been detected in wells located at HWMU-16. The contamination is not attributed to SWMUs 28 and 52. Groundwater is monitored in accordance with the VDEQ approved post-closure care permit for HWMU 16 which includes SWMUs 28 and 52.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Groundwater monitoring will continue, which is being addressed under RFAAP-039 (HWMU 16).

# AIR CURTAIN DESTRUCTOR & OPEN BURNING GROUND - SWMU 17 RFAAP-030



### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

CONTAMINANTS:
Metals, VOCs, SVOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:**Soil, Groundwater, Surface Water

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 17 is located in the south-central part of the MMA and is used for burning wastes potentially contaminated with explosives or propellants. The SWMU is subdivided into five separate areas (A through E) based on history and operations. SWMU 17A, the Stage and Burn Area, is used to stage large metallic and combustible items contaminated with propellants and explosives. Decontaminated scrap metal is removed and sold for recycling. SWMU 17B is the Air Curtain Destructor (ACD) Staging Area. SWMU 17C, the Air Curtain Destructor (ACD), is where contaminated wastes small enough to feed into the burn chamber are burned. SWMU 17D, the Ash Staging Area, is used for accumulating and storing ACD ash and scrap metal prior to disposal. SWMU 17E, the Runoff Drainage Basin is an unlined settling basin that receives surface water runoff from the ACD and Ash Staging Area.

The RFI (Dames & Moore 1992) collected surface and subsurface soil, surface water, and sediment samples in the five component areas of the unit. A dye-trace study (Engineering-Science 1994) identified a direct conduit between 17A and the New River, evidenced by the recovery of dye within a 24-hour period of injection.

### PROPOSED PLAN

Since this is an active site, it is not ER,A eligible.

# CaSO4 TREATMENT/DISPOSAL AREA - AREA Q RFAAP-031



### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

Area Q is an abandoned lagoon located in the northwest section of the MMA. This site is less than a quarter of an acre. Area Q is immediately northwest and adjacent to SWMU 38 and was reported to be used as a sludge drying bed when SWMU 38 reached capacity. Sludge was pumped from SWMU 38 to Area Q via pipes that ran through a depression in the berm surrounding the drying bed.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

A RFI is planned. No further action is anticipated. Close-out documentation will be prepared.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** SVOCs, TCLP Metals

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI
2004	
2005	
2006	
2007	
2008	
2009	
2010+	317.3

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$ 317,300

### SITE DESCRIPTION

A number of oil/water separators and waste storage tanks located throughout RFAAP are used for the collection of used oil generated primarily from machinery and vehicle engines. Oil from these locations was collected in the Mobile Used Oil Tanks (SWMU 61) for either shipment offsite or reuse. Leaks and spills of used oil during handling and collection are managed in accordance with the RFAAP Spill Control and Countermeasures Plan and the Installation Spill Contingency Plan (SPCC/ISCP).

### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: Low (3A)

CONTAMINANTS: N/A
MEDIA OF CONCERN: N/A

COMPLETED IRP PHASE:

**RFA** 

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### PROPOSED PLAN

Since these are active tanks, this site is not ER,A eligible. No further action is recommended for SWMU 61 under IRP.

# USED OIL STORAGE TANK (INERT GAS PLANT) - SWMU 75 RFAAP-032

### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

This Underground Storage Tank (UST) was located in the MMA, 20 feet west of the Inert Gas Compressor Building A-421. It was removed as part of the UST removal program in April 1985. The UST was reportedly a single-walled tank with a capacity of 600 to 700 gallons. It was used to store used oil and hydraulic fluids that are generated in the inert gas plant compressor house. The contents of the UST were periodically pumped out into 55-gallon drums for the use as fuel at the Hazardous Waste Incinerator (USEPA 1987). Drips and spills around the tanks access ports that occurred when filling the tank were cleaned up before employees left the job site (Procedure 4-27-120; Section 29.1.1). Contaminated soil was removed from the pre-

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** N/A

**MEDIA OF CONCERN: N/A** 

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

mises and was properly disposed of. Spills from overfilling would have been treated as an emergency, and procedures described in the Emergency Response Plan (Procedure 4-14-44; Section 29.1.2) were followed.

The RFAAP UST Removal Program in 1985 removed the waste oil UST. A RCRA Facility Assessment conducted by the USEPA in 1987 included a visual site inspection and preliminary evaluation. Discolored soil was observed around the tank access port.

A site-screening effort was procured for SWMUs 75 & 76 (RFAAP-32). Draft Work Plan Addendum 16 has been submitted to VDEQ and EPA. WPA 16 contains closure documentation for SWMUs 75 and 76. No further action is anticipated.



### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 76 consists of two used oil USTs that were located within the Stage and Burn Area (SWMU 17A) in the south-central part of the MMA. The capacities of the two tanks were 5,500 gallons and 2,640 gallons, respectively. Used oil from machinery and vehicle engines throughout RFAAP was collected in the Mobile Used Oil Tanks (SWMU 61) and then stored in the SWMU 76 tanks. The used oil was then sold to an off-post firm for reclamation or used to fuel fires in the Contaminated Waste Stage and Burn Area (SWMU 17A).

A release of approximately 250 gallons of oily waste water and sludge occurred in 1991 during the removal of the 5,500-gallon UST. Impacted materials were analyzed to determine proper disposal procedures (Hercules 1991). Approximately 13 cubic yards of dirt/absorbed material were removed from the area and disposed of offsite as a hazardous waste because of lead and chromium concentrations. The SWMU 76 UST closure report concluded that the USTs no longer presented an environmental concern or threat.

A site-screening effort was procured for SWMUs 75 & 76 (RFAAP-32). Draft Work Plan Addendum 16 has been submitted to VDEQ and EPA. WPA 16 contains closure documentation for SWMUs 75 and 76. No further action is anticipated.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Achieve regulatory concurrence on WPA 16.

### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: Low (3A)
CONTAMINANTS: N/A

MEDIA OF CONCERN: N/A

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

# CHROMIC ACID TREATMENT TANKS - SWMU 68 RFAAP-033



### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil
COMPLETED IRP PHASE:

RFA, CS

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

SWMU 68 is located 100 feet northwest of SWMU 57 where the plateau of the Horseshoe Area begins sloping towards the New River. The unit previously contained two 4,000-gallon aboveground tanks, which were used to neutralize wastewater generated from the cleaning of rocket encasements (USEPA 1987). Neutralized wastewater was subsequently discharged to the finishing pond, previously located at SWMU 69.

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) detected metals in surface soil samples above the 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs. A RFI (ICF Kaiser 1998) was conducted to evaluate potential subsurface contamination and included upgradient surface and subsurface soil samples to establish SWMU-specific background metals concentrations. The results of confirmation samples demonstrated that previous SWMU process-related activities had not adversely impacted subsurface conditions and associated contamination sources had been removed.

A site-screening effort was procured for this site. Draft Work Plan Addendum 16 has been submitted to VDEQ and EPA.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

The site screening effort will be completed. No further action is anticipated.

### SITE DESCRIPTION

An investigation of the Acid and Industrial Sewers was required by the RCRA permit. The video investigation of the Acid Sewers is complete and the report was submitted to the EPA. The Industrial Sewer investigation is ongoing.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

The sewer lines are active and are not ER,A eligible.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil. Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

### BIOPLANT BASIN - SWMU 10 RFAAP-036



### SITE DESCRIPTION

SWMU 10 is located in the north-central part of the MMA and consists of the biological plant equalization basin, which was constructed over a former NC lagoon. The biological treatment system

was built between 1978 and 1979 and became operational in 1980. The system had been used to treat wastewater from propellant manufacturing, pretreated wastewater from NG manufacturing and alcohol rectification, and waste associated with ethyl ether recovery (USEPA 1987).

Groundwater in the SWMU 10 vicinity was characterized during the RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) and supplemental VI (Dames & Moore 1994).

The VDEQ certified that clean closure for soils had been attained for the equalization basin. Groundwater is still being monitored by the operating contractor under a post-closure care permit that was issued in Oct 2002.



This is not an ER,A eligible site.

### STATUS

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Metals, Explosives, SVOCs

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RC** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC** 

# BATTERY STORAGE AREA - AREA P RFAAP-037



### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

The Spent Battery Storage Area (Area P) consists of an open lot several acres in size that was used for the storage of shredded scrap metal, decommissioned tanks, powder cans and batteries prior to off-post shipment. This area is approximately 50 feet by 200 feet long and is located within the former scrap metal salvage yard 600 feet west of the Biological Treatment Plant (SWMU 10).

A RCRA VI (Dames & Moore 1992) evaluated surface and subsurface soils within the SWMU to determine the impact of spent battery acid spillage. Data from the soil sampling indicates metals in exceedence of 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

### PROPOSED PLAN

A RFI/CMS will be performed. Excavation, transportation and disposal of impacted soil is anticipated.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** Low (3A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Explosives, Metals

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

RFI, DES, CMI(C)

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)
2004			
2005			
2006			
2007	508.4		
2008	59.1		
2009	17.6		
2010+		9.9	222.4

PROJECTED TOTAL: \$817,400

# UNDERGROUND FUEL OIL SPILL - AREA O RFAAP-038

### SITE DESCRIPTION



Area O consists of one inactive 269,000-gallon fuel oil AST that is situated on a concrete base and surrounded by a concrete secondary containment system. The Underground Fuel Oil Spill was located in the east section of the MMA.

An Oil Audit was conducted by USACE in 1982 placed fuel leakage of an underground pipeline at approximately 3,000 gallons. In 1983, four monitoring wells were installed to characterize groundwater flow and quality at the site.

The RFI (Dames & Moore 1992) and a Phase II RFI (Dames & Moore 1994) collected groundwater samples at previously sampled wells. VOCs and SVOCs exceeded 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs.

The initial GIS procurement was completed in FY02. The GIS will capture IR data, support ERIS and facilitate project and program decision making.

### PROPOSED PLAN)

A RFI will be performed and will include a MMA-wide ground-water study. Continue support for the GIS. The anticipated remedial action is source removal for soil and groundwater air-sparging system.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

VOCs, SVOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** RFI, DES, CMI(C), LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)	LTM
2004	10.0			
2005	2263.1			
2006	362.5			
2007	228.8			
2008	95.1			
2009				
2010+	179.0	47.7	1200.9	1058.0

**PROJECTED TOTAL:** \$ 5,445,100

# HAZARDOUS WASTE LANDFILL - HWMU 16 RFAAP-039

### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

HWMU 16 is located in the Horseshoe Area of the plant between RFAAP-007 (SWMU 28, Permit 401) and RFAAP-029 (SWMU 52, Permit 401). The site is a closed landfill (early 1980s) used for lab chemicals, burning ground, and incinerator residue.

Groundwater data indicates the presence of elevated concentrations of explosives and chlorinated solvents.

There are indications that the groundwater contamination at HWMU-16 is migrating to the areas of SWMU-28 and 52.

A post-closure care permit requiring LTM was issued by VDEQ in Oct 2002.

### PROPOSED PLAN

Continue long term monitoring. The requirements for the permit will be re-negotiated in the future.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Explosives, VOCs

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RIP** 

with LTM

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

RIP with LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	LTM	
2004	133.6	
2005	121.3	
2006	121.3	
2007	121.3	
2008	121.3	
2009	133.6	
2010+	1915.7	

# FORMER LEAD FURNACE AREA RFAAP-040



### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A)
CONTAMINANTS: Metals
MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil
COMPLETED IRP PHASE:

RFA, CS

CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI FUTURE IRP PHASE: RC

### (SITE DESCRIPTION)

The former lead furnace area is located in the south-central portion of the MMA adjacent to SWMU 17A (Stage and Burn Area) and was operational during World War II. Typically, lead recovered during routine operations would be melted in the furnace and cast into ingots for salvage. It is not known precisely how long the Lead Furnace was in operation. The SWMU location has apparently been used for various activities and is listed in the RCRA Permit as a used oil and transfer location.

The former Lead Furnace Area was added to the Dames and Moore VI of 1992 by USATHAMA after the discovery of solid lead slag in the soil during the removal of used oil tanks in SWMU 76. The VI included the sampling and analysis of subsurface soil in the vicinity of the FLFA, located within SWMU 17A. A RFI was conducted to verify VI results and included the sampling/removal of lead "hot spots" and the collection and analysis of subsurface soil samples.

The RFI fieldwork was completed in Summer 2002. The RFI effort is described in Workplan Addendum 12.

### PROPOSED PLAN

Complete the RFI. No further action is anticipated for the Former Lead Furnace Area.

# SURFACE IMPOUNDMENT #4 - HWMU 4 RFAAP-041

### SITE DESCRIPTION

HWMU 4 is located in the eastern area of the MMA. It was a surface impoundment and was used an equalization basin for acidic wastewaters.

The source removed in 1988 in accordance with an VDEQ approved closure plan.

The site was clean-closed for soil by the VDEQ in 1997. Long-term groundwater monitoring and a post closure permit is required by the VDEQ. The clean closure report was submitted in March 21, 2000.

### PROPOSED PLAN

This site is incorporated into the facility VDEQ RCRA operating permit, effective in December 2001. LTM will continue until groundwater clean-closure report is approved.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1B)

**CONTAMINANTS:** Metals

MEDIA OF CONCERN:

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS, RFI, CMI(C)

**CURRENT IRP PHASE:** 

RIP with LTM

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

RIP with LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	LTM	
2004	133.6	
2005	121.3	
2006	121.3	
2007	121.3	
2008	121.3	
2009	133.6	
2010+	1915.7	

# SURFACE IMPOUNDMENT #5 - HWMU 5 RFAAP-042

### SITE DESCRIPTION

HWMU 5 is located in the middle of the MMA. It was a surface impoundment used for acidic wastewaters. Sludge was removed, but contaminated soil below the sludge layer was left in place. The lagoon was filled and capped. The presence of residual waste precludes clean-closure.

Groundwater monitoring has been performed for the past 15 years. DNT and TCE was recently detected.

In Fall 2002 an investigative effort was completed for HWMUs 5 and 7. The subsequent draft Field Investigation Report and Risk Assessment for HWMUs 5 and 7 (DAA 2003) was submitted to VDEQ.

### (PROPOSED PLAN)

Monitoring is required by the post closure care permit. Clean-closure will be pursued as part of the basis for eliminating LTM.

#### **STATUS**

RRSE RATING: High (1A) CONTAMINANTS: Metals

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RIP** 

with LTM

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** RIP

with LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	LTM	
2004	133.6	
2005	121.3	
2006	121.3	
2007	121.3	
2008	121.3	
2009	133.6	
2010+	1915.7	

# SURFACE IMPOUNDMENT #7 - HWMU 7 RFAAP-043

### SITE DESCRIPTION

HWMU 7 is located in the western section of the MMA along the New River. It was a surface impoundment used for acidic wastewaters. VDEQ issued a post-closure permit in 2001, which requires LTM.

In Fall 2002 an investigative effort was completed for HWMUs 5 and 7. The subsequent draft Field Investigation Report and Risk Assessment for HWMUs 5 and 7 (DAA 2003) was submitted to VDEQ.

### PROPOSED PLAN

Monitoring is required by the post closure care permit. Cleanclosure will be pursued as part of the basis for eliminating LTM.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

**CONTAMINANTS:** 

Heavy Metals

**MEDIA OF CONCERN:** 

Soil, Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA, CS

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RIP** 

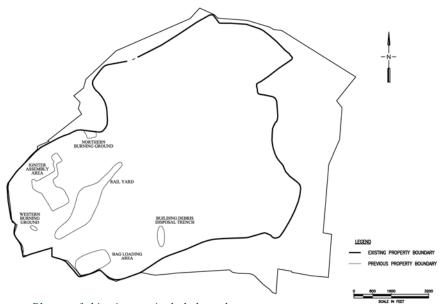
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FUTURE IRP PHASE: RIP with

LTM

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	LTM	
2004	133.6	
2005	121.3	
2006	121.3	
2007	121.3	
2008	121.3	
2009	133.6	
2010+	1915.7	



Photos of this site are included on the next two pages A larger map is located on page 6 of the Installation Information Section

### SITE DESCRIPTION

The New River Unit (NRU) is located approximately 6 miles west of the RFAAP MMA and consists of approximately 2,813 acres. Between 1940 and 1945, the NRU was used for the loading of propellants and igniter charges and the manufacturing of igniter charge bags. Between 1943 and 1945, operations were expanded to include an additional bag-loading line, rolled powder operations, flashreducer loading lines, and blackpowder drying facilities. Production ended after World War II, and the plant was officially designated as part of the RFAAP installation. Since 1947, approximately 1,000 acres in the western section of the plant have been sold or transferred for other uses.

There is conductive flooring in several buildings. The material is comprised of barium, copper, asbestos, and lead. It is exposed to the elements and is leaching to surrounding soil.

A Remedial Investigation sampling effort included the collection of surface soil, sludge, and water samples. Metals have been detected in

exceedence of the 1989 RCRA CORA permit HBNs; however this site is not subject to any RCRA CORA permit. Six areas within the New River Unit are being investigated: the Bag Loading Area (BLA), the Igniter Assembly Area (IAA), Northern Burning Grounds (NBG), Western Burning Grounds (WBG), Rail Yard (RY), and the Building Debris Disposal Trench (BDDT). A contract for additional RI/FS efforts was procured in FY01. The RI fieldwork was completed in Summer 2002 and is described in Workplan Addendum 12.

### PROPOSED PLAN

Excavation, transportation, and disposal of impacted soil is anticipated.

A decision regarding a groundwater investigation will be made once the vertical extent of soil contamination is determined. The need for LTM is not anticipated.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1B) **CONTAMINANTS:** Metals

MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil. Groundwater

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

PA/SI **CURRENT IRP PHASE: RI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** 

RI, RD, RA(C)

### CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)
2004	1074.8		
2005			
2006	1901.0		
2007	100.1		
2008			
2009		168.5	
2010+		8.9	4308.0

**PROJECTED TOTAL:** \$7,561,300



**Building Debris Disposal Trench** 



**Igniter Assembly Area** 



**Bag Loading Area** 



**Northern Burning Ground** 



Western Burning Ground



Rail Yard

# FORMER CADMIUM PLATING FACILITY (BUILDING 4343) RFAAP-045



## SITE DESCRIPTION

Building 4343 is located within the Pilot B Area of the Rocket Manufacturing Area, which is situated within the Horseshoe Area.

In 1956, the building was converted from a Fire Water Pump House to support Nike igniter grain cadmium plating operations. Conversion activities included the installation of a drying cabinet, cadmium plating baths, an exterior lead catch tank (which was discharged to the ground), and an exhaust system. The pump and pump engine were removed and floor sumps were filled to level.

Surface soil evaluation was performed (Alliant Techsystem 1996) and found cadmium exceeded regulatory limits for TCLP analysis.

RFI field effort was conducted in accordance with Work Plan Addendum 12 in the summer of 2002. The subsequent RFI report (Draft IT/Shaw 2003) concluded cadmium in soil was the sole contaminant of concern.

# PROPOSED PLAN

Complete the RFI. Excavation, transportation, and disposal of impacted soil is anticipated. Close-out documentation will be prepared.

### **STATUS**

**RRSE RATING:** High (1A)

CONTAMINANTS: Cadmium MEDIA OF CONCERN: Soil

**COMPLETED IRP PHASE:** 

RFA

**CURRENT IRP PHASE: RFI** 

**FUTURE IRP PHASE:** CMS, DES, CMI(C), RC

# CONSTRAINED COST-TO-COMPLETE

PHASE	RI	RD	RA(C)
2004	231.3	38.3	
2005		2.0	1032.2
2006			15.7
2007			
2008			
2009			
2010+			

**PROJECTED TOTAL:** \$ 1,319,500

# Site Screening Areas

There are approximately 51 areas discussed in the RCRA Facility Assessment which were incorporated into the new RCRA Corrective Action Permit issued in Fall, 2000. Although it is not likely that these areas impact human or ecological health, they will be screened for potential releases to the environment. At least half of the areas are currently in active use.

It is possible that some further remedial investigation and subsequent action at a small number of these areas may be required in the future. Should this occur and they meet all other ER,A eligibility requirements, the areas will be designated as new AEDBR sites.



# (PAST MILESTONES)

#### 1990

• Verification Investigation Initiation

### 1992

• Verification Investigation Completion

### 1994

- Interim Remedial Action RFAAP-003 (SWMU 69)
- RCRA Facility Investigation Initiation

#### 1995

• Started Interim Remedial Design RFAAP-007 (SWMU 28) RFAAP-23 (SWMU 43) RFAAP-029 (SWMU 52)

#### 1997

- Completed RCRA Facility Investigation
- Completed IRA at SWMU 43
- Completed IRA at SWMU 68
- Completed New River and Tributaries Study

#### 1998

- Completed Master Work Plan
- Completed Site Management Plan
- Started RFI/CMS for SWMU 39
- Started IRM at SWMU 54

#### 1999

- Completed IRM at SWMU 54
- Started and completed RI/RFI sampling at NRU & Bldg 4343

#### 2000

• Started and completed sampling for Inorganic Background Study

#### 2001

- Started and completed sampling at SWMU 6
- Started Site Screening Process document
- Started RFI/CMS at SWMUs 40/71 and 54
- Started treatability study at NRU
- Started RFI data gap work at SWMUs 39, 48, 49, 50, 59, FLFA, Bldg. 4343, NRU
- Monitored groundwater at HWMUs 4, 5, 7 and 16

## PAST MILESTONES, continued

### 2002

- Started RFI at SWMUs 35, 37, 38, 41, 51
- Started Site Screening SWMUs 13, 37, 38, 46, 57, 68, 69, 75, 76, Areas A and F
- Monitored groundwater at HWMUs 4, 5, 7 and 16

#### 2003

- Started RFI at SWMUs 31, 39, 48, 49, 50, 58, 59, Bldg 4343, Former Lead Furnace Area, 40/71, 54
- Started RI at NRU
- Procured equipment for web based GIS system
- Monitored groundwater at HWMUs 4, 5, 7 and 16
- Procured additional Site Screening effort for SWMUs 46 and 57.
- Procured CMS/FS for SWMUs 48, 49, 50, 39, Former Lead Furnace Area, Building 4343 and New River Unit.
- Procured annual GW monitoring and IRP support.

## PROJECTED MILESTONES

#### 2004

- Monitor groundwater at HWMUs 4, 5, 7 and 16
- Continue with preparing and submitting the RFI/RI and CMS/FS reports procured in prior years

### 2005-2014

• Start and complete follow-up investigations, studies and actions for the remaining sites.

# NO FURTHER ACTION SITES

The following sites currently require no further action (excluding LTM) under the ER,A program:

RFAAP-003	RFAAP-026	RFAAP-042 with LTM
RFAAP-004	RFAAP-029	RFAAP-043 with LTM
RFAAP-006	RFAAP-030	
RFAAP-007	RFAAP-032	
RFAAP-008	RFAAP-033	
RFAAP-012	RFAAP-035	
RFAAP-015	RFAAP-036	
RFAAP-017	RFAAP-039	with LTM
RFAAP-019	RFAAP-040	
RFAAP-020	RFAAP-041	
RFAAP-021	1	Badford Amm. Ammunition Dlant
RFAAP-022	1	Radford Army Ammunition Plant 2004 Installation Action Plan

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# **Radford Army Ammunition Plant Installation Action Plan Schedule**

(Based on Cost-to-Complete current funding constraints)

CURRENT PHASE

FUTURE PHASE

AEDBR #	Site Name	RRSE	Phase	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2010+
RAAP-001	TNT Waste Acid Neutralization Pits	High	RI RD RA(C) LTM							
RAAP-002	Flash Burn Parts Area	High	RI							
RAAP-005	Waste Propellant Burning Ground	High	RI RD RA(C)							
RAAP-009	Landfill Nitro Area	High	RI							
RAAP-010	CaSO4 Treatment Disposal Area	High	RI RD RA(C)							
RAAP-011	Red Water Ash Burial Ground	High	RI RD RA(C) LTM							
RAAP-013	Red Water Ash Burial 2	High	RI							
RAAP-014	Propellant Burning Ash Disposal Area	High	RI RD RA(C) LTM							
RAAP-016	Wastewater Ponds from Propellant Incinerator	High	RI RD RA(C) LTM							
RAAP-018	Oily Water Burial Area	High	RI RD RA(C) LTM							



# Radford Army Ammunition Plant Installation Action Plan Schedule, continued

CURRENT PHASE

FUTURE PHASE

AEDBR #	Site Name	RRSE	Phase	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2010+
RAAP-023	Sanitary Landfill	Low	RI							
RAAP-024	Landfill No. 3	High	RI							
RAAP-025	CaSO4 Treatment Disposal Area	Low	RI							
RAAP-027	Rubble Pile	Med	RI							
RAAP-028	Bottom Ash Pile	Low	RI RD RA(C) LTM							
RAAP-031	CaSO4 Treatment Disposal Area	Low	RI							
RAAP-037	Battery Storage Area	Low	RI RD RA(C)							
RAAP-038	Underground Fuel Oil Spill	High	RI RD RA(C) LTM							
RAAP-039	Hazardous Waste Landfill	High	LTM							
RAAP-041	Surface Impoundment #4	High	LTM							
RAAP-042	Surface Impoundment #5	High	LTM							
RAAP-043	Surface Impoundment #7	High	LTM							
RAAP-044	New River Unit	High	RI RD RA(C)							
RAAP-045	Building 4343	High	RI RD RA(C)							



**Phase Summary** 

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				Phase	/Statu	s/Sites						
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С	F	Û	RC	С	F	U	RC		С	F	Ū	RC
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		RD				RA				RA(	C)	
С	F	U	RC	С	F	U	RC		С	F	U	RC
0	12	0	0	1	0	0	0		1	12	0	1
	RA(				LT							
С	F	U	RC	С	F	U	RC					
0	0	0	0	0	7	4	0					
					10.		(01:					

### Remedy/Status/Actions(Sites)

FRA				IRA			
С	F	U	С	F	=	U	
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RC Total: 18 RIP Total: 0



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Oversight: NORTHEAST

MSC:

Site	RRSE	Media Evaluated	Phase(s) Completed	Phase(s) Underway	Phase(s) Future	# IRA Completed	# IRA Underway	# IRA Future	LTM Status	RIP Date	RC Date
RAAP-001	1A	GW	PA SI	RI	RD RAC LTM	0	0	0	F		200908
RAAP-002	1A	SL	PA SI		RI	0	0	0			200809
RAAP-003	1A	SH SL WH	PA SI	RI		0	0	0			200410
RAAP-004	3A	GW	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009
RAAP-005	1A	GW SH SL	PA SI		RI RD RAC	0	0	0			201109
RAAP-006	2A	SL	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009
RAAP-007	1A	GW	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009



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MSC:

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RAAP-008	1A	GW SH WH	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009
RAAP-009	1A	GW SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0			200709
RAAP-010	1A	SH	PA SI	RI	RD RAC	0	0	0			200909
RAAP-011	1A	GW SL WH	PA SI	RI	RD RAC LTM	0	0	0	F		200909
RAAP-012	2A	GW SL	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200209
RAAP-013	1A	GW SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0			200709
RAAP-014	1A	GW SH SL	PA SI IRA	RI	RD RAC LTM	1	0	0	F		200809



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MSC:

Site	RRSE	Media Evaluated	Phase(s) Completed	Phase(s) Underway	Phase(s) Future	# IRA Completed	# IRA Underway	# IRA Future	LTM Status	RIP Date	RC Date
RAAP-015	3A	GW	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009
RAAP-016	1A	GW SH SL	PA SI	RI	RD RAC LTM	0	0	0	F		201009
RAAP-017	3A	SH	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009
RAAP-018	1A	GW SL	PA SI	RI	RD RAC LTM	0	0	0	F		201209
RAAP-019	3A	GW	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009
RAAP-020	3A	SH	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009
RAAP-021	3A	SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0			200709



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MSC:

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RAAP-022	3A	SH WH	PA SI	RI		0	0	0			200709
RAAP-023	3A	SL	PA SI		RI	0	0	0			201009
RAAP-024	1A	GW	PA SI		RI	0	0	0			200709
RAAP-025	3A	SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0			200709
RAAP-026	1A	GW SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0			200709
RAAP-027	2A	SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0			200709
RAAP-028	3A	SL	PA SI	RI	RD RAC LTM	0	0	0	F		201209
RAAP-029	1A	GW	PA SI RI			0	0	0			200009



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Oversight: NORTHEAST

MSC:

Site	RRSE	Media Evaluated	Phase(s) Completed	Phase(s) Underway	Phase(s) Future	# IRA Completed	# IRA Underway	# IRA LTM Future Status	RIP Date	RC Date
RAAP-030	1A	GW SH SL WH	PA SI RI			0	0	0		200009
RAAP-031	3A	SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0		201409
RAAP-032	3A	SL	PA			0	0	0		200305
RAAP-033	1A	SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0		200709
RAAP-035	1A	SL	PA SI RI			0	0	0		200205
RAAP-036	1A	GW SH SL WH	PA SI RI			0	0	0		199812
RAAP-037	3A	SL	PA SI		RI RD RAC	0	0	0		201309



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Oversight: NORTHEAST

MSC:

Site	RRSE	Media Evaluated	Phase(s) Completed	Phase(s) Underway	Phase(s) Future	# IRA Completed	# IRA Underway	# IRA Future	LTM Status	RIP Date RC Date
RAAP-038	1A	GW	PA SI		RI RD RAC LTM	0	0	0	F	201309
RAAP-039	1A	GW SL	PA SI RI	LTM		0	0	0	U	200210
RAAP-040	1A	SL	PA SI	RI		0	0	0		200709
RAAP-041	1B	GW	PA SI RI RAC	LTM		0	0	0	U	198801
RAAP-042	1A	GW	PA SI RI	LTM		0	0	0	U	200210
RAAP-043	1A	GW	PA SI RI	LTM		0	0	0	U	200210



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Oversight: NORTHEAST

MSC:

Site	RRSE	Media Evaluated		Phase(s) Underway		# IRA Completed	# IRA Underway		LTM Status	RIP Date	RC Date
RAAP-044	1B	SEF SH SL	PA SI	RI	RD RAC	0	0	0			201209
RAAP-045	1A	GW SL	PA	RI	RD RAC	0	0	0			200709

# **Remediation Activities**

#### COMPLETED REM/IRA/RA:

- RFAAP-003, SWMU 69: interim remedial measure (IRM) Excavated and properly disposed of soils in pond with high concentrations of metals from plating operation.
- RFAAP-023, SWMU 43: IRM Re-graded the site to prevent ponding of storm water and to improve site drainage.
- RFAAP-033, SWMU 68: IRM Excavated and properly disposed of soils similar to those at RFAAP-003, SWMU 69.
- RFAAP-040, FLFA: IRM Excavated and properly disposed of soils with high concentrations of lead.
- RFAAP-044, NRU: IRM Excavated and properly disposed of soils and debris at the Building Debris Disposal Trench.
- RFAAP-044, NRU: IRM Excavated and properly disposed of soils with high concentrations of lead at the Western Burning Ground.

#### CURRENT REM/IRA/RA:

• None underway. These will be identified in ongoing study efforts.

#### FUTURE REM/IRA/RA:

#### **Potential Accelerated Actions:**

- RFAAP-001, SWMU 51: source removal
- RFAAP-005, SWMU 13: source removal
- RFAAP-010, SWMUs 35,37,38 & Area A: source removal
- RFAAP-011, SWMU 41: capping
- RFAAP-014, SWMU 54: source removal
- RFAAP-016, SWMU 39: source removal
- RFAAP-018, 013, 025, SWMUs 48, 49, 50: source removal
- RFAAP-028, SWMU 59: source removal
- RFAAP-038, AREA O: air sparging and source removal
- RFAAP-042, 043, HWMUs 5, 7: source removal
- RFAAP-044, NRU: source removal
- RFAAP-045, Bldg 4343: source removal

# **PRIOR YEAR FUNDS (1976-1998)**

Past, present, and projected funding for Installation Restoration Program activities has been broken down by fiscal year.

Year	Site Information	Expenditures	FY Total
<b>FY 76</b>	Installation Assessment	50.0 K	50.0 K
FY 84	Installation Reassessment	50.0 K	50.0 K
FY 90	VI/RFI Work Plans Installation Support Underground Storage Tanks (RFAAP)	270.7 K 29.2 K 17.4 K	317.3 K
FY 91	VI/RFI Fieldwork and Report, Phase I Installation Support	1,570.9 K 36.3 K	1,607.2 K
FY 92	VI/RFI Plans, Fieldwork, Report, Phase II Split Samples	1,355.0 K 17.3 K	1,372.3 K
FY 93	Installation Support (unit 69 RA)	184.0 K	184.0 K
FY 94		0 K	0 K
FY 95	Conduct RFIs at SWMUs Conduct VIs at SWMUs	1,550.0 K 1,300.0 K	2,850.0 K
FY 96	Acid Sewer Investigation CMS at SWMU 54 Phase II VI/RFI (included S68 IRA) IRA at SWMU 43	752.0 K 263.0 K 330.0 K 100.0 K	1,445.0 K
FY 97	Monitoring RD on SWMUs 28/52	558.0 K 15.0 K	573.0 K
FY 98	RI/FS (SWMUs 17, 31, 39, 48, 49, 58 & NRU) LTM IRA (SWMU 54) RD	1,804.2 K 160.0 K 1,899.9 K 25.0 K	3,889.1 K

Prior Year Funds continues next page

# **Cost Estimates**

# (PRIOR YEAR FUNDS (1999-2003)

Year	Site Information	Expenditures	FY Total
FY 99	RFI/CMS (NRU & Bldg 4343) RI/FS (Sewer Lines) RFI/CMS (SWMU 48) LTM (HWMUs 4, 5, 7, 16)	792.0 K 360.7 K 915.3 K 429.5 K	2,497.5 K
FY 00	RI/FS Background Study (SWMUs 54, 48, 39, 31) IRA (SWMU 54) RI/FS (NRU) LTM (HWMUs 4, 5, 7, 16)	413.2 K 305.4 K 127.1 K 278.8 K	1,124.5 K
FY01	RFI/CMS (SWMU 40/71) RFI/CMS (SWMU 54) RFI/CMS (GOCO IRP Support) RI/FS (NRU) LTM (HWMUs 4, 5, 7, 16 RFI/CMS (SWMUs 31, 39, 48, NRU) RFI/CMS (SWMU 31, GIS)	554.3 K 643.0 K 42.5 K 249.3 K 335.8 K 1043.7 K 30.0 K	2,898.6 K
FY02	RI/FS SWMUs 69, 46, 57, 68, 41 RI/FS SWMUs 31, 39, 48, 49, 50, 58, 59, FLFA, Bldg 4343 (WPA 12 mod) LTM HWMUs 4,5,7, 16 & IRP support RI/FS SWMUs 41 & FLFA (GIS support) RI/FS SWMUs 9, 35, 37, 38, A RI/FS SWMU 41 RI/FS SWMU 51 RI/FS NRU (Treatability Study) RI/FS - GIS - plant-wide	379.7 K 1,152.8 K 525.1 K 14.5 K 662.4 K 496.7 K 426.8 K 9.9 K 175.0 K	3,842.9 K
FY03	RI/FS SWMU 59 LTM HWMUs 4, 5, 7, 16 & IRP support RI/FS SWMUs 46 & 57 RI/FS Bldg 4343 RI/FS SWMUs 40 & 54	573.0 K 501.2 K 78.0 K 386.0 K 39.3 K	1,577.5 K

TOTAL FUNDING 1976-2003: \$24,278.9 K



# Radford Army Ammunition Plant - Constrained Cost-to-Complete Restoration Work Chart (\$ in Thousands, all costs estimated in RACER)

AEBDR#	Site Description	RRSE	Phase	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010+	Site Total	Description of Work
RAAP-001	TNT Waste Acid	High	RI	76.6								RFI to characterize source area removal. Approx. 900 c.y. of contaminated soil will be excavated from the site and
	Neutralization Pits		RD			38.7	2.0					transported to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to off-site
			RA(C)					1,121.0	17.1			facility is 540 miles each way. The waste is assumed to be HW and will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees. 45 samples will be collected for monitoring and disposal
			LTM						99.0	125.4	1479.8	analysis from the excavated soil. Three wells will be installed in addition to the existing 3 wells at the site. Wells will be sampled quarterly in year one and sampled annually, thereafter, for a total of five years.
RAAP-002	Flash Burn Parts Area	High	RI			230.5	61.2	15.4			307.1	RFI to verify NFA.
RAAP-005	Waste Propellant Burning Ground	High	RI		700.6	53.3	23.3					RFI to characterize off-site migration. Remedial action to remove source areas if offsite migration is identified in RFI. Approx 9500 CY of soil will be excavated from the site. It is assumed that the
			RD					98.7	5.2			excavated soil is non-hazardous and will be transported to an appropriate local landfill for disposal. Transport and disposal fee is
			RA(C)						2,082.7	31.7	2995.5	1
RAAP-009	Landfill Nitro Area	High	RI	76.6							76.6	A RFI to verify NFA. Additional funding is for additional sampling and closure reports.
RAAP-010	CaSO4 Treatment	High	RI	76.6								RFI to characterize source area removal. SWMU 35, 37, 38, and Area A will be investigated together. Approx.1,500 cy of soil will
	Disposal Area		RD			61.6	3.2					be excavated from the site. It is assumed that the excavated soil is contaminated and will be transported to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to off-site facility is 540 miles each way. The waste is
			RA(C)					1,390.2	21.2		1552.8	assumed to be HW and will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees. Remedial action involves mobilization and demobilization at three sites, access for construction and associated activities.
RAAP-011	Red Water Ash Burial Ground	High	RI	76.6								RFI to characterize source area. This 1.0 acre site will be geo- synthetically capped to prevent infiltration into the groundwate & M will be performed at the site for 15 years. Three wells will
			RD			26.6						installed in addition to the existing 3 wells. Long Term Monitoring is planned for 15 years at this site. Wells will be sampled quarterly
			RA(C)					745.6	11.4			in year one and sampled once a year thereafter. It will be evaluated
			LTM						163.4	733.5	1757.1	every five years and estimated to stop after a third and final 5 ye review.



# Radford Army Ammunition Plant - Constrained Cost-to-Complete Restoration Work Chart, continued (\$ in Thousands, all costs estimated in RACER)

AEDBR#	Site Description	RRSE	Phase	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010+	Site Total	Description of Work
RAAP-013	Red Water Ash Burial 2	High	RI			82.0	4.3				86.3	Close-out documentation.
RAAP-014	Propellant Burning Ash Disposal Area	High	RI	250.8								RFI: Further delineation of source area required in FY04. Approx. 6775 c.y. of HW soil will be excavated from the site and transported to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to off-site HW
			RD			65.6	3.5					facility is 540 miles each way. The HW will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees. 48 samples will be collected for monitoring an
			RA(C)				3042.7	46.3				disposal analysis from the excavated soil. Long Term Monitoring is planned for 5 years at this site. Ten wells are included in the LTM
			LTM					107.4	32.9	103.5	3652.7	program. The wells will be sampled quarterly in year one and sampled once a year, thereafter.
RAAP-016	Wastewater Ponds from Propellant	High	RI	20.0							1	Approx. 7,400 c.y. of soil will be excavated from the site. It is assumed that 1800 c.y. of the excavated soil is HW and will be transported to Belleville, MI for disposal. Dist. to off-site facility
	Incinerator		RD					83.5	4.4			is 540 miles each way. The waste is assumed to be HW and requires stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees. 96 samples will be
			RA(C)						1860.2	28.3		collected for monit. and disp. analysis from the excavated soil. Two wells will be installed in addition to the existing 6 wells at the site. LTM is planned for 5 years at this site. Wells will be sampled
			LTM							265.6	2262.0	quarterly in year one and sampled once a year thereafter. Prior yea S&R is included in 2004.
RAAP-018	Oily Water Burial Area	High	RI	20.0				75.0	80.0			Approx. 23,703 c.y. of soil will be excavated from the site. It is assumed that 5,000cy of the excavated soil is HW and will be transported to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to HW off-site
			RD							219.4		facility is 540 miles each way. The HW will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees. 180 samples will be collected for monit. and
			RA(C)							5109.3		disp. analysis. Two wells will be installed in addition to the existing 6 wells at the site. LTM is planned for 5 years at this site.
			LTM							256.1	5759.8	Wells will be sampled quarterly in year one and sampled once a year thereafter. Prior year S&R is included in 2004, 2008, and 2009.
RAAP-023	Sanitary Landfill	Low	RI					191.0	68.6	8.0	267.6	RFI is proposed to verify NFA and provide for closeout documentation.
RAAP-024	Landfill No. 3	High	RI		237.5	67.2	9.4					RFI is proposed to verify NFA and provide for closeout documentation.



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RAAP-025	CaSO4 Treatment Disposal Area	Low	RI			82.0	4.3				86.3	Closeout Documentation.
RAAP-027	Rubble Pile	Med	RI	20.0							20.0	Prior year S&R is included in 2004.
RAAP-028	Bottom Ash Pile	Low	RI	76.6						40.0		RI funding is for additional sampling. Approx. 3,703 cy of HW soil will be excavated from the site and transported to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to off-site HW facility is 540 miles each way.
			RD							152.8		The HW will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees. 185
			RA(C)							3484.0		samples will be collected for monitoring and disposal analysis from the excavated soil. Three wells will be installed in addition to the existing 3 wells at the site. LTM is planned for 5 years at this site.
			LTM							187.1	3940.5	Wells will be sampled quarterly in year one and sampled once a year thereafter. Prior year S&R is included in 2004 & 2010.
RAAP-031	CaSO4 Treatment Disposal Area	Low	RI							317.3		RFI is proposed to verify NFA and provide for closeout documentation.
RAAP-037	Battery Storage Area	Low	RI				508.4	59.1	17.6			RFI to characterize source area removal. Four wells will be installed for characterization. Approx. 100 c.y. of soil will be excavated from
			RD							9.9		the site and transported to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to off-site facility is 540 miles each way. The waste is assumed to be HW and will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is
			RA(C)							222.4		assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees.
RAAP-038	Underground Fuel Oil Spill	High	RI	10.0	2263.1	362.5	228.8	95.1		179.0		RFI includes installation-wide (~2000 acres) groundwater study in karst environment. 25 wells (avg depth 100') are planned. Two wells will be installed as part of the source area RFI. Approx. 500
			RD							47.7		cy of HW soil will require transportation to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to off-site facility is 540 miles each way. The waste will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees. Air
			RA(C)							1200.9		Sparging treatment method is the anticipated remedy to remove constituents from groundwater. Area of influence for air sparging is assumed to be 65,500 SF. Prior year S&R is included in 2004. Wells will be sampled qtrly in year one and sampled once a year,
			LTM							1058.0	5445.1	thereafter. LTM will be evaluated every five years and is estimated to stop in 2027. 4 wells are incl. in LTM. Installation-wide GIS support is incl. New GIS equip. and software every 4 yrs. GIS is planned for 30 yrs.



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RAAP-039	Hazardous Waste Landfill	High	LTM	133.6	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	133.6	1915.7	2668.1	Long Term Monitoring is planned for 30 years at this site. Wells will be sampled quarterly as required in the permit.	
RAAP-041	Surface Impoundment #4	High	LTM	133.6	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	133.6	1915.7	2668.1	Long Term Monitoring is planned for 30 years at this site. Wells will be sampled quarterly as required in the permit.	
RAAP-042	Surface Impoundment #5	High	LTM	133.6	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	133.6	1915.7	2668.1	Long Term Monitoring is planned for 30 years at this site. Wells will be sampled quarterly as required in the permit.	
RAAP-043	Surface Impoundment #7	High	LTM	133.6	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	133.6	1915.7	2668.1	Long Term Monitoring is planned for 30 years at this site. Wells will be sampled quarterly as required in the permit.	
RAAP-044	New River Unit	High	RI	1074.8		1901.0	100.1					Approx. 9,100 cy of soil will be excavated. It is estimated that 2,722 cy of the excavated soil is HW soil and will require transportation to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to off-site	
			RD						168.5	8.9		HW facility is 540 miles each way. The HW will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees.136 samples will be collected for monitoring and disposal analysis from the excavated	
			RA(C)							4308.0	7561.3	soil. NRU GW study FY06. Lack of GW information represents a data gap that may prevent site close-out. GW study covers approx. 1000 acres of karst geology.	
RAAP-045	Building 4343	High	RI	231.3								RI funding is for additional sampling. Approx. 497 cy of HW soil will be excavated from the site and transported to Belleville, MI for disposal. Distance to off-site HW facility is 540 miles each way.	
			RD	38.3	2.0							The HW will require stabilization. Transport and disposal fee is assumed to be \$262.50/cy and there are no state tax/fees. 36 samples will be collected for monitoring and disposal analysis fro	
			RA(C)		1032.2	15.7					1319.5	the excavated soil. A 544 SF building will be demolished in order to remove contaminated soil.	
		Totals	2582.6	4720.6	3471.8	4476.4	4513.6	5166.4	25759.6	50691.0			
	PO	traints	3488.9	5000.0	6827.0	8999.8	4929.3	5552.8	3736.0	38533.8			

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# **Community Involvement**

## RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD (RAB) STATUS

The surrounding community for Radford AAP included the counties of Montgomery (Pop. 73,913), Pulaski (Pop. 34,496), Floyd (Pop. 12,005), Giles (Pop. 16,366) and the City of Radford (Pop. 15,940).

In February 1995 and January 1998 we conducted surveys to determine if enough community interest existed to sustain a Restoration Advisory Board. A Community Relations Plan was finalized in September 1995.

February 1995 and January 1998, RFAAP with the assistance of the US Army Environmental Center conducted community interviews with residents of the surrounding counties and city, and placed two newspaper advertisements soliciting community members to volunteer for RAB positions. In June 1998, RFAAP held a public meeting to share information about the RFAAP cleanup program and about forming a RAB. August 1998, RFAAP held first RAB-style meeting in which the Community Co-chair person was selected. In September 1999, an information repository was established at the Montgomery Floyd Regional Library, Christiansburg Branch consistent with RAB recommendation.

RAB activities to date have included bi-monthly meetings with regulators present, plant tours, and project and program status briefings.

RFAAP is committed to involving the public in the restoration program and will do all we can to make it a success.