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Restoration Advisory Board Meeting for Former Nansemond Ordnance Depot (FNOD) Set for August 2

(Norfolk, VA) The Former Nansemond Ordnance Depot (FNOD) Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. on Thursday, August 2, 2001 at Tidewater Community College (TCC) Portsmouth Campus in Room 103 of the Manning Building.

The US Army Corps of Engineers - Norfolk District is continuing its environmental investigations and cleanup activities in the vicinity of the TCC Portsmouth Campus as a part of the Formerly Used Defense Site (FUDS) program following EPA's Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) guidelines.

Corps team members will update the RAB and the community on various aspects of the project including activities at the James River Beachfront, the offshore ordnance investigation, ordnance removals in Pit 18, residential well sampling, and the ecological risk assessment

There will be an opportunity for community members to comment on the work and ask questions of the Corps project team and regulators.

The FNOD RAB, established in 1997, is a communications forum that enables the public to provide input on cleanup efforts. It is comprised of a diverse array of stakeholders including: community members, local business representatives, local and state officials, a TCC representative, and environmental staff from the Corps, VDEQ, and EPA. RAB meetings are open to the public. All interested parties are encouraged to attend. The RAB meets on the first Thursday of even months (February, April, June, August, October, December) from 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. in the Manning Building.

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