A. Public Participation 30-day Notice
Naval Air Station (NAS) North Island Draft Closure Certification Report – The South San Diego County Ground Water Unit has reviewed the “Draft Closure Certification Report, Unimpacted Portions of SWMU 80, Naval Air Station North Island, Coronado.” The Closure Certification Report identifies the rationale for “No Further Action” at the following portions of the former Industrial Waste Pipeline– Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) 80, which is located in Operable Unit (OU) 14:

- Silver Process Waste Line – Area NFA-1
- Pier J-K Waste Line – Area NFA-2
- Buildings 469/466 Waste Line – Area NFA-3
- Building C-139 Waste Line – Area NFA-4
- Housing Area Waste Line – Area NFA-5
- Building 702 Waste Line – Area NFA-6
- Building 489 Waste Line – Area NFA-7
- Building 1471 Waste Line – Area NFA-8
Passive soil vapor samples were collected to screen for industrial wastewater releases to soil and ground water downstream of these facilities. Soil samples were also collected adjacent to and below the depth of the pipeline and analyzed for target analytes consistent with wastewater discharges from upstream facilities. Soil sampling results in these eight NFA Areas did not detect evidence of a release. Results of passive soil vapor and soil sampling investigation at NFA areas 1-8 have verified that chemicals of potential concern in soil have not been released to ground water.

All of the above areas of the IWPL with the exception of Area NFA-2 (which has been physically removed) have been abandoned in place and removed from service. All drains leading into the IWPL from these areas have been plugged with concrete, thus the IWPL no longer transports industrial wastewater through these sections of the pipeline.

The Department of the Navy (DON) has demonstrated through site history, visual inspections, field investigations, laboratory analysis results, and removal action and verification sampling that further remedial action is not required to protect public health or welfare or the environment at NFA Areas 1 - 8, the unimpacted portions of the former Industrial Waste Pipeline—Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) 80. In selecting the no action remedy for these areas the DON has determined that the existing condition of the sites is protective of human health and the environment and complies with Federal and State requirements.

The case files are available for public review by submitting a file review request to the Regional Board office. This public notice fulfills the Regional Board's obligation to inform the public of the proposed actions pursuant to the State and Regional Boards' Public Participation guidance document. Provided no significant issues arise during the public notification period, the Regional Board will concur with the No Further Action determination for the unimpacted portions of the IWPL, NFA Areas 1 - 8, Solid Waste Management Unit 80. (Sherrie Komeylyan)