

DOCUMENT STATUS

The following document submittals and/or agency review actions are planned for the upcoming months:

- Western Early Transfer Parcel, Remedial Action Plan 5-Year Review - Agency Review Comments Pending
- H1 Post-Closure Plan - Agency Review Comments Pending
- IR-05/WMA Munitions Response Action and Conceptual Site Model – Submit Revised Draft

IR-05 UPDATE

Several excavation areas within the northern portion of the site were backfilled after obtaining approvals from the regulatory agencies that the confirmation samples met the cleanup criteria.

A biological opinion is still under development by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) which is needed to allow excavation of remaining soil hot spots within the wetland portions of IR-05. The biological opinion will provide the authorization to proceed with the work and will specify the requirements to minimize potential impacts to the salt marsh harvest mouse.

IA-H1 STATUS

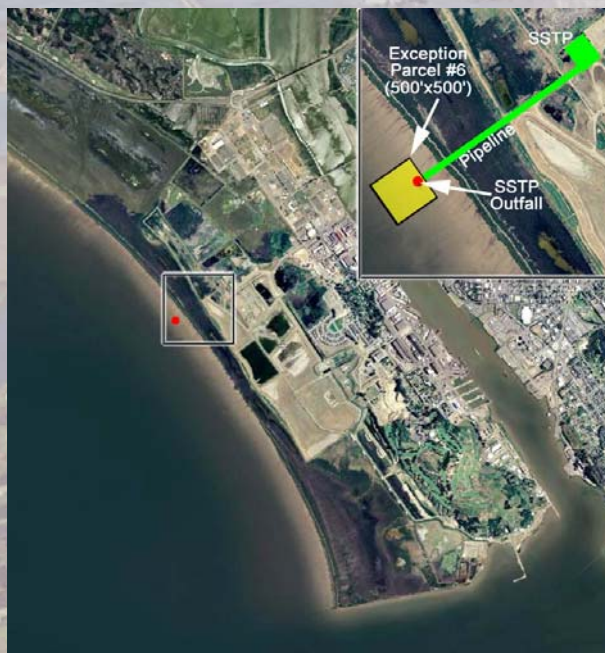
As noted last month, the schedule for completing the remaining portion of the cap has been extended into 2009 to allow consolidation of soil from the IR-05 site after receipt of the USFWS biological opinion. A portion of the perimeter access road is being installed along the completed portion of the cap.



Installation of Perimeter Access Road for IA-H1 Containment Area

SANITARY SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT OUTFALL

The SSTP Outfall is located within the mudflats along with western shore of Mare Island. As requested by the agencies, WESTON completed additional sampling in September within a larger area at the SSTP Outfall at 31 locations to better characterize the site. An evaluation of residual ecological risk at the site is being performed. A meeting will be scheduled with the agencies in November to discuss the path forward.



WESTERN EARLY TRANSFER PARCEL SAN PABLO BAY TRAIL UPDATE

Drawings and interpretative panel displays are being updated in preparation for construction of a public access trail to a portion of the western shoreline of Mare Island. The trailhead will be located within the northeastern portion of IA-H1 and the trail constructed along levees of the former dredge ponds. The trail is a requirement of the Remedial Action Plan approved for the WETP to provide safe access to the area while minimizing potential impacts to wildlife. A site development permit application has been submitted to the City to proceed with installation of the trail since the majority of the trail is on City property. Installation of the trail will occur early next year weather permitting.