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Ms. Sherrie Komeylyan California Regional Water Quality Control Board 2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92108

Ms. Irena Edwards California Environmental Protection Agency Department of Toxic Substances Control 5796 Corporate Avenue Cypress, CA 90630

Dear Ms. Lesaca, Ms. Komeylyan, and Ms. Edwards:

SUBJECT: PROOF OF PUBLICATION, PUBLIC NOTICE OF ESTABLISHMENT OF ONLINE INFORMATION REPOSITORY AND COMPLETION OF FINAL FIFTH FIVE-YEAR REVIEW, MARINE CORPS BASE CAMP PENDLETON (MCBCP), CALIFORNIA

Please find enclosed the proof of publication for a public notice issued in the October 28, 2025 edition of the San Diego Union Tribune regarding the establishment of an online information repository and the completion of the Fifth Five-Year Review for MCB Camp Pendleton. Please contact NAVFACSYSCOM SW Remedial Project Manager, Ms. Lindsey White at lindsey.e.white8.civ@us.navy.mil or via phone at (619)705-5492 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, California Installation
Restoration Program
Fifth Five-Year Review
and
Online Information Repository

WHY YOU ARE BEING NOTIFIED: The Installation Restoration (IR) Program at Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton (MCBCP), California announces establishment of an online information repository and the completion of its Fifth Five-Year Review of environmental cleanup actions in accordance with the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA). CERCLA was established to protect human health and the environment for sites that had been contaminated by disposal of chemicals. The IR Program is a Department of Defense (DoD) program for cleaning up soil and groundwater contamination resulting from past years of operation at military bases.

MCB Camp Pendleton's IR Program is responsible for approximately 80 IR Sites throughout the base that were found to contain a variety of contaminants including pesticide, metals, petroleum, and solvents related to vehicle/aircraft maintenance, and other activities. Many of the IR Sites have been closed with no further action either because they were cleaned up or because investigations demonstrated there was no contamination at the site that presented a risk to human health or the environment. Remediation activities, including groundwater monitoring, started in April 1997 and continues through the present. More information on the MCB Camp Pendleton IR Program is available on the Internet at: https://www.pendleton.marines.mil/Staff/Principal-Staff/Environmental-Security/#environmental-cleanup

Five-Year Review: This is the Fifth Five-Year Review for MCB Camp Pendleton and presents a comprehensive review of remedies implemented at IR sites. The review has been conducted in accordance with current Navy policies and federal, state, and local regulations regarding conducting Five-Year Reviews.

Online Information Repository: Establishment of an online information repository modernizes public access to information related to the MCBCP IR Program. Community members can now review important documents, including reports, fact sheets and meeting minutes related to the MCBCP IR Program on the Internet.

WHERE YOU CAN FIND FURTHER INFORMATION: A copy of the Fifth Five-Year Review will be electronically available to the public on the Naval Facilities Engineering Command (NAVFAC) Southwest online information repository public site known as the Administrative Percent.

https://www.navfac.navy.mil/Divisions/Environmental/Products-and-Services/Environmental-Restoration/Southwest/Camp-Pendleton-MCB/Administrative-Record/

WHO TO CONTACT: Community members with questions about the CERCLA Five-Year Review or the online information repository may contact one of the following:

Remedial Project Manager NAVFAC Southwest, Marine Corps Team 750 Pacific Highway San Diego, CA 92132 619-705-5435

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The Remedial Project Manager can also be contacted to coordinate accommodation for community members with disabilities seeking more information on the Five-Year Review.

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