IOWA ARMY AMMUNITION PLANT RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD MINUTES JUNE 17, 1999

The Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) meeting was held at 7:00 p.m. on June 17, 1999 at the Ramada Inn. See Exhibit 1 for attendees.

Larry Orr welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order. Rodger than gave a brief presentation on how the Cost to Complete numbers had changed since last months meeting. Next year IAAAP will receive 3.8 million dollars compared to the previously planned amount of 2.3 million. From 2001 through 2005 IAAAP will receive approximately 5.2 million dollars a year compared to the 2.3 million previously planned each year. He explained that as we get closer the numbers become more realistic.

Rodger then put up a graph showing the ER,A expenditures for FY 98. He explained that we had only planned to receive about 3 million, but we received 7.4 million so far. If we get prior year funds it stretches what we have. He then put up a graph for FY 99 and explained we are about \$500,000.00 short of what we planned because a June 30 deadline was moved up to June 11 and we weren't prepared for it. Another reason is because we received about \$300,000 in prior year money. This money however isn't a lost cause because we can re-compete for it during the fourth quarter.

Project priorities haven't gone any farther since the Installation Action Plan meeting.

The Lieutenant Colonel then spoke about Day & Zimmerman acquiring Mason & Hanger Corporation. He explained that Day and Zimmerman was now the partner with General Dynamics to make up American Ordnance. He told the members this action would really be invisible to the RAB and their work. He further explained that Day & Zimmerman are known for their safety standards.

The Lieutenant Colonel was also asked to speak about the TNT incident. The incident took place in Line 3a while working on M107 mortar rounds. A cart filled with TNT was becoming difficult to push so two men were pushing and they ran into one of the guard rails causing the TNT to slosh and it got on the face and neck of one of the employees. One of the employees was treated on the spot and the other was sent to the Burlington Medical Center. They overreacted and sent the employee to Iowa City. He explained that the TNT was as hot as candle wax and his burns didn't amount to much more than a bad sunburn. He explained that the Hawk Eye newspaper overreacted and there wasn't a spill or anything that the RAB would have to be concerned with cleaning up. It happened inside of a building that has safeguards to keep the TNT from getting into the soil. Rodger commented that the newspaper made it sound like an environmental spill which it wasn't.

Rodger then explained the meeting location list. He explained he is still working on a way to pay at the locations that don't take credit cards. After a brief discussion the RAB decided to hold the next meeting at the Wever Fire Station. Jeff Bergman was concerned

about not being able to attend meetings held on the third Thursday of the month due to a conflict with another committee. He explained that Kathy Christy and Joe Haffner are on that committee also.

Following that discussion Larry Orr presented LTC Hewitt with a certificate of appreciation for his help and guidance when the RAB was first started. He told the RAB not to wait for people to come to them, but that the RAB should go to their meetings and give presentations to get them interested in what the RAB is doing.

Linda Beran gave a brief update on the off post effort. She explained they plan to begin hydro-punching on Monday, June 21 and they plan to be done the second or third week of July. She has contacted all of the residents, explained what they will be doing, and gave them a number to call if they had any questions. Prashant Khanna gave a brief update regarding the sampling schedule at Line 5A/5B. Rodger indicated that USACE would be performing some phyto sampling also within the next few months.

Jeff Bergman spoke about the EPA soliciting public input on which waterways should be included on their list of impaired waterways. He explained that Long Creek was on the list, but Spring and Brush were not. He asked the RAB if they would be interested in trying to get them added to the list. A motion was made for the EPA to include Long Creek, Spring Creek, Brush Creek, and parts of the Skunk River to the impaired waterways listing. All of the members were in favor of the motion.

The meeting adjourned at 8:14 p.m.

Melenie Mutchler

Secretary

RAB Co-Chair

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Exhibits:

- 1 Attendees
- 2 Agenda
- 3 Constrained Cost-to-Complete
- FY98 ER.A Expenditures 4
- 5 FY99 ER, A Expenditures
- Possible Meeting Locations

EXHIBIT 1

RAB MEMEBRS PRESENT

Jeff Bergman Don Kuechmann Larry Orr Eric Orth Dean Vickstrom

RAB MEMBERS NOT PRESENT

Michael Boyle Kathy Christy Marjorie Fitzsimmons Glen Fullhart Mark Hagerla Raymond Hall Richard Wiele

GOVERNMENT MEMBERS

Rodger Allison LTC Hewitt

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Melenie Mutchler Prashant Khanna Linda Beran