



# Hunters Point Naval Shipyard Environmental Cleanup Program Update

**Hunters Point Shipyard Citizens Advisory Committee  
Environmental & Reuse Subcommittee Meeting**

June 15, 2026

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# Agenda

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• Parcel E Building 400A
• Parcel G Plutonium-239 Update
• Laboratory Data Quality Review Update
• Quick Updates
• Installation Restoration Site 26 Fieldwork Update
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• Upcoming Navy Outreach Events and Presentations
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# Parcel E Building 400A

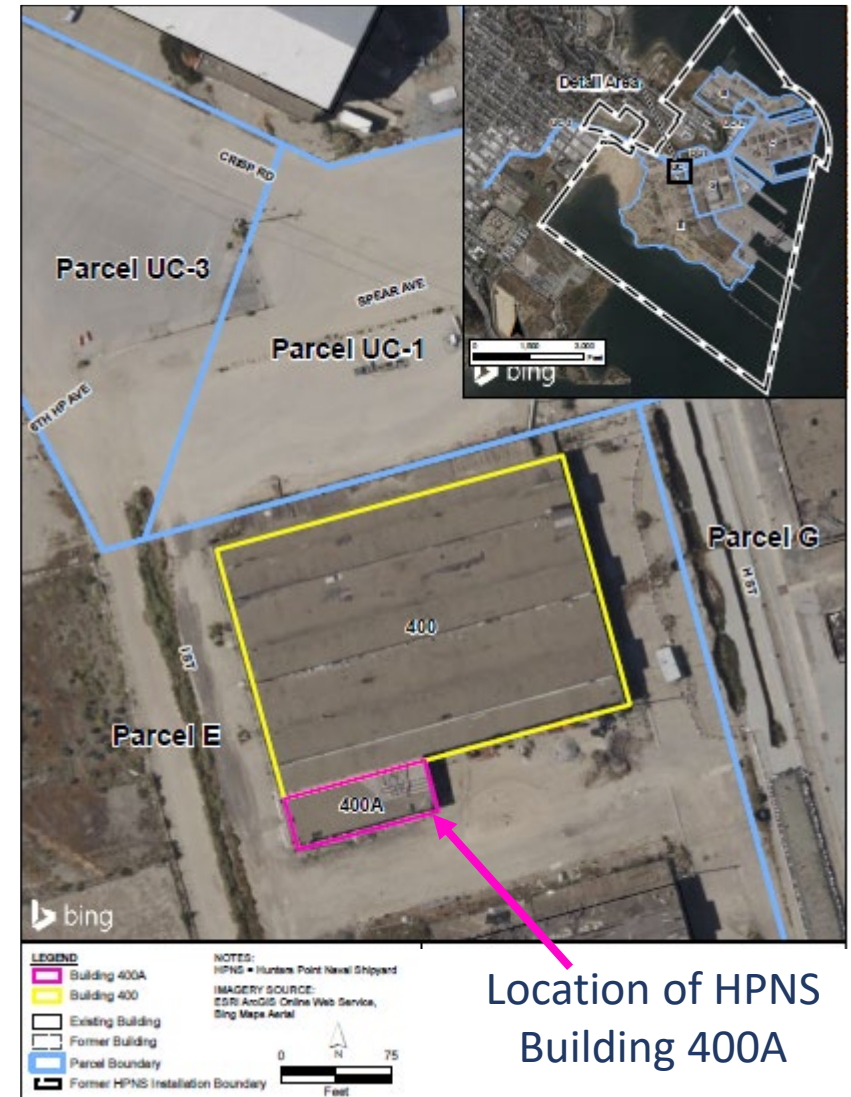
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# Building 400A Summary

Category	Summary
Date Identified	April 7, 2026
What Happened	Radiological and chemical materials identified inside a secured building
Notifications Issued	Regulatory agencies and City stakeholders notified
Health or Environmental Concern	No health or environmental concern identified
Status	Materials evaluated for proper handling and disposal; chemical characterization completed (6/10/2026)
Regulatory Oversight	Regulatory agencies have been conducting site visits
Next Steps	Complete evaluation of materials, develop disposal plan, dispose of materials upon regulatory agency concurrence

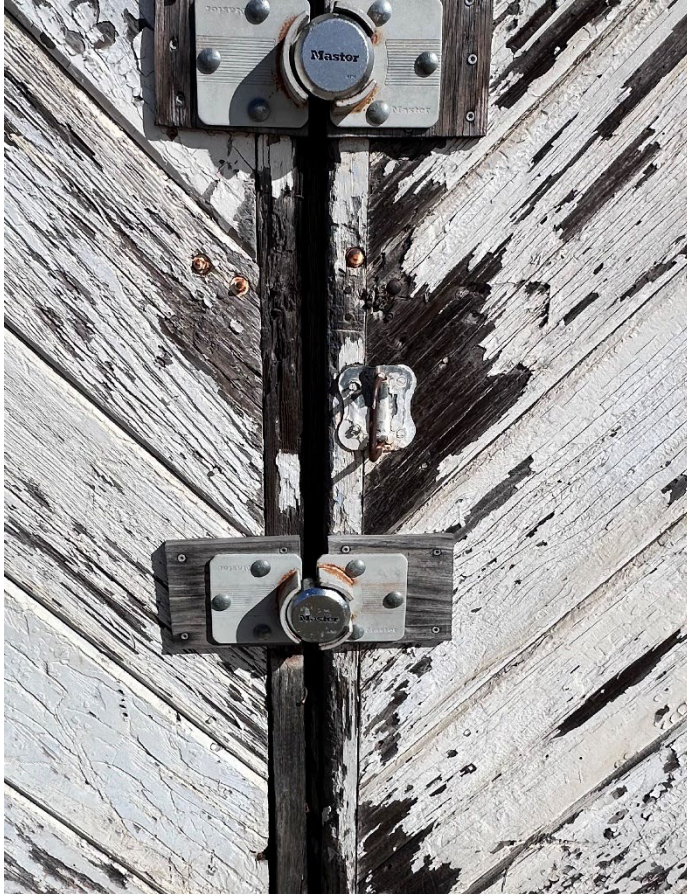
# Building 400A Location and Background

- Located within Parcel E:
  - Approximately 4,000 square feet of open space annex to Building 400
  - Secured with boarded windows and locked doors
- 2017: Envirochem, a subcontractor to a Navy contractor, received permission for storage of materials related to HPNS project work
- 2023: Envirochem was acquired by RSI Entech, LLC and is now the responsible entity for evaluating and addressing materials



Location of HPNS Building 400A

# Building 400A



Securely locked doors



Cabinet used to store items

# Building 400A Items – Laboratory Analytical Equipment

A variety of radiological reference materials, calibration sources, and laboratory items were identified



Liquid scintillators are specialized laboratory instruments used for radiological analysis

# Building 400A – Current Condition

**Current condition of Building 400A during a joint Navy and EPA site visit (June 10, 2026)**

**The area is secured and designated as a radiologically controlled area pending radiological surveys**



# Building 400A – RSI Next Steps

## Finalize Evaluation

Continue assessment of materials and equipment in Building 400A

Assessed all buildings they and their predecessor companies have used at HPNS (no new findings)

## Finalize Disposal Plan

Develop disposal approach for radiological and chemical materials

Coordinate disposal activities with Navy and regulatory agencies

## Complete Building Assessment

Evaluate Building 400A to determine any additional actions needed prior to future use or release

## Document and Share Results

Prepare a summary report

Continue updates through HPSCAC meetings and public information channels

# HPNS Building 400A – Navy Actions

**Navy has reassessed buildings used by contractors and found no issues**

Building 258 used by Aptim for the storage of the soil sample archive

Building 400 used by RSI for storage of their project materials

Building 405 used for storage of Parcel E-2 landfill cap materials

**Navy Caretaker Support Office has implemented quarterly inspections of all buildings used by contractors**

First inspection completed

**External investigations are underway**

Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS)

US EPA's Criminal Investigation Division

# Parcel C Plutonium-239 (Pu-239)

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Update

# Pu-239 Air Monitoring Exceedance Summary Update

Category	Summary
Date Identified	March 2025
Notifications Issued	Regulatory agencies notified October 2025; resulted in notification protocol review and update
What Happened	A reported Pu-239 air monitoring exceedance of the dust management plan action level triggered additional review and evaluation
Health or Environmental Concern	The health action level was not exceeded
Navy Actions Taken	DOD ELAP Accreditation Board conducted a laboratory audit. There were no findings that questioned the validity of detection and non-detection analytical result.
Regulatory Oversight	EPA's National Analytical Radiological Environmental Laboratory (NAREL) conducted an independent assessment of the data and laboratory information. It is their opinion the result is an outlier due to laboratory contamination, unrelated to HPNS activities
Next Steps	No additional actions planned

# Laboratory Data Validation Review

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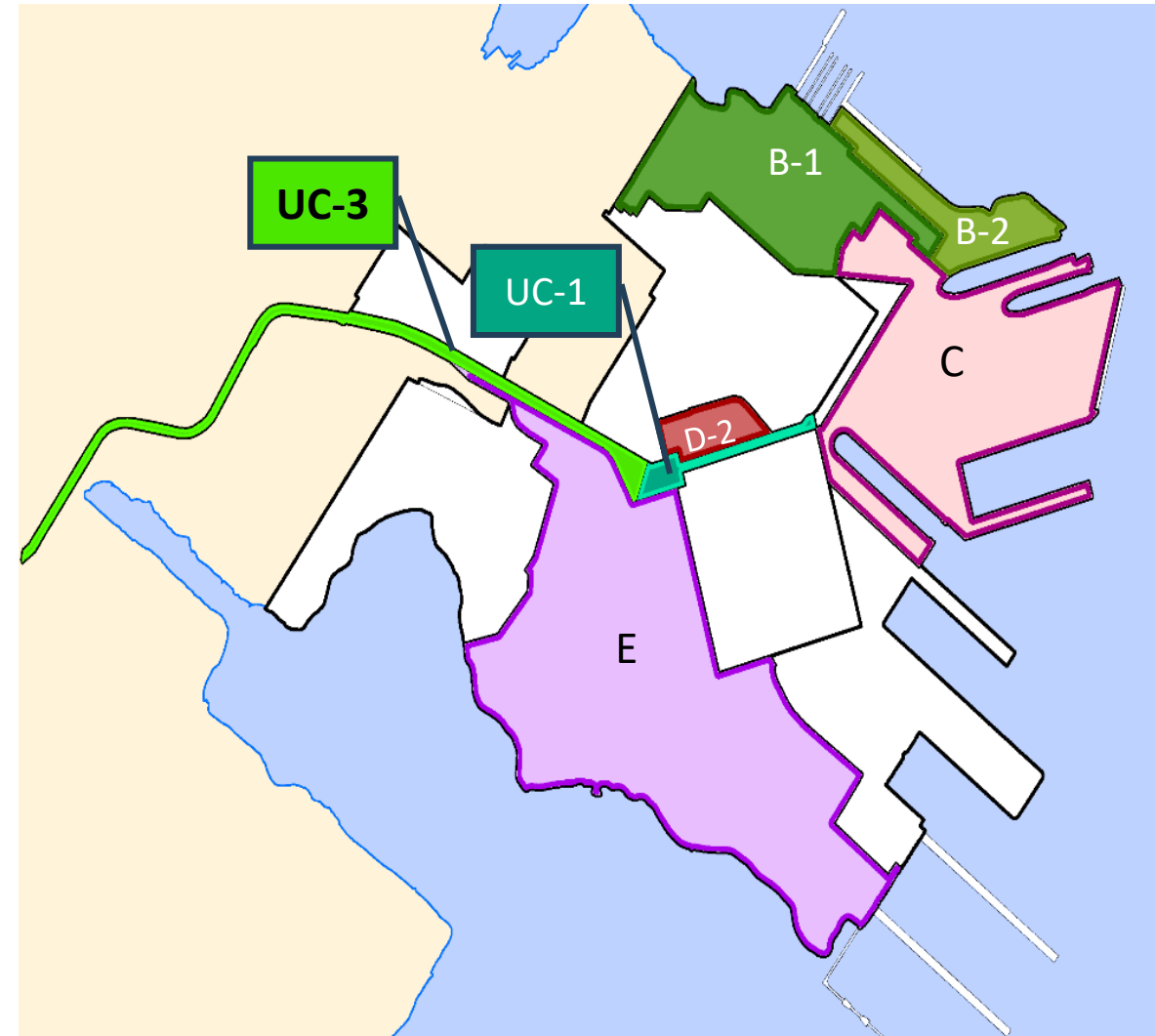
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# Laboratory Data Quality Review Summary Update

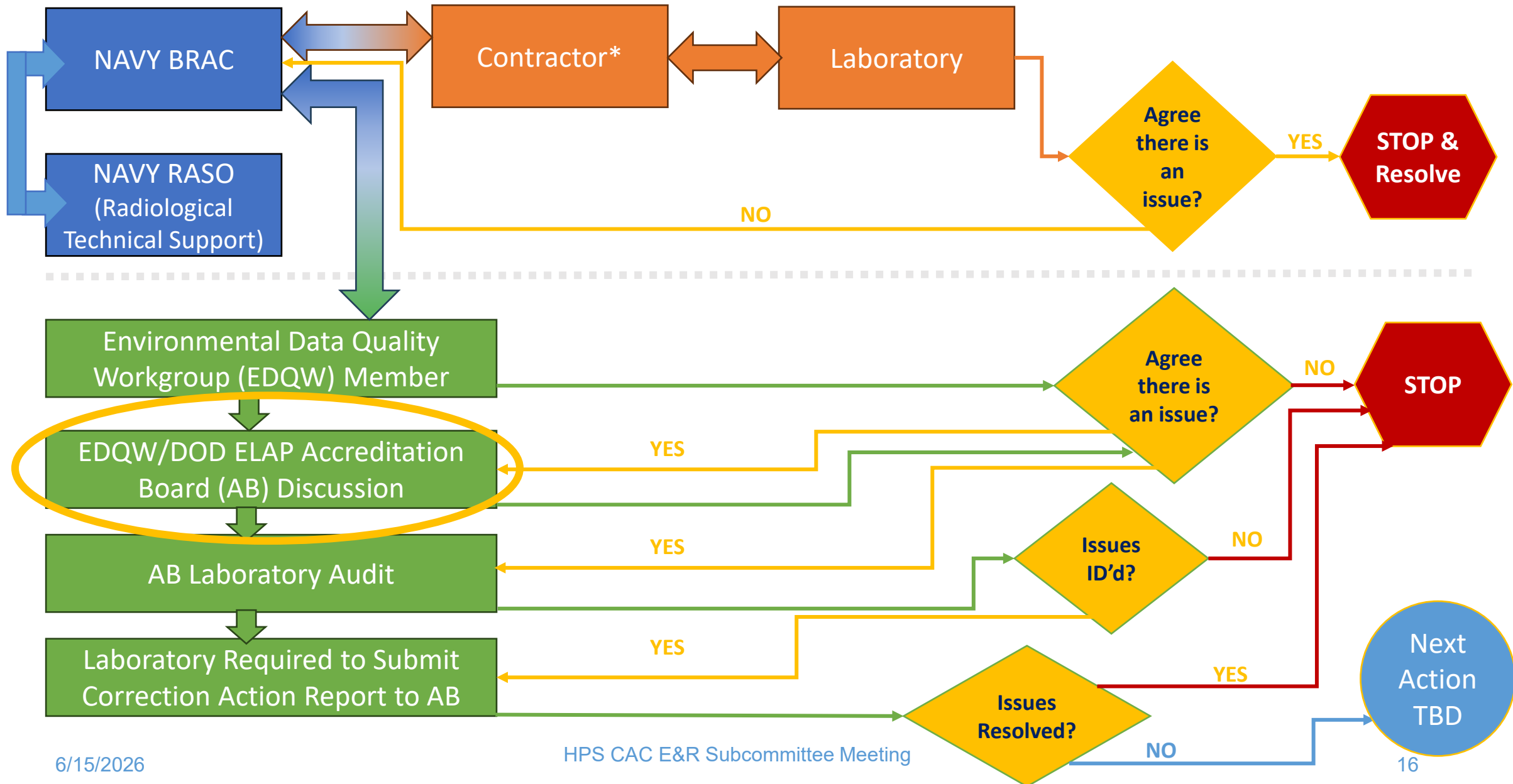
Category	Summary
Date Identified	March 18, 2026
Notifications Issued	Regulatory agencies notified on March 19, 2026; additional updates were provided to City agencies and congressional offices in April 2026
What Happened	Potential laboratory quality concerns identified during routine data validation review involving one laboratory used for HPNS sample analysis
Health or Environmental Concern	No risk to public health
Actions Taken	Regulatory agencies notified; data review initiated; soil samples being reanalyzed by different laboratory; independent laboratory evaluation initiated
Regulatory Oversight	EPA, DTSC, and SF Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board are involved in oversight and review
Next Steps	New analytical results will go through the data validation process and compared to the various projects' remedial goals to determine the next steps; determine the next steps from the independent evaluation of the laboratory

# Laboratory Data Review: Soil Samples Next Steps Status

- Review includes 732 of approximately 4,551 soil samples (16%) across multiple project areas
- An alternate laboratory is currently reanalyzing the affected samples (completion expected August 2026)

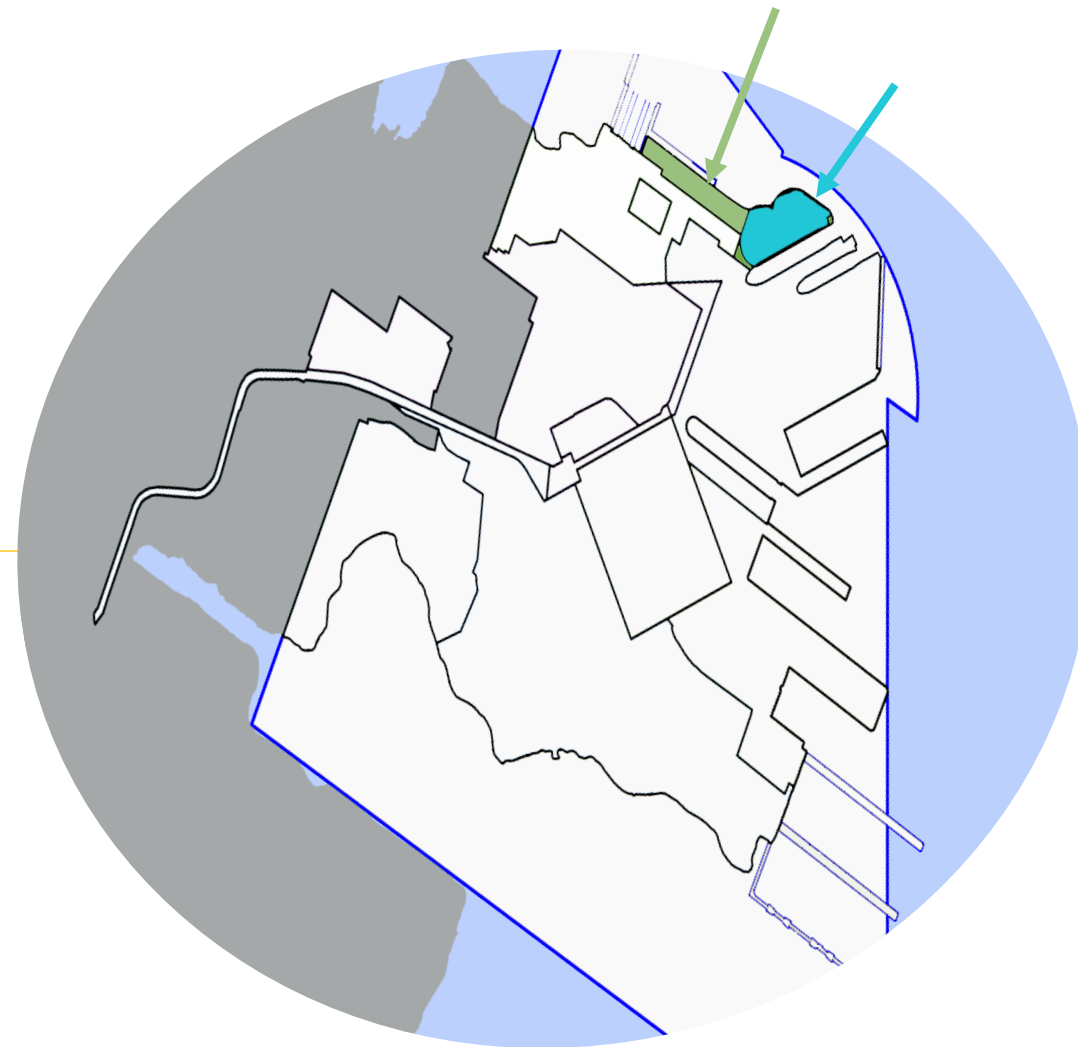


# Laboratory Data Review Process: Laboratory Evaluation



# Parcel B-2 IR Site 26 (IR-26)

## Groundwater Remediation



# Parcel B-2 IR-26 Overview

## What Happened

- Mercury from historic shipyard activities impacted soil and groundwater

## What We're Doing

- Stabilizing mercury in place using *Metafix*
- Metafix is a liquid treatment that reacts with mercury underground and locks it in place
- Reducing mercury in groundwater toward cleanup standards

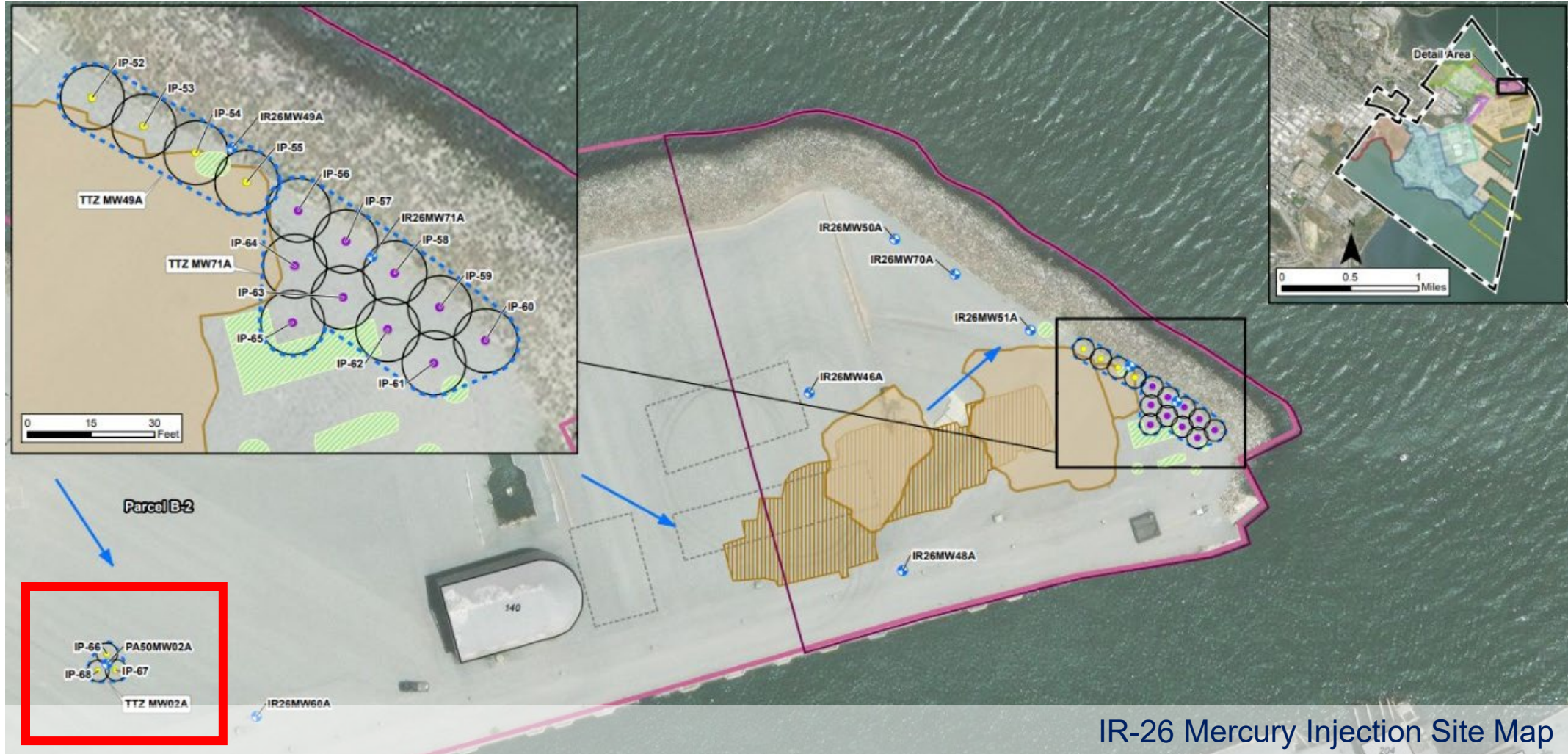
## Why It's Challenging

- Mercury sticks to soil and changes in different conditions
- Treatment must stabilize it without spreading or increasing toxicity



# Metafix at IR-26: Optimized Treatment Locations (July 2026 )

17 targeted injection locations near three groundwater monitoring wells



IR-26 Mercury Injection Site Map

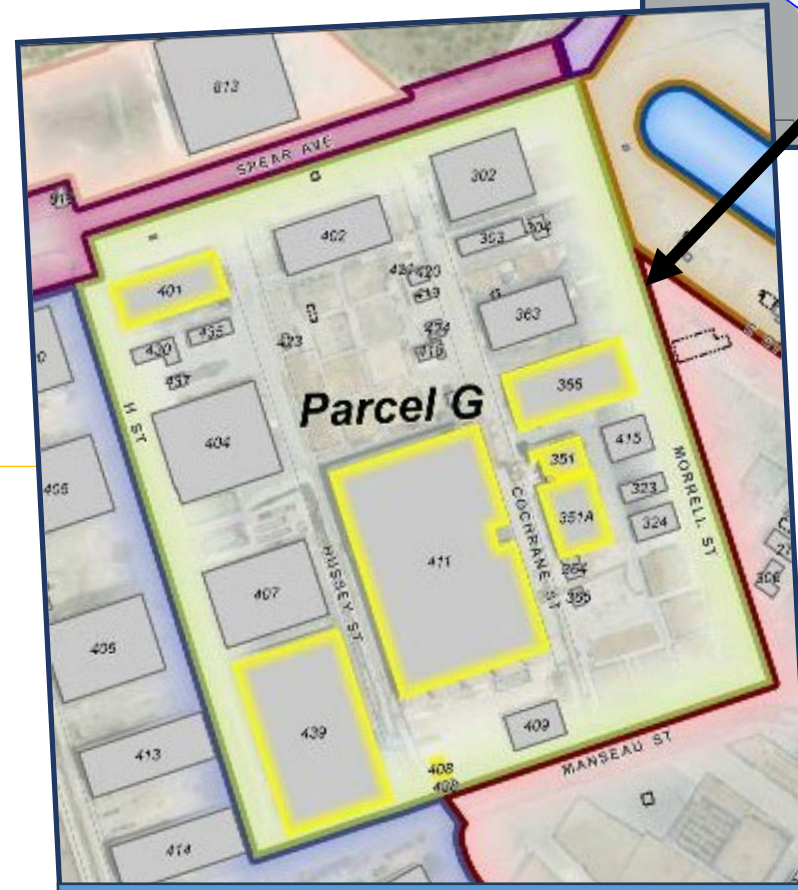
# Final Optimized *Metafix* Treatment Schedule at IR-26

Project updates provided to HPSCAC E&R Subcommittee, most recently in May 2025

<p><b>1996-1997, 2007, 2008</b> Excavations to bedrock</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Approximately 12,100 cubic yard of soil removed to clean bedrock</li></ul>	<p><b>2007-2008</b> Shoreline protection features</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Rock revetment and soil cover installed to prevent mercury migration toward the San Francisco Bay</li></ul>	<p><b>2007 - 2015</b> Groundwater studies, pilot tests</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Site studies conducted to evaluate mercury concentrations in groundwater and the effects of tides</li><li>• Pilot test of in-situ (in-place) <i>Metafix</i> treatment</li></ul>	<p><b>2016</b> Full-scale <i>Metafix</i> Treatment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Injections attempted at 52 locations</li><li>• 43 locations were successful</li><li>• 9 locations unable to be treated due to sub-surface blockage (e.g. cobble or concrete)</li></ul>	<p><b>2017 – present</b> Groundwater monitoring</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Results showed immediate downward trend for all successful injection sites</li><li>• Navy and agencies strategized ways to treat remaining sites</li></ul>	<p><b>2026</b> Final <i>Metafix</i> Injections and Groundwater Monitoring</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 17 injection locations around the 9 locations that could not be treated.</li><li>• Results will be confirmed by 2 years of groundwater monitoring</li><li>• Prepare Remedial Action Completion Report (2029)</li></ul>
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# Parcel G Building Demolition

## Fieldwork Update



Map of the six buildings that will be removed at Parcel G

# Parcel G Fieldwork Activities



## Materials Removal

- Hazardous materials removed before demolition activities
- Interior and exterior areas are abated
- Primer over abated areas encases any remaining hazards



## Systematic Deconstruction

- Buildings are evaluated for structure, materials, and contaminants
- Worker and community health and safety are a priority



## Debris Controls

- Water reduces airborne dust and contaminants
- Straw waddles are used to manage debris from activities

# Parcel G Monitoring & Material Management



## Debris Packaging

- Abated materials and building debris are double-bagged and staged before being loaded on trucks for disposal



## Truck Management

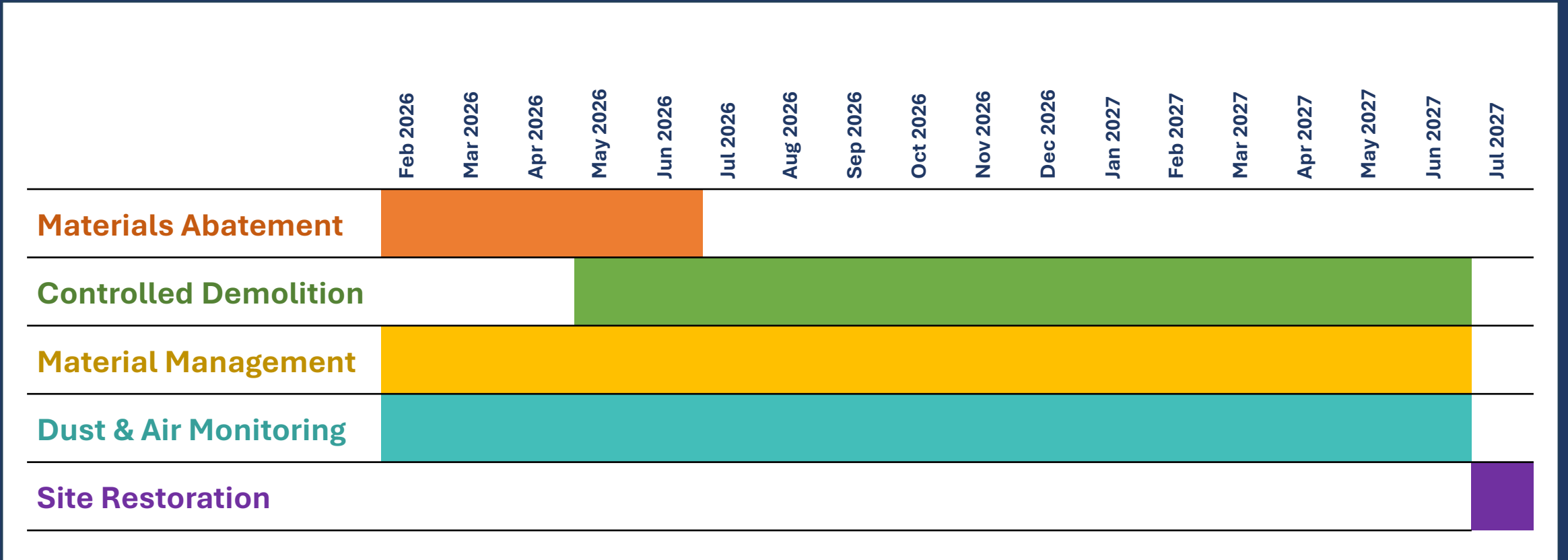
- Truck beds are covered with tarps
- Radiological portal monitors scan trucks before exiting Parcel G
- Routes are planned to limit exposure to residential areas



## Air Monitoring

- 3 upwind and 3 downwind monitors
- Real-time and analytical results reviewed
- Locations conferred with EPA

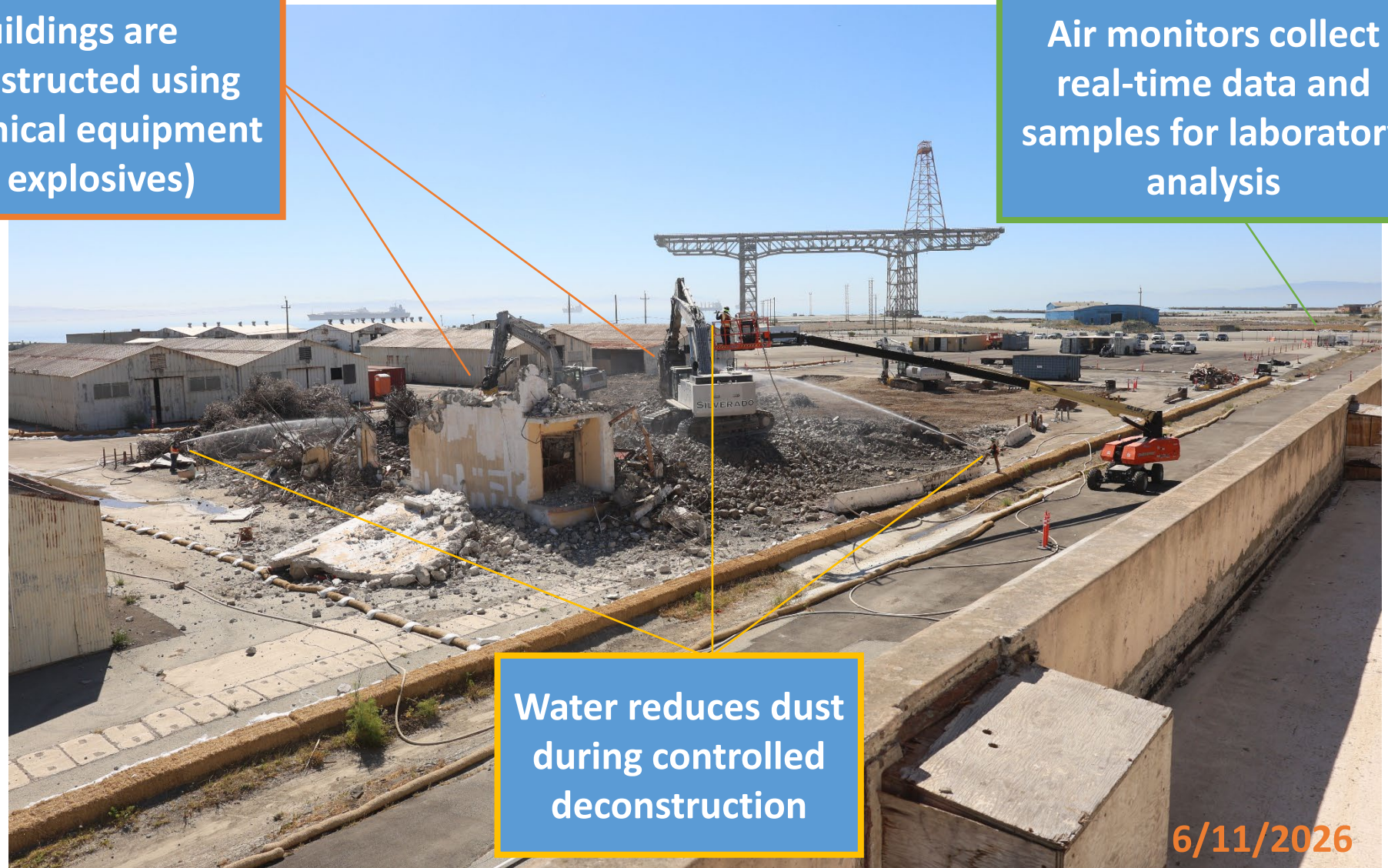
# Parcel G Demolition: Field Work Schedule



# Parcel G TO: Building 351 Field Work Progress

Buildings are deconstructed using mechanical equipment (no explosives)

Air monitors collect real-time data and samples for laboratory analysis



Water reduces dust during controlled deconstruction

6/11/2026

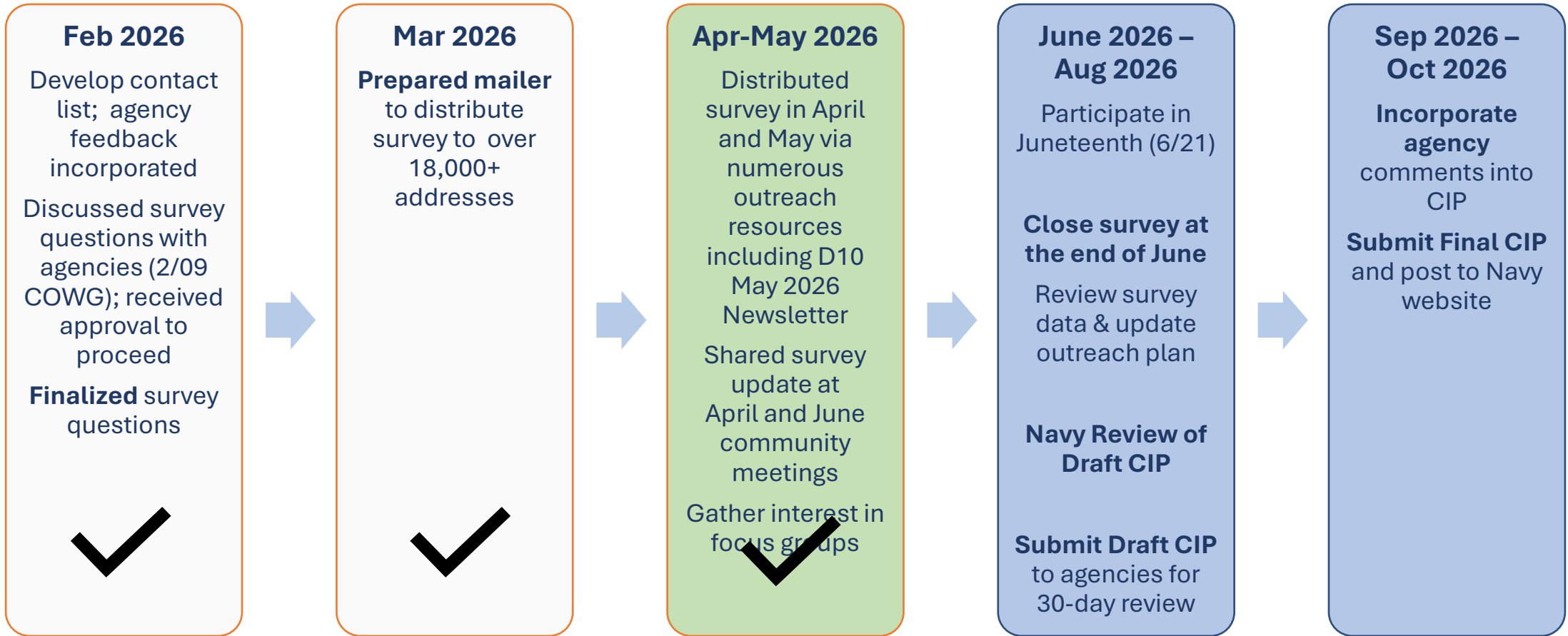
# HPNS Community Involvement Plan (CIP)

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## 2026 Update and Community Survey

# 2026 CIP Schedule Update

**We are here.  
Your input is being  
collected now.**



# Help improve how we share information about HPNS environmental cleanup with your community

Share Your Feedback



Scan the QR Code

– OR –

Copy and paste this link into your browser:

[https://www.research.net/r/ER\\_Jun2026](https://www.research.net/r/ER_Jun2026)

Participate in a Focus Group



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Copy and paste this link into your browser:

<https://unigo.de/mtAKIY>

# 2026 Upcoming Navy Outreach Events and Presentations

## SAVE THE DATES

*\*HPSCAC meetings pending Subcommittee Chair approval*

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### JUN

- 15 - HPS CAC E&R Meeting
- 21 - Booth at Bayview Juneteenth

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### SEP

- 17 - HPSCAC B&E Meeting
- 19 - Participation in Bayspark
- 28 - HPSCAC E&R Meeting

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### JUL

- 27 - HPSCAC E&R Meeting

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### OCT

- 17-18 - Booth at HPS Open Studios

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### NOV

- 16 - HPSCAC E&R Meeting



# Resources for More Information

## HPNS Program Management



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## Regulatory Agencies

### US Environmental Protection Agency

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### CA Dept. of Toxic Substances Control

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### San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board

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## Other Resources



**Community Technical Advisor**  
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### HPNS Online Documents



- <https://www.bracpmo.navy.mil/hpns>
- <https://administrative-records.navfac.navy.mil/?PN24V63WGTUM4VG4WO>

## HPNS Community Outreach

### Send an email or leave a message

- For program information
- To join the HPNS Mailing List
- To request language assistance



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