



Army Aviation Support Facility, Davenport, IA Site Inspection Iowa Army National Guard

Technical Project Planning (TPP) Meeting 1 & 2

Preliminary Assessments and Site Inspections (PA/SI) for Perfluorooctanesulfonic Acid (PFOS) and Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA) Impacted Sites

28 April 2020



Agenda

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- Davenport AASF SI Overview
- Stakeholder Involvement
- Questions and Open Discussion
 - Sample Location Refinement



Introductions

- ARNG-Installation and Environment Division (IED), Cleanup Branch
 - Major Pamela Hess, Toxic Release Program Manager
 - Bonnie Packer, Nationwide Project Manager
 - Mark Leeper, SI Project Manager
- United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)
 - Tim Peck, Program Manager
 - Steve Gragert, SI Project Manager
- Iowa Army National Guard (IAARNG)
 - Curtis L. Madsen, Environmental Program Manager
- Iowa Department of Natural Resources (IDNR)
 - Daniel Cook, Environmental Specialist Senior
- AECOM Technical Services, Inc.
 - Jake Wilhelm, SI Task Manager
 - Jady Harrington, SI Senior Lead



Safety Moment

- SI will follow USACE Engineering Manual (EM) 385-1-1 requirements:
 - Accident Prevention Plan addresses all component plans for EM 385-1-1, including Construction Support during drilling operations
 - Site Specific Health and Safety Plan addresses project participants, training, and hazard identification and mitigation
- Planning documents were prepared during SI Work Plan phase
- All Health and Safety documentation has been revised to incorporate COVID-19 updates and protective measures



TPP Meeting Goals

- TPP1:
 - Provide an overview of the ARNG PA/SI Program
 - Regulatory framework
 - Discuss PA Findings
 - Define objectives for SI data collection
 - Encourage stakeholder involvement
 - Review project schedule
 - Capture action items
- TPP2: Discuss proposed SI approach
- TPP3: Discuss SI findings
- Participants:
 - TPP1 and 2: ARNG, USACE, IDNR
 - TPP3: ARNG, USACE, IDNR, other local stakeholders



ARNG PA/SI Overview

Work Phases



Notes: *Current stage of activity

- Follows the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) Process
- An interim removal action can be conducted or a No Further Action determination can be made at any phase



ARNG PA/SI Overview

- Activities centrally contracted through USACE and managed by ARNG-IED
 - USACE Baltimore manages the contract, with technical project support from Louisville, Omaha, Seattle, and Sacramento Districts
 - Project support: chemistry, geology, risk screening
- PA ranking (~200 facilities) - state ARNG input
 - Likelihood of release
 - Complete pathway to drinking water receptor
- Priority assigned to facilities with highest likelihood of release near drinking water intake
- PA – facility-wide; SI – areas of interest (AOIs)



ARNG PA/SI Overview

- ARNG / IAARNG
 - Identify potential per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) release locations
 - Provide facility access and points of contact
 - Gather and provide appropriate documents
 - Identify/schedule personnel to interview
 - Supply final PA to the regulatory agencies
- SI Regulatory Involvement
 - CERCLA SI conducted in conjunction with the appropriate regulatory agency



Davenport AASF ARNG PA Results

- Potential PFAS Release Area: one (AOI 1 Wash Rack) identified during the PA
- PFAS releases attributed to two potential release pathways at Wash Rack:
 - Tri-Max fire extinguishers containing AFFF were emptied at wash rack prior to hydrostatic testing
 - Firetruck washing after training and nozzle testing at Peoria, IL airport



Davenport AASF ARNG PA Results



Legend

- Area of Interest
- Potential PFAS Release
- No Suspected Release
- Facility Boundary



Davenport AASF ARNG PA Results

AOI 1 Wash Rack





Davenport AASF

AOI 1 Wash Rack

- Fire Extinguishers
 - The AASF houses two TriMax-3™, two TriMax-30™, and one TriMax-60™ fire extinguishers inside the hangar
 - Every five years the TriMax™ units undergo hydrostatic testing
 - Prior to 1994, the wash rack emptied to an OWS, then to an adjacent ditch
 - Prior to turn in, fire extinguishers were emptied into the wash rack
 - Wash rack currently empties to sanitary sewer
- Firetruck
 - A firetruck equipped with AFFF and Purple K was housed at the AASF until the early 2000s
 - After fire training exercises off-site, the firetruck was washed at the wash rack
 - No information on type or volume of AFFF used or how frequent the fire training exercises occurred
 - Firetruck had a 1200-gallon tank



Davenport AASF

Potential Adjacent Sources

- Former AASF
 - Located due south of the current AASF
 - AASF moved to current location in 1974
- 1992 Air Show Aircraft Crash
 - IAARNG and City of Davenport responded to crash and an unknown amount of AFFF was dispensed at the crash site by IAARNG
 - Firetruck was washed at the wash rack after the incident
- 2012 Air Show Aircraft Crash
 - City of Davenport Fire Department responded; no information regarding the use of AFFF
- Davenport Municipal Airport Car Crash
 - Car caught on fire during crash
 - City of Davenport Fire Department responded; no information regarding the use of AFFF





SI Overview

Data Quality Objectives (DQOs)

- Primary SI DQOs
 - Confirm the presence/absence of a potential release
 - Gather data for conceptual site model (CSM):
Understanding of Source-Pathway-Receptor relationships required for establishing sampling strategy
- Extended SI DQOs
 - Determine the presence/absence at facility boundary
 - Check for alternate sources, up- or downgradient
 - Measure PFAS at/near receptor, if warranted



SI Overview

CSM – Surface Water Features

- Refer to SI QAPP Figure 10-3

Legend

- Facility Boundary
- Water Body
- Wetland
- River/Stream
- Surface Water Flow Direction





SI Overview

CSM – Groundwater Features

- Groundwater flow direction is inferred
- Sample locations will be surveyed during the SI to determine flow direction
- Refer to SI QAPP Figure 10-2



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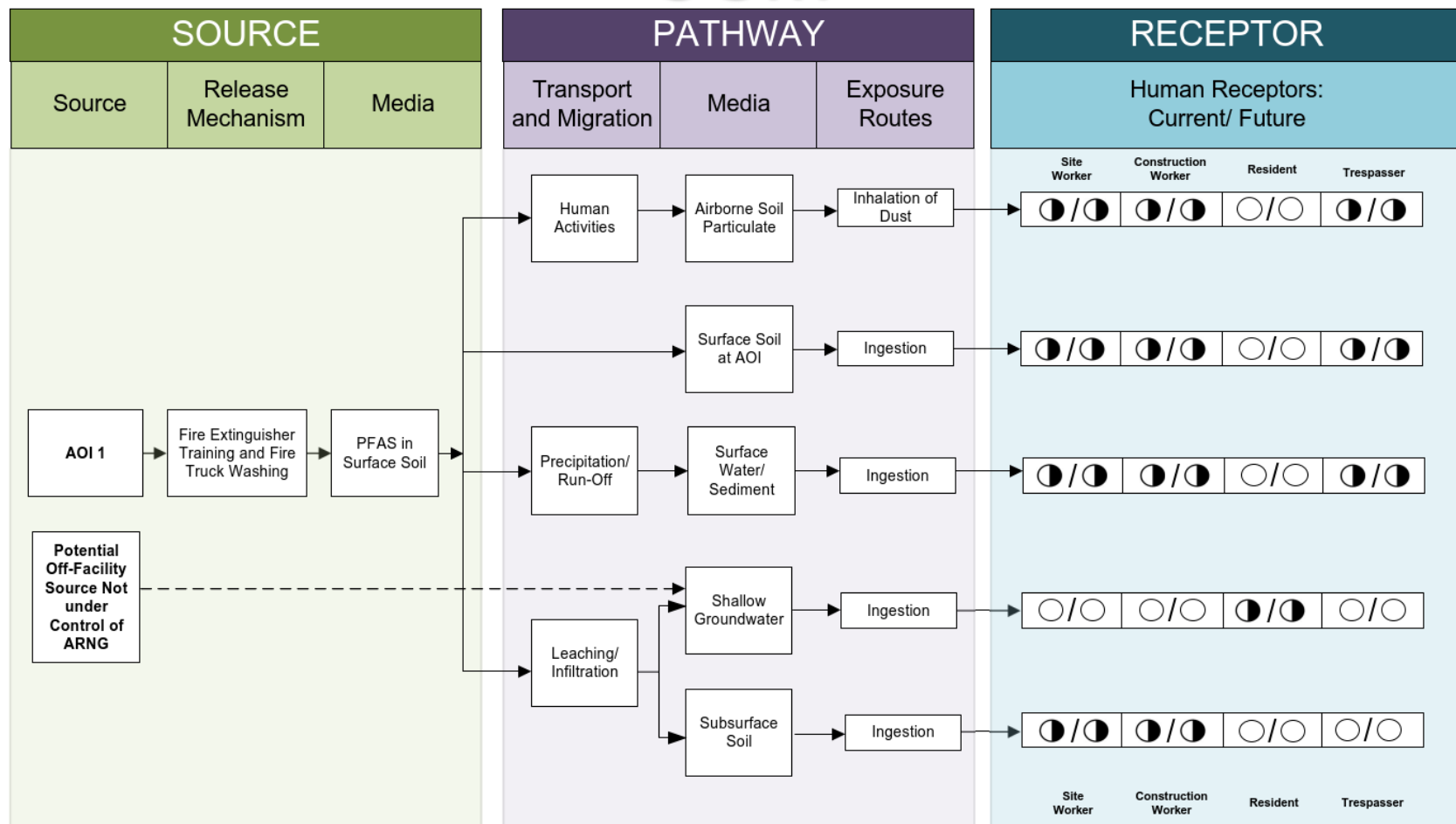
- Facility Boundary
- Water Body
- River/Stream
- Inferred Groundwater Flow Direction

Wells

- Domestic
- Commercial
- Municipal/Public Water Supply
- Unknown/Private



SI Overview CSM



Note:
1. The residential receptor refers to an off-facility receptor.

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SI Overview

Planning and Sampling

- Finalize Uniform Federal Policy-Quality Assurance Project Plan (UFP-QAPP) Addendum
 - Draft Final submitted on 27 March 2020
 - Final to be submitted following the TPP 1&2 meeting
- Continuous soil cores to target depth
 - Soil samples collected at surface, mid point, above water table for new temporary well locations
- Collect a groundwater sample from each temporary well



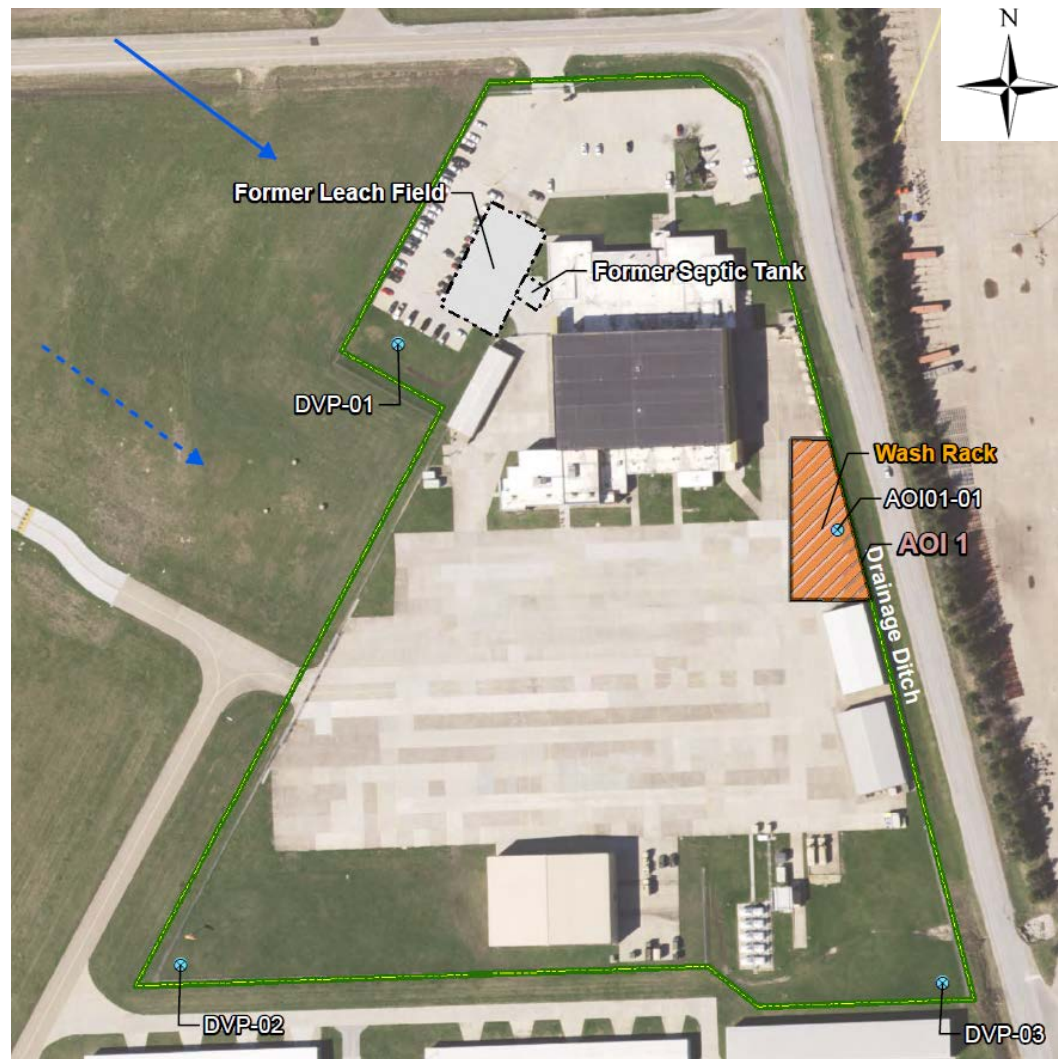
SI Overview

Proposed Sampling Locations

- Groundwater collected from 4 locations (4 samples)
- Surface and subsurface soil collected from 4 locations (12 samples)

Legend

- ⊗ Soil Boring/DPT Temporary Monitoring Well
- Area of Interest
- ▨ Potential PFAS Release
- ▤ No Suspected Release
- ▭ Facility Boundary
- Surface Water Flow Direction
- -> Inferred Groundwater Flow Direction





SI Overview

AOI	Potential Source Area	Total DPT Boring Locations	Proposed Sampling Locations	Approximate Depth (feet bgs)	Soil Samples	Groundwater Samples
1	Wash Rack	1	AOI01-01	10-15 for DPT	3	1
Upgradient	Off-Facility	2	DVP-01 DVP-02	10-15 for DPT	6	2
Downgradient	On-Facility	1	DVP-03	10-15 for DPT	3	1



SI Overview

Analytical Parameters

Perfluorooctanesulfonic acid (PFOS)	Perfluoroheptanoic acid (PFHpA)
Perfluorohexanesulfonic acid (PFHxS)	Perfluorononanoic acid (PFNA)
Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA)	Perfluorobutanesulfonic acid (PFBS)
Perfluorobutanoic acid (PFBA)	Perfluoropentanoic acid (PFPA)
N-ethyl perfluorooctanesulfonamidoacetic acid (NEtFOSAA)	N-methyl perfluorooctanesulfonamidoacetic acid (NMeFOSAA)
Perfluorodecanoic acid (PFDA)	Perfluorotetradecanoic acid (PFTA)
Perfluorododecanoic acid (PFDoA)	Perfluorohexanoic acid (PFHxA)
Perfluorotridecanoic acid (PFTrDA)	Perfluoroundecanoic acid (PFUnA)
6:2 Fluorotelomer sulfonate (6:2 FTS)	8:2 Fluorotelomer sulfonate (8:2 FTS)

- Analysis completed by ELAP/NELAP-certified laboratory
- All data will undergo Level III data validation



Stakeholder Involvement

- Use TPPs and open communication to encourage stakeholder involvement
- Key involvement topics
 - Proposed approaches
 - Document review time for IDNR, IAARNG and other stakeholders
- Schedule:
 - UFP-QAPP: Final in May 2020
 - Field Investigation: June 2020



Questions and Open Discussion

- Coordination
 - Data transfer
 - Report distribution (paper, electronic, portable document format)
 - Stakeholder relations
- Schedule
- PA findings
- Utility mark-out and clearance procedures
- IDW handling
 - Same as Camp Dodge
 - Return IDW to within 10 feet of sample location (downgradient)



Sample Location Refinement

- Confirm placement is accessible and will meet DQOs during utility locate
- Confirm any existing monitoring well locations
- Relocate, if needed, with ARNG, IAARNG, and IDNR concurrence



Acronyms

- AASF – Army Aviation Support Facility
- AOI – areas of interest
- ARNG – Army National Guard
- bgs – below ground surface
- CERCLA – Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
- CSM – Conceptual Site Model
- DPT – direct-push technology
- DQO – Data Quality Objective
- EM – Engineering Manual
- IA – Iowa
- IAARNG – Iowa Army National Guard
- IDNR – Iowa Department of Natural Resources
- IDW – investigation derived waste
- IED – Installation and Environment Division
- OWS – oil/water separator
- PA – Preliminary Assessment
- PFAS – Per- and Polyfluorinated Alkyl Substances
- PFOS – Perfluorooctanesulfonic Acid
- PFOA – Perfluorooctanoic Acid
- SI – Site Inspection
- TPP – Technical Project Planning
- UFP-QAPP – Uniform Federal Policy-Quality Assurance Project Plan
- USACE – United States Army Corps of Engineers