



HUNTERS POINT NAVAL SHIPYARD UPDATES

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Our Strategy

We are taking a comprehensive approach to affirming our commitment to improve health outcomes and center community voice in Bayview Hunters Point.



COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP

Forge stronger ties with the community to build new partnerships, develop community trust, and listen to concerns.



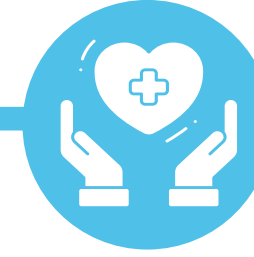
COMMUNICATION

Improve and increase communication with the community to give access to more information and share knowledge.



INTER-AGENCY ENGAGEMENT

Strengthen intentional inter-agency engagement between the City, Navy, and regulatory agencies.



EQUITABLE HEALTH

Resource community with tools and supports to improve health and reduce health disparities.



Community Partnership and Outreach Activities

April 5: Community Listening Session

Met with residents of Hunters View Phase 1, an affordable housing community near the Shipyard, and All Things Bayview, a Bayview-based community group.



April 22: Climate Resilience Workshop

Discussed DPH's role in climate resilience and listened to community comments on the Navy's Climate Resilience Assessment.

April 28: DPH Community Stakeholder Meeting #1

Toured Dr. Ahimsa Porter Sumchai's Hunters Point Biomonitoring Foundation office and met with community stakeholders.



July 9: DPH Community Stakeholder Meeting #2

Hosted Dr. Sumchai and staff from Marie Harrison Community Foundation and SF Department at DPH to discuss opportunities for advocacy and partnership.



Shipyard Communications

- The DPH website was updated to provide increased information about the status of the cleanup at each parcel of the Shipyard.
- The DPH website provides the public with a resource to stay informed about the progress of the cleanup and an additional source to access informational materials, such as the Navy's fact sheets.
- The website is updated quarterly so the information provided is timely and relevant.

The screenshot shows the top of the SF.GOV website. At the top right, there are language options: English, Español, 中文, and Filipino. Below that is the SF.GOV logo and a search bar. The main heading is "Current Cleanup Efforts at Hunters Point Naval Shipyard". Below the heading is a large image of the shipyard at sunset, with a text box on the right that reads: "Learn more about the U.S. Navy's efforts to make the Hunters Point Naval Shipyard a cleaner and healthier place for residents and the environment. The U.S. Navy is working to remove and contain toxic materials that were left by historical industrial and radiological activities on the site." Below this is a section titled "Parcel Overview" with three columns. Each column has a small image and a text box. The first column is "Parcel A" with a photo of a modern residential building and a green lawn. The second is "Former Parcel B" with a photo of an industrial building. The third is "Former Parcel C" with a photo of a large industrial structure.

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Current Cleanup Efforts at Hunters Point Naval Shipyard

Learn more about the U.S. Navy's efforts to make the Hunters Point Naval Shipyard a cleaner and healthier place for residents and the environment. The U.S. Navy is working to remove and contain toxic materials that were left by historical industrial and radiological activities on the site.

Parcel Overview

Parcel A
(Parcels A-1 and A-2)
Parcel A, historically used for residential and administrative purposes by the Navy, was transferred to the City in 2004.

Former Parcel B
(IR Site 07/16, Parcels B-1 and B-2)
Former Parcel B was part of the industrial support areas at the Shipyard, and was used for shipping, ship repair, training, barracks, and offices.

Former Parcel C
(Parcels C and UC-2)
Former Parcel C, the oldest part of the Shipyard, was used almost exclusively for industrial purposes since the late 1800s. The area was utilized for shipping, ship repair, office, and commercial activities.



Five-Year Review Report

- The Five-Year Review (FYR) is a five-year evaluation of the cleanup activities the Shipyard required by Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA). This is the Navy's fifth FYR for the Shipyard.
- The report evaluates if cleanup solutions protect, or will protect, human health and the environment.
- On November 17, 2023, the Navy issued its Draft Fifth Five Year Review Report and on July 31, 2024, the final report was issued with responses to public comment.
- The FYR process allows for public comments and review by regulatory agencies.



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Final

Fifth Five-Year Review Report

Hunters Point Naval Shipyard
San Francisco, California

July 2024

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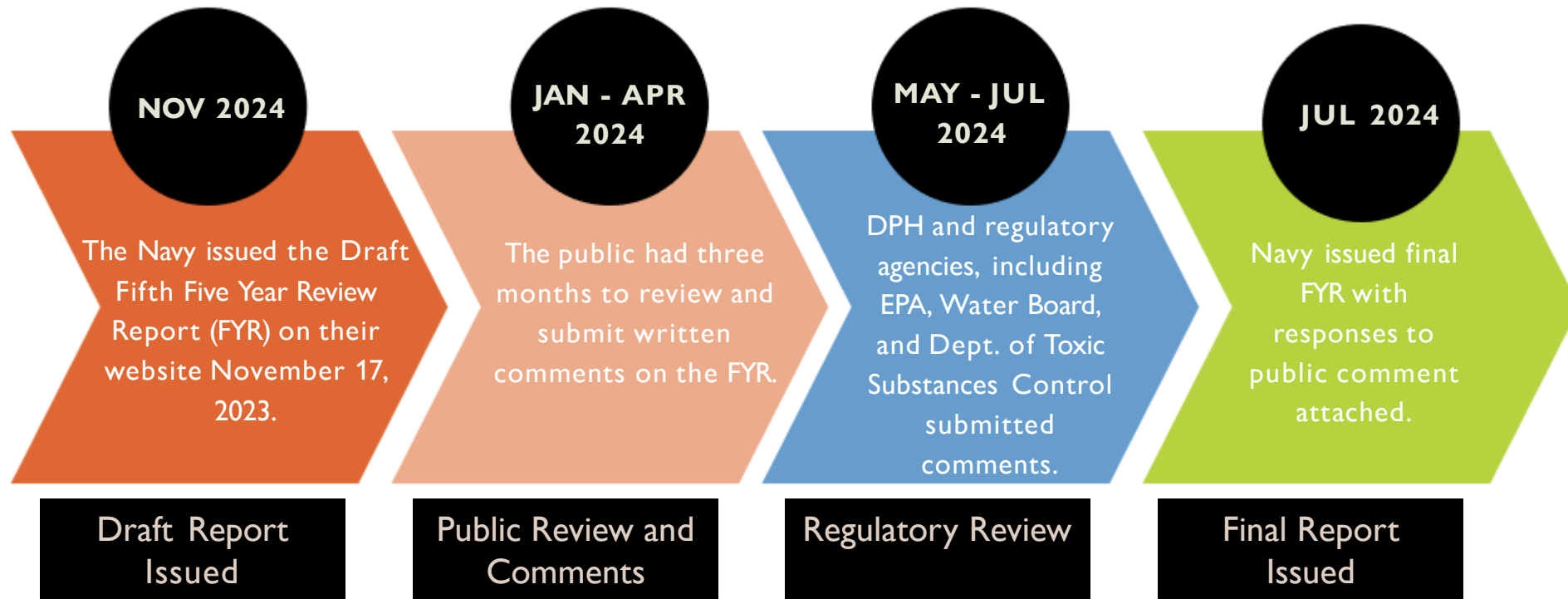
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Five-Year Review Process



FYR Community Engagement

APR 2024

Navy hosted interactive Climate Resilience Assessment Workshop where stakeholder agencies presented posters to the public.

JUN 2024

Navy discussed FYR public comments at Shipyard Citizens Advisory Committee meeting.

DPH Involvement in Five-Year Review Process

- DPH submitted three technical comment letters on Five-Year Review (FYR) including:
 1. **April 12, 2024** –Preliminary comments on the Climate Resilience Assessment, Appendix A of the Draft Fifth Five Year Review Report
 2. **May 14, 2024** –Comments on the Draft Fifth Five-Year Review Report
 3. **July 18, 2024** –Comments on the Draft Final Fifth Five-Year Review Report
- DPH furthered efforts to get public comments on the FYR by publicizing the draft on its communication channels.
- DPH drafted a poster for the Climate Resilience Workshop and participated in dialogue with the public about its role in supporting public and environmental health from the impacts of climate change.



Photo of DPH and Office of Community Investment and Infrastructure (OCII) staff and community members at Climate Resilience Workshop on April 22, 2024.





DPH Climate Resilience Workshop Poster

San Francisco Department of Public Health

Climate Resilience and Sea Level Rise Adaptation


We are committed to investing in the Bayview-Hunters Point community to address the immediate and long-term health effects of climate change and sea level rise.





Community Partnership

Protecting and promoting health and well-being for all in San Francisco



Advocate


We seek to advocate for the health and well-being of all who live and work in Bayview-Hunters Point.

Uplift

We seek to uplift community voices and promote residents' health and well-being during the cleanup process.


Gather Experts

We gather local subject matter experts to track the cleanup and progress with community members.




Equitable Health


Implementing unique, protective health standards to promote environmental and human health at the Shipyard.




Agencies overseeing the cleanup at the Shipyard must approve the cleanup



Navy plans to transfer the parcels to the City of San Francisco



SFDPH implements stringent regulations via Health Code Article 31- to promote the health of people in the Shipyard area



Communication

Advocating for Effective Communication and Health Equity in Bayview


A New Website!

A new hub on SF.gov to share our efforts to improve health outcomes in the Bayview Hunters Point community.

The website shares info on community outreach, health services, and food support.

Timely Media Updates

We plan to share urgent updates via social media and clearly written public statements



Engagement

Building meaningful partnerships to address impacts from climate change, sea level rise, and groundwater rise

Climate Resilience Work

SFDPH Climate Health Program

Heat and Air Quality Resilience Plan

Sea Level Rise & Flood Hazards Coordinating Committee


Hunters Point Shipyard Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC)

Bayview Hunters Point/Southeast Community Emissions Reduction Plan (AB517)

Provide Formal Comments to the 5th Five Year Review, including the Climate Resilience Assessment

SFDPH Climate Resilience and Environmental Justice (CREJ) Coordination Group

Scan to visit Health Equity in the Bayview-Hunters Point Community website.



DPH Priority Areas for Five-Year Review



Improve Communication with Community

DPH advocates on behalf of community members for the Navy to increase the clarity and accessibility of their communication with the public.



Amplify Studies on the Risks Posed by Climate Change

Given the findings in the Five-Year Review that groundwater level rise and sea level rise may impact the Shipyard by 2035, DPH calls for timely investigation of the impact of climate change on cleanup remedies.



Address Concerns about Movement of Toxic Substances

DPH supports greater transparency and communication to address public concerns about toxic substances migrating away from the Shipyard over time.



Inter-agency Engagement Updates



Quarterly DPH-EPA Meetings

Beginning in May 2024, DPH and Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) meet quarterly to share information and collaborate on regulatory concerns.



Inter-agency Communications Call

DPH, Navy, and regulators meet monthly to discuss public correspondence; community meetings and events; and strategies for effective communication with the public.



Community Outreach Working Group

DPH, Navy, and regulators meet monthly to coordinate efforts to engage and support community members, including brainstorming strategies for increasing the Navy's community involvement plans.



Upcoming Events and Activities

MARIE HARRISON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION PRESENTS

BAYSPARK 2024

FREE!

IGNITING YOUTH ACTION FOR CLIMATE & ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

STEM ACTIVITIES
WORKSHOPS
SPEAKERS
YOUTH SOLUTIONS SHOWCASE
TALENT SHOWCASE
FREE - LUNCH PROVIDED

JOIN US SATURDAY SEP 28TH 10AM - 3PM

PLEASE JOIN US SEP 28TH, 2024 FOR AN EXCITING EVENT THAT WILL EMPOWER YOUNG PEOPLE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE FIGHT AGAINST CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL INJUSTICE. BAYSPARK 2024 IS A GATHERING OF PASSIONATE INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE READY TO TAKE ACTION AND CREATE POSITIVE CHANGE IN OUR WORLD!

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1550 EVANS AVENUE, SAN FRANCISCO, CA
RSVP + VOLUNTEER HERE!

REGISTER - WWW.BAYSPARK2024.EVENTBRITE.COM

- On September 28, 2024, DPH is co-sponsoring BaySpark 2024, which is a Youth Climate and Environmental Justice Summit hosted by the Marie Harrison Community Foundation.
- In September 2024, DPH will submit comments to the Navy's Community Involvement Plan.
- In October 2024, DPH will present on its environmental health efforts to the Bayview Alliance.





THANK YOU!



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