# UXO FORUM WAIKOLOA MANUEVER AREA

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#### **FUDS PROGRAM**

**Goal.** "To reduce, in a timely and cost effective manner, the risk to human health and the environment resulting from past Department of Defense activities at formerly used DoD properties."

**Definition.** A real property formerly owned/leased/possessed by, and under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of Defense within the 50 states, territories, commonwealths, and possessions over which the U. S. has jurisdiction.





#### **DERP/FUDS**

- The Formerly Used Defense Sites (FUDS) Program cleans up environmental contamination at properties that have been under the jurisdiction of the Secretary and formerly owned, leased, possessed, or used by the military services (Army, Navy, Air Force, or other Defense agencies) and transferred from DoD control prior to October 17, 1986.
- The Army oversees the program for DoD and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers manages the cleanup at these properties.
- The program is executed in accordance with Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA)
- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers does not have ownership of FUDS property
- We do not certify that the property is clean

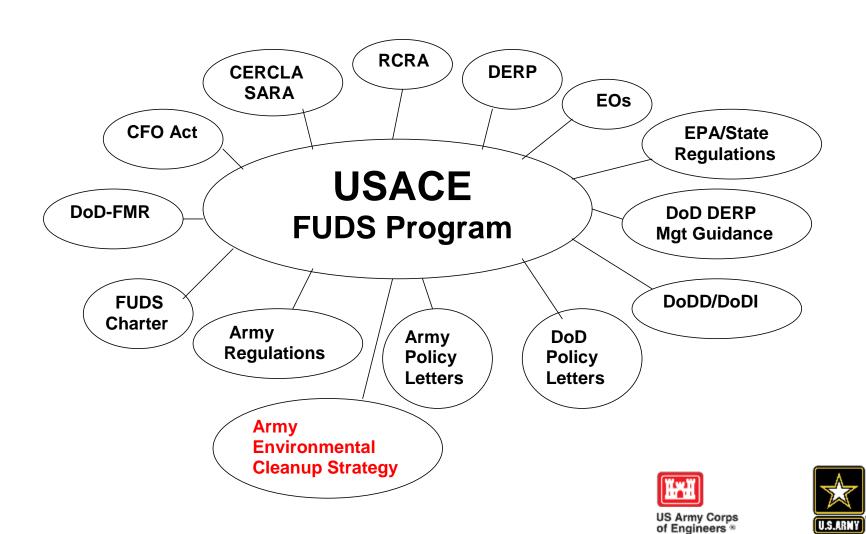


#### **FUDS** is a Different Animal

- The FUDS Program is not the EPA Superfund Program
- The FUDS Program cleans up only DoD generated pollution which occurred before transfer of property to private owners, or federal, state or local government owners
- The Department of Defense does not own the property that FUDS is cleaning up
- We do not certify that the property is clean
- We rarely have a project office on site
- We work hand in hand with current property owners and regulators on cleanup efforts

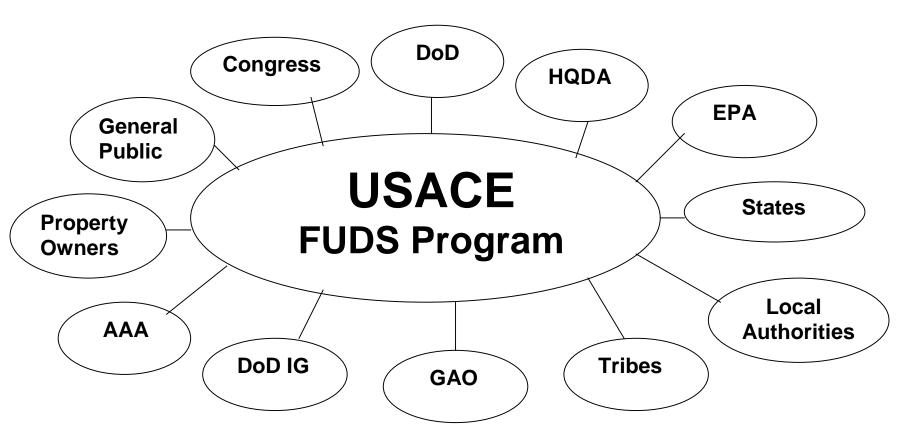


#### MANY REGULATIONS AND POLICIES **GOVERN FUDS**



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## FUDS STAKEHOLDERS FUDS SERVES MANY MASTERS



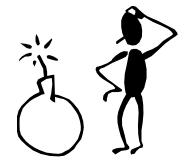




#### **DERP-FUDS MISSIONS**



Identification, Investigation, and Cleanup of Hazardous Toxic and Radioactive Waste (HTRW)



 Correction of other Environmental Damage - Military Munitions Response Program (MMRP)



**Building Demolition and Debris Removal (BD/DR)** 

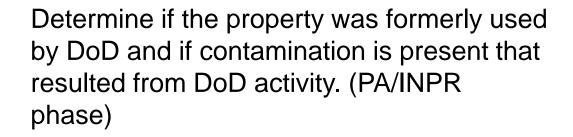




# FORMERLY USED DEFENSE SITE

The FUDS Program uses a three-phased process:





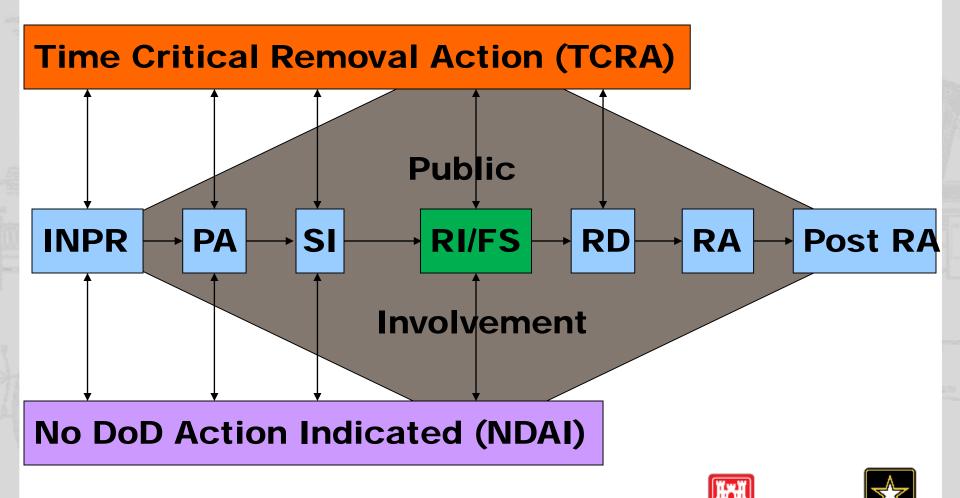


Conduct an investigation to determine the nature and extent of the contamination. (RI/FS, PP, and DD)



Clean up the property to reduce risk to human health and the environment and timprove public safety.

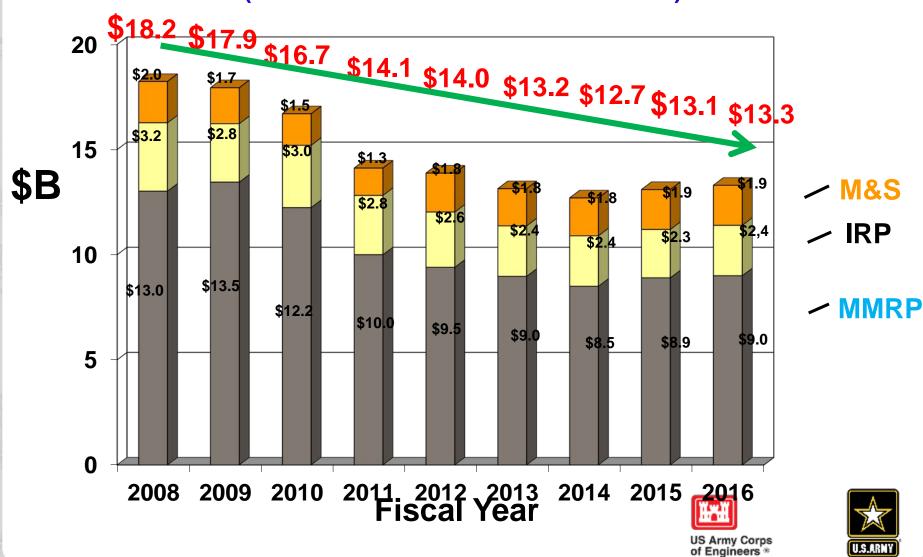
### **CERCLA Process Flow**



## **FUDS Program**

(FY\* and Beyond)

(IRP = HTRW + CON/HTRW + BD/DR)



#### **DERP-FUDS** in the Pacific

#### **DERP Funding**

POH cost to complete for FUDS from FY2016 and beyond is \$1.3 billion with about 101 projects needing response

POH program goes to year 2115

FUDS program is under-funded to meet current commitments and stakeholder expectations





#### **POH FUDS in the Pacific**

#### **Honolulu District**

American Samoa

**CNMI** 

Guam

State of Hawaii

Republic of Palau\*

31 properties

32 properties

48 properties

380 properties

14 properties

**Total** 

**505 Properties** 

\*prior to Oct. 1, 1994





#### POH FUDS PROGRAM

505 FUDS Properties in the Honolulu District 116 properties require action

 Guam, CNMI, American Samoa, Republic of Palau\*, and Hawaii

Cost to complete is approx \$1.3B

Annual funding averaged about \$16M/yr

- FY11 plus up \$23.3M
- FY12 plus up \$10.7M
- FY13 plus up \$6.8M
- FY14 plus up \$9.6M
- FY15 plus up \$21.9M
- FY16 no plus up
- FY17 \$12.3 M plus up ??





<sup>\*</sup>FUDS no longer eligible in Palau since 1994

#### **POH FUDS in the Pacific**

#### **DERP- FUDS progress**

101 projects underway or future action

#### **Categories of Projects Remaining**

BD/DR 11 projects

CON/HTRW 3 projects

HTRW 8 projects

MMRP 79 projects





## FUDS FUTURE COSTS TO COMPLETE POH (2016- 2115)

### **Project Categories**

BD/DR	\$ 2,967,200
CON/HTRW	\$ 6,474,400
HTRW	\$ 20,733,700
MMRP	\$ 1,303,550,200





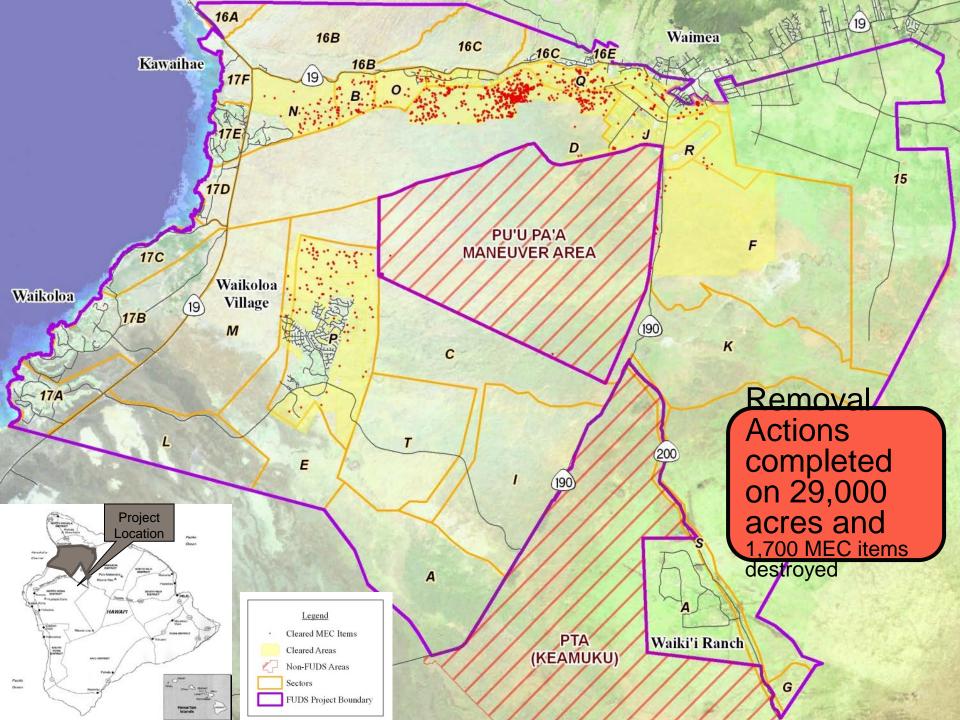
#### WAIKOLOA MANEUVER AREA

- The U.S. Navy acquired use of the area in 1943 for use as a military training camp and artillery range
- The training camp was used by 50,000 troops from 1943 to 1945
  - Over 100 different types of munitions used
- Covers most of the District of South Kohala (~100,000 acres)
- Two Previous clean-up activities
  - > The first in 1946
  - > A second in 1954
- Over the years Munitions and Explosive of Concern (MEC) contamination has resulted in three deaths and five serious injuries









## TYPES OF MUNITIONS AND EXPLOSIVES OF CONCERN FOUND



Grenades / 520' Small Arms / NA Japanese Ordnance / 1,500'







#### WAIKOLOA MANEUVER AREA (WMA)

- Expenditure to Date \$217.7M
- Funding for the next 5 Years

FY 17 - \$10.1M

FY 18 - \$7.4M

FY 19 - \$7.7M

FY 20 - \$15.0M

FY 21 - \$10.1M

- Cost to complete \$793M
- Project size 101,055 acres









#### **ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

Acres completed to date

- 29,000 acres

Acres to be done

- 71,000 acres

Cost per acre - \$7,501 per acre





#### **INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGIES**

#### **Metal Mapper/TEMTADS**

- Maneuver Area (Metal Mapper and TEMTADS)

#### **MPV (Man Portable Vector)**

- Waikoloa Maneuver Area

#### PDM8

- To be used





#### **METAL MAPPER**



#### **MPV**



#### PDM8 TOOL

- Parsons Digital Mapper Model 8 (PDM8)
- Only requires a single operator
- Combines portability, geologic insensitivity, and permanent mapping in one hand-held tool
- Has been tested under very difficult conditions and delivers high quality performance and data
- Accepted by stakeholders for project currently being executed
- Reduced field time







## **SURVEY**







### **SWEEP**







## **INVESTIGATION**







## **DISPOSAL OPERATIONS**







## **SANDBAG MITIGATION**







## **155MM DISPOSAL**







#### **CHALLENGES**

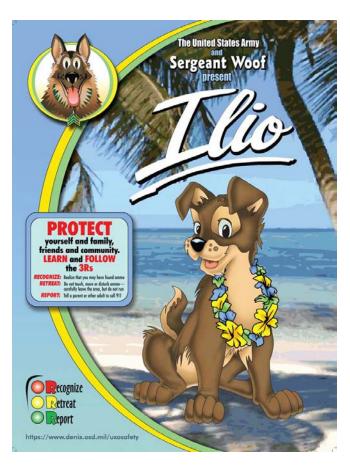
- Limited funding and many sites
- ROEs not easy to obtain
- Competition for funding
- Anxious regulators and community
- Many MMRP sites and funding is limited





#### Follow the 3Rs





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- ➤ If you see or come upon something that may be MEC:
  - Do not go near it
  - Do not touch, move or disturb it
- Carefully leave the area by the same path
- Be safe, if you do not know what it is, do not touch it

around









- Report what you saw and where you saw it to:
  - The police or local law enforcement
- Local authorities will clear the area.
- Specially trained personnel will dispose of the item.







# IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER

#### 3R's of Explosive Safety

- Recognize
- Retreat
- Report

#### Right-of-Entry

 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers does not have ownership of FUDS property

Investigation and Clean Up processes vary by situation

Technology is effective but guarantees are not possible





## **Questions or Comments**

