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Red Hill Bulk Fuel Storage Facility Update HONOLULU CITY COUNCIL



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Secondary Containment

Navy/DLA are committed to finding a secondary containment solution

The technology doesn't exist today that would allow Red Hill tanks to be double-walled in a practicable manner. We are absolutely committed to finding a way to provide secondary containment or we will remove the fuel from Red Hill ~ 2045.



TUA Decision Layers of Protection

PREVENTION

- 1. Improving Tank Inspection Repair and Maintenance **Program continuously**
- 2. Recoating tank interior steel liners to prevent corrosion as 6. Upgraded procedures for returning tanks to service specified by coating specialist
- 3. Decommissioning nozzles (piping at bottom of tank) to reduce risk
- 4. Enhanced contractor qualification process to improve tank inspection and repairs

- 5. Updated processes and procedures for inspection, testing, quality control, quality assurance
- 7. Revised and standardized operator training

DETECTION

- 1. Conducting continuous (versus monthly) soil vapor monitoring
- 2. Conducting daily visual inspection of pipeline
- 3. Conducting manual fuel inventory trend analysis
- 4. Installing permanent enhanced release detection system in each tank

- 5. Increased tank tightness testing from annual to semiannual, twice the state requirement
- 6. Improved fuel inventory monitoring using automated fuel handling equipment
- 7. Increased groundwater monitoring wells from eight to 15 since 2014; add eight more by 2021

MITIGATION

1. Determining feasibility for potential construction of water 2. Improving release response procedures continuously treatment plant



Navy/Industry/Academia Collaboration







Summary



- Water is safe to drink
 - Tanks continue to pass semi-annual tank tightness tests
 - AOC is working
 - Navy/DLA is held accountable to EPA and the State of Hawaii
 - DoD invested \$162 million in the last 5 years to modernize the facility and protect the environment
 - DoD anticipates investing a quarter billion dollars in the next 5 years
 - DoD is committed to secondary containment or will defuel ~ 2045