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**Restoration Advisory Board
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Camp Croft Formerly Used Defense Site
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The US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is providing an update for the Camp Croft FUDS to the Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) in lieu of conducting the RAB meeting in person due to concerns regarding COVID-19. This update summarizes progress at the Camp Croft FUDS since the last RAB meeting update provided in August 2020.

1. Project 03 Munitions Debris Area and Project 05 Range Complex Remaining Lands:

The remedy identified in the January 2019 Decision Document (DD) consisting of public education for Projects 03 and 05 has been implemented. The public education tools implemented consists of signage and educational materials, to enhance the community's understanding of site conditions. Figures illustrating the signs/location of installation and educational materials were included in the 7 August 2020 RAB update. Educational materials (brochures) were provided to Croft State Park and are located at the visitor center. The remedial action has been completed and USACE will continue to evaluate the remedial action to ensure it provides protection to the public.

2. Project 07 Maneuver Area/Croft State Park:

The remedy identified in the September 2019 Decision Document (DD) consists of Advanced Geophysical Classification & Analog supported Surface and Subsurface Munitions Removal, Long Term Management (LTM) and Public Education (3Rs Program). Signs similar to those produced for Projects 03 and 05 will be installed within the Project 07 boundaries and additional brochures will be produced for distribution.

Implementation of the remedy requires several plans to be submitted and approved by project stakeholders within the Department of Defense (DoD) and South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (SC DHEC) and SC Parks, Recreation, and Tourism (SCPRT). These plans are in various stages of review and approval. Due to FUDS program funding limitations, USACE has created 19 subareas within Project 07 boundaries for award/clearance in increments. Currently, 5 subareas (1-4 and 6) have been awarded for implementation of the remedy (see Figure 1).

The tentative schedule for upcoming tasks is as follows:

- Vegetation clearance – December 2020
- Geophysical surveying – February 2021
- Intrusive investigation – April/May 2021

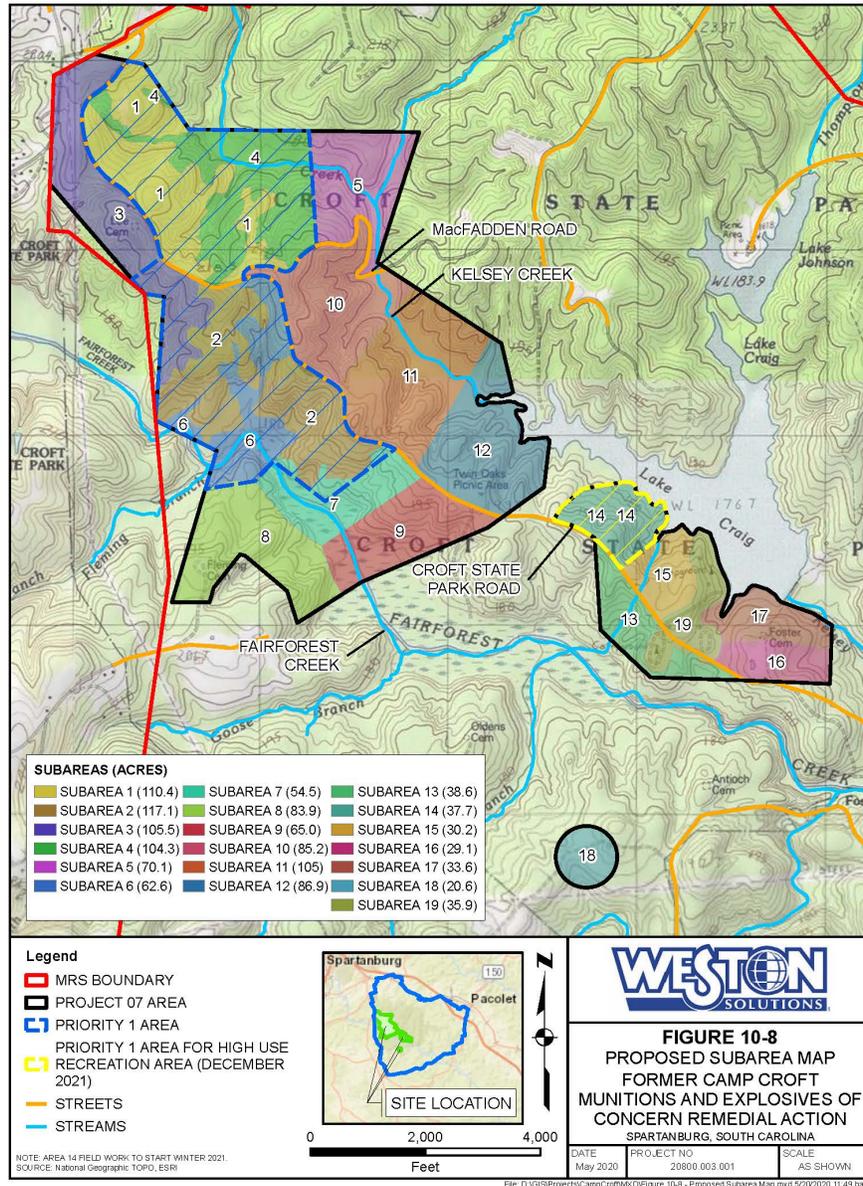


Figure 1: Camp Croft FUDS Project 07 Subareas

3. Decision Documents:

Decision Documents (DD) for project 08 (60/81MM Mortar Area) was approved on 21 September 2020 and the DD for projects 09 (Grenade Maneuver Area), and 10 (105MM Area) were approved on 29 September 2020. To date, all of the DD which authorize a remedial action at the Camp Croft FUDS have been approved.

4. Next RAB Meeting:

The next RAB meeting is tentatively scheduled for February 4, 2021. USACE will continue to coordinate with the Camp Croft RAB members regarding the viability of conducting the RAB meeting in person and provide project updates as needed.