

RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD MEETING
SEPTEMBER 9, 2003
7:00 P.M.

SC SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND THE BLIND
SWEARINGEN CENTER

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

GARY HAYES, CHAIR
GEORGE MULLINAX
DAVID MULLINAX
ROBERT POWELL
CLARY SMITH
DARWIN WILSON

BOARD MEMBERS NOT PRESENT:

JOSEPH CRISSINGER
BROWNLEE LOWRY
SANFORD SMITH
SHERRY WHEELER
MARGARET MOORE
ROBERT WOOTEN
BUBBA LITTLEJOHN

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1 **BY GARY HAYES:**

2 _____ I'D LIKE TO CALL THIS MEETING TO ORDER AND I'D
3 LIKE TO WELCOME EVERYBODY HERE TONIGHT AND THANK YOU
4 FOR COMING OUT. I WANT TO REMIND EVERYBODY TO SPEAK
5 CLEARLY. WE'VE GOT A TRANSCRIPTIONIST HERE AND WE
6 WANT TO REMAIN ON OUR AGENDA AND WE NEED TO STAY
7 FOCUSED TO OUR AGENDA. SUZY AND ZAPATA HAVE
8 FURNISHED US WITH NEW NOTEBOOKS FOR THE BOARD TO
9 KEEP US A LITTLE MORE UP-TO-DATE AND ORGANIZED AND I
10 WANT TO THANK SUZY AND ZAPATA FOR DOING THAT. WE
11 HAVE SOME NEW BOARD MEMBERS, MARTHA MOORE AND ROBERT
12 WOOTEN. I BELIEVE MARTHA CALLED IN AND SHE HAS
13 WHAT, SUZY?

14 **BY SUZY CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

15 SHE HAS ANOTHER COMMITMENT THIS EVENING.

16 **BY MR. HAYES:**

17 OKAY. AND ROBERT, WE HAVEN'T HEARD FROM
18 ROBERT?

19 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

20 I HAVE NOT.

21 **BY MR. HAYES:**

22 OKAY. WELL, WE WANT TO THANK THESE NEW PEOPLE
23 FOR APPLYING TO THE BOARD AND THEIR ACCEPTANCE OF
24 BEING ON THE BOARD. OKAY. SO, WE WERE -- IT IS ON

1 OUR AGENDA TO ELECT A NEW RAB CHAIR TONIGHT. I WANT
2 TO TURN THIS OVER TO SUZY.

3 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

4 DUE TO THE LIMITED ATTENDANCE THIS EVENING, WE
5 WILL DEFER THE ELECTION OF THE NEW CHAIR TO OUR NEXT
6 MEETING. THE CHAIR IS TO SERVE ONE YEAR AND CAN BE
7 RE-ELECTED FOR A SUBSEQUENT TERM. SO, GARY HAS
8 SERVED TWO YEARS NOW, TWO TERMS FOR CHAIR, SO WE
9 WILL ELECT A NEW CHAIR AT THE NEXT MEETING WHEN
10 HOPEFULLY WE'LL HAVE A STRONGER ATTENDANCE TO BE
11 ABLE TO GET EVERYONE'S INVOLVEMENT IN THAT EFFORT.
12 SO, WE'LL PUT THAT ON OUR NEXT MEETING'S AGENDA.

13 BY MR. HAYES:

14 OKAY. NOW, I'LL REFER ALSO OVER TO SUZY WITH
15 ZAPATA ENGINEERING FOR AN OVERVIEW OF THE FUDS
16 PROGRAM AND THE PROJECT CHRONOLOGY.

17 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

18 THANKS, GARY. I SEE A LOT OF NEW FACES THIS
19 EVENING AND WE'D LIKE TO WELCOME ALL OF YOU TO THE
20 RAB MEETING. WE MEET QUARTERLY TO FIVE TO SIX
21 MONTHS, DEPENDING UPON SCHEDULES AND WHAT WE HAVE ON
22 OUR AGENDA. AGAIN, MY NAME IS SUZY McKINNEY WITH
23 ZAPATA ENGINEERING. AND ZAPATA ENGINEERING IS THE
24 CONTRACTOR FOR THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS THAT HAS BEEN
25 TASKED WITH THE PROGRAM MANAGEMENT, PROGRAM

1 INTEGRATION OF THE CAMP CROFT EFFORT. THAT INCLUDES
2 SUPPORTING THE RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD ON ALL OF
3 THE LOGISTICS, AS WELL AS BEING TASKED TO COMPLETE
4 SOME OF THE REMOVAL ACTIONS AND THE REMEDIATION THAT
5 WE'LL TALK ABOUT A LITTLE BIT LATER THIS EVENING.
6 SO, I WANT TO AGAIN WELCOME ALL OF YOU THIS EVENING.
7 IT'S BEEN SEVERAL MONTHS SINCE WE LAST MET. WE'D
8 ALSO LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO MEET AND
9 INTRODUCE OUR CORPS OF ENGINEERS, REPRESENTATIVES,
10 AND PROJECT MANAGERS. RON NESBIT IS WITH THE
11 CHARLESTON DISTRICT FOR U.S. ARMY CORPS OF
12 ENGINEERS. PLYLER McMANUS IS WITH THE U.S. ARMY
13 ENGINEERING AND SUPPORT CENTER OUT OF HUNTSVILLE.
14 SO, THOSE ARE TWO KEY PLAYERS IN THIS PROGRAM. WE
15 ALSO HAVE WITH US TONIGHT MICHAEL WINNINGHAM WITH
16 ZAPATA ENGINEERING AND HE IS OUR PROJECT MANAGER FOR
17 THE REMOVAL ACTIONS THAT WE'LL TALKING ABOUT A
18 LITTLE BIT LATER THIS EVENING. SO, WITH THAT, WHAT
19 I'D LIKE TO DO FOR THE BENEFIT OF, UNFORTUNATELY,
20 OUR ABSENT NEW RAB MEMBERS AND FOR SEVERAL OF YOU
21 WHO HAVE NOT BEEN TO OUR MEETINGS IN THE PAST OR
22 HAVE NOT BEEN FREQUENTLY TO OUR MEETINGS, IS TO
23 REVIEW A LITTLE BIT OF THE SITE HISTORY, A LITTLE
24 BIT OF THE PROJECT BACKGROUND, GO OVER THE FEDERAL
25 PROGRAM THAT PROVIDES THE FUNDING TO ADDRESS THESE

1 FORMERLY USED DEFENSE SITES, GIVE YOU A STATUS OF
2 WHAT HAS BEEN COMPLETED TO DATE UNDER THE PROGRAM,
3 AND WHERE WE ARE GOING WITH FUNDING AND THE NEXT
4 ROUND OF ACTIVITIES. I ASK RON AND PLYLER AND
5 MICHAEL TO CHIME IN IF I START RAMBLING TOO FAST OR
6 GET OFF TOPIC. THE PRESENTATION THAT WE'LL GO
7 THROUGH THIS AFTERNOON, THIS EVENING IS A HAND-OUT
8 THAT IS AVAILABLE AT THE FRONT AND IT'S ALSO
9 INCLUDED IN EACH OF THE NOTEBOOKS FOR THE RAB
10 MEMBERS.

11 A LITTLE BIT OF BACKGROUND ON CAMP CROFT. MANY
12 OF YOU PROBABLY KNOW THE HISTORY MUCH BETTER AND
13 MORE FLUENTLY THAN I DO, BEING INVOLVED WITH THIS
14 PROJECT FOR THE PAST SEVEN TO EIGHT YEARS AND THEN,
15 MANY OF YOU LIVED IN THE AREA IN THE 1940s OR DIRECT
16 RELATIVES LIVED IN THE AREA AND WERE INVOLVED WHEN
17 CAMP CROFT WAS AN ACTIVE TRAINING FACILITY. IT WAS
18 A TRAINING FACILITY BEGINNING IN 1941 THAT WAS USED
19 FOR TRAINING OF ALL PHASES OF COMBAT. OVER THE
20 YEARS, APPROXIMATELY THE FOUR TO FIVE YEARS THAT IT
21 WAS AN ACTIVE INSTALLATION, OVER 200,000 MEN WENT
22 THROUGH TRAINING IN THIS AREA. IN 1947, THE CAMP
23 WAS DECLARED EXCESS AND, AS WE LOOK AROUND TODAY, WE
24 SEE THAT THOSE PARCELS ARE NOW RESIDENCES, STATE
25 PARKS, BUSINESS AREAS, LIGHT INDUSTRY, AND SOME

1 UNDEVELOPED AREAS. SO, THE PARCELS THAT ONCE
2 COMPRISED THE FORMER CAMP CROFT ARE NOW MIXED LAND
3 USE.

4 A LITTLE BIT OF HISTORY ON THE RESTORATION
5 PROGRAM, WHAT IS CALLED DERP-FUDS, DEFENSE
6 ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION PROGRAM FORMERLY USED
7 DEFENSE SITES, AND YOU'LL HEAR US USE THE TERM
8 "FUDS" FREQUENTLY, FORMERLY USED DEFENSE SITES.
9 THIS WAS MANDATED BY CONGRESS IN 1986, WHICH
10 PROVIDED THE FUNDING TO BE ABLE TO GO BACK AND
11 CHARACTERIZE THESE FORMER TRAINING FACILITIES,
12 ASSESS THE RISK, AND THEN HAVE FUNDING TO START TO
13 CLEAN THOSE UP. SO, WHEN YOU THINK ABOUT IT, IT IS
14 A FAIRLY NEW PROGRAM. I KNOW A LOT OF PEOPLE ASK
15 WHY HAS IT TAKEN 50 YEARS OR 60 YEARS FOR THE
16 GOVERNMENT TO COME BACK AND CLEAN UP THESE AREAS.
17 WELL, THE PROGRAM THAT ALLOWS THE FUNDING AND THE
18 AUTHORITY TO DO THAT IS A FAIRLY NEW PROGRAM. FOR
19 THIS SPECIFIC SITE, WHICH HAS BEEN ONGOING SINCE
20 ABOUT 1995, MORE THAN \$15,000,000 HAS BEEN
21 APPROPRIATED FOR SITE INVESTIGATIONS AND CLEAN UP OF
22 THE FORMER CAMP CROFT.

23 A LITTLE BIT OF BACKGROUND ON ORDNANCE AND SOME
24 DEFINITIONS. ORDNANCE IS ARTILLERY, MISSILES,
25 MORTARS, AMMUNITIONS, AND EXPLOSIVES THAT ARE

1 INTENTIONALLY MEANT TO HARM INDIVIDUALS OR DAMAGE
2 PROPERTY. THERE ARE SUB-SETS. YOU HAVE ORDNANCE,
3 YOU HAVE UXO, WHICH IS UNEXPLODED ORDNANCE,
4 MUNITIONS HAVE BEEN FIRED THAT WERE MEANT TO GO OFF
5 BUT DIDN'T THAT ARE STILL CONSIDERED LIVE. YOU ALSO
6 HAVE ORDNANCE-RELATED SCRAP, WHICH COULD BE INERT
7 ITEMS, DUMMY ROUNDS, ROUNDS THAT WERE NOT MEANT AS
8 HIGH EXPLOSIVES THAT STILL MAY POSE A DANGER, DUE TO
9 SPOTTING CHARGES OR SOME OTHER EXPLOSIVE FILLERS
10 THAT AREN'T QUITE AS HARMFUL, BUT I DON'T WANT TO
11 DOWNPLAY THE IMPORTANCE OF DON'T TOUCH ANY OF THIS.
12 SO, ORDNANCE-RELATED SCRAP, AGAIN, IT'S FREE OF THE
13 EXPLOSIVE HAZARDS. THESE ARE NOT LIVE ITEMS. THEY
14 ARE EITHER FRAGMENTS, SCRAP, OR INERT ITEMS. AND
15 I'LL GO AHEAD AND BACKTRACK. ALL OF THESE ITEMS
16 HAVE THE POTENTIAL TO BE FOUND AT CAMP CROFT.

17 RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD IS WHAT WE ARE HERE
18 FOR THIS EVENING. THIS WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1995.
19 THE OBJECTIVE OF A RAB IS TO ENCOURAGE DIALOGUE AND
20 RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN THE COMMUNITY, REGULATORS AND
21 THE GOVERNMENT TO PROVIDE AN INFORMATION EXCHANGE,
22 TO FACILITATE DECISION-MAKING ON WHAT DIRECTION WE
23 NEED TO GO OR SHOULD BE GOING WITH THIS PROJECT,
24 BASED UPON THE COMMUNITY'S INSIGHT AND KNOWLEDGE OF
25 THOSE LAND USES. THE BEGINNING OF THE PROJECT, WHEN

1 FUNDING WAS FLOWING A LITTLE BIT MORE REGULARLY AND
2 LOTS OF DOCUMENTS WERE IN PREPARATION, WORK PLANS
3 AND DECISION TYPES OF DOCUMENTS, THE BOARD MET EVERY
4 MONTH OR EVERY TWO MONTHS AND THEN STARTED TO
5 STRETCH OUT TO ABOUT ON A QUARTERLY BASIS. THERE
6 ARE TIMES WHEN WE MEET AS INFREQUENTLY AS EVERY SIX
7 MONTHS, DEPENDING UPON THE ISSUES. WE TRY TO STAY
8 ON A QUARTERLY SCHEDULE.

9 WE HAVE A MAILING LIST OF OVER 200 INDIVIDUALS
10 THAT DO RECEIVE FLYERS ANNOUNCING THE MEETINGS. WE
11 DID PUBLISH THIS LAST WEEK OR WEEK AND A HALF A PAID
12 ADVERTISEMENT IN THE NEWSPAPERS TO TRY TO GET AS
13 MANY INDIVIDUALS IN THE COMMUNITY TO GIVE THEM
14 KNOWLEDGE OF THE MEETING. THESE ARE ALL OPEN
15 MEETINGS TO THE PUBLIC. WE DO HAVE A TRANSCRIPTION
16 SERVICE SO THAT EVERYTHING THAT IS RELATED IS
17 TRANSCRIBED AND DOCUMENTED. THOSE TRANSCRIPTS ARE
18 MAINTAINED IN THE LIBRARY, AS WELL AS ON OUR
19 WEBSITE.

20 SO, TO RUN THROUGH THE ACTIVITIES TO DATE,
21 WE'LL HAVE SOME MAPS IN THE HAND-OUTS. THERE ARE A
22 FEW MAPS IN THE BACK. TIME-CRITICAL REMOVAL
23 ACTIONS, THESE ARE, IF YOU WILL, IMMEDIATE RESPONSE.
24 TIME-CRITICAL REMOVAL ACTIONS ARE IN AN ABBREVIATED
25 TIME FRAME TO GET YOUR PLANS TOGETHER ON HOW YOU'RE

1 GOING TO RESPOND TO AN AREA THAT POSES AN IMMEDIATE
2 RISK. THESE WERE -- ACTUALLY, TWO WERE CONDUCTED AT
3 CAMP CROFT. ONE WAS NEAR THE HORSE TRAILS DOWN NEAR
4 THE PARK AND IT'S CALLED OOU7. AND I'M DRAWING A
5 BLANK ON WHAT THE OTHER REFERENCE IS, BUT WE'LL LOOK
6 AT IT ON A MAP IN A MINUTE. IT'S THE PICNIC AREAS
7 DOWN NEAR THE STABLES. AND ANOTHER TIME-CRITICAL
8 REMOVAL ACTION WAS CONDUCTED ON A PIECE OF PRIVATE
9 PROPERTY THAT WAS BEING USED FOR A COMMERCIAL
10 PURPOSE THAT WAS, AGAIN, AN IMMEDIATE THREAT TO THE
11 USERS OF THAT LAND. SO, AN ABBREVIATED SCHEDULE TO
12 GET OUT THERE AND DO A SURFACE CLEARANCE TO TAKE
13 CARE OF THOSE IMMEDIATE PROBLEMS. THOSE WERE
14 CONDUCTED IN THE 1995-96 TIME FRAME. THE MORE LONG-
15 TERM SITE CHARACTERIZATION AND PLANNING THAT TAKES
16 PLACE ARE WHAT ARE CALLED EE/CAs, ENGINEERING
17 EVALUATIONS AND COST ANALYSES. WE'LL GO INTO A
18 LITTLE BIT MORE DETAIL. THIS IS A MORE THOROUGH
19 CHARACTERIZATION OF THE AREAS OF THE PROJECT SITE TO
20 ALLOW AN APPRECIATION OF WHAT ORDNANCE IS OUT THERE,
21 WHAT RISK IT PRESENTS TO THE PUBLIC, AND HOW WE'RE
22 GOING TO RESPOND TO THOSE RISKS. THE OUTCOME IS
23 SOMETIMES CLEAN UP, REMEDIATION. SOMETIMES IT'S
24 EDUCATION AND OUTREACH TO MAKE PEOPLE MORE AWARE.
25 SOMETIMES IT'S FENCING OFF AN AREA. WE'LL TALK

1 ABOUT THAT IN A FEW MINUTES. WE'VE CLEANED UP AND
2 REMEDIATED, ACTUALLY CONDUCTED REMOVAL ACTIONS OF
3 ORDNANCE ON OVER 700 ACRES IN THIS AREA. THE FORMER
4 CAMP CROFT WAS APPROXIMATELY 19,000 ACRES, JUST TO
5 GIVE YOU SOME PERSPECTIVE. SO, AGAIN, TIME-CRITICAL
6 REMOVAL ACTIONS ARE SURFACE CLEARANCE IN AREAS THAT
7 ARE READILY ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC. AND AGAIN,
8 YOU WANT TO REMEDIATE AND TAKE CARE OF ANY IMMEDIATE
9 RISKS TO THE PUBLIC. FIFTY ACRES NEAR THE FITNESS
10 TRAIL AND THE PICNIC AREA UNDERWENT A TIME-CRITICAL
11 REMOVAL ACTION AND 15 ACRES ON PRIVATELY-OWNED
12 PROPERTY AND THOSE TOOK PLACE IN 1995-1996. AND
13 THERE'S A VISUAL OF WHERE THOSE TWO LOCATIONS ARE.
14 YOU CAN SEE THE FORMER CAMP BOUNDARIES EXTEND WAY
15 OUT HERE. THE ACTUAL PARK BOUNDARY IS A SMALLER
16 SECTION OF THE FORMER CAMP. AND ON THE SIDE,
17 THERE'S A LISTING OF THE ITEMS THAT WERE FOUND
18 DURING THOSE TWO RESPECTIVE SURFACE CLEARANCE
19 ACTIONS.

20 WE HAVE CONDUCTED TWO EE/CAs, WE THE CORPS OF
21 ENGINEERS AND VARIOUS CONTRACTORS THAT HAVE WORKED
22 FOR THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS ON THIS PROJECT, A PHASE
23 ONE AND A PHASE TWO EE/CA AND THEY ADDRESS DIFFERENT
24 AREAS, OOUs, ORDNANCE OPERABLE UNITS. AND AGAIN, IT
25 ALLOWS US TO TAKE CERTAIN AREAS BASED UPON THE PAST

1 LAND USE. WAS IT AN ARTILLERY RANGE? WAS IT THE
2 GRENADE COURT? TO TAKE THOSE AREAS AND PUT SOME
3 BOUNDARIES AROUND THOSE AREAS, DO SOME
4 INVESTIGATIONS WITH SENSORS AND WITH DIGGING CERTAIN
5 ANOMALIES BELOW THE SURFACE TO DETERMINE WHAT'S
6 REALLY OUT THERE. AND THEN, TO ALLOW US TO FURTHER
7 DEVELOP WHAT ARE THE RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH WHAT
8 WE'RE FINDING DURING THOSE INVESTIGATIONS.

9 TWO EE/CAs WERE DONE THAT EXPANDED THE AREAS OF
10 INVESTIGATION, ESSENTIALLY, IS WHY THERE WERE TWO.
11 ACTION MEMORANDUMS, OR ACTUALLY A DECISION DOCUMENT,
12 ONCE THAT EE/CA IS FINALIZED, THE DECISION
13 MEMORANDUM OR THE ACTION MEMORANDUM IS SIGNED BY THE
14 CORPS OF ENGINEERS THAT SAYS, "THIS IS WHAT WE NEED
15 TO GO FORTH AND DO." AND THAT'S THE FORMAL
16 RECOMMENDATION. I JUST WANT TO LET YOU KNOW THAT
17 ALL THE DOCUMENTS ARE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW IN THE
18 LIBRARY DOWNTOWN ON CHURCH STREET. THAT'S OUR
19 INFORMATION REPOSITORY. DOCUMENTS ARE NOT TO BE
20 REMOVED FROM THE LIBRARY. THEY'RE THERE FOR ALL OF
21 YOUR REFERENCE AND THESE DOCUMENTS ARE ALSO
22 AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW ON OUR WEBSITE, WHICH IS
23 WWW.CAMPCROFT.COM AND IT'S REFERENCED IN YOUR HAND-
24 OUT, AS WELL. SO, THOSE ARE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC
25 REVIEW. THEY ARE FINAL DOCUMENTS, SO THERE ARE NO

1 FURTHER OPPORTUNITIES TO PROVIDE COMMENT OR
2 RECOMMENDATIONS ON THOSE.

3 SO, AGAIN, AN EE/CA, WE'RE GOING TO GO OUT TO
4 THESE AREAS AND WE'RE GOING TO COLLECT DATA. THE
5 BASIS, A LOT OF TIMES, FOR THESE PROJECTS TO EVEN
6 KNOW WHAT THE HISTORY OF THE SITE IS, IS A DOCUMENT
7 CALLED AN ARCHIVE SEARCH REPORT AND THE CORPS OF
8 ENGINEERS ST. LOUIS DISTRICT AND ROCK ISLAND
9 DISTRICT ARE THE TWO THAT OFTEN COMPILE THOSE. ONE
10 OF THEM IS SITTING ON THE BACK TABLE FOR YOUR
11 REFERENCE. I'LL NEED TO TAKE THAT BACK WITH ME THIS
12 EVENING, BUT IT DOES PROVIDE THE HISTORY AND IF
13 THERE ARE RANGE FAN MAPS FROM THE PREVIOUS USE
14 DURING THE MILITARY TRAINING, OPERATIONS, ALL OF
15 THAT HELPS US IDENTIFY WHERE WE WANT TO SAMPLE AND
16 HOW WE'RE GOING TO CHARACTERIZE THE EXTENT OF
17 POTENTIAL ORDNANCE AND THEN, THE ASSOCIATED RISKS.
18 WE CAN CHARACTERIZE AND SAMPLE IN A VARIETY OF WAYS.
19 ONE IS USING GEOPHYSICAL MAPPING, AND THAT'S WHERE
20 VARIOUS SENSORS -- AND THERE ARE SEVERAL DIFFERENT
21 SENSORS THAT PROJECT TEAMS MIGHT USE -- ARE CARRIED
22 ACROSS THE SURFACE OF THE GROUND AND THEY'LL READ
23 THE METALLIC SUB-SURFACE ANOMALIES AND THERE'S DATA
24 PROCESSING INVOLVED AND FIGURES AND MAPS THAT CAN BE
25 GENERATED FROM THAT THAT ALLOW YOU PINPOINT IF

1 THERE'S SOMETHING DOWN THERE, BASED ON WHAT WE THINK
2 IS SUPPOSED TO BE THERE, WHETHER IT'S A 105 OR A
3 GRENADE, YOU CAN READ WHAT'S CALLED A SIGNATURE IN
4 THAT DATA AND GO OUT AND SAMPLE THAT EXACT LOCATION
5 AND DIG IT UP AND SEE IS IT A COKE CAN, IS IT A
6 HORSE SHOE, OR IS IT ACTUALLY FRAG OR A PIECE OF
7 ORDNANCE. THAT HELPS BUILD YOUR DATA BASE ON WHAT
8 WE NEED TO KNOW TO CHARACTERIZE THE RISKS ASSOCIATED
9 WITH THAT SITE. SO, GEOPHYSICAL MAPPING HAS BEEN
10 DONE THROUGHOUT PARTS OF CAMP CROFT AND THEN, WHAT
11 YOU DO IS, AGAIN, YOU LOOK AT THAT DATA AND WE
12 SELECT WHAT TARGETS YOU WANT TO DIG. THIS IS NOT A
13 REMOVAL. THIS IS A SITE CHARACTERIZATION, SO THE
14 CONTRACTOR'S NOT GOING TO NECESSARILY DIG
15 EVERYTHING. AND WE GO TO THOSE SPECIFIC LOCATIONS,
16 HONE IN ON THAT LOCATION AND MANUALLY DIG A HOLE,
17 ONE, TWO, MAYBE THREE FEET IN DIAMETER TO LOOK FOR
18 WHAT'S CALLED AN ANOMALY. AND THAT DATA, WHAT YOU
19 FIND IS THEN CORRELATED BACK TO THE DATA THAT WAS
20 COLLECTED BY THOSE SENSORS TO HELP YOU MAKE FUTURE
21 DECISIONS.

22 SO, AS WE'RE CHARACTERIZING THESE SITES, WE'RE
23 GATHERING DATA, WE'RE DIGGING THESE HOLES, WE'RE
24 FINDING OUT WHAT'S ACTUALLY OUT THERE. IS IT
25 HOUSEHOLD DEBRIS, IS IT FARM DEBRIS, OR IS IT

1 ORDNANCE? THE NEXT PHASE OF AN EE/CA IS TO DO A
2 RISK ASSESSMENT. WHAT RISK IS THAT POSING, BASED
3 UPON THE CURRENT AND PROPOSED LAND USE. IF IT'S
4 UNDEVELOPED PROPERTY OUT IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE TO
5 BE USED FOR A WILDLIFE REFUGE AND NO ONE'S GOING TO
6 ACCESS IT, DOES IT POSE A RISK IF THERE MAY BE
7 ORDNANCE STILL ON THE GROUND, YES OR NO. THOSE ARE
8 QUESTIONS THAT WE ASK AS WE GO THROUGH THAT PROCESS.
9 IS IT IN AN AREA TO BE DEVELOPED FOR A SCHOOL, AND
10 WE FOUND THINGS VERY NEAR TO THE SURFACE THAT WERE
11 ORDNANCE-LIKE. WELL, THAT WOULD PROBABLY BE A
12 FAIRLY HIGH RISK THAT WOULD WARRANT A DIFFERENT
13 RESPONSE ACTION. SO, THE CONTRACTORS WILL LOOK
14 THROUGH THOSE RISKS. THESE DOCUMENTS ARE AVAILABLE
15 FOR PUBLIC COMMENT WHEN THEY ARE DRAFTED. THE CORPS
16 OF ENGINEERS ALSO REVIEWS THOSE AND THERE ARE
17 DIFFERENT ALTERNATIVES THAT ARE PRESENTED, BASED
18 UPON THE FINDINGS OF YOUR DATA, FROM NO FURTHER
19 ACTION TO A SURFACE CLEARANCE TO A CLEARANCE TO A
20 SPECIFIED DEPTH TO INSTITUTIONAL CONTROLS, WHICH NOT
21 ISN'T GOING OUT AND DIGGING AND DOING AN ORDNANCE
22 REMOVAL ACTION, BUT IT'S ANOTHER WAY TO MAKE THE
23 PUBLIC AWARE OF WHAT'S OUT THERE AND MODIFY
24 BEHAVIOR. IS IT AN AREA THAT CAN BE FENCED AND
25 RESTRICTED, AND THAT WAY, YOU MINIMIZE THE RISK BY

1 NOT ALLOWING ANYONE IN THERE. IS IT A LOW TO A
2 MODERATE RISK WHERE JUST MAKING PEOPLE AWARE OF WHAT
3 THAT PAST LAND USE IS THROUGH EDUCATIONAL
4 INFORMATION AND BROCHURES AND MEETINGS CAN KEEP
5 PEOPLE SAFE. THESE ARE INSTITUTIONAL CONTROLS. A
6 LOT OF TIMES, YOU'LL SEE INSTITUTIONAL CONTROLS
7 ASSOCIATED WITH THOSE OTHER ALTERNATIVES, A REMOVAL
8 ACTION AND ALSO SOME EDUCATION AND OUTREACH.

9 AS I MENTIONED, THE EE/CA DOCUMENT IS MADE
10 AVAILABLE AS A DRAFT FINAL DOCUMENT AFTER IT'S GONE
11 THROUGH CORPS OF ENGINEERS REVIEW FOR THE PUBLIC FOR
12 THE COMMENT PERIOD IS ANYWHERE FROM 30 TO 60 DAYS.
13 SO, EVERYONE HAS THE OPPORTUNITY TO LOOK AT THE
14 FINDINGS OF THE DATA AND WHAT THOSE RECOMMENDATIONS
15 ARE AND TO HAVE INPUT FORMALLY INTO THAT DOCUMENT.
16 BOTH EE/CA DOCUMENTS ARE FINALIZED. BOTH ACTION
17 MEMORANDUMS FOR THIS PROJECT ARE ALSO FINAL
18 DOCUMENTS AND, AGAIN, ARE IN THE LIBRARY AND ON THE
19 WEBSITE.

20 SO, WHERE THAT TAKES US. THE PHASE ONE EE/CA
21 IDENTIFIED NINE AREAS, SOME WITHIN THE STATE PARK,
22 SOME PRIVATE PROPERTY, AND VARIOUS RESPONSE ACTIONS
23 WITHIN -- AND RISK REDUCTION ALTERNATIVES WERE
24 ASSOCIATED WITH EACH OF THOSE NINE AREAS AT THE
25 OUTCOME OF THAT EE/CA DOCUMENT. SOME AREAS,

1 INDIVIDUALS HAVE QUESTIONED, "WELL, WHY HAVEN'T YOU
2 BEEN IN THIS AREA?" OR "WHY DIDN'T YOU LOOK OVER
3 HERE?" IN ORDER FOR THE GOVERNMENT OR THE
4 CONTRACTOR TO ACCESS THE PROPERTY, THE OWNERS GIVE
5 PERMISSION ON WHAT'S CALLED A RIGHT OF ENTRY AND WE
6 HAVE, IN THE PAST, HAD PROPERTY OWNERS THAT HAVE NOT
7 AGREED TO SIGN THE RIGHT OF ENTRY SO THAT CERTAIN
8 PARCELS MAY HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO BE INVESTIGATED.
9 THESE ARE THE AREAS THAT WERE IDENTIFIED AND
10 EVALUATED UNDER THE PHASE ONE EE/CA. THE DARK
11 ORANGE AREAS WERE IDENTIFIED FOR CLEARANCE TO DEPTH,
12 BASED UPON WHAT ITEMS WERE FOUND DURING THE SITE
13 INVESTIGATIONS AND WHAT THE CURRENT PROPOSED LAND
14 USE ARE DEFINED AS. THE GREEN OLIVE AREAS ARE
15 SURFACE CLEARANCE AND THE ORANGE AREA IS NO FURTHER
16 ACTION.

17 THE PHASE TWO EE/CA ADDED ADDITIONAL ACREAGE.
18 AGAIN, THE FORMER CAMP CROFT IS 19,000 ACRES. WE'RE
19 NOT GOING TO BE ABLE TO CHARACTERIZE AND SAMPLE
20 19,000 ACRES, SO REPRESENTATIVE AREAS WERE SELECTED.
21 ADDITIONAL ACREAGE WAS ADDED IN THAT INVESTIGATION
22 UNDER A PHASE TWO EE/CA. AGAIN, A MIX OF PRIVATE
23 PROPERTY AND STATE PARK PROPERTY. THESE ARE THOSE
24 SPECIFIC AREAS WITH THE RECOMMENDED ALTERNATIVES,

1 RANGING FROM CLEARANCE TO DEPTH TO NO FURTHER
2 ACTION, DEPENDING UPON WHAT WAS FOUND.

3 THE EE/CA ALSO HAS ASSOCIATED WITH IT A COST
4 ANALYSIS, AND THAT IS AN ESTIMATE AND IT IS ONLY AN
5 ESTIMATE OF A COST TO COMPLETE THE RECOMMENDED
6 ALTERNATIVES THAT THAT DOCUMENT PRESENTS. OOU9, FOR
7 INSTANCE, WAS A NO FURTHER ACTION. THERE WERE NO
8 COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH HAVING TO IMPLEMENT THAT.
9 OOU10 WAS A SURFACE CLEARANCE, 11 WAS A CLEARANCE TO
10 DEPTH, AND 12 IS A CLEARANCE TO DEPTH. SO, THOSE
11 ARE THE PROJECTED COSTS, AND AGAIN, THOSE ARE ONLY
12 ESTIMATES. THOSE ARE NOT FORMAL COST DOCUMENTS.

13 THE SCHEDULE IS, AND THIS IS AS ALL OF THESE
14 PROJECTS ARE, DEPENDENT UPON FUNDING OBLIGATIONS
15 FROM CONGRESS DOWN THROUGH THE CORPS THROUGH THE
16 DISTRICTS AND THEN TO SPECIFIC PROJECTS. WEDGEWOOD,
17 ORDNANCE REMOVAL ACTION TOOK PLACE AND IT'S BEEN TWO
18 YEARS NOW. A FEW AREAS WITHIN WEDGEWOOD WERE NOT
19 COMPLETED WHEN THE FUNDS RAN OUT, SO THERE ARE SOME
20 ADDITIONAL PARCELS THAT NEED TO BE COMPLETED AND A
21 BUFFER AREA BETWEEN THE NEIGHBORHOOD AND A GOLF
22 COURSE. OOU11C, WHICH RUNS ALONG CEDAR SPRINGS
23 ROAD, IS ALSO SLATED FOR A SUB-SURFACE CLEARANCE.
24 THESE ARE THE PROJECTED TIME FRAMES FOR THOSE TO BE
25 COMPLETED. WHEN, UNDER THESE PROGRAMS, WHEN A

1 PROJECT HAS BEEN COMPLETED, WHEN A REMOVAL ACTION
2 HAS BEEN COMPLETED, THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS DOES NOT
3 JUST WALK AWAY FROM THE PROJECT AND SAY, "ALL DONE.
4 WE'RE MOVING ON TO THE NEXT ONE." THERE IS A
5 MECHANISM FOR WHAT'S CALLED A RECURRING REVIEW. IT
6 GENERALLY RUNS ON A FIVE-YEAR TIME FRAME, WHERE
7 THERE'S A REASSESSMENT OF THE LAND USE, THE
8 ALTERNATIVES THAT WERE IMPLEMENTED AND THE PROPOSED
9 ACTIONS, TO MAKE SURE THOSE ARE STILL IN ORDER, OR
10 DOES ANOTHER CHARACTERIZATION NEED TO TAKE PLACE OR
11 DO WE NEED TO RE-DIRECT AND RE-FOCUS WHERE THESE
12 ACTIVITIES NEED TO OCCUR. SO, THERE IS A SCHEDULED
13 REVIEW OF THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
14 THOSE RISK REDUCTION ALTERNATIVES.

15 THIS IS ACTUALLY A PHOTOGRAPH FROM ABOUT TWO
16 YEARS AGO FOR THE REMOVAL, THE ORIGINAL REMOVAL IN
17 THE WEDGEWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD. THIS WAS A CLEARANCE
18 DOWN TO FOUR FEET AND THE UNIT YOU SEE, THIS
19 CONFIGURATION IS ACTUALLY WHAT'S CALLED A BUD LIGHT.
20 IT'S NOT REAL LIGHT. IT'S ABOUT 900 AND SOMETHING
21 POUNDS.

22 **BY PLYLER McMANUS:**

23 IT'S 700 POUNDS.

24 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

1 IT'S 700 POUNDS. I COULDN'T LIFT 700 OR 900
2 POUNDS. WHAT THAT DOES IS IT PROTECTS STRUCTURES
3 WHEN AN ORDNANCE TECHNICIAN IS IN THERE DIGGING THE
4 ANOMALY -- REMEMBER WHEN WE IDENTIFY WHAT WE WANT TO
5 DIG TO EITHER CHARACTERIZE OR CONDUCT A REMOVAL WHEN
6 THERE ARE STRUCTURES OR POTENTIAL WITHIN A SAFETY
7 ZONE. THERE ARE SPECIFIC SAFETY ZONES TO KEEP THE
8 PUBLIC OUTSIDE OF A DANGER ZONE. THAT TECHNICIAN
9 WILL BE INSIDE OF THAT UNIT DIGGING THAT ITEM. IN
10 CASE OF AN ACCIDENTAL DETONATION, THAT PROTECTS THE
11 FRAGMENTATION OF THAT MUNITION FROM IMPACTING ANY OF
12 THE SURROUNDING AREA. SO, WHEN WE'RE WORKING IN
13 NEIGHBORHOODS OR IN SOMEWHAT POPULATED AREAS, EVEN
14 THOUGH INDIVIDUALS ARE EVACUATED, THIS IS A SAFETY
15 TOOL THAT WE USE.

16 WHERE ARE WE RIGHT NOW? AS I MENTIONED, OOU3
17 EXPANDED AND WE STILL HAVE TWO PARCELS THAT NEED TO
18 BE COMPLETED AS A REMOVAL ACTION AS A RESULT OF
19 FUNDING LIMITATIONS UNDER OUR PREVIOUS ACTION. IN
20 ORDER FOR THAT TO TAKE PLACE, TWO DOCUMENTS NEED TO
21 BE PREPARED AND APPROVED. ONE IS THE PROJECT WORK
22 PLAN, HOW THAT WORK IS GOING TO BE EXECUTED BY THE
23 CONTRACTOR IN THOSE AREAS, AS WELL AS WHAT'S CALLED
24 AN EXPLOSIVE SAFETY SUBMISSION, AN ESS. THAT IS A
25 DOCUMENT THAT, AGAIN, PRESCRIBES THE SAFETY

1 PROCEDURES, FRAGMENTATION DISTANCES, THE MUNITIONS
2 WE ANTICIPATE TO FIND, HOW WE'RE GOING TO ACCOMPLISH
3 THE WORK. THAT ACTUALLY GOES ALL THE WAY OUT TO THE
4 DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE EXPLOSIVE SAFETY BOARD. IT
5 GOES ALL THE WAY UP THROUGH HEADQUARTERS AND BEYOND
6 AN INDEPENDENT BOARD MAY EVALUATE ---

7 BY PLYLER McMANUS:

8 AND THAT'S AN INDEPENDENT BOARD MADE UP OF
9 REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ARMY, AIR FORCE, MARINE
10 CORPS, AND THE NAVY.

11 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

12 AND THAT REVIEW PROCESS IS SIX TO NINE MONTHS,
13 DEPENDING UPON THEIR SCHEDULES AND THE COMPLEXITY OF
14 THE PROJECT. SO, TWO DOCUMENTS HAVE TO BE APPROVED
15 PRIOR TO A CONTRACTOR GOING OUT AND CONDUCTING THIS
16 TYPE OF WORK. THE WORK PLAN AND ESS ARE BEING
17 COMPLETED FOR WEDGEWOOD AND 11C AND 11D, WHICH
18 ALLOWS US, ONCE THAT'S APPROVED, TO BE ABLE TO WORK
19 IN ANY OF THOSE AREAS AS THE FUNDING BECOMES
20 AVAILABLE. SO, WE WON'T HAVE TO STOP AND RESUBMIT
21 ANOTHER PLAN. THOSE HAVE BEEN DRAFTED AND
22 SUBMITTED.

23 THIS IS JUST A RECAP, ACTUALLY, OF A REMOVAL
24 ACTION THAT TOOK PLACE IN 2001 AS PART OF THIS
25 PROJECT. THIS WAS IN AN AREA OOU6 OFF RED HILL. IT

1 WAS AN ACTUAL REMOVAL ACTION. IT WAS 105 IMPACT
2 AREAS, EXTREMELY CLUTTERED WITH FRAGMENTATION SO
3 THAT THE SENSORS COULDN'T SEE PAST THE FRAGMENTATION
4 TO TALLY UP WAS THERE ANY ORDNANCE IN THE GROUND.
5 NUMEROUS ATTEMPTS, LOTS OF MAN HOURS TO TRY TO CLEAR
6 A FOUR-ACRE PARCEL. SO, WHAT WAS DECIDED IS THE
7 CORPS OF ENGINEERS, IN COORDINATION WITH THE AIR
8 FORCE RESEARCH LAB OUT OF TYNDALL AIR FORCE BASE IN
9 FLORIDA, THOUGHT THIS WOULD BE AN OPPORTUNITY TO
10 CONDUCT A REMOVAL ACTION WHILE ALSO HAVING A
11 TECHNOLOGY DEMONSTRATION. WE USED REMOTELY OPERATED
12 EQUIPMENT THAT WAS SOMEWHAT ARMORED. SO, THESE TWO
13 PIECES OF EQUIPMENT ACTUALLY WERE BEING MANAGED AND
14 MANNED BY A CONTROL SYSTEM IN A VAN SEVERAL HUNDRED
15 FEET AWAY FROM THE OPERATION OF THESE PIECES OF
16 EQUIPMENT. WHAT WE DID WAS WE SCRAPED THE SURFACE
17 OF THE AREA AND COLLECTED ALL OF THAT AND THAT SOIL
18 WAS THEN -- IT'S KIND OF HARD TO TELL, BUT THIS IS A
19 SIFTER. THE SOIL WAS THEN PLACED ON TOP OF THAT
20 SIFTER THAT HAS A SCREEN AND IT WOULD SHAKE SO THAT
21 THE LARGER PIECES OF METAL AND THE FRAG WOULD BE ON
22 THE TOP AND THEN THE CLEAN SOIL WOULD SIFT DOWN
23 BELOW. AGAIN, THIS WAS ALL DONE REMOTELY. WE COULD
24 CLEAR OFF THE SURFACE DIRT AND NEAR SURFACE
25 CONTAMINATION OF FRAGMENTATION AND THEN BE ABLE TO

1 GO BACK WITH THE SENSORS AND PICK THOSE SPECIFIC
2 TARGETS THAT WERE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE 105s THAT WE
3 WERE WORKING TO DO THE REMOVAL. SO, THAT WAS
4 SUCCESSFUL AND THAT'S BEEN COMPLETED AND THAT
5 HILLSIDE HAS NOW BEEN RESTORED AND GRASS AND PINE
6 TREES ARE GROWING.

7 THIS IS A TIMELINE THAT STOPPED IN 2002, WHICH
8 IS KIND OF WHEN WE STOPPED. FUNDING WAS TRICKLING
9 IN IN A WAY THAT DIDN'T ALLOW A START UP AND
10 CONTINUATION OF THE NEXT LEVEL OF FIELD WORK. IT'S
11 VERY EXPENSIVE TO START IF YOU KNOW YOU DON'T HAVE A
12 FUNDING STREAM TO KEEP YOU IN THE FIELD, TO MOBILIZE
13 CREWS AND THEN TO DEMOBILIZE THEM. SO, 2002 WAS
14 FAIRLY QUIET. 2003, THE FUNDING IS FLOWING A LITTLE
15 BIT STRONGER. AGAIN, THE WORK PLANS HAVE BEEN
16 DRAFTED FOR THOSE AREAS THAT WE MENTIONED. THE ESS
17 HAS BEEN SUBMITTED AND INITIAL COMMENTS HAVE BEEN
18 RECEIVED AND WE ANTICIPATE WINTER, POTENTIALLY,
19 BEING BACK IN THE WEDGEWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD TO COMPLETE
20 THOSE AREAS. THAT'S NOT A CONFIRMED COMMITTED
21 SCHEDULE YET. THAT'S ALL DEPENDENT UPON THE
22 APPROVAL OF THOSE PLANS. SO, AT THE NEXT MEETING,
23 WE'LL POP THAT TIMELINE OUT, 2003-2004.

24 WHAT'S NEXT? AGAIN, CONTINUING COMMUNITY
25 AWARENESS AND MAINTAINING DOCUMENTS IN THE

1 INFORMATION REPOSITORY, ON THE WEBSITE; CONTINUING
2 WITH OUR MEETINGS; CONTINUING WITH THE REMOVAL
3 EFFORTS, WHICH IS OOU3, 11C, AND 11D; COORDINATING
4 WITH THE CROFT STATE NATURAL AREA AND THE STATE PARK
5 GROUP, AS TO WHAT THEIR FUTURE DEVELOPMENT PLANS ARE
6 TO SEE, AGAIN, IF ANY OF THOSE ANTICIPATED AND
7 PROJECTED RISK REDUCTION ALTERNATIVES ARE GOING TO
8 STILL BE EFFECTIVE BASED UPON ANY POTENTIAL CHANGES
9 IN LAND USE; CONTINUE TO MONITOR AND RESPOND TO ANY
10 UNEXPECTED FINDS. WE SAY THIS AT EVERY MEETING.
11 I'LL SAY IT NOW AND I'LL SAY IT AGAIN IN ABOUT TWO
12 MORE SLIDES. IF YOU FIND ANYTHING OR IF YOU KNOW OF
13 WHERE ANYTHING MIGHT BE, THE RESPONSE IS TO CALL THE
14 SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT. SPARTANBURG COUNTY HAS A BOMB
15 RESPONSE UNIT AND WILL RESPOND AND TRACK AND
16 DOCUMENT THOSE FINDS AND HAVE THE ABILITY TO TAKE
17 CARE OF THOSE MUNITIONS. THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS
18 DOES NOT HAVE THE ABILITY TO DO AN EMERGENCY
19 RESPONSE ON AN ITEM BY ITEM BASIS, NOR DOES THE
20 CONTRACTOR. SO, WE HAVE A SYSTEM IN PLACE AND IT
21 WORKS WHEN THEY'RE CALLED. CONDUCT RECURRING
22 REVIEWS. THAT WILL BE WITHIN THE NEXT YEAR, WE WILL
23 BE LOOKING BACK IN TIME AND LOOKING FORWARD. THEN,
24 BASED UPON THE FINDINGS OF THE RECURRING REVIEWS AND
25 COORDINATING WITH PROPERTY OWNERS, EVALUATE THE

1 STATUS OF ANY ADDITIONAL SITE CHARACTERIZATIONS. DO
2 WE NEED TO RE-LOOK AT THE EE/CAs THAT HAVE BEEN
3 COMPLETED OR LOOK FOR ADDITIONAL CHARACTERIZATION
4 STUDIES? SO, AGAIN, SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT. WE CAN'T
5 EMPHASIZE THAT ENOUGH. YOU DON'T PICK UP ANYTHING
6 THAT YOU THINK LOOKS LIKE A PIECE OF MUNITION, EVEN
7 IF YOU FEEL THAT YOU KNOW THAT IT'S INERT OR IT'S
8 SCRAP. IT STILL CAN BE VERY DANGEROUS. MARK THE
9 LOCATION WITHOUT TOUCHING OR DISTURBING THAT ITEM
10 AND CALL 911 OR THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT. AND I
11 MENTIONED WHERE WE HAVE ALL THE DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE
12 FOR REVIEW AND YOU CAN CONTACT US WITH ANY
13 QUESTIONS, TOLL FREE, AT 888-242-8862. I THINK THAT
14 WRAPS UP THE OVERVIEW. RON, ANYTHING TO ADD?

15 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

16 NOTHING NECESSARILY I HAVE TO YOUR OVERVIEW,
17 EVEN THOUGH YOU TOOK A LOT OF MY INFORMATION
18 ALREADY.

19 **BY MR. McMANUS:**

20 SHE DID AN EXCELLENT JOB.

21 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

22 BUT THERE ARE A COUPLE OF THINGS THAT I JUST
23 WANTED TO JUST BRING TO YOUR ATTENTION OR
24 REEMPHASIZE. ONE IMPORTANT ITEM IS THAT WE WERE
25 ABLE TO AWARD THE CONTRACT TO GO BACK INTO WEDGEWOOD

1 THIS YEAR, WHICH WAS NOT PROGRAMMED TO HAPPEN, BY
2 THE WAY. FUNDS WERE OF SUCH LOW QUANTITY THIS YEAR
3 THAT WE REALLY DIDN'T EXPECT TO HAVE ENOUGH MONEY TO
4 BE ABLE TO DO THAT. WE WERE ABLE TO DO THAT. IT
5 HAS BEEN AWARDED AND PLYLER AND ZAPATA ARE IN THE
6 PROCESS OF MOVING FORWARD SO THAT WE CAN GET THAT
7 WORK ACCOMPLISHED IN THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR, THAT
8 BEING FY04. THERE ARE THINGS THAT HAVE TO BE DONE,
9 AS SUZY MENTIONED, PRIOR TO ACTUAL REMOVAL
10 ACTIVITIES BEGINNING, BUT YOU CAN REST ASSURED THAT
11 WE ARE MOVING FORWARD IN THAT ENDEAVOR.

12 FY04, FUNDING IS A LITTLE BETTER THAN WHAT IT
13 WAS PROJECTED FOR THIS FISCAL YEAR. HOWEVER, IT'S
14 STILL NOT OF ANY MAJOR CONSEQUENCE AS TO THE TYPE OF
15 WORK OR THE AMOUNT OF WORK THAT WE WOULD LIKE TO BE
16 ABLE TO MOBILIZE TO BRING PEOPLE IN TO REALLY GET A
17 STRONG EFFORT MOVING FORWARD, IN TERMS OF TRYING TO
18 COMPLETE THE AREAS THAT WE WANT TO COMPLETE. THERE
19 WILL BE SUPPORT ACTIVITIES ONGOING WITH THE
20 WEDGEWOOD AREA AND THE GOLF COURSE AREA. THAT
21 FUNDING FROM FY04 WILL BE ALSO WORKING TOWARD OR
22 USED TOWARD, AS WELL. SO, AS YOU CAN IMAGINE, THE
23 SCHEDULE THAT SUZY SHOWED YOU EARLIER ON AS TO THE
24 AREAS THAT WE WOULD LIKE TO COMPLETE IN FY03 AND
25 FY04, NINE TIMES OUT OF TEN, IT'S GOING TO BE PUSHED

1 BACK. AND WITH NEWS FROM WHAT THE PRESIDENT HAS
2 ASKED FOR FROM CONGRESS, ADDITIONAL FUNDING, WE WERE
3 HOPING THAT THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR, THAT BEING FY05,
4 WAS GOING TO BE A PLUS UP FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL
5 ARENA IN ITSELF. BASED ON WHAT HIS REQUEST IS FOR
6 FUNDING AND WHAT WE, AS A NATION, ARE INVOLVED IN,
7 THE CHANCES OF US BEING PLUS UP IS VERY NIL. BUT
8 NEEDLESS TO SAY, THAT HASN'T BEEN COMMUNICATED TO US
9 AT THIS POINT IN TIME, BUT WE ARE HOPING THAT WHAT
10 WE HAVE ACTUALLY BEEN PROGRAMMED TO GET THIS COMING
11 FISCAL YEAR, THAT WE STILL GET THAT. WHEREVER OR
12 WHENEVER THERE IS A REQUEST OR A REQUIREMENT SUCH AS
13 \$87 BILLION TO BE USED AT A PARTICULAR AREA, THERE
14 ARE FUNDING AREAS THAT WERE PROJECTED TO GO THAT
15 WILL ACTUALLY BE MINIMIZED IN WHAT THEY GET. FUNDS
16 WILL BE COMING FROM ELSEWHERE. SO, WE EXPECT TO GET
17 HIT AGAIN, JUST TO LET YOU KNOW THAT. WE CANNOT,
18 SHALL WE SAY, TELL YOU TO TALK TO YOUR CONGRESSMEN
19 OR ANYONE ELSE TO EARMARK SPECIFIC PROJECTS OR
20 ANYTHING LIKE THAT FOR FUNDING, AND I'M NOT TELLING
21 YOU THAT TODAY OR TONIGHT, BUT I WILL TELL YOU THAT
22 IF, IN FACT, YOU DID THAT, JUST BE AWARE OF THE
23 IMPACTS WITHIN THIS PROGRAM AND WITHIN SOUTH
24 CAROLINA, ON A WHOLE. THERE IS ONLY LIMITED FUNDING
25 AND IF CERTAIN PROJECT AREAS DO BECOME ONE OF HIGH

1 CONSIDERATION AND THEY TAKE MONEY AND OBLIGATE IT
2 DIRECTLY OR SPECIFY IT FOR THAT PROJECT, THERE ARE
3 IMPACTS WITHIN THE STATE AND OTHER STATES THAT HAVE
4 TO SUFFER THE CONSEQUENCES. BUT NONETHELESS, SOUTH
5 CAROLINA IS OUR PRIMARY CONCERN AND WHEN FUNDS COME
6 AND QUESTIONS ARE ASKED, PEOPLE TEND TO AT LEAST
7 RESPOND TO YOUR INQUIRIES A LOT FASTER THAN TO MINE.
8 I'LL PUT IT THAT WAY, OKAY? ONE OTHER THING I WANT
9 TO MENTION TO YOU IS SINCE OUR LAST MEETING, WE HAVE
10 HAD A CHANGE OF COMMAND AT THE CHARLESTON DISTRICT.
11 COLONEL MUELLER, OUR LAST COMMANDER, HAS MOVED ON
12 BACK TO WASHINGTON, IN FACT, AT THE PENTAGON, AND WE
13 HAVE A NEW COMMANDER, COLONEL LEE. I HAVE NOT
14 SCHEDULED A DATE YET FOR HIM TO COME DOWN, BUT
15 BEFORE HIS TOUR OF DUTY IS OVER, FOR SURE, I WILL
16 BRING HIM HERE FOR ONE OF OUR RAB MEETINGS. HE HAS
17 ALREADY ASKED WHEN THAT CAN HAPPEN AND THE BIGGEST
18 THING IS, OF COURSE, WITH HIM JUST MOVING ON BOARD,
19 HE'S GOT A NUMBER OF PLACES THAT HE IS MANDATED TO
20 VISIT AND/OR DEAL WITH PRIOR TO ME BEING ABLE TO
21 EXTRACT HIM TO COME HERE. BUT THIS IS ONE OF HIS
22 PRIORITIES AND HE WILL DEFINITELY MAKE A VISIT
23 BEFORE TOO LONG.

24 THE LAST ITEM I WANT TO MENTION IS ABOUT FUTURE
25 WORK. WE HAVE A NUMBER OF ISSUES AND CONCERNS ABOUT

1 DIFFERENT AREAS THAT WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE WORK
2 AND/OR HIGH CONSIDERATIONS PLACED ON PROJECTS OR
3 SITES. I JUST WANT TO REMIND EVERYONE OR MENTION,
4 AT LEAST, FOR A LOT OF FOLKS THAT HAVEN'T BEEN TO
5 THE MEETINGS BEFORE, THAT WE STILL ARE WORKING ON
6 ITEMS THAT HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED IN EE/CA NUMBER TWO.
7 THE PRIORITY SITES HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED OR ARE BEING
8 ADDRESSED, AND ANY OTHER SITES POTENTIALLY THAT WE
9 MIGHT NEED TO WORK ON, IT DOESN'T SAY THAT WE CAN'T
10 LOOK AT OTHER SITES FOR CONSIDERATION OR DISCUSS
11 SITES FOR FUTURE WORK. IT JUST MEANS THAT BASED
12 UPON THE INVESTIGATIONS THAT WE HAVE DONE AND THE
13 LAND USE OF THOSE PROPERTIES, IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED
14 THAT THOSE SITES HAVE A HIGHER PRIORITY AND THOSE
15 ARE THE ONES THAT WE'LL WORK ON FIRST, ASSUMING WE
16 HAVE FUNDS TO WORK ON THEM. SO, AS FUNDS BECOME
17 AVAILABLE, WE ARE WORKING HARD TO TRY TO, AT LEAST,
18 GET RID OF OR RESTORE THOSE AREAS BY REMOVAL OR
19 WHATEVER THE EE/CA HAS RECOMMENDED THAT WE DO TO
20 THOSE AREAS. OKAY. YES, SIR?

21 **BY WILLIAM DUKES:**

22 HAS THE PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED \$15 MILLION
23 BEEN SPENT?

24 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

1 YES. LET ME CLARIFY THAT. THIS IS -- YOU'RE
2 NOT THE FIRST, SIR, THAT HAS BROUGHT THE QUESTION
3 WHAT ABOUT THAT \$15 MILLION OR \$20 MILLION THAT HAS
4 BEEN APPROPRIATED FOR THIS PROJECT. THAT \$15
5 MILLION OR \$14 MILLION OR EVEN \$18 MILLION HAS BEEN
6 SPENT ON THIS PROJECT. FROM '95 TO 2003, THAT'S A
7 COMBINATION OF AN AMOUNT OF MONEY THAT HAS BEEN
8 SPENT ON THIS PROJECT SO FAR. SO, IN DIFFERENT
9 YEARS, THERE ARE CERTAIN NUMBERS AND PERCENTAGES OF
10 THAT THAT HAVE BEEN SPENT EACH YEAR. EVEN THOUGH
11 YOU MAY NOT SEE US ON THE SITE ACTUALLY WORKING,
12 WORK IS STILL GOING ON AND COORDINATION EFFORTS AND
13 EVERYTHING ELSE THAT'S ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROJECT
14 THAT WE MUST DO IN ORDER TO MAKE IT ACTUALLY HAPPEN.
15 BUT THE \$15 MILLION HAS BEEN SPENT, ESSENTIALLY,
16 ALREADY. WE TRY TO KEEP THAT NUMBER MOVING FORWARD
17 TO SHOW EXACTLY OR AT LEAST GIVE EVERYONE AN IDEA OF
18 HOW MUCH MONEY HAS BEEN EXPENDED ON THIS PROJECT,
19 NOT JUST FOR INFORMATION, BUT SO PEOPLE CAN SEE
20 ESSENTIALLY THAT IT'S AN EXPENSIVE VENTURE THAT
21 WE'RE INVOLVED IN AND AS WE GO ALONG, IT'S BEGINNING
22 TO BE EVEN MORE EXPENSIVE AS TIME CONTINUES.

23 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

24 SIR, MAY WE GET YOUR NAME FOR THE RECORD?

25 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

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YES.

BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

YOUR NAME, SIR?

BY MR. DUKES:

BILL, WILLIAM DUKES, D-U-K-E-S.

BY MR. HAYES:

OKAY. IS THAT ALL?

BY MR. NESBIT:

ONE THING, I WOULD LIKE PLYLER TO GO IN A
LITTLE MORE -- IF HE HAS ANYTHING ELSE TO SAY.

BY MR. PLYLER McMANUS:

SURE, I'D BE GLAD TO. IN HUNTSVILLE, OUR JOB
AS PART OF THE TEAM IS TO GET US IN POSITION, WHEN
THE FUNDS BECOME AVAILABLE, TO GET IN THE FIELD AND
WORK. SO, WHAT WE'VE BEEN DOING SINCE THE LAST RAB
MEETING THAT WE'VE ATTENDED IS TO GET THE PLANS IN
PLACE AND THE CONTRACTS IN PLACE SO THAT WE CAN GET
ZAPATA IN THE FIELDS WHEN THE FUNDS DO BECOME
AVAILABLE. IT'S FAIRLY COMMON FOR, RECOGNIZING THAT
WE'RE A BUREAUCRACY AND RECOGNIZING THAT, FOR
EXAMPLE, THERE'S A NUMBER OF PLANS THAT HAVE TO BE
PUT IN PLACE FOR A PROJECT TO COME OFF AND OTHER
PROJECTS AREN'T IN A POSITION TO UTILIZE THE FUNDS
THAT HAVE BEEN ALLOCATED TO THEM. SO, ONE OF THE
STRATEGIES THAT WE'VE TAKEN HERE AT CAMP CROFT IS TO

1 GET OUR CONTRACTS IN PLACE AND OUR PLANS IN PLACE SO
2 THAT IF OTHER PROJECTS, FOR WHATEVER REASON, CAN'T
3 UTILIZE THE FUNDS THAT ARE ALLOCATED TO THEM, THAT
4 WE'RE IN A POSITION TO USE THEM HERE. SO, THAT'S
5 THE STRATEGY THAT WE'VE BEEN TAKING AND THAT'S THE
6 REASON THIS YEAR, WE WERE ABLE TO GET FUNDS IN PLACE
7 THAT WE REALLY HADN'T PLANNED FOR. OTHER PROJECTS
8 WITHIN THE REGION WERE UNABLE TO USE THE FUNDS AND
9 WE WERE STRATEGICALLY POSITIONED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE
10 OF THEIR MISFORTUNE. SO, THAT'S WHY WE GOT ZAPATA
11 OUT HERE PREPARED TO WORK. AND WE'VE LAID OUT PLANS
12 FOR THE NEXT FEW YEARS, ACTUALLY, SO THAT WE WILL BE
13 IN AS GOOD A POSITION AS WE CAN BE TO CONTINUE WORK
14 AND AGGRESSIVELY WORK HERE AT CAMP CROFT AS WE CAN.
15 SO, AS SOON AS WE GET THE EXPLOSIVE SAFETY
16 SUBMISSION APPROVED, WE'LL BE BACK UP AT CAMP CROFT
17 FINISHING THE AREA IN WEDGEWOOD THAT WAS STARTED A
18 YEAR OR SO AGO AND WE'LL CONTINUE TO STAY IN
19 POSITION UNTIL THE FUNDS DO BECOME AVAILABLE AND
20 WE'LL BE BACK UP THERE WORKING.

21 **BY MR. HAYES:**

22 DOES THE BOARD HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR ANYTHING
23 ON THIS PRESENTATION? OKAY. DOES ANYBODY IN THE
24 AUDIENCE HAVE ANY QUESTIONS? I WANT TO REMIND YOU
25 THAT WE NEED TO KEEP THIS TO THIS PRESENTATION ONLY.

1 WE'LL BRING UP OLD BUSINESS AND NEW BUSINESS LATER.
2 BE SURE TO STATE YOUR NAME AND SPEAK CLEARLY AND
3 LIMIT DISCUSSIONS TO THE TOPICS PRESENTED BY SUZY
4 AND RON AND PLYLER. IF THERE ARE OTHER DISCUSSIONS,
5 WE'LL NEED TO BRING THAT UP WITH NEW BUSINESS LATER
6 ON. OKAY, HAROLD.

7 **BY MR. HAROLD OSBORNE:**

8 HAROLD OSBORNE. I WANT TO ASK CHARLESTON AND
9 YOU, WHAT WAS THE HELICOPTERS FLYING AROUND HERE
10 TODAY?

11 **BY MR. HAYES:**

12 HAROLD, THAT HASN'T GOT ANYTHING TO DO WITH THE
13 PRESENTATION. WE NEED TO STAY ---

14 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

15 MILITARY HELICOPTERS WITH PODS UNDERNEATH DOING
16 SOMETHING, HUNTING SOMETHING.

17 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

18 TODAY?

19 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

20 CORPS ENGINEERS SHOULD KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON,
21 SHOULDN'T THEY?

22 **BY MR. HAYES:**

23 THIS HASN'T GOT ANYTHING TO DO WITH THE
24 PRESENTATION. IF YOU WANT TO BRING UP THINGS ABOUT
25 HELICOPTERS, WE NEED TO BRING THAT UP WITH NEW

1 BUSINESS LATER ON. OKAY. LET ME REMIND YOU. THIS
2 IS JUST FOR THE PRESENTATIONS GIVEN BY SUZY AND RON.

3 **BY MR. MICHAEL WINNINGHAM:**

4 AND IF YOU COULD GIVE ME THE PAGE NUMBER YOU
5 WANT TO REFERENCE, I'LL PULL IT UP ON THE SCREEN,
6 ALSO.

7 **BY MR. HAYES:**

8 OKAY. ANYBODY HAVE ANY QUESTIONS? OKAY, MR.
9 STEWART. SAY YOUR NAME AND SPEAK UP CLEARLY.

10 **BY MR. STONEWALL STEWART, JR.:**

11 STONEWALL STEWART, JR. MY QUESTION IS IN
12 REFERENCE TO THE CONTRACT TO DO THE WORK AND HAVE
13 BEEN DOING THE WORK, IF AND WHEN THEY AWARD THAT NEW
14 CONTRACT, IS THIS PUBLIC INFORMATION?

15 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

16 YES, SIR.

17 **BY MR. STEWART:**

18 SO, THESE RECORDS ARE IN THE LIBRARY?

19 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

20 THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS ARE.

21 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

22 THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS ARE. AS FAR AS THE
23 SPECIFIC DOLLAR AMOUNT AND SO ON, THAT'S -- YOU CAN
24 GET THAT INFORMATION THROUGH THE FREEDOM OF
25 INFORMATION ACT, BUT YOU HAVE TO REQUEST THAT FROM

1 THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS AND OUR CONTRACTING OFFICE
2 THROUGH PLYLER WOULD DEAL WITH THAT. YOU HAVE TO
3 PAY FOR THAT INFORMATION, BUT THAT INFORMATION IS
4 AVAILABLE.

5 **BY MR. McMANUS:**

6 AND ANY INFORMATION THAT WE CAN RELEASE, WE'D
7 CERTAINLY BE GLAD TO DO SO. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO
8 CONTACT US, WE CAN LOOK INTO WHAT WE CAN RELEASE TO
9 YOU.

10 **BY MR. STEWART:**

11 THANK YOU.

12 **BY MR. HAYES:**

13 ANYONE ELSE? SIR?

14 **BY MR. BRUCE DELL:**

15 MY NAME IS BRUCE DELL. I HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT
16 THE SECTION OF TRAILS THAT WERE IN THE PRESENTATION,
17 OOU9. IT'S A REFERENCE ON THE MAP AS 9C. 9C
18 INDICATES THAT NO FURTHER ACTION IS GOING TO OCCUR
19 IN THAT AREA. THERE IS A SERIES OF EQUESTRIAN
20 TRAILS IN THE AREA THAT IS ENCLOSED AND I WANTED TO
21 SEE WHAT THE PROSPECT WAS OF OPENING THOSE TRAILS
22 SINCE NO FURTHER ACTION IS INDICATED.

23 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

24 IF I REMEMBER CORRECTLY, AND CORRECT ME IF I'M
25 WRONG, THOSE ARE AREAS THAT DURING THE COURSE OF

1 INVESTIGATION AT THE EARLY STAGE OF THE PROJECT AREA
2 AT CAMP CROFT, BASED UPON THE LAND USE OF THE
3 PROPERTY AND OUR INVESTIGATION, IT WAS DETERMINED
4 THAT THERE WERE NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION REQUIRED
5 FOR THAT AREA. NOW ---

6 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

7 NO ORDNANCE WAS FOUND.

8 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

9 NO ORDNANCE WAS ESSENTIALLY FOUND. OKAY. NOW,
10 AS FAR AS WE'RE CONCERNED, THE PARK SERVICE IN THAT
11 PARTICULAR AREA, WE GAVE THAT REPORT AND EXPLAINED
12 OUR POSITION AT THAT TIME, TECHNICAL INFORMATION.
13 AS FAR AS WE WERE CONCERNED, AT THAT POINT IN TIME,
14 WE HAD NO MORE -- WE SAW NOTHING ELSE THAT WE NEEDED
15 TO DO IN THAT AREA, BASED ON HOW IT WAS IDENTIFIED
16 TO BE USED, AT THAT POINT IN TIME.

17 **BY MR. DELL:**

18 SO, AS FAR AS THE -- THE WAY I INTERPRET YOUR
19 RESPONSE TO ME, AS FAR AS THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS IS
20 CONCERNED AND ZAPATA ENGINEERING, THAT THE TRAILS
21 CAN BE OPENED IF THE STATE OR PARK SERVICE WISHES TO
22 DO SO. IS THAT YOUR POSITION?

23 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

24 WE ARE NOT IN A POSITION TO STOP THE PARK FROM
25 OPENING ANY AREAS THEY WANT. THIS AREA IS ONE THAT

1 WE DID INVESTIGATE AND WE DID HAVE A REPORT THAT WE
2 SAW NO REASON WHY, FROM A TECHNICAL PERSPECTIVE,
3 THAT IT POSSIBLY COULD NOT BE.

4 **BY MR. DELL:**

5 OKAY. FAIR ENOUGH. THANK YOU.

6 **BY MR. HAYES:**

7 SIR?

8 **BY MR. MIKE FOLEY:**

9 MIKE FOLEY. I'M WITH THE STATE PARK SERVICE.
10 RON, IT'S A LOT MORE COMPLICATED THAN THAT. I MEAN,
11 IT SEEMS THAT THE CORPS IS NOW LAYING OFF THAT
12 RESPONSIBILITY ON THE PARK AND I'VE GOT IN WRITING
13 FROM THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS THAT CERTAIN ACTIONS IN
14 SOME OF THOSE AREAS THAT WERE RECOMMENDED FOR NO
15 FURTHER ACTION OR WERE NEVER DECLARED AN OOU, THAT
16 ANY INTRUSIVE ACTION, SUCH AS THE CONSTRUCTION OF
17 TRAILS, IT IS RECOMMENDED BY THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS
18 THAT WE GET ---

19 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

20 FURTHER ACTION.

21 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

22 THAT WE GET CLEARANCE THROUGH EXPERTS, WHICH
23 LEAVES US IN THE POSITION OF THE CORPS IS NOT GOING
24 TO DO IT. IT'S NOT SCHEDULED AND WE'VE GOT A
25 RECOMMENDATION IN WRITING FROM THE CORPS THAT THOSE

1 AREAS ARE RECOMMENDED FOR CLEARANCE BY ORDNANCE
2 EXPERTS. AND YET, THE CORPS ISN'T GOING TO DO IT.
3 I'VE GOT THAT IN WRITING FROM THE CORPS. SO, WHEN
4 YOU SAY THAT YOU CAN'T STOP US FROM OPENING THE
5 TRAILS, WHEN I GET THAT KIND OF OPINION IN MY FILES,
6 IT'S PRETTY DIFFICULT FOR US JUST TO OPEN THE
7 TRAILS. SO, YOU KNOW, I THINK THAT ANSWER THAT YOU
8 GAVE NEEDS TO BE TEMPERED, WHICH LEADS ME TO A
9 QUESTION. SUZY'S PRESENTATION ON WHAT'S NEXT, THE
10 CONSULTATION WITH THE PARK SERVICE, WHEN CAN WE
11 EXPECT THAT TO HAPPEN? IS THAT WHAT'S NEXT THIS
12 YEAR OR IS THAT WHAT'S NEXT IN THREE OR FOUR YEARS?

13 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

14 THAT IS RECURRING.

15 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

16 IT'S WHAT?

17 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

18 WE WERE DISCUSSING WHICH SLIDE. RECURRING
19 REVIEW OR A FORMAL RECURRING REVIEW OF WHAT HAS BEEN
20 ALREADY ACCOMPLISHED TODAY, IT WOULD BE IN 2005, BUT
21 I DON'T THINK WE NEED TO BE HELD TO THAT SCHEDULE IF
22 THERE IS AN INITIATION OF DIALOGUE AND CONCERN AND
23 FOLLOW UP BASED UPON THE PARK SERVICE AND PROJECTED
24 NEW TRAIL DEVELOPMENT OR TRAIL EXPANSION. I DON'T

1 WANT TO SPEAK ON BEHALF OF THE CORPS THAT THAT
2 DIALOGUE DOESN'T HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL A SET PERIOD.

3 **BY MR. McMANUS:**

4 YES, IF YOU'RE REALLY INTERESTED IN RELOOKING
5 AT THOSE TRAILS AND WANT US TO GO BACK AND TAKE A
6 LOOK AT, YOU KNOW, THE WORK THAT WE'VE DONE IN THAT
7 AREA AND THE WORK THAT WE WOULD RECOMMEND TO BE DONE
8 IN THE FUTURE IN THAT AREA IF YOU DO DECIDE TO OPEN
9 THOSE TRAILS, IF YOU WANT TO START THAT DIALOGUE,
10 WE'LL BE GLAD TO DO THAT.

11 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

12 WELL, WE'VE GOT OOU10, WHICH IS, I ASSUME,
13 10ABC ON ---

14 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

15 MM-HMM (AFFIRMATIVE RESPONSE).

16 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

17 YES.

18 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

19 IS THAT WHAT THAT IS?

20 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

21 YES.

22 **BY MR. WINNINGHAM:**

23 YES, ACTUALLY THE RECURRING REVIEW IN 2004,
24 BASED ON THIS SCHEDULE UP HERE. AND THEN, ALL ---

25 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

1 SO, TEN IS 10ABC.

2 **BY MR. WINNINGHAM:**

3 AND ALL THE SUB-PARCELS RELATED TO THAT.

4 **BY MR. McMANUS:**

5 AND REALLY, WHAT THEY WERE JUST REFERENCING, WE
6 GENERALLY GO BACK EVERY FIVE YEARS AND TAKE A LOOK
7 AT HAS THE LAND USE OR THE PROJECTED LAND USE
8 CHANGED, YOU KNOW, IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS. SO, THAT
9 DOESN'T MEAN THAT WE CAN'T COME BACK AT ANY TIME
10 WHEN A STAKE HOLDER COMES IN AND PROPOSES A CHANGE
11 IN LAND USE.

12 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

13 WITHOUT GETTING INTO IT, YOU KNOW, LOOKING AT
14 10ABC, WE PROBABLY HAVE LESS INTEREST IN HAVING
15 RECREATIONAL ACCESS TO THAT PROPERTY THAN A LOT OF
16 OTHER PROPERTIES, WHICH IS WHY I WAS INTERESTED IN
17 IF YOU FLIP BACK TO WHAT'S NEXT. THAT SEEMED TO BE
18 A SCHEDULE, BUT HAVE YOU GOTTEN A TASK ORDER TO
19 CONSULT WITH THE STATE PARK?

20 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

21 THAT WASN'T -- WHAT'S NEXT IS JUST PUTTING OUT
22 A THOUGHT PROCESS OF THINGS THAT WE DON'T WANT TO
23 LOSE TRACK OF ---

24 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

25 SO, IT'S NOT A TASK ORDER?

1 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

2 NOT AT THIS POINT IN TIME.

3 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

4 IT'S NOT A TASK ORDER AND IT'S NOT A SET
5 SCHEDULE.

6 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

7 IF WE WANTED TO START THAT DIALOGUE THIS YEAR,
8 ARE YOU FUNDED TO DO THAT?

9 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

10 THAT'S A QUESTION TO THE CORPS AND NOT DIRECTLY
11 TO US.

12 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

13 RIGHT, BECAUSE THEY WOULD HAVE TO GIVE YOU A
14 TASK ORDER. OTHERWISE, IT DOESN'T MEAN ANYTHING.
15 IT'S JUST A THOUGHT BECAUSE WE'RE VERY INTERESTED IN
16 THAT DIALOGUE.

17 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

18 ESSENTIALLY, MIKE, WHERE WE ARE IS WE HAVE
19 FUNDS TO DISCUSS DIFFERENT AREAS OF WHAT YOUR
20 CONCERNS ARE, OKAY? NOW, ARE YOU ASKING US TO SIT
21 DOWN AND DISCUSS FUTURE WORK THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO
22 SEE ACCOMPLISHED FOR THE PARK SERVICE? WE'RE ALWAYS
23 PREPARED TO SIT DOWN AND DO THAT. ARE YOU SAYING TO
24 ME THAT THIS IS SOME WORK THAT YOU WANT US TO
25 PROGRAM FOR THE NEXT YEAR OR THE FOLLOWING YEAR, I

1 CAN'T GIVE YOU AN ANSWER TO THAT BECAUSE WE HAVEN'T
2 EVEN COMPLETED THE WORK WE HAVE ALREADY STARTED.

3 BY MR. FOLEY:

4 I'M NOT ASKING THAT AT ALL.

5 BY MR. NESBIT:

6 OKAY.

7 BY MR. FOLEY:

8 BUT, YOU KNOW, IN THE PRESENTATION, I SEE
9 WHAT'S NEXT AND THERE'S AN ITEM THAT WE'RE VERY
10 INTERESTED IN AND I'D LIKE VERY MUCH FOR THAT TO
11 HAPPEN.

12 BY MR. NESBIT:

13 WELL, THEN, THE PRESENTATION DID WHAT IT WAS
14 SUPPOSED TO, PIQUE AN INTEREST AND GET SOME FOLKS TO
15 ACTUALLY START LOOKING DOWN THE ROAD. ARE THERE
16 SOME INTERESTS IN THAT OR OTHER AREAS OF CONCERN
17 THAT NEED TO BE BROUGHT TO OUR ATTENTION SO THAT WE
18 CAN ACTUALLY SIT DOWN AND BEGIN A DIALOGUE AND DO
19 WHAT'S NECESSARY TO ASSIST, IF WE CAN.

20 BY MR. FOLEY:

21 WELL, I'LL BE HOUNDING YOU, THEN.

22 BY MR. NESBIT:

23 I'M SURE YOU WOULD. TO GO BACK TO A COMMENT
24 THAT YOU MADE ABOUT THE SPECIFIC AREAS AND TEMPERING
25 MY STATEMENT, I WAS TALKING IN THE BROAD SENSE AND

1 NOT A PARTICULAR AREA, AS FAR AS WHICH TRAIL AND SO
2 ON THAT NEEDS TO BE ADDRESSED AND/OR OPENED. BASED
3 UPON EARLIER DISCUSSIONS, WE HAVE OFTENTIMES SAID
4 THAT WELL, THIS IS AN AREA THAT WE WOULD LIKE TO
5 LOOK AT FOR RECONSIDERATION AND WE HAVE PROVIDED
6 INFORMATION BASICALLY TO HELP WITH THAT DECISION.
7 WE HAVE GIVEN INFORMATION BASED ON OUR TECHNICAL
8 ANALYSIS, WHAT WE THOUGHT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE TO
9 HELP YOU IN DECIDING WHAT YOU NEED TO DO. OKAY.
10 BUT THE PORTION OF THE STATEMENT THAT SAYS WE STILL
11 CANNOT OVERRIDE YOUR CONCERNS OR SAFETY AND SO ON
12 STILL STANDS. IT'S NOT OUR DECISION TO MAKE. OKAY?
13 WE WILL DO WHATEVER WE CAN, FROM A TECHNICAL
14 PERSPECTIVE TO ASSIST, AS WELL AS MOVE OURSELVES IN
15 POSITION DOWN THE ROAD TO EVEN REAFFIRM AN AREA THAT
16 MAY NEED TO CHANGE ITS USE BASED ON YOUR LAND USE
17 PROJECTIONS FOR THE COMING YEAR OR YEARS DOWN THE
18 ROAD, WHERE WE MIGHT HAVE TO CHANGE AND DO SOMETHING
19 DIFFERENT.

20 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

21 BUT YOU DO UNDERSTAND THAT THERE ARE WRITTEN
22 COMMENTS ---

23 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

24 SURE.

25 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

1 IN MY FILES THAT SUGGEST THAT WE CAN OPEN
2 CERTAIN AREAS IF WE GO IN WITH UXO ORDNANCE PEOPLE
3 AND YET IT'S NOT FUNDED. I MEAN, IS THAT A
4 SUGGESTION THAT WE HAVE TO GO OUT AND FUND IT
5 OURSELVES?

6 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

7 THAT'S A SUGGESTION THAT ONCE WE HAVE COMPLETED
8 WHAT WE HAVE TO DO, IN TERMS OF WHAT IS ALREADY ON
9 THE PLATE, OKAY, UNLESS PRIORITY CHANGES. IF YOU
10 FEEL THAT THAT AREA OR OPENING THOSE TRAILS IS A
11 HIGHER PRIORITY THAN SOME OF THOSE THAT WE HAVE
12 ALREADY IDENTIFIED, THEN WE NEED TO TALK ABOUT THAT
13 AND IT HAS TO GO, NOT JUST FROM CHARLESTON, BUT IT
14 HAS TO GO BEYOND, AS YOU KNOW. SO, THE PRIORITY, IN
15 ITSELF, WILL REALLY ADDRESS HOW AND WHAT WE DO DOWN
16 THE ROAD.

17 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

18 AND THEN, FOLLOWED BY OOU10, ALTHOUGH WAY DOWN
19 THE ROAD, IT MAY NOT HAPPEN UNTIL 2006, THAT MAY NOT
20 BE OUR PRIORITY AT ALL BECAUSE WE'RE NOT INTERESTED
21 IN THE ACADEMIC EXERCISE. WE'RE INTERESTED IN BEING
22 ABLE TO MAKE AS MUCH OF THE PARK AS PRACTICAL,
23 USABLE TO THE PUBLIC.

24 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

25 SURE, I UNDERSTAND.

1 **BY MR. FOLEY:**

2 AND THERE'S A PRIORITY POLICY OUT THERE, YOU
3 KNOW, THAT MAY NOT FIT OUR NEEDS AT ALL AND WILL
4 COST A LOT OF MONEY AND, IN THE LONG RUN, IT WON'T
5 ACCOMPLISH MUCH.

6 **BY MR. McMANUS:**

7 WELL, WE CERTAINLY CAN SIT DOWN WITH THEM, RON,
8 AND IF WE NEED TO ADJUST THOSE PRIORITIES, WE CAN
9 CERTAINLY TALK ABOUT WHERE THEY'RE SITTING AND
10 WHETHER WE NEED TO CHANGE THEM. AND OBVIOUSLY, WE
11 CAN DO THAT. I GUESS IN THE NEAR TERM, SUZY, MAYBE
12 WE CAN TAKE A LOOK AT THE AREA THAT HE'S TALKING
13 ABOUT, PULL OUT THE DOCUMENTS. I'M NOT AWARE OF THE
14 DOCUMENT THAT YOU'RE REFERRING TO, BUT WE CERTAINLY
15 CAN PREPARE ONE OF THOSE DISCUSSIONS AND SOMETIME
16 THAT YOU GUYS WOULD LIKE TO SCHEDULE WHEN WE CAN GET
17 TOGETHER AND DISCUSS, WE'RE CERTAINLY PREPARED TO DO
18 SO.

19 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

20 SURE.

21 **BY MR. TYNER:**

22 IF I COULD MAKE A COMMENT ON THAT, WHEN
23 ORIGINALLY THAT DOCUMENT CAME OUT, THE NO FURTHER
24 ACTION WAS PROBABLY BASED ON THE EXISTING TRAILS AND
25 WITH A CAVEAT IN THERE THAT IF YOU'RE GOING TO BUILD

1 ADDITIONAL TRAILS, WIDEN OR MAINTAIN OR ANY TYPE OF
2 SUBSURFACE STUFF, THEN THERE WOULD BE SOME FURTHER
3 ACTION THAT WE WOULD REQUIRE.

4 BY MR. McMANUS:

5 RIGHT. AND IT'S THAT COMMUNICATION THAT WE
6 WOULD WANT TO MAKE SURE IS CLEAR. THAT WOULD BE, I
7 WOULD THINK, ONE OF THE GOALS OF OUR CONVERSATION.
8 OUR DISCUSSION WOULD BE THAT YOU UNDERSTAND CLEARLY
9 WHAT OUR PERSPECTIVE IS AND, YOU KNOW, IF IT'S AS
10 LIMITING AS YOU SAID, OBVIOUSLY WE WOULD WANT TO
11 MAKE SURE YOU WERE ---

12 BY MR. FOLEY:

13 WELL, IF I COULD JUST BRING YOU UP TO SPEED ON
14 WHERE WE'VE BEEN AND ---

15 BY MR. McMANUS:

16 RIGHT. AND IT SOUNDS LIKE SOME OF YOUR LAND
17 USES HAVE CHANGED, MAYBE SINCE ---

18 BY MR. NESBIT:

19 SOME LAND USE ---

20 BY MR. McMANUS:

21 YOU KNOW, SINCE '96 OR '97.

22 BY MR. NESBIT:

23 THAT ARE PLANNING TO BE CHANGED.

24 BY MR. FOLEY:

25 RIGHT.

1 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

2 OKAY.

3 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

4 ONE MORE QUESTION, HAROLD OSBORNE. YOU STATED
5 THAT MONEY FOR WEDGEWOOD AND THE GOLF COURSE.

6 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

7 THE PORTION, YES, BETWEEN THE WEDGEWOOD AREA
8 AND ---

9 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

10 THE BUFFER AREA.

11 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

12 THE BUFFER AREA.

13 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

14 AROUND THE GOLF COURSE AREA?

15 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

16 MM-HMM (AFFIRMATIVE RESPONSE).

17 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

18 THEN, YOU'RE ADMITTING THAT THERE WAS
19 AMMUNITION AND THINGS FOUND THERE AND TRANSPORTED
20 NOT TOO AWFUL LONG AGO AND PUT IN A PEACH SHED AND
21 THEN AN OUTFIT FROM CAMP GORDON CAME AND PICKED IT
22 UP?

23 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

24 NO, WE REPORTED ON THAT AT THE OTHER MEETING
25 AND THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT REPORTED AS TO WHAT HAD

1 TRANSPIRED. THIS IS THE FOLLOW-ON TO WHEN THE
2 PREVIOUS CONTRACTOR WAS ON SITE IN 2000 AND 2001
3 THAT WAS NOT COMPLETED. THIS ISN'T ANY RESPONSE TO
4 A RECENT EVENT.

5 BY MR. HAYES:

6 BUT THE NEXT REMOVAL OR CLEARANCE IS GOING TO
7 BE DOWN TOWARDS WEDGEWOOD AND THAT SHOULD GO ON THIS
8 YEAR.

9 BY MR. NESBIT:

10 YES.

11 BY MR. HAYES:

12 THAT'S THE NEXT FUNDING.

13 BY MR. NESBIT:

14 YES.

15 BY MR. HAYES:

16 OKAY. ANYMORE QUESTIONS ON THIS PRESENTATION?
17 OKAY. I WANT TO THANK EVERYBODY THAT HAD THEIR
18 QUESTIONS. NOW, WE HAVE OLD BUSINESS AND FOR OLD
19 BUSINESS, SOMEBODY WOULD NEED TO WRITE TO SUZY OR
20 BRING IT UP AT THE LAST MEETING. SO, SUZY, DO WE
21 HAVE ANY OLD BUSINESS?

22 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

23 I DID HAVE SOME INQUIRIES THAT I WANTED TO
24 FORMALLY RESPOND TO OVER THE PAST FEW MONTHS, SOME
25 TELEPHONE INQUIRIES. ONE WAS A CALL REGARDING

1 DISCLOSURE OF PREVIOUS LAND USE FOR PROPERTY
2 TRANSFERS WITHIN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA AND THE
3 ROLE THAT THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS HAS TO RESPOND OR
4 TO PROVIDE INFORMATION FOR THOSE PROPERTY TRANSFERS
5 AND I FORWARDED THOSE TO RON IN CHARLESTON AND
6 PLYLER IN HUNTSVILLE. I DID RECEIVE A STATEMENT
7 THROUGH COUNSEL IN HUNTSVILLE. DO YOU WANT TO STATE
8 THAT OR WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO?

9 **BY MR. McMANUS:**

10 SURE, I'LL BE GLAD TO. ONE OF THE THINGS THAT
11 WE ALWAYS LOOK AT WHEN WE DO AN EE/CA AND WE
12 DETERMINE, YOU KNOW, HOW WE WANT TO BEST MINIMIZE
13 THE RISK TO THE PUBLIC FROM THE ORDNANCE THAT WAS
14 THERE, WE LOOK AT ALL THE OPTIONS THAT WE HAVE. WE
15 LOOK AT, OBVIOUSLY WE'VE TALKED ABOUT REMOVAL, WE'VE
16 TALKED ABOUT INSTITUTIONAL CONTROLS. ONE OF THE
17 OPTIONS THAT WE HAVE IN SOME STATES IS TO PUT SOME
18 LAND USE RESTRICTIONS ON THE PROPERTY OR POSSIBLY
19 NOTIFICATION RESTRICTIONS ON THE PROPERTY SO THAT
20 WHEN PROPERTY MOVES FROM ONE LANDOWNER TO THE NEXT,
21 THAT THERE IS NOTIFICATION TO THE, YOU KNOW,
22 POTENTIAL NEW LANDOWNER. BUT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT
23 IS LIMITED BY STATE LAW IN WHAT THEY CAN DO, AS IT
24 RELATES TO NOTIFICATION OF LANDOWNERS. OUR
25 ATTORNEYS OBVIOUSLY LOOKED AT THE STATE OF SOUTH

1 CAROLINA AND WHAT ABILITY WE HAD TO PLACE
2 REQUIREMENTS ON LANDOWNERS TO NOTIFY POTENTIAL
3 BUYERS OF PROPERTY THAT CAMP CROFT WAS HERE AND THAT
4 THERE'S POSSIBLE OR POTENTIAL FOR ORDNANCE HERE.
5 THE FEEDBACK THAT I GOT FROM OUR ATTORNEYS IS THAT
6 WHEN THEY DID THAT RESEARCH, THAT THEY FOUND THAT
7 THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA HAS NO REQUIREMENT FOR
8 LANDOWNERS TO INFORM POTENTIAL NEW LANDOWNERS THAT
9 THERE WAS, YOU KNOW, CAMP CROFT HERE AND THE
10 ORDNANCE. WHAT THAT DOES IS IT DOESN'T PUT US IN A
11 POSITION TO REQUIRE LANDOWNERS TO NOTIFY POTENTIAL
12 NEW LANDOWNERS. SO, THAT WAS REALLY THE BASIS --
13 THAT WAS THE QUESTION. THE QUESTION WAS CAN WE
14 FORCE LANDOWNERS TO INFORM NEW LANDOWNERS THAT CAMP
15 CROFT WAS HERE AND THE ANSWER TO THAT QUESTION WAS
16 NO, BECAUSE STATE LAW PROHIBITS -- WE'RE NOT IN THE
17 POSITION TO INSIST THAT THAT TAKE PLACE.

18 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

19 ANOTHER INQUIRY THAT I RECEIVED, AND THIS HAS
20 BEEN BROUGHT UP AT PREVIOUS RAB MEETINGS, WAS THE
21 POTENTIAL VIOLATION OF SOUTH CAROLINA LAW FOR ONE OF
22 OUR MEMBERS THAT WAS SERVING ON THE RAB, WHETHER OR
23 NOT WITH THE NEW RAB IN PLACE AND SEVERAL PREVIOUS
24 MEMBERS NO LONGER ON THE RAB, THIS IS STILL
25 APPLICABLE. I REQUESTED FOR THAT TO BE THOROUGHLY

1 EVALUATED, THAT WE HAVE THE ACTUAL CITATION OF THE
2 STATE LAW TO BE ABLE TO EVALUATE THAT. SO, MR.
3 OSBORNE HAS INQUIRED AND I DON'T KNOW IF YOU WANT
4 THAT STILL TO BE AN OPEN POINT, IF YOU WANT TO
5 PROVIDE US THAT INFORMATION.

6 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

7 I'LL MAKE SURE THAT YOU GET A COPY FROM THE
8 ETHICS BOOK AND ALSO FROM THE CONSTITUTION OF THE
9 STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA AND THE UPDATE TO IT.

10 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

11 THANK YOU. THERE'S ANOTHER INQUIRY REGARDING
12 CONCERNS -- AND THIS WAS RAISED AT A PREVIOUS BOARD
13 MEETING AND ALSO IN SOME FOLLOW UP CONVERSATIONS OF
14 AN AREA IN PACOLET THAT WAS IDENTIFIED IN SOME OF
15 THE PRIOR CORPS OF ENGINEER REPORTS THAT IS A
16 CONCERN NEAR A NURSING HOME AND A PLAYGROUND, WHAT
17 HAS BEEN DONE, HOW HAS THAT BEEN EVALUATED, AND WHY
18 IS NOTHING BEING DONE. AGAIN, THE EE/CA PROCESS
19 LOOKS AT AREAS BASED UPON HOW THEY WERE USED DURING
20 THOSE FORMER MILITARY TRAINING DAYS. IT PRIORITIZES
21 SITES FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATION, COMPLETES THAT
22 INVESTIGATION, AND THEN PRIORITIZES THE FOLLOW UP
23 RESPONSE ACTIONS. WHAT WE WOULD NEED TO BE ABLE TO
24 FURTHER RESEARCH THAT IS HAS ANY ORDNANCE OR
25 MUNITIONS BEEN FOUND IN THIS SPECIFIC AREA AND

1 EITHER A CROSSROAD, AN ADDRESS, A NAME OF A LOCATION
2 SO WE COULD SEE WAS THAT AN AREA THAT HAD BEEN
3 FORMERLY INVESTIGATED UNDER THOSE PREVIOUS REPORTS
4 AND, IF NOT, WHAT IS THE CONCERN, HAS SOMETHING BEEN
5 RECENTLY FOUND SO THAT THAT CAN BE EVALUATED, AS
6 WE'VE JUST DISCUSSED, AS POSSIBLY SHIFTING
7 PRIORITIES AND BEING ABLE TO RESPOND APPROPRIATELY.
8 SO, AGAIN, IN ORDER FOR THE CORPS TO RESPOND TO
9 THAT, I NEED TO AT LEAST HAVE A NAME OF A NURSING
10 HOME OR AN ADDRESS OF THAT SPECIFIC AREA OF CONCERN,
11 OTHER THAN JUST AN AREA IN PACOLET. SO, IF WE HAVE
12 THAT SPECIFIC INFORMATION, YOU CAN DOCUMENT THAT TO
13 ME.

14 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

15 WELL, TO USE THE -- I WAS THE ONE THAT CALLED
16 HER ON THIS.

17 **BY MR. HAYES:**

18 OKAY.

19 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

20 WE'RE BACK TO THE SAME THING. IT'S SITE 18,
21 WHICH IS LISTED IN THE RECORDS AND THEN, ALSO, SITE
22 80, WHICH IS KELSEY CREEK, WHICH HAS NOT BEEN DONE.
23 AND THESE ARE DONE AND DATED 1995, 10-24, WHEN THEY
24 CHECKED IT ALL OUT AND SO FORTH ON ALL OF THIS, OF
25 WHAT WOULD NEED TO BE DONE, AND NOTHING HAS BEEN

1 DONE. I CALLED THE MAYOR OF PACOLET TODAY AND ALSO
2 THE FIRE DEPARTMENT TO LET THEM KNOW THAT THAT IS
3 THERE AND NOTHING HAS BEEN DONE AND THIS IS RESEARCH
4 AND ALL OF THAT AND ALL THE RESEARCH THAT I'VE
5 CONTACTED TO THESE PEOPLE AND I REPORTED TO THE
6 CORPS OF ENGINEERS OVER A LIST OF ALL THIS STUFF
7 THAT I'VE TALKED TO YOU GUYS ON. NOTHING HAS BEEN
8 DONE, NUMBER ONE. NUMBER TWO, ON ALL OF THE THINGS
9 THAT I'VE CONTACTED YOU ON AND TOLD YOU ABOUT, NOT A
10 SINGLE PERSON FROM THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS HAS
11 CONTACTED ME ABOUT THIS AND I'M TALKING ABOUT --
12 I'LL GIVE YOU JUST SORT OF A RUN-DOWN. A PARK
13 WORKER THAT TOLD ME WHERE CERTAIN BUNKERS ARE IN THE
14 PARK, A DEPUTY SHERIFF THAT WAS SHOWING WHERE THERE
15 ARE CERTAIN THINGS THAT WAS FOUND IN THE
16 CONTAMINATED AREA, A TUNNEL THAT EXISTED AND NEEDED
17 DEBRIS, WITH NO ACTION ON IT. OLD GAS TANKS, I
18 REPORTED ALL OF THIS BACK TO MR. BOGAN, BACK YEARS
19 AGO WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT AND I TOLD HIM AND NOTHING
20 HAS BEEN DONE.

21 BY MR. HAYES:

22 IS ALL THIS ON THE PARK, HAROLD?

23 BY MR. OSBORNE:

24 YES, IT'S ALL ON EVERYTHING HERE, YES.

25 BY MR. HAYES:

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IS IT ON THE STATE PARK?

BY MR. OSBORNE:

YES. NO, CAMP CROFT HERE AND THE OTHER DEAL.
THE DIGGING OF THE EXPLOSIVES ON NOTTINGHAM STREET
AND ON CEDAR SPRINGS ROAD, WHEN I TOOK PICTURES AND
WHEN I SAT THERE AND THEY RAN AND I TOOK PICTURES OF
ALL OF THAT, WHICH I STILL HAVE.

BY MR. HAYES:

OKAY. IS THIS PART OF THE NURSING HOME? IS
THIS WHAT HAS BEEN REPORTED FOR NEW BUSINESS?

BY MR. OSBORNE:

THAT WAS REPORTED A LONG TIME AGO.

BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

THESE ARE ITEMS THAT HAROLD HAS BROUGHT UP OVER
THE YEARS DURING THE RAB MEETINGS AND, AS WE
RESPONDED IN THE YEARS PAST THAT, AGAIN, THE EE/CAs
AND THE INVESTIGATIONS PRIORITIZED AREAS AND SOME OF
THOSE PRELIMINARY REPORTS WERE BASED ON A CORPS OF
ENGINEERS, SOME OF THEM ARE WINDSHIELD SURVEYS,
DRIVE BYS, AND INITIAL EVALUATIONS OF THIS PROJECT
SITE FROM AN ARCHIVE SEARCH REPORT THAT HELPS GET
THE PROJECT IDENTIFIED FOR FUNDING. AND THEN, THOSE
AREAS ARE FURTHER LOOKED AT, BASED UPON HISTORICAL
DOCUMENT REVIEWS AS TO HOW THEY'RE GOING TO BE
ADDRESSED IN FORMAL SITE INVESTIGATIONS. SO, SITES

1 THAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN LISTED AS A POTENTIAL FOR
2 CONCERN CAN BE EVALUATED THROUGH HISTORICAL RECORDS
3 REVIEWS AND THROUGH INTERVIEWS, WITHOUT NECESSARILY
4 HAVING INTRUSIVE ACTIVITIES. IF THOSE AREAS THAT
5 WEREN'T FORMALLY CHARACTERIZED AND DON'T HAVE AN OOU
6 BOX AROUND THEM, AS SHOWN ON THESE MAPS, IF THERE
7 HAS BEEN EVIDENCE OF MUNITIONS OR CONCERNS, THEN WE
8 NEED TO PUT A DOT ON THE MAP. AGAIN, GENERAL AREAS
9 AND BUNKERS, WE'VE GONE THROUGH -- GOLD'S NOT WITHIN
10 THE PURVIEW OF THIS PROGRAM. GAS TANKS ARE AN HTW
11 ISSUE THAT IS A SEPARATE ISSUE UNDER FUDS THAT HAS
12 BEEN RELATED TO, I BELIEVE IT WENT THROUGH YOUR HTW
13 PROGRAM FOR FOLLOW UP.

14 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

15 YES.

16 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

17 SO, IT'S NOT THAT THEY'VE BEEN IGNORED. IT'S
18 THAT THEY'VE EITHER BEEN SENT INTO THE APPROPRIATE
19 PROGRAM AREAS OR THE EVIDENCE THAT LED US TO THOSE
20 EE/CAs WASN'T THERE TO TAKE US INTO THAT NEXT
21 INVESTIGATION STAGE. BUT AGAIN, IF THERE IS A
22 DOCUMENTED FIND AND WE KNOW THAT THERE IS SOMETHING
23 ON THE SURFACE THAT IS PRESENTING AN IMMEDIATE RISK,
24 WE CALL THE BOMB SQUAD. THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS
25 WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT IT SO WE CAN TRACK WHERE THEY'RE

1 BEING FOUND, BUT THERE IS AN IMMEDIATE RESPONSE THAT
2 WE HAVE WITHIN THE COMMUNITY. WE DO WANT THAT
3 INFORMATION, THAT BEING LISTED IN THESE PRELIMINARY
4 REPORTS AND NOT BEING ADDRESSED, THERE'S MORE TO IT
5 THAN THAT, I BELIEVE. AGAIN, I'M ---

6 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

7 JUST TO GIVE YOU AN EXAMPLE, ON SITE 80, I
8 DIDN'T BRING SITE 18 WITH ME HERE ON PACOLET, BUT
9 THIS IS ON KELSEY CREEK. THIS WAS DONE BY THE
10 ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, INCORPORATED,
11 GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA. I'VE GOT ALL THE PAPER WORK
12 ON ALL OF THAT.

13 **BY DAVID MULLINAX:**

14 WHERE IS SITE 80?

15 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

16 SITE 80 IS KELSEY CREEK, WHICH I GOT THROWN OFF
17 THE BOARD BECAUSE OF A HAND GRENADE, BUT ALL OF THIS
18 STUFF THAT'S STILL ---

19 **BY MR. MULLINAX:**

20 THAT'S 11C ON THIS MAP.

21 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

22 IT'S PROBABLY 11C.

23 **BY MR. MULLINAX:**

24 IT IS 11C, AND THAT'S WHERE WE HAD THE PICTURES
25 OF YOU AND THE KIDS HOLDING THE HAND GRENADES.

1 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

2 MM-HMM (AFFIRMATIVE RESPONSE). YES, I'VE EVEN
3 GOT THAT RIGHT HERE AND THEY HAVE NOT CLEANED UP ANY
4 OF IT YET.

5 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

6 THAT'S TO BE INVESTIGATED.

7 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

8 AND NONE OF IT'S BEEN CLEANED UP. IT'S ---

9 **BY MR. HAYES:**

10 NOW, WAS THIS PART OF OLD BUSINESS TO BE
11 BROUGHT UP AT THE MEETING?

12 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

13 WHAT I WANTED TO DO UNDER OLD BUSINESS WAS TO,
14 IF THERE ARE SPECIFIC AREAS THAT WE NEED TO PUT A
15 DOT ON A MAP TO EVALUATE CONCERNS, WE NEED THAT
16 SPECIFIC INFORMATION.

17 **BY MR. HAYES:**

18 OKAY. HAROLD, HAVE YOU GIVEN THEM THE
19 LOCATIONS TO PUT THE DOT ON THE MAP?

20 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

21 SURE. I GAVE THEM ALL THIS STUFF.

22 **BY MR. HAYES:**

23 OKAY. DID YOU ALL RECEIVE THAT, SUZY?

24 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

25 WELL, JUST THE VERBAL.

1 **BY MR. HAYES:**

2 OKAY.

3 **BY MR. GEORGE MULLINAX:**

4 WELL, HOW ABOUT THIS IN PACOLET? I'VE TALKED
5 TO THE MAYOR. SHE CALLED ME WANTING TO KNOW -- IT
6 HAD BEEN REPORTED TO HER, THAT THERE WAS AMMUNITION
7 BURIED ON THE PLAYGROUND AND NURSING HOME AND I WANT
8 TO KNOW IS THERE SOME BURIED THERE.

9 **BY MR. McMANUS:**

10 THAT'S RIGHT AT SITE 18.

11 **BY MR. GEORGE MULLINAX:**

12 WELL, WHO SAYS IT'S THERE?

13 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

14 THE ENVIRONMENTAL, THE OUTFIT I JUST GAVE TO
15 YOU. I'VE GOT ALL THIS STUFF DOWN AT THE LIBRARY.

16 **BY MR. ROBIN ZIMMERMAN:**

17 IF I COULD ENTER SOMETHING.

18 **BY MR. HAYES:**

19 OKAY. STATE YOUR NAME.

20 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

21 ROBIN ZIMMERMAN. MR. MULLINAX, I KNOW I CAN'T
22 BRING IT IN HERE BECAUSE I KNOW WHAT HAPPENED WHEN I
23 TRIED TO DO IT BACK IN 2000. I'VE GOT SEVERAL
24 ROUNDS OF DUMMY AMMUNITION THAT WAS FOUND RIGHT DOWN

1 THERE BESIDE THAT PLAYGROUND. I'VE GOT THAT IN THE
2 TRUNK OF THE CAR.

3 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

4 WHICH PLAYGROUND IS THIS?

5 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

6 THE ONE DOWN IN PACOLET.

7 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

8 SUNNY ACRES ROAD?

9 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

10 SUNNY ACRES ROAD, RIGHT BESIDE THE NURSING
11 HOME.

12 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

13 WHICH ONE, 150?

14 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

15 YES.

16 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

17 SUNNY ACRES ROAD? NEAR THE ARMORY?

18 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

19 NO, NO, NO. THAT'S NOT THE ONE NEAR THE
20 ARMORY. THAT'S THE ONE THAT YOU GO ---

21 BY MR. OSBORNE:

22 BY THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

23 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

24 BY THE FIRE DEPARTMENT AND TURN RIGHT.

25 BY MR. OSBORNE:

1 RIGHT THERE BY THE NURSING HOME.

2 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

3 PACOLET MILLS OR PACOLET?

4 BY MR. OSBORNE:

5 PACOLET.

6 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

7 PACOLET.

8 BY MR. HAYES:

9 OKAY. WAS THIS REPORTED WHEN YOU FOUND IT?

10 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

11 YES.

12 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

13 DID YOU CALL THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT? DID

14 THEY RESPOND TO IT?

15 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

16 NO.

17 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

18 DID YOU CALL THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT?

19 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

20 I DID.

21 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

22 WHO DID YOU TALK TO?

23 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

24 SOME YOUNG LADY.

25 BY MR. HAYES:

1 STATE YOUR NAME, PLEASE.

2 **BY MR. BEATTY:**

3 TED BEATTY ON THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT.

4 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

5 INCIDENTALLY, LAST WEEK, I FOUND A DUMMY 105
6 MILLIMETER, TWO OF THEM. ONE OF THEM WAS
7 FRAGMENTED. THE OTHER ONE, I TURNED IN TO OFFICER
8 BEATTY. THAT WAS FOUND RIGHT ACROSS FROM THE GOLF
9 COURSE ON PRIVATE PROPERTY.

10 **BY MR. HAYES:**

11 OKAY. WE'RE TALKING ABOUT DIFFERENT PLACES
12 NOW, SO ---

13 **BY MR. GEORGE MULLINAX:**

14 YES, WE'RE STILL ON THIS PACOLET. HAS THIS
15 BEEN INVESTIGATED, THIS PACOLET?

16 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

17 WHAT I WOULD NEED TO DO IS LOOK ON THE MAP TO
18 SEE IF THAT WAS AN OOU AND PULL OUT ESE'S REPORT AS
19 TO WHAT ACTUALLY IS SUSPECTED TO BE FOUND AND WHAT
20 THE RECOMMENDATION WAS IN THAT EE/CA. I DIDN'T
21 BRING THAT TONIGHT.

22 **BY MR. HAYES:**

23 OKAY. SO, CAN YOU ALL GET WITH SUZY AND
24 PINPOINT THESE PLACES ON THE MAPS ---

25 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

1 I NEED AN ADDRESS.

2 **BY MR. HAYES:**

3 --- AND GIVE HER THE ADDRESSES AND TELL HER
4 EXACTLY WHAT YOU FOUND, WHEN YOU FOUND IT.

5 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

6 BECAUSE I KNOW THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE HAS
7 INVESTIGATED SOME PACOLET, YOU KNOW, REPORTS.

8 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

9 WELL, I DIDN'T CALL 911, NOW. I CALLED 596-
10 2615 AND TALKED TO SOME YOUNG LADY AND SHE SAID
11 SOMEBODY WILL COME OUT. I WASN'T ABLE TO STAY THERE
12 ALL DAY. BUT NOW, THERE'S A LOT -- DO YOU REMEMBER
13 THAT AMMO THAT I BROUGHT IN HERE BACK IN 2000?

14 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

15 NO, WE DON'T BRING ANYTHING IN ---

16 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

17 NO, WE DON'T BRING ANYTHING IN HERE, BUT I
18 DIDN'T KNOW THAT AT THE TIME. THERE'S A LOT OF
19 THOSE THINGS DOWN THERE BURIED BECAUSE I ---

20 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

21 ANYTHING THAT'S FOUND, THE IMMEDIATE RESPONSE
22 IS TO CALL MR. BEATTY'S OFFICE.

23 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

24 WE HAD THE FIRST EVER CAMP CROFT REUNION, SUZY,
25 BACK IN JUNE. MYSELF AND ANOTHER GENTLEMEN THREW

1 THAT UP THERE AT THE AMERICAN LEGION. AND WE TOOK
2 BUS TOURS AROUND OF -- A LOT OF THESE GUYS ARE WAY
3 UP IN THEIR 80s. NOTHING AGAINST THAT, BUT I MEAN,
4 YOU WOULD NOT BELIEVE HOW MANY OF THOSE GUYS
5 REMEMBERED GOING AND BURYING STUFF, EVEN WHERE THERE
6 WAS A HOUSE OR WHATEVER. I MEAN, THEY WOULD SAY
7 WHEN TRUMAN CAME ON THERE AND SAID WE WEREN'T GOING
8 TO WAR, THE JAPANESE WAR IS OVER AND WE'RE GOING
9 HOME, THE PLACE WENT BEDLAM. AND BOXES OF
10 AMMUNITION, CRATES, MORTARS AND EVERYTHING ELSE,
11 THEY USUALLY DUG IT TO A DEPTH OF THREE OR FOUR
12 FEET. AND I UNDERSTAND BY CONTRACT THAT YOU ALL
13 CAN'T GO BUT FOUR FEET DEEP.

14 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

15 NO, THERE ARE OPPORTUNITIES ---

16 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

17 THERE'S A MESSED UP AREA OUT THERE AND TO GET
18 IT ALL IS IMPOSSIBLE.

19 **BY MR. HAYES:**

20 YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT ON THE CAMP CROFT ---

21 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

22 I'M TALKING ABOUT AT CAMP CROFT.

23 **BY MR. HAYES:**

24 OKAY. SO, ANY ---

25 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

1 THE DESIGNATED AREAS THAT ---

2 **BY MR. HAYES:**

3 SO, ANY PLACES THAT, YOU KNOW, WE NEED TO HAVE
4 IT PINPOINTED ON THE MAP AN ADDRESS FOR ZAPATA OR
5 THE ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS BEFORE THEY CAN ADDRESS
6 THIS AND START AN EVALUATION PROCESS.

7 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

8 AND WE NEED TO KEEP IN MIND THAT IT'S A
9 SEQUENTIAL PROJECT. IT'S NOT A FAST PROCESS AND
10 THERE ARE MUNITIONS OUT THERE. NO ONE IS SITTING IN
11 THIS ROOM SAYING THAT THERE'S NOTHING THAT IS STILL
12 OUT THERE. IT IS TAKING TIME TO GET THROUGH THAT.

13 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

14 RIGHT. I UNDERSTAND THAT.

15 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

16 SO, AS THINGS ARE FOUND, WE NEED TO KNOW WHAT
17 THE RIGHT RESPONSE ACTION IS. I DON'T KNOW IF
18 PLYLER OR RON WANT TO INTERJECT.

19 **BY MR. GEORGE MULLINAX:**

20 WELL, LET ME JUST SAY ONE THING. I TALKED TO
21 THE MAYOR AND SHE SAID THAT A LOT OF THIS PROPERTY
22 HAD BEEN GRADED AND THEY HADN'T FOUND ANYTHING, SO
23 I'M CONCERNED ABOUT THIS. I MEAN, I WANT TO SATISFY
24 HER AND GET BACK WITH HER AND TELL HER IF THERE'S
25 SOMETHING DANGEROUS THERE.

1 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

2 WELL, I THINK ---

3 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

4 THEY HAVE NOT REPORTED ANYTHING THROUGH THE
5 CITY? SHE WAS NOT MADE AWARE THAT ANYTHING'S BEEN
6 FOUND?

7 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

8 I KNOW WHERE YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT WHERE THEY'VE
9 GRADED AND THEY MISSED IT BY JUST A FEW FEET.

10 **BY MR. GEORGE MULLINAX:**

11 WELL, I'M JUST SAYING THAT THAT'S WHAT SHE
12 SAID. SHE SAID IT HAD BEEN GRADED, SO I'M CONCERNED
13 ABOUT IT. I WANT TO KNOW -- I WANT THE AREAS
14 PINPOINTED WHERE IT'S FOUND.

15 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

16 WELL, ROBIN, IF YOU'RE BACK DOWN THERE, GET
17 WITH THE PACOLET POLICE DEPARTMENT. MAKE SURE THEY
18 KNOW ABOUT IT AND THEY CAN CONTACT THE SHERIFF'S
19 OFFICE AND HAVE THEM DOWN THERE. WE'RE ONLY TALKING
20 ABOUT 20 OR 30 MINUTES ---

21 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

22 RIGHT.

23 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

24 --- BEFORE THEY RESPOND, BUT YOU CAN HAVE THE
25 PACOLET POLICE THERE IN A SHORT AMOUNT OF TIME.

1 THAT SHOULD BE PRIORITY NUMBER ONE, BECAUSE IF YOU
2 CAN'T STAY, YOU CALL ME OR SOMEBODY ELSE AND WE'LL
3 BE DOWN THERE AND WE'LL WAIT FOR THEM.

4 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

5 I'LL BE DOWN THERE. I'VE GOT NOTHING ELSE TO
6 DO.

7 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

8 BUT DO NOT LEAVE IT.

9 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

10 ALL RIGHT. THERE'S ONE OTHER THING, GARY. I
11 DON'T IF THIS WOULD BE NEW BUSINESS OR WHAT. THIS
12 STUFF, WHAT I'M ABOUT TO TELL YOU ABOUT HAS BEEN
13 THERE SINCE I WAS ---

14 **BY MR. HAYES:**

15 OKAY. WELL, WE'LL PROBABLY NEED TO BRING THAT
16 UP ---

17 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

18 NEXT BUSINESS.

19 **BY MR. HAYES:**

20 WELL, WE'LL NEED TO BRING THAT UP WITH NEW
21 BUSINESS IN A MINUTE. WE NEED TO TALK ABOUT OLD
22 BUSINESS RIGHT NOW.

23 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

24 OKAY, OLD BUSINESS, I UNDERSTAND.

25 **BY MR. HAYES:**

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BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

I THINK THOSE WERE THE RESPONSES FOR THE INQUIRIES THAT I'VE RECEIVED. AGAIN, THE FORMAL PROCEDURE IS TO SUBMIT, IN WRITING, REQUESTS. WE'RE DOING OUR BEST TO RESPOND TO VERBAL REQUESTS AND PROVIDING FEEDBACK. BUT TO BE ON THE AGENDA AND TO HAVE A TOPIC ADDRESSED AND BE ABLE TO BE FURTHER DISCUSSED, IT NEEDS TO BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING AND ADDED TO THE SUBSEQUENT MEETING'S AGENDA.

BY MR. HAYES:

OR BROUGHT UP DURING OUR DISCUSSIONS TONIGHT.

BY MR. OSBORNE:

ALL RIGHT. WHEN I TALK AND TRY TO TELL THESE PEOPLE, JUST LIKE THAT STUFF THAT I'VE READ, ALL RIGHT, IS GOING ON AND HAS BEEN WRITTEN DOWN. BUT THEN, LIKE I SAID, SOMEWHERE THEIR REPORTS ARE NOT GOING TO THE CORPS OR WHATEVER OR WHOEVER IT NEEDS TO GO TO AND IT'S WRITTEN DOWN.

BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

BUT YOU'RE NOT GIVING SPECIFICS. YOU'RE GIVING THESE VAGUE STATEMENTS ABOUT HERE, OVER HERE, THIS DEAL, THAT DEAL. WE NEED SPECIFICS.

BY MR. OSBORNE:

ALL RIGHT.

1 **BY MR. HAYES:**

2 HAROLD, IF YOU'VE GOT SPECIFICS, COPIES OF
3 THIS, IT NEEDS TO BE TURNED IN.

4 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

5 ALL RIGHT. DO YOU WANT TO SEE SITE 80?

6 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

7 BUT I'M GOING TO KEEP THESE. I'M GOING TO KEEP
8 THESE BECAUSE WE'RE GOING TO ENTER THESE INTO THE
9 RECORD. SO IF WE HAVE ANYMORE PICTURES, BRING THEM
10 UP HERE SO WE CAN ENTER THEM INTO THE RECORD.
11 BECAUSE I'D LIKE TO SEE THOSE OTHER PICTURES THAT
12 YOU WERE TALKING ABOUT EARLIER.

13 **BY MR. HAYES:**

14 OKAY. DOES THIS COVER WHAT YOU ---

15 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

16 WELL, LIKE I SAID, I HAD THE ONE ON PACOLET,
17 BUT I DON'T HAVE THE SITE 18. IT'S LIKE I SAID, YOU
18 CAN FIND ALL OF THIS STUFF DOWN AT THE LIBRARY.

19 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

20 RIGHT. WE'VE DISCUSSED SITE ---

21 **BY MR. HAYES:**

22 WE DON'T HAVE FUNDING TO RESEARCH ---

23 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

24 BUT I'LL GO DOWN AND MAKE COPIES.

25 **BY MR. HAYES:**

1 YOU KNOW, IF YOU'VE GOT COPIES, PLEASE SEND
2 THEM TO SUZY OR TO RON ---

3 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

4 OR EVEN THE PAGE OF THE DOCUMENT AND THE
5 DOCUMENT BY TITLE, WITHOUT MAKING COPIES.

6 BY MR. HAYES:

7 AND THEN, WE CAN -- THAT'S PART OF -- JUST
8 WRITE DOWN WHAT IT IS AND IF YOU WANT TO BRING IT UP
9 AT THE NEXT MEETING, THAT'S ALL WE NEED TO DO. WE
10 WANT SOMETHING SPECIFIC TO TALK ABOUT AND THE
11 SPECIFIC LOCATION WHERE THINGS ARE.

12 BY MR. OSBORNE:

13 BUT WE'RE BACK TO THE SAME THING, NOT TRYING TO
14 BE REAL SMART, BUT WITH THE PARK GUY SITTING ON THE
15 BOARD, HE SHOULD HAVE HOLLERED AND DONE SOMETHING
16 ABOUT KELSEY CREEK DOWN THERE BECAUSE IT IS ALL
17 STATE PARK AND NOTHING HAS BEEN DONE ABOUT IT.

18 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

19 IT IS ON THE PRIORITY TO BE ADDRESSED.

20 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

21 RIGHT, AND HE RESPONDED THAT DAY, THE SAME DAY
22 THAT ---

23 BY MR. OSBORNE:

1 WELL, LOOK AT THE YEAR, 1995 AND IF YOU WANT ME
2 TO GET THE HEADLINES WHEN THAT HAND GRENADE WAS
3 FOUND ---

4 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

5 THE ONE THAT YOU WERE HOLDING IN YOUR HAND?

6 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

7 WHAT?

8 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

9 THE ONE THAT YOU WERE HOLDING IN YOUR HAND?

10 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

11 I DIDN'T HOLD IT, BUT IT WAS THERE. BUT I'VE
12 GOT ALL OF THAT STUFF.

13 **BY MR. HAYES:**

14 OKAY. SO, WE'VE GOT THIS DOCUMENT.

15 **BY MR. GEORGE MULLINAX:**

16 WE DON'T HAVE A DOCUMENT ON PACOLET.

17 **BY MR. HAYES:**

18 YES, SO WE NEED SOME MORE DOCUMENTATION ON
19 PACOLET AND IF THERE'S ANYTHING ELSE THAT YOU CAN
20 TURN IN, WE NEED SOME SPECIFIC INFORMATION TO GO BY.
21 AND HAROLD, WE APPRECIATE YOU DOING THIS.

22 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

23 WELL, IT'S NOT -- LIKE I SAID, WE'RE BACK TO
24 THE SAME THING. I GOT HOLLERED AT FOR ONE HAND

1 GRENADE, BUT YET, ALL THOSE KIDS CAN BE GOING DOWN
2 THERE AND FINDING MORE OR JUST LIKE AT PACOLET ---

3 BY MR. HAYES:

4 YES.

5 BY MR. OSBORNE:

6 AND IT'S JUST LIKE I'M NOT GOING TO HOLLER BACK
7 WHAT I DID. I TOLD THE STATE PARK THAT IF ANYBODY
8 WAS KILLED DOWN THERE BEFORE THEY CLOSED IT UP, THAT
9 THEY SHOULD BE CHARGED WITH MURDER AND THREE DAYS
10 LATER, THEY CLOSED THE PARK. BUT LIKE I SAID, IF
11 YOU CAN SAVE ONE LIFE, IT'S WORTH IT.

12 BY MR. HAYES:

13 YES. WELL, WE DEFINITELY WANT TO SAVE AS MANY
14 LIVES AS WE CAN. BUT WE HAVE BEEN LIMITED BY
15 FUNDING, ESPECIALLY SINCE 9-11, AND THINGS ARE
16 STARTING TO BUILD BACK UP, AS FAR AS RESOURCES, BUT
17 YOU KNOW, 9-11 IS COMING UP IN A COUPLE OF DAYS, SO
18 THERE'S A LOT OF THREATS NATIONWIDE THAT THERE MIGHT
19 BE SOMETHING ELSE HAPPENING ON THE HOMELAND THIS
20 YEAR. SO, THAT WOULD LOWER THE FUNDS BACK DOWN TO
21 MORE PRIORITIZE EVENTS. SO, YOU KNOW, WE JUST NEED
22 TO TAKE THINGS AS WE CAN TAKE THEM AND REPORT AND
23 SUBSTANTIATE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS WE CAN. THINGS
24 WILL BE ADDRESSED WHEN THE FUNDING IS THERE. OKAY.
25 IF THAT'S ALL THE OLD BUSINESS, FOR NEW BUSINESS,

1 THIS IS THINGS THAT WE NEED TO BRING UP FOR THE NEXT
2 MEETING. IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO BE BROUGHT UP FOR
3 THE NEXT MEETING, PLEASE BE BRIEF. IF YOU HAVE
4 ANYTHING TO TURN IN, TURN IT IN, ANY DOCUMENTS. AND
5 KEEP IT AS BRIEF AS POSSIBLE. SIR?

6 **BY MR. PETER BARG:**

7 MY NAME IS PETER BARG. THIS IS THE FIRST TIME
8 I'VE BEEN TO ONE OF THESE MEETINGS. I RECENTLY
9 PURCHASED SOME PROPERTY IN THE CAMP CROFT AREA AND
10 ALL I WANT TO KNOW IS WHAT THE USAGE WAS IN THE
11 MILITARY TIME, YOU KNOW, WHETHER I SHOULD BE ON THE
12 LOOKOUT OR WHATEVER.

13 **BY MR. HAYES:**

14 OKAY. DO YOU HAVE SOMETHING THAT YOU COULD
15 SEND IN TO SUZY OR TO RON, AS FAR AS ---

16 **BY MR. BARG:**

17 I COULD GIVE YOU THE LOCATION.

18 **BY MR. HAYES:**

19 OKAY.

20 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

21 AND WE HAVE AN ARCHIVE SEARCH REPORT HERE
22 TONIGHT THAT HAS SOME OF THE RANGE MAPS IN THE BACK
23 AND WE COULD AT LEAST LOOK AT THE MAP WHERE YOUR
24 PROPERTY IS TO SEE IF IT FALLS WITHIN ANY OF THOSE
25 RANGES.

1 **BY MR. HAYES:**

2 DO YOU WANT TO BRING THAT UP AT THE NEXT
3 MEETING, THAT WE ---

4 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

5 OR IF IT'S JUST FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES AND
6 YOU WANT TO JUST LOOK AT THAT AFTER THE MEETING, WE
7 CAN LOOK AT THAT AFTER.

8 **BY MR. BARG:**

9 YES, I'LL JUST LOOK AT THAT.

10 **BY MR. HAYES:**

11 OKAY.

12 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

13 BEFORE WE TAKE ADDITIONAL NEW BUSINESS FOR THE
14 NEXT MEETING, WHAT I'D LIKE TO DO -- I DON'T KNOW IF
15 IT'S NEW BUSINESS OR OLD BUSINESS -- IS WE DO HAVE
16 MR. BEATTY FROM THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT AND I'D
17 LIKE HIM TO REPORT ON ANY RECENT RESPONSE ACTIONS,
18 ANY FINDS THAT YOU HAVE RESPONDED TO.

19 **BY MR. BEATTY:**

20 TED BEATTY, I'M WITH THE SPARTANBURG COUNTY
21 SHERIFF'S OFFICE. WE DID -- WHAT WAS IT, LAST WEEK

22 ---

23 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

24 YES.

25 **BY MR. BEATTY:**

1 THAT WE CAME TO MR. ZIMMERMAN'S HOUSE TO
2 RECOVER THOSE EXPENDED 105 ROUNDS. WE DID 105 ROUND
3 RECOVERY OVER AT GLENDALE, RIGHT AT THE LAWSON FORK
4 CREEK AT THE OLD MILL. THAT ONE WAS TRANSPORTED
5 FROM SOMEWHERE ELSE AND PLACED THERE. SOMEBODY HAD
6 ALREADY TRIED TO DISARM IT, BUT WE PLACED A BLOCK OF
7 C4 ON IT AND IT DIDN'T WORK. IT WAS A LIVE MUNITION
8 ROUND. WE DID IN PACOLET JUST A HANDFUL OF NATO
9 ROUNDS, TRACER ROUNDS DOWN NEXT TO THE OLD ARMORY.
10 IT MAY HAVE BEEN 20 OR 25 ROUNDS THAT WE RECOVERED
11 THERE. WE DID A ROCKET RECOVERY IN WELFORD. WE'VE
12 GOT NO IDEA WHERE IT CAME FROM. A MAN REACHED UP
13 UNDER A WOODPILE ON SOME PROPERTY THAT THEY HAD
14 BOUGHT, THOUGHT HE HAD A SNAKE, AND PULLED OUT A
15 ROCKET. SO, THERE HAS BEEN NO MILITARY ACTION IN
16 THAT AREA. SO, IT CAN COME FROM ANYWHERE. AND
17 THEN, WE'VE HAD SEVERAL MORTAR ROUND RECOVERIES.

18 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

19 SO, AGAIN, THE RESPONSE TO CALL YOU IS THE
20 EFFECTIVE RESPONSE TO TAKE CARE OF THOSE MUNITIONS.

21 **BY MR. HAYES:**

22 DID YOU ALL RECOVER ANYTHING DOWN IN PACOLET
23 NEXT TO THE SCHOOL WHERE THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT?

24 **BY MR. BEATTY:**

1 IT WAS RIGHT NEXT TO THE FENCE AT THE NATIONAL
2 GUARD ARMORY.

3 BY MR. OSBORNE:

4 SMALL ARMS OR ---

5 BY MR. BEATTY:

6 IT WAS SMALL ARMS, NATO ROUNDS, TRACERS, LIKE
7 FOR AN M16.

8 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

9 IS THAT THE ARMORY ON SUNNY ACRES ROAD THAT NOW
10 BELONGS TO THE RESCUE SQUAD?

11 BY MR. BEATTY:

12 YES, WHERE THE RESCUE SQUAD IS NOW. I THINK
13 THERE'S AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CLOSE BY.

14 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

15 RIGHT.

16 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

17 RIGHT, IT'S BACK ON THIS SIDE.

18 BY MR. BEATTY:

19 THIS WAS TRACER ROUNDS.

20 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

21 ANYTHING IN THIS GENERAL VICINITY IN ANY RECENT
22 PAST?

23 BY MR. BEATTY:

24 JUST THE ONE THAT MR. ZIMMERMAN SAID. WE'VE
25 HAD SOME MORTAR ROUND RECOVERIES DOWN AT WHITE STONE

1 NEXT TO THE GUN CLUB ON A PRIVATE HUNTING CLUB DOWN
2 THERE. THEY'RE DIGGING THEM UP.

3 BY MR. OSBORNE:

4 WOULDN'T IT BE APPROPRIATE FOR THE CORPS TO
5 CALL THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE ON THAT PROPERTY DOWN ON
6 CALFORD BRIDGE ROAD THAT WAS SUPPOSED TO BE HIGHLY
7 CONTAMINATED AND LET THEM KNOW ABOUT IT SO YOU GUYS
8 COULD LET THE PEOPLE KNOW?

9 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

10 THEY'RE ---

11 BY MR. OSBORNE:

12 PEOPLE AREN'T GOING TO FIND OUT.

13 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

14 THAT'S SOME NEW BUSINESS I WANT TO BRING UP.

15 BY MR. OSBORNE:

16 OH, OKAY.

17 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

18 I WANTED TO INTRODUCE.

19 BY MR. HAYES:

20 OKAY. DID YOU FINISH WITH THAT?

21 BY MR. BEATTY:

22 YES.

23 BY MR. HAYES:

24 OKAY. ROBIN, HAVE YOU GOT SOME NEW ---

25 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

1 YES.

2 **BY MR. HAYES:**

3 OKAY, BRIEF AND TO THE POINT AND IF YOU HAVE
4 ANYTHING TO TURN IN, PLEASE TURN IT IN AT THIS TIME.

5 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

6 THE AREA HAROLD IS REFERRING TO OFF OF CALFORD
7 BRIDGE ROAD, WHICH WAS THE CONJUNCTION OF NEWBERRY
8 IS ONE, TOO, WAS A VERY HEAVILY USED FOUR POINT
9 DEUCE AND A 75 MILLIMETER HOUSER IMPACT RANGE.

10 **BY MR. HAYES:**

11 OKAY. DO YOU HAVE MAPS TO PINPOINT?

12 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

13 I HAVE MAPS TO POINT THAT AT HOME, NOT WITH
14 ME. I DO KNOW WHERE THEY RECENTLY FOUND LAST WEEK,
15 WHERE SOME AREAS -- I DON'T KNOW IF THEY WERE
16 UNEXPLORED OR WHAT, BUT THERE WERE PEOPLE THAT SAY
17 THAT THEY DID NOT USE A FOUR DEUCE MORTAR OUT THERE.
18 THEY DID. RIGHT BEHIND EDUCATIONAL T.V.
19 TRANSMITTING STATION, THERE'S A LOT OF THOSE SHELLS.
20 I'D SAY ABOUT 60 OR 70 YARDS. I DON'T KNOW IF MR.
21 MILLIKEN OWNS THAT PROPERTY OR NOT, BUT IF YOU GO
22 FURTHER ON DOWN IN THAT AREA, WHERE NEWBERRY STARTS,
23 NEAR ROSELYN AND CALFORD BRIDGE ROAD, YOU'RE GOING
24 TO FIND A LOT ABOUT 16 OR 18 INCHES DEEP, EMBEDDED
25 IN 75 MILLIMETER PACK HOUSER SHELLS.

1 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

2 WHAT'S THE ADDRESS ON CALFORD BRIDGE ROAD
3 AGAIN?

4 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

5 IT'S NO MAN'S LAND DOWN THERE. IT'S AT THE
6 VERY END OF CALFORD BRIDGE ROAD, DAVID, BETWEEN
7 THERE AND THAT ROSELYN, WHICH THE FAIRFOREST CREEK
8 COMES DOWN IN BETWEEN THAT.

9 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

10 ROSELYN AND CALFORD BRIDGE ON THIS SIDE OF
11 FAIRFOREST?

12 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

13 THAT'S ROSELYN.

14 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

15 YOU'RE GOING TO FIND SOME STUFF DOWN THERE.

16 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

17 IS IT ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC?

18 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

19 IF THEY BUILD ALL THESE HOUSES, SUZY, THAT
20 THEY'RE PLANNING ON, IT'S GOING TO BE VERY
21 ACCESSIBLE.

22 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

23 SO, THERE HAS BEEN A CHANGE OF LAND USE THERE

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25 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

1 THERE HAS BEEN A CHANGE OF LAND USE. THEY
2 TRIED TO AUCTION A LOT OF THAT OFF THIS PAST JULY.
3 THEY WERE UNSUCCESSFUL. A LOT OF THAT IS STILL --
4 THAT'S ONE OF THE THINGS AND THIS, TOO. THIS IS NOT
5 COMING OUT OF THE BLUE, WHAT OFFICER BEATTY SAID
6 ABOUT OVER IN WELFORD AND WESTVIEW. ONE OF THE LAST
7 THINGS THEY DID AT THE END OF THE WAR, THEY TOOK TWO
8 -- IN LATE NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER OF 1946, THEY HAD
9 TWO TRUCK CONVOYS THAT WERE TAKING SOME OF THIS
10 AMMUNITION TO THE GREENVILLE ARMY/AIR FORCE BASE.
11 AS I SAID, THESE ARE 19 AND 20-YEAR-OLD SOLDIERS.
12 THEY DID, INDEED, STOP IN TWO PLACES. ONE OF THEM
13 WAS WESTVIEW OVER THERE. ONE OF THESE GUYS IS ABOUT
14 83 YEARS OLD. HE WAS A SERGEANT THEN. HE REMEMBERS
15 DOING THAT. AND ANOTHER PLACE WAS IN WELFORD. FOR
16 SOME REASON, I DON'T KNOW WHY OR WHAT INSPIRED THESE
17 GUYS TO DO THIS. ONE MAN WILL COME BACK FROM NEW
18 YORK, SUZY, AND TESTIFY THAT THEY TOOK ABOUT 15
19 TRUCKLOADS OF STUFF AND JUST DUMPED IT IN WHAT WAS
20 THEN A NO MAN'S LAND IN THE WESTVIEW AREA.

21 BY MR. HAYES:

22 OKAY. DO YOU WANT TO BRING THAT UP IN NEW
23 BUSINESS?

24 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

25 OKAY, I CAN.

1 BY MR. HAYES:

2 DO YOU HAVE THINGS TO SUBSTANTIATE THAT?

3 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

4 JUST THE TESTIMONY OF THREE DIFFERENT ELDERLY
5 GENTLEMEN.

6 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

7 CAN YOU FORWARD THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES AND
8 PHONE NUMBERS?

9 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

10 I'VE GOT THE NAMES, ADDRESSES AND PHONE
11 NUMBERS. THEY DID THE SAME THING OVER AT WELFORD.
12 NOW, I DON'T KNOW IF THIS IS WHERE OFFICER BEATTY
13 FOUND THAT GRENADE, BUT BY THE TIME THEY GOT TO
14 GREENVILLE, HE SAID THEY WERE ABOUT EMPTY. THEY
15 WERE ABOUT HALF DRUNK DOING THIS AND THE WAR WAS
16 OVER AND THEY WERE HAVING A GOOD TIME.

17 BY MR. HAYES:

18 WELL, I WANT YOU TO UNDERSTAND, WE NEED ---

19 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

20 SUBSTANTIATED.

21 BY MR. HAYES:

22 SUBSTANTIATED INFORMATION TO BE BROUGHT UP AT
23 THE NEXT MEETING, BEFORE THE NEXT MEETING.

24 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

1 RIGHT. AND IT'S VERY POSSIBLE THAT SOMEBODY
2 MIGHT BE WHERE THAT STUFF'S BURIED NOW, SOMEBODY
3 MIGHT HAVE A \$100,000 HOUSE ON TOP OF IT. I DON'T
4 KNOW.

5 BY MR. HAYES:

6 OKAY. MA'AM?

7 BY MS. STEWART:

8 I'M BEULAH STEWART. I'M VERY CONCERNED AND IT
9 SEEMS LIKE WE ARE HEARING SOME SERIOUS INFORMATION
10 HERE. WHEN YOU SAW THIS OFFICER THERE
11 INVESTIGATING, ARE YOU ROPING THESE AREAS OFF,
12 BECAUSE CHILDREN DO HAVE A TENDENCY TO ROAM AROUND.
13 ARE YOU ROPING THEM OFF WITH YELLOW RIBBON OR ANY
14 TYPE OF RIBBON?

15 BY MR. BEATTY:

16 NO, MA'AM. WE RECOVER THEM AND TAKE THEM AND
17 GO THROUGH A DISPOSAL PROCESS. THEY'RE NOT LEFT.

18 BY MS. STEWART:

19 OKAY. WHAT IF THERE ARE MORE IN THE AREA THAT
20 YOU DON'T ---

21 BY MR. BEATTY:

22 WHAT WE RECOVER IS LIKE WHAT MR. ZIMMERMAN TOOK
23 ONE HOME WITH HIM. PEOPLE CARRY THEM HOME AS
24 SOUVENIRS. THAT'S WHAT WE'RE FINDING. THE ONES

1 DOWN ON THIS HUNT CLUB IS A PRIVATE, FENCED-IN AREA
2 THAT'S NOT ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC.

3 BY MR. HAYES:

4 THE HUNT CLUB HE'S TALKING ABOUT WAS NOT GIVEN
5 CLEARANCE BEFORE AND IT WAS SOLD TO SOMEONE ELSE
6 AND, YOU KNOW, THESE THINGS ARE PRIORITIZED. SO IF
7 THEY WANTED TO GO BACK IN THERE FOR REMOVAL NOW, IT
8 MIGHT TAKE A LOT LONGER TO GET TO THEM WHERE IF THEY
9 HAD GIVEN RIGHT OF ENTRY BEFORE, THE PROPERTY MIGHT
10 HAVE BEEN INSPECTED OR -- WHAT DO YOU CALL THE ---

11 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

12 CHARACTERIZED?

13 BY MR. HAYES:

14 YES, CHARACTERIZED FOR INSPECTION.

15 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

16 SUZY, THAT BLUEPRINT THAT I GAVE YOU IS A VERY
17 EXPLICIT DETAILED BLUEPRINT OF EXACTLY WHERE EVERY
18 RANGE WAS, LINES OF FIRE THEY USED AND EVERYTHING.
19 I DON'T KNOW IF YOU ALL HAVE GOT THAT IN YOUR
20 ARCHIVES OR NOT, BUT I'VE GOT IT.

21 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

22 I APPRECIATE THAT.

23 BY MR. HAYES:

24 THANK YOU, ROBIN.

25 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

1 YOU'RE WELCOME.

2 **BY MR. HAYES:**

3 OKAY. IS THERE ANYMORE NEW BUSINESS TO BE
4 BROUGHT UP AT THE NEXT MEETING? SIR?

5 **BY MR. DELL:**

6 AGAIN, I'M BRUCE DELL. I'M PART OF AN
7 ORGANIZATION CALLED THE EQUESTRIAN TRAIL BLAZERS.
8 WE'RE AN EQUESTRIAN ORGANIZATION. OUR PRIMARY ROLE
9 IS TO MAINTAIN TRAIL SYSTEMS IN THE CAROLINAS, NORTH
10 AND SOUTH CAROLINA. WE WORK WITH STATE
11 ORGANIZATIONS, LIKE WITH MIKE FOLEY AND THE STATE
12 PARK RECREATION AND TOURISM OR AT CROFT STATE PARK
13 TO KEEP THE TRAILS SAFE AND OPEN TO ALL USERS. THE
14 THING I'D LIKE TO FIND OUT ABOUT IS HOW DOES A
15 VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION LIKE OURSELVES WORK WITH THE
16 CORPS OF ENGINEERS TO HELP IT ACHIEVE ITS MISSION
17 WITH THE LIMITED RESOURCES IT HAS TO HELP BECAUSE WE
18 HAVE AN INTIMATE KNOWLEDGE OF THESE TRAILS AND WE'D
19 LIKE TO BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN SOME WAY TO OPEN
20 UP SOME OF THESE TRAILS AND HELP WITH YOUR
21 INVESTIGATION. WE'D LIKE TO KNOW HOW WE COULD
22 PARTICIPATE. RIGHT NOW, WE DON'T KNOW HOW TO DO
23 THAT. SO, WE'D LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THAT.

24 **BY MR. HAYES:**

1 OKAY. IS THAT SOMETHING YOU WANT TO BRING UP
2 FOR NEW BUSINESS FOR THE NEXT MEETING?

3 BY MR. DELL:

4 YES. I'D LIKE TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT HOW WE
5 COULD WORK WITH THE CORPS HAND IN HAND, AS FAR AS
6 WAYS TO -- WELL, SPECIFICALLY TO GET ACCESS TO SOME
7 OF THOSE TRAILS ---

8 BY MR. HAYES:

9 IS THAT SOMETHING THAT YOU WANT TO ADDRESS NOW
10 OR DO YOU WANT TO ADDRESS IT AT THE NEXT MEETING?

11 BY MR. NESBIT:

12 I CAN ADDRESS IT, NOT AT 100%, BUT I CAN GIVE
13 YOU SOME INPUT. THE EASIEST WAY FOR US TO BE ABLE
14 TO PARTICIPATE WITH YOU WOULD BE AS A PARTICIPANT
15 WITH THE STATE PARK AND RECREATION SERVICE. THROUGH
16 YOUR COORDINATION WITH THEM AND US, IN THAT MEDIUM,
17 WILL PRESENT POTENTIALLY THE OPPORTUNITY FOR US TO
18 BE ABLE TO BE OF USE TO YOU THROUGH THE PARK SERVICE
19 AND US LENDING OUR EXPERTISE TO ASSIST ALL THE WAY
20 AROUND. THAT'S NOT TO SAY THAT YOU CANNOT COME TO
21 US DIRECTLY AND ASK FOR A MEETING WITH US OR
22 ANYTHING LIKE THAT, BUT MOST OFTEN, IT'S SIMPLER FOR
23 YOU, ESPECIALLY SINCE YOU ARE PARTNERED WITH THE
24 PARK SERVICE, THE PARK AND RECREATIONAL SERVICE TO

1 WORK WITH THEM IN A PARTNERSHIP WITH US, THROUGH
2 THAT MEDIUM.

3 BY MR. DELL:

4 FAIR ENOUGH.

5 BY MR. HAYES:

6 OKAY. ANYMORE NEW BUSINESS TO BE BROUGHT UP AT
7 THE NEXT MEETING?

8 BY MR. OSBORNE:

9 ONE OTHER THING REAL FAST, GOING BACK TO A
10 PIECE OF PAPER I HAVE HERE. A MR. JOHNSON INQUIRED
11 WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF SOMEONE PURCHASED A PIECE OF
12 PROPERTY AND WAS INJURED OR KILLED ON THAT PROPERTY?
13 AFTER THE PROPERTY WAS SUPPOSED TO BE CLEANED UP AND
14 WE KNOW IT HASN'T BEEN CLEANED UP, NOW WHO IS GOING
15 TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THAT ON CALFORD BRIDGE ROAD?

16 BY MR. HAYES:

17 SO, WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE BROUGHT UP AT THE
18 NEXT MEETING?

19 BY MR. OSBORNE:

20 HE'S SAYING THAT THE ATTORNEY SAID THAT THE
21 STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA DID NOT REQUIRE THEM TO LET
22 THOSE PEOPLE KNOW. NOW, THIS DON'T SEEM RIGHT.
23 SOMEWHERE ALONG THE LINE, THOSE PEOPLE DOWN THERE
24 BUYING THAT PROPERTY SHOULD KNOW THAT IT HAS NOT
25 BEEN CLEANED UP, IN CASE ---

1 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

2 LET ME RESPOND TO THAT, TWOFOLD, OKAY? WE'RE
3 DEALING WITHIN A BUREAUCRACY HERE. THE STATE OF
4 SOUTH CAROLINA HAS IDENTIFIED ITS LAWS AND WE ABIDE
5 BY THOSE LAWS. THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IS NOT ONE OF
6 ENFORCING A SPECIFIC LAW HERE THAT DOESN'T APPLY.
7 THAT QUESTION DEALS MORE WITH LITIGATION BETWEEN THE
8 STATE AND THE PERSON INVOLVED, THE FAMILY AND
9 WHOMEVER ELSE THAT MAY BE INVOLVED. SO, I CAN'T
10 ANSWER THAT QUESTION. I DARESAY IF ONE OF OUR
11 LAWYERS WERE HERE, THEY WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO ANSWER
12 THAT QUESTION. THAT'S SOMETHING THAT WOULD BE TAKEN
13 UP IN THE COURTS DEALING WITH RESPONSIBILITY. OKAY?
14 THAT'S NOT SHIRKING ANSWERING YOUR QUESTION, BUT
15 THAT'S THE REALITY.

16 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

17 HAROLD, IS THERE A SPECIFIC SELLER ON THAT?

18 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

19 YES.

20 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

21 DO YOU HAVE HIS NAME AND HIS ADDRESS?

22 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

23 IT WAS DONE BY CAROLINA ---

24 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

1 JIM SMITH ASSOCIATES, CAROLINA AUCTION
2 ASSOCIATES. THIS IS NOT TO BE A HARBINGER OF BAD
3 THINGS TO COME, GARY, BECAUSE I DON'T WANT ANYBODY
4 TO THINK I'M TRYING TO BE A RUMOR MONGER OR ANYTHING
5 LIKE THAT. I SIT UP RIGHT NOW AND I GUARANTEE YOU
6 AND I PROMISE YOU WHEN THEY GET DOWN THERE, WAY DOWN
7 IN THOSE WOODS THERE ON THESE LOTS, YOU ARE GOING TO
8 FIND SOME UNEXPLODED ORDNANCE OR ARTILLERY SHELLS,
9 105s, 75s, BAZOOKA AND EVEN MORTAR ROUNDS THAT THEY
10 HAD OUT THERE. IT'S THERE. SO, A LOT OF IT IS IN
11 SOFT MUD FROM THAT LAKE AND EVERY TIME THE
12 FAIRFOREST RISES, SOMETIMES THOSE SMALLER CREEKS,
13 THEY'LL RISE TEN OR 15 FEET OVER IT AND THAT
14 MOISTENS THAT DIRT AND THAT STUFF GOES DOWN, BUT
15 IT'S THERE. IF YOU TAKE A METAL DETECTOR DOWN THERE
16 AND IT GOES CRAZY AND IT'S NOT COKE CANS OR HORSE
17 SHOES OR NAILS.

18 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

19 TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION, KEEP IN MIND THAT WE
20 ARE NOT SAYING THAT ORDNANCE IS NOT THERE.

21 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

22 YES, SIR.

23 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

1 WHAT WE ARE SAYING IS WE HAVE A SPECIFIC WAY OF
2 DOING THINGS SAFELY, HOPEFULLY, TO MAINTAIN AS MUCH
3 PUBLIC SAFETY AS WE POSSIBLY CAN.

4 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

5 YES, SIR.

6 BY MR. NESBIT:

7 WE ARE RESTRAINED BY FUNDING AND EVERYTHING
8 ELSE. WE ARE NOT SAYING THAT WE ARE NOT WANTING
9 THIS INFORMATION. IN FACT, WE WANT THE INFORMATION
10 SO THAT WE CAN HAVE GOOD INFORMATION WHEN WE
11 CONTINUE ON WITH THE PROCESS AS WE ARE GOING.

12 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

13 YES, SIR. I UNDERSTAND.

14 BY MR. NESBIT:

15 SO, THE FACT THAT YOU ARE PHYSICALLY AND
16 ACTUALLY PROVIDING THE KIND OF ASSISTANCE OF BEING A
17 DETECTIVE AND FINDING THESE PLACES, IT'S NOT
18 NECESSARILY THAT WE AREN'T APPRECIATIVE OF THAT. WE
19 ARE.

20 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

21 YES, SIR.

22 BY MR. NESBIT:

23 WE JUST NEED TO HAVE SPECIFIC INFORMATION SO
24 THAT WE CAN ADDRESS THEM, BASED UPON WHAT YOU SAY

1 YOU FOUND AND WHAT WE ACTUALLY FIND THERE SO WE CAN
2 ADDRESS IT.

3 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

4 YES, SIR. WHAT HE WAS TALKING ABOUT, WHAT
5 HAROLD'S TALKING ABOUT, IF I MAY JUST FOR A LITTLE
6 BIT EXPOUND ON THIS, GARY. THIS WAS PROPERTY THAT
7 WAS OWNED BY TWO DIFFERENT TIMBER COMPANIES AND THE
8 DUKE POWER COMPANY, LARGE AREAS THERE. THEY NEVER
9 ALLOWED THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS ON THERE TO CLEAN
10 THIS OFF. SOMEHOW, SOME WAY OR ANOTHER, THIS
11 CAROLINA AUCTION, THIS SMITH -- AND I DON'T MEAN TO
12 IMPLY ANY WRONGDOINGS WITH THEM -- BUT THEY GET A
13 HOLD OF THIS PROPERTY AND THE NEXT THING YOU KNOW,
14 THEY'RE AUCTIONING IT OFF THIS PAST JULY. TO MY
15 KNOWLEDGE, AND MAYBE SOMEBODY KNOWS SOMETHING I
16 DON'T, BUT THERE HAS NEVER BEEN ONE METAL DETECTOR
17 OR ONE SURVEY ON THIS AREA, WHICH WAS A VERY HEAVY
18 IMPACT AREA. JIMMY, YOU ADMIT THAT THERE IS A LOT
19 OF STUFF DOWN THERE ---

20 BY MR. DAVID ZIMMERMAN:

21 ROBIN, ROBIN, BUT YOU JUST SAID IT. THEY WERE
22 REFUSED RIGHT OF ENTRY.

23 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

24 WELL, I DON'T KNOW THAT THEY WERE REFUSED THE
25 RIGHT OF ENTRY, DAVID.

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BY MR. NESBIT:

TO US, THEY DID.

BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

THEY DID.

BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

WELL, OKAY, THEY DID.

BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

SO, IF HE IS NOW THE OWNER, YOU KNOW, WE NEED
TO SEE IF HE WILL ALLOW THEM RIGHT OF ENTRY.

BY MR. OSBORNE:

THEY'VE AUCTIONED OFF QUITE A BIT OF IT.

BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

WAS IT A SINGLE TRACT OR DID THEY ---

BY MR. OSBORNE:

NO, IT WAS INDIVIDUAL TRACTS.

BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

INDIVIDUAL TRACTS. AND I MEAN, THERE'S A LOT
OF STUFF THAT'S DOWN THERE. THERE REALLY IS. THAT
AREA HAS NEVER BEEN, YOU KNOW, BY THE CORPS.

BY MR. HAYES:

OKAY. IS THIS SOMETHING THAT WE NEED TO BRING
UP AT THE NEXT MEETING?

BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

PROBABLY. I THINK SO, GARY.

BY MR. HAYES:

1 OKAY. ARE THERE THINGS THAT YOU CAN
2 SUBSTANTIATE AND SEND IN FOR REVIEW BEFORE THE NEXT
3 MEETING?

4 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

5 I'D LIKE TO PICK ONE OR TWO DAYS WHEN I CAN GET
6 TOGETHER WITH JOHN DYES OF THE SPARTANBURG COUNTY
7 SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT. I'D JUST LIKE TO TAKE HIM
8 DOWN THERE AND SHOW HIM WHERE I'M TALKING ABOUT.

9 BY MR. HAYES:

10 WELL, YOU KNOW IF YOU'RE GOING ON PRIVATE
11 PROPERTY, YOU PROBABLY NEED TO GET PERMISSION.

12 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

13 YES, I KNOW IT. I DON'T KNOW IF MR. SMITH'S
14 GOING TO GIVE ME PERMISSION TO DO THAT.

15 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

16 COULD WE MAYBE CALL MR. SMITH AND SEE IF MAYBE
17 HE COULD PROVIDE THE NEW OWNERS OF THOSE TRACTS ---

18 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

19 OR SHOULD WE GO THROUGH ---

20 BY MR. NESBIT:

21 WHAT WE WOULD HAVE TO DO IS CONTACT OUR REAL
22 ESTATE OFFICES AND ACTUALLY GO THROUGH THEIR
23 PROCESS, OF WHICH THEY WILL ACTUALLY DETERMINE WHO
24 THE OWNERS OF THE PROPERTY IS, NUMBER ONE. ONCE
25 THEY HAVE IDENTIFIED WHO THE OWNERS OF THE PROPERTY

1 ARE, THEN THEY WILL PROCEED WITH TRYING TO GAIN
2 ACCESS TO THE PROPERTY, RIGHT OF ENTRY OR WHATEVER
3 THE CASE MAY BE. THE PURPOSE WILL BE BASED UPON THE
4 REQUESTS THAT'S BEEN ASKED HERE TONIGHT, THE
5 INFORMATION THAT HAS BEEN BROUGHT HERE TONIGHT, TO
6 DEFINE WHETHER OR NOT THIS IS AN AREA THAT, BASED
7 UPON THEIR CURRENT USE, AS TO WHETHER OR NOT THERE
8 IS A NEED AND/OR A DESIRE FOR US TO LOOK AT POSSIBLY
9 CONSIDERING IT FOR PROPERTY TO BE CLEARED. THE FACT
10 THAT YOU SAID THAT THEY ARE SELLING PROPERTY IN THAT
11 AREA, EVEN THOUGH FROM A HUMANITARIAN PERSPECTIVE,
12 YOU WOULD THINK THAT THEY WOULD WANT IT CLEARED
13 AND/OR BROUGHT TO PEOPLE'S ATTENTION, FINANCIALLY,
14 THEY MAY NOT WANT ANYBODY EVEN TO PUT THAT
15 INFORMATION OUT OR TALK ABOUT IT OR WHATEVER BECAUSE
16 YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT VALUABLE PROPERTY. OKAY. AND
17 WE'RE NOT IN THE BUSINESS OF AND WE WILL NOT BUY
18 PROPERTY. THAT'S NOT A VENUE OF THE FEDERAL
19 GOVERNMENT, OKAY. IT'S PRIVATELY OWNED PROPERTY AND
20 WE'VE GOT TO ASK PERMISSION JUST LIKE YOU DO.

21 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

22 YES, SIR.

23 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

1 AND IF THEY REFUSE US THE AVAILABILITY TO DO
2 ANYTHING, THERE'S NOTHING WE CAN DO. WE'LL DOCUMENT
3 IT AND WE'LL REPORT BACK AND LET YOU KNOW THAT.

4 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

5 YES, SIR, BUT IT OCCURRED THIS PAST JUNE.

6 BY MR. OSBORNE:

7 I'VE GOT A COPY OF THE MAP. I THINK I'VE STILL
8 GOT IT WHERE THEY BROKE IT DOWN INTO HOME DEALS AND
9 EVERYTHING LIKE THAT THAT I CAN BRING YOU.

10 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

11 AND ALSO, YOU CAN SEE PLACES WHERE THEY WOULD
12 HAVE THESE FRONT END LOADERS. THEY'RE CLEARING
13 THESE BIG PATCHES OUT AND I WOULD ASK THEM, I'D SAY,
14 "WHAT ARE YOU DOING?" AND THEY'D SAY, "OH, WE'RE
15 JUST TRYING TO FIND WATER MAINS AND THINGS LIKE
16 THAT." IF YOU COME BACK THERE A WEEK LATER AND
17 THEY'VE GOT EVERYTHING STAKED OUT, LOT 31, 32, 33,
18 34. WITHIN A MONTH, MR. NESBIT, THEY HAD A GREAT
19 BIG SIGN AND HAD PUT ONE OF THOSE THINGS IN THE
20 PAPER ABOUT THAT BIG THAT SAYS LAND AUCTION, JULY
21 23RD. HAROLD, YOU WENT TO THE ONE THAT SAID JULY
22 26TH. AND THEY AUCTIONED OFF WHAT WAS THEIR MAIN --
23 THAT'S WHERE THEY DID THE BATTALION, TWO BATTALION.
24 THAT WAS THEIR MAIN AREA AT CALFORD BRIDGE ROAD AND
25 THEY FIRED LIVE AMMUNITION THERE.

1 **BY MR. SCOTT WILSON:**

2 MY NAME IS SCOTT WILSON. I'M WITH DHEC. JUST
3 A QUESTION. DOES THE CORPS NOT HAVE NAMES FOR
4 WARRANTS FOR ACCESS OF PROPERTY IF THEY THINK
5 EMINENT THREAT MATERIAL IS THAT?

6 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

7 THAT'S A GOOD QUESTION.

8 **BY MR. WILSON:**

9 I'M JUST CURIOUS. I MEAN, I KNOW THE STATE HAS
10 THAT RIGHT.

11 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

12 WE DON'T, THAT I KNOW OF. IN FACT, PROPERTY,
13 EVEN THOUGH WE MAY KNOW THAT THERE IS A HAZARD, AT
14 LEAST FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF ORDNANCE, IF PEOPLE
15 HAVE RESTRICTED ACCESS TO THE PROPERTY OR THEY
16 REFUSE US FROM ENTERING THEIR PROPERTY, THEN WE
17 CAN'T GO ON THEIR PROPERTY. IT'S PRIVATE OWNED. WE
18 CAN'T MANDATE ANYTHING. HOWEVER, THE STATE HAS,
19 THROUGH YOUR OFFICE, CERTAIN DIRECTIONS THAT YOU CAN
20 -- CERTAIN THINGS THAT YOU CAN DO, OF COURSE.

21 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

22 EVEN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS MORE POWER THAN
23 THAT.

24 **BY MR. WILSON:**

25 YES, EXACTLY.

1 **BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:**

2 YOU KNOW, AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE.

3 **BY MR. HAYES:**

4 HAVE YOU GOT SOME NEW BUSINESS?

5 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

6 YES, SORT OF. I WASN'T MEANING TO IMPLY THAT
7 ANY WRONGDOING OR ANY LAWS HAD BEEN BROKEN OR
8 ANYTHING LIKE THAT. WHAT I'M SAYING IS MERELY THE
9 FACTS AS THEY HAPPENED THIS PAST SUMMER. I MEAN, IT
10 WAS JUST -- IN THE SPRING, THAT PLACE WAS -- BY
11 JUNE, THEY WERE FLATTENING OUT THESE BIG PLACES AND
12 THE NEXT THING YOU KNOW, THEY HAVE STAKES JUST GOING
13 UP AND DOWN, LOT SO AND SO AND LOT SO AND SO. I
14 WONDERED HOW THEY DID THAT SO FAST.

15 **BY MR. HAYES:**

16 OKAY. I'M JUST ---

17 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

18 ONE OTHER THING REAL FAST.

19 **BY MR. HAYES:**

20 WAIT A MINUTE, HAROLD.

21 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

22 OKAY.

23 **BY MR. HAYES:**

24 I'M JUST TRYING TO DEFINE WHAT THE NEW BUSINESS
25 IS HERE.

1 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

2 YES, FOR THE RECORD SO THAT WE CAN LOOK, IS
3 THAT AN AREA THAT WAS INVESTIGATED IN THE PAST OR
4 SLATED FOR INVESTIGATION?

5 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

6 NO. AS FAR AS I KNOW, IT'S NEVER BEEN
7 INVESTIGATED, SUZY. I DON'T THINK THE CORPS HAS
8 EVER BEEN DOWN THERE.

9 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

10 IT'S A LACK OF RIGHT OF ENTRY. SO, WHAT IS THE
11 NEXT ACTION, OTHER THAN YOU REPORTING ON IT FOR US
12 TO BE AWARE OF IT?

13 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

14 WELL, I MEAN, IF SOMEBODY BUILDS A HOUSE DOWN
15 THERE TWO OR THREE MONTHS FROM NOW, OFFICER BEATTY
16 HERE, THEY'RE LIABLE TO START GETTING A LOT OF PHONE
17 CALLS.

18 **BY MR. HAYES:**

19 WELL, FOR OUR NEW BUSINESS, CAN YOUR REAL
20 ESTATE DIVISION CONTACT SOME OF THESE PEOPLE? I'M
21 TRYING TO DEFINE WHAT OUR NEW BUSINESS IS TO REPORT
22 BACK AT THE NEXT MEETING.

23 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

1 THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT, YOU'VE RESPONDED --
2 IS THIS AN AREA WHERE YOU'VE HAD RESPONSES FOR
3 MUNITION FINDS?

4 **BY MR. BEATTY:**

5 IS THAT AN AREA ---

6 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

7 NO, SIR. IT'S ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE LAKE.
8 IT'S REALLY IN A PLACE WHERE VERY FEW PEOPLE KNOW IT
9 EXISTS, TRUTHFULLY.

10 **BY MR. BEATTY:**

11 NONE THAT I KNOW OF.

12 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

13 YOU KNOW, CALFORD BRIDGE ROAD, A LOT OF PEOPLE
14 IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY HAVE NEVER EVEN BEEN DOWN THAT
15 ROAD.

16 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

17 IT WAS FORMERLY OWNED BY CHAMPION PAPER.

18 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

19 CHAMPION PAPER.

20 **BY MR. OSBORNE:**

21 AND THEY SOLD IT TO INTERNATIONAL PAPER AND
22 INTERNATIONAL SOLD IT TO JIM SMITH AND JIM SMITH
23 BROKE IT INTO LOTS.

24 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

1 AND THESE PAPER COMPANIES HAVE NEVER ALLOWED
2 ANYBODY ON THERE, NEVER, TO CHECK IT OUT.

3 BY MR. HAYES:

4 STATE YOUR NAME, PLEASE.

5 BY MR. DON McCLURE:

6 I 'M DON McCLURE.

7 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

8 AGAIN, WE'RE TRYING TO DEFINE WHAT OUR FOLLOW
9 ON ACTION IS, SO THIS CAN BE ADDED. IS WHAT WE'RE
10 LOOKING FOR AN IDENTIFICATION OF THE PROPERTY OWNERS
11 AS THEY STAND, BASED UPON A REAL ESTATE OFFICE
12 REVIEW AND THEN GET THOSE FOLKS ON THE MAILING LIST
13 AND GET THEM INTO THE NEXT MEETING TO, AGAIN, MAKE
14 THEM AWARE OF WHAT THE PROBLEM IS AND UNDERSTAND THE
15 PROCESS, WHERE WE ARE WITH THE FUDS PROCESS, WHAT
16 THE IMMEDIATE RESPONSE ACTION IS TO ADDRESS
17 CONCERNS.

18 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

19 I THINK THAT'S THE WAY IT SHOULD BE HANDLED.

20 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

21 OKAY.

22 BY MR. HAYES:

23 OKAY.

24 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

1 SO, THAT'S WHAT WE'LL DO. YOU HAVE PROVIDED ON
2 THE RECORD THE NAME OF THE AUCTION COMPANY. THE
3 REAL ESTATE OFFICE IN SAVANNAH CAN AT LEAST TRY TO
4 IDENTIFY THOSE LANDOWNERS. WE CAN GET MAILING
5 FLYERS OUT TO THEM TO INVITE THEM TO THE NEXT
6 MEETING AND I ENCOURAGE ALL OF YOU -- THIS IS A GOOD
7 SEGUEWAY -- THAT AS YOU ARE TALKING TO MORE PEOPLE
8 AND DIFFERENT GROUPS, MAKE SURE YOU INVITE THEM.
9 THESE MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. THE MORE
10 FOLKS THAT CAN BE MADE AWARE AND UNDERSTAND THE
11 PROCESS AND THAT CAN PROVIDE US SOME MORE
12 INFORMATION, AGAIN, THE MORE INFORMATION ---

13 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

14 KEEP IN MIND, WHEN WE DO MAKE CONTACT OR TRY TO
15 MAKE CONTACT WITH THESE LANDOWNERS, THEY HAVE THE
16 RIGHT OF REFUSAL TO EVEN TALK TO US.

17 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

18 YES, SIR.

19 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

20 WE'VE RUN INTO THAT, AS WELL.

21 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

22 YES, SIR.

23 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

24 AND IF THEY DO REFUSE TO NUMBER ONE, DISCUSS
25 THE MATTER, GIVE US ACCESS TO THEIR PROPERTY OR

1 ANYTHING ELSE IN A NEGATIVE VEIN, WE'LL LET YOU KNOW
2 THAT, AS WELL. BUT JUST BE AWARE THAT WE WILL TRY
3 TO FIND OUT WHAT WE CAN. NOW, LET'S SAY THAT THEY
4 ARE, IN FACT, RECEPTIVE TO WHAT OUR SERVICES ARE
5 POTENTIALLY THAT WILL COME DOWN THE ROAD. FIRST OF
6 ALL, I'M HOPING YOU'RE NOT SUGGESTING THAT WE RE-
7 LOOK AT OUR PRIORITY TO GO TAKE CARE OF THIS
8 PROPERTY BEFORE WE TAKE CARE OF OTHER PROPERTY THAT
9 WE HAVE ALREADY IDENTIFIED AND TESTED.

10 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

11 NO, SIR.

12 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

13 OKAY. THERE ARE OTHER SITES THAT WE HAVE
14 ALREADY BEEN NOTIFIED OF THAT WE DIDN'T HAVE ACCESS
15 TO BEFORE THAT WE HAVE MADE NOTE OF TO GO BACK TO
16 AND ACTUALLY TRY TO GAIN ACCESS TO DO THE
17 INVESTIGATION THAT'S NECESSARY. THAT MAY BE A PART
18 OF AN EE/CA THREE THAT MIGHT NEED TO BE DONE.

19 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

20 YES, SIR.

21 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

22 THAT'S PART OF THE REASSESSMENT PROCESS OF
23 PROPERTY LAND USE. OKAY. SO, IT'S A CONTINUAL
24 THING THAT WILL CONTINUALLY GO ON AS TO HOW THE
25 PROPERTY IS BEING USED AND TO WHAT WAS DONE BEFORE

1 AND WHAT POTENTIALLY MIGHT NEED TO BE DONE IN THE
2 FUTURE TO ADDRESS THE NEW WAY THE PROPERTY IS BEING
3 USED. AND THAT'S OUR PROCESS.

4 **BY MR. McCLURE:**

5 AND THAT'S WHAT HE IS ABOUT TO POINT OUT, THAT
6 THIS AREA IS ABOUT 1,800 OR 2,000 ACRES THAT HAS
7 JUST BECOME AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC TO BUY AND BUILD
8 HOMESITES ON.

9 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

10 SURE.

11 **BY MR. McCLAIN:**

12 SO, IT'S A MAJOR CHANGE IN USE OF THAT AREA.

13 **BY MR. NESBIT:**

14 SURE.

15 **BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:**

16 I DO KNOW THAT CHAMPION AND INTERNATIONAL NEVER
17 ALLOWED THE CORPS ON THERE. IN FACT, THEY STOOD
18 FAST AND REFUSED TO LET ANYBODY ON IT.

19 **BY MR. HAYES:**

20 OKAY. WELL, WE HAVE EVERYTHING DEFINED NOW FOR
21 THIS SUBJECT FOR THE NEXT MEETING. YES, MA'AM?

22 **BY MS. JULIE DELL:**

23 JULIE DELL. AS A FORMER REAL ESTATE AGENT, IT
24 SEEMS TO ME THAT CAROLINA AUCTION TEAM, THEY SHOULD
25 DISCLOSE TO PEOPLE, MAYBE, THAT THERE'S A PROBLEM

1 THERE. I KNOW THAT I WAS NOT AWARE OF IT AND I'VE
2 REFERRED SOME PEOPLE TO LOOK AT LOTS THERE, NOT
3 KNOWING THAT. BUT THERE'S SOMETHING WITH REAL
4 ESTATE, I KNOW IF YOU SELL A HOUSE AND YOU KNOW IT
5 HAS A PROBLEM, YOU HAVE TO DISCLOSE THIS TO THE
6 PROSPECTIVE BUYERS. SO, IT SEEMS LIKE THAT SHOULD
7 BE SOMETHING THAT ---

8 BY MR. McMANUS:

9 AND THAT WAS THE QUESTION THAT WE WERE ASKED TO
10 LOOK INTO, BUT ACCORDING TO SOUTH CAROLINA STATE
11 LAW, YOU'RE NOT REQUIRED TO DISCLOSE THAT.

12 BY MR. WILSON:

13 IT'S ALL PART OF LOCATION. BASICALLY, IF
14 PROPERTY OWNERS CHOOSES NOT TO DISCLOSE, THEN
15 THEY'RE ROLLING THE DICE FOR FUTURE LOCATIONS.

16 BY MR. NESBIT:

17 EXACTLY.

18 BY MS. DELL:

19 BUT THEY WOULD BE LIABLE?

20 BY MR. SCOTT WILSON:

21 THAT'S CORRECT.

22 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

23 WELL, THEY'RE GOING TO BE LIABLE FOR ABOUT 898
24 ACRES BECAUSE THAT'S ABOUT ---

25 BY MR. HAYES:

1 OKAY. SO, ALL OF THIS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED ON
2 OUR ---

3 BY MR. ZIMMERMAN:

4 NEXT MEETING.

5 BY MR. HAYES:

6 ON THIS SUBJECT FOR THE NEXT MEETING.

7 BY MR. OSBORNE:

8 AND THE ONE OTHER ITEM I ASKED EARLIER, WHY ARE
9 THE MILITARY HELICOPTERS FLYING AROUND HERE?

10 BY MR. HAYES:

11 DO YOU WANT THIS ADDRESSED FOR NEW BUSINESS?

12 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

13 NO, I DON'T THINK THAT THAT'S GERMANE TO THE
14 MEETING BECAUSE THAT'S A D.O.T. QUESTION AND I DON'T

15 ---

16 BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:

17 WE DON'T HAVE CONTRACTORS OUT THERE.

18 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

19 NO, WE DON'T HAVE CONTRACTORS OUT THERE.

20 BY MR. OSBORNE:

21 THE HELICOPTERS ---

22 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

23 NO, THAT'S A MILITARY QUESTION.

24 BY MR. OSBORNE:

25 THE ENGINEERS OUGHT TO ---

1 **BY MR. HAYES:**

2 OKAY. ANYBODY HAVE ANYTHING NEW FOR THE NEXT
3 MEETING? NEW BUSINESS FOR NEXT MEETING?

4 **BY MS. CANTOR-McKINNEY:**

5 I'LL ADD ONE NOTE BEFORE WE CLOSE. FOR THE
6 NEXT MEETING, I WOULD LIKE THE BOARD TO REEVALUATE
7 -- I WOULD LIKE TO PUT FORTH THE BOARD TO REEVALUATE
8 BYLAWS, GRAPHIC APPLICABILITY BASED ON NOW A SMALLER
9 GROUP AND THE SHIFT IN OUR MEETING SCHEDULES. AND I
10 WILL FORWARD THAT TO THE ABSENT MEMBERS. SO, I
11 WOULD LIKE TO ADD THAT FOR AN AGENDA ITEM FOR THE
12 NEXT MEETING.

13 **BY MR. HAYES:**

14 OKAY. ANYBODY ELSE? NEW BUSINESS FOR THE NEXT
15 MEETING? LET ME BRIEFLY GO OVER -- IF SOMETHING
16 COMES UP BETWEEN NOW AND THE NEXT MEETING AND YOU
17 WANT TO BE BROUGHT UP, YOU CAN SEND IT IN WRITING TO
18 SUZY. IF YOU DON'T HAVE HER ADDRESS, YOU CAN CALL
19 HER TOLL-FREE AT 888-242-8862. THAT'S SUZY McKINNEY
20 AT ZAPATA ENGINEERING. THAT'S THE BEST WAY YOU CAN
21 GET ON THE AGENDA FOR THE NEXT MEETING. IT'S
22 PREFERABLE TO HAVE IT IN WRITING. ANY DOCUMENTATION
23 THAT YOU HAVE, ANY PINPOINTS ON THE MAPS, WE NEED TO
24 HAVE IT DOCUMENTED. WE'LL BE GLAD TO BRING
25 EVERYTHING UP AT THE NEXT MEETING. ANYTIME BETWEEN

1 NOW AND THE NEXT MEETING, WHATEVER HASN'T BEEN
2 BROUGHT UP TONIGHT FOR THE NEXT MEETING, THAT'S HOW
3 YOU GET IT ON THE AGENDA FOR THE NEXT MEETING. WE
4 WANT TO TRY TO HELP THE STATE PARK, ALL LANDOWNERS,
5 AND ANYBODY OUT THERE THAT HAS A CONCERN ABOUT THEIR
6 PROPERTY FROM THE FORMER CAMP CROFT. WE'RE NOT
7 TRYING TO HIDE ANYTHING. WE'RE NOT TRYING TO SLIDE
8 ANYBODY ASIDE AND I THINK EVERYBODY UNDERSTANDS THE
9 LACK OF FUNDING THAT WE'VE EXPERIENCED IN THE LAST
10 COUPLE OF YEARS. IF THERE'S NO OTHER NEW BUSINESS
11 FOR THE NEXT MEETING, I BELIEVE WE CAN SAY WE'RE
12 CLOSING THE MEETING. DO I HAVE A MOTION TO ADJOURN?

13 BY MR. DAVID MULLINAX:

14 MOTION TO ADJOURN.

15 BY MR. GEORGE MULLINAX:

16 SECOND.

17 BY MR. HAYES:

18 OKAY. WE HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND. I CALL
19 THIS MEETING TO ADJOURNED.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND SEAL
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DIXY MOORE TURNER, CVR
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