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Camp Lejeune, North Carolina 28542

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Date

From: Director
To: AC/S Facilities

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Subj: HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT

1. Julian requested that I advise you that on 12 July 86, I briefed LTCOL Greeves on the attached list of issues concerning the subject program. LTCOL Greeves is, of course, in the G-4 Shop, 2dFSSG. The briefing arose as a result of an incident involving dumping of "mineral spirit" type solvent into waste oil by 2d Maint Bn, 2d.FSSG personnel. Essentially, LTCOL Greeves was given a briefing on major concerns and what his office could do to improve 2dFSSG compliance with RCRA/BO 6240.5. He does not want a CG to CG letter on the incident, if possible.

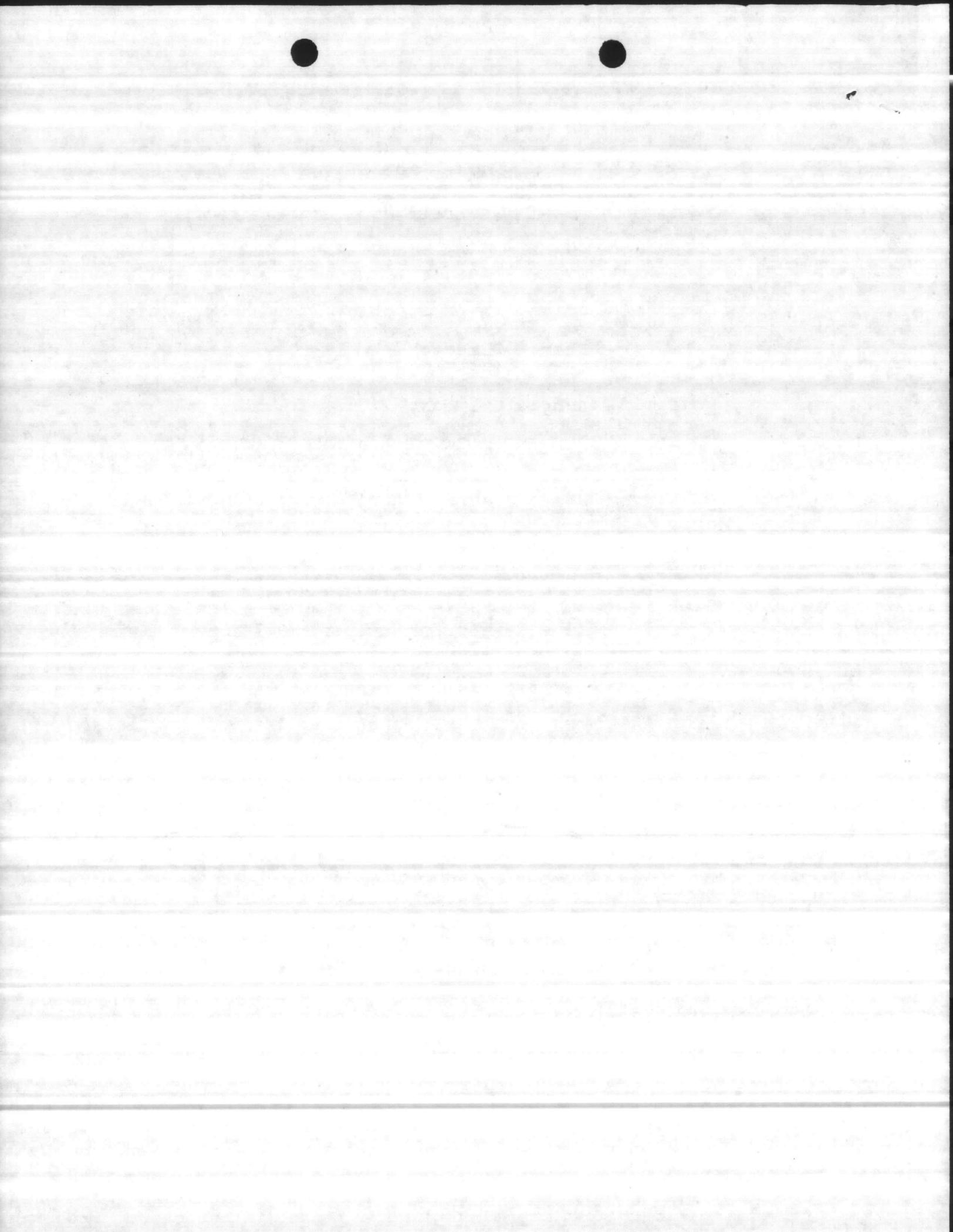
2. It was an enjoyable session. Agreement was reached to publish a Group Order or Bulletin. NREAD will assist in drafting Order.

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Thank you. This is the type of cooperation we desire. Keep up the good work.

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HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES FOR 2D FSSG:

1. To minimize dumping of solvents into waste oil
2. To minimize the number of sites where hazardous wastes are generated and stored.
3. To minimize the number of people routinely handling hazardous wastes.
4. To make personnel working at sites where hazardous wastes are handled and stored aware that special requirements must be addressed if compliance with EPA regulations is to be maintained.
5. That personnel routinely working around hazardous wastes and hazardous materials know what to do in case of spill or other emergency.
6. That supervisory/NCO's/SNCO's/Officers responsible for hazardous waste management are capable of showing EPA inspectors around the work area, explaining the hazardous waste activity carried out in the work area, and demonstrating to the inspector that the shop has hazardous waste management under control.
7. That each batallion/separate company commander establishes internal inspections and other management controls on hazardous waste handling required to provide satisfactory compliance with hazardous waste regulations.
8. That appropriate disciplinary action be taken against personnel refusing to satisfactorily comply with hazardous waste regulations.

ASSISTANCE DESIRED FROM THE G-4, 2D FSSG:

To publish a Group order which formalizes the program within 2D FSSG and which sets up appropriate system of internal controls and which addresses problems caused by constant turn over of military personnel at hazardous waste handling sites.



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Changes to Point Paper
Sent to Lt Col K for briefing
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Staff Division: NREAD

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BACKGROUND: The Commanding General, Marine Corps Base, has overall program management responsibility for the collection and disposal of hazardous waste by base and base tenants; Marine Corps Air Station, New River and Air Station tenants; the Naval Hospital and the Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office, Camp Lejeune. Ongoing courtesy inspections of work sites where hazardous wastes are handled and stored continue to identify minor discrepancies which could lead to citations for violations of state environmental regulations promulgated under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA).

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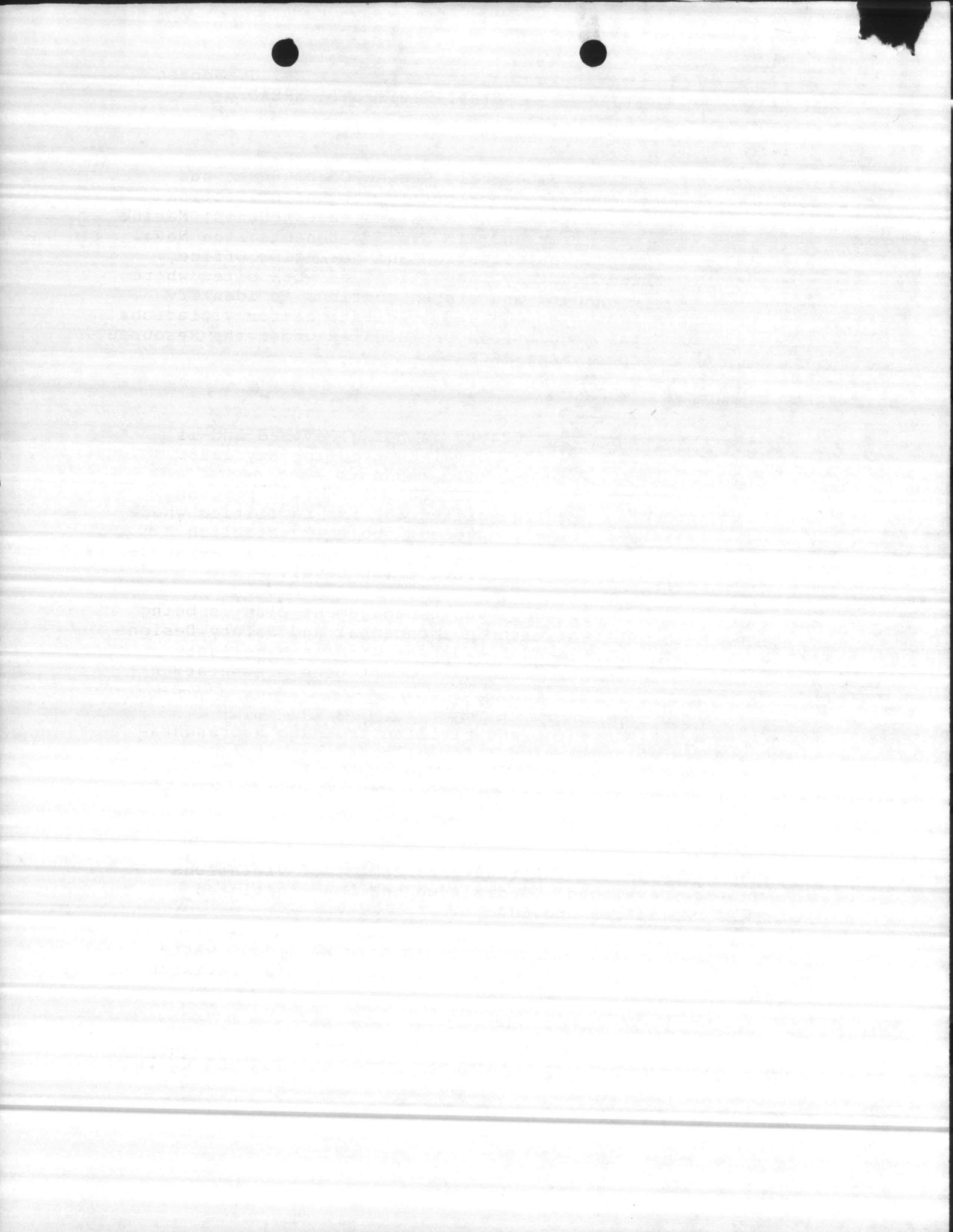
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Subj: ENDANGERED SPECIES RESEARCH

BACKGROUND: Marine Corps Base has funded a research project for the Endangered Red-Cockaded Woodpecker. North Carolina State University has a two-year contract to locate colony sites and determine specie status, determine population size and composition, monitor reproduction, determine home range and habitat use, study military training activity (noise) and Red-Cockaded Woodpecker behavior at the nest. Field work is being coordinated by NREAD and the Training Facilities Office.

CURRENT STATUS:

- ① 36 ^{Rcw} colonies ^{sites} of ~~woodpeckers~~ have been located on base of which 32 are
- ② ~~280~~ ²⁶⁰ plus cavity trees have been located and permanently tagged
- ③ ⁹¹ ~~89~~ woodpeckers have been live-trapped and color banded for identification. *There are an additional 12 unbanded adults aboard Base*
- ④ Vegetative profiles of each colony site have been stratified and recorded

FUTURE ACTION CONTEMPLATED:

- ⑤ Each brood of nestling Red-Cockaded Woodpeckers ~~will~~ ^{have been} extracted from nest cavities and color banded.
Future action contemplated
Each clan (family group) of woodpeckers will be followed during selected periods to determine home range and habitat use.

Woodpecker clans in the Tank-Mechanized Training Area (TMTA) and clans outside the TMTA will be studied to determine impact from mechanized training activities.

A final report will be completed at the ^{conclusion of the contract} end of the ~~two-year study period.~~ *in 1988*

.. As of 6-15-86 there were 50 nestlings/fledglings

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