



Navy Region Hawaii

Key Updates:

- Joint Task Force Red Hill (JTF-RH) and Navy Closure Task Force Red Hill (NCTF-RH) hosted a transition Open House Feb. 7 at Ke'ehi Lagoon Memorial Park, to share information about residual fuel removal and the transition from JTF-RH to NCTF-RH. As of Feb. 12, JTF-RH removed approximately 29,273 gallons of residual fuel from the Red Hill Bulk Fuel Storage Facility's pipelines.
- Navy Closure Task Force - Red Hill (NCTF-RH) launched its new website at www.navyclosuretaskforce.navy.mil. The website hosts information about the new command. The NCTF-RH and JTF-RH also held a combined open house on yesterday to explain the closure mission and tank cleaning of the RHBFSF.
- **The Interagency Drinking Water System Team** developed a long-term plan to monitor drinking water quality. Long term monitoring results are posted on the Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Safe Waters website. The Department of Navy is surging personnel, resources, and expertise to respond to reports raising concerns about the quality of water from the Navy's water system. The water meets Federal and State safe drinking water standards. The Navy's priority is providing reliable and safe drinking water to those who live and work on the Navy's water system. The Navy is also responding to their concerns.



Pacific Islands Fisheries Science Center (PIFSC) staff complete telemetry tagging of green and hawksbill sea turtles on Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPHH), Jan. 24, 2024. NMFS Permit #21260 (U.S. Navy photo by Melvin J. Gonzalvo)

Links - For more information

- JTF-RH Press Releases – <https://www.pacom.mil/JTF-Red-Hill/Press-Room/News/>
- CNRH & NCTF-RH Press Releases – <https://cnrh.cnrc.navy.mil/Operations-and-Management/Red-Hill/Red-Hill-News-Releases-and-Media-Coverage/>
- CNRH DVIDS – <https://www.dvidshub.net/unit/C-NRH>
- Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Safe Waters – <https://jbphh-safewaters.org/>

Drinking Water Long-Term Monitoring Information Booth has been an important information tool in our outreach to those impacted by the Red Hill spill. The booth provides information regarding the LTM plan and allows affected residents to view testing results from their homes and neighborhoods, request sampling for their residence, and ask questions. The next long-term monitoring booth is:
Thursday, Feb. 29 – Pearl Harbor Navy Exchange, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.