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The mission of Navy Closure Task Force-Red Hill (NCTF-RH) is to execute the permanent decommissioning of the Red Hill Bulk Fuel Storage Facility (RHBFSF) safely and expeditiously, and continue long-term environmental remediation in coordination with State and Federal regulators in order to protect public health and the environment.

JBPHH Drinking Water Continues to Meet Safe Drinking Water Standards

Since December 2021, the Navy's Waiawa Shaft, which is located more than six miles from the Red Hill Bulk Fuel Storage Facility, remains the single source of drinking water to Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPHH). Samples collected from the Waiawa Shaft consistently meet all federal and state safe drinking water standards. The Red Hill Shaft and Navy Aiea-Halawa Shaft (NAHS) remain disconnected from the system.



All drinking water sample results can be found on the Safe Waters website at <u>www.jbphh-safewaters.org</u>. Further

information is available in the June 2025 update of the Resident Resources Guide on the website as well.

Residents on the JBPHH drinking water system with any questions are encouraged to contact the Water Quality Action Team at 808-210-6968.

NCTF-RH continues to collect samples from the NAHS in preparation for its upcoming reactivation. All sample results also continue to meet all safe drinking water requirements.

Tank Closure Plan Supplement 4 Includes Detailed Closure Design

A key element in Tank Closure Plan Supplement 4 is the Navy's closure strategy for the underground storage tanks at the Red Hill Bulk Fuel Storage Facility.

The Navy plans for Closure in Place, which means the tanks will be closed and left in place with continued oversight. This Closure in Place process reduces impacts to the environment and local community, prioritizes safety, with the potential to explore beneficial non-fuel re-use options.

NCTF-RH submitted Supplement 4 to the Environmental Protection Agency and Hawaii Department of Health in May 2025. This will be available to the public in July 2025.



For more information, visit www.navyclosuretaskforce.navy.mil www.jbphh-safewaters.org

