

Upcoming Construction Activities

Demolishing Groundwater Monitoring Wells May/June 2014

Some residents may see workers and equipment demolishing wells in areas near their homes. Typical well demolition equipment is shown below from a recent well demolition project at the University of California Santa Cruz Natural Reserve—just north of the Marina Airport.



WHY? As Army's groundwater cleanup progresses, some groundwater monitoring wells are no longer needed for collecting groundwater chemical data or water level data. Removal of these wells represents the Army's ongoing cleanup responsibility. All wells are removed pursuant to the Monterey County well demolition standards and protocols.

YOUR WATER IS SAFE: The groundwater wells being demolished are not used for drinking water. Your drinking water is supplied by the Marina Coast Water District from a different source area. Drinking water quality is very important and it is regularly tested by the Marina Coast Water District. Your drinking water meets all federal and state standards.

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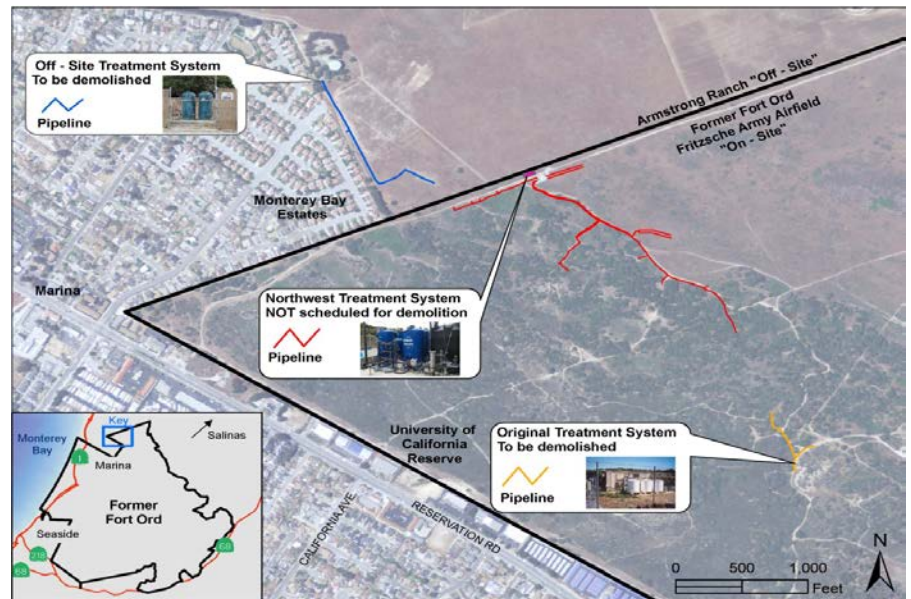
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Demolishing Two Groundwater Treatment Systems May/June 2014

Some residents of the Monterey Bay Estates neighborhood may see workers and equipment in areas behind their homes. The Army is planning to demolish two groundwater treatment systems and associated pipelines and wells of the Army's environmental cleanup program. See map above for locations.



WHY The Army's Environmental Cleanup program no longer needs the off-site and original groundwater treatment systems (see map above for location and photo). Both systems have cleaned up the groundwater in the areas where they are located. The Northwest Treatment System will continue cleaning the groundwater within the University of California Reserve area.

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