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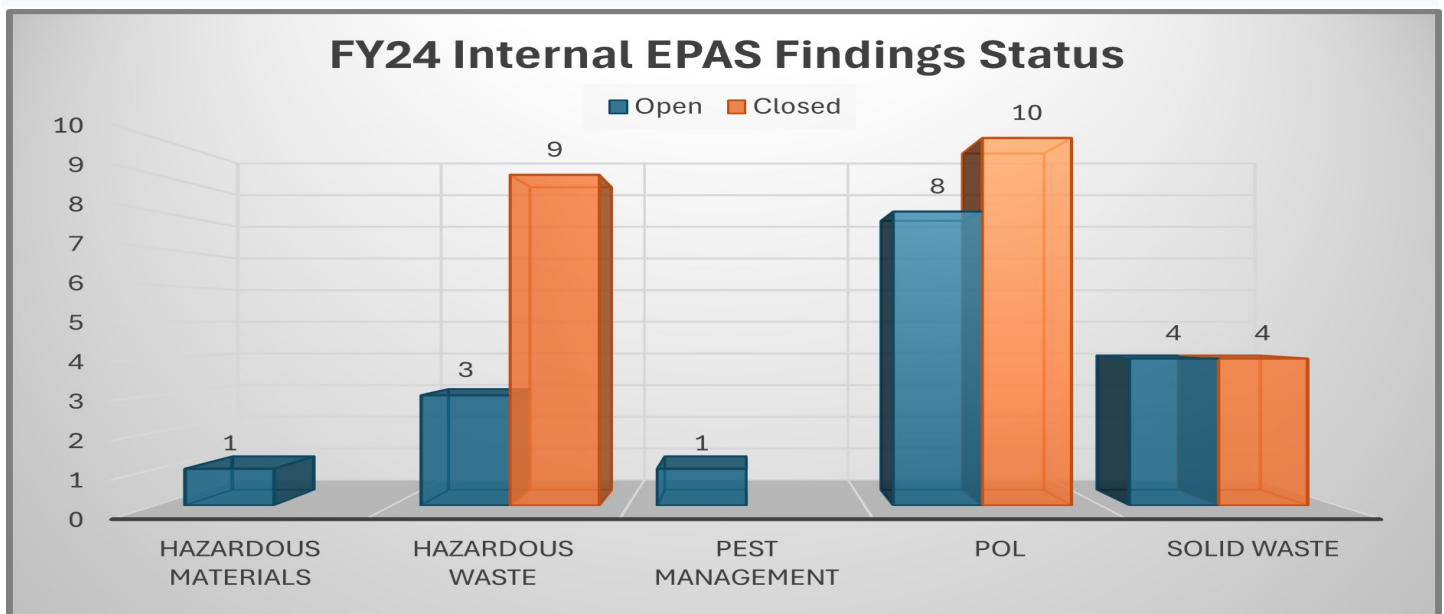
The Flying Green is designed to help keep you informed on what is happening in the Environmental world at Fort Novosel. Please send comments or questions to melissa.g.lowlavar3.civ@army.mil.

FY24 INTERNAL EPAS STATUS

The FY24 Internal EPAS identified and reported a total of 40 findings throughout the installation. Of these, 23 have been closed, leaving 17 findings still open, which accounts for 43% of the total. Among the open findings, there are approximately 8 Class I findings and 9 Class III findings.

The majority of the remaining open items pertains to the POL (Petroleum, Oil and Lubricant) media area.

For more details, refer to the graph below, which shows the status of each media area and the closure status.



Update of DPW-ENRD Program Managers

Program	Name	Program	Name
Asbestos	Samuel Lynon	Recycling	Brent Waters
Compliance Inspections	Allison Marshall	Restoration	Julie Majors
Cultural Resources	Brent Waters	Solid Waste	Brent Waters
Drinking Water	Allison Marshall	Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure (SPCC)	Samuel Lynon
Hazardous Waste	Travis Farmer		
Lead Based Paint	Samuel Lynon	Spill Response	Samuel Lynon
National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)	Susan Cowart	Stormwater / Wastewater	Allison Marshall

“The most environmentally friendly product is the one you didn’t buy.” -Joshua Becker

Remember to check the environmental website for more information! <https://www.fortnovosel-env.com>

Compliance Corner



The Compliance Corner is focusing on **Fort Novosel Environmental News** this quarter. Let us know if you would like information about a particular topic, and we will include it in the next Flying Green article.

Sustainable Fort Novosel Website

Please check out the Fort Novosel Website (www.fortnovosel-env.com) for the following updates.



Updated USAACE Forms:

USAACE Form 2717 *Environmental Compliance Inspection Checklist* (03JUN2024)

Updated Work Instructions:

ENV-SW001 Waste Turn-In Procedure (21JUN2024)
 ENV-SW002 Used Battery Management (21JUN2024)
 ENV-SW003 Used Lamps Management (21JUN2024)
 ENV-SW010 Contractor Hazardous Waste Management (21JUN2024)

FY24Q4 Environmental Compliance Training

Fort Novosel’s Environmental Compliance training scheduled for July 2024 is listed in the table below. Please be sure to sign up for required training on the environmental website (www.fortnovosel-env.com). Be on the lookout for FY2025 training schedule that will be posted on the website by the end of July.

Date	Time	Course Description
17 JUL 24	0800-1000	SPCC Plan
17 JUL 24	1300-1500	HWSAA Manager
18 JUL 24	0800-1600	Environmental Officer
23 JUL 24	0800-1600	Environmental Officer
24 JUL 24	1300-1500	90-Day HWCAA Manager
25 JUL 24	0800-1000	HWSAA Manager Training
25 JUL 24	1300-1500	SPCC Plan
31 JUL 24	0800-1000	Environmental Construction Mgmt.



ENVIRONMENTAL IQ

LAST QUESTION: Environmental regulations ensure refineries remove certain pollutants. What element, a large contributor to 'acid rain', is removed in the refining process?

ANSWER: Sulfur, which oxidizes to form Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂) in the refining process.

NEW QUESTION: What is the primary environmental benefit of a wetland?

Check here in the next issue for the IQ answer and a new question to test your environmental knowledge.