

## Non-Commercial Earthmoving Permit

Before you submit this Earthmoving and Erosion Control Application to Division of Environmental Quality (DEQ), have you included the following information:

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Fill out numbers 1 thru 7 of the earthmoving and erosion control permit application.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Clearance notice from Historic Preservation Office (HPO).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Clearance notice from Division of Fish and Wildlife (DFW).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Clearance Notice from Coastal Resources Management Office (CRMO), If Applicable?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Site Development Plan.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Vicinity map.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Building floor plans for existing or propose indicating number of units, bedrooms (single or double).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Temporary/Permanent Erosion and Sediment Control Plan based upon site survey by DEQ Inspector or otherwise submitted by applicant.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Proof of Title, Land Designation from OPL or Lease agreement (copy).
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Authorization letter authorizing either an individual or a position having responsibility for the overall operation of the regulated facility or activity.

A person is a duly authorized representative only if: a) The authorization is made in writing; b) The authorization specifies either an individual or a position having responsibility for the overall operation of the regulated facility or activity; c) The written authorization is submitted to the Director of Division of Environmental Quality. If an authorization is no longer accurate because a different individual or position has responsibility for the overall operation of the facility, a new authorization must be submitted to the Division of Environmental Quality prior to or together with any reports, information, or applications to be signed by an authorized representative (5 of the Regulations).

- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Applicant's proof of the ability to hook-up to the public (CUC) sewer system or a complete IWDS (septic tank) permit application. Notice to earthmoving permit applicants for earthmoving permit application where the proposed project requires an individual Wastewater Disposal System (IWDS), you must submit an IWDS permit application before an earthmoving permit application will be reviewed.

**Until the required supporting information and material are submitted, DEQ will not file or act on your earthmoving permit application.**

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**EARTHMOVING AND EROSION CONTROL  
NON-COMMERCIAL PERMIT APPLICATION FORM**

DEQ OFFICE USE ONLY

APPLICATION NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE RECEIVED: \_\_\_\_\_

RECEIVED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

**TO THE APPLICANT:**

It is the responsibility of the applicant to completely answer all questions relevant to the project and to attach required supporting materials. If a question is not applicable, "N/A" should be placed in the appropriate space. Until all the required information and materials are supplied, DEQ will not file or act on the application.

**I. APPLICANTS NAME,  
COMPANY NAME & ADDRESS**

US Environmental Protection Agency  
Emergency Response Section  
75 Hawthorne Street (SFD-9-2)  
San Francisco, CA 94105

Telephone No. 415-972-3082

**AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE  
CONTACT PERSON NAME,  
COMPANY NAME & ADDRESS**

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**FOR CRM OFFICE USE ONLY**

A. CRMO Permit required? Yes ☐ No ☐  
Major Permit? Yes ☐ No ☐  
Minor Permit? Yes ☐ No ☐

CRMO Representative Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE USE ONLY

B. HPO Application required? Yes ☐ No ☐  
Conditions Yes ☐ No ☐  
Standard Yes ☐ No ☐

HPO Representative Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### DIVISION OF FISH & WILDLIFE OFFICE USE ONLY

C. DFW Application Required? Yes ☐ No ☐  
Conditions Yes ☐ No ☐  
Standard Yes ☐ No ☐

DFW Representative Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### II. LOCATION OF PROPOSED EARTHMOVING:

See attached maps for project site locations.

A. Island Saipan D. Lot No. see below  
B. Village Tanapag E. Tract No. \_\_\_\_\_  
C. District \_\_\_\_\_ F. Block No. \_\_\_\_\_

Tank No.	Lot No.
<u>4</u>	<u>011-B77</u>
<u>6</u>	<u>022-B78</u>
<u>10</u>	<u>203-E01</u>
<u>12</u>	<u>108-E02</u>
<u>13</u>	<u>108-E04</u>
<u>14</u>	<u>108-E06</u>

### III. PROJECT:

A. Complete project description:

The US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA), Region 9, in cooperation with the CNMI Division of Environmental Quality (DEQ), plans to undertake a project to remove a number of the old aboveground oil storage tanks at the former Tanapag Naval Fuel Farm (TFF) in Tanapag Village, Saipan. Currently, there are 6 tanks which still contain oil and are located in a variety of locations in western Tanapag. The goal of the project is to remove the oil/sludge, contaminated water, tanks and contaminated soil in as many of the areas as funding allows.

Additional project details are available in the attachments to this permit.

1. Listing of all proposed structures are buildings:

- a. Number of Floors NA
- b. Number of Bedrooms per unit NA
- c. Number of Occupants per Bedroom NA
- d. List number of Restroom & Kitchen facilities NA
- e. Others No. of Tanks: 6

B. Is the proposed project to be: a) Connected to the Public Sewer No  
b) Hooked up to a Septic System? No

C. Indicate size of proposed project area (i.e. square footage, etc.)  
Approximately 125,000 square feet of earthmoving will be conducted.

#### IV. DESCRIPTION ON SITE:

A. Vegetation description at proposed site:

The table below indicates the common vegetation found around each tank sites.

The names given are local names and English names for some of the trees.

Tank Site	Vegetation Around Tank
Tank #13	Tangan Tangan, Pago Tree, Kamachili Tree
Tank #14	Gagu Tree, Pago Tree, Kamachili Tree, Mango Tree, Kariso
Tank #4	Pago Tree, Kamachili Tree, Banana Plants
Tank #10	Tangan Tangan, Kariso
Tank #6	Tangan Tangan, Gagu Tree, Pago Tree, Kamachili Tree, Kalaskas Tree, Kariso (wetland grass), Banana plants
Tank #12	Tangan Tangan, Pago Tree, Kariso

B. To what extent (i.e. square footage, percentage of total area, etc.) will the project disturb existing vegetation? Approximately 110,000 square feet of vegetation of the 125,000 square feet of earthmoving area will be cleared to perform the work.

C. List the common name of trees which will be removed during construction (if any): see table above

D. What is the average slope of land in the project area?

1% or less [ **X** ]      1% or 16% [ ]      16% or 20% [ ]      20% or more [ ]

E. Indicate size of proposed earthmoving (i.e. cubic footage) \_\_\_\_\_  
Approximately 125,000 square feet of earthmoving will be conducted.

F. Earthmoving as proposed will be:

On Land [ **X** ]      In Water [ ]      In Wetland [ ]      In swamp Marsh [ ]

G. Is your proposed project located in a beachfront or wetland? If so, what is the distance from shoreline or wetland (please indicate in footage) \_\_\_\_\_

- At the closest project location to the ocean, Tank 4, approximately 500 feet exists between the tank and the beachfront.
- At the closest project location to wetlands, Tank 14 is approximately 500 – 700 feet from a wetlands boundary.
- See Figure 1 of the attached Project and Erosion Control Plan for specific project locations.

#### V. DESCRIPTION OF WORK TO BE UNDERTAKEN:

Grading [ **X** ]    Filling [ ]    Clearing [ ]    Blasting [ ]    Trenching [ **X** ]    Pile Driving [ ]  
Use of Heavy Equipment [ **X** ]    Compaction [ ]    Excavation [ **X** ]    Others (Please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

A. Description of site work to be conducted: \_\_\_\_\_

The following tasks will be conducted at each tank site. Each task is described in detail in the attached Project and Erosion Control Plan.

- Site Access and Vegetation Removal
- Tank Removal and Metal Recycling
- Municipal Solid Waste Removal
- Liquids Management
- Oil and Oily Sludge Waste Management
- Contaminated Soils Excavation
- Waste Characterization, Handling, Transportation and Disposal
- Post-Mitigation Verification Sampling
- Restoration

B. How will erosion be controlled: (please submit plan): \_\_\_\_\_

See attached Project and Erosion Control Plan. Clean soils will be managed on-site and used to re-contour tank area.

C. List disposal site(s) for excavation materials: \_\_\_\_\_

- Oil contaminated soils above the residential cleanup goal will be sent to Marpi for use as alternative daily/weekly cover.
- Green waste generated from vegetation clearing will be separated and provided to the CNMI Department of Public Works (DPW) Office of Solid Waste (OSW) green waste program.
- Oil, water, and metal waste streams will be handled as described in the attached Project and Erosion Control Plan.

D. Describe environmental impact including any Air, Noise, or Water Pollution which may be associated with the project (please submit report): \_\_\_\_\_

See attached Project and Erosion Control Plan.

VI. Earthmoving will commence on or about February 15, 2006, and will be completed on or about September 30, 2006.

This application and the attachments constitute my Earthmoving Application Package for review, as required by Earthmoving Regulations. I agree to conduct the proposed earthmoving in accordance with the law and regulation that governs the CNMI and to comply with any conditions that may be specified in the permit issued by the Division of Environmental Quality. I also understand that any knowing and willful false statement, representation, or answer on this application may be considered grounds for permit denial and/or a criminal penalty not to exceed \$50,000.00 or one (1) year imprisonment or both.

**NOTE: THE APPLICANT SHALL ATTACH ALL LAND DOCUMENTS WHICH SHOW PROOF OF OWNERSHIP AND APPLICANT LEGAL INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY COVERED IN THE PROPOSED PROJECT LOCATION.**

Michelle Rogow

PRINT APPLICANT NAME & SIGN

Date: 1/13/06