



U.S. ARMY CHEMICAL MATERIALS AGENCY

# WEEKLY UPDATE

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## UMATILLA CHEMICAL DEPOT

## Aug. 9, 2007

### Depot, UMCDF support annual produce giveaway



*Umatilla Chemical Depot Commander Lt. Col. Bob Stein and Doug Hamrick, project general manager for Washington Group International at UMCDF, pass out watermelons last weekend in downtown Portland. It was the 17th year Hermiston growers have donated produce for the giveaway. The depot provides the truck to transport the goodies, which are gone in minutes.*

### UMCDF Highlights

- It has been 397 days since a lost-time accident occurred at the UMCDF (July 7, 2006).

### Umatilla Chemical Agent Disposal Facility Processing (Aug. 2 - 8, 2007)

<b>GB CAMPAIGN COMPLETE</b>	
<b>CURRENTLY IN CHANGEOVER FOR VX CAMPAIGN</b>	
Total munitions destroyed to date since start of operations (Sept. 8, 2004)	<b>155,539</b>
Nominal tons of chemical agent destroyed to date	<b>1,014.01</b>
Percentage of total agent tons destroyed	<b>27.28</b>

### UMCD/UMCDF Milestones

- **July 8, 2007:** Final GB 155mm projectile processed through the MPF — GB campaign complete.
- **July 3, 2007:** Final shipment of GB munitions from depot storage to disposal facility.
- **June 27, 2007:** Reached 1,000 nominal agent tons destroyed.
- **April 15, 2007:** Reached 25 percent of total agent tons destroyed.
- **Feb. 1, 2007:** Processed the first GB 155mm projectiles through the Metal Parts Furnace (MPF).
- **Jan. 25, 2007:** Began the GB 155mm projectile campaign with delivery of munitions from depot storage to the disposal facility.
- **Jan. 3, 2007:** Completed the GB 8-inch projectile campaign.
- **Nov. 6, 2006:** Processed the 100,000th munition stockpiled at Umatilla.
- **Sept. 28, 2006:** Began GB M426 8-inch projectile campaign.
- **Aug. 9, 2006:** Completed GB M55 rocket campaign.

### DEQ OK's multiagent monitoring

The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality has approved a permit modification allowing the monitoring of GB and VX simultaneously.

That will allow UMCDF to process secondary waste from the GB campaign while VX munitions are being processed.

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