

### Depot changes commanders



Lt. Col. Kris Perkins assumed command of the Umatilla Chemical Depot during a ceremony Thursday. Above, Perkins addresses the audience as U.S. Army Chemical Materials Agency Director Conrad Whyne (right), who conducted the change of command, listens.

Lt. Col. Perkins officially became commander when Lt. Col. Bob Stein transferred the installation's colors to Perkins through Whyne (below).

Perkins comes to Umatilla after an assignment at Fort Hood, Texas, where he was G4 Chief of Logistics, Plans and Operations and Combat Operations Integration Cell Officer in Charge of Logistics for the Army's III Corps.

Stein is moving to a new assignment at U.S. Army Aberdeen Proving Ground in Maryland.



### UMCDF Highlights

- It has been 1,104 days, or more than 5 million work hours, since a lost-time accident occurred at the UMCDF (July 7, 2006).

#### Umatilla Chemical Agent Disposal Facility Processing (July 9-15, 2009)

Total number of originally stockpiled HD-filled ton containers destroyed this period	12
Total number of originally stockpiled HD-filled ton containers destroyed to date	27
Percentage of originally stockpiled HD-filled ton containers destroyed to date	1.02
Total "recipient" HD ton containers* destroyed this period	5
Total "recipient" HD ton containers* destroyed to date	21
Pounds of HD agent destroyed this period	14,938
Pounds of HD agent destroyed to date	33,222
Pounds of total agent destroyed to date <i>Includes GB, VX and HD</i>	2,794,342
Total munitions destroyed to date since start of operations (Sept. 7, 2004) <i>including non-stockpile GB and VX ton containers</i>	217,994
Nominal tons of chemical agent destroyed to date	1,397.17
Percentage of total agent tons destroyed	37.58

*\*Recipient ton containers are byproducts of mustard disposal and were not a part of the original stockpile.*

#### UMCD/UMCDF Milestones

- **June 11, 2009:** Began first HD ton container destruction in the Metal Parts Furnace (MPF).
- **June 4, 2009:** First HD ton containers transported from depot storage to disposal plant.
- **Nov. 5, 2008:** Completed VX munitions campaign.
- **Oct. 26, 2007:** Began VX munitions campaign.
- **July 8, 2007:** Completed GB munitions campaign.
- **Sept. 7, 2004:** Began GB munitions campaign.

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