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YOKOSUKA RESIDENT OFFICE

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INTRODUCTION: The Yokosuka Resident Office, is one of six Resident Offices within the Honshu Area Office. The office has undergone multiple changes over the years, from a Resident Office under the Japan Area Office, Far East District in the 1960's to a Project Office under the Southern Area Office, Japan Engineering District in the 1980's and back to Resident Office status in 1992 during the development and construction of the Ikego Housing Area.



LOCATION INFORMATION: Fleet Activities Yokosuka comprises 568 acres and is located 43 miles south of Tokyo at the entrance of Tokyo Bay and approximately 18 miles south of Yokohama. Yokosuka is on the Miura peninsula in the Kanto Plain region of the Pacific Coast in Central Honshu, Japan. CFAY is the largest overseas U.S. Naval installation in the world and is considered to be one of the most strategically important bases in the U.S. military. Yokosuka Resident Office area of responsibility also includes Azuma POL Depot, Ikego Housing Area, Tsurumi POL Depot, Urago Storage Area, Yokohama North Dock and Akasaka Press Center in Tokyo. In the past the office also completed work at Negishi Dependent Housing and Koshiba POL Depot.



TYPE OF WORK PERFORMED: Since its beginning, the Resident Office has been an integral part of Fleet Activities Yokosuka's development with several quality of life projects for the Naval Command through the District's Military and Host Nation Programs. In the 1980's the office completed, the Officer Club, Club Alliance and the New Sanno Hotel in Tokyo. In the 1990's the office completed what was then the new Kinnick High School, Ikego Housing Area and more than

2 miles of underground tunnels that today still carry all utilities except steam and sewer to each of the ships berthed at Yokosuka. In the new millenium the office continues its legacy providing much needed facilities and services to its stakeholders, like upgrades to Yokosuka's berths and mooring facilities, the construction of Purdy Fitness Center, The Sullivans & Ikego Elementary Schools, Azuma's Tank 105, Yokosuka's Fire Fighting School and maintenance dredging at Yokohama North Dock.

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STAKEHOLDERS: YRO works closely with officials from the Government of Japan, North & South Kanto regional Defense Bureaus, the Naval Facilities Engineering Command as well as the Defense Logistics Agency, the Department of Defense Education Activity & the Defense Commissary Agency among others.

LOCATION FACTS

- **DESCRIPTION OF LOCAL AREA** - Yokosuka City is located about 30 miles southwest of Japan's capital city, Tokyo, on the east coast of the main island, Honshu. It is an industrial and residential community, with an area of about 39 square miles, and a population of about 422,441.
- **HOUSING** - Civilians are required to live on off-base housing and can enroll in the Rental Partnership Program (RPP), designed to assist personnel in finding affordable, secure, quality off-base housing.
- **DAY CARE** - The base offers Child Care Services and Youth Services located at Yokosuka and Ikego Housing Area.
- **SCHOOLS** - School age children can be enroll in one of the Department of Defense Dependent Schools: Nile C. Kinnick High School, Yokosuka Middle School, The Sullivans Elementary School or Ikego Elementary School.
- **MEDICAL & DENTAL SERVICES** - Medical and dental services are provided on base at the US Naval Hospital Yokosuka and at off-base facilities.
- **DESCRIPTION OF BASE** - Navy MWR Yokosuka provide multiple options for recreation, fitness & sports and dining such as movie theaters, library, bowling center, fitness centers, food courts and restaurants.
- **BENEFITS AND SERVICES** - Civilian employees with post privileges are also able to use the Post Office, Commissary and Navy Exchange.
- **TRANSPORTATION HUBS** - A shuttle bus is available from and to Yokota Air Base and Narita International Airport. Haneda International Airport is easy accessible by train from the Yokosuka-Chuo Station.
- **PETS** - If you are bringing your pet, CFA Yokosuka offers a variety of services at the Yokosuka Veterinary Clinic.



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