REGULATORY PERMITTING EXPERIENCE

Special Operations Force Operations (SOFOPS) Facility Building P-899, Naval Air Station Oceana, Dam Neck Annex, Virginia Beach, Virginia

Kerr Environmental Services (KES) is responsible for all environmental services associated with the acquisition of Federal and State permits for the wetland impacts associated with the Design-Build construction of a 322,518 square foot building and attendant features that is an expansion to the existing Special Operations Force Naval Special Warfare Development Group Operations Facility at Naval Air Station Oceana, Dam Neck Annex. The proposed facility is to be located on a 25-acre secure compound within a 137 acre parcel and requires permanent impacts to 9.4 acres of forested wetlands and conversion of 1.4 acres of forested to emergent wetlands. Project tasks include review of the project’s Environmental Assessment and the Department of the Navy’s Finding of No Significant Impact, inter-agency coordination with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Virginia Department of Environmental Quality, United States Environmental Protection Agency, United States Fish and Wildlife Service, and Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation; pre-application meetings, analysis of an alternative site, preparation of a Joint Permit Application and Support Document, securing Nationwide Permit for geotechnical survey activities, evaluation and documentation of on-site and off-site mitigation alternatives, and coordination with the project engineers, site contractors and Naval Facilities Engineering Command Mid-Atlantic. Kerr Environmental Services Corporation is a Certified Small Business, GSA Contract Holder # GS-10F-0291V and SWaM VA Certified # 653032 that provides services related to National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) document preparation; watershed inventories; sustainable habitat assessments and design; Low Impact Development design; wetland and stream permitting and mitigation design; remediation investigations; protected species studies; Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plans (SWPPPs) and inspections, and all necessary coordination with regulatory agency personnel.