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Mayor Peter Kelly
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Your Worship,

This year CFB Halifax intends to hold its annual DND Family Days 5-6 June 2009. In addition, on 7 June 2009, we will host our annual Canadian Forces Open House whereby CFB Halifax will open its doors to the general public of the Halifax Regional Municipality (HRM). The Family Days event is intended to provide the Commander of Maritime Forces Atlantic, Rear-Admiral Maddison, with an opportunity to thank his Canadian Forces community for their ongoing support to operations throughout the year. The CF Open House is a significant community outreach event which will permit the citizens of HRM an opportunity to visit CFB Halifax and learn of the Canadian Forces' role within Canada and the world. This event is intended showcase the capabilities of all three elements of the Canadian Forces and those of the DND workforce to the HRM community.

It is planned to have an Aurora from CFB Greenwood conduct two fly-pasts over Halifax Harbour. Flights will originate from the ocean and fly toward Bedford Basin as per the enclosed diagram and will operate at an altitude of 500 feet above the highest obstacle. These flights will occur at approximately 2:00 PM on Saturday, 6 June 2009 and Sunday, 7 June 2009. It is also planned to have a CH149 conduct a hoisting demonstration at approximately 1:00 PM on 6 and 7 Jun 2009. In addition, Sea King and Griffon helicopters will land on a jetty in the Dockyard and be available for public viewing. Consequently, we request that HRM grant permission for over flights of Halifax Harbour.

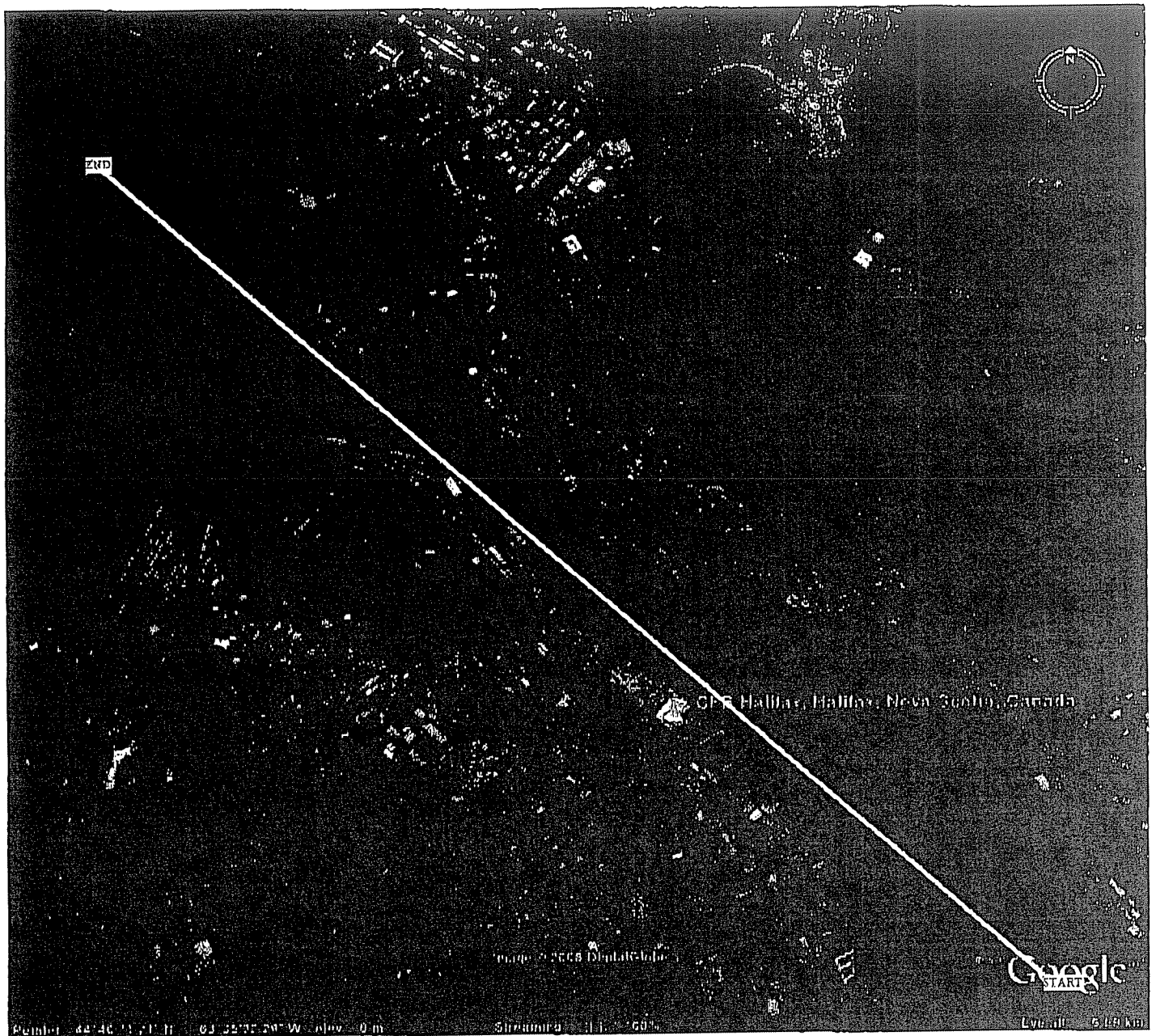
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We very much appreciate the support we have received from HRM over the years and look forward to a continuation of our strong and positive relationship. We hope to see you and the citizens of HRM at the Canadian Forces Open House event in June. Should you or your staff have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Lieutenant Commander Christian Kowalski at 721-8562.

Yours truly,

John F. Newton
Captain(N)
Base Commander
Canadian Forces Base Halifax

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