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Mr. John Bond  
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Dear Mr. Bond


As a Pearl Harbor Survivor, I support the nomination of Ewa Field to the National Historic Register as an important battlefield site that has local, state and national significance as part of the December 7, 1941 attack on Pearl Harbor. I was stationed at the Navy Hospital in the Navy Yard as a Navy corpsman.

Major John A. Hughes, USMC (Ret.), a member of this committee was stationed at Ewa; saw the sustained combat action resulting in the death or injury of local civilians as well as Marines, soldiers and naval aviators.

Other Pearl Harbor sites have become National Historic Landmarks and part of the WWII Valor in the Pacific National Monument. It is only fair that EWA Field and the Ewa Community also receive the same due historic recognition and commemorative honor as the other Pearl Harbor battle sights.

I further hope that Major John A. Hughes receives recognition for his valiant service in not only WWII, but also Korea.

Sincerely,



Jack R. Hammett,