

McEntire JNGB Environmental Commitment

McEntire Joint National Guard Base (JNGB) is committed to our mission, protecting human health, natural resources, sustainment of clean air, clean water, and a clean environment! We are committed to sustain mission capability, while incorporating environmental practices, improvements, and compliance with AFD 90-8 Environmental, Safety and Occupational Health and Risk Management, federal, state and local laws and guidelines. Our pledge extends throughout the 169th Fighter Wing, tenants and civilians assigned to McEntire JNGB. Protecting the environment at McEntire JNGB is everyone's responsibility irrespective of military, civilian, contractor status, rank, salary or experience. It is everyone's responsibility to be privy to, comply with and remain focused on our commitment. The future of our Airmen, our Unit, and our Mission is dependent on our environmental commitment.

Environmental Goals:

Maintain partnerships with the local community through open communications concerning the environment, the protection and perseverance of natural, cultural and historical resources, air, water and land. As needed to maintain transparency with the community and regulatory partners, McEntire JNGB will provide external communications about our installation's environmental concerns, studies and processes.

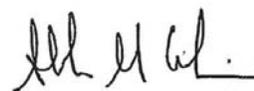
Minimize waste generation; maximize pollution prevention and energy efficiency by promoting less emissions, less pollution, and innovative initiatives, technologies, practices and procedures for pollution prevention, waste management, recycling, waste disposal and energy conservation initiatives.

Continually improve by using multi-discipline working groups to set realistic EMS goals, plans, objectives and targets, internal and external assessments, inspections, and audits; and taking appropriate corrective and preventive actions to reduce risks and maintain compliance.

Exceed expectations by complying with all environmental laws, regulations, codes of practice and agreements and providing excellent internal and external services with all stakeholders and partnerships.

Pursue continuous education & awareness by providing access to current data, documentation, materials and media resources; providing training and understanding of environmental roles and responsibilities at all levels; and encouraging improvement ideas, feedback and suggestions.

For additional information about the environmental management system at McEntire JNGB, please contact the Environmental Management Office at 803-647-8978/8535.



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