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SUBJECT: Fort George G. Meade Policy Memorandum # 31, Mandatory Recycling

- 1. Fort George G, Meade is committed to leadership and excellence in the protection and enhancement of our environment. Minimizing the amount of solid waste generated and fully recycling those components which are recyclable are a command responsibility, both legally and morally. Accordingly, 100 percent participation in the recycling program is the responsibility of each and every individual working or living at Fort Meade.
- Our policy objectives are to:
- a. Minimize the amount of waste being disposed of at local landfills, thereby saving landfill space and disposal fees.
- b. Fully recycling all appropriate items through the recycling program, thereby reducing the disposal fees and increasing revenues of sales through the program.
- Responsibilities include:
- a. The Directorate of Public Works has the responsibility of operating the recycling program.
- b. All activities will support the program by placing all recyclable items in the appropriate locations for pick-up.
- c. All contractors and in-house work force will support the program by minimizing the amount of non-hazardous solid waste disposed through land-filling or incineration, IAW Fort Meade's Construction and Demolition Waste Management Plan.
- 4. In these times of decreasing resources, we owe it not only to future generations, but to ourselves, to minimize the amounts of valuable resources we consume. We must also reduce the expenses we pay for waste disposal. Complete support of the recycling

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program will reduce disposal costs as well as increase recycling proceeds. This will allow the Installation to support other projects, resulting in an improved quality of life for all who work or reside at Fort Meade.

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