

110 Fighter Wing
Environmental Management System
Policy Statement

The Battle Creek Air National Guard Base is committed to conducting its mission in an environmentally responsible manner that will protect human health, natural resources, and the environment. In doing so, we will comply with all environmental laws and regulations that are applicable while continually striving for improvement in our environmental performance. This commitment goes beyond compliance with the law, and encompasses the integration of sound environmental practices into our daily decisions and activities. We have in the past, and will continue in the future, to pursue a course of responsible environmental stewardship. In support of our environmental policy, we propose to:

- Maintain an effective environmental management system, promote the use of safe technologies and operating practices, and remain ready to respond to emergencies in order to improve our environmental performance and minimize adverse impacts to installation workers, their families, and the environment.
- Set environmental goals, measure progress, take corrective action when necessary, and communicate results and other environmental information regarding the installation's operations and its environmental accomplishments to workers, regulators and the public.
- Investigate and evaluate new and innovative technologies and practices as appropriate, continue to improve our existing pollution prevention program, continue to minimize the generation of wastes, both hazardous and non-hazardous, recycle materials otherwise destined to become waste when possible, and dispose of any remaining wastes in an environmentally responsible manner.
- Provide regular operation-specific environmental performance reviews and assessments that involve the base as a whole, and develop plans to address actual or potential noncompliance situations.

Compliance with this Environmental Policy is the responsibility of every member of the 110 Fighter Wing community in accordance with his or her role and responsibilities within the organization.

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