

ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION PROGRAM SELFRIDGE AIR NATIONAL GUARD BASE

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Air National Guard - National Guard Bureau

The Air National Guard (ANG) headquarters at Andrews Air Force Base in Maryland is responsible for the funding and contracting of the remediation efforts at ANG installations in the United States. The National Guard Bureau (NGB) is responsible for the oversight of the investigation, remediation, and closure of potentially contaminated sites and contaminated sites in accordance with Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations, and under the directives of the ANG. An environmental management representative will ensure the proper remediation techniques and closure of the site occur properly.

127th Wing, Selfridge Air National Guard Base

The base environmental office facilitates local information from the NGB to the public, local contractors, and other entities. The office provides support for information requests from the public and contractors to the NGB on various site activities and plans, and coordinates base resources for remediation activities.

Background

Selfridge Air National Guard Base has a long history dating back to 1 July 1917. Past and present activities at Selfridge Air National Guard Base have resulted in the generation and disposal of potentially hazardous waste and materials that are commonly associated with industrial and military operations. These include activities pertaining to, solid waste disposal, fire training, firing ranges, explosive ordnance disposal, aircraft maintenance and ground support vehicle maintenance. In 1982, the ANG began conducting environmental restoration activities to address environmental site contamination on the installation, and numerous investigations and studies have been completed during this period. To date, the ANG and the MDEQ have been working co-operatively to address the state regulator's specific environmental requirements at the base. The majority of sites have received approval for no further action from the MDEQ. However, several sites are still the subject to future investigation and long term monitoring, to include: former landfills areas, fuel facilities, and waste disposal areas.

Public Access to IRP Site Information

Information concerning the Compliance Restoration Program for Selfridge ANG Base, as required under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) and Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), can be reviewed at the Mt. Clemens Public Library, or can be made available upon written requests submitted to the Selfridge Public Affairs Office for any additional environmental information.