

# CNRMA Environmental Policy Statement



CNRMA's Environmental Policy Statement is the foundation of the EMS and reflects CNRMA's commitment to integrate mission accomplishment with environmental stewardship.

CNRMA's policy is communicated through the acronym, "CARE", which summarizes the key concepts:

- C** – Comply with all rules
- A** – Always improve
- R** – Reduce waste
- E** – Eliminate pollution



## CNRMA EMS facilities include:

- NAVSTA Norfolk
- NSA Norfolk
- NAS Oceana
- JEB Little Creek – Fort Story
- WPNSTA Yorktown
- NAVSUBASE New London
- NAVSTA Newport
- NAS Brunswick
- NAES Lakehurst
- NWS Earle
- NCTAMS LANT DET Cutler
- NAS JRB Willow Grove
- NSA Mechanicsburg
- NSA Philadelphia
- Philadelphia Naval Business Center
- NSGA Sugar Grove

To learn more about CNRMA's EMS, please visit our Website:

[http://www.cnmc.navy.mil/regions/cnrma/installations/jeb\\_little\\_creek\\_fort\\_story/om/environmental\\_support.html](http://www.cnmc.navy.mil/regions/cnrma/installations/jeb_little_creek_fort_story/om/environmental_support.html)



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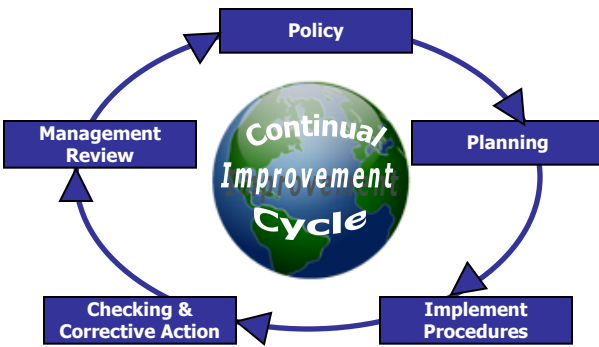
## Environmental Management System



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# CNRMA Environmental Management System (EMS)



The EMS Cycle of Continuous Improvement

## What is EMS?

EMS is a set of management processes and procedures that allows an organization to:

- analyze, control and reduce its impact on the environment
- operate with greater efficiency and control

The EMS management tool is used to plan, implement, review, and improve the actions CNRMA takes to meet environmental goals. The CNRMA EMS must be:

- Mission focused
- Integrated into existing business processes
- Flexible in order to optimize mission performance while minimizing negative environmental impacts

The EMS is based on the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) 14001 Standard

## CNRMA's EMS Goals include:



Reduce energy and water use



Increase purchase of alternative fuel vehicles, hybrid, and plug-in hybrid vehicles



Reduce greenhouse gas emissions



Reduce use of petroleum in fleet vehicles



Increase use of alternative fuels and renewable energy



Integrate green building concepts in major renovations and new construction



Expand purchase of green products and services; increase recycling



Procure, use, and dispose of electronic equipment in an environmentally-sound manner



Reduce purchase and use of toxic and hazardous materials



## What is your role?



All personnel working for or on behalf of CNRMA have roles and responsibilities regarding CNRMA's EMS. Following are some examples:

- Know CNRMA's environmental policy, or the "CARE" acronym
- Know and comply with the environmental procedures that apply to your job
- Know how your job could impact the environment (i.e. potential spills, emission of air pollutants, material and energy use)
- Know what your installation's significant environmental aspects are
- Incorporate concepts of conservation and pollution prevention in your day-to-day activities
- Know what to do in the event of a spill or environmental emergency:
  - \* Contain the spill if safe to do so
  - \* Notify your supervisor
  - \* Call Emergency Communications Center

Think about activities you do everyday that may impact the environment:

- Do you recycle?
- Do you buy "green" office supplies?
- Do you print double-sided copies?
- Do you conserve energy and water?
- Do you comply with all environmental laws applicable to your job?

