



# ARNOLD AIR FORCE BASE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENT STATEMENT



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While conducting our test and evaluation mission at Arnold Air Force Base, we must be fully committed to minimizing the impacts of our operations on the environment and maintaining our excellent reputation for environmental stewardship. Our goal is to sustain mission capability while integrating sound environmental practices throughout all activities. The fundamental principles of our environmental commitment are:

- Maintain an effective environmental management system
- Comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations and policies
- Protect, preserve and manage our natural and cultural resources
- Promote environmental training and awareness at all levels
- Facilitate the prevention of pollution through implementation of a green procurement program
- Reduce our environmental footprint through implementation of energy reduction initiatives and use of renewable fuels
- Maintain open communication with the surrounding communities concerning environmental issues
- Demonstrate our commitment to continual improvement by identifying objectives and targets that will enhance environmental performance

It is the responsibility of our entire workforce to be aware of, abide by and use this policy for setting and reviewing environmental objectives and targets. In partnership with federal, state and local regulators; the public, and our customers, we protect our environment while carrying out our mission in support of the nation's defense. Each of us must be stewards of our nation's natural infrastructure to sustain our war fighting capabilities throughout future generations.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Randel J. Gordon".

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Commander