



PUBLIC NOTICE

Former Naval Air Station Joint Reserve Base Willow Grove and Biddle Air National Guard Restoration Advisory Board Meeting / Public Tour



The Naval Facilities Engineering Systems Command Base Realignment and Closure Office (NAVFAC BRAC PMO) and the Air National Guard (ANG), announce an in-person meeting of the former Naval Air Station Joint Reserve Base (NASJRB) Willow Grove and Biddle ANG Restoration Advisory Board (RAB). The meeting will consist of an open house format with poster stations focused on the investigation of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) at former NASJRB Willow Grove and Biddle ANG Base and will not have a virtual option. A tour of the Biddle ANG Base and NASJRB Willow Grove environmental restoration sites will be available to the public at the conclusion of the RAB meeting.

For those interested in attending the tour portion of the RAB meeting, please provide Lee dePersia (lee.depersia.3@us.af.mil) with the following information to request a base pass no later than October 31st: (1) full legal name; (2) last four of SSN; (3) date of birth; and (4) driver license's or ID # and State of issue. The tour will be limited to the first 60 respondents. The base tour will be taking place on active sites. Please dress accordingly for the site conditions to include weather. Open toed shoes are NOT permitted for the site tour. No walk-ins will be permitted due to Biddle ANG Base installation security requirements, the tour is only available via bus boarded at the open house location, and personal vehicles will not be allowed on the tour.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2024

1:00 P.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Public Tour to Follow

IN-PERSON MEETING AT

Horsham Township Community Center
1025 Horsham Road, Horsham, PA 19044

BASE TOURS

**ADVANCED REGISTRATION REQUIRED
BY OCTOBER 31, 2024**

Email the following information to: lee.depersia.3@us.af.mil

- Full legal name;
- Last four digits of SSN;
- Date of birth; and
- Driver license or ID number, and State of issue.

Community members who are unable to attend the meeting in-person have the opportunity to provide input to the environmental restoration process by contacting the respective Navy or ANG contact listed below. Further information about the RAB meeting will be available several days before the meeting at this website:

<https://www.bracpmo.navy.mil/BRAC-Bases/Northeast/Former-Naval-Air-Station-Joint-Reserve-Base-Willow-Grove/Meeting-Material/>



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FOR MORE INFORMATION

If you have any questions, or wish to discuss any project, please contact the following:

Navy: Jonathan Harris, BRAC Environmental Coordinator; 4911 South Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19112. Phone (215) 897-4900 or e-mail at jonathan.i.harris5.civ@us.navy.mil

Air National Guard: Bill Myer, Environmental Restoration Program Manager; 3501 Fetchet Avenue Joint Base Andrews, MD 20762-5157. Phone (774) 994-7265 or e-mail william.myer.2@us.af.mil

RAB Community Co-Chair: Mr. William T. Gildea-Walker, Township Manager; Horsham Township, 1025 Horsham Road, Horsham PA 19044. Phone (215) 643-3131 or e-mail at wwalker@horsham.org

RAB meeting information and Navy administrative record documents are available at the Horsham Township Library Website, <https://www.horshamlibrary.org/willow-grove-nas> or at the NAVFAC BRAC PMO website, <https://www.bracpmo.navy.mil/BRAC-Bases/Northeast/Former-Naval-Air-Station-Joint-Reserve-Base-Willow-Grove/>

Air National Guard Administrative Record: <https://ar.afcec-cloud.af.mil/>
(select "Air National Guard", then locate "Biddle ANG Base")