



NAVAL AIR STATION WHIDBEY ISLAND – ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

Naval Air Station Whidbey Island is proud of our environmental stewardship and remains committed to operating in an environmentally responsible manner where national defense and environmental protection are, and must be, compatible goals. We are committed to complying with all applicable environmental legal requirements and demonstrating leadership through our Environmental Management System (EMS). We ensure that:

- An environmental policy is established, implemented, and maintained that is compatible with the strategic direction of the installation and the defined scope of our EMS.
- EMS policy requirements are fully communicated and integrated into the installation's various business processes to support the effectiveness and attainment of EMS objectives.
- Continual improvement is promoted to achieve our EMS objectives, given availability of resources.

Our vision is to be recognized as an environmentally friendly neighbor, actively engaged in community outreach, resource conservation and pollution prevention, while effectively executing the Navy mission. Our environmental mission objectives include: (1) protect the health of our military members and their families, DoD employees and our surrounding communities; (2) enable the Navy's mission to protect and defend; (3) help Navy Commands and personnel comply with environmental laws; (4) manage cultural and natural resources on Navy properties; and (5) employ routine financial stewardship.

With integrated support from tenant commands, our policies and decisions aim to instill a culture of environmental stewardship and continual improvement. This environmental policy is available to the public and can be found at:

https://cnrnw.cnic.navy.mil/installations/nas-whidbey-island/

- Continual Improvement
- Awareness
- Resource Conservation & Pollution Prevention
- Environmental Compliance



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