

MINNESOTA AIR NATIONAL GUARD HEADQUARTERS 133RD AIRLIFT WING (AMC) SAINT PAUL MINNESOTA

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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL 133 AW PERSONNEL

FROM: 133 AW/CC

SUBJECT: 133rd Airlift Wing Environmental Commitment

- 1. The mission of the 133rd Airlift Wing, Minnesota Air National Guard, is to provide trained and equipped units to protect life and property and preserve peace and order. The 133rd AW supports this mission by maintaining and flying eight C-130 cargo aircraft which provide airlift for troops, cargo, passengers and medical patients during wartime and peacetime operations. The 133rd Airlift Wing is committed to conducting missions in an environmentally responsible manner that protects human health, natural resources, and the environment. We will comply with all environmental laws and regulations to which the organization subscribes that relate to the conduct of our mission and will strive for continual improvement in our environmental performance. Our commitment goes beyond compliance with the law. It encompasses the integration of sound environmental practices into our daily decisions and activities. To support our environmental policy, we will:
 - Reduce overall installation energy and water usage intensity;
 - Purchase and/or generate renewable energy whenever feasible;
 - Implement Pollution Prevention practices, reducing or preventing pollution at its source;
 - Promote the conservation and sustainable use of natural and manmade materials;
 - Reduce the quantity of toxic and hazardous chemicals and materials acquired, used and disposed of;
 - Incorporate high performance and sustainable building practices in all new construction and major renovation projects;
 - Reduce the consumption of petroleum products;
 - Build environmental concerns into all policies, programs, and missions;
 - Integrate environmental information into all levels of management;
 - Achieve continuous improvements in environmental performance over and above regulatory and legislative requirements; and
 - Work in partnership with all stakeholders to promote waste reduction.
- 2. This Environmental Policy assists the 133 AW in complying with Executive Order 13693, *Planning for Federal Sustainability in the Next Decade*, the Minnesota State Environmental Policy 116D.02, environmental regulations, and continuing to be a good steward of our environment. Compliance with this Environmental Policy is the responsibility of every member of the 133rd Airlift Wing community in accordance with their role and responsibilities in the organization. Targets and objectives will be developed by a Cross-Functional Team, utilizing the U.S. Air Force Environmental Management System Implementation Guidance Series. Progress towards identified targets and objectives will be reviewed by the Environmental, Safety and Occupational Health (ESOH) Council on an annual basis.

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