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DoD Announces Winners of the Secretary of Defense Environmental Awards

The Department of Defense announced the winners of the 2009 Secretary of Defense Environmental Awards. A panel of judges representing federal and state agencies, academia, and the public has selected the following installations, teams, and individuals as the winners of this year's awards:

Camp Ripley Maneuver and Training Center, Minnesota Army National Guard
Natural Resources Conservation – Large Installation

Vandenberg Air Force Base, California
Cultural Resources Management – Installation

Fort Drum Cultural Resources Team, Fort Drum, New York
Cultural Resources Management – Team/Individual

Environmental Management Division, Hill Air Force Base, Utah
Environmental Quality – Industrial Installation

United States Army Garrison Bamberg, Germany
Environmental Quality – Overseas Installation

Naval Air Station Whidbey Island, Washington
Pollution Prevention – Non-Industrial Installation

14th Civil Engineer Squadron Pollution Prevention Team, Columbus Air Force Base, Mississippi
Pollution Prevention – Team/Individual

Defense Depot Memphis, Tennessee
Environmental Restoration – Installation

Each year since 1962, the Secretary of Defense has honored individuals, teams, and installations for their outstanding achievements to conserve and sustain the natural and cultural resources entrusted to the Department of Defense. The Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics will officiate at the ceremony honoring the winners on June 3rd, 2009 at 3:00 p.m. in the Pentagon Auditorium. For more information on the Secretary of Defense Environmental Awards and highlights of this year's winners and honorable mentions, please visit:

<https://www.denix.osd.mil/portal/page/portal/denix/environment/awards>