

RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD (RAB) Elmendorf Air Force Base, Alaska

Background

At Elmendorf AFB, the U.S. Air Force will be pursuing installation restoration activities as part of the Department of Defense's Installation Restoration Program.

What is a RAB?

The RAB is an advisory body designed to act as a focal point for the exchange of information between Elmendorf and the local community regarding restoration activities. The RAB is intended to bring together community members who reflect the diverse interests within the local community, enabling the early and continued two-way flow of information, concerns, values and needs between the affected community and the installation.

RAB members will be asked to meet regularly and review and individually comment on technical documents and plans relating to the ongoing environmental studies and restoration activities at Elmendorf AFB. Members will provide advice as individuals, not as a group; it is not the purpose of the RAB to provide consensus advice. Members will be expected to serve as a liaison with the community and be available to meet with community members and groups. Membership terms will be decided by the RAB. All RAB meetings will be open to the public. Technical support staff will be available to provide informational support and explanation to RAB members.

How to Become a RAB Member

Community members interested in finding out more about the RAB are invited and encouraged to attend a community meeting Elmendorf will conduct on December 12, 1994 at 6:30 p.m. in the community meeting room at the Z.J. Loussacs Library (3600 Denali, Anchorage, Alaska). At the meeting, you will learn about the purpose of the RAB, membership opportunities and responsibilities, and hear an update on the status of installation restoration activities and future plans. Additional RAB membership applications will be available at the community meeting.

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If you have questions about the RAB or are interested in applying for RAB membership, please contact:

> Ralph Scott Community Relations Coordinator 3rd Wing Public Affairs 6920 12th Street Elmendorf AFB, AK 99506-2530 (907) 552-5755

Forms will be reviewed and approved by the selection panel. The selection panel is organized by the Commanding Officer of Elmendorf AFB. The selection panel members are representatives from the base, the state, the community, and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, as appropriate.

Community Expectations

Community members are expected to serve as volunteers on RABs (serving without monetary compensation for time or expenses incurred) to provide individual advice to the decision makers about restoration plans for Elmendorf Air Force Base.



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