



# Sustainable Technology Evaluation and Demonstration (STED) Program

## Reuseable Recycled Rubber Small Arms Target Demonstration



### Technology Description

Firearm targets made from USA sourced recycled rubber. These durable targets can be used multiple times for thousands of rounds, in any weather, without fragmentation.

### Potential Impact

- Significant cost savings over paper and cardboard targets. (1 target can handle up to 110 5.56 rounds per square inch).
- Reduction in waste (cardboard, paper, tape, staples).
- Expanded training environments versus paper / cardboard targets. Weatherproof in all conditions and will not degrade.

### Benefits

- 100% recycled rubber construction.
- Visible target strikes – touch up with spray paint.
- Non-ricochet, safe for close quarters.
- USPSA/IPSC target configuration.
- Supports reduction of single-use plastics.

### Demonstration Sites

- MCB Quantico Weapons Training Battalion
- U.S. Army Marksmanship Unit (USAMU) - Fort Benning
- LRC Mata Weapons Facility - Fort Benning
- USAF 412th Security Forces Squadron (Edwards AFB)
- DHS ICE, Office of Training and Tactical Programs (OTTP) Firearms and Tactics Division – Fort Benning
- U.S. Army National Guard Marksmanship Training Center – Robinson Maneuver Training Center

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