



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 412TH TEST WING (AFMC)
EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE, CALIFORNIA**

MEMORANDUM FOR ALL EDWARDS AFB PERSONNEL

FROM: 412 TW/CC

SUBJECT: Environmental Management System (EMS) Commitment Statement

1. The Department of the Air Force Instruction (DAFI) 32-7001, *Environmental Management*, requires installations to maintain an environmental commitment statement that supports Air Force Policy Directive (AFPD) 90-8, *Environmental, Safety, and Occupational Health Management and Risk Management*.
2. Edwards AFB (military, civilian, tenant and contractor personnel) is committed to conducting its national security mission of research, development, test and evaluation of aerospace systems from concept to combat in an environmentally responsible manner that will protect human health and the environment. Our goals are to sustain our unique high desert community in a remote arid ecosystem, and to promote thriving communities on Edwards AFB and in the surrounding area. Edwards AFB is committed to the following:
 - a. Instill a culture that encourages continual environmental improvement and pollution prevention that enhances mission effectiveness; minimizes risk; and preserves the workforce, natural, and cultural resources through effective planning and resource allocation.
 - b. Comply with all environmental legal obligations and applicable regulations at the federal, state, and local levels.
 - c. Through the framework of our EMS, establish objectives and targets to reduce environmental risks associated with our daily activities throughout all operations.
 - d. Provide required environmental awareness training for base personnel through the Air Force Civil Engineer Center, Air Force Institute of Technology, and the 412th Civil Engineer Group, Environmental Management Division. Environmental awareness training is available through The Environmental Awareness Course Hub (TEACH) at <https://usaf.learningbuilder.com/account/login/?ReturnUrl=%2f>.
3. This memorandum supersedes all previous versions and is maintained by the 412th Civil Engineer Group, Environmental Management Division. This document is available on the Edwards AFB eDASH SharePoint page, Edwards AFB public website, and should be read and understood by all personnel.
4. If you have any further questions, concerns, or need additional information, please contact Environmental Management at (661) 277-3454.

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