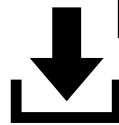




WELCOME

We're glad you're here!



Download a copy of today's slides
& find links and resources:



Please silence your cell phone





BMC Town Hall and Information Forum (3QFY25)

U.S. Army Garrison Rheinland-Pfalz



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COL Jeffery C. Higgins
Garrison Commander
U.S. Army Installation Management Command

USAG Rheinland-Pfalz BMC Town Hall



Opening Remarks:

COL Jeffery Higgins, Garrison Commander
Mr. Mark Colbrook, BMC Deputy Garrison Manager



Updates and Information

Garrison Directorates and Mission Partners



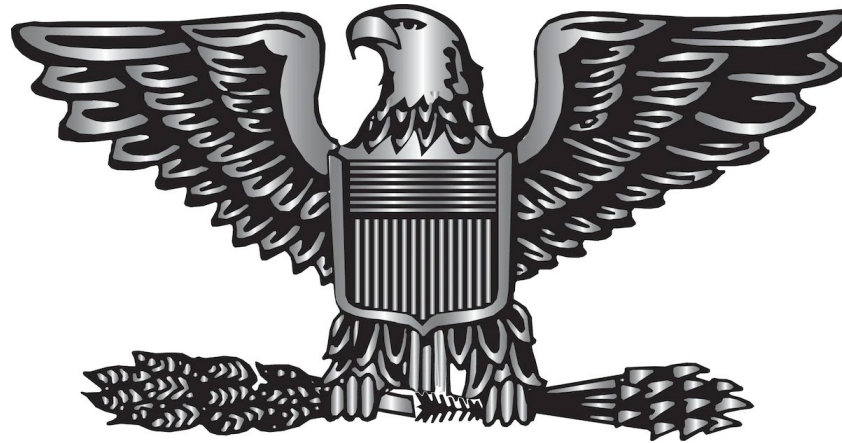
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Audience Questions and Answers



Closing Remarks





COL Jeffery Higgins
Commander
U.S. Army Garrison Rheinland-Pfalz



Mr. Mark Colbrook
Deputy Garrison Manager, Baumholder
U.S. Army Garrison Rheinland-Pfalz



How to submit Questions

- ✓ Fill out a Question Card
- ✓ Send an Email to the Deputy Garrison Manager
- ✓ Ask during Q&A





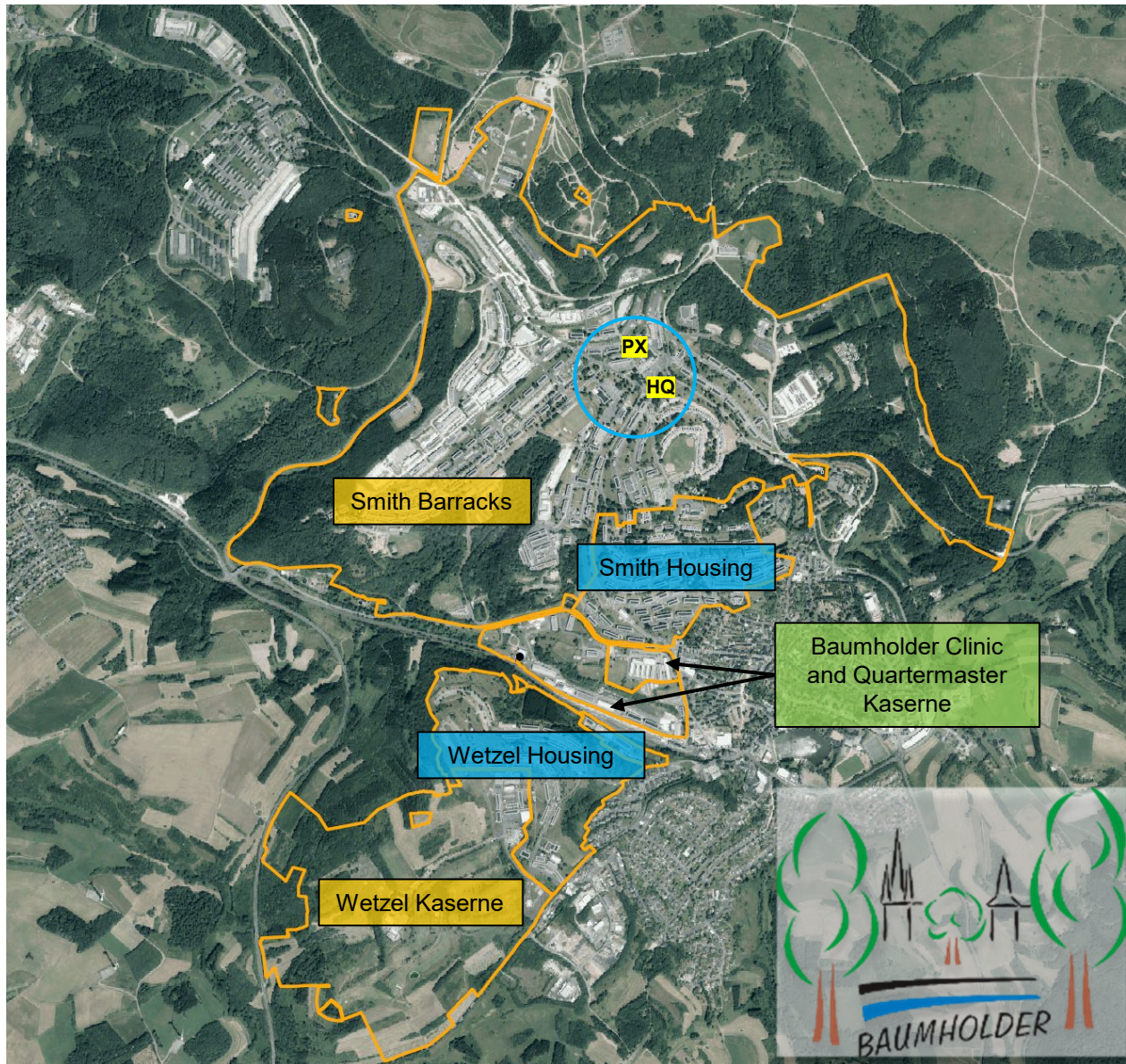
Ground Rules

- Be Respectful
- Raise Hand for Microphone
- Be Brief
- Limit Follow-Up Questions



Welcome to USAG Rheinland-Pfalz

BMC Future Development Plan



Major Quality of Life Projects:

- 258 Townhouses
- 48 Tower Apartments
- Right-sizing / Balconies / Rolladens /
- Elementary School
- Middle/High School
- New Lodge
- PX Roof Replacement
- Multiple Paving Projects
- New Barracks
- New Parking Garage



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Welcome to USAG Rheinland-Pfalz

BMC Services Crosswalk

US Army Garrison Rheinland-Pfalz | Baumholder Military Community

THE ROCK: ONE SITE-OUTSTANDING SUPPORT!



Nestled within a welcoming German village, the Baumholder Military Community (BMC), or "The Rock," offers a **full Garrison's worth of support and recreation**. Its strategic location not only **embraces Soldiers and families** but also grants easy access to host-nation activities and travel to four neighboring countries. The Rock isn't merely an installation – it's a **thriving military crossroads providing world-class support** to Soldiers, Family Members and Civilians.

Supportive to military spouses, BMC also provides **ample appropriated fund (GS) and nonappropriated fund (NAF) employment opportunities** through Army Community Service, USAJobs and more.

AAFES Exchange	✓
AAFES Theater	✓
ACS	✓
Army Lodging	✓
Arts & Crafts Center	✓
Auto Skills Center	✓
Barber Shop	✓
Bowling Center	✓
Campgrounds	✓
CDC	✓ (2)
Central Issue Facility	✓
Chapel	✓ (2)
Commissary	✓
Community Bank	✓
Conference Center/Club	✓
Dental Clinic	✓
DFAC (x2)	✓
DODEA Elementary	✓
DODEA Middle School	✓
DODEA High School	✓
Education Center	✓
Family Housing	✓
Fire Station	✓
Fitness Center	✓ (2)
Food Court	✓
Gas Station/Shoppette	✓
Golf Course	✓
Indoor Swimming Pool	✓
Java Café	✓
Legal Center SJA	✓
Library	✓
Medical Clinic	✓
Military Clothing Sales	✓
Outdoor Recreation	✓
Post Office	✓
POV Ship/Inspection/Reg.	✓
School Age Center	✓
Service Credit Union	✓
Soldier For Life; VA	✓
Transportation/SATO	✓
Thrift Shop	✓
UTAP/VAT Office	✓
Warrior Zone & BOSS	✓
Youth Services/Teen Center	✓
Youth Sports	✓

Travel Times:

Ramstein Air Base:	30 minutes
Landstuhl Medical Center:	45 minutes
Hahn Airport:	60 minutes
Kaiserslautern:	60 minutes
Frankfurt Airport:	90 minutes
Luxembourg City:	2 hours
Brussels:	4 hours

ITC (Building 8660)

- Weekly Monday through Thursday
- Available online for spouses

ACS (Building 8666)

- Lending Closet
- Host Nation Tour
- German I & II

DPW Self Help (Building 8665)

- Maintenance Equipment
- Consumables

Off Post

- German-American Stammtisch
- Bernd Mai Newsletter (email: bernd.u.mai2.ln@army.mil)

BAUMHOLDER 101: SPOUSE ORIENTATION

 **JAVA CAFÉ FAMILY ROOM,
BLDG. 8661 (POST OFFICE) SMITH BARRACKS** **10:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.**

- Meet new and seasoned Spouses.
- Hear tips, tricks, and useful information.
- Ask your burning questions!
- Collect pertinent handouts from community resources.
- Meet and greet subject matter experts.
- Find out all there is to do and see in Baumholder.
- Soldiers and children are welcome!

**EVERY 2ND &
4TH MONDAY IN
JUNE, JULY,
AND AUGUST**

Scan here to register!
registration is optional



baumholder.armymwr.com



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TINYURL.COM/53PY97KT OR BAUMHOLDER101SPOUSEORIENTATION@GMAIL.COM

A Spouse will meet attendees at the Lagerhof hotel at 10:20 a.m. to walk attendees over to Java Café



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Topics for Discussion from Previous Townhalls

AGENT	TOPIC	STATUS
DGM	Management of gazebos	Complete. Managed by DPTMS.
DFMWR	Priority and space available on CDCs	Complete
PAO	Retention of BMC Facebook Page	Ongoing
DPW	Post Office Lockers	Complete
DPW	Speeding in housing areas	Ongoing
DGM	Space management (Scouting)	Ongoing
DPW	Dog park – lighting and signage	Signage complete, awaiting funding for lighting
DES	Guest Access in IACS reciprocity	Ongoing
DFMWR	Broken lifts at Auto Skills Center	Working replacement parts for 7 lifts
DFMWR	After hours accommodation / arrival for families	Complete
DFMWR	Furniture at Strikers Bowling Center	Complete
DPW/DGM	Communications plan for projects and traffic	Ongoing/continuous
DPW	Parking in Family Housing	Ongoing
AAFES	Shortage of inventory / item selection	Ongoing/continuous

Challenges

- Funding
- Hiring Freeze

In-Progress

- Wetzel Lane Expansion
- Clinic Parking Lot
- Artillery Road
- PX Roof
- Playgrounds
- New Elementary School
- Wetzel Townhouses
- Stairwell Right-Sizing Projects
- Gym Equipment Refresh

Recent Wins

- Postal Lockers
- Bowling Alley Equipment / Furniture Upgrade
- Champions American Diner
- Launderette
- Shoppette Parking Lot

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Department of Defense Education Activity (DODEA)

BAUMHOLDER MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL KEY DATES 2025-26

**FIRST
DAY**



**LAST
DAY**



NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

Sept. 1 Labor Day	Sept. 15 CSI Day	Sept. 29 CCRS Day	Oct. 10 School Recess	Oct. 13 Columbus Day
Oct. 24 Workday	Oct. 31 Parent/Teacher Conferences	Nov. 11 Veterans Day	Dec. 15 CCRS Day	Jan. 16 Workday
Jan. 19 MLK Day	Feb. 9 CSI Day	Feb. 13 School Recess	Feb. 16 President's Day	Feb. 17 CCRS Day
Mar. 26 Workday	April 13 CCRS Day	May 22 School Recess	May 25 Memorial Day	

FALL BREAK

Nov. 26-30

WINTER BREAK

Dec. 23-Jan. 1

SPRING BREAK

Mar. 27-April 3

THE CLASS OF
2026
Baumholder Middle High School
Graduation
June 4



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Re-registration is ongoing. All returning students must reregister.

BMHS

Course Planning for 2025-26: Ms. Huss is available June 27-30, July 2-3, & Aug. 7-8 for course & schedule counseling. Schedules will be emailed in August before classes start

Back-to-School Physicals: at Baumholder Army Health Clinic June 27, Aug 6-8. Call 06371-9464-5762 for appointments.

New Student Orientation: Aug 15 @ 1 p.m.

Open House: Aug 26 @ 4-6 p.m. at Baumholder Middle High School. Teacher meet & greet, BMHS community orientation & school information

Smith Elementary

- B2S Breakfast for Faculty and Staff:
Aug 11 from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m. at the Baumholder Knights Lair DFAC
- UPK Open House:
Aug 14 from Noon to 1 p.m.
- New Student Orientation:
Aug 14 from 1 to 2:30 p.m.
- Back-to-School Bash:
Aug 15 from noon to 2 p.m.
Community organizations are invited to participate in this annual B2S event!
- Open House:
Aug 27 from 4 to 5:30 p.m.



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Construction Updates

DPW TOPICS

- **Radon Dashboard is live**
Mitigation projects continue
- Housing Projects
 - Balconies
 - Barracks Renovations
 - Rightsizing
- Funding/Staffing Limitations

- **PX Roof Repair** – ECD Jan 2026
- **Pavement Projects**
 - **Clinic Parking Lot** – Phase 3 underway; ECD October 2025
 - **Shoppette** – Complete!
 - **Artillery Road Repairs** – Project delayed; ECD is TBD
 - **Dental Street** – Upcoming Road Closure from 30 June – 1 July; ECD July 2025
- **Smith Barracks Playgrounds** – Ongoing
- **Wetzel ACP1 Projects** – Construction Ongoing
 - Lane Addition, Final Denial Barrier
 - Working to complete both projects prior to start of school year in August
 - Traffic disruptions/changes
- **Army Lodge** – Road Closures near Post Office / Rheinlander for utility connections
 - 23 – 27 June
 - 30 June – 2 July

Clinic Parking Lot Phase 3

ECD October 2025



Road Closure for Dental Street Paving

Closure From 30 June – 01 July

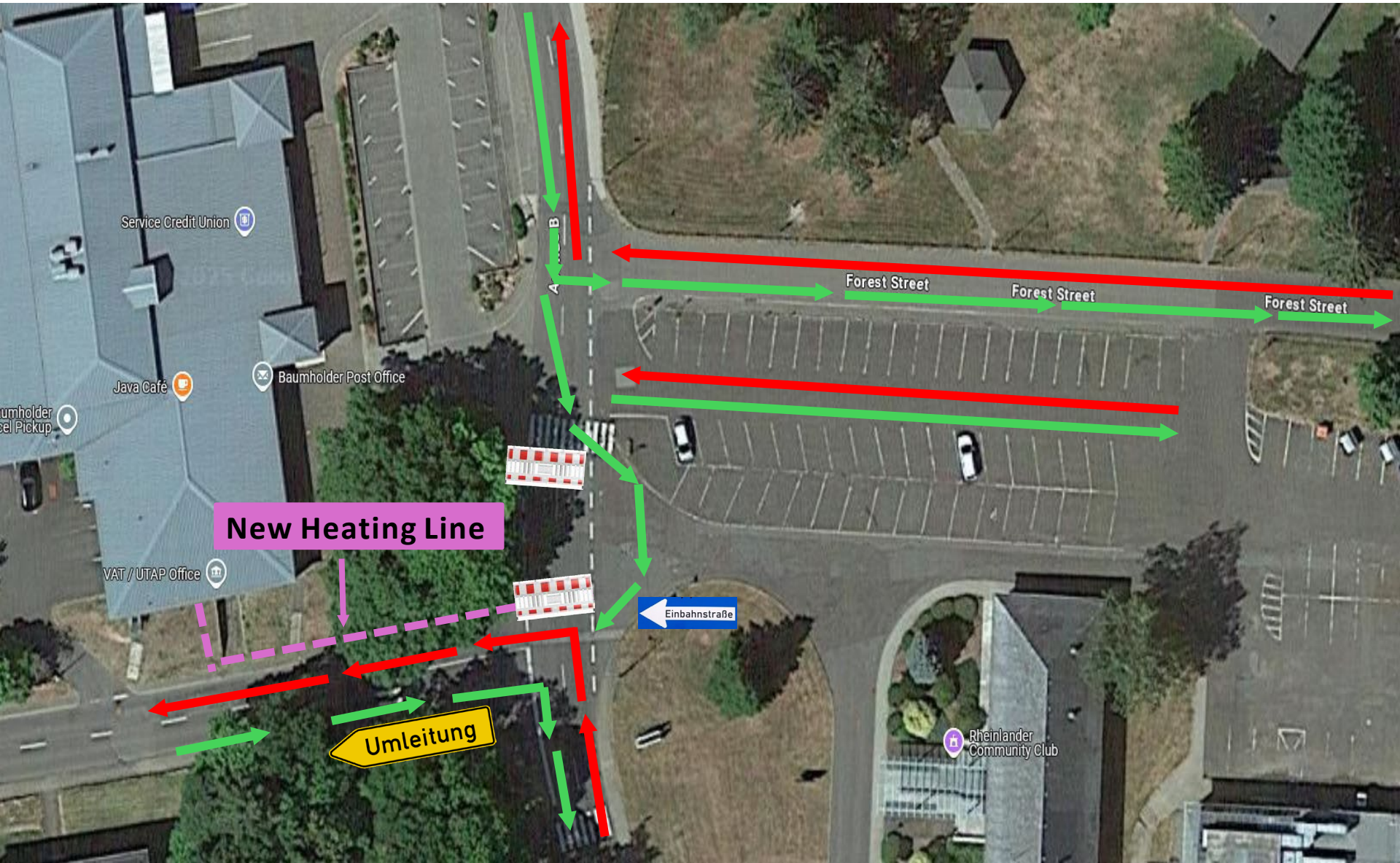


Road Closures for Army Lodge Utilities

Closure #1 – Avenue B Partial Road Closure

23 June 2025 - 25 June 2025

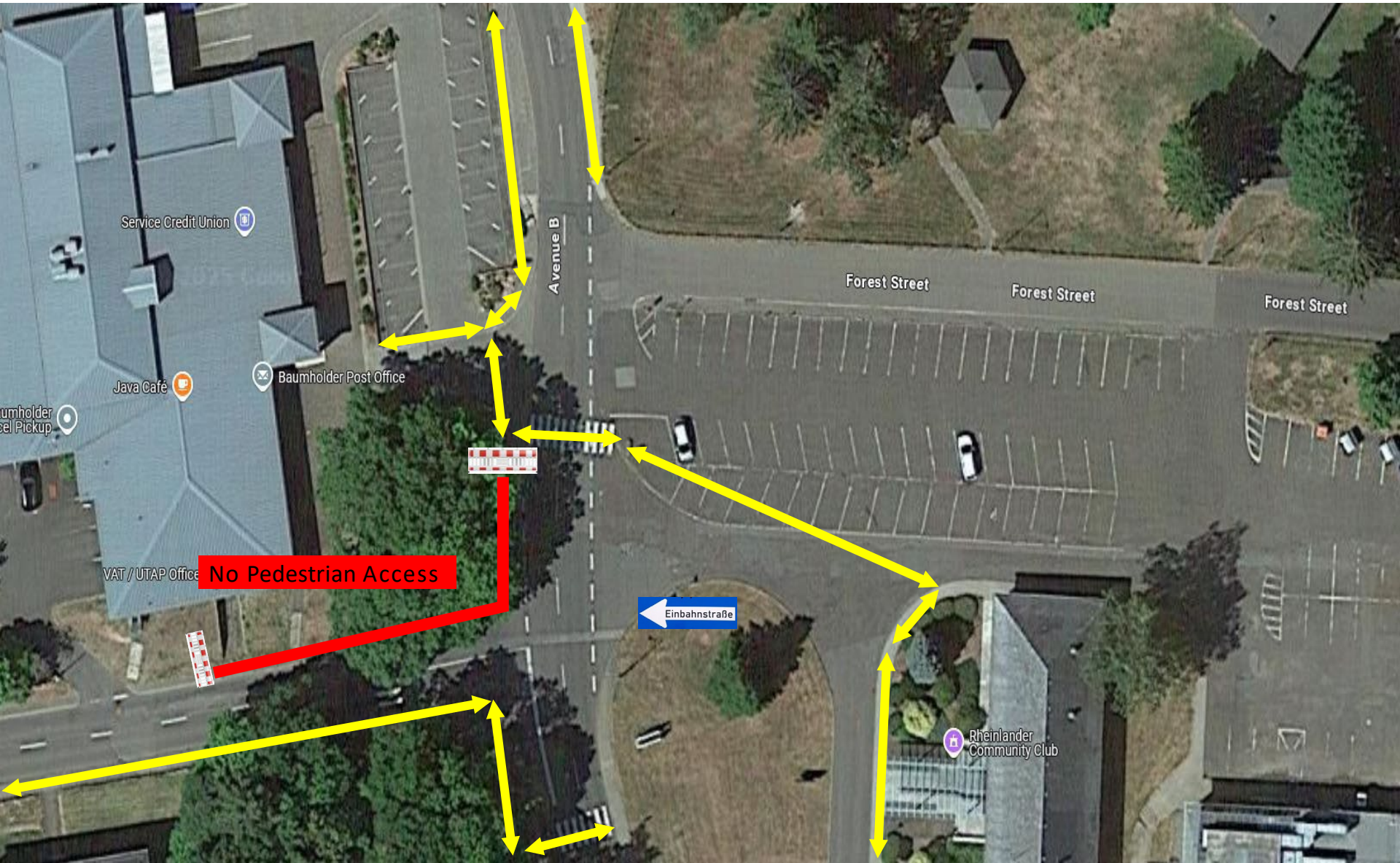
- Detour Avenue B via Grape Street and Pear Street
- Detour Avenue B via Rheinländer Club parking lot



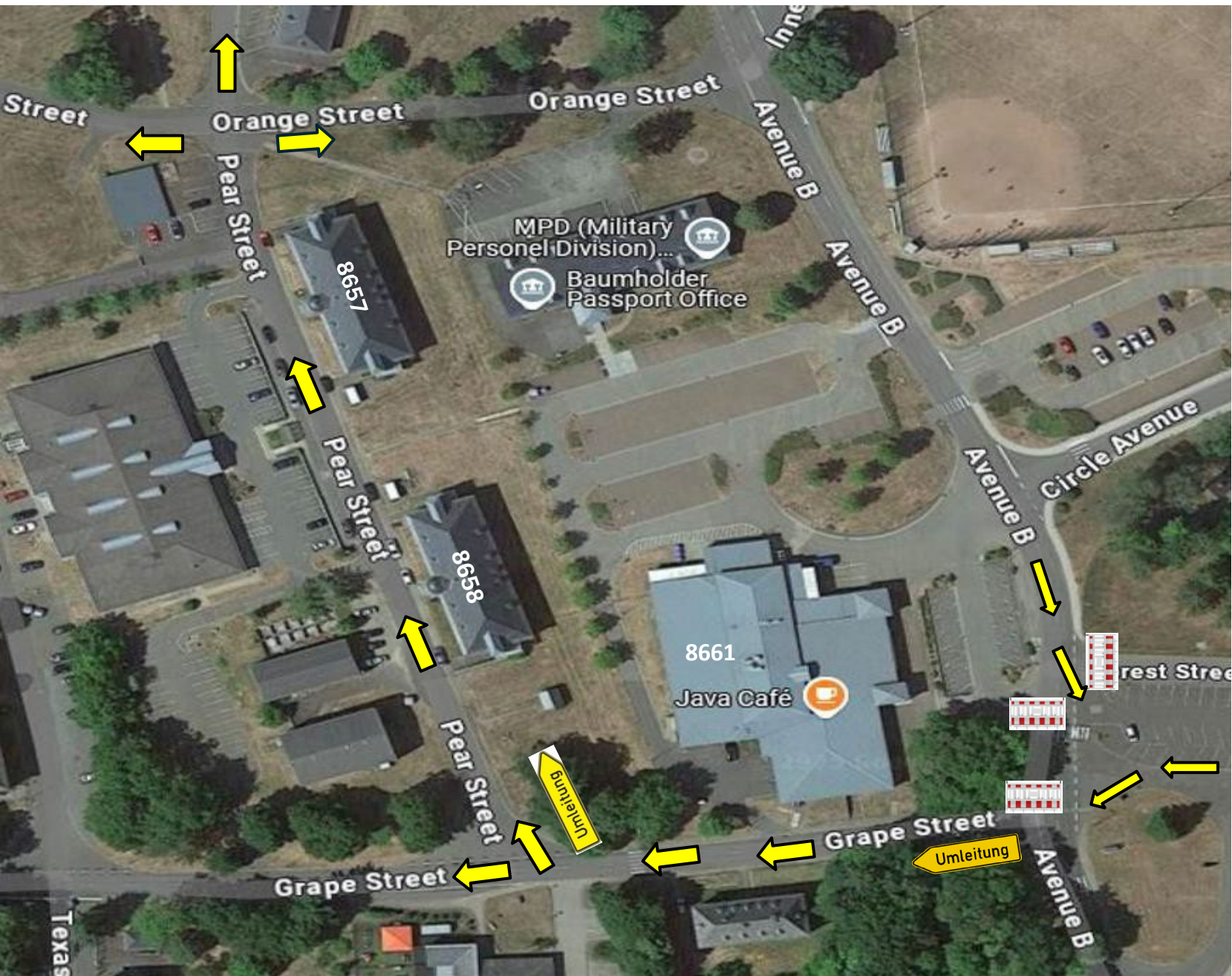
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Pedestrian Access for Road Closure #1

23 June 2025 - 25 June 2025



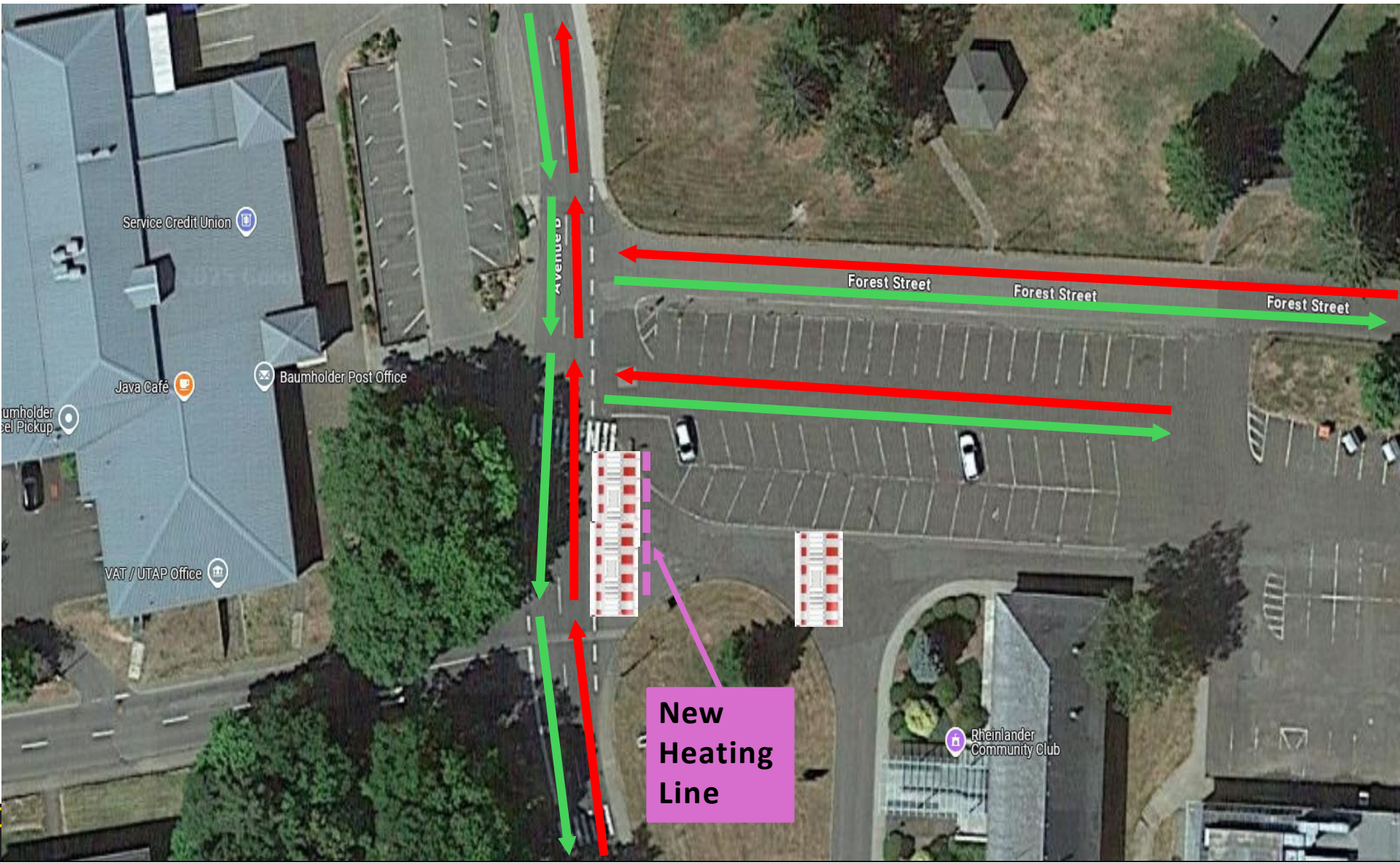
Detour Map for Army Lodge Road Closure #1



Road Closures for Army Lodge Utilities

Closure #2 – Rheinlander Auxiliary Road Loop

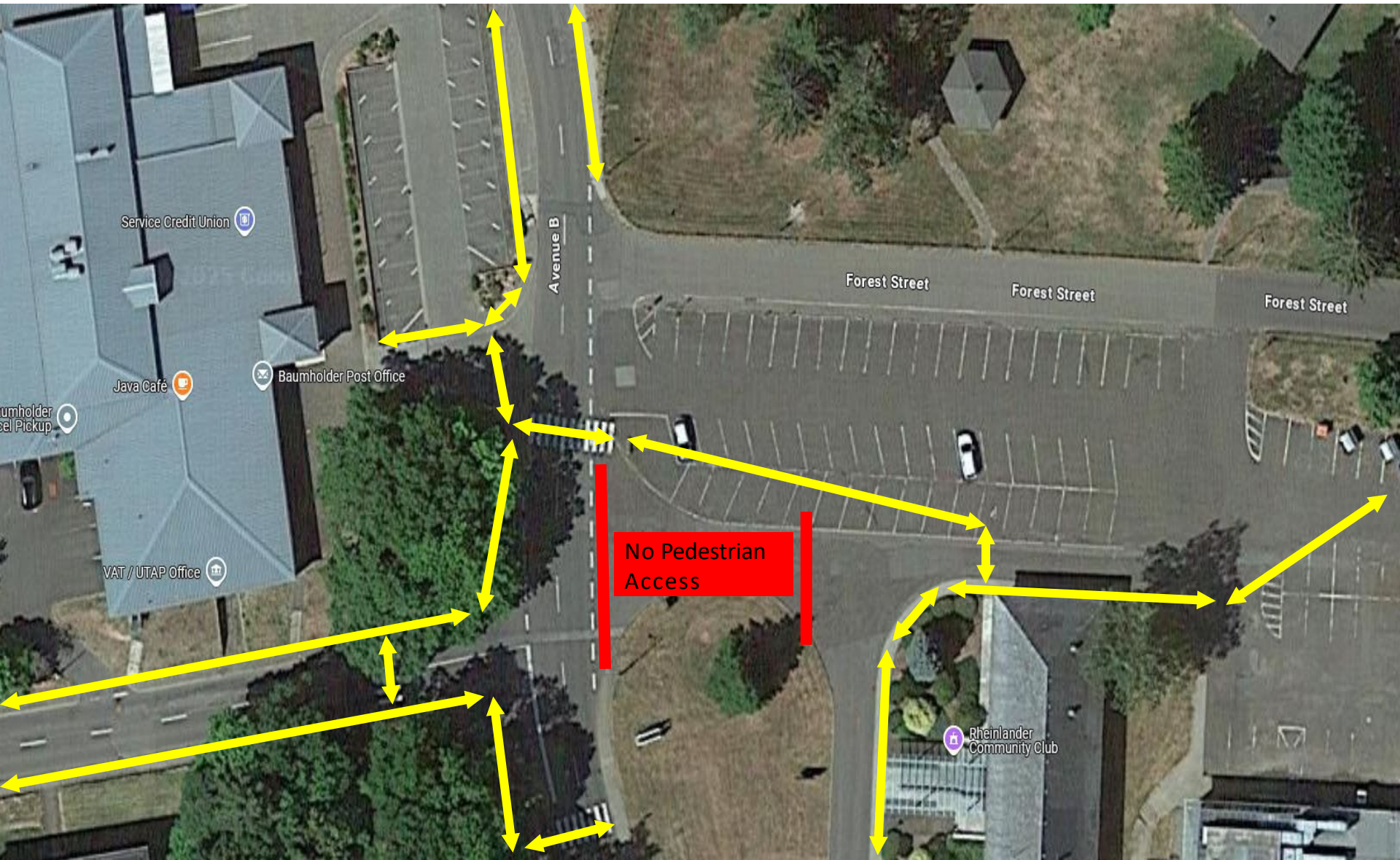
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Road Closures for Army Lodge Utilities

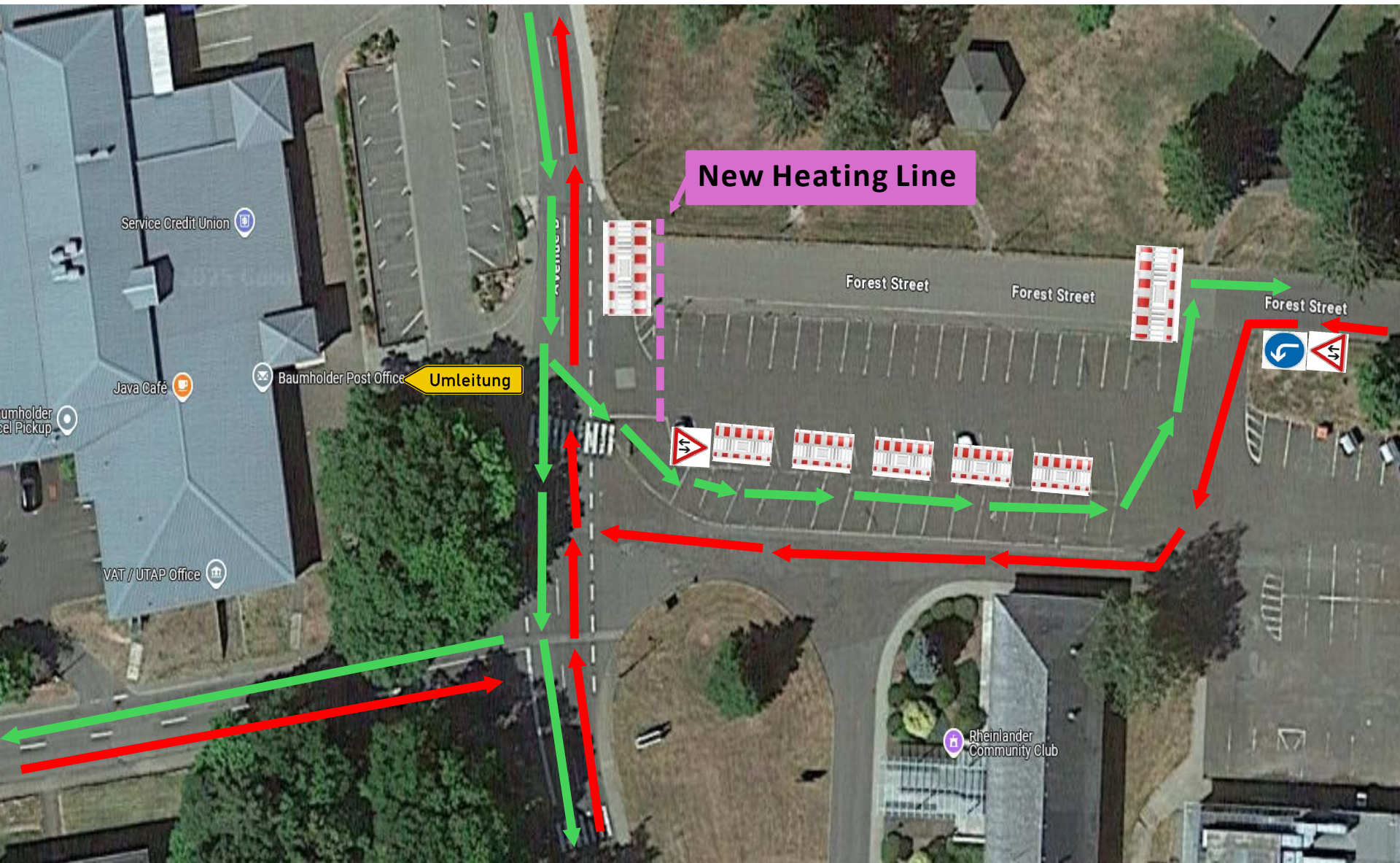
Pedestrian Access for Road Closure #2

25 June 2025 - 27 June 2025





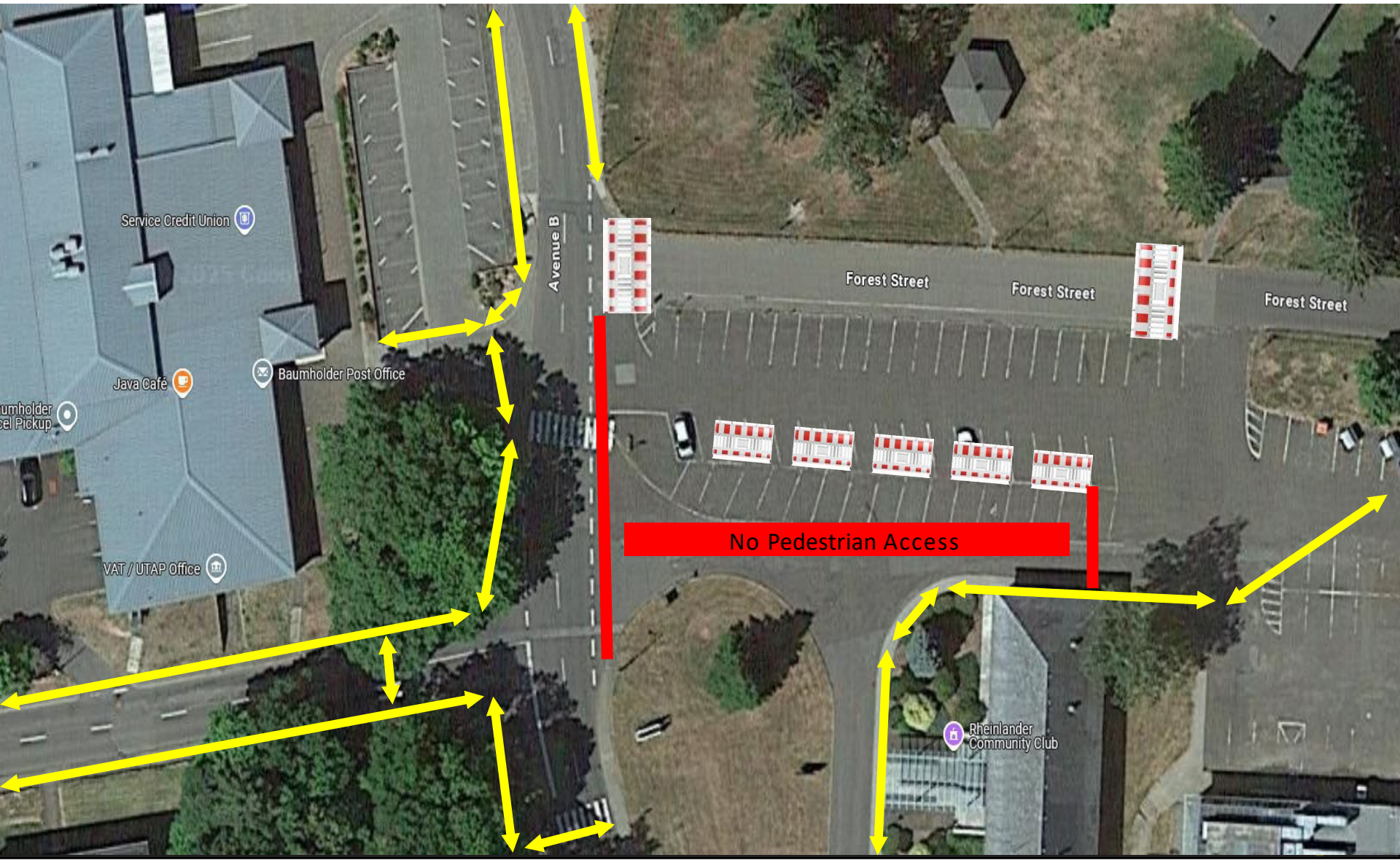
Detour Forest Street via Rheinländer Club parking lot



Road Closures for Army Lodge Utilities

Pedestrian Access for Road Closure #3

30 June 2025 - 03 July 2025



Did you know? Planning a summer getaway? Click the link to learn more about military-owned campsites and

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USAG RHEINLAND-PFALZ' ANNUAL GRADUATION CEREMONY CELEBRATES ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

FOR NEWCOMERS

FOR SOLDIERS

FOR FAMILIES

FOR EMPLOYEES

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DIRECTORATE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

The Directorate of Emergency Services is committed to providing the highest quality professional law enforcement, fire support and emergency services. The top three priorities are prevention, response and support to the community.

DIRECTORATE OF FAMILY AND MORALE, WELFARE AND RECREATION

Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation, or Family and MWR, provides a source of balance that ensures an environment in which service members and families can thrive, a structure that supports unit readiness in an era of persistent conflict and a foundation for building the future. Family and MWR's mission is to provide service members and their families the same quality of life given to the society they have pledged to defend.

DIRECTORATE OF HUMAN RESOURCES

The Directorate of Human Resources provides premier human resources installation services to support a diverse, transforming community, ensuring mission readiness and enhanced quality of life.

DIRECTORATE OF PLANS, TRAINING, MOBILIZATION & SECURITY

The Directorate of Plans, Training, Mobilization & Security provides operational support to all elements on the installation in the following areas: personnel, information and industrial security; foreign travel reporting; emergency response planning and execution; mobilization, demobilization, deployment and redeployment; coordination and synchronization of training across the installation.

DIRECTORATE OF PUBLIC WORKS

The Directorate of Public Works provides infrastructure, engineering resources, housing and facility management support and services to ensure safe, comfortable and functional facilities in a clean

Environmental Management Division

Ensure the long term sustainability of the installation through compliance with Federal Environment laws and regulations, protection of natural and cultural resources, prevention of pollution, environmental training, environmental inspections and public outreach for the wellbeing of the Rheinland-Pfalz military community.

Find information about the Environmental Management Division on their [SHAREPOINT PORTAL](#) (CAC required).

▶ Drinking Water

▶ Legionella Testing

▶ Mold

▶ Radon Testing


▶ Recycling



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Baumholder Military Community Radon Database




Building #:

8010
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Radon TH Slides



USAG-RP DPW:
Directorate of Public Works

Web:
<https://home.army.mil/rheinland-pfalz/about/directorates-support-offices/directorate-public-works-dpw>

Email:
USAG-RP_DPW_EMD@army.mil

Building Details:

8010

Priority: 1

Type: 71116 - F...

Most Recent Testing Cycle:

Test Installed:
Monday, May 01, 2023

Test Retrieved:
Wednesday, May 01, 2024

Results Received:
Saturday, June 01, 2024

Most Recent Results:

2.8

(pCi/L)

Mitigation Requirement:

No Action Required

Mitigation Plan Details:

Needs updated

Next Expected Testing Cycle:

3/27/2025

Building Priority Details:

1

Priority 1 - Living areas (Housing) / Schools, CDCs and Medical Facilities

2

Priority 2 - Areas having 24-hour operations

3


Priority 3 - All other routinely occupied structures

4


Priority 4 - No testing requirement for buildings like sheds, warehouses and unoccupied facilities

What do the results mean?


	Priority 1	Priority 2-3
<4	No action necessary	No action necessary
4-8	Mitigation required within 18 months	No action necessary
8-20	Mitigation required within 18 months	
20-200		
200+		



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Current Operations

- Consolidation of the Law Enforcement Operations with the Fire and Emergency Services on Smith Barracks
 - MP Desk Operations will be conducted out of Bldg 8413
 - All Administrative Services will be conducted out of Bldg 8670
- 4 July 2025, Independence Day on Minick Field.
 - Controlled parking on Smith Barracks, all personnel will be required to exit the post after the celebration, Final Exit Plan TBD based on construction at Artillery Gate.
- Polizei has increased speed enforcement on Berschweilerstr.

Installation Passes

- All non-DoD ID cardholders must escorted by a DoD ID cardholder at all times, be on an approved access roster, or be issued an installation pass.
- All installation passes must be requested on **AE Form 190-16A** by a DoD ID cardholder via encrypted e-mail from an official e-mail account at least three business days prior to the requested date.

1. SHORT TERM (3 DAYS OR LESS)

DoD ID cardholders age 18+ may sign in up to four visitors at a time

REQ DOCS: Passport or German ID for LN.

SPONSOR: Always required

2. INSTALLATION PASSES FOR VISITING FAMILY MEMBERS

Passes for 30-90days, up to 6 months with ETP

REQ DOCS: Passport, NCIC Background Check and flight itinerary

SPONSOR: Required until pass is approved

3. UNESCORTED PASS

REQ DOCS: Passport, NCIC Background Check and flight itinerary.

SPONSOR: Required until pass is approved

ELIGIBLE VETERAN ACCESS (NEW AS OF JANUARY 2020)

IACS OFFICES

**BMC / Wetzel Kaserne
Bldg 8873**

Monday-Friday

0815-1600 (last sign in 1545)

CIV# 06111-531-27776/2777

DSN# 531-2776/2777

**KMC / Pulaski Barracks
Bldg 2974**

Monday - Thursday

0830-1500 (last sign in - 1445)

CIV# 06111-43-541-7151

DSN# 541/7151

KMC VCC/ ROBMC Gate

Monday – Friday

0830-1600 (last sign in 1545)

CIV# 0611-143-541-5476/5477

DSN# 541-5476/5477

For more information, visit: <https://home.army.mil/rheinland-pfalz/about/directorates-support-offices/directorate-emergency-services-des/installation-access-control>



Contact Baumholder Law Enforcement

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Merchandise

Product Assortment Reset in progress
Children's clothing rotating monthly to offer fresh styles
Increased variety of beauty products & two new men's skincare lines
Added small patio furniture to Outdoor Living
Weekly deliveries of linens to assure availability to newly arriving soldiers



Shuttle Program

Current pick up once per week but can increase based on utilization



Food

Popeyes: Mon-Sat 1100-1900; Sun 1100-1800
Burger King: Mon-Fri 0700-1700 Drive thru until 1800; Sat-Sun closed
Bun-D: Mon-Sat 1100-1930; Sun 1100-1800 (Pilot)
Dunkin: Mon-Fri 0700-1500; Sat-Sun 0830-1700



Launderette

Cashless payment system now operational



Services

URU for Baumholder Holzinger Kaserne in planning stage
To request vending machines in your area: kmcservices@aafes.com

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DFMWR UPDATES

***Champions Diner** Open at Strikers Bowling Center!

***Army Family Action Plan:**
Submit issues any time via Army Family Web Portal
<https://ims.armyfamilywebportal.com>

***BOSS Soldier Showdown:**
eSports Tournaments 28 Jun – 13 Sept
www.armymwr.com/esports

***CYS employment:** 100% of first child, 25% additional

***CYS Summer Camp Registration:**
Through 11 August @
www.militarychildcare.com

baumholder.armymwr.com

Upcoming Events and Programming

04 July: Independence Day Golf Tournament, Rolling Hills Golf Course, 1000

04 July: Independence Day Celebration, Minick Field
1530 Car Show
1600 Opening Ceremony
1615 J. Sanders & Friends
2000 Groove Colour
2230 Fireworks

25 July: Army Community Service 60th Birthday, Baumholder ACS, 1600

01 Aug: CYS and MWR programs CLOSED, Annual Garrison Training & Organizational Day

Now through 31 Aug: Kids Bowl Free, 2 games/day, Mon-Thurs, 1100-1700, Registration required



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HAPPY

Anniversary

TO THE
ARMY CHAPLAIN CORPS



U.S. Army Chaplain Corps 250th Anniversary Community Fair



"Sustaining and Enriching a Sacred Legacy"

- **Who:** Personnel & Families at USAG Rheinland-Pfalz
- **What:** 250th Chaplain Corps Anniversary Community Fair
- **When:** Wednesday, 30 July 2025
- **Where:** Pulaski Park, 1030 – 1400
- **Why:** To honor the Chaplain Corps' heritage of sacred service, recognize the sacrifice and commitment of the Army Chaplains and Religious Affairs Specialists, and underscore the Corps' role in sustaining the soul, moral and ethical foundations of the Army, promoting resiliency and readiness, and supporting the free exercise of religion for all.
- **Guest Speaker:** CH (COL) Andrew Lawrence, IMCOM-E Command Chaplain
- **Bounce Houses, Live Music! Free lunch: Burgers / Hotdogs, drinks, and chips!**

UNIFORM

MILITARY: CASUAL

CIVILIANS: CASUAL

HAVE FUN AT TRUE NORTH VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



Baumholder
Registration

**BAUMHOLDER MILITARY
COMMUNITY**
22-25 JULY 2025
0900 TO 1200
@ ROCK CHAPEL



Kaiserslautern
Registration

**KAISERSLAUTERN MILITARY
COMMUNITY**
5-8 AUGUST 2025
1700 TO 2000
VOGELWEH @ PULASKI PARK

COME BE A PART OF THE ADVENTURE!

Grades K through 5th are Welcome!

(Pre-School for VBS Volunteer Only)

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

QUESTIONS CONTACT: JOHN MARK EDWARDS AT JOHN.M.EDWARDS3.CIV@ARMY.MIL

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Upcoming Events:



Coffee Connections

Thursday, June 26th
1100-1300



Independence Day BBQ

Thursday, July 3rd
1130-1330



"Summer Serenades" with the Willy Pete Band

Wednesday, July 9th
Beginning at noon



**Volunteer opportunities available to
anyone with base access!**



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Center Hours

Monday – Friday 1000-1800

Training Holidays 1200-1800

Closed Weekends and Federal Holidays

*Open to anyone who has base access.
Minors must be accompanied by an adult.*



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DSN 541-2005

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BEAT^{the}HEAT!

THE BEST WAY TO AVOID A HEAT-RELATED ILLNESS IS TO LIMIT EXPOSURE OUTDOORS DURING HOT DAYS. AIR CONDITIONING IS THE BEST WAY TO COOL OFF, ACCORDING TO THE CDC. ALSO:

- STAY HYDRATED BY DRINKING WATER AND AVOID ALCOHOL
- WEAR LOOSE, LIGHTWEIGHT CLOTHING AND A HAT
- REPLACE SALT LOST FROM SWEATING BY DRINKING FRUIT JUICE OR SPORTS DRINKS
- AVOID SPENDING TIME OUTDOORS DURING THE HOTTEST PART OF THE DAY, USUALLY FROM 1100-1500
- WEAR SUNSCREEN; SUNBURN AFFECTS THE BODY'S ABILITY TO COOL ITSELF
- PACE YOURSELF WHEN YOU RUN OR OTHERWISE EXERT YOUR BODY

SAFE
SUMMER



<https://safety.army.mil>

ALCOHOL

Alcohol is a common contributing factor to off-duty mishaps.


Impaired Judgment

+ Poor Vision

+ Delayed/Slow
Reaction Time

= Mishap





TAKE THE POOL SAFELY PLEDGE!

Pool SAFELY PLEDGE

Take one minute and make sure your family stays safer this year.

The *Pool Safely* campaign wants every American to take the *Pool Safely* Pledge because, together, we can stop child drownings.

ADULTS PLEDGE TO

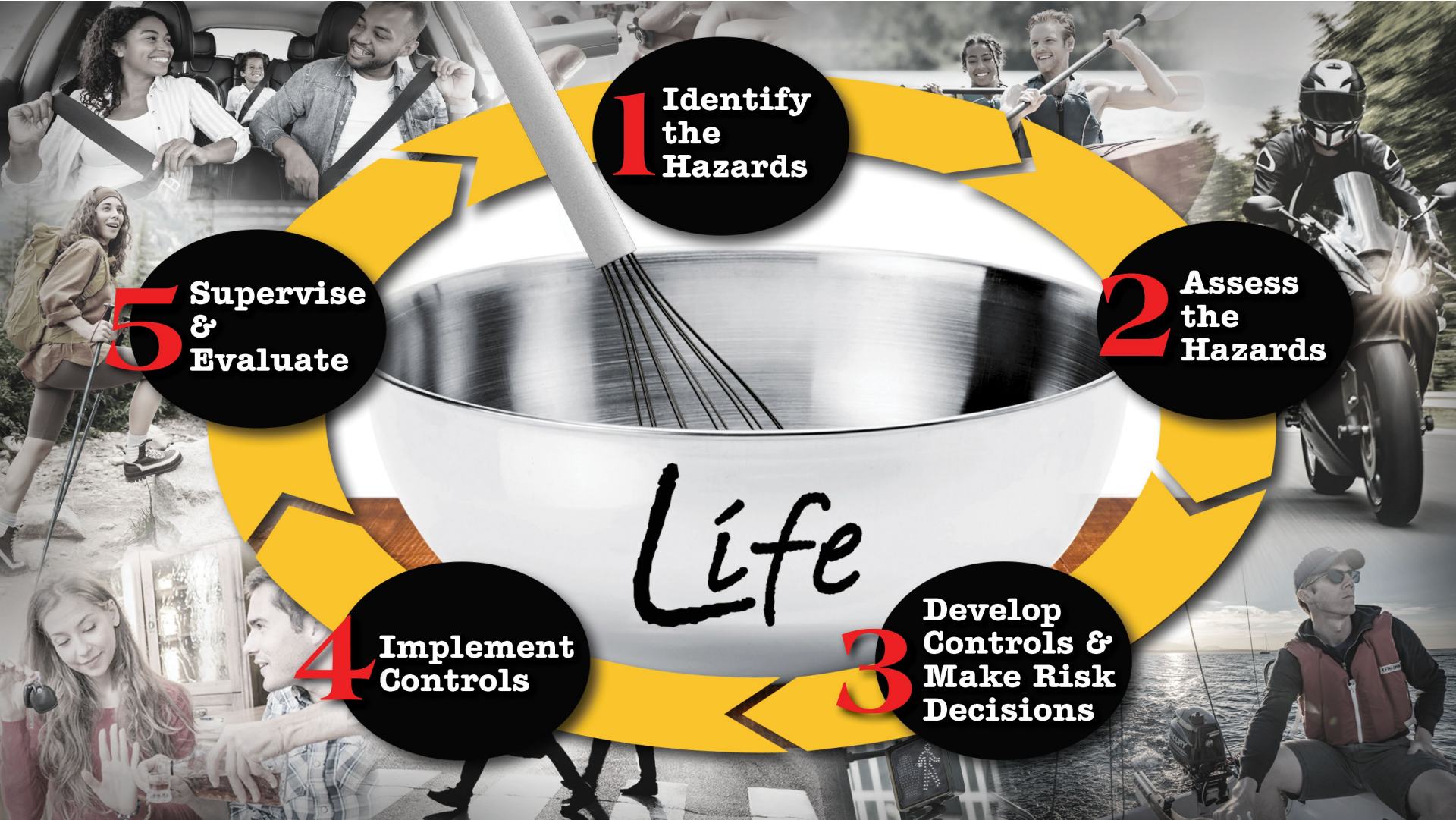
- Always watch children in and near the water
- Make sure kids learn how to swim
- Ensure pools have 4-sided fencing and anti-entrapment drain covers

KIDS PLEDGE TO

- Never swim alone
- Ask parents for swim lessons
- Stay away from pool and spa drains

PoolSafely.gov/Pledge

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- Parking Lot Construction Summer 2025
- Access to Care Challenges Summer 2025
- Appointment Line: 06371 94645767; Option 1; Option 2
- Vending Machines
- Sick Call
- Back to School Physicals

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Community Safety Training

Adult and Pediatric CPR / AED / First Aid

- July: 10th, 11th, 16th, 17th, 23rd, 24th, 30th Ramstein)
- July: 10th and 28th (Landstuhl)

Babysitting Basics with Pediatric CPR

- TBD (Landstuhl)

BLS

- TBD (Ramstein)

CPR Instructor

- 31 July (Ramstein)

American Red Cross – Hero Care Center

Ways to Contact:

- Local Office: 314-480-5464/2171
- HCC: 1-877-272-7337
314-480-0422
06371-47-0422
- <https://www.redcross.org/get-help/military-families/emergency-communication.html>
- Hero Care App (iTunes and Google Play)

Volunteer with the American Red Cross!



- Outreach and Events
- Training Services
- Disaster Response
- Volunteer Leadership
- Emergency Messaging

www.redcross.org/volunteer/become-a-volunteer

Community Outreach and Resiliency

- Relief Supply Delivery – Late June/Early July
- Sembach Summer Fest – 26 June
- Ramstein C-17/C-5 Volunteer Tour – 26 June
- Sumi Mize taking over the Baumholder offices through September.



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Ramstein AB, Bldg. 2118 4th Floor ● DSN 480-2171 ● Ramstein@redcross.org

Baumholder, Clinic Kaserne 2nd Floor ● DSN 531-3153 ● Baumholder@redcross.org

Landstuhl (LRMC), Bldg. 3998 ● DSN 590-7298 ● Landstuhl@redcross.org

As of: 16 Jun 25



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***They LIVE when you
GIVE to the ASBP!***

BAUMHOLDER BLOOD DRIVES

JUN 23-24 9:30am-3pm

Sponsor: 5-7 ADA

SEP 15-16 & NOV 17-18

SPONSORS NEEDED



**Sign up to donate
and volunteer!**

*Limited Type O walk-ins
may be accepted.*

Donate to the DoD's blood program to help:

- US/NATO combat casualties.
- Patients in military hospitals, like LRMC.



How can you support the DoD's blood supply?

- **Leaders:** inform MIL, CIV, LN, Families & encourage max participation, offer incentives (no PT, awards, etc.)
 - **Donors:** sign up for appointments in advance.
 - **Volunteers:** help before (Donor Signups) & during drives.
-

Units/Orgs: Sponsor Blood Drives: SEP or NOV

- Strong Leadership engagement.
- 1+ ADVANCE Volunteers to promote blood drive.
 - 3+ Volunteers DURING blood drive.

Soldiers earn hours toward MOVSM.

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Ground Rules

- Be Respectful
- Raise Hand for Microphone
- Be Brief
- Limit Follow-Up Questions





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Back Up & Hand Out Slides

USAG Rheinland-Pfalz BMC Town Hall

Purpose




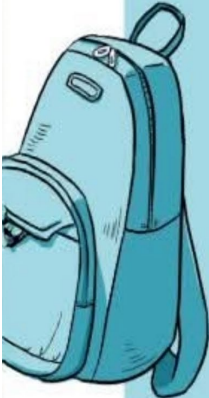




MARK A. COLBROOK
DEPUTY GARRISON MANAGER

Purpose: BMC Town Hall and Information Forum serves as a structured quarterly meeting for Garrison, Mission Unit and Service Partners, and our organizations' senior leaders to share short and midterm plans, exchange information, while fostering local networking and cross-communication.

This forum provides a two-way communications opportunity to offer insights on specific concerns and issues, while allowing the USAG Rheinland-Pfalz Command Team to share priorities, updates, and their thoughts on hot-topic items.

Department of Defense Education Activity (DODEA)



Baumholder Army Health Clinic

BACK-TO-SCHOOL PHYSICALS

Who: All Students In The Baumholder Community, Ages 3 And Up

When: June 26th - 27th
August 6th - 8th

Where: Baumholder Army Health Clinic,
Bldg. 8740

**APPOINTMENTS ARE REQUIRED. TO SCHEDULE,
PLEASE CALL 06371-9464-5762.**

Patients Under The Age of 18 Must Be Accompanied By A Parent, Legal Guardian, Or Have A Consent Form Filled Out Prior To The Day Of The Appointment. This Event Is Specifically For School And Sports Physicals. Please Bring All Immunizations Records To The Scheduled Visit.

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Baumholder Middle High School students won First Place for “NEWS FEATURE” in the first annual DoDEA Europe Student Film Festival. The students represented BMHS and Europe Central competing against other students across Europe.



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 facebook.com/BaumholderFMWR

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ISSUE	STATUS
Overseas Housing Allowance (OHA) for Soldiers and Families of Baumholder	Issue was elevated
Rental Car Relief for OCONUS PCS Moves for Accompanied Active-Duty Personnel.	Issue was elevated
Rental Car Relief for OCONUS PCS Moves for Accompanied DA Civilian Personnel.	Issue was elevated
Require Valid Driver's License Prior to OCONUS PCS.	Issue was elevated
Field Experience Placement Program for OCONUS Family Members.	Issue was elevated
Drivers Education Program for Unlicensed teenage drivers at USAG Rheinland-Pfalz.	This issue being worked locally.
Smart Voucher process for PCSing Service Members	S1s are being trained by Finance. A SMART Voucher training run by ACS Financial Readiness takes place every Friday. There is also more information given at in-processing briefs and S1s don't consider soldiers in-processed until the SMART Voucher process is complete. We will reassess the success of these implementations after the summer PCS season
Completion of In-processing for Service Members	Issue was retained locally. Closed because it's unattainable.
Accountability of Unit Sponsorship Program	Issue was retained locally. Closed because it's unattainable.
Wait at Vehicle Registration	Issue has been resolved. Measures have been put in place to reduce wait at vehicle registration.

For more information, please contact the AFAP Program Manager at: oluwatimilehin.o.olusanya.civ@army.mil



ARMY FAMILY ACTION PLAN

Change begins with you



It's time to **submit your ideas!**

To learn more visit: ArmyMWR.com/AFAP



➤ 5 W's:

- Who: Active Duty, National Guard, Reserve Components, Retired Military, Family Members, Survivors, and Civilian Employees
- What: Constructive approaches/ideas for the betterment of the Army
- When: ALWAYS/ Elevation occurs once a year
- Why: Improve total Army quality of life
- Where: Army Family Web Portal
- How: Submit on Issue Management System

AFAP HISTORY AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

➤ 794 issues entered since 1983

- 577 – completed
- 175 – unattainable
- 3 – combined
- Working 40 active issues

➤ Driving force behind the enactment of:

- 132 pieces of legislation
- 208 policy changes
- -237 improved programs & service

➤ AFAP Program Manager:

- Timi Olusanya
- DSN: 541-9018
- Email: oluwatimlehin.o.olusanya.civ@army.mil



	PREVIOUS HOURS (Through 16 March)	CURRENT HOURS (Beginning 17 March)
Self-Help Store	Year Round	Summer Months (March - September)
	M, T, Th, F 0900 - 1530 W 0900 - 1200 (1 Person; 27 Service Hours)	M, W, F 1230 - 1530 T, Th 0800 - 1530 (2 People; 46 Service Hours)
		Winter Months (October - February)
		M, W, F 0800 - 1200 T, Th 1230 - 1530 (2 People; 36 Service Hours)
Lawn Mower Shop	Summer Months (March - September)	Summer Months (March - September)
	M, F 0900 - 1530 (Customers come in throughout the week) (1 Person; 12 Service Hours)	M, W, F 0800 - 1130 (2 People; 21 Service Hours)
		Winter Months (October - February)
		CLOSED for seasonal maintenance work on the lawn mowers



Religious Support Operations

Kleber Office BLDG 3213
DSN:531-3170 CIV:0611-143-541-2105



On Call Duty Chaplain for Emergencies CIV: 0162-270-8348

Religious Support Personnel

Community Chaplains:

Garrison Chaplain: CH (LTC) Silva, Ronaldo
Resource Manager: CH (MAJ) Tak, Seong Christian
Family Life Chaplain: Vacant

Garrison RSO NCOIC:

SSG Fofanah, Samcess
Religious Affairs Specialist:
SPC Yuri, Li
PFC One, Bey

CATHOLIC SERVICES IN KMC

Kaiserlautern:

1130 Sunday - Daenner Chapel*
1200 Tue, Wed, Fri, Hilltop Chapel*
*Confession 45 minutes prior to Mass

CATHOLIC WOMEN OF THE CHAPEL (CWOC) IN KMCC

*Please contact our Religious Support Office

Other KMC Catholic Services: 0900
Saturday RAB North Chapel 1300
Sunday RAB North Chapel 1700
Sunday RAB North Chapel 1130 Mon-Fri RAB North Chapel

PROTESTANT SERVICES IN KMC

Contemporary Service:

0930 Sunday - Vogelweh Chapel
"Unplugged"
1100 Sunday, RAB North Chapel

Episcopal Service:

1030 Sunday, Kapaun Chapel

Gospel Service:

1100 Sunday, Vogelweh Chapel

Orthodox Christian:

0900 Sunday, Kapaun Chapel

Community Protestant Service:

1030 Sunday, LRMCC Chapel
0930 Sunday, RAB South Chapel

Unitarian Service:

1330 2nd & 4th Sunday, Kapaun Chapel

Confessional Lutheran (WELS):

1600 2nd & 4th Sunday, RAB South Chapel

PROTESTANT WOMEN OF THE CHAPEL (PWOC) in KMCC

*Please contact our Religious Support Office

Buddhist Service – Ramstein

1030 4th Saturday, RAB North Chapel

Islamic Services – Ramstein/Daenner

1300 Friday, RAB South Chapel
1315 Friday, LRMCC Chapel

Jewish Services – Ramstein

1800 Friday, RAB South Chapel

Orthodox

0845 Sunday, Kapaun Chapel

Seventh Day Adventist

1100 Saturday, RAB North Chapel

Latter Day Saints

Call 0176-18300850 to speak to the local Baumholder Military Branch of the LDS church.

Unitarian Universalist Service

1330 2nd & 4th Sunday, Kapaun Chapel

Pagan/Wiccan Services

1900 Saturday, Kapaun Chapel Annex
Pagan: 1500-1700 1st & 3rd Saturday at Baumholder Rock Chapel





Religious Support Operations

Baumholder Office BLDG 8681
DSN:531-3170 CIV:0611-143-531-3170



On Call Duty Chaplain for Emergencies CIV: 0162-270-8348

Religious Support Personnel

Community Chaplains:

Garrison Deputy Chaplain: CH (MAJ) Ginsburg, Robert
Garrison Plans and Operations Chaplain: CH (MAJ) Derienzo, David (7 JUL)
Religious Affairs Specialist: SPC Ferguson, Paris
Garrison Community Chaplain: CH (MAJ) Bahng, Peter (7 JUL)

Baumholder RSO NCOIC:

SGT Jordan Myers

Rock Chapel - Protestant Service

BLDG. 8308
Worship: Sunday 10:00 a.m.

Club Beyond (Teens)

Weekly Clubs and Bible Studies
KMC: Kaiserslautern@clubbeyond.org
BMC: Baumholder@clubbeyond.org

Protestant Women Of The Chapel

BLDG. 8308
Planning for summer

Rheinland Chapel - Catholic Service

BLDG. 8249
Sunday Mass: 09:00 a.m.
Tue/Wed/Thu Mass: 1200 p.m.

Family Life Chaplain

Vacant

BLDG. 8681 DSN : 531-3173

Pastoral Counseling
Relationship Education
Resource Center

Catholic Women Of The Chapel

Planning phases

Saturday Pagan Service

Rock Chapel
1st & 3rd Saturdays 1500-1700





Religious Support Operations



Religious Support Website/URL:

<https://home.army.mil/rheinland-pfalz/index.php/about/directorates-support-offices/religious-support-rso>

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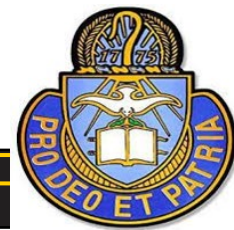
Garrison Religious Programs

- RSO contact information
- Chapel Locations
- Chapel Program times



USAG Chapel Programs Online Giving

- Scan the QR code
- Select "ONLINE TITHINGS"
- Installation: USAG Rheinland Pfalz
- Select a chapel under "Category"
- Follow the rest of the prompts



- **Location: Bldg. 162, Rhine Ordnance Barracks**
- **Hours: 0700 – 1530**

- **Rhine Ordnance Barracks**

• Christopher Alden	Safety Director	541-2300
• Jeffery McCain	Safety Specialist	541-2301
• Curt Hoyer	Safety Specialist	541-2302
• Herbert Nold	Safety Specialist	541-2303
• Michael Kah	Safety Specialist	541-2305

- **Bldg. 8698, Smith Barracks BHMC**

• Mr. Pascal Correc	Safety Specialist	531-2753
• Mr. Christopher N. Alden	Safety Director	531-2752

From FY16-FY20, there were nearly 300 off-duty cases where alcohol was a contributing factor to the mishap.

IMPAIRED JUDGMENT

+ Poor Vision

+ Delayed/Slow Reaction Time

= **MISHAP**





WATER-RELATED ACTIVITIES

- From FY16-FY20, the Army lost 42 Soldiers in water-related mishaps – 42% were leaders (SGT and above).
- The U.S. Coast Guard reported 4,168 mishaps that involved 613 fatalities, 2,559 injuries, and \$55 million of damage to property as a result of recreational boating mishaps in 2019.



BOATING SAFETY

Operator's Responsibilities:

- Don't drink and boat. Boating under the influence (BUI) is dangerous and illegal.
- Make sure the boat is in top operating condition.
- Keep legally mandated safety equipment on board. Maintain the equipment in good condition. Ensure you know how to properly use these devices.
- Maintain a safe speed at all times to avoid a collision.
- Keep an eye out for changing weather conditions and act accordingly.
- Know and obey federal and state regulations and waterway markers.



Garrison Radon Mitigation Program



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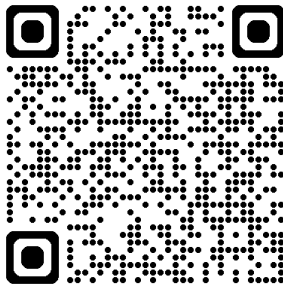
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- What is Radon?
- Radon: Germany Compared to USA
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- How to Protect Yourself
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- Public Awareness
- Radon Outside of Garrison: Information and Testing



What is Radon?

- Radon is naturally occurring gas that is colorless, odorless, and tasteless.
- It is generated by the breakdown of naturally occurring elements in soil, rocks, and sediments.
- Radon is present everywhere in the world; its concentration in air depends on the local geology and atmospheric conditions.



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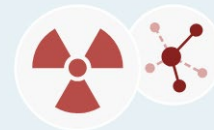
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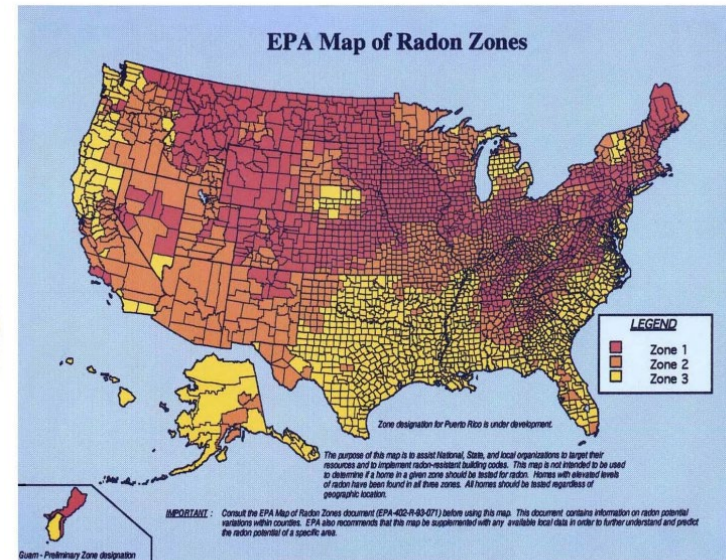
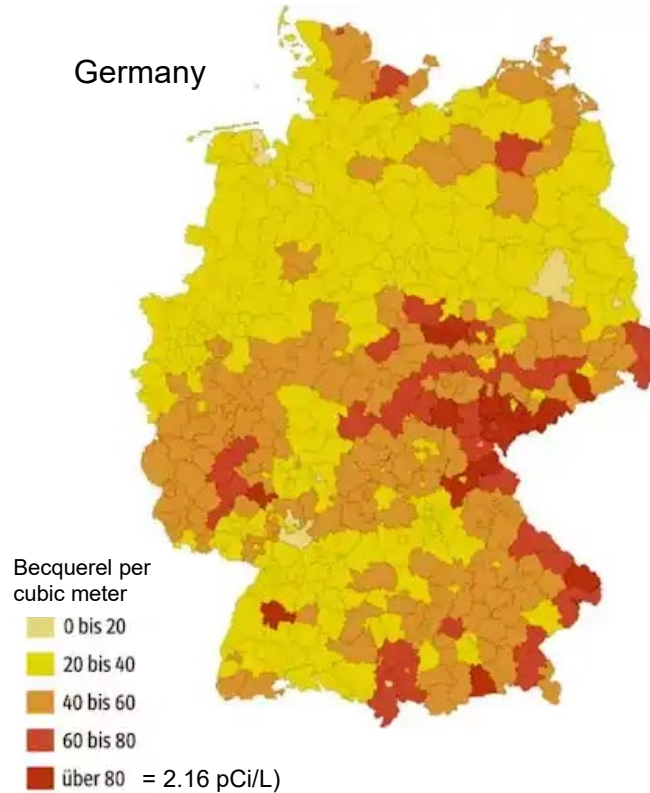


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Radon: Germany Compared to USA Radon Concentration in Buildings

Germany



What do the colors mean?

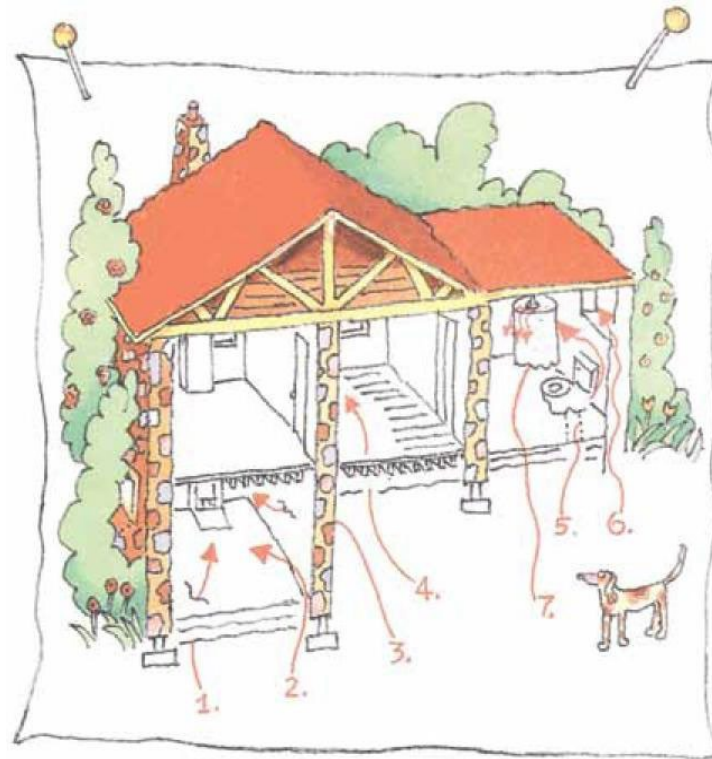
	Zone 1 (red zones)	Highest potential; average indoor radon levels may be greater than 4 pCi/L (picocuries per liter)
	Zone 2 (orange zones)	Moderate potential; average indoor radon levels may be between 2 and 4 pCi/L
	Zone 3 (yellow zones)	Low potential; average indoor radon levels may be less than 2 pCi/L

* According to the US EPA, nearly 1 in 3 homes checked in seven states had radon levels over the [recommended action level](#) for radon exposure of 4 pCi/L.

<https://worldpopulationreview.com/state-rankings/radon-levels-by-state>

How Radon Enters Buildings

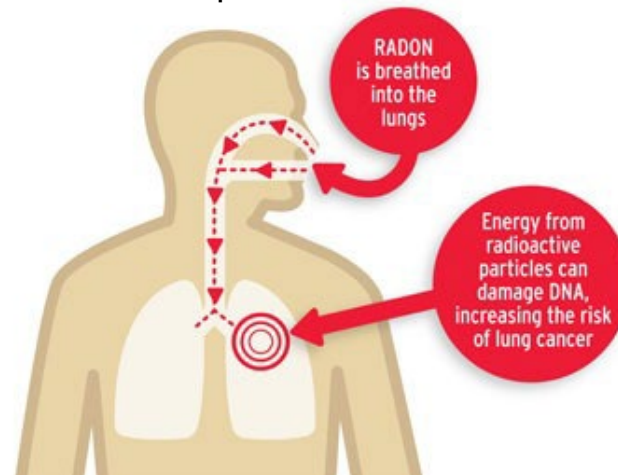
- Cracks in solid floors
- Construction joints
- Cracks in walls
- Gaps in suspended floors
- Gaps around service pipes
- Cavities inside walls
- Water supply



Health Effects

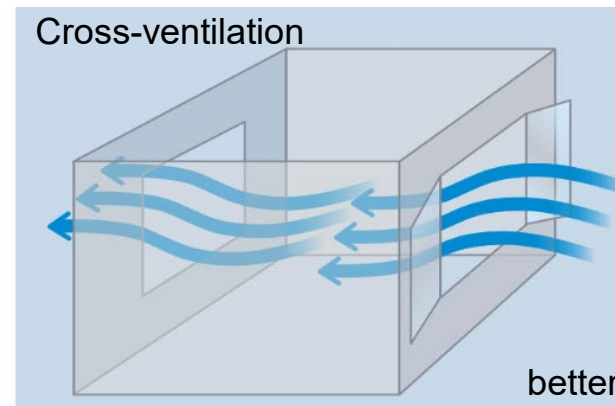
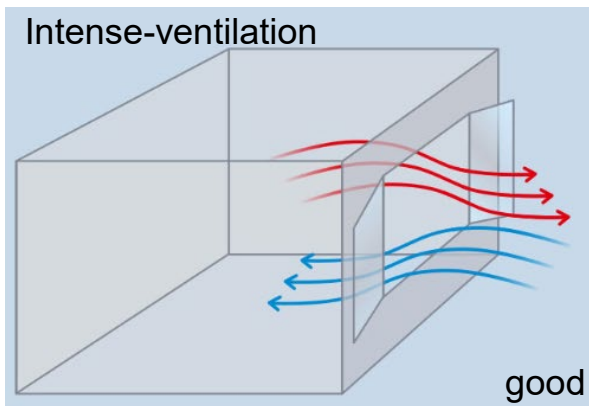
Radon Exposure Risks

- Smoking, Radon exposure, and secondhand smoking are leading causes of lung cancer in US
- Radon exposure has a multiplicative effect for smokers
- Risk of developing lung cancer due to lifetime radon exposure is **2 in 1,000 for someone that never smoked**
- Risk of dying from lung cancer due to lifetime radon exposure is **20 in 1,000 for smokers**
- The risks of dying from lung cancer for a nonsmoker is **comparable to risk of dying in a car crash**



How to Protect Yourself

- While it's wise to be aware of radon, the **risk at average levels is relatively low**
- **Simple measures like improving ventilation** can often reduce radon levels significantly
 - ✓ Replacing stagnant air in basement and first floor rooms will prevent accumulation of radon concentration
 - ✓ Opening doors/windows for a few minutes every day to refresh and purge the air



- ✓ For rooms without windows use fans to force some air exchange through the open door (arms rooms, basement closets etc.)

Radon Within the BMC

Legal Background

Radon is no longer regulated in German Final Governing Standards (FGS) nor in Army Regulation 200-1. However, the Garrison has taken the below proactive actions.

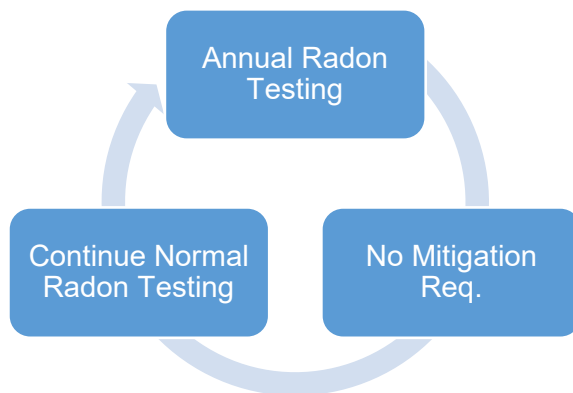


	1	2	3	4
Building Priority	AFH, UPH, Schools, CDC's, Medical Facilities	Facilities having 24-hour operations	All other routinely occupied Facilities (Shops/ Offices)	Unoccupied buildings, shed, warehouse, etc.
Notification / Mitigation Threshold Requirement	> 4 pCi/L	8.1 pCi/L	8.1 pCi/L	No sampling req.
Mitigation Timeframe	0 to < 4 pCi/L = No action required 4 to < 8 pCi/L = Mitigate within 5 years 8 to <20 pCi/L = Mitigation within 18 month 20 to 200 pCi/L = Mitigate within 6 months >200 pCi/L = Mitigate within 1 month or move the occupant (PUBLIC WORKS TECHNICAL BULLETIN 200-1-144 30 OCTOBER 2014)	within 18 month (German Radiation Ordinance)	within 18 month (German Radiation Ordinance)	N/A

Radon Monitoring Explained

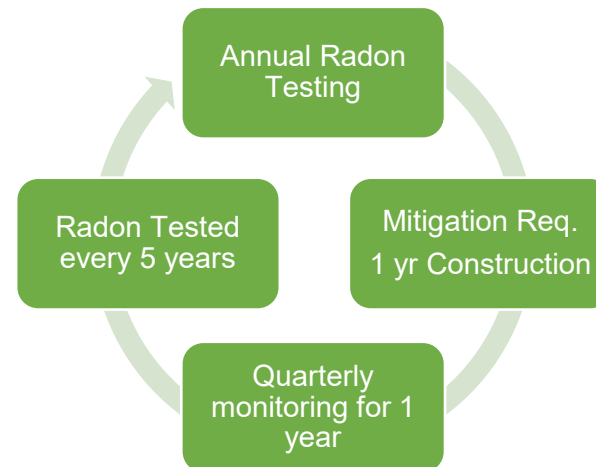
Timeline for Testing

No Mitigation Required (annual testing)



- Considered preliminary sampling (to get updated results)
- Detector placed in the area which are interesting to sample based on the building structure
- Detector remain unaffected for the sampling period of one year
- Detector gets picked up by a contractor and analyzed in an accredited laboratory
- Depends on the result, building will be mitigated or continued sampled after a certain period of time

Mitigation Required



- After a facility is mitigated, One Year monitoring will occur, spitted in four quarterly monitoring events (radon detector exchange every three months by the contractor)
- This setting gives us the flexibility to change settings at the installed mitigation system and react quickly if necessary
- Based on the four quarterly monitoring events yearly average will be provided to DPW to evaluate the results

Mitigation Strategy

Available to Public 24/7

Baumholder Military Community Radon Database

Building Details:

Building #: 8010

Priority: 1

Type: 71116 - F...

Most Recent Testing Cycle:

Test Installed:	Test Retrieved:	Results Received:
Monday, May 01, 2023	Wednesday, May 01, 2024	Saturday, June 01, 2024

Most Recent Results:

2.8 (pCi/L)

Mitigation Requirement:

No Action Required

Mitigation Plan Details:

Needs updated

Next Expected Testing Cycle:

3/27/2025

USAG-RP DPW:
Directorate of Public Works

Web:
<https://home.army.mil/rheinland-pfalz/about/directorates-support-offices/directorate-public-works-dpw>

Email:
USAG-RP_DPW_FMD@army.mil

Building Priority Details:


- Priority 1** - Living areas (Housing) / Schools, CDCs and Medical Facilities
- Priority 2** - Areas having 24-hour operations
- Priority 3** - All other routinely occupied structures
- Priority 4** - No testing requirement for buildings like sheds, warehouses and unoccupied facilities

What do the results mean?

	Priority 1	Priority 2-3
<4	No action necessary	No action necessary
4-8	Mitigation required within 18 months	No action necessary
8-20	Mitigation required within 18 months	
20-200		
200+		



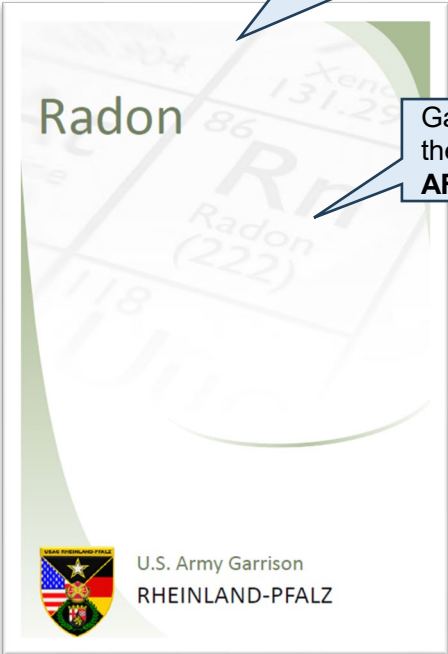
Garrison Radon Info **Brochure** available at:
Garrison Webpage
and at the **Housing Office**.

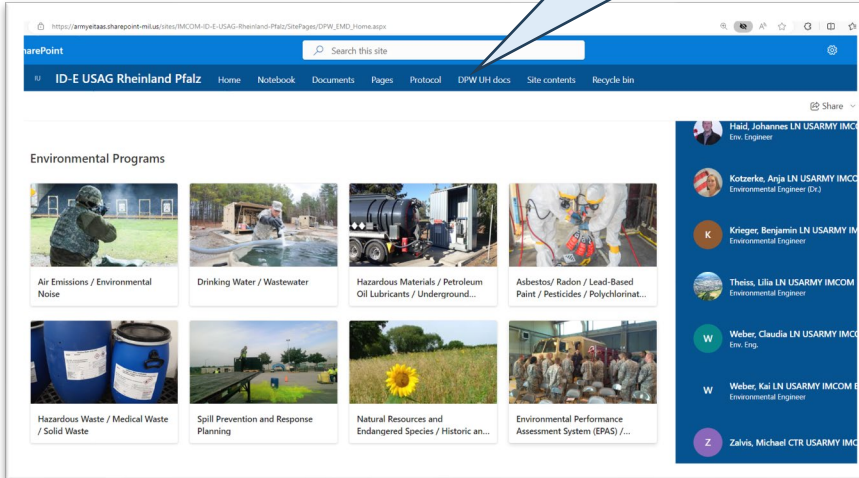


Garrison Radon Info available at:
Garrison Website (24/7)

Garrison Radon Info available at:
DPW Environmental Management Division SharePoint page

Garrison Radon Info provided at the
AFH In-Brief (off/on-post housing)







Information and Testing

Radon

Liste von Anbietern, die an einer Vergleichen an einer Vergleichsprüfung beim Bundesamt für Strahlenschutz teilgenommen haben und eingeschätzt wurden

Anbieter	Preis Kurzzeitmessung mit Messdose (Verband pro Post)
Altra: Radon-Messdienst Dorothea-Vishmann-Straße 28 12524 Berlin Tel.: 030 / 67 80 67 37 Fax: 030 / 67 80 18 86	2er-Set: 40 3er-Set: 60 (beide inkl. Versand)
Bundesamt für Strahlenschutz Fachgebiet DVV 1.1 H. Dr. Beck Köpenicker Allee 120 - 130 10318 Berlin Tel.: 0 888 / 333-4711	auf Anfrage
GeoConsult Rein Gartenstraße 76-78 55776 Oppenheim a. Rhein Tel.: 06133 / 824241 Fax: 06133 / 824243 geoconsult@geoanalysis.ru www.geoanalysis.ru	30 €
Helmholtz-Zentrum München Deutsches Forschungszentrum für Gesundheit und Umwelt Auswertungsstelle Prof. Dr. Thomas Haringer Ott-Kühn-Ring 8 81739 München Tel.: 089 / 3187-2784 haringer@helmholtz-muenchen.de	auf Anfrage Modellbereich menge 2 000
Karlsruher Institut für Technologie Sicherheit und Umwelt Prof. Dr. Frank Hees Hermann-von-Helmholtz-Platz 1 76344 Eggenstein-Leopoldshafen Tel.: 0721 / 609-2347 deutscherabw@kit.edu http://www.sum.kit.edu/Radonlabor.php	Einzelmessung: 23,50 € inkl. VVK



RADON-MESSSTELLEN

Anbieter von Radonmessungen



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- The National Office for Environment and Geology for Rheinland-Pfalz provides Radon information:
<https://ifu.rlp.de/bevoelkerung/radon-informationsstelle>
- To get Radon tested in your house outside the Garrison a list of laboratories that provide this service can be downloaded:

<https://safe.menlosecurity.com/doc/docview/viewer/docNAFEBD0E775C808318aeb580f83051e340bcb4b1079dedc84cfc388093e11c6f63e1205fa5c5>