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Fort Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield Sustainability Management System (SMS)

Awareness Guide

**ENVIRONMENTAL
DIVISION DPW**



The mission of Fort Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield (FSGA/HAAF) is to provide a safe, secure, and responsive community that enhances the Installation's power projection platform in support of National security objectives.

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Four things every Soldier, Army Civilian, and support contractor on FSGA/HAAF must know:

1. **FSGA/HAAF** has a Sustainability Management System (SMS) to implement the Sustainability Policy.
2. **The basic contents of the SMS Policy are:**
 - RESOURCES:** Prevent Pollution & Conserve Natural Resources
 - OPTIMIZE:** Optimize the Mission, Well-being & Environment
 - COMPLIANCE:** Comply with Federal, State & Local Laws & Regulations
 - KEEP IMPROVING:** Continually Improve Environmental Stewardship
3. **The Environmental impacts of your job!**
 - a. Be aware of all possible environmental impacts associated with the activities you perform.
 - b. Know and follow proper procedures to manage daily activities capable of impacting the environment.
4. **Your role & responsibility in FSGA/HAAF's SMS.**

Our goal is to sustain the mission while minimizing impacts to the environment and maintaining the best quality of life.



Significant Aspects of the SMS

FSGA/HAAF's SMS has three focus areas, known as Significant Aspects: Water Use, Energy Use, and Land Use (emphasis on Solid Waste Reduction and Threatened & Endangered Species Management).

How Can You Contribute?

Conserve Water and Energy:

- Turn off water while washing dishes/brushing your teeth.
- Don't irrigate during the heat of the day.
- Turn lights/equipment off when not in use.
- Use energy-efficient light bulbs.

Recycle at Work and at Home: Don't let your efforts go to waste. Keep trash and recyclables separate.

Protect Threatened & Endangered Species (TES): Be mindful of TES habitats and related restrictions when working in training areas.

Adhere to Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs): Know and follow all SOPs associated with your job/activity.

Be Informed: To learn more, watch the SMS training video (see links on back). You may also contact your unit Environmental Compliance Officer or the SMS Lead at 912-767-2010.

Remember:

Sustainable management of our resources enables maximum use of land and facilities to train Soldiers, reduces potential environmental impacts, & ensures efficient use of resources!

FSGA/HAAF SUSTAINABILITY POLICY



To ensure the continuing ability to perform our critical mission, Soldiers, Army Civilians, and contract personnel working on FSGA/HAAF must:

- Prevent pollution;
- Conserve natural resources;
- Comply with federal, state and local laws/regulations; and
- Strive to continually improve environmental stewardship.

FSGA/HAAF is committed to simultaneously maximizing the performance of the mission and minimizing our impact on the environment while ensuring the well-being of Soldiers, Family Members, and surrounding communities. To achieve this goal, FSGA/HAAF will continue to maintain an effective, integrated SMS.

ATTENTION: View SMS awareness training video at:

<https://vimeo.com/461049260> or

<https://home.army.mil/stewart/index.php/about/Garrison/DPW/environmental/prevention-and-compliance/sms>