RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD PUBLIC INTEREST FORM

Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) members volunteer to attend all RAB meetings and serve a term that will be determined by the RAB. Technical experts and other support will be made available to the RAB. Priority for RAB membership will be given to local residents that are in some way affected by the cleanup activities at AFP PJKS.

If you are interested in serving as a member of the RAB, please fill out this form, detach and mail. If you care to include any additional information, please do so.

Name:

Address:

Work Number: ( )

Home Number: ( )

Fax Number: ( )

Who Is Eligible to Be a RAB Member?

All interested citizens living or working in the Littleton, Waterton, or Air Force Plant PJKS area are eligible to participate. The first step they should take is to let their interest be known by sending in the attached public interest form or by calling the toll-free number listed in this brochure. RAB members are identified by a selection panel that ensures RAB membership reflects the diverse interests within the local community.

The following is a listing of potential interest groups that may want to be represented on the RAB. This list is intended to be illustrative, not inclusive, as the RAB reflects the unique mix within the Littleton community.

Potential RAB Members

- Local resident/community members
- Air Force Plant PJKS employees
- Technical Assistant grant recipients
- Environmental Coordination Committee members
- Local government
- Business community
- School district and educational groups
- Local environmental groups
- Civic/public interest organizations
- Religious community
- Homeowner associations
- Medical community

How to Become a RAB Member

Community members interested in finding out more about the Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) are encouraged to fill out the attached form and send it to the address provided. Interested parties will be invited to attend a community meeting. The meeting will be conducted by AFP PJKS representatives. At that meeting you will learn more about the RAB and hear an update on the status of installation restoration activities and future plans. RAB membership applications will be available at the meeting. The RAB members will be representatives from the local community.

For More Information

If you have questions about the RAB you would like answered before the meeting, or need more information concerning environmental investigations and cleanup activities, please contact:

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Restoration Advisory Board

What Is a RAB?

A Restoration Advisory Board, or RAB, is an advisory board made up of interested and concerned community members who reflect the diverse interests of the local community as well as representatives of state, local, and federal agencies. The RAB is designed to serve as a focal point for the exchange of information between AFP PJKS (owned by USAF and operated by Lockheed Martin) and the community regarding those restoration activities presently underway as well as those planned for future studies and remediation.

Through the RAB, the community receives increased understanding of the cleanup issues and the progress being made. The RAB allows community representatives early participation in the planning and decision-making process. It also increases the plant's responsiveness to the community's environmental restoration concerns.

The RAB allows for early and continued two-way flow of information, concerns, values, and needs between the local community and those at AFP PJKS who are responsible for the Installation Restoration Program, or IRP.

Installation Restoration Program

The U.S. Department of Defense, or DoD, has initiated an environmental cleanup program at military properties known as the Installation Restoration Program (IRP). The purpose of the IRP is to identify, evaluate, and cleanup past environmental contamination. It establishes a process by which past disposal sites, migration of contaminants, and potential hazards to human health and the environment are reviewed, analyzed, and documented for cleanup.

A fundamental aspect of the IRP is the involvement of the community. The Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) has been established for this reason. The RAB provides a forum in which community members can be involved in the restoration process. Through the RAB, they are given the opportunity to learn more about the restoration process, ask questions about the procedures for cleanup, and advise those responsible for the restoration.

Acronyms

AFP PJKS	Air Force Plant PJKS
DoD	Department of Defense
IRP	Installation Restoration Program
RAB	Restoration Advisory Board

What Do RAB Members Do?

Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) members, serving in an advisory capacity, meet on a regular basis with the AFP PJKS representatives and others involved with the Installation Restoration Program (IRP) to:

- Review, evaluate, and comment on plans relating to the ongoing environmental studies and restoration activities at AFP PJKS
- Identify project requirements
- Recommend priorities among sites or projects

Through the RAB, members can have an effect on cleanup activities that accelerate the restoration process.

RAB members act as liaisons with their individual community groups to keep others informed of the IRP. They may also be available to meet and discuss the IRP activities with various community groups. Technical and administrative support staff are available to RAB members to provide informational explanations and support.

A community member serves as cochairperson for the RAB with a representative from AFP PJKS. All RAB meetings are open to the public. One need not be an official member of the RAB to attend.

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