

## DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE 1ST SPECIAL OPERATIONS WING (AFSOC) HURLBURT FIELD FLORIDA

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## MEMORANDUM FOR HURLBURT FIELD PERSONNEL

FROM: 1 SOW/CC

SUBJECT: Hurlburt Field Environmental Policy Statement

- 1. Hurlburt Field is committed to conducting its mission in a manner that will minimize impacts on the environment. In doing so, we will comply with all environmental laws and regulations applicable to the conduct of our mission and strive for continual improvement in our environmental performance. Our goal is to sustain mission capability by reaching beyond compliance with the law and integrating sound environmental practices throughout all Hurlburt Field operations. We have pursued in the past, and will continue to pursue in the future, a course of responsible environmental stewardship. In order to maintain an effective environmental management system, Hurlburt Field will:
  - a. Ensure AF personnel (military, civilian) and contractors shall know the environmental requirements that apply to their daily duties and receive the commensurate level of environmental education and training for those duties.
  - b. Promote the conservation and sustainable use of natural resources.
  - c. Prevent pollution at its source and recycle when possible.
  - d. Address environmental concerns in all policies, programs and missions. Include regional/local concerns into project planning and operational tempo.
  - e. Periodically review and update the Environmental Management System and its goals to reflect current base operations.
  - f. Achieve maximum compliance and continuous improvement in environmental performance over and above regulatory and legislative requirements.
- 2. This policy applies to the 1st Special Operations Wing, as well as tenant units assigned to Hurlburt Field and contractor personnel. It is the responsibility of the entire workforce to be aware of, and abide by, this policy.
- 3. If there are any questions or comments, please direct them to Mr. John Turner, 1 SOCES/CEIE at 884-2396 or email at john.turner.5@us.af.mil.

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