

## DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE 100TH AIR REFUELING WING (USAFE) ROYAL AIR FORCE MILDENHALL, UNITED KINGDOM

2 November 2023

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

FROM: 100 ARW/CC

SUBJECT: RAF Mildenhall Environmental Commitment Statement

Reference: (a) AFI32-7001 23 August 2019, Environmental Management

- 1. All organizations and personnel living and working on Royal Air Force (RAF) Mildenhall (Team Mildenhall) are committed to conducting the mission in an environmentally responsible manner. This commitment goes beyond compliance with U.S. and UK law and regulation to encompass the integration of sound environmental practices into our daily decisions and activities. Key to this policy is the commitment to continual improvement, pollution prevention, and compliance with all relevant laws and regulations.
- 2. Team Mildenhall will utilize the Environmental Management System (EMS) framework, as prescribed by AFI 32-7001, Environmental Management, to manage the environmental aspects of the mission and reduce negative environmental impacts to the maximum extent practicable.
- 3. Team Mildenhall will continually monitor and assess our environmental performance, and where possible, will establish objectives and targets to improve.
- 4. Team Mildenhall will identify and implement feasible, economically justified options to prevent or minimize pollution and increase resource conservation while conducting the mission.
- 5. The protection of our environment, like the safety of our Airmen, depends on the behavior and decisions that each of us make every day. It is therefore the responsibility of all Airmen working for or on behalf of Team Mildenhall, whether contractor, civilian, or military, commander or newly enlisted, to comply with this policy.
- 6. Please ensure all Team Mildenhall personnel are aware of the installation EMS, legal requirements, and this EMS Policy Statement. Documentation of the installation EMS is maintained on the RAF Mildenhall eDASH SharePoint site at the following location: https://usaf.dps.mil/teams/10626/mildenhall/SitePages/Home.aspx
- 7. If you require further information, please contact the Environmental Element, 100 CES/CEIE, EMS Coordinator at DSN 238-4281 or 238-5831.

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