
PUBLIC NOTICE

Scranton Army Ammunition Plant Seeking Interest in Establishing a Restoration Advisory Board (RAB)

The Department of Defense (DoD) recognizes the importance of stakeholder participation in the decision-making process of the Installation Restoration Program (IRP). In accordance with 10 U.S.C. § 2705 and DoD/Army policy, the U.S. Army Environmental Command (USAEC) and U.S. Army Garrison Scranton Army Ammunition Plant are inviting community involvement with environmental restoration efforts that are part of the IRP. This program is dedicated to the planned and focused cleanup, if necessary, of sites associated with past DoD activity at Scranton Army Ammunition Plant located in Scranton, Pennsylvania.

A RAB is a formal volunteer stakeholder group that regularly meets to discuss environmental restoration at specific DoD-owned properties on Scranton Army Ammunition Plant. The DoD, in coordination with USAEC, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection, installation leadership, and members of the local community can make up the RAB. Participation in a RAB involves a time commitment from volunteers but provides a valuable platform for individuals interested in DoD cleanup efforts to exchange information with state regulators, Army management, installation personnel, and other community members. Additional information regarding the RAB process, membership, and responsibilities can be found at:

<https://www.epa.gov/fedfac/restoration-advisory-board-rab-implementation-guidelines#recruiting>

and

<https://aec.army.mil/index.php?cID=326>

Community members interested in volunteering and serving on a Scranton Army Ammunition Plant RAB, or who would like additional information, are asked to contact:

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Please respond within 30 days of this notice.