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From: Commanding Officer, Naval Air Station Oceana

Subj: NAVAL AIR STATION (NAS) OCEANA ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

1. Environmental stewardship is essential to the safe, healthful and compliant execution of our mission and the protection and preservation of our natural resources. I expect all commands and personnel on board NAS Oceana will be active stewards of the environment in their day-to-day operations and programmatic planning.

2. To that end, NAS Oceana will establish, maintain and communicate an Environmental Management System that will:

a. Comply with applicable laws, regulations and policies.

b. Integrate environmental stewardship into operational decisions.

c. Implement, modify and sustain practices that minimize and prevent creation of waste and pollutants at its source.

d. Develop objectives and targets to minimize environmental risk, and monitor progress towards those goals.

e. Educate our workforce and supported commands on their responsibilities to the environment.

f. Foster communication throughout the installation on our environmental commitments and performance.

g. Sustain our partnerships with public agencies and community organizations to mutually monitor and improve the quality of the environment.

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