

## DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS 375TH AIR MOBILITY WING (AMC)

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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL SCOTT AIR FORCE BASE PERSONNEL

FROM: 375 AMW/CC

SUBJECT: Scott Air Force Base 2019 Environmental Management System (EMS) Environmental Commitment Statement (ECS)

- 1. Scott AFB ECS is a policy which is reviewed and approved by the Installation Environmental, Safety, and Occupational Health Council (ESOHC) Chair in accordance with the requirements of ISO 14001:2004, Environmental Management Systems Requirements with guidance for use and AFI 32-7001, Environmental Management. The Wing Commander serves as the ESOHC Chair in accordance with AFI 90-801, Environmental, Safety, and Occupational Health Councils.
- 2. The ECS is a declaration of Scott AFB's commitment to the environment, serves as the foundation for the EMS and is formalized through the signature of senior leadership. All personnel are expected to be familiar with and understand this policy. The ECS is consulted when setting Scott's environmental objectives and targets and the implementation of the EMS serves to make the commitments in this policy operational. This policy is a vehicle for communicating Scott AFB's aspirations for environmental protection, aligns with Scott's core mission and is appropriate to the nature, scale and environmental impacts of its activities, products and services.
- 3. The ECS contains overarching commitments made by Scott AFB senior leadership that include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - All base personnel being committed to pollution prevention
  - Continuous improvement being the cornerstone of the EMS
  - Full compliance maintained with all national, state and local laws as well as DoD and Air Force directives
  - All base personnel knowing how their job impacts the environment
- 4. The ECS is communicated to all persons working for, or on behalf of, Scott AFB and is made available to the public in accordance with the requirements of AFI 32-7001. This policy is reviewed on an annual basis to ensure that it remains appropriate to the nature, scale and environmental impacts of Scott AFB's activities, products and services and is revised as necessary.
- 5. This letter supersedes all previous letters on the same subject. The point of contact for this is the Environmental Management System (EMS) Coordinator in 375 CES/CEIEC, (618) 256-2226, DSN 576-2226.

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