

**Savannah River Site (SRS)
Environmental Management System Policy
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OBJECTIVE


This document describes the SRS Environmental Management System Policy, which is a system ordered by the President to be implemented throughout all Federal Agencies. The objective of this policy is to ensure that all employees performing work at the Savannah River Site (SRS) do so in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local requirements, Executive Order 13148, the guidance of ISO 14001, and the environmental goals and objectives of the Savannah River Site Strategic Plan.

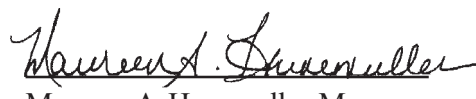
DIRECTIVE

Recognizing that many aspects of operations carried out at the SRS may impact the environment, the SRS policy is that all employees, contractors, subcontractors, and other entities performing work at the SRS shall abide by the directives in this document. Westinghouse Savannah River Company (WSRC), Wackenhut Services Inc.–Savannah River Site (WSI-SRS), Savannah River Ecology Laboratory (SREL), General Services Administration–Savannah River Site (GSA), National Nuclear Security Administration–Savannah River Site (NNSA-SRS), and United States Forest Service–Savannah River (USFS-SR) endorse the principles stated in this policy.


- This document serves as the primary documentation for the environmental goals and objectives of the SRS and shall be available to the public. It shall be centrally maintained and updated as necessary to reflect the changing needs, missions, and goals of the SRS.
- The Environmental Management System pursues and measures continual improvement in performance by establishing and maintaining documented environmental objectives and targets that correspond to SRS's mission, vision, and core values. The environmental objectives and targets shall be established for each relevant function and level within DOE-SR, NNSA-SRS, and all contractors, subcontractors, and other entities performing work at the SRS for all activities having actual or potentially significant environmental impacts.
- DOE-SR, NNSA-SRS, and all contractors, subcontractors, and other entities performing work at SRS shall:
 1. Manage the SRS environment, natural resources, products, waste, and contaminated materials so as to eliminate or mitigate any threat to human health or the environment at the earliest opportunity and implement process improvements as appropriate to ensure continued improvement of performance in environmental management.
 2. Implement a pollution prevention program to reduce waste generation, releases of pollutants, future waste management/pollution control costs; and to minimize environmental impacts as well as promote increased energy efficiency.
 3. Conduct operations in compliance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, statutes, executive orders, directives and standards/requirements identification documents.
 4. Work cooperatively and openly with appropriate local, state, federal agencies, public stakeholders, and site employees to prevent pollution, achieve environmental compliance, conduct cleanup/restoration activities, enhance environmental quality, and ensure the protection of workers and the public.
 5. Design, develop, construct, operate, maintain, decommission and deactivate facilities and operations in a manner that shall be resource efficient and will protect and improve the quality of the environment for future generations and continue to maintain the SRS as a unique national environmental asset.
 6. Recognize that the responsibility for quality communications rests with each individual employee and that it shall be the responsibility of all employees to identify and communicate ideas for improving environmental protection activities and programs at the site.

Adherence to and programmatic implementation of this policy shall be the responsibility of DOE-SR, NNSA-SRS-DP, and NNSA-SRS-DNN Managers in coordination with the contractors, subcontractors, and other entities performing work on the SRS.

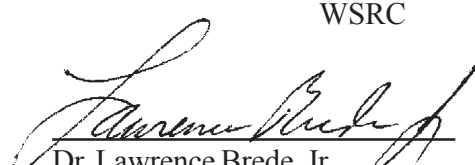

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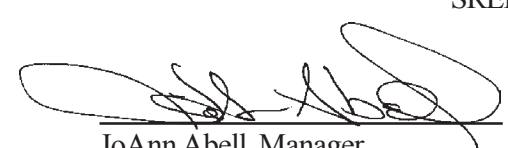

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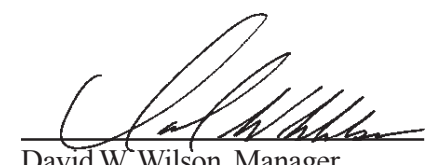

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