

Would you like to learn more about environmental cleanup projects at Luke Air Force Base?

Contact Dr. Kimberly Horsley at 623-856-9645, or kimberly.horsley@us.af.mil, to get more information on participating in the startup of a Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) for Luke Air Force Base

- What is a RAB?
 - RABs are community groups which meet to discuss and receive information on environmental restoration (cleanup) projects at military bases.

- What does a RAB do?
 - RABs facilitate and improve communication, outreach, and transparency between the military base, the public, regulators, local governments, and interest groups for issues related to military cleanup activities. RABs offer a structured, focused, and interactive opportunity for community stakeholders to meaningfully participate in the cleanup process. A RAB enables local community members to receive from and exchange information with the base and regulatory agencies managing environmental cleanup projects at Luke AFB.
 - RABs engage in and support DoD's cleanup efforts by reviewing and commenting on cleanup documents and activities; serving as a liaison to and sharing cleanup information with the community; and providing a forum to exchange information about the schedule, type, and status of cleanup activities. RAB meetings allow RAB members and members of the community to receive updates and ask questions on the status of the environmental cleanup program at Luke AFB.
 - Though RABs are not a decision-making body, they do give local community members the opportunity to have their voices heard and provide a forum to provide valuable community insight to base and regulatory agencies.

- Are you interested in participating in Luke AFB's RAB?
 - Luke AFB is currently assessing whether there is enough community interest to re-establish a RAB.
 - If you are interested in learning more about Luke AFB's environmental restoration projects and having the opportunity to give your input to base and regulatory agencies on the management of cleanup projects at Luke AFB, either as a RAB member or by attending RAB meetings, please contact Dr. Kimberly Horsley at: (623) 856-9645; or at: kimberly.horsley@us.af.mil by 30 April 2023 to indicate interest.