




## Environmental Policy


It is the policy of the Southern Ohio Cleanup Company LLC (SOCCo) to conduct the Portsmouth Decontamination and Decommissioning (D&D) and Environmental Remediation Project in a safe, compliant, and cost-effective manner that protects human health and the environment. We achieve this by integrating environmental requirements and pollution prevention into our work planning and execution and taking actions to minimize the environmental impacts of our operations. We establish and communicate environmental responsibilities, provide environmental training to our workforce, and implement controls to mitigate environmental hazards.

Through employee involvement and management commitment to environmental excellence, we will:

- Execute and complete D&D and environmental remediation work activities in a manner that complies with decision documents and is protective of the environment.
- Comply with applicable environmental laws and regulations.
- Use all means practicable to minimize or eliminate any newly generated wastes. Whenever possible, newly generated wastes shall have a clear disposition path before they are generated.
- Protect the natural, biological, and cultural resources associated with SOCCo activities.
- Conserve natural resources by reusing and recycling materials, purchasing recycled materials, using recyclable materials, and incorporating energy and water efficiency principles into site operations and remediation work.
- Establish documented environmental objectives and update them as necessary to reflect SOCCo's changing needs, mission, and goals.
- Consider internal and external stakeholder input when weighing alternative courses of action.
- Measure our environmental performance, monitor our impact on the environment, and communicate the results to our employees, subcontractors, and internal and external stakeholders.
- Improve our Environmental Management System through self-assessments and corrective action.
- Continue to reduce the site footprint and accelerate site reutilization by maximizing the transfer of property to the local community reuse organization.
- Communicate this policy to all employees and subcontractors and make it available to the public and our internal and external stakeholders.

This policy applies to all persons working on behalf of SOCCo. Every employee and subcontractor is expected to follow this policy and to report environmental concerns to management. Managers shall promote environmental stewardship, take prompt action to address concerns and issues, and have zero tolerance for noncompliance.

  
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