



Gabreski Air National Guard Base Restoration Advisory Board Public Interest and Application Form

The Gabreski Air National Guard Base Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) serves as a forum for the Air National Guard, other government agencies, and the community to discuss the Environmental Restoration Program at the base. The Environmental Restoration Program focuses on investigating and addressing environmental impacts that occurred due to past mission-related activities. In addition to ongoing environmental restoration activities, the Air National Guard is initiating an investigation and cleanup process to address the use of fire-fighting foam containing per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) at the base.

RAB members volunteer to attend RAB meetings 2-4 times per year and serve as community liaisons to share information learned at meetings with others in the community and to bring community interests to the meetings.

If you are interested in serving as a member of the RAB, please complete and return this form.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

1. What municipality do you live in and how long have you lived there?

2. What is your connection to the local community (Westhampton Beach, Quogue, Southampton, Riverhead, Southold, etc.), i.e. work, resident, school, and for how long?

3. What community groups and networks are you affiliated with that would be beneficial to your role as a community liaison if selected for the RAB?

Groups:

Please describe your plan to act as a liaison with these community groups or networks.



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4. As a RAB member, you will be working with people representing multiple communities and interests. What experience and strengths do you bring to this kind of working environment?

5. Are there any other strengths you feel are important for the selection committee to know about you? i.e. legal expertise, technical/environmental expertise, social outreach in the community, etc.?

6. The RAB will have 1-2 training meetings to get started and then will hold public RAB meetings 2-4 times per year. Members are expected to attend and participate in these public meetings, which will be held in English. Translation needs will be evaluated. Community RAB members may also engage in periodic internal planning meetings ahead of public meetings. Are you able to commit your time and talents to meet these requirements?

7. RAB members may not work for a contractor or business that could benefit financially from cleanup decisions at Gabreski Air National Guard Base; nor may they be involved in litigation against any Department of Defense entity. Please confirm that you are eligible to serve on the RAB.
 - I confirm that I do NOT work for a contractor or business that could benefit financially from cleanup decisions at Gabreski Air National Guard Base AND that I am not involved in litigation against any Department of Defense entity.

Please return completed form to amy.brand@jacobs.com