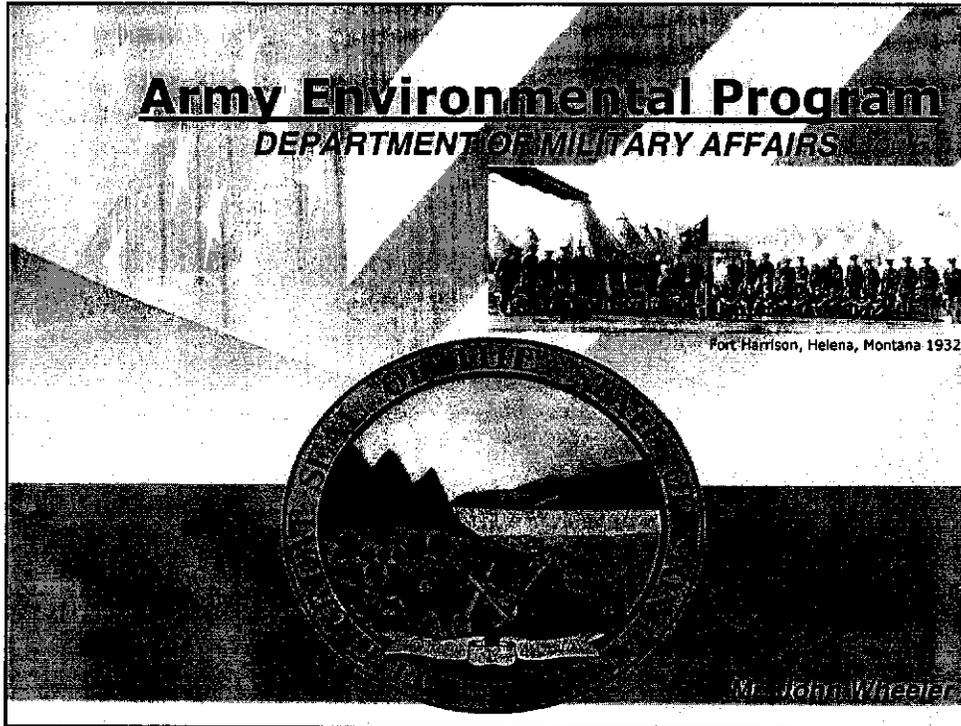


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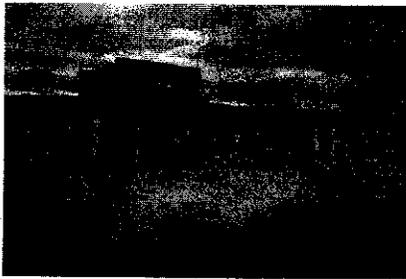
- Mission -

- To ensure all Montana Army National Guard training activities and facilities comply with all local, state, and federal environmental regulations.
- To ensure military training and construction occurs without significant impacts to the natural resources of Montana.

Army Environmental Program

-How to Achieve This Mission-

- Provide written guidance
- Identify sites needing corrective action
- Actively assess environmental impacts of proposed projects
- Provide training for soldiers and state employees
- Serve as liaison with regulatory personnel during inspections
- Obtain federal funding from National Guard Bureau
 - 98% of the Environmental Program is federally funded



Army Environmental Program

- Subject Areas and Staffing -

- **The Environmental Program must handle a wide range of issues:**
- Hazardous waste and materials
- Storm water pollution prevention
- Spill prevention control and countermeasures planning
- National Environmental Policy Act requirements (NEPA)
- Unexploded ordnance inventory and removal program
- Natural and cultural resource management program
- Underground storage tank management
- Pollution prevention program
- Pest management program (noxious weeds)
- Geographic Information System (GIS)
- There are six employees in the Environmental Program
- Much of our effort is focused at the major military training areas located at Fort Harrison and the Limestone Hills Training Area west of Townsend



Army Environmental Program

- New Proposals – 2007 Biennium -

DP 13 – Environmental Program Operations

Request additional federal authority (\$302,000 each year) for the following:

- Accommodate increased federal funding for the Environmental Program Operations and will be used to support the ongoing environmental compliance program.



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