

Community Interest Group Meeting
Ricochet Area Munitions Response Site in State Game Lands 211, Pennsylvania
June 21, 2012 • East Hanover Township Building, Grantville, PA • 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Agenda

1	Welcome Introduction of project team Overview of agenda Approval of the October 27, 2011, open house minutes	Jo Anderson PA Army National Guard	5-10 min.
2	Overview of proposed plan process, public comment period, and record of decision Questions and answers	Rob Halla Army National Guard Directorate	10-20 min.
3	Proposed plan presentation Questions and answers	John Gerhard and Ryan Steigerwalt Weston Solutions, Inc.	20-30 min.
4	Guidelines for submitting comments	Rob Halla Army National Guard Directorate	5-10 min.
5	Comments from the public (Comments will be included in the responsiveness summary that is a section of the record of decision)	Jo Anderson PA Army National Guard	40-50 min.
6	Announcements	Jo Anderson	5 min.
7	Adjournment	Jo Anderson	5 min.

Project Website: <http://www.dmva.state.pa.us> Click on “Featured Topics” and then click on “Ricochet Area Munitions Response Site”

Administrative Record File and Information Repository: Annville Free Library, 216 East Main Street, Annville, PA
An Administrative Record File is the body of technical documents that “form the basis” for the selection of a particular response at a site. An information repository is a reference collection of site information containing the Administrative Record File, other site-specific information, the Community Relations Plan, information about Restoration Advisory Boards and general information.

If you have questions regarding the project, contact Jo Anderson at (717) 861-8181

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**Ricochet Area Munitions Response Site in State Game Lands 211, Pennsylvania
Proposed Plan Public Comments Guidelines**

Presenting oral comments at public meeting (Agenda item #5: Comments from the public)

1. Raise your hand and wait to be recognized by the moderator.
2. When recognized by the moderator, stand and state your name for the record. (If your name is easily misspelled, please spell your name for benefit of the court reporter.)
3. Focus your comments on the site's proposed plan and remedial alternatives.
4. Keep your comments brief. Avoid repetition, note any agreement with comments expressed by others and move on. Repetitive comments may show the extent of public interest, but additional relevant comments and information are more effective.
5. Each commenter is prohibited from questioning each other and the project team. Public comment is received without comment or response from another meeting attendee or the project team. However, project team members may seek clarification or additional information from the commenter.
6. If you choose to read your comments please provide an extra copy for the court reporter.

Presenting written comments

1. Written comments must be postmarked or e-mailed by midnight on July 6, 2012. Written comments are to be mailed or e-mailed to:

Ms. Joan Anderson
PAARNG – PA Department of Military & Veterans Affairs
Bureau of Environmental Management
Building 0-11, Fort Indiantown Gap
Annville, PA 17003

E-mail: joanderso@pa.gov

2. Restrict your comments to the site's proposed plan and the five remedial alternatives.
3. Keep your comments brief and focused.

The next step – responsiveness summary

The Army National Guard will respond in writing to comments in a responsiveness summary that will be part of the final decision document called the record of decision. The Army National Guard in consultation with the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection and Pennsylvania Game Commission will evaluate public comments to the preferred cleanup alternative during the comment period and the public meeting before deciding on the final remedy. Based on new information or public comments, the Army National Guard may modify its proposed alternative or select another cleanup alternative outlined in the proposed plan. Once finalized, the Army National Guard will announce the selected cleanup plan in a local newspaper advertisement and place a copy of the record of decision in the administrative record file at the Annville Free Library.