

Community Meeting 17 July 2019 Christiansburg Library 6:30 – 8:00 PM

LTC Anthony J. Kazor Commander, U.S. Army



Agenda

6:30 – 6:45: Welcome and Introductions

• 6:40 – 7:00: Commanders Challenge Update

7:00 – 7:20: Project Updates

• 7:20 – 8:00: Wrap Up, Questions, Action Items





Facebook Live



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Introductions

U.S. Army

LTC Anthony Kazor

Commander, Radford Army Ammunition Plant

Rob Davie

Deputy to the Commander

Len Diloia Jr.

Air Compliance Manager

Jeff Howell

Chief of Operations

BAE Systems

Cara Bandera

Safety, Health, and Environment (SHE) Manager, Radford

Christopher Finley

Communications Manager, Radford





Introductions

Team Radford welcomes
Radford Army Ammunition
Plant's new Commander

Lieutenant Colonel Anthony J. Kazor

LTC Kazor assumed command June 6, 2019.

Welcome LTC Kazor and family!







Radford Fire – Mixing Facility

Incident Update:

- On June 6, a fire occurred in a production building.
- One employee was transported to a local hospital and released later that day. The injured employee has since returned to work.
- Mixing operations remain down while the cause is understood and appropriate corrective actions have been taken.
- The investigation is ongoing.



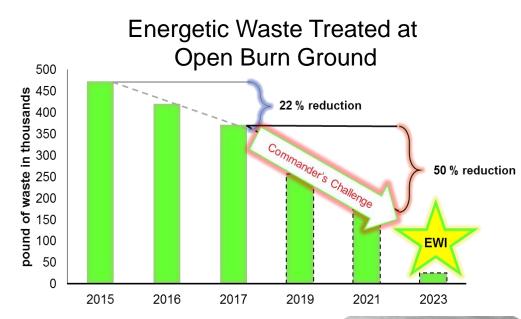


Commander's Environmental Stewardship Challenge

I challenge Team Radford to help us take care of our home, the New River Valley. To continue to preserve the environment and strengthen and maintain transparency with the communities in which we live and work. To continue to <u>think</u>, <u>innovate</u>, and <u>action</u> beyond compliance.

With specific challenge to:

- Immediately reduce lead from the open burn ground
- □ Reducing waste treated at open burn ground by 50%; New EWI treat 95% of current waste
- □ Reduce waste, water, and power consumption as low as reasonably achievable



EWI: Energetic Waste Incinerator





Commander's Environmental Stewardship Challenge

- Reduce lead from open burning ground
 - 100% elimination of MK90 grains treated at OBG since May 2018
- 50% Reduction of waste treated at open burning ground by 2021
 - Reduced by 47% in 2018
 - 60% reduction in VOC emissions
- with the install of new stills; Commissioned in 2017 (~1500 ton reduction).
 - Increased efficiency also means more solvent reused and less new solvent purchased

Reduce waste, water and power

- Switched from 1940's coal-fired plant to new natural gas energy center
- Procedures to limit use of water for freeze protection
- Project to replace and repair water infrastructure including mains and valves
- Continuing efforts to reduce waste
 - modernizing
 - improved process procedures
- = Success achieved
- = Progressing towards goal
- = Developing viable way ahead







Emission Reductions

√98%

reduction
in total
pollutants

✓ Elimination of SO2 emissions

AIR EMISSION REDUCTIONS FROM REPLACEMENT OF **COAL FIRED BOILERS** 3500.0 **EMISSIONS IN TONS** 3000.0 2500.0 2000.0 1500.0 1000.0 500.0 0.0 SO₂ VOC **PM10** PM2.5 **NOx** CO Non-VOC **HAPs POLLUTANT 2016 2017 2018**

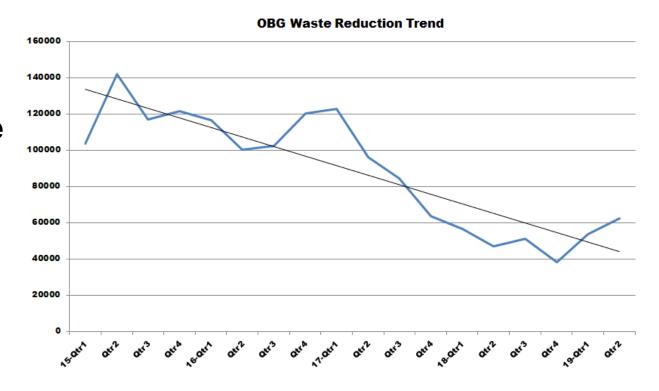


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OBG Waste Reductions

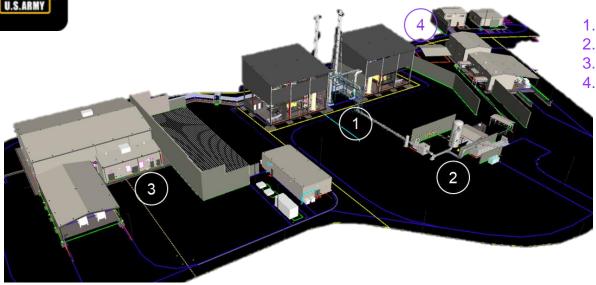
✓ Downward trend for OBG Waste Treatment







Energetic Waste Incinerator



- 1. Rotary kiln incinerators
- 2. Contained burn and decontamination chamber
- 3. Grinder building
- 4. Control room and maintenance building

2023

2022



Normal Operation

2020



Construction

- · Site preparation
- Foundations
- Equipment procurement, delivery, and installation

Testing

- Functional testing of all equipment
- System testing with surrogate materials
- · System testing with waste
- · Preliminary emissions test
- Vendor certification
- · Regulatory performance test

Modification
• Construction
Permit (Air)

Permitting
• RCRA Class 3

2018





Next Community Engagement

 Commander's Community Meeting 11 December 2019 6:30 p.m.
 Christiansburg Library





Information is Available

Our commitment to responding to your questions doesn't end tonight. Resources exist for you to research information on your own or ask questions of our personnel.

Resources

Facebook: Like us at Radford Army Ammunition Plant

Homepage: www.jmc.army.mil/Radford/RadfordDefault.aspx

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