



THE MEMPHIS DEPOT TENNESSEE

ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD COVER SHEET

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You Can Make A Difference Become A Citizen Reviewer For The Memphis Depot

The Defense Distribution Depot Memphis, Tennessee (DDMT) will be examining how contamination will be cleaned up at the installation over the next several years. While no immediate threats to public health from hazardous waste exist, long-term protection will require actions to be taken. The Depot is looking for individuals interested in serving on a Citizen Reviewers Group during the cleanup planning process.

Members of the Citizen Reviewers Group will attend regularly scheduled meetings (probably quarterly) for the next two years. At these meetings, citizen reviewers will be given site progress reports and will be asked for comments on cleanup plans as they are developed. This continuing involvement will help citizen reviewers develop specialized knowledge of the cleanup challenges at the Depot and provide the Depot with an informed, ongoing source of community input.

The Depot is seeking nominations from the community for individuals to serve on the Citizen Reviewers Group. There are no specific educational or scientific background requirements. The primary qualification is a desire to study the issues and to make a lasting contribution. The Citizen Reviewers Group will need to represent as many elements of the local and surrounding community as possible. As a result, the Depot seeks a group of citizen reviewers who represent a diverse set of interests and viewpoints in the community.

To nominate yourself or someone else to serve as a citizen reviewer, please call (901) 775-4569, or submit your name, address and phone number by mail to:

Denise Cooper, ODMT-DE, 2163 Airways Blvd.,
Memphis, Tennessee 38114-5210, by April
11th, and a nomination package will be sent
to you. If you are interested in finding out more
about the Depot's cleanup program, there are
two information repositories you may visit in
Memphis located at:

Memphis/Shelby County Public Library, Main Branch, Government and Law Section, 1850 Peabody (901) 725-8877	Cherokee Branch Public Library 3300 Sharpe Ave. (901) 743-3655
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If you have questions about participating in the
Citizen Reviewers Group, please call Denise
Cooper at (901) 775-4379.

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