



How did the Corps Get Involved in HTRW?

On 3 February 1982, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Headquarters United States Army Corps of Engineers (HQUSACE) entered into an Interagency Agreement (IAG). The IAG tasked the Corps to assist EPA in the execution and enforcement of the Superfund program. Upon expiration of the first IAG, a second IAG was signed on 3 December 1984 which extended the EPA/USACE partnership indefinitely.

USACE provides design, construction and technical assistance to EPA as well as numerous other customers. Over the past 12 years, our list of customers has grown to include all Department of Defense (DOD) components, the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), the Department of Commerce (DOC), the Department of Energy (DOE), the Veterans Administration (VA), the General Services Administration (GSA), etc.

Today, the Corps is a full-service organization capable of providing one-stop service to customers for HTRW management and remediation activities.