



SC DEPARTMENT of  
**ENVIRONMENTAL  
SERVICES**

# PUBLIC NOTICE

**Notice #16344-02**  
**05/09/2025**

This notice is to inform the public that the S.C. Department of Environmental Services (SCDES) is taking public comments on a Corrective Action Plan (CAP). This CAP addresses the cleanup of soil and groundwater contamination at the facility listed below. The contamination was caused by petroleum products released from the underground storage tank system at this facility.

**FACILITY:** AOC T (TU544), Building 129, Joint Base Charleston-Air, SC

**APPLICANT:** US AIR FORCE CHARLESTON AFB

**SUMMARY OF CAP:** Petroleum and petroleum byproducts naturally break down over time through chemical, physical, and biological processes. These processes are called natural attenuation. Periodic monitoring will be conducted to ensure that contamination is decreasing and remains below levels of concern.

Bioremediation: Microorganisms that live underground breakdown the petroleum contamination. Air and nutrients will be injected underground to assist the microbes in removing the petroleum contaminants.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD DEADLINE:** The **deadline** for submitting written comments is **5 PM May 30, 2025**. Any interested person(s) may submit written comments concerning the cleanup to the Project Manager listed below. Please bring this notice to the attention of persons whom you know will be interested in this matter. Where there is a significant degree of public interest, SCDES will hold a public hearing.

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**CONTACT INFORMATION:** For additional information, please call the Project Manager listed above. To view a copy of the CAP, contact the Freedom of Information Office at 803-898-3880 or view it online at: <https://des.sc.gov/community/community-engagement/environmental-public-notice>

Section 280.67 of the S.C. Underground Storage Tank Control Regulations (R.61-92) requires that any CAP prepared to meet the requirements of Section 280.66 be placed on notice for public comment.