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A Partnership for Safe Chemical Weapons Destruction

# Partners in the Pueblo Chemical Weapons Destruction Program

The mission of the Pueblo Chemical Agent-Destruction Pilot Plant (PCAPP) – to safely destroy the chemical munitions stored at the U.S. Army Pueblo Chemical Depot (PCD) in accordance with applicable federal, state and local environmental requirements – is one calling for participation from both the public and private sector and all levels of government. Following is a summary of key program partners and their roles in reaching this shared goal.

## Pueblo Chemical Agent-Destruction Pilot Plant

PCAPP will be a state-of-the-art, full-scale pilot facility designed to safely and efficiently neutralize the Pueblo chemical weapons stockpile.

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## U.S. Army Pueblo Chemical Depot

The depot is located east of Pueblo, Colo. It is a 23,000-acre Army installation that is responsible for the safe and secure storage of a portion of the chemical weapons stockpile of mustard agent. PCD has been in operation since 1942 and has stored chemical agents since the early 1950s.

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## Bechtel Pueblo Team

The Bechtel Pueblo Team is the systems contractor selected by the U.S. Army Element, Assembled Chemical Weapons Alternatives (ACWA) to design, build, test, operate and close PCAPP.

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## Pueblo Chemical Stockpile Outreach Office

The Pueblo Chemical Stockpile Outreach Office, operated under contract by IEM, Inc., informs stakeholders about the chemical weapons destruction project. The office works closely with elected officials, community groups, individual citizens, ACWA, PCD, emergency preparedness agencies and others to ensure a comprehensive public outreach and involvement program.

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## U.S. Army Element, Assembled Chemical Weapons Alternatives

The ACWA program was established to demonstrate alternatives to the baseline incineration technology for the destruction of assembled chemical weapons. ACWA is responsible for the destruction of the chemical weapons stockpiles stored at PCD and the Blue Grass Army Depot near Richmond, Ky. ACWA is headquartered at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

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## **Partners in the Pueblo Chemical Weapons Destruction Program (continued)**

### **Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program**

This program involves PCD, the Pueblo County Department of Emergency Management, the Colorado Division of Emergency Management (CDEM) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The Colorado Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program, known as CSEPP, enhances the emergency preparedness of the county, depot and state through equipment, personnel, training and public awareness.

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### **Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment**

The mission of the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment is to protect public health and the environment. The department is responsible for enforcing the Hazardous Waste Regulations in the state of Colorado and will consider the Army's permit applications for PCAPP. Representatives of the Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division actively participate in meetings regarding chemical weapons destruction in Colorado.

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### **Colorado Chemical Demilitarization Citizens' Advisory Commission**

In accordance with Public Law 102-484, the Colorado Citizens' Advisory Commission, or CAC, serves as a bridge between the community and the government by providing a forum for exchanging information about chemical weapons disposal. The governor of Colorado appoints members of the CAC, including private citizens, who represent the local community. The CAC conducts public meetings to facilitate consistent public participation in the chemical weapons destruction program.

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### **Colorado CAC Permitting Working Group**

The Colorado CAC Permitting Working Group's mission is to expedite the planning, development and implementation of all aspects of the environmental permitting process for PCAPP.

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