

## Navy seeks members for cleanup panel

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Uncle Sam wants you.

The Navy is seeking citizens in local communities, especially Millington, to become members of its new Restoration Advisory Board. The purpose of the panel is to advise Memphis Naval Air Station at Millington on cleaning up any contaminated sites

before property is turned over to the community, or federal or state agencies.

"It is very important that the (board) consist of a representative cross-section of the Millington community," states a Navy brochure about the panel.

The Restoration Advisory Board also provides an exchange of information between the base and community. Anyone interested in joining

the board may fill out a "notice of interest" form, which can be obtained from the base public affairs office (873-5761). The forms should be returned no later than March 21.

The board will meet each fourth Tuesday. The first meeting was at Millington City Hall.

The board is co-chaired by Capt. T. LaMar Willis, base commanding officer, and Mayor George R. Harvell Jr. Other members so far include David

Porter and Mark Taylor, both of the Naval Facilities Engineering Command; David Williams of the Environmental Protection Agency; Clint Willer of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation; Cmdr. Russ Noble, base transition officer; Millington Alderman Russell Neighbors; Tom Seale, chairman of the Millington Industrial Development Board, and Frieda Ellerbrook, city employee and civic volunteer.

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