

Feasibility Study for the Ricochet Area Munitions Response Site in State Game Lands 211, Pennsylvania Military Munitions Response Program

Alternative 1 – No Action

- Continuation of current site uses. No changes for recreational users and Pennsylvania Game Commission personnel and contractors.
- Army's Explosive and Ordnance Disposal Units responds to future munitions discoveries on a case-by-case basis.
- No actions taken to locate, remove, or dispose of munitions items.
- No implementation of programs to inform public of potential for explosive hazards.



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Evaluation Criteria	Rating	
Overall protectiveness of human health and the environment	●	Not protective of human health because “no action” allows exposure to munitions.
Compliance with applicable or relevant and appropriate requirements	●	No regulations or criteria are associated.
Long-term effectiveness and permanence	●	Not effective or permanent.
Reduction of toxicity, mobility, or volume of contaminants through treatment	●	Does not reduce the toxicity, mobility, or volume of munitions.
Short-term effectiveness	●	Does not present significant additional risk to the community or to workers at the site. Does not cause damage to the environment because no clearing, grubbing, or excavation would be required.
Implementability	●	Easily implemented.
Cost	\$0	
Regulatory agency acceptance	Cannot be fully evaluated and assessed until comments on the feasibility study are received.	
Community acceptance	Cannot be fully evaluated and assessed until comments on the proposed plan are received.	

Favorable ●

Moderately Favorable ◐

Not Favorable ●

