



# New Mexico Environment Department

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# Kirtland Air Force Base Bulk Fuel Spill NMED Update





# Hazardous Waste Bureau

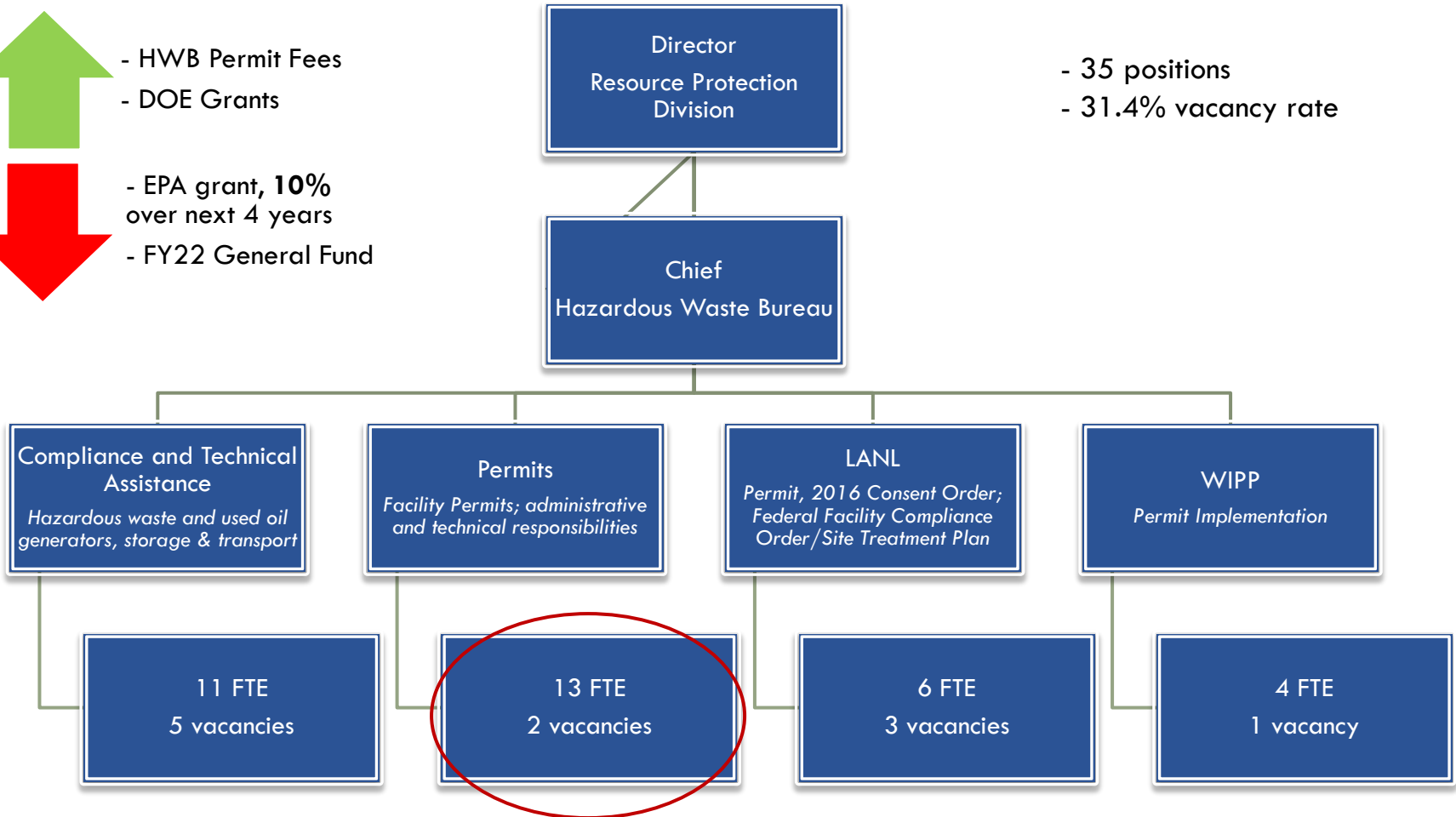
## Funding



- HWB Permit Fees
- DOE Grants
- EPA grant, **10%** over next 4 years
- FY22 General Fund

## Staff Resources

- 35 positions
- 31.4% vacancy rate





# Regulatory Authority

## □ Regulations

- ▣ Federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)
- ▣ New Mexico Hazardous Waste Act (HWA)
- ▣ New Mexico Hazardous Waste Permit and Corrective Action Fee Regulations [20.4.2 NMAC]

## □ KAFB Permit (EPA ID# NMD9570024423; NM ID# 2400)

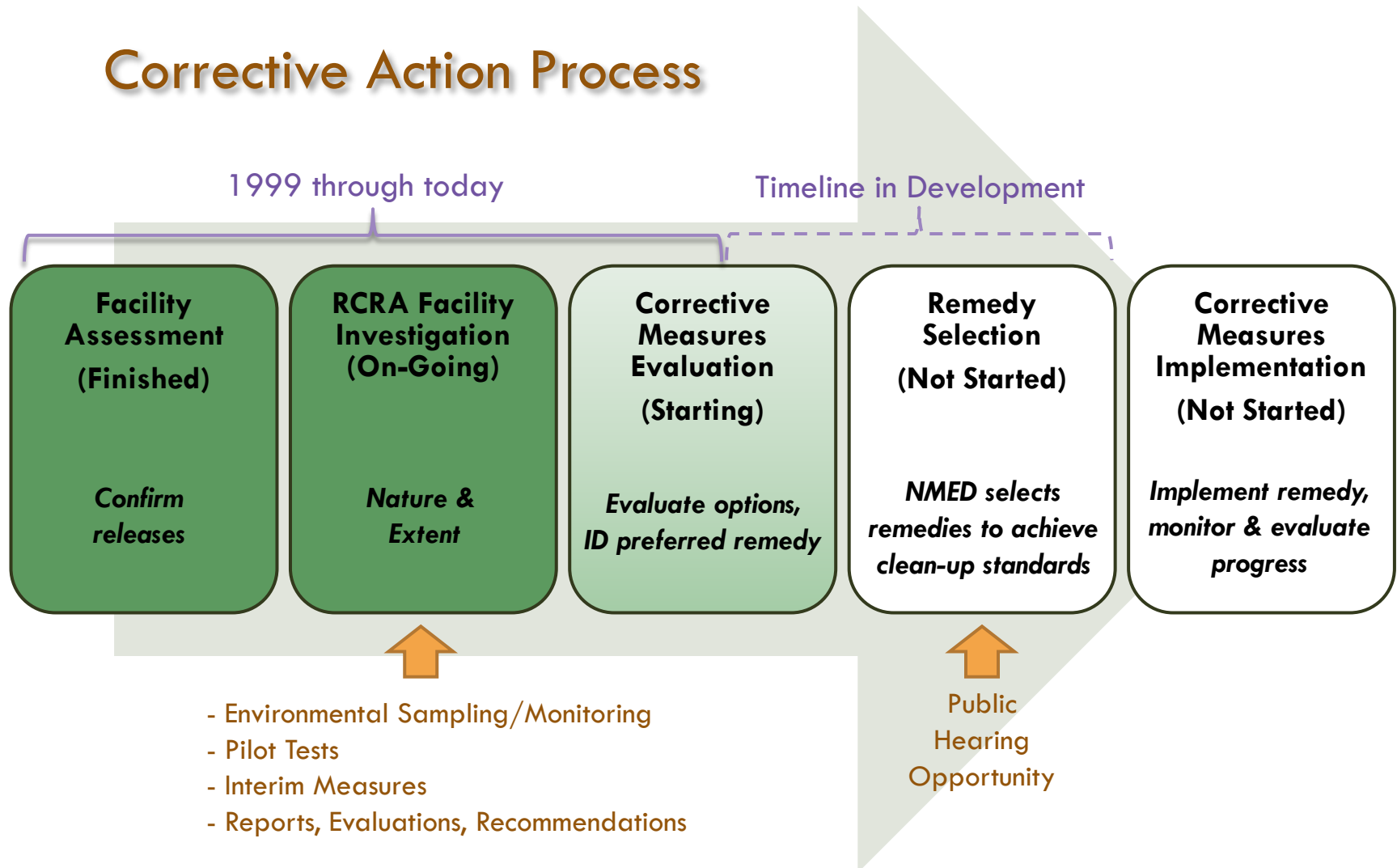
- ▣ Governs the Corrective Action Process
- ▣ Contains requirements for Corrective Action Process
- ▣ <https://www.env.nm.gov/hazardous-waste/kafb/>





# Regulatory Authority

## Corrective Action Process





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Regulator



Permittee



Stakeholder



Public

Planning/  
Coordination Meetings

Technical  
Meetings

Technical Working  
Groups Meetings

Public Meetings  
& Open Houses





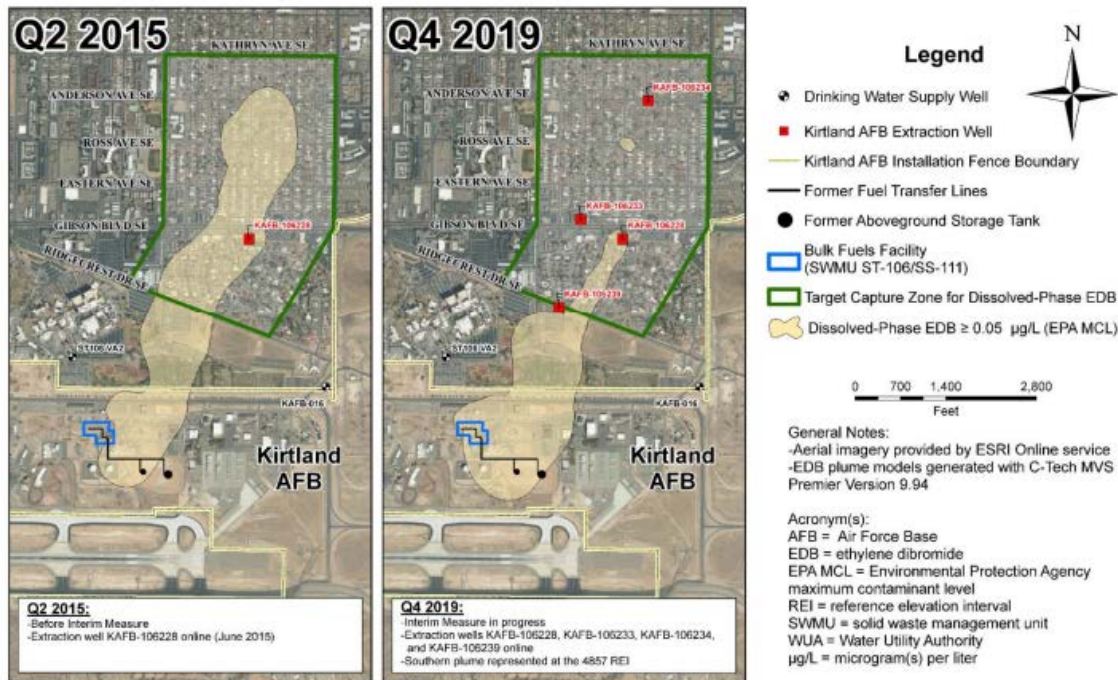
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## Pump and Treat Interim Measure Update



### EDB PLUME - 2015 vs 2019



**\*Plume maps are based on actual field measurements and not computer simulations**

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# Next Steps

## Compliance

### Planning:

NMED & KAFB developing master schedule to include:

- Key Milestones and due dates
- Scoping meetings to establish expectations
- Opportunities for engaging stakeholders (technical meetings, working groups)
- Points at which schedule must be re-evaluated based on new data
- Share and discuss master schedule with stakeholders and public

### Implementation Efficiencies:

- Improved communication
- Clear expectations