



COMMANDING GENERAL'S VOLUNTARY PROTECTION PROGRAM POLICY STATEMENT



The Voluntary Protection Program (VPP) is a partnership between Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton (MCB CamPen) and the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA). With VPP, leadership, management, Service Members, and Civilian Marines at all levels work together to ensure personnel are protected, and safety and health risks are reduced to the lowest possible levels.

MCB CamPen, in accordance with both the Commandant of the Marine Corps' Safety Policy Letter 2018 and Marine Corps Installations Command Policy Letter 8-13, has selected VPP as the Safety Management System to drive our safety culture in achieving occupational safety and health excellence. As Commanding General, I am committed to the VPP process.

Our efforts will focus on process improvements in our Safety and Health Program that go beyond compliance and exceed the standard.

It will take the effort and participation of Service Members and Civilian Marines at all levels to successfully achieve VPP status. We will need to step up and participate in safety committees and inspections, attend safety training, and provide leadership and management support for our safety policies and programs. I encourage your support of all activities that encompass our Safety Program.

I am committed to providing safe and healthy working conditions for all Marines, Sailors, Civilian Marines, contractors, family members, and visitors aboard MCB CamPen, in order to protect our number one asset: our people. I encourage each and every one of our teams to participate in the VPP. This program relies on everyone's participation to make it effective and successful.

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