



**Public Notice**  
**Innovative Readiness Training Program (IRT)**  
**Public Service Announcement**

The Puerto Rico Ports Authority invites private individuals, universities, and non-governmental organizations to participate in the Innovative Readiness Training Program (IRT) at no cost, as authorized by Section 2012 of Title 10, United States Code. We are seeking assistance for the following community project:

**Project Title:** Antonio (Nery) Juarbe (ABO)

**Project Description:**

This project involves the removal, clearing, and re-establishment of existing vegetation along the airport perimeter. The goal is to enhance flight operations, security, and address vulnerabilities in the area. Following recommendations from the Transportation Security Administration (TSA), this initiative aims to strengthen perimeter security and ensure operational areas at the airport are safe and functional for both tourists and residents. Additionally, repairs to the airport perimeter fences will be conducted to secure restricted areas.

**Project Location:**

Antonio (Nery) Juarbe Pol Airport  
Carr #2 km 69.5, Santana, Arecibo, PR 00612

**Project Timeframe:**

The proposed improvements to the perimeter and operational areas are scheduled for the summer of 2026.

We welcome input from private individuals, universities, and non-governmental organizations. If you have questions or wish to express opposition to military assistance for this project, please contact Mr. Edgar M. Torrellas, Airport Operations Director, at 787-729-8715, extension 3331, or via email at [etorrellas@prpa.pr.gov](mailto:etorrellas@prpa.pr.gov).

Your feedback must be received within 15 days of this notice. Individuals who do not respond within the specified timeframe will be considered to have waived their objections to military assistance for this project.

Thank you for your attention and participation.

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