



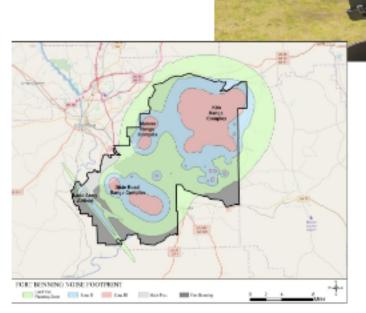
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DOD Operational Noise Program

- Addresses effects of military activity noise through proactive communication and collaborative land use planning
- Noise and Compatible Use Zones Studies
 - Support communities, compatible land use planning, and DoD basing efforts by conducting detailed analysis of military activities, operations, and the sounds they produce.
 - Provide information, recommendations, and assistance for installations and communities to develop and implement compatible land use controls.







DOD Efforts to Mitigate Noise

The DOD and our neighboring communities can work together to address mutual noise challenges. DOD wants to be a good neighbor and partner. Some of the DOD Noise Program's efforts include:



Providing noise updates on social media platforms and the news.



Creating real estate disclosures for states or local municipalities.



Making available model for government officials.



Mitigating noise at the sound source.





Our Challenges

We train as we fight.





- Where we train
 - Our forces require different lands, waterways, and air space to prepare our men and women for the ever-evolving mission.
- When we train
 - It is DOD Operational Noise Program policy to minimize effects on the environment from military noise consistent with maintaining military readiness.
- Urban sprawl around installations, airfields, and ranges.
 - There is fewer unpopulated areas for us to effectively modify our operations and mission.



Promoting Compatible Land Use

Community Expectations

Educate communities and officials about the importance of considering safety and noise concerns when making development decisions.

Affordable Housing

Balance affordable housing shortfalls with military mission compatibility. Encourage local officials to resist yielding to pressures to lift compatible land use zoning near military airfields and installations.

Environmental Justice

Consider if low-income development in high noise areas may become an environmental justice issue. Executive Order 12898 "Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations

Public Safety

Resist developing residential units on incompatible land around airfields, which could place people in unsafe living conditions.

Mutual Collaboration

It is important to collaborate and work together with local installations when discussing development around their airfields and to consider if the language in bills that promote affordable housing supports retaining land use that is compatible with the military mission.





OLDCC Community Noise Mitigation Program



Competitive, \$75 million upcoming program to reduce the impact of fixed wing military aviation noise on "covered" facilities near certain military installations

Eligible "Covered Facilities"

 Includes hospitals, daycare facilities, schools, facilities serving senior citizens, and certain private residences that 207 locations with military fixed-wing aircraft with potential eligibility

10% non-federal match or match to FAA Airport Improvement Program

Notice of Funding is can be found on grants.gov through October 22

Notice of Funding



Installation Resilience Program

Non-competitive, needs based assistance

State and communities to partner with installations to plan, enhance infrastructure, and implement measures that contribute to maintaining or improving military installation resilience primarily due to climate vulnerabilities and other threats

Eligibility: nomination based; state, counties, municipalities 10% non-federal match

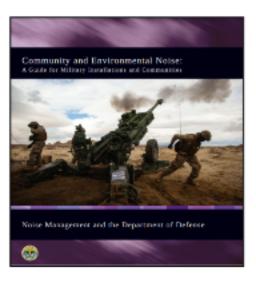
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