

# **NORTHWEST TRAINING AND TESTING**





## **DRAFT SUPPLEMENTAL EIS/OEIS**

This notice announces a 15-day extension of the public comment period.

The U.S. Navy has extended the public comment period by an additional 15 days for the Northwest Training and Testing (NWTT) Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement/Overseas Environmental Impact Statement (EIS/OEIS). Public comments may now be submitted until **June 12, 2019**, for consideration in the Final Supplemental EIS/OEIS.

The Navy reassessed the potential environmental impacts associated with conducting proposed ongoing and future training and testing activities within the NWTT Study Area. The Navy welcomes substantive public comments on the Draft Supplemental EIS/OEIS.

## You can participate in a variety of ways:

- Visit www.NWTTEIS.com to learn more about the project, download a copy of the Draft Supplemental EIS/OEIS, and submit comments online.
- Attend the open house public meetings and provide comments.
- Access the Draft Supplemental EIS/OEIS at public locations listed on www.NWTTEIS.com.
- Mail written comments to:

Naval Facilities Engineering Command Northwest Attention: NWTT Supplemental EIS/OEIS Project Manager 3730 N. Charles Porter Ave., Building 385, Admin, Room 216 Oak Harbor, WA 98278-5000

#### **Comment Period Extension:**

Comments must be postmarked or received online by **June 12, 2019**, for consideration in the development of the Final Supplemental EIS/OEIS

#### **OPEN HOUSE PUBLIC MEETINGS 5 TO 8 P.M.**

The public may arrive anytime during the open house public meetings. Navy representatives will be available to discuss the Proposed Action and the Draft Supplemental EIS/OEIS.

No presentation or formal oral comment session will be conducted.

#### **WASHINGTON:**

Wednesday, April 24, 2019 Hampton Inn Seattle/Everett Downtown Salish Room 2931 W. Marine View Drive Everett. Wash.

Thursday, April 25, 2019 Ridgetop Middle School Cafeteria 10600 Hillsboro Drive NW Silverdale, Wash. Friday, April 26, 2019 Naval Elks Lodge #353 131 E. First St. Port Angeles, Wash.

#### **OREGON:**

Monday, April 29, 2019 Astoria High School Student Commons 1001 W. Marine Drive Astoria, Ore. Tuesday, April 30, 2019 Newport Performing Arts Center Lobby 777 W. Olive St. Newport, Ore.

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

Thursday, May 2, 2019 Red Lion Hotel Eureka Ballroom 1929 Fourth St. Eureka. Calif. Friday, May 3, 2019
Dana Grey Elementary School
Multipurpose Room
1197 Chestnut St.
Fort Bragg, Calif.



#### **SOUTHEASTERN ALASKA:**

Wednesday, May 8, 2019
Ted Ferry Civic Center Naha and Alava Bays
888 Venetia Ave.
Ketchikan, Alaska



Individuals requiring reasonable accommodations, please contact Julianne Stanford, Public Affairs Officer, at 360-396-1630 or julianne.stanford@navy.mil.

# **Proposed Action**

The Navy's Proposed Action is to conduct training and testing activities at sea and in associated airspace within the Study Area beyond 2020. These activities continue to include the use of active sonar and explosives while employing marine species mitigation measures. Proposed activities are similar to those conducted in the Study Area for decades and analyzed in the 2015 NWTT Final EIS/OEIS.

In the Draft Supplemental EIS/OEIS, the Navy evaluated new, relevant information, such as more recent marine mammal density data and new scientific information, and updated the environmental analyses as appropriate.





The Navy requests your input!



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