

National Environmental Policy Act Process



Navy OTC Revitalization Draft EIS

The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process is required when a federal action is taken that may have impacts on the human and natural environment.

Notice of Intent

January 24, 2020

Announced the Navy's intent to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

Public Scoping Period

January 24 – February 24, 2020

Public process to review and comment on the scope and issues to be considered for analysis in the EIS. The Navy held in-person public scoping meetings on February 13 and 19, 2020.

Draft EIS

The Navy considered all substantive comments received during the public scoping period and conducted studies in the development of the Draft EIS.

Public Comment Period

May 14, 2021 – July 13, 2021

The opportunity for public comment on the Draft EIS. The Navy is also asking for public comment on historic properties consultation under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. The Navy is holding virtual public meetings on June 8 and 23, 2021.

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Final EIS

The Navy will consider all substantive comments received during the public comment period in the development of the Final EIS.

Notice of Availability

Announces availability of the Final EIS. The Final EIS documents comments received on the Draft EIS and includes a response to comments.

30-Day Waiting Period

Agencies are generally required to wait 30 days after the Notice of Availability before making a final decision on which alternative in the EIS will be selected.

Record of Decision

Announces the formal decision on the selected alternative.

Opportunities for Public Comment



How to Submit Public Comments

The Navy welcomes your comments. All written comments must be postmarked or received online by **July 13, 2021** for consideration in the Final EIS.

- **Submit written comments electronically through the project website:**
www.NAVWAR-revitalization.com
- **Mail written comments to:**
Navy OTC Revitalization EIS Project Manager
Attention: Ron Bochenek
750 Pacific Highway, Floor 12
San Diego, CA 92132-0058
- **Provide verbal comments during the virtual public meetings on June 8 and 23, 2021**

Public Comment Period – Your Input Matters

The Navy welcomes your comments on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement. Comments can be submitted in three ways:

1. **Via the website:** **www.NAVWAR-revitalization.com**
2. **By U.S. mail:**
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Attention: Ron Bochenek
750 Pacific Highway, Floor 12
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3. **Provide verbal comments during a virtual public meeting:** June 8 and June 23, 2021

Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, the Navy has prepared a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to evaluate the potential environmental effects associated with modernization of the Navy Old Town Campus to support NAVWAR's current and future operational readiness. The 60-day public comment period begins May 14, 2021 and ends July 13, 2021. The Navy also encourages comments on historic properties consultation as a part of Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. The Navy welcomes your input.

Public comments must be submitted by July 13, 2021 to be considered in the development of the Final EIS.