

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**

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**Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC); Public Meeting**

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of cancellation of a public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC) has cancelled its Surfclam and Ocean Quahog Advisory Panel (AP) meeting that was scheduled on Wednesday, September 5, 2018, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Christopher M. Moore, Ph.D., Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, telephone: (302) 526–5255.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The initial notice for this public meeting published in the *Federal Register* on August 13, 2018 (83 FR 39988). The purpose of this meeting was for the Surfclam and Ocean Quahog AP to provide feedback on the Public Hearing Document for the Surfclam and Ocean Quahog Excessive Shares Amendment.

Dated: August 17, 2018.

**Tracey L. Thompson,**

*Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Air Force****Record of Decision for the Proposal To Improve F–22 Operational Efficiency at Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, Alaska**

**AGENCY:** Department of the Air Force, Department of Defense.

**ACTION:** Notice of Availability of a Record of Decision.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Air Force signed the Record of Decision for the Proposal to Improve F–22 Operational Efficiency at Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, Alaska on August 8, 2018.

**ADDRESSES:** For further information contact: Ms. Melissa Markell, AFCEC/CZN, 2261 Hughes Ave., Ste. 155, JBSA Lackland, TX 78236, ph: (210) 925–2728.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Record of Decision reflects the Air Force decision to implement the Final Environmental Impact Statement Preferred Alternative, Alternative F, which consists of extending Runway 16/34 to the north. During the time that all preparatory actions, including funding, agency coordination, and construction are being implemented for Alternative F, the Air Force will implement Alternative A for more efficient flight operations.

The decision was based on matters discussed in the Proposal to Improve F–22 Operational Efficiency at Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, Alaska, Final Environmental Impact Statement, contributions from the public and regulatory agencies, and other relevant factors. The Final Environmental Impact Statement was made available to the public on February 23, 2018 through a Notice of Availability published in the *Federal Register* (Volume 83, Number 37, page 8074) with a 30-day wait period that ended on March 25, 2018.

**Authority:** This Notice of Availability is published pursuant to the regulations (40 CFR part 1506.6) implementing the provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*) and the Air Force's Environmental Impact Analysis Process (32 CFR parts 989.21(b) and 989.24(b)(7)).

**Henry Williams,**

*Air Force Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Office of the Secretary****Defense Support of Special Events**

**AGENCY:** Under Secretary of Defense (Policy), Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** DoD capabilities may be used to provide support for special events if authorized by law and DoD policy. DoD resources in support of special events may be provided only after the resources of all other relevant governmental and non-governmental entities are determined not to be available, unless there is a statutory exception or the Department of Defense is the only source of specialized capabilities. Organizations eligible to request DoD support, including for special events, may request support by writing to the DoD Executive Secretary.

**ADDRESSES:** DoD Executive Secretary, 1000 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301–1000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Carol Corbin at 571–256–8319.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Title 32 CFR part 183, Defense Support of Special Events, established procedures and assigned responsibilities for special events and set forth procedural guidance for the execution of special events support when requested by qualifying entities and approved by the appropriate DoD authority, or as directed by the President, within the United States. This notice informs the public of pertinent information concerning the submission of requests for special event support in lieu of part 183. DoD has determined that 32 CFR part 183 can be repealed as it mostly contains internal DoD procedures. The final rule that removes 32 CFR part 183 is publishing elsewhere in this issue of the *Federal Register*.

A special event is an international or domestic event, contest, activity, or meeting, which by its very nature, or by specific statutory or regulatory authority, may warrant security, safety, and other logistical support or assistance from DoD. Event status is not determined by DoD, and support may be requested by either civil authorities or qualifying entities.

A qualifying entity is a non-governmental organization to which DoD may provide assistance by virtue of statute. DoD support of qualifying entities for special events is pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2012, 2553–2555, and 2564; 32 U.S.C. 508; and section 5802 of Public Law 104–208, as amended.

The Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Homeland Defense and Global Security will consult with Heads of DoD Components to obtain senior-level coordination of recommendations for Secretary of Defense approval of requests for support.

The requestor of this support agrees to reimburse DoD, in accordance with the provisions of 10 U.S.C. 277, 2553–2555, and 2564, 31 U.S.C. 1535–1536, and other applicable provisions of law, unless DoD receives appropriations for or is authorized to make funds available for the support requested.

Dated: August 20, 2018.

**Aaron T. Siegel,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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