

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE READINESS AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION INTEGRATION PROGRAM

2023 REPI CHALLENGE RECIPIENTS

The REPI Program

The Department of Defense (DOD)'s Readiness and Environmental Protection Integration (REPI) Program facilitates long-term, collaborative partnerships that improve resilience, preserve important habitats and natural resources, and promote sustainable land uses near installations and ranges. For the 12th consecutive year, the REPI Program hosted its annual REPI Challenge, a competition with dedicated funding to advance REPI project outcomes through large-scale innovation and conservation. The REPI Challenge aims to:





Cultivate new projects that protect natural and cultural resources using diverse funding avenues.



Support DOD's strategic priorities and the REPI Program in meeting its ambitious goals. Protect critical testing and training capabilities while fostering longterm sustainability for communities surrounding installations.

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Harness the creativity of organizations with shared priorities to access unconventional funding sources and leverage market-based approaches.



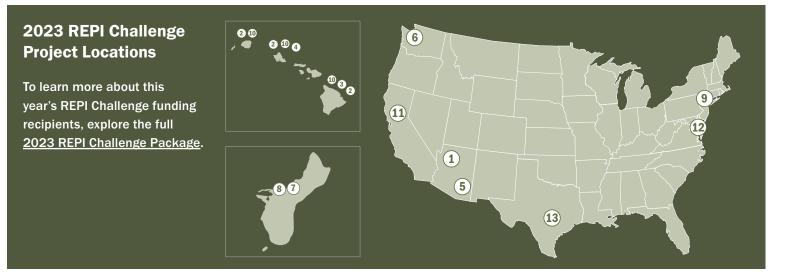
2023 REPI Challenge Harnesses Partnerships to Preserve National Security Priorities

For the 2023 REPI Challenge, the REPI Program contributed \$24 million in funds, coupled with \$50 million in partner contributions, to advance innovative projects that limit development pressures, enhance military installation resilience, and relieve current or anticipated environmental restrictions on military testing, training, or operations. By distributing funds across **13 projects**, the REPI Challenge contributed to initiatives **benefiting 26 installations** and their communities across the country. Six of the selected projects are located within the Indo-Pacific Region and will help implement partnership efforts focused on improving coastal and forest resilience, which benefits the long-term sustainability of local communities and their neighboring installations. The Sentinel Landscapes Partnership also represents locations of strategic importance. Three selected projects fall within the Fort Huachuca Sentinel Landscape, Camp Bullis Sentinel Landscape, and Joint Base Lewis-McChord Sentinel Landscape, contributing directly to the goals of the Sentinel Landscapes Partnership.

REPI Challenge Accomplishments to Date

Twelve years of the REPI Challenge have resulted in the following benefits at **52 locations** nationwide addressing development pressures, habitat protection, and installation resilience:

- \$144M in REPI Program funds investing in protecting critical military missions;
- \$437M in partner contributions leveraging DOD funds over 3:1; and
- 52 locations with projects promoting compatible land use, restoring important habitats and promoting species recovery, and enhancing climate adaptation efforts.







2023 REPI Challenge Project List:



1. Naval Observatory Flagstaff Station & Camp Navajo, Arizona REPI Funds: \$1.0M



 U.S. Army Garrison-Hawai'i, Pacific Missile Range Facility Barking Sands, Marine Corps Base Hawai'i, O'ahu, Kaua'i & Hawai'i Island REPI Funds: \$2.9M



3. Pohakuloa Training Area, Hawai'i Island REPI Funds: \$1.3M



4. U.S. Army Garrison-Hawai'i: Makua Military Reservation, Schofield Barracks, Kahuku Training Area, Poamoho Training Area, O'ahu REPI Funds: \$2.7M



5. Fort Huachuca, Arizona REPI Funds: \$1.3M



6. Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Washington REPI Funds: \$2.4M



7. Joint Region Marianas: Marine Corps Base Camp Blaz, Andersen Air Force Base, Guam REPI Funds: \$1.2M



8. Joint Region Marianas: Naval Base Guam, Marine Corps Base Camp Blaz, Andersen Air Force Base, *Guam* REPI Funds: \$1.9M



9. Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, Warren Grove Range, Naval Weapons Station Earle, Sea Girt National Guard Training Facility, AEGIS Combat System Engineering Site, New Jersey REPI Funds: \$995K



10. Pacific Missile Range Facility Barking Sands, Marine Corps Base Hawai'i, Pohakuloa Training Area, Kaua'i, O'ahu, Hawai'i Island REPI Funds: \$3.1M



11. Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, Naval Base Coronado, Naval Base Ventura County Point Mugu, Naval Weapons Station Seal Beach, *California* REPI Funds: \$75K



12. Marine Corps Base Quantico, Virginia REPI Funds: \$286K



13. Joint Base San Antonio Camp Bullis, *Texas* REPI Funds: \$5.1M