



# REPI

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE  
READINESS AND ENVIRONMENTAL  
PROTECTION INTEGRATION PROGRAM

## STATE FACT SHEETS | IDAHO



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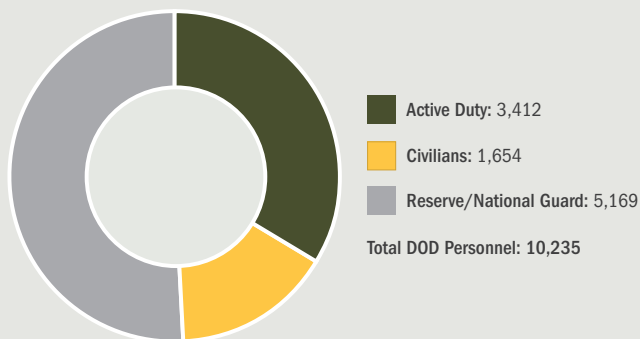
### OVERVIEW

In Fiscal Year (FY) 2023, the state of Idaho received \$0.9 billion in Defense spending, which provides direct funding for the Department of Defense (DOD) personnel salaries, defense contracts, and construction of military facilities in the state. This spending by DOD personnel, contractors, and their families creates significant economic activity, attracts related industries and investments, and generates important state and local government tax revenues.

The Readiness and Environmental Protection Integration (REPI) Program is a key tool used by DOD and its partners to protect the military's ability to train, test, and operate in the state. The Department created the REPI Program in response to the development of lands and loss of habitat in the vicinity of or affecting its installations, ranges, and airspace that can lead to restrictions or costly and inadequate training and testing alternatives. Through the REPI Program, DOD works with state and local governments, conservation organizations, and willing private landowners to address these challenges to the military mission and the viability of DOD installations and ranges. The REPI Program has benefited from broad bipartisan support both in the U.S. Congress and among groups representing state and local officials. In FY 2024, DOD and its partners have contributed over \$1.2 million to REPI projects supporting one installation in Idaho.

### DOD IN IDAHO

**DOD Personnel** (as of 30 Sep 2023)



### Federal Defense Spending and Economic Impact (in FY 2023)



**\$0.9 billion**  
in Federal  
Defense  
spending



**0.7%**  
of state Gross  
Domestic  
Product



**\$526.9 million**  
in payroll contributed  
**\$0.3 billion**  
in contracts awarded

### Acres of DOD Managed and State-Owned National Guard Land (as of 30 Sep 2023)



DOD  
Managed Land

136,220 acres



State-Owned  
National Guard Land

143,169 acres

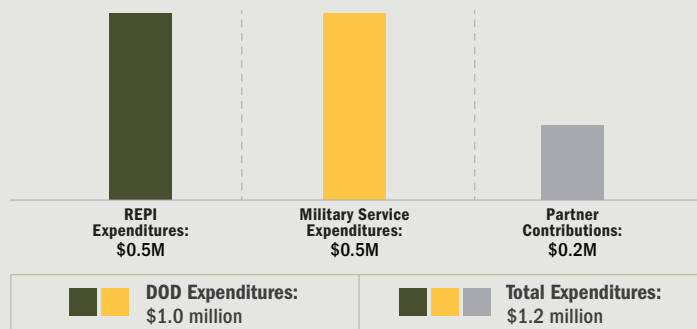


**Total DOD Managed  
and State-Owned  
National Guard Land**

**279,389 acres**

### REPI PROJECTS\* IN IDAHO

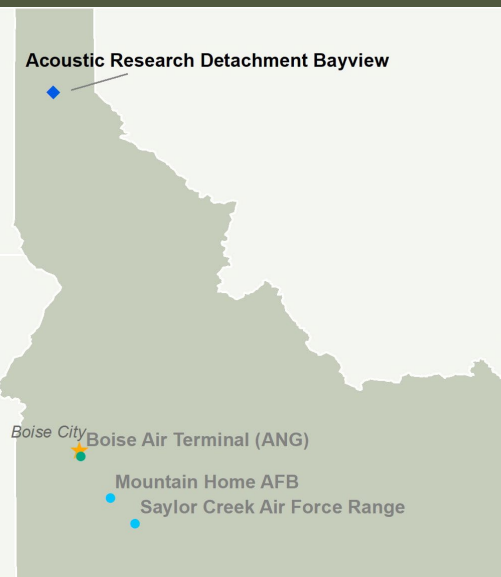
**Funding Summary** (in FY 2024)



Subtotals may not sum to combined totals due to rounding.

\* REPI projects refer to any action authorized by 10 U.S. Code (U.S.C.) § 2684a to include the acquisition of real property interests in land from willing landowners to prevent incompatible development or improve military installation resilience. REPI projects involving the Army or Army National Guard are also termed Army REPI partnerships. Those involving the Navy, Marine Corps, or Air Force, are also termed encroachment partnering agreements. Eligible entities include conservation organizations and state and local governments.

### Total Acres Protected (in FY 2024): 191



★ State Capital ▲ Army ◆ Navy ■ Marine Corps  
● Air Force ▲ Army National Guard

**REPI Installations and Ranges** Other Installations and Ranges



## MILITARY PRESENCE

- The Acoustic Research Detachment (ARD) at Lake Pend Oreille in Bayview, Idaho is the Navy's premier facility for structural acoustic measurements and has supported every major submarine design development over the past 65 years.
- With unique acoustic capabilities, test sites, and facilities, ARD Bayview serves as a critical location for research, development, test and evaluation of the Navy's ships and submarines. ARD Bayview's unique mission capabilities are under threat by increased development along Lake Pend Oreille's shorelines, as well as attendant water and boat traffic noise, which can compromise the necessary conditions for acoustic testing.
- The Idaho National Guard is a key component of the state's military presence. It consists of both the Idaho Army National Guard and the Idaho Air National Guard. These units are often involved in both state and Federal missions, including disaster response, homeland security, and overseas deployments.

## REPI PROJECTS

Installation	County	Congressional District
Acoustic Research Detachment – Bayview	Bonner, Kootenai	1st

For all REPI Project Profiles visit: [www.repi.mil/BufferProjects/ProjectList.aspx](http://www.repi.mil/BufferProjects/ProjectList.aspx)



The Columbia-class submarine model Pike is towed through the waters of Lake Pend Oreille in Bayview, Idaho, by Naval Surface Warfare Center, Carderock Division personnel in August 2022. The command's Acoustic Research Detachment in Bayview is the Navy's hidden gem for acoustic testing because of its geographical location and quiet waters.

## Key REPI Partners

- Inland North West Land Conservancy

## Data Sources

- **For Military Presence and Economic Impact Information:** Idaho Military Division 2023 Year in Review: [www.imd.idaho.gov/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/2023-Year-in-Review.pdf](http://www.imd.idaho.gov/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/2023-Year-in-Review.pdf)
- **For Land Information:** Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Sustainment, Real Property, Business Systems & Information Directorate: "Base Structure Report – FY24 Baseline" (as of 30 Sept 2023)
- **For Federal Spending and Personnel Information:** Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation: "Defense Spending by State – Fiscal Year 2023": [www.oldcc.gov/dsbs-fy2023](http://www.oldcc.gov/dsbs-fy2023)
- **For REPI Projects Information:** "2025 REPI Report to Congress": [www.repi.mil/Portals/44/Documents/Reports\\_to\\_Congress/REPI2025RTC.pdf](http://www.repi.mil/Portals/44/Documents/Reports_to_Congress/REPI2025RTC.pdf)