



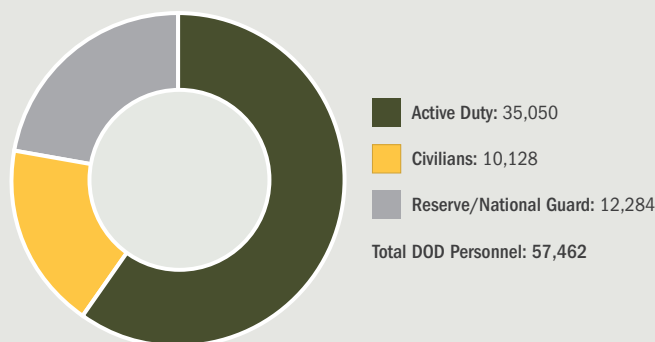
### OVERVIEW

Kentucky received \$13.8 billion in Defense spending in Fiscal Year (FY) 2021, which provides direct funding for 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 investment, and generates important state and local government tax revenues.

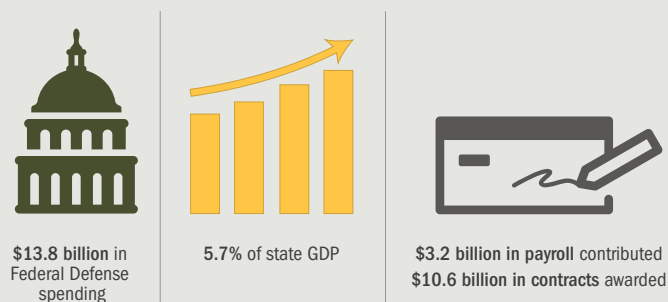
The Readiness and Environmental Protection Integration (REPI) Program is a key tool used by DOD and its partners to protect the military's ability to train, test, and operate in the state. DOD created the REPI Program in response to the development of lands and loss of habitat in the vicinity of or affecting its installations, ranges, and airspace that can lead to restrictions or costly and inadequate training and testing alternatives. Through REPI, 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 enjoyed broad bipartisan support both in the U.S. Congress and among groups representing state and local officials. Through FY 2022, DOD and its partners have spent over \$47 million on REPI projects at two installations in Kentucky.

### DOD IN KENTUCKY

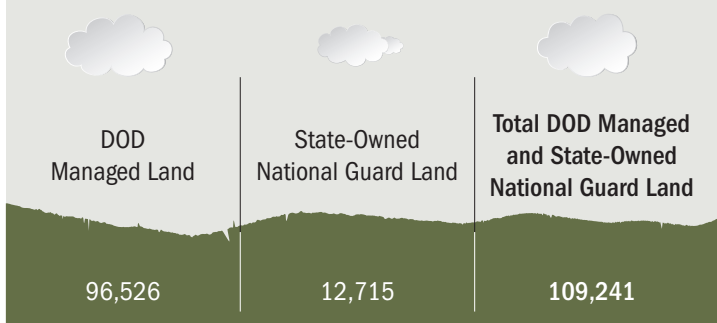
#### DOD Personnel (as of 30 Sep 2021)



### Federal Defense Spending and Economic Impact (in FY 2021)

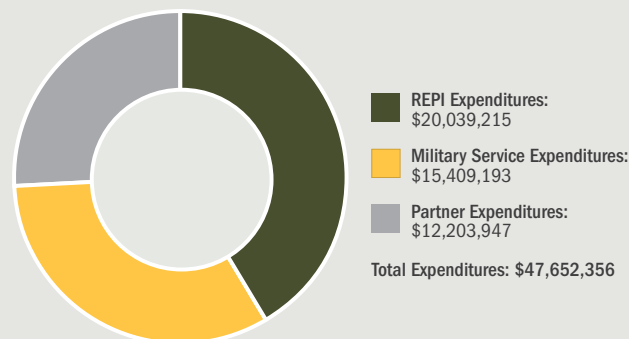


### Acres of DOD Managed and State-Owned National Guard Land (as of 30 Sep 2021)



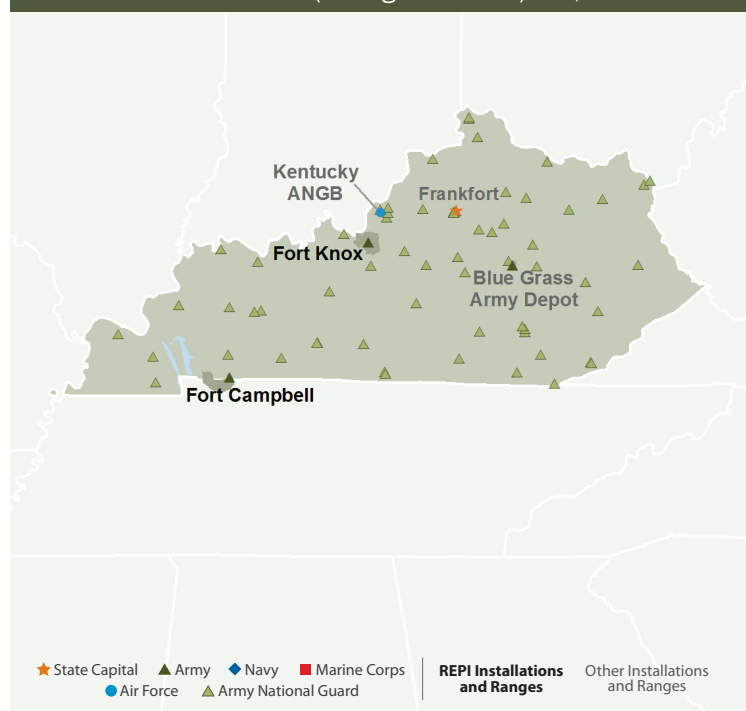
### REPI PROJECTS\* IN KENTUCKY

#### Funding Summary (through FY 2022)



\* REPI projects refer to any action authorized by 10 USC §2684(a) to include the acquisition of interests in land from willing landowners to prevent incompatible development and protect habitat or any other natural resources management. REPI projects involving the Army or Army National Guard are also termed Army Compatible Use Buffer (ACUB) partnerships. Those involving the Navy, Marine Corps, or Air Force, are also termed encroachment partnering agreements. Eligible partners include conservation organizations and state and local governments.

#### Total Acres Protected (through FY 2022): 14,594



## MILITARY PRESENCE

- Blue Grass Army Depot provides conventional ammunition services, including **special operations requirements for all Military Services**; chemical defense management; and limited manufacturing capabilities for the Army.
- The military is the **largest single employer** among organizations that could relocate outside of Kentucky.
- Fort Knox encompasses **109,000 acres** and boasts sole responsibility for all Soldier career management, from swearing in to departing service.
- Fort Campbell houses the **world's only Air Assault Division**, two prestigious Special Operations Command Units, and various sizable medical and dental activities.

## REPI PROJECTS

Project Installation	County	Congressional District
Fort Campbell	Christian (KY), Montgomery (TN)	KY-1st, TN-7th
Fort Knox	Bullitt, Hardin, Meade	2nd

For all REPI Project Profiles visit: <http://www.repi.mil/BufferProjects/ProjectList.aspx>



A squadron engages in a live-fire training exercise (top), while a special boat team participates in a drill at the riverine training range at Fort Knox (left).

## Key REPI Partners

- Compatible Lands Foundation
- Kentucky Department of Agriculture
- Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources
- Kentucky Division of Conservation
- Kentucky Forest Service
- Kentucky Land Trust
- Kentucky Nature Preserves
- Land Trust for Tennessee
- Lincoln Trail Area Development District
- The Nature Conservancy
- U.S. Department of Agriculture—Natural Resources Conservation Service

## Data Sources

- For Economic Impact Information:
  - KY Commission on Military Affairs 2016 Report: <http://kcma.ky.gov/Documents/Final%20Report.pdf>
  - Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development: [http://kyarodefensemap.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/2018-EIA-Summary\\_FINAL.pdf](http://kyarodefensemap.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/2018-EIA-Summary_FINAL.pdf)
- For Land Information: Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Sustainment, Real Property, Business Systems & Information Directorate: “Base Structure Report – FY22 Baseline” (as of 30 Sept 2021)
- For Federal Spending and Personnel Information: Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation: “Defense Spending by State – Fiscal Year 2021”: <https://oldcc.gov/dsbs-fy2021>
- For REPI Projects Information: “2023 REPI Report to Congress”: [https://www.repi.mil/Portals/44/Documents/Reports\\_to\\_Congress/REPI2023RTC.pdf](https://www.repi.mil/Portals/44/Documents/Reports_to_Congress/REPI2023RTC.pdf)