



REPI

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
READINESS AND ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION INTEGRATION PROGRAM

STATE FACT SHEETS | OKLAHOMA



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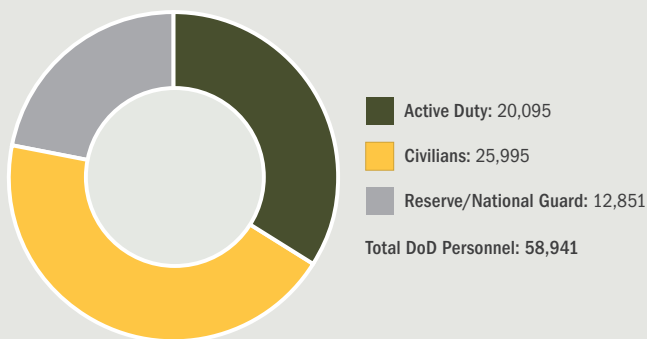
OVERVIEW

In Fiscal Year (FY) 2023, the state of Oklahoma received \$7.3 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. From FY 2006 through FY 2024, DOD and its partners have contributed over \$16.4 million to REPI projects supporting three installations in Oklahoma.

DOD IN OKLAHOMA

DOD Personnel (as of 30 Sep 2023)



Federal Defense Spending and Economic Impact (in FY 2023)



\$7.3 billion
in Federal
Defense
spending



2.9%
of state Gross
Domestic
Product



\$3.6 billion
in payroll contributed
\$3.7 billion
in contracts awarded

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



**DOD
Managed Land**

190,455 acres



**State-Owned
National Guard Land**

1,547 acres

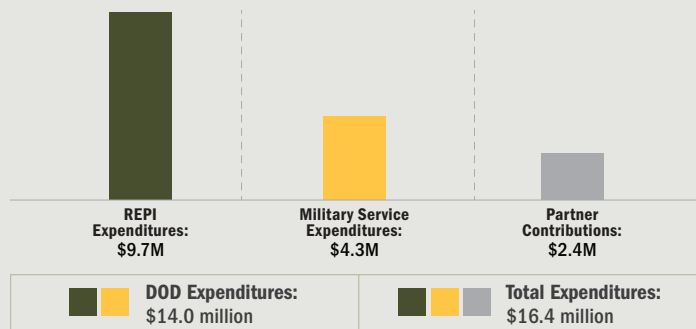


**Total DOD Managed
and State-Owned
National Guard Land**

192,003 acres

REPI PROJECTS* IN OKLAHOMA

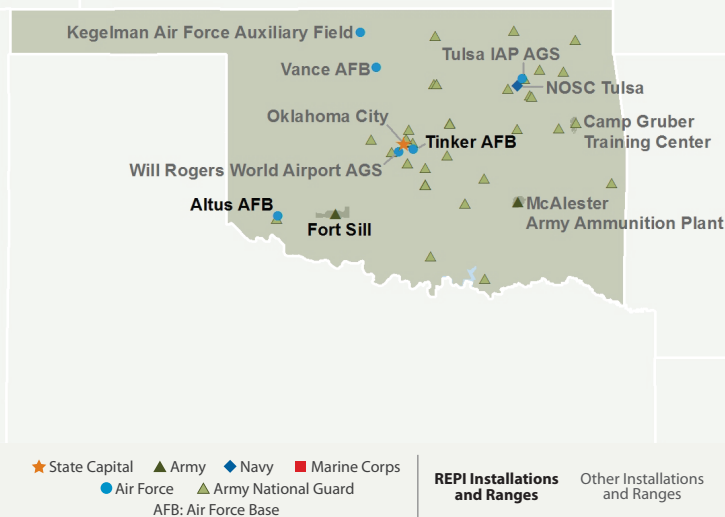
Funding Summary (from FY 2006 through FY 2024)



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 (FY 2006 through FY 2024): 3,787



MILITARY PRESENCE

- Fort Sill serves as the home of the U.S. Army Field Artillery School, the U.S. Army Air Defense Artillery School, the 424th and the 434th Field Artillery Brigades, the U.S. Marine Corps Field Artillery Detachment, and the Army's Fires Center of Excellence.
- The 97th Air Mobility Wing's **mission is to enable global mobility** by expertly training airlift and aerial refueling aircrews to achieve global reach and power while simultaneously maintaining worldwide deployment capabilities.
- Altus Air Force Base (AFB) is home to the 97th Air Mobility Wing and the Mobility Training Center of Excellence.
- The Navy operates Strategic Communications ONE, which provides **strategic communications**, including for nuclear submarines, from Tinker Air Force Base.
- McAlester Army Ammunition Plant is **one of the nation's four critical materiel handling installations**. It has the capacity and has the capacity for and is required to ship 435 individual 20-foot containers of explosive ordnance per day for the initial 30 days of a conflict, allowing time to bring other ammunition facilities around the country to full production.

REPI PROJECTS

Installation	County	Congressional District
Altus AFB	Jackson	3rd
Fort Sill	Comanche	4th
Tinker AFB	Oklahoma	4th

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



Protecting habitat for the black-capped vireo (left) near Fort Sill helps to preserve heavy artillery training, such as that conducted with the Paladin Howitzer (top).

Key REPI Partners

- City of Altus
- City of Lawton
- Comanche County Commission
- Comanche County Industrial Development Authority
- Land Legacy
- State of Oklahoma
- Tom Steed Master Conservancy District
- U.S. Department of Agriculture–Natural Resources Conservation Service

Data Sources

- **For Federal Spending and Personnel Information:** Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation: "Defense Spending by State – Fiscal Year 2023": www.oldcc.gov/dsbs-fy2023
- **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 REPI Projects Information:** "2025 REPI Report to Congress": www.repi.mil/Portals/44/Documents/Reports_to_Congress/REPI2025RTC.pdf