

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

T-7A RECAPITALIZATION AT LAUGHLIN AIR FORCE BASE, TEXAS

The U.S. Department of the Air Force (DAF) invites you to remotely participate in public scoping for the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) addressing T-7A Recapitalization at Laughlin Air Force Base (AFB).

What: DAF Remote Public Scoping

DAF proposes to recapitalize the T-38C Talon flight training program at Laughlin AFB with T-7A Red Hawk aircraft. This proposal supports the Secretary of the Air Force's strategic basing decisions to recapitalize existing T-38C pilot training installations, and Laughlin AFB would be the third installation to be environmentally analyzed for possible recapitalization.

When and Where: February 8, 2023 from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Public scoping is being accomplished remotely. Registration for the remote public scoping meeting will be available at https://laughlin.t-7anepadocuments.com/. Individuals without internet access may call 469 210 7159 and use the passcode 2496 910 3882 to attend. Hardcopies of the scoping materials are also available for review at the Val Verde County Library (300 Spring Street, Del Rio, Texas).

Why: To learn about and submit comments on the Laughlin AFB T-7A Recapitalization proposal.

DAF will also be accepting comments under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (36 Code of Federal Regulations Part 800) regarding the identification of or effects on historic properties as well as requests to become a consulting party in the Section 106 process.