

B-21 Beddown Main Operating Base 2 (MOB 2) or MOB 3 at Dyess AFB or Whiteman AFB

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT



Public Scoping Meetings: You Are Invited!

The Department of Defense is developing a new bomber aircraft, the B-21 "Raider," which will eventually replace existing B-1 and B-2 bomber aircraft. The Department of the Air Force (DAF) intends to beddown B-21 aircraft as part of three basing decisions, Main Operating Base (MOB) 1, MOB 2 and MOB 3. The DAF previously selected Ellsworth Air Force Base (AFB) as the MOB 1 location and is now preparing an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to evaluate the potential beddown impacts of MOB 2 or 3 at Dyess AFB, Texas or Whiteman AFB, Missouri.

The DAF will host six public scoping meetings to allow members of the public to learn about the project and provide public comments. Public scoping meetings will begin with a 30-minute DAF presentation, followed by an open house. Written comments can be submitted at any time during the in-person scoping meetings or submitted electronically via the public website at www.B21EIS.com.

Virtual meetings will be held on the dates/times below:

Tuesday, April 11, 2023, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. CT

Thursday, April 13, 2023, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. CT

To register to attend a virtual public scoping meeting, visit www.B21EIS.com. Meeting links and instructions will be distributed after registering and prior to all virtual public scoping meetings. All virtual public scoping meetings can be accessed by phone at 1-888-788-0099, Webinar ID: 813-5934-9395, Passcode: 570587.

In-Person meetings will be held from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. CT on the following dates/locations:

Tuesday, April 18, 2023, University of Central Missouri, 108 W. South St., Warrensburg, MO

Thursday, April 20, 2023, Knob Noster High School, 504 South Washington Ave., Knob Noster, MO

Tuesday, April 25, 2023, Abilene Convention Center, 1100 N 6th St., Abilene, TX

Thursday, April 27, 2023, Tye Community Center, 103 Scott St., Tye, TX

To submit scoping comments electronically, please visit the website at: www.B21EIS.com.

Scoping comments by mail should be sent to:

Leidos
ATTN: B-21 EIS
12304 Morganton Hwy #572
Morganton, GA 30560

Inquiries should be directed to:

Dyess AFB Public Affairs, (325) 696-4820

Whiteman AFB Public Affairs, (660) 687-5727

Scoping comments should be submitted/postmarked by May 8, 2023.

For more information, please visit the public website at www.B21EIS.com.