

Mandatory For: Total Government Requirement

Contracting Activity: GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, FAS HEARTLAND REGIONAL ADMINISTRATO

On December 4, 2025, the Committee for Purchase from People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled (operating as the U.S. AbilityOne Commission) published an initial notice of proposed additions to the Procurement List. (90 FR 55857). The Committee determined that the service listed below is suitable for procurement by the Federal Government and has added this service to the Procurement List as a mandatory purchase for contracting activity listed. In accordance with 41 CFR 51–5.3(b), the mandatory purchase requirement is limited to the contracting activity at the listed location, and in accordance with 41 CFR 51–5.2, the Committee has authorized the nonprofit agency as the authorized source of supply.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the product and impact of the additions on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the product listed below is suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 8501–8506 and 41 CFR 51–2.4.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification End of Certification

1. The action will not result in additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities.

2. The action may result in authorizing small entities to furnish the service to the Government.

3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 8501–8506) in connection with the addition of the service to the Procurement List.

End of Certification

Accordingly, the following service is added to the Procurement List:

Services

Service Type: Grounds Maintenance

Mandatory for: US Air Force, Wright Patterson AFB, Area B, Wright-Patterson AFB, OH, 2380 Memorial Road, Wright-Patterson AFB, OH

Authorized Source of Supply: CW Resources, Inc., New Britain, CT

Contracting Activity: DEPT OF THE AIR FORCE, FA8601 AFLCMC PZIO

Michael R. Jurkowski,

Director, Business Operations.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Air Force

[Docket No. AFIT JOA 2025–02]

Notice of Intent To Grant a Joint Ownership Agreement With an Exclusive Patent License

AGENCY: Department of The Air Force, Department of Defense.

ACTION: Notice of Intent.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Bayh-Dole Act and implementing regulations, the Department of the Air Force hereby gives notice of its intent to grant a joint ownership agreement with an Exclusive Patent License to the Regents of the University of Michigan, a State Controlled Institution of Higher Learning having a place of business at 1600 Huron Pkwy., 2nd Floor, Ann Arbor, MI 48109–2590.

DATES: Written objections must be filed no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the date of publication of this Notice.

ADDRESSES: Submit written objections to Karleine M. Justice, AFIT Office of Research and Technology Applications (ORTA), 2950 Hobson Way, Bldg. 641, Rm 101C, Wright-Patterson AFB, OH 45433–7765; Phone: (937) 656–0754; or Email: karleine.justice.1@us.af.mil. Include Docket No. AFIT JOA 2025–02 in the subject line of the message.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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Abstract of Patent Application(s)

A multi-pass cavity-based optical pulse contrast enhancement device is disclosed which selectively attenuates prepulses and other undesired low-power pulse features. The device may include two or more optical mirrors, an intracavity nonlinear medium, and a spatial filtration arrangement that may be inside or outside of the cavity. The nonlinear medium enables a cavity configuration where low-power pulse features may be cavity-unstable and/or mode-mismatched whereas the high-power region may be cavity-stable and/or mode-matched. Propagation through the cavity distinguishes the low-power and high-power pulse regions in their spatial beam characteristics, enabling low-power suppression via diffraction losses, beam distortion, or spatial filtration. This improves upon prior solutions in that it improves pulse

contrast by several orders of magnitude at high main pulse transmission efficiency, preserves near-diffraction limited beam quality, is compatible with high laser average powers and pulse repetition rates, and is configurable to accommodate high, e.g., multi-Joule pulse energies.

Intellectual Property

Patent Cooperation Treaty Application Serial No. PCT/US2025/038649, filed on July 22, 2025, and entitled “Nonlinear Multi-Pass Cavity Based Devices for Enhancing Optical Pulse Contrast”.

The Department of the Air Force may grant the prospective license unless a timely objection is received that sufficiently shows the grant of the license would be inconsistent with the Bayh-Dole Act or implementing regulations. A competing application for a patent license agreement, completed in compliance with 37 CFR 404.8 and received by the Air Force within the period for timely objections, will be treated as an objection and may be considered as an alternative to the proposed license.

Authority: 35 U.S.C. 209; 37 CFR 404.

Crystle C. Poge,

Air Force Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Air Force

Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for Joint Pacific Alaska Range Complex Regional Special Activity Airspace Optimization Program

AGENCY: Department of Defense, Department of the Air Force.

ACTION: Notice of Intent.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Air Force (DAF), in cooperation with the Federal Aviation Administration, is issuing this Notice of Intent (NOI) to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to assess the potential social, economic, and environmental impacts associated with optimization of the Joint Pacific Alaska Range Complex (JPARC). The Department of the Army and Department of the Navy are also cooperating agencies. The DAF is requesting the public participate in the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) review process by providing comments on the alternatives and information, studies, or analysis relevant to the Proposed Action. The

Unique Identification Number for this EIS is EISX-007-57-UAF-1756971595.

DATES: A public scoping period of 30 days will take place starting from the date of publication of this NOI in the **Federal Register**. Comments will be accepted at any time during the environmental impact analysis process; however, to ensure DAF has sufficient time to consider public scoping comments during preparation of the Draft EIS, please submit comments within the defined scoping period. A schedule is provided on the project website (www.JPARCAirspaceEIS.com) and will be updated as the NEPA process progresses. At this time, the Draft EIS is expected to be released early 2027 and the Final EIS and Record of Decision are expected to be released in 2028.

DAF invites the public, stakeholders, other interested parties, and applicable Federal State, Tribal, and local agencies and governments to participate in a public scoping meeting. Four (4) virtual scoping meetings are being held on the following dates and times (Alaska Time):

- Saturday, January 24, 2026, 10:00 a.m.
- Monday, January 26, 2026, 6:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, January 28, 2026, 6:00 p.m.
- Thursday, January 29, 2026, 10:00 a.m.

The meetings are being advertised in 10 regional and local newspapers and Public Notices are being sent to public schools and post offices beneath proposed JPARC Special Activity Airspace (SAA). Please see the project website for details on how to participate in the virtual meetings and to view informational materials (www.JPARCAirspaceEIS.com).

ADDRESSES: Written scoping comments can be submitted via the project website (www.JPARCAirspaceEIS.com) or via postal mail to JPARC Airspace EIS, c/o Stantec, 501 Butler Farm Rd., Suite H, Hampton, VA 23666.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For inquiries regarding accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or questions regarding the Proposed Action, scoping, and EIS development please contact Victoria Hernandez, NEPA Project Manager at AFCEC.CIE.AirspaceWorkflow@us.af.mil, or by phone at 380-458-0359.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The EIS will analyze the potential impacts from optimizing the regional training environment necessary for 4th and 5th Generation aircrews to accomplish current and future Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures (TTPs) within JPARC

SAA by addressing critical deficiencies in the size, dimensions, and attributes of the SAA; spatial discontinuities between adjacent SAA sections; and inability to perform uninterrupted flight at low altitude. The purpose of the Proposed Action is to facilitate training that ensures increased aircrew survivability and combat effectiveness. The need for the Proposed Action is to address the lack of required SAA at JPARC to accomplish current and future TTPs driven by evolving adversary threats.

To address the critical deficiencies and support required training, the following actions are necessary: redesign SAA in the existing northern JPARC, establish new SAA in the Gulf of Alaska, and establish two new large areas of SAA in the western area of Alaska to replace the existing, smaller fragmented SAA. DAF is considering three alternatives to implement the Proposed Action and the No Action Alternative. All of the action alternatives include several specific actions to expand and redesign the North JPARC SAA and establish new SAA over the Gulf of Alaska to include two Warning Areas and two Military Operations Areas (MOAs) along with associated Air Traffic Control Assigned Airspace (ATCAAs). Each action alternative also includes establishing two new large West complexes that would each include an MOA and associated ATCAAs, but they vary by location: Neacola and Yeti (Alternative 1), Bettles and Yeti (Alternative 2), and Neacola and Tanana (Alternative 3).

For the No Action Alternative, DAF would not implement changes to the current JPARC airspace structure. Use of the JPARC for day-to-day training and MFEs would continue as it does currently.

The DAF and Cooperating Agencies will consider comments on alternatives or effects and on relevant information, studies, or analyses with respect to the Proposed Action. The Draft EIS will include an analysis of the potential impacts to the human environment such as ecological, aesthetic, historic, cultural, economic (such as the effects on employment), social, or health effects, to include noise, airspace management, air quality, and biological resources.

Crystle C. Poje,

Air Force Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Air Force

Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy (BoV AFA), Department of the Air Force.

ACTION: Notice of Federal advisory committee meeting.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense (DoD) is publishing this notice to announce that the following Federal advisory committee meeting of the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy (BoV AFA) will take place.

DATES: The meeting is open to the public Thursday, February 5, 2026, from approximately 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. (Eastern Time). Those wishing to attend in person are requested to submit their name, affiliation, and phone number to USAF.AHQ.BOV@us.af.mil by January 30, 2026. The meeting will be handicap accessible. Seating is available on a first come, first served basis.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the U.S. Capitol Visitor Center, 1st St. SE, Washington, DC 20515 in Room HVC-201. All members of the public are subject to security screening. The Department of the Air Force will escort members of the public to HVC-201. Information on visiting the U.S. Capitol Visitor Center including guidelines, travel, and emergency information is available at <https://www.visitthecapitol.gov/visit/know-before-you-go>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Designated Federal Officer: Dr. Raquel Rimpola, USAF.AHQ.BOV@us.af.mil, 703-693-2767, 1660 Air Force Pentagon, Washington, DC 20330-1660.
Alternate Designated Federal Officer: Ms. Blaire Brush, USAF.AHQ.BOV@us.af.mil, 2304 Cadet Drive, Suite 3200, USAF Academy, CO 80840-5025.

USAF BoV Website: <https://www.usafa.edu/about/bov/>. It contains information on the Board of Visitors, link to the meeting, and approved meeting agenda.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is being held under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) (5 U.S.C. 1001 *et seq.*), the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), and 41 CFR 102-3.140 and 102-3.150. Pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.140d, the committee is not obligated to allow a member of the public to speak or otherwise address the committee during the meeting and members of the public attending the committee meeting will not be permitted to present questions from the