## Final Environmental Assessment for Basing F-15EX Eagle II First Operational Combat Squadron at Portland Air National Guard Installation, Portland, Oregon

The Department of the Air Force (DAF) announces the availability of the Final Environmental Assessment (EA) and Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for the proposed basing of the F-15EX Eagle II Operational Combat Squadron at Portland Air National Guard (ANG) installation, Portland, Oregon. The DAF has prepared a Final EA to analyze the potential impacts of recapitalizing its existing F-15C inventory at Portland ANG installation with the newer and more capable F-15EX aircraft. Recapitalization is the acquisition of the new generation F-15EX aircraft and construction and upgrade of specific facilities for one squadron of F-15EX aircraft to support current and future combat and mission readiness. The squadron would consist of up to 24 F-15EX aircraft that would replace the existing 20 F-15C aircraft currently based at the installation.

The Final EA and FONSI are available for review at the following public library:

Multnomah County Belmont Library 1038 SE César E. Chávez Boulevard Portland, Oregon 97217

Electronic copies of the documents can also be found on the 142 WG website at <u>https://www.142wg.ang.af.mil/</u>. Please direct further questions to the National Guard Bureau, Attn: Ms. Alicia Treece, 3501 Fetchet Ave, Joint Base Andrews, MD 20762-5157 or by email to NGB.A4.A4A.NEPA.COMMENTS.Org@us.af.mil with subject ATTN: PORTLAND F-15EX EA.