

ACTION ALERT: SAVE 11.7 MILLION MARINE MAMMALS

U.S. NAVY 5-YEAR WARFARE TESTING PROGRAMS ONGOING & MORE PLANNED FOR THE PACIFIC & ATLANTIC OCEANS & THE GULF OF MEXICO IN 2010-2011



U.S. Department of Commerce **NOAA DEFINITION: "TAKE"**

Defined under the MMPA as "harass, hunt, capture, kill or collect, or attempt to harass, hunt, capture, kill or collect." Defined under the ESA as "to harass, harm, pursue, hunt, shoot, wound, kill, trap, capture, or collect, or to attempt to engage in any such conduct."

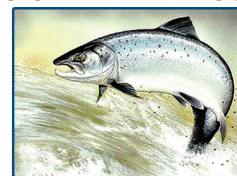
The Navy Warfare Testing Program will "...utilize mid- and high frequency active sonar sources and explosive detonations. These sonar and explosive sources will be utilized during Antisubmarine Warfare (ASW) Tracking Exercises, Mine Avoidance Training, Extended Echo Ranging and Improved Extended Echo Ranging (EER/IEER) events, Missile Exercises, Gunnery Exercises, Bombing Exercises, Sinking Exercises, and Mine Warfare Training..." (More listed in Navy E.I.S.)

SAVE OUR FISHING & WHALE WATCHING INDUSTRIES, our marine habitat, and protect the public from high toxic chemicals like Red Phosphorus, Chaff, Aluminum Coated Fiberglass & Flares, Lead, Lead Chloride, Chromium, Benzene, Toluene, Napthalene, Ammonium Perchlorate, Potassium Perchlorate, and a whole host of other chemicals, known to be toxic to man and marine life, that are being served up on the "Navy Warfare Chemical Menu" which will contaminate our air, water, and soil.

TAKE ACTION TODAY - CONTACT:

● ALL MEMBERS OF THE U.S. CONGRESS TOLL FREE: (866) 220-0044 WE NEED U.S. CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS TO PROTECT OUR OCEANS & MARINE SEA LIFE FROM NAVY WARFARE TESTING PROGRAMS

● CONTACT YOUR U.S. SENATORS & MEMBERS OF U.S HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
LOCAL, COUNTY, STATE ELECTED OFFICIALS
LOCAL ACTION IS IMPORTANT - ORGANIZE & EDUCATE OTHERS



● The Honorable Senator Carl Levin, U.S. Senate Armed Services Committee Chairman, 269 Russell Office Building, Washington, DC 20510 <http://levin.senate.gov> (866) 220-0044 (Senator Levin's committee has oversight over Navy)

● THE NEWS MEDIA, RADIO STATIONS, TELEVISION STATIONS, TALK SHOW HOSTS FROM EVERY MEDIA, SIGN PETITIONS, WRITE LETTERS & EDUCATE OTHERS ABOUT THE NAVY PROGRAMS THAT WILL DECIMATE MORE THAN 11.7 MILLION MARINE MAMMALS & HARM OTHER SEA LIFE WHILE DESTROYING CRITICAL OCEAN HABITAT.

United States Listing of Navy Range Complexes: <http://afasteis.gcsaic.com/docs/Range%20Sustainability.pdf>

CHECK ON THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE U.S. NAVY WARFARE RANGES IN YOUR AREA ON THIS NOAA SITE:
<http://www.nmfs.noaa.gov/pr/permits/incidental.htm>

NOAA SHOULD NOT GRANT BLANKET PERMITS, TO THE NAVY, FOR THE "TAKING" OF MARINE MAMMALS!

5-YEAR NAVY WARFARE PROGRAMS ARE NOW UNDERWAY IN MANY OCEAN AREAS IN 2009, AND MORE 5-YEAR WARFARE TESTING PROGRAMS WILL CONTINUE TO BE IMPLEMENTED IN THE PACIFIC & ATLANTIC & GULF OF MEXICO UNLESS CONGRESS HOLDS U.S. CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS TO PROTECT OUR OCEANS, PUBLIC HEALTH, OUR MARINE MAMMALS, FISH & OTHER MARINE LIFE.

TAKE ACTION TODAY!

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