

Forest Service Olympic National Forest Pacific Ranger District 437 Tillicum Lane Forks, WA 98331

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Date: October 8, 2014

Dear Interested Party:

As the Responsible Official, after receiving renewed interest in the Pacific Northwest Electronic Warfare Range Environmental Assessment by members of the public who were unaware of the proposal, I've decided to extend the current public comment. The current comment period was to end October 10, 2014. To ensure the public has had plenty of time to provide comment, I am extending the comment period to October 31, 2014. If you have already provided comments on this project, you do not need to comment again with the same information you've already provided.

In addition to extending the comment period, the Forks Chamber of Commerce is hosting Navy and US Forest staff for a question and answer session on Tuesday, October 14th from 6-8pm in Forks, WA. The location for this event is the Forks High School commons, located at 261 South Spartan Avenue, Forks, WA.

Those wishing to provide input and have standing (eligibility) during the future Objection period for this project must be submitted to the project lead Greg Wahl at 1835 Black Lake Blvd SW, Olympia, WA 98512. If you have any questions regarding the details of this proposal or have comments, please contact Greg Wahl at gtwahl@fs.fed.us or (360) 956-2375. The office business hours for those submitting hand-delivered comments are: 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Those submitting electronic copies must put the project name in the subject line, and must either submit comments as part of the e-mail message or as an attachment only in one of the following three formats: Microsoft Word, rich text format (rtf) or Adobe Portable Document Format (pdf), and can do so to the following e-mail address: gtrue for comments-pacificnorthwest-olympic-pacific@fs.fed.us. In cases where no identifiable name is attached to a comment, a verification of identity will be required for objection eligibility. If using an electronic message, a scanned signature is one way to provide verification. E-mails submitted to e-mail addresses other than the one listed above, in other formats than those listed, or containing viruses, will be rejected.

Written, facsimile, hand-delivered, and electronic comments concerning this action will be accepted until October 31, 2014.

The EA is available for review on-line at: http://www.fs.usda.gov/projects/olympic/landmanagement/projects

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Sincerely,

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