



Quietskies

Over San Juan County

Update: May, 2016

GREETINGS:

DAHR JAMAIL PRESENTATION ON MAY 11:

About 125 of us gathered to hear Dahr Jamail's talk last Wednesday. Dahr presented a sobering picture of how expanding Navy training activities are affecting, not just San Juan County, but a huge area of our Pacific Coast, Washington State, Alaska and beyond. I encourage you to read his latest offering which was published today:

"Navy Allowed to Kill or Injure Nearly 12 Million Whales, Dolphins, Other Marine Mammals in Pacific".
<http://www.truth-out.org/news/item/36037-the-us-navy-s-mass-destruction-of-marine-life>

Here is the link to Dahr's May 11 presentation on Lopez:

[https://www.dropbox.com/s/e6gzzobv7wl0hvg/Navy Presentation.pdf?dl=0](https://www.dropbox.com/s/e6gzzobv7wl0hvg/Navy%20Presentation.pdf?dl=0)

NOISE REPORTING:

Please keep using the San Juan County Noise reporting site: sjcgis.org/aircraft-noise-reporting/

Our data is shared monthly with legislators and the Navy.

*****ONE EXCEPTION TO USING THE SJC SITE*****

If you see a Growler flying with **GEAR DOWN** - report this immediately to the Navy complaint line. They are not supposed to flying over San Juan County with gear down. Pilots are being reprimanded for flying gear down if the reports are made close to the time when the gear-down is observed.

Complaints can be directed to NAS Whidbey Island's comment line at (360) 257-6665, or via E-Mail: Comments@NASWI Comments should note the time an event occurred, where exactly the event occurred and as much detail as possible about what was seen. The Navy requests that people leave their contact information for tracking purposes.

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ELECTION YEAR!

Senator Murray, Representative Larsen, Governor Inslee and State Senator Ranker are up for re-election.

We need to be asking them what they are doing to stop, reduce and mitigate the Navy's expanding war training activities in our area. Contact information for our legislators: www.quietskies.info

We are making a difference with our noise reports and our letters, emails and phone calls to our legislators.

Thanks!

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Thanks to all for working to reclaim our Quiet Skies.

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