<u>SUBMIT COMMENTS</u> MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD ON LOW-FLYING MARYLAND JETS

The Duke Low Military Operations Airspace (MOA) is one step closer to becoming a reality. This new lowaltitude airspace would be maintained by the Maryland Air National Guard and authorize air national guard units from MD, DC, and NJ to fly low-level training operations, using A-10s and F-16s, as low as 100 ft above ground level (AGL) and as often as every other day.

The Maryland Air National Guard (MD ANG) has released the Draft Final Environmental Assessment and the Draft Final Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI),providing one last opportunity for public comment. **The 45-day comment period ends on May 17, 2023.**

Once this low fly zone is established, it will be permanently available to MD, NJ, DC ANGs as well as other military wings and branches. This airspace is likely to be utilized by other military aircraft, besides the A-10 and F-16, particularly since the A-10 is in process of being de-commissioned. The A-10 is currently being replaced by F-16s and in the future it could be replaced by F-35s.

Submit your comments to the MD ANG and send a copy to DCNR, your legislators, and your congressman. The MD ANG does not plan to hold any public meetings on this proposed action. This comment period is your only chance to get your questions answered and your voice heard.

Learn more at https://www.175wg.ang.af.mil/duke-moa-low

Send your comments/concerns/questions to directly to the MD ANG to have your comments recorded in the official record.

Please provide any written comments on the Draft Final EA to the following email address: ngb.a4.a4a.nepa.comments.org@us.af.mil

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