



SERPPAS

Southeast Regional Partnership for
Planning and Sustainability



Since 2005, SERPPAS has been working to preserve compatible land uses around military lands and improve coordination among regions, states, communities, and military services.

BACKGROUND

SERPPAS is essential for the Department of Defense's ability to conduct realistic live-fire training, weapons system testing, and operations critical for preparing a lethal and resilient combat force. Key to this is access to open lands and ranges in the Southeast, which are nestled within a mosaic of natural and working lands and coastlines, including federal, state, and private ownership. SERPPAS promotes and protects warfighter readiness through sustainable land protection and management, ensuring that these landscapes remain accessible and functional for future generations of warfighters in support of our Nation's defense.

PARTNERS

State environmental and natural resource agency officials from across the Southeast partner with the Department of Defense and other federal agencies to address various challenges in the region.



SERPPAS also engages with non-governmental, non-profit, and other regional partnerships/initiatives to realize its mission across the region.

MISSION

To seize opportunities and solve problems that sustain and advance compatible landscapes essential to military readiness and provide mutual and multiple benefits to all the partners, the region, and the nation.

VISION

A sustainable Southeast where SERPPAS partners effectively collaborate to ensure the long-term viability of national defense operations, alongside resilient working lands, abundant natural resources, thriving communities and economies.

PARTNERSHIP GOALS



Strengthen Military Readiness and Resilience



Safeguard Compatible Lands and Land Uses



Advance Regulatory Efficiencies and Consistency

SERPPAS works towards these goals through a Strategic Plan, identifying and implementing collaborative solutions to various challenges affecting national defense, natural resources, working lands, and community resilience in the Southeast region.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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WHAT'S AT STAKE

across the SERPPAS region



2.3M+

acres of military
lands

1,446

plants and animals

Regional Species
of Greatest
Conservation
Need



303

Federally
listed species

39M+

acres of
protected lands



68M+

acres of
farm and
forest lands



118

military
installations
in the
SERPPAS
footprint



5

Sentinel
Landscapes

59M+

population
of SERPPAS
states



17,997

miles
of coastline

