

# South Florida Military Installation Resilience Review

## PROJECT SUMMARY AND UPDATES

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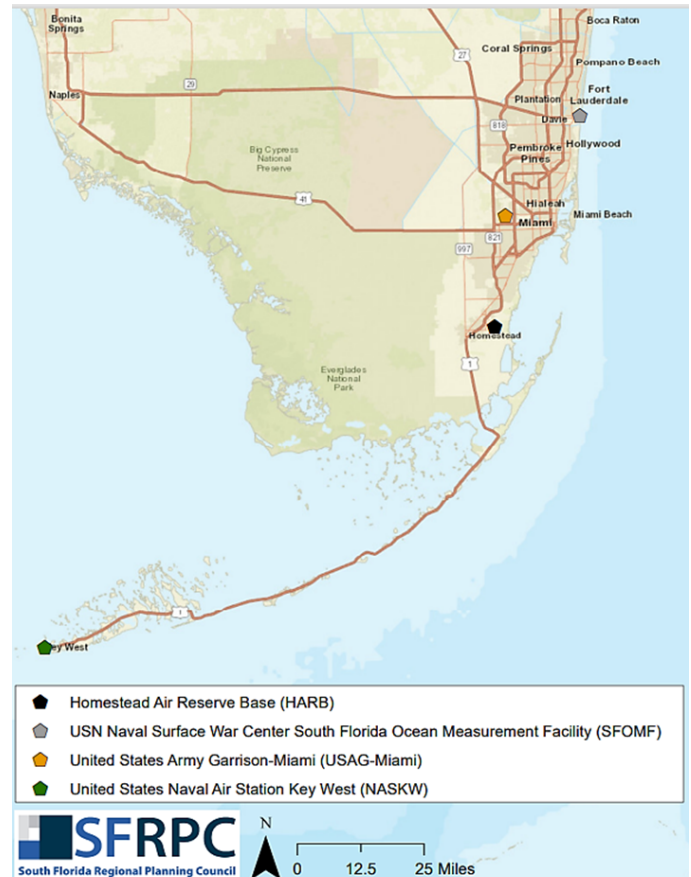
The U.S. Department of Defense Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation (OLDCC) has awarded the South Florida Regional Planning Council (SFRPC) funding to conduct a regional Military Installation Resilience Review (MIRR) of four key military installations over the next 18 months.

### These four installations include:

- Homestead Air Reserve Base (HARB), Miami-Dade County
- United States Army Garrison-Miami (USAG-Miami), Miami-Dade County
- USN Naval Surface War Center South Florida Ocean Measurement Facility (SFOMF), Broward County
- United States Naval Air Station Key West (NASKW), Monroe County

This study will identify the risks, hazards, and vulnerabilities of concern as it relates to the ability of the military to carry out its missions on the base that could be mitigated through investments and solutions outside of the fence line in the surrounding communities.

In October 2021, the SFRPC released two related Requests for Proposals (RFPs) in support of the project; one to assist with local military command coordination, mission analysis, state-wide military support engagement, and overall project management, and a second RFP focused on the required technical assessment and analysis work. The Council created a selection committee composed of five Executive Committee and Board Members, advised by professional staff and legal counsel.



### Consultant Selections:

On December 16th, the Selection Committee awarded the military command coordination efforts to the **South Florida Defense Alliance** and created a finalist list of three vendors who were further reviewed for the technical assessment and analysis work. All three are respected engineering firms with a history of resilience work in South Florida as well as experience with the military. On January 6th, **Jacobs** was selected. Contract development is underway with an anticipated project kick-off in February 2022.

Utilizing the OLDCC grant, and matching funds provided by the Florida Defense Support Task Force, we look forward to working in partnership with the military commands and key stakeholders to enhance the resilience of South Florida's defense installations.

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