

Environment

DPW Forestry Branch Timber/Forest Products Management

- Cost avoidance for construction projects and training lands maintenance
- Complies with Endangered Species Act requirements
- Partners with timber industry, and provides forest products and job opportunities to local and global market
- Average 3K acres of timber harvested in training areas annually

Fiscal Year	Forest Products Revenue	Installation Allocation
FY15	\$3.35M	\$2.17M
FY16	\$3.21M	\$2.14M
FY17	\$3.38M	\$2.40M
FY18	\$2.78M	\$2.22M
FY19	\$2.85M	\$2.30M
TOTAL	\$15.57M	\$11.23M

DPW Forestry Branch Wildland Fire Management

- Frequent prescribed burning reduces wildfire occurrence and severity
- Reduces training delays – not one day of training lost to wildfires since 2000
- Improves training lands – maintains a healthy, resilient, open forest
- Keeps live fire ranges operational even during high fire danger days
- Average 115K acres burned annually
- Georgia Forestry Commission mutual aid MOA

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FY19 Data Contributors

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Fort Stewart & Hunter Army Airfield, Georgia

Economic Impact Analysis and Partner Summary

Fiscal Year 2019 (01 Oct 18 – 30 Sep 19)

RETIREE, EDUCATION & PARTNERSHIP TRIFOLD

Community Support & Partnerships

Fort Stewart and Hunter Army Airfield continue to strengthen our community relationships through the implementation of Intergovernmental Support Agreements (IGSAs) in order to realize cost savings/avoidance for the Army and our community partners. These IGSAs are critical in order to sustain/improve support services for Soldiers and their Families, and our surrounding communities partners.

Emerging Partnerships	Start Date
Animal Control Services with Chatham County:	January 1, 2020
Grounds Maintenance with the City of Hinesville, GA:	May 1, 2020

Existing Partnerships

- Wright Army Airfield's Joint Management Board with Liberty County
- Wastewater Treatment Plan with the City of Hinesville, GA

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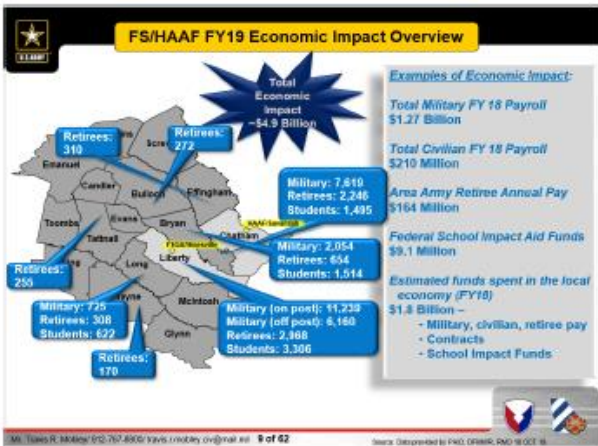
Community Support & Partnerships - Georgia Sentinel Landscape

- 9 DoD installations
- 4 REPI programs
- 4.5 million acres
 - 1.3M "critical" acres
- 3 areas of emphasis
 - REPI buffers
 - Gopher tortoise
 - Savannah River
- More than 20 partner organizations and growing

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Fort Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield (FS/HAAF) is the Army's home in Coastal Georgia for over 21,800 Service Members and a supported population of more than 111,000 Family Members, Civilians, and Retirees. FS/HAAF is the largest military installation east of the Mississippi River, featuring state-of-the-art facilities and more than 284,000 acres of ranges, training areas and operational airspace, which provides exceptional joint training opportunities across the full spectrum of combat operations. FS/HAAF boast an excellent rail and road network to airport and major deep water ports.



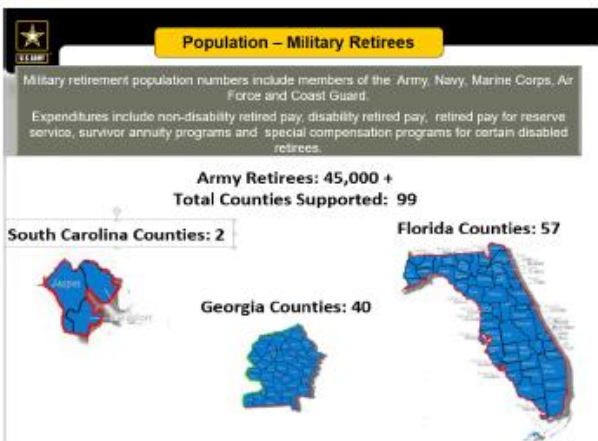
Economic Impact – Military Retirees

Military retirement population numbers include members of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force and Coast Guard. Expenditures include non-disability retired pay, disability retired pay, retired pay for reserve service, survivor annuity programs and special compensation programs for certain disabled retirees.

Area Retirees	County	Population	Expenditures
Retired Army Personnel (within 50 mile radius)		8,771	\$793,920
• Army Retiree Family Members		22,805	\$21,874,080
Total Army Retiree & Family Members		31,576	\$6,858,528
All Retired Personnel (Including Army)		46	\$855,600
• (DOD, USMC, USAF, Navy, Coast Guard)		12,626	\$42,084,192
All Retiree Family Members (Including Army)		63	\$1,171,800
• (DOD, USMC, USAF, Navy, Coast Guard)		32,828	\$61,516,872
		596	\$13,102,464
		98	\$2,154,432
		291	\$5,412,600
		47	\$874,200
		214	\$4,247,472
TOTAL		8,862	\$186,691,330

* Estimation based on 3.6 Family Members per Military Retiree. Source: AG Retirement Services (2017 Data Show)

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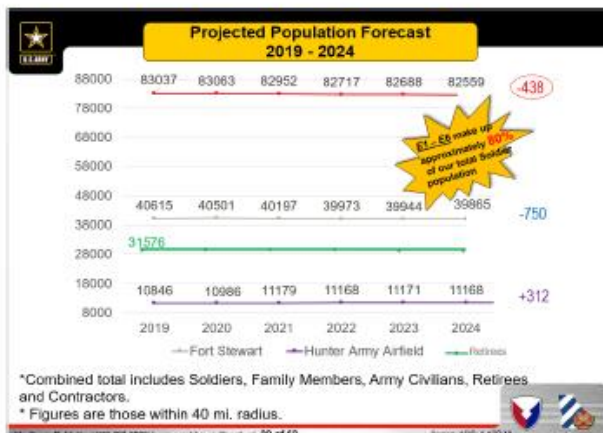
Population – Veterans Expenditures

FY18 Summary of Expenditures (State of Georgia) Expenditures in \$100s

County/Congressional District	Veteran Population*	Total Expenditure	Compensation & Pension	Education & Vocational Rehabilitation/ Employment	Insurance & Indemnities	Medical Care	Total Expenditure
BRYAN	4,821	\$ 56,030	\$ 36,735	\$ 9,142	\$ 200	\$ 9,544	\$ 111,261
BULLOCH	4,504	\$ 36,021	\$ 17,430	\$ 3,818	\$ 265	\$ 13,507	\$ 70,042
CHATHAM	27,583	\$ 237,736	\$ 136,770	\$ 36,994	\$ 2,065	\$ 61,906	\$ 475,471
EFFINGHAM	5,486	\$ 42,547	\$ 26,543	\$ 5,469	\$ 107	\$ 10,428	\$ 85,094
EVANS	737	\$ 4,634	\$ 2,932	\$ -	\$ 12	\$ 1,691	\$ 9,269
LIBERTY	14,780	\$ 161,574	\$ 102,825	\$ 23,171	\$ 325	\$ 35,453	\$ 223,148
LONG	2,580	\$ 22,589	\$ 19,849	\$ 4,689	\$ 183	\$ 7,872	\$ 65,178
MCINTOSH	1,162	\$ 9,805	\$ 5,226	\$ 232	\$ 207	\$ 4,121	\$ 19,613
TATTNALL	1,684	\$ 17,207	\$ 9,962	\$ 1,101	\$ 36	\$ 6,108	\$ 34,413
GEORGIA (Totals)	83,137	\$ 599,744	\$ 358,073	\$ 84,632	\$ 3,403	\$ 150,628	\$ 1,183,488

*Source: VA Health - Figures as of 10 OCT 18

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Economic Impact - Education

Dependents of Soldiers account for 6,560 students, or 9% of the total student population, in surrounding communities.

STUDENT POPULATION/FEDERAL SCHOOL IMPACT AID FUNDS

School District	2018 Aid Funds
Liberty County	\$9,117,142.79
Long County	\$233,965.77
Chatham County	\$183,303.82
Bryan County	\$1,154,768.56
Total Payroll	\$10,689,180.94

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Community Support & Partnerships – Youth Challenge Academy & STARBASE

The Georgia National Guard Youth Challenge Program (GaYCP) provides "at-risk" 16-18 year old youth a second chance. GaYCP operated three Youth Challenge Academies (YCA) that conduct a resident, military style, alternative education program that emphasizes structure, teamwork, discipline and self-improvement.

The three YCAs are located at Ft. Stewart, Ft. Gordon and Milledgeville. GaYCP provides an added value to local communities and generates a 166% return on investment, as determined by a 2012 Rand study.

The Georgia Department of Defense's Peach State STARBASE program seeks to raise the interest of at-risk elementary and middle grades students in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) subjects. This program provides students with stimulating experiences in cutting edge and emerging technologies, while simultaneously exposing them to the technological environments and positive role models found with the Georgia National Guard.

Fifth Grade Starbase Experience

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Quality of Life – Family, Morale, Welfare & Recreation (FMWR)

Child & Youth Services

Services: Parent Central Services, Outreach Services, CYS Nurse, CYS Nutritionist, School Liaison Officer, Youth Sports, Instructional Programs

2019 Statistics

- Number of Households Registered: 3,654
- Children Registered: 5,602
- Active Military: 3,288
- Number of Children that Utilized Programs: 3,877

Facilities: 7 Child Development Centers, 2 School Age Centers, 2 Youth Centers

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Community Support & Partnerships

Army Community of Excellence (ACOE) & Commander-in-Chief Award

WELCOME TO FORT STEWART, GEORGIA
An Army Community of Excellence

Best Army Installation 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009, 2012, 2015, 2019

Fort Stewart and Hunter Army Airfield continues to build on our tradition as an Army Community of Excellence evidenced by an unprecedented seven-time Army Communities of Excellence and Commander-in-Chief's Gold Medalist Award winner in 2004, 2005, 2006, 2009, 2012, 2015 and 2019.

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