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Mr. Nick Turse
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Dear Mr. Turse:

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of February 13, 2014 made to the Chief of Naval Operations (DNS-36) for copies of command briefings for senior level dignitaries and congressional delegations produced from January 1, 2013 through February 13, 2014. Your request was forwarded from Commander, U.S. Pacific Fleet and received August 11, 2014. Your request was assigned file number FOIA CNSF FY2014-16.

We have attached two briefs that respond to your request.

There are no assessable fees associated with your request.

If you believe that the enclosed documents are not adequate, you are advised of your right to appeal this determination, in writing, to the Judge Advocate General of the Navy (Code 14), 1322 Patterson Avenue SE, Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066. Your appeal must be postmarked within 60 calendar days from the date of this letter to be considered. A statement as to why your appeal should be granted should be included and the enclosed copy of this letter should be attached. Both the appeal letter and the envelope should bear the notation, "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

Any questions concerning this matter should be directed to Mrs. Amy Rodriguez, at (619)437-2206 or amy.l.rodriguez@navy.mil.

Sincerely,

M. J. JAEGER
Captain, U.S. Navy
Judge Advocate General's Corps
Force Judge Advocate
By direction of the Commander

Enclosure: 1. OSD SES APEX Brief, Vice Admiral Tom Copeman, of 13 September 2013
2. Surface Force Training HASC Brief, Rep. Forbes Brief of 02 April 2013

Vice Admiral Tom Copeman

Commander, Naval Surface Forces

Agenda

1. Welcome APEX 37
2. Global Presence
3. San Diego Footprint
4. Surface Warfare
5. Priorities
6. Financial Outlook
7. LCS
8. Moving Forward

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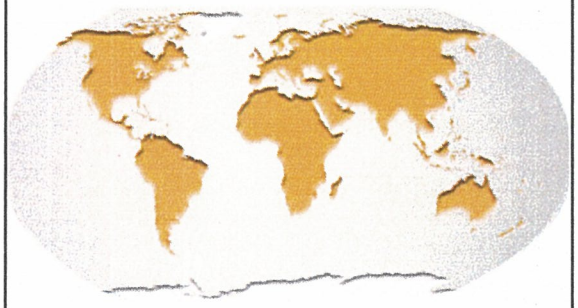
Map Slide



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San Diego's Global Leadership

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Surface Warfare at a Glance

11% of Navy Budget

17% of Navy Manning

26% of Navy Maintenance $

33% of Navy Procurement $

Globally deployed right now

(52% of all ships are at sea)

Preponderance of Navy

(Ships comprise 73% of Fleet)

USN Budget

- Forward Presence
- Deterrence
- Sea Control
- Power Projection
- Maritime Security
- Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief (HADR)

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CNSF Commander's Priorities

1. Developing Our Sailors
2. Training our Crews to Fight and Win
3. Providing Warships Ready for Combat

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ENCLOSURE (1)

Financial Outlook

- **ALT POM 15**
  - CG Force Structure
  - LSD Force Structure
  - NAMDC
  - Buy Back Wholeness Deficits
- **CNO Availabilities (FY14/FY15 1B4B)**
  - FY14: 12 of 33 CNO Avails Fully Funded
  - FY15: 15 of 36 CNO Avails Fully Funded
  - Assume 50% Reduction in Funding
- **2nd / 3rd Order Effects Are Unknown**

Manage Wholeness Vs. Force Structure

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LCS

"Once the mission modules are in place LCS becomes a game-changer…"

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Moving the Community Forward

Developing Sailors

- Increase technical expertise
- ATG billets established
- RMC
- CSMM
- Top Snipe
- SMC

Ready for Combat

- Surface Team One
- SURFMEPP
- TSRA
- Improving INSURV results
- Higher A_o
- Allowancing improvements
- LCS deployment lessons

Training to Win

- WCOE
- WTI
- Implemented SFRM
- Revive live firings
- Waterfront BDOC
- "Ship as a Classroom"

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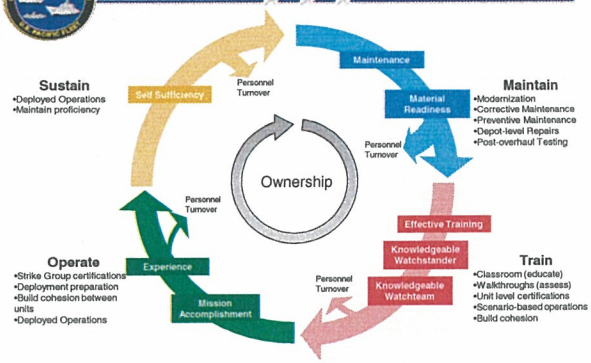
Rep. Forbes Brief
Surface Force Training

02 April 2013

SFRM Fundamental Tenets



Basic Phase Training

17-21Mission Areas per Ship

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• Pre-Training Visit •Material and Administration Training	• Material Assessment • Administrative Review	•Theory/Fund •Classroom Training •Operator Training •Watch Stander Training	• Watch Team Training • Live Training Exercises • Synthetic Scenarios • Operations	• Mission Area Qualification • Proficiency Demos •Live Fire Events • Level of Knowledge Exams

Mobility Training		Unit Tactical Training	
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~2400 Trainer Mandays per Ship

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