Jet Noise Reports, January 2015 - August, 2018

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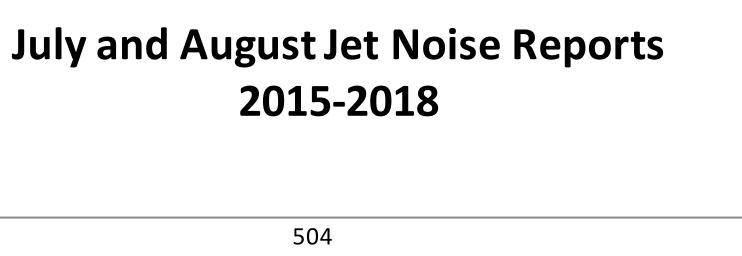


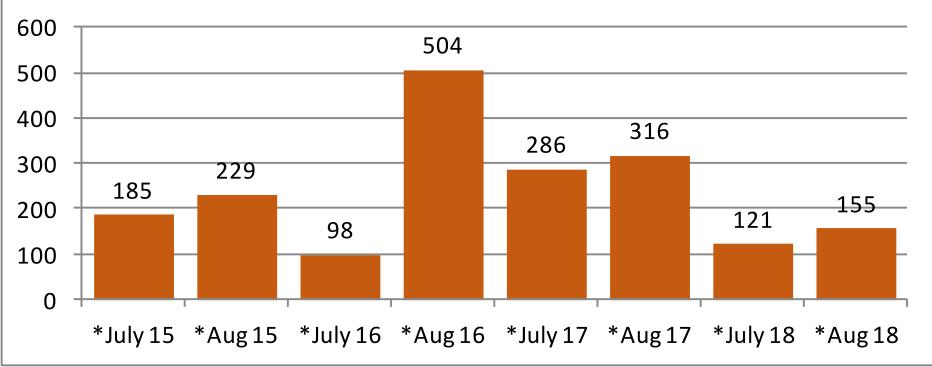
The San Juan County Jet Aircraft Noise Reporting website http://sicgis.org/aircraft-noise-reporting/ was developed and approved by the County Council to enable San Juan County residents to have a reliable source for recording and tracking their comments and complaints about jet noise from Naval Air Station Whidbey Island. Reporting began on May 15, 2014; data has been analyzed for this report since January 2015.

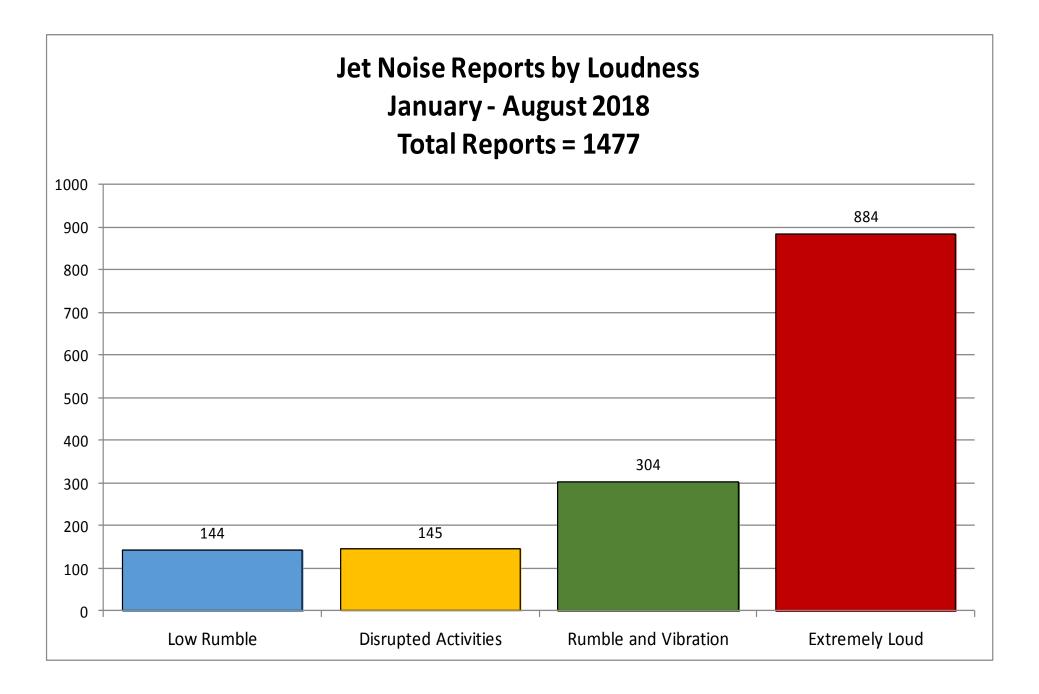
As these reports are compiled it has become increasingly apparent that some residents are reporting multiple noise incidents in their comments and in the section titled "Time", but they are consolidating these incidents into one single report. See the comments on page 6 for examples. A report is only counted once despite the internal reference to multiple incidents. Thus, the number of noise incidents is actually much larger than the number of reports.

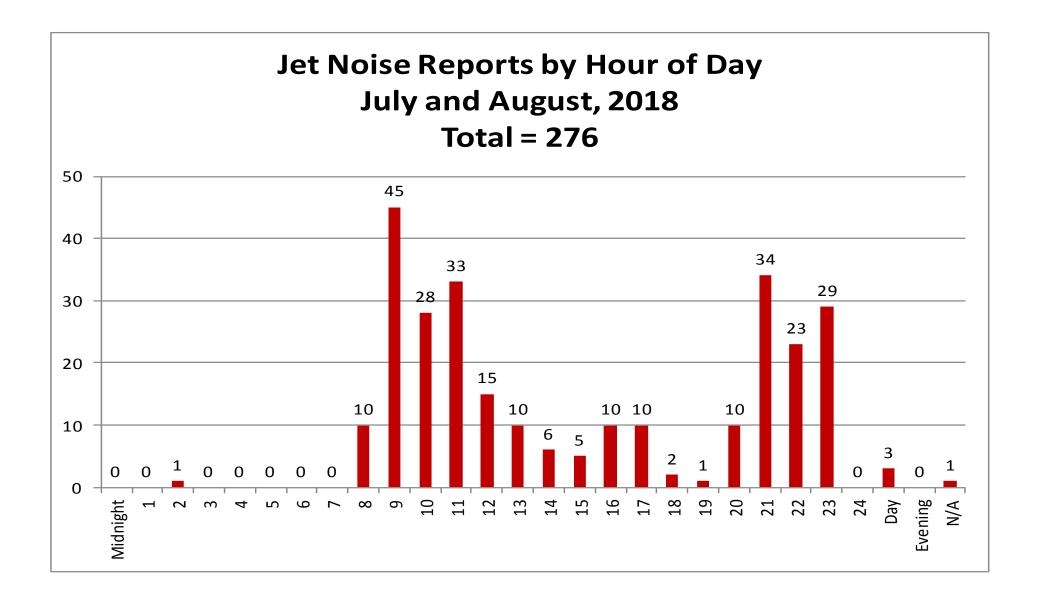
Some residents have instruments that measure the decibels inside their home, as seen in a number of the comments. Noise level is measured in decibels, with lawn mowers producing around 90 dB. This is louder than traffic noise -- which averages around 80 dB. As seen in reports now and over the past years, and currently, *Growler jets are producing anywhere from 65 to 118 dBA inside homes*.

Total noise events in 2018 are on track to match 2015 through 2017. The Comments beginning on page 6 tell the human story.

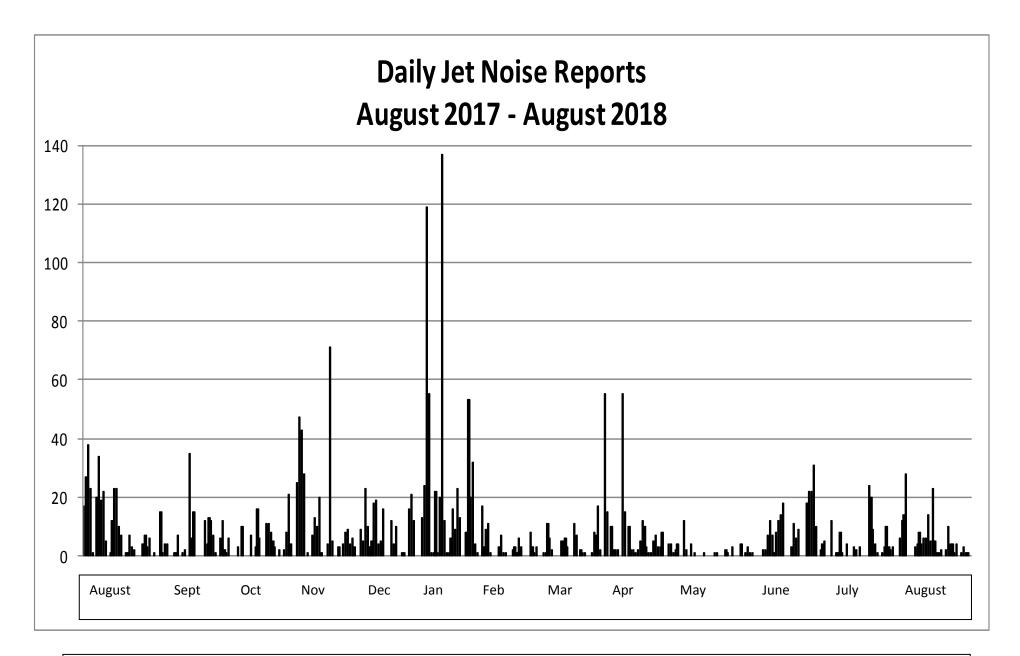








For example, reports submitted reporting noise 11:00 am through 11:59am are clustered in the 11 o'clock hour. Some reports do not include a specific time. For those, related data may indicate Day or Evening. In some cases, time of the noise event cannot be discerned from entered data and is recorded as N/A.



This chart presents the number of noise reports by day, from August 1, 2017, through August 31, 2018. As seen in this chart, there are many days when the noise is so excessive that there are many reports. Interspaced are days with few reports. The Navy persists in using "annual noise averaging," significantly underestimating of the impact of jet noise. There is no "average" level of noise.

Comments Submitted with July and August, 2018, Reports

Loud jet rumblings coming from Whidbey. At first I was alarmed and thought it was thunder, worried because it looked like a nice day.

Roar of airfield can be heard to the point where it is heard INSIDE a well insulated house! Lasts 30 to Forty Seconds Multiple times.

Apparently the war has begun, 8:26am and it sounds like bombing from Whidbey. Deep roar and rumble and sound vibrations.

Jet noise starting at 8:30 AM and continued through out the day until 10:00PM

7/3/18, Tuesday, S LOPEZ: 8:30 - 9:30am HUGE intermittent BLASTS.

Can't sleep because of growler practice at Whidbey NAS. So, why don't our representatives in gov't- Murray, Cantwell & Larsen- do something on our behalf? Because they could care less... we are collateral damage due to the military and politicians!

11:42pm. ANOTHER flyover. LOUD!!!!

Huge and loud jet rumble this morning. South Lopez. 8:40am

Immediately after one blast of jet roar, we are now getting another big blast. 8:44am

7/24/18, Tue, S LOPEZ: The day begins on Navy time - 70 decibels in the house

Skies are roaring with jet noise. This is invasive noise that is just plain WRONG for this region. Tired of my tax money funding military/Navy abuse.

7/4/18, WED, S LOPEZ: 79 decibels in the house

7/16/18, Mon., S LOPEZ: 11pm - 12:30am. Impossible to sleep with the roaring and Blasting.

7/22/18, Sunday, S LOPEZ: Walking on Natl. Monument lands - LOUD - earsplitting noise - roars across Rosario Straits.

7/3/18, Tuesday, S LOPEZ: 85 decibels in the house.

8/23/18, Thur, S. LOPEZ: Natl. Monument lands. Heavy SMOKE, no FCLP's scheduled and yet, the Growlers are ROARING, BLASTING AND flying over us. 11:23am - 1:37pm. Recording 82.5 - 95 decibels outside. Painful!

Jet roaring this morning becoming more intense. Noise coming from Whidbey. Pretty constant.....

7/26/18, Thur, S LOPEZ: 11:45am - 12:30pm Steady ROAR

One right after another. Loud jet roaring. If I have soccer on the TV and the vacuum cleaner running and I am inside, I think that jet noise I can hear over that household noise means the jets are TOO LOUD.Long rumbling echoing across the sky for 5+ minutes disrupted my work

We have experienced some jet noise in the skies this morning. Rumbles that are very loud. Sounds like we live a few blocks away from Sea Tac.

7/3/18, Tuesday, S LOPEZ: 78 decibels in the house

Jet roaring in the skies. Very loud and echo-ey. Jets sound like they are roaring around.

Big rumbling roar of jet noise. Thunder in the distance. Center of Lopez

7/26/18, Thur, S LOPEZ: 85 decibels in the house - overflight. WHY do the Growlers have to fly over S. Lopez? There's 10 miles of Rosario Straits to fly in!

Big jet rumble to the south, rolling right into our home.

Have been hearing fairly consistent jet rumbling toward the south. Bothersome. Roar, quieter, Roar, quieter, Roar, quieter...on and on.

ANOTHER jet roar in the skies. The rumbling is ubiquitous. The skies echo with jet noise. Now it sounds like the jet is headed our way....the roaring is getting deeper and louder as I write. The Navy just walks these jets right into our home.

7/18/18, Wed., S LOPEZ: On the beach at Sperry. Huge Blasts from 11am - 12noon. As usual, nothing scheduled until tonight.

Another jet roaring fills the skies. It is like constant thunder this morning, as if the jets are just rolling around in the skies. Very loud. Heard over the dishwasher and TV. May as well have a lawn mower running in my home.

Getting ready for bed, a growler roars over our home and hill. This is one of a series of growler overflights tonight which have disrupted all activities that require concentration and peace of the evening. Growlers must go to a less inhabited area!

Another disruptive, sleep shattering growler overflight. The Navy has no care for citizens subject to its abuse.

8/30/18, Thur, S. LOPEZ: Screaming Overflights at 10:55pm

TWO jets flying over together. Flying right over my house. I am able to see many details of the jets they are so low.

I am compelled to report again at the continuous jet noise in the skies. 11:08am. It is insistent, distracting, irritating. Would Larsen, Cantwell, and Murray live here and put up with this? I doubt it. Hypocrites as they talk about quality of life.

Low flying Growler aircraft

Single fly over headed towards Anacourtes.....turning and extremly loud

7/27/18,Fri, Mid LOPEZ: Frightening loud Over flight if Midnights Farm - almost 20 miles from Ault Field. WHY do the Growlers need to fly over Lopez Island!!!!

Over 2 hours of low rumbling (Build a hush house!)

7/6/18, FRI, S LOPEZ: Huge Roar

Very loud jet overhead. Long oncoming roar and long roar thereafter.

7/3/18, Tuesday, S LOPEZ: Low roar

We continue to hear and be annoyed by loud jet rumblings. On and off all day. 12:51pm South Lopez.

12:55pm. Experiencing jet roaring in the skies, coming from the south. Like constant thunder, like trains rolling in front of the house. Lopez may be a tourist destination, but I'll be damned if I will ask friends to visit because of the noise.

1:04pm. Arrived home from the Village and met by booming skies. Jet noise all around. Jet activity to the south of us, it seems.

Skies are roaring with jet noise from the south. Unpleasant to be outside. Roaring Roaring Roaring Roaring. May as well live next to SeaTac,

Was going for a bike ride, but within the first 2 minutes a tremendous jet roar filled the skies. No reason to bike during what sounds like WAR. Turned back. Disgusted that jet noise fills our skies.

Was outside and experienced the roaring of jet noise. Hard to tell the direction since the skies are filled with the booming.

The rumbling has gone on for several hours already and is getting stronger as I write. No peace today!

Loud consistent roaring. Has been going on for the last 15 minutes $\,$

7/9/18, Mon., S LOPEZ: 2 - 5pm , sounds like FCLP. None scheduled until night.

Was intending to cycle over to Iceberg Pt after my work is done, but the skies are so full of jet noise I can see that it would not be possible. National War Zone Monument, indeed. Thanks, Rep Larsen.

Was outside, but the insistent rumble of jet noise is so annoying that I returned to my home office. Easier to do work inside than put up with annoying jet noise outside.

The jet noise today is like constant thunder, not too far away, sounding like a storm is approaching. Rumble, roar, rumble, roar. Like a bad dream.

Loud aircraft/jet overhead. Cloudy, so it is unseen, but it is heard, LOUDLY.

Very loud jet. Loud noise penetrated my home. 3:18pm, July 18.

continual noise for past 20 minutes

Outside and hearing very loud jet roaring. Continuous

Growler flying roughly sw to ne. Very loud.

constant roar

Inundated with jet rumblings from Whidbey. There is thunder in the air. Constant.

7/30/18, Mon, S. LOPEZ: 5 - 6pm - 65 decibels in the house.

5:10pm, July 19. We have been experiencing ROARING skies this week, and another jet roar just now. We might as well have coal trains rolling down our street. Is this what legislators call protecting our environment? Hypocrites.

The jet roaring comes as one explosion after another. Boom Boom Boom. It is a disturbing noise. Penetrates our home.

5:23pm, July 19. Navy jet flyover, south Lopez. Low and screaming. Heading toward Whidbey.

7/25/18, Wed, S LOPEZ: 86 decibels in the house.

Rumbling all day long and growing louder

7/17/18, Tue., S LOPEZ: Another late night 9 - 11:30pm . Wearing Bose noise canceling headphones to bed.

7/24/18, Tue, S LOPEZ: 9pm - 10:15pm. It's really hard to be tethered to the Navy schedule. Their BLASTS wake us in the AM and we wait for their final ROARS to finally sleep.

beautiful evening marred by groaning rumbles from the south. can hear and feel them- disquieting/uncomfortable as always. Anacortes near ferry.

Very loud jet roaring. 9:11 pm. Not a commercial jet. Long roar like the Growler.

Thunderous roaring from another jet, right after another one.... 9:12pm.

9:15pm. July 17. Growler streaking, screaming and roaring over Mud Bay, headed toward Whidbey. Long protracted roaring. Ear piercing.

7/31/18, Tue, S. LOPEZ: ROAR begins for the night.

Extremely loud jet overhead. South Lopez. Characteristic roar of the growler followed by an even longer roar as it moves away.

Testing testing testing. Just Loud disruption to the evening activity. Deep disturbing droning of engines

7/10/18, Tue., S LOPEZ: Blasts! Disturbing our guests

9:28pm. South end of Lopez. Very loud jet overhead. Signature Growler roar as it nears us and prolonged roar as is disappears. TOO LOUD.

Yet again woken from peaceful sleep by disquieting horrid rumbling- no chance to be well rested for early work tomorrow. Unhealthy and collateral damage,

7/9/18, Mon., S LOPEZ: More BLASTS

7/12/18, Thur., S LOPEZ: 9:30pm - 12 midnight . Extremely noisy

7/30/18, Mon, S. LOPEZ: 9:30pm More Roaring!

The skies are ROARING. It is 9:36pm. CONSTANT ROARING!!!!!. Jet activity at NASWI.

Time to rest and it is time for sinister rumblings to the south. Sounds of Warcraft marring peace- feel it in the bones.

It has been a peaceful few weeks even with the Fourth of July. But the growlers are always it tonight keeping us awake.have to close all the doors and windows on this lovely eve and put on ear protection inside the house.

9:47pm. Jet noise in the sky is everywhere, coming from Whidbey. Sounds like jet engines revving up, revving up, revving up.... Never ending this evening.

Rumbling jet noise from Whidbey. 9:55pm. South Lopez.

Extremely loud jet over South Lopez 10:05pm.

Conversation was disrupted this evening with remarks about loud jet rumblings from NASWI. 10:10pm.

10:24pm. Wishing to go to bed, but the jet roaring and booming is disruptive. No rest.

The base noise is bad enough but now they are flying over Lopez at night. Not sure how this helps aircraft landings!

7/30/18,Mon, S. LOPEZ: More ROARING AND BLASTING

7/31/18, Tue, S. LOPEZ: Roaring again 65 decibels

10:45pm. We are hearing a lot of jet noise in the skies. It's late. When will this die down so we can sleep? South Lopez.

Low rumble in the skies from Whidbey activity. It's late! 10:51pm. South end of Lopez.

10:51 pm. A screaming jet overhead. Scream fades and the roar blasts us. It is almost 11pm. Is this a neighbor-friendly Navy? NOT.

Well past bedtime- woken from sleep by low vibrating roaring- shaking the skies. Abuse

10:53pm. ANOTHER screaming and roaring jet overhead. The noise is deafening. 10:53pm. Are we allowed to sleep? The Growlers do NOT belong here.

Nearly 11pm on and the Navy is waking and shaking those in western Fidalgodepriving all manner of people of peace, quiet and good health.

11pm and still making sounds of war- marring sleep and peace. Anacortes by ferry

11:04pm, July 17. We have been enduring this second night of late night screaming jets overhead. I blame Larsen, Cantwell and Murray for not defending us. growlers over a populated area is NOT appropriate and indefensible.

11:06pm, July 16. Loud jet noise penetrates our home. Sounds like jets flying back toward Whidbey, but I am inside and do not want to get up and see.

11:08pm July 16, according to my clock. Two minutes ago we had a loud jet overhead, now another. An approaching roar, then another roar as it moves away.

11:11pm, July 16. Now it is looking like we have a stream of jet traffic going overhead. Every two or three minutes. Loud roaring.

11:12pm, July 16. OK, now I am worried, this sounds like it is going to go on for a long time. This is the 4th flyover since 11:06.

11:12pm, July 17. More jet rumbling in the skies, noise invading our home at this late hour.

Intermittent roaring from the south- interrupting the otherwise peaceful night. Heard from Anacortes near the ferry. Disturbing

11:14pm. ANOTHER jet overhead. They come one after another at this late hour. When is this going to stop????

11:16pm . July 16. Another jet overhead.

11:18pm. July 16. I am recording each flyover. It is after 11pm, and the Navy is practicing its special form of abuse on us with jets roaring overhead.

Loud flyovers are disrupting our sleep tonight. It is criminal these "dress rehearsals" are more important than the health and well being of U.S. citizens. Growlers must go elsewhere!

11:20pm. 7th loud jet flying over since 11:06pm. Doors and windows shut, yet we have jet thunder inside.

11:22pm, July 17. ANOTHER roaring jet overhead. Sleep?????

11:23pm. July 16. The jet roaring goes on and on. South end of Lopez.

11:25pm. July 17. A horrible night. Right now ANOTHER loud jet overhead. Second night in a row for this abuse from the Navy.

Ongoing disruption of our sleep, courtesy of growler practise from Whidbey NAS. The Navy acts with impunity, without regard for the people they purport to be protecting. Growlers need to be relocated to an unpopulated regionnow!

11:26pm. ANOTHER jet roaring overhead. Still sounds like they are bringing one jet over at a time, spaced about 2-3 minutes apart.

11:29pm. Again, another jet roars over us.

11:31pm, July 16. This is the 11th jet roaring over us since 11:06. ...since I started recording the times of the jet noise.

11:32pm, July 17. We continue to endure flyovers one after the other, thundering noise into our home. Sleep is out of the question.

Another late night disruption of sleep due to Whidbey NAS growler practices. I bet Rep. Rick Larsen is sleeping peacefully in his bed. He has no concern for the ordinary citizen, and what we endure under his watch. Growlers must go!

11:35pm. Obviously we are not allowed to sleep on Lopez. Jets have been roaring over us this evening.

11:36pm. July 17. ANOTHER loud jet overhead.

11:45pm. Another loud flyover. A barrage of jets this past hour. This is it. Now I am putting on noise cancelling headphones to block out this disruption. In my own home I have to ear headphones, and the Navy says there is no impact. Really?

A relentless series of loud overflights that make sleep impossible. We live in a sacrificial zone, where the Navy trumps all other priorities, even the health of U.S. citizens. We must raise our voices in protest. This is unjust!

7/23/18, Mon, S LOPEZ: 80 decibels in the house. More giant BLASTS. Hoping it ends so we can all sleep.

2 very loud jet roars

Low rumbling off and on throughout the day.

Walked outside, but not too long. Annoyed and disturbed the the jet noise in the sky. A low thunder that rolls around.

Multiple passes of what looks like a Navy 737 at low level over my house

8/26/18, Sun, S. LOPEZ: 8:49 am, 8:54am, 8:56am Long BLASTS AND ROARS. Sounds like engine testing on a SUNDAY! company from Seattle is horrified that the this is allowed to happen to our community.

As the smoke final clears out out=r Navy Jets are busy at work on a SUNDAY pumping the air full of NOISE and CO2. LOUD

8/15/18, Wed, S. LOPEZ: 9 -10 am STEADY NOISE.

Loud rumbling and some vibrations from takeoffs at Whidbey

On a Sunday morning!!?? Not that they're ever welcome.

9:08am. Saturday. Jet SCREAMING overhead. Followed by extended roaring as it leaves. Startled me. Mud Bay.

Crackling loud and ditectly overhead, disrupting conversation

8/12/18,SUN, S. LOPEZ: Walking National Monument Lands. Deafening overflights

9:12am, Saturday. Reported a screaming jet a few minutes ago, seems like it (or another) is back, screaming and roaring again. Is the Navy circling us for

fun? Now it is coming around again. Cloudy, cannot see it. Pilots having fun on our tax dollars?

many jets all this morning (& yesterday) — we used to have quiet on wkend mornings @ least but seems growlers @ all times of everyday is the new "normal" — horrible! it's sunday & jets been roaring for hours already. you've killed the san juan is.

Flying Low and loud today. Ear piercing.

9:13am. Sunday. Loud roar (take-off?) followed by shrieking jet overhead, followed by more loud roaring as it moves west. Still roaring. South Lopez

9:15am. Sat. Getting ANOTHER round of loud jet screaming and roaring. South Lopez. Seems like they are just circling overhead since the roaring comes from various directions. Seems like a planned Navy assault on Lopez or pilots sightseeing?

9:15am. Sunday. Just made a report and here is another jet or the same, screaming above us, as if we are being circled. Feels like war. Still screaming as it circles around......now roaring. South Lopez.

Loud blast, flyover after a night of several last night.

8/15/18, Wed, S. LOPEZ: 86.2 decibels in the house. Overflight of 2 Growlers. Unbelievable loud a nd jarring.

Sunday morning!!

9:18am. Sat. We are being subjected to a barrage of jet noise this morning. Multiple jets? A circling jet? Cloudy. But it is very disruptive. It penetrates inside our home. Glad I am not outside where it must be deafening.

9:18am Sunday. Jet is still circling around with screams and roars. Pilot just having fun? Sunday morning abuse. Is this what Larsen thinks is important?

9:20am. Sat. The BARRAGE continues. Jet(s) roaring and schreeching above. VERY LOUD. Here is another one.....

9:21am. Continued jet roaring, as one or more jets roll around our skies. South Lopez.

8/12/18,SUN, S. LOPEZ: Series of crushing blasts. Walking on Natl. Monument lands.

9:26am. Sunday. Jet roaring around again. What's going on? Games? Pilots sightseeing?

8/12/18,SUN, S. LOPEZ: Walking Natl. Monument lands. A tourist asked me what the noise was . . . Could hardly believe that this kind of ROAR and BLAST is happening and that San Juan County lives with this almost every day.

Excessive roaring from a jet above Mud Bay. Very loud as it was approaching, and then the extra loudness when overhead and then disappearing.

Penetrated our home and overwhelmed all other sounds. Still roaring.

Loud growler jet overhead

First jet roar of the morning. South Lopez. The noise begins!

Unbelievably loud, ear splitting, had to stop all work.

Loud jet overhead. Cloudy, so no specific sighting. A deep deep roar, so not a commercial jet. Still roaring.

8/8/18, Wed, S. LOPEZ: 9:37am Absolutely crushingly loud noise. Walking on Natl. Monument lands - no where to get away from the BLAST.

Multiple low-level growler aircraft with landing gear down

Loud rumble, not visible

Loud jet roaring above. South end of Lopez.

Deep jet roaring in the south. Long long long, deep and penetrating roar.

The skies are rumbling LOUDLY with jet noise. Sounds like the jets are to the south of us, but the noise fills the skies. Growlers are too loud! Larsen, do your part to clean up our skies! This is NOT a war zone!

Another LOUD jet overhead this morning. Mud Bay. The whole house is filled with jet roaring. I am trying to WORK!! I feel invaded, and distracted.

8/8/18, Wed, S. LOPEZ: 9:54am Still trying to get away from the noise - overflight!!!!

Now we have another jet on the heels of the other. Extremely LOUD. What is this? "Time to buzz Mud Bay?" This is abuse.

Noise lasting a half hour

LOUD jet overhead, Mud Bay. Blocked out what I could hear on a conference call.

8/7/18, Tue, S. LOPEZ: 10:02am:90.2 decibels in the house.

Incredibly long and deep scream and roar of jet. South Lopez. The noise totally took over my home. Still roaring. Still roaring. Must be in Anacortes by now.

8/22/18, Wed, S. LOPEZ: HEAVY SMOKE and the Growlers are adding their exhaust to the toxic mix.

Jet noise in the sky above us. Jet rumbling from the south. Noisy activity from Whidbey.

Very loud flight over, again had to stop all work.

Multiple low-level Growlers over house

Loud jet over our island home

Another loud jet roaring around south Lopez.

Low flying Growler

multiple fly overs, some extremely loud....lasting over an hour.

8/10/18,Fri, S. LOPEZ: More BLASTS!

8/2/18, thur, S. LOPEZ: 80 decibels another overflight to start our morning.

low & loud; 2 growlers I believe

Loud LOW Growler on approach over Mud Bay. Sudden Deep penetrating roar as it turned toward Anacortes. The roar keeps going, as if it is circling.

DEAFENING. Had to put my hands over my ears as I had the misfortune to be outside. Unacceptable.

Rumbling skies from jet activity. Very disturbing. Seems constant now.

Loud flyover, disrupted a phone call

8/21/18, Tue, S. LOPEZ: 10:35 -11am Constant overflights. We are living in a WAR TRAINING ZONE.

Prolonged rumbling from jet noise. A long rolling thunder.

Loud jet overhead. Long drawn out roaring.

This morning we are getting pretty constant jet rumblings and roarings. Annoying and disturbing to have this constant thunder. Growlers are wrong for this region .

Another loud jet overhead south Lopez.

Loud jet again. south end of Lopez.

Multiple low-flying growler aircraft over my house all morning

A lot of jet roaring to the northeast of us. Can't see jets but can hear them roaming and roaring around. Very loud and almost continuous. Typical growler noise. Disturbing to be outside, so I am now inside.

Very low overflights. Multiple aircraft and flights. Very loud. The collective head of the Navy is stuck so deep in the sand that the Navy can not see the harm they are causing to local citizens living near the base.

8/21/18, Tue, S. LOPEZ: 11-11:37am ROARING AND BLASTING CONTINUES with SHRIEKING overflights.

Very loud blasts 11:06am, 11:15am, 11:23am, 11:28am, 11:32am. Also quite a few blasts earlier in the morning

Another loud jet over interrupting my work

Very loud, low-flying growler aircraft over Lopez Village

What the H???? I am in my home office, and it is so loud I have to plug my ears!

Screaming roar of jet. South Lopez. Noise is rolling around.

8/2/18, thur, S. LOPEZ: Another screaming vibrating overflight.

Screaming loud roaring jet over Mud Bay.

Blasted in the middle of an international phone call. Could not continue the conversation. Ear shattering.

again, second time, extremely loud in my office

ANOTHER loud jet roar in the sky. Echoing round and round the sky.

8/16/18, Thur, S. LOPEZ: BLAST!!!

We have had rolling jet thunder in the skies this morning. Activity at Whidbey...sounds like jets running their engines and/or taking off.

Booming and roaring Growler.

Loud jets swooping and screaming overhead this morning. here comes another one.

The rumble of the Jets in incredible loud. Conversations had to be stopped. We could feel the vibration. This is much too loud and close. Why are they above the Island and not out at sea?

More jet roaring. Thought I might cycle to Ice Berg this morning, but I can tell the roaring is even louder there.

Huge boom and vibration. Jet taking off? Shook me. Mud Bay.

Loud Growler jet over Mud Bay. Moving toward Whidbey. TOO LOUD. Characteristic huge roar as it makes a turn. We live in a war zone.

For the past hour I have been outside and disturbed by continuous and intense rumbling from Whidbey jet activity. Thunder sounds loom from the south and there is no escaping the roar.

8/24/18, Fri, S. LOPEZ: HUGE ROAR!!! Outside - no where to get away from the noise.

8/31/18, Fri, S. LOPEZ: 12 noon to 1 pm. Sounds like FCLP's - none scheduled for Ault. Appear to have moved them from OLF and of course, did not notify of the change

Couldn't hear the person on the phone, had to pause work

Loud jet over South Lopez. Cloudy, so I could not see it, but it was loud and long.

Was trying to sit outside for a few minutes on break from work. South Lopez.Closed my eyes.And suddenly there I was, next to Sea Tac with jet roarings. That is what South Lopez sounds like right now. Came inside. Why live where it is like SeaTac?

Roaring in the skies continues. Non-stop activity from Whidbey is sending a constant rumbling of jet noise our way. South Lopez.

Low flying growler aircraft near my house

Outside on my lunch hour and aqll I hear is the thunder of jet activity from Whidbey. Constant roaring. Had to come inside to escape.

THUNDEROUS ROAR now coming inside my home from Whidbey activity. Jet roaring fills the air.

Annoyed that I cannot be outside without hearing constant roaring of jet activity from NASWI 1:28pm

Military airplane noise, not scheduled noise and aggravating. This is the San Juans, a national monument !?!

SCREEEEEAAAAMMMMING jet overhead. Mud Bay. Cloudy, so I cannot see it, but with this long scream and roar.....and now the follow-up roar, it is a growler.

Low loud jets over our home

8/13/18,Mon, S. LOPEZ: 3:30 - 4pm - HUGE CRUSHING BLASTS from fly overs.

Big roaring of jet noise in the skies. South Lopez. 3:35pm

Loud roaring from a jet in the air somewhere near here. Roar, Roar...then more roaring. South Lopez.

8/1/18, Wed, S. LOPEZ: 4 - 6:30pm FCLP from Ault

Jet noise still rolls right into our home this afternoon. Must be flying south of us, but the noise comes right here.

8/23/18, Thur, S. LOPEZ: 411pm - 4:30pm. Constant noise - on a day with zero FCLP's scheduled

Jet noise rolling over us, like thunder. South Lopez.

Low flying growler aircraft

8/2/18,thur, S. LOPEZ: 4:30 - 5:30pm constant FCLP roaring.

8/9/18, Thur, S. LOPEZ: 80.5 decibels in the house at 4:55pm

Sounds a whole lot like a very big jet, a very big roar. Not a commercial jet. Startled me.

Navy jet loud and screaming and roaring over Mud Bay, 5:35pm. Stopped me in my tracks. Ear splitting.

A loud booming roar. Jet activity. South Lopez.

8/1/18,Wed, S. LOPEZ: 6:45pm GIANT ROAR AND BLAST 71.7 - 82.3 decibels. FCLP's are over - Why do the Growlers have to land in the noisiest way?!!!! Because they can.

8/2/18,thur, S. LOPEZ: Noise started at 10:32 this morning - Finally finishing up with 2 hours of FCLP from 7:30 - 9:30pm - About 11 hours of noise - Completely CRAZY MAKING.!!!!!!

8/28/18, Tue, S. LOPEZ: 7:45pm the Wall of Sound begins. 7:50pm-everything vibrating, 7:52pm 88.7 decibels in the house.

Tried to walk and capture a RARE quiet evening on Lopez, but AHA! The evening sky suddenly RIPPED wide open with a tremendous BOOM and ROAR. Sounded like jets taking off from Whidbey. Then heard what I think was the escalation of the flight(s).

Extremely low, even louder than "usual", must have been "flying dirty" to feel so much like it was going to land on our roof!!

8/13/18, Mon, S. LOPEZ: ROAR! Overflight shaking our house and bodies.

Low flying growler aircraft

A loud roar from a jet this evening. Very deep and thunder-y. Disturbed conversation.

So loud!

Very loud interruption!

Lots of continuous rumble, starting 45 minutes ago. Keeps going on. Doesn't cease.

20 solid minutes of roaring so far

8/1/18,Wed, S. LOPEZ: More HUGE BLASTS AND ROARS from Growlers

8/29/18, Wed, S. LOPEZ: 9 - 10pm STEADY, CRUSHING NOISE

9pm and time to sleep, time to rest and recover? No, item for sinister rumble, roaring from the navy- no peaceful sleeping here. Hope no one needs that. Anacortes

9:11pm. There is CONSTANT jet roaring, very loud, as if a coal train is running along our road. Penetrating our home. Like last night. Impossible to relax. The noise is unnerving.

The jet noise tonight is so disturbing I have just closed all doors and windows in attempt to block it out. Why do I have to put up with the booming noise of jet activity from Whidbey at this hour? 9:15pm. Growlers are TOO NOIS

Every night this week- disquieting low thunder- feels like small earthquakes. Shattering the peace in Anacortes. Maybe sleep and peace are not needed? Unhealthy

Hours and hours of disturbance. Not scheduled for evening.

8/1/18,Wed, S. LOPEZ: Yet another huge body rattling BLAST - they are scheduled to go on until after midnight. Another sleepless night.

Woken from early sleep by loud jet noise. So much for rest before early work. Sounds of warfare instead

Interrupted conversation and caused visitors to ask what on ear

Jet noise this evening is OPPRESSIVE. All windows and doors shut and still we hear it and feel it. Why should I be considering wearing noise-cancelling headphones in MY OWN HOME in order to avoid the jet noise? 9:37pm

Rumbles still continues through the evening. Noise doesn't stop. Noise is getting louder now

Jet, low altitude fly over, possibly private or low out of Victoria, suppose it could have Roche, but suspect it was too big for that airstrip.

Jet roaring has been LOUD all evening. It is now 10:05. Will it stop? Will we be allowed to sleep? I blame Larsen, Cantwell and Murray for their lack of concern and action. the GROWLERS do not belong in this populated area.

10:15pm. Loud jet overhead. Typical sound of Navy jet, big scream and roar as it nears, long roar overhead, and another roar that kicks in as it moves away. Loud enough to disrupt rest.

Jet noise comes into our home at 10:24pm. Not willing to consider the Navy a "good neighbor" these days.

8/15/18, Wed, S. LOPEZ: Steady noise - house shaking. Impossible to sleep

10:40pm. NASWI is still roaring with jet activity. Is sleeping a possibility tonight? I worked hard today and I need my sleep, NOT jet noise intruding into my home.

really low, scared the ravens from the trees, scared me

Several jets flying close and low. Very loud, especially on a Sunday morning!

Kayaking the Skagit out of Rawlins Rd. At least 30 flyovers at low altitude. They are flying extremely slowly with the nose up, look like they are about to fall out of the sky. This creates maximum noise on the ground. Why do they do that?

Dense smoke prevented visual sight, however, they were flying very low over south end of Lopez Island. Extremely loud and disruptive! 8:45 pm

2nd low level flyover one half hour later at (9:20pm) from very disruptive low level flight of two growlers. Interrupting sleep!

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