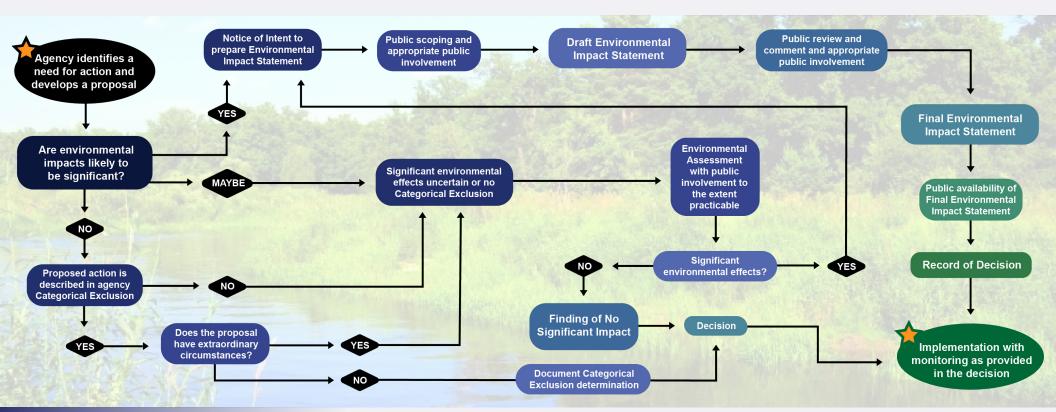


National Environmental Policy Act

Overview

National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) compliance is built into the Department of Energy's (DOE) capital acquisition process set forth in the Department's project management policy, DOE Order 413.3B. NNSA is committed to protecting the health, safety, and security of both its workforce and the general public as it conducts important national security missions across the country and around the globe. An environmental compliance strategy is part of every applicable federal activity NNSA undertakes. **NNSA NEPA documents can be found online at: energy.gov/nnsa/nnsa-nepa-reading-room.**



NEPA Documents

- Environmental Assessment (EA) Provides evidence and analysis to determine whether an environmental impact statement would be required for a proposed Federal agency action
- Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) Describes why a Federal action will not have a significant evironmental impact and an EIS is not required
- Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) Describes potential impacts on human environment that would occur as a result of a proposed Federal action
- Notice of Intent (NOI) Announces intent to prepare an EIS
- Notice of Availability (NOA) Announces draft or final EIS in the Federal Register
- Record of Decision (ROD) Records an agency's decision(s) concerning a proposed action for which an EIS has been prepared
- Supplement Analysis (SA) Provides evidence and analysis to help determine whether a supplemental or a new EIS or EA should be prepared