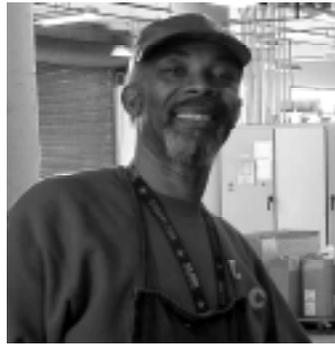


first successful post A-76 contractor-to-contractor transition of distribution center operations. The transition posed unique challenges that Jacox overcame with her innovative thinking and commitment to success. “Her positive attitude and meticulous attention to detail ensured the project ran smoothly,” praised Col Joseph Uдеми, USAF, DDWG Commander.

Linwood Elliott, Packer at Defense Distribution Depot Norfolk, VA (DDNV) received the award for his dedication to the customer by ensuring all freight is properly manifested and accounted for on the drivers’ bills before the trucks leave the distribution center. Loading an



Linwood Elliott, Packer at DDNV.

DDC Commander Commends Contractor for Continued Commitment

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During a recent visit to the Defense Distribution Depot Warner Robins, GA (DDWG), DDC Commander, BG Michael Lally, USA, presented a commander’s coin to EG&G’s Program Manager Danny R. Syhre in appreciation for his outstanding leadership at DDWG.

Syhre, an employee of EG&G, the contracted company that carries out the mission work at various DDC depots, was sent to DDWG by EG&G’s corporate headquarters from the Defense Distribution Depot Hill, UT (DDHU), where he serves as Deputy Program Manager of the contracted operation.

Syhre also served as the Commander of Defense Distribution Depot, Corpus Christi, TX (DDCT) before retiring from the U.S. Army.

Although the contract for the mission work at DDWG was being re-solicited and eventually awarded to a different company, EG&G kept Syhre at DDWG to assist in making the critical contractor transition period as smooth as possible.

“Syhre’s distribution knowledges, management skills, and dedication to our Warfighters

significantly contributed to DDC’s first successful contractor-to-contractor transition,” said BGLally.



DDC Commander BG Mike Lally, USA, presents a commander’s coin to EG&G employee and former DDC depot commander Danny Syhre in appreciation for his assistance in DDWG’s transition to a new contractor.

DDYJ’s Sanchez Recognized by FISC Commander

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CDR Guy Sanchez, SC, USN, Defense Distribution Depot Yokosuka, Japan (DDYJ) Transportation Officer, was presented with the Joint Service Commendation Medal by the Commander of the U.S. Navy’s Fleet and Industrial Supply Centers (FISC).

FISC Commander RDML William Kowba, SC, USN, during a visit to DDYJ, presented the award to CDR Sanchez in recognition of his contributions as Distribution Specialist while assigned to the U. S. Central Command Deployment Distribution Operations Center (CDDOC), Sustainment Division, in Camp Arifjan, Kuwait.

“His analytical ability and technical expertise in the areas of distribution operations, joint transportation, and logistics were instrumental in improving the efficiency, speed and timeliness

of sustainment supplies in support of Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom,” said COL Ed Visker, USA, DDC Chief of Staff and former Chief, Sustainment Division, at CDDOC.

During his time at the CDDOC, CDR Sanchez helped to synchronize the distribution networks to allow for a seamless movement of incoming air pallets and containers bound for customers in the theater.

“CDR Sanchez is a supremely talented logistics professional who always has a creative approach to problem-solving, so I’m not surprised at all to learn that his efforts to analyze processes at the CDDOC led to the identification of multiple solutions to speed the velocity of materiel movement,” said CDR Kent Vredenburg, SC, USN, DDYJ Commander.



DDWG Accountable Officer Corrine Jacox.

average of 175 pieces per truckload, Elliott is adept at working with a variety of carriers and specialized freight. “The volume of freight processed through DDNV can sometimes be enormous, but Mr. Elliott works hard to ensure no errors are made even during a workload surge,” said CAPT Robert Howard, SC, USN, Commander of DDNV.



FISC Commander RDML Kowba presents the Joint Service Commendation Medal award to DDYJ’s CDR Sanchez.

DDPH’s Agustin Deployed to War Zone

SKCS Lito Agustin, USNR, has been deployed to Iraq to inspect military equipment returning to the U.S., temporarily leaving his position as woodworker at Defense Distribution Depot Pearl Harbor, HI (DDPH).

Nearly 500 Naval Reservists from the Pearl Harbor area were