

## DDOO ESOC receives Traveling Safety Award for 66 months accident free

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Defense Distribution Depot Oklahoma City, Okla. (DDOO), Commander Col Jim Reiman, USAF, presented the DDOO Traveling Safety Award to personnel in the Emergency Supply Operations Center (ESOC) for being accident free for 66 months. Each employee received a DDOO Safety jacket and shirt.

A component of the Inventory Integrity Branch, the ESOC employees are multi-tasked and perform a variety of duties interact daily with DDOO customers. In addition, they often physically search for property throughout the distribution center.



From left to right: Brenda Fralish, Shirley Phillips, Jean Ross, Angie Larson, Sherry Bross, Linda Canary, Darryl Harrison, Maureen Hixenbaugh, Deborah Lashley.

## Naval Reserve Unit DDYJ1 is recognized for accomplishments

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Earlier this year, six members of Defense Distribution Center (DDC) Naval Reserve Unit DDYJ1 out of Sioux Falls, S.D, were awarded a Certificate of Appreciation for their contributions to Defense Distribution Depot Tobyhanna, Pa. (DDTP).

PS1 Brian Mundahl, SH2 Scott Bormann, CS2 Deborah Cook, SK2 Brenda Loneman, and PN2 Heather Muller provided, in tandem with a seven-person detachment from Reserve Unit DDYJ2, assistance for the Swarm inventory improvement initiative at DDTP. "Their joint unit contributions assisted DDTP in providing world-class distribution support to DDTP's primary customer, Tobyhanna Army Depot, and our Warfighters," commended DDYJ1 Commanding Officer LCDR Rope Burns, SC, USN.

"The DDTP Commander, LTC Yvonne MacNamara, welcomed us with open arms then immediately had our units employed all over the distribution center," LCDR Burns said.

"We split into seven teams, some working inside warehouses, others in outside storage yards. The teams meticulously hand counted more than 135,000 unit of issue items. Special thanks are due to Walter Rosati, the DDTP Accountable Officer, who greatly facilitated execution of the Swarm plan," added LCDR Burns.

DDYJ1 is designated "green" this year, meaning the unit's readiness has been validated and the unit is deemed deployable.



DDC Reservists assist with inventory improvement efforts at Defense Distribution Depot Tobyhanna, Pa. (DDTP). Left to right: SK2 Tammy Zimmerman (DDYJ2), PS2 Heather Muller (DDYJ1), SKSN Andrea Klemp (DDYJ2).

Currently, three members of DDYJ1 are deployed. The Executive Officer, SKC Terry Lynde, is assigned to DLA Contingency Support Team (DCST)-Kuwait; SK2 Lucinda Brunk to DCST-Afghanistan; and SH2 Scott Bormann to Defense Reutilization and Marketing Service (DRMS)-Iraq.

Another member, SK2 Brenda Loneman, is slated for mobilization to DCST-Afghanistan in June. By the end of fiscal year 2006, more than half of DDYJ1 will have deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and/or Operation Enduring Freedom.

"Prior to deployment, each Sailor completes a suite of DLA training evolutions, including Materiel Management