

activity, the Defense Reutilization and Marketing System Most Efficient Organization (DRMS MEO), acting as its Transportation Office with the responsibility for the movement of DRMS property from generating sites and cross-dock sites directly to a hub/open site,” said Sherri Troup, DDC Traffic Management Specialist.

The team also began supporting the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in 2006. FEMA has an agreement with the DDC for rapid movement of material from preposition storage sites to the FEMA Logistics Center, Troup said.

This year alone, the DDC Transportation Team has moved more than 5.3 million MREs, or Meals Ready to Eat, from distribution centers and vendor warehouses to people that needed them. They also supported during Hurricane Ernesto by moving 4 million MREs from distribution center and vendor warehouses to people in need.



DDC's Transportation Planning Office provides the full range of transportation planning, information and technical support that delivers effective, efficient and innovative services to combatant commands, military, and other agencies during peace and war. They are responsible for all air and surface clearances, container bookings, and monitoring carrier performance.

New Contractor GENCO performing mission work at DDDC

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In March 2006, GENCO, a supply chain solution company headquartered in Pittsburgh, Pa., became a Logistic partner to Defense Distribution Depot San Diego, Calif. (DDDC).

For 100 years, GENCO was known as a commercial industry leader in supply chain management that provided logistics solutions and technology to nationally recognized retailers and manufacturers including Sears, Kmart, Target, Best Buy, Master Lock, Unilever, Levi Strauss

and Hershey. In 2002, GENCO made a strategic decision to broaden its business scope and offered logistical solutions to meet the needs of government agencies.

“GENCO is very honored to be able to provide depot management for the Defense Distribution Center. We look forward to working with DDC and the United States Navy to improve operating processes and efficiency in support of our nation’s greatest asset...the men and women of our armed forces,” said GENCO Chairman Herb Shear.

DDDC located on Naval Station San Diego, is one of the most mechanized centers in DLA. DDDC performs standard distribution operations to include Emergency Supply Operations Center, receipt, store, ship, and issue, with related functions to include trans-shipment, preservation, packaging, packing, and marking, care of supplies in storage, and reclassification.

As a part of this mission, DDDC provides tailored distribution services through the Material Processing Center, which serves as a centralized receipt activity for afloat customers in the San Diego area.

Items processed at the distribution center include depot-level repairables, electronics, hazardous material, ship and aviation repair parts, and small boats/amphibious craft. DDDC predominately handles Navy owned /managed material.

Among DDDC’s primary customers are the homeported ships in San Diego and the major shore commands representing all services, NADEP, Southwest Regional Maintenance Center and other smaller activities in the Southwestern United States.

A large portion of DDDC’s business is receiving, storing, and issuing depot-level repairables for one of the Navy’s largest repair facility, Naval Aviation Depot North Island.