



## Military Construction

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' military construction mission is the largest since World War II, an approximate \$10 billion annual program to meet the demand created by growth in the Army, global restationing, and base realignment and closure. Northwestern Division's (NWD) share of this work in the current fiscal year is about \$2.2 billion.

The Northwestern Division offers a wide range of services to its military customers. It is headquartered in Portland, Oregon, with a small regional office in Omaha, Nebraska, and five subordinate district offices located in Seattle and Walla Walla, Washington; Kansas City, Missouri; Omaha; and Portland. NWD headquarters coordinates technical policy and budgetary issues that cross district boundaries, as well as provide regional interface with other Federal and state agencies, Congressional leaders, interest groups and international commissions. Expertise ranges from master planning to engineering plans and specifications, to construction management and installation support.

Typical projects include new construction or renovation of military housing, barracks, operations centers, office/classroom buildings and child care facilities. NWD is experienced in partnering agreements with customers, in-house or contracted design of projects, advertisement and award of the construction contract (bid projects, negotiated projects, best value, request for proposals), financial administration of the contract, and field supervision and quality assurance inspections of the construction work underway.

Three Northwest Division districts — Kansas City, Seattle and Omaha — collaborate to execute a burgeoning military workload.

Kansas City District's FY09 military program totals more than \$1 billion in new construction contract awards. The District provides construction services at Fort Riley, Fort Leavenworth, and McConnell Air Force Base, in Kansas; Fort Leonard Wood and Whiteman Air Force Base, in Missouri; and Lake City Army Ammunition Plant and the National Geospatial Agency in Missouri. It is responsible for the Reserve Design Program in a 10-state area extending from Missouri northward. Hazardous, toxic and radioactive waste (HTRW) projects include environmental cleanup projects in Kansas and Missouri as well as support to Regions II and VII of the Environmental Protection Agency.



Seattle District manages a \$500-million dollar FY09 military workload across a four-state area. It provides construction, operation and maintenance, timber services and real estate support to Fort Lewis near Tacoma, Wash., and Yakima Training Center near Ellensburg, Wash. The District also delivers construction and real estate services to the Air Force, including McChord and Fairchild Air Force bases (AFB) in Washington, Mountain Home AFB in Idaho, and Malmstrom AFB in Montana.

Omaha District's \$670 million military workload for FY09 is spread across eight Midwestern states, with an expected increase to more than \$1.1 billion by FY10. It provides construction, operations and management, and real estate support to 22 separate installations plus recruiting station real estate support for the Army, Air Force, Navy and Reserves in Iowa and Nebraska.

Installations by state are as follows:

### **Colorado**

North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD)  
U.S. Northern Command (NORTHCOM)  
Fort Carson, Rocky Mountain Arsenal, Fitzsimmons Medical Center, Pueblo Depot  
Air Force Academy and Peterson, Schriever and Buckley AFBs

### **Iowa**

Iowa Army Ammunition Plant

### **Minnesota**

Twin Cities Army Ammunition Plant  
Minneapolis–St. Paul International Airport (Reserves)

### **Nebraska**

Offutt AFB  
Cornhusker Army Ammunition Plant

### **North Dakota**

Minot and Grand Forks AFBs

### **South Dakota**

Ellsworth AFB  
Black Hills Army Depot

### **Wisconsin**

Fort McCoy and Badger Army Ammunition Plant  
Gen. Billy Mitchell Field (Reserves)

### **Wyoming**

F.E. Warren AFB

