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Partnering Agreement
between the
Office of The Civil Engineer, HQ US Air Force
and the
Directorate of Military Programs, HQ US Army Corps of Engineers

Purpose. The purpose of this Partnering Agreement between the Office of The Civil Engineer, Headquarters US Air Force and The Directorate of Military Programs, Headquarters, US Army Corps of Engineers is to commit the two organizations to a mutual vision of excellent facilities and engineer support to Air Force commanders. We recognize that our efforts are an important part of the Air Force's vision of building the world's most respected air and space force.

Goals. We have established the following goals for our partnership:

- To work as a team based on mutual trust, respect, and open communication
- To foster innovation and continuous improvement
- To become more efficient, cost effective, and environmentally responsible in the conduct of our business and the execution of Air Force programs
- To bring about accountability through a sense of commitment and performance measurement among all our team members
- To focus on the customer--the men, women, and families of the Air Force--to give them quality facilities and service.

Implementation. We commit to achieve our goals through periodic partnering sessions, Process Improvement Teams, special study groups, and the personal commitment of team members in our respective organizations in the conduct of our day-to-day business. As leaders in our respective organizations, we commit to promote partnering at all levels of our engineering field organizations.

Effective Date. This agreement is effective 18 August 1994 and will be reviewed periodically to renew our commitment and consider any needed changes.

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