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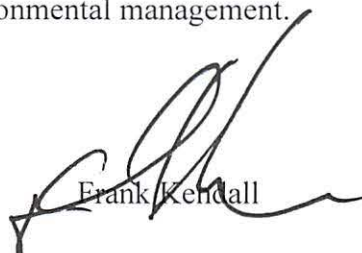
MEMORANDUM FOR SECRETARIES OF THE MILITARY DEPARTMENTS
DIRECTORS OF THE DEFENSE AGENCIES

SUBJECT: Announcement of the 2016 Secretary of Defense Environmental Awards Winners

It is my pleasure to announce the winners of the 2016 Secretary of Defense Environmental Awards. The Department has honored individuals, teams, and installations each year since 1962 for their remarkable achievements in innovative and cost-effective environmental practices that successfully support mission readiness. The following 2016 winners continue this distinguished tradition:

- **Natural Resources Conservation, Small Installation:** Camp Dawson Army Training Site, West Virginia Army National Guard
- **Natural Resources Conservation, Individual/Team:** Fort McCoy Natural Resources Branch, Wisconsin
- **Environmental Quality, Non-Industrial Installation:** Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center Twentynine Palms, California
- **Environmental Quality, Individual/Team:** Eglin Air Force Base Environmental Quality Team, Florida
- **Sustainability, Industrial Installation:** Marine Corps Support Facility Blount Island, Florida
- **Environmental Restoration, Installation:** Beale Air Force Base, California
- **Environmental Restoration, Individual/Team:** Vieques Environmental Restoration Program Team, Puerto Rico
- **Cultural Resources Management, Large Installation:** White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico
- **Environmental Excellence in Weapon System Acquisition, Large Program:** KC-46 Program Environment, Safety, and Occupational Health Team, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio

Congratulations to the 2016 Secretary of Defense Environmental Awards winners. Their outstanding achievements exemplify the Department's continued commitment to integrate our national defense mission with sound environmental management.



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