

Ceremonial Signing Celebrates Department of the Navy-Sourcwell Partnership From ASN EI&E Public Affairs

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San Antonio, TX -- The Department of the Navy signed an Intergovernmental Support Agreement (IGSA) partnership with Sourcwell, a local unit of the Minnesota government, that will create an innovative path for the provision of supplies and services to Navy and Marine Corps installations to help them meet their missions.

Brenda Johnson-Turner, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Installations and Facilities, along with senior leaders from the Navy and Marine Corps signed the new agreement with Sourcwell representatives at the Defense Communities Installation Innovation Forum conference in San Antonio, TX, Oct. 28.

“I am truly excited about our new agreement with Sourcwell,” stated Ms. Johnson-Turner, “as a department, we must use the authorities Congress grants in innovative and sound ways to meet our installation missions in a fiscally constrained environment. The IGSA authority is a terrific tool, and this particular agreement with Sourcwell will provide new opportunities for our Navy and Marine Corps teams to ensure our installations are ready to support the needs of our warfighters.”



The agreement aims to increase Navy and Marine Corps buying power by decreasing procurement costs and delivery timelines for various installation-support services, supplies, and equipment. It also allows Navy and Marine Corps installations to leverage Sourcwell’s extensive list of competitively awarded contracts to procure goods and services faster. This translates to increased opportunity to buy down risk to naval missions and forces by ensuring U.S. tax dollars approved for Department of the Navy spending go further in meeting infrastructure and base support requirements. Installations will be able to request Sourcwell’s services in key areas to include installation supplies, equipment, services, and small-scale construction projects.

