

# ALAMO GRAM

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Alamo City Comptrollers,

We recently completed another great Professional Development Symposium (PDS)! Kudos and thanks are definitely in order to the PDS Committee. MAJ Alex Gonzales provided excellent leadership orchestrating the event and establishing synergy amongst the team, who tirelessly ensured that every aspect of PDS was professionally delivered. In addition to networking and receiving updates on issues within the Comptroller field, attendees also received DoD Financial Management Certification credit.

Congratulations to all the awardees! I am truly amazed by the amount of great comptroller work that occurs in San Antonio. I sincerely appreciate all the supervisors and leaders who took time out of their busy schedules to draft the award nominations. This recognition means a lot to our employees, who selflessly serve in the day-to-day accomplishment of their duties.

Thanks to our Retired Alamo City ASMC Members for their contributions to the PDS and continued support to our chapter. Your attitude, passion and commitment towards life-long community service serves as an inspiration for all.

I would also like to express appreciation to the PDS sponsors, TEKSOUTH, KGS, and BAH for their contribution to the PDS. See you at the next ASMC event!

Keep doing great things!

Many thanks,

Derrick W. Flowers, CPA, FACHE, CHFP, CDFM-A  
Colonel, U.S. Army  
President, Alamo City Chapter, ASMC

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# NATIONAL NEWS

**Proposed Senate legislation would penalize DoD for failure to achieve audit readiness by 2017.** A bill proposed by four Senators would impose penalties on the Department of Defense if the department does not meet its goal of being audit ready by the end of 2017. The Audit the Pentagon Act of 2015 ([S. 327](#)) was introduced by Sen. Joe Manchin (D-WVA), Sen. Ron Wyden (D-OR), Sen. Ted Cruz (R-TX) and Sen. Rand Paul (R-KY) last week. In a [press release](#), Sen. Manchin said “it is simply unacceptable that the Department of Defense is the only major federal agency that has not completed a financial audit. Our bill will help to solve that problem.” Noting that DoD has consistently expressed its commitment to achieving a full audit, Manchin said “Congress should hold them to that.” A similar press release was issued by [Sen. Wyden](#). ([read the full story](#))

**Defense Financial Highlights.** Due to the volume of late-breaking news, we encourage everyone to watch for updates on the ASMC website ([www.asmconline.org](http://www.asmconline.org)) frequently.

- [Congress can't break impasse on FY2015 Homeland Security Appropriations bill, agrees to one-week CR](#)
- [Carter, sworn in as Secretary of Defense, sets priorities](#)
- [Carter confirmed as Secretary of Defense](#)
- [Coast Guard FY2016 budget request totals \\$10 billion](#)
- [Annual ASMC/Grant Thornton Survey](#)
- [FY2016 DoD base budget request totals \\$534.3 billion](#)
- [Defense Business Board identifies \\$125 billion in potential DoD savings](#)

**CDFM Fees Increase.** ASMC National announced minor increases in CDFM Program fees, effective **1 January 2015**, which were approved by the ASMC National Executive Committee on **10 December 2014**. National had avoided increasing certification program fees since the inception of the CDFM Program in the year 2000. However, the costs for maintaining the CDFM Program increased over the years. Also, National will be working with a contractor to update the CDFM exams – a complex and costly project. Therefore, CDFM-related fees in the 2015 were increased by \$4 or \$5, depending upon the type of fee, as shown below (member/non-member fees). Even considering these minor increases, CDFM fees remain highly competitive compared to non-ASMC certification program fees.

	<u>Initial Enrollment</u>	<u>All CDFM Exams</u>	<u>CDFM Renewal*</u>
Fee thru 31 December 2014:	\$35 / \$70	\$95 / \$95	\$20 / \$40
Fee as of 1 January 2015:	\$40 / \$75	\$99 / \$99	\$25 / \$45

*(\* Required every two years following the initial award)*

**EDFMT Classes.** The Enhanced Defense Financial Management Training Course is a five-day, intensive financial management review course taught in three modules. The course is provided by the DoD and is licensed and copyrighted by ASMC. For individuals



interested in attending an EDFMT Course, please click the link for the [FY15 EDFMT Course Schedule](#). The current schedule shows four remaining EDFMT classes scheduled for the San Antonio Area in 2015 as shown below:

- Army sponsored classes: 30 March-3 April, and 1-5 June
- Air Force sponsored classes: 13-17 July

For more information about eligibility and registration for these courses, contact the applicable Service POC (<http://www.asmconline.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/09/DoD-EDFMT-Committee-POC.pdf>) or go to <https://www.atrrs.army.mil/edfmt>. **NOTE: ASMC can't place individuals in any of the DoD centrally funded EDFMTC sessions.**

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## CHAPTER MEETINGS

- **February Meeting.** Due to the [2015 Professional Development Symposium](#), there will be no luncheon meeting in **February 2015**.
- **March Meeting.** The March luncheon will be held on **18 March 2015** at the Pompeii Italian Grill, 16109 Nacogdoches Road, SATX, and will be hosted by **Jenny Luvisi**, VP for AFAA. The speaker will be **Michael Petersen** (see photo to the right), a member of the Senior Executive Service and Assistant Auditor General, Operations and Support Directorate, Air Force Audit Agency, JBASA-Randolph. Mr. Petersen is responsible for the planning, execution, and reporting of Air Force-wide audits addressing air and space operations, engineering and the environment, personnel and training, health care and services, and information systems security and development. He is a Certified Public Accountant, Certified Internal Auditor, and graduate of the Defense Leadership and Management Program. Watch for more information about the location and topic for the luncheon in the February Alamo Gram and the event flyer.
- **April Meeting.** The April luncheon will be hosted by Rena Benjamin, AFSVA VP. The presentation will provide an update on the AFSVA organization and their transition to the Installation and Mission Support Center under the Air Force Materiel Command.



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## LOCAL NEWS

### *Chapter Executive Committee Members*

**Scholarship Review Panel.** We're looking for five volunteers to independently review and rank 10 to 15 high school senior scholarship application packages in the March/April time frame. Later in the year, they will review 4-5 member packages. Anyone interested in volunteering should email their name, office address (home address for retirees) and phone numbers to Bill Pazeretsky, Chapter Scholarship Chair, at [pazeretsky@earthlink.net](mailto:pazeretsky@earthlink.net) by **2 March 2015**.



**2015 Professional Development Symposium (PDS).** The ASMC Alamo-City Chapter's 2015 PDS was held **24-25 February 2015** at the Hilton San Antonio Airport. This year, we had over 240 registered attendees, and over 300 participants when you add in the speakers, exhibitors, and volunteers. The PDS included:

- Four Key-note speakers (two each day)
- Half-day mini-courses to support DoD FM Certification Levels 1, 2, and 3 requirements
- Classes on how to navigate the Learning Management System for DoD FM Certifications
- Breakout sessions on MS Tips/Tricks and Dashboards, Leading Change Management, Leadership/Decision Making, Accounting & Finance Policy & Audits, Future of Army Civilian Workforce, and Qualities of a Good Auditor
- Optional **Pre-PDS** sessions will also be offered on **Monday, 23 February 2015** at the **Region 20 Education Services Center (ESC-20)** near JBSA – Fort Sam Houston, which will include CDFM Testing, Level 1 DoD FM Certification mini-courses, and Learning Management System courses.
- Optional **Post-PDS** sessions on **Thursday, 26 February 2015** at the AMEDDC&S on Fort Sam Houston which included make up sessions for the DoD FM Certification Level 1 courses, since the speaker had travel delays which prevented him from providing the classes during the PDS.

**Credits for Attendance.** Credit for DoD FM Certification requirements and Continuing Professional Education (CPE) hours earned will be awarded based on actual attendance in all of the mini-courses and other training sessions except for the key-note presentations. Attendance was verified with sign-in sheets and critique forms. Attendees who did not sign in on time or turn in properly completed critique forms will not receive credit for attending these sessions. CPE credits for key-note speakers at the General Sessions will be self-certified. A single letter or certificate will be provided to each attendee by late March or early April to document the CPEs earned. Since career and certification programs may have different CPE criteria, it's up to the attendees to determine whether sessions attended qualify for CPE under the applicable career or certification programs.

**Presentation Slides.** If authorized by the speakers, we will post the presentation slides to the Chapter's web-site (<http://www.alamocitycomptrollers.org>) within 30 days after the PDS. Please do not contact speakers to ask them to email copies of the briefing slides to you. Instead, ask the speaker to allow us to post the slides on our Chapter Web-site (if he/she has not already done so). The Chapter's web-site is open to everyone.

**PDS Corporate Sponsors.** The following corporate sponsors provided donations to help cover our PDS expenses. Please stop by their exhibit tables and thank them for their contributions.

- **Platinum Sponsor - KGS** KGS is a Financial Management and Accounting Solutions provider with experience supporting all aspects of business process modernization. KGS helps Federal agencies ensure effective stewardship; achieve



compliance (including audit readiness, resulting in an unparalleled 11 unqualified clean audit opinions in DoD); improve resource management; and gain confidence in their financial data.

- **Platinum Sponsor - Teksouth.** For more than 30 years, Teksouth has delivered operational excellence and innovation to our clients. Their customers count on their innovative information solutions and services to deal with their most pressing challenges. Teksouth solutions range from assisting customers with putting already owned resources to best use to delivering best practices across the whole range of IT infrastructure and data integration projects. Some of the solutions provided by Teksouth include:
- GFEBS/GCSS-Army Unmatched Transaction Tracker
  - DEAMS/BQ Integration Solution
  - Commanders' Resource Integration System (CRIS)
  - GFEBS/Legacy Integration Solution
  - Air Force and Army Automated
  - GFEBS ULO Tracker
  - Customized SharePoint Workflow Solutions
  - Dashboard Solutions
  - Customized Requirements Tracker
- **Gold Sponsor - Booz Allen Hamilton (BAH).** Booz Allen Hamilton, a Fortune 500 company, has been at the forefront of strategy and technology consulting for more than 100 years. Today, BAH is a leading provider of management consulting, technology, and engineering services. BAH also brings expertise in financial management and analysis to clients and embodies the financial excellence goals of the ASMC.

**Exhibitors.** In addition to the PDS Charity (see Community Service Section) and Corporate Sponsors identified above, the following organizations have tables in the Exhibits area:

- Wish for our Heroes
- National Association for Active and Retired Federal Employees (NARFE)
- Navy Federal Credit Union
- Randolph-Brooks Federal Credit Union (RBFCU)

If you have any questions regarding the PDS, contact our PDS Chair, **Maj Alex Gonzales** ([alejandrogonzales.mil@mail.mil](mailto:alejandrogonzales.mil@mail.mil)); Co-Chairs, **Mary Ann Casillas** ([maryann.casillas.civ@mail.mil](mailto:maryann.casillas.civ@mail.mil)) and **Victor Stansberry** ([victor.stansberry.civ@mail.mil](mailto:victor.stansberry.civ@mail.mil)); or Admin Chair, **Ellen Hester** ([ln.hester@gmail.com](mailto:ln.hester@gmail.com)).

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## CHAPTER AWARDS

### Accounting & Finance Category:

- Distinguished Award for Accounting and Finance (Installation Level): **MSgt Diem T. Scott.** MSgt Scott, 502d Comptroller Squadron, was recognized for her efforts in successfully consolidating three installation Accounting offices into one centralized office, the largest and most diverse in AETC. She also provided support for the short notice West African Ebola Relief mission, certifying funding support for more than \$300M for equipment, supplies, and travel.





- Distinguished Award for Accounting and Finance (Major Command Level): **Ms. Isabelle M. Brentson.** Ms. Brentson, U.S. Army Medical Command was recognized for her work initiating several highly successful initiatives which placed MECOM in the top 5% of Army Commands in Accounts Payable and Wide Area Workflow performance, saving the command significantly in interest penalty payments.
- Meritorious Award for Accounting and Finance (Major Command Level): **Ms. Debra A. Cervera.** Ms. Cervera, Air Education and Training Command, was recognized for her efforts coordinating JBSA tenant reimbursements. With her efforts, reimbursement identification and processing methods were established and allowing all three Joint Bases to improve their reimbursement rates significantly, freeing command funding for other important priorities.

#### **Acquisition and Cost Analysis Category:**

- Distinguished Award for Acquisition and Cost Analysis (Installation Level): **Mr. Christopher M. Underwood.** Mr. Underwood, 502d Air Base Wing, was recognized for his work in identifying and evaluating multiple cost savings initiatives across Joint Base San Antonio. His efforts led to \$25M in savings in FY14, allowing the 502d Air Base Wing to put the funds to use in critical infrastructure projects, runway repair, road maintenance, and custodial support. Additionally, his development of software tools automated many financial reporting features saving several man-hours daily for multiple analysts and resource advisors.
- Distinguished Award for Acquisition and Cost Analysis (Major Command Level): **Ms. Mary Ann Casillas.** Ms. Casillas, MEDCOM, was recognized for her work in developing, analyzing, and presenting baseline data for the MEDCOM Commander's executive workgroup on Standardizing Executive Leadership for developing standardized leadership structures for five regional medical commands and 60 plus medical treatment facilities. Her work will allow the Work Group to make key decisions and establish key command structures across MEDCOM organizations.
- Meritorious Award for Acquisition and Cost Analysis (Major Command Level): **Ms. Kelly J. Rivero.** Ms. Rivero, US Army North, was recognized for her work in the Program Objective Memorandum development for her command. Her in depth analysis of lease requirements resulted in \$1.1M in savings across the Future Years Defense Program (FYDP) for the Installation Program Evaluation Group to support other Army priorities. Additionally, her analysis of US Army Corps of Engineer charges for lease management is leading to an Army level MOA with USACE with the potential for several million dollars in additional savings across the Army.

#### **Auditing Category:**

- Distinguished Award for Auditing (Installation Level): **Mr. Anthony Holden.** Mr. Holden, Air Force Audit Agency South Central Area Audit Office, was recognized for his audit of the Joint Base San Antonio refuse and recycle collection contract and proper usage of containers. Mr. Holden reviewed contract obligations and unexpended funds and verified usage. From the audit, potential savings in excess of \$600K across the FYDP were identified, as well as improved safeguards for Personally Identifiable Information.



- Distinguished Award for Auditing (Major Command Level): ***Ms. Theresa Von Staden.***  
Ms. Von Staden, Air Force Audit Agency, was recognized for her audit of Air Force landfill management for the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Installations, Environment, and Logistics. Ms. Von Staden's audit reviewed landfills and records at 85 installations and identified potential savings of \$26 Million across the FYDP. Additionally the audit will lead to much improved records and future management processes for Air Force landfills.
- Meritorious Award for Auditing (Major Command Level): ***Mr. Jonathon A. Moore.***  
Mr. Moore, U.S. Army Audit Agency, was recognized for his work in developing and carrying out an audit of Army Dining Facility contracting and operations. Mr. Moore's findings will lead to \$11M in savings across the FYDP, with potential additional savings should the Army choose to evaluate additional DFACs.

### **Budgeting Category:**

- Distinguished Award for Budgeting (Installation Level): ***Ms. Angelita Vasquez.***  
Ms. Vasquez, Air Force Civil Engineer Center, was recognized for her work with the Air Force leases and disposals program. With the assignment of this mission to AFCEC, Ms. Vasquez led a team to research and develop a comprehensive database to consolidate information from numerous commands and to track collections, disbursements, and vouchers for the K1/K2 accounts. Her efforts led to \$5.3M in distributions to the commands. Additionally, Ms. Vasquez managed the Summerfield Enhanced Use Lease for Joint Base Andrews; collecting, accounting for, and depositing more than \$12M in housing leases funds from tenants.
- Distinguished Award for Budgeting (Major Command Level): ***Capt Howard S. Antoine.***  
Capt Antoine, Air Education and Training Command, was recognized for his efforts in execution of AETCs command budget. His reviews of contracts identified \$5.1M in savings for AETC. Additionally, he was critical in building command budget metrics for use in meeting the Financial Improvement and Audit Readiness (FIAR) mandate. His work secured an additional \$9.5M for building repairs, technology refresh, and command priority requirements for FY14.
- Meritorious Award for Budgeting (Major Command Level): ***Mr. Clinton E. Tribble.***  
Mr. Tribble, US Army North, was recognized for his efforts managing US Army North's Theater Support Cooperation funding, combining Army TSC funds, Combatant Commander Theater Security Cooperation and Traditional Commander's Activity funds, DoD Counter-Drug funds, and Headquarters DA Latin American Cooperation funds. Additionally, Mr. Tribble deployed in support of two Defense Coordination Elements for training and exercises, managing more than 75 mission assignments and task orders totaling more than \$100M.

### **Contractor Support Category:**

- Distinguished Award for Contractor Support (Major Command Level): ***Ms. Erin P. Lynch.***  
Ms. Lynch, a contract auditor supporting US Army North's, was being recognized for her support of ARNORTH's audit readiness program. Ms. Lynch is responsible for testing more than 60 key fiscal controls, to ensure compliance and aid in the development of mitigation strategies to address shortfalls. Her efforts enabled ARNORTH to identify



statement of budgetary resources control deficiencies and implement corrective actions. Subsequent DA testing corroborated that ARNORTH's audit readiness preparations are on track.

### **Financial Systems Category:**

- Distinguished Award for Financial Systems (Installation Level): **Mr. Gordon R. Allen.** Mr. Allen, Air Force Civil Engineer Center, was recognized for his efforts in the creation of the AFCEC dynamic financial reporting system. His development of the system uses data from both legacy accounting formats and standard fiscal information structure to develop cohesive financial reports for all organizations working with AFCEC. His development included a detailed execution dashboard providing the AFCEC Comptroller with a macro view of operations, as well as more specific reporting for branch chiefs and program managers.

### **Intern/Trainee Category:**

- Distinguished Award for Intern/Trainee (Installation Level): **Ms. Brittany Niland.** Ms. Niland, 502d Comptroller Squadron, was recognized for her exceptional work as an Air Force intern. Her efforts included identifying funding sources to clear nearly \$1M for Wing Commander use for top priorities, assisting in ensuring collection of more than \$30M in reimbursements, and clearing more than \$600K of old reimbursables.
- Distinguished Award for Intern/Trainee (Major Command Level): **Chanda L. Ramey.** Ms. Ramey, U.S. Army Medical Command, was recognized for her work in MEDCOMs Contract Payable Support Section. Ms. Ramey's efforts resulted in a significant reduction of accounts payable backlog and streamlined procedural methods to increase efforts and a 95% reduction in IDOC error rates.

### **Resource Management Category:**

- Distinguished Award for Resource Management (Installation Level): **Ms. Denise E. Perry.** Ms. Perry, Air Force Civil Engineer Center, was recognized for her work in leading financial management operations for more than 180 contracts across 43 installations conducting Environmental Quality Fence-to-Fence environmental support projects. Her efforts resulted in the reduction of overall contract costs by 35% in FY14, saving more than \$30M. Her work in development of a single standardized funding document also reduced man-hours on indirect support contract teams by nearly 25%.
- Meritorious Award for Resource Management (Installation Level): **Senior Airman Brandon L. Gibbs.** Senior Airman Gibbs, 502d Comptroller Squadron, was recognized for his work with the Air Force's centralized TDY to School program. His efforts in auditing over 45 thousand travel orders identified more than 2,000 erroneous travel advances and recovery of more than \$1.2 M for Air Force use on other critical requirements. Additionally, due to computer error, several hundred basic trainees would have gone without pay. SrA Gibbs found a solution, and manually computed over 300 pay advances in under 48 hours to prevent the trainees from going without pay and having to visit the finance office, losing valuable training time.
- Distinguished Award for Resource Management (Major Command Level): **Ms. Dora I. Zabava.** Ms. Zabava, US Army North, was recognized for her performance in providing





successful resource management support to the ARNORTH Staff, Joint Chiefs of Staff Exercises, and ARNORTH's ten Defense Coordinating Elements providing nationwide support to the Federal Emergency Management Agency. Ms. Zabava's duties include serving as the lead Defense Travel Administrator providing assessments and recommendations on travel. Additionally she is responsible for DTS cross-orgs, processing and tracking over 4,000 cross orgs annually.

- Meritorious Award for Resource Management (Major Command Level): **Mr. Arturo Rivas, Jr.** Mr. Rivas, Air Education and Training Command, was recognized for his work in the standup of the 19<sup>th</sup> Air Force and identification of \$125K in reduced costs, and development of AETC's FY15 \$2.4B execution plan. Additionally, he played a critical role in building a \$448M funding and personnel briefing for the transfer of resources to the Air Force Installation Mission Support Center.

#### **Team Awards:**

- Distinguished Team Award: **The DOD Financial Management Certification Team – U.S. Army Medical Command.** Team Leader: **COL Derrick Flowers**; Team Members: **Mr. Roger A Casillas II, Dr. Robert Griffith**, and **Ms. Kathleen Scott**. This multi-disciplinary team worked on developing MEDCOM FM certification job aids providing simple, just-in-time training and tools to save individual and supervisor time requirements processing certification, and coordinated for a DOD training team for CAs/CCAs at Joint Base San Antonio, saving in excess of \$100K in potential TDY training costs during implementation. The team's efforts will result in MEDCOM meeting the DOD suspense for FM Certification for more than 200 Financial Management personnel.
- Meritorious Team Award: **The Base Realignment and Closure Team, Air Force Civil Engineer Center.** Team Leader: **Mr. Richard L. Baltes**; Team Members: **Ms. Georgianna Luther, Mr. Larry Stoops, Mr. Jonathan Thomas, Mr. Clay Middleton**, and **Ms. Deborah Ritchey**. The BRAC team developed and implemented a transformational process to meet NDAA 14 requirements. This new process identified nearly \$100M in unexpended BRAC funding over 2 decades and scrubbed the funds to identify must pay bills in current and future Fiscal Years, freeing up funds to avert a 3 year delay in environmental funding, saving millions of dollars in potential obligations due to contract delays, fees, permits, and penalties.

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### **CERTIFICATION CORNER**

This month, we suspended our Certification Corner, so we could provide expanded coverage for our Chapter Achievement Award winners. However, if you need any information or have questions about the **Chapter's CDFM Program, Study Sessions**, or **Incentive Awards**, contact your organization Vice President or **Kathy Scott**, our Chapter Certification Chair, [kathleen.a.scott22.civ@mail.mil](mailto:kathleen.a.scott22.civ@mail.mil) or (210) 295-2860.

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## ORGANIZATION SPOTLIGHT

This month, we also suspended our Organization Spotlight, so we could provide expanded coverage for our Chapter Achievement Award winners. Since we started our Organization Spotlights, we've included articles about almost all of our supported organizations and a few of our Corporate Partners. If you've missed any of these articles, you can find them in the previous Alamo Grams located on the Chapter's web-site (<http://www.alamo-asmc.org/>). We will continue this series starting in March with updated spotlight articles about organizations supported by the Chapter, as well as new Corporate Spotlights featuring our Platinum Sponsors for the PDS.

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## COMMUNITY SERVICE

*Joanne McCauley, Community Service Chair*

The Alamo City Chapter offers a wide variety of community service opportunities throughout the year. You are not expected to participate in all of the events, but we hope you'll support at least one and perhaps several that enthruse you. Families and friends of ASMC members are also welcome to join us in any of our community service events.

### CURRENT/UPCOMING COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES:

- **PDS Charity – CPS Baby Shower:** For this year's PDS Charity, we held a ***Baby Shower*** for the Child Protective Services (CPS) ***Rainbow Room*** to support their ***Infant Reset*** program. The ***Rainbow Room*** is an emergency supply store run by ***Dare to Love*** volunteers and located in ***CPS headquarters*** in San Antonio. The CPS Rainbow Room is always in need of baby supplies, including formula; diapers (especially newborn and sizes 4-5); baby wash; lotion; powder; shampoo; infant pajamas, onesies, and shirts; baby wipes; bottles; etc. Everything is given free of charge to the children through their CPS caseworkers. There is no red tape, no long wait, and no need to scour the city for donations to help the children. If a caseworker picks up an abandoned infant, the worker can take a tiny layette to help the baby get situated in a shelter or foster home. Financial donations were also collected, in addition to donations made by the Chapter in the names of our Speakers.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE NEEDS YOU:** Do you feel overwhelmed? Please don't. We offer a variety of community service efforts and urge you to try each one at least once. Then please let your VP know which events you most enjoy supporting. We hope that through varying our community support, you will each find a niche that suits you so you can contribute too. Finally, if you have any suggestions for community service activities or would like to host an event, contact ***Joanne McCauley*** (Community Service Chair, [joanne.t.mccauley.civ@mail.mil](mailto:joanne.t.mccauley.civ@mail.mil), 210-221-2656), your organization VP, or any Executive Committee Member. ***Thank you!!***

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# ABOUT FACES

*Various Executive Committee Members*



**Welcomes:** None reported.

**Welcome Back:** None reported.

**Local Moves:** None reported.

**Farewells:** None reported.

**Promotions:** **Wendy Morales** was selected as the new Budget Analyst, FM Cyber Acquisition Section (AFLCMC/HNCFY) and promoted from GG-07 to GG-09.

**Retirements:** Jeff Moon, MEDCOM, retiring effective 28 Feb 2015

**Congratulations:** None reported.

**Announcements:** None reported.

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## 2013-2014 CHAPTER OFFICERS

### ELECTED OFFICERS:

<b>President:</b>	COL Derrick Flowers	295-2845
<b>Secretary:</b>	Donald (Don) Bocker	295-2876
<b>President-Elect:</b>	Vaughn Caudill	808-7552
<b>Secretary-Elect:</b>	Beverly Johnson	221-4415
<b>General Counsel:</b>	Patrick Reynolds	221-0620
<b>Treasurer:</b>	Katherine Igyarto	221-7079
<b>VP 47 CPTS:</b>	MAJ Jeffrey Garner***	298-3259*
<b>VP 502 ABW &amp; OL-B:</b>	Erica Lewis***	221-5866
<b>VP 502 CPTS OL-A:</b>	<b>TBD</b>	---TBD---
<b>VP AETC/AFSAT:</b>	Arturo (Art) Rivas	652-2241
<b>VP AFAA:</b>	Jenny Luvisi	652-0414
<b>VP AFCEC:</b>	Teresa Vega	395-8498
<b>VP AFISRA:</b>	Corrine (Ariel) Zurita	977-2570
<b>VP AFMOA:</b>	Tanya Williams	395-9236
<b>VP AFPC/SV:</b>	Rena Benjamin	395-7673
<b>VP ARNORTH:</b>	Jeffrey (Jeff) Musgray	221-0523
<b>VP ARSOUTH:</b>	PeTrina McIntyre	295-6036
<b>VP Galveston COE:</b>	Patricia McDonald	766-3122**
<b>VP IMCOM:</b>	Aurora Castaneda	466-0762
<b>VP MEDCOM:</b>	Victor Stansberry	295-0914
<b>VP Retiree/At Large:</b>	Debbie Rush	655-0577

### APPOINTED OFFICERS:

<b>Exec Officer:</b>	Riley, Penny	295-2875
<b>Alt. Treasurer:</b>	Celeste Carrola	925-7160
<b>Auditor:</b>	Cynthia Fleming	395-8395
<b>Awards:</b>	Mike Snell/Ross Olfers	221-2331
<b>Budget:</b>	Roger Casillas	295-2859
<b>Certification:</b>	Kathy Scott	295-2860
<b>Chapter Competition:</b>	Bernard Davey	652-2798
<b>Community Service:</b>	Joanne McCauley	221-2656
<b>Corporate Liaison:</b>	Rose Saul	466-0866
<b>Elections:</b>	Norma Insurriaga	395-8808
<b>Historian:</b>	Betty Ann Rosales	422-9017
<b>Membership:</b>	Ada Fromuth	659-8642
<b>NAVMISSA Liaison:</b>	LCDR Mary Graves-Harewood	859-1458
<b>Newsletter:</b>	Ellen Hester	663-9425
<b>PDS Chair:</b>	MAJ Alex Gonzales	221-8187
<b>Photographer:</b>	Nicole Morrow	654-6004
<b>Programs:</b>	Dr. Robert Griffith	295-2856
<b>Publicity:</b>	Leslie Amerson	925-5301
<b>Scholarship:</b>	Bill Pazeretsky	659-6242
<b>Web-Master:</b>	Mary Ann Casillas	295-2877

\* - Area Code 830, DSN prefix 732

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