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Mark Jackson Named Warrior Transition Command Civilian Employee of the Year Award

Alexandria, Va. – Mark Jackson, Current Operations Branch, is the 2014 Warrior Transition Command Civilian Employee of the Year. He was selected based on his numerous contributions to the organization and the Army. Mr. Jackson synchronizes all actions for the command with external agencies on behalf of WTC and seamlessly prepares command operation orders, information papers, executive summaries and other reports meeting all required suspenses. He ensures that operational actions are completed in accordance with policies and procedural requirements. He personally developed the tasker database that is utilized by all command personnel.

Mr. Jackson is committed to excellence and consistently the model of professionalism. He manages and mentors subordinates, and is sought after by peers in the WCTP, WTUs, RMCs, and by WTU leadership for his knowledge of the program, his continuity and history. Mr. Jackson demonstrates commitment to excellence in service and assistance to the Soldiers, Families, Cadre, Leaders, and Civilians in the Army Warrior Transition Command and Warrior Care and Transition Program.

An exemplary supervisor, Mr. Jackson always has his subordinates' best interest in mind; development and training of employees and leads by example. He epitomizes selfless service and never leaves unfinished tasks. OPORDS, WARNOs are done well in advance of the deadline, and maintains that the command has updated current operations information at all times.

Jackson is known for always being available to employees and teammates throughout the command to provide counsel and a listening ear. In his spare time and on weekends he volunteers at the Stafford, Va. Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Jackson is committed to caring for animals in need, educating the community, and helping to raise awareness of the importance of putting a stop to animal cruelty and abandonment.

He will represent WTC and will be considered for the MEDCOM Civilian Employee of the Year along with other regional and major subordinate command employees. A WTC Internal Policy Memo, WTC Civilian Employee of the Year Award Program was published in 2010 and updated in January, 2014. Nominations for the WTC Civilian Employee of the year are submitted by Division Chiefs and nominations are reviewed by the WTC Civilian Employee of the Year Award Selection Board that consists of a Chair and representatives from each division and directorate. The nomination packets are reviewed and voted on based on criteria outlined in the WTC Internal Policy Memo 14-001 that can be viewed on SharePoint at the following link:

https://ecss.hqda.pentagon.mil/agencies/wtc/collaborate/saco/Policies/Forms/AllItems.aspx

The WTC Civilian Employee of the Year selection is accomplished by a majority vote.