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FED OVERVIEW

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Topics



- ❖ MCA Projects
- ❖ Food Service Equipment (FSE) Prime Vendor
- ❖ FSE Replacement Program
- ❖ Food Service Management Plan
- ❖ Business Planning Strategy Charrette for Army DF

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New Buzz Word



CHARRETTE

It's a French word derived from "a collection of ideas." In France many years ago, artists and architects sat in a class and drew their ideas. When the allotted time was up someone would push around the aisles a cart carrying a box to collect the drawings. The artists and architects would put their ideas in the box, known as a "charrette."

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Types of Charrettes



- **Planning Charrette:** This is accomplished during the formulative stage of a project and facilitates the identification of issues that impact functionality, scope, cost and execution. The process affords the opportunity to include beneficial sustainability and operability principles and practices in the project. The product of this is an effective DD1391.
- **Design Charrette:** Accomplished when the team works side by side for an intense exchange of ideas to develop planning concepts and architecture that fits the project criteria. This approach ends with worktable solutions supported by all major players.

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Challenges of Construction Projects



- Changes to the concept of operation
- Feeding mission changes
- Force Protection
- Timeframe
- Equipment changes
- Review of contractor furnished equipment and construction
- Funds being diverted
- Transition from existing DFAC to new facility

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Food Program Manger's Role in an MCA Project



- Provide data to the Installation Master Planner to develop the DD 1391 (include feeding mission, head count data, unit assigned to the DFAC, etc.).
- Attend the planning and design charrettes.
- Attend all design review meetings.
- Submit requisitions to ACES for all GFGI equipment.
- Order the décor package based on décor package from the COE and commercial vendors.
- Serve as the on-site point of contact for the MCA project.

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New FSE PV Contracts



- ❖ To be awarded IN EARLY FY05
- ❖ 6 zones – 2 CONUS/ 2 OCONUS/ 2 Maritime
- ❖ Total estimated yearly value: \$ 53,000,000
- ❖ Prime Vendor will be required to establish a full time presence in Europe and other OCONUS areas as conditions warrant
- ❖ BSM implementation for DSCP FSE in 2006

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Zone Realignment



- ❖ **CONUS EAST** – All Eastern US, Caribbean, Central and South American land locations
- ❖ **CONUS WEST** – All Western US land locations
- ❖ **OCONUS EAST** – All Europe, Africa, Middle East and Persian Gulf land locations
- ❖ **OCONUS WEST** – All Pacific Rim, Diego Garcia, and SW Asia land locations
- ❖ **MARITIME EAST** – All US rivers East of and including Mississippi River, Atlantic Ocean, Mediterranean Sea, North Sea, and Red Sea military & government ships
- ❖ **MARITIME WEST** - All US rivers west of Mississippi, Pacific Ocean, Indian Ocean, Persian Gulf military & government ships

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New FSE Prime Vendor (PV) Contracts



- ❖ PV program supports: product, parts and technical manuals
- ❖ Products may be commercial model/part number or NSN
- ❖ PV program supports incidental services
- ❖ Incidental services may include: design/layout, removal, installation, repair, renovation, maintenance, warranty and training
- ❖ PV orders must be within scope vs. FSOS and other government programs for smaller items and/or accessories

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Vendor Equipment

- ❖ Coordinate with your local DPW prior to accepting vendor equipment to ensure proper utilities.
- ❖ Most vendor equipment is 220 Volt, 4 Wire, 1 Phase





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Food Service Equipment Replacement Program

- Equipment Replacement Record should be maintained in AFMIS to establish the budget to replace food service equipment.
 - System will interface with DSS.
 - Procedures:
 - Provide visibility/budget above installations
 - Identify equipment overages/shortages
 - Standardize inflation rate
 - Data cleanup



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Food Service Management Plan (FSMP)

- ❖ Purpose: To identify buildings that are or ever have been designated as a dining facility.
- ❖ Assists in construction, modernization, improvement planning and full mobilization planning.
- ❖ FSMP will be used to determine dining facility categories for the Phillip A. Connelly Program.

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Business Plan Tasks



- ❖ Develop a strategic plan for US Army Enlisted Personnel Dining Facilities (Contracted work effort).
- ❖ Identify facility design alternatives that enhance the effectiveness of the overall garrison feeding program by leveraging business practices thereby ensuring a high quality garrison food program.

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Planning Charrette



Key Activities

- ❖ Visit existing Army dining facilities (including EPDF, MWR and AAFES facilities).
- ❖ Break out sessions, with various participants in each:
 - ❖ Policy Level Group
 - ❖ Master Planning Group
 - ❖ Facilities Group
- ❖ Analysis of data, existing policies, plans and operational and financial results.
- ❖ Brainstorming sessions to develop realistic future strategies.

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Planning Charrette-Defined



- ◆ A process used to strategize the best design to meet an installation's garrison feeding requirements
- ◆ Process may be led by governmental officials or contractors

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Planning Charrette- Ft Bragg



- ❖ Charette, chaired by Norfolk District, USACE, was held at Ft Bragg from 12-16 Jan 04. Ft Bragg was selected based on the variety of food service operations.
- ❖ Included in the charrette were: USACE, ACSIM, IMA SERO, ACES, NAF, MWR Managers, Cini-Little, HSMM Architect, and Ft Bragg Installation Food Service Leadership

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Charrette Brainstorming



- ❖ Method to increase meal participation rate
- ❖ Privatization
- ❖ Methods of paying for meals
- ❖ Change of policies
- ❖ Consolidation of dining facilities
- ❖ Location of dining facilities
- ❖ Hours of operation
- ❖ Renovation of existing dining facilities
- ❖ Use of a business model approach
- ❖ Method of training cooks

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Standard Survey



- ❖ **Installation Standard Survey will provide a tool to allow installations to:**
 - ❖ Analyze their garrison feeding mission
 - ❖ Determine what food service facilities should be renovated, enlarged, reduced in scope or closed.
 - ❖ Assist in proper sizing and locating of facilities.
 - ❖ Make intelligent choices from among the various garrison feeding choices: e.g. a la carte, standard serving line, buffet style feeding, drive-through etc.

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Planning Charrette



Conclusions from Fort Bragg Charrette

1. **The Business Plan will:**
 - ❖ **Identify a market relationship among installation food services** (appropriated fund versus non-appropriated fund).
 - ❖ **Provide a decision model for selection of the best approach or combination of approaches such as:**
 - ❖ Buffet
 - ❖ A La Carte
 - ❖ Traditional
 - ❖ Satellite / Kiosk
 - ❖ **Provide a rational basis for determination of facility requirements** (location, type, and size of facilities, design approach, interior design, exterior requirements, cost, life expectancy, storage, security, environmental concerns).

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Planning Charrette



Conclusions from Fort Bragg Charrette (Continued)

2. **Standard Survey will provide for:**
 - ❖ Execution of the Garrison Food Services Strategy- Soldier Survey (Based on entitlements)
 - Determine soldier satisfaction/needs
 - ❖ Execution of Garrison Food Services Strategy- Installation Survey
 - Determine Installation food service plan
3. **Development of a model concept for facilities will:**
 - ❖ Facilities that support up to 400 people.
 - ❖ Facilities that support over 401 people.
 - ❖ Satellite / Kiosk

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Strategy Adoption Decision



- ◆ Input from all committee members
- ◆ Final decision on adoption to be ACES using input from IMA and Army G-4

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