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Northern Virginia Chamber and PSC Announce 2019 Greater Washington Government Contractor Awards™ Finalists

Winners to be Announced Live at the 17th Annual Awards Gala on November 6 at 6 p.m. EST

Tysons, VA – Today, the [Northern Virginia Chamber of Commerce](#) (Northern Virginia Chamber) and the [Professional Services Council](#) (PSC) announced the finalists for the **17th Annual Greater Washington Government Contractor Awards™** (GovCon Awards), the premier awards event for the Washington area government contracting community. The winners will be recognized during the annual awards gala on Wednesday, November 6 at The Ritz-Carlton Tysons Corner.

The purpose of the GovCon Awards is to honor the exceptional work of the leaders and businesses in the region's government contracting sector. The award categories include: **Contractor of the Year** in four revenue categories, **Executive of the Year** in three revenue categories, and one **Program of the Year**. The Program of the Year, introduced in 2014, will represent the most successful contracted program chosen from among the finalists of all four "Contractor of the Year" categories and will be presented on November 6 at the awards.

The 2019 Washington Government Contractor Awards Finalists are:

Contractor of the Year:

Up to \$25 Million

- Arena Technologies
- Datastrong
- DT Global (Development Transformations, LLC)
- HigherEchelon
- Mobius

\$25 – 75 Million

- Acclaim Technical Services. Inc.
- Advanced Concepts and Technologies International, L.L.C. (ACT I)
- Amyx, Inc.
- Apprio, Inc.
- Ridgeline International



\$75 – 300 Million

- AbleVets
- DCS Corp.
- Kearney & Company
- Knight Point Systems
- Net Esolutions (NETE)
- Octo Consulting

Over \$300 Million

- American Systems
- Emergent BioSolutions
- Parsons
- SAIC
- SOSi

Executive of the Year:

Up to \$75 Million

- Dave Cerne, Acclaim Technical Services, Inc. (ATS)
- Tony Crescenzo, IntelliDyne, Inc.
- Matt Jones, TMA: An SAP NS2 Company
- Robin Portman, Atlas Research
- Chad Sehlke, Sehlke Consulting, LLC

\$75 – 300 Million

- Cynthia Barreda, NetCentrics
- Bob Eisiminger, Knight Point Systems
- Andrew Maner, E3/Sentinel
- Mehul Sanghani, Octo Consulting
- William Vantine, Systems Planning & Analysis Inc.

Over \$300 Million

- Mac Curtis, Perspecta
- Scott McIntyre, Guidehouse
- Tom Romeo, Maximus Federal
- Julian Setian, SOSi
- Carey Smith, Parsons



In addition, an outstanding leader from the government contracting sector will be inducted into the Greater Washington Government Contractor Awards Hall of Fame in honor of his or her tremendous lifetime achievements and one individual is selected as the Public Sector Partner of the Year for outstanding contributions to promote effective partnerships between the sectors.

Hall of Fame: Ed Bersoff, Chairman, Parabilis, LLC.

Public Sector Partner of the Year: General Paul J. Selva, 10th Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, United States Air Force

“The 2019 Greater Washington Government Contractor Award finalists are the pre-eminent leaders in the government contracting community,” said Julie Coons, Northern Virginia Chamber president and CEO. “The selection process is highly competitive, and all finalists should be very proud of this achievement.”

“These finalists represent the best that the private sector brings to public service and solving problems for the government,” said David J. Berteau, PSC President and CEO. “Together, PSC and the Chamber salute their accomplishments and eagerly anticipate their future success.”

In keeping with the program’s history of identifying a charitable partner, [Operation Renewed Hope Foundation](#) was chosen for their commitment to providing quality housing and supportive services to our nation’s homeless veterans. They also provide a range of services assisting veterans and breaking their cycle of homelessness.

More information about the GovCon Awards can be found at www.novachamber.org. Follow the conversation on Twitter through [@NovaChamber](#) and [@PSCSpeaks](#) and hashtags: #GovCon2019 #GovConAwards #GovConAwards2019.

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About the Northern Virginia Chamber of Commerce: The Northern Virginia Chamber of Commerce (Northern Virginia Chamber), The Voice of Business in Northern Virginia™, is the preeminent Northern Virginia membership organization for businesses to grow through relationship building and partnership engagement throughout the Greater Washington region. 700 organizations and 500,000 employees strong, the Northern Virginia Chamber is the largest chamber of commerce in Northern Virginia and has been working hand-in-hand with regional businesses, government, and academia to build a robust and innovative business community for more than 90 years. To learn more about the Northern Virginia Chamber, please visit <http://www.novachamber.org> and follow the Northern Virginia Chamber on Twitter: [@NOVACHamber](#) and [@NOVACHamber_CEO](#).

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