

DLA Distribution Guam, Marianas Mr. Franklin P. Leon Guerrero Deputy Director

Franklin P. Leon Guerrero became the deputy director of DLA Distribution Guam, Marianas, in February 2016. He is a native of Guam and a 1979 graduate of the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland.

After graduation from Annapolis, Guerrero accepted a second lieutenant commission is the United States Air Force and was assigned to the Computer Staff Officer School at Keesler Air Force Base in Biloxi, Mississippi. Upon graduation he was assigned to the Air Force Data Services Center at the Pentagon as a computer programmer/systems analyst providing programing/ systems analysis for the HQ USAF/Director of Budget. As a Captain, he transferred to the Air Staff, HQ USAF Director of Budget after four years and



became a fully qualified budget analyst developing operating system "tools" which assisted in the development of budgetary application software systems. He became the recognized expert in all phases of budget formulation, execution and tracking; constantly sought after for software design recommendations and troubleshooting solutions.

Guerrero worked for multiple information management companies in the Washington, DC area, such as Honeywell, Planning Research Corp, and Science Management Corp before entering into federal service at the Patent and Trademark Office as a Computer Engineer. At the Patent Office he was instrumental in the execution of the Congressional mandate for the automation of the Automated Patent System.

Guerrero returned to Guam in 1991 as the controller at the Government of Guam's Port Authority of Guam. As controller he managed an over \$30 million budget with approximately 400 employees. In 1993 he was awarded the coveted "best Financial Manager in GOVGUAM" by the Association of Government Accounts.

Guerrero took leadership roles in commercial companies on Guam specializing in storage, sales and distribution before returning to federal service in September 2007 as a transportation officer at DLA Distribution, Guam, Marianas. From the transportation officer position, he transferred to the contracting officer's representative position which he held for approximately seven years before accepting the position of deputy director.

As the former commander of the Air Force Reserve's 44th Aerial Port Squadron, Guerrero's leadership was directly responsible for the 44 APS being awarded the highest honor available to aerial port's nationwide by Air Mobility Command three times under his command.