



DLA Troop Support
2017 Hall of Fame Inductee
CHRISTOS COSFOL

Christos Cosfol was inducted into the Defense Logistics Agency Troop Support Hall of Fame, Nov. 21, 2017 for his outstanding mission support from 1977 through 2014. Mr. Cosfol began his federal career in 1977 as a GS-03 student trainee under a work study program with Drexel University and worked his way up the ranks before retiring as the deputy director of Procurement Process Support.

Mr. Cosfol was a leader, role model, technical expert and visionary who guided DLA Troop Support through the ever-changing world of acquisition. He provided strategic oversight of commodity support on the most complex acquisitions within DLA including prime vendor acquisitions and multiple award contracts. Leaders from all five Troop Support supply chains consulted with him regularly to map out acquisition strategies and techniques.

Throughout his career Mr. Cosfol was instrumental in implementing several procurement systems from the DLA Pre-Award Contracting System to E-Procurement, which is still in use today. Mr. Cosfol led a team of DLA Troop Support buyers and business process analysts who spent nearly seven years designing, building, testing and ultimately rolling out this enterprise-wide acquisition system. He also applied his knowledge of contracting and automation to spearhead DLA Troop Support's Time to Award Initiative. His guidance in the planning and execution of policy for TTA resulted in the organization's ability to award contracts 65 percent faster at all levels, and saves the workforce thousands of work hours.

Mr. Cosfol mastered the delicate balance of being innovative and goal oriented while achieving stellar support to warfighters, and ensuring taxpayer dollars are spent wisely and responsibly. The far reaching effects of his efforts leave a legacy that ensures the future of DLA is even brighter than ever.