



The Nation's Combat Support Logistics Agency

# Doing Business with Defense Logistics Agency (DLA)

Elizabeth Lamothe, Procurement Analyst March 6, 2024

WARFIGHTER ALWAYS



#### Who is DLA?

- DLA manages the global supply chain as the Nation's Combat Logistics Support Agency
- DLA procures specific supplies centrally, then distributes them to the workforce and/or the warfighter
- We support:
  - The Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Space Force, Coast Guard
  - 10 Combatant Commands
  - Other Federal Agencies and
  - Partner and Allied Nations
- We also:
  - Supply 86% of the military's spare parts
  - Supply nearly 100% of fuel and troop support consumables
  - Manage the reutilization of military equipment
  - Offer document automation and production services to a host of military and federal agencies





- DLA's combat logistics and aviation demand and supply chain
- Primary mission is to procure repair parts for fixed-wing and rotary-wing aircraft, bottled gases and cylinders, and oversee DLA's green products initiative to harness and recycle elements that would be hazardous to the environment
- Manages the Department of Defense (DoD) map repository of aeronautical, digital, hydrographic and topographic map products
- Operates the federal government's only industrial plant equipment facility which provides a full range of maintenance services

DLAAVNSMALLBUS@dla.mil



## DLA Contracting Services Office (DCSO)

- Manages DLA enterprise-wide requirements including:
  - Major Information Technology (IT) systems and programs
  - IT products and services
  - Business and facilities services
  - Other enterprise services for DLA
- DoD's provider of document services including:
  - Conversion
  - Digital warehousing
  - Printing, duplicating, distributing, and copier management
- Responsible for acquiring, upgrading, rotating and disposing of stockpile materials

DCSO.Small.Business@dla.mil



#### **DLA Distribution**

- Manages DLA's network of distribution depots responsible for the receipt, storage, issue, packing, preservation and transportation of DLA-managed items
- Purchases supplies and services in support of their mission and buy items such as:
  - Packing materials
  - Conveyor systems
  - Other services to support the DoD distribution network

DLA.Distribution.OSBP@dla.mil



## **DLA Energy**

- Manages petroleum products including:
  - Jet fuels
  - Aviation and automotive gasoline
  - Marine diesel
  - Heating oil and lubricants
  - Alternative fuels
  - Coal, natural gas, and electricity
- Supports utilities at DoD installations to include:
  - Electricity
  - Natural gas
  - Water and wastewater systems
- Manages the government fuel card program

## DLA.Energy.OSBP@dla.mil



#### **DLA Land and Maritime**

- Manages consumable repair parts and depot-level repairable procurement operations for nearly 2,000 land-based and maritime weapon systems
- Manages parts for land vehicle operations including:
  - Maintenance kits
  - Transmission, engine and suspension components
  - Tires and batteries
  - Radios and parts for small arms
- Maritime supply chain procures repair parts for the nation's ships to include:
  - Electrical parts
  - Valves
  - Pumps
  - Motors
  - Cabling

SMBIZLandCOLS@dla.mil



#### **Troop Support**

- Provides support for humanitarian and disaster relief efforts and warfighter support through supply chains to include:
- Subsistence is the sole provider of food for all branches of the military worldwide and supports other non-DoD activities such as the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), the State Department, and the U.S. Agency for International Development
- Clothing and Textiles provides clothing, textiles and equipment to service members, other federal agencies and partner nations
- **Medical** supports warfighters and their dependents globally including:
  - Surgical items
  - Preventative vaccines
  - Pharmaceuticals
  - Field hospital equipment
  - Medical supplies for animals

DLATroopSupportsbo@dla.mil

## **Troop Support continued**

- **Construction and Equipment** provides everything from light bulbs to bulldozers, including:
  - Construction and building supplies such as lumber; metal products such as wire, sheet, plates and bars; paint; lighting and lamps; electrical and plumbing supplies and heating, ventilation and air condition supplies and hardware
  - Fire and emergency equipment such as marine lifesaving and diving equipment, tactical gear, search and rescue equipment and personal protection gear
  - Manages a variety of storage equipment including portable buildings, storage tanks, drums, can, bottles, jars and bags

DLATroopSupportsbo@dla.mil





#### WARFIGHTER ALWAYS