



Tom Neff



Mr. Thomas Neff is currently serving as the Project Director, Computer Hardware, Enterprise Software and Solutions (CHES). In that role, he is responsible for delivering, implementing, and managing commercial information technology contracts that provide enterprise-wide, net-centric hardware, software and support services for the Army. The CHES portfolio of COTS IT contracts exceed \$30B in total value. Mr. Neff has also served as the Project Director, Reserve Component Automation System (RCAS) from September 2009 to June 2012. In that role, he was responsible for the delivery of information technology solutions that support the training, administration, and mobilization of the Army's Reserve Component. He has also served as the Deputy Project Manager, General Fund Enterprise Business System (GFEBS) from July 2013 to June 2014 and as the Deputy Product Manager, Joint Automatic Identification Technology (J-AIT) from September 2005 to August 2009.

His US Army career spans over 30 years, with service both in uniform and as a civilian employee. Mr. Neff entered the US Army in 1982 as a private and served four years of enlisted service as a Pershing Missile Crewmember, ultimately receiving an Honorable Discharge as a Sergeant in 1986. He was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant in the US Army in 1991, branched Field Artillery, after graduating from the US Army's Officer Candidate School. He served in a variety of field artillery, training, civil affairs and system's acquisition assignments in both the active component and the USAR. He is currently assigned to the ASA(ALT) Army Reserve Element.

Mr. Neff was an award recipient of Federal Computer Week's 2008 Federal 100 Award. His military decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal (3rd Oak Leaf Cluster), Army Commendation Medal (1st Oak Leaf Cluster), Army Achievement Medal (9th Oak Leaf Cluster), the Parachutist Badge and the Air Assault Badge.

Mr. Neff graduated with honors from Lehigh University with a double major of International Relations and Government. He also earned a Master of Education from Loyola University-Chicago and Master of Science from Syracuse University. He is a 2013 graduate of the Senior Acquisition Course at The Eisenhower School, National Defense University, is a member of the Army Acquisition Corps, Level III certified in Program Management and Information Technology, and holds the Federal CIO and CISO certificate(s) from the NDU.