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## **Air Force Names Honolulu District, Project Manager Yago Best in 2007**

**(FORT SHAFTER, HI - NR 027-07)** The U.S. Air Force presented Honolulu District with the 2007 U.S. Air Force Design Through Construction Agent of the Year and the District's Edwin Yago with the 2007 Civilian Project Manager of the Year (Construction Category) awards during ceremonies held in Washington, D.C. August 2.

Honolulu District Commander Lt. Col. Charles H. Klinge accepted the command award from Air Force Maj. Gen. Delwyn Eulberg, Office of the Air Force Civil Engineer, Headquarters U.S. Air Force in Washington, D.C.

The Construction Agent of the Year Award recognizes the agency that provides the most professional management of construction projects for the U.S. Air Force. U.S. Pacific Air Forces (PACAF) nominated the Honolulu District for the Air Force-wide award for "its unique managerial ability, construction techniques and ability to complete projects below cost and ahead of schedule."

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## **2-2-2 AIR FORCE AWARDS**

PACAF recognized the District for its success with Hickam Air Force Base's C-17 Beddown Project.

Yago, a civil engineer, is being recognized for "his dynamic leadership, technical and managerial ability, fiscal resourcefulness and innovative engineering techniques."

Yago serves as the project manager for several Hickam AFB projects.

Honolulu District is responsible for the planning, design and construction of the \$153 million C-17 Beddown project, which includes: a state-of the-art simulator building, a squadron operations building, a consolidated maintenance complex, historic hangar renovations, a hot cargo pad and several support facilities.

The Air Force Center for Engineering and the Environment (AFCEE) hosted the Design & Construction Awards luncheon. Formed in 1991, AFCEE is a field operating agency of the Office of the Air Force Civil Engineer in Washington, D.C.

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