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Army Corps Awards F-22 Taxi Way / Parking Apron Contract

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(FORT SHAFTER, HI NR-18-10) The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Honolulu District recently awarded contract No. W9128A-10-C-0008 to Watts Contractors, LLC, Honolulu, Hawaii, for \$8,050,000 to construct a concrete taxiway, F-22 aircraft parking area and supporting utilities at Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii.

The project will help support the 20 F-22 Raptor aircraft that will be based on Hickam by December 2011.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is a valued partner of the Hawaii Air National Guard and the U.S. Air Force in executing military construction projects and meeting mission needs. The Corps' military construction programs help keep the economy moving forward while supporting National Defense Priorities, including protecting the lives of the people of Hawaii.

The performance period is 325 calendar days.