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DCSA ANNOUNCES 2021 COGSWELL AWARD WINNERS

QUANTICO, Va. (June 9, 2021) – The Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency (DCSA) has recognized 40 facilities as recipients of the 2021 James S. Cogswell Outstanding Industrial Security Achievement Award.

Chosen from nearly 13,000 cleared facilities in the United States, each facility has demonstrated industrial security excellence. To qualify, companies must establish and maintain a security program that exceeds basic National Industrial Security Program requirements. Recipients also help other cleared facilities establish security-related best practices while maintaining the highest security standards for their own facility.

The Cogswell Award selection process is rigorous. A DCSA Industrial Security Representative may only nominate facilities that have at a minimum two consecutive superior industrial security review ratings and which show a sustained degree of excellence and innovation in their overall security program management, implementation and oversight. DCSA makes the final selections. Due to COVID-19 and the stand down of on-site security reviews, DCSA only considered facilities that had received consecutive superior ratings no later than January 1, 2018, for this year’s Cogswell Award.

Established in 1966, the award honors Air Force Col. James S. Cogswell, the first chief of industrial security within the Department of Defense. Cogswell developed the basic principles of the Industrial Security Program, which includes emphasizing the partnership between industry and government to protect classified information. This partnership provides the greatest protection for U.S. warfighters and our Nation’s classified information.

Congratulations to the 2021 Cogswell Award winners.

Alliant Techsystems Operations, LLC
DBA: Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation
Northridge, Calif.

The Aerospace Corporation
Colorado Springs, Colo.

Azure Summit Technology, Inc.
Fairfax, Va.

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BioFire Defense, LLC
Salt Lake City, Utah

Booz | Allen | Hamilton
Colorado Springs, Colo.

CNI Advantage, LLC
Norman, Okla.

CNI Global Solutions, LLC
Norman, Okla.

Corvid Technologies
Mooresville, N.C.

D.E. Technologies, Inc.
King of Prussia, Pa.

DRS Network & Imaging Systems, LLC
Cypress, Calif.

Eclipse Energy Systems, Inc.
St. Petersburg, Fla.

G&B Packing Co., Inc.
Jersey City, N.J.

General Dynamics Mission Systems, Inc.
Florham Park, N.J.

Iridium Satellite LLC
Tempe, Ariz.

Leidos, Inc.
Albuquerque, N.M.

Lockheed Martin Advanced Technology Laboratories (ATL)
Arlington, Va.

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Lockheed Martin Rotary and Mission Systems
Akron, Ohio

L3 Harris Technologies, Inc.
Rochester, N.Y.

MIT Lincoln Laboratory – Huntsville Field Site
Huntsville, Ala.

Mercury Systems, Inc.
West Caldwell, N.J.

Mercury Systems, Inc.
Cypress, Calif.

Northrop Grumman Aeronautics Systems – El Segundo
El Segundo, Calif.

Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation, Platform and Mission Integration
Ocean Springs, Miss.

Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation
Sunnyvale, Calif.

Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation, Aerospace Systems Division
Melbourne, Fla.

Northrop Grumman Corporation – Launch Vehicles
Chandler, Ariz.

OnPoint Consulting, Inc.
Arlington, Va.

Saab, Inc.
East Syracuse, N.Y.

Sierra Nevada Corporation
Sparks, Nev.

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