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Corps awards more than \$39 million for new facilities at Fort Bragg to support Soldiers

SAVANNAH, Ga. – More construction begins soon at Fort Bragg, N.C., with the recent award of three new contracts, totaling \$39 million by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Savannah District. The contracts will fund a new dining facility, mission training complex, and tactical equipment maintenance facility in support of Soldiers.

The Savannah District awarded a \$17.5 million contract to SFL+A Architects of Raleigh, N.C., to construct a mission training complex, formerly known as a battle command training center. The 46,980 square-foot facility will simulate battle field conditions within a classroom setting via battle command systems, simulations, virtual trainers and gaming systems. Primary facilities include tactical operations pads, an entry control facility, Energy Monitoring and Control Systems connection, and intrusion detection system installation. Supporting facilities include electric service, water, sewer, and gas; paving, walks, curbs, and gutters; storm drainage; site improvements; and information systems. The project is scheduled for completion by September 2013.

In addition to the mission training complex, the Savannah District also awarded an \$11.1 million contract to H-S Joint Venture of Atlanta, Ga., to construct a new dining facility for the 3rd Brigade. At 26,500 square feet, the facility will provide meals for 1,300 personnel and is scheduled for completion in June 2013.

A \$10.4 million contract was awarded to Balfour Beatty Construction, LLC of Dallas, TX, for the construction of a tactical equipment maintenance facility for the 108th Air Defense Artillery Brigade. The project will include an 18,000 square-foot vehicle maintenance shop, organizational storage, oil and hazardous waste storage, a general purpose storage facility, unmanned aerial vehicle storage, and organizational vehicle parking. The project is scheduled for completion in June 2013.

Like all Army construction, these facilities will incorporate environmentally friendly features. These “green” buildings will satisfy Silver rating criteria established by the [Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design \(LEED\)](#) rating system, in accordance with the U.S. Green Building Council standards.

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The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' [Savannah District](#) manages [three lakes and hydroelectric dams](#) along the Savannah River. It also oversees a multi-billion dollar [military construction](#) program at 11 Army and Air Force installations in Georgia and North Carolina. Corps' projects range from barracks, hospitals and clinics to maintenance facilities, headquarters buildings and aircraft hangars. The Savannah District also has oversight and maintains additional civil works projects – from the Savannah and Brunswick harbors to the Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway.