

PRESS RELEASE

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Diane Rath Elected to the Association of Defense Communities Board of Directors

Diane Rath was elected to ADC's board of directors during the 2020 membership meeting on July 8th. She is a San Antonio, Texas native and serves as the Executive Director of the Alamo Area Council of Governments (AACOG). The AACOG supports 13 counties, 64 municipalities and the 11 military installations that comprise Joint Base San Antonio by operating major public service program areas, including law enforcement, homeland security liaison, 911 district management, natural resource sustainment, a transit agency, economic development and others.

"Diane is a great addition to our board of directors, and she brings a breadth of experience in military-community partnerships, installation advocacy and military family quality of life issues," ADC President Joe Driskill said.

Under Diane's leadership, the AACOG has been recognized with awards for outstanding performance by both the National Association of Regional Councils (NARC) and the National Association of Development Organizations (NADO) for the past four years. Diane plays a lead role in the region's military partnership and advocacy efforts and serves on Air Education and Training Command Civil Leaders Group and thanks in large part to her efforts, the AACOG partnered with Joint Base San Antonio to develop the very first blanket Intergovernmental Support Agreement (IGSA).

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About ADC

The Association of Defense Communities (ADC) builds resilient communities that support America's military. We are the connection point for leaders from communities, states, the military and industry on community-military issues and installation management to enhance knowledge, information sharing and best practices. With nearly 300 communities, states, regions, and affiliated industry organizations, ADC represents every major defense community/state in the nation. For more information about ADC follow us on Twitter and Facebook @defensecomm and visit [defensecommunities.org](https://www.defensecommunities.org).

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