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Kimberly Huth Joins ADC's Board of Directors

Washington, D.C. – Kimberly Huth, executive director of military affairs for St. Clair County Illinois has been appointed to the Association of Defense Communities Board of Directors. She will serve through 2024, the remainder of the term of Greg Doyon, who departed the position earlier this year.

In her current position with St. Clair County—home to Scott Air Force Base—Huth works across local governments and community organizations to assist military active duty, reserve, Guard and families population while also promoting and fostering a positive relationship between the military and civilian communities surrounding the base.

"I have spent my entire adult life dedicated to the freedom of our nation and ensuring that those who serve have a voice and are supported—so that when our nation receives the call, there is no doubt that they and their families are mission-ready and supported by the community in which they serve and live," Huth said.

As part of her work in St. Clair County, Huth was selected to lead a working group to study the quality of education and licensure portability for families transitioning to Scott Air Force Base. With her leadership, Scott AFB achieved a "Most Supportive" rating for licensure portability, making it one of only 10 communities in the Air Force to receive this designation. Additionally, Huth was instrumental in coordinating with Scott AFB leaders in addressing food insecurities, child care, mental health access and much more. She was selected as a member of the base executive planning team for the 2023 Scott AFB Air Show and STEM Expo, ensuring blurred line between base and community to address safety and security while maintaining community outreach for 80,000 attendees to Scott AFB.

In 2023, Huth was recognized as a <u>Defense Community Champions</u> National Honoree, an award given by ADC to recipients who demonstrate leadership on base, in communities, across local governments and in industries.

"We are thrilled to have Kimberly join our board of directors," ADC President Karen Holt said. "She brings fresh ideas and unique experience that will strengthen ADC's mission moving forward."

A 24 year United States Air Force veteran, Huth's outstanding background and proven dedication to supporting Scott AFB make her a valuable addition to the ADC board. Her insight and ideas will benefit ADC but also all defense communities across the country.

About the Association of Defense Communities (ADC)

ADC is the connection point for communities, states, the military and industry on community-military issues and installation management to enhance knowledge and best practices. With nearly 300 communities, states, regions and affiliated industry organizations as members, ADC represents every major defense community and state in the country. Visit defense communities.org to learn more.

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