

RICH GORMAN
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR / CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER
FAMILY AND MORALE, WELFARE AND RECREATION COMMAND

Effective 18 May 2006, Rich Gorman assumed duties as Chief Operating Officer, U.S. Army Community and Family Support Center, now known as the Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation Command. In this capacity, Mr. Gorman provides oversight, guidance and supervision of morale, welfare, and recreation programs and services in the areas of Business Programs, Nonappropriated Fund Construction, Nonappropriated Fund Contracting, Human Resources, and Hospitality Management Directorate which includes the Armed Forces Recreations Centers (Hale Koa Hotel® in Hawaii, Shades of Green® in Florida, Dragon Hill Lodge® in Korea, and the Edelweiss Lodge and Resort in Germany), Army Lodging (worldwide), and the Army Recreation Machine Program (worldwide). Mr. Gorman serves as the senior nonappropriated fund employee of the Army for a workforce of 40,000 employees worldwide and advocates for nonappropriated fund employee benefits and conditions of employment.



Prior to assuming duties as Chief Operating Officer, Mr. Gorman had served as Director for Hospitality Management (U.S. Army Community and Family Support Center) and oversaw worldwide Armed Forces Recreation Center and Army Recreation Machine Program operations (May 05 – May 06).

Mr. Gorman's additional Army civilian responsibilities have included direct management of two of the Department of Defense's premier Joint Service facilities (Armed Forces Recreation Centers): Dragon Hill Lodge® (Seoul, Korea, Jun 98 – Mar 05) and Armed Forces Recreation Center (AFRC)-Europe (Garmisch and Chiemsee, Germany, 1989 – 1996). He has managed a world-wide Army Recreation Machine Program operation (the second-largest revenue-generating activity in Army MWR, Aug 97 – Jun 98) and brought about major realignments in the European theatre by transitioning its headquarters from Germany to Fort Carson, Colorado. Mr. Gorman served as Director of Operations, Hospitality Directorate at HQDA-level (Feb 96 – Aug 97). Mr. Gorman assumed the position as Director of Hospitality Management with management and oversight responsibilities for the Armed Forces Recreation Centers and the Army Recreation Machine Program (May 05 - May 06). His career progression and leadership experience have honed him for this important oversight mission and places him in a position to meet greater challenges with likely success.

Mr. Gorman is an experienced leader with keen business acumen evidenced by the successful and proven programs and services that he manages and influences. Mr. Gorman's desire for excellence in all facets of MWR business management, profitability, planning, personnel administration, and the full realm of managing revenue-generating operations are an asset to the Department of the Army and the Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation Command.

Mr. Gorman and his wife have three children.