

# 2017 DMSMS Lifetime Achievement Award

## Mr. Samuel “Sam” Calloway

### C-17 DMSMS Engineer

Over the course of his career, Sam Calloway built a robust, proactive DMSMS management approach from the ground up everywhere he goes: F-15 and C-17--these programs are noticeably successful and feed into other programs who benchmark Sam’s success--the Air Force couldn’t contain Sam’s success--the Navy also leveraged his success

- Built highly effective, robust DMT processes on F-15 as the F-15 SPO DMSMS SME responsible for Counterfeit Parts and lead free processes for F-15 Avionics Suite
- F-15 successes were noticed and spread to other programs like wildfire--evolved into enterprise-wide tools we use today across the Air Force Product Support Supply Chain
- Grass roots team revamped long-ignored, 17 year old AFMC DMSMS guidance--team consulted Sam Calloway heavily, and he was gracious enough to actively participate in weekly meetings--led to crisp and succinct AFMC-wide DMSMS guidance that serves as the authoritative Air Force Guide to successfully combat DMSMS
- Planted seed to revamp Senior Engineering Council--this highly useful forum is led by Chief Engineers once per month: in-the-trenches engineers experiencing problems articulate challenges and get help from senior leaders equipped to give it--effective mitigations baselined and shared across base and throughout the Air Force Product Support Supply Chain
- Provided key input on the inaugural publication of DoD’s authoritative DMSMS Guidebook: SD-22 Initially published in 2006 as well as the frequent updates
- Engaged Robins AFB contracting workforce at National Contract Management Association (NCMA) DMSMS panel discussion--expanded DMSMS knowledge throughout contracting
- Sam led resolution of countless F-15 DMSMS challenges by building a multi-disciplined team of professionals to solve DMSMS issues and challenges