

Dave McDonald, NCTAMS PAC CIO and INDOPACIFIC C3 Services Leader, Joins Suss Consulting

JENKINTOWN, Pa., February 24, 2026 – Suss Consulting, a leading provider of federal IT opportunity capture, proposal support, price-to-win analysis, strategic planning, and market research services, today announced the addition of Dave McDonald, recently retired NCTAMS PAC CIO.

“Dave’s deep experience in planning, designing, sourcing, implementing and operating a massive array of critical military technologies will help our clients develop winning next generation Indopacific and Global C3 solutions,” said company President Warren Suss.

Before joining Suss Consulting, Mr. McDonald led a 140-person CIO/N5/N8 team responsible for execution of more than 200 telecommunications and IT systems throughout the Pacific. His team was responsible for planning and managing operations and maintenance (O&M), architecture, systems integration, change and configuration management, cyber defense, Information Assurance (IA), and Material Maintenance Management (3M) programs.

As the senior civilian at NCTAMS PAC and for the NNE Pacific for 16+ years he served as a key senior advisor and technical expert for the Commanding Officer. He advised higher headquarters leaders in the DoN CIO and ASN IWAR, regional Joint and Navy warfighting commands and systems commands. His team was responsible for Telecommunications, IT, MILSATCOM and Cyber Defense O&M. They supported a complex mix of critical Naval, Joint and Coalition C2/telecommunications missions, systems, personnel, facilities and associated cost centers, including civilian personnel, integrated IT services contracts, IT modernization and "break-fix" projects. They planned and implemented infrastructure capital investment upgrades including MILCONs/Special Projects and operating budgets for equipment, licenses, sparing, training, and logistics and for the entire 2000+ personnel NNE Pacific organization.

His leadership portfolio included executive oversight of 17 Base Communications Offices (BCOs) throughout INDOPACOM, including management of the Hawaii BCO. His team provisioned telecommunications transport, telephony and data services to more than 200 multi-Service commands throughout the Hawaiian Islands, Wake Island and Kwajalein Island. He and his team also served as the Lead Military Department (LMD) and Deputy Program Manager (DPM), partnered with the Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA), executing program management responsibilities for the Pacific Enterprise Services Hawaii (PES-H) program, a \$250M Defense Working Capital Fund (DWCF) program providing base/post/camp/station telecommunications infrastructure, DSN/DRSN/commercial telephony services, switch and cable plant maintenance, data transport, and new communications infrastructure.

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