



News Advisory

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SMALL BUSINESS AWARD GIVEN TO LOCAL FIRM

What: The Small Business Administration will present Astrid Contract Technical Services, Inc (ACTS), a woman-owned 8a company in New Ellenton S.C., with the Small Business Administration's (SBA) award for Prime Contractor of the Year.

Date and Time: Tuesday, Sept. 24 at 3 p.m.

Location: Charleston Air Force Base (News media are asked to be at the **Dorchester gate at 2:45 p.m.**)

Why: ACTS has the base roofing contract, and the Design Build renovation contract for several base buildings. They have completed delivery order requirements for the base playgrounds, signs for Arts and Crafts Center, Military Family Housing repairs, fencing in housing, and roof repairs. Interviews with ACTS officials and members of the 437th Contracting Squadron are available. Elliot Cooper, District Director of the South Carolina District Office of SBA will make the award presentation. Great source for small businesses looking for ideas on how to do business with the government.

Visuals: Standard award presentation in a conference room environment. Interviews with participants.

Contact: For more information, or to indicate intent to attend, please contact Lt Col Ed Memi at 963-3888