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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

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CECW-CO

MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDERS, MAJOR SUBORDINATE COMMANDS AND
DISTRICT COMMANDS, CHIEFS, CONSTRUCTIONS-OPERATIONS DIVISIONS

SUBJECT: Legends Award 2008 Selection

1. Reference Memorandum, CECW-CO, 26 March 2006, subject: Request for Nominations for the American Recreation Coalition's Legends Award.
2. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has selected Mr. Brad Keshlear, Recreation Program Manager for the South Atlantic Division, as the recipient of the 2008 American Recreation Coalition's Legends Award.
3. Over the span of his career, Mr. Keshlear has been a park technician and outdoor recreation planner, and worked in the St. Louis District, Savannah District and SAD. In each role he has worked tirelessly to insure that the Corps resources and facilities met the needs and exceed expectations of the recreating public. He was a founding member of the team which developed and implemented the National Recreation Reservation Service and made significant contributions to the world of water safety, having direct impacts on improving water safety on a national basis.
4. The award winners from each agency will be honored at the Recreation Exchange Luncheon 11 June 2008 in Washington, D.C. during Great Outdoors Week. Mr. Keshlear's accomplishments and efforts bring positive recognition to himself and the Corps. His commitment to excellence has established a distinguished standard for others to emulate.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. L. Stockton".

STEVEN L. STOCKTON, P.E.
Director of Civil Works