

Noncommissioned Officer Academies (NCOA) facilities improvement:

INCOPD in partnership with TRADOC G-1/4 Engineers continue the work of improving the Noncommissioned Officer Academies (NCOA) facilities by establishing standard criteria for a NCOA which had not existed. This standard has been briefed the HQDA Integrated Planning Team (IPT) in order to gain support in upcoming NCOA MILCON projects. TRADOCs initial draft of the "NCO Academy Standard Facility Planning Criteria Manual" received HQDA G-3/5/7 approval and was shared with the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management (OACSIM). OACISM funded a contract to provide both requirements analysis and planning charettes of six NCOAs selected by both INCOPD and TRADOC G-1/4 Engineers due to each NCOAs unique characteristic. These documents where completed and provided to OACISM, TRADOC G-1/4ENG and INCOPD and serve has a basis for future MILCON projects. INCOPD continues to work a combined effort (G-37/TR & TRADOC) to develop/complete a product that will be accepted by the HQDA MILCON IPT as TRADOC moves forward in building new NCOAs. Currently, the Ft Drum NCOA remains a FY19 MILCON project and represents the first NCOA project to enter the programming cycle under the NCOA standard facility design.