



# Postcard from Afghanistan



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I've always wanted the opportunity to work with the US Army Corps of Engineers, and this experience as the Kunduz Resident Office Officer in Charge hasn't let me down one bit! Whether developing the capacity of our Afghan Engineers, conducting "boots on ground" assessments along the Afghanistan-Tajikistan border, or inspecting the security and quality of a USACE construction site, I've found that each day brings a new and exciting opportunity to make a difference. Our Kunduz Resident Office Team takes great pride working together with our Global Security Liaison Team, Provincial Reconstruction Team, 2nd Battalion, 18th Infantry Regiment, and Infrastructure Training Advisory Group partners to deliver timely and

quality infrastructure safely and securely throughout Kunduz, Baghlan, and Takhar provinces. As the coalition forces in our area of operations transition from Counterinsurgency to Security Force Assistance Operations, my hope is that our Afghan National Police (ANP) and Afghan National Army (ANA) infrastructure projects enhance and expedite their mentoring, further facilitating our transition back home. Fortunately, we have a tight group of brilliant, innovative problem solvers that love what they do and an Area Office that provides timely and needed support. Finally, let me thank all of my family and friends who are praying for us and continue to provide the office with boxes and boxes of goodies. From all of us in the Kunduz Resident Office - THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

