

AFIMSC moves forward with Office of the Future

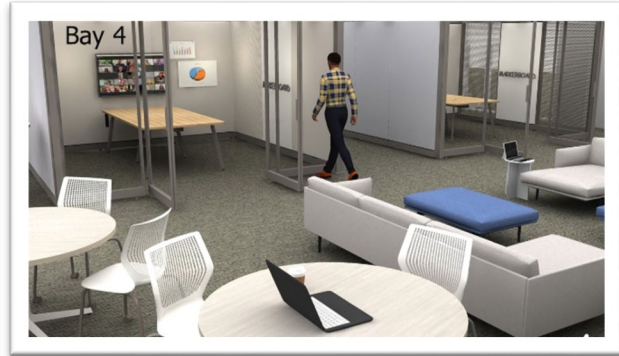
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JOINT BASE SAN ANTONIO-LACKLAND, Texas – AFIMSC kicked off Office of the Future, its initiative for a sustainable, hybrid workplace, this week at its headquarters building in Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, Texas.

Col. Kevin Mantovani, AFIMSC vice commander, and Lt. Col. Craig Svanberg, O2F project manager, shared updates and answered questions about the initiative during a town hall on Sept. 1.

“This is a new radical way to work for us,” Mantovani said. “COVID has shown us that we can telework and still be 100 percent productive, but we’re missing that connectedness that makes us great as a team. O2F will facilitate that connectedness and promote quality of life by leveraging cutting edge information technology to enable collaboration and flexible work in order to optimize resources, while improving mission effectiveness.”

The O2F team will be collecting data and making adjustments until O2F is “dialed in and works for this organization,” Mantovani added.



Office of the Future launched Sept. 7 and spaces in Bays 3 and 4 in AFIMSC headquarters are now available via AgilQuest hoteling software, which is accessible for government computers through the [website](#) or smart phone [Google](#) and [Apple](#) apps.

User Accounts have been loaded for the Air Force Civil Engineer Center and IMSC occupants for Bays 3 and 4, and an email sent to direct users to finalize their accounts.

Future O2F expansions include Bay 6 in the winter of 2021.

“For starters, we’re going to give supervisors and employees the tools, resources and support they need to succeed and thrive in this new model,” Mantovani said. “We are creating an environment where the benefits of workplace flexibility, balanced with the mission, will improve job satisfaction and the ability of our team to support Airmen and commanders around the world. With O2F we are directly supporting Department of

Defense, Air Force and Air Force Materiel Command guidance and policies for maintaining readiness, modernizing infrastructure and governing telework activity.”

To learn more about AFIMSC’s O2F plans and to take a look at potential furniture renderings and floorplans, visit the CAC-enabled [SharePoint page](#).

Watch the Sept 1 [O2F Town Hall video](#) for the latest update and Q&A session.

Watch the tutorials on [Setting up an Account](#) and [Making a Reservation](#) on AgilQuest for more information about how to use the hoteling software.