WHERE WE'RE GOING

Every day in AFIMSC brings new challenges and new opportunity—it is a very exciting place to be! As we look back at 2017, we're proud of our people and the work they have done across the Air Force; supporting Commanders on the ground, in garrison, and in combat Theaters. We also know that we have more work to do. We know there is still chaos behind the walls and much of what we do is still being figured out real time. Some processes have not been redesigned, some processes still need to be established, and all of our work needs to become repeatable. We're still working to better connect the diverse parts of our enterprise and move beyond functional excellence toward our goal of establishing a "shared consciousness" among all of our people. We are working hard on all of these things, and we're very excited about where we are going.

As we look forward to 2018, we see nothing but opportunity; opportunity to mature our organization, integrate functions, and innovate across our mission areas. Some of this progress is a direct result of our AFIMSC 2.0 effort. We have put a ton of work into redesigning our organization and optimizing our capabilities to make best use of extremely limited manpower. As we mature our organization, we will vertically align integration and execution functions and consolidate where we've found efficiency not already achieved. We will also implement the Enterprise Management Construct and organize our 90 different products into 17 functional product lines, establish Enterprise Managers to horizontally integrate product lines, then create Product Line Management Plans deliberately tied to an I&MS strategy. And we will streamline and standardize our MAJCOM detachments to fill any residual gaps created by our stand-up and strengthen our direct connection to our primary MAJCOM customer.

It doesn't stop with 2018; it doesn't even slow down. We will leverage AFIMSC's agility to capitalize on I-WEPTAC initiatives, expand our Installation Health Assessment, maximize dollar savings with Category Management, turn readiness reporting into predictive analysis, operationalize the Integrated Risk Management Program, and add to our current list of 45 other initiatives...then use Big Data to tie it all together. We are committed to truly revolutionizing combat support and we will innovate, innovate, innovate! We are Warfighters Supporting Warfighters!

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