



## **Beth White, Deputy for Small Business Programs**

### **Rock Island District Corps of Engineers**

Ms. White is currently the Deputy for Small Business Programs at the Rock Island District Corps of Engineers, located on the Rock Island Arsenal in Rock Island, IL. Ms. White has been involved in Federal procurement for 20 years, beginning her Federal career with TACOM and the Army Contracting Command in Rock Island. She took a break from Federal service in 2011 to work for the Iowa Procurement Technical Assistance Center and returned as the deputy for small business in 2017.

In her role, Ms. White is the advisor to the commander on all small business related issues and all progress toward assigned small business contracting goals. She also provides support to contracting and technical personnel on all small business regulations and initiatives, including market research, acquisition planning and source selections. Ms. White also manages the subcontracting program for the district for large businesses and empowers small businesses to market their businesses and capabilities to the district personnel, as well as for subcontracting opportunities. Ms. White is married with two sons (one in college and one in second grade) and one amazing niece.