



**American Society of Military Comptrollers  
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Dear Mike:

I want to thank you for participating in our Mini-Professional Development Institute (PDI) on March 11, 2009. As you may be aware, the American Society of Military Comptrollers is the largest professional organization in the Department of Defense for financial managers. Fort Bragg and Pope Air Force Base are home to one of the largest concentrations of financial managers, both military and civilian, in the Department and the Mini-PDI was a tremendous professional development venue for well over two hundred of our members.

Your Bigger and Better Government Retirement presentation was right in line with our theme, "Building Tomorrow's Leaders" and was well received by our members, dedicated professionals supporting the U.S. Army Special Operations Command, XVIII Airborne Corps and Fort Bragg, Pope Air Force Base, and numerous tenant activities.

In addition to providing a great professional development event, the fund raising we conducted at the Mini-PDI, when combined with our other fund raising this past year, enabled us to award \$3,500 in scholarships to deserving college and college-bound students.

Thanks again for helping us serve our members and the community-at-large.

Sincerely,

Dale F. Schnabel, Jr.  
President, Sandhills Chapter