



COLONEL KIMBERLEE P. JOOS

Col. Kimberlee P. Joos commands the 17th Training Wing, Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas. A Joint Center of Excellence, Goodfellow is the home for the Department of Defense Fire Academy and multi-service intelligence technical training. The wing is responsible for training more than 15,000 firefighting and intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance warriors annually for the United States Air Force, Army, Navy, Marine Corps, other government agencies, and allied nations. In addition to Goodfellow, Colonel Joos has command responsibility for three geographically-separated units in California, Arizona and Florida. She manages real property, equipment, supplies and contracts in excess of \$1.09 billion and has an annual operating budget exceeding \$106 million. She also provides support to Army, Navy and Marine Corps on-base units, as well as seven other partner organizations and Angelo State University's Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps.

Colonel Joos received her commission in 1991 through the Air Force ROTC program at Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, Missouri. She is a master intelligence officer with experience in numerous intelligence disciplines, to include Indications & Warning, Analysis, Instructor, Flying Unit-level Intelligence Support, Theater Airborne ISR Operations, National Cryptologic Operations and Collection Management. She has served at all levels of U.S. Air Force operations, including Squadron, Group, Wing, Numbered Air Force, Major Command and Intelligence Center collocated with Headquarters, U.S. Air Force. She has joint duty experience at the Component and Combatant Command levels.

A life-long learner, Colonel Joos received her Bachelor of Science degree in psychology from Southeast Missouri State University in 1991. In 1992 she graduated from the Air Force Intelligence Officer Course at Goodfellow AFB, Texas and in 1997 she graduated from Squadron Officer School at Maxwell AFB, Alabama. In 2002 Colonel Joos earned her Master of Arts degree in National Security Studies from Georgetown University. In 2006 she was awarded Distinguished Graduate, Air Command and Staff College from Maxwell AFB, Alabama and also completed Armed Forces Staff College at Norfolk, Virginia. In 2009 Colonel Joos completed Air War College (Non-resident program), Maxwell AFB, Alabama and in 2011 she was awarded Distinguished Graduate from Industrial College of the Armed Forces, National Defense University, Washington, District of Columbia.