TOP 5 ETHICS PRINCIPLES

- 1. Public service is a public trust–always consider whether your actions will be, or will be perceived to be, contrary to the public interest.
- 2. Avoid any situation in which you must weigh your obligations to the public against your personal interests.
- 3. Avoid any situation that will create a perception that anyone will have undue influence on your actions as a Government official.
- 4. Avoid any action that may be perceived as a personal use of public office, including use of the authority of your office to support a private interest.
- 5. Safeguard Government property and resources.