



Robert Radkiewicz announced his retirement as our IA/IL NDIA Chapter Executive Vice President. Shown in the picture on the right is Bob being honored by the Association's Silver Medal and accompanying certificate "for his remarkable support to the Iowa/Illinois NDIA Chapter and for his many contributions to the national defense mission throughout his distinguished career as an Army Civilian."

Bob joined NDIA in July 2001 and has served on the IA/IL NDIA Chapter Board for many years. Bob was elected by the board to be our Chapter Executive Vice President in January 2008 and has served in this position until now. Needless to say, Bob has been a key board participant throughout his 19 years with NDIA and he will be sorely missed.



As our Executive Vice President, Bob has been a valued resource in assisting with the operational tasks and execution of the Annual Midwest Government Symposium. In his position, he has been a steady member of the board. He has helped with board meeting conduct, coordination with board members and consistently offers welcome and valuable insights regarding the direction and activities of the Chapter. Most noteworthy, Bob recently stepped up when our Chapter President was incapacitated the day before our 2019 Symposium Event and seamlessly executed the President's planned participation role and led in managing that successful event.

Bob retired in June 2001, after 31 years of service as a Department of Army Civilian (DAC) at Arsenal Island. Bob's career ranged from managing Research and Development programs to leading the Munitions Command environmental group responsible for 25 installation environmental programs; he held several senior Command positions, including the management of the multi-service ammunition program, programming, budgeting, producing, storing and maintaining a multi-billion dollar ammunition stockpile.

His volunteer work extended beyond our Chapter of the IA/IL NDIA. Bob was also a mentor and past Chair for the Quad Cities SCORE Chapter, an arm of SBA, that provides free counseling to businesses.

Bob and his wife, Marguerite, reside in Moline. We wish them well and good health, as well as a big 'Thank You' from the NDIA.