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Idaho is supported by the AmeriCorps NCCC Pacific Region campus. Located in Sacramento at the former McClellan Air Force Base, the Pacific Region campus serves as the base for approximately 600 members and team leaders each year and serves the states of Alaska, California, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, and the Pacific U.S. Territories including American Samoa and Guam.

AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps) is a full-time, team-based residential program for men and women ages 18-24. NCCC members are assigned to one of five regional campuses into teams of approximately ten members, and complete 2- to 3-month projects responding to local communities' needs in every state. Teams serve with local and national organizations, infusing resources and leading volunteers for hundreds of organizations like Habitat for Humanity and the American Red Cross. These young adults lead youth development activities, construct and rehabilitate low-income housing, clean up streams, help communities develop emergency plans, and address other pressing local needs.

NCCC's flexible program structure allows both the opportunity to partner with non-profit or government organizations that might lack the capacity to manage longer grant programs, as well as the ability to create strategic collaborations with other national service programs and federal agencies to magnify the impact on communities served. In 2012, NCCC collaborated with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and created a new unit of members called FEMA Corps. These teams are devoted solely to FEMA disaster preparedness, mitigation, response, and recovery efforts, which strengthen the nation's ability to respond to and recover from disasters while expanding career opportunities for young people. Between the traditional and FEMA Corps, up to 2,800 members serve with AmeriCorps NCCC each year.

In addition to the FEMA Corps, the traditional NCCC teams are coordinated for rapid disaster deployment anywhere in the country. Trained in CPR, first aid, disaster response and firefighting, teams have responded to local and national disasters since the program was established in 1994. Since 2000, members have served more than 5.1 million hours on 1900 disaster services projects across the nation.

Idaho

SELECTED HIGHLIGHTS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN IDAHO SINCE 2000

- ★ 112,791 service hours completed
- ★ \$2,497,193 dollars worth of service provided
- ★ 7,300 volunteers recruited and coordinated
- ★ 630,000 feet of streambeds or riverbeds restored
- ★ 98 tons of debris, exotic vegetation or underbrush removed
- ★ 61,000 new trees, shrubs, and seedlings planted
- ★ 2,500 tax returns completed
- ★ 5,100 people with disabilities assisted

SELECTED IDAHO PROJECT SPONSORS

- ★ Nez Perce Soil and Water Conservation
- ★ Camp Fire USA Inland Northwest Council
- ★ Internal Revenue Service-Boise
- ★ Idaho Department of Fish and Game - Lewiston
- ★ 2009 Special Olympics World Winter Games
- ★ USDA Forest Service~ Nez Perce National Forest
- ★ Idaho Panhandle National Forest/USDA Forest Service
- ★ Idaho Department of Fish and Game - Boise

HIGHLIGHTED PROJECT: Special Olympics World Winter Games

Special Olympics is an international nonprofit organization that offers no-cost, year-round training and competition opportunities to more than 2.25 million children and adults with intellectual disabilities across 160 countries. Three NCCC teams worked with the Games Organizing Committee's to plan and execute the 2009 Special Olympics World Winter Games in Boise, Idaho. Members were assigned to Organizing Committee areas including transportation, motor pool management, accommodations, delegations services, volunteer services, logistics, credentialing, marketing, food and beverage, sports, information technology, guest services, and ceremonies. A large part of Delegation Services involved establishing and managing the three Special Olympic Towns. Members assigned to Sporting Events helped support 2,000 athletes.

AmeriCorps NCCC is a program of the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS). CNCS improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering.

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