

## Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve (ESGR)



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**DAYTON, Ohio (November 29, 2006)** – The success of the nation's defense is dependent on the availability of highly trained members of the "Total Force." Employer support of all Guard and Reserve forces ensures the availability and readiness of these forces. In this environment, civilian employers play a critical role in the defense of our nation by complying with existing employment laws protecting the rights of their workers who serve in reserve components.

Thomas Hawley, representing O'Neil & Associates, Inc., Miamisburg, OH, signs a Five-Star Statement of Support. Looking on is MG (r) David Hartley, head of the Ohio ESGR program. The signing took place at the general membership meeting, November 17, 2006, honoring top ROTC cadets from six universities. The company is an AUSA sustaining member.

