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## Mr. Patrick M. Sullivan



### **Executive Director Naval Information Warfare Systems Command**

Mr. Patrick M. Sullivan serves as the Executive Director for the Naval Information Warfare Systems Command (NAVWAR). In this role, he shares responsibility for more than 10,000 civilian and military personnel and a budget of more than \$7 Billion, dedicated to the acquisition, delivery and sustainment of major command, control, communications, computers, intelligence, surveillance, reconnaissance, enterprise information, and space systems for the Department of the Navy.

Mr. Sullivan began his government career in 1991 at the Naval Ocean System Center, a predecessor organization to Naval Information Warfare Center (NIWC) Pacific. He entered the Senior Executive Service in July 2006.

From 1991 to 1996, Mr. Sullivan was a project manager where he worked to develop advanced electronic packaging technology. From 1996 to 2006, Mr. Sullivan led progressively larger and more complex programs, first as a project manager and principal investigator responsible for developing and managing several advanced microelectronic research and development projects. He then became Head, Integrated Circuit Research and Fabrication Branch, responsible for the Navy's Integrated Circuit Fabrication Facility focused on microelectronic technology development for the strategic space and intelligence communities. He then led the Joint and National Systems Division supplying advanced technology to the intelligence and special operations communities.

In March 2006, Mr. Sullivan was selected as Head, Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance (ISR) Department, NIWC Pacific. He managed programs to develop capabilities for maritime surveillance and ocean systems, joint and national information systems, intelligence systems, signal exploitation and cryptologic systems, and systems to support information operations and battlespace awareness. He also served as National Lead for the NAVWAR's Engineering ISR and Information Operations Competency.

In July 2010, Mr. Sullivan was selected as the Executive Director for the Program Executive Office for Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Intelligence. In this capacity, he shared responsibility with the Program Executive Officer for acquiring, integrating, executing, and delivering capability of a \$2.5 Billion portfolio supporting the tactical information warfare needs of naval, joint, and coalition warfighters.

Mr. Sullivan received a bachelor's degree in electrical and computer engineering from the University of California, San Diego (UCSD) in 1989. He continued at UCSD to earn his

master's degree in electrical engineering and applied physics in 1991. He is a member of the Advisory Boards for San Diego's Regional Economic Development Corporation and the Cyber Center of Excellence. Mr. Sullivan received the Presidential Rank Award for Meritorious Executive in 2017.