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## Gift Presented To USO-Metro

**Satellite Beach, FL, January 9, 2006** — The United Service Organizations of Metropolitan Washington DC (USO-Metro) recently received a Christmas present in the amount of \$1,500 from Satcom Direct Communications (SDC). David Greenhill, President of SDC, presented the check to Elaine B. Rogers, USO-Metro's President in December 2005.

"The USO provides many critical services for the dedicated men and women in the military and their families," comments Mr. Greenhill. "We are proud to support the important work they do."

The gift went to support the USO Santa program, which helps bring relief and financial assistance to newly wounded soldiers and their families at Walter Reed Army Medical Center and National Naval Medical Center. USO-Metro also works at airports welcoming home our nation's brave heroes as well as bidding them farewell with smiles and necessities as they journey overseas into harm's way.

As a 501(c)(3) charity, USO-Metro receives no funds from the government or the military. USO-Metro relies on special event fundraising and the generosity of private individuals and corporations to fund its programs. The USO-Metro is one of 122 operational centers around the world that assists military men, women and their families with emergency housing, food assistance, holiday programs, hospital services, orientation programs and more.

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USO-Metro's geographic service area includes Washington, D.C., Maryland, and Northern Virginia, a region with one of the largest concentrations of United States military personnel in the world. For more information, visit the USO at [www.USO.org](http://www.USO.org) and USO-Metro at [www.usometrodc.org](http://www.usometrodc.org).

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