

# **Harris Corporation Selects CNSI as a Subcontractor in the 2010 Census Field Data Collection Automation Program**

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providing the technical innovation and expertise that will make the FDCA program and 2010 Census a success.”

Previously field data was collected by hundreds of thousands of enumerators traveling door to door using paper address lists, maps and questionnaires. Once collected, papers were transported to processing centers where it was manually keyed into the system—a time consuming process with high costs and potential for errors in data entry. The U.S. Census Bureau will improve the process in the upcoming 2010 Census using the latest mobile technology to digitally capture information collected during interviews and transmit it back to processing centers in near real time. GPS mapping technology will be used to provide electronic maps and lists making it easier for the more than 500, 000 enumerators conducting interviews to quickly and accurately reach their destinations. CNSI will support the FDCA program in Largo, MD. At this facility, CNSI will be responsible for supporting integration and test activities. During the 2010 Census, CNSI will provide IT support personnel to maintain and troubleshoot hardware and software.

## **About CNSI**

Founded in April 1994, CNSI is a premier provider of IT business solutions for government and commercial enterprises. Based in Rockville, Md., CNSI delivers technology and resource expertise that improve the efficiency and productivity of IT systems. Focused on supporting clients that ensure the safety, health, and efficiency of the nation, CNSI serves customers such as the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Energy, and several state Medicaid agencies. Over the last 10 years, CNSI has earned top industry honors and regular inclusion in the Inc. 500, VAR Business 500, and the Techway Fast 50 lists for consistently high revenue growth. Additional information about CNSI can be obtained by visiting <http://www.cns-inc.com>, emailing [vmehta@cns-inc.com](mailto:vmehta@cns-inc.com) or calling (301) 634-4600.