

## Logistics Warrior

**Purpose:** In partnership with the operating forces and the CSS Advocate, the Sea Viking CSS Team will develop a draft concept paper to recommend organization, equipment and employment TTPs for CSS elements operating ashore. The long-term end state is to enhance the capabilities and survivability of a future CSSE in support of Ship to Objective Maneuver (STOM) and to provide input to the Expeditionary Force Development System (EFDS).



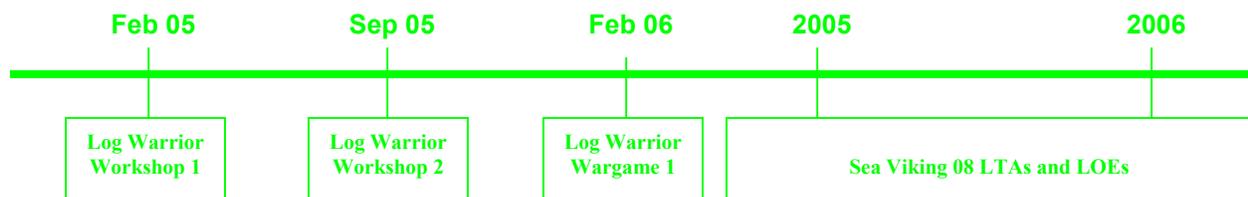
**Background:** Combat Service Support units have the same requirements as combat arms units to provide command and control to their mobile CSS detachments (MCSSD), but currently do not have the maneuver, intelligence and fires C2 systems tools. This capability deficiency is even more noticeable in STOM where CSS units are maneuvering on a non-linear battlespace over long distances without supporting friendly units. A draft concept paper and a recommended functional organizational structure that will be required for mobile CSS detachments to operate in a STOM environment will need to be defined.

**Description:** A concept paper will be drafted and refined through various workshops and wargamed in order to recommend organization, equipment and employment TTPs for CSS elements operating ashore supporting a STOM operation. During Sea Viking '08, the concept will be further assessed through live experimentation.

- Interim Enhancements
  - Recommended concept paper of surface maneuver CSSE capable of supporting combat forces ashore during a STOM.
- EFDS
  - Assessment of interim enhancements.

**Deliverable Products:** Concept of employment and assessment reports.

### Milestones:



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