



Mr. Kent E. Wheeler
Director, DLA Distribution Warner Robins, Ga.

Kent E. Wheeler became director of DLA Distribution Warner Robins, Ga., in March 2015.

Wheeler is a retired United States Marine Corps major. He is a 1990 graduate of Wheeling Jesuit University, and was commissioned a 2d Lieutenant in the Marine Corps.

Following The Basic School, Wheeler served in several supply officer billets, including duty as a supply officer with 24th MEU Service Support Group, 24th Marine Expeditionary Unit deployment to Somalia, and redeployment to Haiti. He was later reassigned as the operations officer (S-3) for 2d Supply Battalion, 2d FSSG.

Departing Camp Lejuene in 1995, Wheeler attended Amphibious Warfare School in Quantico, Va. He was then assigned to Headquarters Marine Forces Europe, Stuttgart Germany, G-4, as the strategic mobility officer, supply plans officer, fiscal officer, and headquarters commandant.

Following his tour in Europe, Wheeler was transferred to 1st Marine Division, Calif., as officer in charge, Logistics Readiness Evaluation team. After being promoted to major, he was reassigned within 1st Marine Division to assistant division supply officer.

Wheeler attended Marine Corps Command and Staff College in Quantico, Va., in 2002. He was then assigned to a staff billet as the Marine Corps officer retention officer, Headquarters Marine Corps, Quantico, Va. While serving at Headquarters Marine Corps, Wheeler was deployed to Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and served with I MEF as a liaison officer to 1st and 13th Corps Support Command. In 2005, Wheeler, was assigned as the commander of DLA Distribution Albany, Ga.

Since his retirement in 2010, Wheeler has been working as a program lead and business developer for corporate companies. In 2014, he returned back to DLA and was assigned as the DLA liaison officer and planner to Special Operations Command Central.

His awards include the Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, and the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal with Gold Star.