



DLA Distribution Anniston, Alabama

Lt. Col. Toby M. Williford USA

Commander

Army Lt. Col. Toby M. Williford, a native of Hobbs, New Mexico, took command of Defense Logistics Agency Distribution Anniston, Alabama, July 7, 2022. He graduated from Tarleton State University in Stephenville, Texas, in 2003 with a bachelor's degree in Finance. He also holds a master's degree in Legislative Affairs from George Washington University in Washington, D.C. Williford was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Transportation Corps in 2003 and his military education includes the Transportation Officers' Basic Course, Combined Logistics Captains' Career Course, Intermediate Level Education and Airborne School. His previous assignment was military advisor to the Department of State, Bureau of Conflict and Stabilization Operations.



Williford's operational assignments include tank crewman in 2-112 Armor Battalion of the Texas National Guard in Weatherford, Texas; platoon leader, executive officer, and brigade transportation officer in 4th Infantry Division (mechanized) at Fort Hood, Texas; commander of 539th Transportation Company (medium truck) at Fort Wainwright, Alaska; brigade S-4 for 501st Military Intelligence Brigade in Yongsan, South Korea; aviation brigade support operations officer and infantry brigade support battalion executive officer in the 10th Mountain Division (light) at Fort Drum, New York; and current operations officer for U.S. European Command J-4 and executive officer to the J-4 Director of Logistics in Stuttgart, Germany. He has two one-year deployments in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom with the 4th Infantry Division and U.S. Army Alaska, respectively.

From 2010-2014, as an Army Congressional Fellow, Williford served on the staff of Alaskan Senator Mark Begich and later as a legislative liaison for the Army Budget Office supporting the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Financial Management and Comptroller.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (three oak leaf clusters), Army Commendation Medal (one oak leaf cluster), Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal (two oak leaf clusters), National Defense Service Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal (two service stars), Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Korea Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon (numeral 5), Joint Meritorious Unit Award, Meritorious Unit Commendation (one oak leaf cluster), Army Staff Badge and Parachutist Badge. He has also earned the German Armed Forces Proficiency Badge.