



# DLA Distribution Tobyhanna, Pennsylvania

## Lt. Col. Andrew Thomas, USA

### Commander

Army Lt. Col. Andrew T. Thomas is a native of Reading, Pennsylvania, and commissioned from Reserve Officers' Training Corps in 2007. He received a Bachelor of Science in natural sciences from the University of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in 2007 and a Master of Science in business from the University of Kansas in 2018.

Following Ordinance Officer Basic Course, he was assigned to 1st Battalion, 7th Field Artillery Regiment at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, where he served as the Maintenance Control Officer, Company Executive Officer and the Battalion Logistics Officer. He was then assigned to Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, where he commanded 536th Support Maintenance Company and served as the 524th Combat Sustainment Support Battalion Operations Officer. He later served in 593rd Expeditionary Sustainment Command as an Operations Officer in the Distribution Integration Branch. As a field grade officer, Thomas was assigned to 210th Field Artillery Brigade in Camp Casey, Korea, where he served as the 70th Brigade Support Battalion Support Operations Officer and Executive Officer. He then served in two broadening assignments as an Observer Coach/Trainer at Mission Command Training Program, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and as a Future Operations Planner/Logistics Chief of Exercises in U.S. Army Southern European Task Force, Africa, Vicenza, Italy.

He has three operational deployments in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.

Thomas' military education includes Ordinance Officer Basic Course, Combined Logistics Captain's Career Course, Command and General Staff College, Theater Sustainment Planners Course, Support Operations Course, Lean-6 Sigma Green Belt, and Defense Support to Civil Authorities Phase II.

His awards include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (4th award), Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal (6th award), Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal (2nd award), Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Korea Defense Service Medal, Overseas Service Ribbon (6th award) and NATO Medal. He has earned the Parachutist Badge.

