



DLA Distribution Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Mr. John Northrup

Director

John Northrup is director, Defense Logistics Agency Distribution Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He has been employed by DLA Distribution for 10 years, serving in various supervisory positions as a supply management specialist, distribution facilities specialist and distribution facilities manager. Northrup's positions have included the Norfolk depot representative from October 2009 - July 2010, value stream owner CCP/ALOC operations, from July 2010 - March 2012, chief, support operations, from March 2012 - May 2014 and Eastern Distribution Center facility manager from May 2014 - January 2020. Northrup also served as acting director at DLA Distribution Jacksonville, Florida, for six months in 2019.



Additionally, Northrup's background includes three years with Science Application International Corporation and two years with the Department of Navy, Navy Supply Weapon Systems Support, formerly known as Naval Inventory Control Point Engineering and Product Support, site and programs manager for the Asset Protection and Pollution Prevention Division within NAVSUP WSS. Northrup spent over 17 years with United Parcel Service with specific experience across engineering, transportation, labor relations and hub and package operations culminating in his assignment as director of hub operations for the Desert Mountain District spanning Arizona, Nevada and New Mexico.

Northrup was born in San Angelo, Texas, the son of an Air Force veteran. After living in Europe for five years, his family settled in the Northeastern United States. He attended Ottawa University and graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in education with a major in math and minor in physical education. Additional education includes 320 hours of Executive Leadership Training, Lean Six-Sigma, and ISO 9000. He is certified at the Program Management III Level, Total Quality Management, Balanced Scorecard and Quality Improvement Process.

His awards include Letters of Commendation, Sustained Superior Performance Awards, Special Act Awards, and the DLA Superior Civilian Service Award. Northrup brings a unique perspective to his position based on the broad experience gained from the private sector, contract support, Department of Navy, DLA Distribution Headquarters, DLA Distribution Susquehanna, Pennsylvania and DLA Distribution Jacksonville, Florida.