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of Engineers®

# Founder's Day Celebration July 29, 2022

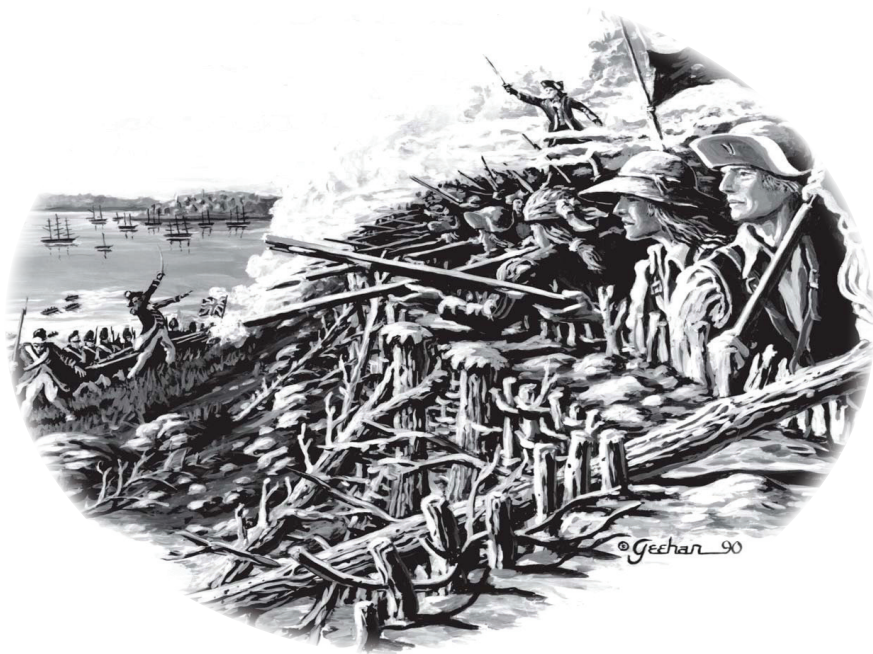


Enjoy the day!



**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers  
New England District**

BUILDING STRONG®



## Remembering who we are on Founder's Day

**Two hundred forty-seven years ago**, our nation's leaders established the Continental Army, beginning a rich heritage of successfully defending this great country and her citizens. Today, we celebrate the continued strength and professionalism of our ready and resilient Soldiers and Civilians with a commitment to our core values and beliefs. Following many years of war, the Army remains committed to the readiness, training and advancement of the Total Army through the Army initiatives: Ready and Resilient, The Army Profession and Soldier for Life. This 247th birthday commemorates America's Army - Soldiers, families and Civilians - who are achieving a level of excellence that is truly Army Strong. As we, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), continue our tradition of service to the nation that began on June 16, 1775, we are **BUILDING STRONG** for America's future.

## A look back at 2022...



## Retiree Passings

Mark DeSouza  
Brenda Faragi  
Fred Hugo  
Richard Vigeant

## Overseas Deployments

Mark Anderson  
Lyford Beverage  
Sheila Warren

Reachback Support  
Kuwait  
Reachback Support

**The United States has never been without Army Engineers.** We were there at the birth of our nation; USACE traces its beginnings to the opening days of the Revolutionary War when Boston native Colonel Richard Gridley was named chief engineer of the Massachusetts Volunteers and shortly thereafter, chief engineer of the newly formed Continental Army by Commander-in-Chief General George Washington. From the fortifications at Bunker Hill on June 16, 1775, to the taking of Redoubt Ten at Yorktown on Oct. 14, 1781, Army engineers played a crucial role in the war fought to make the United States a free and independent nation.

**The fine tradition of service** that began at Bunker Hill and inspired the new nation has continued through the years and USACE has accomplished so much and our high level of service in New England has remained unchanged. From a loosely structured organization in the first half of the 19<sup>th</sup> century, through the various districts (Boston, Providence, Portland, etc.), to the New England Division in the early 1940s and today's New England District, USACE has contributed greatly to the development and prosperity of this region.

**Today we serve as a part of the North Atlantic Division.** Along with our sister districts, we perform as a team to assure that the citizens of the northeastern part of the United States continue to receive the high level of service which has always been the hallmark of USACE. This total team effort allows USACE to respond wherever and whenever it is needed -- anywhere, anyplace, anytime.

**Since Bunker Hill, and throughout our history,** USACE has earned a reputation for nation-building and national defense. We are USACE and we serve the nation and we are both Army and Engineer Strong. And we in New England are Boston Strong.

## Significant Events

1775	Bunker Hill
1776	Siege of Boston
1781	Siege of Yorktown
1802	West Point Established as Part of USACE
1803	Commenced Exploration Survey and Mapping of West
1806	Began Construction of Cumberland Road
1812	War of 1812
1816	Started Planning and Construction of Sea Coast Forts
1818	USACE HQ Moved from West Point to Washington
1824	First Rivers and Harbors Act
1826	Began Surveys of Roads, Rivers, Canals and Railroads
1831	Lighthouse Construction Program Began
1841	Survey of Great Lakes
1846	Mexican War
1856	U.S. Capitol Dome Construction Began
1861-65	Civil War (Longest Pontoon Bridge Constructed 2,200 ft. in 8 hours over James River)
1866	Mississippi River Survey Report by Humphreys & Abbott
1888	USACE Division Organization Established
1888	Washington Monument Completed
1896	Library of Congress Completed
1898	Spanish-American War
1902	Engineer Board for Rivers and Harbors Established
1911	Raising of Battleship MAINE
1914	Panama Canal Completed
1914-18	World War I
1927	U.S. Water Resources Surveyed (308) Reports
1929	Waterways Experiment Station Established
1930	Beach Erosion Board Established
1936	Flood Control Responsibility Assigned by Congress
1941-45	World War II
1941	Full Responsibility for Military Construction Assigned
1942	Manhattan Project Established
1945	Arctic Research Program Commenced
1946	VA Hospital Construction Program Commenced
1950-53	Korean Conflict
1952	SAC Base Construction Program Commenced
1952	Nuclear Power Program Commenced
1954	St. Lawrence Seaway Project
1960	ICBM Program Commenced
1963	NASA Program Commenced
1965	Vietnam Buildup
1969	National Environmental Policy Act Passed

## Retirements

(List provided by Human Resources)

Alan Anacheka-Nasemann  
Judy Antonellis  
Eric Aramayo  
Kathleen Atwood  
Daniel Bradley  
Robert Casoli  
Jay Clement  
John Ehret  
Kevin Foster  
Michael Green  
Greg Hanlon  
Kenneth Heim  
Jay Mackay  
Julie Mackley  
John Mickiewicz  
Brian Mulvey  
Jacqueline Papini  
Henry Phillips  
Diane Ray  
Timothy Rezendes  
Robert Simeone  
Steven Simmer  
Peter Tischbein  
Michael Walsh  
John Westlund

Nekeisha L. Hubert	Real Estate
Richard C. Kristoff, Jr. Penelope W Reddy	Regulatory Engineering

## 20 Year Awards

Michelle L. Cucchi	Operations
John A. Haluchak	Operations
Siamac Vaghar	Engineering
Glenna Vitello	Operations

## 25 Year Awards

Janet Cote	Planning
Diana J. Errico-Topolski	Operations
Susanne Grant	Construction
Samantha Gray	Operations
Sheila Harvey	Safety

## 30 Year Awards

Sheila M. Bergeron	Programs Project Mgmt.
Joseph B. Mackay	Planning
John C. Macpherson	Operations
Joseph P. McInerney	Counsel
Gary S. Rogowski	Operations
Clarina M. Rose	Regulatory
Rosemary A. Schmidt	Engineering
Geoffrey M. Steuerwald	Operations
Heather L. Sullivan	Programs Project Mgmt.

## 35 Year Awards

Phoebe L. Chu	Operations
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## 40 Year Awards

James M. Conway	Construction
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## in Corps History

1970	Modern Volunteer Army Engineering Support Began
1975	USACE Redesignated as Combat Army
1975	Assigned Regulatory Responsibility
1976	Closed Out Directorate for Postal Construction
1977	Start Construction on the Red River Navigation Project
1978	Initiation of National Program of Inspection of Dams
1979	Engineering & Construction Work for Foreign Governments
1979	USACE Designated Major Army Command
1980	Groundbreaking for Lock and Dam 26, on the Mississippi River
1982	Design & Construction began for EPA Superfund Program
1983	Completion of World's First Rolled Compact Concrete Gravity Dam, Willow Creek, Oregon
1983	Bonneville Power House Completed
1985	Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway Opens
1985	Presidential Design Award for Charles River Dam, NED
1986	Passage of the Water Resources Development Act
1987	Record Spring Flooding in New England
1988	Defense Environmental Restoration Program (DERP), Martha's Vineyard
1989	Emergency Response to Hurricane Hugo and San Francisco Earthquake
1991	Desert Storm and Desert Shield, Hurricane Bob and Halloween Nor'easter
1992	NED 50th Anniversary
1994	Relocated Southeast Lighthouse Block Island, Rhode Island
1995	ASA (CW) Celebrates Public Lands Appreciation Day at Buffumville Lake and Hodges Village Dam
1996	Baird & McGuire Superfund Cleanup
1997	New England District Established
1998	New England District Moves to Concord, Mass.
1999	Received Two Vice Presidential Hammer Awards (Boston Harbor/Cape Cod Canal and Charles George Landfill)
2000	Corporate Wetlands Restoration Partnership Established
2001	Emergency Response during the World Trade Center Attacks
2002	USACE Support to the Global War on Terrorism
2003	USACE Reconstruction of Iraqi Infrastructure Begins
2005	Recovery Efforts in New Orleans and the Gulf Region
2007	USACE Begins Certification of National Levee Systems
2009	Buffumville Dam's 50th Anniversary of Construction
2012	USACE responds to Hurricane Sandy devastation
2018	USACE responds to Hurricane Maria, Florence, Michael, Irma and the California Wildfires
2020	USACE COVID-19 Emergency Response

## Distinguished

Karen Adams	Chief, Permits & Enforcement Br. A, Regulatory
John E. Allen	Chief, Engineering Division
Vyto L. Andreliunas	Director of Operations Division
John Astley	Division Counsel
Nicholas E. Avtges	Deputy Chief of Planning Division
Lawrence J. Bergen, Jr.	Chief, Water Control Br., Engineering
Gunnar R. Berglund	Area Engineer, Rivers & Harbors
Maurice Beaudoin	Resident Engineer, New Bedford Resident Office
Gerald F. Blake	Chief, Graphic Arts
Joseph A. Bober	Chief, Planning and Control Branch
Frank V. Bonzagni	Division Counsel
Jack Boyea	Construction/Operations Division
Ralph J. Braidwood	Chief, Appraisal Branch
William D. Brown	Real Estate Directorate
Katherine Bucciarelli	Senior Budget Analyst, Resource Mgmt.
Joseph F. Burke	Executive Assistant
Robert Byrne, Jr.	Programs/Project Management Division
James E. Callahan	Planning Division
Domenick W. Caprio	Engineering Division
Richard C. Carlson	Chief, Construction/Operations
Anthony Carosella	Engineering Division
Joseph P. Cavanaugh	Survey Party Chief, Engineering
Francis N. Ciccone	Engineer-in-Charge, Cape Cod Canal
Edward D. Chase	Assistant Chief, Engineering Division
Elliot F. Childs	Chief, Hydrologic Engineering Branch
John M. Clarkin	Park Manager, Buffumville Lake
Edward C. Colvin	Chief, Survey Branch
Louis F. Conca, Jr.	Executive Assistant, Operations Division
Saul Cooper	Water Control Branch
Margery A. Cotter	Engineering Division
John C. Craig	Engineering/Planning Division
Muriel S. Cronin	Office of Administrative Services
David Descoteaux	Chief, General Engineering Sec., Engineering Div.
Paulyne J. Dick	Assistant Division Counsel
John C. Dingwall	Special Assistant, Engineering Division
Ann M. Dogherty	Director of Logistics
Francis X. Donovan	Canal Manager, Cape Cod Canal
William D. Donovan	Cape Cod Canal
Edith C. Downey	Real Estate Division
John E. Eklund	Chief, Construction Division
Joanne Ellis	Budget Analyst, Programs/Project Mgmt.
Joseph W. Finegan	Chief, Water Control Div., Engineering

## Length of Service Awards

(List provided by Human Resources)

### 5 Year Awards

Richard S. Doughty	Construction
Justin D. Lindsey	Operations
Megan E. Pierce	Engineering
Bryan M. Purtell	Public Affairs
Gabriella J. Saloio	Planning
Kelsey T. Short	Human Resources

### 10 Year Awards

Michael S. Andryuk	Engineering
Scott S. Bockus	Operations
Dean D. Brammer	Engineering
Joanne M. Burnham	Construction
Christina M. Comeau	Programs/Project Mgt.
Jeffrey A. Gaeta	Engineering
Nicole C. Giles	Operations
Amy M. Hamilton	Emergency Mgmt.
Elaine L. Jacobson	Operations
Jeremy D. Kellett	Engineering
Christopher J. Kilbridge	Engineering
Susan A. McDonald	Operations
William Rand	Operations
John L. Parkhurst	Operations
June M. Richard	Emergency Mgmt.
Daniel A. Vellone	Engineering
Sarah A. Wilkinson	Planning

### 15 Year Awards

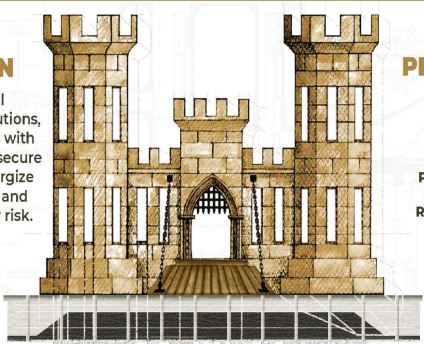
Kristine F. Blanchette	Operations
Matthew S. Coleman	Operations
Crystal R. Daley	Resource Mgmt.
Michael Green	Operations

June Richard  
 Allen Rudicil  
 Connor Santee  
 Steven Shepherd  
 David Sorensen  
 Chris Stalbaum  
 Sean Terrill  
 Christina Thomas  
 Maxwell Titelbaum  
 Kellsie Wyman

## Civilian Gallery

Herbert A. Fishlock  
 Francis W. Fogarty  
 Robert J. Frazier  
 Antonio H. Frechette  
 Albert Gallotta  
 Joseph M. Geoghegan  
 Malcolm E. Givens  
 Robert Harrington  
 John C. Hart  
 Dorothy P. Hayden  
 Gardner W. Hicks  
 Grace A. Higbee  
 Edward L. Hill  
 William Hubbard  
 Norris M. Humphrey  
 Joseph L. Ignazio  
 Olga E. Kanaan  
 Michael Keegan  
 Arthur J. Kelly  
 Michelle A. Kewer  
 Louis W. Lafond  
 Robert F. Lafrenz  
 Andrew Lamborghini  
 Beverly Lawrence  
 Harry G. Lawton  
 Catherine LeBlanc  
 James E. Leonard  
 John Wm. Leslie  
 Rosemarie A. Mackie  
 Zaven Malkasian  
 Ralph Mallardo  
 Philip L. Manley  
 Paul J. Marinelli  
 Preston D. Mathewson, Jr.  
 William F. McCarthy, Jr.  
 Raymond C. McCulloch  
 Earle "Buz" McDonald  
 J. Clifford McGann  
 Frederick W. Moehle, Jr.  
 Reese Morgan  
 Cornelius T. Morin  
 John F. Murphy

Engineering Division  
 Chief, Operations Division  
 Chief, Economics Section  
 Chief, Conveyancing Div., Real Estate  
 Engineering Directorate  
 Chief, Real Estate Division  
 Assistant Chief, Engineering Division  
 Chief, Engineering Mgmt Br.  
 Engineering Directorate  
 Civilian Personnel Officer  
 Engineering Division  
 Planning Division  
 Chief, Planning Br., Engineering Div.  
 Chief, Evaluation Branch, Planning Div.  
 Reservoir Manager  
 Planning Directorate  
 Personnel Office  
 Chief, CW&IIS, Programs/Project Mgmt  
 Operations Division  
 Chief, Contracting Division  
 Facilities Manager, Operations Division  
 Executive Officer  
 Engineering Division  
 A-E Coordinator, Engineering Division  
 Reservoir Manager, Operations Division  
 OM Appropriation Manager, Project Mgmt.  
 Area Engineer, Construction Directorate  
 Chief, Engineering Division  
 Executive Secretary, Executive Office  
 Chief, Operations Division  
 Finance Officer, Finance & Accounting  
 Engineering Division  
 Chief, Reservoir Regulation Section  
 Engineering Division  
 Civilian Deputy Division Engineer  
 Division Counsel  
 Comptroller  
 Chief, Specifications Section  
 Chief, Construction Division  
 Operations Manager, Naugatuck R. Basin  
 Civil Engineer, Construction Directorate  
 Small Business Advisor



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**MISSION**  
 Deliver vital engineering solutions, in collaboration with our partners, to secure our Nation, energize our economy, and reduce disaster risk.

**PRIORITIES**  
 PEOPLE  
 READINESS  
 PARTNERSHIPS  
 REVOLUTIONIZE

ENGINEERING SOLUTIONS FOR THE NATION'S TOUGHEST CHALLENGES

# Distinguished Civilian Gallery

Continued

Maria C. Murphy	Engineering Directorate
Frank Notardonato	Engineering Division
Arthur J. Ober, Sr.	Engineering Division
Arthur J. Ober, Jr.	Engineering Division
Roger S. Parker	Real Estate Division
Ken Paton	Engineering Division
Morris S. Phillips	Chief, Real Estate Division
Paul E. Pronovost	Planning Directorate
Richard D. Reardon	Chief, Engineering/Planning Division
Stephen A. Rubin	Chief, Evaluation Branch
Eleanor R. Russo	Chief, Contracts Division
Peter J. A. Scott	Engineering Division
Harry G. Shea	Chief, Foundations and Materials Br.
William Smith, Jr.	Comptroller
Daniel H. Steinhoff	Area Engineer
Ralph J. Strong	Engineering Division
Charles F. Sullivan	Construction Division
Philip B. Thoresen	Construction Division
William N. Triantafell	Construction Representative
Ron Tryba	Park Manager, Construction/Operations
Jean C. Ventura	Operations Directorate
Marion G. Walley	Real Estate/Procurement & Supply
Mary L. Ward	Recruitment and Placement Branch
Henry A. Whitcomb	Chief, Operations Division
Herbert A. Whittemore	Chief, Structural Section
Dorothy M. Wilson	Engineering Division
James C. Wong	Chief, Operations Directorate
Arthur J. Yardley	Assistant Chief, Construction Division

# Welcome to our new District team members

Elliott Ashby IV  
Lisa Belisle  
Emily Berry  
Martin Borger  
Karlsen Brandt  
William Brandt  
Scott Bucek  
Mackenzie Craig  
Amy Darlington  
Maria Delaundreau  
Brian DeMars  
Hannah Doherty  
Joanne Doucette  
Carmen Downey  
Neal Drake  
Brian Foley  
Chase Franklin  
Jared Gagnon  
Josh Gaimaro  
Laurie Gibeau  
Keith Hannon  
Gregory Hencir  
Jeffrey Kadegis  
Jeremy Kellett  
John Kinkade  
Justin Lindsey  
Brett Lord  
Jordan Macy  
Rachel MacPhee  
Distephano Marcellus  
Anthony Maressa  
Marcia Marques  
Amanda Martin  
Matthew Mrozcka  
Eric Navarro  
Jeffrey Newton  
Adlai Ostrer  
Jeffrey Preston  
Raymond Prisk