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Change of responsibility set for Garrison's top NCO

FORT LEONARD WOOD, Mo. – A change-of-responsibility ceremony is scheduled for the Fort Leonard Wood Garrison Command at 3 p.m., Friday, April 6, in the Lincoln Hall Auditorium. Sgt. Maj. Micheal Horton is slated to pass the senior enlisted responsibilities to Command Sgt. Maj. Jerry Faulk.

Horton is moving to a new assignment in Germany, and Faulk is coming to Fort Leonard Wood from Phantom Command, III Corps Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, Fort Hood, Texas.

"It has been a pleasure to serve as the sergeant major of the Garrison command, Maneuver Support Center of Excellence, and to assist the commander in the discipline and welfare of the Fort Leonard Wood community," Horton said.

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Media interested in attending the ceremony should contact the Fort Leonard Wood Public Affairs Office at (573) 563-4145 no later than 4 p.m., Thursday, April 5.

Photo enclosure:

Sgt. Maj. Horton Command Sgt. Maj. Faulk

About Fort Leonard Wood

Fort Leonard Wood is a thriving and prosperous installation that has evolved from a small basic training post 70 years ago to a premier Army Center of Excellence that trains 80-90,000 military and civilians each year.

Home to the Maneuver Support Center of Excellence, Fort Leonard Wood now trains and educates service members and develops doctrine and capabilities for the Training and Doctrine Command's U.S. Army Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear School, U.S.

Army Engineer School, and U.S. Army Military Police School, three gender integrated Initial Military Training brigades, one of only five reception stations in the Army, and the Army's largest Non Commissioned Officers Academy.

Over the past several years, Fort Leonard Wood has received numerous additional responsibilities to include supporting the 4th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade, a large Forces Command unit that is responsible for all deployable capabilities at Fort Leonard Wood. A colonel-commanded Marine Corps Detachment and an Air Force Detachment, which are both the largest on any Army installation, are located on Fort Leonard Wood; a large Navy Seabee Detachment and elements of the Coast Guard train here as well.