

## U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS HONOLULU DISTRICT

## Lieutenant Colonel Thomas D. Asbery Commander



Lieutenant Colonel Thomas D. Asbery hails from Woodbridge, Virginia. He was commissioned in the United States Army Corps of Engineers in May 1994 after graduating from West Virginia University with a Bachelors of Science Degree in Landscape Architecture. He also has a Master of Science in Architecture - Construction Management degree from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

LTC Asbery most recently served as the Executive Officer to the Commanding General, Human Resources Command, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

His previous assignments include service in the 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), Fort Campbell, Kentucky in the 326<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion "Sapper Eagles" as a Platoon Leader, Company Executive Officer and Battalion Adjutant from June 1995 to March 1997. He later served in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Brigade Combat Team "Sledge Hammer", 3<sup>rd</sup> Infantry Division (Mechanized) as the Battalion S-4 and Company Commander of Bravo Company "Bulldogs", 317<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion at Fort Benning, Georgia from November 1998 to August 2001. He served an overseas utilization tour in Europe District, North Atlantic Division, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, at Incirlik, Air Force Base, Turkey as a Project Engineer, Resident Engineer and Area Engineer from January 2003 to July 2005. From Turkey he moved to Ramstein, Air Force Base, Germany and served as the U.S Air Force Europe, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Program Manager from July 2005 to July 2006. While assigned to Europe District, LTC Asbery deployed twice in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom in 2003 and 2004 as a Forward Engineer Support Team Operations Officer and Team Leader. He deployed a third time to the Mississippi Coast in support of Hurricane Katrina disaster relief efforts in 2005 as a Forward Engineer Support Team Leader. After graduating from the Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, LTC Asbery returned to an overseas assignment as the Battalion S-3 of the 54th Engineer Battalion "Daggers In", 18th Engineer Brigade, Bamberg, Germany from June 2007 to August 2009. While serving as the Battalion S-3, he deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom under the 20<sup>th</sup> Engineer Brigade "Airborne" supporting the 10<sup>th</sup> Mountain Division at Camp Stryker, Iraq from May 2008 to July 2009. Upon redeployment from Iraq, LTC Asbery was assigned to Engineer Branch, Maneuver, Fires and Effects Division, Human Resources Command as the Engineer Majors and Lieutenant Colonels assignment officer.

LTC Asbery is a graduate of the Army Command and General Staff College, the Engineer Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, the Sapper Leader Course and the U.S. Army Ranger School.

LTC Asbery's military awards and decorations include: the Airborne and Air-Assault Badges; the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary and Service Medals, the Iraqi Campaign Medal, the Humanitarian Service Medal, the Armed Forces Service Medal, the Army Achievement and Commendation Medals, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Bronze Star Medal and the Combat Action Badge. Unit awards include the Army Superior Unit Award and the Meritorious Unit Citation. He has also been awarded the Engineer Regiment's Bronze Order of the DeFleury Medal.

LTC Tom Asbery is married to the former Ms. Carla Sharp of Stafford, Virginia and they have two daughters.