



## US Army Corps of Engineers

Alaska District

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# Colonel Timothy J. Gallagher

## Commander and District Engineer



Colonel Timothy J. Gallagher became the Commander and District Engineer of the U.S. Army Engineer District, Alaska on May 16, 2003. Previously he served as an Assistant Director in the Directorate of Civil Works, Headquarters, United States Army Corps of Engineers.

Earlier he served as the Chief of the USACE Operations Center in Washington D. C. coordinating support for military operations and civil disasters worldwide.

He commanded the 94<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion headquartered in Vilseck Germany from 1998-2000. During his command tour, the battalion deployed to both Albania and Kosovo in support of KFOR. The unit's most noteworthy achievement was the construction of the 5,000 soldier base camp, Camp Bondsteel in Kosovo.

His previous assignment was as a plans officer with Allied Forces South, NATO's southern region command, headquartered in Naples, Italy. As a plans officer he was responsible for writing Implementation Force, and Stabilization Force Campaign Plans for NATO's involvement in Bosnia-Herzegovina.

He has served multiple overseas as well as Continental United States tours in both troop units and the United States Corps of Engineers. Previous assignments include Operations Officer and Executive Officer 864<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion, Fort Lewis, Washington; Executive Officer and Program Manager in the former Transatlantic Division, Winchester, Virginia; and Company Commander, 249<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion, Karlsruhe, Germany.

Col. Gallagher is a 1982 graduate of the United States Military Academy at West Point. He holds a Master's Degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Illinois and a Master's Degree in National Security Strategy and Resourcing from the National Defense University. He is a licensed Professional Engineer in the State of Virginia.

He is a graduate of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, the Armed Forces Staff College, the Command and General Staff College, and the Engineer Officer Basic and Advanced Courses.

His military decorations include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal (four awards), the Defense Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal (two awards), the Kosovo Campaign Medal, and the NATO Medal.

Col. Gallagher is a native of Glendale, California and is married to the former Linda Smith. They have four children, Michelle, Andrew, Aaron, and Audrey.