

Alaska District

Biography

July 1985 Date

COLONEL WILBUR T. GREGORY, JR. Commander and District Engineer, Alaska District

Colonel Wilbur T. Gregory, Jr., assumed command of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Alaska District in June 1985.

COL Gregory came to the District from the Office, Chief of Engineers. Previously he attended the U.S. Army War College at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania.

He earned a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y. in 1963 and a master's degree in industrial engineering from Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana in 1970. He is also a graduate of the Army Command and General Staff College.

COL Gregory has held numerous responsible command and staff assignments in the United States and overseas. His major assignments include serving as liaison officer, 18th Engineer Brigade, Dong Ba Thin, Vietnam (1970-71); commander, Engineer Task Force, Phan Thiet, Vietnam (1971); engineer, Missouri River Division, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Omaha, Nebraska (1971-74); operations officer, 5th Engineer Battalion, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri (1975-77); professional development officer and branch chief, Engineer Branch, U.S. Army Military Personnel Center, Alexandria, Viriginia (1977-81); and battalion commander, 12th Engineer Battalion, Dexheim, Germany (1981-83).

Among his military awards are the Bronze Star Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters, Meritorious Service Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters, Army Commendation Medal, Meritorious Unit Citation, Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Palm, and Vietnam Service Medal with five Service Stars.

COL Gregory is a registered professional engineer in the state of Wisconsin. He is married to the former Bonnie L. Bell. They have three children, Wilbur III, Douglas, and David.

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