U.S. ARMY SUSTAINMENT COMMAND

COLONEL BENVERREN H. FORTUNE

COMMANDER – TOOELE ARMY DEPOT



Colonel Benverren "Ben" Fortune assumed command of the Tooele Army Depot, Utah, July 17, 2026.

COL Fortune previously served as the G3 (Operations) and chief of staff, 19th Expeditionary Support Command at Camp Henry, South Korea, where he synchronized theater sustainment operations, combined training, contingency planning, and operational readiness across the Korean Peninsula.

Other assignments include leadership across tactical, operational, and strategic assignments throughout the U.S., Europe, the Indo-Pacific, and combat operations in Afghanistan. His previous assignments include Warehouse platoon leader, 305th Quartermaster Company, Eighth Army, Yongsan, South Korea; multiple leadership positions within the 173rd Support Battalion in Vicenza, Italy; Bamberg, Germany; Kandahar; and Jalalabad, Afghanistan, serving as a Water, Fuel, and Ammunition platoon leader, Battalion S4 (Logistics), and Support Operations Plans officer; Support Operations Plans officer and Headquarters Support Company commander, 602nd Aviation Support Battalion, 2nd Infantry Division, Camp Humphreys, South Korea; Training with Industry participant at Labatt Food Service in San Antonio, Texas; instructor for the Quartermaster Basic Officer Leader Course at Fort Lee, Virginia; brigade logistics team chief, 402nd Army Field Support Battalion, Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, Alaska; battalion S2/3 (Intelligence/Operations) 39th Transportation Battalion, 16th Sustainment Brigade, 21st Theater Sustainment Command, Kaiserslautern, Germany; G3 chief of Current Operations, 21st Theater Sustainment Command; Operations officer, Defense Logistics Agency Troop Support Europe & Africa; commander, DLA Energy Europe & Africa; and Strategic Plans officer, Commander's Initiatives Group, U.S. Army Materiel Command, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama.

COL Fortune's deployments include Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.

His military education includes Senior Service College, Army Command and General Staff College; Joint and Combined Warfighting School; Combined Logistics Captain's Career Course, and the Quartermaster Officer Basic Course.

COL Fortune holds a Bachelor of Science in psychology, The Citadel; a Master of Arts in military art and science, CGSC; and a Master of Strategic Studies, Senior Service College. He was commissioned as a Quartermaster officer in 2003 upon graduation from The Citadel with a degree in psychology.

His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Superior Service Medal, four Meritorious Service Medals, four Army Commendation Medals, Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Armed Forces Service Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, and multiple campaign and overseas service awards.

COL Fortune hails from San Antonio, Texas. He is married and has three children.