



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS DETACHEMENT 242d ORDNANCE BATTALION

Constituted 10 June 1943 in the Army of the United States as Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 242d Ordnance Battalion

Activated 25 June 1943 at the Ordnance Unit Training Center, Flora, Mississippi

Inactivated 27 June 1946 at Bad Nauheim, Germany

Redesignated 29 December 1966 as Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 242d Maintenance Battalion, and allotted to the Regular Army

Activated 25 February 1967 at Fort Carson, Colorado

Inactivated 25 August 1968 at Fort Carson, Colorado

Activated 21 March 1973 in Germany

Inactivated 30 June 1973 in Germany

Redesignated 16 June 2005 as Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 242d Ordnance Battalion, and activated at Fort Carson, Colorado

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242d ORDNANCE BATTALION**

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II
Normandy
Northern France
Rhineland

War on Terrorism
Afghanistan:
Transition I

Iraq:
New Dawn

DECORATIONS

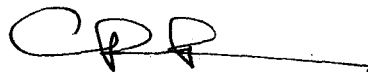
Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered KANDAHAR AND PARWAN
PROVINCES 2013-2014

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2010-2011

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered CENTRAL AND
SOUTHWEST ASIA 2018-2019

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 2017-2018

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY



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