



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

*Lineage and Honors*

**1120th ENGINEER DETACHMENT**

Organized and Federally recognized 30 January 1924 in the Oklahoma National Guard at Eufaula as Company H, 180th Infantry, an element of the 45th Division (later redesignated as the 45th Infantry Division)

Inducted into Federal service 16 September 1940 at Eufaula

Inactivated 17 September 1945 at Camp Bowie, Texas

Reorganized, redesignated, and Federally recognized 10 October 1946 at Eufaula as Company M, 180th Infantry, an element of the 45th Infantry Division

Ordered into active Federal service 1 September 1950 at Eufaula (Company M, 180th Infantry [NGUS] organized and Federally recognized 15 May 1952 at Eufaula)

Released from active Federal service 30 April 1954; concurrently, Federal recognition withdrawn from Company M, 180th Infantry (NGUS)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 May 1959 as the 1st Rifle Platoon, Company B, 1st Battle Group, 279th Infantry, an element of the 45th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 March 1962 as the 2d Rifle Platoon, Company E, 1st Battle Group, 279th Infantry, an element of the 45th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as the Battalion Reconnaissance, Mortar, and Davy Crockett and Battalion Anti-Tank Platoon, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 180th Infantry, an element of the 45th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 31 March 1964 as the Battalion Reconnaissance, Heavy Mortar and Anti-Tank Platoon, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 180th Infantry, an element of the 45th Infantry Division

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Reorganized and redesignated 1 November 1964 as Company B, 1st Battalion, 180th Infantry, an element of the 45th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 November 1965 as the 1st and 2d Rifle Platoons, Company C, 2d Battalion, 180th Infantry, an element of the 45th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1968 as the 1st and 2d Engineer Platoons, Company C, 120th Engineer Battalion, and relieved from assignment to the 45th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 December 1971 as Detachment 1, Company C, 120th Engineer Battalion

Reorganized and redesignated 28 February 1980 as Detachment 1, Company A, 120th Engineer Battalion

Reorganized and redesignated 1 June 1989 as Detachment 1, Headquarters and Support Company, 120th Engineer Battalion

Reorganized and redesignated 1 May 1996 as Detachment 2, Headquarters and Support Company, 120th Engineer Battalion

Ordered into active Federal service 7 December 2003 at Eufaula; released from active Federal service 3 June 2005 and reverted to state control

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 2008 as the 1120th Engineer Detachment

Location changed 1 March 2011 to Muskogee

**HOME STATION:** Muskogee

### **CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT**

#### World War II

Sicily (with arrowhead)

Naples-Foggia

Anzio

Rome-Arno

Southern France (with arrowhead)

Rhineland

Ardennes-Alsace

Central Europe

#### Korean War

Second Korean Winter

Korea Summer-Fall 1952

Third Korean Winter

Korea Summer 1953

#### War on Terrorism

Campaigns to be determined


# **1120th ENGINEER DETACHMENT**

## **DECORATIONS**

French Croix de Guerre with Palm, World War II, Streamer embroidered ACQUAFONDATA

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA 1951-1953

**BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:**



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