

Department of the army Lineage and Honors

659th ENGINEER COMPANY

Constituted 14 November 1945 in the Army of the United States as the 1283d Engineer Maintenance Detachment

Activated 20 December 1945 in France

Inactivated 30 December 1946 in France

Redesignated 2 December 1948 as the 659th Engineer Maintenance Company and allotted to the Organized Reserve Corps

Activated 5 January 1949 at Aberdeen, Washington

Inactivated 15 September 1950 at Aberdeen, Washington

(Organized Reserve Corps redesignated 9 July 1952 as the Army Reserve)

Redesignated 22 November 1954 as the 659th Engineer Company

Activated 20 December 1954 at Shelton, Washington

Inactivated 20 June 1959 at Shelton, Washington

Activated 15 March 1963 at Seattle, Washington

Inactivated 22 December 1965 at Seattle, Washington

Activated 10 January 1968 at Spokane, Washington

659th ENGINEER COMPANY

Ordered into active military service 12 October 2004 at Spokane, Washington; released from active military service 9 April 2006 and reverted to reserve status

Location changed 12 August 2010 to Fairchild Air Force Base, Washington

Ordered into active military service 1 October 2013 at Fairchild Air Force Base, Washington

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

War on Terrorism Campaigns to be determined

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2005

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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