



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

*Lineage and Honors*

**238th TRANSPORTATION COMPANY**

Constituted 26 December 1942 in the Army of the United States as Company A, 494th Port Battalion, Transportation Corps

Activated 25 February 1943 at the New Orleans Port of Embarkation, Louisiana

Reorganized and redesignated 30 June 1943 as the 238th Port Company

Inactivated 6 January 1946 at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey

Redesignated 27 December 1948 as the 238th Transportation Port Company and allotted to the Organized Reserve Corps

Activated 3 January 1949 at Little Rock, Arkansas

Ordered into active military service 11 September 1950 at Little Rock, Arkansas

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

Released from active military service 15 September 1954 and reverted to reserve status

Reorganized and redesignated 15 April 1955 as the 238th Transportation Company

Location changed 1 April 1959 to Hope, Arkansas; on 1 September 1960 to Magnolia, Arkansas

Ordered into active military service 1 October 1961 at Magnolia, Arkansas; released from active military service 8 August 1962 and reverted to reserve status

## 238th TRANSPORTATION COMPANY

Location changed 25 February 1963 to Monticello, Arkansas; on 29 December 1967 to Camden, Arkansas

Inactivated 16 May 1980 at Camden, Arkansas

Activated 16 September 1997 at Enid, Oklahoma

Ordered into active military service 17 January 2003 at Enid, Oklahoma; released from active military service 10 June 2004 and reverted to reserve status

Inactivated 15 September 2006 at Enid, Oklahoma

Activated 16 September 2011 at Vallejo, California

### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

Normandy (with arrowhead)  
Northern France

War on Terrorism

Campaigns to be determined

### DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA  
2003

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

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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