

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

639th TRANSPORTATION COMPANY

Constituted 26 November 1943 in the Army of the United States as the 3634th Quartermaster Truck Company

Activated 10 December 1943 in Tunisia

Inactivated 11 February 1946 at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey

Converted and redesignated 1 August 1946 as the 3634th Transportation Corps Truck Company

Redesignated 16 May 1948 as the 639th Transportation Truck Company and allotted to the Organized Reserve Corps

Activated 8 June 1948 at Kingsport, Tennessee

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1950 as the 639th Transportation Heavy Truck Company

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

Reorganized and redesignated 30 April 1953 as the 639th Transportation Company

Ordered into active military service 1 October 1961 at Kingsport, Tennessee; released from active military service 4 August 1962 and reverted to reserve status

Ordered into active military service 17 November 1990 at Kingsport, Tennessee; released from active military service 5 July 1991 and reverted to reserve status

639th TRANSPORTATION COMPANY

Ordered into active military service 27 January 2003 at Kingsport, Tennessee; released from active military service 22 July 2004 and reverted to reserve status

Inactivated 15 September 2006 at Kingsport, Tennessee

Activated 16 September 2013 at Salem, Virginia

Location changed 16 October 2013 to Bedford, Virginia

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

Rome-Arno

Southern France (with arrowhead)

Rhineland

Southwest Asia

Defense of Saudi Arabia

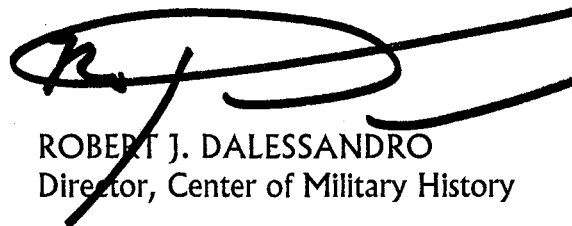
Liberation and Defense of Kuwait

Cease-Fire

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA
1991

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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