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LTC JOHN H. HOLLYWOOD, USA (RET)

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF & CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER,
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LTC Hollywood was commissioned in the Regular Army in 1968, following his graduation with a BS from California State Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo, CA. He also holds a MA, University of Arizona, and a MBA, Northwestern University. He retired from active duty on 30 June 1990.

His assignments included: Reconnaissance Platoon Leader, 82nd Airborne Division; Interrogation Officer, 1st Infantry Division, RVN; Instructor, Intelligence Center and School; Instructor, Psychological Operations School, Institute for Military Assistance; Organizational Development Staff Officer, Field Station Berlin; Operations Officer, 766th MI Detachment, Berlin, GE, (actions resulted in the arrest of an East German agent trying to recruit American military personnel for the Soviet Union); Chief, Waivers and DEP, U.S. Army Recruiting Command; S-3, First Recruiting Brigade, Ft. Meade, MD; Acting Commander, Boston Recruiting Battalion, Boston, MA; Deputy Commander/Operations Officer, Personnel Security Clearance Facility, Fort Meade, MD.



His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (3-BOLC), Army Commendation Medal (2-BOLC), and the Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry. In addition, the Hollywood family was selected as a “Great American Family” from Ft. Sheridan, IL.

He is a graduate of many military schools, including: Infantry Officer’s Basic Course; Ranger, Airborne; Area Intelligence, Counter Intelligence, Military Intelligence Advanced Course; Organizational Effectiveness Staff Officer Course, and; Command and General Staff School.

In the civilian sector, he is a retired financial planner/advisor and Managing Partner, Rosenzweig, Hollywood & McDowell, a financial services firm with locations in Bethesda, MD and Crofton, MD. He is currently an Adjunct Associate Professor, University of Maryland, University College.

He is also active in private sector fraternal, service and veteran organizations, and public sector organizations. He is a former MOWW Senior VCINC, VCINC, Treasurer General; General Staff Officer (Elected); Senior Vice Commander Region IV; Department Commander of Maryland and; Commander, General Meade Chapter. He is also a Past President, Greater Crofton Chamber of Commerce; Past President, Rotary Club of Crofton; former member, Planning Advisory Board, Anne Arundel County, MD; former elected Director and later Treasurer, Crofton Civic Association; Past Distinguished President, Kiwanis Club of Crofton; former Scoutmaster and Committee Chairman, Crofton, MD; former Cub Master and Committee Chairman, Fort Sheridan, IL, and a former candidate for Maryland House of Delegates.

Colonel Hollywood is married to his wife of 47 years, the former Joanne Stewart. They have one son, John (also a Perpetual Member of MOWW), who is married to the former Christine Roach; they have one daughter, Elizabeth. ★

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