



# COMMAND SGT. MAJ. GEORGE M. DOVE

## COMMAND SERGEANT MAJOR



Command Sgt. Maj. George M. “Mike” Dove is a native of San Angelo, Texas. He enlisted in the Army in 1994. He attended Advanced Individual Training at Fort Rucker, Ala., and upon completion was awarded the Military Occupation Specialty of 67V, OH-58C Observation Scout Helicopter Repairer. In 1996, he reclassified to 15U as CH-47D Medium Lift Helicopter Repairer.

Throughout his career, Dove has served in many enlisted leadership positions, including Squad Leader; Nonrated Crewmember Trainer; Flight Engineer; Platoon Sergeant; First Sergeant and Command Sergeant Major, 1st Battalion, 3rd Attack Reconnaissance Battalion; Command Sergeant Major, Task Force Viper and Forward Operating Base Wolverine, Afghanistan; Command Sergeant Major, 3rd Combat Aviation Brigade, 3rd Infantry Division; and the Directorate Sergeant Major for Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3/5/7

Aviation. He assumed his current position as the Command Sergeant Major for the U.S. Army Aviation and Missile Command on July 3, 2018.

Command Sgt. Maj. Dove’s education includes the Primary Leadership Development Course, Basic Noncommissioned Officers Course, Advanced Noncommissioned Officers Course, First Sergeant Course, Basic Mission Qualification Nonrated Crewmember Course, Joint Special Operations Course, Survival, Evasion, Resistance and Escape Level C Course, Department of Defense High Risk Survival Course, Naval Over Water Survival Course, Airborne, Air Assault, Basic Mountaineering Course, Combat Lifesaver Course, the Aviation Safety and Accident Prevention Course, the Force Management Course and the Nominative Leaders Course. He is a graduate of the U.S. Army Sergeants Major Academy Sergeants Major Course, Class 62. He earned his Bachelor’s Degree in Professional Aeronautics from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University. He also holds a Federal Aviation Administration Airframe and Powerplant license and a private pilot’s license.

Command Sgt. Maj. Dove’s awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star (2nd award), Meritorious Service Medal (4th award), Air Medal (Numeral 2), Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal (6th award), Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, National Defense Service Medal (with one star), Korean Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Joint Meritorious Unit Award (3rd award), Meritorious Unit Citation (3rd award), Army Superior Unit Award, Philippine Presidential Unit Citation, Master Aviation Badge, Parachutist Badge, and Air Assault Badge. He is the recipient of the Knowlton Award and the Order of St. Michael.

