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RETIREMENT MESSAGE



WO Timothy Hussey, CD

Warrant Officer Timothy Hussey will be retiring after 43 years of service to Canada, the Reserves and the Corps of Royal Canadian Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (RCEME) on 24 June 2019.

Tim was born in Brantford ON, to WO (Ret'd) Frank Hussey (RCR) and Audrey Hussey on 24 June 1959. As a child, Tim moved around a bit as the family followed their father, WO Hussey in postings that took him around Ontario and to Germany. Tim joined 2866 Lorne Scots Army Cadets Corps in Oakville Ontario at the age of 12, staying with the cadets until the age of 17, when he joined A Coy, of the Lorne Scots. After a few years of tasks and parading with the Lorne Scots he decided it was time to commit and enrolled in the Regular Force as a Vehicle Technician on 30 March 1982.



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He started his service as a maintainer with 2 Service Battalion at CFB Petawawa from 1982 to 1986. In the years since, he has served several units and bases, including: 2 CER (1986 - 1989), CFS Holberg (1989 - 1990), 1 CER (1990 - 1993), ATC Meaford (1993-1996), CFB Moosejaw (1996 - 1999), CFB Winnipeg Det Dundurn (1999 - 2004), ASU London (2004 - 2006), CFJSR (2006 - 2010), CFB Kingston (2010 - 2017) and PSTC (2017 - 2019).

WO Hussey deployed a number of times: Kuwait as a part of the Canadian Contingent United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission (Apr 1991 – Oct 1991), Croatia as a part of UNPROFOR (Oct 1992 – Apr 1993), CFS Alert (1998 and 2002), and Afghanistan as a part of ISAF (Mar 2009 – Oct 2009).

On retirement, Tim and Alison plan to remain in the Kingston ON area, staying close to their children, John and Shannon. Tim is looking forward to living an unstructured life initially, where he will explore his possibilities for a second career.

A retirement function in his honour will be held at Raxx Bar and Grill, 665 Development Drive, Kingston Ontario on 21 June 2019. Raxx has a full menu, we will be dining with Tim, starting at about 1300. Speeches and story-telling will happen at about 1400, along with some presentations in recognition of Tim's long service and loyalty. RSVP: NLT 14 June 2019, retirement function coordinator MWO Jeffery Teeple, phone 613-541-5010 ext 3195 and/or email jeffery.teeple@forces.gc.ca



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