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## RETIREMENT MESSAGE



**MWO J.A.S. Dugas**

After 22 years of loyal service to the RCEME Corps and the Canadian Armed Forces (CAF), MWO Steeve Dugas will retire on November 15, 2019.

Originally from Sainte-Anne-des-Monts, MWO Steeve Dugas joined the CAF on August 25, 1997 as a vehicle technician. After completing his DP1 qualification in November 1998, he was posted to 5 Service Battalion (5 Svc Bn) to continue his training.

In May 1999, upon completion of his training, he was assigned to 5 Svc Bn Maintenance Company as a vehicle technician in the front-line section. During his time with 5 Svc Bn, he was deployed to Bosnia as part of OP PALLADIUM Roto 9 (2001–2002) and Roto 14 (2004), serving as a second-line vehicle technician.

In 2006, having been promoted to the rank of master corporal, he was posted to the 12e Régiment blindé du Canada, where he worked as supervisor of the front-line section and control office, and as production sergeant for two years.



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In 2010, he was promoted to the rank of sergeant and was posted back to 5 Svc Bn, where he served as RCEME technician coordination sergeant in the training platoon. In June 2013, he took a year-long English course at the Language Training Centre.

In 2014, he was promoted to warrant officer and was posted to the Royal Canadian Electrical and Mechanical Engineering School. He served as Vehicle Company Operations Warrant Officer until July 2016, following which he was transferred to the Vehicle Technician Standards Section. In April 2018, he was posted to the Joint Personnel Support

Unit, where he contributed to the launch of the medical release transition process. On December 1, 2018, he was promoted to his current rank of master warrant officer.

MWO Steeve Dugas will be retiring to Angus, Ontario, and plans to return to school.

A small DWD ceremony will be held on November 15, 2019, followed by a meal with colleagues to mark MWO Dugas' last day of service with the CAF. Congratulatory messages and anecdotes can be sent to MWO Nadeau at [steve.nadeau@forces.gc.ca](mailto:steve.nadeau@forces.gc.ca).



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