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## RETIREMENT MESSAGE



### WO Eldon Blundon

After 30 years of service with the Canadian Armed Forces (CAF) and the Corps of Royal Canadian Electrical and Mechanical Engineers, WO Blundon will retire on 14 March 2020.

WO Blundon is from Fogo Island, Newfoundland and joined the Canadian Armed Forces as a Vehicle Technician in the spring of 1990. Following his trade training in Borden he was posted to CFB Ottawa and for the next 7 years worked in a 1st line unit, a 2nd line unit, and a heavy equipment section. He also had a short stint with JTF.

In July of 1998 WO Blundon was posted to CFB Petawawa. During that time he served with 2 Svc Bn, 2 MP PL, and completed a tour to KOSOVO from December 1999 to May 2000.

Promoted to Sergeant in 2007, his next assignment would be to CFB Gagetown with Maint Coy where he was supervisor of 1st line B vehicle section, WTP Maintenance Supervisor, and I/C Armd School Maintenance.

Upon promotion to the rank of WO in 2011 he was posted to CTC, HQ in Gagetown as Vehicle Technician Training Plan Manager.



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In 2016 WO Blundon made one last move in Gagetown to Canadian Army Trial Evaluations Unit (CATEU) where he served as a Technical Advisor during trials and also conducted trials as a qualified Trial Officer.

Eldon would like to thank past and present members of RCEME Corps and DND for many memorable experiences during his military career. He would especially like to thank his family, his wife Lisa and daughter Olivia for supporting him unconditionally during his entire military career.

Eldon is a classic car enthusiast and plans to continue working on muscle cars in his retirement. He will stay in the Oromocto area for now.

Congratulatory messages and anecdotes can be send to the DWD OPI WO Baker at 422-2000 ext 1711 or [WESLEY.BAKER@forces.gc.ca](mailto:WESLEY.BAKER@forces.gc.ca).



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