

COMMAND SERGEANT MAJOR PAUL J. ELLIS CSM, JOINT MUNITIONS COMMAND



Command Sgt. Maj. Paul J. Ellis assumed duties at the Joint Munitions Command on Sept. 19, 2025.

Ellis enlisted in the Army in August 1999, and he attended Basic Combat Training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Eustis, Virginia, graduating as an 88N Transportation Management Coordinator.

He has earned an Associate of Arts in general studies and a Bachelor of Science in liberal arts from Liberty University, Lynchburg, Virginia, and a Master of Arts in management and leadership from Webster University, St. Louis, Missouri.

Ellis' previous assignments include Movement Control Specialist, 261st Movement Control Team, 330th Transportation Battalion (Movement Control), Fort Bragg, North Carolina; Movement Control Non-Commissioned Officer in Charge, 307th Brigade Support Battalion (Airborne), 82nd Airborne Division (Airborne), Fort Bragg, North Carolina; Movement Control Non-Commissioned Officer, Senior Movement Control Non-Commissioned Officer, and Movements Supervisor, 386th Movement Control Team, 14th Transportation Battalion, Vicenza, Italy; Staff Movements Non-Commissioned Officer, Headquarters and

Headquarters Company, 92nd Civil Affairs Battalion (Airborne), First Sergeant and Chief Movements Supervisor, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 96th Civil Affairs Battalion (Airborne), 95th Civil Affairs Brigade (Airborne), Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; First Sergeant, 359th Inland Cargo Transfer Company and 73rd Transportation Company (Floating Craft), 10th Transportation Battalion, Fort Eustis, Virginia; Division Transportation Office Sergeant Major, 4th Infantry Division, Fort Carson, Colorado; Battalion Command Sergeant Major, 330th Transportation Battalion (Movement Control), 3rd Expeditionary Sustainment Command, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; and Brigade Command Sergeant Major, 7th Transportation Brigade (Expeditionary), XVIII Airborne Corps, Fort Eustis, Virginia; and G-3/5/7 Sergeant Major, Combined Arms Support Command, Fort Lee, Virginia. CSM Ellis' deployments include two in support of OEF, two in support of OIF and one in support of OAR.

His military education includes Airborne School, Air Assault Course, U.S. Army Jumpmaster Course, Combatives Level 1, Master Resilience Trainer Course, Battle Staff Course, Small Arms Master Gunner's Course, Basic Leader Course, Advanced Leader Course, Senior Leader Course, and the U.S. Army Sergeants Major Academy Class 67.

Ellis' awards and achievements include Legion of Merit (1 Oak Leaf Cluster), Bronze Star Medal (1 Oak Leaf Cluster), Meritorious Service Medal (4 Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Commendation Medal (4 Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Achievement Medal (3 Oak Leaf Clusters), Joint Meritorious Unit Award (Permanent Award), Valorous Unit Award (Permanent Award), Army Good Conduct Medal (8th Award), National Defense Service Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal (1 campaign star), Iraq Campaign Medal (2 campaign stars), Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Master Parachutist Badge, Air Assault Badge, Thai, Latvian, and German Silver Parachutist Badge, Honorable and Ancient Transportation Order of Saint Christopher, General Brehon B. Somervell Coin-Medallion.

