Military Biographical Summary - Colonel (Ret) Alfred J. Poole, III

Note: My military records are in the custody of the Virginia War Memorial, along with other personal and official records, covering the period of my youth and employment at the U. S. Dept. of the Interior and the National Park Service.

1968: Basis Training, Fort Leonard Wood, MO, Advanced Individual Training, Fort Sill, OK.

1969: OCS, Fort Sill, OK, commissioned 2LT on 3 Jun 1969 (class 11-69).

1969-70: Service in the Republic of Vietnam as Assistant Mobile Advisory Team (MAT) Leader, Phu Yen Province.

1970-72: assigned to 3rd Squadron, 6th Armored Cavalry Regiment, Fort Meade, MD with assignments as Assistant OIC, Vietnam Training Unit, Legal Officer, S-1 and Howitzer Battery Commander.

1973 – 1996: Assigned to HQ, 97th Army Reserve Command and 352nd Civil Affairs Command with assignments as: Readiness Officer, G3 staff officer, Commander 450 Civil Affairs Co (LTC command), Inspector General, Deputy C/S (G3 and G1) and Commandant of the 2070th USAR School at Fort Belvoir.

Retired from the US Army Reserve

Military Education:
Basic Tng, Fort Leonard Wood, MO
AIT and OCS, Fort Sill, OK
US Army advanced courses (various)
Command & General Staff College
Army War College

Awards & Decorations: Bronze Star Combat Infantryman Badge Army Commendation Medals Meritorious Service Medals Legion of Merit

Civilian service as Departmental Audit Coordinator and member of the Exxon-Valdez Oil Spill Team, U.S. Dept. of the Interior (1973 – 1993) and management positions in the Washington Office, National Park Service (1993 – 2010)