



Major General Retired Patrick Hamilton

U.S. Army 1986-2021

Major General (Retired) Patrick Hamilton commissioned through ROTC at Texas A&M University in 1986 as an Armored Cavalry Officer. He served in Armor and Cavalry units in the Texas Army National Guard for 35 years culminating as the Commanding General of the 36th Infantry Division from 2018- 2021 including command of CENTCOM's Task Force Spartan headquartered at Camp Arifjan in Kuwait as part of Operation Spartan Shield from 2020-2021. In this assignment he commanded soldiers in 9 countries throughout the Middle East including Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Iraq, Syria, Afghanistan, and Jordan. His other deployments include Bosnia and Afghanistan totaling 33 months deployed. From 1991 to 2021 he served full time in the Texas Army National Guard in mostly operational assignments including Chief of Staff to the Adjutant General of Texas, Texas Army National Guard Director of Operations (G3), and Director of the Joint Staff. In 2017 he served as the Joint Task Force Commanding General for the Hurricane Harvey military response commanding 18,000 troops from all components and services of the United States Military providing support for evacuation operations, search and rescue, shelter operations, and commodity distribution in the impacted areas. He currently focuses on spending time with family including his wife Beverly, three grown children and two grandchildren. He also serves his community on the Board of Directors of the CHASCO YMCA, and the Board of Governors of the Central Texas Community Foundation.