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## **DBF, Inc.'s Lardner Promoted By DEARNG**



*Mr. Ring Lardner, P.E.*

Davis, Bowen & Friedel, Inc., is proud to congratulate Co-owner and Principal of the firm Ring Lardner, P.E. on his recent promotion to Lieutenant Colonel (LTC) by the Delaware Army National Guard. A member since 1992, Mr. Lardner has held numerous positions within the DEARNG which include Engineer Platoon Leader, Operations Office & Detachment Commander, and Engineer Officer in Facilities Management.

LTC Lardner is currently the Operations Officer for the Delaware Army National Guard's 72<sup>nd</sup> Troop Command, which has eleven subordinate units. As one of the three Lieutenant Colonels within the 72<sup>nd</sup>, he is responsible for training within the command, preparation of training guidance for the commander's approval, assisting the commander in developing the unit's Mission Essential Task List (METL), identifying training requirements based on the unit's METL and training status, and determining requirements for & allocation of training resources. His extensive duties also include preparing, coordinating, publishing and distributing command plans & orders and products involving contributions from other staff sections; planning, coordinating, and supervising exercises; reviewing plans and orders for synchronization and completeness; and synchronizing tactical operations within all staff sections. There are currently thirty-one Lieutenant Colonels serving in the Delaware Army National Guard.

According to LTC Jeffrey Stowell, 72<sup>nd</sup> Troop Command Administrative Officer, "It is through Ring's countless hours of his own time that he has risen to the distinguished rank of Lieutenant Colonel. We are very proud of Ring, he is the quintessential Citizen Soldier; full time Citizen and Soldier."

Mr. Lardner has been a key component for Davis, Bowen & Friedel, Inc., in the further development of site engineering for government projects and private-sector community design, and he was the project manager for such projects as Canary Creek Subdivision, Greenwood Library, Shoal Harbor, CHEER Community Center and various projects for the State of Delaware.

Davis, Bowen & Friedel, Inc., is a full-service architectural, engineering, and surveying firm, with offices in Milford, Delaware, and in Salisbury and Easton, Maryland. More information can be found at [www.dbfinc.com](http://www.dbfinc.com).

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