

RADM Steven W. Maas, USN (Ret.)

Rear Admiral Steven W. Maas retired after a career of over 34 years in the Navy in 2007. His final tour was as the Director of Logistics and Engineering (J4), Headquarters North American Aerospace Defense Command and United States Northern Command at Peterson Air Force Base, Colo. He is a native of Decatur, Ga. He received a Bachelor's degree from Furman University, a Master in Business Administration from University of Puget Sound, and is a graduate of the Naval War College and the Advanced Management Program at the Fuqua School of Business at Duke University.

Since retirement, he has served on the Board of Directors of the Navy Supply Corps Foundation and the Dolphin Scholarship Foundation. This year he completed three-year terms as a director of Goodsource of Central Florida, a subsidiary of Goodwill Industries, and as a director of the Halifax Chapter of the Military Officers Association of America.

Commissioned in 1973, RADM Maas was assigned to the Navy Cargo Handling and Port Group, where he served as Officer in Charge of deployed detachments to Egypt, Diego Garcia, and the Antarctic. After graduation from Submarine School, he reported as Supply Officer of the Fleet Ballistic Missile submarine *USS Benjamin Franklin* (SSBN 640), completing three strategic deterrent patrols. He then served as Supply Officer of the attack submarine *USS Indianapolis* (SSN 697). Following this tour, RADM Maas was assigned to the Trident Refit Facility in Bangor, Wash., where he served as Submarine Supply Assistance Team and Material Support Officer. In 1982, RADM Maas reported to the Staff of Commander, Submarine Squadron Fourteen homeported in Holy Loch, Scotland, where he served as the Squadron Supply Officer. Following graduation from the Naval War College, he served as the Fleet Ballistic Missile Staff Director, Storage Division Director and Industrial Support Officer at the Naval Supply Center, Charleston, S.C. In 1988, he became the third Officer in Charge of the Naval Supply Systems Command Price Fighter, where he was responsible for engineering value analyses on spare parts and weapon systems. RADM Maas served as Supply Officer of the submarine tender *USS L.Y. Spear* (AS 36) from 1991 through 1993, deploying to the Persian Gulf in support of *Operation Desert Storm*. In May 1993, he reported as Director for Plans, Programs and Budget, Submarine Division, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations. In July 1996, RADM Maas was assigned as the Assistant Chief of Staff for Supply and Financial Management for the Commander Submarine Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet. He returned to the staff of the Chief of Naval Operations as the Deputy Director, Supply Programs and Policy Division from July 1998 to July 1999. From July 1999 to September 2000, RADM Maas served as the Director of Supply Corps Personnel, Millington, Tenn. Selected for Flag in 2000, he served as Commander, Navy Exchange Command from October 2000 to June 2002. His next assignment was as the Director of Logistics/Fleet Supply Officer, U.S. Fleet Forces Command from July 2002 through June 2004. His decorations include the Navy Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal, Navy Commendation Medal and other personal and campaign awards. He is designated as both a Submarine and Surface Warfare Supply Corps Officer.

Early in 2017, Rear Admiral Maas and his wife Barbara moved from Florida to Northern Virginia.