



**Civilian Aide to the
Secretary of the Army**
NORTH DAKOTA



SHELLY J. SIZER

Ms. Shelly Sizer is a 40-year North Dakota Army National Guard veteran, retiring in 2018 as a Chief Warrant Officer Five, Human Resources Technician. Throughout her military career, she served 22 years as a Federal Technician serving in positions as Administrative Supply Technician; Executive Assistant; Family Readiness Specialist; Deputy Director of Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve; Sexual Assault Response Coordinator; and Resilience, Risk Reduction, and Suicide Prevention Program Manager.

EDUCATION

Ms. Sizer obtained her undergraduate degree from the University of Mary with a double major in Elementary and Special Education. She spent ten years at the secondary level instructing students with disabilities. In 2014 she obtained her graduate degree in Social and Behavioral Science through the University of Mary.

MILITARY SERVICE

Ms. Sizer began her military career in January 1978 when she enlisted as a Private with Headquarters Company, 141st Engineer Combat Battalion, where she proudly served alongside her father, Master Sergeant (Retired) Gordon Jewett. Ms. Sizer was also assigned to Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 231st Engineer Battalion; the Regional Training Institute; and Joint Force Headquarters. In 2010 she completed a tour in Kosovo, stationed at Camp Bondsteel, and in 2014 was appointed as the Command Chief Warrant Officer for the State of North Dakota until her retirement in 2018.

MEMBERSHIPS AND OTHER AFFILIATIONS

MILITARY: Lifetime member of the North Dakota Officer and Enlisted Associations; Member, Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve.

CIVIC: Member, Fraternal Order of the Elks (2003-present); Member, Central Dakota Humane Society (1996-present); Volunteer, Heaven's Helpers Soup Café.

AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Ms. Sizer earned numerous awards and decorations, including the Legion of Merit, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Army Achievement Medal, the National Defense Service Medal, and the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal.

ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT

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