



## *Biography*

### DEFENSE COMMISSARY AGENCY

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#### **Ronald Yoder** **Area Director, DeCA East**

Mr. Ronald Yoder is Director of the Defense Commissary Agency East Area, Fort Gregg-Adams, Virginia, with oversight of 48 commissaries located in 13 states from New England to the mid-Atlantic, including the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico.

The area accounts for annual sales in excess of \$1 billion or 23 percent of the agency's annual sales, and 15 million transactions or 22 percent of DeCA's annual transactions. He assumed this position in January 2021, after serving nearly two years as Director of the Defense Commissary Agency Central Area at DeCA Headquarters.

Mr. Yoder began his commissary career as a Material Handler in the Kanto Plain Central Distribution Center, Japan. Along with his DeCA Headquarters and Zone Manager experience, his career is highlighted by a series of progressively responsible assignments in six different commissaries; two stateside, and the rest in Japan.



#### **CAREER CHRONOLOGY**

2021-Present, Director, East Area, DeCA Headquarters Fort Gregg-Adams, Virginia  
2019-2021, Director, Central Area, DeCA Headquarters Fort Lee, Virginia  
2017-2019, Chief of Store Operations, Store Operations Directorate, DeCA Headquarters, Fort Lee, Virginia  
2016-2017, Zone Manager, Zone 21, Submarine Base New London, Connecticut  
2014-2016, Store Director, Joint Base San Antonio-Randolph Commissary, Texas  
2010-2014, Store Director, Yokota Air Base Commissary, Japan  
2007-2010, Store Director, Sagamiyara Commissary, Japan  
2005-2006, Store Director, Naval Air Facility Atsugi Commissary, Japan  
2003-2005, Store Administrator, Naval Station Everett Commissary, Smokey Point, Washington  
2002-2003, Produce Manager, Yokota Air Base Commissary, Japan  
2000-2002, Store Manager, Camp Kure Commissary, Japan  
1998-2000, Store Worker, Naval Air Facility Atsugi Commissary, Japan  
1997-1998, Material Handler, Kanto Plain Central Distribution Center, Japan

*(Current as of June 2023)*