

#### Pledge of Allegiance

"I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible with liberty and justice for all."

The "Pledge of Allegiance" of the United States is an oath of loyalty to the national flag and the republic of the United States of America. It was originally composed by Francis Bellamy in 1892. The Pledge was modified in 1954, adding the words "under God."



Thank you for attending the formal installation of the new board of directors of the Cape Fear Chapter, Military Officers Association of America for the 2-year term beginning

January 2023

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# CAPE FEAR CHAPTER MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION of AMERICA



"Never Stop Serving"

### 2023 Installation Meeting/Dinner



Captain Frank J. Michael, US Navy, Retired Program Director, Council & Chapter Affairs Military Officers Association of America Keynote Speaker

Iron Mike Conference Center Fort Bragg, North Carolina January 14, 2023

#### Installing Officer

Captain Frank J. Michael, US Navy, Retired Program Director, Council & Chapter Affairs Military Officers Association of America

As Program Director, Council and Chapter Affairs, Captain Michael is responsible for direct support of MOAA's robust nationwide network of more than 400 active and engaged affiliates as they influence legislation, serve their local communities in impactful ways, grow membership at the local and national levels, and increase MOAA brand awareness nationwide. He coordinates with senior headquarters staff, as well as national oversight committee and board leadership, to improve and support the vibrancy and effectiveness of MOAA's affiliate network. Captain Michael also provides in-person support to council and chapter activities and events and plans and organizes quarterly council and chapter leader in-person workshops and other training opportunities.

#### CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

Commanded Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron Light 47 (HSL 47). Led Navy helicopter relief efforts following the 2004 Indonesian tsunami and Hurricane Katrina.

Commanded USS Boxer (LHD 4). Participated in the 2011 Captain Phillips rescue operation in the Indian Ocean.



## Agenda

Reception

Call Meeting to Order

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag\*

Invocation\*

Introduction of New Members and Special Guests

Dinner

Introduction of Keynote Speaker

Speaker's Address

Installation of Officers

Remarks by Chapter President

Benediction\*

Adjournment

\*Please Stand