



# *Maureen Hopkins Weigl*

COLONEL, U.S. ARMY (RETIRED)

Colonel (ret) Maureen Weigl retired from the Army in May 2016 after serving for 25 years. Since her retirement, Maureen started her own woman owned/service-disabled Veteran owned small business, Pro Rec Resource Solutions, LLC where she provides government consulting, talent management and recruiting services. Maureen is also a Senior Project Manager with AFSC/Magellan Federal and she serves on boards for non profit agencies that help Veterans and Veteran Spouses, find Employment including; Vets2Set which she serves as executive director and cofounder and as a Senior advisor for MSCCN/CASY. She serves on a Veteran task force for the LT GOV of PA and cohosted the Philadelphia Veterans Day Parade for the last five years.

Maureen was commissioned as a Distinguished Military Graduate in 1993 through the Reserve Officer Training Corps at the University of Pittsburgh. She served in the Army Reserves, Active Army with the 10<sup>th</sup> Mountain Division, the New York Army National Guard, the Pennsylvania Army National Guard and National Guard Bureau over her 25 year career. In 1994, as a newly commissioned lieutenant, COL Weigl deployed to Haiti in 1994 to support Operation Uphold Democracy. In 2008, in response to the large number of personnel who returned from combat theaters with traumatic brain injury (TBI) or mild traumatic brain injury (mTBI), then-MAJ Weigl was selected by the Director of the Army National Guard to deploy to Iraq to research methods of documenting those Service Members who were exposed to rapid acceleration and or concussive events (such as IED Blasts).

As an Adjutant General Corps Officer, COL Weigl has extensive experience in human resource management. As the Deputy Division Chief for the Army National Guard Strength Maintenance Division, she provided the policies, incentives, and goals for the daily recruiting and retention operations of the 54 States and Territories to maintain an end strength of 358,200 for the Army National Guard. She administered a 500 million dollar annual budget, which included contract negotiations, procurement, and solicitations, and sports marketing contracts. Later, while serving as the Chief, Soldier and Family Support Division, she developed and implemented policies and to minimize unemployment, sexual harassment, sexual assault and suicide in the National Guard.

COL Weigl served as the Executive Assistant for the first Vice Chief, National Guard Bureau (VCNGB), then-Lt Gen Joseph L. Lengyel. She coordinated Congressional staffs, all levels of Department of Defense (DoD), the Inter-agency and State Governments.

Colonel Weigl holds a TS/SCI clearance and is Airborne qualified. Maureen holds a Bachelor's Degree in Political Science and Communications from the University of Pittsburgh, a Masters in Business Ethics from Duquesne University, and a Masters of Strategic Studies from the US Army War College. She also holds a Post Graduate certificate in Human Resources from the Pennsylvania State University, and completed both the United States Northern Command Joint Domestic Operations Course and the Harvard Kennedy School Senior Executive Seminar in National and International Security. Colonel Weigl is a Lean Six Sigma Green Belt, Project Manager, Executive Leadership Coach and a member of the American Legion. She is currently serving on the Lieutenant Governor of Pennsylvania's Military Veteran Task Force and focuses on employment and transition assistance for Service Members and Veterans. Maureen continues to serve Veterans and has been partnering with clothing manufacturers to make adjustable clothing for Veterans and others with prosthetic limbs.