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<u>Media Opportunity</u> Fort Carson Garrison hosts change of responsibility

FORT CARSON, **Colo**. – U.S. Army Garrison Fort Carson will host a change of responsibility ceremony June 27 at 11 a.m. on post.

Command Sgt. Maj. Jason Mortensen will pass the ceremonial guidon to Command Sgt. Maj. Travis Manuel, symbolizing the transfer of responsibility from one senior enlisted leader to the next.

Manuel enlisted as a 19D Cavalry Scout in 2004 and has served in every leadership position from Team Leader to Command Sergeant Major. Before assuming responsibility for the Garrison, Manuel served as the senior enlisted leader of the 4-10 Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Armored Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division.

Mortensen assumed responsibility for the Garrison May 2023. During his time at Fort Carson, he served as the senior enlisted leader to the garrison commander, advocating for all Soldiers and Department of the Army civilians who support the installation. Upon relinquishing responsibility of the garrison, Mortensen will retire after having served over 27 years in the U.S. Army.

Those interested in attending this event should RSVP by 4 p.m. Thursday to the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office by calling (719) 526-4143 or by responding directly to this email.

For more information contact the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office at (719) 526-7525. After hours, please contact the 24-hour Fort Carson Operations Center at 526-5500 and ask for the On-Call Public Affairs Officer.

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