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# Corps Facts

## Bruce A. Boldon

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Bruce A. Boldon began serving as chief of the Operations Division, St. Paul District, in February 2005. In this capacity, he provides leadership and management for all district operations, readiness and regulatory permit programs. This includes operating and maintaining the upper 13 locks and dams of the Mississippi River, maintaining the nine-foot channel on this river and operating and maintaining 16 campgrounds throughout the district.

Boldon was born in Minneapolis and raised in Sparta, Wis., a town of about 7,500. At the age of 17, he entered the United States Military Academy at West Point, N.Y. After graduation, Boldon began his career with the Department of the Army as a second lieutenant assigned to the 82<sup>nd</sup> Engineer Battalion in Germany. He served on active duty as an engineer officer for 11 years.

In 1990, Boldon started with the St. Paul District as a resident engineer on the Chaska Flood Control Project in Chaska, Minn. Since then, he has held various positions within the district's construction branch, including chief of the contract administration section and chief of construction branch since 1996. In addition, Boldon served as acting chief of the logistics and contracting division during this time. Boldon retired from the U.S. Army Reserves as a lieutenant colonel in 2001.

Boldon graduated from the United States Military Academy with a Bachelor's of Science degree and from the University of Wisconsin – Madison with a Master's of Science degree in civil and environmental engineering. He is a registered professional engineer in Wisconsin.