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Beth is currently the Station Manager at the American Red Cross station at Fort Jackson and Regional Program Manager for 'Service to the Armed Forces' throughout Columbia, SC and the Midlands.

Formerly, Beth served as American Red Cross Station Manager at Landstuhl Regional Medical Center in Landstuhl, Germany. While there, she helped manage the Red Cross' Wounded Warrior Project partnership on the ground in Germany. In addition to Station Manager duties, Beth utilized her talent volunteering, serving USO meals for wounded warriors and playing guitar and bass in the Landstuhl Chapel music program. Beth expanded and supported the Pets and Warriors Program (PaWs) Animal Visitation—Morale Dog program serving the MTF and other Events. Concurrently, Beth served as the Red Cross 'Preparedness Health & Safety' education Lead, promoting and supporting Red Cross courses at all stations Europe-wide to include GB, Italy, Spain and Germany, & teaching Instructor Courses to expand our instructor base within the military community.

Beth came to 'Service to the Armed Forces' from Red Cross 'Preparedness Health & Safety Services' where she worked as Tennessee Training Specialist/Regional Manager, managing all Instructor staff. Notably, under Beth's management the Volunteer Instructor percentage increased from zero to an astonishing 100% in the largest market area—Nashville. Beginning with the American Red Cross in 2006 as a Disaster Volunteer, Beth became a Health and Safety Instructor and then Instructor Trainer. During restructure, Beth stepped in as Administrative Assistant to the Service Delivery Manager before stepping up as Training Specialist/Manager for the Tennessee Territory.

Beth comes from a background in Commercial Real Estate Sales in the New York metropolitan area, and a Music Business background in Nashville, Tennessee. During her music career she toured US and NATO Forces installations working for the DoD, worked extensively in the Nashville recording industry, and was staff bassist for artists including Ray Stevens. Her educational background includes NY State Real Estate College where she earned C.R.S., G.R.I., Associate Broker and Associate Salesperson. Prior to that Beth studied as a Pre-Veterinary student at the University of Arizona School of Agricultural Sciences. Beth's interests are in Exercise Physiology, Coaching (USAC) and competitive cycling.