Keith L Jackson, Fire Chief (Ret)

Education

B.A. Communication, University of Kentucky

Lexington, Kentucky

Command and General Staff, US Army

Ft Leavenworth Kansas

Experience

Fire Chief

Lexington, Kentucky

Director of Fire and EMS

March 2011-January 2016

- Managed staff, personnel, budget, facilities and administration
- 580 personnel: Civilian and Sworn
- 65 million dollar budget
- 50 buildings and structures

United States Army Reserve
Battalion Commander, 373rd QM Battalion

Louisville, Kentucky June 2009-September 2011

- Commander of 850 soldiers civilians responsible for the transport and transition of personnel, equipment and other logistics.
- Training, administrative support, and preparation of 4 units for mobilization
- 80 million dollar budget
- Managed facilities and personnel in 3 states

Additional

- Board of Directors, God's Pantry Food Bank
- Facilitator and Speaker

Elections and Political Action Committee, Southeast Fire Chiefs

Participated in monthly regional meeting to discuss implementing annual election

References

Dr. Ricky L Jones Chair of Pan African Studies <u>University of Louisville</u>

Keith Hamilton President and CEO LB Manufacturing

Glenda George Director of Law, LFUCG <u>Lexington Fayette Urban County Government</u>