Chief Master Sergeant (Retired) Michael R. Carton currently serves as the 27th Air Force Sergeants Association’s International President. In this capacity, he is responsible for the management and oversight of seven divisions, 125 individual chapters, and over 100,000 enlisted members and their families located around the world. The membership is comprised of Active Duty, Air National Guard, Air Force Reserve, and family members. He has also served as the Association’s 23rd International President, International Vice President, Division 8 President, and the President of the Bud Andrews Gateway Chapter 872 at Scott AFB. He has served on and chaired numerous International, Division, and Chapter committees throughout his AFSA career. He enlisted in the Air Force in February 1968 and retired from active duty in July 1995. His post military career included employment in the private sector and with defense contractors and finally as an Air Force Civil Servant. He retired from civil service in 2015, moving to St James North Carolina, where he serves with the town’s Emergency Management Team.

EDUCATION

 1982 -Associates Degree - Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell AFB, AL

1986 - BS Business & Management - University of Maryland College Park, MD

2012 - MS Operational Arts & Science - Air University Maxwell AFB, AL

1972 - NCO Prep School, Hamilton AFB, CA

1976 - ADCOM NCO Academy, Tyndall AFB, FL

1989 - USAF SNCO Academy, Gunter AFS, AL

1. - Air Command and Staff College, Gunter AFS, AL

Assignments

1968 Lackland AFB, TX, Keesler AFB, MS

1969-1970 60th Field Maintenance Squadron, Travis AFB, CA

1970-1972 26th Transportation Squadron, Ramstein AB, GE

1972-1976 764th Radar Squadron, St. Albans AFS, VT

1976-1979 4756th Transportation Squadron, Tyndall AFB, FL

1979-1982 3314th Management Engineering Squadron, Chanute AFB, IL

1982-1986 HQ USAFE, Ramstein AB, GE

1986-1989 Chief, OLB, 1600 Management Eng. Squadron, Dyess AFB, TX

1989-1992 1600 Management Engineering Squadron, Scott AFB, IL

1992-1995 HQ MAC/AMC, Scott AFB, IL

1995-2005 Private Industry and Defense Contractor

2006-2015 Air Force Civil Service (Andrews AFB, Ft Meade, Pentagon)

AFSA Affiliations

1974-1976 St Albans AFS VT

1976-1977 Chapter 553 - Tyndall AFB FL

1987-1989 Chapter 1056 – Dyess AFB TX

1989-2005 Chapter 872 – Scott AFB IL

2006-2009/2013-2015 Chapter 102 – Andrews AFB MD

2009-2013 Chapter 254 – Ft Meade MD

2015 –2016 Chapter 376 Myrtle Beach SC

2016-Present Chapter 371, Seymour Johnson AFB, NC