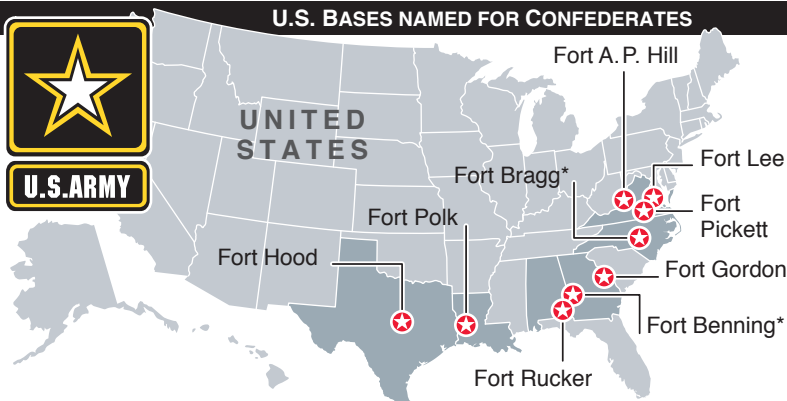


U.S. military bases revert to old names

President Donald Trump says he will restore seven U.S. Army base names that originally honoured Confederate officers – though the bases will officially recognise other soldiers with similar names

U.S. BASES NAMED FOR CONFEDERATES



Confederate figure originally honoured

Base name after 2023 redesignation

Soldier(s) honoured by restored base name

FORT GORDON, Georgia

John Brown Gordon

Fort Eisenhower

Master Sgt. **Gary I. Gordon**

FORT A.P. HILL, Virginia

Ambrose Powell Hill

Fort Walker

Lt. Col. **Edward Hill**, 1st Sgt. **Robert A. Pinn** and Pvt. **Bruce Anderson**

FORT HOOD, Texas

John Bell Hood

Fort Cavazos

Col. **Robert B. Hood**

FORT LEE, Virginia

Robert E. Lee

Fort Gregg-Adams

Pvt. **Fitz Lee**

FORT PICKETT, Virginia

George Edward Pickett

Fort Barfoot

1st Lt. **Vernon W. Pickett**

FORT POLK, Louisiana

Leonidas Polk

Fort Johnson

Gen. **James H. Polk**

FORT RUCKER, Alabama

Edmund Winchester Rucker

Fort Novosel

Capt. **Edward W. Rucker**

*Fort Bragg in North Carolina and Fort Benning in Georgia were renamed in 2023 as Fort Liberty and Fort Moore, but have already been changed back by Trump administration to recognise non-Confederate soldiers with last names Bragg and Benning