3-2 SBCT

“ARROWHEAD”

OIF Operations Summary
Mission Statement

Operational Environment/Disposition of Forces

Campaign Plan

TF Governance and Civil Capacity

Best practices

SBCT Recommendations

Questions
TF Arrowhead enables Iraqi Security Forces and the Government of Iraq to secure and develop the Diyala Province, leading to secure and credible elections while setting the conditions for RIP/TOA with 2-25 SBCT (AAB).
Population: 1.5 mil

Shia: 40%

Sunnie: 53%

Kurd: 7%
Task Organization/Partnership

TF 2-3 IN Normandy
TF 5-20 IN Warhorse
TF 1-23 IN Grizzly
TF 1-14 CAV Cobra
TF 1-37 GCC Warhorse
TF 296 BSB Warhorse

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Arrowhead Campaign Plan

**FORCE PROTECTION**

**ENABLE ISF/SECURITY**
- COMBINED C2 NODES
- COMBINED SECURITY AREA
- ISF TRAINING
- TARGETING

**ENABLE GOV/CIVIL CAPACITY**
- GOVERNANCE & INFRASTRUCTURE
- RULE OF LAW
- ECONOMICS & AGRICULTURE
- PUBLIC DIPLOMACY & NATIONAL UNITY

**TRANSITION**
- TRANSFER/CLOSURE OF FACILITIES
- IDENTIFICATION & RETROGRADE OF EXCESS
- SET CONDITIONS FOR FOLLOW ON FORCE

**INFORMATION OPERATIONS**

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**SO2**
TF Governance/Civil Capacity enables and assists the Diyala Provincial Reconstruction Teams in order to facilitate the strengthening of government systems at both the provincial and local (Qadaa and Nahia) levels and the building, nurturing, and maintenance of enduring civil capacities to foster trust in the government of the Diyala Province in the absence of US Forces and PRTs for the foreseeable future.
Arrowhead Best Practices

**Best Practices**
- Lethal Targeting is possible during stability operations
  - Integration with Task Force and AOB
  - Combined targeting meetings with Diyala Operations Commander, 5th Iraqi Army DIV, Iraqi Police
- Combined C2 nodes: if you help them build it… they will come
- Iraqi Security Forces Training: Train them to train themselves
- Combined Operations: Show them what right looks like (from TLPs through the AAR)
- TF GCC: Enable the experts to do their job

**Lessons Learned**
- Empower BNs to solve Brigade problems (C-IDF+ targeting)
  - Change task organization to solve problems
Recommendations

• Retain current Force Structure
• Armored Security Vehicle (ASV) vs. Infantry Carrier Variant (ICV) for Military Police Platoon
• Gun Laying and Positioning System (GLPS) for the Field Artillery Battalion
• Brigade Support Battalion wants to replace their Front Line Ambulances (FLA) with Medical Evacuation Variants (MEV)
• Vehicle for Combat Observation Lasing Team – prefer Fire Support Variant (FSV)
• Strykers in Field Artillery Battalion
  – Infantry Carrier Variant as Prime Mover for M777
  – Command Variant as Fire Direction Computer vehicle
• 60 mm Mortar for Cavalry Troops
• Operations Sergeant Major for Brigade Support BN
Questions