

## **Lieutenant Colonel Timothy E. Spaeth**

Lt Col Tim Spaeth served as a navigator, instructor, evaluator and deployed operations officer in the 38<sup>th</sup> Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron (SRS), 55<sup>th</sup> Operational Support Squadron (OSS) and the 55<sup>th</sup> Wing staff. Lt Col Spaeth's most lasting impacts to the 55<sup>th</sup> Wing's mission came through his responsibilities at various Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance (ISR) staff positions supporting Offutt AFB operations. These included tours in the 3909<sup>th</sup> Strategic Aircraft Evaluation Squadron (SAC Stan Eval), UAV Battle Lab (initial cadre), National Military Joint Intelligence Center (NMJIC), Strategic Guidance Team (Iraq) and the 608<sup>th</sup> Combat Plans Squadron. Since active-duty retirement, Spaeth continues to serve the 55<sup>th</sup> Wing mission as the COMBAT SENT Program Manager, 645<sup>th</sup> Aeronautical Systems Group (BIG SAFARI Program Management Office (PMO)). Through his dedicated COMBAT SENT leadership at the PMO, Lt Col (Ret) Spaeth preserved and advanced the 55<sup>th</sup> Wing's Technical Electronic Intelligence (Tech ELINT) capabilities for DoD's Intelligence Community (IC) and the global Combatant Commands.