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Smokejumper Obituary

MacKay, Robert E. "Bob" (Missoula 1951)

Bob, 92, died June 9, 2018, in McLean, Virginia. He jumped at Missoula during the 1951 and 1952 seasons. Bob served two years in the Army Air Corps and was a graduate of Northwestern University.

He then joined the CIA where he had a 32-year career as a support officer in many countries around the world. Bob spent two years in Laos, 1970-72, at Long Tien in Laos where he was Chief of Support.

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