

292nd COMBAT COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON



MISSION

The 292 CBCS trains to maintain a high state of readiness to provide tactical command and control communications and to support a variety of operational requirements. During peace and in State emergencies, the squadron falls under the jurisdiction of the Governor of Hawaii through the State Adjutant General. For national emergencies, the 292 CBCS operates under leadership of the Pacific Air Forces. The squadron's strength totals 134 guardsmen of which 22 are full-time personnel.

LINEAGE

292nd Combat Communications Flight Activated into federal service on October 13, 1967
292nd Combat Communications Squadron

STATIONS

Hickam AFB, HI
Wailuku, Maui, HI, Nov 1977
Kahului, Maui, HI, Feb 1984

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

Maj David M. Kashiwamura

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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Can Do. Will Do.

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OPERATIONS

This unit regularly participates in Joint Chiefs of Staff exercises as Team Spirit in the Republic of Korea, Cobra Gold and Cope Tiger in Thailand, and Northern Edge in Alaska. The squadron provided personnel and equipment for relief efforts to the island of Kauai after Hurricane Iwa in 1982 and Hurricane Iniki in 1992. In 1995, the unit spearheaded tactical communications support for Operation Prompt Return on "Wake Island.

The squadron received the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for the period 1 Jan 1993 to 31 Jul 1994.

292nd Combat Communications Squadron airmen, based in Kahului, Maui, assisted with disaster relief immediately after the December 2007 floods in the Kula area. The airmen assisted with command and control as well as clean up of debris.

Air Force Lineage and Honors

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