

## 306<sup>th</sup> OPERATIONS SUPPORT SQUADRON



### MISSION

### LINEAGE

306<sup>th</sup> Operations Support Squadron activated, 4 Oct 2004

### STATIONS

USAF Academy, CO

### ASSIGNMENTS

306<sup>th</sup> Flying Training Group

### COMMANDERS

LTC Lampela, #2004

LTC Douglas E. Downey, Jul 2010

### HONORS

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

### EMBLEM

On a disc Azure, in chief three mountain peaks Sable fimbriated Argent, surtout a falcon rising,

wings elevated and addorsed of the like detailed of the second, grasping in its talons a lightning flash bendwise sinister Or, all within a narrow border Silver Gray. Attached below the disc, a Red Blue scroll edged with a narrow Silver Gray border and inscribed "306TH OPS SUPPORT SQDN" in Silver Gray letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The falcon and the lightning flash are from the original 34th Operational Support Squadron and represent the unit's ability to handle aerial operations with both strength and agility. The mountains pertain to the mountain range on the original 306th Bomb Group's patch and signify the new heritage of the unit.

## **MOTTO**

## **NICKNAME**

## **OPERATIONS**

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