

502nd OPERATIONS SUPPORT SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

502nd Operations Support Squadron
Activated, 3 Dec 1913

STATIONS

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

LTC Thomas C. Pauly, 3 Dec 2013 – 3 Jul 2014
LTC Matthew T. Vann, 3 Jul 2014

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

On a disc Azure, a knight in armor Argent (Silver Gray), detailed Sable, plumed Or, coat Gules, garnished of the fourth, detailed of the third, in dexter hand a spear bend sinisterwise of the last, tip of the second, bearing in sinister a shield of the fourth, charged with two lightning bolts in

saltire of the third, forming two triangles, the upper inverted, of the fifth, all within a narrow border Black. Attached above the disc, a Yellow scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "ALWAYS THERE" in Black letters. Attached below the disc, a Yellow scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "502D OPERATIONS SUPPORT SQ" in Black 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 knight signifies the strength of the unit and symbolizes their dedication to Air Force core values of integrity first, service before self and excellence in all they do.

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