

721 RADAR SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

721 Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron
Redesignated 721 Radar Squadron

STATIONS

Willmar, MN

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

This site became operational in 1957 and closed in 1960 due to budgetary constraints. The 721st AC&W Squadron operated a variety of radars at Willmar including AN/FPS-6, AN/FPS-8, AN/MPS-7, and AN/FPS-3 sets.

721st Radar Sq (SAGE): activated 8 Apr. 56 at Snelling AFS, MN, assigned to 31st AD; moved to Willmar AFS, MN Jul 56; transferred to 29th AD 1 Jan 59; transferred to Grand Forks ADS ca. Apr 59; redesignated from AC&W Sq to 721st Radar Sq (SAGE) 15 Jan 60; discontinued 1 Jun 61.

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