

# 3750 MAINTENANCE AND SUPPLY GROUP

## MISSION

## LINEAGE

3750 Maintenance and Supply Group

## STATIONS

Sheppard AFB, TX

## ASSIGNMENTS

## COMMANDERS



Col John C. Osgood, Jr.

## HONORS

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

## EMBLEM

## MOTTO

## NICKNAME

## OPERATIONS

On 26 August 1948, Air Training Command organized the 3750<sup>th</sup> Basic Training Wing. The wing consisted of five major organizations: the 3750th Station Hospital, the 3750th Air Base Group, the 3750<sup>th</sup> Maintenance and Supply Group, the 3750th Basic Training Group, and the 3760th Basic Training Group.

In January 1949, HQ ATC informed the 3750th Basic Training Wing that an airplane mechanics school would relocate to Sheppard from Keesler AFB. This announcement was especially fortuitous, since by January 1949 the flow of basic trainees had begun to slow. The number of new recruits had dropped by almost half, from 3,300 in January to 1,700 in February.

On 1 April 1949, Air Training Command discontinued the 3750<sup>th</sup> Basic Training Wing and established the 3750th Technical Training Wing to manage the Airplane and Engine Mechanics School and the Rotary Wing and Liaison Mechanic School.

Resource management became a critical issue in the mid 1970s. Perhaps as a backlash from antimilitary feelings during the era, the budget of the armed forces was dramatically reduced. Sheppard was preoccupied with drives to conserve energy and paper, as the Air Force rode out the difficult days of the Arab oil embargo and the mild recession. Sheppard experimented with solar heating for its Bunker Hill housing units, which had been built in 1975-76 on the site of the former hospital. ***In recognition of the new era, the 3750th Maintenance and Supply Group was redesignated the 3750th Resource Management Group. Personnel were actively counselled to eliminate fraud, waste or abuse of government resources.***

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