

94 MISSION SUPPORT GROUP



MISSION

94 Mission Support Group provides programs, policies, services, and facilities to a combined military/civilian force of 1,800 personnel in support of 94 Airlift Wing mission. Agencies consist of computers-communications, contracting, supply, transportation, property and personnel traffic management, logistical support, civil engineering, personnel, security, law enforcement, family support, and morale, welfare and recreation services.

LINEAGE

94 Air Base Group established, 10 May 1949
Activated, 26 Jun 1949
Ordered to Active Service, 10 Mar 1951
Inactivated, 20 Mar 1951
Activated in the Reserve, 14 Jun 1952
Inactivated, 11 Feb 1963
Redesignated 94 Combat Support Group, 20 May 1975
Activated, 1 Sep 1975
Redesignated 94 Support Group, 1 Feb 1992
Redesignated 94 Mission Support Group, 1 Oct 2002

STATIONS

Marietta AFB (later, Dobbins AFB), GA, 26 Jun 1949-20 Mar 1951
Dobbins AFB, GA, 14 Jun 1952
Scott AFB, IL, 18 May 1955
Laurence G. Hanscom Field, MA, 14 Oct 1957-11 Feb 1963
Dobbins AFB, (later, ARB) GA, 1 Sep 1975

ASSIGNMENTS

94 Bombardment Wing, 26 Jun 1949-20 Mar 1951
94 Bombardment Wing, 14 Jun 1952-4 May 1955
94 Tactical Reconnaissance (later, 94 Troop Carrier) Wing, 18 May 1955-11 Feb 1963
94 Tactical Airlift (later, 94 Airlift) Wing, 1 Sep 1975

COMMANDERS

Lt Col Lester M. Johnson

Col John H. Smith, 10 Jul 1976



Col Roy E. Ayers

Col William Haber, 1 Aug 1987
Col Jeffrey W. Ippolito, 10 May 1998
Col Curtis L. Williams, 1 Jun 2002
Col Steven H. Slick, 15 May 2005
Lt Col T. Laughman
Col Marshall S. Irvin, Jr., 27 Mar 2011
Col Marty Hughes, 2016
Col Joseph M. Revit, 6 Feb 2018

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Jan 1976-30 Nov 1977

1 Jan 1981-31 Dec 1982

1 Jan 1984-31 Jul 1985

15 Aug 1987-14 Aug 1989

30 Aug 1990-29 Aug 1992

[1 Sep] 1992-15 Aug 1999

16 Aug 1995-15 Aug 1997

1 Sep 2007-31 Aug 2009

EMBLEM



Blue and yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of operations for the Air Force. Yellow refers to the sun and excellence required of Air Force personnel. The sword represents combat readiness and alludes to the Group's motto service, Readiness, and Excellence. The Air Force star represents the Group's commitment to the Air Force Total Force Policy. The globe represents the Group's commitment to its mission to support personnel deploying to any location in the world.





Blazon. Azure, over a cloud formation Argent a Chimerical Creature with the body of a panther, the head of a buffalo, all Sable, horns, talons, and eyes Proper, an eagle's wings Or, crouching over the top of a sphere of the last, lined of the third, the creature snorting fire Proper; all within a diminished bordure of the fourth. Attached below the shield, a White scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "94TH MISSION SUPPORT GROUP" in Blue 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 unit's emblem is representative of the heritage and honors for the 94th Bombardment Group. The panther characterizes the cunningness, speed, and flexibility of the modern Tactical Air Force to strike anywhere in the world. The head of the buffalo symbolizes ruggedness and the early American Pioneer spirit and their fight for freedom of America continued by today's modern Air Force's fight for freedom of the world. The eagle's wings portray courage and stamina. (Approved, 26 May 2023)

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

The 94th Combat Support Group at Dobbins was named the top non-flying unit in the Air Force Reserve for 1979 by the Reserve Officers Association and received the highest rating possible from the Air Force Inspector General in 1981. The Central Base Personnel Office at Dobbins was named the outstanding Class I CBPO in the Air Force Reserve for 1979 and also won the AFRES CBPO Award for Outstanding Support of Recruiting. The CBPO maintains over 2,000 records and takes care of promotions, awards, assignments, career counseling, manpower, and most important, everyone's paycheck. The 94th Directorate of Personnel provides guidance to the 907th and 908th TAG CBPOs which take care of the same business for their assigned people.

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Sources

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