

AIR RESERVE PERSONNEL CENTER



MISSION

The Air Reserve Personnel Center (ARPC) provides resources and maintains administrative capability to call up sufficient Air Reserve Forces to assure Air Force commands of needed forces. The center manages the 250,000 members of the Air National Guard (ANG), Air Force Reserve, and other former active-duty Air Force members subject to mobilization.

LINEAGE

Air Reserve Records Center established, 30 Nov 1956
Activated, 1 Jan 1957
Redesignated Air Reserve Personnel Center, 1 Sep 1965

STATIONS

Denver, CO, 1 Nov 1953-28 Jul 2011
Buckley AFB, CO, 29 Jul 2011

ASSIGNMENTS

Continental Air Command
Air Force Reserve, 1 Jul 1978

COMMANDERS

Col Leland A. Walker, Jr., #1966
Col Benjamin S. Catlin, III, #1970
Col Franck D. Hardee, #1978

Col Frank P. Cyr, Jr., #1995
Brig Gen Kevin E. Pottinger, #2010
Brig Gen John Flournoy
Brig Gen Ellen M. Moore, 16 Apr 2016
Col Kelli B. Smiley, 10 Jun 2019

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Jul 1969-31 May 1971

1 Jan 1982-31 Dec 1983

Air Force Organizational Excellence Awards

1 Jul 1975-31 Dec 1978

1 Jan 1986-31 Dec 1987

1 Jan 1990-31 Dec 1991

1 Jan 1994-31 Dec 1995

1 Jan 1996-31 Dec 1997

1 Oct 1998-30 Sep 2000

1 Oct 2003-30 Sep 2005

1 Oct 2005-30 Sep 2007

1 Oct 2008-30 Sep 2010

1 Oct 2010-30 Sep 2012

1 Oct 2012-30 Sep 2014

1 Oct 2014-30 Sep 2016

EMBLEM



Air Reserve Personnel Center emblem BLAZON: Celeste, in base a globe vert gridlined Or charged at the pole with a mullet Argent bearing a torteau, issuant from the globe two arrows arced chevronwise of the third garnished Azure the dexter supporting a stylized male figure and the sinister a stylized female figure all below four arced contrails yellow terminating at a flight symbol Gules both ascending pilewise between four mullets white chevronwise reversed, all within a diminished bordure Gold. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Blue and 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 star on the globe denote the Center and its worldwide activities. The stylized human figures on arching arrows signify the Center's management of Reserve personnel. The aircraft reflects the mission of those personnel within the Air Force. The five stars symbolize the five mobilizations in which the Air Force Personnel Center has been involved. (Approved, 7 Jul 1994)

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OPERATIONS

USAF UNIT HISTORIES

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Sources

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