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Cover: A 134th Air Refueling Wing tanker rests in front of the newly refurbished hangar for the 60th Anniversary celebration in October 2017. (U.S. Air National Guard photo by Staff Sgt. Ben Mellon)



# 134th Air Refueling Wing Volunteers

Vision: Volunteers supporting and  
defending America

Federal Mission: Support rapid global  
mobility and sustainment by providing  
world-class personnel, vital air refueling  
and airlift capabilities for contingency  
response and sustained combat  
operations.

State Mission: Provide personnel and  
equipment to protect life & property  
during emergency response operationsas  
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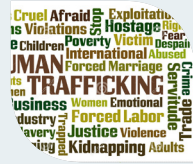
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# Franklin promoted to Brigadier General at the 134th ARW



Maj. Gen. Max Haston, adjutant general of Tennessee, removes Brig. Gen. Vincent Franklin's Colonel insignia in preparation for his promotion to General. The promotion ceremony was held Oct. 13 at the 134th Air Refueling Wing.





# Tennessee Air Guard Chief of Staff promoted to Brigadier General

*By: Staff Sgt. Brittany Crocker  
70th MPAD Army National Guard for 134th Air Refueling Wing Public Affairs*

The Tennessee Air National Guard's Chief of Staff returned to his home unit for an important milestone in his career Oct 13.

Vincent Franklin was promoted to brigadier general at the Louisville, Tennessee Air National Guard Base during an official ceremony.

"This ceremony isn't for me; this is for all of you who supported me," Franklin said, to the crowd. "I did not get here on my own."

"If I could have drawn up my career back in 1988 when i got my first mission, it would not have looked anything like this, but I would not change a single solitary thing that would have kept me from knowing the people in this room" he added. "You guys are my treasure."

Maj. Gen. Max Haston, adjutant general, Tennessee National Guard, also made the trip from Nashville to personally promote Franklin.

"No one I have ever met has as much humility as he does," Haston said. "The world is full of selfishness. Vince knows it is not all about him, he makes it all about the Airmen out there."

"Today is a great day. To all the junior officers out there, look at all this guy has done," he said.

Franklin has been serving as the chief of staff of the Tennessee Air National Guard in Nashville since February. He previously attained the rank of colonel serving at McGhee Tyson Air National Guard Base where he first led the 228th Combat Communications Squadron in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Hurricane Gustav humanitarian relief. When the squadron disbanded, Franklin took command of the 119th Command and Control Squadron, now known as the 119th Cyberspace Operations Squadron. In that role, he led the Air National Guard's Cyber Weapons System, supporting more than 15 cyber squadrons and the Air Force Information Network.





# A SPOOKY GOOD TIME!

134thARW members, volunteers and families gathered for a Halloween party at Wilson Hall Saturday, Oct. 27. Children enjoyed face-painting, trick-or-treating and games, in addition to a spooky movie to celebrate the season.

*U.S. Air National Guard photos by Staff Sgt. Chelsea Teffeteller.*



# SERVICE BEFORE SELF

*a commentary by Staff Sgt. Ben Mellon*

*photos courtesy of Staff Sgt. Ben Mellon, for Project Healing Waters*

The alarm clock buzzes at 0500 — it's awfully early for me to be getting up on a Saturday. I put on a pot of coffee, grab my gear, kiss my wife and head out. It's going to be a great day.

A thick layer of morning fog looms over the parking area as I pull in to the lot. The only movement is a few small shadows, my brothers gearing up. I climb out of my jeep and begin to do the same. We walk down together and wait patiently by the river.

As the van pulls up, I forget all about my early-morning wakeup and my excitement begins to soar.

Fourteen heroes step out. As tall as giants, but with a gentleness difficult to describe, they are some of America's bravest warriors. They are anxious, not knowing what to expect, carefully guarding themselves to keep anyone from seeing the brokenness inside. The first hand they shake brings a warm smile to each of their faces. The healing begins.

We climb into our boats, rig up our fly rods and head down river. After a few anxiety-filled minutes, it happens: "FISH ON! WE GOT A FISH ON," someone shouts. Immediately fear, depression, anger, physical disabilities, and even PTSD seem to vanish. At that moment, a small part of a broken warrior is healed.

Project Healing Waters (PHW) is an organization dedicated to the emotional and physical rehabilitation of disabled Veterans through fly-fishing education and excursions. There is an incredibly therapeutic nature to the sport that lends itself to helping Veterans deal with service-related injuries. If nothing else, PHW offers a time and place Veterans can completely let their guard down and be themselves without feeling the need to hide their problems. Sometimes, this is what Veterans need the most.



Often, the thrill of landing a nice fish is enough to give them hope and a reason to smile. However, PHW is about much more than fishing, and we use many methods to encourage the healing process. Veterans also learn how to tie flies and build rods, which are both activities that require their full concentration. These types of projects captivate their minds and help relieve the stresses they deal with every day.

Since I joined the military in 2007, I have always served in a support role. I have never been in combat, or suffered any mental or physical disabilities as a result of my service. I fully understand that everyone in the military has a role to play and all are crucial to mission success. Even though we all sign the same "blank check," not all are asked to make the same sacrifices. I believe serving in PHW is a way I can help my brothers and sisters in arms that have been asked to sacrifice much more than I have. This motivates me to be a better Airman and give my all every time I put on the uniform.

My name is Staff Sgt. Ben Mellon and this is how I Volunteer.

If you would like to get involved with Project Healing Waters, please visit [Projecthealingwaters.org](http://Projecthealingwaters.org).

## **The Volunteer wants your service story!**

The Volunteers of the 134th Air Refueling Wing are active in the community, and we would like to share your service projects in The Volunteer. Please, contact Staff Sgt. Teri Eicher at 336-3214 or email at [teri.l.eicher.mil@mail.mil](mailto:teri.l.eicher.mil@mail.mil) to have your story featured in the next Volunteer!



## Junior Enlisted Advisory Association Canned Food Drive!

Beginning Nov. 3 and continuing through Dec. 4, the JEAA is sponsoring a canned food drive to benefit the Blount County Veterans Pantry. Just complete the following steps to participate!

**\*Determine participation:** It can be by shop, section, building, or group.

**\*Email [teri.l.eicher.mil@mail.mil](mailto:teri.l.eicher.mil@mail.mil)** to advise JEAA of the location of your box and your team.

**\*Print the flyer** from [page 12](#) (or from the base-wide email) and attach it to a box at your self-designated collection point.

**\*Collect non-perishable food items** and cash donations. \$1 = 1 food item. Please note: Be kind, donate items you would like to eat yourself. Any expired items will not be counted toward team totals. Also, teams are responsible for providing adequate boxes for their donations!

The team with the most donations wins free breakfast during January UTA, courtesy of JEAA.

JEAA will collect items Sunday, Dec. 2nd, from the pre-designated collection points. Members may donate items through Dec. 4 by making arrangements with JEAA prior to end of Dec UTA.

Please contact Staff Sgt. Teri Eicher at 336-3214 with any questions or concerns, and happy collecting!

## Camaraderie

by Chief Master Sgt. Timothy Thiele

I'm writing from the Appalachian Trail. This is a yearly excursion with friends from the military, many of whom I've known more than twenty years. Every year we get together to hike twenty-five to fifty miles. It's currently twenty-six degrees with up to sixty mile-an-hour wind gusts, but there is not a place in the world I would rather be. These guys are like my brothers; we have deployed all over the world together and have supported each other in rough times. We reach out to each other in times of need and in times of joy.

The Air Force is our second family. The military provides the opportunity for camaraderie that you can't find anywhere else. With this in mind, I urge you to pick up the phone this holiday season and reach out to your Guard family. See how they're doing, or if they need any assistance. We have great resources to assist our friends if they need help: Military One Source and our DPH are a great place to start.

Reach out.

Integrity first. Service before self. Excellence in all we do.



# MEDICAL HOURS

PLEASE REFER TO LISTED HOURS FOR SERVICES AT THE 134TH MEDICAL GROUP.

## REMINDER: REPORT ALL NEW MEDICATIONS TO MED GROUP

### SATURDAY

**FLU SHOT TEAM - SFS/LRS SUPPLY WAREHOUSE**  
0645-0730

**OSV - PLAYERS/WIT/SME BLDG 111**  
0645-TBD

**FLU SHOT TEAM - MSG/COMM (CONF. ROOM)**  
0715-0800

**FLU SHOT TEAM - 119 CACS**  
0715-0800

**PHYSICAL HEALTH ASSESSMENTS (PHA'S)**  
0815-1130

**FITNESS FOR DUTY EVALUATIONS**  
0830-0900

**IMMUNIZATIONS**  
0830-1130

**QNFT TESTING**  
0830-1130

**DEPLOYMENT PROCESSING/ANAM/DNA TESTING**  
0830-1100

**FITNESS TESTING EVALS**  
1000-1100

**WAIVER/MEDCON/LOD APPS**  
1300-1500

**IMMUNIZATIONS**  
1300-1430

**HEARING EXAMS/ANAM**  
1300-1500

### SUNDAY

**FLU SHOT TEAM - CE**  
0645-0730

**FLU SHOT TEAM - WING/COMPTROLLER/FSS - HQ  
CONF. ROOM**  
0700-0745

**FITNESS FOR DUTY EVALUATIONS**  
0730-0800

**FLU SHOT TEAM - MXS/OSV PLAYERS - GRAY  
HANGAR/BLDG 113**  
1300-1530

**IMMUNIZATIONS**  
1300-1345

Medical Group is closed for  
training on Sunday with the  
exception of the listed times  
and activities.

**MENTAL HEALTH ASSESSMENTS**  
MHAs will be scheduled by  
appointment only.

**CONTACT MEDICAL GROUP**  
To make an appointment outside of listed  
times call 336-4277

\* Individuals requiring lipid tests must fast for 14 hours prior to physical examination.

\* Individuals are not to consume any alcohol for at least 72 hours prior to physical examination.

\* If you wear glasses you must bring them with you for physical. Please do not wear contact lenses for exam.

\* If you are deploying, please check with the clinic well in advance of departure date for immunization requirements.



TAKE NOTE

PUBLIC AFFAIRS CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS



The photo studio is open Saturday of UTA from 1230-1500 for new member portraits, official photos, and passport photos.

**ISOPREPs are now handled by Intelligence Flight at 336-4417.**

The photo studio also offers photos by appointment only on Wednesdays from 0800-1100.

SECURITY FORCES CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS



134th Security Forces Squadron offers customer service hours Monday-Friday from 0800-1100 and 1200-1600.

CLOTHING ISSUE CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS



Clothing Issue is open for customer service:

Friday from 0800-1100 and 1300-11530

Saturday of UTA from 0900-1100 and 1300-1600

Sunday of UTA from 0800-1100

MOBILITY CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS (BLDG 264)



Mobility is open for customer service:

Saturday of UTA from 0900-1100 and 1300-1600

Sunday of UTA 0800-1100

JUNIOR ENLISTED ADVISORY ASSOCIATION



**Due to the OSV, there is no JEAA meeting for November UTA.**



TAKE NOTE

ROCKY TOP MENU

Saturday:

Swedish Meatballs  
Chicken/Burgers  
Noodles/Rice/Tots  
Broccoli/Corn  
Black-Eyed Peas  
Baked Beans  
Chili

Sunday:

Roast Turkey  
Mashed Potatoes  
Sweet Potato Casserole  
Dressing  
Glazed Carrots  
Green Beans



LONG DISTANCE PIN NO LONGER REQUIRED

Long Distance pin no longer required to make long distance calls from a base phone.

\*Dial 134 and wait for dial tone

\*Dial 1, then 9-digit number (including Area Code)

Call Comm. Focal Point at 336-4357



2019 CALENDAR NOW ON THE APP!

**The 134th ARW app now has the UTA and down Monday calendar programmed in!**

It's never been easier to plan out your year. Just download the app, navigate to the Wing Calendar, and tap each event to add to your phone calendar.



134TH ARW SOCIAL MEDIA

The 134th ARW is on Facebook! Follow our page for news stories and Wing events.

Search 134 ARW on YouTube for our videos!

The 134th ARW official webpage is: [www.134arw.ang.af.mil](http://www.134arw.ang.af.mil)



TOP THREE

**Due to the OSV, there is no Top Three meeting for November UTA.**







## HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Millions of men, women and children are exploited every year. Human trafficking has turned into a multi-billion dollar enterprise globally and continues to grow. Human trafficking can take many forms- forced labor, slavery, domestic servitude, sexual exploitation, etc. In an August 2018 online article written by Morgan Brinley titled *13 Sex Trafficking Statistics That Put the Worldwide Problem into Perspective*, the author provides 13 current statistics involving the largest growth area in human trafficking- sex trafficking:

1. The trafficking of women and children is the world's fastest growing crime
2. There are an estimated 24.9 million people currently trapped in forced labor
3. The majority of the victims are women and girls (approximately 71%)
4. More than 50% of the victims are sexually exploited
5. The most common type of human trafficking is sex exploitation
6. Men are also the victims of sex trafficking
7. Women make up a large share of convicted traffickers
8. Sex trafficking is prevalent in the US
9. Polaris, a non-profit anti-slavery and human trafficking group, estimated human trafficking victims in the U.S. to be in the hundreds of thousands
10. The Polaris National Human Trafficking Hotline received 6,244 cases of sex trafficking in 2017
11. The majority of sex trafficking cases involved escort services
12. The most common sex and labor trafficking involved massage businesses, bars, and strip clubs
13. Prosecution rates remain low

If you suspect someone is a victim of trafficking or witness activity that could be related to trafficking, you're asked to call Tennessee Human Trafficking Resource Center Hotline at 1-855-558-6484 or 1-800-TBI-FIND. If you have further questions about human trafficking, please contact Lt Col Chip Thiele, 134 ARW CTIP Coordinator, at 336-4444. Excerpts from this article were obtained from <https://www.bustle.com/p/13-sex-trafficking-statistics-that-put-the-world-wide-problem-into-perspective-9930150>

## BASE SHRED DAY



THURSDAY, 8 NOVEMBER 2018

1000-1030 HRS

HEADQUARTERS PARKING LOT

**UNCLASSIFIED PAPER and CD MATERIALS ONLY**

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TENNESSEE AIR NATIONAL GUARD  
\*\*\* DRILL-STATUS OFFICER VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT \*\*\*

**POSITION:** Personnel (Traditional, Non-Flying)                      **CLOSING DATE:** 15 Dec 2018  
NLT 1600 EST  
**TITLE:** Equal Opportunity Officer/Force Support Officer (DAFSC: 38F)  
**AUTHORIZED GRADE:** Maj/ 0-4(Prior commission not required)  
**UNIT:** 134th FSS/ 134ARW

**DUTY STATUS:** This is a Drill Status Guard (DSG) position, NOT full-time employment. Applicants are expected to meet all Unit Training Assemblies and Annual Training requirements annually.

**Specialty Summary:** Define, develop, shape, sustain, and deliver mission-ready Airmen across the Total Force. Responsibilities include defining Air Force Manpower and Organization Requirements, managing Human Resources, managing and providing Education and Training Requirements, regenerating Airmen, feeding Airmen, developing Human Capital Strategies, applying Laws and Policies, compensating Airmen, providing Force Readiness and Quality of Service Programs, and serves as senior staff advisor to commanders.

**Duties and Responsibilities:** Formulate personnel plans and programs and develop policy to guide their implementation and execution. Translates program policy into directives, publications, and training manuals. Participate in total force adaptive planning and execution in support of combatant commanders from peacetime through mobilization, contingency operations and demobilization. Access manpower, personnel, and equipment availability for UTC posturing and management. Develop, control, program and allocate manpower resources in support of the Air Force planning, programming, budgeting and execution process. Analyze and determine force composition. Determine Total Force manpower requirements across the spectrum of Air Force capabilities. Employ industrial and management engineering methodologies to develop manpower determinants and standards. Manage allocation of military and civilian resources through execution and management of the UMD. Conduct management advisory studies. Develop, test, evaluate, and maintain Air Force recognized organization structure. Analyze and process organization change actions to activate, inactivate, redesignate, and reorganize unit structures. Administer Air Force performance management and productivity programs. Assess and document organizational performance. Advise on process improvement, best practices and recognizes optimal performance. Oversee and conduct strategic sourcing studies. Develop and execute the full spectrum of total force personnel programs to accomplish accession planning and processing, classification and utilization, promotion, recognition, evaluation, reenlistment, assignment action, retraining, retirement, disciplinary, force development and force shaping programs. Establish Air Force education and training policy requirements. Manages equal opportunity programs. Assess and advise commanders at all levels on the human relations environment. Provide counseling, education, and complaint processing. Leads and supervises contingency training and operations with an emphasis on specific capabilities and processes focused on expeditionary organizations and command relationships-Institute customer service practices designed to meet the needs of commanders, supervisors and the force at large in peacetime and wartime operations.

**Eligibility Requirements:**

Must be a citizen of the United States. To be eligible for an original appointment the applicant must be at least 18 years of age and not reached his/her 40th birthday. Previous military service will be accounted for to adjust the age if over 40, adjusted age must not be over 50 and must be able to complete 10 years commissioned service before retirement.

TENNESSEE AIR NATIONAL GUARD  
\*\*\* DRILL-STATUS OFFICER VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT \*\*\*

**POSITION:** Personnel (Traditional, Non-Flying)                      **CLOSING DATE:** 15 Jan 2019  
NLT 1600 EST  
**TITLE:** General Engineer Officer (32EXG)  
**AUTHORIZED GRADE:** Maj/ 0-4(Prior commission not required)  
**UNIT:** 134th CES/ 134ARW

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES:

Non-Prior Service and Prior Enlisted personnel and Commissioned Officer in the grade of Major or below (Active or Reserve) may apply if qualified for commission as follows:

NON-COMMISSIONED APPLICANT AGE: AFI36-2005 states “To be eligible for an original appointment the applicant must be at least 18 years of age and not reached his/her 40th birthday. ”.Prior-Commissioned Applicants must not have exceeded rank-age ceiling IAW ANGI 36-2005, Table 3.1. Call MSgt Sawyer at (865)336-3242DSN 266-3242 for eligibility clarification.

MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must pass an ANG/AF Commissioning Physical.

AIR FORCE OFFICER QUALIFYING TEST (AFOQT): Applicants must have taken the AFOQT and qualify with a minimum score of Verbal - 15; Quantitative - 10.

EDUCATION: For entry into this AFSC, an undergraduate or graduate degree is mandatory in architecture from a school accredited by the National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB); or, undergraduate or graduate degree is mandatory in civil, electrical, environmental, construction, architectural, mechanical, or industrial engineering from a school whose respective program is accredited by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET).

SPECIALTY QUALIFICATIONS: Knowledge of contingency engineering, contingency base operations, explosive ordnance disposal, and survivability skills, including force bed-down, expedient damage repair, and recovery after attack: methods, sources, and techniques of engineering design, construction, maintenance, operation and repair of facilities and utility systems; resource acquisition and management; military facilities programming and planning; environmental stewardship; housing management; management of real property; fire prevention, protection, and aircraft crash rescue procedures; engineering research and development; and formulation, coordination, and administration of plans and programs.

LETTER OF AGREEMENT: Applicants must submit a letter of agreement to attend within one year (pending availability of school quotas) of commissioning (or assignment if prior commissioned officer) any initial formal technical training as listed in the Remarks section. Applications are considered incomplete without this letter (see attachment 1).

COMMISSION REINSTATEMENT: Prior commissioned officers must be eligible to reinstate commission and retrain. Cross-component service officers will not be required to attend the Total Force Training



ANNOUNCEMENT OF VACANCY

MILITARY DRILL-STATUS OFFICER

POC: MSgt Aaron Sawyer  
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|---|---|
| POSITION: Pilot KC-135R   | OPENING DATE: 15 Aug 2018               |
| AFSC: 11M3     GRADE: 2LT Thru Major                              | CLOSING DATE: 15 Nov 2018<br>1630 HOURS |
| UNIT: 151 <sup>st</sup> Air Refueling Squadron                    |   |
| SPECIALTY DESCRIPTION: (SEE ATTACHED JOB DESCRIPTION FOR DETAILS) |   |

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| <p><b>1. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES:</b></p> <p>Prior Enlisted personnel, Commissioned Officer in the grade of Major or below (Active or Reserve) or non-prior service civilian may apply if qualified for commission as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>NON-COMMISSIONED APPLICANT AGE:</b> Due to the length of administrative processing involved in the commissioning process, applicants <u>must</u> be selected by age <b>28</b> and be no more than age <b>30</b> by the start date of the board's first available <b>Undergraduate Pilot Training Class (UPT)</b>. This will allow time for <b>non-prior commissioned</b> applicants to graduate from the Academy of Military Science as an ANG officer prior to attending UPT. <b>Prior-Commissioned Applicant</b> must have not exceeded rank-age ceiling. Call MSgt Sawyer at 865-336-3242/DSN266-3242 for eligibility clarification.</li><li>• <b>MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS:</b> Applicants <u>must</u> pass a Flying Class 1 physical (Appointment ANG/AF Commissioning physical).</li><li>• <b>AIR FORCE OFFICER QUALIFYING TEST (AFOQT):</b> Applicants <u>must</u> have taken the AFOQT and qualify with a minimum score of <b>Verbal-15; Quantitative-10; Pilot 25; Navigator 10; Sum-50 (Sum is the minimum composite score required by adding both the scores of Pilot and Navigator.)</b> Applicants must meet or exceed the minimum Pilot and/or Navigator scores to qualify for appointment and attendance of Undergraduate Pilot Training (UPT).</li><li>• <b>EDUCATION:</b> Applicants <u>require</u> as a minimum a Bachelor's Degree from an educational institute listed in the current Accredited Institutions of Post Secondary Education. For entry into this specialty, undergraduate degree specializing in physical sciences, mathematics, administration, or management is desired. <b>Applicant must have attained the degree prior to the UPT Class start date.</b></li><li>• <b>SPECIALTY QUALIFICATIONS:</b> Knowledge is mandatory of theory of flight, air navigation, meteorology, flying directives, aircraft operating procedures, and mission tactics. For entry into this specialty, completion of Air Force Undergraduate Pilot Training (UPT).</li><li>• <b>PILOT CANDIDATE SELECTION METHOD (PCSM):</b> Must complete Test of Basic Aviation Skills (TBAS) to obtain score. <b>PCSM Score of 10 or higher is required.</b> PCSM information website: <a href="https://pcsm.aetc.af.mil/">https://pcsm.aetc.af.mil/</a>.</li><li>• <b>LETTER OF AGREEMENT:</b> Applicants <u>must</u> submit a letter of agreement to attend within one year (pending availability of school quotas) of commissioning (or assignment if prior commissioned officer) any initial formal training as listed in the Training Requirements section. <b><u>Applications are considered incomplete without this letter (see attachment 1).</u></b></li><li>• <b>COMMISSION REINSTATEMENT:</b> Prior commissioned officers must be eligible to reinstate commission and retrain. Cross-component service officers will not be required to attend the Academy of Military Science.</li></ul> |
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# The JEAA annual



- **When:** Nov 3 - Dec 4 2018
- **What:** Non-perishable foods and cash. 1 point per item, and 1 point per dollar. The group with the most points wins!
- **Who:** 134th members designate their own collection team – can be by shop, section, building, or group
- **Why:** Support a great cause and win free breakfast January UTA! Cans will be delivered to the Blount County Veteran's Pantry after Dec UTA



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9 October 2018

**SUBJECT:** 2019 Membership Dues for NGATN and NGAUS

**TO:** All Officers and Warrant Officers of the Tennessee Army and Air National Guard

*“It’s Membership time in Tennessee!”* Since 2003, the **National Guard Association of Tennessee (NGATN)** has proudly maintained 100% membership because of your continued support for NGATN and the **National Guard Association of the United States (NGAUS)**. NGATN respectfully requests your assistance for the **2019 Membership Drive**. The NGATN and NGAUS membership year runs from 1 January to 31 December each year.

**2019 membership dues are:**

|   | NGAUS           | NGATN           | TOTAL            |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Second Lieutenants (O-1).....                       | \$30.00         | \$10.00         | \$40.00          |
| First Lieutenants (O-2) .....                       | \$45.00         | \$11.00         | \$56.00          |
| Captains (O-3).....                                 | \$59.00         | \$15.00         | \$74.00          |
| Majors (O-4) .....                                  | \$72.00         | \$25.00         | \$97.00          |
| Lieutenant Colonels (O-5) .....                     | \$85.00         | \$35.00         | \$120.00         |
| Colonels (O-6).....                                 | \$108.00        | \$42.00         | \$150.00         |
| General Officers (O-7).....                         | \$123.00        | \$52.00         | \$175.00         |
| General Officers (O-8).....                         | \$139.00        | \$53.00         | \$192.00         |
| Warrant Officer (W01) .....                         | \$26.00         | \$10.00         | \$36.00          |
| Chief Warrant Officer (CW2) .....                   | \$35.00         | \$11.00         | \$46.00          |
| Chief Warrant Officer (CW3) .....                   | \$46.00         | \$15.00         | \$61.00          |
| Chief Warrant Officer (CW4) .....                   | \$59.00         | \$20.00         | \$79.00          |
| Chief Warrant Officer (CW5) .....                   | \$73.00         | \$25.00         | \$98.00          |
| Retiring in 2019 (Retired Lifetime Membership)..... |                 |                 | \$125.00         |
| <b>**Lifetime Membership.....</b>                   | <b>\$750.00</b> | <b>\$250.00</b> | <b>\$1000.00</b> |

**\*\*First time offered!! Never pay Dues again!! (Call the NGATN office for payment options.)**

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