

# ***3d Air Support Operations Group***

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## **3 ASOG Mission / Training Brief**



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**3<sup>rd</sup> Air Support Operations Group/CC**

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## 3 ASOG



- Mission
- Chain of Command
- Locations / Units



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## 3 ASOG



### Unit Mission

***Train, deploy, and focus the world's best combat airpower and integrated weather operations for the joint force commander alongside III Corps or any supported land force commander, anytime, anywhere.***

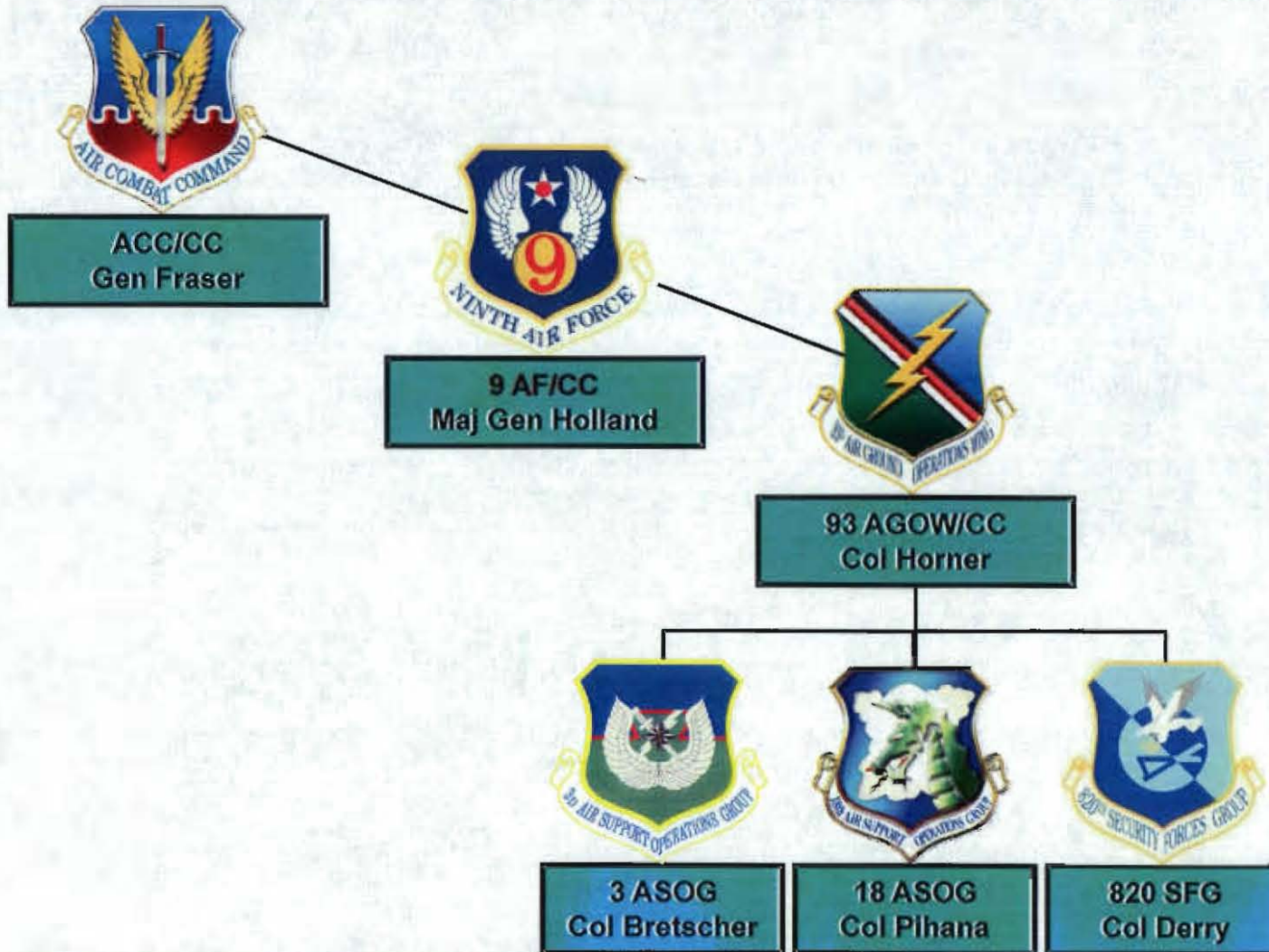


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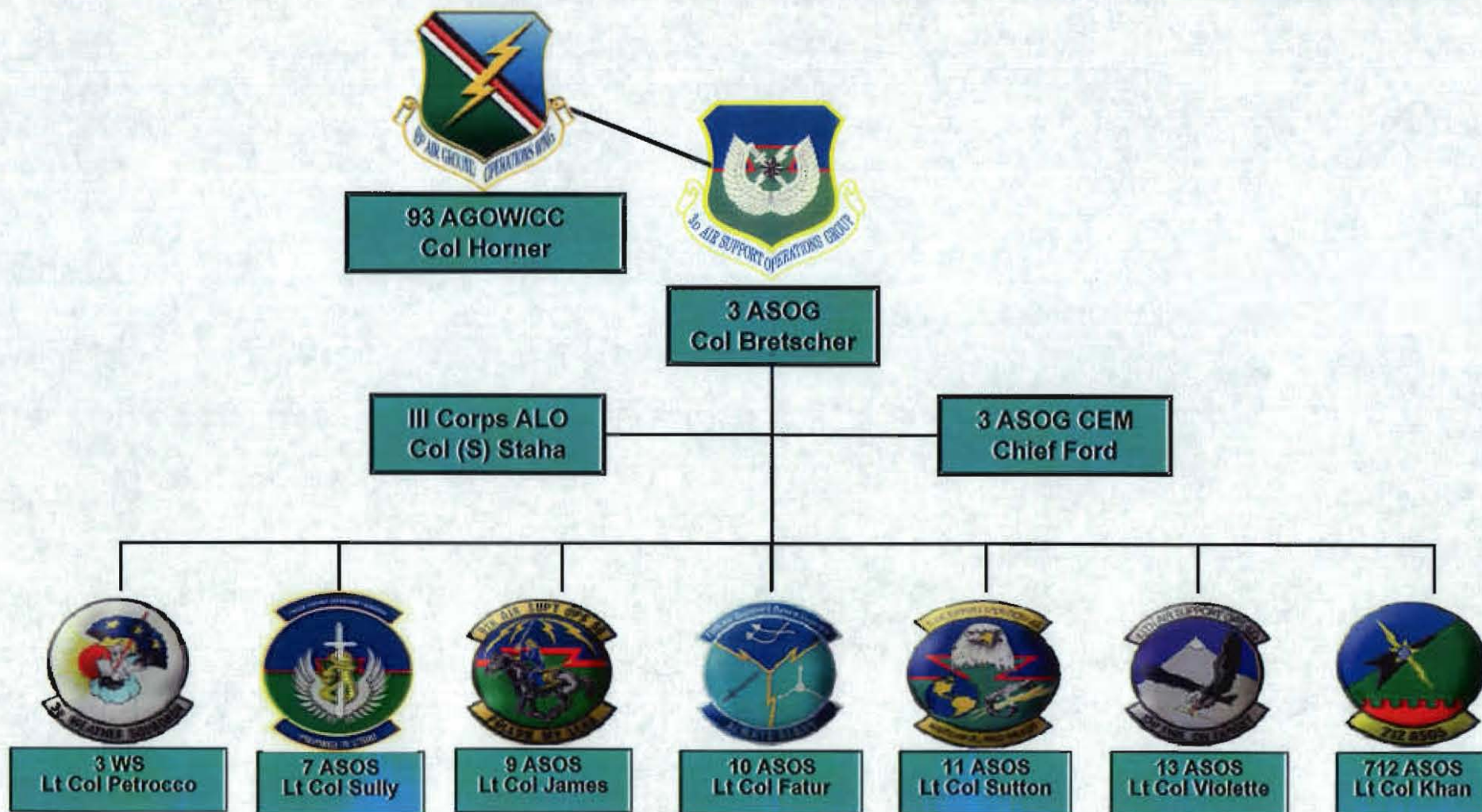


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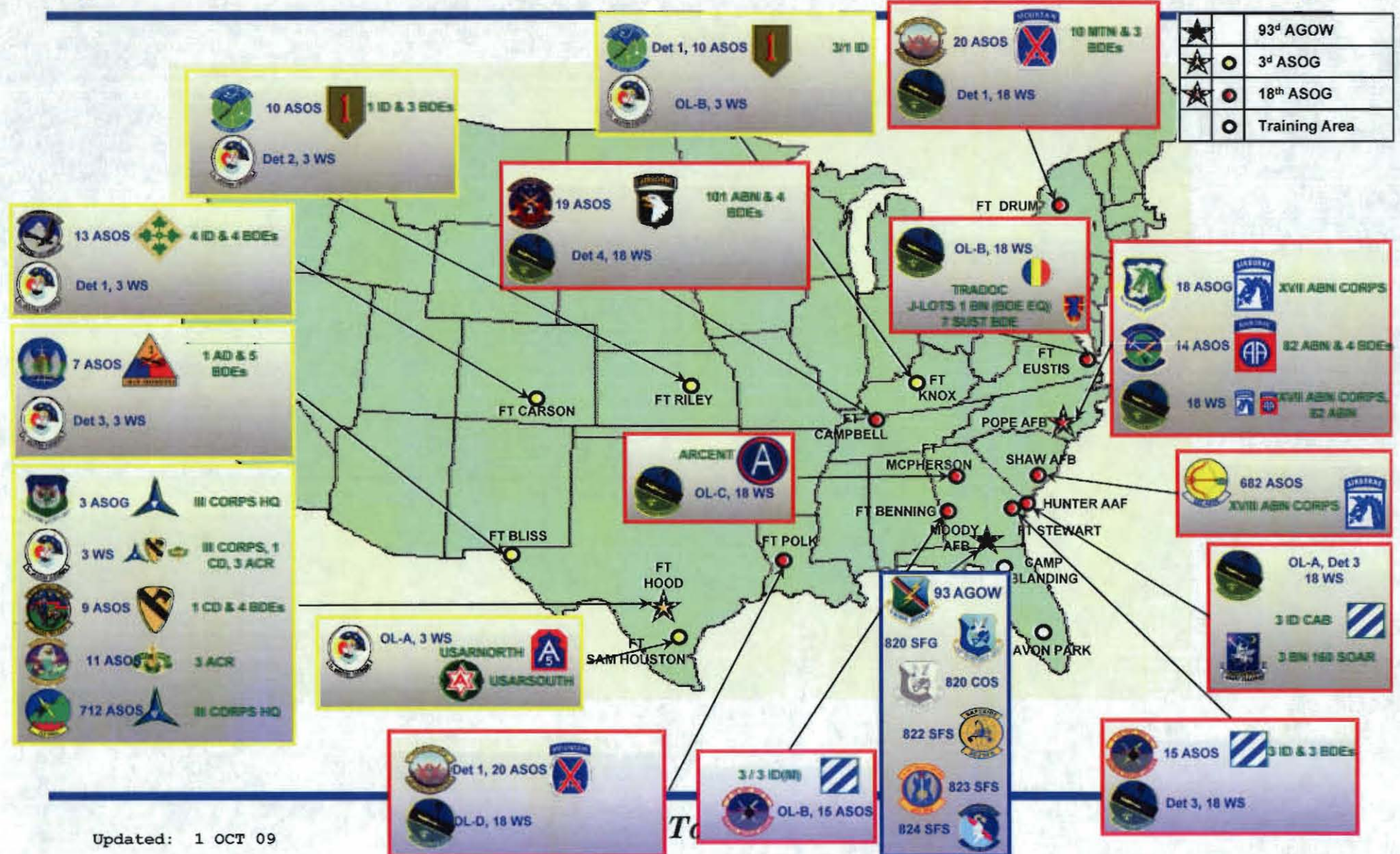


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# 93D AIR GROUND OPERATIONS WING UNIT LOCATIONS



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# 3 AIR SUPPORT OPERATIONS GROUP UNIT LOCATIONS



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# 3 ASOG Units

## 3 ASOG, Ft Hood, TX



Aligned Army Unit: III Corps  
Deployments: OIF x 3  
Next Deployment: Feb 10

CC: Col Bretscher  
ALO: Col (S) Staha  
CEM: (C)MSgt O'Neill

Total Authorized/Assigned -- 771/565 (74%)  
Officers Authorized/Assigned -- 116/86  
Enlisted Authorized/Assigned -- 655/479  
SrNCOs Authorized/Assigned -- 73/53



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# 3 ASOG Units

## 3 WS, Ft Hood, TX



Aligned Army Unit: III Corps, 1CD, 3 ACR  
Deployments: Continuous OIF since 2003

**Detachments:**

- |                   |        |
|-------------------|--------|
| Det-1 – Ft Carson | (4 ID) |
| Det-2 – Ft Riley  | (1 ID) |
| Det-3 – Ft Bliss  | (1 AD) |



CC: Lt Col Petrocco  
Supt: SMSgt Briggs  
Total Authorized/Assigned: 135/98 (73%)

**Highlights**

- Heavily Deployed – 26%
- Battlefield Airman Training
- Facility Upgrades Required



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# 3 ASOG Units



## 7 ASOS, Ft Bliss, TX



Aligned Army Unit: 4/1 AD

Deployments: OIF

CC: Lt Col Sully

Supt: SMSgt Hopson

CMSgt Cross (Nov 09)

Total Authorized/Assigned: 99/35 (35%)

### Highlights

- 1 AD arrival
- 5 vice 4 BCTs plus Div HQ - will be largest ASOS



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## 3 ASOG Units

### 9 ASOS, West Ft Hood, TX



Aligned Army Unit: 1 CD  
Deployments: OIFx4

CC: Lt Col James  
Supt: SMSgt Ramos  
Total Authorized/Assigned: 150/101 (67%)

#### Highlights

- Awarded \$10.8 MILCON in Sep 09
- Ground breaking Nov 09



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# 3 ASOG Units



## 10 ASOS, Ft Riley, KS



Aligned Army Units: 1 ID  
Deployments: OIF



CC: Lt Col Fatur  
Supt: MSgt Blackman  
ALO: Lt Col Hamilton  
Total Authorized/Assigned: 117/88 (75%)  
Det 1, Ft Knox, KY  
CC: Maj Burke

### Highlights

- New Facilities –
  - 12 Nov 09 Ft Riley Move-in
- Det 1 stand up – New Facility



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# 3 ASOG Units

## 11 ASOS, Ft Hood, TX



Aligned Army Unit: 3 ACR  
Deployments: OIFx3



CC: Lt Col Sutton  
Supt: MSgt Ivey  
Total Authorized/Assigned: 35/48 (137%)

### Highlights

- Transitioned from 4 ID to 3 ACR
- Reduced in size - 35 authorized
- Needs parking facility upgrade



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# 3 ASOG Units



## 13 ASOS, Ft Carson, CO



Aligned Army Units: 4ID  
Deployments: OIFx3



CC: Lt Col Violette  
Supt: CMSgt Czop  
ALO: Lt Col Denny (Sep 09)  
Total Authorized/Assigned: 137/104 (76%)

### Highlights

- 4 ID move to Carson
- New facility – 25 Nov 09 Move-in



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# 3 ASOG Units

## 712 ASOS, Ft Hood, TX



Aligned Army Unit: III Corps  
Deployments: OEFx2, OIFx3



CC: Lt Col Khan  
Supt: CMSgt Davis

Total Authorized/Assigned: 110/93 (84.5%)

### Highlights

- ASOC Gateway (Digital CAS)
- Deployed to AFG @ ISAF HQ
- OIF Preparation w/ III Corps



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# *9th Air Support Operations Squadron*

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## **Unit Mission Statement & Priorities**

Lt Col Larry "Cowboy" James  
9 ASOS/CC

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# 9th Air Support Operations Squadron

The 9th Air Support Operations Squadron, Fort Hood, Texas. Comprising 150 personnel, the squadron is aligned to the 1st Cavalry Division, and provides Tactical Air Control Party support to the Division.

**Aligned Army Unit: 1 CD**

**Deployments: OIFx4**

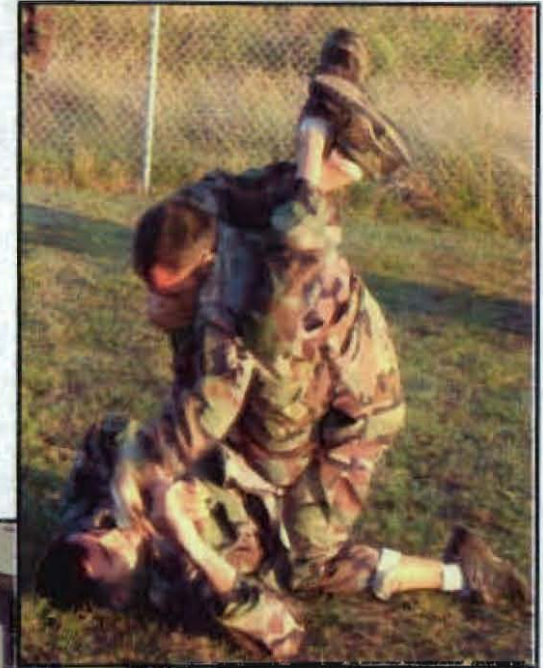


**CC: Lt Col James**

**Supt: SMSgt Grandalski**

## **Highlights**

- Awarded \$10.8 MILCON in Sep 09
- Ground breaking Nov 09







# Mission

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- The 9<sup>th</sup> Air Support Operations Squadron (9 ASOS) will train, man, and equip Airmen, and be prepared to present mission ready forces to an air component commander, or task force commander, in support of world-wide contingency operations. These forces will be capable of sustaining full-spectrum operations as an autonomous expeditionary air support operations squadron (i.e. the 9 EASOS) and/or modular Tactical Air Control Teams responsible for integrating, planning, and directing execution of joint and coalition air- and space-power in support of **the designated ground commander's scheme of maneuver. The 9 (E)ASOS will** maintain core Air Force squadron functionality in garrison or deployed to address personnel, logistics, and vehicle/radio maintenance related issues of assigned and attached forces. The 9 ASOS has a habitual relationship with the 1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry Division (1CD). It will advise the 1CD commanding general and senior staff on air- and space-power doctrine, as well as the full-spectrum of capabilities resident in the air component, while simultaneously integrating, planning, and directing execution of joint/coalition air- and space-power in support of the joint/coalition campaign plan.





# Priorities

## 1. Functional USAF SQ

Task: Maintain functional administrative and operational SQ programs

Purpose: Sustains training, manning and equipping of all assigned Airmen

## 2. Core Mission

Task: Prepare ALL assigned Airmen to conduct combat/contingency mission

Purpose: Every Airman must be competent and able to effectively execute his/her assigned duties, enabling the squadron to bring effective combat power to the fight

## 3. The Airman

Task: Develop solid professional junior Enlisted, NCO, SNCO, and Officer Corps, who are ready to execute combat/contingency taskings

Purpose: Broaden knowledge and experience of every Airman to intellectually and physically stimulate the whole person; motivate and better prepare them to lead and manage squadron programs and personnel; insure they are competent to execute current combat mission and be prepared to seek, recognize, and take advantage of emerging/evolving opportunities; and finally, improve quality of life thru professional military development and other educational endeavors, as well as improved facilities and equipment

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# ***11th Air Support Operations Squadron***

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## **Unit Mission Statement & Priorities**

Lt Col Richard Sutton  
11 ASOS/CC

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# 11 Air Support Operations Squadron

11th Air Support Operations Squadron (Air Combat Command), Fort Hood, Texas. Comprising 35 personnel, the squadron is aligned to the 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment, and provides Tactical Air Control Party support to the Regiment.

**Aligned Army Unit: 3 ACR**

**Deployments: OIFx3**

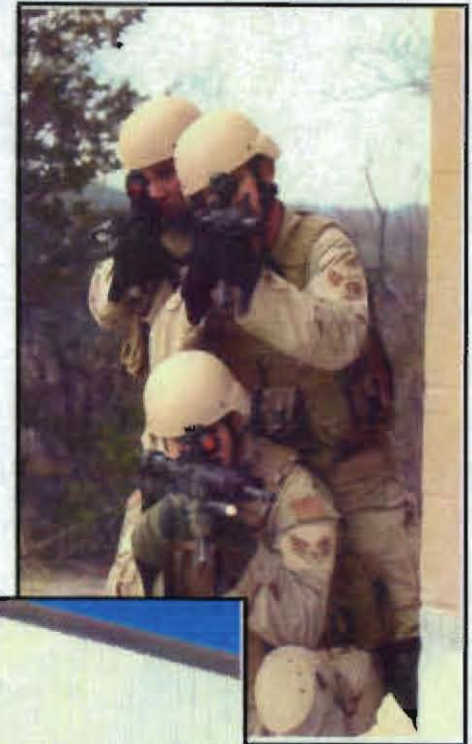


**CC: Lt Col Sutton**

**Supt: MSgt Ivey**

## **Highlights**

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# Mission Statement

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# ***13th Air Support Operations Squadron***

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## **Unit Mission Statement & Priorities**

Lt Col Deanna Violette  
13 ASOS/CC

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# 13 Air Support Operations Squadron

13th Air Support Operations Squadron (Air Combat Command), Fort Carson, Colorado. Comprising 143 personnel, the squadron is aligned to the 4<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, and provides Tactical Air Control Party support to the Division.

**Aligned Army Units: 4ID**

**Deployments: OIFx3**



**CC: Lt Col Violette**

**Supt: CMSgt Czop**

## **Highlights**

- 4 ID move to Carson
- New facility – 25 Nov 09 Move-in



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# Mission Statement

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