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We will go over the ROEs at the beginning of the training; until then, enjoy the tunes!

Headquarters U.S. Air Force

Integrity - Service - Excellence

Headquarters Individual Reservist Readiness and Integration Organization

What the Supervisor of an Air Force IMA or PIRR Needs to Know



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HQ RIO Readiness & Training



- **Microsoft Teams (CVR) Live Event**
- **Video and Audio are one-direction only**
- **The Q&A chat**
 - **PLEASE WAIT and post questions at the end** – we promise to answer them!
 - Q&A is moderated
 - Replies may only be visible to the person who asked
 - Some will be posted for everyone to see
 - Stay in the training lane
- **Recording is available after training is over**
 - At the same link used to attend
- **Q&A report pulled by HQ RIO after training**



- **HQ RIO is at ARPC, Buckley AFB, Colo.**
- **The Talking Head – Lt Col Erin Karl, HQ RIO PAO ... and an IMA!**
- **The Moderator Team**
 - **HQ RIO Staff**
 - **Det Commanders/Superintendents/Staff**



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Agenda

- **What Does an IMA do for YOU!**
- **Roles & Responsibilities**
- **Duty of the IR**
- **Career of the IR**
- **Stay Connected**
- **HQ RIO/The Organization/The Detachment**



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An Individual Reservist -- Why Do I Want One?

- Your military member – you have full OPCON for them
- You determine all work you want them to accomplish – keep them gainfully employed
- Hold them accountable for making it easy for you to be their supervisor
- Can be a tremendous asset to your organization with specialized skills
- You work together to determine the best time for them to work; great for exercises, filling in during personnel absences (leave, deployments), working special projects
- Can work for you in the office or via telecommuting
- You're the supervisor and have complete control
 - IRs want and need valuable work to do

What Kind of Individual Reservist (IR) Do I Have?

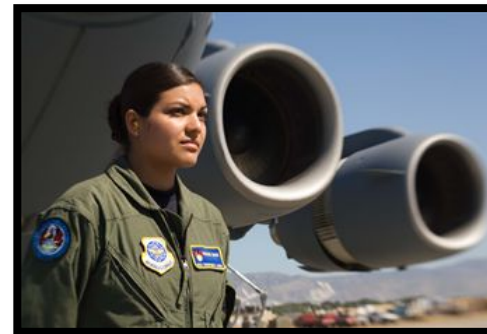
Most Are IMA (CAT B)

- Always paid for their duty
- Assigned to an Active Component, unit, wing, MAJCOM, COCOM, HQ
- Must earn 50 points per R/R year
- Annual Tours (AT) and Inactive Duty Training (IDT) required for satisfactory FY participation
 - 24 or 48 IDTs
 - 12 - 14 Day Annual Tour



PIRR (CAT E)

- Some duty done for points only
- Not assigned to a position on a UMD (attached to a unit) and not counted against reserve end strength
- Must earn 50 points per R/R year. The 50 points may be paid (MPA, limited school tour, etc.) or unpaid (IDT)





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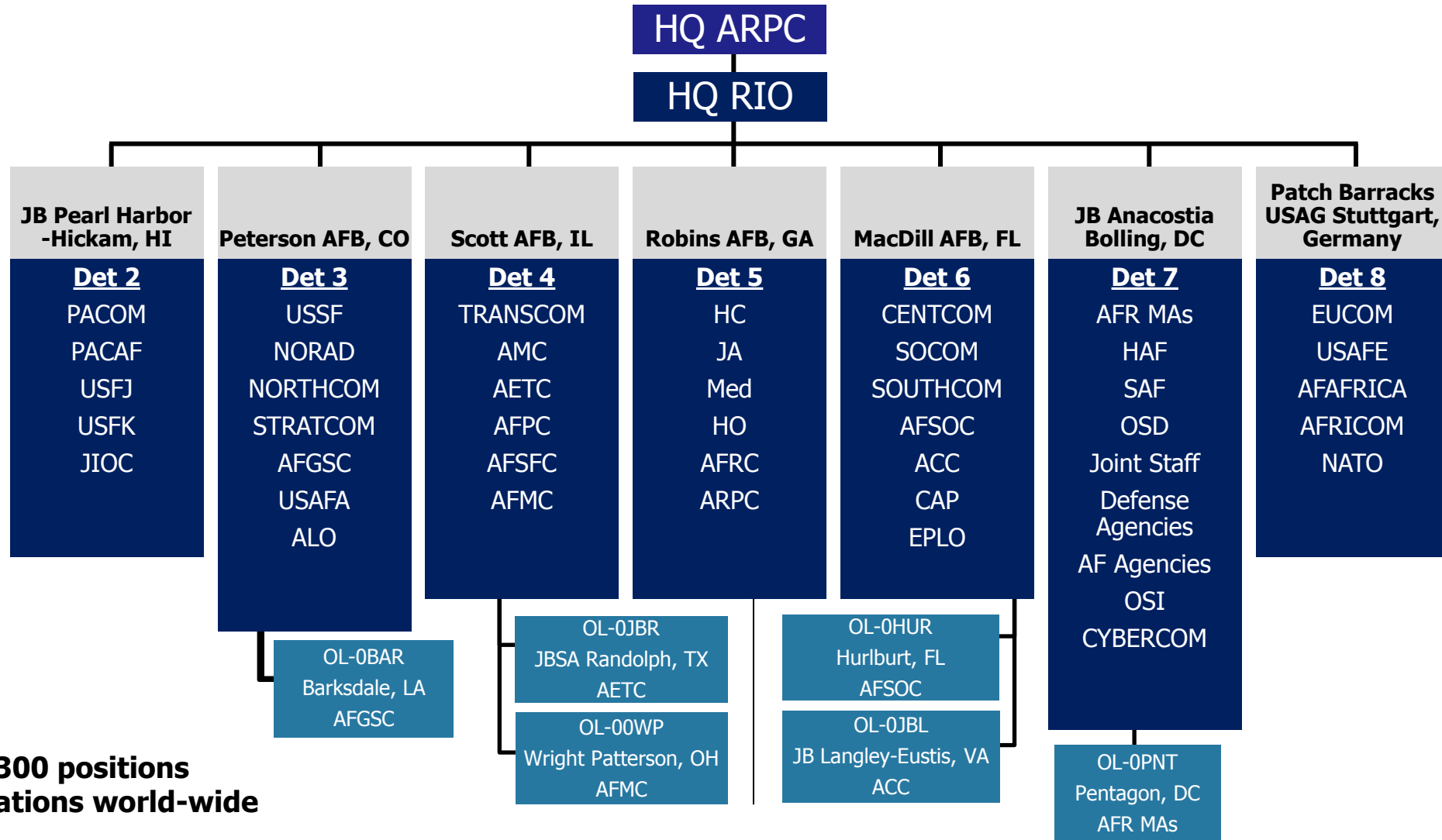
Down to the Basics

- You need access to these systems to schedule work and pay your IR
 - UTAPS
 - AROWS-R
- Get your IR's contact information and give them yours
- Do initial feedback with your IR right away
- Know who does what for you and your IR
 - Unit Reserve Coordinator (in your active duty unit)
 - Active duty CSS and FSS
 - IR's Detachment
 - HQ RIO
 - ARPC



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Detachment & Operating Locations



Over 8,300 positions
208 locations world-wide



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Individual Reservist (IR) Management

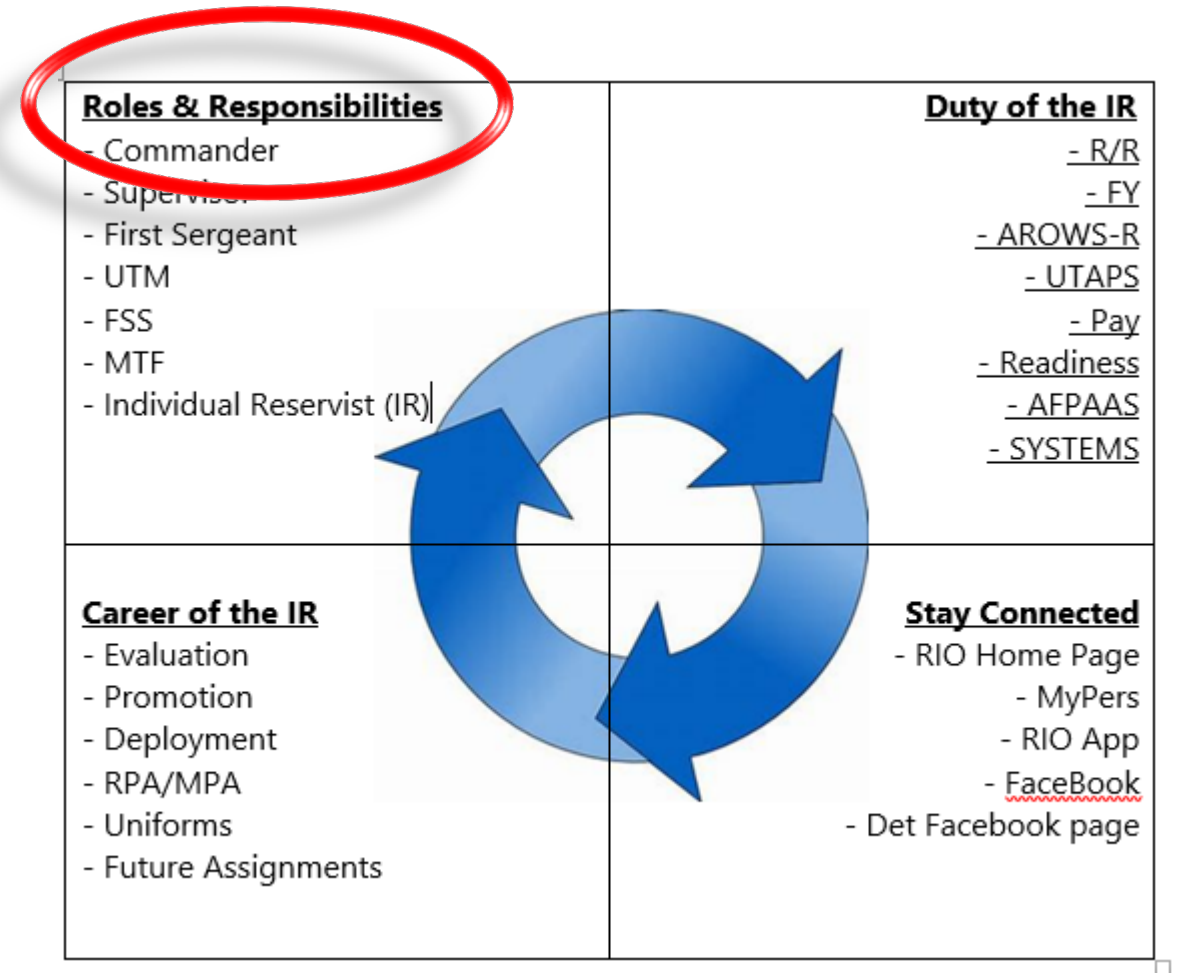
You have OPCON and shared ADCON

Your Unit Reserve Coordinator (URC) helps you with reserve-specific administrative functions

Your RegAF FSS helps with personnel functions

HQ RIO & assigned Detachment helps with administrative functions

ARPC helps with some reserve-specific functions





- **Unit Reserve Coordinator (URC)**: URCs are active-duty Airmen appointed by their commanders to serve as a liaison between the IR, the RIO Detachment and the active-duty unit.
- **Commanders/Directors**: Administrative control over IR.
- **Supervisor**: Ensures IR is trained and always ready for mobilization or accomplishing your unit's mission; responsible for day-to-day operations



Active Component Key Roles



OPCON vs. ADCON

- Owning unit has OPCON of the IR force and most admin functions
 - Mission execution, security, fitness, medical, training
 - MPA, participation, evals, PRFs, FSS actions, DEERS, GTC, etc.
- HQ RIO has concurrent ADCON
 - Orders, readiness **reporting**, retirements, assignments
 - IMA end-strength, funding, formal schools, ETS, etc.



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Active Duty Commander/Director

AFI 36-2629, 2.27, The Commander/Director

- Administrative control of:
 - Performance reports, PRFs, and decorations
 - Quality force actions, including discipline
 - Line of Duty determinations
 - Assignment actions
 - Reenlistment recommendations
 - Training, equipping, and supplying reservists for possible deployment



AFI 36-2629, 2.32, The Supervisor

- Use the IR to accomplish your mission; keep them trained to do that!
- Work with the IR to establish a yearly schedule of duty
- Use UTAPSWeb with IR to schedule, approve, and pay for duty
 - FY 21 IDT schedule needs your approval NLT 15 Aug 2020
- Arrange for training and school attendance (reserve quota)
- Performance Reports, PRFs (officers), *awards and decorations*
- Readiness requirements
- Ensure the IR is trained and ready for possible mobilization
- Approve any possible telecommuting options

The same requirements for decs for AD apply for IRs too!



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Unit Reserve Coordinator

AFI 36-2629, 2.29, The URC

- Be designated in writing by the commander/director
- Ensures IRs and their supervisors are aware of their responsibilities
- Distribute Common Access Card readers to IRs as necessary
- Assist with scheduling fitness assessments, ancillary training and other required appointments
- Inform IRs of current unit events, policy changes, information updates, etc...
- **NOTE:** Medical, JAG, and chaplains don't have a URC
 - The functional managers and their teams at AFRC assist with admin functions



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First Sergeant/Unit Training Manager/MTF

AFI 36-2629, 2.28, The First Sergeant

AFI 36-2629, 2.31, The Unit Training Manager

AFI 36-2629, 2.26, Medical Treatment Facility MTF

- These positions provide the same support to your IRs as they would any active duty member of your unit
- Keep this AFI handy in the event you need to help your IR get services they needs
- Medical: The active duty MTF has to complete the IRs annual PHA, dental, immunization requirements just like your active duty people. IRs often have trouble because active duty MTFs turn them away, but they cannot when the IR is in a duty status.
- Medical: If your IMA needs assistance with line of duty determinations, incapacitation pay, deployment waivers, non-emergent surgery requests, or medical review, please have them contact the HQ RIO/IRM office at DSN: 847-3077 or commercial: (720) 847-3077.



AFI 36-2629, 2.25, The Active Component Military Personnel Support

- Provide base-level support
- Provide personnel products to include: unit personnel management rosters, EPRs/OPRs notifications, officer upgrade suspense, officer and enlisted training rosters and enlisted formal school board notices
- Administer officer and enlisted evaluation systems, officer promotion recommendation forms for the commander
- Advise and assist commanders in the submission of awards and decorations
- **Stay in contact with your active duty FSS so they don't forget to run MELs, performance report shells, etc for your IRs...keep it on their radar!



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FSS always refer to...

myPers

Show answers for... Resources for FSS Active Duty MPF

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FS

Force Support Squadron (FSS) Organization, Execution, and Responsibilities Personnel Services Delivery Guide

ACTIVE DUTY AF AIR RESERVE AIR NATIONAL GUARD RETIREE CIVILIAN

22 Apr 20
Version 3

**FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON (FSS)
EXECUTION, ORGANIZATION, AND
RESPONSIBILITIES**

Personnel Services Delivery Guide (PSDG)

The purpose of this PSDG is to provide Regular Air Force (RegAF) FSS commanders a procedural source for the sustainment of "military personnel" programs and procedures within the FSS.

Table 1. Customer Support Section, Military Personnel Flight Functional Responsibilities.

ITEM	Responsibilities	Primary Directive
1	Update incoming allocation briefs for units without a CSS.	Base In-processing PSDG
2	Perform in-processing actions for units without a CSS.	AFI 36-2102; Accession PSDG
3	Update accession data for units without a CSS.	AFMAN 65-116, Vol 1; AFMAN 36-2032; AFI 36-2102; AFPD 36-20; AFMAN 36-2604
	Direct the Line of Duty (LOD) determination to require	Base In-processing PSDG



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Your IR Must...

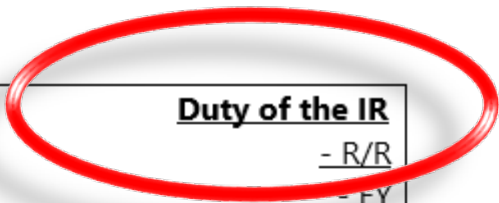
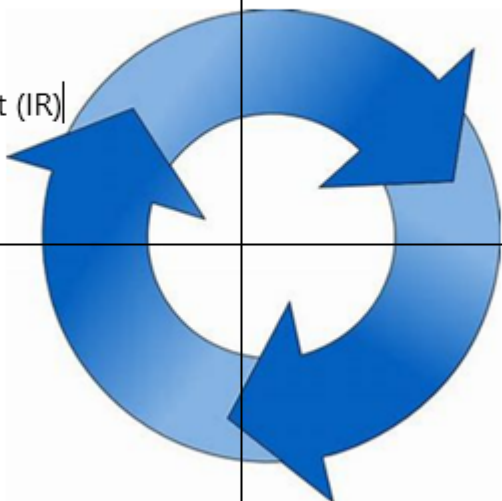
AFI 36-2629, 2.33, Individual Reservist

- Work with you to schedule their duty when it works for YOU and them
- Help educate YOU on the systems you need access to
- Comply with readiness requirements
- Complete fitness assessments on time
- Maintain family care plan (if required)
- Keep mailing address, marital status, number of dependents, civilian education, and any physical condition up-to-date with the detachment and active military service; includes .mil and personal emails!
- Complete annual PHA and dental exams to include follow-ups



Your IR has to Work for You in a Duty/Participation Status

<p>Roles & Responsibilities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Commander - Supervisor - First Sergeant - UTM - FSS - MTF - Individual Reservist (IR) 	<p>Duty of the IR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - R/R - FY - AROWS-R - UTAPS - Pay - Readiness - AFPAAS - SYSTEMS
<p>Career of the IR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evaluation - Promotion - Deployment - RPA/MPA - Uniforms - Future Assignments 	<p>Stay Connected</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RIO Home Page - MyPers - RIO App - FaceBook - Det Facebook page



Two Types of Participation Requirements:

Retention/Retirement (R/R)

&

Fiscal Year (FY)

Duty Status = IDT, AT, MPA, RPA



What is a R/R Year?

- A R/R year is the 12 consecutive months in which an IMA member is required to accrue a minimum of 50 retirement points (including membership points) for a satisfactory year of service.
- 50 points = one “Good Year” for retirement
- Each IR’s R/R is different
- Date is in vMPF, but the IR must know this date!





- By Law, there is no way to excuse or make-up points once R/R closes out
- *The R/R training requirement was established by Title 10 U.S.C. 12642, 12732, 10147, and 8360 (d). These cite all references to a 50-point minimum requirement within a calendar year for awarding a good retirement year.*





FY IMA Participation Requirements

- Only applies to IMAs -- PIRR don't have an FY requirement
- There are two general categories of IMA Reserve jobs and that category determines how many days they have to work for you
 - The member, the URC, the FSS and the Detachment can tell you which one your IMA is!
- MC (mission critical) or ME (mission essential)

*There are other codes as well,
but this gives you an idea of the
difference ...*

MC

24 IDT periods/12 AT days

IDTs & AT funded by AFRC

ME

48 IDT periods/12 AT days

IDTs & AT funded by AFRC



Fiscal Year (FY) Requirements

FY participation requirements are mandatory for IRs to remain active in the billet they occupy

Important Dates

- IRs must project their FY schedule **NLT Aug 15** (prior to each upcoming FY)
 - That's their IDT and AT
- All Annual Tour (AT) orders must be submitted **by 31 May**
(Orders requests submitted after 1 June must include justification/explanation for the late request for approval from HQ RIO)
- AT orders will be **published by 30 June** by HQ RIO
- Fiscal Year (FY) = Oct – 30 Sep



How to Meet FY Requirements?

- Annual Training (AT) is a minimum of 12 days (max 15 days) used for individual and/unit readiness and training
 - IMAs earn one active duty point for each day in AT status (on an AT order)
 - Inactive Duty Training (IDT) is a minimum 4-hour period of duty, training, or instruction
 - 4-hour period of training = 1 point (half day)
 - 8-hour period of training = 2 points (full day)
 - Maximum 130 points per year (paid/non-paid IDTs)
 - Unsatisfactory Participation
 - A failure to meet FY participation requirements could result in unsatisfactory participation and administrative discharge unless there is an approved participation waiver on file
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- Have your IMA review their points
 - Point Credit Summary (PCARS) is found in vMPF
 - The most recent R/R line will be present approximately 60 days after the last day of their R/R year in vMPF
- What if there is an error?
 - Have the member upload supporting documents (i.e. previous year AF Form 526, AF Form 40A, LES and for ECI points, volume completion certificate that includes the completion date, course number, volume number and course study hours) via myPers
- The IR's URC can help with this and teach the IR about their R/R year, FY and participation requirements...**CALL THE DET!**



Annual Tour = AROWS-R – You Have to Take Action

- Once your IMA and YOU agree to the days they will perform their Annual Tour, they will submit their orders request and the orders will be created in the Air Force Reserve Orders Writing System – Reserve (AROWS-R)
- When the orders are submitted for creation, you, the supervisor, will receive a notification, but there will be no action required on your part unless you disagree with the dates – contact the IR if that's the case
- After the IR works their tour, they will use AROWS-R to certify their orders. You will receive an email notification and will need to certify the orders for the IR to get paid
- Occasionally manual certification of the orders will be necessary

**Air Force Reserve Orders
Writing System (AROWS-R)**



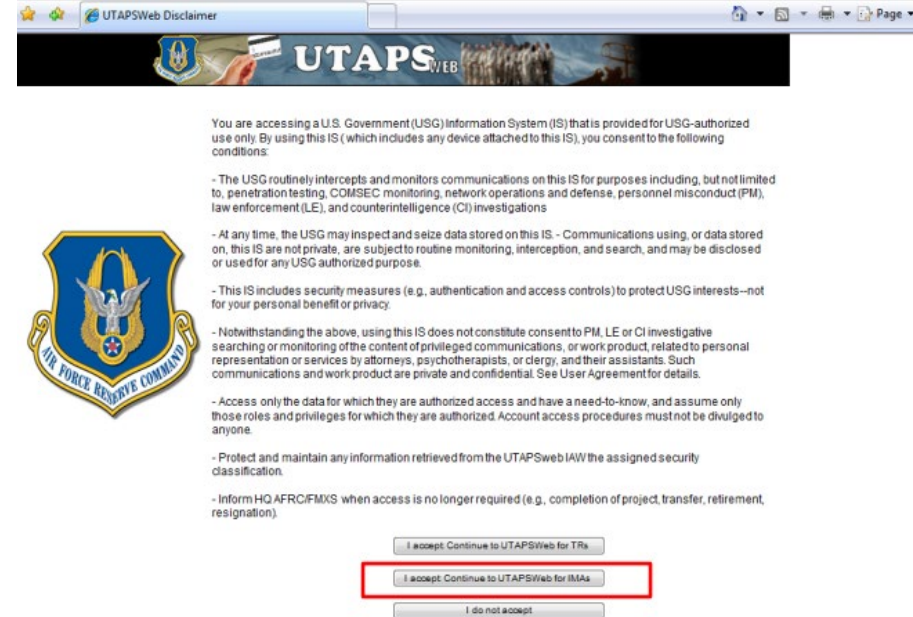
Need AROWS-R technical support?

- Help Desk Information
 - Hours: 0700-1700 EST, Monday-Friday excluding Federal Holidays
 - Phone (Toll Free): 1-877-294-5822 / DSN: 497-0166
 - Email: AFRCFM.AROWSR@US.AF.MIL
- Best in Internet Explorer or Mozilla Firefox



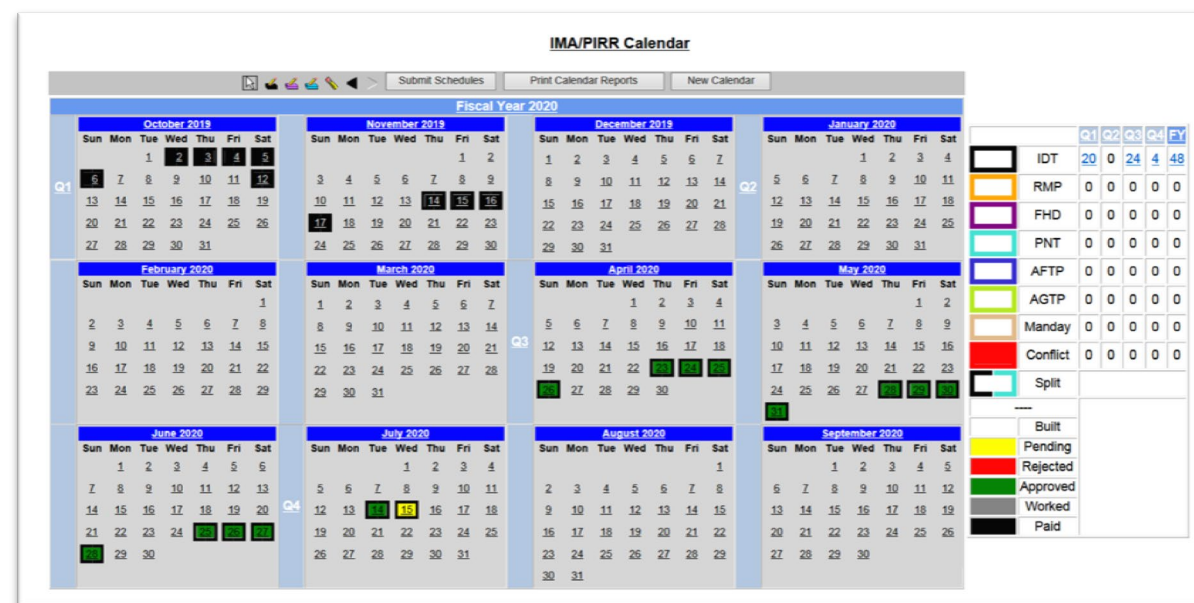
IDTs = UTAPS – You Have to Take Action

- Unit Training Assembly Processing System (UTAPS) Web
- The primary purpose of UTAPSweb for IRs is to schedule, verify and manage pay and/or points for current Fiscal Year (FY) attendance for Inactive Duty Training (IDT) or Points Only IDTs (PNT)
- Your IR is dependent on you as the supervisor to perform necessary actions in UTAPS so they can get paid





- IMAs must submit all 24 or 48 periods into the UTAPS calendar at once
- Days may be moved later or assign days as a “placeholder” if unknown
- Days will be yellow when you receive it from your IMA, this means they are pending your review
- Days will be green once you have approved them (you can reject/disapprove)
- Days marked as gray means that your IMA worked that specific day and is awaiting your approval
- Days will become black once you have validated your IMA has performed duty for that day



If you don't mark them **BLACK**, your IMA won't receive pay for those days.

<https://utapsweb.afrc.af.mil/utapsweb/>



Need help with UTAPS?

Roles:
IMA/PIRR Supervisor

UTAPSweb Center

- Message Center
- Calendar
 - Daily View
 - Weekly View
 - Monthly View
 - Quarterly View
 - Yearly View

Help Menu:

- IMA/PIRR Tutorials
- IMA/PIRR Help
- Contact Helpdesk
- About UTAPSweb
- IMA Quick Start Guide
- UTAPS for IMA Known Issues

Red Text Notices:

- Due to the current restrictions put in effect to limit the spread of the COVID-19, the AFRC FM IT Help Desk has implemented minimum staffing. These restrictions have impacted the ability to answer incoming telephone calls from members. The best method to contact the help desk is to send an e-mail to afrc.utapsweb@us.af.mil. If calling the help desk is your only option and there is no answer, please leave a voice mail and the team will respond as quickly as possible. Thank you for your understanding.
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- Please be advised that UTAPSweb will be unavailable Wednesday 18 September 2019 from 1800-2000 EST for maintenance. Please disseminate accordingly.
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- Do not contact the UTAPSweb Help Desk for questions concerning roles in the system. All Unit Level role requests must be sent to the Base Focal Point (BFP) for Traditional Reservists. IMAs requiring the RMG User Role should contact their DET Program Office. The Det Program Office and Base Focal Points can contact the UTAPSweb Functional at afrc.fmxo@us.af.mil for assistance with roles. All roles in UTAPSweb require an appointment letter and E2875.
- All role requests must be made through the Wing assigned Base Focal Point (BFP) for Traditional Reservists and the DET Program Office/RIO DET Program Office – Buckley, CO for IMAs requiring the RMG User Role. If the BFP or the DET Program Office cannot assign the role for any reason they will contact the System Functional – Richard Miller at HQ AFRC to assign the role. Please do not

- UTAPS Help Desk contact info
- Member not paid within two weeks of your submission? He or she should submit a myPers ticket



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HQ RIO Travel and Pay Office

IMAs should submit all pay inquires for processing, BAH Recertification, submitting pay documents, RPO requests, leave request, short & long tour request, pay forms or guidance via myPers or by going to the PAY section of the HQ RIO website or in myPers under IR Management.

<http://www.arpc.afrc.af.mil/HQRIO/IMA-RPO.aspx>





HQ RIO Home

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HQ RIO

RCNet Links

New Features and Updates - 12 June 2019

ARCNet Docs

CBTs

ADLS/AFRC Unique CBTs
ANG Training Materials
How to download ARCNet CBTs

RIO

HQ Individual Reservist Readiness & Integration Organization

- My Readiness
- HQ RIO Website
- Directory
- Reserve Pay Office
- IMA Travel
- Defense Travel System
- AROWS-R



HQ RIO is located within HQ Air Reserve Personnel Center, Buckley Air Force Base, Colorado. Its mission is to seamlessly integrate wartime-ready Individual Reserve forces to meet Air Force and Combatant Commander requirements.

HQ RIO is responsible for managing the readiness of the IR force and standardizing the processes associated with getting our IRs to the fight. Seven detachments and eight operating locations at geographically-separated bases around the world assist the headquarters in this mission, providing direct oversight and support to more than 8,000 IR Airmen. The headquarters is

located within the Air Reserve Personnel Center, where synergies are leveraged across the personnel and finance functions.

The IR force is comprised of Air Force Individual Mobilization Augmentees (IMAs) and Participating Individual Ready Reservists (PIRRs). Both IMAs and PIRRs augment active-component missions and are

Leadership



Col Amy J. Boehle
Commander

CMSgt Stacy R. Wilfong

Command Chief



Ready vs. Not Ready

ARCNet Individual Readiness Detail

[Click here for details on interpreting this information](#)

General Info

Name	C (SMS)	Mob Auth
Overall Readiness	Fully Ready	Position #
Duty Title	FIRE PROTECTION SUPERINTENDENT	PAS
Det	Det 4	Office Symbol
Unit	0021 CIVIL ENGINEER SQ	Location
MSD	4/1/2015	DAVA
HYT		DAVL
ETS	6/19/2015	DAVP
		DAVT

Medical Readiness

Overall IMR Status	Fully Ready	DLC Status
Actions Needed		

HRR/PHA

HRR Status	Green	Dental Status
Last PHA Date	01 Nov 2012	Dental Class
HRR Source	PIMR	Dental Date
		Dental Source

Immunization

Immun. Status	Green	Lab Status
Immun. Source	PIMR	Lab Source

Fitness Readiness

Fitness Status	Excellent (Exp-90)
Next Due Date	31 Jan 2013

Security Clearance Readiness

Security Status	Valid/Suff
Date Invest. Compl.	19 Feb 2009
Years Valid	10
SAR of Position	6
Clearance Awarded	SECRET

AFSC Training Readiness

ARCNet Individual Readiness Detail

[Click here for details on interpreting this information](#)

General Info

Name	TH J (SSG)	Mob Auth
Overall Readiness	Not Ready	Position #
Duty Title	COMPANY FIRE OFFICER	PAS
Det	Det 4	Office Symbol
Unit	0021 CIVIL ENGINEER SQ	Location
MSD	8/1/2004	DAVA
HYT		DAVL
ETS	10/22/2015	DAVP
		DAVT

Medical Readiness

Overall IMR Status	Need Attention	DLC Status
Actions Needed		

HRR/PHA

HRR Status	Green	Dental Status
Last PHA Date	15 May 2012	Dental Class
HRR Source	PIMR	Dental Date
		Dental Source

Immunization

Immun. Status	Yellow	Lab Status
Immun. Source	PIMR	Lab Source

Fitness Readiness

Fitness Status	Satisfactory (Exp)
Next Due Date	31 Jan 2012

Security Clearance Readiness

Security Status	Invalid/Expired
Date Invest. Compl.	21 May 2001
Years Valid	10
SAR of Position	6
Clearance Awarded	SECRET

AFSC Training Readiness



Five Readiness Factors

- Annual PHA (to include Immunizations and Lab work)
 - IR completes AF Web HA located on the AF Portal
- Annual Dental
 - Civilian or military dentist (**member must see military dentist every 3rd year**)
 - DD Form 2813 used to document civ provider dental exams then provided to mil dentist
- Fitness
 - IR contacts AD Unit Fitness Program Manager (UFPM) to schedule test
- Security Clearance
 - IR coordinates with AD Unit Security Manager (USM) to initiate reinvestigation
- AFSC Training
 - IR coordinates with Unit Training Manager (UTM) for upgrade training matters





AFPAAS is for IRs Too!

- AFPAAS is utilized by the Air Force to:
 - Account
 - Assess
 - Manage
 - Monitor
- IMAs are responsible to use AFPAAS
- Help remind them when real-world events occur and when necessary





- These systems need to be updated annually by your IR
 - vMPF
 - Home Address
 - Career Data Brief
 - myPers
 - Military e-mail
 - Personal e-mail

AEF INDICATOR	AIR EXPEDITIONARY FORCE (AEF) INFORMATION	DATE ASSIGNED TO THIS AEF
X3	AEF DESCRIPTION/ROTATION PERIOD TEMPO BAND X3 (AD & ARC) 01 APR 2021 - 30 SEP 2021	12 OCT 2018
	INDIVIDUAL DWELL TIME (IDT) INFORMATION	IDT COUNTER
IDT 163 DAYS	IDT EXPIRATION DATE 01 AUG 2009	4108 DAYS

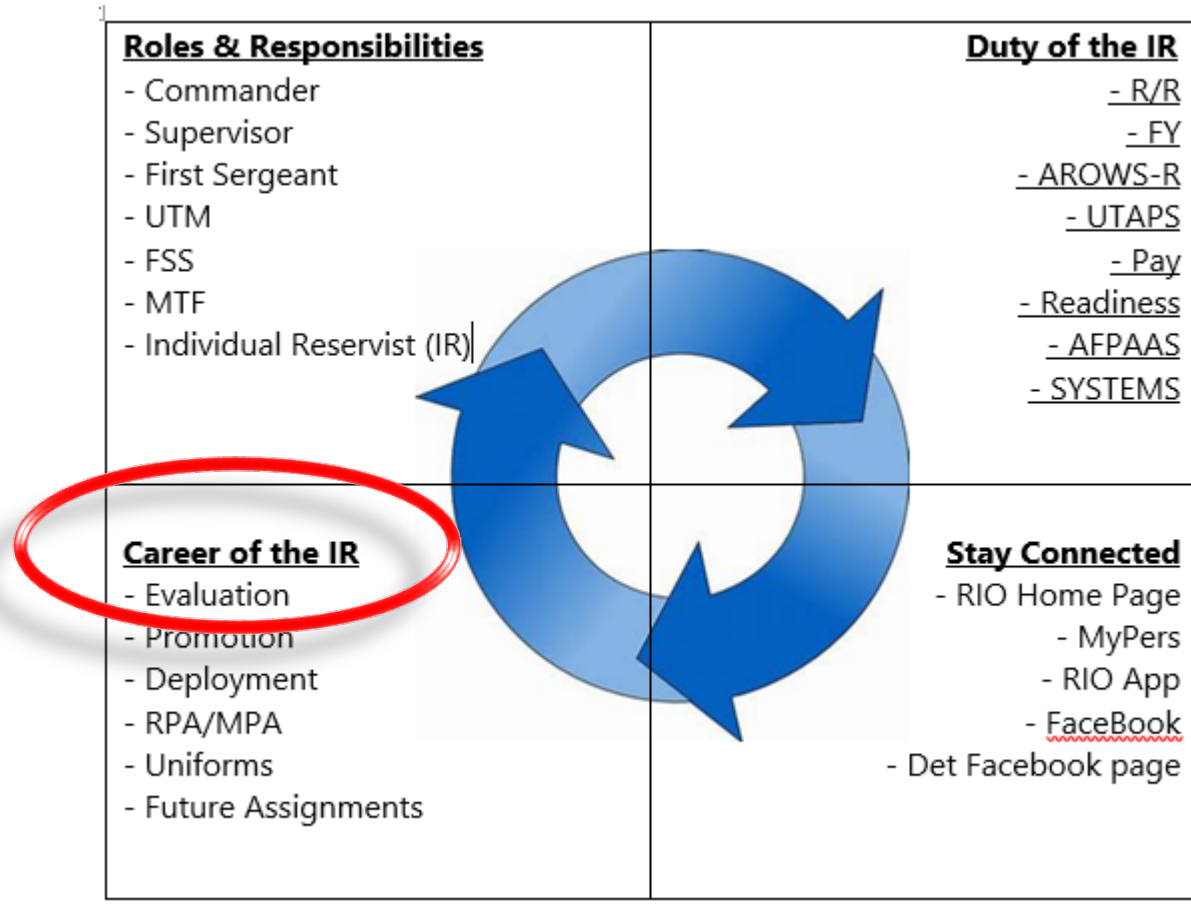
MPF Introduction

Welcome to the Virtual Military Personnel Flight (vMPF). The capabilities scheduled for release during Personnel Service Delivery, Phase 1 are current day-to-day base-level processes that have been redesigned to move from the military personnel section towards more web-based transactions. To the left, under "New Self Service Applications" you will have the capability to initiate self-service applications. For Commander Support Staff, the same availability for new Accessions, Disqualifications, Duty out of CAFSC and Duty Status, Confinements, AWOL, Deserter will only be accessible by the "CSS Actions" located to the center left.

From this page you can access any of the various online personnel applications applicable to you. The links on this page will allow navigation to the application of your choosing.

We urge you to use the secure log off whenever you are finished with the vMPF. Just click the button in the upper right hand corner of any page and you'll be set. Thanks.

An IR's Career is Just as Important as Active Duty





- Must have supervised your IMA for 120 days/16 points

OFFICERS

- Refer to AFI 36-2406, Table 3.3 for when to prepare an OPR on Air Force Reserve Officers
- For questions, contact your CSS, servicing FSS or call the Detachment

ENLISTED

- Enlisted performance reports are due biennially for IMAs.
- Static Close Out Dates are:
 - SrA- 31 March (**Even years**)
 - SSgt – 31 January (**Odd years**)
 - TSgt – 30 November (**Even years**)
 - MSgt – 30 September (**Odd years**)
 - SMSgt – 31 July (**Even years**)
 - CMSgt – 31 May (**Odd years**)



- IR's assigned RegAF Unit is responsible for Officer Performance Reports and Promotion Recommendation Forms IAW AFI 36-2629, 2.27.1.5
- IMAs can be stratified against other IMAs and/or Active Duty members on OPRs
- Stratifications on OPRs and PRFs are important for reservists, just like RegAF – IRs meet promo boards, too!
- Promotion selection notification and non-selection is done through your unit's chain of command, but your CSS and FSS should provide the promotion release to your unit CC
- **NOTE: IRs don't "compete" against the AD officers for DPs on reserve PRFs – no quota**



- You will receive notification from the IR's servicing Detachment of their eligibility to promote
 - Commander will recommend/not recommend
 - Your unit will send that commander-signed roster, along with promotion package contents, back to the Detachment
 - ARPC will publish promotion orders NLT the first of the month for rosters received the prior month
 - Promotion orders will be available in PRDA
 - Promotions are effective on the first day of the promotion month
 - Notification of selection or non-selection is the responsibility of the member's unit commander
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Seeking Deployment Opportunities

- It's rare, but IRs can deploy if an opportunity exists
- If an IR asks you if they can deploy, contact the Det and/or HQ RIO IPR immediately
- IRs must be GREEN on all readiness requirements
- CRITICAL INFORMATION: Your organization (active duty unit) is responsible for all deployment related actions to include:
 - Funding, training, equipping, purchase of uniforms, transportation and ALL UDM support
 - You will be required to sign a Statement of Understanding giving your IR permission to deploy and your understanding of what your unit will be responsible for
- It's ok to tell an IR your unit cannot support the member deploying!
- HQ RIO/IPR facilitates tasking the member in DCAPEs, requesting mandays and initiating all deployment orders
- IRs find deployment opportunities advertised through:
 - Volunteer Reserve System (VRS) – AFSC approved
 - AFRC Functional Area Managers (FAMs)
- O-6 and above deployments require AFRC/CV Approval



Deployment Responsibilities

HQ RIO

Per AFI 36-3802 Attachment 2

- Cuts CED orders for **ALL** IRs
- Initiates AEF tasking in M4S
 - (Exception: Gaining MAJCOMs process M4S for exercise participation)
- Initiates Contingency Orders and AROWS-R (AROWS-R orders are Title 10 orders for IRs to be paid, CED orders are for travel to and from AOR)
- Updates DPDRT (Deployment Discrepancy System)

AD Unit

Per AFI 10-401

- Forecast 2 years in advance for MPA money if considering using IRs for deployments
- Trains
- Equips--uniforms and equipment
- Schedules Pre-deployment training
- Schedules Transportation to AOR
- In and Out-Processing
- Provides reason for DPDRT Discrepancy
- Submits Delayed Report
- Submits the reclama when an IR is unable to fill a requirement after assigned tasking



Statement of Understanding (SOU)

- All Deployment and Exercise requests require members to submit a Statement of Understanding (SOU) through their unit and supporting RIO Det which can be found at <http://www.arpc.afrc.af.mil/HQRIO/IMA-Deployments/>

IR Volunteer Statement of Understanding
AEF, Non-AEF (with ULN) and Exercise (with ULN)

DIRECTIONS:
Part I - Member completes
Part II - UDM/unit completes
Part III - Det/CC completes and emails completed package (SOU) to HQ RIO/IPR at arpc.ior@us.af.mil

IMPORTANT: IRs are not authorized to participate in active flying or flying training while deployed unless a waiver is approved IAW AFI 11-401 table 2.2 (HQ RIO/IR HARM)

PART I - MEMBER INFORMATION

Last _____ First _____ Middle _____ Rank _____ Social Security Number _____

Home Address (Before and During deployment) _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ DSN Work Phone _____

Email address (both personal and work) _____

Attached Unit (where you perform duty) _____ Base and State _____ PAS Code _____

Duty AFSC _____

I am a volunteer to deploy in support of an Active Component requirement. I understand I must meet all IR readiness requirements before volunteering for this deployment, and that it is my responsibility to check my readiness level in ARCNET prior to my HQ RIO Detachment forwarding this request. I further understand that once I am assigned against a ULN for a specific deployment, that I am committed to that tasking. If I am unable to fill this requirement, I must notify my RegAF Commander who will be responsible for filling the tasking or submitting the reclama to AFPC/DPW. I must also notify my Detachment/CC and HQ RIO/IPR Staff. Initials _____

If selected for this deployment, I understand I may use any remaining IDT or annual four days to complete ancillary training requirements associated with deployment. Furthermore, I understand I must depart from and return to my unit of attachment provided above. I understand that I will be afforded 2.5 days downtime for every 30 days deployed up to a maximum of 14 days. I understand this downtime will be taken within the established commuting area of unit of assignment, all in-processing activities will be completed during this time per current AFRC/CV Downtime policy. I understand the 14 days start immediately upon my return to U.S. Leave time is a separate entitlement. I acknowledge upon signing this SOU that I have read and understand Part I and will comply with all pre-deployment training requirements to include ancillary training prior to deployment. Initials _____

ULN DRIVEN EXERCISE (Initial if this is an exercise ULN)
If selected for an ULN driven exercise, I understand I may NOT use any remaining IDTs to participate in the exercise. Furthermore, I understand if I participate in an ULN driven exercise in IDT status I will pay my travel and per diem out of pocket. Unless exercise is at unit of assignment and member is in place, I will be departing from home station or home of residence for this exercise. Initial _____

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IR Signature _____ Date _____

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PART II - UNIT OF ATTACHMENT & COMMANDER'S CERTIFICATION
IMPORTANT: IMAs are not authorized to participate in active flying or flying training while deployed.

AEF (HQ RIO/IPR requests MPA only) Non-AEF w/ULN Exercise w/ULN _____ (Name of exercise)

ULN/Line Number: _____
Location: OCONUS CENTCOM AOR OCONUS CONUS

Status for Exercises only: IDT Annual Tour/RPA MPA M4S Tasking # _____

Pre-Deployment Training Start Date/Location: _____

*Note Please list all training required for the tasking to include the location. All training has to be line remark driven or added as an ILOC.

Supervisor:
I Concur/Non-Concur with this deployment request. (Circle One)

Sign and Print Name, Grade, Unit, DSN _____ Date _____ Supervisor Email Address _____

Unit Deployment Manager (UDM):
I certify this member meets all requirements associated with requested ULN. I understand if the AD unit commander approves the individual to deploy it is my responsibility to train and equip them for deployment IAW AFI 10-401 para 11.18.2.10, AFI 36-2629, and CDR reporting instructions and requirement line remarks. I will request RDD change or delayed reporting if this request is submitted within 30 days of known First Movement to allow 30 days for IR deployment processing. I understand it is the responsibility of my unit to fill the tasking or submit reclama (if originally tasked unit) to AFPC/DPW (AEF requirements only) if the IR member for whatever reason does not fill the AEF deployment. If we are not the originally tasked unit, HQ RIO/IPR will have the tasking sourced back to them for filling or reclama action. I understand HQ RIO/IPR will take all necessary actions within DCAPEs and generate all orders related to this tasking.

Sign and Print Name, Grade, Unit, DSN _____ Date _____ UDM Email Address _____

AD FSS/IPR
I certify IAW AFI 36-3802 Attachment 2: I will in/out process IRs who are deployed for direct or indirect support of a contingency operation. I understand that all IRs CED orders will be cut and processed by HQ RIO/IPR and a copy of the order will be emailed to AD FSS/IPR. Furthermore, I understand I will not for any reason cut CED orders on IR members and once ULN is sourced to 96 TPAS I will have no visibility of tasking in DCAPEs.

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- All IRs must have an AEF Indicator entered into MiLPDS per AFI 10-401
 - All IRs should have an AEFI code assigned in MiLPDS by their assigned unit which should correspond to their unit's AEF vulnerability period. i.e. X1, X2 etc. (Note: IRs assigned to those organization can be tasked only through mobilization or volunteer process)

The screenshot shows the Virtual MPF (Virtual Military Personnel Flight) web portal. A large blue arrow points to the 'AEF INDICATOR' field, which displays 'X3'. Below it, the 'IDT' (Individual Dwell Time) is shown as '163 DAYS'. Other fields include 'AIR EXPEDITIONARY FORCE (AEF) INFORMATION' with 'AEF DESCRIPTION/ROTATION PERIOD' as 'TEMPO BAND X3 (AD & ARC) 01 APR 2021 - 30 SEP 2021', 'DATE ASSIGNED TO THIS AEF' as '12 OCT 2018', 'INDIVIDUAL DWELL TIME (IDT) INFORMATION' with 'IDT EXPIRATION DATE' as '01 AUG 2026', and 'IDT COUNTER' as '4100 DAYS'. The page also features a 'Secure Log Out' button, a 'Help' link, and various system announcements and helpful links.



U.S. AIR FORCE

Yellow Ribbon Program for Mobilized & Deployed IRs

- IRs can participate in pre and post deployment Yellow Ribbon events
 - Typically a 2 day event (Sat – Sun) at centralized locations; can bring dependents & others
- DoDI 1342.28, The Yellow Ribbon Reintegration Program (YRRP) established policy for informational events and activities for members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces, their families, and community members to facilitate access to services supporting their health and well-being through the three phases of deployment.
- YRRP is made up of Four Events
 - Pre-Deployment, Deployment, Two Post-Deployment
 - AFR YR Events are combined Pre- and Post- Deployment Events





The screenshot shows the ARCNet website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the ARCNet logo and several menu items: Home, Participation (highlighted with a red box), Duty Plan, ATMT, Readiness, VRS, Member, Email, and Admin. A user profile for 'joshua.c.mathews [cosmo]' is visible in the top right corner.

Below the navigation bar, there are three main sections: Volunteer, Requisitioner, and Administration. The Volunteer section includes links for Volunteer Opportunities and Applications. The Requisitioner section includes links for Requisitions, Volunteer Skills Search, and Manage Applications. The Administration section includes a link for Unit POC Management.

The main content area is titled 'HQ Individual Reservist Readiness & Integration Organization'. It features a central logo and several text blocks. On the left side of the main content, there is a vertical navigation menu with buttons for: My Readiness, HQ RIO Website, Directory, Reserve Pay Office, IMA Travel, Defense Travel System, AROWS-R, myPers, and FAQs. Below these buttons are social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube.

The central text block contains the following information:

- Location:** HQ RIO is located within HQ Air Reserve Personnel Center, Buckley Air Force Base, Colorado. Its mission is to seamlessly integrate wartime-ready Individual Reserve forces to meet Air Force and Combatant Commander requirements.
- Responsibilities:** HQ RIO is responsible for managing the readiness of the IR force and standardizing the processes associated with getting our IRs to the fight. Seven detachments and eight operating locations at geographically-separated bases around the world assist the headquarters in this mission, providing direct oversight and support to more than 8,000 IR Airmen. The headquarters is located within the Air Reserve Personnel Center, where synergies are leveraged across the personnel and finance functions.
- Force Composition:** The IR force is comprised of Air Force Individual Mobilization Augmentees (IMAs) and Participating Individual Ready Reservists (PIRRs). Both IMAs and PIRRs augment active-component missions and are rated by active-component or government agency supervisors.
- Mission:** Provide, Integrate and Sustain ready Individual Reserve forces globally.
- Vision:** One trusted team making it easy to serve.

At the bottom of the central text block, there is a link: 'Visit your HQ RIO Detachment on the Public Web'. Below this link, it states: 'To determine your servicing HQ RIO Detachment, visit the "My Readiness" link above, select "My Readiness Report" and your detachment number will be listed in the "General Information" section.'

On the right side of the main content area, there is a 'Leadership' section. It features a photo of Col Amy J. Boehle, identified as the Commander. Below her name is the name of the Command Chief, CMSgt Stacy R. Wilfong, and the names of the 'Coming Soon' and 'First Sergeant' positions.

The left sidebar contains several sections:

- New Features and Updates - 12 June 2019**
- ARCNet Docs**
- CBTs**
 - ADLS/AFRC Unique CBTs
 - ANG Training Materials
 - How to download ARCNet CBTs
- HELP**
 - ARCNet Duty Hours Guides
 - Update Readiness
 - What is ARCNet?
 - ARCNet Features
 - ADLS Data Interface
 - Webinar Training Calendar
- TRAINING SLIDES**
 - AFR Ancillary Training
 - Training Details
 - Class Schedule
 - Duty Plan



Uniform replacement for Officers and Enlisted

Please visit: <https://www.arpc.afrc.af.mil/HQ-RIO/Resources/>





OFFICER

- Officer IRs are normally ineligible for uniform replacements. However, if they serve on active duty orders for at least 91 consecutive days, they may be entitled to a clothing allowance every two years.
- **Note:** *Officers must complete 91 days of active duty before submitting request*
- Officer completes AF 1969 and submits request via via myPers

<https://www.arpc.afrc.af.mil/HQ-RIO/Resources/>



ENLISTED

- Enlisted IRs are eligible for uniform replacements for issued items only once every three years, IAW AFI 23-101, *Material Management, AFRC Supplement, under the Fair Wear and Tear (FWT) Replacement*. Requests for uniform replacement are submitted on the AF 656, the order is placed in KYLOC and uniforms are mailed to members ready to wear.
- **Request process:**
 - Airman completes AF Form 656 and IR Uniform Agreement and submits request via myPers (*Navigation: Contact Us -> Email TFSC -> Enlisted (drop-down menu) -> Compensation (drop-down menu) -> In the subject line, enter “Uniform Replacement”*)

Use this website for additional guidance.

<https://www.arpc.afrc.af.mil/HQ-RIO/Resources/>



Future Reserve Assignments

The screenshot displays the AFPC Secure web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Air Force Personnel Center logo and the text 'AFPC Secure'. Below this, there are links for 'CAC and DoD PKI Information', 'Read FAQ', 'Create UserID/Password', and 'Logout'.

The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Welcome, User...:** Displays the user's current AFPC Secure e-mail address as 'JOSHUA.MATHEWS.2@' and a phone number '847-3471'. A button labeled 'Click here to update your information' is present.
- Message Center...:** Contains several informational messages, including:
 - Visit Air Force Personnel Services web site for assistance on all personnel information, applications and programs.
 - Missing applications? Accessing secure applications from a .Mil or .Gov workstation is required for some applications.
 - Civilians in Leave Without Pay (LWOP) status can select the "Contact Us" for assistance in updating current e-mail addresses or resetting passwords.
 - Do you need a Common Access Card (CAC) reader to access AFPC Secure from home? You can download ActivClient from the Air Force Portal Home Page.
 - Protect your information: Don't forget to use the "Logout" tab and close all browser instances after using an application.
 - Secure Applications are intended for Air Force employees only. Do not reproduce or distribute the content without coordination with the information owner and unit public affairs office.
 - Most CAC users don't have access to any web applications with a userid/password. Please delete your
- Available Applications...:** A table listing various applications. A blue arrow points to the 'Reserve Vacancies' application.

Click Here...	Application Title...
ADP	Airmen Development Plan (Having problems connecting directly to ADP? The AF Portal link may resolve the issue. Click HERE)
AFMS II	Air Force Fitness Management System II
AMS	Assignment Management System *Active Duty Personnel Only*
ARMS	Automated Records Management System
EPROM Release	Virtual Enlisted Promotion Release Web
HPERB	Health Professions Education Requirements Board
PASCodes	PAS Code Information Provider
PERSTEMPO	Personnel Quality-Of-Life Measurement Tool
PRDA	Personnel Records Display Application (Having problems connecting directly to PRDA? The AF Portal link may resolve the issue. Click HERE)
RAW	Retrieval Applications Web
Reserve Vacancies	Reserve Vacancy Finder
RMVS	Reserve Management Vacancy System
TEMPO TrackingNET40	TEMPO Management and Tracking System Dot Net 4.0
YMPE	Virtual Military Personnel Flight Suite of Applications
YMPF Contact Center	Virtual Military Personnel Flight Suite of Applications
VPSC RBA	Virtual Personnel Service Center - Role Based Access
- Application List Display Preferences:** Includes options for 'Use Paging' (Yes/No) and '# Items per Page' (set to 10).

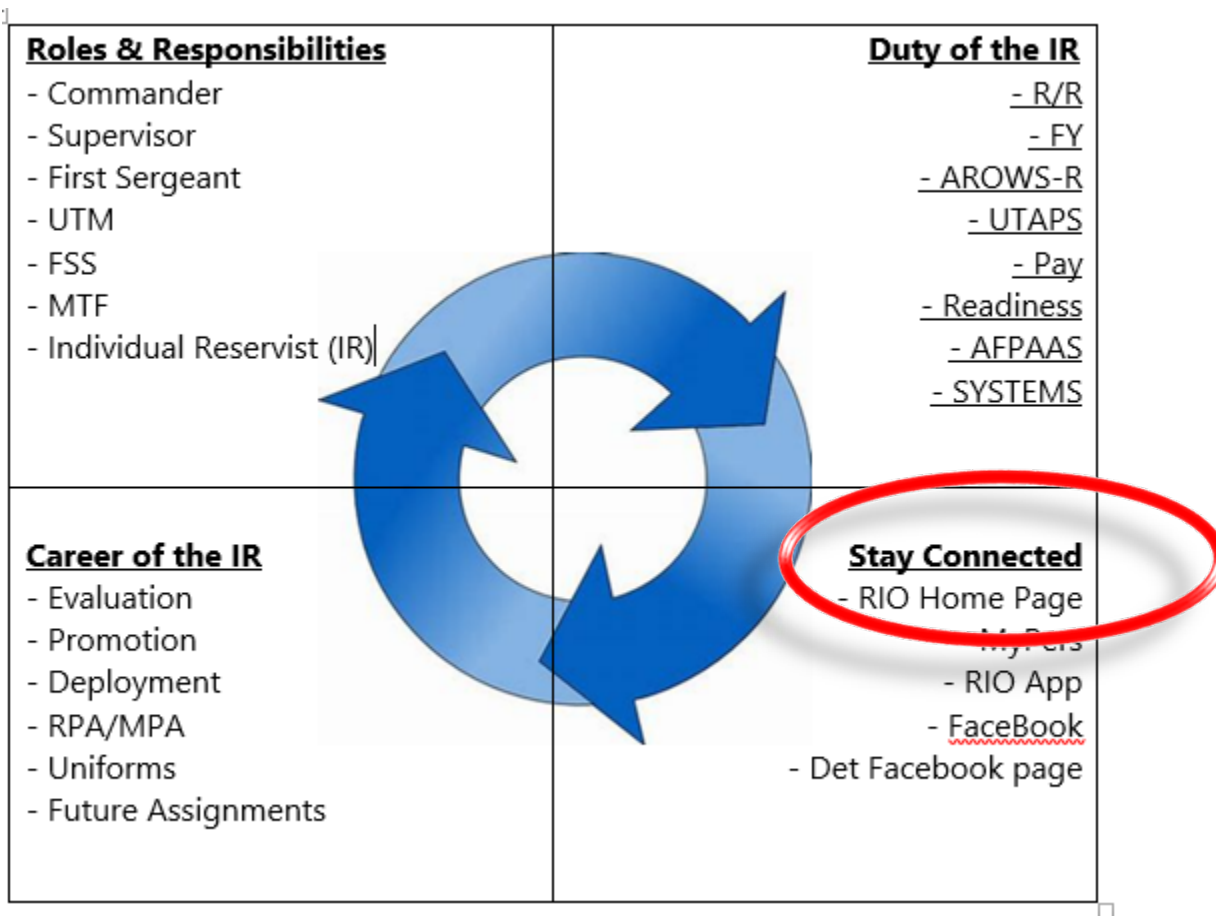


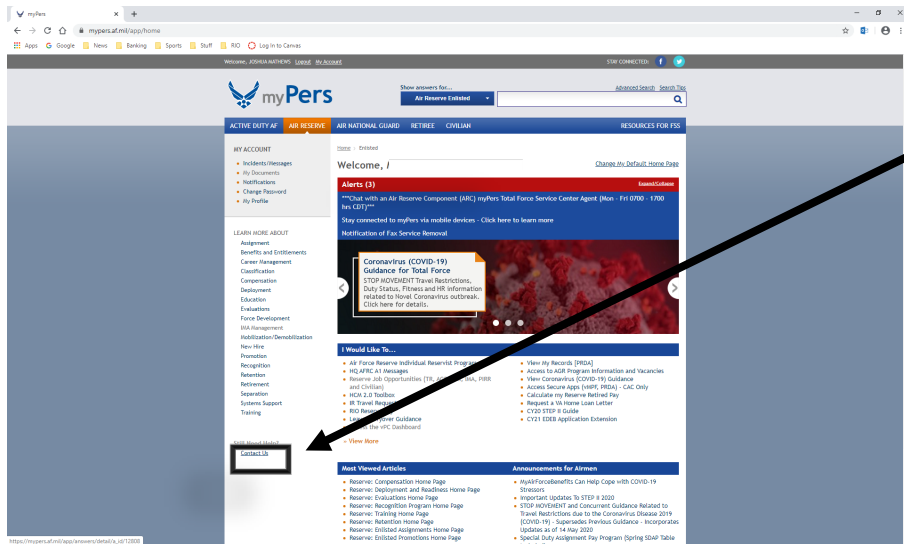
- If I were a supervisor of an IR I would –
 - Know who my URC is and how well they take care of IRs
 - Contact the Detachment and have an indoctrination (see next slide for contact information)
 - Stay in regular communication with my IR
 - Hold my IR to the same standards as my active duty personnel
 - Everyone benefits when IRs have valuable and meaningful work to do
 - Keep AFI 36-2629 IR Management handy
 - Download the RIO Connect App to stay up to date on IR information



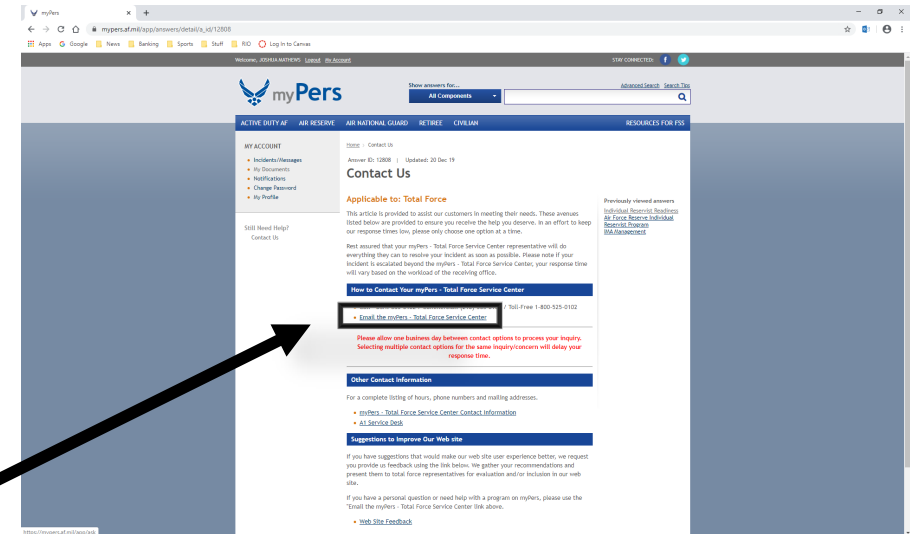


- **IR Management AFI: 36-2629**
 - **Note: The AFI references AFI 36-2254 Vol 1-3 which has been replaced with AFMAN 36-2036**
- **The IR Guide:** <https://www.arpc.afrc.af.mil/HQ-RIO/IRGuide/>

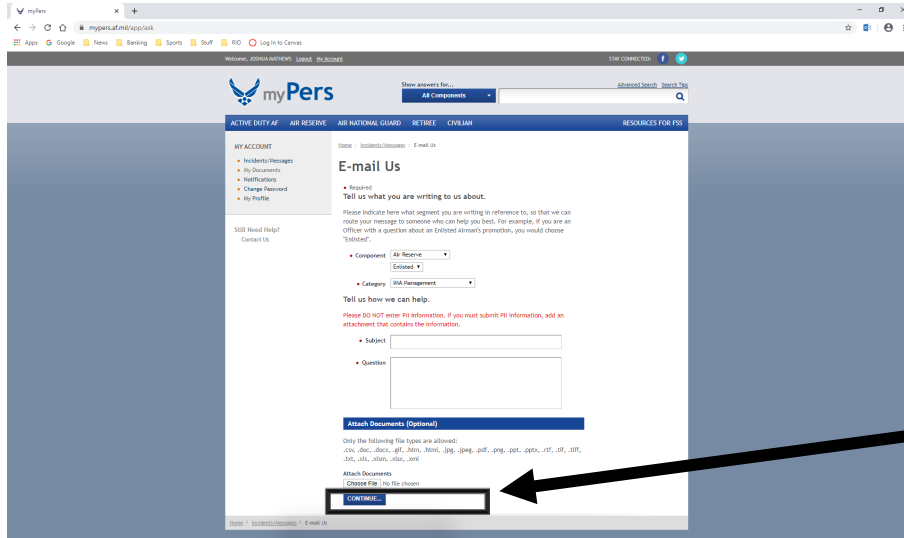




Step 1: select the "Contact Us"



Step 2: select the "E-mail the myPers - Total Force Service Center"



Step 3:

- Component select "Air Reserve"
- Category select "IMA Management"
- Type in a subject and question
- If you need to submit a document you may
- Selection "CONTINUE..." at the bottom



RIO Connect App & Capabilities

Download for access to:

- News updates
- Training
- IR Resources
 - Travel Guide and IR Guide
- News and Events
- Directory—Detachment contact info and locations
- Fit Test calculator—includes exemptions & altitude adjustments
- Push notifications
- Chat Groups





Find links to all of these sites on HQ RIO's public website

<http://www.arpc.afrc.af.mil/HQRIO>

Facebook: www.facebook.com/HQRIO



Contact Us – Your Detachment is the *BEST* Resource

Detachments

- Det 2: DSN 315-449-0585/Comm 808-449-0585, Email: arpc.hqriodet2@us.af.mil
- Det 3: DSN 692-2561/Comm 719-554-2561, Email: RIO.Det3@us.af.mil
- Det 4: DSN 779-7919/Comm: 618-229-7919, Email: arpc.hqriodet4@us.af.mil
- Det 5: DSN 497-2331/Comm 478-327-2331, Email: hqriodet5robins@us.af.mil
- Det 6: DSN 968-5035/Comm 813-828-5035, Email: riodet6@us.af.mil
- Det 7: DSN 297-3080/Comm 202-767-3080, Email: arpc.hqriodet7@us.af.mil
- Det 8: DSN: 314-412-0181/Comm: 011-49-711-708-0181,
Email: eucom.stuttgart.eccs.mbx.rio-det-8@mail.mil
- HQ RIO: DSN 847-3696/Comm 720-847-3696
 - You may email by visiting our homepage at <https://www.arpc.afrc.af.mil/HQ-RIO/> and clicking the “Contact Us” tab at the bottom of the page.



What questions do you have?

- We will keep this meeting open as long as necessary to answer all your questions in the chat
- If it is Detachment-specific, please note which Det in your question
- A recording will be available at the same link you used to attend ... spread the word and share this training with others!
- We value your feedback! Will you take the survey?
 - <https://forms.gle/fj94UXbP8fRR6BjA8>

To take the survey, use the QR code or the link – you'll need to use a non-gov't computer.

