



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
Lineage and Honors

1st ARMORED DIVISION BAND

Constituted 1 December 1943 in the Regular Army as the 1st Armored Division Band and activated in Italy

Inactivated 25 April 1946 at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey

Activated 7 March 1951 at Fort Hood, Texas

Inactivated 23 December 1957 at Fort Polk, Louisiana

Consolidated 3 February 1962 with Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 1st Armored Division Trains (active) (organized in 1942), and consolidated unit reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters, Headquarters and Band, 1st Armored Division Support Command

Reorganized and redesignated 15 April 1968 as Headquarters, Headquarters Company and Band, 1st Armored Division Support Command

Band element withdrawn 21 August 1972 from Headquarters, Headquarters Company and Band, 1st Armored Division Support Command, and consolidated with the 501st Adjutant General Company; consolidated unit designated as the 501st Adjutant General Company

Band element withdrawn 1 October 1984 from the 501st Adjutant General Company and reorganized and redesignated as the 1st Armored Division Band

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

Naples-Foggia

Rome-Arno

North Apennines

Po Valley

Southwest Asia

Defense of Saudi Arabia

Liberation and Defense of Kuwait

Cease-Fire

War on Terrorism

Global War on Terrorism

Iraq:

Transition of Iraq

National Resolution

Iraqi Surge

Iraqi Sovereignty

New Dawn

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA
1990-1991

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2007-2008

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2009-2010

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered AFGHANISTAN
RETROGRADE 2021

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1995-1996

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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