



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

*Lineage and Honors*

**THE UNITED STATES ARMY BAND  
(PERSHING'S OWN)**

Organized 25 January 1922 at Fort Hunt, Virginia, as The Army Band

Discontinued 31 January 1948 at Fort Myer, Virginia

Reconstituted 17 August 1949 in the Regular Army; concurrently consolidated with the United States Army Band (active) (constituted 8 January 1948 in the Regular Army; activated 31 January 1948 at Fort Myer, Virginia) and consolidated unit designated as The United States Army Band

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II  
Rhineland

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered WASHINGTON, DC  
1969-1971

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered WASHINGTON, DC  
1971-1973

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Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1986-1987

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1992-1993

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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