



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

224th AVIATION REGIMENT

Constituted 1 October 1987 in the Maryland and Virginia Army National Guard as the 224th Aviation, a parent regiment under the United States Army Regimental System; concurrently, organized from existing units to consist of the 1st Battalion, and Companies D, E, and F, elements of the 29th Infantry Division

Reorganized 1 September 1990 in the Maryland and Virginia Army National Guard to consist of the 1st and 2d Battalions, and Company F, elements of the 29th Infantry Division

Reorganized 31 March 1992 in the Maryland and Virginia Army National Guard to consist of the 1st and 2d Battalions and Companies F and G, elements of the 29th Infantry Division

Reorganized 1 September 1995 in the Virginia and Maryland Army National Guard to consist of the 2d Battalion and Company F, elements of the 29th Infantry Division

Reorganized 1 September 2000 in the Virginia and Maryland Army National Guard to consist of the 2d Battalion and Company F, elements of the 29th Infantry Division, and Company G

Reorganized 1 September 2003 in the Virginia and Maryland Army National Guard to consist of the 2d Battalion, an element of the 29th Infantry Division, and Company G

(2d Battalion ordered into active Federal service 25 August 2005 at home stations)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 October 2005 in the Maryland, District of Columbia, Guam, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Vermont, and Virginia Army National Guard as the 224th Aviation Regiment, to consist of the 1st Battalion, an element of the 42d Infantry Division, and the 2d Battalion, an element of the 29th Infantry Division

Reorganized 1 September 2006 in the Maryland, District of Columbia, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Vermont, and Virginia Army National Guard to consist of the 1st Battalion, an element of the 42d Infantry Division, and the 2d Battalion, an element of the 29th Infantry Division

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(2d Battalion released from active Federal service 20 February 2007 and reverted to state control)

Reorganized 1 September 2007 in the Maryland, District of Columbia, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Vermont, and Virginia Army National Guard, to consist of the 1st Battalion, an element of the 42d Infantry Division, and the 2d Battalion, an element of the 29th Infantry Division

Reorganized 2 September 2012 in the Maryland, District of Columbia, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Vermont, Virginia, and West Virginia Army National Guard to consist of the 1st Battalion, an element of the 42d Infantry Division, and the 2d Battalion, an element of the 29th Infantry Division

(2d Battalion ordered into active Federal service 25 February 2011 at home stations; released from active Federal service 30 March 2012 and reverted to state control)

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

2d Battalion (Second Company, Richmond Howitzers - Sandston, Virginia), entitled to:

Civil War (Confederate Service)

First Manassas
Peninsula
Sharpsburg
Fredericksburg
Chancellorsville
Gettysburg
Wilderness
Spotsylvania
Cold Harbor
Petersburg
Shenandoah
Appomattox
Virginia 1861
Virginia 1862
Virginia 1863
Virginia 1864
Maryland 1862
Maryland 1863

World War I

Streamer without inscription

World War II

Normandy (with arrowhead)
Northern France
Rhineland
Central Europe

War on Terrorism

Iraq:

National Resolution
Iraqi Surge
New Dawn

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DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2011 (earned by 2d Battalion, less Company C)

Navy Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered ANBAR PROVINCE 2006-2007 (Earned by 2d Battalion, less Company C)

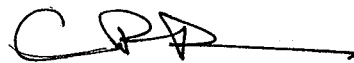
Company A (Sandston, Virginia), 2d Battalion

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered CENTRAL AND SOUTHWEST ASIA AUG 2016- MAY 2017

Company C (Edgewood, Maryland), 2d Battalion, additionally entitled to:

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ NOV 2005-OCT 2006

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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