



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
*Lineage and Honors*

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY  
COMBAT AVIATION BRIGADE, 34th INFANTRY DIVISION**

Organized and Federally recognized 30 January 1919 in the Minnesota National Guard at St. Paul as Company D, 6th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 December 1923 as Company D, 206th Infantry, an element of the 34th Division

Converted and redesignated 1 July 1940 as Battery D, 216th Coast Artillery, and relieved from assignment to the 34th Division

Inducted into Federal service 6 January 1941 at St. Paul

Reorganized and redesignated 10 September 1943 as Battery D, 774th Antiaircraft Artillery Gun Battalion

Inactivated 8 June 1944 at Camp Howze, Texas

Disbanded 26 June 1944

Reconstituted 25 August 1945 in the Minnesota National Guard

Reorganized and Federally recognized 26 November 1947 at St. Paul as Battery D, 256th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion, an element of the 47th Infantry Division

Ordered into active Federal service 16 January 1951 at St. Paul

(Battery D, 256th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion [NGUS], organized and Federally recognized 16 January 1953 at St. Paul)

## **HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY COMBAT AVIATION BRIGADE, 34th INFANTRY DIVISION**

Redesignated 20 May 1953 as Battery D, 256th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion

Released 2 December 1954 from active Federal service and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Battery D, 256th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion (NGUS)

Converted and redesignated 22 February 1959 as the 47th Aviation Company, an element of the 47th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Headquarters Company, 47th Aviation Battalion, an element of the 47th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 January 1965 as Headquarters Detachment, 47th Aviation Battalion

Reorganized and redesignated 1 June 1971 as Headquarters Company, 47th Aviation Battalion

Reorganized and redesignated 2 October 1986 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Aviation Brigade, 47th Infantry Division

Redesignated 10 February 1991 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Aviation Brigade, 34th Infantry Division

Ordered into active Federal service 31 May 2008 at St Paul; released from active Federal service 4 July 2009 and reverted to state control

Ordered into active Federal service 11 June 2014 at St Paul; released from active Federal service 30 April 2015 and reverted to state control

Ordered into active Federal service 10 October 2019 at St Paul; released from active Federal service 11 January 2021 and reverted to state control

**HOME STATION: St. Paul**

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**CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT**

War on Terrorism

Global War on Terrorism

*Iraq:*

Iraqi Sovereignty

Iraqi Surge

**DECORATIONS**

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA  
2020

**BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:**

  
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