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ACTIVE GUARD RESERVE (AGR) – MILITARY VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT # 26-64

OPEN DATE: 15 Jul 2026

EXPIRATION DATE: 05 Aug 2026

OPEN TO: On-Board

Number of Positions: 1

Position Title: AIRCRAFT ORDNANCE SYSTEMS MECHANIC LEADER

Func Code: 22W100

PEC#: 52635M

UMDA Position #: 3401132444

AFSC: 2W191

ASVAB REQUIRE: M-60, E-45

Grade: MSGT-SMSGT

Security Clearance: SECRET

Unit/Duty Location: 187 FW DANNELLY FIELD

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HRO Remote: MSGT VERNON HARRIS

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Signed NGB Form 34-1, NGB Forms
- Current Report of Individual Personnel (RIP): Obtain from Virtual Military Personnel Flight (vMPF)
- AF Form 422: Must be signed and verified within 6 months from your Medical Group. Memorandums in lieu of signed 422 will not be accepted
- Air Force Fitness Management System II (AFFMS II) Fitness Report: Must be Current and passing
- AGR Eligibility Checklist: All applications must be submitted with a completed AGR Eligibility Checklist.
- All applications must be submitted to MDM org box by closing date.
- The HRO Remote or Designee listed on this announcement must sign AGR checklist PRIOR to final submission.
- Final Submission must be sent to MDM by the applicant, not the HRO Remote by closing date of job.

Email completed application packages to:

Ng.al.alarng.list.j1-air-mdm@army.mil

ATTN: CAPT FREDRIKA SANDERS

All emailed packages must be in a single PDF. NO PORTFOLIO

JOB INTRO/TITLE:

AIRCRAFT ARMAMENT SYSTEMS (5TH GENERATION)

SPECIALTY SUMMARY:

Loads and unloads nuclear and nonnuclear munitions, explosives, and propellant devices on aircraft. Manages, controls, maintains, and installs aircraft bomb, rocket, and missile release, launch, suspension, and monitor systems; guns and gun mounts; and related munitions handling, loading, and test equipment. Related DoD Occupational Subgroup: 164600.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 2.1. Loads, unloads, and positions munitions on aircraft. Loads, positions, performs safing operations, and unloads munitions. Uses handling, loading, and checkout procedures and equipment. Tests suspension, launch, and release systems for retentive locking, and manual or electrical release. Analyzes malfunctions. Performs functional checks of launch and suspension systems. Prepares munitions and inspects post loading weapons. Operates handling and loading equipment, and mates munitions with aircraft release, launch, and suspension systems. Loads and services aircraft gun systems. Tests electrical and electronic circuitry for continuity, voltage, and proper operation. Tests for unwanted electrical signal or power before connecting electrically actuated explosives and propellants. Installs ground safety devices on munition and gun system components to prevent inadvertent detonation, launching, or firing. Inserts and removes impulse cartridges associated with fuel tanks and pylons. Adjusts and installs fuses, boosters, and delay elements in conventional munitions.
- 2.2. Inspects, repairs, and maintains aircraft release, launch, suspension, and monitor systems; aircraft guns; and related equipment. Operates, inspects, and performs operator maintenance on related munitions handling, loading, and test equipment. Examines for visual defects and proper installation of systems components such as munitions ejector racks, loading and suspension devices, shackles, rocket pods, pylons, aircraft ammunition, boosters, and feed chutes. Boresights and performs after-firing inspection of aircraft guns. Examines aircraft guns for defects. Analyzes malfunctions of munitions launch, release, suspension, and monitor systems, and associated handling and loading equipment. Disassembles, repairs, or replaces mechanical, electrical, electronic, and pneumatic mechanisms of launch and release systems, and aircraft gun systems. Removes, disassembles, and inspects parts and subassemblies for damage, rust, corrosion, or acceptable clearances and tolerances. Makes adjustments and applies lubricants and preservatives. Performs serviceability tests on aircraft guns, gun systems, and munitions associated suspension equipment.
- 2.3. Performs armament systems maintenance functions. Modifies munitions launch, release, suspension, and monitor systems to improve efficiency. Determines probable effect of modifications on future maintenance and operational problems.
- 2.4. Plans, organizes, and directs aircraft armament systems maintenance activities. Establishes and evaluates performance and training standards, maintenance controls, and procedures. Checks methods and techniques used to load and unload munitions on aircraft, to repair and maintain aircraft release and gun systems, and to maintain, repair, and modify associated equipment. Ensures compliance with policies, directives, and safety procedures. Analyzes productivity and work quality. Evaluates operational efficiency of aircraft guns and munitions systems and recommends modification.

SPECIALTY QUALIFICATIONS:

- 3.1. Knowledge. Knowledge is mandatory of: electricity; principles of physics, mechanics, electronics, and ballistics applying to munitions launch, release, suspension, fusing, and arming systems, and aircraft gun systems; use of precision measuring tools and equipment; interpreting schematics and wiring diagrams; concepts and application of maintenance directives; nuclear and nonnuclear munitions loading and safety procedures; and proper handling, use, and disposal of hazardous waste and materials.
- 3.2. Education. For entry into this specialty, completion of high school or General Education Development equivalency is mandatory. Also, completion of courses in mechanics or basic electronics is desirable.
- 3.3. Training. The following training is mandatory for award of the AFSC indicated:
 - 3.3.1. AFSC 2W131X. Completion of a suffix specific basic aircraft armament systems course.
 - 3.3.2. AFSC 2W191. Completion of the Advanced Aircraft Armament Systems course J3AZR2W191 0A1A, PDS Code 08E (effective 31 March 2013). NOTE: Not mandatory for Air Reserve Component (ARC).
- 3.4. Experience. The following experience is mandatory for award of the AFSC indicated:
 - 3.4.1. 2W151. Qualification in and possession of AFSC 2W131C/E/F/J/K/L/N/Q or Z. Also, experience loading and unloading munitions, or maintaining, repairing, and modifying munitions launch, release, suspension, or aircraft gun systems.
 - 3.4.2. 2W171. Qualification in and possession of AFSC 2W151. Also, experience performing or supervising functions such as loading and unloading munitions, or maintaining, repairing, and modifying munitions launch, release, suspension, or aircraft gun systems.
 - 3.4.3. 2W191. Qualification in and possession of AFSC 2W171. Also, experience managing and controlling functions such as loading and unloading munitions, or maintaining, repairing, and modifying munitions launch, release, suspension, or aircraft gun systems.
- 3.5. Other. The following are mandatory as indicated:
 - 3.5.1. See attachment 4 for additional entry requirements.
 - 3.5.2. For entry, award, and retention of these AFSCs:
 - 3.5.2.1. Must not have chronic mental health conditions.
 - 3.5.2.2. Normal depth perception as defined in AFI 48-123, Medical Examinations and Standards.
 - 3.5.2.3. Normal color vision as defined in AFI 48-123.
 - 3.5.2.4. No fear working around nuclear weapons or components, nor have an identifiable negative opinion of the role of nuclear weapons within our nation's strategic deterrent mission.
 - 3.5.2.5. Retraining into the 2W1XX career field within the Air Force (Active, Reserves and Air National Guard) is restricted to the grades of E-7 and below with less than 15 years of total federal military service.
 - 3.5.2.6. Must maintain eligibility to deploy and mobilize worldwide. Of the three assignment limitation codes, C-1, C-2, and C-3, those coded C-1, or C-2 with approved waivers for PCS/Deployment are acceptable provided they can perform the core tasks the core tasks of AFSC 2W1X1.

3.5.3. For award and retention of these AFSCs, must maintain local network access IAW AFI 17-130, Cybersecurity Program Management and AFMAN 17-1301, Computer Security.

3.5.4. Specialty requires routine access to Tier 3 (T3) information, systems, or similar classified environments. For award and retention of AFSCs 2W1XX, completion of a current T3 Investigation required IAW DoDM 5200.02, AFMAN 16-1405, Air Force Personnel Security Program, is mandatory.

NOTE: Award of the entry level without a completed T3 Investigation is authorized provided an interim Secret security clearance has been granted according to DoDM 5200.02, AFMAN 16-1405.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR ENTRY INTO THE AGR PROGRAM:

Must be a member or eligible to become a member of the Alabama Air National Guard.

Member will be required to hold a compatible military assignment in the unit they are hired to support.

Member's military grade will not exceed the maximum military duty grade authorized on the Unit Manning Document (UMD) for the position.

Member must meet the physical qualifications outlined in, Medical Examination and Standards (DAFMAN 48-123), Attachment 2 before being placed on an AGR tour.

Member must have retain-ability to complete the tour of military duty.

Member must not be eligible for or receiving a federal retirement annuity.

Member must comply with standards outlined in DAFMAN 36-2905, Fitness Program to be eligible for entry into the AGR program.

Member must meet all eligibility criteria in ANGI 36-101, The Air National Guard Active Guard and Reserve (AGR) Program.

Member must hold required AFSC or be eligible for retraining (if applicable) **and meet all eligibility criteria in AFECDAFOCD**

ADDITIONAL DUTIES

AGR members will participate with their unit of assignment during Regular Scheduled Drill (RSD).

AGR tour lengths in the State of Alabama are at the discretion of the Squadron Commander.

Initial tours will not exceed 6 years. Follow-on tours will be from 1 to 6 years, per ANGI 36-101

To be considered for this position you must meet all minimum AFSC requirements to include the minimum ASVAB qualifying score.

Scores are reflected on your personnel RIP.

If your ASVAB score does not meet the minimum required IAW AFECDAFOCD contact your servicing MPF.

You have the option to retake the test.

You must schedule your test date and receive your new scores prior to the announcement closing date.

Selectee will be required to participate in the Direct Deposit Electronics Funds Transfer program.

A law enforcement background check may be required prior to appointment to this position.

By submitting a resume or application for this position, you authorize this agency to accomplish the check.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THIS ANNOUNCEMENT.

******* INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED *******

WRITTEN EXPLANATION IS REQUIRED FOR ANY MISSING DOCUMENTS

Current AGR members and those who wish to become an AGR must submit the following:

AGR Eligibility Checklist found in ANGI 36-101 ([see below](#)).

NGB Form 34-1, Application for Active Guard/Reserve (AGR) Position, Form Version Dated 11 November 2013

Announcement number and position title must be annotated on the form

Download the current form version from;

<http://www.ngbpdc.ngb.army.mil/forms/Adobe%20PDF-F/ngb34-1.pdf>

Current Report of Individual Personnel (RIP). Documents must show your ASVAB scores.

RIP can be obtained from the servicing Force Support Squadron (FSS)

In lieu of a RIP, applicant may provide a printout from the virtual MPF (vMPF)

Select 'Record Review', and then 'Print/View All Pages'

Copy of current passing physical fitness assessment. (From AF Portal, <https://www.my.af.mil/>)

AF Form 422, Physical Profile Serial Report <https://asims.afms.mil/imr/MyIMR.aspx> (CURRENT within 5 years, validated within 12 months, working copy is acceptable)

ALANG - Air Technicians interested in converting to AGR status:

Selection for the advertised position does not constitute acceptance into the AGR program.

Once notification of a selection is made, the individual is required to submit a request for AGR medical clearance through the Medical Group, to the State Air Surgeon.

The State Air Surgeon will evaluate the request and notify MDG of the member's medical clearance approval or denial.

The information below was taken from ANGI 36-101, 21 April 2022.

5.3 Grade. To accept an AGR position, an applicant's military grade cannot exceed the maximum military authorized grade on the UMD for the AGR position. Reference paragraph 6.6 for proper assignment to position/unit. Enlisted Airmen who are voluntarily assigned to a position which would cause an overgrade must indicate in writing a willingness to be administratively reduced in grade in accordance with AFI 36-2502, Enlisted Airman Promotion/Demotion Programs, when assigned to the position. Acceptance of demotion must be in writing and included in the assignment application package.

5.4 Commissioning of Enlisted Member. Enlisted personnel applying for officer positions must be eligible for commissioning upon application for AGR duty. Assignment to the AGR tour will not become effective until the individual receives a commission in the ANG and as a Reserve of the Air Force and has completed formal training for which an AFSC has been awarded

5.5. Air Force Fitness Standards. AGR Airmen are subject to the provisions of AFMAN 36-2905, *Air Force Fitness Program*. Airmen must meet the minimum requirements for each fitness component in addition to scoring an overall composite of 75 or higher for entry into the AGR program. For members with a documented DLC which prohibits them from performing one or more components of the Physical Fitness Assessment (PFA), an overall "Pass" rating is required and any DLC must be resolved prior to accession.

5.6 Security Clearance. AGRs must have a current favorable adjudicated personnel security investigation that is commensurate with their currently assigned AFSC. Local security representatives can provide verification of security clearance information using the Defense Information System for Security (DISS)

5.7. Separated for Cause. To be accessed in the AGR program, an individual must not have been previously separated for cause from a previous Reserve Component AGR tour or from any Active Component. Requests for waiver to this policy will be annotated on the AF Form 679 and routed to NGB/A1PP.

5.8. Retainability for an AGR Assignment. Enlisted personnel must obtain sufficient retainability to fulfill an AGR assignment.

5.9. Sanctuary. It is not the intent of the AGR program to bring non-career applicants into the sanctuary zone (18 to 20 years of TAFMS). Anyone whose order, whether active duty (AD) or full-time National Guard duty (FTNGD) other than for training, places them at 18 years or more of TAFMS will require a signed, approved sanctuary waiver in accordance with DAFI 36-2110, *Total Force Assignments*.

5.10. Inability to attain 20 years TAFMS. AGR applicants should be able to attain 20 years of TAFMS in the AGR career program. Waiver authority of this requirement is The Adjutant General, Commanding

General, or designee. Individuals selected for AGR tours that cannot attain 20 years of TAFMS prior to reaching mandatory separation must complete the Statement of Understanding contained in Attachment 3. The HRO will maintain the completed, signed Statement of Understanding.

5.11. Medical Requirements. Applicants for permanent, occasional or AGR deployment backfill tours must meet the requirements outlined in [Chapter 12](#).