

# **176<sup>th</sup> AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE SQUADRON**

## **LINEAGE**

### **STATIONS**

Kulis ANGB, Anchorage, AK  
Elmendorf AFB, AK

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

### **COMMANDERS**

LTC Robert A. K. Doehl, Sep 2000-May 2005

### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

### **EMBLEM**

### **MOTTO**

### **NICKNAME**

### **OPERATIONS**

The 176<sup>th</sup> Aircraft Maintenance Squadron provides mission-ready aircraft and sortie generation specializing in Combat Search and Rescue, Tactical Airlift, and Strategic Airlift for the 144<sup>th</sup> Airlift Squadron, the 210<sup>th</sup> Rescue Squadron, 211<sup>th</sup> Rescue Squadron and 249<sup>th</sup> Airlift Squadron of the 176<sup>th</sup> Wing. The men and women of the 176<sup>th</sup> Aircraft Maintenance Squadron are responsible for the day-to-day repairs, inspections, arming and safety for the most diverse Maintenance Group in the Air National Guard.

Approximately 125 Alaska Guardsmen from the 176<sup>th</sup> Wing's 144<sup>th</sup> Airlift Squadron, 176<sup>th</sup> Maintenance Squadron and 176<sup>th</sup> Aircraft Maintenance Squadron were deployed to Bagram Air

Base, Afghanistan, for 90 days in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. Operating C-130, these men and women supported U.S. efforts throughout the region with intratheater airlift and airdrops of men, supplies and equipment. Working in austere environments, these Alaska Guardsmen helped save lives by delivering the necessary resources and equipment to our Soldiers on the ground. 2011

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