

759 LOGISTICS READINESS FLIGHT



MISSION

LINEAGE

459 Motor Vehicle Squadron constituted, 30 Dec 1954
Activated in the Reserve, 26 Jan 1955
Redesignated 459 Transportation Squadron, 8 Oct 1956
Discontinued, and inactivated, 17 Jan 1963
Redesignated 459 Transportation Flight, 9 Sep 1994
Activated in the Reserve, 1 Oct 1994
Redesignated 759 Logistics Readiness Flight, 1 Oct 2002

STATIONS

Andrews AFB, MD, 26 Jan 1955-17 Jan 1963
Andrews AFB, MD, 1 Oct 1994

ASSIGNMENTS

459 Maintenance and Supply Group, 26 Jan 1955
459 Air Base Group, 5 Dec 1958-17 Jan 1963
459 Logistics Group, 1 Oct 1994
459 Mission Support Group, 1 Oct 2002

COMMANDERS

Col Bruce A. Carper

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

[1 Oct 1994]-30 Sep 1995

1 May 2002-30 Apr 2004

1 Jan 2005-31 Dec 2006

EMBLEM

459 Transportation Squadron Emblem. On a medium blue disc bordered white two red lightning flashes in saltire highlighted Air Force golden yellow surmounted by an Air Force blue globe, land areas and grid lines white; moving counter-clockwise around the globe, an aircraft in dexter (right), a train Inverted in base, a ship in sinister (left) and a truck In chief, all silhouetted Air Force blue, highlighted Air Force golden yellow On the border in dexter, chief, and sinister, respectively, ANY TIME, ANY PLACE, ANY MSANS. **SIGNIFICANCE:** The emblem is symbolic of the squadron and its mission. The globe, encircled by the various modes of transportation. Indicates this unit's capability to move anything, anywhere, via any means of transportation. The lightning symbolizes the speed with which the unit carries out its mission, and the two shades of blue symbolize day and night or twenty-four hour operations. The emblem bears the Air Force colors, ultramarine blue and golden yellow, and the national colors, red, white, and blue. Approved on 18 Nov 1960.

Ultramarine Blue and Air Force Yellow are the Air Force colors. The blue background alludes to the sky which is the primary Air Force domain and theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and embodies the excellence and impact required of Air Force personnel. The yellow winged lion with a red tongue atop the globe represents worldwide capability, mobility, strength, and excellence which is key to delivering operational impact and lethal airpower. Red is symbolic of the blood of life, hardiness, patriotism, and valor. The dual arcs of six white stars represent the continuum and spectrum of logistics operations that are developed and executed in support of joint task force operations. They are symbolic of many operations for which assigned unit members have mobilized and deployed overseas. The white color is symbolic of truth and wisdom. The color black is symbolic of constancy and determination while the silver gray represents discretion in logistics employment when prosecuting campaigns and operations, maturity of unit and logistics decision-making and retrospection of unit history and heritage.

759 Logistics Readiness Flight emblem: The globe represents worldwide capability, mobility, strength, and excellence which is key to delivering operational impact and lethal airpower. The Grotto Blue and Ultramarine Blue used in the emblem represents day and night and further represents unit capability to conduct 24-hour operations. The original motto of "ANY TIME, ANY

PLACE, ANY MEANS” persists and will be placed in the upper scroll of the emblem. The unit designation of “759TH LOGISTICS READINESS FLT” will be placed in the lower scroll of the emblem. The three yellow lightning bolts span the globe and rise to a combined point. They are outlined in red and represents the speed in which the unit carries out its assigned mission of global logistics support. The red delta outlined in yellow represents an aircraft which is symbolic of global airpower. The yellow refers to the sun and embodies the excellence and impact required of Air Force personnel. The red is symbolic of the blood of life, hardiness, patriotism, and valor. The white color used in the globe border, grid lines and in the upper and lower scrolls is symbolic of truth, wisdom and purity of mission.

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

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Sources
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