

## 915 CIVIL ENGINEERING SQUADRON



### MISSION

### LINEAGE

915 Civil Engineering Flight constituted, 19 Jun 1969  
Activated in the Reserve, 25 Oct 1969  
Redesignated 915 Civil Engineering Squadron, 15 Nov 1978  
Inactivated, 1 Apr 1981  
Activated, 1 Oct 1985

### STATIONS

Homestead AFB, FL, 25 Oct 1969-1 Apr 1981  
Pope AFB, NC, 1 Oct 1985

### ASSIGNMENTS

915 Military Airlift Group, 25 Oct 1969  
Eastern Air Force Reserve Region, 30 Jul 1971  
79 Airborne Early Warning and Control Squadron, 8 Oct 1976  
915 Airborne Early Warning and Control (later, 915 Tactical Fighter) Group, 1 Dec 1976-1 Apr 1981  
315 Military Airlift Wing (Associate), 1 Oct 1985  
512 Support Group

### COMMANDERS

Maj William C. Neilly  
Maj O. Shabeldeen

## **HONORS**

### **Service Streamers**

### **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

## **Decorations**

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

1 Dec 1976-15 Mar 1978

## **EMBLEM**

On a brittany azure disc, an ultramarine azure equilateral, triangle. Bordered or is positioned at fess point and is the focus of the emblem. A sable pick and shovel are surmounted salterwise downward on the triangle. Argent plans are placed through a sable triangle positioned between the X made by the shovel and pick. Two or scrolls bordered in sable are placed above and below the disc. The scroll above bears the unit motto "Building to Remain Free." The scroll below is blank and is reserved for the unit Designation. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and air force yellow are used in the Design. Blue signifies the sky, The primary theater of air Force operations. Yellow is indicative of the sun and the Excellence of air force personnel. The brittany blue Background denotes the devotion and loyalty of assigned Personnel. The black of the occupational tools of civil Engineering, The borders and the lettering attest to the Dignity and determination of the unit. (Approved, 23 Feb 1989)

## **MOTTO**

## **OPERATIONS**

Civil Engineering Flight - As required by Air Force Regulations the CE Flight fulfilled the "Prime Beef" annual bivouac requirement by spending the night at Turkey Point Recreation Area. Personnel were instructed in first aid, safety and sanitation requirement, under field condition and performed training in camp construction and maintenance. During remaining UTA periods, personnel train with the active duty base airmen in various repair, maintenance and construction projects throughout the base. Fire department personnel work 24 hour shifts on a rotational basis and participate in actual emergencies during these periods.

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### **Sources**

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