60 MISSION SUPPORT SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

Air Base Squadron, 68 Air Base Group (Special) constituted, 16 Aug 1940 Activated, 1 Oct 1940

Redesignated 60 Air Base Squadron (Special), 17 Jan 1941 Redesignated 60 Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron, 13 Jun 1942 Disbanded, 30 Apr 1944

Reconstituted and redesignated 60 Mission Support Squadron, 8 May 1989 Activated, 30 Jun 1989

STATIONS

Moffett Field, CA, 1 Oct 1940 Stockton Field, CA, 5 Dec 1940-30 Apr 1944 Travis AFB, CA, 30 Jun 1989

ASSIGNMENTS

68 Air Base Group (Special), 1 Oct 1940

West Coast AAF Training Center (later, AAF Western Flying Training Command), Jun 1942-30 Apr 1944

60 Air Base (later, 60 Combat Support; 60 Support) Group, 30 Jun 1989

COMMANDERS

Capt George L. Boyer

HONORS Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards 16 Dec 1989-31 Jan 1990 1 Nov 1993-31 Jul 1995 1 Aug 1995-30 Jul 1997 1 Jul 1997-30 Jun 1999

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Approved, 17 Apr 1990

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OPERATIONS

On 30 June, the 60th Mission Support Squadron was activated. It was a reconstituted 60th Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron that had been disbanded in 1944. It was responsible for the military and civilian personnel offices, educational services, social actions, the family support center, information management, and the orderly room. Subsequently, when the headquarters squadron section of the 60th Air Base Group was deleted on 1 October and its functions realigned to the headquarters squadron section of the 60th Military Airlift Wing, the enlisted manpower spaces of the headquarters squadron section of the 60th Air Base Group were realigned to man the orderly room section of the 60th Mission Support Squadron. the two orderly rooms were consolidated.

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