

576 AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

576 Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

STATIONS

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

On a disc Azure, a terrestrial globe Celeste, landmasses of the first, edged Sable, with a wing elevated to sinister Or, detailed and fimbriated of the third, upon the globe a mullet Argent, outlined of the third, emitting five arched contrails Gules, from fess point to base to dexter, each terminating into a flying symbol of the fifth, edged and detailed of the third; all within a narrow Black border. Attached above the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Black border

and inscribed “WARRIOR SUPPORT NEVER ENDING” in Black letters. Attached below the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed “576TH AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE SQ” in Black letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. Black suggests the squadron’s determination to repair and maintain assigned weapon systems accurately and on time. The wing refers to the unit’s association with Logistics Command in providing depot support of aircraft overhauls. The globe and red contrails, beginning with a star and ending with flight symbols, denote the squadron’s perfection in delivering air worthy aircraft back to their home units after overhaul. The fifth contrail alludes to depot field team repairs worldwide. The emblem signifies the unit’s strength, zeal and never-ending global support of the warfighter.

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OPERATIONS

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