818 GLOBAL MOBILITY READINESS SQUADRON

MISSION

The 818 Global Mobility Readiness Squadron is a specialized squadron consisting of 18 Air Force specialty codes providing expeditionary base operating support for Contingency Response Force and U.S. Transportation Command Joint Task Force-Port Opening missions worldwide. This Squadron is a dynamic, rapidly-deployable, multi-skilled, world class expeditionary combat team, able to quickly bridge the gap between airbase seizure and sustained joint force employment.

LINEAGE

818 Global Mobility Readiness Squadron constituted, 28 Feb 2005 Activated, 27 Jun 2005

STATIONS

McGuire AFB [later Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst], NJ, 27 Jun 2005

ASSIGNMENTS

818th Contingency Response Group, 27 Jun 2005

COMMANDERS

Lt Col Kenneth Dalfonso 2005-2007 Lt Col Daniel Krall 2007-2009 Maj Christopher Lacek 2009- 2011 Maj Brian Fitzpatrick 2011-2013 Maj Michael Small 2013

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Meritorious Unit Award 1 Oct 2011-30 Sep 2012

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Oct 2005-30 Sep 2006

1 Oct 2006- 30 Sep 2007

1 Oct 2007- 30 Sep 2008

1 Oct 2008- 30 Sep 2009

1 Oct 2009- 30 Sep 2010

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Approved, 24 Jul 2006

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NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

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