

# 60 AERIAL PORT SQUADRON



## MISSION

## LINEAGE

60 Aerial Port Squadron constituted and activated, 27 Dec 1965  
Organized, 8 Jan 1966

## STATIONS

Travis AFB, CA, 8 Jan 1966

## ASSIGNMENTS

60 Military Airlift Wing, 8 Jan 1966  
60 Military Airlift Group, 6 Mar 1978  
60 Military Airlift Wing, 15 Feb 1979  
60 Operations Group, 1 Nov 1991  
60 Mission Support Group, 1 Oct 2002  
60 Maintenance Group, 30 Sep 2010

## COMMANDERS

## HONORS

**Service Streamers**

### Campaign Streamers

Global War on Terrorism -- Service (GWOT-S)

### Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

## Decorations

Meritorious Unit Award  
1 Jul 2005 – 30 Jun 2007

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

8 Jan-30 Jun 1966

1 Jul 1966-30 Jun 1967

1 Jul 1967-30 Jun 1968

1 Jul 1974-30 Jun 1975

1 Jul 1975-30 Jun 1977

16 Dec 1989-31 Jan 1990

1 Nov 1993-31 Jul 1995

1 Aug 1995-30 Jul 1997

1 Jul 1997-30 Jun 1999

1 Jul 1999-30 Jun 2000

1 Jul 2000-30 Jun 2001

1 Jul 2001-30 Jun 2003

1 Jul 2003-30 Jun 2004

1 Jul 2004-30 Jun 2005

1 Jul 2007-30 Jun 2009

1 Jul 2009-30 Jun 2010

1 Jul 2010-30 Jun 2012

1 Jul 2012-30 Jun 2013

1 Jul 2013-30 Jun 2014

1 Jul 2014-30 Jun 2015

1 Jul 2015-30 Jun 2016

## EMBLEM



Approved, 15 Jan 1968

## MOTTO

## OPERATIONS

5 April 1967, the first phase of an important renovation of the Passenger Terminal (building P-3) was completed with the opening of a 20,000-sq. ft. annex. Modernization of the administrative

and passenger check-in areas of the main terminal, first built between 1946 and 1947, began in June 1967.

On 8 March 1968, a 24-hour cafeteria opened in the terminal to serve hungry passengers. It cost \$400,000. Later, in September 1970, a branch of the base exchange opened across from the cafeteria. Despite these significant renovations, the increasing number of military personnel waiting for airlift to, or arriving from, Southeast Asia created long lines and a general overcrowding in the terminal. The passenger lounges overflowed and many people slept in the corridors. Another change dating from this period was the introduction of digital computers to Travis.

Det 1, Oakland IAP, CA

Det 2, Lambert St Louis IAP, MO

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USAF UNIT HISTORIES

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