# 71st FORCE SUPPORT SQUADRON



## **MISSION**

#### LINEAGE

71<sup>st</sup> Air Base Squadron constituted, 24 May 1941 Activated, 10 Jun 1941 Redesignated 71<sup>st</sup> Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron, 14 Jul 1942 Disbanded, 1 Aug 1944 Reconstituted and redesignated 71<sup>st</sup> Mission Support Squadron, 9 May 1989 Activated, 1 Jul 1989 Redesignated 71<sup>st</sup> Force Support Squadron, 1 Apr 2008

#### **STATIONS**

St Johns Flying Field, Newfoundland, 10 Jun 1941-1 Aug 1944 Vance AFB, OK, 1 Jul 1989

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

Newfoundland Base Command, 10 Jun 1941 North Atlantic Wing, Air Transport Command, 31 Aug 1943-1 Aug 1944 71<sup>st</sup> Air Base (later, 71<sup>st</sup> Support; 71<sup>st</sup> Mission Support) Group, 1 Jul 1989

#### **COMMANDERS**

HONORS
Service Streamers

## **Campaign Streamers**

## **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

#### **Decorations**

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

[1 Jul] 1989-31 Mar 1991

1 Jul 1993-30 Jun 1995

1 Jul 1995-30 Jun 1996

1 Jul 1996-30 Jun 1997

1 Jul 1996-30 Jun 1998

1 Jul 1999-30 Jun 2000

1 Jul 2000-30 Jun 2002

1 Jul 2001-30 Jun 2003

1 Jul 2003-30 Jun 2004

1 Jul 2004-30 Jun 2005

#### **EMBLEM**

Approved, 13 Sep 1989

**MOTTO** 

**NICKNAME** 

**OPERATIONS** 

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Sources

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