

419TH FIGHTER WING SNAPSHOT



MISSION

Summer 2016

*Provide mission-ready Citizen Airmen to fly, fight and win
as a globally responsive Total Force*

QUICK FACTS

LEADERSHIP

Commander
Col David Smith

WING STRUCTURE

1,203 personnel

F-16 and F-35 operations and maintenance groups work alongside active duty 388th FW counterparts

Full-spectrum mission support: medical, firefighters, security forces, aerial port, civil engineers, logistics, and explosive ordnance disposal

ANNUAL BUDGET

\$38 million

DEMOGRAPHICS

TRs: 984
ARTs: 197
Civilians: 19
AGR: 3

DEPLOYMENTS

109 mission support personnel to Southwest Asia

65 pilots and maintainers recently returned from Afghanistan (6 months)

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LOCAL

- \$57 million to Utah's economy each year
- 90% of personnel live in Northern Utah
- Notable employers include Intermountain Healthcare, University of Utah, Zions Bank, Delta Airlines, the Department of Defense, and the State of Utah

READY

- More than 4,000 deployments since 9/11 – most volunteered
- Recent operational deployments include Southwest Asia and Republic of Korea
- Humanitarian relief response to the Caribbean, Africa, Central America, and the within the U.S.

EXPERIENCED

- Average 12 years of experience – 50% served on active duty
- Our legacy began in 1955
 - Flown 8 types of aircraft (cargo and fighter)
 - Transitions over 60 years have resulted in invaluable depth and breadth
- Wing boasts 95% retention rate

INTEGRATED

- Full-time personnel and high experience levels are critical to day-to-day F-16 and F-35 operations at Hill AFB
- Since 2007, we have deployed side by side with active duty counterparts in the 388th FW
- Shared aircraft, facilities, and infrastructure represent tremendous value to taxpayers

ON THE HORIZON

- FY16 budget includes Reserve manpower increase to support Hill's fighter mission
- F-35 initial operational capability (IOC) alongside 388th FW by Fall 2016
- Total of 78 F-35A aircraft due to arrive at Hill AFB between now and 2019

