## 309<sup>th</sup> AAF BASE UNIT

## MISSION

LINEAGE 309<sup>th</sup> AAF Base Unit

**STATIONS** Greenville, MS

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

HONORS Service Streamers

**Campaign Streamers** 

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers** 

Decorations

EMBLEM

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NICKNAME

## **OPERATIONS**

On 28 May 1947, aircraft from the 309th AAF Base Unit, Greenville Army Air Base, South Carolina, sprayed approximately 5,000 acres of marsh in the vicinity of Langley Field with DDT for mosquito control. During the summer, the spraying was repeated each month. In January 1948, this aerial spray mission moved to Langley AFB.

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Sources Air Force Historical Research Agency. U.S. Air Force. Maxwell AFB, AL.