461st MAINTENANCE GROUP



MISSION

LINEAGE

461st Maintenance and Supply Group established, 11 Dec 1953
Activated, 23 Dec 1953
Discontinued, 1 Apr 1958
Disbanded, 27 Sep 1984
Reconstituted and redesignated 461st Maintenance Group, 1 Sep 2011
Activated, 1 Oct 2011

STATIONS

Hill AFB, UT, 23 Dec 1953 Blytheville AFB, AR, 8 Apr 1956-1 Apr 1958 Robins AFB, GA, 1 Oct 2011

ASSIGNMENTS

461st Bombardment Wing, 23 Dec 1953-1 Apr 1958 461st Air Control Wing, 1 Oct 2011

COMMANDERS

Col Mike Gaspar

HONORS

Service Streamers

None

Campaign Streamers

None

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

None

Decorations

None

EMBLEM

Per bend Azure and Celeste, a lightning bolt as a bend point to sinister base Or, in sinister chief a decrescent Argent, in dexter base a sun in splendor of the third, detailed Old Gold, all within a diminished bordure of the third. Attached below the shield, a White scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "461ST MAINTENANCE GROUP" in Blue letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The lightning bolt is symbolic of power from the sky, able to destroy any aggressor. It also represents command of the electromagnetic spectrum. The moon and sun indicate the capability to carry out the Wing's mission in any weather, day or night.

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OPERATIONS

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Sources

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