



National Guard Association of the United States (NGAUS) Corporate Advisory Panel (CAP)

Doing Business with the **National Guard 101**



National Guard Overview

- The National Guard has been defending the nation for over 377 years
- There are 54 separate National Guard organizations in the 50 States, 3 Territories, and the District of Columbia
- The National Guard is a “Dual Status” organization with a Federal and State mission
- The Federal mission is to serve as the operational reserve component of the Army and the Air Force
- The State mission is to respond to domestic and homeland security emergencies under the Command and Control of the Governor.
- Currently there are 335,500 Soldiers in the Army National Guard and 105,500 Airmen in the Air National Guard.
- The Army Guard is in over 2,600 communities across the nation



The Role of the National Guard Bureau



- **NGB is:**
 - defined as a joint activity of the Department of Defense
 - led by a Four Star General who serves on the Joint Chiefs of Staff
 - serves as the channel of communication on all matters pertaining to the States
 - oversees the allocation and use of all federal funding provided to the States, Territories and the District of Columbia



Associations

- NGAUS- National Guard Association of the United States.
- EANGUS- Enlisted Association of the National Guard of the United States.
- AGAUS- Adjutant's General Association of the United States.
- NGEDA- National Guard Executive Directors Association.



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National Guard Association of the United States (NGAUS)

- **NGAUS is a professional non-profit association and lobbies on behalf of the officers of the Army National Guard.**
- **NGAUS develops their legislative priorities through the development of resolutions that once submitted by the various states are voted upon by the national membership at the NGAUS annual conference. These priorities are published and released each December at the NGAUS Industry Day.**
- **NGAUS Task Forces are special committees appointed by the NGAUS Chairman of the board to assist the NGAUS Legislative team on processing and prioritizing state submitted resolutions. Corporate members participate in Task Force meetings.**
- **NGAUS received corporate input through the NGAUS Corporate Advisor Panel.**
- **State Associations meet in the March through June timeframe.**
- **NGAUS holds an annual conference in the August-September timeframe. This year the annual conference will be held in Denver, CO, 30AUG-3SEP.**



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The Enlisted Association of the National Guard of the United States (EANGUS)

- EANGUS is the only military association that concentrates solely on the enlisted members of the Army and Air National Guard both active and retired. It represents the 400,000 plus enlisted Soldiers and Airmen of the National Guard to ensure they have the proper equipment on hand to perform both their Federal and State mission.
- EANGUS also lobbies the Congress for benefits for all members of the National Guard and coordinates their efforts with NGAUS and AGAUS.
- Most state association meetings are held between February and June. Some are separate from state NGAUS conferences and some are held jointly.
- EANGUS holds an annual conference in August. This year the conference will be in Des Moines, Iowa, 3-8 August.



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The Adjutants General Association of the United States (AGAUS)

- **AGAUS represents the senior leadership of the Army and Air National Guard of the 54 States, Territories and District of Columbia.**
- **AGAUS is committed to a central leadership role in promoting and supporting an adequate state and national security, the efficiency of the Army and Air National Guards of the respective states, and in facilitating and improving the administration of the National Guard affairs through the agencies of the Department of Defense and the several states.**
- **AGAUS is committed to ensure the National Guard is organized, equipped, and postured to fulfill their responsibilities across the full spectrum of operations.**
- **AGAUS meets twice yearly at the AGAUS Annual meeting in June and the AGAUS Mid-winter meeting in February.**
- **AGAUS met in Whitefish, MT, 2-6 June, 2019**
- **Industry is welcome to attend.**



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National Guard Executive Directors Association

- To provide a forum for the exchange of timely information of common interest for the mutual benefit of members and the organizations they represent.
- To encourage and assist, when feasible, each state, commonwealth, territory and the District of Columbia to organize and maintain a National Guard association.
- To participate in improving the operational readiness, training and image of the National Guard on both state and national levels.
- NGEDA usually meets in January at the location of the upcoming NGAUS conference city. They will meet 19-23 January, 2020 in Boston, MA.
- Industry is welcome to attend



Key Leaders in NG States

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- TAG- The Adjutant General- Two Star General, can be Army or Air. Senior Officer in the State. Primary Military Advisor to the Governor
- CoS- Chief of Staff, Usually a Colonel, responsible for running all staff functions in a State
- CCWO- Command Chief Warrant Officer- Ranking Warrant Officer in the state
- SEL- Senior Enlisted Leader- Joint billet, senior enlisted advisor to the TAG, can be Army or Air.
- SCSM- State Command Sergeant Major, Senior Army Enlisted Soldier
- SCCM- State Command Chief Master Sergeant, Senior Air Enlisted Airman
- SAO- State Aviation Officer



Staff Positions

- G1- Deputy Chief of Staff- Personnel
- G2- Deputy Chief of Staff- Intelligence
- G3- Deputy Chief of Staff- Operations
- G4- Deputy Chief of Staff- Logistics
- G5- Deputy Chief of Staff- Plans
- G6- Deputy Chief of Staff- Signal
- G8- Deputy Chief of Staff- Finance
- USPFO- United States Property and Fiscal Office



Key Logistic Positions in a State

- USPFO- Usually a Colonel on Title 10 Orders (Federal) that reports to NGB. Responsible for insuring federal funds and property are properly distributed and managed.
- G4- Usually a Colonel that coordinates all logistics efforts in a State
- G4 SGM- Senior logistics NCO in a state, usually focuses on individual equipment and training of all supply NCO's in a state.
- Supply and Service Officer- Officer in the G4 office responsible for supply issues in the state. Sometimes in charge of the Central Issue Facility (CIF)
- CIF Manager- Manages the CIF usually a Warrant Officer.



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Uniformed Service Rank Chart

Enlisted

Army

E-1	E-2	E-3	E-4	E-5	E-6	E-7	E-8	E-9	Senior Enlisted Advisors
Private (PV1) No insignia	Private (PV2) 	Private First Class (PFC) 	Corporal (CPL) Specialist (SPC) 	Sergeant (SGT) 	Staff Sergeant (SSG) 	Sergeant First Class (SFC) 	Master Sergeant (MSG) First Sergeant (1SG) 	Sergeant Major (SGM) Command Sergeant Major (CSM) 	Sergeant Major of the Army (SMA)

Warrant Officer

Army

W-1	W-2	W-3	W-4	W-5
Warrant Officer 1 (WO1)	Chief Warrant Officer 2 (CW2)	Chief Warrant Officer 3 (CW3)	Chief Warrant Officer 4 (CW4)	Chief Warrant Officer 5 (CW5)

Officer

Army

O-1	O-2	O-3	O-4	O-5	O-6	O-7	O-8	O-9	O-10	Special
Second Lieutenant	First Lieutenant	Captain	Major	Lieutenant Colonel	Colonel	Brigadier General	Major General	Lieutenant General	General	General of the Army



United States Air Force Ranks

Rank, Pay Grade, and Insignia

Enlisted

E-1	E-2	E-3	E-4	E-5	E-6	E-7		E-8		E-9		E-9	
Air Force													
no insignia													
Airman Basic (AB)	Airman (Amn)	Airman First Class (A1C)	Senior Airman (SrA)	Staff Sergeant (SSgt)	Technical Sergeant (TSgt)	Master Sergeant (MSgt)	First Sergeant (E-7)	Senior Master Sergeant (SMSgt)	First Sergeant (E-8)	Chief Master Sergeant (CMSgt)	First Sergeant (E-9)	Command Chief Master Sergeant (CCM Sgt)	Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force (CMSAF)

Officer

O-1	O-2	O-3	O-4	O-5	O-6	O-7	O-8	O-9	O-10	
Air Force										
2nd Lieutenant (2nd Lt.)	1st Lieutenant (1st Lt.)	Captain (Capt.)	Major (Maj.)	Lieutenant Colonel (Lt. Col.)	Colonel (Col.)	Brigadier General (Brig. Gen.)	Major General (Maj. Gen.)	Lieutenant General (Lt. Gen.)	General (Gen.)	General of the Air Force (reserved for wartime only)



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State Partnership Program



73 State Partnerships

USEUCOM - 22

Albania / New Jersey (2001)
Armenia / Kansas (2002)
Azerbaijan / Oklahoma (2002)
Bosnia / Maryland (2003)
Bulgaria / Tennessee (1993)
Croatia / Minnesota (1996)
Czech Republic / Texas, Neb (1993)
Estonia / Maryland (1993)
Georgia / Georgia (1994)
Hungary / Ohio (1993)
Kosovo / Iowa (2011)
Latvia / Michigan (1993)
Lithuania / Pennsylvania (1993)
Macedonia / Vermont (1993)
Moldova / North Carolina (1996)
Montenegro / Maine (2006)
Poland / Illinois (1993)
Romania / Alabama (1993)
Serbia / Ohio (2005)
Slovakia / Indiana (1993)
Slovenia / Colorado (1993)
Ukraine / California (1993)

USCENTCOM - 5

Kazakhstan / Arizona (1993)
Jordan / Colorado (2004)
Kyrgyzstan / Montana (1996)
Tajikistan / Virginia (2003)
Uzbekistan / Mississippi (2012)

USAFRICOM - 13

Benin / North Dakota (2014)
Botswana / North Carolina (2008)
Djibouti / Kentucky (2015)
Ghana / North Dakota (2004)
Kenya / Massachusetts (2015)
Liberia / Michigan (2009)

Morocco / Utah (2003)
Niger / TBD (2016)
Nigeria / California (2006)
Senegal / Vermont (2008)
South Africa / New York (2003)
Togo / North Dakota (2014)
Tunisia / Wyoming (2004)

USNORTHCOM - 1

Bahamas / Rhode Island (2005)

USPACOM - 9

Bangladesh / Oregon (2008)
Cambodia / Idaho (2009)
Indonesia / Hawaii (2006)
Malaysia / TBD (2016)
Mongolia / Alaska (2003)
Philippines / Hawaii, Guam (2000)
Thailand / Washington (2002)
Tonga / Nevada (2014)
Vietnam / Oregon (2012)

USSOUTHCOM - 23

Argentina / TBD (2016)
Belize / Louisiana (1996)
Bolivia / Mississippi (1999)
Chile / Texas (2008)
Colombia / South Carolina (2012)
Costa Rica / New Mexico (2006)
Dominican Rep. / Puerto Rico (2003)
Ecuador / Kentucky (1996)
El Salvador / New Hampshire (2000)
Guatemala / Arkansas (2002)
Guyana / Florida (2003)
Haiti / Louisiana (2011)
Honduras / Puerto Rico (1998)
Jamaica / District of Columbia (1999)
Nicaragua / Wisconsin (2003)
Panama / Missouri (1996)
Paraguay / Massachusetts (2001)
Peru / West Virginia (1996)
RSS / Florida, Virgin Is. (2006)
Suriname / South Dakota (2006)
Trinidad-Tobago / Delaware (2004)
Uruguay / Connecticut (2000)
Venezuela / Florida (1998)



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Questions



Flow of Funds to the Army National Guard

