

**Missouri National Guard
Awards and Decorations
Fiscal Year 2017**

(Current as of 1 APR 2017)

Missouri National Guard Awards FY2017

The Soldiers and Airmen included in this report have distinguished themselves through meritorious service to their state and nation. The awards included in this report are federal awards of the Meritorious Service Medal-level and higher, as well as career field-specific awards and unit awards.

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Individual Awards

Legion of Merit

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COL	Burson, Thomas	Missouri Army National Guard
COL	Mclemore, Mark	Missouri Army National Guard
COL	Segovia, Rebecca	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Fitzpatrick, Farron	Missouri Army National Guard

Meritorious Service Medal

The Meritorious Service Medal is awarded for outstanding non-combat meritorious achievement or outstanding non-combat meritorious service to the United States.

COL	Mast, Terry	Missouri Army National Guard
LTC	Albers, Arlen	Missouri Army National Guard
LTC	Chakides, Adonis	Missouri Army National Guard
LTC	Crowder, Larry	Missouri Army National Guard
LTC	Hausman, Charles	Missouri Army National Guard
LTC	Moenster, Christopher	Missouri Army National Guard
LTC	Schulte, Andrew	Missouri Army National Guard
LTC	Snyder, Mark	Missouri Army National Guard
Lt Col	Fries, Patti	Missouri Air National Guard
MAJ	Campbell, Joseph	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Dell, Lance	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Parker, Kelly	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Spencer, Eric	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Thompson, Laird	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Toft, Steven	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Weitzel, Scott	Missouri Army National Guard
Maj	Maddin, James	Missouri Air National Guard
Maj	Myers, Scott	Missouri Air National Guard
Maj	White, Eric	Missouri Air National Guard
CPT	Bartelsmeyer, David	Missouri Army National Guard
CPT	Holem, Jonathan	Missouri Army National Guard
CPT	Hopkins, Richard	Missouri Army National Guard
CPT	Jennings, Ryan	Missouri Army National Guard
CPT	Lynn, William	Missouri Army National Guard
Capt	Payne, Matthew	Missouri Air National Guard
CW3	Elder, Jerry	Missouri Army National Guard
WOC	Hanks, Joshua	Missouri Army National Guard
CSM	Bayless, Jeffrey	Missouri Army National Guard

SGM	Brandon, Lonnie	Missouri Army National Guard
CSM	Cox, David	Missouri Army National Guard
CSM	Gail, David	Missouri Army National Guard
MSG	Cupples, Anthony	Missouri Army National Guard
MSG	Delgado, Eutimio	Missouri Army National Guard
MSG	Graves, Cindra	Missouri Army National Guard
MSG	Harris, Elnora	Missouri Army National Guard
MSG	Lackman, Bruce	Missouri Army National Guard
1SG	Piburn, Jason	Missouri Army National Guard
MSG	Stratton, Edward	Missouri Army National Guard
MSG	Uptegrove, Timothy	Missouri Army National Guard
SMSgt	Bailey, Robert	Missouri Air National Guard
SMSgt	Chaffee, John	Missouri Air National Guard
SMSgt	Filbert, Michael	Missouri Air National Guard
SMSgt	Pickman, William	Missouri Air National Guard
SMSgt	Sargent, Tracey	Missouri Air National Guard
SFC	Fear, Randall	Missouri Army National Guard
SFC	Hampton, Matthew	Missouri Army National Guard
SFC	Mell, Joseph	Missouri Army National Guard
SFC	Phillips, Kevan	Missouri Army National Guard
SFC	Pounds, William	Missouri Army National Guard
SFC	Pulliam, Amy	Missouri Army National Guard
SFC	Surma, Todd	Missouri Army National Guard
SFC	Thorp, Willard	Missouri Army National Guard
MSgt	Trent, Joshua	Missouri Air National Guard
SFC	Turner, Eric	Missouri Army National Guard
SFC	Yeagle, James	Missouri Army National Guard
MSgt	Alderson, Gregory	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Bush, Adam	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Dapron, Zachariah	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Earl, Tasha	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Fambrough, Leslie	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Fite, Eric	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Hamerle, Christopher	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Hamilton, Jonathon	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Henke, Jason	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Hufty, Adam	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Kuhl, Jennifer	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Kuzara, Craig	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Reynolds, Randall	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Scott, Anne	Missouri Air National Guard

MSgt	Smith, Scott	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Upton, Terry	Missouri Air National Guard
SSG	Dickinson, Ricky	Missouri Army National Guard
SSG	Knight, Henry	Missouri Army National Guard
TSgt	Bobela, Jeffrey	Missouri Air National Guard
TSgt	Henderson, Todd	Missouri Air National Guard
TSgt	Phillips, Todd	Missouri Air National Guard
SGT	Edmond, Golden	Missouri Army National Guard

Meritorious Service Medal – First Oak Leaf Cluster

The First Oak Leaf Cluster indicates a second award of the Meritorious Service Medal.

CW5	Murrell, Robert	Missouri Army National Guard
Col	Lekey, Rodrick	Missouri Air National Guard
Lt Col	Cheney, Mark	Missouri Air National Guard
LTC	Coyle, Joseph	Missouri Army National Guard
Lt Col	Dunfee, Michael	Missouri Air National Guard
LTC	Hillman, Kevin	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Bennett, Alan	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Fitzpatrick, Farron	Missouri Army National Guard
Maj	Orth, Thomas	Missouri Air National Guard
CMSgt	Blankenship, Jerry	Missouri Air National Guard
SGM	Hart, Joyce	Missouri Army National Guard
CMSgt	Johnson, Joshua	Missouri Air National Guard
CMSgt	Settle, Jessica	Missouri Air National Guard
CMSgt	Smith, Mark	Missouri Air National Guard
CSM	Stone, Jonathan	Missouri Army National Guard
SMSgt	Smith, Eric	Missouri Air National Guard
SMSgt	Swearingin, David	Missouri Air National Guard
MSgt	Songer, Douglas	Missouri Air National Guard
SSG	Dickinson, Ricky	Missouri Army National Guard

Meritorious Service Medal – Second Oak Leaf Cluster

The second Oak Leaf Cluster indicates a third award of the Meritorious Service Medal.

LTC	Bodenschatz, Roger	Missouri Army National Guard
MAJ	Roth, Robert	Missouri Army National Guard
CSM	Meers, Timothy	Missouri Army National Guard
SMSgt	Stroup, David	Missouri Air National Guard
1SG	Welty, Lawrence	Missouri Army National Guard

Missouri Legion of Merit

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CMSgt Clark, Laura Missouri Air National Guard

Missouri Meritorious Service Medal

Presented to individuals who have done and performed valorous or meritorious military service which reflects honorably and creditably upon the state of Missouri.

1st Lt. Foster, William Missouri Air National Guard

MSgt. Morris, Matthew Missouri Air National Guard

SrA Hinton, Jeffrey Missouri Air National Guard

Missouri Conspicuous Service Medal

Presented to individuals designated by the Governor who have done and performed distinguished and conspicuous service or services either civil or military which reflect honorably and creditably upon the state of Missouri.

CW2 Leonard, Kristy Missouri Army National Guard

MSgt. Dumont, Thomas Missouri Air National Guard

TSgt Klenke, Anthony Missouri Air National Guard