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NARRATIVE

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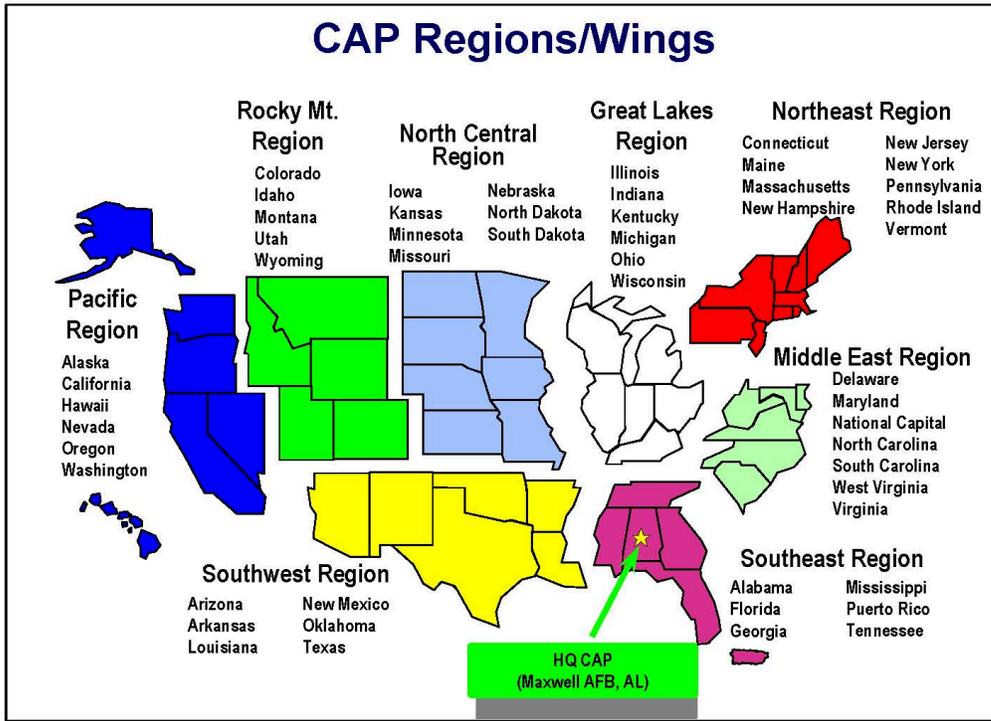


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CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION

The Southeast Region continues to be the largest region in CAP and one of the most active. This report will illustrate the contributions of the Hq element to the successful operation of the Region.

Hq SER was active in all three core missions: Emergency Services, Aerospace Education, and Cadet Programs; and provided command and control for SER wings supporting the Air Force, the United States Government, and region-wide state and local governments.

In 2013, Hq SER was the CAP coordinator for NORTHCOM's Tier 1 Defense Support to Civil Authorities Exercise, Ardent Sentry, which would once again³ occur within the Southeast Region, specifically impacting Alabama, Florida, and Georgia Wings, along with South Carolina Wing from Neighboring Missile East Region (and before the exercise was over aircrews from Tennessee). This exercise simulated multiple hurricanes impacting the effected states at multiple points, and the four impacted wings flew sorties simulating both local and federal taskings⁴

Hq SER is organized on the A-staff concept, with a DCS in charge of each A-staff division. Activities and accomplishments described will be by A-staff division.

Commander	Col Alvin Bedgood
Vice Commander Operations	Col Barry Melton
Vice Commander Support	Col Wesley Hannah
Chief of Staff	Col Luis Cubano

³ Ardent Sentry 2010 was executed on the Georgia/South Carolina Boarder area, while Ardent Sentry 2011 reflected a potential New Madrid Event and included TNWG.

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CHAPTER 2: A-1 MANPOWER AND PERSONNEL

DCS, Lt Col Pedro A. Torres
Director of Administration, Lt Col Virginia Cullity
Director of Personnel Lt Col Pedro A. Torres
Director of Professional Development, Lt Col Joe Wilkins
Director of Recruiting and Retention, Maj Dave Hyden
Historian, Lt Col Richard Mulanax

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1. Director of Administration, Lt Col Virginia Cullity: The Director reviewed all SE supplements, operating instructions form and personnel authorizations. Updates were made as necessary. The SER staff directory was updated twice during the year.
2. Director of Personnel: this position is vacant but the duties were performed by the CDS A1, Lt Col Pedro A. Torres.
3. Recruiting and Retention: Maj Dave Hyden became the Director of Recruiting and Retention in May. Nothing reported beyond the names of the members that joined and renewed during the year.
4. Director of Professional Development, Lt Col Joe Wilkins.

Professional Development analyzed existing situation and submitted recommendations to correct the inaccuracies in the unit roster, duty assignments, and organization chart. There are members assigned to the unit that have no duty assignment and some who have not completed all the mandatory requirements such as EO, Introduction to Safety, and specialty track with ratings to agree with duty assignment. The organization chart on the website is not current. The website is not functional in that it is usually unavailable and sign-in is not possible per the instructions. Several members do not have a photo on file and many are not safety current. There are no job descriptions for most of the positions in the present organization structure (A-1 through A-6) since they are different from those defined in CAPR 20-1.

The Director of Professional Development made two presentations on "What's New in PD" at the region conference on May 11. Fourteen members attended. The Region Staff College was combined with the Cadet Leadership School and held at the Knoxville, Tennessee airport ANG base on 30Jun to 06Jul. Only three seniors attended the RSC probably because of the uncertainty about budget and schedule during the planning stage. Specialty tracks 218 and 228 were eliminated. 218, Plans and Programs, was considered to be adequately covered by other programs. 228, Drug Demand Reduction, was combined with Cadet Programs.

5. Historian, Lt Col Richard Mulanax, May – Dec 2013.

- a. The Historian position was vacant from Jan-April 2013. The new Historian appointed in May 2013 found that neither 2012 wing histories nor the 2012 Hq SER history were in progress, and action had to be taken to create and submit the histories. Hq SER and several but not all wings submitted their 2012 reports to the Chief Historian. For the 2013 history, all wings and Hq SER submitted histories on time.
- b. Lt Col Mulanax was appointed ADY as National Historical Editor. In this position, he worked with Capt Kurt Efinger to create the CAP Historical Journal at NHQ level. Mulanax was primary editor of the new CAPP 223, and was appointed Editor of the upcoming history of CAP, *Eyes on the Home Skies*. Capt Kurt Efinger was appointed ADY at NHQ as Editor of the CAP Historical Journal and has edited all issues since the publication of its first issue.

6. Region Chaplain, Lt Col Jim Howell.

Southeast Region Deputy Headquarters Chaplain, Lt Col Marcus Taylor
Southeast Region College Chaplain, Lt Col David Lefavor
Advisor to Southeast Region Chaplaincy, Lt Col Oscar Cope

- a. Lt Col Howell participated in the following activities:
 - i. On March 23 - Southeast Region's Safety Briefing.
 - ii. Military Chaplains Association of America's Annual Meeting in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania from 9 April – 11 April. He was elected Secretary of MCA's National Executive Committee.
 - iii. Southeast Region Conference in Peachtree City, Georgia from 10 May – 12 May at the Wyndham Conference Center. I led a seminar for Chaplains and CDIs and I led the Protestant Worship Service on Sunday morning, 12 May.
 - iv. Attended my denomination's Annual Conference from 10 June – 13 June where I met with my conference leaders to discuss the role of chaplaincy.
 - v. Attended the Mississippi Wing Conference in Jackson, Mississippi from 19 July – 21 July where I led a seminar for Chaplains and CDIs.
 - vi. Attended the Civil Air Patrol's Chaplain Advisory Council meeting in Denver in conjunction with the National Civil Air Patrol Conference from 14 August – 18 August. I met with CAP's Chief of Chaplains, Col, Delano Ellis and the other Region Chaplains in the Civil Air Patrol to discuss changes in the CAP chaplaincy.

- vii. Attended the Military Chaplains Association's National Executive Committee meeting 11 November – 13 May in Alexandria, Virginia.
- b. Southeast Region Chaplain Region Staff College in Leesburg, Florida from 6 May – 9 May. The Director for the College was Lt Col Marcus Taylor. We had seventeen attendees.

CHAPTER III A-3 AIR AND GROUND OPERATIONS

Director of Operations ¹	Lt Col Harry E. Jones
Aircraft Coordinator ¹	Major Randall Stastny
Standardization/Evaluation Officer	Lt Col Joe B. Brown
CIS Officer	Lt Col Judith Steele
Homeland Security Officer	Lt Col Edward C. Wolff
Assistant	Major Vincent L. Boyer
Assistant Counterdrug Director	Major Richard W. Brady
Assistant Counterdrug Director	Lt Col Edward L. Kessler
Director of Emergency Services ²	Lt Col Joseph L. Knight, III
Disaster Relief Officer	Major George R. Borsari
ES Training Officer	Major Lazaro D. Garcia

Narrative Summary

2013 proved to be a productive, yet challenging year for the Southeast Region A-3 staff and this was heralded by the 2013 Southeast Region Operations Conference, which was held at Tyndall AFB, FL on the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday Weekend, which presented serious logistical challenges for the activity, which nonetheless proved to be a valuable and effective activity. While other regions have followed suit Southeast Region pioneered this sort of activity in January of 2010 and it remains a fixture of the Southeast Region calendar. The SER Operations Conference is a gathering of the Command and Operations staves of the Region Headquarters and the six wings within the region to discuss issues ranging from the Training Calendar and issues with WMIRS to big picture issues related to Emergency Services Doctrine. 2013 also produced the first major expansion of this activity with the inclusion of the region and wing communication staves (in the form of their directors).

This year's Operations Conference proved particularly important since NORTHCOM's Tier 1 Defense Support to Civil Authorities Exercise, Ardent Sentry, would once again³ occur within the Southeast Region, specifically impacted Alabama, Florida, and Georgia Wings, along with South Carolina Wing from Neighboring Missile East Region (and before the exercise was over aircrews from Tennessee). This exercise simulated multiple hurricanes impacted the effected states at multiple points and while the four impacted wings flew sorties simulating both local and federal taskings⁴ SER stood up an Area Command at Dobbins ARB, GA to oversee and coordinate the total CAP response and provide support to the operating wings.

¹ Listed as an DCS, Operations Assistant in EServices

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Traditionally in the aftermath of Ardent Sentry the A-3 staff can take a moment to catch their collective breath as the wings enjoy the good flying and training weather proffered by summer, but that would not entirely be the case this year with the changes made to the National Flight Academy Program. While, strictly speaking a cadet activity, changes made that year by National Headquarters made the regions the effective sponsors for these activities and since they involve our aircraft as well as our cadets the Operations Directorate provided support to this activity which has a major, positive impact on the Operations Tempo of SERs Gliders and the Powered Aircraft that support them.

The summer ended with Standardization and Evaluation Staff flying to PRWG and overseeing a Mountain Flying Clinic for that wing's aircrews.

In addition to these specific activities, the members of the A-3 staff conducted numerous visits to local units and subordinate headquarters units, participated in local SAREX's and actual missions, flew cadet orientation flights and liaised with outside agencies, as exemplified by FEMA Region IV RISC meeting attended by the A-3/DOS.

The year ended with a series of Conference Calls leading up to the 2014 Operations Conference, which will be held in January 2014, beginning another year in the ongoing cycle of challenges and success which has typified Southeast Region, since the earliest days of Civil Air Patrol.

CHAPTER IV A-4 LOGISTICS

DCS A-5, Logistics, Lt Col Jean DuBois
Lt Col Bruce Sage – Asst Deputy Chief of Staff, Supply Officer
Major Sandra McKenzie – Transportation Officer
Asst Supply Officer Major Stacey Sage – Real Property Officer
Asst Transportation Officer, Asst Supply Officer

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The results of the CAP/USAF Survey Audit were “Outstanding”. This is the 9th consecutive rating of “Excellent” or Better. For the first time, the Annual Equipment Re-Validation was accomplished on time. At the SER Conference, the Logistic Class was well attended.

Major activities were as follows:

Logistics

Georgia Wing Conference April 2013
SER Region Conference May 2013
CAP/USAF Survey Audit July 2013
Annual Equipment Re-Validation Dec 2013

Transportation

June 2013 - Conversion of Driver Licenses From CAP Form 75 to CAP Form 100
Jan 2013 - Established a Workable Program to Insure On-Time Reporting of Vehicle Mileage

CHAPTER IV PLANS, PROGRAMS, AND REQUIREMENTS

DCS A-5, Plans, Programs, and Requirements, Lt Col Richard Mulanax Jan-May 2013, followed by Capt Kurt Efinger, June-Dec 2013

Director of Aerospace Education	Lt Col Dave Garner
Director of Cadet Programs	Lt Col Gerry Otero
Director of Drug Demand Reduction	Capt Kurt Efinger
Director of Plans	Capt Kurt Efinger
Cadet Advisory Council Advisor	Maj Corey Hamilton

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Aerospace Education

The Southeast Region Aerospace Education mission continues to educate our cadet and seniors on aerospace education and to reach out to the public through public and private education at all levels.

The SER has a leadership position in aerospace education through the quality of our existing program and our efforts to improve AE at both a region and national level.

SER established and helped staff the National Aerospace Officers School held each June in Florida. That school is now in its 13th year and has trained hundreds of AE officers in all areas of AE. SER DCS and AE staff help with this school and help staff it.

The SER has achieved the top scores in aerospace education at wing level in the nation for most years in the last 10 years with Florida Wing leading the nation most years.

The SER has one of the few college graduate level aerospace education teachers workshops with the University of Tennessee's AE Teacher Workshop now in its 19 year. That workshop is staffed by CAP AEO's and is serving as an example of a college credit AE workshop for the nation.

AEX completed SER

104 " Highest in the Nation"

Cadet Programs:

4-6 APR 2013 SER Cadet Competition, Maxwell AFB, AL
Cadet Advisory Council meetings were held on a quarterly basis.

CHAPTER 6 A-6 COMMUNICATIONS

DCS A-6, Communications, Lt Col Joel Katz

Communications Licensing Officer	Stokesberry	John	1st Lt
Communications Officer	Torres	Edgardo	Lt Col
Director of Information Technology	Sims	Robert	Lt Col
Director of Public Affairs	Norris	Phillip	Maj
Asst Director Of Public Affairs	Lawson	James	Lt Col
Asst Director Of Public Affairs	Landram	Mark	Capt
Asst Director Of Public Affairs	Lartigue	Jonathan	Maj

Narrative Summary

Communications

We started off being informed that we were required to follow the Regulations, but there would not be a 2013 National Communications plan to follow to revise the Region plan and submit it to upper and lower echelons. As such, we advised all Wing DCs to review their 2012 plans and bring them into conformance with the 2012 Region plan with a few suggestions on bolstering our ALE and HF nets.

We held 36 conference calls on various levels and areas of operation to include 11 monthly calls with all DCs and Region Command staff invited. We had 16 item specific calls to include Constant Watch and other National and local exercises, severe weather and conferences. We also held one specific to how PA and Communications needs to work together and laid out plans for future interaction.

Communications team staff members attended over 50 local unit meetings, 5 Wing Conferences, the SER conference, National Board and National Communications Managers conference.

With assistance from the Region staff members that have HF radio capabilities, we have been at a 92% check in ratio on the Wing and Region nets on a monthly basis. Every station has been on the air during the year, with many SER radio operators logging over 20 hours a week between the various HF and VHF nets.

A few highlights of 2013 - Lt Col Mercer Richardson former NCR DC transferred to SER and took the Assistant DCS Communications slot, attended NSC and received his Wilson Award. On one Region Wide exercise we had 68 stations involved in communications relay. We have issued out all HF radios, all but 2 VHF (non mission) mobile / base radios 3 VHF (non mission) hand held radios and built one quick deployment kit of hand held, base/mobile radio with power supply, coax, antenna and extension cord that can be shipped anywhere needed within a few hours of being requested

Public Affairs

(NOTE - we started out strong, then as the SER DPA got close to his wedding date and following it, he was not as active. As such, a new DPA was installed early FY 14 and the previous Director was asked to stay on and assist.)

During the first and second quarter the DPA was active in connecting with the Wing PAOs and was assisting them in writing their PA and Crisis plans.

SER DPA was asked by the MS Wing CC to handle all press functions related to the accident and passing of three members including former SER CC Col. Tilton. There were some very favorable comments from news station personnel on how CAP handled the process.

There were a number of calls between PA and IT on various subjects and PA attended 4 SER A6 staff conference calls and many individual calls to the Wing PAOs.

DPA attended the SER Conference as well as some local unit meetings in AL.

Information Technology

We had a smooth beginning then had multiple problems with our web site going off line intermittently for a few months. The company hosting us finally located the problem and corrected it. A large number of units in FL and PR have come on line with us and there has been scattered interfacing with other Wings. One Wing is running its own site and has very little on the SER site. We have been publishing all events given to us and posting news articles, Change of Command, changes in position of Region staff and other items including biographies when needed. as they become available.

On the Social end, working with DPA to make sure we are watching activity and removing any items which were posted that could be an issue.

As we moved to a new process, the DIT revised the guide and submitted it through channels to the SER CC for approval.

Attended 3 SER A6 conference calls and multiple one-on-one calls with DCS A6 on various subjects.

CHAPTER VII DIRECTOR OF SAFETY

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

Director of Safety: Lt Col William Woody

Southeast Region Staff participated in CAP's Annual Safety Day. It was held on Saturday March 23, 2013 with good participation by staff members. National emphasis was placed on the following:

For ALL CAP AIRCREW QUALIFIED MEMBERS:

Ground Education: At least one hour of ground training covering the responsibilities of crew members in all roles - pilot, observer, and scanner.

In-flight Education: Pilots and Non-rated Crew - 2 Flights Learning and Demonstrating proper flight procedures especially Crew Resourced Management (CRM).

For ALL CAP GROUND RELATED ACTIVITIES:

Education addressing – Cadet Fainting, Heat Awareness, and Safety Leadership – Confirmation of risk management and operations risk safety briefings.

SER SUGGESTED ALTERNATIVES:

Attending a local FAA Safety Team (FAASTeam) seminar or completing the on-line course - Fundamentals of Fire Extinguisher Training.

The annual Operational Risk Management (ORM) training was presented to SER Staff at the 2013 SER Conference in Peachtree City, GA on May 11, 2013.

Other parts of the SER safety program include a Safety Summary and Briefing at the annual SER Operations Conference with 1st Air Force at Tyndall AFB, FL. The Region Safety Officer also attends wing conferences and conducts local unit visits as often as possible. Periodic conference calls with SER wing commanders and safety officers and members involved with cadet encampments are held every spring under the direction of the region commander. The region safety officer also performs safety incident investigations within the region/wings as required. Communication with wing commanders and safety officers is ongoing.

CHAPTER VIII: DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

The annual budget for FY13 for Southeast Region was \$101,700. Of this, \$76,932.41, or 76%, was spent, and \$24,767.59, or 24%, remained. Major program areas include:

- Region Staff College
- Cadet Competition
- Chaplain Staff College
- Conference Expenses
- Cadet Advisory Council
- CISM Training
- Region Cadet Leadership School
- Glider Academies
- Actual and Training Mission Expenses
- Cadet Program Expenses
- Administrative and Travel Expenses

For revenue and expense details, see Attachment IV.

Submitted by

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Southeast Region Historian



APPENDIX 1 CHRONOLOGY

JANUARY

10 –12	TN WG	<i>Emergency Services School, TBD, TN</i>
11 – 12	PRWG	<i>Training Leaders of Cadets (TLC), Hoare, San Juan, PR</i>
17-19	MSWG	<i>Cadet Conference, Lake Tiak O'Khata, Louisville, MS</i>
17– 20	TN WG	<i>Group IV SAREX, KDYR Dyersburg Regional Airport, TN</i>
18-19	PRWG	<i>SLS/CLC, Guayanilla, PR</i>
24 – 26	MSWG	<i>Squadron Commander Retreat, Lake Tiak O'Khata, Louisville, MS</i>
24 – 26	SER	<i>OPS Conference, Tyndall AFB, Panama City, FL</i>

JANUARY (CONT)

31 JAN to FEB 14	PRWG	<i>Staff Assistance Visit (SAV), Universidad Interamericana, Isla Grande</i>
31 JAN to 2 FEB 14	FLWG	<i>Cadet Competition, Patrick AFB, FL</i>
31 JAN to 2 FEB 14	FLWG	<i>Special Activities Selection Board, Patrick AFB, FL</i>

FEBRUARY

7 – 10	TN WG	<i>Group I FTX, McCord Farm, Alcoa, TN</i>
11	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
14-16	FLWG	<i>Florida Leadership Academy, Allure Resort, Orlando, FL</i>
15-16	PWG	<i>SLS/CLC, Universidad Interamericana, Isla Grande, PR</i>
21 – 24	TN WG	<i>Group I and II SAREX, Crossville Memorial, Whitson, TN</i>
22-23	GAWG	<i>CLC, DeKalb-Peachtree Airport, Chamblee, GA</i>
26 FEB to 2 MAR	NHQ	<i>Command Council Meeting, Washington DC</i>

MARCH

5 – 7	TN WG	<i>Legislative Days, Nashville, TN</i>
7-9	TN WG	<i>Professional Development, (TBD), TN</i>
8	MSWG	<i>“Command Call,” MSWG HQ, Jackson, MS</i>
11	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
14 –16	FLWG	<i>FLWG Conference, Doubletree Hilton, SeaWorld, Orlando, FL</i>
15	FLWG	<i>FLWG Change of Command, Doubletree Hilton, Orlando, FL</i>
21-23	ALWG	<i>ALWG CONFERENCE, Marriott Hotel Conference Center, Prattville, TN</i>
21 – 24	TN WG	<i>Group II SAREX, Cleveland Regional Jetport, Cleveland, TN</i>
28-30	MSWG	<i>Mississippi Wing Conference, Jackson (TBD), MS</i>
28 – 29	TN WG	<i>Commander’s Call, Nashville, TN</i>

APRIL

4-7	TN WG	<i>Group III SAREX, KM54 Lebanon Municipal Airport, TN</i>
4-6	SER	<i>Cadet Competition, Maxwell AFB, AL</i>
8	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
11-13	GAWG	<i>Georgia Wing Conference, Marriott City Center, Macon, GA</i>
25-27	FLWG	<i>Ultimate Cadet Challenge, Camp Blanding, Starke, FL</i>
26-27	GAWG	<i>Senior IG Course, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>

MAY

2 – 3	TN WG	<i>Staff Training (encampment), Ft. Campbell, KY</i>
9-11	TN WG	<i>E S School, KTHA Tullahoma Regional Airport, Tullahoma, TN</i>
13	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
15 – 16	SER	<i>SER Senior IG, ICS 300, ICS 400, Dolce Resort, Peachtree City, GA</i>
16-18	SER	<i>SER CONFERENCE, Dolce Resort, Peachtree City, GA</i>
19 – 23	SER	<i>CCSC (Chaplains Staff College), Moody AFB, GA</i>
23 – 26	TN WG	<i>Group IV FTX, Big Hill Pond, TN</i>

JUNE

1 – 7	SER	<i>SER Staff College, McGhee-Tyson ANGB, Knoxville, TN</i>
1-7	SER	<i>SER Honor Guard Academy, McGhee-Tyson ANGB, Knoxville, TN</i>
7	MSWG	<i>“Command Call,” MSWG HQ, Jackson, MS</i>
7-14	TN WG	<i>Encampment, Ft. Campbell, KY</i>
10	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
20 – 28	AL/MSWG	<i>AL/MS Encampment (joint), Camp McCain, Grenada, MS</i>
27 – 30	TN WG	<i>Group IV SAREX, KM08 Wm. L Whitehurst Field, Bolivar, TN</i>

JULY

8	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
11 – 14	TNWG	<i>Group III SAREX, KM33 Sumner County Regional Airport, Gallatin, TN</i>
18-20	SER	<i>Commander’s Call, Sevierville, TN</i>
19 JUL to	NHQ	<i>National Emergency Services Academy (NESA), Camp</i>
Atterbury,		
Indiana		
2 AUG		

AUGUST

12	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
22-24	MSWG	<i>Ops Eval, MSWG HQ, Jackson, MS</i>
22 – 25	TNWG	<i>Group IV SAREX, KPHT Henry County, Paris, TN</i>

SEPTEMBER

9	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
5 – 7	TNWG	<i>ES School, Upper Cumberland Regional Airport, Sparta, TN</i>
13	MSWG	<i>“Command Call,” MSWG HQ, Jackson, MS</i>
19 – 21	MSWG	<i>Annual PD weekend (SLS, CLC & UCC), MSWG HQ, Jackson, MS</i>

OCTOBER

14	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
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NOVEMBER

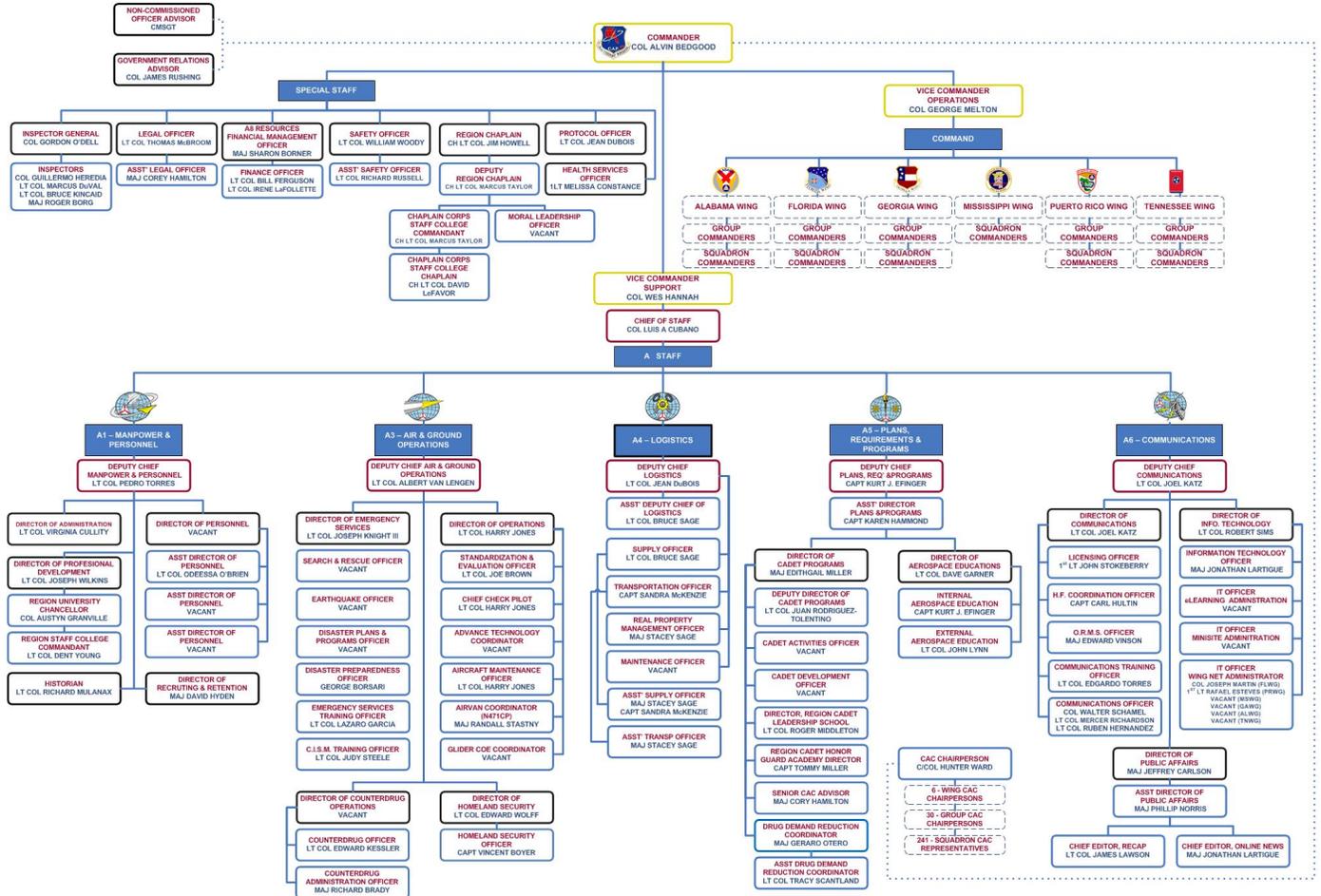
11	GAWG	<i>Wing staff meeting, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>
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DECEMBER

6	MSWG	<i>“Command Call,” MSWG HQ, Jackson, MS</i>
6	MSWG	<i>Christmas Party, (TBD), Jackson, MS</i>
6	PRWG	<i>P RWG Conference, Mayagüez Resort & Casino, Mayagüez, PR</i>
9	GAWG	<i>Wing Christmas Party, GAWG HQ, Dobbins ARB, Marietta, GA</i>

APPENDIX II SOUTHEAST REGION ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

ORGANIZATION OF THE SOUTHEAST REGION



AS OF 27 MARCH 2014

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APPENDIX III HEADQUARTERS SOUTHEAST REGION PERSONNEL STATISTICS

Twenty-nine awards were processed during the year plus thirty “for the year” awards, 25 special promotions, one retirement, one citizenship waiver, one command pilot rating waiver, and one patron to active request.

Duron, Eric C	Meritorious Service Award	FL-423
Boyer, Andrew	Exceptional Service Award MSA	AL-001
Bannon, Harry	Nat Cmdr Commendation MSA	TN-087
Vazques-Rosa, Jose	Exceptional Service Award MSA	PR-161
Young, John	Meritorious Service Award	TN-173
PRWG	Unit Citation	PR-001
Duckett, Kermit	Exceptional Service Award	TN-001
Albee, Richard E.	Exceptional Service Award	MS-107
Conerly, Charlie W	Exceptional Service Award	MS-044
Hornosky, Gary G.	Meritorious Service Award	MS-066
Tate, Christopher A.	Exceptional Service Award MSA	AL-113
Atwell, Glen	Exceptional Service Award	SER-001
Ferguson, William H.	Exceptional Service Award	SER-001
Ortiz, Bartolo	Exceptional Service Award	SER-001
Auburn Composite Squadron	Unit Citation	AL-113
Brown, Victoria	Exceptional Service Award MSA	FL-001
PDK Senior Sqdn	Unit Citation	GA-130
Leibowitz, Stanley H.	Exceptional Service Award	SER-001
Inniss, Akeem O.	Meritorious Service Award	PR-900
Aponte, Luis	Meritorious Service Award	PR-170
Cana-Gerena, Elba	Meritorious Service Award	PR-001
Fernandez, Gabriel E.	Exceptional Service Award	PR-170
Rivera, Marie A.	Exceptional Service Award	PR-001
Orsini, Francisco A.	Exceptional Service Award	PR-001
Fernandez, Rafael	Exceptional Service Award MSA	PR-170
Vila, Jose G.	Meritorious Service Award	PR-001
Hester, Charles	Meritorious Service Award ESA	AL-001
Soto, Elsa M.	Exceptional Service Award MSA	PR-151
Baez, Walt E.	Exceptional Service Award MSA	PR-150
Arford, Dennis	Armed Forces Officer	GA 452
Trayer, Gene	Armed Forces Officer	GA 116
Wallace, John P	Armed Forces Officer	TN 162
Siffring, Cory	Armed Forces Officer	TN 004
Terrell, Robert	Armed Forces Officer	TN-087
Nieves, Luz E.	Nurse Officer	SER-001
Kapuscak, Andrew C.	Armed Forces Officer	TN-133
Frich, Gregory G.	Armed Forces Officer	GA-002
Wolfe, Jon G.	Armed Forces Officer	GA-075

Hernandez, Ruben A	Medical Off Subsequent Promotion	PR-079
Jones, Joseph	Exceptional Qualifications	GA 808
Karakas, Michael J	Armed Forces Officer	GA 098
Vasilas, Cristos	Armed Forces Officer	FL-076
Zuniga, Ray A.	Armed Forces Officer	FL-423
Hodges, Harry	Armed Forces Officer	MS-001
Albee, Richard E.	Exceptional Qualifications	MS-107
Crawford, Richard R.	Armed Forces Officer	TN-246
Hunsuck, Donald E.	Armed Forces Officer	FL-293
Litten, Carole E.	Armed Forces Officer	FL-376
Garrison, Kenneth A.	Armed Forces Officer	FL-182
Benitez, Rafael	Armed Forces Officer	PR-170
Pevey, Joseph F.	Exceptional Qualifications	MS-001
Talton, Willie I.	Wing Legislative Liaison	GA-999
Johansen, Kenneth A.	Armed Forces Officer	FL-435

2013 Awards:

- (a) Frank G. Brewer Sr. CAP Memorial Aerospace Education Award Category I - C/2d Lt Carlos M. Arroyo PRWG
- (b) Frank G. Brewer Sr. CAP Memorial Aerospace Education Award Category II - Capt Shaun J. Kelly MSWG
- (c) Frank G. Brewer Sr., CAP Memorial Aerospace Education Award, Category III - Non CAP Member- Inter-American University of PR
- (d) Frank G. Brewer Sr., CAP Memorial Aerospace Education Award, Category IV - Lifetime Achievement - Lt Col Michael P. Hainsey MSWG
- (e) Major General Jeanne M. Holm, CAP Aerospace Education Officer of the Year - Maj Gary A. Dahlke FLWG
- (f) Aerospace Education Teacher of the Year - Ms. Laura J. Pink FLWG
- (g) Air Force Association (AFA), CAP AEROSPACE CADET OF THE YEAR - C/A1C Robert A. Mallory FLWG
- (h) Cadet of the Year Phase I - C/SrA Hunter D. Toth FLWG
- (i) Cadet of the Year Phase II - C/TSgt Noa G. Bender MSWG
- (j) Cadet of the Year Phase III - C/1st Lt Iriolexis C. Encalada FLWG
- (k) Cadet of the Year Phase IV - C/Col Robert H. Ward FLWG
- (l) John V. (Jack) Sorenson Cadet Program Officer of the Year - Lt Col Michael J. Guthrie ALWG
- (m) Air Force Sergeants Association Award (AFSA), Outstanding National Cadet NCO of the Year - C/SMSgt Jose G. Casillas PRWG
- (n) Col Edwin Lewis Incident Staff Member of the Year - Lt Col James E. Wiley MSWG
- (o) Col Dion E. DeCamp Ground Team of the Year - Treasure Coast Comp Sqdn FLWG
- (p) Norm Edwards Counter Drug Officer of the Year - Capt Luis Aponte PRWG
- (q) Personnel Officer of the Year - Maj Patricia K. Coghlan ALWG

- (r) Col Robert 'Bud' Payton national Public Affairs Officer of the Year - Maj Kim A. Miller ALWG
- (s) Finance Officer of the Year - Lt Col Elsa M. Soto PRWG
- (t) Inspector General of the Year - Capt Ronald G. Turner MSWG
- (u) Professional Development Officer of the Year - No nomination substantiated
- (v) Administration Officer of the Year - Maj Randolph G. Crowder ALWG
- (w) Property Manager of the Year - Maj Marie Berninger FLWG
- (x) Communicator of the Year - Lt Col Ruben A. Hernandez PRWG
- (y) Safety Officer of the Year - Maj Christopher Savage GAWG
- (z) Squadron Chaplain of the Year - Lt Col David R. Smelser MSWG
- (aa) Senior Chaplain of the Year - Lt Col Linda J. Pugsley FLWG
- (bb) Col Lester Hopper Historian of the Year - No one qualified per CAPR 210-1
- (cc) Character Development Instructor of the Year - Lt Col Zulma Matos PRWG
- (dd) Drug Demand Reduction Member of the Year - Lt Col Marie Ann Rivera PRWG
- (ee) George Texido Legislative Officer of the Year - Lt Col Gabriel Fernandez PRWG
- (ff) Senior Member of the Year - Col William Bass ALWG
- (gg) Region Staff Officer of the Year - Lt Col Pedro A. Torres SER
- (hh) Region Safety Award – PRWG
- (ii) Outstanding DDR Wing of the Year - No Nominations
- (jj) Squadron of Distinction - Smyrna Composite Squadron TNWG

b. A specialty track study guide for 222, Command, was issued. SER staff assigned the master rating to five members, six none ratings, one senior, and one technician. The entire region assigned 20 masters, 34 without rating, 20 seniors, and 30 technicians.

c. Processed Level V requests for the Commander. SER members who received the Wilson Award are:

CAPID	NAME	RANK	DATE	UNIT
375946	Chris Rousseau	Maj	12 Jul	AL-001
439917	James Kilgore	Maj	12 Jul	AL-001
428325	Julian Bishop	Maj	12 Jul	AL-024
122607	Alfred Boyd	Lt Col	12 Jul	AL-041
105965	Gerald Koellsted	Lt Col	13 Sep	AL-113
179338	James Scott	Lt Col	12 Jul	AL-123
134926	Gary Wright	Maj	01 Nov	AL-132
421616	Ladde Mayer	Maj	12 Jul	AL-132
148516	Luis Garcia	Lt Col	11 Sep	FL-001
301727	Michael Cook	Col	29 Jul	FL-001
375964	Roger Helton	Lt Col	06 Jun	FL-001
460331	Katharyn Downing	Maj	17 Apr	FL-001
325803	Ramon Nunez	Lt Col	25 Jun	FL-010
335564	Chris Duemmel	Lt Col	23 Nov	FL-025
359711	Linda Pugsley	Lt Col	06 Jun	FL-089
370949	John Clark	Maj	25 Jun	FL-249
396796	Jeffrey Carlson	Maj	25 Jun	FL-370

398363	John Caldwell	Lt Col	21 Oct	GA-045
410478	Ernest Sanders	Maj	07 May	GA-112
327362	Brent Bracewell	Lt Col	09 May	GA-116
348724	David Rogers	Maj	19 Jul	MS-001
196965	David Younce	Lt Col	25 Jun	MS-102
106182	David Nieves	Lt Col	23 Sep	PR-068
425404	Harrell Cobb	Lt Col	11 Feb	TN-015