

**DRILL STATUS GUARDSMAN
POSITION VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT
116 WEATHER FLIGHT, WASHINGTON AIR NATIONAL GUARD
DSG ANNOUNCEMENT # 18-77**

WASHINGTON AIR NATIONAL GUARD	OPENING DATE:	CLOSING DATE:	POSITION NUMBER:
Unit Address: 127 41st Division Way Camp Murray, WA 98430-5025	01JUN2018	UNTIL FILLED	0132276
POSITION TITLE, GRADE, AFSC, FACILITY:			
Weather Forecaster, SSgt-MSgt, AFSC: 1W071 or cross-train opportunity			
MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR CONSIDERATION:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Must be a Technical Sergeant or promotion-eligible Staff Sergeant if AFSC qualified. If applicant is a cross-trainee, he / she must be either a Technical Sergeant or a Master Sergeant willing to sign an "Overgrade" acknowledgement memorandum. 2. Must meet the Air Force physical fitness standards. 3. Must possess a current SECRET security clearance. 			
SPECIALIZED EXPERIENCE:			
<p>*This is a cross-train opportunity</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Must possess strong mid-tier to senior leadership qualities with character of the highest integrity. 2. Must have an in-depth knowledge and experience in managing unit-level operations, training, and resources. 3. Must demonstrate excellent interpersonal and communication skills, both orally and in writing, at all levels. 4. Ability to participate in worldwide mobility tasking(s) is <i>mandatory</i>. 5. Ability to utilize Air Force Training Programs is <i>preferred</i>. 6. Experience in working in a joint environment is <i>preferred</i>. 7. Experience with USAF / USN / USMC Weather Communities is <i>preferred</i>. 			
OTHER REQUIREMENTS:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. If selectee is cross-training, he / she is expected to complete an ~18 month training pipeline that consists of USAF Weather Forecaster Initial Skills Course (ISC), ANG Weather Applications Course (WAC), USAF Army Weather Support Course (AWSC), USAF Evasion, Conduct After Capture Course (ECAC), and Mission Essential Skills Training (MEST) at an Active Duty Weather Squadron. 2. If selectee is prior weather, but does not have an Army-support background, he / she is expected to complete the above training except for ISC and MEST. 3. If a promotable SSgt and gained from outside the unit, selectee may be subject to a review period of six months before promotion. 			
AREA OF CONSIDERATION:			
Current members of the Washington Air National Guard and those eligible to enlist.			
WORKING CONDITIONS:			
Work will be conducted both inside and outside, and possibly in inclement weather. Training / deployment work environment may include field conditions with limited resources.			
SUMMARY OF DUTIES:			
Collect, analyze, and integrate atmospheric and space environmental information into military decision-making processes. Observe, record, and transmit surface, upper air, and space environment observations. Operate atmospheric and space-sensing instruments and computer workstations to interrogate data from weather radars, meteorological satellites, and model data provided by military, national, and international weather agencies. Use a detailed understanding of the atmosphere and space environment to translate raw data into high quality, decision-making, environmental information. Issue Watches, Warnings, and Advisories (WWA) to alert personnel of dangerous, inclement, or operationally significant terrestrial and space weather events. Understand war fighter tactics, techniques, and procedures to maximize air, space, cyberspace combat power. Utilizes weather tactics, techniques, and procedures to integrate weather information into the decision-making process at all levels to mitigate and exploit weather impact on operations. Manage weather operations, ensure quality, and adapt resources to meet mission requirements. Train and mentor junior personnel in technical skills and professional conduct.			
INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS			
APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cover Letter 2. Resume 3. vMPF records review (RIP) 4. Current Air Force physical fitness test score 			
EMAIL RESUME TO:		OR SEND TO:	
david.e.giddens.mil@mail.mil		116TH WEATHER FLIGHT WASHINGTON AIR NATIONAL GUARD 127 127 41 ST DIVISION WAY CAMP MURRAY, WA 98430-5025	

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY: This position will be filled without regard to race, color, religion, age, gender, factor consideration, selection, and placement of applications.