DEMA Mission Brief

Major General Kerry L. Muehlenbeck
The Adjutant General
Our History

- **1636** Founding of the National Guard, when the Massachusetts Bay Colony organized its first three militia regiments
- **1865** Arizona stands up the First Arizona Volunteer Infantry Regiment
- **1912** Codification of the militia and designation as National Guard in Arizona Constitution, Article 16
- **1942** Creation of the Arizona Civilian Defense Board and Council, forerunner to AZ Division of Emergency Management (1971)
- **1972** Arizona Department of Emergency and Military Affairs (DEMA) established through integration of Department of Military Affairs (Arizona National Guard) and Division of Emergency Management
Answering the Call

Ready, Responsive, Reliable
The stuff we’re made of...

Readiness | Leadership | Community

Arizona Department of Emergency and Military Affairs
**Mission:** Provide Military and Emergency Management Capabilities to Citizens of Arizona and the Nation.

**Vision:** The nation’s premier agency capable of responding to local, state and federal missions.

**Ready, Responsive, Reliable**
## Force Strength

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Total DEMA Manning: 8,322

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AZNG Locations
Joint Force HQ / State Emergency Operations Center
Training Areas

7,800 Guardsmen

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**Current OOD Mission:** Provide depot-level storage services to DoD customers and operate under the New Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty guidelines for ballistic missile motor storage.

**Vision:** Support economic development opportunities in Northern Arizona via FY21 NDAA land transfer authorization.
Mission: Prepares and coordinates emergency services and the efforts of government agencies to reduce the impact of disasters on persons and property.
Arizona Army National Guard
Major Organizations

» 158th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade
» 98th Aviation Troop Command
» 198th Regional Support Group
» Western Army Aviation Training Site

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Arizona Air National Guard
Major Organizations

» 161st Air Refueling Wing
» 162nd Wing
Joint Task Force - Arizona
Major Operations

- Defense Support to Civilian Authorities (DSCA) / Director of Military Support (DOMS)
- Cyber Joint Task Force
- 91st Civil Support Team
- Counter Drug Task Force
- State Partnership Program – Kazakhstan
- Operation COVID-19
2020-2021 Major Domestic Operations

» Operation COVID-19
» Operation Protect & Serve (Civil Unrest)
» Operation Guardian Support
» Wildland Fire Operations
» Cyber Joint Task Force
Strategic Priorities

» Achieve Congressional Requirement for at least 8 deployable Army National Guard Divisions that meet the Army’s Force Design Update 2028

» Expand 161st Air Refueling Wing fleet of 8 KC-135s to 12 to meet demand/future mission

» Stay in Fighters at the 162nd Wing for enduring air dominance

» Seek compatible growth of Army Force Structure

» Grow Army Attack Aviation
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