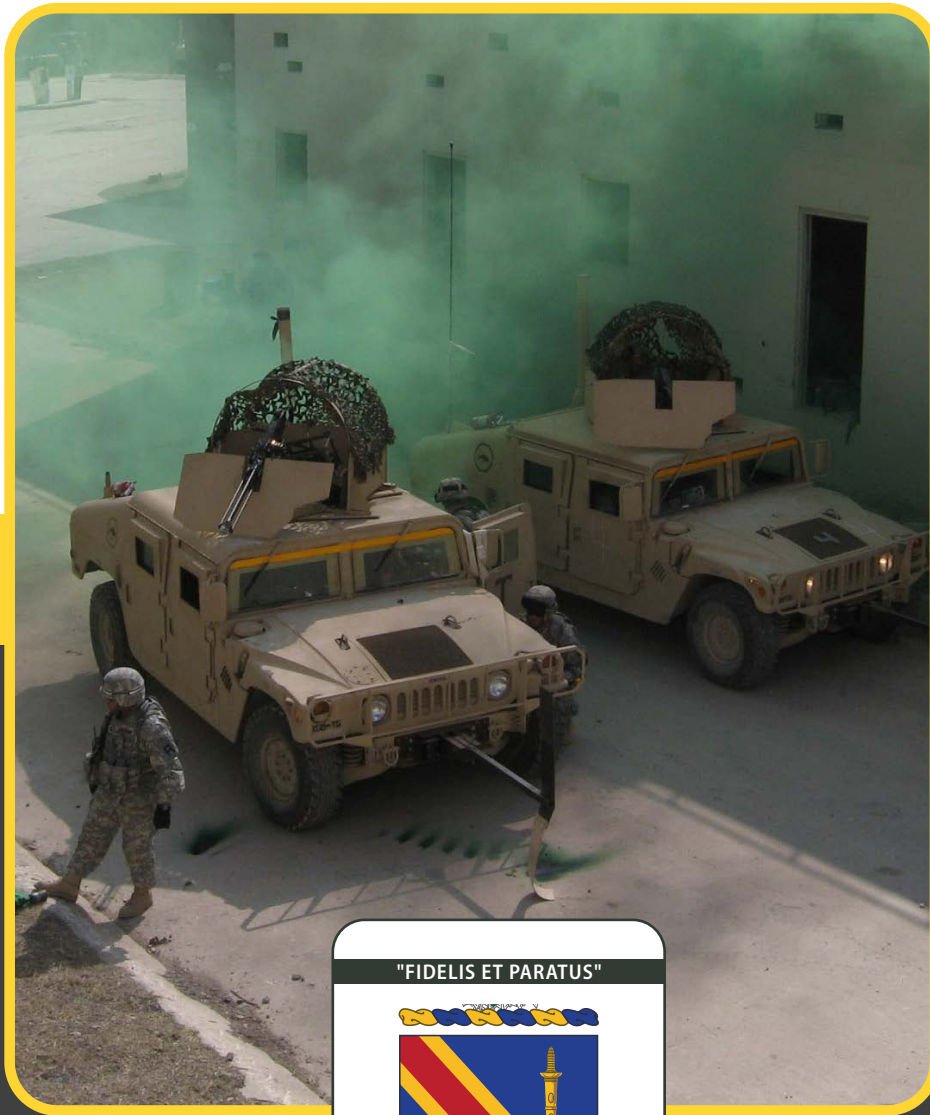


# UNIT HISTORICAL SKETCH



**COMPANY A,  
237TH SUPPORT BATTALION**  
CLEVELAND, OHIO

# COMPANY A, 237TH SUPPORT BATTALION

Company A, 237th Support Battalion was organized on April 1, 1925, in Cleveland as Troop G, 107th Cavalry. The troop was organized from the expansion of the historic Troop A, 107th Cavalry, which was organized in Cleveland in 1877. The first commander of the troop was Capt. John N. Garfield, grandson of James A. Garfield, the 20th President of the United States. The troop was redesignated on June 30, 1929, as Troop B and again on Nov. 1, 1940, as Troop E. The latter change was a result of the 107th Cavalry changing from a traditional all-horse mounted unit to a new hybrid horse-mechanized regiment.

On March 15, 1941, the 107th Cavalry was inducted into federal service and sent to Camp Forrest, Tenn. for training. After the United States entered World War II, the regiment was sent to California to patrol and protect the west coast of the United States. While stationed there, on Jan. 1, 1944, the regiment was reorganized completely and the troop was redesignated as Troop A, 22d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron. The unit was later sent to Camp Gruber, Okla. where it was inactivated on Aug. 15, 1944.

The unit was reorganized in the Ohio National Guard on Sept. 29, 1947, as Troop B, 107th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron and was stationed at the Cavalry Armory in Shaker Heights, Ohio. On Sept. 15, 1949, Ohio was allotted an armored cavalry regiment and the unit was reorganized as Company B, 107th Armored Cavalry. A general reorganization occurred on Sept. 1, 1959, when the company was redesignated as Troop B, 1st Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry.

On Feb. 15, 1968, the troop was consolidated with Company B, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor and moved to Painesville, Ohio. Company B was organized in Painesville on Sept. 25, 1947, as Company A, 145th Infantry. On May 1, 1977, the 1st Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry was allotted to the West Virginia National Guard and as a result Troop B was redesignated as Troop L, 3d Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry. On Sept. 1, 1993, the 107th Armored Cavalry was removed from Ohio's force structure allotment and Troop L was consolidated with Troop K stationed in Ashtabula. Troop K was constituted on Dec. 15, 1941, in the Army of the United States as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 637th Tank Destroyer Battalion, Light, and served with the 37th Infantry Division in the Pacific Theater where it earned the Presidential Unit Citation during the Battle of Manila in 1945. Upon reorganization of the Ohio National Guard after World War II, the unit was stationed in Ashtabula.

The consolidated unit was designated as Detachment 2, 214th Maintenance Company and remained in Ashtabula. On March 31, 1994, the unit was redesignated as Detachment 2, 372d Maintenance Company and further redesignated on April 1, 1998, as Detachment 2, Company B, 237th Support Battalion.

On Sept. 1, 2007, the detachment was reorganized as Company A, 237th Support Battalion and assigned to the 37th Infantry Brigade Combat Team. The unit was also moved from Ashtabula to the Woods King Armory in Cleveland, its present station. Company A serves as the transportation and distribution element for the Buckeye Brigade. The company was ordered into federal service from 2008 to 2009 for a mobilization to Kuwait in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The company returned to active duty for a 2011-2012 mobilization to Afghanistan, where the unit was awarded the Meritorious Unit Commendation.

# HERALDIC ITEMS



## DISTINCTIVE UNIT INSIGNIA

Description/Blazon: A Gold color metal and enamel device 1 1/8 inches (2.86 cm) in height overall consisting of a shield blazoned: Azure, a bend Or charged with a bendlet Gules between a sheathed Roman sword paleways, point to base, and an oak tree eradicated of the second. Attached below the shield a gold triparted scroll inscribed "FIDELIS ET PARATUS" in red letters.

Symbolism: Blue is the color traditionally associated with Infantry, the branch of the parent organization. The sheathed Roman sword, adapted from the Spanish War service medal, represents service in the United States during the Spanish-American War. The oak tree and the gold bend charged with the red bendlet commemorate service during World War I by the parent unit. The oak tree symbolizes participation in the Meuse-Argonne Operation, and the bend charged with the bendlet the service in the defensive sectors in Alsace and Lorraine. The Arms of Alsace incorporate a gold bend and the Arms of Lorraine a red bend. The motto translates to "Faithful and Ready."

Background: The distinctive unit insignia was originally approved for the 2d Battalion, 372d Infantry Regiment on 23 April 1929. It was rescinded on 6 May 1942. It was approved for the 372d Infantry Battalion on 24 October 1951. It was rescinded on 28 March 1963. The insignia was reinstated and redesignated for the 372d Maintenance Company with the description and symbolism revised on 17 September 1992. It was redesignated for the 237th Support Battalion effective 1 September 2007.

## COAT OF ARMS

Description/Blazon:

Shield: Azure, a bend Or charged with a bendlet Gules between a sheathed Roman sword paleways, point to base, and an oak tree eradicated of the second.

Crest: That for the regiments and separate battalions of the Ohio Army National Guard: From a wreath Or and Azure, a sheaf of seventeen arrows Argent bound by a sprig of buckeye (Aesculus glabra) fructed Proper (two leaves with bursting burr).

Motto: FIDELIS ET PARATUS (Faithful and Ready).



Symbolism: Blue is the color traditionally associated with Infantry, the branch of the parent organization. The sheathed Roman sword, adapted from the Spanish War service medal, represents service in the United States during the Spanish-American War. The oak tree and the gold bend charged with the red bendlet commemorate service during World War I by the parent unit. The oak tree symbolizes participation in the Meuse-Argonne Operation, and the bend charged with the bendlet the service in the defensive sectors in Alsace and Lorraine. The Arms of Alsace incorporate a gold bend and the Arms of Lorraine a red bend. The crest is that of the Ohio Army National Guard.

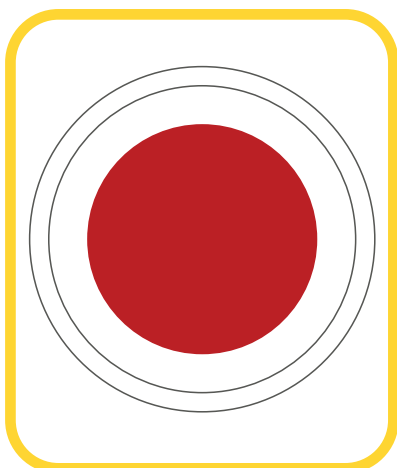
Background: The coat of arms was originally approved for the 2d Battalion, 372d Infantry Regiment on 20 April 1929. It was rescinded on 6 May 1942. It was approved for the 372d Infantry Battalion on 24 October 1951. It was rescinded on 26 March 1963. The insignia was reinstated and redesignated for the 237th Support Battalion with the symbolism revised effective 1 September 2007.

## SHOULDER SLEEVE INSIGNIA

Description/Blazon: On a white disc 2 1/4 inches (5.72 cm) in diameter a red disc 1 1/2 inches (3.81 cm) in diameter.

Symbolism: The red and white disc is taken from the State Flag of Ohio.

Background: The shoulder sleeve insignia was originally approved for the 37th Division on 5 November 1918. It was redesignated for the 16th Engineer Brigade on 9 July 1968. It was cancelled on 4 December 1969. The insignia was reinstated and redesignated effective 1 September 2007, for the 37th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, with the description updated and a symbolism added.





# LINEAGE AND HONORS

Organized and Federally recognized 1 April 1925 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Cleveland as Troop G, 107th Cavalry, an element of the 22d Cavalry Division

Redesignated 30 June 1929 as Troop B, 107th Cavalry

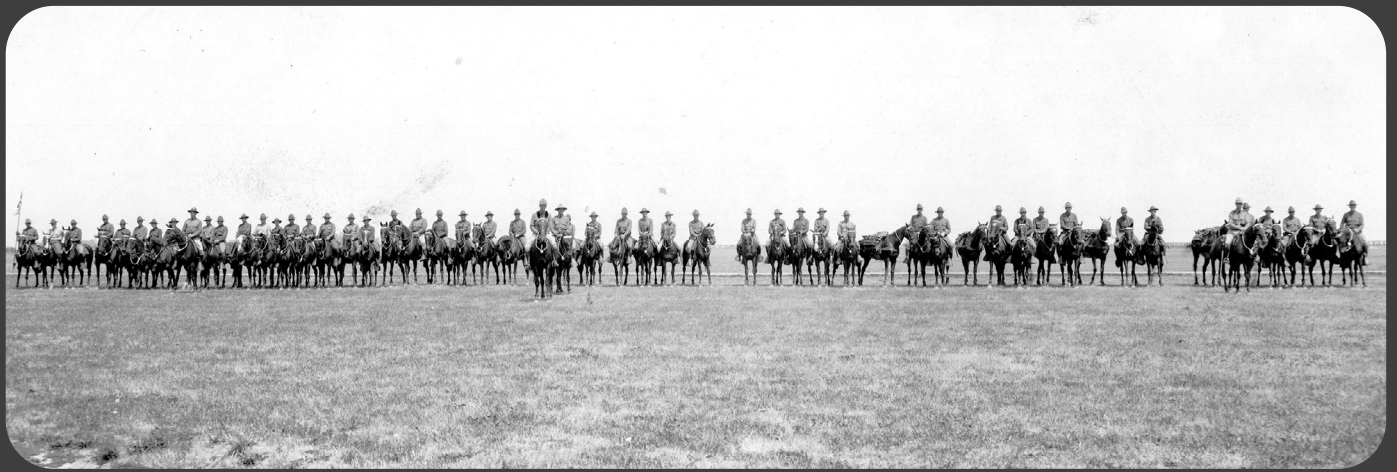
Redesignated 1 November 1940 as Troop E, 107th Cavalry and relieved from assignment to the 22d Cavalry Division

Inducted into Federal Service 15 Mar 1941 at Cleveland

Reorganized and redesignated 15 May 1942 as Troop A, 107th Cavalry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 January 1944 as Troop A, 22d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron

Inactivated 15 August 1944 at Camp Gruber, Oklahoma



Troop B, 107th Cavalry, Camp Perry, Ohio, 1934.



Company B, 107th Armored Cavalry, Cleveland, circa 1955.

Reorganized and Federally recognized 29 September 1947 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Cleveland as Troop B, 107th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron

Reorganized and redesignated 15 September 1949 as Company B, 107th Armored Cavalry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Troop B, 1st Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry

Consolidated 15 February 1968 with Company B, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor (see ANNEX 1); consolidated unit designated as Troop B, 1st Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry; location changed to Painesville

Reorganized and redesignated 1 May 1977 as Troop L, 3d Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry

Consolidated 1 September 1993 with Troop K, 3d Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry (see ANNEX 2); consolidated unit designated as Detachment 2, 214th Maintenance Company; location concurrently changed to Ashtabula

Reorganized and redesignated 31 March 1994 as Detachment 2, 372d Maintenance Company

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1998 as Detachment 2, Company B, 237th Support Battalion, an element of the 38th Infantry Division



Company B, 107th Armored Cavalry, Fort Knox, Ky., circa 1955.



From left, Cpl. Robert Mallett, Spc. Steve Reinhart and Sgt. Dave Zupan, all members of Troop B, 1st Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry, navigate through a mine field with a mine detector during training on May 17, 1975.



Sgt. Carl Laver, behind machine gun, and Spc. John Harper transport a cargo of 105mm mortar ammunition for Troop L, 3d Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry during annual training at Camp Grayling, Mich. in 1988.



Pvt. Kayla Day, a petroleum supply specialist with Company A, 237th Support Battalion, prepares to provide a Light Medium Tactical Vehicle (LMTV) with fuel during annual training June 24, 2018, at Camp Grayling Joint Maneuver Training Center in Grayling, Mich.



Maj. John Majerczak, right, commander of the 1st Battalion, 145th Infantry, presents the company guidon for Company A, 145th Infantry to the company commander, Capt. William Bramer in a ceremony July 20, 1954, at Camp Perry, Ohio

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 2007 as Company A, 237th Support Battalion, an element of the 37th Infantry Brigade Combat Team; location concurrently changed to Cleveland

Ordered into active Federal service 3 January 2008 at Cleveland; released from active Federal service 9 January 2009 and reverted to state control

Ordered into active Federal service 17 October 2011 at Cleveland; released from active Federal service 19 November 2012 and reverted to state control

#### ANNEX 1

Organized and Federally recognized 25 September 1947 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Painesville as Company A, 145th Infantry, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Ordered into active Federal service 15 January 1952 at Painesville

(Company A, 145th Infantry [NGUS], organized and Federally recognized 25 January 1954 at Painesville)

Released 15 June 1954 from active Federal service and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Company A, 145th Infantry (NGUS)

Converted and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Company E, 1st Medium Tank Battalion, 137th Armor

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Company B, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor

## ANNEX 2

Constituted 15 December 1941 in the Army of the United States as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 637th Tank Destroyer Battalion, Light

Activated 19 December 1941 at Camp Shelby, Mississippi

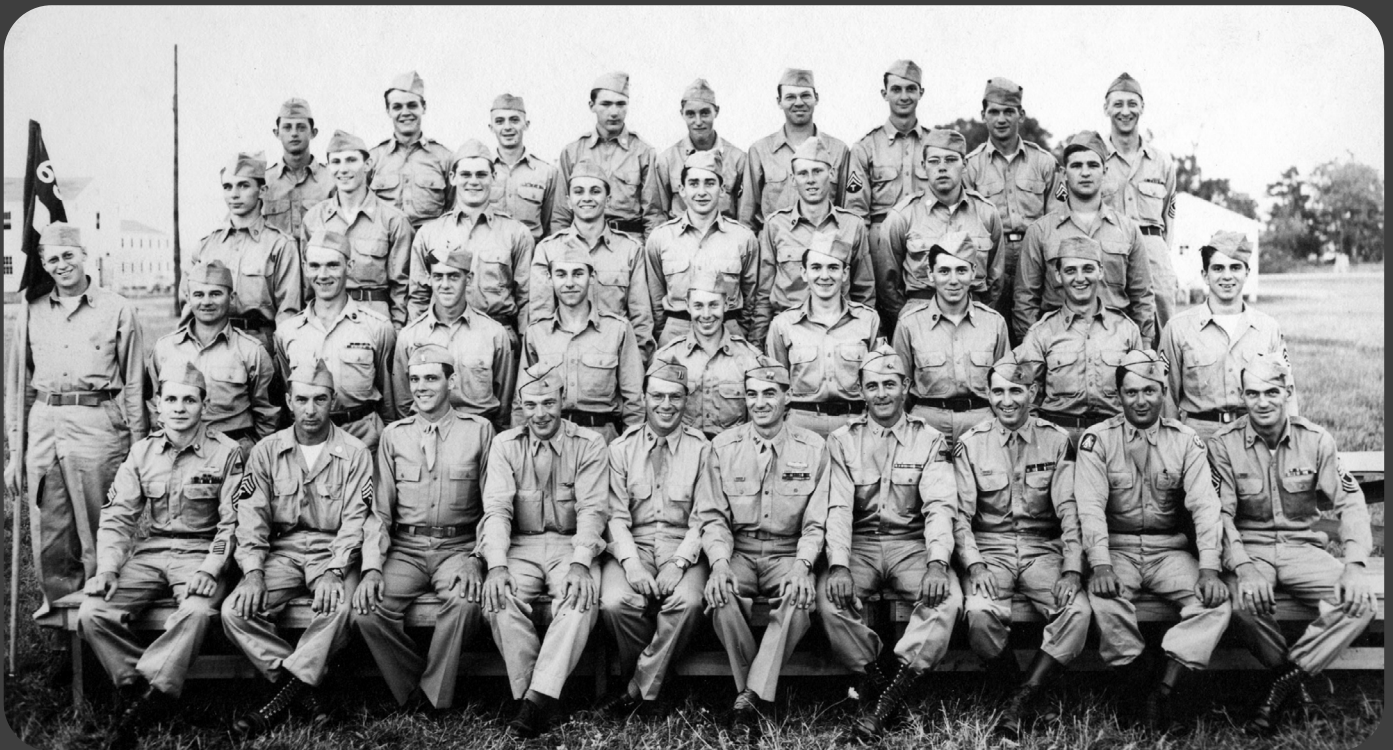
Allotted 13 February 1942 to the Ohio National Guard

Redesignated 8 June 1942 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 637th Tank Destroyer Battalion

Inactivated 25 June 1946 in Japan

Reorganized and Federally recognized 14 November 1947 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Ashtabula as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 637th Tank Battalion, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1949 as Headquarters, Headquarters and Service Company, 137th Heavy Tank Battalion



Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 637th Tank Battalion, Camp Atterbury, Ind., approx. 1948.

Ordered into active Federal service 15 January 1952 at Ashtabula

(Headquarters, Headquarters and Service Company, 137th Heavy Tank Battalion [NGUS], organized and Federally recognized 18 January 1954 at Ashtabula)

Released 15 June 1954 from active Federal service and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Headquarters, Headquarters and Service Company, 137th Heavy Tank Battalion (NGUS)

Consolidated 1 September 1959 with Medical Detachment, 137th Tank Battalion (see ANNEX 3); consolidated unit designated as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Medium Tank Battalion, 137th Armor

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor

Consolidated 15 February 1968 with Company A (see ANNEX 4) and Company C (see ANNEX 5), 1st Battalion, 137th Armor; consolidated unit designated as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor and relieved from assignment to the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 May 1968 as Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry



Headquarters and Service Company, 137th Tank Battalion, 37th Infantry Division, marching in downtown Ashtabula, circa 1950.



Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor, 37th Infantry Division, Camp Grayling, Mich., circa 1960.



Troop K, 3d Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry, Camp Grayling, Mich., circa 1985.



An M113 armored personnel carrier from Troop K, 3d Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry disembarks from an engineer raft that ferried the vehicles across Lake Howe during Operation Hat Trick at Camp Grayling, Mich. circa 1985.



First Sgt. William Oxley updates the company personnel board for Company A, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor, 37th Infantry Division, at the Ashtabula Armory, circa 1960.



Company C, 137th Tank Battalion, 37th Infantry Division, Camp Breckenridge, Ky., 1955.

Reorganized and redesignated 1 May 1977 as Troop K, 3d Squadron, 107th Armored Cavalry

#### ANNEX 3

Organized and Federally recognized 18 February 1949 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Ashtabula as Medical Detachment, 137th Tank Battalion, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Ordered into active Federal service 15 January 1952 at Ashtabula

(Medical Detachment, 137th Tank Battalion [NGUS], organized and Federally recognized 15 January 1954 at Ashtabula)

Released 15 June 1954 from active Federal service and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Medical Detachment, 137th Tank Battalion (NGUS)

#### ANNEX 4

Organized and Federally recognized 14 November 1947 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Ashtabula as Company A, 637th Tank Battalion, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1949 as Company A, 137th Heavy Tank Battalion

Ordered into active Federal service 15 January 1952 at Ashtabula

(Company A, 137th Tank Battalion [NGUS], organized and Federally recognized 18 January 1954 at Ashtabula)

Released 15 June 1954 from active Federal service and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Company A, 137th Tank Battalion (NGUS)

Reorganized 1 September 1959 as Company A, 1st Medium Tank Battalion, 137th Armor

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Company A, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor

#### ANNEX 5

Organized and Federally recognized 13 October 1954 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Conneaut as Company C, 137th Tank Battalion, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Company C, 1st Medium Tank Battalion, 137th Armor

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Company C, 1st Battalion, 137th Armor

HOME STATION: Cleveland

#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

##### World War II

Northern Solomons

Luzon

##### War on Terrorism

*Afghanistan:*

Transition I

#### DECORATIONS

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer Embroidered MANILA

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered AFGHANISTAN 2011-2012

# PAST COMMANDERS

## TROOP G, 107TH CAVALRY

1925-1927: Capt. John N. Garfield  
1927-1929: Capt. Ralph T. King

## TROOP B, 107TH CAVALRY

1929-1931: Capt. Ralph T. King  
1931-1933: Capt. Julian M. Andrus  
1934-1936: Capt. Richard L. Henn  
1936-1938: Capt. Walter H. Kurtz  
1938-1940: Capt. William A. Weaver

## TROOP E, 107TH CAVALRY

1940-1941: Capt. William A. Weaver

## TROOP B, 107TH CAVALRY RECONNAISSANCE SQUADRON

1949: 1st Lt. Charles M. Tillinghast  
1949: Capt. Donald A. Campbell

## COMPANY B, 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1949-1952: Capt. Donald A. Campbell  
1953-1954: Capt. Owen C. Neff  
1954-1955: Capt. James C. Dangler  
1955-1956: 1st Lt. Stanleigh K. Fisk  
1956-1957: Capt. William G. Seager  
1957-1959: Capt. James A. Hill

## TROOP B, 1ST SQUADRON, 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1959-1961: Capt. James A. Hill  
1961-1962: Capt. Clifford S. Dangler Jr.  
1963: Capt. Nicholas H. Caruso  
1963-1967: Capt. Joseph O. Sterk  
1967-1969: Capt. Daniel F. Gyure  
1969-1973: Capt. Thomas C. Beane  
1973-1977: Capt. Edwin F. Humphrey

## TROOP L, 3D SQUADRON, 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1977-1978: Capt. Edwin F. Humphrey  
1979-1980: Capt. William M. O'Neill  
1980-1982: Capt. William S. Poulton Jr.  
1982-1983: Capt. Michael P. Demarco  
1983-1984: 1st Lt. Ronald R. Mihitsch  
1984-1987: Capt. William G. Robinson  
1987-1988: Capt. Kermit H. Butcher  
1989-1992: Capt. Michael J. Silipini

## COMPANY A, 237TH SUPPORT BATTALION

2007-2008: Capt. Gary A. Faucher Jr.  
2009-2010: Capt. Marina Rafferty  
2010-2013: Capt. Becky V. McKinney  
2013-2015: Capt. Joel T. McMichael  
2015-2017: Capt. Joseph C. Carter  
2017-2018: Capt. Mitchell C. Stafford  
2017-2019: Capt. Matthew B. Robinson



Capt. Garfield



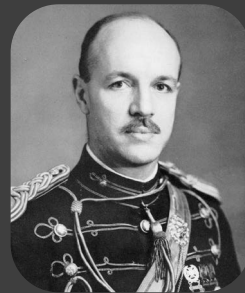
Capt. King



Capt. Andrus



Capt. Henn



Capt. Kurtz



Capt. Hill



Capt. Silipini



Capt. Faucher



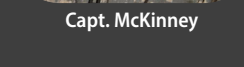
Capt. Rafferty



Capt. McKinney



Capt. Stafford



# PAST COMMANDERS

## COMPANY A,

### 237TH SUPPORT BATTALION (CONTINUED)

2019-2021: Capt. Joseph A. Necci

2021-2024: Capt. James D. Platt

2024-2025: Capt. Alexandra L. Scaravilli

2025-: Capt. William P. Heighton

## ANNEX 1

## COMPANY A, 145TH INFANTRY

1948-1949: Capt. Peter S. Hitchcock

1949-1951: Capt. James A. Creedon

1952: Capt. Andrew H. Paulishen

1954-1955: Capt. William S. Bramer

1955-1957: Capt. Edward T. Johnson

1957-1959: 1st Lt. Frederick H. Berg

## COMPANY E, 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR

1959-1963: 1st Lt. Frederick H. Berg

## COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR

1963-1964: 1st Lt. James C. Wallace

1964-1965: Capt. Richard O. Willing

1965-1968: Capt. Richard D. Orn

## ANNEX 2

## HO & HQ COMPANY,

### 637TH TANK BATTALION

1947-1949: Capt. Samuel W. Magill

## HO & SERVICE COMPANY,

### 137TH HEAVY TANK BATTALION

1949: Capt. Samuel W. Magill

1949-1951: Capt. Gaetano J. Di Carlo

1952: Capt. Ralph C. Franke

1954-1956: Capt. Duane M. Mascik

1956-1959: 1st Lt. Leo J. Elmerick

1959: Capt. Murray A. Louis

## HO & HQ COMPANY,

### 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR

1959-1964: Capt. Murray A. Louis

1964-1968: Capt. James A. McSwigan Jr.

## HO & HQ TROOP,

### 1ST SQUADRON, 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1968-1971: Capt. Ernest D. Hewins Jr.

1972-1974: Capt. Clark D. Shank

1975: Capt. Robert E. Beacom

## TROOP K, 3D SQUADRON,

### 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1978-1979: Capt. Charles D. Williamson

1979-1982: Capt. Ralph J. Mongenel

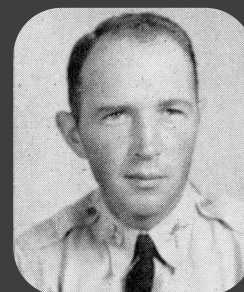
1982-1983: Capt. Earle C. Heusinger



Capt. Necci



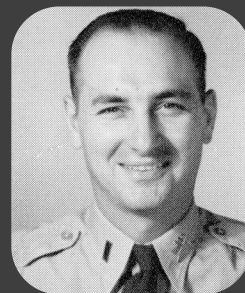
Capt. Platt



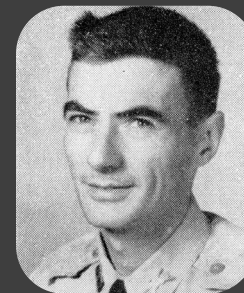
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Capt. Bramer



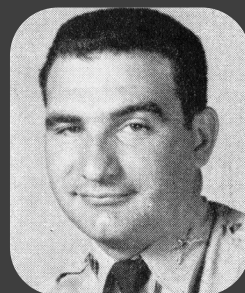
Capt. Johnson



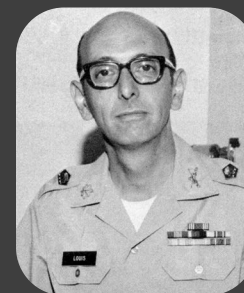
Capt. Magill



Capt. Di Carlo



Capt. Franke



Capt. Louis



Capt. Williamson

# PAST COMMANDERS

TROOP K, 3D SQUADRON,  
107TH ARMORED CAVALRY (CONTINUED)

1986-1989: Capt. Mizell E. Ewing Jr.  
1989-1991: Capt. James A. Wonacott  
1991-1993: Capt. William J. Yoho Jr.

ANNEX 3

MEDICAL DETACHMENT,  
137TH TANK BATTALION

1949-1951: Capt. Paul E. Longaker  
1959: 1st Lt. Francis B. LaBounty

ANNEX 4

COMPANY A, 637TH TANK BATTALION  
1947-1949: Capt. Harry R. Ecklund

COMPANY A, 137TH HEAVY TANK BATTALION  
1949-1950: 1st Lt. Dean L. Horton  
1950-1951: Capt. John P. Mahoney Jr.  
1951-1952: Capt. Curtis H. Love  
1954-1959: Capt.. George E. Ducro

COMPANY A, 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR  
1959-1965: Capt. George E. Ducro  
1965-1968: Capt. Richard W. Hill

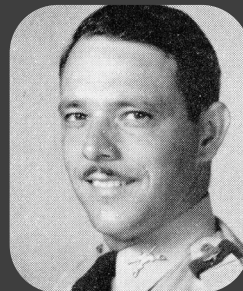
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COMPANY C, 137TH TANK BATTALION  
1954-1955; Capt. Robert E. Manniko  
1955-1956: Capt. Dean L. Horton  
1956-1957: 2d. Lt. Alexander I.Elonen Jr.  
1957-1959: 1st Lt. Eugene W. Boyle

COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR  
1959-1961: 1st Lt. Eugene W. Boyle  
1961-1963: Capt. Delbert D. Devaughn  
1963-1964: Capt. Francis B. Labounty  
1964-1968: Capt. Ralph J. Miller



Capt. Yoho



Capt. Horton



Capt. Love



Capt. Ducro

# PAST FIRST SERGEANTS

## TROOP B, 107TH CAVALRY

1937: 1st Sgt. Franklin C. Kadow  
1938: 1st Sgt. James R. Harroff

## TROOP E, 107TH CAVALRY

1943: 1st Sgt. John H. Erion

## TROOP B, 1ST SQUADRON, 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1968-1972: 1st Sgt. Philip A. Caranci  
1975-1977: 1st Sgt. George M. Richards

## TROOP L, 3D SQUADRON, 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1977-1979: 1st Sgt. George M. Richards  
1984-1988: 1st Sgt. Gregory M. Staida

## COMPANY A, 237TH SUPPORT BATTALION

2007-2009: 1st Sgt. Roger Daniel  
2009-2010: 1st Sgt. James A. Miracle  
2010-2013: 1st Sgt. Duane T. Funk Jr.  
2015-2018: 1st Sgt. Bryan R. Cole  
2018-2019: 1st Sgt. John P. Frank  
2019-2022: 1st Sgt. Lewis W. Vranish  
2022-: 1st Sgt. James L. Jarkewicz

## ANNEX 1

## COMPANY E, 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR

1961-1963: 1st Sgt. Theron Raines

## COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR

1963: 1st Sgt. Theron Raines  
1967-1968: 1st Sgt. Philip A. Caranci

## ANNEX 2

## HQ & HQ COMPANY,

## 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR

1959: 1st Sgt. William T. Oxley  
1963-1965: 1st Sgt. Blair B. Brininger  
1965-1967: 1st Sgt. William T. Oxley  
1968: 1st Sgt. Blair B. Brininger

## HQ & HQ TROOP,

## 1ST SQUADRON, 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1968-1977: 1st Sgt. Blair B. Brininger

## TROOP K, 3D SQUADRON, 107TH ARMORED CAVALRY

1977-1978: 1st Sgt. Blair B. Brininger  
1983: 1st Sgt. Richard C. Davis

## ANNEX 4

## COMPANY A, 1ST BATTALION, 137TH ARMOR

1963-1965: 1st Sgt. William T. Oxley  
1965-1968: 1st Sgt. Blair B. Brininger



1st Sgt. Caranci



1st Sgt. Daniel



1st Sgt. Miracle



1st Sgt. Funk



1st Sgt. Cole



1st Sgt. Frank



1st Sgt. Vranish



1st Sgt. Jarkewicz



1st Sgt. Oxley



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