



Alaska National Guard
Active Guard Reserve (AGR)
Position Announcement #
AKANG 19-143

<https://dmva.alaska.gov/employment/>

POSITION TITLE: Contracting Craftsman	AFSC or MOS 6C071	OPEN DATE: 01 Apr 2019	CLOSE DATE: 17 May 2019
---	-----------------------------	----------------------------------	-----------------------------------

UNIT OF ACTIVITY/DUTY LOCATION: 168th Mission Support Contracting, Eielson Air Force Base, Alaska	GRADE REQUIREMENT: Min: E-5P Max: E-7
---	---

SELECTING SUPERVISOR: MSgt Jeffery Porter	Position Number 0821627	PHYSICAL PROFILE: PULHES – 333233
---	-----------------------------------	---

AREAS OF CONSIDERATION

- On-board AK ANG AGR (Must hold advertised AFSC)
- Alaska Air National Guard members (Must hold advertised AFSC)
- Nationwide military members eligible for membership in the AKANG (Must hold advertised AFSC)

MAJOR DUTIES MAY INCLUDE

AIR GUARD: Please refer to attached pages for more info on the major duties and initial qualifications for this position for this AFSC or go to: <https://www.my.af.mil> to review the AFECD

INITIAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- *In addition to criteria listed on attached pages*
- Security Clearance - Must be able to obtain: Secret
 - Aptitude Requirement: General 72
 - Strength requirement: Demonstrated ability to lift 40lbs
- EDUCATION** - For entry into this specialty, completion of 24 semester hours in business related subjects, such as accounting, business finance, law, contracts, purchasing, economics, industrial management, marketing, quantitative methods, and organization and management is desirable, or possession of a baccalaureate degree. Transcripts required.
Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act Level 2 Required. (ACMS RIP or CERT Required)
Within 30 days of being notified of selection, member must provide proof of an approved separation package (palace chase, palace front, separation) from Active Duty with an effective date of no later than 30 Oct 2019.
Sample of two decision documents (F&R, J&A, D&F) from FY18 or FY19, personally written by applicant.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- In addition to the initial eligibility criteria and required forms listed application procedures, the following are preferred qualifications:
- Resume
 - Cover Letter
 - Last 3 Enlisted Performance Evaluations
 - Letters of Recommendation will be accepted

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT CRITERIA

- Upon selection additional medical verification will be required prior to start of AGR tour
- Continuation beyond initial tour may be subject to evaluation based on AGR Continuation Board

ACTIVE GUARD AND RESERVE REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must not be entitled to receive Federal military retired or retainer pay or Federal civil service annuities and not be eligible for immediate Federal civil service annuities. Individuals who have been separated from other military services for cause, unsuitability, or unfitness for military service are not eligible to enter the AGR program. IAW ANGI 36-101 "Initial tours may not exceed 6 years. AGR tours may not extend beyond an Enlisted member's ETS or an Officer's MSD. Airmen must meet the minimum requirements for each fitness component in addition to scoring an overall composite of 75 or higher for entry into the AGR program. For members with a documented Duty Limitation Code (DLC) which prohibits them from performing one or more components of the Fitness Assessment, an overall "Pass" rating is required. Individuals selected for AGR tours must meet the Preventative Health Assessment (PHA)/physical qualifications outlined in AFI 48-123, Medical Examination and Standards. They must also be current in all Individual Medical Readiness (IMR) requirements to include immunizations. RCPHA/PHA and dental must be conducted not more than 12 months prior to entry on AGR duty and an HIV test must be completed not more than six months prior to the start date of the AGR tour. Individuals transferring from Title 10 (Regular Air Force or Reserve Component Title 10 Statutory Tour) are not required to have a new physical unless the previous physical is over 12 months old at time of entry into AGR status. An applicant's military grade cannot exceed the maximum military authorized grade on the UMD for the AGR position. Enlisted Airmen who are voluntarily assigned to a position which would cause an overgrade must indicate in writing a willingness to be administratively reduced in grade in accordance with ANGI 36-2503, Administrative Demotion of Airmen, when assigned to the position. Acceptance of demotion must be in writing and included in the assignment application package. Application Package will not be forwarded without statement: ANGI 36-101 "applicant must be able to complete 20 years of active federal service prior to MSD for officers and age 60 for enlisted members. Exceptions may be considered...." If a selectee does not possess the advertised AFSC, he/she must complete the required training/assignment criteria within 12 months of being assigned to the position. Failure to do so may result in immediate termination. Extension past 12-months will only be considered if the delay is through no fault of the selectee. Members currently on occasional tours exceeding 180 consecutive days may be considered as full-time AGR (members currently on occasional tours 179 days or less are not considered AGR). Any further questions regarding the AGR program may be answered in ANGI 36-101

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Hard copy applications will NOT be accepted. All applications must be typed or printed in legible dark ink and must be signed and dated with original signature. Applications received with an unsigned NGB 34-1 will not be forwarded for consideration. Applicants may include copies of training certificates or any documentation that may be applicable to the position they are applying for. Per ANGI 36-101, the application package must include at a minimum, the signed NGB 34-1, current Report of Individual Person (RIP), and current Report of Individual Fitness. Items 1-3 are required by the Human Resource Office to determine initial qualifications. If the required documents are not submitted, a letter of explanation must be included. Incomplete packages will not be considered for the position vacancy. Please submit the following:

1. Signed NGB Form 34-1 Application Form for Active Guard/Reserve (AGR) Position dated 20131111 (<http://dmva.alaska.gov/employment.htm>) (Do not use outdated form)
2. CURRENT full Records Review RIP available on vMPF (<http://www.afpc.randolph.af.mil/vs>) (Must be a full RIP) (avoid sending SURF/Brief when possible)
3. CURRENT PASSING Report of Individual Fitness from Air Force Fitness Management Systems (AFFMS) or AF Fitness Assessment Scorecard or a signed letter from the Unit Fitness Monitor.
4. Items requested in the "PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS" section above.
 - Resume
 - Cover Letter
 - Last 3 EPR's (or equivalent)
 - Letter of Recommendation

EMAILING REQUIREMENTS:

Ensure all requirements are consolidated into ONE single PDF (adobe portfolio is not recommended) (consider printing signed documents to PDF prior to combining files) PDF File Name should be: Position Announcement Number, Last name, First name, Grade

Example: ANG 18-XX Doe, Jane E1

Email Subject should be: Announcement Number

Example: ANG 18-XX (must use advertisement # and NOT position # ex: 1234567)

Email Application Package to ng.ak.akarng.mbx.hro-agr@mail.mil

** Applications will be accepted through AMRDEC if standard email procedures do not work**

- AMRDEC SAFE Web Application: <https://safe.amrdec.army.mil/safe/> to above email

**All application documents must be consolidated into a single .pdf file. (Do not put in a PDF Portfolio format)

** Applicants are encouraged to submit early and call HRO for initial review of your application prior to closing date

QUESTIONS:

Applicants are encouraged to call HRO to verify receipt prior to closeout date. To verify the receipt of an application or if you have issues, you may call DSN 317-384-4467 or Commercial 907-428-6467 and/or DSN 317-384-4242 or Commercial 907-428-6242

INSTRUCTIONS TO COMMANDERS/SUPERVISORS: This position vacancy announcement will be given the broadest possible dissemination. A copy of this announcement will be posted on your unit/activity bulletin board. Selecting supervisor will contact qualified applicants for interviews. After the Human Resources Officer (HRO) approves the selection package, the HRO office will send a notification letter to all applicants of their selection/non-selection. The selection of an applicant is not final until the individual has been notified by the HRO-AGR. After the selecting supervisor makes a selection, the "routing" of the selection package begins and ends with HRO.

THE ALASKA NATIONAL GUARD IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

All applicants will be protected under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Eligible applicants will be considered without regard to race, age, religion, marital status, national origin, political affiliation or any other non-merit factor. Due to restrictions in assignment to certain units and AFSC/MOS some positions may have gender restrictions.

CEM Code 6C000
AFSC 6C091, Superintendent
AFSC 6C071, Craftsman
AFSC 6C051, Journeyman
AFSC 6C031, Apprentice
AFSC 6C011, Helper

CONTRACTING
(Changed 30 Apr 16, Effective 13 Jul 15)

1. Specialty Summary. Manages, performs, and administers contracting functions for commodities, services, and construction using simplified acquisition procedures, negotiation, and other approved methods. Uses automated contracting systems to prepare, process, and analyze transactions and products. Acts as business advisor, buyer, negotiator, administrator, and contracting officer. Supports all functions of contingency operations. Related DoD Occupational Subgroup: 155100.

2. Duties and Responsibilities:

2.1. Advises government and contractor personnel on contracting related issues. Obtains data on marketing trends, supply sources, and trade information. Prepares memoranda, determinations and findings, justifications, and approvals. Documents contracting files. Prepares documents, processes transactions, and maintains files applicable to automated contracting systems and other electronic methods. Analyzes statistical data pertinent to contracting functions. Ensures contractors comply with bonding, insurance, and tax requirements as applicable. Supports studies pursuant to competitive sourcing.

2.2. Performs market research. Reviews requirements to include descriptions, government furnished property, availability of funds, justifications for sole source, brand name purchasing, and delivery requirements. Reviews proposed documents to ensure contractual correctness and compliance with regulations, directives, laws, statutes, and contracting policies. Reviews government estimates. Determines appropriate contracting methods and contract types. Maximizes use of commercial items and practices. Interprets and explains government procedures and regulations.

2.3. Determines applicability of contract clauses and special provisions. Prepares solicitations, solicits proposals for commodities, services, and construction requirements. Ensures solicitations are publicly advertised as appropriate. Reviews and evaluates cost and pricing data/information. Analyzes and reviews award actions. Obtains and evaluates past performance information. Determines contractor responsibility. Evaluates responsiveness of bids and offers. Prepares and conducts negotiations. Prepares bid abstracts. Amends and cancels solicitations. Rejects bids. Reviews and evaluates bids or offers. Recommends contract award. Mediates protests.

2.4. Conducts site visits to determine adequacy of contractor compliance and customer satisfaction. Interviews contractor employees to determine labor law compliance. Trains and monitors quality assurance personnel. Assesses contractor compliance and determines appropriate actions. Resolves claims, disputes, and appeals. Terminates contracts and administers termination settlements.

2.5. Provides contingency contracting support at stateside or deployed locations in support of joint U. S. and allied forces. Develops and manages contingency contracting program plans.

2.6. Evaluates methods and procedures used in purchasing commodities, services, and construction. Ensures contractors' adherence to delivery schedules and prices. Prepares and presents evaluation in the form of correspondence and briefings. Participates in the unit self-inspection program.

3. Specialty Qualifications:

3.1. Knowledge. Knowledge is mandatory of: pricing techniques, market trends, supply sources, US or foreign commercial practices and marketing factors contributing to prices of items, equipment, materials or services. Knowledge is mandatory of basic computer applications, audit procedures, policies, laws, and directives governing purchasing and contingency contracting policies and procedures.

3.2. Education. For entry into this specialty, completion of 24 semester hours in business related subjects, such as accounting, business finance, law, contracts, purchasing, economics, industrial management, marketing, quantitative methods, and organization and management is desirable, or possession of a baccalaureate degree.

3.3. Training. The following training is mandatory for award of the AFSC indicated:

3.3.1. 6C031. Completion of the apprentice contracting specialist course.

3.3.2. 6C071. Achievement of Level I Certification in contracting under the Acquisition Professional Development Program and completion of Defense Acquisition University (DAU) Contingency Contracting Course (CON 234).

3.4. Experience. The following experience is mandatory for award of the AFSC indicated:

3.4.1. 6C051. Qualification in and possession of AFSC 6C031. Also, experience in functions such as assisting and performing duties involved in simplified acquisition procedures, negotiations, and other approved methods.

3.4.2. 6C071. Qualification in and possession of AFSC 6C051. Also, experience in contracting for commodities, services, construction, and contract administration. Ability to perform Contingency Contracting Officer (CCO) duties.

3.4.3. 6C091. Qualification in and possession of AFSC 6C071.

3.5. Other. The following are mandatory as indicated:

3.5.1. For entry into this specialty:

3.5.1.1. Ability to communicate effectively in writing.

3.5.1.2. See attachment 4 for additional entry requirements.

3.5.2. For entry, award, and retention of these AFSCs:

3.5.2.1. Ability to speak distinctly.

3.5.2.2. Never been convicted by court-martial or never have received nonjudicial punishment for dereliction in the performance of duties involving contracting activities, larceny, misappropriation of government funds or property or financial irresponsibility.

3.5.2.3. No record of disciplinary action (Letter of Reprimand [LOR] or Article 15) for committing acts of misconduct or engaging in falsification of legal documents or documented failures (LOR or Article 15) to exercise sound leadership principles with respect to morale or welfare of subordinates and peers, leadership or customers.

3.5.2.4 Never been convicted by a civilian court of a Category 1, 2, or 3 offense, nor exceeded the accepted number of Category 4 offenses. Category 3 and 4 traffic offenses alone are not disqualifying. **NOTE:** Categories of offenses are described and listed in AFI 36-2002, *Regular Air Force and Special Category Accessions*, Uniform Guide List of Typical Offenses.

3.5.3. For award and retention of these AFSCs, must maintain local network access IAW AFI 17-130, *Cybersecurity Program Management* and AFMAN 17-1301, *Computer Security*.