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America’s premier Fighter Wing defending Freedom with lethal, agile Combat Air Power; devoted Citizen Airmen always ready to support the Nation, the State of Oklahoma and our communities with Strength and Honor.

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READINESS
Always Ready, Always There... the 138th Fighter Wing has been and will always remain ready to fight the enemy and assist our community. Over the next decade, we will increasingly focus readiness efforts on forging America’s best Airmen - The Tulsa Standard!

LETHALITY
The 138th Fighter Wing will remain America’s first and most lethal choice for agile combat air power. The Wing will persist as a strategically predictable and globally responsive force for combatant commanders, always ready to secure the homeland, fight America’s wars and sustain American influence abroad. When tasked, Tulsa-based Airmen will execute all missions with the best possible leadership, training and equipment available so that they may return home safely with Strength and Honor.

RELATIONSHIPS
The Wing’s relationships with internal and external communities is vital to securing the future. Healthy relationships help attract and retain top Airmen and employees as well as position the Wing positively, which increasingly improves the ability to resource the force. The goal is to continue to build trust and enduring relationships with local, state, tribal, national and international entities.

FIGHTER WING
- 1204 Authorized Personnel
- 21 Primary Assigned Aircraft
- Second Largest F-16, Air National Guard Fighter Wing
- Combat proven in Iraq and Afghanistan
- Mission Training Center improves readiness and pilot lethality
- First ANG unit to receive high-fidelity F-16 simulators

DETACHMENT-1
- Aerospace Control Alert (ACA) is a 24/7 no fail mission located at Ellington Field, Houston, TX.
- Tulsans defend the Gulf Region from New Orleans to Tucson with armed aircraft ready at a moment’s notice.
- Pilots are trained for the ACA mission at the Tulsa Air National Guard Base.

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