

STATE WIDE VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT (SWVA)

G1 ENLISTED PERSONNEL ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD BLDG 7202, ROBINSON MTC NORTH LITTLE ROCK, AR 72199-9600	DATE: 19 November 2020	SWVA CONTROL NUMBER: 2020-SWVA-181
OPEN TO: Current members of ARARNG or those eligible to become members of the ARARNG	Applications will be accepted until: 31 DECEMBER 2020 OR UNTIL FILLED	
POSITION TITLE, SERIES, GRADE, PARA/ LINE: Howitzer Section Chief / 13B, E6, 205 / 01	APPOINTMENT FACTORS: See Paragraphs Below	
UNIT, LOCATION OF POSITION: P26C0, C BTRY, 2-142 nd FA, Ozark, AR	MINIMUM GRADE: SGT (E5)	MAXIMUM GRADE: SSG (E6)

BACKGROUND:

- (1) Reference: ARNG-HRH 24 July 2012 State Wide Vacancy Announcement (SWVA) Procedures (PPOM #12-057).
- (2) Background: ARARNG has been unable to fill the below NCO vacancy IAW AR 600-8-19 and the ARARNG MOI for 2020 EPS Board. Thus, this SWVA is hereby implemented to identify and assign Soldiers to voluntarily fill a Traditional NCO vacancy.
- (3) **This is a Traditional “M-Day” position. It is NOT a full-time position.**

SOLDIER INCENTIVES:

Any change in a Soldier’s MOS, except as provided by normal rank progression as outlined in DA PAM 611-21, is not allowed and will terminate that Soldier’s Select Reserve Incentive Program bonus, with recoupment. Accepting a SWVA slot is voluntary change of MOS and falls outside of normal rank progression. Applicants should contact the ARARNG Incentive Manager at 501-212-4028 to determine any possible termination and/or recoupment actions that may result from accepting this position.

DUTIES:

Directs and supervises movement emplacement of the howitzer section. Supervises and directs the construction, camouflage, and defense of the section position. Trains, instructs, and supervises section personnel in cannon gunnery procedures and firing. Responsible for the verification of safe firing data. Supervises the handling, storage, accountability, and distribution of ammunition. Supervises the performance of operator, crew, and organizational maintenance on section vehicles.

SPECIFICATIONS:

a. Physical demand rating and qualifications for the initial award of MOS. Cannon crewmember must possess the following qualifications:

- (1) A physical demands rating of Heavy (Black).
- (2) A physical profile of 112211.
- (3) Color discrimination of red/green.
- (4) Qualifying scores.

(a) A minimum score of 95 in aptitude area FA in Armed Services Vocational aptitude Battery (ASVAB) tests administered prior to 2 January 2002.

(b) A minimum score of 93 in aptitude area FA on ASVAB tests administered on and after 2 January 2002.

(c) A minimum OPAT score of Standing Long Jump (LJ) – 0160 cm, Seated Power Throw (PT) – 0450 cm, Strength Deadlift (SD) – 0160 lbs., and Interval Aerobic Run (IR) – 0043 shuttles in Physical Demand Category in “Heavy” (Black).

(5) Formal training under the auspices of USAFAS or accredited ARNG RTI transition course is mandatory to qualify for the award of the MOS.

(a) The highest grade for personnel seeking reclassification into MOS 13B without a waiver is a non-promotable E5 (SGT). Personnel reclassifying into MOS 13B must successfully complete institutional training at a MOS 13B OASS compliant, accredited ARNG RTI transition course (preferred), or MOS 13B AIT at USAFAS. Personnel in grades E5 SGT (P) and E6 SSG must submit a waiver to ATTN: Commandant, USAFAS, Fort Sill, OK, 73503 for determination of eligibility to reclassify into MOS 13B. Personnel at the rank of Sergeant First Class (E7) are not authorized for reclassification into MOS 13B.

b. Additional skill identifiers. (Note: Refer to table 12-8 for (Listing of universal ASIs associated with all enlisted MOS)).

(1) A7--Field Artillery Master Gunner (FAMG) (skill level 4 only).

(2) B9--Bradley M2A3/M3A3 Operator/System Maintainer (personnel only). Effective 201903

(3) U6--Field Artillery Weapons Maintained.

c. Physical requirements and standards of grade. Physical requirements and SG relating to each skill level are listed in the following tables:

(1) Table 10-13B-1. Physical requirements.

(2) Table 10-13B-2. Standards of grade TOE/MTOE.

(3) Table 10-13B-3. Standards of grade TDA.

Point of Contact for duty description: MSG Ronald Haynes– 142nd FA SR HR NCO at 501-212-6411
Selecting Supervisor: CSM Shane Oakes- 142nd FA CSM at 501-212-2160
Approval Authority: CSM Rick Megoloff, ARARNG State Command Sergeant Major

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

All applications must be submitted via email to the Enlisted Personnel Manager at ng.ar.arang.list.enlisted-promotions@mail.mil

a. Letter of interest from individual indicating desire to voluntarily transfer to the advertised position and meet all MOS and NCOES requirements within required timelines of PPOM #12-057.

b. Letter of acknowledgment from current unit commander. (If not on a current EPS list)

c. Enlisted Record Brief (ERB).

d. Last 3 NCOERs. Memorandum may be provided to explain less than 3.

e. Current DA Form 705

f. Certified Height/Weight or DA 5500 or 5501 if exceed Screening Table Weight.