

FIXED WING ARNG AVIATION TRAINING SITE

WEST VIRGINIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

1000 FIXED WING DRIVE

BRIDGEPORT, WEST VIRGINIA 26330

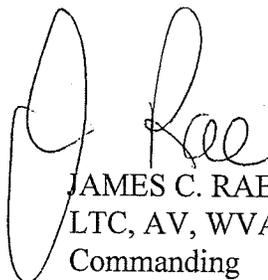
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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Non-Availability of Government Rate (due to high volume of contractors in area)

1. This is to inform all that Government Rates are not always available to new students assigned to train at the Fixed Wing ARNG Aviation Training Site (FWAATS). Lodging and rental car demand far exceeding supply and increasing food cost in FWAATS vicinity is driven primarily by exploration and drilling of the Marcellus Shale formation.
2. Dependent on the students state, they may need to be authorized an Actual Expense Allowance. In doing so, this will allow students to be within 30 minutes of travel to the schoolhouse, and to help alleviate the need for multiple rental cars due to students being on separate shifts.
3. POC for this memo is SSG Heather Pitzer at (304) 201-3826 or the undersigned at (304) 201-3806.


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