

Decorations, Awards, and Honors
THE FORT HOOD OUTSTANDING JUNIOR OFFICERS OF THE YEAR PROGRAM

HISTORY. This is the first printing of this regulation.

SUMMARY. This regulation outlines the procedures for selection of the Fort Hood Outstanding Junior Officers of the Year.

APPLICABILITY. This regulation applies to Army Junior Officer personnel assigned or attached to III Corps and Fort Hood and to other units defined in block 3b.

SUPPLEMENTATION. Local supplementation of this regulation by subordinate headquarters is prohibited without prior approval from the Adjutant General, AFZF-AGP-A-A.

INTERIM CHANGES. Interim changes to this regulation are not official unless authenticated by the Directorate of Information Management (DOIM). Users will destroy interim changes on their expiration dates unless sooner superseded or rescinded.

SUGGESTED IMPROVEMENTS. The proponent of this regulation is the Office of the Adjutant General. Users are invited to send comments and suggested improvements to the Commander, III Corps and Fort Hood, ATTN: AFZF-AGP-A-A. Fort Hood, TX 76544-5056.

OVERVIEW

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Purpose	This regulation establishes policies and procedures for selecting the outstanding lieutenant and captain for the fiscal year at Fort Hood. During full mobilization, requirements of this regulation remain in effect.	1a
References	Prescribed Form --FH Form 600-X26 (Board Member Evaluation) (block 3d) Related Form --DD Form 2266 (Information for Hometown News Release)	1b
Abbreviations	AUSA Association of the United States Army DENTAC Dental Activity DOIM Directorate of Information Management MEDDAC Medical Department Activity MSC major subordinate command SSN social security number TEXCOM Test and Experimentation Command	1c

RESPONSIBILITIES

Chief of Staff, III Corps and Fort Hood The Chief of Staff III Corps and Fort Hood

- is president of the selection board.
- establishes date, time, and location for award ceremonies.

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Public Affairs Office The Public Affairs Officer coordinates award presentations with an AUSA representative.

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AWARD PROGRAM

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General This program recognizes and rewards officers demonstrating outstanding qualities and knowledge of

- United States Government.
- training doctrine and policy.
- professional skills.
- leadership.
- service.
- military bearing.
- appearance.
- continued outstanding performance of duty.
- participation and contribution to both military and civilian community activities.

3a

Participating Commands Major Fort Hood units participating in the program are

- 1st Cavalry Division.
- 2d Armored Division.
- 13th Corps Support Command.
- 3d Signal Brigade.
- 3d Personnel Group.
- 6th Cavalry Brigade.
- 13th Finance Group.
- 31st Air Defense Artillery Brigade.
- 89th Military Police.
- 504th Military Intelligence.
- Combat Aviation Training Brigade.
- Phantom Command.
- TEXCOM.
- DENTAC.
- MEDDAC.

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Selection Board	<p>Selections are made by a board consisting of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chief of Staff, III Corps and Fort Hood (as president). • Chiefs of Staff from <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st Cavalry Division. • 2d Armored Division. • TEXCOM. • 13th Corps Support Command. <p>The president of the board decides the</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • date, time, and location of the meeting. • members of the board. • uniforms to be worn by nominees and board members. 	3c
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Board Evaluation	<p>Board member evaluation is</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • used by board members in the selection process to rank nominees. • available through normal supply channels. <p>NOTE: See FH Form 600-X26 at appendix A.</p>	3d
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Quota of Nominees	<p>MSCs must identify their first runners-up in case of a permanent change of station or expiration term of service of the chosen officer during the year.</p>	3e
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Submitting Nominations	<p>MSCs submit nominations to six preliminary boards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st Cavalry Division units send their nominations to the division Chief of Staff. • 2d Armored Division units send their nominations to the division Chief of Staff. • 504th Military Intelligence Brigade, 3d Personnel Group, 31st Air Defense Artillery Brigade, and all units under Phantom Command send their nominations to the senior commander, president of the board. • 13th Finance Group sends their nominations to 13th Corps Support Command Chief of Staff. • 6th Cavalry Brigade, 89th Military Police Brigade, Combat Aviation Training Brigade, and 3d Signal Brigade send their nominations to the senior commander, president of the board. • DENTAC, MEDDAC, and TEXCOM send their nominations to the III Corps Chief of Staff. 	3f

Selection Officers may be chosen by the board any number of times during their tour at Fort Hood if nominated by their command.

Send nomination packets through command channels with

- original plus four copies of commander’s comments, in letter format, on significant achievements attained by nominee in present duty assignment demonstrating
 - outstanding qualities listed in block 3a,
 - contributions toward unit mission accomplishment, and
 - self-improvement efforts.
- a completed DD Form 2266 (Information for Hometown News Release).
- a biographical narrative, double spaced, highlighting individual’s background and career.

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AWARDS

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Outstanding Junior Officers of the Year Outstanding Junior Officers of the Year selected by the board

- are awarded a statue donated by the Central Texas Chapter of AUSA.
- will have their name placed on a permanent plaque mounted in III Corps Headquarters.

4a

Pictures Four 8-inch by 10-inch color pictures of the winners are taken at the Post Photo Lab.

Each awardee receives two pictures.

One picture is

- given to soldier’s major command.
- maintained with the winning soldier’s packet.

4b

Appendix A
SAMPLE OF FH FORM 600-X26

BOARD MEMBER EVALUATION

Type of Board: _____ Date: _____
Name: _____ Rank: _____ SSN: _____
Unit: _____ Wpn Qual: _____ Date: _____
APFT Score: _____ Date: _____

I. Common Scored Area	5 Pt Max Each Score	Remarks
a. Uniform & Appearance		
b. Oral Expression		
c. Military Bearing		

Total: _____

sample

II. Group 1	5 Pt Max Each Score	Remarks
a. Weapons Qualification #1		
b. Supply & Maintenance Operations		
c. Training Management		

#1 Weapons Scoring MM=1 Pt, SS=3 Pts, EXP=5 Pts

Total: _____

III. Group 2	5 Pt Max Each Score	Remarks
a. Leadership		
b. Current Events		
c. APFT #2		

#2 APFT Scoring: 180-229=1 Pt, 230-269=3 Pts, 270-300=5 Pts

Total: _____

BOARD MEMBER EVALUATION SHEET – Continued

Total: Common Score Area _____
Group 1 _____
Group 2 _____
* Overall Assessment _____
(1-10 Points)
Total Score _____ (55 Points Max)

Board Member: _____

* Based on appearance before the board and the information contained in the nomination packet.

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The proponent of this regulation is the Adjutant General.

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