Kansas National Guard Economic Impact

Protecting communities, adding value to the state

The Kansas National Guard is a military organization of more than 5,300 Soldiers and more than 2,200 Airmen within Kansas. It has 38 community-based armories and two air wings, plus field maintenance shops, training sites and logistical support facilities throughout the state.

The Kansas National Guard’s mission is to be the “9-1-1” for our state and nation’s emergency responders, protect life and property in the state, provide military capability for a nation and be a valued part of our communities.

The Kansas Army National Guard indirectly creates approximately 1,224 jobs with an estimated annual dollar value of more than $37.7 million. The estimated economic impact on Kansas communities is in excess of $286 million.

The Kansas Air National Guard indirectly creates approximately 766 jobs with an estimated annual dollar value of more than $29.9 million. The estimated economic impact on Kansas communities is in excess of $260 million.

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The Kansas National Guard:

- Is among eight of the largest employers in the state, with approximately 2,400 full-time and 5,400 part-time employees (includes civilian employees)
- Receives approximately $5.4 million from the state, but generates an estimated $13.3 million in state tax revenues
- Won competitive federal bids for the Advanced Turbine Engine Army Maintenance (ATEAM) and Readiness Sustainment Maintenance Site (RSMS) programs. These programs generate an annual federal payroll of $16.2 million
- Disbursed $1,427,500 in federal Tuition Assistance to Kansas colleges and universities for Kansas Guardsmen during Fiscal Year 2010
- Contributed to local economies through $26,036,732 in Sustainment, Restoration and Modernization Construction dollars, in addition to $7,966,607 in Military Construction dollars