

CLOSING DATE: 31 March 2025
FY25-01: 20 FEB 25

M-DAY VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Open to **current 420C** and **all eligible Musicians 42R or 42S** M-DAY service member (SM) in the rank of SGT(P) and above. If the selected SM is from another state, the SM must Interstate Transfer (IST) to the Rhode Island Army National Guard for the duration of this assignment. Based on the selection board's interview and applicant's records, the best candidate will be selected.

POSITION: Bandmaster- 420C, 88th Army Band, Rhode Island Army National Guard

PARA/LIN: 101-01 **IPPS-A Position:** 2959770

LOCATION: BLD 145 Camp Fogarty, Rhode Island National Guard, 2841 South County Trail, East Greenwich, Rhode Island, 02818

DUTIES:

Serves as commander of the "Governor's Own" 88th Army Band and command subject matter expert on all matters pertaining to music. Responsible for the operational leadership and readiness of the unit. Advises senior commanders on the most effective way to employ the band's subordinate music support teams in support of operations. Appoints Army National Guard musicians to leadership and staff positions within the unit. Determines the size and instrumentation of musical groups used in support of authorized commitments. Prepares annual budgets for the unit and responsible for unit level administration, supply, and accountability of property and equipment. Provides military band support for mission requests from the Governor, the Adjutant General of Rhode Island and subordinate commands, and community relations initiatives throughout Rhode Island.

REQUIREMENTS FOR 42R AND 42S APPLICANTS:

1. Open to SGT (P) or above, qualified as a 42R or 42S.
2. Be a graduate of the 42R MOS Advanced Leaders Course (ALC).
3. Have five years' experience in an Army National Guard Band in PMOS 42R or 42S.
4. Have demonstrated potential for successful performance under minimal supervision as a musical ensemble leader, and experience working in band administration, security, operations, supply or other additional duties.
5. Have an Army School of Music audition score of 30 or higher, or Commander's Letter of Recommendation.
6. Have five years of NCO experience.
7. High school graduate or have a GED.
8. Preferably, a Bachelor's degree, ideally in Music.
9. Candidate must have a current dental exam and Periodic Health Assessment (PHA) within 12 months.
10. Soldiers from out-of-state must be eligible to IST to the RIARNG.
11. Be in compliance with APFT and weight control program requirements.
12. Army GT Score of 110 (No Waivers).
13. US Citizenship (No Waivers).
14. Final Secret or Top-Secret Security Clearance. Interim clearances will not satisfy the requirement (No Waivers).
15. Applicants' must pass the standard 6 event ACFT without any restrictions or alternate events.
16. Pass the Commissioning Physical.
17. Active Federal Service (AFS); Applicants must not have exceeded 12 years of AFS as of the Application of Appointment (Waiverable).
18. Age Requirements: Applicants must be at least 18 years of age and not more than 46 years of age on the effective date of initial appointment to WO1 (Waiverable).

REQUESTED DOCUMENTS FOR 420C APPLICANTS:

Last three OERs

Officer Record Brief (ORB) of Soldier Talent Profile within six months and certified, if applicable

Letter why you want this position and list three references with at least one of whom is familiar with your experience as a musical ensemble leader, and contact information

Security Clearance Verification Memorandum showing current Security Clearance Eligibility/Level of Clearance as well as a statement regarding any past revocation, denial, or suspension of Security Clearance

Army Combat Fitness Test Scorecard, DA 705

Individual Medical Record (IMR)

DA Form 3349 Profile, if required

DA Form 5500/5501, if required

Resume

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HOW TO APPLY:

Applicants may submit their interest to CW4 Mabel Y. Langlais, 56th Troop Command, Brigade S1, Human Resource Technician mabel.y.langlais.mil@army.mil and MAJ Rebecca J. Gard, Officer Personnel Manager, Joint Force Headquarters, RI ARNG at rebecca.j.gard.mil@army.mil.

Upon determining a suitable time, the Selecting Official will provide a date, time, and location of interviews to applicants.

Desired date of assignment, if selected is no later than 8 June 2025.