

History

MAINTENANCE OF DISPLAY AIRCRAFT

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This instruction outlines procedures and responsibilities for the maintenance, inspection, and upkeep of any display aircraft on loan from the Air Force Museum within the confines of MacDill Air Force Base. This instruction expands on the requirements outlined by the Air Force Museum for the upkeep and maintenance of all "on loan" aircraft.

SUMMARY OF REVISIONS

This revision incorporates the requirements, information, and procedures formerly in MACDR 210-2, and updates the new office symbols that occurred during the reorganization.

1. OBJECTIVES: This instruction prescribes cleaning, inspection, and maintenance requirements that will ensure displayed aircraft is maintained in accordance with established Air Force standards. Additionally, as the present display aircraft and location have been designated as "The Prisoner Of War/Missing In Action (POW/MIA) Memorial" for MacDill Air Force Base, the upkeep and appearance of the site, as a whole, must represent our pride and commitment to those individuals who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the defense of our great nation and the United States Air Force.

2. RESPONSIBILITIES: The Commander, 6th Support Group (6 SPTG/CC), is responsible for the upkeep and maintenance of the display aircraft at MacDill Air Force Base, and will sign for any and all display aircraft at MacDill Air Force Base (excludes Avon Park Air Force Range).

The following units and individual positions are tasked to provide/perform required procedures to ensure compliance with this instruction.

2.1. The 6th Support Group Commander's Advisor for Quality (6 SPTG/CAQ) will:

2.1.1. Maintain inspection and maintenance reports.

- 2.1.2. Maintain the required Air Force Museum, forms and documents.
- 2.1.3. Ensure that Loan Agreement is updated annually as required by the Air Force Museum.
- 2.2. The 6th Civil Engineer Squadron will coordinate grounds maintenance requirements with contract or in-house personnel (i.e., grass cutting, bush trimming, and sidewalk maintenance and repair).
 - 2.2.1. Perform an annual aircraft cleaning, as a minimum. Annual cleaning should be accomplished just prior to POW/MIA Day in September.
 - 2.2.2. Forward records of all work performed on display aircraft by the unit to 6 SPTG/CAQ.
 - 2.2.3. Perform a corrosion control inspection at least semiannually. Document findings and schedule repairs and/or painting of aircraft in accordance with established technical order procedures.
- 2.3. The 6th Logistics Group Commander will coordinate with the necessary agencies any required maintenance not covered under this instruction (i.e., sheet metal repairs, components removal, systems inspections, etc.).

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