



BRIGADIER GENERAL BRIAN R. NESVIK

ASSISTANT ADJUTANT GENERAL – ARMY, WYOMING NATIONAL GUARD

Brigadier General Brian R. Nesvik is the Assistant Adjutant General for the Wyoming Army National Guard, serving as its commander, with headquarters in Cheyenne, Wyoming. He is responsible for the readiness, training, leadership and strategic planning for the more than 1,500 soldiers in support of state and federal mission requirements. Units of the Wyoming Army National Guard include field artillery,

engineering, maintenance, aviation, command and control, signal, medical, logistics, a training school and an Army band. Major commands include the 115th Fires Brigade, 94th Troop Command, Camp Guernsey Joint Training Center, 213th Regiment-Regional Training Institute and the Wyoming Joint Force Headquarters.

General Nesvik began his military career in 1986 when joined the 920th Medical Company. He attended Basic Training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina and Initial Entry Training as a flight operations specialist at Fort Rucker, Alabama. He attended the state Officer Candidate School program in 1989 and was commissioned as a second lieutenant.

BG Nesvik has held a number of command positions in the state including commanding two forward deployments for the 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion in Iraq. He also served as commander of the 115th Field Artillery Brigade in Cheyenne. Prior to becoming the Wyoming Army National Guard commander, General Nesvik served as the Wyoming National Guard's Joint Operations Officer and the Wyoming Army National Guard's Deputy Chief of Staff.

COMMISSIONING SOURCE:

1989 Army Officer Candidate School program

EDUCATIONAL DEGREES:

1994 University of Wyoming, Bachelor of Science, Wildlife and Fisheries Biology and Management, Laramie, Wyoming

MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED:

2016 Army War College, Masters of Strategic Studies, non-residence

ASSIGNMENTS:

1. July 1994 – September 1996, Executive Officer, A, 3-49th Field Artillery Battalion, Lander, Wyoming
2. October 1996 – June 1997, Executive Officer, A, 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion, Gillette, Wyoming

3. July 1997 – September 1997, Fire Direction Officer, 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion, Sheridan, Wyoming
4. October 1997 – May 2000, Battery Commander, C,2-300th Field Artillery Battalion, Thermopolis, Wyoming
5. June 2000 – July 2001, Operations Officer, 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion, Sheridan, Wyoming
6. August 2001 – June 2002, S-4, 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion, Sheridan, Wyoming
7. July 2002 – September 2003, S-3, 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion, Sheridan, Wyoming
8. October 2003 – January 2004, Executive Officer, 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion, Sheridan, Wyoming
9. February 2004 – September 2005, Commander, 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion FWD, Baghdad, Iraq
10. October 2005 – September 2006, Operations Officer, 115th Field Artillery Brigade, Cheyenne, Wyoming
11. October 2006 – April 2007, S-3, 115th Field Artillery Brigade, Cheyenne, Wyoming
12. May 2007 – March 2009, Commander, 2-300th Field Artillery Battalion, Sheridan, Wyoming
13. April 2009 – May 2010, Commander (Joint), 115th Fires Brigade, LOCATION, Kuwait
14. June 2010 – January 2015, Commander, 115th Fires Brigade, Cheyenne, Wyoming
15. February 2015 – August 2015, Chief Facilities Management Officer, Joint Force Headquarters, Cheyenne, Wyoming
16. September 2015 – December 2015, G1, Joint Force Headquarters, Cheyenne, Wyoming
17. January 2016 – January 2017, Joint Operations and Plans Officer, Wyoming National Guard, Cheyenne, Wyoming
18. February 2017 – March 2018, G3, Joint Force Headquarters, Cheyenne, Wyoming
19. April 2018 - Present, Assistant Adjutant General, Wyoming Army National Guard, Cheyenne, Wyoming

AWARDS:

Legion of Merit

Bronze Star Medal

Meritorious Service Medal (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)

Army Commendation Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)

Air Force Commendation Medal

Army Achievement Medal

Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal (with 1 Silver & 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster)

National Defense Service Medal (with Bronze Service Star)

Iraq Campaign Medal (with 2 Bronze Service Stars)

Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal

Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

Humanitarian Service Medal

Armed Forces Reserve Medal (with Silver Hour Glass and "M" Device with numeral 2)

Army Service Ribbon
Overseas Service Ribbon (with numeral 2)
Army Reserve Component Overseas Training Ribbon
Meritorious Unit Commendation (with Bronze Oak Leaf)
Combat Action Badge

Wyoming Distinguished Service Medal
Wyoming Outstanding Service Ribbon
Wyoming Service Ribbon (with 30-Year Device)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS:

National Guard Association of the United States
Wyoming National Guard Association
United States Field Artillery Association
Leadership Wyoming Alumni
Wyoming Game Wardens Association
Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation
Muley Fanatics Foundation

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION:

Second Lieutenant, 02 July 1990
First Lieutenant, 01 July 1993
Captain, 29 August 1997
Major, 01 August 2003
Lieutenant Colonel, 28 August 2007
Colonel, 02 March 2011
Brigadier General, 06 April 2018

(Current as of April 2018)