



# BIOGRAPHY

## INDIANA AIR NATIONAL GUARD

### LIEUTENANT COLONEL TAMALA A. SAYLOR

Lieutenant Colonel Tamala A. Saylor is Commander of the Indiana Air National Guard's 181st Comptroller Flight, Terre Haute, Ind. Lt Col Saylor took charge of the 181st Comptroller Flight upon it's activation on 1 August 2010.

Lt Col Saylor started her military career at the 122nd Fighter Wing, Indiana Air National Guard, Fort Wayne, Ind. as an enlisted member in June 1983. She was assigned as an Administrative Assistant in the Base Administrative Office. She became a full time technician in February of 1984. She earned her commission as a Second Lieutenant in February 1997 from the Academy of Military Science and transferred to the 181st Fighter Wing, Indiana Air National Guard, Terre Haute, Ind.

Since earning her commission she has served as a Budget Officer, Comptroller on two occasions, Mission Support Flight Commander, and Director of Personnel. Prior to being appointed as the Commander of the newly formed Comptroller Flight, she served as the Comptroller.



### EDUCATION

- 1991 Associate in Applied Science – Contract Management, Community College of the Air Force
- 1994 Bachelor of Science in Business Administration and Management, Indiana University, Fort Wayne, Ind.
- 2001 Squadron Officer School by correspondence
- 2002 Master of Science in Business Administration and Management, Oakland City University, Oakland City, Ind.
- 2004 Air Command and Staff College by correspondence

### ASSIGNMENTS

1. June 1983 – January 1984, administrative assistant, 122nd Fighter Wing, Baer Field Air National Guard Base, Ind.
2. February 1984 – July 1992, purchasing agent, 122nd Fighter Wing, Baer Field Air National Guard Base, Ind.
3. August 1992 – February 1997, budget analyst, 122nd Fighter Wing, Baer Field Air National Guard Base, Ind.
4. March 1997 – January 2001, budget officer, 181st Fighter Wing, Hulman Field Air National Guard Base, Ind.
5. February 2001 – November 2002, Comptroller, 181st Fighter Wing, Hulman Field Air National Guard Base, Ind.
6. December 2002 – June 2005, Commander, 181st Mission Support Flight, Hulman Field Air National Guard Base, Ind.
7. July 2005 – July 2010, Comptroller, 181st Intelligence Wing, Hulman Field Air National Guard Base, Ind.
8. August 2010 – Present, Commander, 181st Comptroller Flight, Hulman Field Air National Guard Base, Ind.

## **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Meritorious Service Medal with one device  
Air Force Commendation Medal with three devices  
Army Commendation Medal with one device  
Air Force Achievement Medal  
Indiana Commendation Medal with one device

## **EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Second Lieutenant	February, 1997
First Lieutenant	February, 1999
Captain	March, 2001
Major	March, 2005
Lieutenant Colonel	April, 2009

(Current as of February 2011)