



# BIOGRAPHY

## **MONTANA AIR NATIONAL GUARD**

### **COLONEL BRADLEY A. LIVINGSTON**

Colonel Bradley A. Livingston is the Chief of the Joint Staff, Montana National Guard, Helena, Montana. As Chief of Joint Staff, he assists the Adjutant General in administering approved National Guard policies, directives, regulations and agreements. He assists in the preparation of Federal and State budgets necessary for the support of the National Guard. Colonel Livingston is responsible for assisting the Adjutant General with maintaining the combat readiness of the Montana National Guard in the event of an order to active duty for national or state emergencies. He assumed his current position in November 2004.



Colonel Livingston was born in Great Falls, Montana on 26 June 1954. He graduated from Charles M. Russell High School in 1972. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Management (magna cum laude) from College of Great Falls in 1990. Colonel Livingston's military career began in January 1972 as a Personnel Technician. He was commissioned in 1979.

#### **EDUCATION:**

1990 Magna Cum Lade--Bachelor of Science, Business Management, University of Great Falls  
1979 ANG Academy of Military Science  
1981 Labor Relation Course  
1981 USAF Director of Personnel Course  
1983 USAF Squadron Officer School  
1985 ANG Recruiting and Retention Course  
1988 USAF Air Command and Staff Course  
1989 USAF Budget Officer Course  
1990 Total Quality Management Executive Overview  
1990 USAF Comptroller Staff Course  
1992 Professional Military Comptroller Course  
1992 Total Quality Management Facilitators Course  
1992 On Scene Commander Course  
1993 Air War College  
1994 Quality Management Instructor Course  
1995 Fiscal Law Course

1996 Interest Based Bargaining  
1996 Executive Benchmarking Course  
1996 NGB Grants and Cooperative Agreements Course  
2000 Base Operational Issues Course

**ASSIGNMENTS:**

January 1973 - September 1979, ANG enlisted status, SSgt, Personnel Technician  
October 1979 - April 1984, Director of Personnel  
May 1984 - September 1984, Logistics Management Officer  
October 1984 - November 1987, Director of Personnel  
December 1987 - March 1988, Commander, Communications Flight  
April 1988 - August 1997, Comptroller  
September 1992 - August 1994, Commander, Aircraft Maintenance Squadron  
September 1997 - October 1998, Commander, Logistics Squadron  
October 1998 – October 2001, Commander, Support Group  
October 2001 – July 2003, Vice Commander, 120 Fighter Wing  
July 2003 – Present, Chief of Staff, Montana Air National Guard

**MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS:**

Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf cluster  
Air Force Commendation Medal  
Air Force Achievement Medal with one oak leaf cluster  
Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with four oak leaf clusters  
Air Reserve Forces Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster  
National Defense Ribbon  
Air Force Longevity Service Medal with five oak leaf clusters  
Armed Forces Reserve Medal with silver hourglass  
Air Force Training Ribbon

**OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS:**

Outstanding Personnel Organization in the ANG (1986)  
Outstanding Comptroller Division in the ANG (1990, 1991)  
ANG Maintenance Effectiveness Award (1993)  
IG Brown Command Excellence Award (1994)

**EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION:**

Second Lieutenant September 27, 1979  
First Lieutenant October 4, 1981  
Captain November 19, 1983  
Major February 6, 1988  
Lieutenant Colonel April 23, 1992  
Colonel June 29, 2001

(Current as of November 2004)