

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS 11TH WING (AFDW) JOINT BASE ANDREWS, MARYLAND 20762

June 29, 2018

The United States Air Force Band – Washington, D.C.

Female Pop/Rock/Country/Top 40 Vocalist for The United States Air Force Band

Applicant must demonstrate strong, versatile abilities in the following areas:

- Extensive vocal repertoire covering all popular musical styles, including Rock, Pop, Country, R&B, and Motown. Knowledge must span from the 60's to present day.
- Strong "Fronting" capabilities; ability to lead a pop group on both large and small stages. Must demonstrate a dynamic performance personality!
- Additional instrument capabilities (e.g. guitar, piano, etc) are a plus. Please demonstrate if possible.
- Ability to read music and possess a general knowledge of music theory.

2 Options for Fulfilling Preliminary Requirements:

OPTION 1:

Attend an in-person preliminary audition in Nashville, TN, on **August 28, 2018,** or New York City, NY, on **August 31, 2018**. Additional information coming soon! Please be prepared to perform the following with a performance track, in the original keys:

- "Hello"- Adele
- "Don't You Worry About a Thing"- Tori Kelly
- "Heartbreaker"- Pat Benetar
- "I Hate Myself For Loving You"- Joan Jett
- "Honey I'm Home"- Shania Twain
- "Proud Mary"- Tina Turner
- "How Far I'll Go" from Moana
- "Gravity" Sara Bareilles
- "National Anthem" Traditional (non-contemporary styling required)

OPTION 2:

Submit resume and video recordings of the above repertoire, either with a live band or along with their respective recordings **by August 27, 2018**. No audio editing permitted. Selections should be sung in their original keys.

E-Mail resume and video files to: <u>USAFBandPopFemaleVocalAudition@gmail.com</u>

Electronic resumes must be received as a PDF file. Resume file names should be labeled *last name*, *first name*, and resume content must include name, phone number, and email address. Google Drive or Dropbox linked submissions preferred.

Optional:

Provide up to 4 minutes of audio and/or video(s) of choice that demonstrates applicant's strongest attributes.

Applicants who are considered qualified for the live final audition rounds in Washington, D.C. will be contacted by The USAF Band auditions team. Once approved by the recruiter, applicants will receive an audition invitation letter. All invited candidates must be below Air Force maximum allowable weight standards.

Live Final Audition Requirements:

Final rounds of the audition will be held **October 9, 2018** at Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, Washington, D.C. A live audition repertoire list will be provided to those selected and invited to the final rounds.

For additional information:

Phone: 1-800-283-8995

E-Mail: <u>usaf.jbanafw.afdw-staff.mbx.usaf-band-audition@mail.mil</u>

Website: http://www.music.af.mil/Careers/

** Prior Service and Active Duty members—please contact the USAF Band Auditions team prior to submitting materials.