August 9, 2018

USAF Band of the West
2220 Carswell Avenue
JBSA-Lackland TX 78236

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the Trumpet audition hosted by the United States Air Force Band of the West. This musical audition will be conducted in two parts: (a) an initial screening by pre-recorded submissions and (b) a live audition for those selected from the initial screening. Details concerning the pre-screening submission are attached. Please look over the requirements carefully to determine if you are prepared to take the audition at this time. The following information outlines requirements and important dates and requirements.

October 12, 2018   Deadline for receipt of all pre-screening materials
October 18, 2018   Results of pre-screening materials sent by email
November 14, 2018  Live audition at San Antonio, TX (JBSA Lackland)

In addition to passing the musical audition, applicants must be between the age of 17 and 39 and meet all Air Force weight, medical, financial, legal, and citizenship requirements. Qualified applicants may be assigned to the Band of the West or another USAF regional band, depending on the greatest need of the Air Force.

If you are invited to the live audition, please contact your local recruiter for an appointment to pre-qualify for basic military training.

We hope you have a great experience during this process and wish you the best of luck. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions at bandofthewestauditions@gmail.com or (210) 925 -7768.

Sincerely,

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MICHELE L VON HAUGG, SSgt, USAF
USAF Band of the West NCOIC, Auditions
The United States Air Force Band of the West
JBSA-Lackland, San Antonio, TX

ANNOUNCES AN AUDITION FOR
TRUMPET

PRE-SCREENING REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE:

1. Resume
2. Pre-Screen Recordings:
   - Artunian: Trumpet Concerto, opening to measure 70
   - Sousa: Gallant Seventh, opening to 8 measures after H
   - Copland: Outdoor Overture, opening to measure 34
   - Jazz: Perform two contrasting Jazz selections of your choosing
   - Improvisation: Improvise Jazz blues over extended vamp (ii/V/I). Perform head and solo over two contrasting musical selections.

Pre-screening materials deadline: October 12, 2018.
Each candidate notified of live audition invitation: October 18, 2018.
Live Audition Date: November 14, 2018 JBSA Lackland, San Antonio, TX

Email resume and MP3 files to: bandofthewestauditions@gmail.com

Benefits: Full medical and dental benefits 30 days vacation with pay per year
GI Bill for college up to $80,000
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