

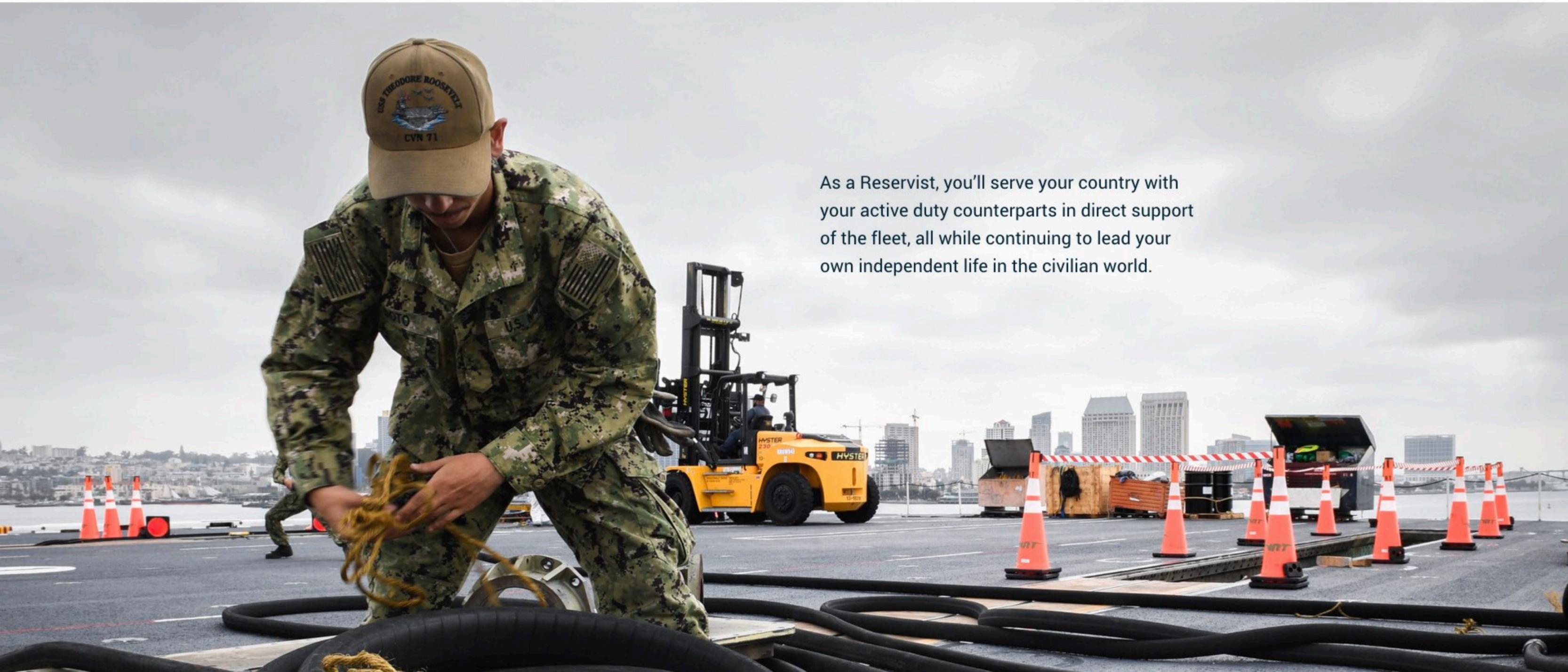
AMERICA'S  
**NAVY**  
RESERVE

**SERVE ON YOUR TERMS.**



# PURSUE YOUR GOALS. DEFEND OURS.

As a Reservist, you'll serve your country with your active duty counterparts in direct support of the fleet, all while continuing to lead your own independent life in the civilian world.



# BENEFITS

## **PAY**

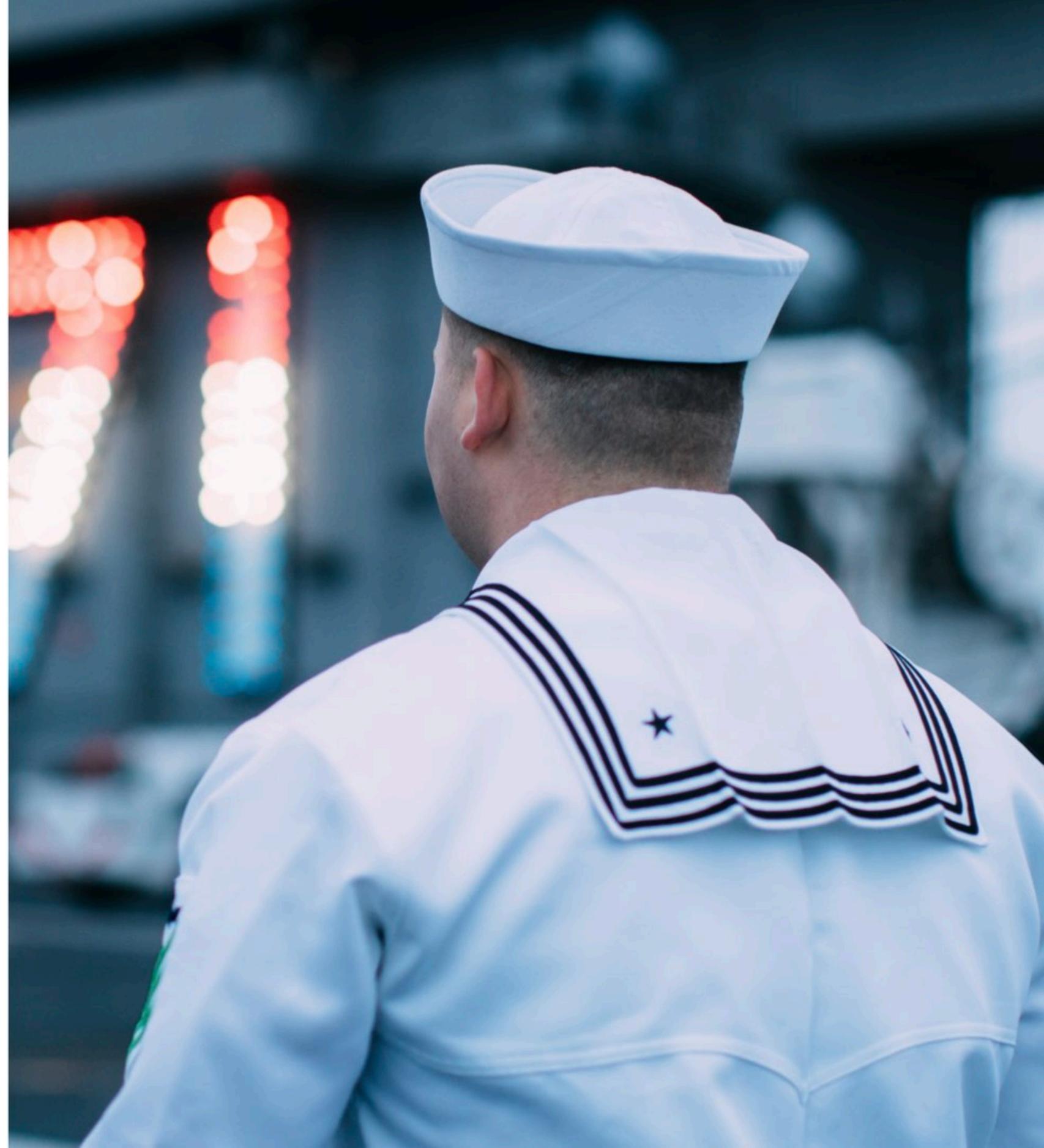
Navy Reservists are paid for four days of Active Duty for only two days of work. You'll have the opportunity to work as a professional in fields ranging from aviation to engineering, intel to admin.

## **HEALTH INSURANCE**

You'll be eligible for TRICARE Reserve Select® medical insurance with low monthly premiums for you and your family.

## **RETIREMENT**

Generous benefits, plus an optional, tax-deferred Thrift Savings Plan to help you prepare and plan for retirement.





# CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

From Construction to Cryptology. Health Care to Chaplaincy. Law Enforcement to Office Administration.

Reservist training provides or refines valuable skills that can help you succeed in a civilian or military career.

# BASIC OBLIGATIONS

Serve a minimum of one weekend per month (drilling), plus two weeks a year (annual training).





# DRILLING

Typically, you'll train near your home for 16 hours each month at one of the [hundreds of training sites that span the U.S.](#)

*"Drilling"* can mean training or tasks. As a Reservist, you'll often have the same duties as your active duty counterparts. Specific responsibilities depend on your occupational specialty, as well as whether you're an Enlisted Sailor or a Commissioned Officer.

# FLEXIBLE DRILLING

If your civilian career makes weekend service difficult, flexible drilling options allow you to serve on weekdays. Or, you can choose to fulfill your annual commitment in a single extended mission.



# ANNUAL TRAINING

For at least two weeks each year, you'll take part in advanced training that can take you across the U.S. or around the globe.

This is usually a command exercise with your drilling Reserve detachment. However, you may also have an opportunity to participate in a humanitarian outreach effort or pursue an independent assignment to broaden your experience.

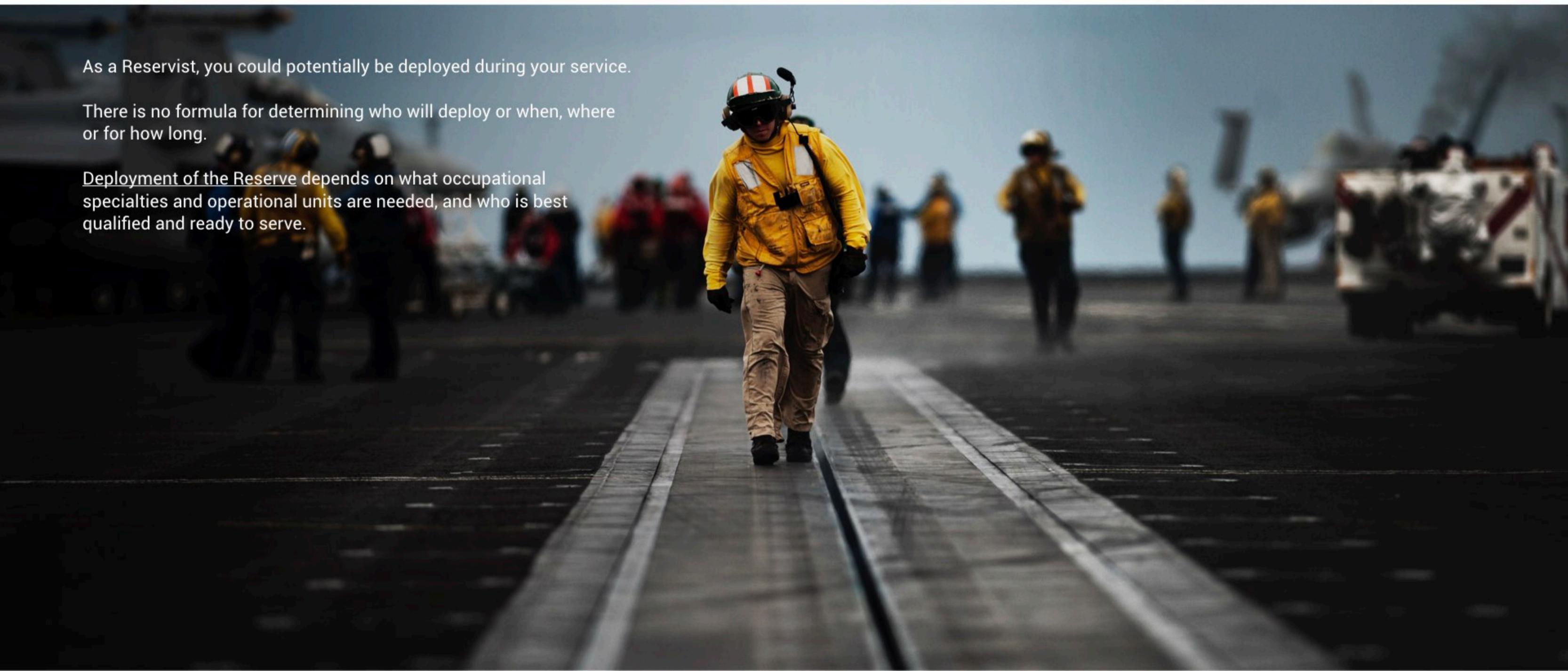


# DEPLOYMENT

As a Reservist, you could potentially be deployed during your service.

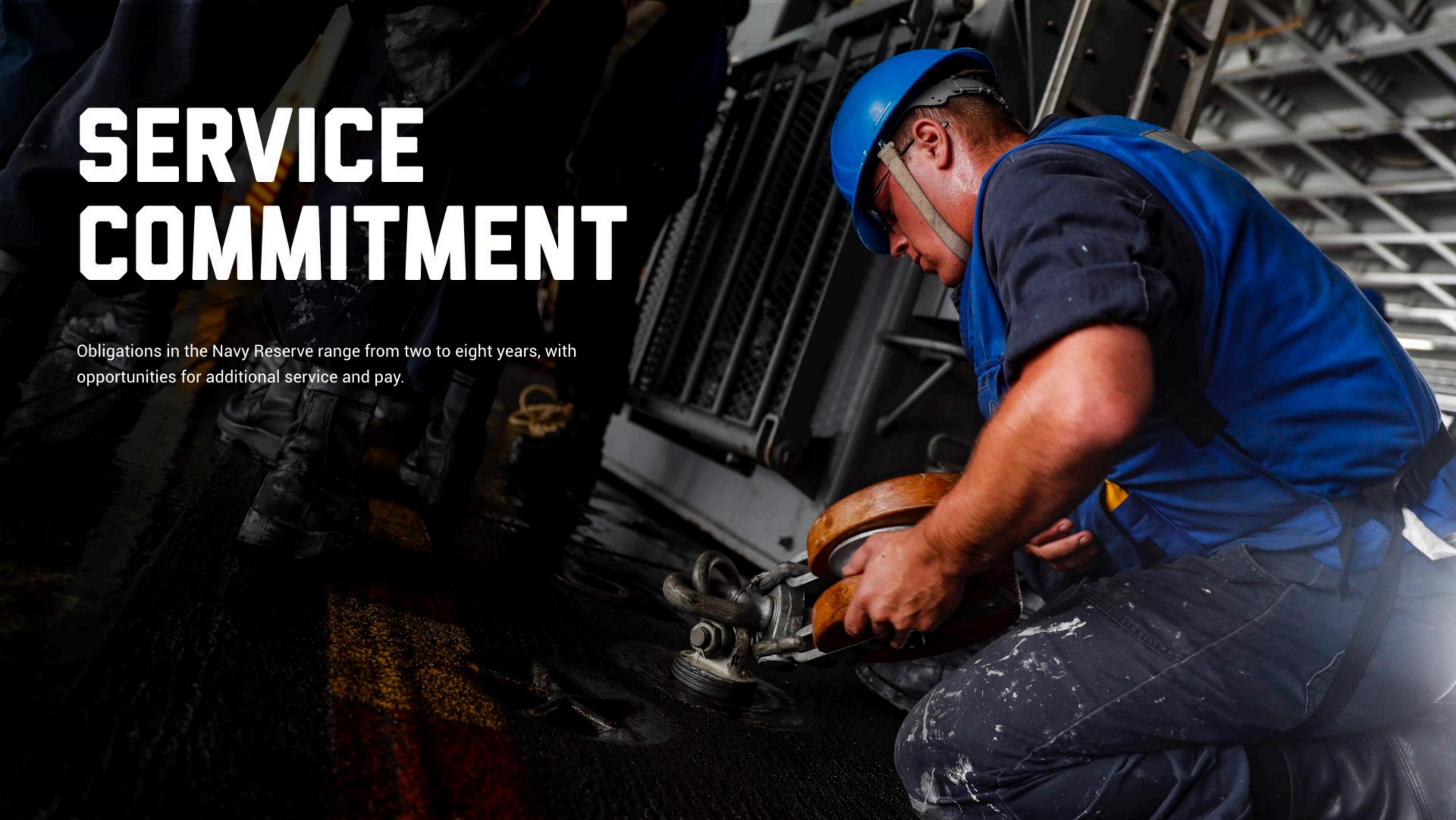
There is no formula for determining who will deploy or when, where or for how long.

Deployment of the Reserve depends on what occupational specialties and operational units are needed, and who is best qualified and ready to serve.



# SERVICE COMMITMENT

Obligations in the Navy Reserve range from two to eight years, with opportunities for additional service and pay.



# ENLISTED BASIC TRAINING

If you've never served in the military before and are entering as an Enlisted Sailor, you're required to attend recruit training, also known as boot camp.



# OFFICER TRAINING

Officers entering the Reserve need to attend [Direct Commission Officer \(DCO\) School](#). Depending on your career field, you may also attend additional specialty schooling.





# QUALIFICATIONS

- In order to join the Naval Reserve, you must be a U.S. citizen, a U.S. naturalized citizen or a legal permanent resident alien of the United States.
- The general age requirement is 18–39 years.
- For Enlisted personnel, the minimum of a high school diploma or equivalent is required. For Officers, you must hold a degree from a four-year college or university.
- You must qualify on the ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) test.
- Moral, legal and physical standards, set by America's Navy, must also be met.



# BE PART OF SOMETHING BIGGER

Make the most of your proven and potential abilities. Discover a camaraderie that's rarely experienced in everyday life. Benefit personally, professionally and financially—as a Reservist in America's Navy.

# QUESTIONS?

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