

Fort Worth Forms APC

As the opening of the twelfth annual Air Force Association convention in Dallas drew near, Fort Worth got into the act Thursday by forming the nation's sixth Air Power Council.

Fort Worth's APC immediately voted to sponsor a luncheon for visiting dignitaries Sept. 25, opening day of the 4-day convention, at a Carswell Air Force Base air power show. Gen. Curtis LeMay, vice-chief of staff, will head the dignitaries.

Ralph Whitner of Washington, D.C., AFA's professional convention director, addressed the 40 Cowtown aviation and Air Force enthusiasts who formed the council. He also explained that Jim Fuller, public relations director for Bell Helicopter Corporation of Fort Worth, was recently named on-chairman of the convention. Al Harting, vice-president of Dallas' Southwest Automotive Company, is general convention chairman.