# UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS

# LINEAGE

## OF

**4TH RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION**

**1943 – 1945**

ACTIVATED 1 JUNE 1943 AT CAMP PENDLETON, CALIFORNIA, AS COMPANY D (SCOUT), 4TH TANK BATTALION,
FLEET MARINE FORCE

REASSIGNED DURING AUGUST 1943 TO DIVISION SPECIAL TROOPS, 4TH MARINE DIVISION,
FLEET MARINE FORCE

REASSIGNED DURING SEPTEMBER 1943 TO HEADQUARTERS BATTALION, DIVISION SPECIAL TROOPS,
4TH MARINE DIVISION, FLEET MARINE FORCE

DEPLOYED DURING JANUARY 1944 TO THE PACIFIC AREA

PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING WORLD WAR II CAMPAIGNS

KWAJALEIN
SAIPAN
TINIAN
IWO JIMA

RELOCATED DURING OCTOBER 1945 TO CAMP PENDLETON, CALIFORNIA

DEACTIVATED 31 OCTOBER 1945

**1951 – 2012**

REACTIVATED 10 SEPTEMBER 1951 AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, AS 7TH RIFLE COMPANY,
U.S. MARINE CORPS RESERVE

REDESIGNATED 8 JANUARY 1953 AS 14TH INFANTRY BATTALION, U.S. MARINE CORPS RESERVE

REDESIGNATED 1 JULY 1962 AS 4TH RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, 4TH MARINE DIVISION,
FLEET MARINE FORCE, U.S. MARINE CORPS RESERVE

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD AND DESERT STORM, SOUTHWEST ASIA,
NOVEMBER 1990 – APRIL 1991

ELEMENTS MOBILIZED AND PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, JANUARY-JUNE 2003,
JUNE 2004 – JANUARY 2005, MARCH – OCTOBER 2005 AND AUGUST 2006 – SEPTEMBER 2007

ELEMENTS MOBILIZED AND PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN,
JUNE 2009 – JANUARY 2010 AND MARCH-OCTOBER 2011

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### AWARDED

**4TH RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION**

**PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR**

**WORLD WAR II**
**SAIPAN AND TINIAN – 1944**
**IWO JIMA – 1945**

**MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR**

**1979**

**SOUTHWEST ASIA**
**1990 – 1991**

**ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH FOUR BRONZE STARS**

**WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER**

**NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER**

**IRAQ CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR**

**GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER**

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