

# LINEAGE

OF 2D RADIO BATTALION

1943 - 1945

ACTIVATED 14 JUNE 1943 AT LINDA VISTA CAMP, CAMP ELLIOTT, SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, AS 1ST RADIO INTELLIGENCE PLATOON, SIGNAL COMPANY, AMPHIBIOUS CORPS, PACIFIC FLEET

REASSIGNED 7 SEPTEMBER 1943 TO MARINE BARRACKS, CAMP ELLIOTT

REASSIGNED 15 OCTOBER 1943 TO 29TH REPLACEMENT BATTALION, FLEET MARINE FORCE

RELOCATED DURING OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 1943 TO NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA

REASSIGNED 20 NOVEMBER 1943 TO THE CORPS REPLACEMENT BATTALION, TRANSIENT CENTER,
I MARINE AMPHIBIOUS CORPS AT CAMP ST. LOUIS

PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING WORLD WAR II CAMPAIGNS

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RELOCATED DURING DECEMBER 1943 TO GUADALCANAL, BRITISH SOLOMON ISLANDS, AND REASSIGNED TO SIGNAL COMPANY, HEADQUARTERS BATTALION, DIVISION SUPPORT TROOPS, 3D MARINE DIVISION, FLEET MARINE FORCE

REASSIGNED 15 APRIL 1944 TO HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, I CORPS SIGNAL BATTALION, I MARINE AMPHIBIOUS CORPS

RELOCATED DURING AUGUST 1944 TO PEARL HARBOR, TERRITORY OF HAWAII, AND REASSIGNED TO SIGNAL COMPANY, HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE BATTALION, FLEET MARINE FORCE

ATTACHED DURING SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 1944 TO PACIFIC FLEET RADIO UNIT 128

REDESIGNATED 20 OCTOBER 1944 AS 1ST SEPARATE RADIO INTELLIGENCE PLATOON

ATTACHED 15 DECEMBER 1944 TO HEADQUARTERS, V AMPHIBIOUS CORPS

RELOCATED DURING APRIL 1945 TO MAUI, TERRITORY OF HAWAII

REASSIGNED 1 SEPTEMBER 1945 TO SIGNAL BATTALION, V AMPHIBIOUS CORPS

RELOCATED DURING AUGUST-SEPTEMBER 1945 TO SASEBO, KYUSHU, JAPAN

PARTICIPATED IN THE OCCUPATION OF JAPAN, SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER 1945

REDESIGNATED 29 OCTOBER 1945 AS 1ST RADIO INTELLIGENCE PLATOON, FLEET MARINE FORCE

**DEACTIVATED 7 NOVEMBER 1945** 

ACTIVATED 1 SEPTEMBER 1949 IN WASHINGTON, D.C., AS 5TH SIGNAL COMPANY (SUPPLEMENTARY), U.S. MARINE CORPS RESERVE

RELOCATED DURING AUGUST 1950 TO QUANTICO, VIRGINIA

RECALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY 17 FEBRUARY 1951, AND REDESIGNATED AS 1ST RADIO COMPANY

RELOCATED DURING FEBRUARY 1951 TO CAMP PENDLETON, CALIFORNIA

RELOCATED DURING JULY 1954 TO CAMP LEJEUNE, NORTH CAROLINA

REDESIGNATED 15 SEPTEMBER 1958 AS 2D RADIO COMPANY

REDESIGNATED 22 JULY 1959 AS 2D COMPOSITE RADIO COMPANY

1962 - 1981

REASSIGNED 1 MARCH 1962 TO FORCE TROOPS, FLEET MARINE FORCE

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN THE CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS, OCTOBER-DECEMBER 1962

REDESIGNATED 17 SEPTEMBER 1963 AS 2D RADIO COMPANY

REDESIGNATED 14 JULY 1964 AS 2D RADIO BATTALION

FORCE TROOPS REDESIGNATED 10 OCTOBER 1975 AS FORCE TROOPS/2D FORCE SERVICE SUPPORT GROUP, FLEET MARINE FORCE
FORCE TROOPS REDESIGNATED 30 JUNE 1978 AS 2D FORCE SERVICE SUPPORT GROUP, FLEET MARINE FORCE

1982 - 2013

PROVIDED SUPPORT TO THE MULTINATIONAL PEACE-KEEPING FORCE IN LEBANON, SEPTEMBER 1982 – APRIL 1984

PROVIDED SUPPORT TO THE LANDINGS ON GRENADA-CARRIACCOU, OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 1983

ELEMENTS PROVIDED SUPPORT TO OPERATIONS IN THE PERSIAN GULF, INDIAN OCEAN-ARABIAN GULF, MEDITERRANEAN, SOMALIA, HAITI, AND LIBERIA DURING THE LATE 1980s AND 1990s

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

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN SUPPORT OF THE GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM, HORN OF AFRICA, 2003-2007

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, MARCH-MAY 2003, AUGUST 2004 – JUNE 2005, AUGUST 2006 – FEBRUARY 2007, AUGUST 2007 – MARCH 2008, AUGUST 2008 – MARCH 2009 AND AUGUST 2009 – FEBRUARY 2010

DEPLOYED DURING JANUARY 2003 TO KUWAIT IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN, JANUARY 2011 – JANUARY 2012

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# AWARDED 2D RADIO BATTALION

#### PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER

IRAQ 2003

### NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH ONE SILVER AND ONE BRONZE STAR

**WORLD WAR II** 

1943 - 1944

1943 - 1945

1986 - 1988

**SOUTHWEST ASIA** 

1990 - 1991

**IRAQ** 

2004 - 2005

2006 - 2007

2008 - 2009

## MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR

LEBANON AND GRENADA

1982 - 1983

1994 - 1995

### **AMERICAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER**

ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

SOUTHWEST ASIA SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

AFGHANISTAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

**IRAQ CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS** 

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER

KOREAN PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER

COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS