

# United States Marine Corps



## LINEAGE

OF

### 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

1941 – 1949

ACTIVATED 7 JULY 1941 AT QUANTICO, VIRGINIA, AS THE 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

RELOCATED DURING DECEMBER 1941 TO SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

DEPLOYED DURING AUGUST-SEPTEMBER 1942 TO THE SOUTH PACIFIC

PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING WORLD WAR II CAMPAIGNS

GUADALCANAL  
SOLOMON ISLANDS  
BISMARCK ARCHIPELAGO  
TREASURY-BOUGAINVILLE  
SOUTHERN PHILIPPINES

REDEPLOYED DURING SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 1945 TO TIENTSIN, CHINA

PARTICIPATED IN THE OCCUPATION OF NORTH CHINA, OCTOBER 1945 – APRIL 1947

REDEPLOYED DURING APRIL-MAY 1947 TO GUAM, MARIANAS ISLANDS

RELOCATED DURING OCTOBER 1947 TO EL TORO, CALIFORNIA

1950 – 1964

DEPLOYED DURING JULY-OCTOBER 1950 TO THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA

PARTICIPATED IN THE KOREAN WAR, OCTOBER 1950 – JULY 1953, OPERATING FROM

PUSAN PERIMETER  
INCHON-SEOUL  
CHOSIN RESERVOIR  
EAST CENTRAL FRONT  
WESTERN FRONT

PARTICIPATED IN THE DEFENSE OF THE KOREAN DEMILITARIZED ZONE, JULY 1953 – JUNE 1956

RELOCATED DURING JULY 1956 TO IWAKUNI, JAPAN

PARTICIPATED IN THE DEFENSE OF THE TAIWAN STRAITS, AUGUST 1958 – JANUARY 1959

1965 – 1989

DEPLOYED DURING MAY 1965 TO THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM

PARTICIPATED IN THE WAR IN VIETNAM, MAY 1965 – APRIL 1971, OPERATING FROM

QUANG TRI  
THUA THIEN  
QUANG NAM  
QUANG TIN  
QUANG NGAI

RELOCATED DURING APRIL 1971 TO IWAKUNI, JAPAN

RELOCATED DURING APRIL 1976 TO CAMP BUTLER, OKINAWA, JAPAN

RELOCATED DURING JULY 1979 TO CAMP ZUKERAN, OKINAWA, JAPAN

RELOCATED DURING MARCH 1980 TO CAMP FOSTER, OKINAWA, JAPAN

RELOCATED DURING JANUARY 1985 TO CAMP BUTLER, OKINAWA, JAPAN

1990 – 2004

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN DISASTER RELIEF OPERATIONS, REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES, JULY 1990

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS PROVIDE COMFORT AND SEA ANGEL,  
IRAQ AND BANGLADESH, MAY-JUNE 1991

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION FIERY VIGIL, REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES, JUNE 1991

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION RESTORE HOPE, SOMALIA, DECEMBER 1992 – MAY 1993

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION FULL ACCOUNTING, SOUTHEAST ASIA, 1992 – 1993

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN DISASTER RELIEF OPERATIONS, KOBE, JAPAN, JANUARY 1995

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION UNITED SHIELD, SOMALIA, FEBRUARY 1995

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN HUMANITARIAN EFFORTS, EAST TIMOR, SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 1999

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION NOBLE EAGLE, GUAM, SEPTEMBER 2001 – JUNE 2002

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN AND IRAQ  
FEBRUARY 2003 – MARCH 2004

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ,  
JANUARY-JUNE 2004

26 MAY 2005

DATE

  
COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS

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AWARDED

1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

WORLD WAR II

1942

KOREA

1950

1951

VIETNAM

1965 - 1967

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION (ARMY) STREAMER

KOREA

1950

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER

KOREA

1952 - 1953

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER

2000 - 2002

AMERICAN DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER

ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE SILVER STAR

WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER

CHINA SERVICE STREAMER

KOREAN SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER STARS

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

ARMED FORCES EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER

VIETNAM SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER AND THREE BRONZE STARS

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER

PHILIPPINE LIBERATION STREAMER

PHILIPPINE PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER

KOREAN PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER

VIETNAM CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM STREAMER

VIETNAM MERITORIOUS UNIT CITATION CIVIL ACTIONS STREAMER

26 MAY 2005

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