

United States Maritime Group



LINEAGE

OF

MARINE AIR CONTROL GROUP 18

1967 – 2009

ACTIVATED 1 SEPTEMBER 1967 AT DA NANG, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM, AS MARINE AIR CONTROL GROUP 18
AND ASSIGNED TO 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

PARTICIPATED IN THE WAR IN VIETNAM, SEPTEMBER 1967 – APRIL 1971,
OPERATING FROM

DA NANG

DEPLOYED DURING APRIL 1971 TO IWAKUNI, JAPAN

REDEPLOYED DURING SEPTEMBER 1975 TO FUTENMA, OKINAWA

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION PROVIDE COMFORT, IRAQ, MAY 1991

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION SEA ANGEL, BANGLADESH, MAY 1991

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

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN MULTIPLE OPERATIONS IN SUPPORT OF THE
GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM, 2002 – 2008

22 SEPTEMBER 2009

DATE

James T. Conway
COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS



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AWARDED

MARINE AIR CONTROL GROUP 18

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER

VIETNAM
1967

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER

VIETNAM
1967 - 1968

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH FOUR BRONZE STARS

1982 - 1984
1985 - 1987
1997 - 1999
2000 - 2002
2004 - 2005

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

VIETNAM SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER STARS

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER

VIETNAM CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM STREAMER

VIETNAM MERITORIOUS UNIT CITATION CIVIL ACTIONS STREAMER

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