LINEAGE
OF
MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 36
1952 – 1975
ACTIVATED 2 JUNE 1952 AT SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, AS MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 36, AIR, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC
ASSIGNED DURING SEPTEMBER 1955 TO 3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS OPERATIONS, NOVEMBER 1962
DEPLOYED DURING AUGUST 1965 TO CHU LAI, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM, AND REASSIGNED TO 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING,
FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC
PARTICIPATED IN THE WAR IN VIETNAM, SEPTEMBER 1965 – NOVEMBER 1969,
OPERATING FROM
KY HA
PHU BAI
REDEPLOYED DURING NOVEMBER 1969 TO FUTEMA, OKINAWA
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS IN THAILAND, JUNE 1972 – SEPTEMBER 1973
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN MINESWEEPING OPERATIONS OFF THE COAST OF NORTH VIETNAM, FEBRUARY-JULY 1973
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN SOUTHEAST ASIA EVACUATIONS, APRIL-JUNE 1975
1976 – 2005
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN SUPPORT OF OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD AND DESERT STORM, SOUTHWEST ASIA, AUGUST 1990 – APRIL 1991
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION FIERY VIGIL, PHILIPPINES, JUNE 1991
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS RESTORE HOPE AND UNITED SHIELD, SOMALIA, DECEMBER 1992 – MAY 1993
AND JANUARY-FEBRUARY 1995
PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION UNIFIED ASSISTANCE IN RESPONSE TO THE TSUNAMI DISASTER, THAILAND, INDONESIA,
AND SRI LANKA, DECEMBER 2004 – FEBRUARY 2005
2006 – 2011
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN MULTIPLE HUMANITARIAN RELIEF EFFORTS, IN THE PHILIPPINES AND INDONESIA,
FEBRUARY 2006, MAY-JUNE 2007, AND OCTOBER 2010
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, JANUARY-AUGUST 2007
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION SEA ANGEL II, BANGLADESH, IN RESPONSE TO FLOODING, NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 2007
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION CARING RESPONSE, BURMA, IN RESPONSE TO FLOODING, MAY 2008
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN, MAY 2009 INTO 2012
PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION TOMADACHI, JAPAN, IN RESPONSE TO TSUNAMI DISASTER, MARCH 2011
HONORS
AWARDED
MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 36

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER
VIETNAM
1965 – 1967

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS
VIETNAM
1965 – 1966
1968
1968 – 1969

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS
2000 – 2002
2004 – 2005
2008 – 2010

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

VIETNAM SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER AND ONE BRONZE STAR
GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER
VIETNAM CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM STREAMER
VIETNAM MERITORIOUS UNIT CITATION CIVIL ACTIONS STREAMER

28 MARCH 2012