



LINEAGE

OF

MARINE MEDIUM TILTROTOR SQUADRON 264

1959 – 2002

ACTIVATED 30 JUNE 1959 AT NEW RIVER, NORTH CAROLINA, AS MARINE HELICOPTER TRANSPORT SQUADRON (LIGHT) 264
AND ASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 26, 2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING, FLEET MARINE FORCE

REDESIGNATED 1 FEBRUARY 1962 AS MARINE MEDIUM HELICOPTER SQUADRON 264

PARTICIPATED IN THE CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS, OCTOBER-DECEMBER 1962

PARTICIPATED IN THE INTERVENTION IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, APRIL-JUNE 1965

PARTICIPATED AS PART OF THE MULTINATIONAL PEACE-KEEPING FORCE IN LEBANON, FEBRUARY-JUNE 1983

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION PROVIDE COMFORT, IRAQ, APRIL-JULY 1991

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION UPHOLD DEMOCRACY, HAITI, SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 1994

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS DENY FLIGHT AND DECISIVE ENDEAVOR, BOSNIA, SEPTEMBER 1995 – JANUARY 1996

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ASSURED RESPONSE, LIBERIA, JUNE-AUGUST 1996

2003 – 2014

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, APRIL 2003 AND JANUARY-AUGUST 2005

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, HORN OF AFRICA, JUNE-JULY 2003

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION SHINING EXPRESS, LIBERIA, AUGUST-SEPTEMBER 2003

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION SECURE TOMORROW, HAITI, APRIL-JUNE 2004

ELEMENT PARTICIPATED IN HUMANITARIAN RELIEF EFFORTS, ALABAMA, IN RESPONSE TO HURRICANE KATRINA, SEPTEMBER 2005

ELEMENT PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, SEPTEMBER 2008 – FEBRUARY 2009

REDESIGNATED 29 MAY 2009 AS MARINE MEDIUM TILTROTOR SQUADRON 264

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN, JANUARY-JULY 2011 AND JANUARY- AUGUST 2013



HONORS

AWARDED

MARINE MEDIUM TILTROTOR SQUADRON 264

JOINT MERITORIOUS UNIT AWARD STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER

1991
1996

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
1965

LEBANON
1983

HAITI
2004

AFGHANISTAN
2011

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

1987

HAITI
1994

1996 - 1998

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

MARINE CORPS EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR

ARMED FORCES EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR

AFGHANISTAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

IRAQ CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER