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LINEAGE

OF

MARINE CORPS AIR STATION, CHERRY POINT, NORTH CAROLINA

1941 – 2008

ACTIVATED 18 AUGUST 1941 AS CUNNINGHAM FIELD AT CHERRY POINT, NORTH CAROLINA

REDESIGNATED 1 DECEMBER 1941 AS MARINE CORPS AIR STATION, CHERRY POINT, NORTH CAROLINA

OFFICIALLY COMMISSIONED 20 MAY 1942 AS MARINE CORPS AIR STATION,
CHERRY POINT, NORTH CAROLINA

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AWARDED

MARINE CORPS AIR STATION, CHERRY POINT, NORTH CAROLINA

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

1987 – 1988
1994 – 1995
1998 – 1999

AMERICAN DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER

AMERICAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER

WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER

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