

# United States Marine Corps



## LINEAGE

OF

U.S. MARINE CORPS FORCES, PACIFIC

1944 – 2006

ORGANIZED 12 JUNE 1944 AT CAMP CATLIN, TERRITORY OF HAWAII, AS HEADQUARTERS, ADMINISTRATIVE COMMAND, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC, BY REDESIGNATION OF HEADQUARTERS, MARINE ADMINISTRATIVE COMMAND, V AMPHIBIOUS CORPS

PARTICIPATED IN PACIFIC ISLAND CAMPAIGNS, WORLD WAR II, JUNE 1944 – AUGUST 1945

LIEUTENANT GENERAL HOLLAND M. SMITH DESIGNATED 12 JULY 1944 AS COMMANDING GENERAL, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC, BY COMMANDER IN CHIEF, U.S. PACIFIC FLEET

REDESIGNATED 24 AUGUST 1944 AS PROVISIONAL HEADQUARTERS, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

FORMALLY DESIGNATED 17 SEPTEMBER 1944 AS HEADQUARTERS, FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN THE OCCUPATION OF NORTH CHINA, SEPTEMBER 1945 – JUNE 1949

RELOCATED DURING MAY 1950 TO PEARL HARBOR, TERRITORY OF HAWAII

PARTICIPATED IN THE WAR IN KOREA, JUNE 1950 – JULY 1953

RELOCATED DURING JANUARY 1956 TO CAMP H.M. SMITH, TERRITORY OF HAWAII

PARTICIPATED IN THE WAR IN VIETNAM, MARCH 1965 – APRIL 1975

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD AND DESERT STORM, SOUTHWEST ASIA, AUGUST 1990 – APRIL 1991

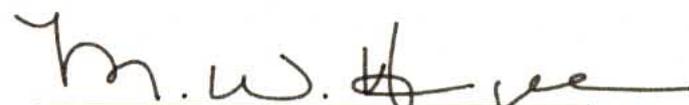
REDESIGNATED 31 JULY 1992 AS U.S. MARINE CORPS FORCES, PACIFIC

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN, 2001 INTO 2006

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, 2003 INTO 2006

15 SEPTEMBER 2006

DATE

  
COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS

# United States Marine Corps



## HONORS AWARDED

**U.S. MARINE CORPS FORCES, PACIFIC**

**PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER**

**PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION (ARMY) STREAMER**

**VALOROUS UNIT AWARD (ARMY) STREAMER**

**JOINT MERITORIOUS UNIT AWARD STREAMER**

**NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER**

**MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER**

**MARINE CORPS EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER WITH FOUR BRONZE STARS AND A SILVER "W"**

**PHILIPPINE CAMPAIGN STREAMER**

**CHINA RELIEF EXPEDITION STREAMER**

**MEXICAN SERVICE STREAMER**

**YANGTZE SERVICE STREAMER**

**CHINA SERVICE STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR**

**AMERICAN DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR**

**AMERICAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER**

**ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH FOUR SILVER STARS**

**WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER**

**NAVY OCCUPATION SERVICE STREAMER WITH "ASIA"**

**NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS**

**KOREAN SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER STARS**

**ARMED FORCES EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER AND ONE BRONZE STAR**

**VIETNAM SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE SILVER AND TWO BRONZE STARS**

**SOUTHWEST ASIA SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS**

**AFGHANISTAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER**

**IRAQ CAMPAIGN STREAMER**

**GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER**

**GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER**

**PHILIPPINE DEFENSE STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR**

**PHILIPPINE LIBERATION STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS**

**PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENCE STREAMER**

**PHILIPPINE PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER**

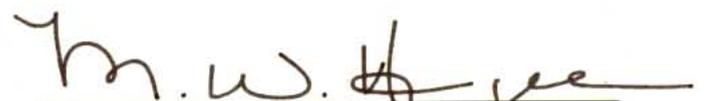
**KOREAN PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER**

**VIETNAM CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM STREAMER**

**VIETNAM MERITORIOUS UNIT CITATION CIVIL ACTIONS STREAMER**

**15 SEPTEMBER 2006**

DATE

  
COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS