LINEAGE
OF
2D BATTALION, 14TH MARINES

1943 – 1945
ACTIVATED 26 MARCH 1943 AT CAMP PENDLETON, CALIFORNIA, AS 2D BATTALION, 14TH MARINES, FLEET MARINE FORCE
ASSIGNED DURING AUGUST 1943 TO THE 4TH MARINE DIVISION
DEPLOYED DURING JANUARY 1944 TO THE MARSHALL ISLANDS
PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING WORLD WAR II CAMPAIGNS
KWAJALEIN
SAIPAN
TINIAN
IWO JIMA
REDEPLOYED DURING OCTOBER 1945 TO CAMP PENDLETON
DEACTIVATED 15 NOVEMBER 1945

1962 – 2007
REACTIVATED 1 JULY 1962 AT DALLAS, TEXAS, AS 2D BATTALION, 14TH MARINES
ASSIGNED DURING FEBRUARY 1966 TO THE 4TH MARINE DIVISION, U.S. MARINE CORPS RESERVE
RELOCATED DURING 1988 TO FORT WORTH, TEXAS
PARTICIPATED IN SUPPORT OF OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD AND DESERT STORM, SOUTHWEST ASIA, NOVEMBER 1990 – APRIL 1991
RELOCATED DURING MARCH 2000 TO GRAND PRAIRIE, TEXAS
ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, 2004 – 2007

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2D BATTALION, 14TH MARINES

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER
WORLD WAR II
SAIPAN AND TINIAN – 1944

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER
WORLD WAR II
IWO JIMA – 1945

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER
SOUTHWEST ASIA
1990 – 1991

ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH FOUR BRONZE STARS

WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER

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