

## 1ST BATTALION 8TH MARINES

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS  
(GUADALCANAL, 4 NOVEMBER-9 DECEMBER 1942)  
(TARAWA, 20-24 NOVEMBER 1943)  
(OKINAWA, 18-21 JUNE 1945)

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH FOUR BRONZE STARS  
(LEBANON, 28 MAY-19 NOVEMBER 1983)  
(SOUTHWEST ASIA, 14 AUGUST 1990 – 16 APRIL 1991)  
(IRAQ, 2 AUGUST 2004 – JANUARY 2005)  
(SU 24TH MEU, 14 JULY-20 AUGUST 2006)  
(AFGHANISTAN, AUGUST 2010 – MARCH 2011)

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER  
(SU 26TH MEU, 12 MARCH-26 MAY 1997)

MARINE CORPS EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR  
(CUBA, 22-23 OCTOBER 1962)  
(LEBANON, 5 JUNE-19 NOVEMBER 1983)

ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE SILVER STAR  
(CAPTURE AND DEFENSE OF GUADALCANAL, 2 NOVEMBER 1942 – 31 JANUARY 1943)  
(GILBERT ISLANDS OPERATION, 20-24 NOVEMBER 1943)  
(CAPTURE AND OCCUPATION OF SAIPAN, 15 JUNE-24 JULY 1944)  
(CAPTURE AND OCCUPATION OF TINIAN, 24 JULY-1 AUGUST 1944)  
(ASSAULT AND OCCUPATION OF OKINAWA, 1-13 APRIL AND 30 MAY-30 JUNE 1945)

WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER  
(7 DECEMBER 1941 – 31 DECEMBER 1946)

NAVY OCCUPATION SERVICE STREAMER WITH "ASIA" AND "EUROPE"  
(ASIA, 24 SEPTEMBER 1945 – 4 FEBRUARY 1946)  
(EUROPE, VARIOUS DATES THROUGH 1955)

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS  
(27 JUNE 1950 – 27 JULY 1954)  
(1 JANUARY 1961 – 15 AUGUST 1974)  
(2 AUGUST 1990 – 30 NOVEMBER 1995)  
(11 SEPTEMBER 2001 – TBD)

ARMED FORCES EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS  
(LEBANON, 18 JULY-18 SEPTEMBER 1958)  
(CUBA, 24 OCTOBER-6 DECEMBER 1962)  
(DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, 3 MAY-6 JUNE 1965)

SOUTHWEST SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS  
(DECEMBER 1990 – 16 JANUARY 1991)  
(17 JANUARY-11 APRIL 1991)  
(APRIL 1991)

AFGHANISTAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR  
(AUGUST 2010 – TBD)

IRAQ CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE SILVER STAR  
(TRANSITION, \_-28 JUNE 2004)  
(GOVERNANCE, 29 JUNE 2004 – JANUARY 2005)  
(RESOLUTION, JUNE-OCTOBER 2006)  
(SURGE, SEPTEMBER 2007 - ?)  
(SOVEREIGNTY, FEBRUARY-SEPTEMBER 2009)

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER  
(IRAQ, APRIL 2003)

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER  
(11 SEPTEMBER 2001 – TBD)