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To: Commanding General, First Marine Aircraft Wing

Subj: Command Chronology for period 1 - 31 May 1967

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*✓*(3) Command Chronology, Headquarters & Headquarters Squadron One  
*✓*(4) Command Chronology, 11th Dental Company  
*✓*(5) Command Chronology, Marine Air Support Squadron Two  
*✓*(6) Command Chronology, Marine Air Support Squadron Three  
*✓*(7) Command Chronology, Marine Air Control Squadron Seven  
*✓*(8) Command Chronology, 1st Light Anti Aircraft Missile Battalion  
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- ✓* **App 1 - CIVIC ACTION RPT**
- In accordance with reference (a) enclosures (1) through (9) are submitted.
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## COMMAND CHRONOLOGY

ORGANIZATIONAL DATA SHEET1. Unit Designation and Location

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>
Marine Wing Headquarters Group One	DaNang, RVN
Headquarters & Headquarters Squadron One	DaNang, RVN
11th Dental Company	DaNang, RVN
Marine Air Support Squadron Two	DaNang, RVN
Marine Air Support Squadron Three	Chu Lai, RVN
Marine Air Control Squadron Seven	Chu Lai, RVN
1st Light AntiAircraft Missile Battalion	DaNang, RVN
2d Light AntiAircraft Missile Battalion	Chu Lai, RVN

2. Period Covered by this Report. 1 May 1967 to 31 May 1967.3. Task Organization. Same as in paragraph 1 above.4. Name and Rank Of Commanding Officer and Staff, MWHG-1

Commanding Officer	Colonel	K. T. DYKES
Executive Officer	LtCol	W. H. RODENBERGER
Adjutant	2ndLt	W. F. BAJKOWSKI
S-1	Maj	C. J. CURRAN
S-2	2ndLt	J. E. O'BRIEN
S-3	Maj	R. M. PROUDFOOT
S-4	Maj	D. V. STOWELL

5. Name and Rank of Commanding Officers of Subordinate Units

H&HS-1	LtCol	S. A. HERMAN
11th DenCo	Capt	S. T. ELDER USN
MASS-2	Col	H. HUNTER
MASS-3	LtCol	G. D. MCPHERSON
MACS-7	Maj	T. K. BURK
1st LAAM Bn	LtCol	M. R. IVES
2d LAAM Bn	LtCol	T. L. GUNNING

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6. Average Monthly Strength of MWHG-1 during Period 1 - 31 May 1967

<u>Officer</u>		<u>Enlisted</u>	
<u>USMC</u>	<u>USN</u>	<u>USMC</u>	<u>USN</u>
87NA/253AG	28	2718	107

NARRATIVE SUMMARY

1. General. (U) During the period 1-31 May 1967, Marine Wing Headquarters Group One continued to provide 1st Marine Aircraft Wing with support in air control, air defense, administration and maintenance of Wing Headquarters Camp Facilities.

2. Personnel. (C) MASS-2 and MASS-3 joined sufficient trained personnel to offset normal losses due to rotation, and remained in a C-1 category. 2d LAAM Bn remained in C-2, with 1st LAAM Bn and H&HS-1 dropping to C-2 and MACS-7 dropping to C-3, all due to deficient personnel strength in certain MOS's.

3. Administration. (U) Routine Administration progressed throughout the month of May.

4. Morale/Welfare. (U) Liberty remained secured in DaNang and Hoa Phut Village, outside the DaNang Air Base, throughout the month of May. The beach facilities in the DaNang/Chu Lai areas were open to all hands and provided the majority of recreation for personnel. In country R&R was provided at China Beach and there were one day cultural sight-seeing trips to HUE, along with one day fishing trips every Wednesday and Saturday. R&R flights to the following locations were conducted during the month of May:

Bangkok	44 Personnel
Hong Kong	39 Personnel
Manila	16 Personnel
Hawaii	53 Personnel
Singapore	7 Personnel
Penang	11 Personnel
Tokyo	39 Personnel
Taipei	36 Personnel
Kuala Lumpur	8 Personnel
Okinawa	11 Personnel

5. Casualties. (C) During the month of May there were thirty (30) non-hostile casualties and three (3) hostile casualties.

6. Intelligence. (U) Group S-2 completed the below items:

- 6 Top Secret Clearances were requested
- 8 Secret Clearances were requested
- 40 Secret Clearances were issued
- 3 Confidential Clearances were requested

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7. Air Operations. (C) During May, MASS-2 provided air support for the DaNang, Dong Ha and Phu Bai areas while MASS-3 continued air support of the Chu Lai area. MACS-7 units provided aircraft control. The monthly tabulation is as follows:

a. <u>MASS-2</u>			
<u>Air Support Radar Teams:</u>	<u>MISSIONS</u>	<u>BOMBS</u>	<u>TARGETS HIT</u>
	1378	3048 Tons	2168
<u>Direct Air Support Center:</u>	<u>HELO MISSIONS</u>		<u>FIXED WING A/C</u>
	<u>MED EVACS/OTHERS</u>		<u>MISSIONS</u>
	1276	4641	3825
b. <u>MASS-3</u>			
<u>Air Support Radar Teams:</u>	<u>MISSIONS</u>	<u>BOMBS</u>	<u>TARGETS HIT</u>
	601	1349 Tons	954
<u>Direct Air Support Center:</u>	<u>HELO MISSIONS</u>		<u>FIXED WING MISSIONS</u>
	1223		464
c. <u>MACS-7/Det "A"</u>			
	<u>A/C PROVIDED NAV ASS'T</u>	<u>GCI/GCA</u>	<u>GCI</u>
MACS-7	2035	300	42
Det "A"	60	-	-
	<u>2095</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>42</u>

8. Training. (U)

a. General Military Subjects Training was conducted by all units of this Command during the month of May.

b. Troop Indoctrination lectures for newly arrived personnel and Firearms Indoctrination lectures were administered.

c. Technical Training.

(1) On Squadron level technical training took the form of technical instruction and on-the-job training.

(2) LAAM Bn training was in the form of two joint AAWEX operations and the designation of transient aircraft as practice targets.

9. NBC Defense. (U) No significant events for the month of May.

10. Ground Defense. (U) No significant events during the month of May.

11. Civic Action. (U) See Appendix (1) to this enclosure.

12. Logistics. (C)

a. Generators are still being redistributed within the Group. The addition of four 60 cycle generators from Wing alleviated some of the shortages, however, generators still remain a sore spot within the Group.

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b. Construction and rehabilitation within Tango Sector ALPHA and Group subordinate units progresses satisfactorily.

13. Communication-Electronics.

a. The total outgoing messages transmitted over crypto-covered circuits was 49,721. Incoming messages totaled 52,440.

b. Radio Relay supported Operation SHAWNEE with four (4) teams.

c. An SSB Net was established between local MedBn, hospital ships and hospitals.

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From: Civil Affairs Officer  
 To: Distribution List

Subj: Civic Action

1. This report is submitted for your information. This report was prepared to illustrate the Marine Wing Headquarters Group One Civic Action program.

2. During May, 21,037 Vietnamese were assisted by the units of MHWG-1.

*R. D. Brooks*  
 R. D. BROOKS  
 2ND LT, USMC

DISTRIBUTION: III MAF S-5 (5)  
 1st MAW SAG (15)  
 1st MAW Medical Officer (2)  
 MHWG-1 S-3 (6)  
 M HWG-1 Chaplain (2)  
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Appendix (1)

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1. MEDICAL/PHYSICAL ASSISTANCE

MEDICAL UNIT

a. No. female adults assisted . . . . .	2816	134
b. No. male adults assisted . . . . .	960	107
c. No. children (under 18) assisted . . . . .	5771	168
d. TOTAL no. assisted . . . . .	9617	1799

2. PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

- a. 5600 roofing tiles to Hung Tuong School.
- b. 3000 bar of soap to Hung Tuong School.
- c. 4 bundles of clothing to Hung Tuong School.
- d. 6 carpenters kits to Hung Tuong School.
- e. 60 bags of cement to Hung Tuong School.
- f. 50 lbs of food to Hung Tuong School.
- g. 10 gals of white paint to Hung Tuong School.
- h. 1 gal of blue paint to Hung Tuong School.
- i. 7 truckloads of wood to Hung Tuong School.
- j. 1,100 lbs of surplus food to the Sacred Heart Orphanage.
- k. 2 volleyballs and 1 net to the Hoa Hien Refugee Camp.

3. PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS

- a. Hoa Cong - school about 98% completed.
- b. Hoa Cong - dispensary about 90% completed.
- c. My Hoa - road grading of island.

4. ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION

UNIT	NO. CLASSES	NO. STUDENTS	NO. HOURS
1st M/M Bn. Tin Linh Orphanage . . . . .	20	80	12
WSS-2 Hoa My Hamlet School . . . . .	20	30	10
11th Dental Co. USOMV Hosp. . . . .	20	11	10
TOTALS . . . . .	60	121	32

5. Vietnamese undergoing vocational training

5. MISCELLANEOUS EMPLOYEDA. MWRC-1

11 Carpenters  
 4 Clerk/Typists  
 2 Electricians  
3 Plumbers  
 21 TOTAL

6. MISCELLANEOUS EMPLOYEDA. MWRC-1

137 Housewifes  
 36 Houseboys  
 5 ERO  
 62 Kitchen Help  
 4 Laundry  
 34 Utilities  
 4 Janitors  
 18 Clubs  
 11 Barbers  
 14 PR  
 4 Janitress  
 1 Seamstress  
 2 Nurse  
 3 Clerk/Typists  
10 Gardener  
 336 Total

B. 1st LAM Bn.

1 Inter/Trans  
 1 Nurse  
 2 Janitors  
 10 Utilities  
 7 Messmen  
1 Barber  
 22 Total

7. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

## A. Civil Affairs recap for 1st LAM Bn. for the month of May 1967

(1) During the month of May, the following materials were delivered to the Huong Young Schools:

- a. 5600 roofing tiles
- b. 1 20ft. flagpole
- c. 3000 bars of soap
- d. 4 bundles of clothing
- e. 6 carpenter kits
- f. 60 bags of cement
- g. 50 lbs of food
- h. 10 gals of white paint & 2 gal. of blue paint
- i. 7 truckloads of food

2. 1,210 lbs of supplies sent to the Ho My and Hoa My Camps.
  3. English class for the north consisted of 6 teachers, 30 students, 5 nights a week.
  4. English class also held at the Hoa Thanh Camp twice a week, 4 instructors, 80 students, 1 hour each class.
  5. The school construction at Hoa Gung Village is about 95% completed.
  6. The medical dispensary is about 90% completed. Roofing material is the only item holding up completion.
- B. Civil Affairs recap for MBSS-2 for the month of May 1967
- (1) 3 May - Intramural soccer game was held at Hoa My School. Team T-shirts were marked and given out to the respective teams. 50 children participated.
  - (2) 4 May 67 - Held med-cap and assisted 77 people.
  - (3) 8 May - The soccer field at Hoa My School was polished and matted. 20 sheets of plywood and 20 2X4's were delivered for new classrooms and dorms.
  - (4) 10 May - Intramural soccer game followed by lunch at the home of Mr. Hoang Hoa My School Teacher.
  - (5) 11 May - Med-cap assisted 105 people.
  - (6) 25 May - Medcap assisted 102 people.
- C. Civil Affairs recap for HCHS-1 for the month of May 1967
1. HCHS-1 Civil Affairs team is still working with the cleanup campaign in the Hoa Tien Refugee Camp. The CIO is processing work for the unskilled laborers on the 1st NW Compound. The Dental team made 2 visits at the camp during the month.
  2. Truckloads of scrap lumber were donated to the camp for firewood for cooking purposes.
  3. The Civil Affairs team have started the construction of a playground. A volleyball net and two balls was given to the camp for the playground. Med-caps are held at the camp twice a week, managed by the Knights of Malta Medical Team on Mondays and on Thursdays by the 1st LAFM Bn. Med-cap team.
  4. Materials are being gathered to repair some damaged hooches in the camp.
- D. Civil Affairs recap for 2nd LAFM Bn. for the month of May 1967.
1. The Civil Affairs team established a deep well on High Island, Hoa Thanh, which is part of Ho Hoa Village.

2. 14 May the 03-02-0101st and 03-02-0102nd Squadrons of the 03-02-0101st and 03-02-0102nd Battalions were obtained by the 03-02-0101st and 03-02-0102nd Battalions for construction and employment.
  3. 15 May the proposed camp site at Hoa Long Hamlet was located and graded to prepare the area for future construction.
  4. 15 May the Ba. Surgeon and CMO team picked up sufficient smallpox vaccine at Ty Tin to vaccinate 400 people.
  5. 17 May the CMO team conducted a tour of Ky Hoa for Col. B. Newman, Wing Supply Officer and Maj. R. W. McInnis.
  6. 20 May two access roads were cut into Hoa Bang and Hoa Long Hamlets.
  7. 22 May LtCol McPherson, CO MACS-3 and Maj. T. K. Burke, CO MACS-7 were escorted on Ky Hoa.
  8. 27 May Major Kidd obtained sufficient plague vaccine to enable the Nedsep team to begin immunization on Ky Hoa.
- B. MWFG-1 has the overall responsibility for all hamlets.
3. Assistance rendered to the Vietnamese by MWFG-1 during May included the following:
1. No. Vietnamese receiving medical aid . . . . . 3,007
  2. No. Vietnamese receiving dental aid . . . . . 2,500
  3. No. Vietnamese receiving Eng. Lang. aid . . . . . 123
  4. TOTAL no. persons aided . . . . . 5,630

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From: MWHG-1, Chaplain  
 To: Commanding Officer, MWHG-1

Subj: Command Chronology for May 1967

1. Divine Services

a. Roman Catholic Mass was said in the Wing Memorial Chapel through the month of May by Wing Chaplain Ferreri. Sunday Masses (0800 and 1745) had a total attendance of 514. Daily Mass at 1730 totaled 215.

b. Protestant services were held at 0930 Sundays, with an attendance of 220. A daily service was held at 1830 Sunday through Saturday with 188 attending.

c. Episcopalian services were conducted each Sunday at 1600.

d. Orthodox services were conducted the 1st and 3rd Sundays at 1045.

2. Personnel

a. Chaplain Peter J. Ferreri, CDR, CHC, USN, Wing Chaplain serves as Roman Catholic Chaplain for MWHG-1.

b. Chaplain William J. Winslow, LCDR, CHC, USN, Admin-Assistant to the Wing Chaplain, is now serving as the Group Chaplain.

c. Chaplain Saltzman, LT, CHC, USNR, the MWHG-1 Jewish Chaplain will be detached from the Group the first week of June for release from active duty.

3. Civic Action

a. Chaplain Winslow donated \$150 to the DaNang Baptist Mission, and also \$150 to the CMA. Chaplain Winslow also donated 2 boxes of school supplies to the WEC, and 30lbs. of clothing to ARVN Chaplain Linh.

b. Group Chaplain Winslow gave one Indoctrination Lecture with 12 attending.

*William J. Winslow*  
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 LCDR, CHC, USN

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CMD CHRON  
 (Chaplain)

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