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UNIT HISTORY SUPPLEMENT
541ST MILITARY INTELLIGENCE DETACHMENT
11TH ARMORED CAVALRY REGIMENT
APO San Francisco 96257

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1 Jan 68 to 31 Dec 68

Commanding Officer
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1. During the past year, the 541st Military Intelligence Detachment contributed raw information, processed intelligence and a data bank, as well as, personnel for the following operations of the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment:

<u>OPERATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>
Fargo	21 Dec 67 - 21 Jan 68
Attala - Casey	22 Jan 68 - 30 Jan 68
Adairsville	31 Jan 68 - 23 Mar 68
Alcorn Cove	21 Mar 68 - 7 Apr 68
Quyet Thang	Apr 68
Toan Thong (I & II)	8 Apr 68 - 31 Dec 68

2. The Detachment received a street sign from De Kalb County, Decatur, Georgia for the Detachment Street. The street is now known as Malone Loop in honor of the first man of the unit to be killed in action in November 1966. SP4 Wallace J. Malone was from Oxford, Nebraska.

3. During the period of 1968, the following commanders commanded the 541st MID.

Nov 67 - Oct 68	Major Kenneth F. Melton
Oct 68 - Nov 68	Captain Ralph G. Rosenberg
Nov 68 -	Major Robert D. Foley

4. The 541st MID lost its second member in action on 6 March 1968. Captain Gregory K. Whitehouse, Counterintelligence Section Chief, while accompanying an operation, was killed when the ACAV on which he was riding detonated a mine. The Detachment Dayroom has been refinished, to include a plaque to Captain Whitehouse's memory to honor his service to the unit and his country. The Detachment has set aside the 6th of March as the day designated to honor the unit's members who have given their lives in the service of their country.

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