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Marine Forces Reserve

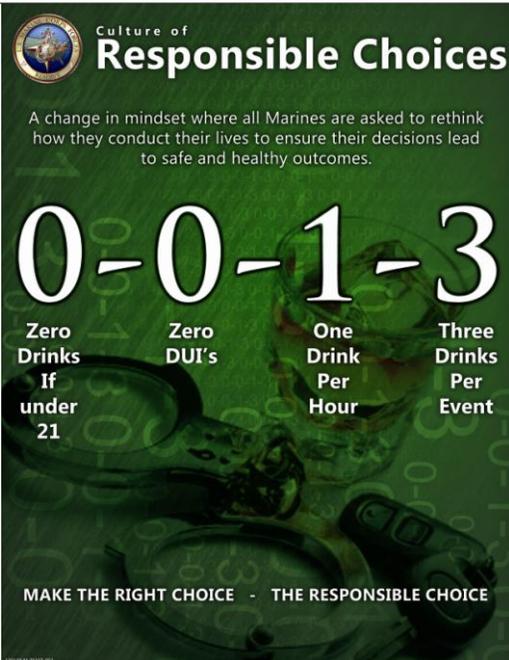
CULTURE OF RESPONSIBLE CHOICES

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Marine Forces Reserve: Ready, Relevant, Responsive

“We need to challenge our Marines to make better choices both on and off duty. Responsible choices are the foundation of our Core Values, and the bedrock of our effectiveness on the battle field and at home.”

– Lt. Gen. Steven A. Hummer, Commander, Marine Forces Reserve



- **Leadership (with links to commands and biographies)**

- Secretary of the Navy [Honorable Ray Mabus](#)
- Commandant of the Marine Corps [Gen. James F. Amos](#)
- Assistant Commandant [Gen. Joseph F. Dunford Jr.](#)
- Sgt Major of the Marine Corps [Sgt. Maj. Micheal P. Barrett](#)
- Commander, MARFORRES [Lt. Gen. Steven A. Hummer](#)
- Executive Director, MARFORRES [Mr. Robert Braithwaite](#)
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- CMD Master Chief, MARFORRES [CMDCM Eric E. Cousin](#)

- **Commanding Generals (with links to biographies):**

- [4th Marine Division](#) [Brig. Gen. James M. Lariviere](#)
- [4th Marine Aircraft Wing](#) [Maj. Gen. Rex C. McMillian](#)
- [4th Marine Logistics Group](#) [Brig. Gen. Roger R. Machut](#)

AN INTEGRAL ELEMENT OF THE TOTAL FORCE

Marine Forces Reserve By The Numbers (as of 17 JAN 2012)

SELECTED MARINE CORPS RESERVE (SELRES)

* Authorized End strength	<u>39,600</u>
* Inventory	
Members of Reserve Units	31,720
Active Reserve	2,162
Officer	329
Enlisted	1,833
Individual Mobilization Augmentees	2,971
Trainees	<u>3,220</u>
Total SELRES on hand	40,073

INDIVIDUAL READY RESERVE 57,486

TOTAL MARINE CORPS RESERVE 97,559

U.S. NAVY SERVING MARFORRES 2,423

Reserve	2,204
Active	219

CURRENTLY DEPLOYED	1,587
Theater Security Cooperation	38
OEF	961
OIF	0
HOA	4
Other	584
Percentage of Units Deployed for OEF/OIF	100%

OCO CONTRIBUTION SINCE 11 SEP 01 75,705
(64% of current USMCR personnel have activated at least once)

AVERAGE AGE OF FORCE 25.3 years

CACO SUPPORT CY2011 375

FUNERAL SUPPORT CY2011 15,523

RESERVE SITES 183
Located in 48 States, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico
Owned Sites 32
Tenant Locations 151
Family Housing Sites 3
Marine Barracks 1

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MARINE FORCES RESERVE: *Ready, Relevant, Responsive* Monthly Communication Priority: **CULTURE OF RESPONSIBLE CHOICES PROGRAM**



CULTURE OF RESPONSIBLE CHOICES

- ✪ Beginning in calendar year 2012, Marine Forces Reserve will implement the Culture of Responsible Choices program.
 - ✪ This program represents a change in our mindset. All Marines and people in Marine Corps organizations are asked to rethink how they conduct their lives to ensure their decisions lead to safe and healthy outcomes.
 - ✪ CoRC emphasizes personal responsibility and accountability for our behavior at work, during leisure activities and in our personal lives.
 - ✪ CoRC will impact a wide range of behaviors in a positive way.
 - ✪ Implement a Buddy Program
 - ✪ CoRC is reinforced by fellow Marines
 - ✪ Assign every Marine in your unit a buddy
 - ✪ Encourage communication between buddies
 - ✪ The Buddy Program is a constant reminder of what sets Marines apart from other services
 - ✪ Spread the Word
 - ✪ Leverage the lessons of combat leadership to develop Marines to their full potential
 - ✪ Inform Marines about the dangers of making irresponsible choices
 - ✪ Set the example for your Marines to follow
- For more information, visit**
<http://www.marines.mil/unit/marforres/Documents/corc.pdf>
- ✪ Alcohol misuse will be the first target addressed by the CoRC program. It has been a common denominator for many poor choices made by Marines of every rank
 - ✪ **0-0-1-3** is a guideline for the safe and responsible use of alcohol.
 - ✪ The concept is based on scientific research and designed to teach people to consume alcohol responsibly.
 - ✪ **ZERO** – Instances of underage drinking
 - ✪ **ZERO** – Instances of Driving Under Influence (DUI) or Driving While Intoxicated (DWI)
 - ✪ **ONE** - No more than 1 drink per hour
 - ✪ **THREE** - No more than 3 drinks per event
 - ✪ Commanders are encouraged to draw up responsible drinking contracts with every Marine and Sailor in their command.
 - ✪ Simple one-page contract
 - ✪ Establishes what behaviors are accepted and the consequences of irresponsible choices
 - ✪ Unit SACOs will have access to a sample contract
 - ✪ **Resources Available for service members, civilians and families**
Military One Source - (800) 342-9647 (referrals for free local counselors)
Alcoholics Anonymous – (504) 838-3399
Alcohol and Drug Abuse Hotline - (800) 729-6686
Al-Anon for Families of Alcoholics Hotline - (800) 344-2666

