Naval Mobile Construction Battalion FOUR

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 7 January 2010 to 15 August 2010
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 7 January 2010 to 15 August 2010, Naval Mobile Construction Battalion FOUR displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit executed over 400 acres of forward operating base expansions and constructed numerous command and control, force protection and life support facilities on seven forward operating bases throughout Regional Command-North, enabling the timely deployment of over 3,000 Soldiers from the 1st Brigade, 10th Mountain Division. Always leaning forward in support of the Warfighter, the unit constructed aviation taxiways, parking aprons and operations facilities across Regional Command-North, enabling the timely deployment and operational effectiveness of the 4th Combat Aviation Brigade. In Regional Command-East, Naval Mobile Construction Battalion FOUR constructed critical facilities across six combat outposts and forward operating bases enabling the United States force expansion in Eastern Afghanistan. Additionally, the unit partnered with the Afghan National Army to train their military engineers, directly supporting counterinsurgency priorities and empowering the Afghan people to help win the fight for Afghanistan. The actions and work of Naval Mobile Construction Battalion FOUR reflects great credit upon the Unit, the United States Navy and the United States Army.

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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification that a unit award has been approved for the organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is still subject to final confirmation in Department of the Army General Orders.
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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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