

# EXCEPTIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD



## THE JAMES MAGUIRE AWARD

Presented by THE MARINE CORPS AVIATION ASSOCIATION to

Established in Memory of  
Gunnery Sergeant James Maguire,  
the First Enlisted Marine Ordered to  
Aviation Duty, Who Served with  
Alfred A. Cunningham at the  
Annapolis Aviator Camp.

In Recognition of  
The Most Significant Professional  
Contribution Made to Enhance Marine  
Aviation, Which is not Otherwise  
Recognized by an Award, by either Marine  
Aviation Personnel or a Squadron, Regular  
or Reserve, in Marine Aviation.



**BAE SYSTEMS  
ELECTRONIC SOLUTIONS**

CAPTAIN  
**JOHN C. REEVES**



### Award Citation

Captain John C. Reeves demonstrated inspirational leadership and professional achievement while serving as Assistant Aviation Supply Officer, Marine Aircraft Group 11, 3d Marine Aircraft Wing, from 1 May 2008 to 30 April 2009. Capt Reeves' dynamic and inspiring leadership helped elevate MALS-11(REIN) to the forefront of the Marine aviation logistics community. During one of the most challenging and dynamic time periods MAG-11 has endured, Capt Reeves' management of the supply department, coupled with innovative ideas and process improvement initiatives, reduced the number of non-mission capable supply aircraft in the group from a daily average of 28 to 15. This significant achievement was met while simultaneously supporting the Marine Corps' largest air group with more than 200 fixed and rotary wing aircraft. His actions and those of the squadron had a direct impact on the group's ability to fly over 51,000 flight hours, complete 28,000 sorties, deploy 15 squadrons overseas, and consistently maintain combat readiness. Capt Reeves' initiative, perseverance and total dedication to duty reflected credit upon him and were in keeping with the highest traditions of the Marine Corps and the United States Naval Service.



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| 2008 Capt Luke T. Watson        | 1994 1stLt Eric L. Rine         |
| 2007 LtCol R. L. Bomhold        | 1993 Maj Christabol H. Mendez   |
| 2006 LtCol J. E. Munroe         | 1992 Capt George B. Brown       |
| 2005 MWSG-37                    | 1991 MGySgt Ronald A. Perez     |
| 2004 LtCol Kevin L. Gross       | 1990 MSgt Cecil D. Walden       |
| 2003 VMU-1                      | 1989 GySgt Mallie F. Elkins Jr. |
| 2002 Sgt D. R. Pash             | 1988 MSgt Michael S. Mullen     |
| 2001 Maj Douglas S. Kurth       | 1987 Capt Raymond C. Ferrara    |
| 2000 Maj Richard Coleman, Jr.   | 1986 Maj Joseph E. Noble        |
| 1999 CWO Crane P. Dauksys       | 1985 MSgt Timothy J. Brinton    |
| 1998 1stLt Brian J. Shortsleeve | 1984 Maj Howard B. Eddins III   |
| 1997 MAWTS-1                    | 1983 Capt Mark C. Hunt          |
| 1996 LtCol Paul Pisano          | 1982 Cdr Manley Carter, USNR    |
| 1995 MAWTS-1                    | 1981 Col James D. Jahn          |