

# AVIATION SUPPLY MARINE OF THE YEAR



## THE KENNETH W. SOUTHCOMB AWARD

Presented by THE MARINE CORPS AVIATION ASSOCIATION to

Established in Honor of Master Gunnery Sergeant Kenneth W. Southcomb, a Leader in the Field of Aviation Supply, Who Served with Distinction for Thirty Years.

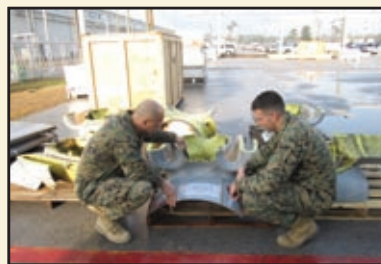
In Recognition of  
The Most Outstanding  
Aviation Supply Marine  
in Marine Aviation.



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- 2009 MSgt Frank C. Orduno
- 2008 Sergeant Javier Lopezapia
- 2007 SSgt A. M. Hayes
- 2006 GySgt T. L. Adkins
- 2005 GySgt R. W. Rowe
- 2004 MSgt Anthony J. Jackson
- 2003 GySgt David Parulis
- 2002 GySgt W. B. Downing
- 2001 GySgt James M. Pasko
- 2000 SSgt Alan J. Papke
- 1999 GySgt Mark Obey
- 1998 GySgt Kenneth W. Oisten
- 1997 SSgt Michael L. Shideler
- 1996 SSgt Michael S. Martin
- 1995 GySgt Robert E. Soto

### MASTER SERGEANT SCOTT KIEWEG



### Award Citation

Master Sergeant Scott Kieweg demonstrated meritorious achievement as repairable management division chief, Marine Aviation Logistics Squadron 26(rein), Marine Aircraft Group 26(rein), 2d Marine Aircraft Wing (fwd) from January 2009, to December 2009. Under MSgt Kieweg's leadership, the aviation supply department provided unparalleled aviation repairable parts support for aircraft squadrons and intermediate maintenance activity deployed to Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. MSgt Kieweg trained his Marines to provide flawless repairable parts support and maintain an accurate inventory of over 4,000 line items valued at \$420 million. To ensure inventory integrity, MSgt Kieweg conducted an extensive repairable inventory between both forward deployed MALS (rein), resolving 198 discrepancies that resulted from the inventory. His comprehensive knowledge of aviation supply logistics, coupled with his exceptional leadership ability significantly contributed to the aviation supply community and the Global War on Terrorism. MSgt Kieweg's exceptional ability, steadfast initiative, and selfless dedication to duty reflected great credit upon him and upheld the highest traditions of Marine Corps aviation.



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