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COMMAND PHILOSOPHY

Headquarters and Support Battalion is a FAMILY! We all play an important role toward accomplishing the Mission which entails **Unit Readiness, Personal Readiness, and Family Readiness**. The core philosophies that will guide H&S Battalion are simple yet require your constant attention.

Positive Leadership: Positive Leadership is the guiding principle that allows for Mission Accomplishment. Leadership is the bedrock of the Marine Corps and all Marines', Sailors', and Civilian Employees' duty and responsibility. Positive Leadership ensures the well-being of your fellow Marines, your family members, and yourself.

Effective Communication: Communicate with one another! Issues, problems, and challenges stem from ineffective or non-existent communication. Remember: Who needs to know? What do they need to know? When do they need to know it? Communicate in a professional manner – Multiple perspectives exist from which to view an issue.

Moral Living: Morals and ethics are the fundamental cornerstone of life. The ultimate goal is the Golden Rule which is to treat others as you would want to be treated. Strive to live your life in this manner and your integrity can never be questioned. Your honest and ethical exemplary living will spur others to do what is right.

Support Others and the Mission: All Marines and Sailors are critical to mission success! Supporting each other as warfighters and family enables us to be an Expeditionary Force in Readiness. We are the backbone of support as we provide base and station services to ensure security, safety, and maintenance of all. Thus, we must ensure that our fellow Marine and Sailor is prepared, responsive, and professional in our support of the mission.

I challenge you to embrace and apply these principles every day.

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