



Thomas "LPM" Howlett, LtCol USMCR (Ret)

LPM joined the Marine Corps in 1960 through the PLC Program. He was a member of the 4-65 TBS class where he received the nickname "LPM." In 1968 he was assigned to develop parts of Operation Ironhorse and later deployed to Vietnam to participate in the operation.

In October of 1969 he was transferred to the Marine Corps Reserve. He served in various billets in Select Marine Corps Reserve units until his retirement in 1989. He also served multiple special duty assignments at LFTCLant, HQMC, CampPen, and MCRD, San Diego. He joined MCROA in 1972 and served as a member of the Board of Directors in the '70s.

After the conversion of MCROA to MCRA, he was invited to join the Board of Directors. He served as VP – Communications for four years before stepping down for health reasons related to exposure to Agent Orange. He was re-elected to the Board of Directors in 2015.

Decorations: Navy Commendation w/Cbt V, Navy Unit Commendation, Meritorious Unit Commendation, OMCR Medal, ND Medal, Vietnam Service Medal w/4 stars, AFR Medal, RVN Cross of Gallantry Ribbon w/Palm and Frame, RVN Civic Action Ribbon w/Palm and Frame, RVN Service Medal.