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A U.S. Marine with Combined Anti-Armor Team (CAAT), Weapons Company, 2D Battalion, 9th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 5 walks through a field during a satellite patrol in Marjah, Afghanistan May 7, 2012. The CAAT took part in a fifteen day partnered operation to erect Patrol Base Sledgehammer Five and disrupt the insurgent activity in the area.



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Local Afghan nationals ride by U.S. Marines with 2nd Squad, 3rd Platoon, Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6 as they conduct a security patrol out of patrol base Fulod in Sangin, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 7, 2012. The Marines patrolled to provide security in the area and interact with the local populace.



U.S. Marines with 2nd Squad, 3rd Platoon, Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6 conduct a security patrol out of patrol base Fulod in Sangin, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 7, 2012. The Marines patrolled to provide security in the area and interact with the local populace.



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An Afghan National Army (ANA) soldier, right, searches a local Afghan national during a satellite patrol in Marjah, Afghanistan May 8, 2012. The ANA took part in a fifteen day partnered operation to erect Patrol Base Sledgehammer Five and disrupt the insurgent activity in the area.



U.S. Marines with Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6 play dominoes with an Afghan boy during a shura on Forward Operating Base Shamsher Doe, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 9, 2012. Marines and Afghan National Army soldiers met with several individuals from the local villages to discuss the direction and safety of the village as well as the cooperation with Coalition Forces.



U.S. Marine Corps Maj. Gen. Charles Gurganus, left, commanding general of Regional Command (South West), shakes hands with Mohammad Sherrif, District Governor of Sangin as he arrives on Forward Operating Base Sabit Qadam, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 10, 2012. Maj. Gen. Gurganus visited to speak with local tribal and village leaders.

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Afghan National Army Maj. Gen. Sayed Malook, left, commanding general of the 215th Corps, shakes hands with members of the Sangin District Community Council as he arrives on Forward Operating Base Sabit Qadam, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 10, 2012. Maj. Gen. Malook visited with District Community Council and local tribal and village leaders to speak about current events.



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Afghan National Army Maj. Gen. Sayed Malook, left, commanding general of the 215th Corps, salutes as Capt. Salim Hussinh, right, with 2nd Kandak, 2nd Brigade, delivers his report and greets the general after his arrival to Forward Operating Base Sabit Qadam, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 10, 2012. Maj. Gen. Malook visited with the District Community Council and local tribal and village leaders to speak about current events.



U.S. Marine Corps 1st Sgt. Alex Leibfried, left, company 1st Sgt. with Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6, speaks with a local Afghan national at a shura on Forward Operating Base Shamsher, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 10, 2012. Marines and Afghan National Army soldiers met with several individuals from the local villages to discuss the direction and safety of the village as well as the cooperation with Coalition Forces.



U.S. Marine Corps Lance Cpl. Phillip Jacoby with Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6 speaks with local Afghan nationals at a shura on Forward Operating Base Shamsheer, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 10, 2012. Marines met with several individuals from the local villages to discuss the direction and safety of the village as well as the cooperation with Coalition Forces.



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U.S. Marine Corps Lance Cpl. Kameron Dow, right, a motor transport operator with Regimental Combat Team 6, and Shawn Dorsey, a Field Service Representative (FSR), annotate discrepancies found during a limited technical inspection on a Mine Resistant Ambush Protected All Terrain Vehicle on Camp Delaram II, Nimroz province, Afghanistan May 11, 2012. Marines and FSRs conducted the inspection to ensure the vehicles were in proper working condition before they return to the road in support of combat operations.



U.S. Marine Corps Lance Cpl. Joshua M. Rudy, left, a combat videographer, interviews Lance Cpl. Kameron Dow, a motor transport operator, both with Regimental Combat Team 6, during a limited technical inspection (LTI) on Camp Delaram II, Nimroz province, Afghanistan May 11, 2012. Rudy conducted the interview as part of his documentation of Marines conducting the LTI of Mine Resistant Ambush Protected vehicles.



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U.S Marine Corps Sgt. Benjamin D. Santo, center, with Alpha Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6 rehearses boarding drills with his Marines on Forward Operating Base Whitehouse, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 11, 2012. Santo prepared his Marines for an upcoming operation that will require them to be inserted by air.



U.S Marines with Alpha Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6 rehearse securing the landing zone as part of their boarding drills on Forward Operating Base Whitehouse, Helmand province, Afghanistan May 11, 2012. Marines prepared for an upcoming operation that will require them to be inserted by air.



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U.S. Marine Corps Lance Cpl. Sabrina Hetzler, front, with Support Company, Combat Logistics Battalion 4, 1st Marine Logistics Group (Forward), leads Marines with Echo Battery, 2D Battalion, 11th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6 to board a C-130 Hercules cargo plane on Camp Delaram II, Nimroz province, Afghanistan May 12, 2012. Marines were in the process of redeploying back to Camp Pendleton, Calif. after a 7-month deployment in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.



U.S. Marines with Echo Battery, 2D Battalion, 11th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 6, left, prepare to board a C-130 Hercules cargo plane while U.S. Marine Corps Maj. Gen. David H. Berger, center, commanding general of Task Force Leatherneck arrives on Camp Delaram II, Nimroz province, Afghanistan May 12, 2012. Marines were in the process of redeploying back to Camp Pendleton, Calif. after a 7-month deployment in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.



U.S. Marine Corps Maj. Gen. David H. Berger, center left, commanding general, Task Force Leatherneck and Brig. Gen. Sayed Malok, center right, commanding general, Afghan National Army (ANA) 215th Corps are greeted by ANA Brig. Gen. Abdul Wasea, commanding general, 2D Brigade, 215th Corps on Camp Delaram II, Nimroz province, Afghanistan May 12, 2012. Maj. Gen. Berger and Brig. Gen. Malok visited Delaram to meet with Brig. Gen. Wasea.

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