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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

**JUN 24 2016**

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MEMORANDUM TO ALL:

SUBJECT: Fourth of July Holiday Safety

1. This year as we celebrate our nation's 240th birthday, I wish to thank each of you for your selfless service in preserving our nation's independence, liberty and freedom. As we celebrate this milestone in our nation's history with community, friends and loved ones, whether it be a community or home celebration or taking the opportunity to see the multitude of cultural wonders which our great country has to offer, I want each of you to enjoy a safe holiday.
2. POV and motorcycle accidents continue to be the major causes of needless and tragic deaths within our Army. DUI and alcohol overindulgence are two of the major contributing factors to the needless deaths and injuries we are experiencing. In keeping with the 2016 Summer Safety Campaign guidance, I expect all leaders to place special emphasis during holiday briefings on the following areas: POV and motorcycle safety, safe swimming, heat injury prevention, alcohol abuse prevention and outdoor recreational safety. Information to assist you can be obtained through the Garrison Safety Office at 767-7878 or the Combat Readiness Center webpage: <https://crc.army.mil/home>.
3. It is my sincere desire that each member of the Fort Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield Community experience a safe, memorable and happy Fourth of July.

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TOWNLEY R. HEDRICK  
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