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MEMORANDUM FOR III Corps and Subordinate Units

SUBJECT: III Corps Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Holiday Observances

- 1. Reference Army Regulation 600-8-10, (Leaves and Passes) 03 June 2020.
- 2. III Corps will observe the following public and training holidays during FY2023:
 - a. Public holidays to be observed:
 - 10 October 2022 (Monday), Columbus Day
 - 11 November 2022 (Friday), Veterans Day
 - 24 November 2022 (Thursday), Thanksgiving Day
 - 26 December 2022 (Monday), Christmas Day (Observed)
 - 02 January 2023 (Monday), New Year's Day (Observed)
 - 16 January 2023 (Monday), Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
 - 20 February 2023 (Monday), Presidents' Day
 - 29 May 2023 (Monday), Memorial Day
 - 19 June 2023 Monday), Juneteenth National Independence Day
 - 04 July 2023 (Tuesday), Independence Day
 - 04 September 2023 (Monday), Labor Day
 - b. Training holidays:
 - 07 October 2022 (Friday before Columbus Day)
 - 10 November 2022 (Thursday before Veterans Day)
 - 25 November 2022 (Friday after Thanksgiving Day)
 - 23 December 2022 (Friday before Christmas Day)
 - 03 January 2023 (Tuesday after New Year's Day)
 - 13 January 2023 (Friday before Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day)
 - 17 February 2023 (Friday before Presidents' Day)
 - 26 May 2023 (Friday before Memorial Day)
 - 16 June 2023 (Friday before Juneteenth National Independence Day)
 - 03 July 2023 (Monday before Independence Day)
 - 01 September 2023 (Friday before Labor Day)
 - c. Additionally, Fort Hood will observe the following training holidays during FY2023:
 - 17 March 2023 (Spring holiday)
 - 07 April 2023 (Good Friday)
 - 10 April 2023 (Monday after Easter)
 - 18 August 2023 (Friday before start of school)

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- d. The FY2023 holiday observances schedule adheres to the traditional pattern of a duty day training holiday preceding a Federal holiday. Commanders are authorized to schedule training over holiday periods provided appropriate compensatory time is also scheduled.
- e. Consistent with mission and operational requirements, the days in subparagraph 2b and 2c above are training holidays for military personnel. Civilian personnel may, at their request, granted annual leave, compensatory time, or leave without pay for an absence. Maximum use of leave is encouraged.
- f. The Christmas/New Year's holiday period for Fort Hood is 17 December 2022 through 03 January 2023. Traditionally, there is minimal staffing during the Christmas/New Year's holiday period. Minimum staffing days provide opportunity for Soldiers/employees to enjoy the holidays by taking leave or using compensatory time.
- g. Senior Commanders are free to establish the Christmas/New Year's holiday period and training holidays in March-April 2023 consistent with local school calendars—Christmas/New Year's, Spring Break/Easter observances.
- h. III Corps subordinate commanders are encouraged to establish a "period of no major activities scheduled" during the local school Spring Break week and provide maximum opportunity for Soldiers with school-aged children to take leave during Spring Break.
- III Corps Headquarters will have continuous operations throughout the summer period. III Corps Headquarters will establish multiple, internal block leave periods during the summer months to provide staff predictability and opportunity for planned leave. Based on training schedules and operational requirements. Commanders at all levels will establish block leave periods that afford Soldiers and Civilians the opportunity to enjoy summer leave.
- 3. The III Corps point of contact is Mr. Stan Small, (254) 286-5650, (DSN 566), email: stanley.d.small.civ@mail.mil or Mr. Jermaine I. Irby, (254) 287-4140, (DSN 566), email: Jermaine.l.irby.civ@mail.mil.

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III Corps Holiday Observances

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