

1942 WILLYS MB JEEP

USMC CONTRACT

OWNER: PETER G. C. FERRIS

RESTORED: WITH DUNCAN ROLLS & DUNCAN B. A. FERRIS

JEEP

Serial Number	MB 192648
Date of Delivery	2 Dec. 1942 (est.)
Body Number	94763
Engine Number	MB 203487
Contract Number	NOM 38193
USMC Registration Number	48219 (est.)

UNIT MODIFICATIONS

1. Fording gear (with hole cut in the hood)
2. USMC unit markings and camouflage
3. Extra fuel can and bracket on the right side
4. Ring for padlock on the dash to lock the shifter

4th Pioneer Battalion Unit History 1943 - 1945

PACIFIC THEATER of OPERATIONS

24 Aug. 1943

Activated as 2nd Battalion, 20th Marines, 4th Marine Division

Marshall Islands 1 - 8 Feb. 1944

Kwajalein - Operation Flintlock

Majuro Atoll - Operation Catchpole

Marianas Islands 15 June - 7 Aug. 1944

Saipan - Operation Forager

Tinian - Operation Forager

1 Sept. 1944

Re-designated 4th Pioneer Battalion, 4th Marine Division

Iwo Jima 19 Feb. - 16 March 1945

Iwo Jima - Operation Detachment

UNIT NUMERICAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM (UNIS)

Iwo Jima was the first time this system was used. It was applied to every piece of equipment and gear. Each Division had a different geometric shape with the numbers inside designating their specific unit.

Semi-Circle = 4th Marine Division
 800 Series = 4th Pioneer Battalion
 13 = B (Baker) Company



USMC CONTRACT AS DELIVERED



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