MICHAEL A. BLUM

Mike enlisted in the Marine Corps in December 1960. Upon completion of Recruit Training he was assigned to 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines at Camp Pendleton. In October 1962, the Battalion boarded ship and sailed for Cuba in response to the "Cuban Missile Crisis". After spending two months at sea off of Cuba, they returned to the States and then boarded ship for Okinawa. He went on to serve in Japan, Korea, the Philippines and Vietnam and on several Navy Ships.

Upon return to the States in 1964, he was assigned to Quantico then to Marine Corps Supply Activity, Philadelphia. He received an Honorable Discharge in June 1965, with the rank of Corporal.

Mike earned the Vietnam Service Medal w/bronze star, Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal (Cuba), National Defense Service Medal, and the Marine Corps Good Conduct Medal.

Mike joined the Marine Corps League in 1993 and served in most every position at the local, State and National Level before becoming the National Executive Director, a post he held for 11 years. During that time, he joined the American Legion as well as the VFW. In 2019 he joined the ADAMS, HANNA, MOORE MEMORIAL POST 156 and was elected to serve as Post Adjutant.

Mike has been a Licensed Realtor since 1993 and became a full-time Realtor at the end of his tour at the Marine Corps League. He recently joined Corner House Realty in Catonsville and enjoys helping all his clients realize their dreams, He specializes in serving the military and veteran's communities and first time home buyers.