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MOBILE ARMORED STRIKE KOMMAND



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Assembling a black-ops team is a delicate affair.



There are five personality traits that the perfect special forces candidate will possess.

YOU READY FOR THIS, MATT?

DO WE HAVE ANOTHER OPTION?



Stress resistance, extreme competitiveness, self-reliance, self-criticism, and stoicism.

THERE ARE ALWAYS OTHER OPTIONS, TRAKKER. YOU COULD WALK OUT OF HERE RIGHT NOW...

OR YOU CAN ACCEPT THE FACT THAT I'VE PLACED AN INORDINATE AMOUNT OF FAITH IN YOUR ABILITY TO SUCCEED.



DO YOU DOUBT THAT I'VE TRAINED YOU TO BE THE BEST IN THE WORLD?

NO, SIR.

GOOD. DON'T PLANT THE SEEDS OF DOUBT. IT'S A FAST-GROWING CROP THAT SOWS NOTHING BUT DEFEAT.

This group requires a ridiculous amount of spoon-feeding and there's not a cup of self-reliance big enough to satisfy them.



M.A.S.K.
TEAM! LET'S
MOBILIZE!!!

Despite their weaknesses, they'll serve
me well in the ultimate conflict.

VRRRRRROOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOO MMMMM



And when they've outlived
their usefulness... they'll be
"retired" from service.



ONE YEAR AGO...

WHAT IS THIS?
AN AUDITION FOR
ANTIQUES
ROADSHOW?

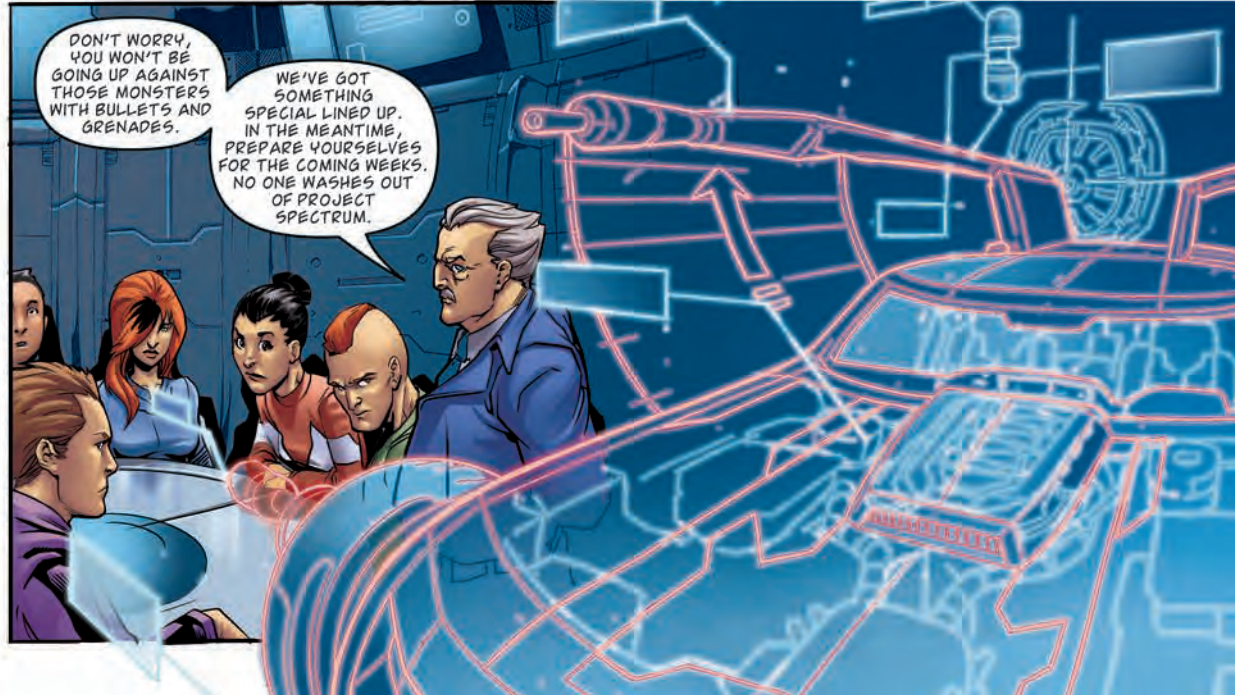


WELCOME TO
"PROJECT SPECTRUM."
BECAUSE OF YOUR
BACKGROUND AND UNIQUE
ABILITIES, YOU'VE BEEN
SELECTED TO PARTICIPATE
IN A CLASSIFIED
TRAINING CAMP.

THE PURPOSE OF
THIS PROGRAM IS TO
FIND PILOTS TO HELP
PROTECT EARTH FROM
NEW THREATS...



SPECIFICALLY, THE
CYBERTRONIAN
PROBLEM.



DON'T WORRY,
YOU WON'T BE
GOING UP AGAINST
THOSE MONSTERS
WITH BULLETS AND
GRENADES.

WE'VE GOT
SOMETHING
SPECIAL LINED UP.
IN THE MEANTIME,
PREPARE YOURSELVES
FOR THE COMING WEEKS.
NO ONE WASHES OUT
OF PROJECT
SPECTRUM.

