



FIRST DISTRICT NORTHERN REGION 2021 AWARDS 24 APRIL 2022



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DISTRICT BOARD 2021

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ASSOCIATION**

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AUXILIARY
FIRST DISTRICT NORTHERN REGION
2021 DISTRICT AWARDS

COMMODORE H.P. Hadley AWARD-Vessel Examiner conducting the most Vessel Safety Checks during the year

JOHN COLBY FLOTILLA 10-01, 197 VSC'S

SECOND PLACE AWARD-

DANIEL McAULIFFE, FLOTILLA 10-01, 181 VSC'S

THIRD PLACE AWARD-

CAROLE FALCONE, FLOTILLA 12-05, 134 VSC'S

COMMODORE JOSEPH A. POLITO AWARD-Flotilla showing the most improvement in VSC program for the year

FLOTILLA 11-02
STEPHEN BOGIAGES

DIVISION 4 VSC AWARD-Flotilla with the greatest number of VSCs in the District

FLOTILLA 10-01
551 VSCs
GEOFFREY THAYER, FC

SEAL OF SAFETY

Flotilla with the greatest number of VSCs in the District during National Safe Boating Week

FLOTILLA 02-01
34 VSCs
ERIC C. DEXTER, FC

PROGRAM VISITOR AWARDS

FIRST, SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS-Auxiliarists with the greatest number of Recreational Boating Safety Program Visits

1 st , JOHN A. FLANAGAN, FLOTILLA 4-06	110 VISITS
2 nd JOHN COLBY, FLOTILLA 10-01	64 VISITS
3 rd , WESLEY MADDOX BADEN, FLOTILLA 02-01	57 VISITS

FIRST PLACE AWARD-Flotilla with the greatest number of Program Visits

FLOTILLA 10-01
148 VISITS
GEOFFREY THAYER, FC

MARINE SAFETY PERFORMANCE AWARDS

FIRST SECOND AND THIRD PLACE AWARDS

1 st Place –LESLIE SCHWARTZ, FLOTILLA 02-08,	129.9 HOURS
2 nd Place –DANIEL EVARTS, FLOTILLA 02-05	72.5 HOURS
3 rd Place, HARLAN DOLINER, FLOTILLA 05-03	71.9 HOURS

COMMERCIAL FISHING VESSEL AWARDS

FIRST PLACE AWARD

NO ACTIVITY IN 2021

UNINSPECTED PASSENGER VESSEL

DAVID SIESEL, FLOTILLA 07-06 14.75 HOURS

**PUBLIC EDUCATION AND MEMBER TRAINING INSTRUCTOR
AWARDS**

FIRST, SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS-Auxiliarists performing the most Public Education Instructor hours for the year.

1 st , ALAN MISSEL, FLOTILLA 05-02	94.5 HOURS
2 nd , LAWRENCE NOBREGA, FLOTILLA 05-02	93 HOURS
3 rd , PIERRE POULIN, FLOTILLA 02-01	74 HOURS

FIRST, SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS-Auxiliarists performing the most Member Training Instructor hours in the year.

1 st , SALLY SNOWMAN, FLOTILLA 12-05	165 HOURS
2 nd , DAVID G. McCLURE, FLOTILLA 06-05	86.15 HOURS
3 rd , ARNOLD BUTZIGER, FLOTILLA 07-06	77.4 HOURS

FIRST PLACE AWARD-Auxiliarist performing the most Public Education-Youth Instructor hours in the year.

KAREN I. MEGERDICHIAN, FLOTILLA 05-02, 28 HOURS

SHEPARD A. LESSER, Sr., AWARD-Flotilla conducting the most Public Education Hours

FLOTILLA 05-02, 1,155.2 HOURS
ALAN MISSEL, FC

EARLE CLEMENT AWARD-Flotilla conducting the most Member Training Hours

FLOTILLA 12-05, 281.5 HOURS
GERARD BOGUS, FC

DORIS F. CLOSE AWARD-Flotilla conducting the most Public Education Youth Hours

FLOTILLA 05-02 28 HOURS
ALAN MISSEL., FC

OPERATIONS AWARDS

THE SEMPER PARATUS AWARD-Auxiliarists with the Most Outstanding Rescue

NONE FOR 2021

THE ROBERT DERING AWARD-Most hours as Coxswain in the year.

BILLY G. THORNTON, FLOTILLA 02-01 230.9 HOURS

SECOND and THIRD PLACE AWARDS

2 nd , MICHAEL QUINN FLOTILLA 07-06	100.6 HOURS
3 rd , JEFFREY THOMAS, FLOTILLA 11-02	91.75 HOURS

FIRST, SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS-Most hours as Crew in the year.

1 st , PAUL FONTAINE, FLOTILLA 11-02,	187.87 HOURS
2 nd STUART GELDER, FLOTILLA 02-01,	178.08 HOURS
3 rd JAMES MAXNER, FLOTILLA 02-01,	103.34 HOURS

THE ANDREW CRANE AWARD – Most patrol hours as Pilot in the year.

DANIEL VANHISE, FLOTILLA 02-08, 34 HOURS

SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS –Most hours as Pilot in the year.

2 nd , RICHARD P. HOUGHTALING., FLOTILLA 11-01	27.2 HOURS
3 rd . STEVEN BROWN., FLOTILLA 04-03	24.6 HOURS

FIRST, SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS –Most hours as **Air Observer** in the year

1 st , ERNEST ROSSI, FLOTILLA 11-01	27.2 HOURS
2 nd -, OSCAR ORRINGER, FLOTILLA 12-08	18.6 HOURS
3 rd , THEODORE CHATHAM, FLOTILLA 02-05	18.2 HOURS

FIRST PLACE AWARDS-Flotilla with the most number of **Surface Patrol Hours** in the year

1st FLOTILLA 02-01 946.5 HOURS
ERIC C. DEXTER, FC

FIRST PLACE AWARDS-Flotilla with the most **Air Patrol Hours** in the year

FLOTILLA 04-03 68.3 HOURS
WILLIAM LEE, FC

AIDS TO NAVIGATION AWARDS

MOST VERIFICATION AWARD-Auxiliarist with the most Aid to Navigation Verifications in the year

1 st , F. SOKASITS, FLOTILLA 11-06	210 ATONS
2 nd , STEPHEN WAGNER, FLOTILLA 11-02	120 ATONS
3 rd MICHAEL QUINN, FLOTILLA 07-06	78 ATONS

LIGHTHOUSE PLAQUE-Individual who contributed the most support to Lighthouse and Federal Aids maintenance.

WILLIAM CODY, FLOTILLA 06-03

OPERATIONAL SUPPORT AWARDS

FIRST, SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS-Auxiliarist with the most hours in **Administrative** area of Coast Guard Support for the year

1 st , COMO CAROLYN V. BELMORE, FLOTILLA 11-08	989.5 HOURS
2 nd LAUREL CARLSON, FLOTILLA 06-05	557 HOURS
3 rd , CAMERON CRAVEIRO, FLOTILLA 06-03 (AUP)	283 HOURS

MEREDITH M. GOSS AWARD-Auxiliarist with the most hours in Communications for the year

RONALD McBRIEN, FLOTILLA 04-01
828 HOURS
STATION MERRIMACK

SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS-Auxiliarist with the second and third most hours in Communications for the year

2 nd REID OSLIN, FLOTILLA 11-01	827.75 HOURS
STATION CHATHAM	
3 rd KENNETH DEBROWSKI, FLOTILLA 11-02	612.5 HOURS
STATION CHATHAM	

FIRST, SECOND, and THIRD PLACE AWARDS-Auxiliarist with the most hours in **Operational** area of Coast Guard Support for the year

1 st , RONALD McBRIEN, FLOTILLA 04-01	1,073 HOURS
2 nd OSCAR ORRINGER, FLOTILLA 12-08	950 HOURS
3 rd , REID OSLIN, FLOTILLA 11-01	827.75 HOURS

FOOD SERVICES AWARD –Auxiliarist performing the first and second most hours in Food Services for the year

1 st . GEORGIOS MINOS, FLOTILLA 11-02	155 HOURS
2 nd . EVELYN CLULOW, FLOTILLA 07-08	94 HOURS
3 rd . CAROLYN McCLURE, FLOTILLA 06-05	92.5 HOURS

PUBLIC AFFAIRS AWARDS

STEPHEN J. SADOWSKI AWARD-Individual with the most Public Affairs hours in the year

KATHLENE SAGE, FLOTILLA 11-01, 1,001.5 HOURS

SECOND and THIRD PLACE AWARDS-Auxiliarists with the second and third most Public Affairs Hours in the year

2 nd , EVERETT HENRY, FLOTILLA 02-01	442 HOURS
3 rd , THOMAS BRODERICK, FLOTILLA 11-08	414 HOURS

FLOTILLA PUBLIC AFFAIRS AWARD-The **Flotilla** with the most **Public Affairs** missions in the year

FLOTILLA 11-01	1,342.5 HOURS
JOHN GEURTSSEN., FC	

PUBLICATIONS AWARDS

FLOTILLA NEWSLETTER AWARD-Best Flotilla Newsletter for the year

THE CHATHAM LIGHT
FLOTILLA EDITOR: MICHAEL HAYES

COMMODORE H. EDWARD MACKENZIE AWARD-Best Division Newsletter for the year

NONE FOR 2020
DIVISION
EDITOR:

SPECIAL AWARDS

**THE ELIZABETH AND CAPTAIN THOMAS D. FISHER
AWARD**-A perpetual award presented annually to the "All Around
Auxiliarist" based on total performance and participation in the most mission areas.

OSCAR ORRINGER
FLOTILLA 12-08

DISTRICT COMMODORE'S PLAQUE-
COMO BYRON A. MOE

JUSTIN PAUL WRIGHT
FLOTILLA 03-07

CHIEF OF STAFF'S PLAQUE-
DAVID G. McCLURE DCOS

LAUREL J. CARLSON.
FLOTILLA 06-05

DISTRICT CAPTAIN'S PLAQUE- NORTH
HENRY MARCHI, DCAPT NORTH

PIERRE LIONEL POULIN
FLOTILLA 02-01

DISTRICT CAPTAIN'S PLAQUE - CENTRAL
GLEN ALAN GAYTON, DCPT-CENTRAL

JAMES B. HEALY

FLOTILLA 05-03

**DISTRICT CAPTAIN'S PLAQUE- SOUTH
PATRICK CUNNIFF, DCAPT SOUTH**

**REID OSLIN
FLOTILLA 11-01**

**IMMEDIATE PAST DISTRICT COMMODORE'S PLAQUE-
COMO CHARLES GROSSIMON, IPDCO**

**COMO BYRON A. MOE
FLOTILLA 02-08**

**TEAM COAST GUARD PLAQUE-This award goes to a
Member of Team Coast Guard First District Northern Region
For their efforts in support of team spirit.**

**SPCO MARK R. HENDRICKSEN
SECTOR NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND, PORTLAND ME**

SECTOR NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND

**TEAM COAST GUARD PLAQUE-This award goes to a
Member of Team Coast Guard First District Northern Region
for their efforts in support of team spirit.**

**CPO DEVAN D. SMITH, OPERATIONS, STATION CHATHAM
SECTOR SOUTHEASTERN NEW ENGLAND**

SECTOR BOSTON

**TEAM COAST GUARD PLAQUE-This award goes to a
Member of Team Coast Guard First District Northern Region
for their efforts in support of team spirit.**

**BM1 Joseph Habel
STATION MERRIMACK RIVER**

**THE LARRY AND LENORE CLOSSON FAMILY PLAQUE -
The Auxiliary Family that shows extended participation in
Auxiliary Programs as determined by AUXINFO data.**

**ARNOLD & ROSALIN BUTZIGER
FLOTILLA 07-06**

THE DISTRICT COMMANDER'S PLAQUE-
The most outstanding flotilla for the year as determined by
using the BOAT US Flotilla of the Year criteria...

FLOTILLA 05-02
ALAN MISSEL FC

THE LT KENNETH LAMBERTSON PLAQUE-
The second most outstanding flotilla for the year as determined
using the BOAT US Flotilla of the Year criteria..

FLOTILLA 11-01
JOHN GEURTSSEN, FC

THE JOSEPH E. GINSBERG PLAQUE-
The third most outstanding flotilla for the year as determined
as determined using the BOAT US Flotilla of the Year criteria.

FLOTILLA 02-05
BRUCE MacCORMAC., FC

THE COMMODORE R. FOSTER REYNOLDS PLAQUE-
The flotilla deemed to be the "Most Improved" in the District as determined using the
BOAT US Flotilla of the Year criteria.

FLOTILLA 05-02
ALAN MISSEL, FC

PAST COMMANDER'S ASSOCIATION PLAQUE-
The most outstanding Division for the year

DIVISION 11
DENNIS BUNNELL
DIVISION COMMANDER

FLOTILLA MERITORIOUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
2021

FLOTILLA 02-01
ERIC C. DEXTER
FLOTILLA COMMANDER

CERTIFICATES OF ACCOMPLISHMENT

50 OR MORE VESSEL SAFETY CHECKS

Paul A. Fontaine
John Flanagan
Bernard Fournier

Douglas Grace
Paul Maglio

Albert Modugno
David Siesel

50 OR MORE RECREATIONAL BOATING SAFETY PROGRAM VISITOR

Kirk Mooney

Wayne Richardson

50 OR MORE HOURS OF PUBLIC EDUCATION

Nathaniel F. Brady III
Bernard A. Sacco, Sr.
Eugene A. Grossi
Ronald P. Brian
Daniel Calidonna

Raymond Hogan
Alan Missel
Lawrence Nobrega
Oscar Orringer
Pierre Poulin

Stephen Wagner
David Warburton
Jane Eastman

50 OR MORE HOURS OF MEMBER TRAINING

Laurel Carlson
Theodore Chatham

COMO Dennis
DeGabriele

Daniel Farren
James Thomson

50 OR MORE HOURS AS COXSWAIN

Richard Brady
COMO Dennis
DeGabriele

Thomas Gary
Stephen Heath
Ethan McMorrow

Alan Missel
Sally R. Snowman
F. Sokasits

50 OR MORE HOURS AS CREW

Kevin Brock
Daniel Calidonna
Gary Davis
Jane Eastman
Joseph Encalada

Joyce_D_N Jones
Peter Lucchesi
Bruce MacCormac
David Moniz
Kirk Mooney

Ralph Neumyer
William Schirmer
Stephen Shane
Stephen Wagner

50 OR MORE HOURS OF COAST GUARD OPERATIONAL SUPPORT

Glendon Buscher
Nanan Coughlin
Joh Dennis
Floyd Grace
James Healy

Paul Llanos
Ronald MNCbrien
John Monahan
Oscar Orringer
Benjamin Shambaugh

Warren Washburn

50 OR MORE HOURS AS AIR OPERATIONS – PILOT

NONE IN 2021

50 OR MORE HOURS AS AIR OPERATIONS – NON-LEAD

NONE IN 2021

50 OR MORE ATON VERIFICATION

NONE IN 2021

50 OR MORE HOURS OF ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT

Kathlene Sage

Jonathan Clancy

Debra Bryant

Kenneth Bornstein

Daniel Farren

Wayne Cedres

50 OR MORE HOURS OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS ACTIVITY

William Bell

Daniel Evarts

Michael Moloney

Theodore Chatham

Lisa Goodwin

Reid Oslin

John Collins

John W. Keyes

William Plikaitis

Martin Downs

Christopher Lawrence

Donald Strunk

Jane Eastman

Alan Missel

50 OR MORE HOURS OF MARINE SAFETY ACTIVITY

Gary Davis

Eugene Grossi

Lisa Goodwin

Billy Thornton

50 OR MORE HOURS OF COMMUNICATIONS WATCH STANDING

Jane Eastman

Raymond Julian

Alan Missel

John Esser

Daniel Long

John Mitchell

Joseph Fratto

Bruce MacCormac

Robert Sabin

Michael Hayes

David McClure

Billy Thornton

Wayne Iacono

John Mellen

50 OR MORE HOURS OF COMMERCIAL FISHING VESSEL EXAM ACTIVITY

NONE FOR 2021

50 OR MORE HOURS OF CULINARY ASSISTANCE SUPPORT

Robert Braunstein

Henry McCarvel

Joan Richards

Sheila Braunstein

David McClure

Lisa Goodwin

Lorelle Mulvey

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF THE AUXILIARISTS & UNITS
RECOGNIZED
IN THIS PROGRAM**

**THANK YOU TO ALL MEMBERS WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THE
EFFORTS OF OUR DISTRICT IN ANY CAPACITY**

