



U.S. COAST GUARD AUXILIARY
District Eleven North Region
DIVISION COMMANDERS REPORT



To: Mary Kirkwood, Commodore

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From: Alan Stanton, Division Commander

Division: 4

HIGHLIGHTS/"3 UPS":

1. Appointment of Division Staff Officers
2. Member Training
3. USGC Academy Admission Partners

DETAILS:

1. I'm pleased to report that we have 4 new SO officers who have accepted an SO position for the first time. We also have one new first term FC and one new first term VFC in the Division. In 2020 we will continue to encourage members who have not held a staff position at the Flotilla or Division level to step into a leadership role.
2. We plan to continue with our TCO training and mentoring program in 2020 and we will be assisting Division 6 in training their members who have expressed an interest in the TCO qualification. We also plan to increase our member training hours in 2020 and will be looking at what additional training we can provide to the Division membership.
3. Division 4 was active at several events during 2019 and we plan to increase our presence at local events during 2020.

PROJECTS:

1. The Division 4 website needs to be updated to the new WOW platform.
2. TCO and other member training.
3. Engage with local Sea Scout ships.

CHALLENGES/OBSTACLES ("3 Downs"):

1. New Member Recruitment – recruitment remains a challenge.
2. Surface Operations – the Division has not been very active in our AOR. Boat crew members have been supporting DIV 6 in their AOR.
3. We still have 3 SO positions I hope to fill (SO-OPS, SO-MA and SO-AS) preferably with someone new to the position.

AGENCY INTERACTION:

1. None at present.

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES:

To be determined at our first Division Meeting