

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



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Division: March 2020 DCDR Report, 113-01 Senior Area

HIGHLIGHTS:

1. On-Line EDU

2. Uniform Wear

3. OPTREX-Reschedule

DETAILS:

- 1. On-Line EDU: Considering the Auxiliary 'stand-down' and 'shelter-in-place' orders our focus has shifted to reviewing competency expiration dates and providing our members with 'remote' options to complete re-certification and EDU renewals. The District's recently distributed 'remote' training calendar for April is being recirculated to our Flotilla's to assure everyone has access to this information.
- 2. Uniform Wear: The renewed emphasis on correct uniform wear is being reinforced, with all our Flotilla's having active discussions with their members. Division leadership will continue to focus on uniform compliance long term.
- **3. OPTREX Rescheduling:** With the 'shelter-in-place' orders likely to be extended again, Divisions 1 and 12 are discussing options to reschedule the event from late June to later in the year.

PROJECTS:

- 1. Member Training: Continue to encourage our members to take the 4-hour Risk Management "refresher" and monitor Core Course expirations.
- 2. Joint OPTREX Planning with Division 12.

GOALS & OBJECTIVES:

- 1. Provide training opportunities based on need.
- 2. Member Recruitment and retention.
- 3. Increase Hours reporting
- 4. Facility development
- 5. Increase interaction, communication, shared events, and training between Flotillas.
- 6. Succession Planning

AGENCY INTERACTION:

1. Continue to develop our relationship with Station Golden Gate.