

## U.S. COAST GUARD AUXILIARY

Eleventh Coast Guard District Northern Region Division 7



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CC: DISTRICT 11NR BOARD AND STAFF

FROM: Tony Zocchi, DCDR

RE: Division Report – December 2020

DATE: January 13, 2021

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

1. Virtual Change of Watch

- 2. New Division Newsletter
- 3. 2020 Record on On-Line Training and 14 AUXOPS
- 4. Covid Bubbles
- 5. New Staff Officers

## Details

- 1. Virtual Change of Watch Held Division 7 Virtual Change of Watch on December 5<sup>th</sup>. Participation from our members and from District. Recognized those members that were retiring, newly elected officers, AUXOP awardees, Division Commanders Award presented to 2 members, blast from the past photos and video. Want to recognize the two individuals for their amazing work with the training program for the members – Ann Zocchi and for her continuous support of the AuxData II implementation and training – Pamela Berger.
- 2. New Division Newsletter Sent out a details newsletter to the division covering a wide variety of subjects such as 2021 Division Staff, Article on Life Jackets and upcoming events just to name a few.
- 3. 2020 Record on On-Line Training and 14 AUXOPS countless hours attending not only the on-line training provided by the district but endless hours of personal time spent working toward achieving the AUXOP status. We were fortunate to have 14 members complete this achievement which included not only members that have been in for years but as little as of few months. We have members that are still working to achieve this accomplishment.
- 4. Covid Bubbles We have flotillas actively working on there Covid Bubbles for Operations training in prep for this summers OPTREX. We have approximately 23 members for requal this year and numerous members looking at qualifying for initial Crew, initial Coxswain and initial PWC.
- 5. New Staff Officers Spent time working with the division staff officers, some returning and some new. Always looking to have new ideas, input and outcome to further the division and support to the district.

Respectfully submitted

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