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SIERRA DIVISION 11 COMMANDER'S REPORT

TO: DCO Dean McFarren, D11NR
Cc: District Board and Staff
DATE: APRIL 2021 REPORT
DIVISION: Sierra Division 11
DCDR: Bryce Leinan

HIGHLIGHTS:

- FLOTILLAS

DETAILS:

- Division meeting will be held on 26 April @ 1900 via Zoom.

North Lake Tahoe Flotilla 11-01

1. Flotilla is working on training exercises, not much going on otherwise.

Reno Flotilla 11-03

1. Flotilla is working on training activities, will not have an April meeting. They are going to have an online ops workshop on 30 April.

PROJECTS:

1. Discussing leadership training programs for the two flotillas.
2. Planning what we can for NSBW given COVID restrictions
3. Division 11 OPTREX will be held on 28 August.

CHALLENGES / OBSTACLES / OPPORTUNITIES:

1. Given our short boating season, it will be challenging at best to maintain member competency for boat crew and coxswains.
2. Flotillas 11-01 and 11-03 will work on assimilating members from 11-04 into their flotillas and work on building activities division-wide.
3. Due to COVID restrictions and the short boating season, there may not be that many activities we can participate in.

AGENCY INTERACTION:

1. Tahoe Weekly has reached out regarding an article for their publication. SO-PA Bill Stolz will work with them and with district leadership to get it approved.

GOALS OF DIVISION 11:

- Recruit new elected leadership for Flotilla 11-01 and 11-03, help with succession planning. Flotilla 11-01 needs both a FC and VFC, Reno is working on and implementing their succession plan for the next 2-4 years with multiple candidates identified for elected and appointed offices.
- Build a deeper “bench” of capable leaders so we don’t have to recycle candidates as often as we have done in the past.
- Build relationships with flotilla members coming from Flotilla 11-04 to the gaining flotillas.

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