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TO: COMO Mary Kirkwood, DCO  
FROM: COMO Vic Connell, ASC SF  
RE: ASC-SF APR District B&S Report

- The Change of Command for Sector SF was on 28MAR on YBI. CAPT Marie Byrd relieved CAPT Anthony Ceraolo, who had served as Sector SF CO since JUL 2016. CAPT Ceraolo is assuming duty as Senior Advisor to the Secretary Homeland Security in Washington DC. A new Deputy CO will be arriving in MAY.
- San Francisco Opening Day Bay and Blessing of the Fleet are scheduled for 28APR. Our AUX SF Bay Patrol Area Coordinator is working on recruiting AUX Support vessels. Sector is requesting 5-7 CG AUX vessels for Opening Day and 1-2 CG AUX vessels for Blessing of the Fleet. Blessing of the Fleet is planned from 1000-1300 and Opening Day from 1200-1500.
- Sector SF is also requesting Aux vessel support for the South Bay Opening Day Ceremony and the Sail GP event for 30APR and 03-05MAY. The Sail GP Event consists of national teams representing the United States, Australia, China, France, Great Britain and Japan - competing in a total of five short-format races, culminating with the top two teams facing off in a match race finale to determine the overall event winner.
- AUX SF Bay PAC is working with CGSTA Golden Gate on AUX vessel patrols in vicinity of Crissy Field to assist Kite and Wind surfers/sailors
- Sector SF AUXLO ENS Sarah Davis is working with LTJG Jimmy Cruz who will be relieving her as AUXLO at some point next year.