

TO: District Board and Staff

FROM: Larry Olson, DSO-AV

SUBJECT: AuxAir Monthly Report for October 2019.

AuxAir continues to fly between four and six missions each week in support of the Coast Guard, the Auxiliary, and our allied agencies.

We continue to train new auxiliarists for aviation positions. We have three members actively working on their Observer Qualifications and another member is working on Aircrew qualifications. We, also, have eight members working through the preliminary stages of their training and expect that they will begin the flight portion of their training in the near future.

We will have our next Aviation Safety Workshop this Saturday, 09 November 2019, at Coast Guard Island and this will be followed by the swim qualification at the Island pool. We expect to have one instructor from Air Station San Francisco.

We have also scheduled our next Squadron Dinner/Meeting next Tuesday, 12 November 2019, at Holiday Inn, Dublin. We expect to have the CO and XO of Air Station San Francisco attend this dinner and both the Gold Side and Auxiliary are working on developing closer operating relationships. The Air Station has announced an auxair appreciation day on 22 November 2019 and we expect to have a good turnout of auxair members, including the crew of Silver Charm, recognizing their contributions to training Coast Guard helicopter personnel in hoisting operations.

Respectfully submitted,

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