

AuxAir Report for December 2020.

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SUBJECT: AuxAir Report for December 2020

Not much has changed during this month. Auxair is still not flying, but we believe we are getting closer to being back in the air. Doug Kerr has been working with CDR Keenan and LT Dow at ASSF to get us back flying. We now have three aux planes that have been virtually inspected and certified for aux missions. Our pilots and crews are also updating their qualifications in order to be ready to resume flights.

We had our regular national GoToMeeting conference and learned that the FAA has requested the Coast Guard Auxiliary change their radio identification system for our aircraft that we have been using for years. National is in the process of complying with this request and we expect to have new radio identification call signs in the near future. Other districts are flying regular missions and we hope to join them soon.

We continue to work with the Air Station, Dustin at DIRAUX and Michael Brown on our PPE and expect to have all required items ready when we begin flying.

Ron Darcey is our ADSO-PA and has been writing articles for various publications about the missions and activities of AuxAir.

Respectfully submitted,
Larry Olson

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