

DSO-NS Northern Region Report No. 2016-03

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1. 2015 AWARDS for Aids to Navigation & Chart Updating Presented at D-Train:

D11 (dpw) and myself would to congratulate all 54 hardworking Aid Verifiers participating in 2015 trying to get a 6th year in completing 100% of our assigned private aids verifications and the annual bridge surveys from 1 January 2015 to 31 December 2015; also members participating in the chart updating program in 2015. We didn't quite reach our goal.



- Congratulation to **Flotilla 03-05** for receiving the **“FLOTILLA CHART UPDATING AWARD”** with **1446** points in AUXDATA.



- Congratulations to the Top three Members for **“Recognition for Outstanding Achievement in Furthering the Eleventh Coast Guard District’s Aids to Navigation and Chart Updating Programs in 2015”** for receiving over 200 Points in AUXDATA.

Linda Haynes, 11-03 with **305** Points received 1st Place Award.

Brian J. O’Mara, 04-08 with **270** Points received 2nd Place Award.

John R. Boyne, 11-03 with **240** Points received 3rd Place Award.

- Congratulations to the following 4 member receiving the **“Plaque Award for Recognition in Furthering the Eleventh Coast Guard District Aids to Navigation and Chart Updating Programs in 2015”** for receiving 150 Points or more in AUXDATA.

Member	Flotilla	Points
Larry Kubo	05-05	230
Stanley Douglas	12-91	220
Frank R. Swift	12-01	165
Virginia Luchetti	12-91	160

- Congratulations to the following members receiving the **“Certificate of Award for Recognition in Furthering the Eleventh Coast Guard District Aids to Navigation and Chart Updating Programs in 2015”** for receiving 50 Points or more in AUXDATA.



Flotilla	Name	Points
03-05	James B. Duncan	1476
11-04	Bruce M. Cole	145
05-03	Gordon Hunt (Michael)	110
05-07	Jim Blackburn	105
11-01	Bruce Thee	70
11-04	Victor Beelik	65
01-09	Terry M. Blanchard	55
06-10	Bruce Simpson	55
10-03	Monica Eaton	55
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01-09	Linda L. Vetter	50
03-03	Tommy Holtzman	50
05-05	Wilfred Sumner	50

2. THIS IS THE START FOR THE NEW NOAA-NOS CHART UPDATING YEAR.

Reminder that the NOAA-NOS Chart Updating Year for the USCG Auxiliary is from April 1 through March 31 each year.

USCG AUXILIARY-NOAA COOPERATIVE CHARTING WEBSITE “CUWEB” IS NOW HERE ON THE INTERNET

On **April 14, 2014** the US Coast Guard Auxiliary chart updating world changed and it’s called CUWeb. CUWeb is the acronym for the USCG Auxiliary Cooperative Charting Website. The purpose of this website is to provide a seamless mechanism for handling the field data collected by USCG Auxiliary members. The information collected in CUWeb allows cartographers at NOAA to apply new data in timely and standardized manner.

OVERVIEW:

NOAA and the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary have enjoyed a strong partnership since 1962. Under the authority of the Memorandum of Agreement, Auxiliary members submit reports to NOAA on the condition of Nautical Charts, Small Craft Charts and Coast Pilots.

Auxiliary members have generated many chart updating reports that NOAA uses to update navigational products and databases. Submission of



these old paper reports has been updated to the digital report by electronic mail. CUWeb has the capability to handle all reports formerly submitted on the old paper NOAA 77-5a Chart Updating Report Form which is **no longer used**.

CUWeb:

The technology now exists to create a paperless reporting system for Cooperative Charting. In D11 the CUWeb system is working extremely well our second year (1 April 2015 to 31 March 2016) using only CUWeb for submitting our Chart Updating Report to NOAA-NOS.

The following are some of the capabilities of the web-based system:

- Logging on to CUWeb is easy using your Auxiliary ID and Password as recorded in AUX/Directory.
- CUWeb can accept the following types of reports - Nautical Chart, and Coast Pilot & Range Line.
- A single report may contain multiple items. It may also contain multiple observers. The primary observer has the ability to assign credit percentages to multiple observers.
- CUWeb will prompt the observer to enter data in a format that NOAA can readily use. “Help” fields are available throughout the web site. In addition, the *USCG Auxiliary Chart Updating Website “CUWeb” Guide* is a manual the member may download from the CUWeb website.
- CUWeb will accept supporting documentation scanned into a digital format. For example, scanned chartlets, blueprints, and photographs can serve as support documentation.
- Once an observer submits a report, the District DSO-NS has 2 weeks to inspect the report for adequacy. The DSO-NS has the ability to access all of his or her district reports through the system. Once the DSO-NS flags the report as “OK”—the report automatically goes to the NOAA-National Ocean Service.
- CUWeb automatically assign credits. A USCGAUX member can query the system at any time to see how many credits he or she has accumulated throughout the year. A member can also see where they stand nationally in credit rankings. In addition, anyone will be able to see where Flotillas and Divisions and Districts stand nationally.
- Log on and take a look.

USCGAUX Chart Updating Web site
<https://www.ccweb.noaa.gov/cuweb/>
Log in Opening Page

US Coast Guard Auxiliary Charting Reports - CUWeb website

US Coast Guard Auxiliary members please enter your Auxiliary ID Number and Password:

Auxiliary ID Number:

Password:

[Forgot your password?](#)
[Get help logging in...](#)

Warning! You have accessed a United States Government computer. Use of this computer without authorization or for purposes for which authorization has not been extended is a violation of Federal Law (18 U.S.C. 1030)

[After logging with your AUX ID & your Auxiliary Password click here](#)

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Practice Website is a good area to just see how it works. You can use this to draft sample reports before you put your report on the Live site.

3. 2016 NAVIGATION SYSTEMS REPORT

This report activity table covers all ATON, PATON, Bridge, & Chart Updating activities & reports received by D11 (dpw), NOAA-NOS & AUXINFO through **April 4, 2016**.

2016 DIVISIONAL, BRIDGE, ATON, & CHART UPDATING ACTIVITY SUMMARY REPORT

Div.	AIDS TO NAVIGATION ACTIVITY							Bridges Assigned				PATON's Assigned				2015	
	Bridge	Bridge AUX Data	ATON	ATON AUX DATA	PATON	PATON NO Permit	PATON AUX DATA	AOR	Check	% Done	Still to Do	AOR	Check	% Done	Still to Do	A V 's	P Q S
1	4		1		9			4	4	100%	0	104	9	9%	95	4	3
3	7	2	2					15	4	27%	11	41		0%	41	2	2
4								2		0%	2	68		0%	68	1	2
5	5				41		10	9	5	56%	4	103	41	40%	62	2	3
6	2				7			2	2	100%	0	67	7	10%	60	1	1
8	1				5			1	1	100%	0	5	5	100%	0	1	0
10	3	2					4	8	2	22%	7	58		0%	58	1	1
11								0		NA	0	139		0%	139	2	2
12	2				11			8	2	25%	6	149	10	7%	139	2	2
Total	24	4	3	0	73	0	14	50	20	40%	30	734	72	10%	662	16	17
2016 D11 NR Chart Updating Year Jan 1, 2016 to Dec 31, 2016			2016 NOAA-NOS Chart Updating Year April 1, 2015 to Mar 31, 2016				2016-2017 NOAA-NOS Chart Updating Year Apr 1, 2016 to Mar 31, 2017										
Div	Reports	2nd Ob	CUC	Reports	2nd Ob	CUC	Reports	2nd Ob	CUC								
1																	
3				8		1251											
4																	
5																	
6																	
8																	
10																	
11																	
12				1		96											
Total	0	0	0	9	0	1347	0	0	1								
Total D11 CU Reports 4/1/15 through 3/31/16 →				9	Total D11-NOAA CUC 4/1/15 through 3/31/16 →				1347								
Total Aids to Navigation Reports				100	Total Members Submitting Reports in 2016 →				10								
Total Aids to Navigation in AUXDATA*				18	18 out of 100 reports showing up in AUXDATA →				18%								
Total Chart Updating Reports				9	A= ATON, P= PATON, B= Bridges, U= Unauthorized												
Total ATON & Chart Updating				109	NOAA-CUC=Charting Credit Points award by NOS to date.												
➤ Note: *Red numbers above is the information from AUXINFO as of April 4, 2016 update.																	
➤ NOAA-NOS Chart Updating Year is from - April 1 through March 31 each year.																	
➤ D11NR Chart Updating Year is from - January 1 through December 31 each year.																	
➤ Note: The Green number under "2 nd Ob" indicates secondary Chart Updating Observers.																	
✓ Note: "ALWAYS submit a 7030 for all ATON, PATON, Bridge, & Chart Updating Activity. Your work is not completed until your 7030 is in your FSO-IS hands."																	
✓ "Always check AUXINFO for your ATON, Bridge, & Chart Updating activity. If you don't find your activity recorded and you have submitted the proper ANSC 7030, check with your FSO-IS or SO-IS for help."																	

4. Repeater 1 - THE IMPORTANCE IN FILLING OUT YOUR ANSC 7030 ACTIVITY REPORT-MISSION:

We have some aid verifiers whom are not submitting your ANSC 7030 (Activity Report – Mission) forms to your FSO-IS officer for their ATON and Bridge activity? Why not! Last year only **72%** of Aid Verifier Activities had submitted their 7030's for input into AUXDATA. What does this mean?

1. **18** hardworking Aid Verifier did not received their due award for the activity.
2. The District, Division & Flotilla had a low count of aids & bridges verified.
3. Aid to Navigation & Bridge activity by the Auxiliary given to the NDCO and Commandant of the Coast Guard inaccurate & incomplete.
4. You're not completing your Aid Verifier obligation if you have not submitted your 7030 to your FSO-IS Officer?

If you're not submitting your 7030's, you are short changing yourself, Flotilla, Division and District Auxiliary members and our Aids to Navigation & Bridge Auxiliary programs.

The 7030 reports provide one of the bases for AUXDATA. This report serves three major functions:

a. The 7030 cumulative data and forms the statistical basis for justification to the United States Congress of expenditures of public monies to support Team Coast Guard. This is funds that we use for Auxiliary activity. By not submitting your 7030 you're hurting our bottom line.

b. Accurate and timely activity reporting to ensure adequate and prompt recognition of accomplishments at both the individual and unit levels. The "Sustains Auxiliary Service Award" for each 750 hours of activity is just one of many awards that are based on AUXDATA information.

c. Areas requiring attention and/or correction are revealed promptly, making timely action feasible. We cannot improve our Auxiliary Aids to Navigation & Bridge programs without this important information.

So please submit your 7030 forms for all of your Auxiliary Aids to Navigation & Bridge activity not just for reimbursements to your FSO-IS Officer. It will help the D11 Northern Region in this time of shortage of funds. **Here is a sample of a 7030 properly filled out for a Bridge & PATON for your FSO-IS.**

<input type="button" value="Clear All entries"/>		DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY U.S. COAST GUARD ANSC-7030 (9-10)		U.S. COAST GUARD AUXILIARY ACTIVITY REPORT - MISSION		Division 03 Flotilla 05 MISSION DATE 28FEB16	
SECTION I		TYPE OF RESOURCE		<input type="checkbox"/> Air <input type="checkbox"/> Boat <input type="checkbox"/> Radio <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unit/Individual			
SECTION II TIME & MISSION							
Always record START TIME, START MISSION, and FINISH TIME. (See MISSION list on page 3.) Use change boxes if mission changes. See instructions.							
	START	Change 1	Change 2	Change 3	Change 4	Change 5	FINISH
TIME	1830	1930					2200
MISSION	32	31					
SECTION III ACTIVITY LOG DETAILS							
Location: SACRAMENTO RIVER, CA		OPCON 11-37270					
PATROL MISSIONS ONLY							
SAR ASSISTS ONLY							
ATON		PATON		Bridges			
Discrepancies		Discrepancies		Discrepancies			
		2		1			
Watching Property		Watching Property		Watching Property			
1		1		1			
SECTION IV CREW ASSIGNMENTS							
Member ID	Last Name and Initials					Trainee	
LEAD 1	2	1	2	3	4	5	AID VERIFIER.
2							<input type="checkbox"/>
3							<input type="checkbox"/>
4							<input type="checkbox"/>
5							<input type="checkbox"/>
6							<input type="checkbox"/>
7							<input type="checkbox"/>
8							<input type="checkbox"/>
9							<input type="checkbox"/>
LOCAL NOTES (non-AUXDATA): Recipient's email address: fo-is@sbglobal.net Your email address: jbl123@comcast.net							
<input type="button" value="SUBMIT"/>							
SECTION VI REMARKS							
Surveyed 2 Bridges, 1 Street RR Discrepant & Freeport Watching Properly. Verified 3 PATON's, 2 discrepant & 1 Watching Property.							
Use Member Activity Log (ANSC-7029) for missions not reported on VE (ANSC-7038), RBSVP(ANSC-7046) or this form and for Travel & Prep time previously reported on this form.							
Date submitted	28FEB16		AID VERIFIER		Report number		1617
Submitting Member Name (print)							
Previous edition may be used until supply is exhausted. COPY 2 - FSO-IS <input type="button" value="PRINT..."/>							

Must always be Unit/Individual.

Only cat 30, 31, 32

Record the number of aids & bridges you Verified.

Only 1 Aid Verifier's name.

Best to SUBMIT on the 7030 E form to your FSO-IS or SO-IS only. (don't send copies to any FSO-NS, SO-NS, DSO-NS officer)

Best to list the name or number of aids you that you check for your records in the Remarks section.

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“All auxiliary vessels when underway should be checking all Aids to Navigations for any type of Discrepancy and also should be checking the Charts, Coast Pilot & Shoreline for any type of Charting Errors as well as providing update reports on Charts, Small Crafts Facilities & Coast Pilot in your AOR”

DATES OF CHART LATEST EDITION TABLE
In D11 Northern Region April 6 , 2016

Chart No.	Chart Scale	Edition No.	Traditional Paper Chart Edition Date	Latest Edition Date from LNM Update for NOAA On-Line-Viewer & RNC & ENC Navigational Charts updates	
18600	196,948	15	Mar 2011	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18020	1,444,000	39	Jan 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18010	811,980	22	Sep, 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18022	868,003	36	Jun 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18601	40,000	14	Feb 2007	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18602	40,000	13	Feb 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18603	40,000	17	Mar 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18605	15,000	13	Dec 2010	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18620	200,000	24	Feb 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18622	25,000	55	Jun 2010	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18623	40,000	12	Jan 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18626	40,000	16	Dec 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18628	10,000	9	Oct 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18640	207,840	27	Oct 2015	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18643	30,000	18	Dec 2009	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18645	100,000	28	May 2013	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18647	40,000	16	Mar 2009	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18649	40,000	68	Jun 2013	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18650	20,000	57	Dec 2013	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18651	40,000	45	Dec 2013	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18652 SC	40,000:80,000	36	Feb 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18653	20,000	12	Oct 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18654	40,000	45	Jan 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18655	10,000	59	Oct 2006	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18656	40,000	56	Aug 2010	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18657	10,000	19	Nov 2005	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18658	10,000	31	Sep 2007	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18659	10,000	16	Jan 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18660	20,000	3	Sep 2005	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18661 SC	40,000	30	Mar 2009	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18662 SC	40,000	22	May 2009	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18663	20,000	6	Apr 2006	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18664	20,000	12	Aug 26, 2000	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18665	40,000	11	Aug 2004	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18666	10,000	1	Nov 24, 2001	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18667	20,000	12	Aug 26, 2000	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18680	210,668	32	May 2013	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18682	20,000	14	Nov 2003	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18685	50,000	34	Sep 2012	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18686	40,000	13	Jul 17, 1999	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
18700	216,116	22	Jul 2003	LNM 12/16	03/22/2016
Coast Pilot	Volume 7	48	Updated weekly	Last Corrected through 04/03/2016	
CG Light List Weekly Updates	Volume 6	2016	Updated weekly	Last Corrected though LNM 13/16 – Dated 03/30/2016	