**Charting your course in the**

**UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AUXILIARY**

**MEMBER INVOLVEMENT PLAN**

**MAKING CHOICES FOR SUCCESS!**

**Charting a course** creates success for the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary missions and programs, while providing satisfaction and pride by our members.

This booklet of planning is designed as a working document to be maintained for support of our member’s involvement. We look forward to your active involvement in Auxiliary activities.

# DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES (REV. 12/16/10)

**USCG AUXILIARY DATA INPUT SHEET MEMBER INVOLVEMENT PLAN**

**Welcome to the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary**

This planner is to help you to become familiar with opportunities available in the Auxiliary, to see the steps leading to your interests and goals, and, over all, to assist you in planning your future years in the Auxiliary. To that end, we ask you to look through this booklet, fill in the appropriate sections, then, with the help of the Member Training Officer, plot your course. The next page lists some of the many activities available. The following two pages illustrate the steps required for the various positions. The *New Member Reference Guide* and the *Member Handbook* provide in-depth explanations. The last page provides a place to pencil-in initial goals. It’s best to use pencil since as you become more familiar with the workings of the Auxiliary, your goals will probably expand.

Again—WELCOME—We look forward to helping you become an integral part of our continuing mission of serving our nation and the boating public.

**Name Member #** Enrollment date Address Phone Fax Cell Family Occupation Skills Hobbies Membership in other organizations

Previous volunteer experience

# CHECK ALL THAT PERTAIN TO YOU

Power Boat Sail Boat PWC Plane VHF Home Radio Mobile VHF Radio Radar Previous Military Law Enforcement EMT

Major interests in the Auxiliary (crew, instructor, etc.)

**INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

# •Materials •Fellowship

–Uniforms –Sunshine Club

–Ordering –Official Greeter

–Unit Inventory –Dinners/Activities

# •Secretary •Marine Environmental Protection

–Letter writing –Public Outreach & Sea Partners

–Note Taking –Harbor Pollution Patrols

–Public Speaking –Spill Reconnaissance

•**Public Affairs** –Licensing Administration

–Speaker’s Bureau •**Navigation Systems**

–Written Articles –Federal and Private Aids

–Public Appearances –Bridge Inspections

–Media Contacts •**Auxiliary Aviation**

–Photo and Video –Flight Standards /Training

•**Finance** –Facilities Liaison

–Budget –Flight Safety

–Bookkeeping –Air Patrols

•**Publications** –Air Transport

–Unit newsletter •**Coast Guard Support**

–Writing –Communications Watch

–Creativity –Administrative Support

•**Information Systems** –Crew on CG vessels

–Record Keeping –Joint Public Appearance with CG

–Computer Work –Officer of the Day Duties

**•Communications** –Teaching/Mentoring

–Webmaster –Worklife Personnel Support

–E-mail –Team Coordination Training

•**Human Resources** –Auxiliary Chef Program

–Recruiting –Interpreter Corps

–Mentor Program **•Advanced Training**

–Uniform Procurement –AUXOP courses

–Involvement Activities –National Schools

•**Photo Corps** –Coast Guard Institute courses

–Photography for books, newsletters **•Instructor**

•**Operations** –Teach Public Education courses

–Crew—on-water patrols –Teach member classes

–Coxswain—in change of on-water patrols **•Program Visitor**

–Visit marinas & marine dealers

–Distribute boating safety materials

**QUALIFICATIONS TRAINING**


# Each of these qualifications require Boating Course Credit

**Air Crew/ Observer**

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**5 yrs service @ minimum 96 hrs yearly**

**Administrative Procedures Course or Flotilla Leadership Course**

**Administrative Staff**

**MT, MA, FN, SR, HR, PA, PB, CS, IS**

**Mission Operations Staff PE, OP, CM, VE, PV, NS, MS**

**(Maintain periodic updates by MT/HR for planning.)**

**Name**

**(Use pencil for annual and update revisions)**

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| QUALIFICATION / FACILITY | **YEAR COMPLETED** | **GOAL FOR YEAR 20** |
| BQ – Boating Safety Course |  |  |
| Instructor |  |  |
| Program Visitor |  |  |
| Vessel Examiner |  |  |
| ATON Verifier |  |  |
| Boat Crew |  |  |
| Coxswain |  |  |
| Trident CG Marine Safety/MEP |  |  |
| Air Crew/Observer |  |  |
| Pilot |  |  |
| AUX Operational Facility: Boat, PWC, Radio, Aircraft |  |  |
| USCG Watchstander |  |  |
| USCG Boat Crew |  |  |
| USCG Recruiter |  |  |
| **Additional Training** |  |  |
| AUX Advanced Coastal Navigation |  |  |
| AUX Seamanship |  |  |
| Auxiliary Search Coordination and Execution |  |  |
| AUX Patrol |  |  |
| AUX Weather |  |  |
| AUX Communication |  |  |
| AUX Operations |  |  |
| AUX Marine Environmental Protection |  |  |
| Administrative Procedures Course (APC) |  |  |
| Flotilla Leadership Course |  |  |
| AUX Leadership and Management (LAMS) |  |  |
| AUX Mid-Level Officer Course |  |  |
| AUX Senior Officer Course |  |  |
| CG Institute Course(s) |  |  |
| National “C” School Course(s) |  |  |
| **LEADERSHIP** |  |  |
| Staff Office: |  |  |
| Elected Office: |  |  |
| **Other:** |  |  |
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