



Commander Bradly G. Winans

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Commander Bradly Winans reported to the Office of Auxiliary and Boating Safety in June of 2022. As the Deputy Chief Director of the Coast Guard Auxiliary, he serves as the planning element for all Auxiliary personnel, facility, and resource issues, and develops, reviews and evaluates all national plans, policies and procedures for Auxiliary administration and performance. Additionally, he serves as the principal point-of-contact for CG strategic transformation matters.



His previous assignment was as the Chief of the Fixed Wing Division in the Office of Aviation Forces, where he was responsible for the capability requirements policy for all fixed wing aircraft throughout the CG fleet, and the CG's policy advisor to DHS, OGA, International & industry partners for Maritime Patrol Aircraft, Command & Control Aircraft, and air transport missions.

CDR Winans graduated from the U.S. Coast Guard Academy in 2004 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Management. Upon graduation, CDR Winans was assigned to the Inspections Department at Marine Safety Office (MSO) Mobile, AL. After spending two years qualifying as a Marine Inspector, CDR Winans was selected for flight training in Pensacola, FL and Corpus Christi, TX. After graduating from flight school in 2007, he was assigned to fly the HU-25 Falcon in the Operations Department at Aviation Training Center (ATC) Mobile. During this tour, he transitioned to the newly acquired HC-144 Ocean Sentry.

In 2011, CDR Winans was assigned to Air Station Miami where he was assigned as the Fixed Wing Flight Safety Officer, receiving advanced training from the Navy on aircraft accident investigation. At Air Station Miami, CDR Winans earned Instructor Pilot and Flight Examiner qualifications. For his last two years at Miami, CDR Winans served as the Assistant Operations Officer.

In 2015, CDR Winans was transferred to ATC Mobile, AL to serve as the Assistant Division Chief for the HC-144 Standardization Team. He was promoted to the Division Chief after one year, where he led the fleet training division until transferring to CG Headquarters in 2018 to become the HC-144 Platform Manager within the Office of Aviation Forces.

CDR Winans earned a Master of Business Administration (MBA) from Spring Hill College. He currently lives in the Capitol Hill neighborhood of Washington, DC with his two daughters, Lila (12) and Sevi (7). When not at work, CDR Winans is engaged as the president of his daughter's Parent Teacher Organization. You'll rarely find him indoors, and he loves riding his bike throughout the city rather than driving a car.