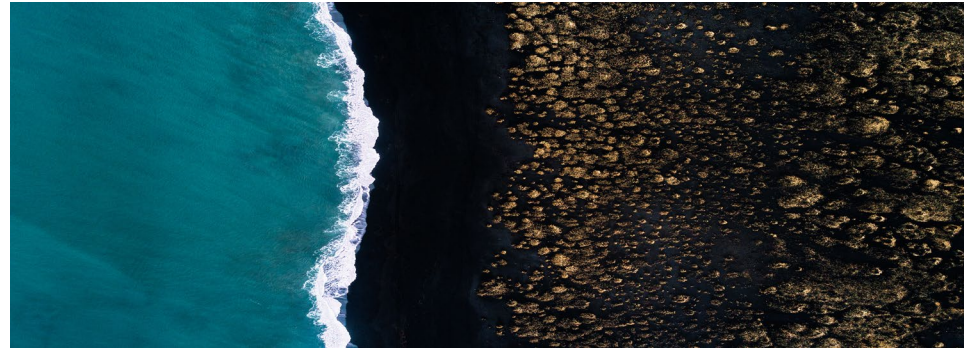
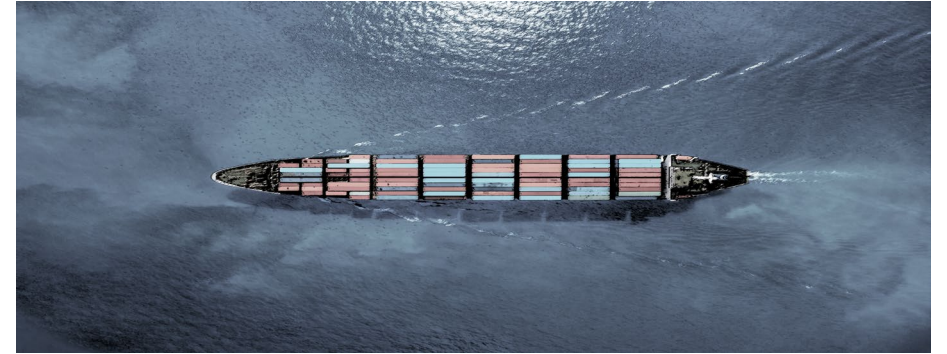


Marine Safety & Environmental Protection



A Primer for MS FLOTILLA Staff Officers

PLEASE NOTE

**This presentation focuses on
roles and responsibilities of
Marine Safety FLOTILLA Staff
Officers (FSO-MS)**

**PRIOR to viewing this
presentation, please view
the presentation for
ALL MS Staff Officers:**

https://wow.uscgaux.info/Uploads_wowII/P-DEPT/UPDATE_080525_FINAL__LS_edits_MS_ME_P_2025.pdf



Overview for Flotilla Staff Officers (FSO-MS)

- FSO-MS Appointment/
Position
- FSO-MS Duties and
Responsibilities
- FSO-MS Training and
Education
- Auxiliary Volunteer Support
and Outreach



Flotilla Staff Officer (FSO-MS)



- Appointed by the Flotilla Commander (FC) for one year
- Reports to the Vice Flotilla Commander (VFC) as well as to the SO-MS
- Responsible for the Marine Safety Program at the flotilla level

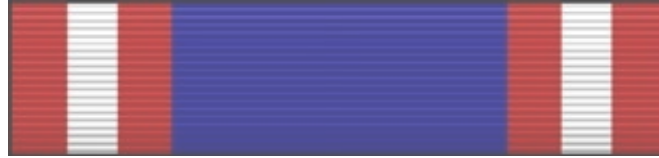
NOTE: There are no Assistant Flotilla Staff Officers for Marine Safety

FSO-MS Duties and Responsibilities

- Organizes and manages the MS/MEP program within their flotilla
- Delivers MS/MEP training presentations to flotilla members
- Coordinates MS/MEP training and activities with other flotillas
- Keeps SO-MS informed of plans, missions, and activities
- Submits monthly reports of flotilla MS/MEP activities to SO-MS and VFC
- Develops, encourages, and maintains interest in MS/MEP missions among fellow flotilla members



FSO-MS Recommended Training



- **Good Mate course**
- **IMSEP course**
- **Incident Command System Courses 100, 200, 210, 700 and 800**
- **MS/MEP qualifications found under MS on the Prevention website (MSAM highly recommended for all MS Staff Officers)**
- **Marine Safety Training Ribbon:**
 - One MS/MEP qualification
 - Opportunity to learn the qualification process
 - Enables FSO-MS to lead with full program experience
- **Participation in MS/MEP activities and missions in their AOR**

Auxiliary Volunteer Support and Outreach



- Waterway cleanups
- Sea Partners
- External organizations and PA events
 - Local conservancy groups
 - Civic organizations
 - Yacht and paddlesport clubs
 - Schools, colleges and universities
- Marina visits
- Flotilla and Division PA events



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<https://wow.uscgaux.info/content.php?unit=p-dept>