014-05-03 Member Meeting Minutes May 14, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 1908 with 28 members in attendance.

Upcoming:

- Next Member Meeting is Monday, June 18th

Achievements:

- Bert Ongkeo was nominated as a Branch Chief at the National level
- Bill Jefferson completed Aux10 training for Information Systems
- Tony Carter to graduate John Jay
- Meagan Downey accepted to Stanford Business School

FSO Reports:

FSO-FS (Food Service): Bert Ongkeo -

- Diversity Report Hope to see more people participating at Fleet Week. Especially on Saturday-Sunday, May 26-27 (PA/MS Booth)
- Food Service Program Report
- TCT Courses happening on May/June. May 19, 2018 at MIO (1000-1400 Hours)
- June 10, 2018 at Sector NY (Pending)
- The annual Staten Island Welcomes Our Heroes Event on Sunday, May 20, 2018.
 I've sent out an
- email to all my AuxFS members and members in training on April 27th. 8 members has replied with
- a Yes and 2 members could not attend.
- Date: Sunday, May 20, 2018
- Time: 0800 1400
- Place: US Coast Guard Station NY, Staten Island
- Uniform of the Day: ODUs or USCGA chef coat with the ODU pants.
- USCG 2nd Annual Culinary Symposium for all CS/AuxFS members June 4-8, 2018 (POC: CSC
- Noah Bray. Lodging is available.

JJCCJ AUP Detachment Leader: Susan Pickman -

- Seeing tremendous growth in the John Jay Auxiliary Detachment program
- Offering a 3-credited fall internship through the Auxiliary for John Jay students
- Offering the AuxLams Leadership Program in the Spring semester. Dates are TBD

FSO-MS (Marine Safety) & FSO-OP (Operations): Bill Jefferson - **FSO-MS**

1. AUX-MEES PQS-My goal will be to bring at least 1-2 candidates from 05-03 into the MS Program this year. A few members have approached but have yet to follow up with me, I will discuss at the meeting. No takers yet!

2. MS events this summer- street fairs, Marinas, etc. Assistance is required from FSO-PA, FSO-VE, and FSO-PV to make these multi-approach events successful.

-Liberty Landing Marina- 5/10/18 Andrew Thurman and I attended/MS, RBS 3. AUX-EU Assistant Facilities Inspector. Sector is in need of additional Auxiliarists for this program. Interested parties must be AUX-MEES and/or AUX-MSAM as prerequisite.

4. AUX-EC Assistant Container Inspector. Sector is in need of additional Auxiliarists for this program. Interested parties must be AUX-MEES and/or AUX-MSAM as prerequisite.

FSO-OP

1. BOATCREW TRAINING

boatcrew study/ training classes to continue, with partipants who attend 4 hr TCT training May 19 1000 with Ralph Irizarry. Drew Wilkins will be able to do inport PQS sign offs.

2. MY SURFACE FACILITY- will be available for BOATCREW training to members once all of the shore-Side PQS are signed off. Still under repairs, will advise when Operational.

3. Boat Crew for 05-03; Drew Wilkins 05-10 in process to attain Coxswain and is willing to train our members on my facility as well as the other listed Coxswains.

4. Boat Crew Sign off for FSO-OP: I have arranged with Paul Scoca FC and Coxswain 06-06, to perform the remaining tasks with me so I can become BOATCREW, and then proceed to assist others. Then I will move forward to Coxswain PQS, with the goal of 05-03 having a Coxswain and a facility.

5. Vince to report on AirOps

FSO-IS (incoming)

1. I completed AUX 10 in Phoenix last week.

AV Certification Program

1. I am now certified as AV-PQS and would be glad to mentor any interested applicants to the NS program. There may be the mandatory NS Workshop this year, to be held May 12 at SECLIS in New Haven, CT, and I will advise.

FSO-PA (Public Affairs): Zach Perkins -

- Attended May Division 5 meeting.
- Wrote Division level Fleet Week 2018 Press Release, distributed to media outlets with Division Bridge approval.
- Plans set for PA coverage of NSBW: In-person coverage of Flotilla VE activity at Liberty Landing on 20 MAY 2018.
- Plans set for PA coverage of Fleet Week: In-person coverage of Flotilla, Division and District PA/MS activity at Intrepid and CG Cutter Richard Snyder on 26-27 MAY 2018.
- Plans set for PA coverage of Memorial Day: In-person coverage of Division PA activity at City Island Memorial Day Parade on 28 MAY 2018.
- Continued posting new, original content and re-sharing content to Flotilla Facebook page.

FSO-HR (Human Resources): Sandro Sherrod

Four people completed their enrollment package at the April meeting, I am happy to welcome Eduard , John Meyer, Aries de la Cruz and Neil Reilly aboard.

Additionally four prospective members were sent a welcome package, three are students from John Jay College.

FSO-CM (Communications): Stephen Harwood

- On 22MAY18 11:00 to 12:00 Hours local time R21 task force is requested to monitor channel 16/A ie. 156.8 mhz while they upgrade the system.
- One new mobile HF facility will be added to the flotilla.

New Business:

 Flotilla Operational T-Shirt has been released. Approved to wear with ODU's. Price will be around \$15.00. Two versions (both are short sleeved)

New Member Swearing-In & Awards:

- Certificate of Appreciation awarded to Meagan Downey for outstanding work as FSO-FN.
- BQ Status: Andrea Bray, Avraham Goldberg, Chad Goldman, Antonio Lebron, Baruch Ringel, Dania Robley-Lehi, and Cassandra Ortiz
- Officer Recognition Award: Cristin Buiciuc, Mark Dilone

There being no further matters to discuss, the meeting adjourned.