

TO: VCDR Division 10
FROM: SO-NS10
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SUBJ: NAVIGATION SYSTEMS

(Memo from ADSO-NS-NC) – SUBJ: AUX Post-storm Activity: ” Yesterday, 16AUG, I spoke with each of the ANTs in Sector NC offering our services to check the ATONs following hurricanes or any other major event which could cause the Capt of the Port, CAPT Stewart, to close the waterways. Each ANT appreciated and accepted the offer of assistance which I hope will be enthusiastically welcomed by your Boat Crew personnel as well as all qualified AVs and AV Trainees.

This is a task that needs to be performed professionally, safely and in a timely fashion so that the waterways may be reopened as quickly as possible. Aux members who wish to participate in this activity should be those who plan to remain in the area during the storm as returning from an inland “hidey-hole” may not be easily accomplished.

There are other considerations that need to be covered in preparation for these missions, mostly of a logistic nature. Please assemble your questions and concerns and let me know (ASAP) what’s on your mind. Be sure that your flotilla leaders are aware of your intentions as some FC/VFCs may not be active in on-the-water activities. It is also important to inform your SO/FSO Operations of this opportunity.

Any questions? If so, please let me know.” Paul Dowty

ANT OAK ISLAND

In talking to BM1 Fuentes it seems he is very anxious to have the AUX participate in NS activities, i.e., checking AIDs, office work, taking photos of the AIDs, offering your platform, and anything else. The phone number for ANT Oak Island is 910-278-6247. Give him a call & offer your assistance.

FLOTILLA ACTIVITY

Only 10-01 has sent in reports for this time period.

If you have any questions regarding the 7054 or 7030, please let me know. I am still available to give an NS workshop if anyone is interested.

3 storms have been reported, so stay “At the Ready”.

Respectfully submitted,

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