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PARTICIPATION REPORT FOR THE CFR POWER LINE CLOSURE

USCG Sector Wilmington issued an Incident Action Plan for the closure of the Cape Fear River from 9/11/19 to 11/02/19 during construction activities by Duke Energy for raising the power line across the river.

The plan designated four time periods that anticipated CFR closure for construction work.

The Auxiliary was requested to augment the Coast Guard with facilities for safety patrols and logistics transport.

Due to the uncertainty of construction scheduling to accommodate weather conditions and other factors, we attempted to cover all potential dates so as to be available when needed.

In consideration of fatigue limits this required two facilities with crew for each date. One morning patrol and one afternoon patrol were scheduled for each work day. This resulted in scheduling of thirty four (34) patrols.

In the first week of September 9 through 13 three patrols were completed successfully.

In the following weeks although the Auxiliary had facilities committed to serve, Sector chose to use Other Government Organizations for the operation and the Auxiliary remained on stand-by.

In summation, the Auxiliary Flotillas 10-01, 10-05 and 10-06 volunteered ten (10) facilities and eighteen (18) personnel as coxswains and crew for 34 patrols over a period of five weeks.

Very Respectfully,

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