



Date: March 14, 2023

FROM: Flotilla Staff Officer – Marine Safety and Environmental Protection
(FSO-MS)
TO: Flotilla 25-06 Vice Commander (VFC) and SO-MS 054-25
SUBJECT: MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT for February 2023

Reference: [Auxiliary Flotilla Procedures Guide](#), page A-13, Duties of FSO-MS

1. **Progress Update:** Nothing Significant to Report.
2. **Meetings, conferences, seminars, workshops, etc., conducted:**
 - MS/MEP Training (70U) Opportunities:
 - Marine Safety Training Forum: Twice a month training via Zoom. The Zoom link for the sessions can be found on the [District 5SR Website Calendar](#).
 - Sea Partners/Environmental (70N) Opportunities: [Auxiliary Beach Cleanup Guide](#)
 - Prince William Trails & Streams Coalition ([PWTSC](#)); Marumsco Creek Cleanup – 18 Mar 2023
 - Naval Support Facility Indian Head (NSFIH) [Beach Cleanup](#) – 8 Apr 2023
 - Friends of the Occoquan ([FOTO](#)); Spring River Cleanup – 15 Apr 2023 (Five locations)
 - Piscataway Park, [Potomac River Cleanup](#), - 15 Apr 2023
 - Mason Neck State Park, [Earth Day](#), Shoreline cleanup – 22 Apr 2023
 - Mason Neck State Park, [Clean the Bay Day](#), Shoreline cleanup – 3 Jun 2023
 - Widewater State Park, [Clean the Bay Day](#), Shoreline cleanup – 3 Jun 2023
 - SeaScouts, Safety at Sea, Curtis Bay, MD – 16 Sep 2023
3. **Activities, projects, events, etc, that contributes to accomplishment of MS goals and or upcoming events:** See recurring meeting.
4. **Information from District/National/Others:** (See below links for details)
 - [AL AUX 006-23](#), Marine Safety Administrative Management (AUX-MSAM) Qualification Update
 - [AL AUX 043-22](#), Promulgation of the Emergency Management Specialist Performance Qualification Standard (EMS PQS) for the Auxiliary
 - [Safety Alert: 09-22, 10-22, 11-22, 12-22, 01-23, 02-23, 03-23](#), Safety Advisory: [01-22](#)
 - [Marine Safety Information Bulletin: 04-22, 05-22, 06-22, 07-22, 08-22, 09-22](#),
 - [Proceedings](#), Fall 2022, USCG Journal of Safety & Security at Sea
 - [USCG Homeport, Sector MD-NCR:](#)
 - [Recreational Boating Safety \(RBS\) Job One](#), June 2022
 - [Safety Lines](#), Winter 2020/2021, The Prevention Directorate newsletter.
 - [Coffee with Coasties](#), D5SR Podcast.
 - [Prince William Trails & Streams Coalition \(PWTSC\)](#)
 - Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources (DWR), [Beware the Invasive Species](#).
5. **Issues/Concerns:** National is updating several MS PQS that should occur this year. If you are working one of the below PQSs you should finish them ASAP.
 - Marine Safety Administrative and Management Specialist (MSAM)
 - Facility Inspections
 - Port State PSCE and PSC
 - Waterways Management
 - Pollution Responder

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**FIFTH SOUTHERN DISTRICT
MARINE SAFETY FORUMS
2023 MONTHLY SCHEDULE**



The Sessions will be held twice a month on the 2nd Monday and following Thursday.
The Training Sessions will be conducted on below dates from 1930 to 2100. Access to on-line forums via Zoom is provided below as the link on the on the [District 5SR Website Calendar](#) is not functional currently:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86517663439?pwd=MFo3R28yNGtuaTI5Qnk1SVovL3lzZz09>

- February:** 13th (MON) and 16th (THU)
Training Topic: Introduction to MSEP and Prevention
- March:** 13th (MON) and 16th (THU)
Training Topic: Good Mate
- April:** 10th (MON) and 13th (THU)
Training Topic: IMSEP Part 1
- May:** 8th (MON) and 11th (THU)
Training Topic: IMSEP Part 2
- June:** 12th (MON) and 15th (THU)
Training Topic: Environmental Impacts of Recreational Boats
- July:** 10th (MON) and 13th (THU)
Training Topic: TBD
- August:** 14th (MON) and 17th (THU)
Training Topic: TBD
- September:** 11th (MON) and 14th (THU)
Training Topic: TBD
- October:** 9th (MON) and 12th (THU)
Training Topic: TBD
- November:** 13th (MON) and 16th (THU)
Training Topic: TBD