

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AUXILIARY
EIGHTH DISTRICT, EASTERN REGION



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From: District Commodore
To: District Board and Staff
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Subj: Appointment of Auxiliary Unit Coordinators

Following is the policy that is to be followed for the appointment of Auxiliary Unit Coordinators (AUC) to local Coast Guard units.

1. The District Commodore will not require any AUX's to be appointed to interface with Coast Guard units below the Sector Ohio Valley level. The Auxiliary Sector Coordinator (ASC) is the Senior Auxiliarist on the Staff of the Sector Commander. Information from Sector will be cascaded through the Chain of Leadership and Management as appropriate.
2. District Captains may appoint AUC's as they see the need within their Divisions with the concurrence of the DCO. Please recall the following phrase from the Prologue and Pledge for Elected and Appointed Leaders: "You are expected to promote closer liaison between the Auxiliary and local Coast Guard units..." DCPTs are in the best position to know the possible candidates for AUC positions and to understand what is required to properly interface with Coast Guard units within their respective AORs. As the leader of the local unit, then, DCPTs are asked to promote closer liaison with local Coast Guard units as conditions require.
3. Should DCPTs appoint AUC's, notice of such appointments should be passed to the DCO so that we may know who the various points of contact are within the District. The names of AUC's will be published in the District Directory.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Randy Ventress".

Randy Ventress
District Commodore