DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION U.S. COAST GUARD CG-3615 (Rev. 10-09)		AUXILIARY – RECORD OF UNIT MEETING					
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UNIT NO.			UNIT NAME (As recorded in AUXDATA)		Members Present		
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DATE	MEETING TIME		MEETING LOCATION	TYPE (	TYPE OF MEETING (X)		6 (X)
		18	8th District Police Station – Community Room	REGULA	AR	SP	ECIAL
14 Nov 2017	1900		1160 N Larrabee, Chicago, IL/Webex	X			

UNIT OFFICERS PRESENT (List office abbr. and last name only)

FC/FSO-IS/MS G. Markle, VFC/FSO-CS/FN Parages, IPFC/FSO-PA Aurigemma, FSO-PV R. Kaspar, FSO-PB Nielsen, FSO-PB Samstag, FSO-OP Begley

35-12 Members present: John Hendele, Shelley Markle, Janice Foley, Mike Foley

GUESTS PRESENT: Mike McGaughan

#### **VERSION OF REPORTS AND MOTIONS VOTED ON:**

Gary Markle called the meeting to order at 1904. Shelley Markle led the Flotilla in the Pledge of Allegiance.

# **Communications to the Membership/Division 35 Meeting Summary:**

- Members not having completed Mandated Training are now in Global REYR status. Members in this status may not be assigned to duty for any mission facing the Gold side or the Public until the training is completed. Please see the spreadsheet distributed at meeting for a status of our membership. Our progress this month has not changed from last month. We have 3 members who are just a single class away from getting certified and 3 more who are two classes away from being certified!
- Thanks to everyone for getting their dues in!!! We are just waiting for one more check to arrive in the mail and all of our members will be current for 2018.
- The initial response to the Bubbly Creek Oil Spill is over and the area around the Park 571. Boathouse has been restored.
  - https://response.epa.gov/site/site\_profile.aspx?site\_id=12465
- The Chicago Training Center and Recovery On Water successfully held their annual fundraisers on 10 NOV and 11 NOV, respectively. Both organizations remain to be safety focused with us and raised over \$3600 for safety investments over the weekend.
  - In light of this fall's oil spill and our continued involvement in these groups, there is growing interest in PE programs this winter.

## Save The Dates

- 095-35 Division COW January 14, 2018 (Invitation attached)
  - Glenwood Oaks Rib & Chop House
    - Cocktails 1300
    - Dinner 1400-1800
    - Registration (Tentative) \$28
- D-TRAIN dates have been announced through 2020:
  - 2018
    - March 23 25, 2018
    - October 19 21, 2018
  - 2019
- March 22 24, 2019
- October 18 20, 2019
- 2020
  - March 20 22, 2020
  - October 23 25, 2020

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• **FSO Positions** – Appointment letters for our 2017 Flotilla Staff Officers have been sent. If any members are interested in getting more involved or learning more about one of these mission areas, please see me! In particular, the CM, CS, DV, HR, IS, MA, MT, NS, VE areas are open.

#### **Officer Reports:**

See November reports/agenda distributed to the membership prior to the meeting.

## **Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes:**

A motion was introduced by Mike Parages, seconded by John Hendele, to approve the Minutes of our October 2017 meeting. Motion passed.

## **Old Business:**

#### Race4ROW

- Canceled due to Bubbly Creek Oil Spill.
- Thanks to all who were set to volunteer! The event will take place again in 2018.

#### **New Business:**

#### Flotilla Elections

- Screening and Nominating Committee (Eligibility Report Attached)
  - Member 1 John Hendele
  - Member 2 Maryellen Begley
  - Member 3 Shelley Markle
- No letters of intent have been received; All nominations for office will be taken from the floor
- Presiding Officer (If current FC is running) Immediate Past Flotilla Commander
  - Request Nominations from the Floor (3 times) (cannot self-nominate)
  - Written Ballot (even when only one person is running)
- Voting for Waived Lifetime Member Dues
  - Formalizing Nationals prior waiver of dues for Lifetime Members
- Flotilla Change of Watch
  - Venue
  - Committee
    - Menu Chairman
    - Finances Chairman
    - Signup Chairman
    - Program and Awards Chairman
    - Sangria Chairman
- Maryellen Begley ran the flotilla elections:
  - Gary Markle was nominated from the floor by Mike Foley for FC and won with a majority vote
  - Mike Parages was nominated from the floor by John Hendele for VFC and won with a majority vote
- Change of Watch committee was created
  - Mike Parages
  - Rita Kaspar
  - Shelley Markle
- A motion was introduced by Jay Samstag, seconded by John Hendele, to set the COW at Azul 18 with the price the same as last year provided the restaurant does not charge more than \$5 over last year per person. Motion passed.
- A motion was introduced by Gary Markle, seconded by Mike Foley, to cancel the December meeting due to the holidays. Motion passed

## **Awards Presentations:**

None

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# **Member Training Topic:**

Date	Training	Location		
06 JAN; 10am - 2pm	Crew; First Aid	WestRock		
13 JAN; 10am - 2pm	Crew; Communications	WestRock		
20 JAN; 10am - 2pm	Crew; Crew Duties	WestRock		
27 JAN; 10am - 2pm	Crew; Towing	WestRock		
03 FEB; 8am - 4pm	Telecommunications Operator (HF-Networks)	WestRock		
10 FEB; 10am - 2pm	AUXCOMM Part I	WestRock		
17 FEB; 10am - 2pm	AUXCOMM Part II	WestRock		
24 FEB; 10am - 2pm	AUXCOMM Part III	WestRock		
03 MAR; 10am – 2pm	Becoming a VE + VE Refresher	WestRock		
10 MAR; 10am – 2pm	UPV Examiner Training	WestRock		
17 MAR; 10am - 2pm	USCG Network Comms/Watchstanding	WestRock		
24 MAR	D-TRAIN	Hilton; Lisle		
30 MAR; 10am – 2pm	First Aid	WestRock		
07 APR	Operations Workshop	Station Calumet		
14 APR; 10am – 2pm	Forms- Auxdata Paperwork	WestRock		
21 APR; 10am – 2pm	CPR	WestRock		
28 APR	Boat Scheduling and 4 Hour TCT	WestRock		

# <u>Member / Guest Comments</u>: None

# Adjournment:

A Motion to adjourn was made by John Hendele at 1946. Motion passed.

NEXT BUSINESS MEETING	G (Give time, date, and location). TIME: 1900 DATE 16 JAN 2018		
Location: 18 <sup>th</sup> District Police Station – Community Room, 1160 N Larrabee, Chicago, IL/WebEx			
DATE SUBMITTED	SIGNATURE OF PERSON SUBMITTING REPORT		
2 JAN 2018	Michael Spohr		