

Auxiliarist of the Week July / Div 10 / Helena Mt. / Edmond Hutchinson



Ed Hutchinson (“Hutch”) is a member of Flotilla 10-3 in Helena, Montana. He the Division and Flotilla Public Affairs Staff Officer, as well as a Boat Crew Member and CG Auxiliary Instructor.

Through the spring and into late June, Hutch took charge and coordinated with other members of Flotilla 10-3 to ensure that there was Coast Guard presence at the three day Military Open House and Air Show in Helena, Montana which was the largest regional event of its kind in recent history attracting 20,000 visitors.

Hutch also produced combined Active/Reserve/Auxiliary recruiting posters that he uses at boat shows, air show and other Public Affair events. He works closely with the USCG Spokane, WA recruiting office and has worked numerous events for them.

Hutch has been involved in producing Boating Safety Audio/Visual DVDs, conducting interviews and appearing in RBS TV & news segments. Presently he is setting up more TV interviews and joining with Montana Fish, Wildlife, and Parks in producing more Boating Safety programming.

Hutch has logged over 128 hours during 2009 in support of these Public Affairs missions for the Coast Guard.