

MSD Dutch Harbor

Unit Summary and Mission: Marine Safety Detachment Dutch Harbor, Alaska is a small seven person isolated duty detachment and the only Coast Guard presence for maritime issues within 600 miles of a major shipping route traversed by over 8,000 deep draft vessels a year. It is responsible for regulatory oversight and enforcement of vessel, facility and waterway federal laws and regulations. The unit also manages safety enforcement for the largest fishing port in the United States to ensure viability of fisheries industry and safeguard the economic interest of the United States. As the sole Coast Guard unit on the Aleutian Islands, MSD Dutch Harbor also provides support to deployed Coast Guard cutters and helicopters facilitating personnel transfers and delivering essential parts.



2016-2017 Personnel

2 Officers:

LT Andres Ayure
MSSD2 Benjamin Wagner

6 Enlisted:

MSTC Brian Sargis
MST1 David Tonon
MST1 Jeffrey Merrell
MST1 Daniel Malec
MST2 Lawrence Schmidt
MST3 Kristin Metzler

June 2016 - Sept. 2016 Stats

- 75 vessel inspections
 - 43 CFVS Exams
 - 3 Pot Stability Checks
- 14 Facility Inspections
- 24 Investigation Activities
 - 14 Pollution Cases
 - 10 Marine Casualties

Mailing Address/Unit Contact Information

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