

The Auxiliary Has Something for Everyone.

- Search and Rescue
- Aircraft Operations
- Seamanship Training
- Weather Training
- Radio & Computer Operations
- Public Education Instruction
- Aids to Navigation
- Vessel Safety Checks
- Support During Natural and Man-made Disasters
- Marine Safety
- Environmental Protection
- Recruiting Assistance
- Fun with Fellowship

"The last couple of years have produced a sea change in the Auxiliary's relationship to the regular Coast Guard. ...We have seen a transformation in which the Auxiliary has been recognized as an absolutely essential force multiplier, which we now rely on as an integrated part of the Coast Guard effort to do good things for America."...

Admiral James M. Loy
Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard

Public Education Courses

Offer a wide variety of boating courses tailored to specific needs including boat handling, legal responsibilities, aids to navigation, rules of the road, piloting, etc.

Operations

Assists CG in search and rescue/assistance missions, environmental protection, marine safety, patrol regattas and marine events. Performs safety patrols often in conjunction with regular CG units and provides verification of private aids to navigation.

Vessel Safety Checks

Specially trained members authorized to conduct free vessel Vessel Safety Checks upon consent of owners/operators for safety equipment and requirements of federal and state law.

The Academy Introduction Mission

(Project AIM)

Open to all students just completing their junior year of high school. Annually offers 220 high-school juniors nationwide, the opportunity to visit the Coast Guard Academy for one week each summer to gain insight into cadet-life. Applications are available from local Auxiliary flotillas or by contacting the Academy's director of admissions. You may also contact our Internet sites below:

<http://www.cgaux.org>

<http://www.dot.gov/dotinfo/usecg/hq/usega>

<http://www.uscg.mil/HQ/CGAUX/DEFAULT.HTM>

Our Resources:

Operational Vessels	4,971
Aircraft	226
Communication Stations	2,641
Members	32,950
PWC Facilities	2,873

Volunteer Mission Hours

(Land, Air, Sea)

Public Affairs	96,628
Safety Patrol Hours	143,871
Air Patrol Hours	10,038
Support of Coast Guard Missions	269,652
Hours of Public Education Instruction	73,097
Hours of Member Training	51,212
PWC Operators	30

Our Qualified Team Members:

Auxiliary Coxswains	5,240
Boat Crew	7,098
Pilots	263
Air Observers	294
Instructors	8,547
NAVAID Verifiers	2,829

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