

## **Mission**

*The purpose of the Coast Guard Auxiliary is to assist the Coast Guard, as authorized by the Commandant in performing any Coast Guard function, power, duty, role, mission or operation authorized by law except law enforcement and military operations.*

## **Multi-Mission Force-Multipliers**

The Auxiliary provides almost \$1 billion in service to the Federal Government and the American public at a fraction of the cost. A voluntary, civilian, non-military organization, the Auxiliary was originally established by Congress in 1939 to promote recreational boating safety. Members are experienced boaters, amateur radio operators, and licensed aircraft pilots using their own operational vessels, aircraft and communication stations or providing the skills the Coast Guard can use to enhance customer service in operations centers, administrative offices, on the water and in the air.

# At a Glance

## **An Average Day in the Coast Guard Auxiliary**

- Completes 62.5 Safety Patrols
- Completes 6.2 Regatta Patrols
- Performs 10.2 Assists
- Assists 28 People
- Saves 1 Lives
- Saves \$341,290/day and \$124,571,000/year in Property
- Participates in 100 Operational Support Missions
- Participates in 48.7 Administrative Support Missions
- Completes 13.4 Recruiting Support Missions
- Educates 369 People
- Performs 299 Vessel Safety Checks
- Attends 70 Public Affairs Functions

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