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Dear Bill:

Thanks for sending a copy of your letter to Admiral Bender. It was very thoughtful of you to present the events of the life-saving effort of the Coast Guard in response to a call from the "Sun Dance".

There have been several recent reports of assistance given by crewmen of the "Boutwell" and Coast Guard Rescue aircraft. Many times these efforts go by unnoticed.

I have written a letter to Admiral Bender supporting your suggestion of commendations for the men involved. If there is any other suggested avenue for recognition, I am certain he will make the proper suggestion.

With best wishes,

Cordially,

TED STEVENS
United States Senator