



COMMANDER  
THIRTEENTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT  
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98174-1067

14 June 1988

Captain Cecil W. Allison, USCG  
Commanding Officer  
USCGC BOUTWELL (WHEC 719)  
FPO Seattle, WA 98799-2092

Dear Cecil,

I want to thank you and your crewmembers for being such great Coast Guard ambassadors during the Portland Rose Festival from 8 - 13 June 1988. Your crewmembers made sure that upriver and downriver cruise guests were given the red carpet treatment and all tour guests throughout the Rose Festival were given the opportunity to see the Coast Guard in action. Well done! It felt good to see a Coast Guard cutter leading the ships into port!!

Prior to boarding one of the Navy ships during the weekend, a young lady along the river wall said that she was really amazed to see BOUTWELL pull into her mooring slip on Wednesday afternoon without any tug assistance. She was impressed! And you consider it routine!!

Thanks for representing our Coast Guard in the Pacific Northwest so well!!

Sincerely,

T. J. WOJNAR  
Rear Admiral, U. S. Coast Guard