

U. S. Coast Guard

Executive Overview Briefing



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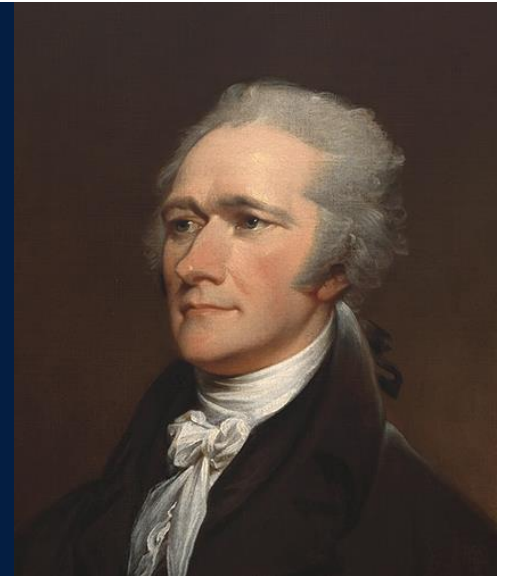
Overview

The U.S. Coast Guard – Yesterday and Today

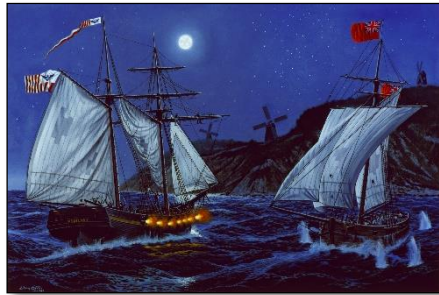
1790: the Revenue Marine

*“A few armed vessels,
judiciously stationed at the
entrances of our ports, might at
a small expense be made useful
sentinels of the laws”*

-Alexander Hamilton



Coast Guard Founding



Revenue Marine (1790)



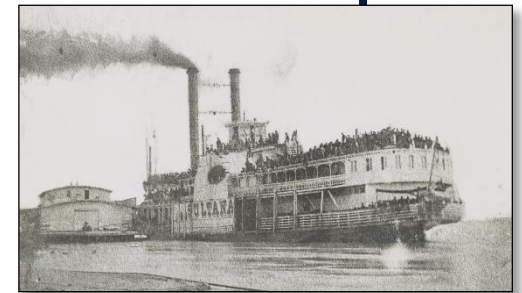
Revenue Cutter Service (1863)



U.S. Lighthouse Service (1789)



U.S. Lifesaving Service (1848)



Steamboat Inspection Service (1838)

U. S.
Coast
Guard
(1915)

(1939)

(1946)

Coast Guard Governance



1790-1967

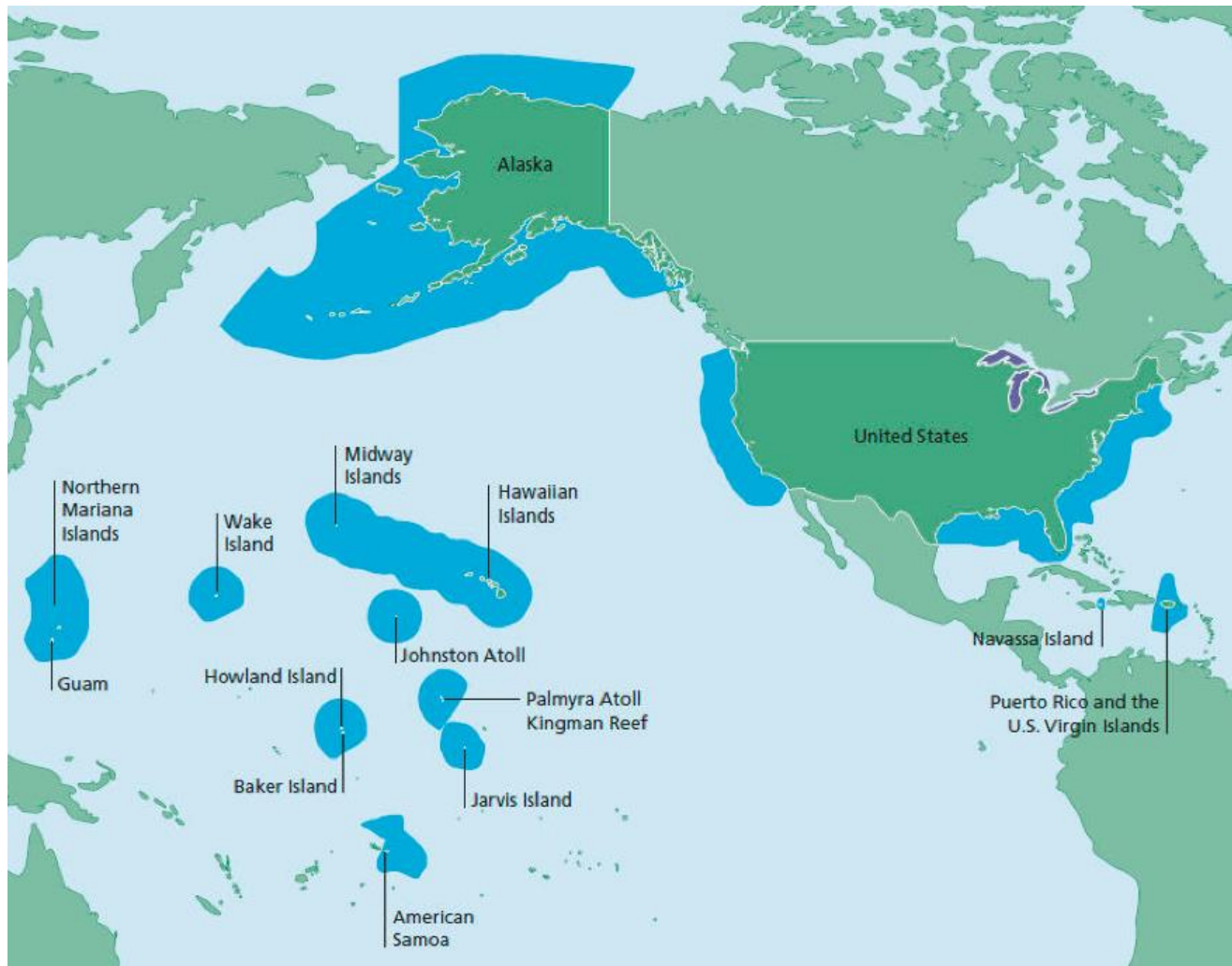


1967-2003



2003-present

Today's Maritime Environment



95,000
Miles of Coastline

3.4 million
Square Miles of
Exclusive
Economic Zone

1 in 6
U.S. Jobs is
Marine Related

More than 1/3
of the GNP
originates in
Coastal Areas

360 Seaports,
3,700 Marine
Terminals, and
25,000 Miles of
Waterways

The Coast Guard Provides:

Maritime Safety

Saving lives and
protecting property



Maritime Security

Establishing and maintaining
a secure maritime system

Maritime Stewardship

Managing the sustainable and effective
use of waters and resources



An Armed Force at All Times

10 USC 101(a) – Definitions: (4) The term “armed forces” means the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard.

14 USC 101 – Establishment of the Coast Guard: The Coast Guard, established January 28, 1915, shall be a military service and branch of the armed forces of the United States at all times.

14 USC 102 – Primary Duties: The Coast Guard shall- (7) maintain a state of readiness to assist in the defense of the United States, including when functioning as a specialized service in the Navy pursuant to section 103.

365

Number of days per year the Coast Guard employs its broad authorities and versatile competencies in furtherance of our national security and defense priorities.

Military ♦ Intelligence ♦ Law Enforcement

60

Number of multi and bilateral agreements the Coast Guard has that permit us to enter into territorial seas—the sovereign waters—of foreign nations.

Global Partnerships ♦ Access ♦ Operational Agility

4

Percentage of our discretionary budget, only \$340 million, derived from defense funding.

Modest Investment ♦ Incredible Value

United States Coast Guard
U.S. Department of Homeland Security



11 Missions

How the U.S. Coast Guard Serves America

1. Ports, Waterways, & Coastal Security



In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Conducted **30,383** patrols of maritime critical infrastructure
- Escorted **3,824** high-capacity passenger vessels
- Conducted **509** boardings of high-interest vessels
- Completed **4,441** small vessel security boardings in and around U.S. ports
- Performed **177** escorts of U.S. Navy ballistic missile submarines

2. Drug Interdiction

In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Prevented over **462,000** pounds of cocaine and **21,564** pounds of marijuana, with an estimated street value of **\$6.1 billion**, from reaching U.S. streets
- Detained **602** suspected smugglers



3. Migrant Interdiction



In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Interdicted **3,603** undocumented migrants trying to illegally enter the United States
- Collected biometric data on over **2,200** undocumented migrants

4. Defense Readiness

In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Continued deployment of **6** patrol boats and an advanced interdiction team to support U.S. Central Command
- Conducted over **7,500** waterside and **17,000** shoreside hours of ATRP in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba
- Responded to **120** active air defense missions in the National Capital Region



5. Other Law Enforcement



In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Detected **201** illegal incursions by foreign fishing vessels into the U.S. EEZ
- Boarded **111** foreign vessels to suppress illegal, unreported, and unregulated (IUU) fishing on the high seas

Posse Comitatus Act:

Federal law that prohibits using the military for law enforcement

Coast Guard is *exempt*

6. Marine Safety

In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Inspected **23,000** containers for structural and hazardous materials compliance
- Conducted **19,000** inspections on U.S. flagged commercial vessels
- Performed over **5,500** security inspections at MTSA facilities
- Conducted **9,600** port state control examinations on foreign vessels



7. Search and Rescue



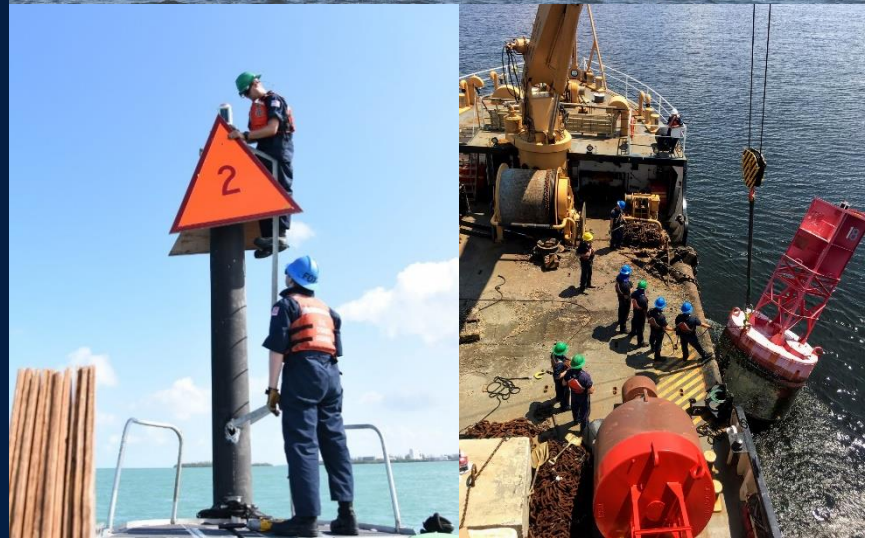
In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Saved **3,965** lives and assisted **41,093** people in distress
- Conducted **15,634** search and rescue cases
- Saved or assisted **992** people during hurricane Florence
- Saved more than **\$66 million** in property

8. Aids to Navigation and Maritime Transportation System Management

In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Facilitated the safe and efficient movement of **\$4.6 trillion** of economic activity on the nation's waterways
- Maintained **44,720** buoys and beacons
- Responded to **6,383** ATON discrepancies



9. Living Marine Resources



In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Boarded **6,624** U.S. fishing vessels
- Issued **141** significant fisheries violations
- Responded to **51** reports to assist with stranded, distressed, or entangled animals

10. Marine Environmental Protection

In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Responded to **11,894** pollution incidents
- Initiated preliminary investigations for **2,500** pollution incidents
- Deployed the National Strike Force to support **20** oil and hazardous substance incidents
- Managed the Federal clean-up for **296** projects



11. Ice Operations



In 2018, the Coast Guard:

- Performed **6,757** hours of domestic icebreaking to keep waterways open for traffic
- Enabled **\$17.3 million** tons of cargo to safely move through the ice-impeded Great Lakes
- Deployed a heavy icebreaker to Antarctica to break-out and enable resupply of McMurdo
- Conducted Operation Arctic Shield
- Identified and tracked **208** icebergs in North Atlantic shipping lanes

On an average day, the Coast Guard:

Conducts **44** search and rescue cases; *saves* **11** lives; *assists* **60** people in distress;
seizes **1,221** pounds of cocaine and **85** pounds of marijuana;
conducts **48** waterborne patrols of critical maritime infrastructure;
interdicts **7** undocumented migrants; *escorts* **9** high-capacity passenger vessels;
conducts **12** security boardings in and around U.S. ports;
screens **329** merchant vessels for potential security threats prior to arrival in U.S. ports;
conducts **15** fisheries conservation boardings; *services* **80** buoys and fixed aids to navigation;
investigates **34** pollution incidents; *conducts* **107** marine inspections;
completes **23** safety examinations on foreign vessels;
investigates **50** marine casualties involving commercial vessels;
facilitates movement of **\$12.6B** worth of goods and commodities
through the Nation's Maritime Transportation System.

Semper Paratus – *Always Ready*



Resources

People, Units, and Assets

United States Coast Guard
U.S. Department of Homeland Security

Coast Guard People



41,000
Active Duty

7,000
Reserve



8,600
Civilian

29,000
Auxiliary



Coast Guard Cutters



246 Cutters

- Icebreaker (420'/399')
- National Security Cutter (418')
- High Endurance Cutter (378')
- Training Barque Eagle (295')
- Medium Endurance Cutter (282'/270'/210')
- Seagoing Buoy Tender/ Icebreaker (240')
- Seagoing Buoy Tender (225')
- Coastal Buoy Tender (175')
- Inland Construction Tender (160'/100'/75')
- Fast Response Cutter (154)
- Icebreaking Tug (140')
- Patrol Boat (110'/87')
- Inland Buoy Tender (100'/65')
- River Buoy Tender (75'/65')
- Small Harbor Tug (65')



Coast Guard Aircraft



197 Aircraft

Fixed-Wing Aircraft

HC-130H/J

HC-27J

HC-144

C-37A

Rotary-Wing Aircraft

MH-60T

MH-65D



Coast Guard Boats



1,683 Boats

Motor Life Boat (52'/47')

Response Boat – Medium (45')

Special-Purpose Near-Shore Life Boat (42')

Special-Purpose Law Enforcement Craft (33')

Response Boat – Small (29'/25')

Special-Purpose Shallow Water Craft (24')

Special-Purpose Airboats (22'/20'/18')

Special-Purpose Screening Vessel (64')

Special-Purpose Training Boat (38')

Transportable Port Security Boat (32'/25')

Aids to Navigation Boat (65'/55'/20')

Utility Stern-Loading Boat (49')

Trailable Aids to Navigation Boat (26')

Aids to Navigation Skiff (16')

Long Range Interceptor (36')

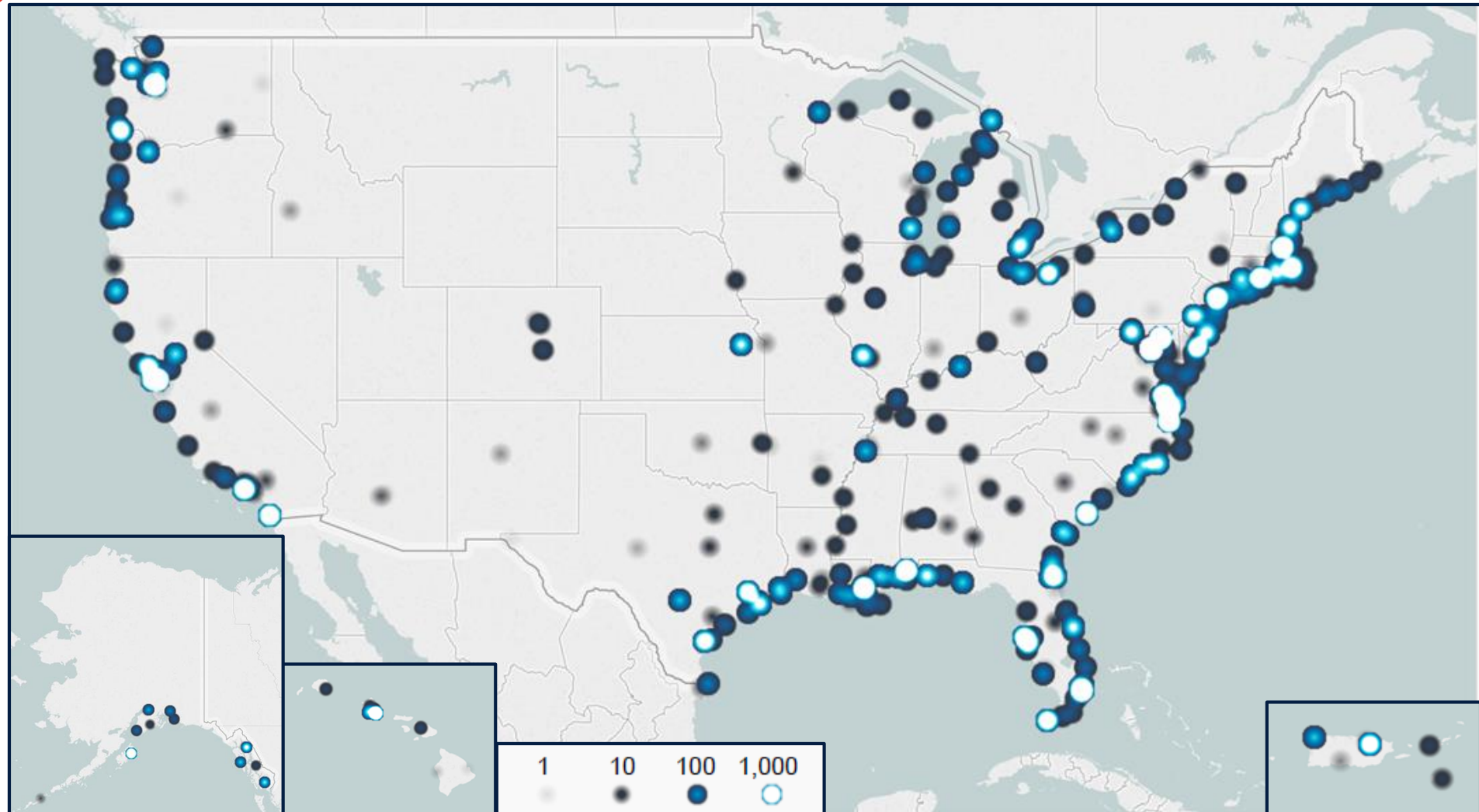
Over the Horizon Cutter Boat (26')

Aids to Navigation Cutter Boat (24'/18')

Short Range Prosecutor (23')



Coast Guard Units





Homeland Security