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From: National President

To: All Chapter Presidents

Subj: 2021 Presidents Outstanding Chapter Award (POCA)

Ref: (a) USCG CPOA Operations Manual, Section VIII.2

1. It's time once again to submit your package for the 2021 President's Outstanding Chapter Award, and all Chapters are highly encouraged to compete. The award form and supporting documentation must be received at the National Office no later than 21 July 2021 for your Chapter to be eligible for consideration (see Reference (a) for the award criteria). All Chapter activities occurring during the qualification period of 1 July 2021 through 30 June 2021 will be considered in calculating your total score.
2. Provide as much documentation as possible (including photos) and review your entry form for accuracy before submission. Many Chapters are well qualified and stand an excellent chance of winning the POCA, but only if the award form and necessary documentation are received by the due date.
3. The Chapters are the heart and soul of the CPOA. Your submission is an opportunity to highlight the incredible things your Chapter has been doing over the past year. We look forward to receiving your submission and hope to see you in Grand Haven for this year's Convention and announcement of Chapter of the Year for 2021.

Yours in Service,


BMCS Jon Ostrowski, USCG (Ret)
National President