



## UNITED STATES COAST GUARD ACTIVITIES NEW YORK

*Captain of the Port of New York  
Federal On-Scene Coordinator  
Federal Maritime Security Coordinator  
Officer in Charge Marine Inspection  
Search and Rescue Mission Coordinator*



### *What we do each year:*

- **Port, Waterway & Coastal Security:** Protect over 150 key assets of national significance. Enforce the Maritime Transportation Security Act for 190 regulated facilities & 387 domestic vessels. Enforce the International Ship & Port Facility Security Code for 5,000 annual foreign ship arrivals.
- **Maritime Security/Law Enforcement:** Conduct 1000 “vessels of interest” & 875 law enforcement boardings.
- **Anti-Terrorism/Force Protection:** Provide security for 25 Naval vessel port calls.
- **Marine Distress Response:** Conduct 1,100 Search & Rescue cases, saving 133 lives & assisting \$11 million in property.
- **Commercial Vessel Inspection:** Inspect over 800 U.S. commercial vessels in our domestic fleet of responsibility.
- **Port Safety, Prevention & Compliance:** Conduct safety & pollution prevention boardings on 850 of the 5,000 foreign flagged vessels that enter NY/NJ.
- **Waterways Management:** Maintain 1,070 aids to navigation, & conduct ice breaking to clear 3,000 “ice-miles” of waterways. Oversee the permit process for 300 marine events for regattas, boat races, & fireworks.
- **Vessel Traffic System & Control:** Monitor 350,000 vessel movements via our Vessel Traffic Center. Ensure safe movement of over 60 million passengers on commuter ferries.
- **Marine Environmental Protection:** Conduct 200 transfer facility inspections. Monitor the movement of 30 billion gallons of oil. Investigate & respond to 500 spills.
- **Marine Casualty Investigation:** Conduct 600 investigations of marine casualties, violations, & actions against Mariners with CG issued credentials.
- **Boating Safety:** Coordinate recreational boating safety, working closely with the Auxiliary.
- **Merchant Marine Licensing:** Issue 7,500 Merchant Mariner licenses & documents.

### *Quick Facts:*

- The Vessel Traffic Service, with its 16 remote radar sites and cameras throughout the Port, monitors 1400 daily commercial vessel movements in the Port of NY/NJ.
- Manage 1 million square feet of CG shore facilities.
- Maintains 256 housing units & 195 barracks rooms on Staten Island, & 65 housing units & 30 barracks rooms at Sandy Hook.
- CG payroll adds \$18 million a year to the SI economy, plus an estimated \$7 million impact on goods, services & contracts.

**USCG ACTIVITIES New York** is the largest Coast Guard (CG) operational field command. Our main staff is located at historic Fort Wadsworth on Staten Island, New York. We are responsible for CG operational missions from Sandy Hook, NJ, north through the Port of NY/NJ, & continuing up the Hudson River to the Canadian border on Lake Champlain.

We provide “One Stop Shopping” for both our external customers & stakeholders, & for our own CG members. We integrate traditional CG programs into a single command focused on the CG’s two major processes to execute our prevention/compliance operations & response operations in support of our service’s five fundamental roles: **Maritime Safety, Maritime Security, Maritime Mobility, Protection of Natural Resources, & National Defense**. The community knows that “The Buck Stops Here” when there are issues to be resolved.

### *The Port of New York/New Jersey*

1st in the nation for movement of petroleum products. Supplies 5 states with cargoes ranging from aviation fuel, gasoline and home heating oil. Third largest U.S. Port for Containerized cargo shipments.

### *Our Assets Include:*

- 600 Active Duty.
- 50 Civilians.
- 420 Reservists.
- Over 2000 CG Auxiliary volunteers w/ over 200 boats & aircraft.
- **ACTIVITIES Staff**, Fort Wadsworth, Staten Island, NY.
- Small Boat **STATION NEW YORK**, Staten Island, NY.
- Small Boat **STATION KINGS POINT**, Kings Point, NY.
- Small Boat **STATION SANDY HOOK**, Sandy Hook, NJ.
- Small Boat **STATION & AIDS TO NAVIGATION TEAM, BURLINGTON**, Burlington, VT.
- **AIDS TO NAVIGATION TEAM NEW YORK**, Bayonne, NJ.
- **AIDS TO NAVIGATION TEAM SAUGERTIES**, Saugerties, NY.
  - 34 small boats spread among the 6 above units.
- Cutter **PENOBSCOT BAY**- 140’ Icebreaking Tug - Homeport: Bayonne, NJ.
- Cutter **STURGEON BAY**- 140’ Icebreaking Tug - Homeport: Bayonne, NJ.
- Cutter **BAINBRIDGE ISLAND** - 110’ Island class Patrol Boat - Homeport: Sandy Hook, NJ.
- Cutter **ADAK** - 110’ Island class Patrol Boat - Homeport: Sandy Hook, NJ (Deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom).
- Cutter **SAILFISH** - 87’ Coastal Patrol Boat - Homeport: Sandy Hook, NJ.
- Cutter **HAWSER** - 65’ Harbor Tug, Small - Homeport: Bayonne, NJ.
- Cutter **LINE** - 65’ Harbor Tug, Small - Homeport: Bayonne, NJ.
- Cutter **WIRE** - 65’ Harbor Tug, Small - Homeport: Saugerties, NY.
- **AUXILIARY Divisions:**
  - South – Divisions 2, 4, 11, 12, & 14.
  - North – Divisions 5, 6, 10, 15 & 20.

**24-hour Marine Response – 718-354-4353; Channel 16 VHF-FM.**