Message from the National Commodore

I am pleased to talk about the importance of Coast Guard Mutual Assistance (CGMA) to the Coast Guard Auxiliary, and the entire Coast Guard. I can assure you that our support for this important resource is greatly appreciated and is integral to the long-term success of CGMA’s programs.

CG Mutual Assistance has been providing support for the entire Coast Guard community for 95 years. It has been providing support for Auxiliarists with unexpected financial needs and in times of crises down through the years. It is incumbent upon us to help them sustain their support for all of our active members.

Supporting CG Mutual Assistance lends credence to our watchwords; Relevance, Flexibility, and Professionalism. CGMA supports us in time of unexpected financial setbacks just as we remain flexible in supporting the active duty as required in times of their changing mission assignments. As we continually evaluate our dedication to purpose to ensure our relevance is never challenged, CGMA recognizes that relevance and the professionalism we continually exhibit. CGMA understands we are unpaid volunteers but that we are part of the Coast Guard family too. We are viewed as “Equals”.

As Auxiliarists, we already exemplify a supportive and generous nature. Donating to CG Mutual Assistance is a very concrete and definitive way for us to further enhance our reputation as a world class volunteer organization. Please consider giving your gift today. Thank you!

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COMO Larry King
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