

From: Commander, NYS Military Emergency Boat Service

Subj: OPSUM 18 AUG 2023 MEBS PROGRAM

The link to the MEBS LOG APP is https://www.jotform.com/app/build/222037196822152

The following is the status of the New York State Military Emergency Boat Service

1) ADMINISTRATION:

- a. The summer NYNM NEWSLETTER has been posted to the Naval Militia website. There is a lot of information in this letter regarding changes to the promotion policy. It is a MUST-READ for those considering promotion in 2024 and beyond.
 - b. BU1 Putney and ME2 Carey have been selected to attend the MPVOC in LGeorge.
- c. The NY Naval Militia has been approved to start a UAV (drone) program. The initial issues will be the procurement of equipment and the establishment of policies to govern the program. EOCS Pease is slated to come aboard MEBS for a short period to deal with several of these issues.
- d. We are actively looking to re-locate DET 3 from Jones Beach to a homebase closer to the Port of New York.
 - e. Upcoming events: (new events highlighted)
 - i. 30AUG23: MNBF Excursion with DET 22; Hudson
 - ii. Week of 6-8 SEP23: Operation Aegis; Hudson River
 - iii. 12 or 13 SEP 23: Multi-agency law enforcement exercise; Rochester
 - iv. 13 SEP 23: Mohawk-Hudson Council of Yacht Clubs Presentation; Castleton on Hudson
 - v. TBD SEP/OCT: CTZ 3 Exercise, Lower Hudson River
 - vi. 25-29 SEP 23: Marine Patrol Vessel Operator Course; LGeorge; Putney, Carey
 - vii. 3-4OCT23: Hudson Valley SAR/LE Exercise; Saugerties; MEBS DET 22
 - viii. 3-50CT23: Exercise Empire Challenge '23; SOUTHCOM; MEBS DETS 1, 3, 11, 21, & 30
 - ix. 110CT23: State Canal System closes
 - x. 28-29OCT23: Fall Round-up; Leeds
 - xi. 30-31MAR24: MEBS Kick-Off Weekend 2024
- 2) INFORMATION: N/A

3) OPERATIONS:

a. Readiness Rating:

ME	BS Readiness Ratio	ng	Minimum Standard	Actual	Rating	Goal
Personnel Cen	nsus	P-Rating	90	81	2	120 MEBS Members
Personnel Staff		S-Rating	7	12	1	13 Key Staff
Training Qualit	fications	Q-Rating	30	31	1	45 Qualified Coxswains
Training Profic	ciency	T1-Rating	122	88	2	240 Proficiency Mandays (2/member/year)

















Additional Training	T2-Rating	90%	100.67%	1	Basic Course, Towing Cert., UECO, and +
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Communications Reliability	K-Rating	90%	94.89%	1	100% Functionality
Equipment Maintenance	E-Rating	90%	94.35%	1	100% Operational
Equipment Vehicle Quantity	V-Rating	11	9	2	11 Trucks

Overall Readiness R-RATING

Date:

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- b. JTFES Naval Det activity for the past week:
- DET 1 Indian Point Activity: Federal Safety and Security Zone Patrol/Lower Hudson River Patrol.
 - ii. DET 2 Staten Island Activity: Support to USCG Sector NY.

DET 3 Jones Beach Activity: Support to JTFES and USCG Sector NY. Provided a familiarization tour from Jones Beach to Manhattan to TAG and other VIPs on 16AUG23.



Dead whale sighted by MEBS DET 3 off of Long Island on 14AUG. The crew reported the hazard to navigation to USCG SEC LIS.

LOGISTICS:

Maintenance issues: a.

In six business days, we intend to swap LC 350 and LC 351 for duty at Jones Beach (approximately 29AUG23). We are currently working on electronic equipment installation on LC 351 in preparation for that move.

















- ii. PB 400 shaft repairs complete. The vessel is FMC and back on DET 1 mission.
- iii. PB 301 is slated to move to Tottenville on 21AUG23.

b. SFY 2023-24 Expenditures to date:

Cost Area	Cost		
General	\$1,489.70		
B <mark>oat Ma</mark> intenance	\$98,208.54		
Truck Maintenance	\$524.20		
Trailer Maintenance	\$1,172.12		
Travel/Per Diem	\$10,645.33		
Boat Gasoline	\$8,209.51		
Truck Diesel	\$2,375.28		
Major Acquisition	\$0.00		
Grants Reimbursement	\$0.00		
Total	\$122,624.68		
Available:	\$77,375.32		

c. Boat, Truck and Trailer Status / Locations:

Bow / Bumper #	B <mark>oat /</mark> <u>Vehicle</u>	<u>Location</u>	Status	Mission	Comments
PB 220	Pa <mark>trol Bo</mark> at	Hudson	FMC	Training	Ready, i <mark>n wate</mark> r.
PB 221	P <mark>atrol B</mark> oat	Leeds	FMC	Training	Ready
PB 230	Patrol Boat	New Rochelle	FMC	Training	Ready <mark>, in w</mark> ater.
PB 280	Patrol Boat	Rochester	FMC	Training	Rea <mark>dy, in</mark> water.
PB 281	Patrol Boat	Buffalo	FMC	Training	Re <mark>ady</mark>
PB 300	Patrol Boat	Leeds	NMC	Maintenance	Port engine oil seal replacement and lower end blown. ETR 10CT23 (parts)
PB 301	Patrol Boat	Verplanck	FMC	JTFES DET 1	Ready, in water.
LC <mark>350</mark>	Landing Craft	Jones Beach	FMC	JTFES DET 3	Ready, in water.
LC 351	Landing Craft	Leeds	FMC	Training	Boat is having some work done, but is fully capable.
PB 400	Patrol Boat	Verplanck	FMC	JTFES DET 1	Ready, in water.
PB 440	Patrol Boat	Staten Island	FMC	JTFES DET 2	Ready, in water.
F350-5274	Prime Mover	Leeds	FMC	N/A	Ready



















5) PLANNING AND EXERCISES. The J6 E-Comms section has pulled out of Exercise Empire Challenge. Specifically, their portion of moving JISCC equipment from Fire Island to Jones Beach is being affected. We have a meeting set for 22AUG23 to seek out other meaningful tasks to demonstrate as part of the exercise.

6) COMMUNICATIONS.

a. Vessel Call Signs (for interoperable communications):

СО	Nugget	
CP TRAILER 8902	Dolphin	
DET 22/LC 350	Skagit	
Maint. Trailer 8903	Mako	
DET 22/PB 220	Kingfish 20	
DET 30 <mark>/PB 22</mark> 1	Kingfish 21	
DET 2 <mark>1/PB 2</mark> 30	Blackjack	
DET <mark>51/PB</mark> 280	Genesee	
DE <mark>T 52/PB</mark> 281	Arrow	
DET 11/PB 300-301	Mariner	

7) TRAINING. Projected training events:

- a. DET 21, 25AUG23
- b. DET 21, 28AUG23















