

**CITATION TO ACCOMPANY THE AWARD OF**

**THE AUXILIARY ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL**

**TO**

**MR. DALE C. CROW**

**UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AUXILIARY**

**Mr. CROW is cited for superior performance of duty while serving as Director, Information Users from October 2010 to July 2011. Mr. CROW demonstrated exceptional leadership and administrative skill in streamlining and reorganizing the divisions within the Information Users Directorate while also improving organizational efficiency and communication. Combining keen insight with superb technical skill, he exercised markedly efficient practices best exemplified in the major update and overhaul of the Auxiliary website. Mr. CROW adeptly matched requirements with staff skill sets to properly assign personnel and effectively integrate their capabilities in the re-design of the site. Applying meticulous attention to detail, he carefully eliminated outdated and unmanaged web sites from the Auxiliary's servers, thus freeing vital memory space needed for other programs. An ardent advocate of team spirit and cooperation, Mr. CROW significantly improved the quality of Auxiliary web products by championing departmental interaction and resource sharing among the other offices. Mr. CROW's diligence, perseverance, and devotion to duty are most heartily commended and are in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Coast Guard and the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary.**