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BY LAND OR BY SEA, CUISINE OF UNITED STATES POWER SQUADRONS has been published and delivered to members. It is quite a good cook book with recipes from friends around the country. Good friends and good food go together especially in the squadrons. Again, the committee wishes to thank all members who contributed, tested and were published for their efforts. Those efforts made the book a project of love and a great book. Special recognition is offered to Editor. Donna Selden. Donna devoted many hours to the development of the book. Remember, we are a volunteer organization and as such our reward is personal satisfaction and the thanks of our fellow members.

As Florida continues to rebuild after the hurricanes of 2004, the auxiliaries and squadrons in the state are also getting back to normal as best they can. Many squadrons lost their meeting rooms, education rooms, or sustained damage to their buildings. National wishes to extend help to those squadrons in need. Educational materials and awards must be replaced as well.

As the squadrons proceed toward COW, the auxiliaries also will install new officers. It is a good thing when the two are celebrated together as this gives more recognition to the auxiliaries and often encourages new members to join. Many squadrons include the President of the Auxiliary in the Executive Board meetings. Please attend this meeting as it helps support the squadron in many ways. As the new officers are elected, don't forget to send the annual report with the new information to the Auxiliary Advisory Committee as the information is necessary for both the directory and statistics. It is this report that predicts the winner of the National Membership Enhancement Award. Please visit the Expo Booth on Friday, January 7 in Orlando, Florida

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