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*Distinguished
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The Distinguished Civic Service Award

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- “In Recognition of Exceptional Service to Public Boating Safety Education and Service to the Boating Community”
- Presented at The Annual Meeting
- Two (2) National Awards
 - Squadron
 - District



Judging

- Number of Activities
 - Members Participating
 - Activity Hours
- Types of Activities



- Art Shows
 - Local Grade School (Featuring Safe Boating)
- Articles
 - Boating Newspapers
 - Boating Magazines
- Boat Shows
 - On-The Water
 - Exhibit Halls

Judging cont.

- Cooperative Charting
 - Adopt-A-Chart
 - Geodetic Survey
 - Chart Corrections
- Citizen Panel
 - Local Boating Safety
 - State Boating Safety
- Environmental Programs
 - Adopt A Highway
 - Plant Trees
 - Sponsor a Flower Bed & Maintain
 - Water Testing
 - Waterway Cleanup
- Media Events
 - Interviews (Boating Safety & USPS)
 - TV Fundraising-PBS stations
- National Safe Boating Week Activities
- Parades
 - Boats/Lighted (Safe Boating Message)
 - Safe Boating Float
- Safety Fests
 - Safety Demonstrations (Flare: Fire Extinguisher; Life Jackets;)



Judging cont.

- Seminar's (Outside Groups)
 - Skipper Saver
 - GPS;
- Teaching
- America's Boating Course
 - Boat Smart
 - The Boating Course
 - Vessel Safety Checks
- Workshops
 - Clubs
 - Canoeing
 - Fishing
 - Kayaking
 - Sailing
 - Sea Scouts
 - Yacht Clubs



Activity Report

- USPS® Civic Service Award Activity Report
- Due November 15 to Gail Nachman – No late entries will be accepted.
- D/Membership Chair solicits squadron entries and establishes due date to D/Membership Chair.
 - D/C submits district and squadron winning entries to Gail Nachman
 - All squadron entries will be submitted for review and inclusion in the final report for BoatUS
- Samples of forms are available on the Membership web page

