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MARITIME SPECIALIST GROUP MEETING MINUTES

Virtual Platform- Microsoft Teams
May 28, 2025
Minutes
Call to Order: 09:00 hrs by Chief MacDonald

Members Present: Maritime Specialist Group

Whit MacDonald-CON (Chair)	John Rose- USCG (Vice Chair)	Chad Willenberg- SND (Secretary)
Jack Fry- OES	Larry Collins- OES	Gene Fong- VNC
Donnie Vilorio- BDC	Oli O'Connell- LAC	Tony Paskins- OKL
Cameron Abel- LOB	Shane Francisco- SFR	John Albrough-USCG
Ralph Enderle- LFD	Adam Estabrook- SBC	
Romulus Mathews- USCG	John Daniels- LOB	

Guest Attendees: None

Members Not Present:

Report of Officers:

Chair MacDonald
Vice Chair Rose
Secretary Willenberg

Review previous meeting minutes:
Motion to approve by Whit
Second by Gene
Approved

New Business:

Reports

Whit – Task Force Update & Impressed
- Requested staffing position requirements
- Need to replace John Rose

Larry OES Update:
- Working on CSTI support for maritime response
- Cal OES fireboat potential still viable



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Whit – Typing/Staffing Development

Oli – Dive OSD 167.2 Public Safety Diver

Vote for Agreement:

- Move forward to begin development of Dive OSD
- Motion: Chad
- Second: Whit
- Vote: Unanimous

Additional Updates

Albrough – Shipboard Firefighting OSD 167.1 Maritime FF

Participants: Chad, John A, Shane, Gene, Tony, Ron

Motion on Position Changes:

- Oli
- Rose
- Vote: Unanimous

Consensus for Staffing of Vessel Typing

Motion for Staffing Model:

- Motion: Whit
- Second: Shane
- Vote: All Approved

Round Table

General discussion by attendees.

Adjourned: 2:15 PM