

Commander Michael Bowman Sector Detroit Senior Reserve Officer





Commander Bowman is currently assigned as the Sector Senior Reserve Officer of Coast Guard Sector Detroit, Michigan, assuming that role in October 2021. Sector Detroit and its eleven subordinate units are responsible for conducting and overseeing all Coast Guard missions in a complex area of responsibility with a continuous 427-mile international border with Canada through Lakes Erie, St. Clair and Huron and along the Detroit and St. Clair Rivers.

Commander Bowman's previous Reserve assignments include: Team Leader Atlantic Area Reserve Incident Management Team where he led a Reserve unit responsible for responding to incidents of national significance and training the Reserve workforce on the Incident Command System; Exercise Planner and Incident Responder at Coast Guard District 7; and Department Head and Vessel Inspector at Marine Safety Detachment Nashville. His active duty assignments include: Division Officer and Department Head aboard USCGC SENECA and USCGC DALLAS conducting law enforcement and humanitarian patrols in the North Atlantic, Caribbean Sea and Eastern Pacific; staff tours at Coast Guard Headquarters in Operations and Mission Support serving in boat force policy, audit remediation, and acquisitions. In his civilian capacity, he works as a Finance Manager for the management and operating contractor over two Department of Energy National Nuclear Security Administration facilities.

Commander Bowman earned a Master of Business Administration in Supply Chain Management and Finance and Bachelor of Science in Accounting from the University of Tennessee and license as a Certified Public Accountant. He was commissioned in May 2002 after completing U.S. Coast Guard Officer Candidate School in New London, CT. His personal decorations include the Coast Guard Commendation Medal (3 awards), the Coast Guard Achievement Medal (3 awards), the Armed Forces Service Medal, the Humanitarian Service Medal, and various other team, unit, and service awards.