



## MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR ADMIRAL LINDA L. FAGAN

To the Coast Guard workforce,

For 100 years Coast Guard Mutual Assistance has strengthened the financial resiliency of our Coast Guard workforce. Mutual Assistance has a proven track record of ready and rapid response, “Helping Our Own” during stressful events like a lapse in appropriations, the COVID-19 pandemic, and countless hurricanes and other natural disasters. CGMA continues to adapt to better serve today’s Coast Guard, expanding programs and providing support tailored to the needs of our workforce. Assistance from CGMA helps us remain mission ready and our families to thrive.

This year, in recognition of these 100 years of extraordinary support of the Coast Guard community, I challenge everyone to give back. Starting an allotment or recurring credit card donation of even a few dollars a month has the power to make a lasting impact in the life of a shipmate in difficult circumstances.

I have been a proud CGMA donor throughout my career and I invite you to join me in supporting our relief society. CGMA can only be there for our shipmates and their families when we give. It is up to each of us to keep CGMA strong, ready to meet the needs of our shipmates and coworkers. Thank you for generously supporting Coast Guard Mutual Assistance!

Yours in service,

Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard Chair, Coast Guard Mutual Assistance