## **Eligibility Criteria for Wall of Gallantry Induction**

- Nominee must be a graduate of the US Coast Guard Academy
- Nominee must have distinguished themselves in service to their country and be awarded one of the following:
  - (a) Medal of Honor
  - (b) Navy Cross
  - (c) Gold Medal of Congress
  - (d) Silver Star
  - (e) Legion of Merit (with combat "V")
  - (f) Distinguished Flying Cross
  - (g) Coast Guard Medal
  - (h) Navy and Marine Corps Medal
  - (i) Gold Lifesaving Medal
  - (j) Bronze Star
  - (k) Silver Lifesaving Medal
  - (l) NASA Space Flight Medal

## Graduates who do not meet the above criteria may still be eligible.

• All nominees must be submitted by April 15<sup>th</sup> of the previous year.

## **Procedure for Filling Out Nomination Form**

- The name of the nominee should include the nominee's rank at the end of their service.
- The year of graduation is the year the nominee graduated the US Coast Guard Academy.
- Career path and notable events should include a list of the nominee's units and any major event that the nominee was involved in at each unit.
- Citation of distinguishing award is either the exact citation or comprehensive summary of the award that incurs the nominee's eligibility to be placed on the Wall of Gallantry. Note: except in rare circumstances, a copy of the citation is required for consideration.

## **Nomination Form for Wall of Gallantry Induction**

Please attach a copy of the qualifying citation

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Nominee Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Career Path and/or Notable Events:

Additional Comments: