



**NAVY RESERVE**  
Ready Now. Anytime. Anywhere.

# RC COMMUNICATOR

A summary of facts, figures and talking points  
for the Navy Reserve Leader

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## Navy Reserve: Ready Now. Anytime. Anywhere.

- **Mission:** The mission of the Navy Reserve is to provide strategic depth and deliver operational capabilities to our Navy and Marine Corps team, and Joint forces, from peace to war.
- **Core Values:** Honor ... Courage ... Commitment
- **Strategic Focus Areas:** Deliver a Ready and Accessible Force, Provide Valued Capabilities, Enable the Continuum of Service

### HOT ISSUES

- [Navy Reserve Strategic Plan](#)
- [Day in the Navy](#)  
(Dated 14 APR 10)
- [Warning Order and Order to Account for the Navy Family ICO Recent Mexican Cartel Violence](#)  
(NAVADMIN 099/10)
- [Asian and Pacific American Heritage Month](#)  
(Rhumb Lines 20 APR 10)
- [The Undersea Mission](#)  
(Rhumb Lines 16 APR 10)

### KEY LEADERSHIP (with links to biographies)

- **Secretary of the Navy** [Honorable Ray Mabus](#)
- **Chief of Naval Operations** [ADM Gary Roughead](#)
- **Vice CNO** [ADM Jonathan W. Greenert](#)
- **Chief of Navy Reserve** [VADM Dirk J. Debbink](#)
- **Commander, Navy Reserve Forces Command** [RDML Buzz Little](#)
- **Commander, Naval Air Force Reserve** [RADM Patrick E. McGrath](#)
- **Force Master Chief** [FORCM\(FMF\) Ronney A. Wright](#)

## NAVY RESERVE FORCE BY THE NUMBERS

Operational Support Snapshot (as of 27 APR 10)	Active Component Numbers (as of 30 APR 10)	NAVY ENTERPRISES & ENABLERS
<b>FTS</b> <b>10,991</b> RC HQ and Staff Support 3,013 Operational Support 7,978  <b>SELRES</b> <b>54,682</b> Mobilized to Active Duty 6,179 Active Duty for Special Work / Active Duty for Operational Support 1,124 Annual Training 1,453 Active Duty for Training 1,804 Inactive Duty Training 901 Total 11,461  <b>FTS/SELRES Onboard</b> <b>65,592</b> FY10 End strength 65,500 Delta 92  <b>Total Navy RC Performing Operational Support:</b> <b>19,903 (30%)</b>  <b>IRR</b> <b>37,348</b> VTU 3,888 ASP 33,460 MMIRG 2,270	Officers 51,719 Enlisted 274,015 Midshipmen 4,448 Total 330,182  <b>RC Major Commands</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Region RCCs: 6</b> Mid-Atlantic, Navy District Washington, Southeast, Mid-West, Northwest, Southwest</li> <li>▪ <b>Aviation Wings:</b> Tactical Support Wing, CFLSW</li> <li>▪ <b>Navy Operational Support Centers: 126</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– There is at least 1 NOSC in every U.S. state</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<b>Warfighter Enterprises</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Naval Aviation</li> <li>▪ Surface Warfare</li> <li>▪ Undersea Warfare</li> <li>▪ Naval Expeditionary Combat (NECE)</li> <li>▪ Naval Expeditionary Warfare / ForceNet (NNFE)</li> </ul> <b>Providers (support to Warfighter Enterprises)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ NTF</li> <li>▪ NAVSEA</li> <li>▪ NAVAIR</li> <li>▪ SPAWAR</li> <li>▪ NAVFAC</li> <li>▪ NAVSUP</li> <li>▪ CNIC</li> <li>▪ ONR</li> <li>▪ BUMED</li> <li>▪ OJAG</li> </ul>

## RC TALKING POINTS

### NAVY RESERVE: READY NOW. ANYTIME, ANYWHERE *Monthly Communication Priority: Service Matters*

***“On Armed Forces Day, we honor and celebrate those currently serving. On Memorial Day, we pay tribute to those who have made the ultimate sacrifice.”***

#### **- VADM Dirk Debbink, Chief of Navy Reserve**

- May is a month of military celebrations and remembrances that remind us that our service matters.
- All Sailors are encouraged to participate in May's Armed Forces Day and Memorial Day celebrations.
- These time-honored ceremonies remind us that it is an absolute privilege to wear the uniform, and to serve alongside those who have accepted the challenge and responsibility of joining our nation's armed forces.
- As a Sailor serving in the Navy Reserve, you may be the only person in your neighborhood, your community, and your social and professional circles in the armed forces.
- Support for service members is strong, but all Sailors can help foster an even better understanding and deeper appreciation for our military. Getting involved is the key.
- As the face of our Navy and all the armed forces, Reserve Sailors are encouraged to share their experiences and to be an ambassador to our fellow citizens.
- We value the contributions of each and every Navy Reserve Sailor—while recognizing that contribution can vary from a few days a year to full-time service.
- The greatest tribute we can offer to those who have paid the ultimate price is to wave the banner of freedom proudly, and to ensure that our nation shall endure for generations to come.
- We are honored to serve in the United States Navy today. Every day, we have the chance to honor the legacy of the men and women who fought and died in the service of this great nation.

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**READ THE FULL STRATEGIC PLAN AT**  
**[THE NAVY RESERVE WEB SITE](#)**

### Online Resources

Technology provides Sailors access to online career tools, which enable them to take an active role in their professional development and support a successful career from anywhere in the world.

#### **Validate Personnel Information**

Electronic Service Record (ESR) replaces the paper service record and allows updating and generating of documents to reflect a Sailor's current status and career achievements. Electronic Leave, now in testing, will also reside in the ESR.

The Official Military Personnel File (OMPF) and the Electronic Training Jacket (ETJ) include documents such as accession training, education performance, discipline, decorations and awards, assignments and duties.

The Web Enabled Record Review (WERR) allows Sailors to review, download and print service record documents, which are reviewed by advancement and special program selection board members.

Physical Readiness Information Management System (PRIMS) allows Sailors to view Physical Fitness Assessment results as well as complete the Physical Activity Risk Factor Questionnaire.

Bupers On-Line (BOL) provides access to OMPF; WERR; PRIMIS; latest orders, fitreps and evaluations; duty swap options; individual medical readiness and Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB) information.

#### **Enhance Professional Growth**

The Navy eLearning (NeL) catalog contains thousands of courses ranging from GMT to language programs.

Navy Credentialing Opportunities On-Line (Navy COOL) explains how Sailors can earn civilian certifications related to their rating, job or designator.

The United Services Military Apprenticeship Program (USMAP) provides the opportunity to complete civilian apprenticeship requirements and earn the U.S. Department of Labor Certification of Completion.