



RC Communicator



Facts and Figures to Guide the Navy Reserve Leader

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Mission: The Navy Reserve mission 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, and Commitment

Strategic Focus: Deliver a Ready and Accessible Force; Provide Valued Capabilities; Enable the Continuum of Service

Key Topics of Interest

[CBMU 303 Joins Hawaii National Guard During RIMPAC](#)

(NNS120721-01)

[MSRON 9 Conducts ULTRA During RIMPAC 2012](#)

(NNS120718-01)

[Information Dominance Corps Reserve Command](#)

(NAVADMIN 215-12)

[NR Promotions for Line and Staff Corps to 06, 05, 04 & 03](#)

(NAVADMIN 219-12)

Key Navy Leadership

Secretary of the Navy	Honorable Ray Mabus
Chief of Naval Operations	ADM Jonathan W. Greenert
Vice CNO	ADM Mark E. Ferguson III
Chief of Navy Reserve	VADM Dirk J. Debbink
Cmdr, Navy Reserve Forces Command	RADM Buzz Little
Cmdr, Naval Air Forces Reserve	RDML John Sadler
Force Master Chief	FORCM (AW) Chris T. Wheeler

Navy Reserve Force by the Numbers

Operational Support Snapshot (27 July 12)	RC Major Commands	Navy Enterprises & Enablers
<p>Selected Reserves (SELRES) 53,826</p> <p>Enlisted 41,301 Officer 12,525</p> <p>Mobilized to Active Duty 3,698 Active Duty Special Work 776 Annual Training 4,117 Active Duty for Training 2,786</p> <p>Total Navy Reserve Component Performing Operational Support (29%) 18,336</p> <p>Full Time Support (FTS) 10,318</p> <p>Enlisted 8,695 Officer 1,623</p> <p>FTS/SELRES Onboard 64,144</p> <p>FY12 End strength 66,200 Difference 2,056</p> <p>Individual Ready Reserve (IRR) 42,612</p> <p>Voluntary Training Unit (VTU) 4,472 Active Status Pool (ASP) 38,140 Strategic Sealift Readiness Group (SSRG) 1,630</p>	<p>Region RCCs Mid-Atlantic, Midwest, Northwest, Southeast, Southwest</p> <p>Aviation Wings Tactical Support Wing Commander Fleet Logistics Support Wing Navy Air Logistics Office</p> <p>Naval Air Facility Washington Joint Reserve Base Fort Worth Joint Reserve Base New Orleans</p> <p>Navy Operational Support Centers: 123</p> <p>Active Component Numbers (27 July 12)</p> <p>Officers 52,694 Enlisted 263,892 Midshipmen 4,467 Total 321,053</p> <p>Civilian Employees 203,609</p>	<p>Warfighter Enterprises</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Naval Aviation Navy Expeditionary Combat Command Navy Information Dominance Naval Special Warfare Surface Warfare Undersea Warfare <p>Providers Warfighter Enterprise Support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Navy Installations Command Navy Total Force Naval Air Systems Command Naval Facilities Engineering Command Naval Sea Systems Command Naval Supply Systems Command Office of the Judge Advocate General Office of Naval Research Navy Bureau of Medicine & Surgery Space & Naval Warfare Systems Command

Changing Lanes: Taking Charge of Your Career

Take charge of your career! The Continuum of Service (CoS) provides Sailors greater career choices. A variety of flexible service options affords the ability to “change lanes” depending on the personal and professional lives of the individual Sailor. Today, you do not have to make an “all or nothing” career decision. CoS gives you the opportunities allowing for a “Lifetime of Service” and support.

RC to AC Lane Changes

Enlisted Definite Recall to Active Duty – Option to accept active duty recall orders for 1-3 years.

AC Augmentation Program – Will allow Sailors to accept long-term active-duty recall opportunities and fill AC manning shortfalls.

RC to RC Lane Changes

Fleet Rating Identification Engine (FleetRIDE) for SELRES – Career Counselors and Sailors can discuss rating conversion based on manning levels and Sailor aptitude.

Variable Participation Unit – Provides flexible Individual Ready Reserve service option for members with targeted skills to muster at their assigned NOSC two to five days per year on paid ADT orders.

AC to RC Lane Changes

Career Intermission Pilot Program – Allows AC Sailors to transition to the Individual Ready Reserve for up to three years with a guaranteed return to active duty, to pursue personal or professional goals.

Enlisted Early Career Transition Program - Opportunity for eligible AC and Full Time Support (FTS) Sailors to transition to drilling Reserve Sailors status prior to their End of Active Obligated Service.

FleetRIDE and Perform-To-Serve with SELRES Option – Allows active-duty enlisted Sailors to request and receive approval for SELRES quotas. Once approved, Sailors select their Navy Operational Support Center and Reserve unit while still on active duty.

Depending on the needs of the Navy and personal circumstances, CoS provides all Sailors full-time and part-time service opportunities. The Navy is fully committed to providing transition assistance to Sailors whether a Sailor is departing the active component after just one term or a 30-year career. This is all part of the **21st Century Sailor and Marine** concept of recruiting Sailors once and retaining them for life through flexible service options. See August’s TNR for more information on how you can apply CoS to your personal situation.