



## Press Release

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### **Robinson, Duffield Named NAVSEA's Sailors of the Year**

WASHINGTON — Navy Diver 1<sup>st</sup> Class (DSW/SS) Fredrick B. Robinson and Electronics Technician 1<sup>st</sup> Class (SW) Sabrina L. Duffield Navy Reserve, were selected as Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA) 2010 Sailors of the Year (SOY).

The honor of being selected NAVSEA Sailor of the Year demonstrates the ability to lead and inspire a group of people and to improve and expand the capabilities of their respective field activities while supporting the command's mission of developing, delivering, and maintaining ships systems on time, on cost for the U.S. Navy.

“As NAVSEA continues to build, deliver and maintain the world's most cutting-edge and highly-capable ships, we look to dedicated individuals like you to get things done,” said NAVSEA Commander Vice Adm. Kevin McCoy. “All of NAVSEA's sailor of the year candidates exemplify the Navy core values and embody the institutional and technical expertise, professionalism, and character that make this command successful.”

Robinson, NAVSEA's active duty SOY, is currently stationed at Naval Undersea Warfare Center, Keyport. Robinson graduated from First Class Dive School in July 2010.

Duffield served eleven years on active duty before leaving in 2003. She returned the Navy as a reservist in 2007, and is currently stationed at NAVSEA SURGEMAIN Albuquerque.

Robinson will represent NAVSEA at the Vice Chief of Naval Operations' Shore Sailor of the Year competition. Duffield will continue on to represent NAVSEA Reserve Component at the Office of the Chief of Navy Reserve SOY competition.

NAVSEA's other SOY candidates were Electronics Technician (ET) 1<sup>st</sup> Class (SW/AW) Shredreka S. Cooper, Norfolk Naval Shipyard; ET1 (SS) John J. Garcia, Naval Shipyard and Intermediate Maintenance Facility Pearl Harbor; Engineman 1<sup>st</sup> Class Howell Jordan, NAVSEA SURGEMAIN, New York City; Electricians Mate 1<sup>st</sup> Class (SW) Frederick A. Hasting, Navy Operational Support Center Columbus; Mass Communications Specialist 1<sup>st</sup> Class (EXW/AW) William H. Townsend, Naval Explosive Ordnance Disposal Technology Division; and Missile Technician 1<sup>st</sup> Class (SS) Sean C. Bauch, NAVSEA Systems Command.

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