



**Theodore W. Potter**  
**District Captain**  
**Sector Hampton Roads**  
**United States Coast Guard Auxiliary**  
**Fifth Coast Guard District**  
**Southern Region**



Theodore W. Potter is serving as District Captain of Sector Hampton Roads. He previously served as District Staff Officer for Public Education.

Potter attended Ohio University and the College of Conservatory of Music School of the University of Cincinnati and is a graduate of the American Institute of Financial Institutions where he later served as a Director on the Board of Governors.

Potter enjoyed 25 years in the finance industry having served in leadership roles as President and CEO of two

Virginia financial institutions.

He is a former 7 year member of the Virginia Army National Guard and acted as Communications Chief for his local unit.

An active member of Poquoson Flotilla 63 he has served in an appointed and elected capacity at the Flotilla, Division and District level since 1985. He is currently active as a Coxswain, Instructor and is a Team Coordination Training (TCT) facilitator. Mr. Potter has received numerous personal awards and commendations including the Auxiliary Public Education Award (2), Auxiliary Membership Service Award (4) and Sustained Auxiliary Service Award (5) and group awards.

A native of Piqua, Ohio, he currently resides in Newport News, Virginia with his wife Betty. They have two daughters, a son and nine grandchildren.