



First Coast Guard District

September 2021 Report to the NEFMC

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Enforcement

05 June 2021 – 17 September 2021

- **Fishing Vessel Boardings: 551**
- **Fishery Violations Issued: 38**
- **Observed Compliance Rate: 93%**



Enforcement Violations

05 June 2021 – 17 September 2021

| # | Type |
|----|---|
| 24 | Species Retention Violation (Atlantic Striped Bass, Bluefin Tuna, Yellowfin Tuna) |
| 8 | Op Permit/FFP/HMS Permit |
| 2 | Net Mesh |
| 2 | ALWTRP |
| 1 | Dredge Configuration |
| 1 | VMS Broadcast |



Safety

05 June 2021 – 17 September 2021



- **Dockside Safety Exams: 412**
- **CFVS Decals Issued: 328**
- **CFV Boardings: 347**

- **At Sea Safety Violations: 158**
 - Onboard 81 individual vessels.
 - 13 safety violation terminations.

- **Observed Compliance Rate: 77%**



Most Common Safety Violations

05 June 2021 – 17 September 2021

| Type | # |
|---|----|
| Documentation, numbering, placards, missing CFVS exam | 35 |
| Survival Craft / Survival Suit Violations | 34 |
| EPIRB VIOS (Reg/Hydro/Battery) | 28 |
| Flare Violations | 22 |



Search and Rescue

05 June 2021 – 17 September 2021



- **CG responded to 33 CFV Incidents/Casualties**
 - **14 Equipment Casualties**
 - **6 Taking on Water (Did Not Sink)**
 - **6 Collisions/Allisions**
 - **4 Vessel Sinkings (2 u/w, 2 @ Mooring/Pier)**
 - **2 Crew Conflicts**
 - **Total: 135+ Fishermen assisted**
- **15 MEDEVAC/MEDICOs**
 - **Total: 135+ Fishermen assisted**
 - **3 Deaths, 2 Fishing Related / 1 Non-Fishing**



Questions?