



LCDR Jeremy Maginot
Commanding Officer
Marine Safety Unit Cleveland



Lieutenant Commander Maginot assumed command of Marine Safety Unit (MSU) Cleveland in June 2020. He directs all marine safety missions on Lake Erie and its tributaries in an area of responsibility including Northeast Ohio from the Ohio/Pennsylvania border to Vermillion, Ohio. This area includes the Port of Cleveland and the Cuyahoga River, among the largest and most complex waterways in the Ninth Coast Guard District.

Prior to MSU Cleveland, LCDR Maginot was assigned to the Coast Guard's Office of Congressional Affairs as a Legislative Fellow in Senator Jack Reed's (D-RI) office. As a Fellow, he helped plan and implement legislative initiatives in the following policy areas: oceans, energy, transportation, and environmental protection. Before serving in Senator Reed's office, he served as a Legislative Fellow in Senator Maria Cantwell's (D-WA) office.

LCDR Maginot previously served from July 2015 to July 2018 as the Supervisor of Marine Safety Detachment Santa Barbara, California. As the Detachment Supervisor, he managed a multi-mission unit responsible for ensuring the safety, security, and environmental protection of more than 250 miles of California Coast. His duties also included serving as Sector Los Angeles-Long Beach Captain of the Port's primary representative for all marine safety and environmental protection missions in the northern portion of the Sector's area of responsibility.

His prior assignments also include a tour as a Marine Investigator at Sector New York where he conducted safety and security investigations in the Port of New York/New Jersey and along the Hudson River to Albany, New York. He also he served as a Marine Inspector at Marine Safety Unit Portland, Oregon where he attended and inspected vessels to ensure compliance with international conventions and U.S. laws and regulations.

LCDR Maginot is a 2008 graduate of the United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, New York. Following graduation from the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, he direct commissioned into the Coast Guard. LCDR Maginot holds graduate degrees from the University of Southern California and Norwich University.

A native of Huntington Beach, California, LCDR Maginot and his wife, Allison, have three children, Asher, Noah, and Eden.