

Commander Gregory S. Sickels Coast Guard Sector Guam Deputy Commander



Commander Greg Sickels serves as the Deputy Sector Commander for U.S. Coast Guard Sector Guam. Commander Sickels is the principle advisor to the Sector Commander and his alternate in performing a widerange of federal authorizations including Captain of the Port, Federal Maritime Security Coordinator, Federal On-Scene Coordinator, Officerin-Charge of Maritime Inspections, and Search and Rescue Mission Coordinator with an area of responsibility of 1.9 million square nautical miles that encompasses Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Republic of Palau, and the Federated States of Micronesia.



Commander Sickels has functioned in a diversity of other operational and staff assignments throughout his career, including Health, Safety and Work Life Regional Practice Manager at Base National Capital Region stationed in Washington, D.C., Executive Officer of Maritime Safety and Security Team New Orleans stationed in Belle Chasse, Louisiana; Tactical Operations Section Chief at Special Missions Training Center stationed in Camp Lejeune, North Carolina; Officer in Charge of Law Enforcement Detachment 402 at Tactical Law Enforcement Team South in Opa Locka, Florida; and as a Deck Watch Officer on USCGC JARVIS stationed in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Originally from Fort Myers Beach, Florida, Commander Sickels graduated from the U.S. Coast Guard Academy with a Bachelor of Science in Management in 2005. In 2018, he earned Master of Business Administration and Master of Health Care Administration degrees from Baylor University in Waco, Texas. Commander Sickels also earned Lean Six Sigma Black Belt certification from the US Army Office of Business Transformation, completed the U.S. Air Force Joint Professional Military Education Phase 1 and is a two-time White House Fellow Finalist.

Commander Sickels' military awards include four Coast Guard Commendation Medals, two Humanitarian Service Medals, and various other personal, team and campaign awards.