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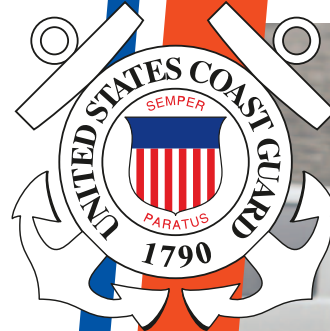
"I'm the Sector Command's Executive Assistant. My better half was transferred to one of the cutters and it just so happened the previous executive assistant's husband was transferring to Hawaii. After many months of waiting and interviews, I resigned my IT trainer position and was afforded this great opportunity to work for the command here.

What is the most interesting thing about your job?

"One of the things I love the most and is quite interesting, is meeting everyone that comes to the base; either as a visitor or a military member and their family.

What do you like most about Astoria?

"There is so much U.S. history present in Astoria – I never really knew how much existed. And all the fresh fish – just awesome!"



Chief Damage Controlman Michael Jones

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What do you do in the Coast Guard and how did you end up in that position?

"I am currently working at the Sector Columbia River Housing office. My job entails the management of all housing maintenance for the 114 Coast Guard owned Homes in Astoria and the 25 homes in Ilwaco.

What is the most interesting thing about your job?

"The two biggest questions a Coast Guard member has when transferring, are where am I am going to live, and where are my kids going to school? I enjoy the job because it allows me to help provide quality living for Coast Guard families, and help them answer the question of where they are going to live.

What do you like most about Astoria?

"My wife and I moved to Astoria in July of 2014 and are enjoying this area. We love that there are so many places for us to get out and enjoy the outdoors. We both love to hike, kayak, ride our four-wheelers, and take our dog Whiskey to the great beaches in the area.



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