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The Civil Air Patrol Mississippi WING and MS100 Squadron conducts monthly programs that benefit our community. Mississippi. Civil Air Patrol, auxiliary of the U.S. Air Force, is congressionally chartered and operates as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation and performs Emergency Services, Aerospace Education and Cadet training activities (ages 12-18). Joint meetings are held with IEEE Section and the Aerospace and Electronic Systems society to promote Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) technical topics.

Summary of CAP activities during 2016

6,928 aircrew personnel and 4,245 ground team members are available for CAP missions. 30,742 qualified personnel trained to federal standards supported 164 disaster relief and other federal, state and local agency support missions. CAP aircrews flew 104,525 hours conducting search and rescue, disaster relief, air defense, counterdrug and numerous other critical missions. CAP services, performed in the air and on the ground by CAP’s volunteers, cost only $120 to $165 per flying hour, saving millions of dollars over other aviation options. Aircrews conducting counterdrug and drug interdiction operations flew 9,682 hours helping law enforcement agencies seize $1.5 billion in illegal drugs and currency, leading to 1,909 arrests. CAP aircrews flew 1,390 hours on 215 air defense exercise missions helping prepare fighter units across the country for homeland security missions. CAP aircrews flew 1,168 hours on 30 Surrogate Unmanned Aerial Systems missions to train U.S. and coalition forces from around the world. CAP pilots flying as mentors to America’s future aviation leaders flew 9,693 hours to conduct 27,316 cadet orientation flights in both powered aircraft and gliders. In all, CAP members provided $167 million in volunteer services to the 1,437 communities they support nationwide. The Air Force Rescue Coordination Center credited CAP’s national cell phone forensics and radar analysis teams with 70 lives saved.

Respectfully Submitted,

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