

COAST GUARD CUTTER NORTHWIND (WAGB-282)

Captain Kingdrel N. Ayers Commanding Officer

Commander Nathaniel F. Main Executive Officer



STATISTICS

LENGTH	269 feet	PROPULSION	Diesel electric
BEAM	64 feet	MAXIMUM SPEED	16 knots
DRAFT	29 feet	CRUISING RANGE	24,000 miles
DISPLACEMENT	6500 tons	FUEL CAPACITY	700,000 gals.

BUILT BY WESTERN PIPE AND STEEL COMPANY, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

KEEL LAID	July 10, 1944	LAUNCHED	Feb. 25, 1945
	COMMISSIONED	July 28, 1945	

PERSONNEL COMPLEMENT ... 20 OFFICERS, 195 ENLISTED MEN

PRIMARY DUTIES

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AND SUPPLY ENFORCEMENT OF FEDERAL LAWS ON NAVIGABLE WATERS OF THE
UNITED STATES