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CDR Lisa M. Sharkey assumed the duties of the Commanding Officer Coast Guard Base Los Angeles Long Beach in May 2021. The Base is located on Terminal Island within the port of Los Angeles - Long Beach, home to 17 collocated units. She directly serves the Director of Operational Logistics responsible to provide premier mission support for 2,900 Coast Guard personnel and 4,300 Coast Guard families, including sustainment of waterfront and shore facilities valued at \$238 million.

She received a direct-commission in 2004. In 1987, she successfully completed Coast Guard Boot Camp located in Cape May, New Jersey. Her first assignments were District 7 in Miami, FL with a short tour on the CGC Shearwater (surface effect ship)

homeported in Key West, FL. In 1990, she received orders to Aviation Structural Mechanic "A" school at Aviation Technical Training Center in Elizabeth City, NC where upon graduation she was assigned to Air Station Miami, FL. Her aviation qualifications include Aircrew and Dropmaster in the HU-25 – Falcon Jet and Sensor Operator in the RG-8. While enlisted in aviation, she earned the FAA Airframe and Power-plant licenses and completed Associates of Science in Aviation Maintenance Management from Broward Community College. She was selected for direct commission engineer in 2003 and promoted from Petty Officer First Class to Ensign in January 2004.

Her assignments include Planning and Real Property Branch Chief at CEU Providence, Maintenance Branch Chief for TRACEN Cape May, Facilities Engineer for Sector San Juan, CGC VALIANT, NESU Miami, Air Station Miami, and District 7. Prior to assuming command she served as Base Elizabeth City Facilities Engineer, where she was responsible to maintain, improve, and sustain a large campus consisting of 811-acres, 1.4M square-feet of facilities, an active airfield, 10 hangars, and 1.5 miles of waterfront valued at \$571M.

CDR Sharkey holds a Bachelor's of Science in Professional Aeronautics and Masters of Science in Project Management from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University and is a Certified Project Management Professional by the Project Management Institute.