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SUBJ/GRAMPAW PETTIBONE AWARDS FOR FY 2025//

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GENTEXT/REMARKS/ 1. The Chief of Naval Operations and Commander Naval Safety Command take great pleasure in announcing the winners of the FY 2025 Grampaw Pettibone awards. These awards are presented to the organizations and individuals who contribute the most toward aviation safety awareness through publications and media resources.

- a. Individual - written award: LCDR Ryan Govoni, HSM-70
- b. Individual - written award runner up: PRC Shane Grove, VRM-50
- c. Organization - written award: HSM-70
- d. Organization - electronic media: none

2. Sharing stories of miscues, mishaps, goofs, flubs, and other airborne misadventures has long been a hallmark of professional Aviators. Publishing these stories and the lessons learned, as well as other innovative ideas, keeps countless Aviators from learning the hard way and, perhaps, avoid a tongue-lashing from Grampaw Pettibone, the famous curmudgeon of "Naval Aviation News."

3. Mailing and presentation of citation plaques for winners will be coordinated with the controlling custodians.//

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