

WELCOME ABOARD LETTER/MESSAGE FROM CO:

Congratulations on your assignment to the San Antonio-class amphibious transport dock ship USS GREEN BAY (LPD 20). Your accomplishments and championship team qualities made you one of the perfect candidates for our team. You are joining an outstanding crew and a proud ship!

The USS GREEN BAY was commissioned January 24, 2009 and is the second United States Navy ship to be named for the city and bay of Green Bay, Wisconsin. Our ship's name resulted in a close connection to the awesome people of Green Bay, Wisconsin, and their championship winning professional football team, the Green Bay Packers.

Our primary mission is to conduct expeditionary operations and serve as a ready-response force throughout the Indo-Pacific region. Our Navy and Marine Corps team work closely alongside each other to increase warfighting readiness and strengthen international partnerships by conducting diverse mission sets from combat training and humanitarian assistance to forcible entry operations and disaster relief. Our presence reassures partners and allies, promotes regional security, and reinforces the standards of rules-based order.

Once again, congratulations on your assignment and welcome aboard! I look forward to meeting you and we are excited to add you to our team.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'S. Stevens', with a stylized flourish at the end.

This is the way,
CAPT Severn B. Stevens