

Water Conditions:

- Calm (waves <6"0) = Water smooth with little wave action.*
Choppy (6" - 2') = White caps are becoming visible.
Rough (2' - 6') = White caps are prevalent with strong wave action.
Very Rough (6'+) = Large active wave action.
Strong Current = Powerful movement of water in a certain direction.

Wind Conditions:

- Light (0-6 mph) = No wind to rustle leaves.*
Moderate (7-14 mph) = Enough wind to move small branches.
Strong (15-25 mph) = Enough wind to move large branches.
Storm (over 25 mph) = Difficult to walk against the wind.

Operator Experience:

Estimate the total hours experience you have operating this type of boat.

Operator Education:

Specify which class you have taken. USCG Auxiliary, US Power Squadron, and American Red Cross are the most common providers of boat safety education. Other State and local sources might be: Private Classes, Sailing foundation, or On-Line Certification.

Mfg. Hull ID Number (HIN):

The hull identification number is usually found on the starboard (right) outside of the transom (back of the boat) and is at least a 12-digit number (if 1972 or newer). Example: ABC456781272.

Registration Number:

This refers to the State boat registration number or federal documentation number. An example of a Washington boat number is "WN 6609 LB". Documented vessels are required to be registered in Washington State and to display a valid decal, but not state numbers.

Type of Boat:

- Auxiliary Sail:..... A sailboat equipped with an engine.*
Sail (only):..... Any vessel equipped with mast and sails, dependent on the wind to propel it.
Mini Jetboat:..... A boat weighing less than 1,800 pounds that is propelled by a water jet pump and carries one or more passengers sitting or standing inside the vessel. Over 1,800 pounds is classed as an Open Motorboat.
Open Motorboat:..... Any motor powered vessel without a cabin, including: jon boats, dinghys, and bass boats.
Cabin Motorboat:.... Any boat with a cabin space that can be completely closed by doors, windows, or hatches.
Personal Watercraft: A vessel, less than 13 feet in length, propelled by a water jet, and is designed to be operated by a person sitting or kneeling on the vessel rather than sitting or standing inside the vessel.
Raft:..... A wood, rubber, or vinyl platform designed to be sat on and used to drift with the current. If used outside of a swimming area, a raft is considered a vessel.
Rowboat:..... Any boat with oars designed to be propelled by human muscular effort. .
Other Human Powered Any boat which is not a canoe, kayak, or rowboat designed to be propelled by human muscular effort. This includes: pedals, paddles or any other human powered means of propulsion.

County Sheriff Departments

Asotin County Sheriff's Office	509-758-2331	Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	509-725-3501
Benton County Sheriff's Office	509-735-6555; #3, #3266	Mason County Sheriff's Office	360-427-9670, #313
Chelan County Sheriff's Office	509-667-6851	Okanogan County Sheriff's Office	509-422-7200
Clallam County Sheriff's Office	360-417-2000	Pend Oreille County Sheriff's Office	509-447-3151
Clark County Sheriff's Office	360-397-2106	Pierce County Sheriff's Office	253-798-3278
Cowlitz County Sheriff's Office	360-577-3092; '0'	San Juan County Sheriff's Office	360-378-4151
Douglas County Sheriff's Office	509-884-1535	Skagit County Sheriff's Office	360-336-9450
Ferry County Sheriff's Office	509-775-3136	Skamania County Sheriff's Office	509-427-9490
Franklin County Sheriff's Office	509-545-3501	Snohomish County Sheriff's Office	425-388-7923
Grant County Sheriff's Office	509-754-2011; #468	Spokane County Sheriff's Office	509-477-7639
Grays Harbor County Sheriff's Office	360-249-3711	Stevens County Sheriff's Office	509-684-5296
Island County Sheriff's Office	360-678-4422	Thurston County Sheriff's Office	360-786-5500
Jefferson County Sheriff's Office	360-385-3831	Wahkiakum County Sheriff's Office	360-795-3242
King County Sheriff's Office	206-296-7558	Walla Walla County Sheriff's Office	509-527-3268
Kitsap County Sheriff's Office	360-337-7101	Whatcom County Sheriff's Office	360-676-6650
Kittitas County Sheriff's Office	509-962-7525	Whitman County Sheriff's Office	509-397-6266
Klickitat County Sheriff's Office	509-773-4545	Yakima County Sheriff's Office	509-574-2500
Lewis County Sheriff's Office	360-748-9286; #373		

City Police Departments Phone Numbers

Anacortes Police Department	360-293-4684	Lacey Police Department	360-459-4333
Bainbridge Island Police Department	206-842-5211	Lake Stevens Police Department	425-334-9537
Black Diamond Police Department	253-631-1012	Mercer Island Police Department	206-236-3500
Bonney Lake Police Department	253-863-2218	Ocean Shores Police Department	360-289-3331
Chelan Police Department	509-682-2588	Olympia Police Department	360-753-8419
Everett Police Department	425-257-8400	Poulsbo Police Department	360-779-3113
Gig Harbor Police Department	253-851-2236	Seattle Police Department	
Kent Police Department	253-856-5800	Harbor Patrol Unit	206-684-4071