Title: Boat/Marine Unit Standard

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Inland Water Marine Utility Units

a) Inland water marine utility units shall consist of a powerboat with carrying capacity of not less than six hundred (600) and draft not to exceed twelve (12) inches. Total power shall not exceed the BIA rated capacity for the boat.

b) They shall conform to all appropriate regulations of the U.S. Coast Guard and the Maryland Marine Police for boats of the above class, including fire extinguishers, flotation devices, signaling devices and safety gear.

c) Inland water marine units shall be equipped with the following items, which may be carried on the tow vehicle:

PFD’s Must Be Used On All Marine Units When On The Water

EQUIPMENT MINIMUM STANDARD:

_______ Life vests (assorted sizes – adjustable) – six (6)

_______ 50’ throw ropes (rescue/kernmantle/waterproof) – two (2)

_______ 10’/12’ pole with hook (pike pole or expanding pole are acceptable) – one (1)

_______ Backboard w/headblocks, straps, collars (accessibility to these from first Unit on the scene) – one (1)

_______ First Aide Kit with bag valve mask – one (1)

_______ 10 lb. ABC Fire Extinguisher – one (1)

_______ Oars – two (2)

_______ Hand lights (battery operated) – two (2)

_______ Waterproof hand light – one (1)

_______ Grappling/drag hooks – two (2)
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_______ Toolbox with assorted hand tools for repair – one (1)
_______ Emergency motor tool kit with spark plugs – one (1)
_______ Air horn/warning device/signal horn – one (1)
_______ 5 gallon approved gas can – two (2)
_______ Marker buoys with fifty (50) feet throwing line
_______ Anchor with line – one (1)
_______ Bailing device – one (1)
_______ Line throwing gun (optional)
_______ Mooring lines twenty five foot (25’) – two (2)
_______ Fire Department Portable Radio – one (1)

MANNING STANDARD:
_______ 6 members trained with Maryland Boaters Safety Course, and
Recreational Vehicle/Vessel Injury Management

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