



Southhold Town Police Department

BAY CONSTABLES

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REQUIRED MARINE EQUIPMENT GUIDE

	CLASS A VESSEL	CLASS 1 VESSEL	CLASS 2 VESSEL	CLASS 3 VESSEL	CLASS 4 VESSEL	CLASS 5 VESSEL	P.W.C & S.P.C.
EQUIPMENT REQUIRED	LESS THAN 16 FT.	16'- 25'11"	26'- 39'11"	40'- 64'11"	65' & OVER	ROWBOATS CANOES	JET SKI WAVE RUNNER
Valid Registration	REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED IF THE VESSEL IS MOTORIZED IN NEW YORK STATE						
Reg. Or Doc. Must be on board	REQUIRED IF VESSEL IS REGISTERED OR DOCUMENTED						
Registration Numbers Displayed	REQUIRED IF VESSEL IS REGISTERED <i>(NOT REQUIRED ON DOCUMENTED VESSELS)</i>						
Validation Sticker Displayed	REQUIRED IF THE VESSEL IS REGISTERED AND IS REQUIRED ON DOCUMENTED PLEASURE VESSELS						
P.F.D.'S <i>(Life Jackets)</i>	Type I, II, OR III EACH PERSON	Type I, II, OR III EACH PERSON	Type I, II, OR III EACH PERSON	Type I, II, OR III EACH PERSON	Type I, II, OR III EACH PERSON	Type I, II, OR III EACH PERSON	Type I, II, III, or V EACH PERSON
Throwable Flotation Device	NOT REQUIRED	REQUIRED BY U.S.C.G. & N.Y.S. <i>ONE THROWABLE TYPE IV</i>				REQUIRED OVER 16 ft.	NOT REQUIRED
Sounding Appliance	REQUIRED (Mouth whistle are permitted on vessels less than 39 feet)						REQUIRED
Anchor & Line	REQUIRED IF THE VESSEL IS MOTORIZED						NOT REQUIRED
Fire Extinguisher	ONE B-1 IN CLOSED TYPE CONSTRUCTION	TWO B-1 OR ONE B-2	THREE B-1 or ONE B-1 & TWO B-2	MUST MEET FEDERAL REQUIREMENT	REQUIRED IF MOTORIZED	NOT REQUIRED	
Distress Flag	NOT REQUIRED	REQUIRED (Must Meet U.S.C.G. Requirements)				NOT REQUIRED	REQUIRED
Distress Flares	Less than 16 feet	REQUIRED (Must Meet U.S.C.G. Requirements)				NOT REQUIRED	REQUIRED IN LIEU OF FLAG
Bell	NOT REQUIRED	NOT REQUIRED	NOT REQUIRED	REQUIRED ON VESSELS OVER 39 FEET	NOT REQUIRED	NOT REQUIRED	
Navigation Lights	REQUIRED FOR OPERATION AT NIGHT LIGHT CONFIGURATION IS BASED ON CLASS						NOT TO BE OPERATED AT NIGHT
Muffled Exhaust	Required of all Motorized Vessels						
Capacity Plate	REQUIRED	REQUIRED	NOT REQUIRED	NOT REQUIRED	NOT REQUIRED	REQUIRED	NOT REQUIRED
Engine Cut Off Switch	NOT REQUIRED						REQUIRED IF MANUFACTURED
Noise Level Compliance	REQUIRED OF ALL MOTORIZED VESSELS NOISE LIMIT OF 90 db (A Stationary Test) (J-2005) NOISE LIMIT OF 75 db (A SAE TEST) (J-1970)						

- P.W.C. = PERSONAL WATER CRAFT
- S.P.C. = SPECIALTY PROP CRAFT
- P.F.D. = PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICE