



US Army Corps  
of Engineers®

# FLOAT PLAN

Complete this form before going out on your boat, and leave it with a reliable person who will notify authorities if you do not return as scheduled. If you are delayed and it is not an emergency, inform the person with your float plan to avoid an unnecessary search.



1. Name of person filing this plan: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell phone #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
2. Description of boat: Registration number: \_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Make: \_\_\_\_\_  
Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Trim: \_\_\_\_\_ Length: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Names of persons on board: Age: Address:  
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4. Description of engine: Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Horsepower: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Engines \_\_\_\_\_ Fuel capacity: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Survival equipment on board. Check as appropriate:  
☐ Life Jackets (PFDs) ☐ Flares ☐ Flashlight ☐ Signal mirror ☐ Anchor(s) ☐ Raft or dinghy  
☐ Smoke Signals ☐ Horn ☐ Water ☐ Paddles ☐ Food
6. Radio ☐ Yes ☐ No Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Frequencies: \_\_\_\_\_ Call sign: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Trip expectations:  
Leaving from: \_\_\_\_\_ Going to: \_\_\_\_\_  
Departing on: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ am ☐ pm Returning: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ am ☐ pm  
date time date time
8. Other pertinent information: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Description of automobile: Trailer license plate #: \_\_\_\_\_ License plate #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Make: \_\_\_\_\_ Model: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Where parked: \_\_\_\_\_
10. If not returned by: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ am ☐ pm  
date time  
Call:  
Local authority: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
U.S. Coast Guard Telephone #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_