Seaside Marine Surveyors

**Boat Data Information Checklist**

Boat type and model number: _______________________________________________

Length and description: ____________________________________________________

Hull Identification Number (12 characters): _________________________________

Boat color (hull and deck): _______________________________________________

Engine serial number: _____________________________________________________

Engine make and model number: __________________________________________

Ship to shore radio serial number: _________________________________________

Ship to shore radio make and model: _______________________________________

Depth sounder serial number: _____________________________________________

Depth sounder make and model: ___________________________________________

Boat compass serial number: _____________________________________________

Boat compass make and model: ___________________________________________

Stereo equipment identification number: _________________________________

Stereo make and model: _________________________________________________

Trailer serial number (17 characters): _________________________________

Trailer make and model: _________________________________________________

**Engrave Your License Number in a Hidden Location…**

If your boat is stolen, you can help identify your boat to police if you can say look in the lower left corner of the engine and you will find my drivers license number.

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PROTECT YOUR BOAT BY

- Installing a hidden ignition system
- Installing an alarm system. Inexpensive self-contained systems are available at most Radio Shacks, electronics or marine stores. Because of water issues, buy a system designed for boats.
- Secure your boat to the dock with a locked steel cable
- Use a trailer hitch lock after parking a boat on its trailer
- Park your trailer in a locked garage, secured boat storage facility or well lit, fenced area
- Turn the trailer around so the hitch is difficult to reach
- Use a high quality chain and lock to secure boat and trailer to fixed object like a tree
- Chain and lock detachable outboard motors to the boat

ADDITIONAL SECURITY MEASURES INCLUDE...

- Pictures or videotape taken of boat and equipment for documentation
- Make sure your marine policy includes all equipment as well as the trailer
- Always have a copy of the title and registration
- Remove all expensive items when the boat is not going to be used for an extended period of time