## **BOATING UNDER**THE INFLUENCE



Boating under the influence of alcohol or drugs (BUI) is **AGAINST THE LAW** on all boats.





Alcohol or drug use while boating results in **MAGNIFIED SIDE EFFECTS**.

- Impact cognitive ability
- Judgement impaired
- Difficulty with balance

## DANGEROUS FOR PASSENGERS

- Fall overboard easier
- Swim near the propeller
- Lean over the side
- Capsize small vessel





## **JAIL TIME**

- Arrested if BAC is MORE than 0.08%
- FINES up to \$1,000, more if incident involved
- May go against motor vehicle record

## **LIFE OR DEATH**

Alcohol use is the leading factor in fatal recreational boating accidents.











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