



## Pre Vessel Safety Check

**Please have the following items available together in the cockpit or dockside prior to the vessel safety check:**

- Owner must be present during inspection/ or have a designated person on site
- All **personal flotation Devices (PFDs)**
- **Fire Extinguishers**  
(1B-1 16' to 26' vessel)  
(3 B-I **OR** 1 B-II & B-I for 26' TO 39' vessel)
- **Visual Distress Signals (VDS)**  
(3 Current Flares (check dates) or battery-operated beacon with day-time danger flag (red background with black square))
- **Sounding device** (whistle, canister, etc)
- **Navigation lights** (red port, green starboard, white all around)
- **Current vessel registration or current documented certificate**
- **Registration numbers** attached to bow on both sides

- If **documented** the number must be permanently attached

**Thank you.**

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