



## **LAKE PATROL PROTOCOLS**

1. Lake patrol hours will be from 12:30 to 8:30 PM on Saturday and Sunday as much as possible given Reserve Officer availability, weather conditions and lake traffic.
2. The same hours will be scheduled for Memorial Day, July 4<sup>th</sup> and Labor Day. On the evening that the lake fireworks are scheduled, the patrol hours will be extended to allow coverage for the fireworks.
3. Vessels stopped for a safety inspection shall be given a Safety Inspection sticker upon successful completion of the inspection. The vessel owner shall place the sticker on the driver's side of the windshield or hull.
4. A vessel with a valid Safety Inspection for the current year shall not be stopped while on the lake unless they have committed a violation of marine law, a civil infraction, misdemeanor or felony.
5. When permissible by law, a vessel in violation of a Lake Angelus Boating Rule shall be advised of the rule violation and asked to comply.
6. Vessel stops shall be made in a safe manner and in a location that allows for the safe interaction.
7. A log of patrol activity shall be maintained in the patrol vessel and a copy of stops and citizen contacts shall be recorded with any warnings or violations issued. The log shall record vessel registration hull number, operator's and passenger's names as provided.
8. The second time the same vessel/operator is stopped for the same or similar safety violation in the same calendar year, the Reserve Officer or Police Officer may issue the operator a citation for the misdemeanor or civil infraction. Any violations issued shall be turned in at the police department at the end of the shift.