



Aquatic Weed Cutters / Workboat Operation & Safety

Customized Two-Day Hands-On Training Course

This training course is specifically for the safe operation of environmental workboats and amphibious work equipment, such as **WeeDoo™** and **Berky™**. Typically used for removal of invasive aquatic weeds in swamps, waterways, and retention ponds, these boats have unique operational and safety factors that this course addresses, along with general boating safety.

Using the following elements as applicable for clients, **training can be scheduled as a one-day “Classroom Only” program or a two-day “Classroom and Hands-On” training combination.**

- **Pre-Trip Planning and Preparation**
 - Risk Assessment – Job Hazard Analysis (JHA)
 - Risk Assessment – Job Site Assessment (JSA)
 - Federal & State Requirements for watercraft
 - Trailing – Launch & Recovery
- **Common Water Hazards (and How to Avoid Them)**
 - Emergency Procedures (what-if's)
 - Water Survival, Emergency Flotation & Personnel Water Rescue Procedures
 - Vessel Inspection Procedures
 - Engine/Electrical/Mechanical Troubleshooting
- **Equipment Operation**
 - Water/Land Emergency Action Plans and Effective Team Communications
 - WeeDoo Operation Efficiency and Risk Mitigation Strategies for Land and Water-based Operations
 - Don/Doff Flotation Devices, Waders, and PPE Safety
 - Setup and Safe Operation of Attachments
 - Vessel Maneuvering, Safe Operations and Land-to-Water/Water-to-Land Transitioning
 - Water Pollution Risk Mitigation Strategies
 - Seamanship – Useful Knots and Hitches

In some states, course may qualify for CEU or PDH credit.



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