

# Abandoned Derelict Vessel Reporting Form and Hold Harmless Agreement

Please email to: [AbandonedVesselReportingNC@gmail.com](mailto:AbandonedVesselReportingNC@gmail.com)

The project goal is to map the current Abandoned Derelict Vessels in North Carolina and track their removal progress.

How to use this form: Fill out as much information as you can provide while staying on your vessel safely. Take photos as needed to submit with your data recording form.

Do not attempt to board any abandoned or derelict vessel at any time. All participants are volunteers. All reporters will be referenced for recording data and all participating agencies and organizations will be mentioned as partners on this project and referenced appropriately.

Name of Reporter: \_\_\_\_\_

Reporting Agency/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Reporter ID Assigned (leave blank if this is your first-time reporting): \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information: (phone) \_\_\_\_\_ (email) \_\_\_\_\_

Date the vessel was seen (Month/Day/Year): \_\_\_\_\_

GPS Location (Record the GPS location with boat GPS, phone GPS, or handheld GPS device):

**\*Please make sure to list the entire number, including decimal points.**

Latitude: \_\_\_\_\_

Longitude: \_\_\_\_\_

ADV Type: (Circle One and add Details in Notes):

Sail	Flat-Bottom Skiff	Skiff	Fishing (commercial)	
Pontoon	Dinghy	Inflatable	Skiff/Power	Unknown

ADV Make: \_\_\_\_\_ Reg ID: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Remember do not attempt to board an Abandoned Vessel to find additional information. Only report what is visible as you safely float by the ADV.

ADV Size (Circle your best guess numbers are in feet): \_\_\_\_\_

<10f          10-20          21-30          31-40          >40

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Condition (Circle):      Grounded/on Land      Completely Submerged      Partially Submerged  
Floating      Removed (date of removal: \_\_\_\_\_ and add details in the Notes section, please)

Status (Circle):      Reported ADV      Pending Owner Notification  
Active Removal Project      Removed (without restoration to habitat)  
Removed (with habitat restoration – details in Notes)      Removed (unknown restoration status)

Hazard to Navigation? (Circle One):      Yes      No      Unknown

Leaking? (Circle what applies):      Oil      Gas      Unknown

Jurisdiction (Body of Water, County, Township/City): \_\_\_\_\_

Notes (submit additional notes in your email):

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## Volunteer Waiver, Release of Liability, and Hold Harmless Agreement

I have agreed to serve as a citizen science volunteer for the NC Marine Debris Symposium and the Plastic Ocean Project. This Waiver, Release, and Hold Harmless Agreement covers all events and occurrences associated with the volunteer activities. By signing this Waiver, Release of Liability, and Hold Harmless Agreement, I voluntarily agree: If I have concerns about my health or ability to participate in volunteer activities, it is my responsibility to discuss my concerns with my physician before deciding to participate as a volunteer for the NC Marine Debris Symposium, the Plastic Ocean Project, and supporting sponsors, stakeholders, and partners. As a volunteer, I am not an employee of the NC Marine Debris Symposium or the Plastic Ocean Project. To assume the risk that unexpected events may occur and result in loss, harm, injury, or illness to me or damage to my property while I am participating in or observing volunteer activities or while I am traveling to or from the Activity. I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless NC Marine Debris Symposium, Plastic Ocean Project, its sponsors, employees, volunteers, affiliates, officers, board directors, sponsors, agents, successors and assigns, subordinates, and any other persons connected to this event from any liability.

Printed or Typed Name of Volunteer: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Volunteer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_