BSEE Scoring Rubric

Objective	Question #	Question	Scoring Rubric	Max Score
Objective 3: Marine Patrol / Boating Safety Activity	3	Does your boating safety and enforcement unit have citation authority? If YES, Code #? How many boating related citations did you have last year?	Applicant provides information regarding citation authority and number of citations issued last year.	5
Objective 3: Marine Patrol / Boating Safety Activity	4	Does your boating safety and enforcement unit have arrest authority? If YES, Code #? How many boating related arrests did you have last year?	Applicant provides information regarding arrest authority and number of arrests made last year.	5
Objective 1: Need	7	Clearly identify three BOATING safety issues that affect recreational boaters in your jurisdiction.	Applicant clearly identifies three boating safety issues that affect recreational boaters in their jurisdiction. Answers should be clear with supporting data.	15
Objective 1: Need	10a	Describe exactly what is being requested and how this equipment will help mitigate the recreational boating safety issues identified in Question 7.	Applicant clearly states the request, need and explains how this equipment will help mitigate the boating safety issues identified in Question 7.	30
Objective 3: Marine Patrol / Boating Safety Activity	10b	Describe any negative impacts to boating safety and/or boating enforcement if your agency does not get this grant.	Applicant clearly states the negative impacts to boating safety and/or enforcement if not awarded this equipment.	15
Objective 3: Marine Patrol / Boating Safety Activity	10c	Classify this request by choosing one of the following options and present a strong justification for the request. • "Critical" (operations would cease without it) • "Increased efficiency" (if it would save staff time, identify how much time) • "Convenience" (it would make life a little easier) • "Protection" of existing equipment (ex: shade structure, hoists to get the vessels out of the water, etc. to extend longevity)	Applicant selects the single best option to classify this request. Applicant then justifies the classification of this request.	25
Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	10d	If you are not awarded your full request, would your agency be able to supplement the difference? If yes, what percentage can you supplement?	Applicant declares if their agency can or cannot supplement the difference. If they can, what percentage can they supplement.	5

Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	10e	How and why did your agency select this particular vessel? Explain if this is a standard patrol boat or do you need something specialized for your waterbody to meet your agency's needs? List less expensive models considered and explain why they are not being requested. List other funding sources available to your agency that could be used to purchase or partially purchase this equipment.	Applicant provides information regarding this vessel/equipment. Applicant also provides information on less expensive models and explains why they are not being considered.	10
Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	10g	How many hours per month on average will this vessel be used for Boating Safety Enforcement?	Applicant provides information regarding how many hours per month by season that this equipment will be used by their Boating Safety Enforcement Unit.	10
Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	10h	Estimate the total time this equipment may be used for boating safety activities in a calendar year based on historical data. DBW may verify this information using accident data. Failure to report time correctly in the following chart may result in disqualification of your grant application	Applicant provides an estimate for how many hours per year this piece of equipment will be used for the listed activities. Percent of time will autopopulate.	25
Objective 1: Need	11b	Describe exactly what is being requested and how this equipment will help mitigate the recreational boating safety issues you identified in Question 7.	Applicant clearly states the request, need and explains how this equipment will help mitigate the boating safety issues identified in Question 7.	20
Objective 3: Marine Patrol / Boating Safety Activity	11c	Describe any negative impacts to boating safety and/or boating enforcement if your agency does not receive its requested grant award.	Applicant clearly states the negative impacts to boating safety and/or enforcement if not awarded this equipment.	15
Objective 3: Marine Patrol / Boating Safety Activity	11d	Classify this request by choosing one of the following options and present a strong justification for the request. • "Critical" (operations would cease without it) • "Increased efficiency" (if it would save staff time, identify how much time) • "Convenience" (it would make life a little easier) • "Protection" of existing equipment (ex: shade structure, hoists to get the vessels out of the water, etc. to extend longevity)	Applicant selects the single best option to classify this request. Applicant then justifies the classification of this request.	25

Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	11e	If you are not awarded your full request, would your agency be able to supplement the difference? If yes, what percentage can you supplement?	Applicant declares if their agency can or cannot supplement the difference. If they can, what percentage can they supplement.	5
Objective 1: Need	11f	What other capabilities exist in your region for this equipment? Justify why it is not feasible to borrow this equipment from a neighboring agency.	Applicant gives a clear and complete justification why it is not feasible to borrow this equipment from a neighboring agency.	10
Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	11g	How and why was this particular model selected? Explain if this is standard equipment or do you need something specialized for your waterbody to meet your agency's needs? List less expensive models considered and explain why they are not being requested. List other funding sources available to your agency that could be used to purchase or partially purchase this equipment	Applicant provides information regarding this vessel/equipment. Applicant also provides information on less expensive models and explains why they are not being considered.	5
Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	11 i	How many hours per month on average will this equipment be used for Boating Safety Enforcement?	Applicant provides an estimate for how many hours per year this piece of equipment will be used for the listed activities. Percent of time will autopopulate.	10
Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	11j	Will this equipment be used for anything besides Recreational Boating Safety Enforcement (ie. Junior lifeguard, swimming rescues, enforcing commercial events or other activities, etc.)? If YES, complete the table below.	Applicant declares if this equipment will be used for anything besides Recreational Boating Safety Enforcement. If they answer "YES", they state what other activities the equipment will be used for.	15
Objective 2: Cost Effectiveness	11k	Select the primary purpose this equipment will be used for: • Search and rescue • Enforcement of state and local measures • Inspection of vessels • Supervising organized water events	Applicant selects the single best option to classify this request.	15
Objective 1: Need	12	Previous BSEE Grants	Agency accurately declares the status of the past 3 years of BSEE grant awards and equipment received.	25

Objective 1: Need	13	Revenue and Expenditures Boat Tax Revenue \$(dollar amount) Other Revenue: a) Other local revenue sources: (Example: launching facilities, campgrounds, parking, anything that goes toward marine patrol support) \$(dollar amount) b) Any State boating funding sources, including DBW subvention/financial aid:\$(dollar amount) TOTAL ANNUAL BOATING INCOME \$(dollar		30
		amount) TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR BOATING SAFETY AND ENFORCEMENT \$(dollar amount)		
Objective 1: Need	14	If you participated in the subvention/financial aid program, were all allocated funds expended in the previous closed year? If NO, state percentage of remaining funds.	Agency accurately discloses funding status for DBW's Subvention/Financial Aid program.	-20