**MOCC - River Module**

**SAF4RM2**

**Target Audience**
The MOCC operators who need River training. River Module is scheduled through the Regional Watercraft Safety Coordinators.

**Summary and Objectives**
The River Module (sometimes referred to as the "Moving Water Module") is an optional module that continues the progression of information and practical experience gained from the MOCC, and on the job, into an environment where additional knowledge and skills are required to safely operate vessels due to forces caused by moving water. The River Module can cover motorized or non-motorized watercraft. Since moving water conditions vary widely, River Modules are tailored to the conditions wherein the course is conducted. Course duration is increased when conditions merit (e.g., higher gradient or complex rivers).

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Understand moving water and how it affects watercraft;
- Gain familiarity with watercraft designed for use in moving water, their applications, and maintenance requirements;
- Determine if a section of moving water is safe to run;
- Understand safety factors to consider when operating watercraft in moving water;
- Avoid common problems encountered on moving water, and practice how to deal with them if not avoided; and
- Perform common maneuvers in watercraft on moving water.

**Prerequisite**
The MOCC River Module is scheduled through the Regional Watercraft Safety Coordinators.

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**Curriculum Category**
Safety and Emergency Response

**Course Type**
Instructor Led

**Tuition**
$0

**Instructional Hours**
12

**Credits/ CEUs**
1.0

**College Credits**
0 semester hours

**Course Contact**
Regional Watercraft Safety Coordinator

**Course Frequency**
Once per year

**Registration Link**
DOI Talent