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SUBJ: Flotilla 10-07 Report, April 2017

## 1. Recent Activities, Projects, or Events.

- Wildlife Expo March 2017.
- Fishing and Kayak day at John E. Pechmann Education Center.
- One new VE qualified, David Nelson.

### 2. Upcoming Activities, Projects, or Events.

- Contact the American Canoe Association about canoe and kayak classes to aid interested members in obtaining the Paddle Craft Operator Cert.
- Members attending the Surface Operations Workshop at Sector, NC.
- ABS class at Riverside Marine, June 2017.
- PA/PE event at Riverside Marine, 21 May.

## 3. Goals for the year

- Recruit new members.
- Develop Leadership
- Recover from RYER
- Continue to keep the mandated training in front of the membership.
- Retain current membership by providing a fun, safe and enjoyable atmosphere where all
  members can feel needed, appreciated and useful through the promotion of recreational
  boater safety.
- Member training through classroom and hands on events.
- Increase visits and vessel examinations.
- Increase and improve the mentoring program.
- Promote and advertise the Public Education programs within the community.

#### 4. Flotilla Membership.

• Membership is currently at twenty three members.

#### 5. Problems.

Members failure to respond to Email.

Respectfully Submitted,

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