## DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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**Rob Richard**:

This is a draft of the proposal related to using boat launch fees to support rescue operations.

The draft authorizes use of the fee for operation of a water safety patrol. The definition of "water safety patrol" is in s. 27.01 (7) (f) 2., stats. Please let me know if that is not satisfactory.

As is our practice, I drafted this to avoid using references to specific administrative rules. There are several reasons for this, including that the agency can change the rules, causing the references to be inaccurate. Instead of referring to the base fee, I used a cross–reference to the daily resident vehicle state park admission fee, which is the base fee under DNR's current rule on boat launch fees.

Please let me know if you have any questions or want any changes in the draft.

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