

## SAMPLE PERMIT

Here is a sample NPS Permit that you can use to help get you started when filling out your permit. This example is for a 5-boat trip. Use this same format for the boats that we will be providing and add/subtract as many as needed to accurately describe the total number of boats. If this number does change, the River Ranger will update the permit at the put in so there is no need to worry!

### Watercraft Information

One watercraft per line.

Your trip can be motorized or non-motorized. Four-stroke motors are the only type allowed on the Colorado River through Grand Canyon National Park.

Type	Manufacturer	Model	Size (in feet)	Color	Motorized
oar rafts	NRS	Expedition	18	blue	no
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### Life Jackets

Only U.S. Coast Guard approved life jackets Type I, III, or V are acceptable. Each participant must have their own personal floatation device. In addition, for 1-10 participants one extra personal floatation device must be carried and for 11-16 participants two extra personal floatation devices must be carried.

On unsupported kayak or canoe trips, one extra personal floatation device is required for every four kayaks and/or canoes. If there are fewer than four kayaks or canoes, one spare personal floatation device is required.

Offshore Lifejacket - Type 1: 0

Flotation Aid - Type III: 5

Special Use Device - Type V (includes include work vests, deck suits, and hybrids for restricted use):

18

Boats 16 feet or greater in length are required to carry one Type IV per boat.

Throwable Device - Type IV (includes boat cushions, ring buoys, and horseshoe buoys): 5

For the First Aid and Emergency Equipment, you can list the number of Major First Aid Kits as 1, and the number of Minor First Aid Kits as one less for the total number of boats.

The number of Signal Mirrors will be listed as 1 and the number of Signal Panels as 2.

If you are renting a Satellite Phone, you can leave the information below that blank. The River Ranger will record that information on the day of your put in.

#### First Aid and Emergency Equipment

One major first aid kit is required and must be carried on each trip. A minor first aid kit must be carried on each additional boat or unsupported kayak/canoe. (see the Noncommercial Regulations for suggested first aid items)

Number of Major First Aid Kits:

Number of Minor First Aid Kits:

At a minimum, emergency signaling equipment must include one signal mirror (U.S. Air Force type) and two orange colored panels, each measuring 3 foot x 8 foot, that can be placed in an "X" so as to be visible from aircraft.

Number of U.S. Air Force type signal mirrors:

Number of Signal Panels:

A satellite telephone or ground-to-air radio transceiver is recommended (although not required) equipment.

Number of Satellite Telephones (optional):

Radio Types (optional):

Radio Frequencies (optional):

#### Lees Ferry Orientation

You are required to attend an approximately one hour long orientation program at Lees Ferry the day of launch. This orientation will take place at 9 am MST.

You are required to check in with the ranger on duty prior to unloading equipment on the launch ramp.

As the trip leader, you are responsible to ensure that all participants of your river trip are familiar with the launch ramp and camping procedures prior to arrival at Lees Ferry. This will alleviate problems if some participants show up at Lees Ferry before you.