

Seattle Fishermen's Memorial Safety Training Rebate Program

Thank you for your interest in our Safety Training Rebate Program. The Seattle Fishermen's Memorial believes that a significant number of lives can be saved if more fishermen are trained in understanding vessel stability, shipboard firefighting, first aid / CPR, drill instructor certification, and 100/200 Ton Captains Licensing. In addition, Seattle Fishermen's Memorial supports the concept of Onboard Training and Vessel Emergency Team Training. As part of its commitment to promote safer vessels, the Memorial Board is making funds available to Washington-based commercial fishing vessel owners and their crew members, and fishermen who are Washington residents.

How does this funding work?

The Memorial will rebate 50% of the cost of the course up to a \$800 maximum rebate amount per course, effective 03/01/2021.

Vessel Drills and Crew Training?

For qualifying Commercial Fishing Vessels, Seattle Fishermen's Memorial will also rebate 50% up to \$1000.00 per vessel, per year, for crew emergency training either onboard by a third-party instructor or at a qualified training facility. Examples would include having a professional trainer conduct drill evolutions onboard your vessel or taking your crew to a day of firefighting refresher training.

Who is eligible?

This program is available to all Washington residents and Washington vessels (limit of six persons per vessel).

How do you apply for funding?

Please complete the application on the reverse side of this document. Submit the completed application, a copy of your course completion certificate, and a copy of your receipt for the class to SFM. You can mail the documents to us at PO Box 17356 Seattle, WA 98107 or email it to rebate@seattlefishermensmemorial.org.

Which training facilities are approved?

First, this program is limited to Washington-based training facilities that offer USCG approved courses. As of this date, the following facilities are participating in the rebate program:

- NPFVOA Vessel Safety
- Compass Courses
- Washington Sea Grant Program
- MITAGS-West
- Crawford

If attending courses at NPFVOA or Washington Sea Grant program, the training facility will submit your application for you.

Other Safety Related Courses offered by the above trainers and other organizations may be approved in advance on a case by case basis. Please feel free to inquire!

Questions about the program?

Please contact the Executive Secretary of the Seattle Fishermen's Memorial at info@seattlefishermensmemorial.org or leave a voicemail at (206) 782-6577 and we will return your call promptly.

Seattle Fishermen's Memorial
Safety Training Rebate Application
(To be submitted by Individual)

Applicant Information:

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone: _____

Vessel Information:

Name: _____
Home Port: _____
Company Base: _____
Owner: _____

Vessel Gear Type:

- Gillnetter
- Hand Line
- Haul Seine
- Long Line

- Bottom Trawl
- Midwater Trawl
- Purse Seine
- Pots and Traps
- Other: _____

Course Cost: _____

Course Date: _____

Firefighting Courses:

- Compass Courses Maritime Training
- MITAGS-West

Survival Training:

- Compass Courses Maritime Training
- MITAGS-West

Frist Aid/CPR Courses:

- Compass Courses Maritime Training
- MITAGS-West

Basic Safety Training:

- Compass Courses Maritime Training
- MITAGS-West

Medical Care Provider:

- MITAGS-West

PSC – Lifeboatman:

- Compass Courses Maritime Training

Medical Person-In-Charge:

- MITAGS-West

100/200 Ton Captain's Licenses*:

- Compass Courses Maritime Training
- Crawford Nautical School

*100/200 Captain's Licenses – the memorial will approve the funding of 20 students for the 100/200 captains' licenses in a calendar year. Please contact the memorial prior to submitting your application to ensure we have not reached our limit.

For Seattle Fishermen's Memorial Use Only

Approval Number: _____

Approved Rebate Amount: _____

Approving Official: _____

Date: _____

Comments: _____