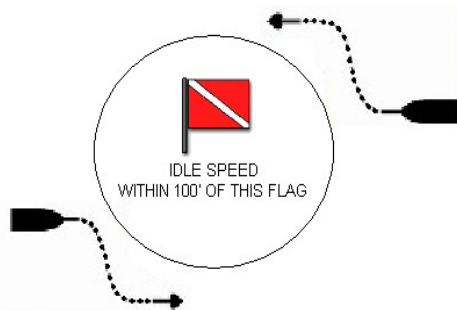


Promote Diver Down Flag Awareness

DO YOUR PART IN PREVENTING AN ACCIDENT and RAISING AWARENESS



Boaters stay 100 ft away from this Flag
Divers stay within 50 ft of this Flag



Since our local laws do not regulate how close divers must remain to the flag and how far watercraft and skiers must stay away, a common recommendation is that divers remain and surface within 50 feet of the flag and that boats remain at least 100-200 feet away and pass with a 'No Wake' Speed

According to The Boater's Guide of Arizona (2008 Edition) published by the Arizona Game and Fish Department:

- Scuba divers and snorkelers must display a diver-down flag to mark their diving area. The flag must be displayed whenever someone is diving below the surface.
- Vessels should stay as far away from a diver-down flag as is reasonable and prudent for the circumstances. The suggested safe distance from a flag is 100 yards.

Arizona Revised Statutes Title 5 Chapter 3 Article states —

5-362 Diver Flag:

A red flag with white diagonal stripe from staffhead to opposite corner shall be recognized as a diver flag and shall be displayed when a person or persons are actually diving below the water surface and are equipped with apparatus to allow such person or persons to breathe under water.

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