Watercraft decontamination

Before boating
Before launching your boat, it must be mussel-free. It’s the law! Mandatory boat inspections are routine at Lake Powell, Deer Creek Reservoir, some state points of entry, roadside stops and other waters. This form serves as an inspection or decontamination receipt.

Self-decontamination steps
Check each box as you Clean, Drain & Dry

☐ Clean all plants, fish, mussels and mud off your boat.

☐ Drain all water, even from your ballast tanks, bilge, livewells and motor.
  (Lower your motor to outdrive to drain it.)

☐ Dry your boat and equipment for at least 7 days in summer, 18 days in spring or fall, 30 days in winter, or freeze winterized equipment for 3 days.

Professional decontamination
Professional decontamination is another option. Certified specialists use scalding (140°F) water to wash your trailer and boat inside and out plus flush your ballast tanks, bilge, livewells and motor.

Locate professional decontamination units:

- Northern Utah, 801.648.6315
- Northeastern Utah, 435.790.8938
- Southern Utah, 435.691.2427

- Central Utah, 435.503.4066
- Southeastern Utah, 435.630.3132
- Or visit STDoftheSea.com

Visit STDoftheSea.com for more information.
Invasive mussel hotline: 1 800 662-3337
Complete, sign and place this side up on the dashboard of the tow vehicle before launching.

Was boat used in any of the following mussel-affected areas within the past 30 days?

- **Utah**: Lake Powell or Deer Creek Reservoir
- **Colorado, California, Nevada, New Mexico or Arizona**
- **Waters east of Montana, Wyoming, Colorado and New Mexico**
- **Mexico or Canada**: (Canadian provinces of Quebec, Ontario or Manitoba)

**If you answered NO** to all the above, sign below, then place this form, with the signature side up, on the dashboard of your launch vehicle before launching.

**If you answered YES** to any of the above, you must decontaminate your boat using one of the methods below:

- **Self-decontamination** (See the front side of this form for instructions.)
- **Professional decontamination** (See the front side of this form for help in locating decontamination units.)

Under penalty of law, I declare that I have either not used my boat in any water listed above or I that have decontaminated my boat and trailer as outlined on the front side of this form.

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**Boater signature**  
**Date**  
*Valid only when signed. Providing false information is unlawful. (Admin rule R657-60).*

Sections below are for internal use only.

**DECONTAMINATION**

- Full
- Standing water
- Plant

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**INSPECTION**

- Hull (inside & outside)
- Through hull fittings
- Trailer
- Transom
- Bumpers
- Bilge, ballast & live wells
- Equipment holds
- Miscellaneous equipment
- Anchors & lines
- Motor drain (lower unit)

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**Seal #**  
**Date**  
**Agent signature**

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