



## Risk Mitigation Plan

### Regatta Information

- Regatta Names and Dates:
  - October 30<sup>th</sup> – Halloween Regatta
  - December 11<sup>th</sup> – Fall Sprints
  - January 15<sup>th</sup> – Spring Sprints #1
  - March 5<sup>th</sup> – Spring Sprints #2
- Boats Offered:
  - 1x, 2x, 4x, 4+, and 8+
  - Limited to teams from within the State of FL.

### Regatta Director

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### Chief Health Officer

- Angélica Rivera-Cruz, M.D.
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- They have agreed to the medical plan  yes/no\_\_\_

### State and/or local health authorities

- Local Authority for the venue is Hillsborough County Parks & Recreation
  - Phone: (813) 635-3510
  - Email: [ParksSpecialEvents@HCFLGov.net](mailto:ParksSpecialEvents@HCFLGov.net)
  - There are no current restrictions on outdoor gatherings. However, the State of Florida has published guidance for planning community events and weekly published Covid 19 data:
    1. Guidance: <https://floridahealthcovid19.gov/community-events/>
    2. Data: [http://ww11.doh.state.fl.us/comm/partners/covid19\\_report\\_archive/covid19-data/covid19\\_data\\_latest.pdf](http://ww11.doh.state.fl.us/comm/partners/covid19_report_archive/covid19-data/covid19_data_latest.pdf)
  - Our guidelines will be communicated with clubs and those that attend the venue with signage and flyers when they enter the venue.

## **Masking and Indoor Spaces**

- PHRA will adhere to state and local regulations on mask usage.
- Masks will not be required outdoors. Those who are unvaccinated and/or vaccinated but immunocompromised and still potentially vulnerable to infection, will be asked to wear masks outdoors, especially when distance cannot be maintained.
- All participants (including athletes, coaches, event staff, sponsors, volunteers, and spectators) will be required to wear masks while indoors, consistent with current public health guidance. This will include a requirement to wear masks while using regatta provided shuttle transportation.
- When required, masks should be multi-layer cloth or surgical masks, and securely cover the nose and mouth.

## **Event Participation**

Event is limited to teams who reside within the State of Florida. Overnight travel is not recommended. Any team staying overnight should manage their travel arrangements and behaviors according to CDC guidelines.

- PHRA strongly encourages vaccination of all other participants, including athletes, sponsors, and spectators. However, vaccination is not mandated for participation.
- All participants understand that there may be unvaccinated individuals at the Regatta and will consider their own behaviors accordingly.
- Visiting team members that have contact with or have had Covid-19 within the last 14 days must seek the permission from their team and health professional to attend.
- PHRA will not require SARS-CoV-2 testing among asymptomatic participants. However, athletes, staff, sponsors, and volunteers will be required to follow all applicable U.S. and state testing and quarantine requirements related to travel, symptoms, and exposure.
- PHRA will adhere to state and local regulations around capacity management. There are no current restrictions on indoor and outdoor gathering size nor capacity limitations. PHRA will encourage social distancing whenever possible and has limited entry to regattas at this venue to 22 teams/ 600 entries. This is subject to change if pandemic conditions require or in the event of new State or national guidance.

## **Additional Measures**

- Teams will distance from others while launching, racing, and docking. Launch lanes and docking lanes will be sectioned off and a traffic pattern developed and strictly enforced.
- Visiting teams are not allowed inside of the boathouses on the premises
- Visiting teams are not allowed to visit other visiting team areas.
- We encourage all participants to wash or sanitize their hands regularly. Hand sanitizer stations and masks will be available at various sites throughout the venue.
- Any participant who develops symptoms compatible with COVID-19 (regardless of vaccination status) while at the Regatta should immediately self-isolate. PHRA will have information available on local test sites. Those who test positive will be required to inform PHRA so that the appropriate public health agents can be notified.
- All participants should abide by state and local public health guidance, including Hillsborough County Public Schools protocol, surrounding SARS-CoV-2 isolation and quarantine. Lack of cooperation with public health guidance will be grounds for removal from the event.
- In the event of an exposure that occurs at the Regatta, PHRA will cooperate with local and state public health authorities. PHRA will expect all participants and attendees who are notified by either PHRA or public health authorities to cooperate with contact tracing and/or quarantine as appropriate.

- PHRA will not be responsible for providing quarantine accommodations if they are required and will not reimburse any expenses related to travel or quarantine should an individual or team not be allowed to participate due to COVID-19.
- All participants are encouraged to be fully vaccinated at least 2 weeks prior to the event.
- Any individual with symptoms that could be COVID-19 should not attend and should seek medical care.
- PHRA will secure a space for isolation of symptomatic participants until they can arrange for transport off site for testing and isolation. Those who develop symptoms compatible with COVID-19 at the event will not be permitted to use the shuttle service to the off-site parking.