



## MANATEE SIGHTING REPORT

Date of Report: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Date of Manatee Sighting: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_:\_\_\_\_ am pm  
Dead\_\_\_\_ Injured\_\_\_\_ Sighting \_\_\_\_

Manatee seen and reported by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### Location Information:

County: \_\_\_\_\_ Latitude: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude: \_\_\_\_\_  
Waterbody: \_\_\_\_\_ Map attached? Y N

Number of Manatees seen: (calves are ½ the length of adults)

Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Calves: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe the Manatee: (approximate size, distinguishing characteristics, such as scars or injuries) \_\_\_\_\_

Describe Manatee Behavior: (feeding, resting, mating, traveling, nursing, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

If this animal is tagged, describe tag including colors or numbers noted: \_\_\_\_\_

Photographs taken: Yes No

(If photographs are taken, please describe in photo documentation log)

Total Hours :  
Mileage Used:

**If this report is for a tagged manatee  
please call:**

Florida Fish and Wildlife Research Institute  
(727) 896-8626  
Fax (727) 893-9176

**In the case of an orphaned, harassed, injured or dead manatee,  
please call:**

FWCC Hotline: 1-888-404-3922  
Volusia County Manatee Protection Program: (386) 736-5927 x2839

Mail, fax, or email this report to:  
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County of Volusia  
Environmental Management  
123 West Indiana Avenue  
DeLand, FL 32720-7621  
Fax (386) 740-5193  
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