# VIRGINIA RECREATIONAL FISHING DEVELOPMENT FUND SUMMARY PROJECT APPLICATION\* 2011



NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:	PROJECT LEADER:
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PRIORITY AREA OF CONCERN:	PROJECT LOCATION: On the Chesapeake Bay in 5 head boats and
Lack of positive extra-curricular activities for inner city and latch key children.	off the Ocean View Pier.

# **DESCRIPTIVE TITLE OF PROJECT:**

Sunshine Program Fishing Challenge Children's Day

# PROJECT SUMMARY:

This year's project is an expanded version of the annual Sunshine Program Fishing event. Each year, this program becomes larger and more established in the community. The Salvation Army now includes every chapter in the Tidewater area in our event. For the past 4 years, the Sunshine Program has taken over 120 children on 4 head boat trips into the Chesapeake Bay. This year, we are hoping to expand once again by including a fishing competition between the four chapters of the Salvation Army during the boat trips and pier event. Supporting the continual evolution of an established charitable fishing program, such as the Sunshine Program, increases the communities' awareness, knowledge and concern about the ecology of the Tidewater area. Service to 300+ children

### **EXPECTED BENEFITS:**

- 1. Introduction of children to the fishing community.
- 2. Promotion of positive recreational activities for "at risk" children and adolescence.
- 3. Aiding children in understanding the Chesapeake Bay eco-system.
- 4. Encouraging mentoring contact between fishing adults and children

# COSTS:

Boat Trips       \$1500.00 each *(5) = \$7,500.00         Boats       \$1500.00 each *(5) = \$7,500.00         Food       \$500.00         Transportation       \$2,500.00         Awards       \$300.00	Ocean View Pier  Bait  Food  Rods & Reels given to Children  144 children hats each (\$3.00)  24 Adult shirts each (\$13.00)	\$250.00 \$500.00 \$1000.00 \$332.00 \$312.00
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VMRC Funding: \$7,194.00 Recipient Funding: \$6,000.00 Total Costs: \$13,194.00

Detailed budget must be included with proposal.

# **Recipients Funding Details:**

Eddie Bus Service \$1,500.00

Portsmouth Anglers \$500.00

Great Bridge Anglers \$500.00

Marine sales groups \$1,500.00

LAW offices \$2,000.00

Subtotal \$6,000.00