

Prescott Boating Accident Lawyer

Arizona is filled with amazing opportunities for boating enthusiasts to hit the water and have a good time. For example, Willow Lake and Goldwater Lake in Prescott, Arizona, make it easy to load up the boat and head out for a day of boating, fishing, and relaxation.

With all the activity out on the water, boating accidents in Prescott can and do happen. In addition to boats getting into accidents with other boats, boating accidents also could involve swimmers, fixed objects like docks or the shore, jet skis and jet skiers, and people on the shore. At Jensen Phelan Law Firm, we're prepared to help our clients navigate their way through the aftermath of boating accidents.

Prescott Boating Accident Law Can Be Complicated

Boating accidents frequently result in devastating injuries or death. Victims often are left stunned and unsure as to what to do next. To complicate things even further, boating accidents are regulated by an intricate web of local, state, and federal laws. While federal maritime law used to apply only to behaviors taking place on the ocean, it now applies to all [navigable waters](#), including lakes in Arizona.

At Jensen Phelan Law Firm, we have maritime law specialists on board who have experience handling boating accidents. Our specialists know how to help clients handle their claims so that they have the best chance of success. We understand the intricacies of the different laws that may apply to your boating accident.

Our Prescott Boating Accident Specialists Are Ready to Help You

At Jensen Phelan Law Firm, we know that time is of the essence when it comes to boating accident cases. You should contact a boating accident attorney as soon as possible after the accident happens. Any witnesses to the accident need to be identified and interviewed immediately. This is important because witnesses tend to forget key information as more time passes. The sooner that we can begin working on your boating accident case, the better chance we have at a successful outcome.

Are Boating Accident Claims in Arizona Covered by Insurance?

In some cases, your medical insurance may cover any injuries that you sustained. There's always a possibility that your insurance company could ask for reimbursement of those costs down the road if it turns out that someone was at fault for the accident. Boat owners usually have either homeowners insurance or boat insurance that could be used to cover claims. At Jensen Phelan Law Firm, our specialists can get to the bottom of any liability issues surrounding your claim.

Common Types of Prescott Boating Accidents

There are several common types of boating accidents that occur in Prescott. These boating accidents include:

OUI

If a boat operator was operating the boat under the influence, it's called an OUI. This offense brings with it the legal penalties and liabilities that accompany a DUI (driving under the influence when operating a motor vehicle).

Drowning

Some boating accidents result in drownings. These often come about as a result of collisions with other objects. Someone in a boat that has crashed could tumble into the water, or a boat could collide with a swimmer, causing them to get knocked out and pulled underneath the water.

Collisions

Like automobile crashes, boats can collide with each other or other objects and cause serious injuries or worse to those on or off-board. These collisions can cause explosions or fires, expanding the path of destruction.

This sampling of common boating accident examples demonstrates why you need the help of a legal team of specialists to help you with your claim. You want a professional who has experience handling these different types of cases.

Contact the Prescott Boating Accident Lawyers at Jensen Phelan Law Firm Today

If you're struggling with the aftermath of a boating accident, the team at [Jensen Phelan Law Firm](#) completely understands. Our team members are specialists in this complex area of law, and we work hard for our clients. We will help you navigate all the legal and liability issues that result from your boating accident.

You can contact us by calling (928) 778-2660 or by filling out our [contact form](#).