

## **Stray Voltage in the Water**

Until the National Electric Code (NEC) is changed and those changes are implemented by state and local governments, here are a few tips to help keep everyone safe from stray voltage in the water at your dock.

- Make sure all metal parts of the boat and jet ski lifts are out of the water when people are swimming off your dock.
- Don't swim near your boat or jet ski lift.
- Don't touch the boat or jet ski lift while you are in the water.
- Never swim around the slips in a marina or community dock.

If your dock is older, you can also hire a licensed electrician to upgrade your dock's electrical service to the latest electric code and install ground fault interrupter technology on your dock's circuits.