

GOING GREEN.

As of today (May 6, 2009) I am installing 2 electric trolling motors aft on one of my houseboats. They are to be used as thrusters to turn the boat. These motors will also be used part of the time to power the boat, a sort of Hybrid to be used in conjunction with the 4-stroke motor presently on the boat.

This experiment will be phase one of my plan to totally power my boats in the future with electric power. With continuing advancement in the auto industry with lithium batteries the foreseeable future may allow my boats to become carbon based independent.

Another option I am looking into is to generate power from a propane-fueled generator to recharge the batteries as well as other technologies that may present themselves.

