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Scout Releases New 260 LXF

Summerville, SC – Scout Boats, Inc. has released a new model in the luxury center console line-up, the **260 LXF**. This new model will replace its predecessor, the 255 LXF. This 26-footer boasts a max HP rating of 400, a 146-gallon fuel capacity, and a beam of 8' 11".

Scout models are defined by their 100% hand-laid construction, head-turning designs, superior fit and finish, best strength-to-weight ratio in its class, fuel efficient hull designs, and completely finished bilge, lids, doors, and hatches.

The 260 LXF is set apart with notable features such as a forward lounge seat, side dive door, in-floor fish boxes, an extended walkable transom that further adds to the safety and convenience of this model, and an integrated fiberglass hardtop that compliments the already sleek profiles, as well as adds protection from the elements.

Additional standard features on this model include the Seakeeper Ride vessel attitude control system, (2) wireless phone chargers, (6) stainless steel flush mount rod holders, under gunnel rod storage for 2, raw water washdown, and a step-inside console with a porcelain head.

Scout has built a reputation for being first-to-market with innovations throughout its 30+ year history, and the 260 LXF is no different. Notable options on this model include multiple Garmin display screen upgrades, GHP 40 autopilot system with smart pump for Mercury non-joystick boats, hardtop mounted rocket launchers, power assist hydraulic steering, a forward deck shade canvas, and much more.

Scout builds luxury sportfishing center console, dual console and inshore/bay boat models ranging from 17' to 67'. Since its founding nearly three decades ago, the company's goal has been to manufacture the best-built boats in its distinctive sportfishing niches. Each Scout hull is a true original, as the in-house research and design team works closely with engineering to take concepts from blueprint to production more efficiently, growing the company's world-class reputation for quality, strength, durability and value.

For more information on Scout, visit **www.scoutboats.com**; or contact Mark Jerkins at Tinsley Creative, email: mark@tinsleycreative.com; phone: 863.583.0081.

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SPECIFICATIONS
Scout 260 LXF

Length:	26' / 7.92 m
Beam:	8' 11" / 2.7 m
Draft (aprx):	20" / 0.51 m
Dry Weight w/o Engine (aprx):	TBD
Deadrise:	21.5 degrees
Max HP:	400HP / 298 kW
Fuel Capacity:	146 gal / 553 L
Fresh Water Capacity:	20 gal / 76 L
Holding Tank Capacity:	TBD
Bridge Clearance (aprx to T-Top):	7' 11" / 2.24 m
Person Capacity:	11 people

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