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WUF Permit #

2011 Waterways User Fee Application - Harwich, MA

(\$125.00 fee applicable to vessels over 16' in length)

PAST DUE July 1st, 2011

I will not be using the berth or dock this season for my boat, therefore, I will not be paying a Harwich Waterways User fee this year only. (Please complete and return form anyway)

Owner Information:

Name: _____

Phone Numbers: (h) _____ (w) _____

(cell) _____ E-mail: _____

Mailing Address:

Number & Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Harwich Address:

Number & Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Boat Information:

Circle one: Power or Sail Area where berthed _____

Boat Name: _____ Berth Assignment # _____

Year Built: _____ Make: _____ Length: _____

Registration / Doc #: _____ Sail Number: _____ Color: _____

Forward application and check made payable to the Town of Harwich to the above address.

Signature of Owner: _____

Date: _____

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April 1, 2011

Harwich Boat Owner
Private Docks and Marinas
Harwich, Massachusetts

Subject: Waterways User Fee 2010 (marinas, private docks, yacht clubs)

Dear Harwich Boat Owner,

The Town of Harwich has adopted a new regulation (2010) for collecting a Waterways User Fee from all vessels in Harwich that are not already paying dockage permit fees or mooring permit fees to the Town. This includes all boats stationed at private docks, marinas and yacht clubs that are 16' or more.

The compulsory annual fee is \$125 for the season and applies for every vessel including sailboats. This waterways fee will be deposited by the Harbormaster into the Waterways Improvement Fund which is used to directly defray dredging and other municipal costs associated with the Town operating the waterfront. This waterways fee will be considered past due on July 1st, 2011.

Please complete the "2011 Waterways User Fee Application" located on the reverse side of this letter and return it to the Harbormasters Office with a check payable to the Town of Harwich (\$125). A small sticker will be provided and sent by return mail and must be displayed on the hull transom (starboard side).

Vessels not displaying the sticker this season will be subject to a ticket and a fine up to \$200. Harbormaster and Assistants will be enforcing this regulation this season; therefore, your cooperation is mandatory. Extra application forms are available at our website, www.threeharbors.com.

Respectfully,

Thomas E. Leach, Harbormaster

Remember...

Be it known that under Chapter 175 of the Acts of 1987 (Amending General Law Ch. 60 B, S. 4 of the Law imposes two penalties for failure to pay Boating excise tax when due. This includes a \$20 or 20% penalty and the Harbormaster shall refuse to allow the vessel to "moor, dock, or otherwise be situated within the waterways" of the Town, i.e., people from the waiting lists shall be refused dockage or mooring if boat excise or other fees are owed.