



Docks & Harbors

The Tide Line

September 2016



Port Director's Corner

Congratulations to all the participants of the 70th Annual Golden Salmon Derby but especially to Katherine Dimond for her 27.4 lb King winner. I would also like to thank the Territorial Sportsman organizers Andrea Campbell (Derby Coordinator), Matt Robus and President Jerry Burnett for pulling off yet another excellent community event. Docks & Harbor was also pleased that the Statter Harbor Launch Ramp Facility was able to be used for Derby weekend under the “partial utilization” clause of the contract. On September 7th, Docks & Harbors will assume “substantial completion” and will begin managing the facility consistent with the established fee structure. Miller Construction Company continues making good progress towards final completion of the project with the pavilion and guard rail essentially be the final elements to be installed. We anticipate final completion to be in early November.

As we bring the summer to a close, Docks & Harbors is grateful for the assistance received in mitigating loss of parking while the launch ramp was under construction. First Student (bus barn), UAS and Auke Bay Elementary School each provided needed parking during the non-school, peak season of the boating summer.

Thank you

Auke Bay Marine Station: On August 29th, Docks & Harbors submitted a “Port Conveyance Program” application for the purpose of acquiring the waterfront property formerly used as the NOAA Fisheries Laboratory. The application, sent to the Maritime Administration, will be adjudicated by General Services Administration (GSA) with a decision expected by the end of the year. If Docks & Harbors is successful, the property will be transferred to CBJ under a quit-claim deed and managed to its best and highest use. The application can be found at http://www.juneau.org/harbors/hot_issues.php

Docks & Harbors Meetings:
Operations/Planning
 Wednesday Sept 21st
 at 5:00 pm
 CBJ Room 224

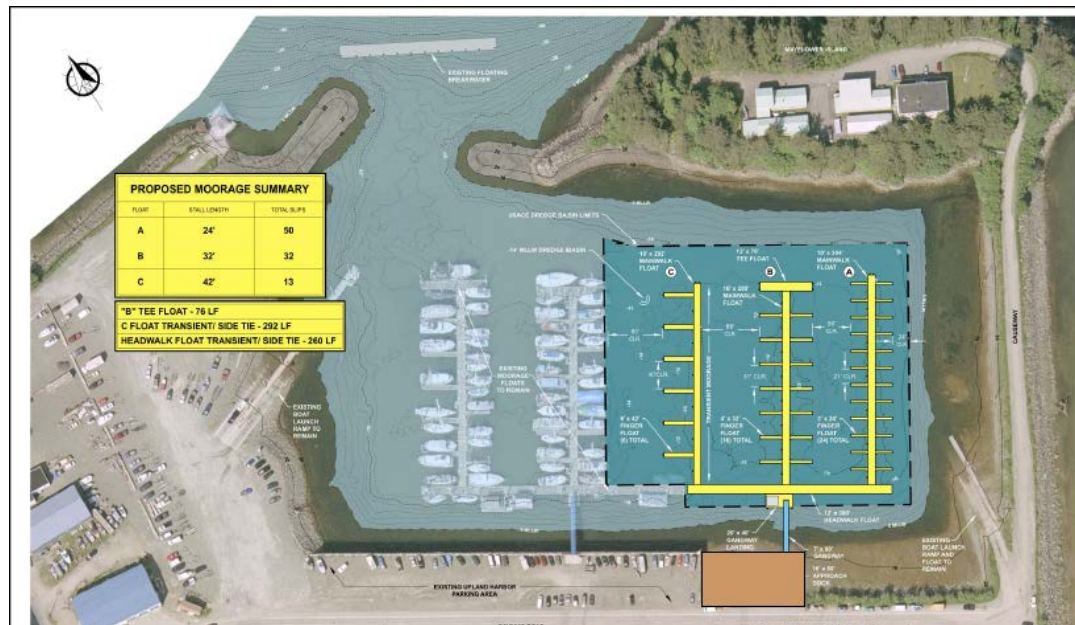
Finance Meeting
 Thursday Sept 22nd
 Cancelled

Regular Board Meeting
 Thursday Sept 22nd
 at 5:00 pm
 Assembly Chambers

Meeting agendas and minutes can be found at:
<http://www.juneau.org/harbors/board.php>

Last Cruise Ship for the 2016 season will be October 1st.

Douglas Harbor Update: Trucano Construction will be mobilizing on September 7th to begin demolition of the existing grid, installation of the new float system and construction of a new retaining wall. The contract calls for a March 31st substantial completion date but we anticipate the contractor and its sub-contractors to complete the work sooner.





Harbor Employee of the Quarter: Ms. Ashley Bruce has been selected as the Docks & Harbors Employee of the Quarter for the 2nd quarter of 2016. Ashley, a seasonal Administrative Assistant at the downtown Port Field Office for the past 4 seasons, was recognized for her outstanding customer service. She received numerous accolades from patrons for her ability to schedule and meet the demands of vessels at the Intermediate Vessel Float and the newly constructed Port Field Office Float.

**Docks & Harbors
Office Hours:**

Port Office

907-586-0292

Monday – Friday
8:00 am to 4:30 pm

***Port/Field Office**

586-5720

Monday – Sunday
8:00 am to 4:30 pm

Aurora Office

907-586-5255

Monday – Saturday
8:00 am to 4:30 pm

Saturday closed 12:00
to 1:00 for lunch

*** Statter Harbor
(Auke Bay) Office**

907-789-0819

Tuesday – Friday
7:30 am to 5:00 pm

Saturday, Sunday, &
Monday

8:00am to 4:30 pm

Closed 12:00 to 1:00
for lunch

* Hours subject to change

End of Season Meetings. For the past 4 years, Docks & Harbor has made a point to meet with stakeholders before the start of the summer and at the end of the boating/tourism season. The purpose is to collect lessons learned and make incremental improvements to our facilities and processes. All meetings are open to the interested public but our meetings will specifically focus on the following customer user groups:

Downtown Loading Zone Permits - September 23rd @ 9 am City Hall Room 224

Downtown Vendor Booth Permits - September 23rd@10 am City Hall Room 224

Statter Harbor Users - September 23rd @ Noon City Hall Room 224

Docks & Harbors Board will recommence their efforts to complete the comprehensive fee review for the Harbor Fees and the Port (downtown cruise related) Fees. Most likely, the first meetings of the fall will commence in October. The Harbor Fee Review Committee is schedule to take up the Resident Surcharge ([05 CBJAC 20.050](#)) with the Dock Fee Review Committee reviewing Loading Permit Fees (05 CBJAC 15.080).

Change of Regular Board Meeting Date: To accommodate the annual Alaska Association of Harbormaster and Port Managers (AAHPA) Conference, the September regular Board Meeting will be held at 5 pm on September 22nd. The Finance Committee Meeting, schedule for that day, is cancelled.

Harbors Recycling Program: Docks & Harbors is teaming up with CBJ Solid Waste to provide recycling options for the community. Beginning September 7th, Drop Boxes will be available to the public for residential recycling of cardboard, mixed paper, plastics #1 and #2, and aluminum cans. The Drop Boxes will be placed at Statter Harbor (located in the former Boatyard area) and Aurora Harbor (near the Harbor Office) for harbor patrons and the general public to use. This initiative fits into Docks & Harbors goal to achieve Alaska Clean Harbor certification.



CBJ Offices will be closed Monday September 5th, 2016 for the Labor Day Holiday. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday September 6th.

Notice to all Maritime Traffic in the Lynn Canal Region

Mariners be advised that between September 17th- 25th, undersea cable laying operations will be underway aboard the maritime vessel “SILVER ARROW” in the LYNN CANAL region with cable landings at Lena Point, Haines, and Skagway. If encountering the Arrow while navigating your vessel, we request you provide a wide berth of passage for the safety of all crews. Thank you for your consideration and cooperation. Questions? Please Email: info@aptalaska.com



Go Green with Docks & Harbors. If you are interested in having your statement sent via email, please message dolly.raster@juneau.org