

Sec 9-94 (c) Mooring assignment application

(5) Name, address and telephone number of ~~person~~ Mooring Service who will set, service and inspect the mooring;

*(This is a housekeeping change in the language of the Ordinance)*

Add Sec 9-94 c (9) to read

(9) A copy of the current vessel registration, or Federal Documentation certificate.

*(This will help to verify that the boat listed on the mooring application is actually the boat on the mooring.)*

Sec 9-94 (m) Placement

(m) Placement: The Harbormaster shall develop a plan for the placement of moorings in the harbor, giving consideration to the size, hull type, construction, windage of boats, and the location of the channel. He/she shall ~~annually~~ reassign locations to each mooring and ensure placement in the correct location. All moorings not located in the correct location shall be moved by the owner at his/her own expense in accordance with the instructions of the Harbormaster. In the event of the failure of the owner to comply with these instructions, the Harbormaster shall move or remove the improperly located mooring and the cost shall be borne by the owner of the relocated mooring. If this is determined to be a hazard or safety issue, the owner must comply within 48 hours.

*(This change will make it easier for the Harbor Master to move boats identified as being a potential hazard or danger to other boats.)*

Sec 9-94 (o) (1) (f)

All mooring buoys shall be white in color with a blue horizontal stripe and shall have the current permit registration number and owner's name in 3 inch letters painted above the water line in a contrasting color. A letter designation may be placed upon the mooring buoys by marinas, boatyards, yacht clubs and commercial marine enterprises to designate moorings owned by them.

*(This is a house cleaning change. The same change was made to an identically worded section in 2007)*

Sec 9-95 Use of Town wharfs and landings.

(f) Allowable Stored Dinghies: ~~Non-Commercial/Recreational skiffs: No skiffs, dinghies, or similar vessels shall be allowed on top of the Town Wharf.~~ No dinghies will be allowed to be stored at any Town Landing location except as herein provided. Certified handicapped and commercial fishermen dinghies are exempt, and may be secured to the finger floats off the Town Pier. Their owners shall maintain such vessels and the owners

shall be liable for any damage occurring to the Town property or other vessels. ~~Any such vessels maintained in the Anchorage and using Town facilities for a total or more than fourteen (14) days per annum shall be registered with the Harbormaster by notation on the application or a mooring permit and have the mooring space number and the owner's name visibly displayed on the inside transom of said vessel. Skiffs may be secured at the finger floats on the north side of the floats off the Town Wharf provided they comply with all of the below conditions~~

(1) ~~“Effective 1/1/2007~~ 1/1/2009 a valid skiff registration sticker must be affixed to any skiff certified handicap or commercial fisherman dinghy stored at the Town wharf. ~~or any approved adjacent storage area. Not more than 60 resident skiff registration stickers shall be issued in 07-08 and not more than 30 non-resident skiff registration stickers shall be issued in 07-08. The registration fee shall be \$50.00 for residents and \$100.00 for non-residents. The registration fee shall be \$50.00 for residents and \$100.00 for non-residents. Commercial fishermen shall be exempt from this fee.~~

Registration stickers shall be available annually ~~on a first come first serve basis due and payable with the mooring permit application on the second Saturday in April each year.~~ though the Harbor Master's office.

~~(2) Each skiff shall be marked with the owner's name and mooring number for purposes of identification.~~

~~(3) No skiffs may be secured on the outer faces of the Town floats or under the Town Landing Pier.~~

(2) All skiffs shall be properly secured and maintained. Skiffs shall not be secured with chains or wire, nor padlocked to the float and will not be left overnight with an outboard attached or fuel onboard.

(3) No skiff longer than 9 feet may be secured on the Town floats.

(4) Skiffs in violation will be impounded and stored at owner's expense.

(5) The Town may supply a fleet of municipal dinghies available for public use, in accordance with rules to be established by the Harbor Master.

*(These changes are suggested in anticipation of the Council eliminating all dinghies for the 2009 season.)*