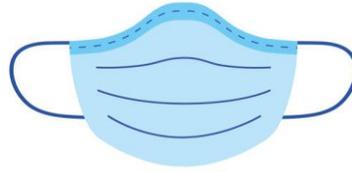


# City of Vallejo Marina Newsletter

August 2020



## COVID-19 and the Marina

All,  
Thank you for being patient and flexible while the Marina office was closed during the Shelter in Place Order. Here is what you need to know moving forward:

- Marina Staff will continue to be available by phone and email during regular office hours **with limited in-person office hours:**
  - **Updated Office Hours:** Monday-Thursday 10 am to 2 pm. CLOSED WEEKENDS.
- Fuel Dock Hours: Remain the same but CLOSED WEEKENDS.
- If you make a visit to the Marina office, **FACE MASK/COVERING IS REQUIRED.** We will only allow one person in the office at a time. Others must wait outside the building.
- **Every day, two times a day, Marina Maintenance staff sanitizes frequently touched surfaces including:** All restrooms (faucets, flush handles, door handles), walk way railings, dock gate entrances, Office Building surfaces (door handles, railings at stairway, etc.), Laundry Room (table, chairs, face of machines, door handle) plus more!
  - If you have noticed that any of these surfaces are sticky or has a residue, this is the reason, as the sanitizer does not call for being wiped down to ensure it has the time to kill germs by not being quickly wiped away before it can do its job!
  - If you see one of the guys, show some appreciation for keeping the Marina clean and safe!



Vallejo Municipal Marina  
42 Harbor Way  
Vallejo, CA 94590

707-648-4370

[www.cityofvallejo.net](http://www.cityofvallejo.net)

Office Hours  
Monday-Saturday  
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Fuel Dock Hours  
Monday-Saturday  
7:00 AM - 3:30 PM

**NEW**  
After Hours Maintenance  
Emergency Pager  
**707-205-3556**



## Insurance and Registration

Please provide the office with updated vessel documents after yearly renewals.

## Rent Payments

Due on the 1<sup>st</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>  
Check, Money Order &  
Credit Card

Marina Office: 42 Harbor  
Way, Vallejo CA, 94590

Cash, Check, Money  
Order, Credit Card  
Commercial Services: City  
Hall 555 Santa Clara  
Street, Vallejo, CA. 94590



\*\*\*First Security is now  
Allied Universal.  
Contact number is the  
same at this time: 1-  
800-400-1110

Thinking about going **GREEN?**  
Sign up for EMAIL Statements!

## What if I Abandon My Boat?

Under California law any owner found guilty of abandoning a vessel shall be fined \$1,000 to \$3000, and may be ordered to pay any additional costs for the removal and disposal of the vessel to the removing agency. Abandoning a boat is one of the worst things a boat owner can do to get rid of an unwanted boat. When a boat is abandoned the detrimental effects can be immediate, and may have serious consequences to:

Public safety • Water quality • Environment and sensitive habitats • Navigation • Local businesses • Marinas and waterway residences • Structures and other features • Resources of state and local governments

Proper vessel disposal is a vital part of clean and responsible boating, and if it's your boat it's your responsibility. **LET US HELP YOU!**

\*\*\*For information on the Vessel Turn In Program (VTIP), visit the CA Department of Boating and Waterways website at [https://dbw.parks.ca.gov/?page\\_id=28768](https://dbw.parks.ca.gov/?page_id=28768)

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### Marina Projects & Improvements

- Completion of I Dock
  - Power boxes
  - Lights
  - New Slips!
- Continued focus on landscaping
  - 60 truckloads of bark!
- Marina Shop Relocation project is underway
  - New location – next to Vallejo Marine Craft
- Pending – TBD – new key fob system
  - Use your phone as your way in!



### Meet the Marina Staff

Marina Walker joined Marina Staff as the Marina Office Attendant in October 2018. Prior to working for the City, Marina gained one year of marina office experience at another local marina. She also worked at Starbucks as a Shift Supervisor for four years while obtaining her online bachelor's degree from Arizona State University. Outside of work, Marina likes to spend time with her family and be outdoors.

### Thinking About Selling your Boat?

A few important reminders regarding boat sales and Slip Rental Agreements:

- Slip Rental Agreements are non-transferable. When selling your boat, make sure the new owner has made arrangements for the boat to be removed from the marina or has completed the application process and executed a Slip Rental Agreement prior to the sale being final.
- Upon termination of a Slip Rental Agreement, unless a new agreement with the new owner has been executed, the original agreement will remain in effect with the previous berther/owner.
- We ask and encourage berthers to write a courtesy letter or email to the marina office notifying us of the intent to sell their boat. At this time, we will provide a Contract End Form to formally submit notice of departure.

### [Exploring Northern California's Inland Delta Cruising Grounds](#), By Don Durant | July 24, 2020 | California Delta

What are you doing with your 'pod' this summer? The Bay is often visited by pods of whales, and now, due to health concerns, it's suggested we all travel with just our family pod. We're hearing from more sailors who are expanding their local sailing explorations of the Bay Area, which includes our warm, sunny, close-to-home Delta cruising grounds.

With this in mind, we invited Don Durant of [Club Nautique](#) to share his insights on cruising the Delta in our current July issue: "Let's begin by eliminating the misconception that the Delta is too shallow for sailboats. We've been cruising in the Delta for decades, and *Eureka!*, our Jeanneau 49DS, draws more than 7 feet. So, with that myth set aside, let's plan a cruise! I had fond but fuzzy memories of Delta cruises when I was a kid in the '50s aboard my parents' Stephens cabin cruiser, so when I had a family of my own and our own sailboat, my wife Judy and I planned our first Delta cruise. My childhood experience was distant and I didn't know whom to ask for advice, but I was an experienced sailor and former submarine navigator so I figured, "How hard can it be?" It turned out not to be hard at all, but, as with any cruise, planning improves performance. What follows is a guide for an introductory cruise based on my experience and mistakes (yes, I've made plenty) ..." It's not far away and there's plenty for your pod to explore. You can do it on your own, with friends, and as part of the 12th annual [Delta Doo Dah](#). Read the full story in the July [World of Chartering](#).

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### Upcoming Events >>>

- The Marina Office will be closed on September 7, 2020 in observance of Labor Day.
- The Marina Office will be closed on October 12, 2020 in observance of Columbus Day.